

**1955:** *The Wheel on the School*  
 by Meindert DeJong **out of print**  
**1954:** *...And Now Miguel*  
 by Joseph Krumgold **JF KRUMGOLD, J.**  
**1953:** *Secret of the Andes*  
 by Ann Nolan Clark **JF CLARK, A.**  
**1952:** *Ginger Pye*  
 by Eleanor Estes **JF ESTES, E.**  
**1951:** *Amos Fortune, Free Man*  
 by Elizabeth Yates **JB FORTUNE, A.**  
**1950:** *The Door in the Wall*  
 by Marguerite de Angeli **JF DEANGELI, M.**  
**1949:** *King of the Wind*  
 by Marguerite Henry **JF HENRY, M.**  
**1948:** *The Twenty-One Balloons*  
 by William Pène du Bois **JF DUBOIS, W.**  
**1947:** *Miss Hickory*  
 by Carolyn Sherwin Bailey **JF BAILEY, C.**  
**1946:** *Strawberry Girl*  
 by Lois Lenski **JF LENSKI, L.**  
**1945:** *Rabbit Hill*  
 by Robert Lawson **JF LAWSON, R.**  
**1944:** *Johnny Tremain*  
 by Esther Forbes **JF FORBES, E.**  
**1943:** *Adam of the Road*  
 by Elizabeth Janet Gray **JF GRAY, E.**  
**1942:** *The Matchlock Gun*  
 by Walter Edmonds **JF EDMONDS, W.**  
**1941:** *Call It Courage*  
 by Armstrong Sperry **JF SPERRY, A.**  
**1940:** *Daniel Boone*  
 by James Daugherty **out of print**  
**1939:** *Thimble Summer*  
 by Elizabeth Enright **JF ENRIGHT, E.**  
**1938:** *The White Stag*  
 by Kate Seredy **JF SEREDY, K.**  
**1937:** *Roller Skates*  
 by Ruth Sawyer **JF SAWYER, R.**  
**1936:** *Caddie Woodlawn*  
 by Carol Ryrie Brink **JF BRINK, C.**  
**1935:** *Dobry*  
 by Monica Shannon **out of print**  
**1934:** *Invincible Louisa: The Story of the*  
*Author of Little Women*  
 by Cornelia Meigs **out of print**  
**1933:** *Young Fu of the Upper Yangtze*  
 by Elizabeth Lewis **JF Lewis, E.**  
**1932:** *Waterless Mountain*  
 by Laura Adams Armer **out of print**

**1931:** *The Cat Who Went to Heaven*  
 by Elizabeth Coatsworth **JF COATSWORTH, E.**  
**1930:** *Hitty, Her First Hundred Years*  
 by Rachel Field **JF FIELD, R.**  
**1929:** *The Trumpeter of Krakow*  
 by Eric P. Kelly **JF KELLY, E.**  
**1928:** *Gay-Neck, the Story of a Pigeon*  
 by Dhan Gopal Mukerji **JF MUKERJI, D.**  
**1927:** *Smoky, the Cowhorse*  
 by Will James **JF JAMES, W.**  
**1926:** *Shen of the Sea*  
 by Arthur Bowie Chrisman **JF CHRISMAN, A.**  
**1925:** *Tales from Silver Lands*  
 by Charles Finger **out of print**  
**1924:** *The Dark Frigate*  
 by Charles Hawes **JF HAWES, C.**  
**1923:** *The Voyages of Doctor Dolittle*  
 by Hugh Lofting **JF LOFTING, H.**  
**1922:** *The Story of Mankind*  
 by Hendrik Willem van Loon **J909 VAN**

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## 1922—2019

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- 2019:** *Merci Suárez Changes Gears*  
by Meg Medina **JF MEDINA, M.**
- 2018:** *Hello, Universe*  
by Erin Entrada Kelly **JF KELLY, E.**
- 2017:** *The Girl Who Drank the Moon*  
by Kelly Regan Barnhill **JF BARNHILL, K.**
- 2016:** *Last Stop on Market Street*  
by Matt de la Pena **P DELAPENA, M.**
- 2015:** *The Crossover*  
by Kwame Alexander **JF ALEXANDER, K.**
- 2014:** *Flora and Ulysses: The Illuminated Adventures*  
by Kate DiCamillo **JF DICAMILLO, K.**
- 2013:** *The One and Only Ivan*  
by Katherine Applegate **JF APPELEGATE, K.**
- 2012:** *Dead End in Norvelt*  
by Jack Gantos **JF GANTOS, J.**
- 2011:** *Moon Over Manifest*  
by Clare Vanderpool **JF VANDERPOOL, C.**
- 2010:** *When You Reach Me*  
by Rebecca Stead **JF STEAD, R.**
- 2009:** *The Graveyard Book*  
by Neil Gaiman **JF GAIMAN, N.**
- 2008:** *Good Masters! Sweet Ladies! Voices from a Medieval Village*  
by Laura Amy Schlitz **J 812.6 SCH**
- 2007:** *The Higher Power of Lucky*  
by Susan Patron **JF PATRON, S.**
- 2006:** *Criss Cross*  
by Lynne Rae Perkins **YA PERKINS, L.**
- 2005:** *Kira-Kira*  
by Cynthia Kadohata **YA KADOHATA, C.**
- 2004:** *The Tale of Despereaux: Being the Story of a Mouse, a Princess, Some Soup, and a Spool of Thread*  
by Kate DiCamillo **JF DICAMILLO, K.**
- 2003:** *Crispin: The Cross of Lead*  
by Avi **JF AVI**
- 2002:** *A Single Shard*  
by Linda Sue Park **JF PARK, L.**
- 2001:** *A Year Down Yonder*  
by Richard Peck **JF PECK, R.**
- 2000:** *Bud, Not Buddy*  
by Christopher Paul Curtis **Ask a Librarian**
- 1999:** *Holes*  
by Louis Sachar **JF SACHAR, L.**
- 1998:** *Out of the Dust*  
by Karen Hesse **JF HESSE, K.**
- 1997:** *The View from Saturday*  
by E.L. Konigsburg **JF KONIGSBURG, E.**
- 1996:** *The Midwife's Apprentice*  
by Karen Cushman **Ask a Librarian**
- 1995:** *Walk Two Moons*  
by Sharon Creech **JF/YA CREECH, S.**
- 1994:** *The Giver*  
by Lois Lowry **YA LOWRY, L.**
- 1993:** *Missing May*  
by Cynthia Rylant **JF RYLANT, C.**
- 1992:** *Shiloh*  
by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor **JF NAYLOR, P.**
- 1991:** *Maniac Magee*  
by Jerry Spinelli **JF SPINELLI, J.**
- 1990:** *Number the Stars*  
by Lois Lowry **JF LOWRY, L.**
- 1989:** *Joyful Noise: Poems for Two Voices*  
by Paul Fleischman **J 811.54 FLE**
- 1988:** *Lincoln: A Photobiography*  
by Russell Freedman **JB/YA B LINCOLN, A.**
- 1987:** *The Whipping Boy*  
by Sid Fleischman **JF FLEISCHMAN, S.**
- 1986:** *Sarah, Plain and Tall*  
by Patricia MacLachlan **JF MACLACHLAN, P.**
- 1985:** *The Hero and the Crown*  
by Robin McKinley **Ask a Librarian**
- 1984:** *Dear Mr. Henshaw*  
by Beverly Cleary **JF CLEARY, B.**
- 1983:** *Dacey's Song*  
by Cynthia Voigt **out of print**
- 1982:** *A Visit to William Blake's Inn: Poems for Innocent and Experienced Travelers*  
by Nancy Willard **J 811.54 WIL**
- 1981:** *Jacob Have I Loved*  
by Katherine Paterson **Ask a Librarian**
- 1980:** *A Gathering of Days: A New England Girl's Journal, 1830-1832*  
by Joan W. Blos **JF BLOS, J.**
- 1979:** *The Westing Game*  
by Ellen Raskin **JF RASKIN, E.**
- 1978:** *Bridge to Terabithia*  
by Katherine Paterson **JF PATERSON, K.**
- 1977:** *Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry*  
by Mildred D. Taylor **JF TAYLOR, M.**
- 1976:** *The Grey King*  
by Susan Cooper **JF COOPER, S.**
- 1975:** *M. C. Higgins, the Great*  
by Virginia Hamilton **JF HAMILTON, V.**
- 1974:** *The Slave Dancer*  
by Paula Fox **JF FOX, P.**
- 1973:** *Julie of the Wolves*  
by Jean Craighead George **JF GEORGE, J.**
- 1972:** *Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH*  
by Robert C. O'Brien **JF O'BRIEN, R.**
- 1971:** *Summer of the Swans*  
by Betsy Byars **JF BYARS, B.**
- 1970:** *Sounder*  
by William H. Armstrong **JF ARMSTRONG, W.**
- 1969:** *The High King*  
by Lloyd Alexander **JF ALEXANDER, L.**
- 1968:** *From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler*  
by E.L. Konigsburg **JF KONIGSBURG, E.**
- 1967:** *Up a Road Slowly*  
by Irene Hunt **YA HUNT, I.**
- 1966:** *I, Juan de Pareja*  
by Elizabeth Borton de Trevino **JF TREVINO, E.**
- 1965:** *Shadow of a Bull*  
by Maia Wojciechowska **JF WOJCIECHOWSKA, M.**
- 1964:** *It's Like This, Cat*  
by Emily Neville **JF NEVILLE, E.**
- 1963:** *A Wrinkle in Time*  
by Madeleine L'Engle **JF LENGLE, M.**
- 1962:** *The Bronze Bow*  
by Elizabeth George Speare **JF SPEARE, E.**
- 1961:** *Island of the Blue Dolphins*  
by Scott O'Dell **JF ODELL, S.**
- 1960:** *Onion John*  
by Joseph Krumgold **JF KRUMGOLD, J.**
- 1959:** *The Witch of Blackbird Pond*  
by Elizabeth George Speare **JF SPEARE, E.**
- 1958:** *Rifles for Watie*  
by Harold Keith **JF KEITH, H.**
- 1957:** *Miracles on Maple Hill*  
by Virginia Sorensen **JF SORENSEN, V.**
- 1956:** *Carry On, Mr. Bowditch*  
by Jean Lee Latham **JF LATHAM, J.**