



Pennsylvania Young Reader's Choice Award Masterlist 2020-2021



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Bell, CeCe	<i>Chick and Brain: Smell My Foot!</i>	Candlewick Press
Bernstein, Ariel; illustrated by Mike Malbrough	<i>Warren & Dragon: 100 Friends</i>	Viking / Penguin Young Readers Group
Blakemore, Megan Frazer; illustrated by Nadja Sarell	<i>Frankie Sparks and the Class Pet</i>	Aladdin / Simon and Schuster Children's Publishing
Burach, Ross	<i>The Very Impatient Caterpillar</i>	Scholastic Press
Cummings, Troy	<i>Can I Be Your Dog?</i>	Random House
Guidroz, Rukhsanna; illustrated by Dinara Mirtalipova	<i>Leila in Saffron</i>	Salaam Reads / Simon and Schuster Children's Publishing
Keller, Laurie	<i>Potato Pants</i>	Henry Holt and Co. / Macmillan Children's Publishing Group
McAnulty, Stacy; illustrated by Stevie Lewis	<i>Sun! One in a Billion</i>	Henry Holt and Co. / Macmillan Children's Publishing Group
Quintero, Isabel & Zeke Pena	<i>My Papi Has a Motorcycle</i>	Kokila / Penguin Young Readers Group
Rockliff, Mara; illustrated by Elizabeth Baddeley	<i>Billie Jean! How Tennis Star Billie Jean King Changed Women's Sports</i>	G.P. Putnam / Penguin Young Readers Group
Ruzzier, Sergio	<i>The Party and Other Stories</i>	Chronicle Books
Savage, Stephen	<i>Sign Off</i>	Beach Lane Books / Simon and Schuster Children's Publishing
Slade, Suzanne; illustrated by Alan Marks	<i>Daring Dozen: The Twelve Who Walked on the Moon</i>	Charlesbridge
Slade, Suzanne; illustrated by Veronica Miller Jamison	<i>A Computer Called Katherine</i>	Little Brown Books for Young Readers
Tuttle, Sarah Grace; illustra- ted by Amy Schimler-Safford	<i>Hidden City: Poems of Urban Wildlife</i>	Eerdmans Books for Young Readers

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Aronson, Sarah; illustrated by Robert Neubecker	<i>Just Like Rube Goldberg: The Incredible True Story of the Man Behind the Machines</i>	Beach Lane Books / Simon and Schuster Children's Publishing
Cline-Ransome, Lesa	<i>Finding Langston</i>	Holiday House Atheneum Books for Young Readers / Caitlyn Dlouhy / Simon and Schuster Children's Publishing
Draper, Sharon M.	<i>Blended</i>	Random House
Elliott, Zetta	<i>Dragons in a Bag</i>	Henry Holt and Co. / Macmillan's Children's Publishing Group
Gemeinhart, Dan	<i>The Remarkable Journey of Coyote Sunrise</i>	First Second / Macmillan
Hale, Shannon and LeUyen Pham	<i>Best Friends</i>	Sourcebooks Jabberwocky
Janowitz, Jessie	<i>The Doughnut Fix</i>	Scholastic Press
Lord, Cynthia	<i>Because of the Rabbit</i>	Scholastic Press
Mackler, Carolyn	<i>Not If I Can Help It</i>	Wendy Lamb Books
Magoon, Kekla	<i>The Season of Styx Malone</i>	Paula Wiseman Books / Simon and Schuster Children's Publishing
McCarthy, Meghan	<i>All That Trash: The Story of the 1987 Garbage Barge and Our Problem with Stuff</i>	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Books For Young Readers
Miller, Kayla	<i>Click</i>	Katherine Tegan Books / HarperCollins Publishers
Selfors, Suzanne; illustrated by Barbara Fisinger	<i>Wedgie & Gizmo</i>	Christy Ottaviano Books / Henry Holt Books for Young Readers / Macmillan Children's Publishing Group
Stone, Tanya Lee; illustrated by Steven Salerno	<i>Pass Go and Collect \$200: The Real Story of How Monopoly Was Invented</i>	Scholastic Press
Yang, Kelly	<i>Front Desk</i>	

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Aronson, Marc	<i>Rising Water: The Story of the Thai Cave Rescue</i>	Atheneum Books for Young Readers / Simon and Schuster Children's Publishing
Boyce, Jo Ann Allen and Debbie Levy	<i>This Promise of Change</i>	Bloomsbury Children's Books / Macmillan
Cartaya, Pablo	<i>The Epic Fail of Arturo Zamora</i>	Viking Books for Young Readers / Penguin Young Readers Group
Carter, Ally	<i>Not If I Save You First</i>	Scholastic
Cole, Frank L.	<i>Potion Masters: The Eternity Elixir</i>	Shadow Mountain
Craft, Jerry	<i>New Kid</i>	Quill Tree Books / Harper
Cruz, Marie Miranda	<i>Everlasting Nora</i>	Starscape
Greenwald, Tommy	<i>Game Changer</i>	Amulet Books / Harry N. Abrams
Hiranandani, Veera	<i>The Night Diary</i>	Kokila / Puffin Books / Penguin Young Readers Group
McAnulty, Stacy	<i>The Miscalculations of Lightning Girl</i>	Random House
Morris, Chad & Shelly Brown	<i>Squint</i>	Shadow Mountain
Oh, Ellen	<i>Spirit Hunters</i>	HarperCollins
Older, Daniel Jose	<i>Dactyl Hill Squad</i>	Arthur A. Levine / Scholastic
Rhodes, Jewell Parker	<i>Ghost Boys</i>	Little, Brown and Company
Terry, Ellie	<i>Forget Me Not</i>	Feiwel & Friends / Macmillan Children's Publishing Group

YA

Acevedo, Elizabeth	<i>With the Fire on High</i>	HarperTeen / HarperCollins Publishers
Ahmed, Samira	<i>Internment</i>	Little, Brown and Company
Anderson, Laurie Halse	<i>Shout: A Poetry Memoir</i>	Viking / Penguin Young Readers Group
Berry, Julie	<i>Lovely War</i>	Viking / Penguin Young Readers Group
Biren, Sara	<i>Cold Day in the Sun</i>	Amulet Books / Harry N. Abrams
Hutchinson, Shaun David	<i>Brave Face: A Memoir</i>	Simon Pulse / Simon & Schuster
Jackson, Tiffany D. with Malik "Malik-16" Sharif	<i>Let Me Hear a Rhyme</i>	Katherine Tegen Books / HarperCollins Publishers
Kester, Eric	<i>Gut Check</i>	Farrar, Straus and Giroux / Macmillan
Liggett, Kim	<i>The Grace Year</i>	Wednesday Books / Macmillan
Ribay, Randy	<i>Patron Saints of Nothing</i>	Kokila / Penguin Young Readers Group
Rubin, Lance	<i>Crying Laughing</i>	Knopf Books for Young Readers / Random House Children's Books
Ruby, Laura	<i>Thirteen Doorways, Wolves Behind Them All</i>	Balzer + Bray / HarperCollins Publishers
Takei, George, Eisinger, Justin, & Scott, Steven; illustrated by Harmony Becker	<i>They Called Us Enemy</i>	Top Shelf Productions
Thomas, Angie	<i>On the Come Up</i>	Balzer + Bray / HarperCollins Publishers
Yoon, David	<i>Frankly in Love</i>	Putnam / Penguin Young Readers Group