

PRIMARY 4 (80 recommended titles)

1. The Better Brown Stories, *Allan Ahlberg*
2. Frindle, *Andrew Clements*
3. Spotting the Leopard, *Anna Myers*
4. Step by Wicked Step, *Anne Fine*
5. Pigeon Post, *Arthur Ransome*
6. Keeper of Doves, *Betsy Byars*
7. Pinballs, *Betsy Byars*
8. The Midnight Fox, *Betty Byars*
9. Dear Mr. Henshaw, *Beverly Cleary*
10. Everywhere, *Bruce Brooks*
11. Kira-Kira, *Cynthia Kadohata*
12. The Van Gogh Café, *Cynthia Rylant*
13. The Hundred and One Dalmatians, *Dodie Smith*
14. A Taste of Blackberries, *Doris Buchanan Smith*
15. The View from Saturday, *E.L. Konigsburg*
16. A Valley Grows Up, *Edward Osmond*
17. The Cat Who Went To Heaven, *Elizabeth Coatsworth*
18. It's Like This, Cat, *Emily Neville*
19. The Trumpeter of Krakow, *Eric P. Kelly*
20. The Secret Garden, *Frances Hodgson Burnett*
21. Old Yeller, *Fred Gipson*
22. A Year with Butch and Spike, *Gail Gauthier*
23. The Electric Kid, *Garry Kilworth*
24. Hatchet, *Gary Paulsen*
25. The Princess and the Goblin, *George MacDonald*
26. The Golden Bird, *Hans Stolp*
27. The Story of Mankind, *Hendrik Willem van Loon*

28. Saffy's Angel, *Hilary McKay*
29. Daddy Long Legs, *Jean Webster*
30. Is Underground, *Joan Aiken*
31. The Wolves of Willoughby Chase, *Joan Aiken*
32. Heidi, *Johanna Spyri*
33. First Came the Owl, *Judith Benet Richardson*
34. Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing, *Judy Blume*
35. Little Women/Little Men-*Louisa May Alcott*
36. Bridge to Terabithia, *Katherine Paterson*
37. Anne of Green Gables, *L.M. Montgomery*
38. The Giver, *Lois Lowry*
39. A Wrinkle in Time, *Madeleine L'Engle*
40. Alice's Adventures in Wonderland, *Lewis Carroll*
41. The World's Greatest Expert on Absolutely Everything in Crying, *Barbara Bottner*
42. Nobody's Family is Going to Change, *Louis Fitzhugh*
43. Julie of the Wolves, *Jean Craighead George*
44. Philip Hall Likes Me. I Reckon Maybe, *Bette Green*
45. Will the Real Gertrude Hollings Please Stand Up?., *Sheila Greenwald*
46. I Hate Being Gifted, *Patricia Hermes*
47. From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler, *E. L. Konigsburg*
48. The Facts and Fictions of Minna Pratt, *Patricia MacLachlan*
49. Dear Dad, Love Laurie, *Susan Beth Pfeffer*
50. Someday, Angeline, *Louis Sachar*
51. Libby on Wednesday, *Zipha Keatley Synder*
52. Then Again, Maybe I Won't, *Judy Blume*
53. The Great Brain, *John D. Fitzgerald*

54. Fast Talk on a Slow Track , *Rita Williams-Garcia*
55. Herbie Jones and the Monster Ball, *Suzy Kline*
56. (George), *E. L. Konigsburg*
57. Be a Perfect Person in Just Three Days! , *Stephen Manes*
58. The Runner, *Cynthia Voight*
59. Danny, The Champion of the World, *Roald Dahl*
60. Help! I'm trapped in my teacher's body, *Todd Strasser*
61. Poor Badger, *K. M. Peyton*
62. The Ballad of Lucy Whipple, *Karen Cushman*
63. The Tale of Despereaux : Being the Story of a Mouse, a Princess, Some Soup, and a Spool of Thread, *Kate Dicamillo*
64. The Wind in the Willows, *Kenneth Grahame*
65. Strawberry Girl, *Lois Lenski*
66. Behind the Attic Wall, *Sylvia Cassedy*
67. The Sea Egg, *Lucy M. Boston*
68. Shadow of a Bull, *Maia Wojciechowska*
69. The door in the air and other stories, *Margaret Mahy*
70. Eyes of the Amaryllis, *Natalie Babbitt*
71. A Handful of Thieves, *Nina Bawden*
72. Granny the Pag, *Nina Bawden*
73. The Phantom Tollbooth, *Norton Jester*
74. Beyond the Ridge (Picture Book), *Paul Goble*
75. The BFG, *Roald Dahl*
76. Mrs Frisby and the Rats of NIMH, *Robert C. O' Brien*
77. Rabbit Hill, *Robert Lawson*
78. The Mouse and his Child, *Russell Hoban*
79. Pride of the Peacock, *Stephanie Tolan*
80. The Dark is Rising, *Susan Cooper*