

Secondary Supplementary Literature List: All titles approved for middle school use

Title	Author	GL	Lexile Level	IL	Comments	Recommendations
Abel's Island	Steig, William	MS	920	5-7		NCTE
Ace Hits the Big Time	Murphy, B. & J. Wolkoff	MS	670	7-12		ALA
Acorn People, The	Jones, Ron	MS	720	7+		NCTE
Across Five Aprils	Hunt, Irene	MS	1100	6-9		ALA, NCTE
Adventures of Robin Hood	Vivian, E. Charles	MS	N/A	7-8		
Adventures of Sherlock Holmes	Doyle, A. Conan	MS	1080	4-8		
After the Rain	Mazer, Norma Fox	MS	600	7+		
Age of Fable, The		MS/HS	1190	8+	See <i>Bulfinch's Mythology: The Age of Fable</i>	
Alchemist, The	Coelho, Paul	MS/HS	910	7-12	Also on HS list - please check with feeder	
Alice's Adventures in Wonderland	Carroll, Lewis	MS	860	5-10		
Alive: The Story of the Andes Survivors	Read, P.	MS	1160	9+		
All Creatures Great and Small	Herriott, James	MS	990	6+		ALA
All the Light We Cannot See	Doerr, Anthony	MS	880	8+	Included in GT curriculum, also on HS list – please check with feeder (HMH recommended for 10 th grade)	
Among the Hidden	Haddix, Margaret Peterson	MS	800	6-9		
Amos Fortune, Free Man	Yates, Elizabeth	MS	1090	6+	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
And One For All	Nelson, Theresa	MS	850	5-9		NVYR
And Then There Were None	Christie, Agatha	MS	570	7+	Aka <i>Ten Little Indians</i>	
Andromeda Strain, The	Chrichton, Michael	MS	840	9+		ALA
Anne Frank Graphic Novel Adaptation	Folman, Ari and David Polonsky	MS			HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl	Frank, Anne	MS	1080	7+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Aristotle and Dante Discover the Secrets of the Universe	Saenz, Benjamin Alire	MS	380	6+	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade, also on HS list – please check with feeder	
Around the World in Eighty Days	Verne, Jules	MS	1070	7-12		
Bamboo People	Perkins, Mitali	MS	680	6+	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
Banner in the Sky	Ulman, James Ramsey	MS	680	6-10		ALA, NCTE
Baseball in April and Other Stories	Soto, Gary	MS	830	7+	Short stories, HMH recommended for 7 th Grade, Also on HS list – please check with feeder	
Bar Code Tattoo, The	Weyn, Suzanne	MS	720	8+		
Bat 6	Wolff, Virginia Euwer	MS	930	6+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade, themes of racism and prejudice	
Be a Perfect Person in Just Three Days	Manes, Stephen	MS	720	3-7		
Beethoven in Paradise	O'Connor, Barbara	MS	680	6-8	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
Behind Rebel Lines: The Incredible Story of Emma Edmonds, Civil War Spy	Reit, Seymour	MS	830	6-8		
Belle Prater's Boy	White, Ruth	MS	760	7-8		Nwby honor
Berlin Boxing Club	Sharenow, Robert	MS	880	8+		Assn of Jewish Libraries
Between Here and There	B. David Cisneros	MS/HS		8+	Also on HS list - please check with feeder	
Big Red	Kjelgaard, James	MS		4-7		NCTE, ALA
Black Elk Speaks	Neihardt, John G. (Black Elk)	MS/HS	1010	7+		
Black Ships Before Troy	Sutcliff, Rosemary	MS	1240	6+	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade, complex text	

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Bloomability	Creech, Sharon	MS	850	6-8		
Blue Sword, The	McKinley, Robin	MS	1030	6+		
Book Thief, The	Zusak, Markus	MS/HS	730	8+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade, also on HS list – please check with feeder	
Boy in Striped Pajamas, The	Boyne, John	MS	1000	7-8		
Boy Who Made Dragonfly: A Zuni Myth	Hillerman, Tony	ES+	1090	4-7	Frequent elementary selection	
Boy's Life	McCammom, Robert R.	MS/HS	780	7+	Murder, trauma	
Breadwinner, The	Ellis, Deborah	MS	710	6+	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
Break with Charity, A	Rinaldi, Ann	MS	730	7-8	Salem Witch Trials	
Brian Piccolo: A Short Season	Morris, Jeannie	MS	880	7+		
Bridge to Terabithia	Paterson, Katherine	MS	810	4-7	Frequent elementary selection	NCTE, Nwby
Bronx Masquerade	Grimes, Nikki	MS	670	7+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Brown Girl Dreaming	Woodson, Jacqueline	MS	990	5-6	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
Bud, Not Buddy	Curtis, Christopher Paul	MS	950	5+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade, check with ES feeder	
Building Blocks	Voigt, Cynthia	MS	680	6+		ALA
Buried Onions	Soto, Gary	MS	850	7+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
Bullying Under Attack: True Stories Written by Teen Victims, Bullies & Bystanders	Meyer, Stephanie	MS		6+	(Teen Ink publication)	
Bury My Heart at Wounded Knee	Brown, Dee	MS/HS	1080	8+		
Call It Courage	Sperry, Armstrong	MS	830	5-9		Nwby
Call of the Wild, The	London, Jack	MS	1120	6+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Callendar Papers	Voigt, Cynthia	MS	730	7+		
Canyons	Paulsen, Gary	MS	930	7+		
Captains Courageous	Kipling, Rudyard	MS	1020	4-8		
Captain's Dog	Smith, Roland	MS	890	6-8		
Cat Ate My Gymsuit, The	Danziger, Paula	MS	610	5-10		NCTE, ALA
Cay, The	Taylor, Theodore	MS/HS	860	6-8	Also on HS list - please check with feeder	
Chains	Anderson, Laurie Halse	MS	780	6-8		
Charlie and the Chocolate Factory	Dahl, Roald	ES+	810	4-7	Frequent elementary selection	
Charlotte's Web	White, E. B.	ES+	680	3-7	Frequent elementary selection	
Chew on This: Everything You Don't Want to Know About Fast Food	Wilson, Charles	MS	1110	7-9		
Chicken Must Have Died Laughing, The	Wisler, G. Clifton	MS		6-9	Basic	
Children of Odin, The: The Book of Northern Myths	Colum, Pdraic	MS	N/A	7+	Norse Mythology	
Choosing Up Sides	Ritter, John H.	ES/MS	670	5-8		
Chosen	Potok, Chaim	MS	970	9+	Jewish family/heritage	
Christmas Carol, A	Dickens, Charles	MS	1080	5+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
Christopher	Koff, Richard	MS		7-8	Fantasy	NCTE
Cinder	Meyer, Marissa	MS	790	6+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	

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Circuit, The	Jimenez, Francisco	MS	880	7-8	Autobiography	
Child of the Owl	Yep, Laurence	MS	980	8+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Clay Marble, The	Ho, Minfong	MS	860	5-9		
Close Enough to Touch	Peck, Richard	MS	690	7-12		ALA
Code Orange	Cooney, Caroline B.	MS	850	7-9	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Code Talker: A Novel About the Navajo Marines of WWII	Bruchac, Joseph	MS	910	7-9	HMH recommended for 9 th Grade, check with feeder	
Color of My Words, The	Joseph, Lynn		840	3-7		
Comedy of Errors, The	Shakespeare, William	M/H		9-12		
Comstock Lode	L'Amour, Louis	M/H	690	8+		
Confessions of Charlotte Doyle	Avi	MS	740	5-9		
Connections	Gallo, Don, ed.	MS	880	7+	High interest, low/average ability, short stories	NCTE
Contender, The	Lipsyte, Robert	MS	760	9+		NCTE, ALA
Cool Salsa	Carlson, Lori, Editor	MS	NP		Poems in English and Spanish	
Coraline	Gaiman, Neil	MS	740	5-8	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Cracker Jackson	Byars, Betsy	MS	710	5-8		
Crossbow	Gaetz, Dayle Campbell	MS	630	5-9		
Crossover, The	Alexander, Kwame	MS	750L	5-8	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	Nwby, ALA
Dandelion Wine	Bradbury, Ray	MS	880	7-12		
Day They Came to Arrest the Book, The	Hentoff, Nat	MS/HS	890	7-12	Censorship	
Death on the Nile	Christie, Agatha	MS	660	7+		NCTE
Devil's Arithmetic, The	Yolen, Jane	MS	730	5-9	Historical fiction, Holocaust	
Dacey's Song	Voigt, Cynthia	MS	710	5-9	Sequel to <i>Homecoming</i>	Nwby
Divorce Express	Danziger, Paula	MS	630	7-12		
Dog's Purpose, A	Cameron, Bruce W.	MS	970	6+	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
Dogsong	Paulsen, Gary	MS	930	5-9		Nwby, ALA
Door in the Wall, The	De Angeli, Marguerite	MS	990	4-8	Middle Ages	Nwby, NCTE
Down the Long Hills	L'Amour, Louis	MS	900	5-12		
Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde	Stevenson, Robert L.	MS	1040	7-12		NCTE
Dragonflight	McCaffrey, Anne	MS	940	8+	Dragonriders of Pern series	
Dragonwings	Yep, Laurence	MS	870	5-9	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	ALA, Nwby
Durango Street	Bonham, Frank	MS	640	7-12		
Eat Your Poison, Dear	Howe, James	MS	630	4-7		
Eight Tales of Terror (Poe)	Poe, Edgar Allan	MS/HS	1340			
Emma	Austen, Jane	MS	1070			
Empire of the Sun	Ballard, J. G.	MS/HS	1130	9+		ALA
Ender's Game	Card, Orson Scott	MS	780	7+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade, also on the 9 th grade list- please check with feeder	
English Tradition: Poetry, The						
Enrique's Journey	Nazario, Sonia	MS/HS	770	7+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade, also on HS list – please check with feeder	

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Environmental Crisis: Opposing Views	Greenhaven Press, ed.		1460	8-12		
Escape from Warsaw	Serraillier, Ian	MS	810	4-7	Original title-- <i>Silver Sword</i>	
Esperanza Rising	Munoz Ryan, Pam	MS	750	7-8	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	NVYR
Face Like Glass, A	Hardinge, Frances	MS	920	7-8	Dystopian YA novel.	
Face on the Milk Carton, The	Cooney, Caroline B.	MS	660	7+		NVYR
Farewell to Manzanar	Houston, Jeanne Wakatsuki	MS/HS	1040	7-10		
Feed	Anderson, M.T.	MS	770	8+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Fifty Great American Short Stories	Crane, Milton, ed.			9+		
Fighting Ground, The	Avi	MS	580			Newberry Medal
Firefly Letters, The	Engle, Margarita	MS	1230	6+	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
Flowers for Algernon	Keyes, Daniel	MS	910	8+		
Fog Comes on Little Pig's Feet, The	Wells, Rosemary	MS	920	5-8		
Forty Days of Musa Dagh	Werfel, Franz	MS/HS	N/A	8+	Armenian genocide	
Found	Haddix, Margaret Peterson	MS	750	4-8		
Freak The Mighty	Philbrick, Rodman	MS	1000	5-9	Powerful and unique friendship	ALA
Freedom Walkers	Freedman, Russell	MS	1110	5+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler	Konigsburg, E. L.	ES+	700	4-8	Frequent elementary selection	
Frozen Fire: A Tale of Courage	Houston, James	MS	760	4-10		NCTE
Fuzzy	Angleberger, Tom and Paul Dellinger	ES+	700	4+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Gabe and Izzy: Standing Up for America's Bullied	Ford, Gabrielle	ES/MS	740	5+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
Gathering of Old Men, A	Gaines, Ernest J.	MS	650	8+		
Ghost	Reynolds, Jason	ES/MS	730	5-7	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	National Book Award Finalist
Ghost Belonged to Me, The	Peck, Richard	MS	900	4-8		NCTE
Girl in Blue	Rinaldi, Ann	MS	680	6-8	Civil War, 13-year-old female protagonist	
Girl Who Owned a City, The	Nelson, O. T.	MS	420	4-6		ALA
Girls Who Code: Learn to Code & Change the World	Saujani, Reshma	MS	990			
Giver, The	Lowry, Lois	HS	760	5-8	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	ALA
Glory Field, The	Myers, Walter Dean	MS	800	5-9		ALA
Goblet Golden, The	McGraw, Eloise Jarvis	MS	930	5-9		Newberry honor
Gone Crazy in Alabama	Williams-Garcia, Rita	MS	740	4-7	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
Good-bye, Billy Radish	Skurzynski, Gloria	MS	840	5-9	Historical fiction, WWI	ALA
Great Gilly Hopkins, The	Paterson, Katherine	ES+	800	5-7	Often used in elementary	
Guns Along the Comstock	Nielson, Norm	MS/HS	N/A		Adventure, Nevada	
H. G. Wells Science Fiction						
Halloween Tree, The	Bradbury, Ray	MS		7+	Preview; some witchcraft	
Harriet Tubman: Conductor on the Underground Railroad	Petry, Ann	MS	1000			
Hatchet	Paulsen, Gary	MS	1020	5-9	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	Nwby, NYT
Heidi	Spyri, Johanna	ES+	960	4-8	Frequent elementary selection	
Hero and the Crown, The	McKinley, Robin	MS	1120	6+	Fantasy	Nwby, ALA

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Heroes of the American West						
Heroes, Gods and Monsters of Greek Myth	Evslin, Bernard (retelling)	MS/HS	800	9+		
Hiroshima	Hersey, John	MS/HS	1190	7+		
Hush	Woodson, Jacqueline	MS	640	5-8	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Hobbit, The	Tolkein, J. R. R.	MS	1000	6+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	NCTE
Hold Fast	Major, Kevin	MS	740	7-12	Mature language	
Holes	Sachar, Louis	MS	660	5-9	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade Set in a detention facility; parallel plots; mystery	Nwby, ALA
Home of the Brave	Applegate, Katherine	MS	N/A	5+	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
Homecoming	Voigt, Cynthia	MS	630	5-9		
House Arrest	Kolt, K.A.	MS	610	5-9		
House on Mango Street, The	Cisneros, Sandra	MS+	880	8+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade, also on HS list – please check with feeder	
House of Dies Drear, The	Hamilton, Virginia	MS	670	5-9	Mystery	ALA
Hunger Games, The	Collins, Suzanne	MS	810	7+	Violence, HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
I am Malala	Yousafzai, Malala	MS	1000	5+	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
I am Still Alive	Marshall, Kate Alice	MS	680	7+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
I Have Lived a Thousand Years	Bitton-Jackson, Olivia	MS	720	8-12		
I, Juan de Pareja	Trevino, Elizabeth Borton de	MS/HS	1100	6+	HMH recommended for 10 th grade – please check with HS	Nwby, ALA
I, Robot	Asimov, Isaac	MS	820	8+	Suspenseful, HMH recommended for 8 th Grade, Also on HS list – please check with feeder	
Incident at Hawk's Hill	Eckert, Allan W.	MS	1200	7+		Nwby
Incidents in the Life of a Slave Girl	Jacobs, Harriet	MS	740	7-8	Currently used in GT magnet program	
Incredible Journey	Burnford, Sheila Every	MS	1320	7-12		NCTE
Inside Out and Back Again	Lai, Thanhha		800		HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Invisible Man	Wells, H. G.	MS	980	7-12		
Island Keeper	Mazer, Harry	MS	710	6-9	*Good read-aloud	
Island of the Blue Dolphins	O'Dell, Scott	MS	1000	4-7	Frequent elementary selection	Nwby,NCTE,ALA
It's an Aardvark Eat Turtle World	Danziger, Paula	MS	620	5+	Sequel to <i>Divorce Express</i>	
Jack London Short Stories	London, Jack	MS/HS	650			
Jacob Have I Loved	Paterson, Katherine	MS	880	7-10		
Jim-Dandy	Irwin, Hadley	MS	950	5-9	Historical fiction, cavalry	
Joey Pigza Swallowed the Key	Gantos, Jack	MS	970	4-7	Alternative Ed/Remedial; high interest	
Johnny Tremain	Forbes, Esther	MS	840	4-8		ALA,NCTE,Nwby
Join In: Multiethnic Short Stories	Gallo, Donald, Ed.	MS	740	7-8	Multicultural	
Jonathan Livingston Seagull	Bach, Richard	MS	890	5+		
Journey to the Center of the Earth	Verne, Jules	MS	500	6-12		
Jubilee	Walker, Margaret	MS	1090	11+	Civil War	
Julie of the Wolves	George, Jean Craighead	MS	860	4-8	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	NCTE, Nwby
Jungle Book, The	Kipling, Rudyard	MS	1080	4-8	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	

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Katie's Trunk	Turner, Ann	MS	660	3-8	Colonial America; low-level, ESL	
Kidnapped	Stevenson, Robert L.	MS	990	4+		
Kira-Kira	Kadohata, Cynthia	MS	740	5+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
Knockout	Holt, K.A.	MS		5-10		
Kon-Tiki	Heyerdahl, Thor	MS	1310	7+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade, some peril	
Lantern in Her Hand, A	Aldrich, Bess Streeter	MS	1020	6+		
Late Homecomer, The	Yang, Kao Kalia	MS	890	8+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Let the Circle Be Unbroken	Taylor, Mildred	MS	850	6-12	Cycle w/ <i>Roll of Thunder</i>	
Level Up	Yang, Gene Luen and Thien Pham	MS	360	7+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
Liar, Liar	Yup, Lawrence	MS		5-9		
Life As We Knew It	Pfeffer, Susan Beth	MS			HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
Light in the Darkness, A	Marrin, Albert	MS	1010	8+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade, Holocaust	
Light in the Forest	Richter, Conrad	MS	870	5+		
Lightening Thief, The	Riordan, Rick	MS	740	5-8	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
Lilies of the Field, The	Barrett, William	MS	770	6+		
Lion Island	Engle, Margarita	MS	1110	5-9	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Lion, Witch, and Wardrobe, The	Lewis, C. S.	MS	940	5-8		
Little Women	Alcott, Louisa May	MS/HS	1210	3-7		
Loneliness of the Long Distance Runner	Sillitoe, Alan	MS/HS	N/A	9+	Mature; Preview for MS	
Long Way Down	Reynolds, Jason	MS/HS	HL720	7-9	also on HS list - please check with feeder	
Long Walk to Water	Park, Linda Sue	MS	720	5-7	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
Love that Dog	Creech, Sharon	MS	1010	8+		
Lord of the Rings	Tolkien, J. R. R.	MS		7+	Difficult trilogy	
Lupita Manana	Beatty, Patricia	MS	760	5+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade, also on HS list – please check with feeder	
Lyddie	Paterson, Katherine	MS/HS	860	5-9	Social, political issues of 1800s	ALA
Maltese Falcon	Hammett, Dashiell	MS/HS	760	9+	Modern classic of mystery & suspense	
Maniac Magee	Spinelli, Jerry	MS	820	4-7	Frequent upper elementary selection	
March Forward, Girl	Pattillo Beals, Melba and Frank Morrison	MS	950L	5+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade, also on HS list – please check with feeder	
March Toward the Thunder	Bruchac, Joseph	MS	850L	7+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Martian, The	Weir, Andy	MS	680	7+		
Maus I and Maus II	Spiegelman, Art	MS	910	8+	Holocaust, graphic novels	
Me Moth	McBride, Amber	MS+	750	8+ ONLY	Themes of death, grief, depression	NBA finalist, 2021
Memo: To Myself When I Have a Teenage Kid	Snyder, Carol	MS		7+		
Middle School, The Worst Years of My Life	Patterson, James	MS	700	3-7		
Miles Morales: Spider-Man	Reynolds, Jason	MS	710	7+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
Milkweed	Spinelli, Jerry	MS	510	6-8		
Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children	Riggs, Ransom	MS/HS	890	8+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	

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Mom, the Wolf Man and Me	Klein, Norma	MS/HS		6-10		
Monster	Myers, Walter Dean	MS	670	6-8	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
Monster Calls, A	Ness, Patrick	MS	730	6-8	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
My Brother Sam is Dead	Collier, James & Christopher	MS/HS	770	6-12		
My Friend Flicka	O'Hara, Mary	ES/MS	960	5-9	Frequent elementary selection	
My Life As an Ice Cream Sandwich	Zoboi, Ibi	MS	830	6-8	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
My Side of the Mountain	George, Jean Craighead	MS	810	3-8	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade, Frequent elementary selection	
Mythology	Hamilton, Edith	MS/HS	1040	9+		
Never Cry Wolf	Mowat, Farley	MS	1330	7+		
New Kid	Craft, Jerry	MS	320	6+	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade, graphic novel	
New World	Cross, Gillian	MS	700	4-7	Video Games (remedial)	NVYR
Night	Wiesel, Ellie	MS	570	6-8	True story of Jewish family during the Holocaust	Nobel
Ninth Ward	Rhodes, Jewell Parker	MS	HL470	6-8	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
No Promises in the Wind	Hunt, I.	MS	930	7-12	1930s Depression era	
Nobody Else Can Walk It (For You)	Petersen, P. J.	MS	640	7+		ALA
Not So Boring Letters of Private Nobody, The	Landis, Matthew	MS	580	5-9	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Nothing But The Truth	Avi	MS	NP	7+	Theme of free speech; diary format	ALA
Nothing to Fear	Koller, Jackie French	MS	730	6+	Irish immigrants/Great Depression	
Number the Stars	Lowry, Lois	MS	670	4-8	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
O Pioneers!	Cather, Willa	MS/HS	930	9+	Life on the Plains, 1800s	
Of Mice and Men	Steinbeck, John	MS	630	7+	Preview; language & violence	NCTE
Old Yeller	Gipson, Fred	MS	910	5-8	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
On My Honor	Bauer, Marion Dane	MS	750	4-7	Sensitive	Nwby, ALA
On the Devil's Court	Deuker, Carl	MS	730	6-8	Basketball, sports	
One and Only Ivan	Applegate, Katherine	ES/MS	570	3-7		
One-Eyed Cat	Fox, Paula	MS	1000	5-9		Nwby,ALA, NYT
Ordeal by Hunger	Stewart, George	MS/HS		9+	Donner Party	
Other Side of the Mountain, The	Valens, Evans G.	MS	1100	7+	Jill Kinmont story	NCTE
Outsiders, The	Hinton, S. E.	MS	750	8+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade, also on HS list – please check with feeder	
Out of My Mind	Draper, Sharon M.	MS	700	5-8	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
Out of the Dust	Hesse, Karen	MS		6-8	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	Newberry
Paiute	Wheeler, Sessions S. (Buck)	MS/HS	N/A			
Parker Inheritance, The	Johnson, Varian	MS	610	4-8	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
Park's Quest	Paterson, Katherine	MS	710	5+		NYT
Path to the Stars	Acevedo, Sylvia	MS	960	5-8	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
Patty Reed's Doll	Laurgaard, Rachel K.	MS	1040	7+	True; Nevada history	
Pax	Pennypacker, Sara	MS	760	6-8	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
Pearl, The	Steinbeck, John	MS	1010	6+		NCTE

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Pebble in the Sky	Asimov, Isaac	MS		7-10		
Peak	Smith, Roland	MS	760	6+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
Percy Jackson 1: The Lightning Thief	Riordan, Rick	MS	680	5-8		
Phantom Tollbooth, The	Juster, Norton	MS	1000			
Pigman	Zindel, Paul	MS	950	7-10	Sensitive subject	
Pigman's Legacy, The	Zindel, Paul	MS	1010	8-12	Sequel to <i>Pigman</i>	
Pinballs, The	Byars, Betsy	MS	600	4-8		NCTE, ALA
Plague Year	Tolan, Stephanie	MS	790	7+	Deals w/community fear/mob behavior.	ALA
Planet Middle School	Grimes, Nikki	MS	680	6-8	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
Popcorn Days & Buttermilk Nights	Paulsen, Gary	MS	950	6-8		
Portable Steinbeck, The	Viking Press					
Price you Pay for College, The	Lieber, Ron	MS			Taught in the GATE program	
Prince and the Pauper, The	Twain, Mark	MS	520	8+		
Primates: The Fearless Science of Goodall, Fossey, and Galdikas	Ottaviani, Jim and Maris Wicks	MS	N/A	6-8	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
Proud Taste for Scarlet and Miniver, A	Konigsburg, E. L.	MS	770	7-8		
Pudd'nhead Wilson	Twain, Mark	MS	1150	5-9		NCTE
Pushcart War, The	Merrill, Jean	MS/HS	1020	6-10	Humor	NCTE
R is for Rocket	Bradbury, Ray		N/A			
Ramona	Jackson, Helen Hunt	MS	870	8+		
Randoms	Liss, David	MS	840	5+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
Rascal	North, Sterling	MS	1140	4-8		
Raven and Other Favorite Poems, The	Poe, Edgar Allen	MS		7+		
Reaching Out	Jiménez, Francisco	MS	910	3-8	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Red Pony, The	Steinbeck, John	MS	810	6+		
Red, White, and Whole	Larocca, Rajani	MS		6-8		
Reflections on a Gift of Watermelon Pickle	Dunning, Stephen et al	MS	NP	7+	Poetry	
Refugee	Gratz, Alan	MS	800	5-8	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
River Between Us, A	Peck, Richard	MS	740	8+		
River Runs Through It, A	MacLean, Norman	MS/HS	1160	7+	Preview , Mature themes	
Road to Memphis, The	Taylor, Mildred D.	MS	670	7+	Mississippi, 1941; author of <i>Roll of Thunder</i>	
Robinson Crusoe	Defoe, Daniel	MS	930	7+		
Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry	Taylor, Mildred D.	MS	920	5-9	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	ALA, NCTE
Rumble Fish	Hinton, S. E.	MS	680	7-9		
Running Loose	Crutcher, Chris	MS	870	9+		ALA
Sadako & the Thousand Paper Cranes	Coerr, Eleanor	ES/MS	630	2-6	Frequent elementary selection	
Sahara Special	Codell, Esme Raji	ES/MS	660	5-6		Christopher Book Awards
Sand in a Whirlwind	Wheeler, Sessions (Buck)	MS/HS	N/A	7+	Nonfiction, Paiute Indian War	
Secret Garden	Burnett, Frances Hodgson	ES/MS	970	5-9	Frequent elementary selection	
Secret Story of Sonia Rodriguez, The	Sitomer, Alan Lawrence	MS	800	7-8		

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Seedfolks	Fleischman, Paul	MS	710L	5+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade. Also on HS list - please check with feeder	
Shane	Schaefer, Jack	MS	870	6-9		NCTE
Shining Season, A	Buchanan, William	MS	760	8+		
Short Takes	Segel, Elizabeth.	MS/HS	N/A	5-9	High interest, short selections	NCTE
Short Works of Mark Twain		MS/HS	N/A			
Sign of the Beaver, The	Speare, Eliz. George	MS	770	5-9	Frequent elementary selection	
Sing Down the Moon	O'Dell, Scott	MS	820	5+		ALA, Nwby
Singularity	Sleator, William	MS	740	5+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Slave Dancer	Fox, Paula	MS	970	5-9		ALA, Nwby
Sleeping Murder	Christie, Agatha	MS	720	9+		NCTE
Smith	Garfield, Leon	MS	920	4-7		
So Far From the Bamboo Grove	Watkins, Yoko Kawashima	MS	730	5-9		ALA
Solitary Blue, A	Voigt, Cynthia	MS	770	7+	Companion to <i>Dacey's Song</i>	Nwby
Son of a Wanted Man	L'Amour, Louis	MS	740	7+		
Song of the Trees	Taylor, Mildred	MS	710	4+		
Sonnets--Shakespeare	Shakespeare, William (Penguin)	MS/HS	NP	9+	Poetry	
Sounder	Armstrong, William	MS	900	6-8		ALA, NCTE
Sparrow Hawk Red	Mikaelsen, Ben	MS	620	5-9		ALA
Stamped: Racism, Antiracism, and You	Reynolds, Jason and Ibram X. Kendi	MS+	1000	7-12	Preview, parent consent recommended - HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Stargirl	Spinelli, Jerry	MS	590	7-9	Coming of age	
Stone Fox	Reynolds Gardiner, John	MS	550	7-8		
Storm Too Soon, A	Tougias, Michael J.	MS	1090	5+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde	Stevenson, Robert Louis	MS/HS	1060	7-12	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	
Subtreasury of American Humor	White, E. B. & Katherine		N/A			
Summerlost	Condie, Ally	MS	600	5-6		
Summer of the Monkeys	Rawls, Wilson	MS	810	4-9		NCTE
Summer of the Swans	Byars, Betsy	MS	830	5-8		Nwby, NCTE
Summer on Wheels	Soto, Gary	MS	750		Coming of age, male, Hispanic	
Summer to Die	Lowry, Lois	MS	860	4-10		NCTE
Superfudge	Blume, Judy	ES/MS	560	3-7	Frequent elementary selection	
Sweet Bells Jangled Out of Tune	Brancato, Robin F.	MS	640	3-7		ALA
Sweet Promised Land	Laxalt, Robert	MS	N/A	4-8		
Swiftly Tilting Planet	L'Engle, Madeleine	MS	850	6+	3rd in trilogy	ALA, NCTE
Swiss Family Robinson	Wyss, Johann	MS	1260	4-9		
Taming of the Shrew, The	Shakespeare, William	MS/HS	1340	8+		
Tangerine	Bloor, Edward	MS	680	7-12		
Tarzan of the Apes	Burroughs, Edgar R.	MS	1270	7+		
Ten Little Indians	Christie, Agatha	MS		7+	Aka <i>And Then There Were None</i>	

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Ten Top Stories	Sohn, David A., ed.	MS/HS	N/A	7-12		
Tex	Hinton, S. E.	MS	710	7-12		ALA
That Was Then, This Is Now	Hinton, S. E.	MS	780	7+		
This Place Has No Atmosphere	Danziger, Paula	MS	690	5-9		
Through a Brief Darkness	Peck, Richard	MS	790	7-12		NCTE
Through the Looking Glass	Carroll, Lewis	MS		5-10		NCTE
Time Machine	Wells, H. G.	MS	1070	8+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade	NCTE
To Be a Slave	Lester, Julius	MS/HS	1080	8+	Slave portraits	ALA
Tom Sawyer	Twain, Mark	MS	950	4-9		
Touching Spirit Bear	Mikaelsen, Ben	MS	730	7-9		
Travels with Charley	Steinbeck, John	MS	1010	9+		NCTE
Treasure Island	Stevenson, Robert L.	MS	610	5+	Orig. pub. in 1883	
Tropical Secrets	Engle, Margarita	MS	1170	8+	HMH recommended for 8 th Grade, Holocaust refugees	
True or False: A CIA Analyst's Guide to Spotting Fake News	Cindy Otis	MS	N/A	7+	Taught in the GATE program	
True Grit	Portis, Charles	MS	800	7+		
Tuck Everlasting	Babbitt, Natalie	ES/MS	770	5-7	Frequent elementary selection	ALA
Tune Out	Wojciechowska, Maria	MS		7+		
Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea	Verne, Jules	MS	1030	5-10		NCTE
Two Roads	Bruchac, Joseph	MS	740	5-8	Depiction of Native American boarding schools	
Under the Blood-Red Sun	Salisbury, Graham	MS	640	5-9	Historical fiction, Japanese in America in WWII	ALA
Undertaker's Gone Bananas, The	Zindel, Paul	MS	1050	6+		ALA, NCTE
Up a Road Slowly	Hunt, Irene	ES/MS	1130	5-9	Frequent elementary selection	Nwby
Voyage of the "Dawn Treader"	Lewis, C. S.	MS	970	4-7	Narnia series	
Walkabout	Marshall, James	MS	800	6-12		
Walking with the Wind	Lewis, John	MS		7+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
Wall, The	Lutzeier, Elizabeth	MS			Berlin Wall	ALA
War of the Worlds, The	Wells, H. G.	MS	1170	7-12	Orig. pub. 1898	
Warrior Scarlet	Sutcliff, Rosemary	MS		7+		
Washo Tales	Dangberg, Grace	MS	N/A		Translation	
Watsons Go To Birmingham, The	Curtis, Christopher Paul	MS	1000	5-9	Historical fiction, civil rights	ALA, Nwby
Walk Two Moons	Creech, Sharon	MS	770	5-9	Easy reading; mature themes	
Wednesday Wars, The	Schmidt, Gary	MS	990	7+		
Welcome to the Monkey House	Vonnegut, Kurt	MS	810	9+	Collection of short works	
When you Trap a Tiger	Keller, Tae	MS	590	6-8		
Where the Mountain Meets the Moon	Lin, Grace	MS	810L	6-8	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
Westing Game, The	Raskin, Ellen	MS	750	5-10	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	NCTE
Westmark	Alexander, Lloyd	MS	690	5-10		
Where the Lilies Bloom	Cleaver, Vera & Bill	MS	920	6-10		NCTE,ALA,Nwby

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Where the Red Fern Grows	Rawls, Wilson	MS	700	6-10		
Whispers From the Dead	Nixon, Joan Lowery	MS	680	7+	Mystery; high interest	ALA
White Fang	London, Jack	MS	970	6+		
White Mountains	Christopher, John	MS	920	5-11		NCTE
Wind in the Door, A	L'Engle, Madeleine	MS	790	4-7		
Witch of Blackbird Pond, The	Speare, Elizabeth George	MS	850	5-8		ALA,NCTE,Nwby
Wizard of Earthsea	LeGuin, Ursula	MS	1150	6-12		
Wolf Rider	Avi	MS	530	7+		
Wonder	Palacio, R.J.	MS	790	3-7	HMH recommended for 6 th Grade	
Words by Heart	Sebestyen, Ouida	MS	750	6-12		NCTE
Wrinkle in Time, A	L'Engle, Madeleine	MS	740	4-7	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	NCTE, Nwby
Yearling, The	Rawlings, Marjorie	MS	750	7+	HMH recommended for 7 th Grade	
Zach's Lie	Smith, Roland	MS	650	5-9		