

REALISTIC FICTION:

City of the Beasts - Isabel Allende (1030L)
Tiger Eyes - Judy Blume (HL590L)
The Chocolate War - Robert Cormier (820L)
La Linea - Ann Jaramillo (650L)
Real Time - Pnina Moed Kass (640L)
Monster - Walter Dean Myers (670L)
Wonder - R.J. Palacio (790L)
Jacob I Have Loved - Katherine Paterson (880L)
My Sister's Keeper - Jodi Picoult (840L)
Where the Red Fern Grows - Wilson Rawls (700L)
Small Steps - Louis Sachar (690L)
Endangered - Eliot Schefer (900L)
Remember Dippy - Shirley Reva Vernick (700L)
American Born Chinese - Gene Luen Yang (GN530)

HISTORICAL FICTION:

Forge - Laurie Halse Anderson (780L)
Fever 1793 - Laurie Halse Anderson (580L)
The Nazi Hunters - Neil Bascomb (1000)
Sarah's Key - Tatiana DE Rosnay (610L)
A Northern Light - Jennifer Donnelly (700L)
The Lost Conspiracy - Frances Hardinge (970L)
Out of the Dust - Karen Hesse
Inside Out and Back Again - Thanhha Lai (800L)
Private Peaceful - Michael Morpurgo (860L)
Sunrise Over Fallujah - Walter Dean Myers (780L)
Echo - Pam Munoz Ryan (680L)
The Hired Girl - Laura Amy Schlitz (810L)
The Witch of Blackbird Pond - Elizabeth George Speare (850L)
Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry - Mildred D. Taylor (920L)
The Book Thief - Markus Zusak (730L)

SCIENCE FICTION:

Things Not Seen - Andrew Clements (690L)
The House of the Scorpion - Nancy Farmer (660L)
Double Identity - Margaret Peterson Haddix (810L)
The Mark of the Dragonfly - Jaleigh Johnson (820L)
A Wrinkle in Time - Madeline L'Engle (740L)
The Knife of Never Letting Go - Patrick Ness (860L)

MYSTERY:

The Time Fetch - Amy Herrick (700L)
A Series of Unfortunate Events: The Bad Beginning - Lemony Snicket (1010L)
 - Students may select other texts in the series.
The Westing Game - Ellen Raskin (750L)
When You Reach Me - Rebecca Stead (750L)
The Mysterious Benedict Society - Trenton Lee Stewart (900L)

FANTASY:

Tiger Lily - Jodi Lynn Anderson (850L)
The Sea of Trolls - Nancy Farmer (670L)
The Phantom Tollbooth - Norton Juster (1000L)
The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe - C.S. Lewis (940L)
The Monster Calls - Patrick Ness (730L)
The Golden Compass - Philip Pullman (930L)
Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone - JK Rowling (880L)
 - Students may select other texts within the series; lexile levels vary
The Lightning Thief - Rick Riordan (740L)
The Rithmatist - Brandon Sanderson (680L)
Nimona - Noelle Stevenson (350L) interest level 7-12
The Hobbit - J.R.R. Tolkein (1000L)

HORROR/SUSPENSE:

I Know What You Did Last Summer - Lois Duncan (760L)
Sabriel - Garth Nix (1060L) *Also considered Fantasy*
Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children - Ransom Riggs (890L)
 - Students may select other texts within the series

LITERARY CLASSICS:

Little Women - Louisa May Alcott (unabridged - 1300L)
The Call of the Wild - Jack London (1080L)
Anne of Green Gables - LM Montgomery (760L)
I Capture the Castle - Dodie Smith (920L)
Treasure Island - Robert Louis Stevenson (960L)
The Sword in the Stone - T.H. White (1120L)

NONFICTION:

Tuesdays with Morrie - Mitch Albom (830L)
What is the What - Dave Eggers
Rocket Boys - Homer Hickman (900L)
Mountains Beyond Mountains - Tracy Kidder
Imprisoned: The Betrayal of Japanese Americans during World War II - Martin W. Sandler (1240L)
Chew On This - Eric Schlosser and Charles Wilson (1110L)
This Boy's Life - Tobias Wolff
I am Malala - Malala Yousafazi (1000L)
The Boys in the Boat (Young Readers Adaptation): The True Story of an American Team's Epic Journey to Win Gold at the 1936 Olympics by Daniel James Brown (1000L)
The Boys Who Challenged Hitler: Knud Pedersen and the Churchill Club (Bccb Blue Ribbon Nonfiction Book Award (Awards)) by Phillip Hoose (970L)