

Reading List - Incoming 5th Grade

Note: This is *not* an exhaustive list! There are many great books and authors you should meet – ask a librarian for help!



100 Cupboards – Nathan D. Wilson

Airball: My Life in Briefs – L. Harkrader

Always Remember Me: How One Family Survived World War II – Marisabina Russo

The Bad Beginning – Lemony Snicket (also, the sequels)

Basketball (Or Something Like It) – Nora Baskin

Canned – Alex Shearer

The Case of the Missing Marquess: An Enola Holmes Mystery – Nancy Springer (also, sequels)

Castle Corona – Sharon Creech

Cosmic – Frank Cottrell Boyce

A Crooked Kind of Perfect – Linda Urban

The Egypt Game – Zilpha Keatley Snyder

Flawed Dogs : The Novel : The Shocking Raid on Westminster – Berkeley Breathed

Gabriel's Horses [*Racing to Freedom* trilogy] – Alison Hart

George Washington, Spymaster – Thomas B. Allen

The Girl Who Could Fly – Victoria Forester

Good Neighbors [*Floods* series] – Colin Thompson

Gregor the Overlander [*Underland Chronicles*, Book 1] – Suzanne Collins

Heartbeat – Sharon Creech

The Magic Thief – Sarah Prineas

The Mysterious Benedict Society – Trenton Stewart (also **The Mysterious Benedict Society and the Perilous Journey**)

The Mysterious Case of the Allbright Academy – Diane Stanley

The Mysterious Matter of I. M. Fine – Diane Stanley

Never Mind! : A Twin Novel – Avi

No Talking! – Andrew Clements

Paleo Sharks: Survival of the Fittest – Timothy J. Bradley (also **Paleo Bugs: Survival of the Creepiest**)

Pandora Gets Jealous – Carolyn Hennesy

Rapunzel's Revenge – Shannon Hale

Sahara Special – Esme Raji Codell

Salting the Ocean: 100 Poems by Young Poets

Small Steps: The Year I Got Polio – Peg Kehret

Sneeze! – Alexandra Siy

There's a Boy in the Girl's Bathroom – Louis Sachar

Three Good Deeds – Vivian Vande Velde

Two Hotdogs With Everything – Paul Haven

Wait Till Helen Comes: A Ghost Story – Mary Downing Hahn

Ways to Live Forever – Sally Nicholls

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