

SUMMER READING: TAILS & TALES

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BOOK LIST 2021: Middle School

* Title is also available in electronic format.



Black-Eyed Susan Nominees 2021/2022

*TEEN 305.8009 R Reynolds, Jason
*Stamped: Racism, Anti-Racism, and
You*

YA AND
Anderson, John David
Finding Orion

YA BRA
Bradley, Kimberly Brubaker
Fighting Words

YA DEU Deuker, Carl
Golden Arm

YA HAR Harrell, Rob
Wink

YA KOR Korman, Gordon
War Stories

CHILDRENS BEH Behrens, Rebecca
The Disaster Days

CHILDRENS O'DO O'Donnell, Tom
Homerooms and Hall Passes

*CHILDRENS PAT Patterson, James
and Kwame Alexander
Becoming Muhammad Ali

CHILDRENS SIM Simon, T. R.
Zora and Me: The Cursed Ground

Black-Eyed Susan Graphic Novel Nominees 2021-2022

741.59 G
Gulledge, Laura Lee
The Dark Matter of Mona Starr

741.59 I Izumi, Mitsu
Magus of the Library 1

741.59 L Layne, Aliza
Beetle & the Hollowbones

741.59 N Nijkamp, Marieke
The Oracle Code

741.59 O Ottaviani, Jim
*Astronauts: Women on the Final
Frontier*

741.59 P Probert, Tim
Lightfall: The Girl & the Galdurian

*741.59 T Trung, Le Nguyen
The Magic Fish

*741.59 Y Yang, Gene Luen
Dragon Hoops

741.59 Y Ying, Victoria
City of Secrets

CHILDRENS 741.59 C Cullum, Jared
Kodi, Book 1

The titles selected for this Summer Reading list were chosen especially for those students leaving grades 6-8. Titles included are just a sampling of the books you may enjoy reading during the summer. Many of the authors on this list have written more than one book. Check out some of those titles, too!

Tails of Adventure

*CHILDRENS FLE Fletcher, Susan
Journey of the Pale Bear

*CHILDRENS OLI Oliver, Lauren
*The Magnificent Monsters of Cedar
Street*

CHILDRENS STO Stohl, Margaret
This Is War

TEEN 001.944 B Becia, Carlyn
*Monstrous: The Lore, Gore and
Science Behind Your Favorite
Monsters*

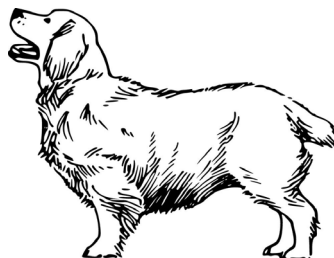
TEEN 597.3 S Skerry, Brian
*Ultimate Book of Sharks: Your Guide
to these Fierce and Fantastic Fish*

*YA GRI Griffin, Paul
Saving Marty

*YA SERIES Schrefer, Eliot
Immortal Guardians

741.59 W Walker, Suzanne
Mooncakes

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Friendship Matters

- *CHILDRENS 741.59 C Craft, Jerry
New Kid
- *CHILDRENS 741.59 M Miller, Kayla
Click
- *CHILDRENS 741.59 P Palacio, R. J.
White Bird: A Wonder Story
- *YA COL Colbert, Brandy
The Only Black Girls in Town
- *YA KOR Korman, Gordon
Restart
- *741.59 D Dwinell, Kim
Surfside Girls: The Secret of Danger Point
- 741.59 G Gillman, Melanie
As the Crow Flies

Historical Tales

- CHILDRENS 931 H Hudak, Heather C.
Forensic Investigations of the Ancient Chinese
- CHILDRENS 932 B Bow, James
Forensic Investigations of the Ancient Egyptians
- CHILDRENS 937 S Spilsbury, Louise
Forensic Investigations of the Romans
- CHILDRENS 938 H Hudak, Heather C.
Forensic Investigations of the Ancient Greeks
- CHILDRENS 972.01 B Bow, James
Forensic Investigations of the Aztecs
- CHILDRENS 972.8 S Spilsbury, Louise
Forensic Investigations of the Maya
- *TEEN 364.1523 D Denson, Bryan
The Unabomber: Agent Kathy Puckett and the Hunt for a Serial Bomber
- *TEEN 796.83 F Florio, John and Ouisie Shapiro
War in the Ring: Joe Louis, Max Schmeling, and the Fight between America and Hitler

- *YA BOL Bolden, Tonya
Crossing Ebenezer Creek
- *YA GAN Gansworth, Eric
If I Ever Get Out of Here
- *546 K Kean, Sam
The Disappearing Spoon: And Other True Tales of Rivalry, Adventure, and the History of the World from the Periodic Table of the Elements

Gales, Tales & Things with Sails

- CHILDRENS 577.0981 M Montgomery, Sy
Amazon Adventure: How Tiny Fish are Saving the World's Largest Rainforest
- *CHILDRENS KEL Kelly, Erin Entrada
Lalani of the Distant Sea
- *CHILDRENS HAS Hashimoto, Meika
The Trail
- *CHILDRENS PAR Parry, Rosanne
A Wolf Called Wander
- *TEEN 943.086 G Gaddy, K. R.
Flowers in the Gutter: The True Story of the Edelweiss Pirates, Teenagers who Resisted the Nazis
- YA SHA Shah, London
The Light at the Bottom of the World

Tales of Families & Pride

- *CHILDRENS 741.59 H Holm, Jennifer L.
Swing It, Sunny!
- *CHILDRENS 741.59 K Knisley, Lucy
Stepping Stones
- *CHILDRENS CHE Cheng, Jack
See You in the Cosmos
- *CHILDRENS KEL Keller, Tae
When You Trap a Tiger

- *CHILDRENS LAC Lackey, Lindsay
All the Impossible Things
- *CHILDRENS SAG Sage, Angie
Twilight Hauntings
- *CHILDRENS STE Stead, Rebecca
The List of the Things That Will Not Change
- YA LIT Little Badger, Darcie
Elatsoe
- *YA LUP Lupica, Mike
Fast Break
- *YA MIL Mills, Allison
The Ghost Collector
- *YA WAR Warga, Jasmine
Other Words for Home

Tales to Inspire

- *CHILDRENS 639.978 M Montgomery, Sy
Kakapo Rescue: Saving the World's Strangest Parrot
- *CHILDRENS B AISHOLPAN Aïsholpan, Nurgaiṽ
The Eagle Huntress: The True Story of the Girl who Soared Beyond Expectations
- *CHILDRENS B MERIAN S Sidman, Joyce
The Girl Who Drew Butterflies: How Maria Merian's Art Changed Science
- *TEEN 333.95 C Castaldo, Nancy
Back from the Brink: Saving Animals from Extinction
- *TEEN 940.5425 S Stelson, Caren Barzelay
Sachiko: A Nagasaki Bomb Survivor's Story
- *B BRYAN Bryan, Ashley
Infinite Hope: A Black Artist's Journey from World War II to Peace

On the Go?

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