

Quahog Book Award Program

2012

Grade 3 Books:

- A Bear Called Paddington- Michael Bond
- The Quiltmaker's Gift- Jeff Brumbeau
- Frindle- Andrew Clements
- How to Train Your Dragon- Cressida Cowell
- Half Magic- Edward Eager
- Toys Go Out- Emily Jenkins
- Word After Word After Word- Patricia MacLachlan
- Charlotte's Web- E.B. White
- Little House in the Big Woods- Laura Ingalls Wilder
- Hank Zipzer: Niagara Falls, or Does It?- Henry Winkler

Grade 4 Books:

- Framed- Frank Boyce
- Sadako and the Thousand Cranes- Eleanor Coerr
- Love That Dog- Sharon Creech
- James and the Giant Peach- Roald Dahl
- The Boy Who Painted Dragons- Demi
- The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane- Kate DiCamillo
- Jim Ugly- Sid Fleischman
- Diary of a Wimpy Kid- Jeff Kinney
- Shiloh- Phyllis Reynolds Naylor
- Magyk- Angie Sage

Grade 5 Books:

- The Secret School- Avi
- Chasing Vermeer- Blue Balliett
- The Penderwicks- Jeanne Birdsall
- The Homework Machine- Dan Gutman
- The Phantom Tollbooth- Norman Juster
- From the Mixed-up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler- E.L. Konigsburg
- Number the Stars- Lois Lowry
- A Dog's Life- Ann Martin
- Hatchet- Gary Paulsen
- On the Blue Comet- Rosemary Wells

Grade 6 Books:

- Tuck Everlasting- Natalie Babbitt
- Out of the Dust- Karen Hesse
- Eight Keys- Suzanne La Fleur
- Every Soul a Star- Wendy Maas
- Kensuke's Kingdom- Michael Morpugo
- Bread and Roses- Katherine Paterson
- Eye of the Crow- Shane Peacock
- A Year Down Yonder- Richard Peck
- The Cay- Theodore Taylor
- The New Policeman- Kate Thompson

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Grade 3 Books:

- Ramona Quimby, Age 8- Beverly Cleary
- The B.F.G.- Roald Dahl
- Hatching Magic- Ann Downer
- Stone Fox- John Gardiner
- The Wind in the Willows- Kenneth Grahame
- The Year of Miss Agnes- Kirkpatrick Hill
- One Dog and His Boy- Eva Ibbotson
- **Waiting for the Magic- Patricia MacLachlan**
- Song of the Water Boatman- Joyce Sidman
- There Goes Ted Williams- Matt Tavares

Grade 4 Books:

- The One and Only Ivan- Katherine Applegate
- The Indian in the Cupboard- Lynne Reid Banks
- Make Magic! Do Good!- Dallas Clayton
- The School Story- Andrew Clements
- The Magician's Elephant- Kate DiCamillo
- Dear Max- Sally Grindley
- **Dumpling Days- Grace Lin**
- Emily's Fortune- Phyllis Reynolds Naylor
- Helen's Big World- Doreen Rappaport
- Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone- J.K. Rowling

Grade 5 Books:

- Elijah of Buxton- Christopher Paul Curtis
- **The London Eye Mystery- Siobhan Dowd**
- My Side of the Mountain- Jean Craighead George
- Anne of Green Gables- L.M. Montgomery
- The Fantastic Secret of Owen Jester- Barbara O'Connor
- Bridge to Terabithia- Katherine Paterson
- Bully- Patricia Polacco
- Looking for Me- Betty R. Rosenthal
- Racing in the Rain- Garth Stein
- **The Mysterious Benedict Society- Trenton Lee Stewart**

Grade 6 Books:

- Dandelion Wine- Ray Bradbury
- Out of My Mind- Sharon Draper
- Chomp- Carl Hiaassen
- **The Giver- Lois Lowry**
- The Underdogs- Mike Lupica
- Truce: The Day the Soldiers Stopped Fighting- Finn Murphy
- Life As We Knew It- Susan Beth Pfeffer
- Holes- Louis Sachar
- **The Invention of Hugo Cabret- Brian Selznick**
- Toads and Diamonds- Heather Tomlinson

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- The World According to Humphrey- Betty G. Birney
- A Splash of Red- Jen Bryant
- The Year of the Baby- Andrea Cheng
- Tuesdays at the Castle- Jessica Day George
- Fenway Foul-Up- David A. Kelly
- White Fur Flying- Patricia MacLachlan
- Unplugged: Ella Gets Her Family Back- Laura Pendersen
- A Cricket in Times Square- George Selden
- Following Grandfather- Rosemary Wells
- Charlotte's Web- E.B. White
- Gone Fishing: A Novel in Verse- Tamera Wissinger

Grade 4 Books:

- The Land of Stories: The Wishing Spell- Chris Colfer
- Waffler- Gail Donovan
- Fortunately the Milk- Neil Gaiman
- Grow: A Novel in Verse- Juanita Havill
- The Fantastic Flying Books of Mr. Morris Lessmore- William Joyce
- Snowflake Bentley- Jacqueline Briggs Martin
- Hachiko Waits- Andrea Newman
- Fenway Fever- John Ritter
- The Trumpet of the Swan- E.B. White

Grade 5 Books:

- Etched in Clay- Andrea Cheng
- Al Capone Does My Shirts- Gennifer Choldenko
- Losing It- Erin Fry
- Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library- Chris Grabenstein
- The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe- C.S. Lewis
- Shadow- Michael Morpurgo
- Wonder- R.J. Palacio
- Written in Stone- Roseanne Parry
- The Mouse with the Question Mark Tail- Richard Peck
- As Fast as Words Could Fly- Pamela Tuck

Grade 6 Books:

- The Saturday Boy- David Fleming
- Coraline- Neil Gaiman
- Theodore Boone, Kid Lawyer- John Grisham
- Out of the Dust- Karen Hesse
- Ungifted- Gordon Korman
- Listening for Lucca- Suzanne La Fleur
- Black Duck- Janet Taylor Lisle
- True Legend- Mike Lupica
- Dogsong- Gary Paulsen
- Drawing from Memory- Allen Say
- Trouble- Gary D. Schmidt

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Grade 3 Books:

- Tumtum & Nutmeg: Adventures Beyond Nutmeg Hall- Emily Bearn
- The Incredible Journey- Sheila Burnford
- The Map Trap- Andrew Clements
- The Vanishing Coin- Kate Egan
- Words with Wings- Nikki Grimes
- Soccer Star- Mina Javaherbin
- Dragon Slayers' Academy: The New Kid at School- K.H. McMullan
- Who Cloned the President?- Ron Roy
- Quinny & Hopper- Adriana Brad Schanen
- I Survived the Sinking of the Titanic- Lauren Tarshis

Grade 4 Books:

- The Magic Half- Annie Barrows
- Jeremy Thatcher, Dragon Hatcher- Bruce Coville
- Peaceful Pieces- Anna Grossnickle Hines
- Harry Houdini: Prince of Air- Ann Hood
- Odd, Weird & Little- Patrick Jennings
- Adventures of a South Pole Pig- Chris Kurtz
- Nick and Tesla's High-Voltage Danger Lab- Bob Pflugfelder
- Another Day as Emily- Eileen Spinelli
- Eliza Bing Is (Not) a Big, Fat Quitter- Carmella Van Vleet
- Travels with Gannon & Wyatt: Botswana- Patti Wheeler

Grade 5 Books:

- Serafina's Promise- Ann E. Burg
- All Four Stars- Tara Dalman
- Under the Egg- Laura Mark Fitzgerald
- Absolutely Almost- Lisa Graff
- Million Dollar Putt- Dan Gutman
- The Castle Behind Thorns- Merrie Haskell
- Dash- Kirby Larson
- Blue Mountain- Martine Leavitt
- The Misadventures of the Family Fletcher- Dana Levy
- Half a Chance- Cynthia Lord

Grade 6 Books:

- Artemis Fowl- Eoin Colfer
- Red Wolf- Jennifer Dance
- Gold Medal Winter- Donna Freitas
- Rain Reign- Ann M. Martin
- Rascal- Sterling North
- Rooftoppers- Katherine Rundell
- The Mother-Daughter Book Club- Heather Vogel Frederick
- Three Bird Summer- Sara St. Antoine
- Three Times Lucky- Sheila Turnage
- Brown Girl Dreaming- Jacqueline Woodson

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Grade 3 Books:

- Star Jumper: Journal of a Cardboard Genius- Frank Asch
- The Trouble with Chickens- Doreen Cronin
- Last Stop on Market Street- Matt De La Pena
- Tales From Maple Ridge: Logan Pryce Makes a Mess- Grace Gilmore
- The Year of Billy Miller- Kevin Henkes
- Ruby Goldberg's Bright Idea- Anna Humphrey
- Hissy Fit- Patrick Jennings
- Disaster Strikes: Earthquake Shock- Marlane Kennedy
- **Gooseberry Park and the Master Plan- Cynthia Rylant**
- Growing Up Pedro- Matt Tavares

Grade 4 Books:

- **Teddy Mars: Almost a World Record Breaker- Molly B. Burnham**
- U.S. Presidents- Ken Jennings
- **Firefly Hollow- Alison McGhee**
- Nuts to You- Lynne Rae Perkins
- Pip Bartlett's Guide to Magical Creatures- Jackson Pearce and Maggie Stiefvater
- Pink and Say- Patricia Polacco
- Wolf Stalker- Gloria Shurzynski and Alane Ferguson
- The Top-Secret Diary of Celie Valentine: Friendship Over- Julie Sternberg
- Pack of Dorks- Beth Vrabel
- The Ball Hogs- Rich Wallace

Grade 5 Books:

- Doll Bones- Holly Black
- Ellie's Story- W. Bruce Cameron
- My Near-Death Adventures (99% True)- Alison DeCamp
- Stella by Starlight- Sharon M. Draper
- **Lost in the Sun- Lisa Graff**
- A Handful of Stars- Cynthia Lord
- Mystery at Lake Placid- Roy McGregor
- House of Robots- James Patterson and Chris Grabenstein
- **Blue Birds- Caroline Starr Rose**
- Firstborn- Tor Sedler

Grade 6 Books:

- The Crossover- Kwame Alexander
- Circus Mirandus- Cassie Beasley
- El Deafo- Cece Bell
- Book Scavenger- Jennifer Chambliss Bertman
- **The War That Saved My Life- Kimberly Brubaker Bradley**
- Finding the Worm- Mark Goldblatt
- Fish in a Tree- Lynda Mullaly Hunt
- Moon Bear- Gill Lewis
- All the Answers- Kate Messner
- Echo- Pam Munoz Ryan

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Grade 3/Group 1 Books:

- Like Pickle Juice on a Cookie- Julie Sternberg
- Ranger in Time: Rescue on the Oregon Trail- Kate Messner
- Greetings from Somewhere: The Mystery of the Gold Coin- Harper Paris
- Bea Garcia: My Life in Picture- Deborah Zemke
- Waylon! One Awesome Thing- Sara Pennypacker

Grade 4/Group 2 Books:

- Kid Artists: True Tales of Childhood from Creative Legends- David Stabler
- Lucy & Andy Neanderthal- Jeffrey Brown
- The Terrible Two- Mac Barnett and Jory John
- Ruby Lee & Me- Shannon Hitchcock
- The Imaginary Veterinary: The Sasquatch Escape- Suzanne Selfors

Grade 5/Group 3 Books:

- Fuzzy- Tom Angleberger and Paul Dellinger
- Save Me a Seat- Sarah Weeks and Gita Varadarajan
- Roller Girl- Victoria Jamieson
- Sweet Home Alaska- Carole Estby Dagg
- Space Case- Stuart Gibbs

Grade 6/Group 4 Books:

- Story Thieves- James Riley
- Ghosts- Raina Telgemeier
- Beetle Boy- M.G. Leonard
- A Blind Guide to Stinkville- Beth Vrabel
- The Wild Robot- Peter Brown

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2018

Group 1:

- Jelly Bean- Cynthia Lord
- Hello, Nebulon!- Ray O’Ryan
- Catstronauts: Mission Moon- Drew Brockington
- The Mysterious Moonstone- Eric Luper
- Overboard!- Terry Lynn Johnson

Group 2:

- The Prizewinners of Piedmont Place- Bill Doyle
- Frank Einstein and the Antimatter Motor- Jon Scieszka
- Lights, Camera, Cook!- Charise Mericle Harper
- Magic in the City- Heather Dyer
- Hilo: The Boy Who Crashed to Earth- Judd Winick

Group 3:

- The Great Treehouse War- Lisa Graff
- The Van Gogh Deception- Deron R. Hicks
- Wishtree- Katherine Applegate
- Swing It, Sunny!- Jennifer L. Holm
- The Apprentice Witch- James Nicol

Group 4:

- William Wenton and the Impossible Puzzle- Bobbie Peers
- Restart- Gordon Korman
- Effie Starr Zook Has One More Question- Martha Freeman
- All’s Faire in Middle School- Victoria Jamieson
- The Exact Location of Home- Kate Messner

*Quahog was not held in 2019

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Group 1:

- Narwhal's Otter Friend- Ben Clanton
- Dragons in a Bag- Zetta Elliott
- Yasmin in Charge- Saadia Faruqi
- The Becket List: A Blackberry Farm Story- Adele Griffin
- The Soccer Secret- Mike Lupica

Group 2:

- A Boy Called Bat- Elana K. Arnold
- The Very, Very Far North- Dan Bar-el
- The 13-Story Treehouse- Andy Griffiths
- Klawde, Evil Alien Warlord Cat- Johnny Marciana and Emily Chenoweth
- Mr. Wolf's Class- Aron Nels Steinke

Group 3:

- A Drop of Hope- Keith Calabrese
- The Unteachables- Gordon Korman
- A Wolf Called Wander- Rosanne Parry
- Max and the Midknights- Lincoln Peirce
- Stargazing- Jen Wang

Group 4:

- New Kid- Jerry Craft
- Spark- Sarah Beth Durst
- Max Einstein: The Genius Experiment- Chris Grabenstein and James Patterson
- Pay Attention, Carter Jones- Gary D. Schmidt
- Peace, Love, Action!- Tanya Zabinski

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2021

Level 1:

- Fox & Rabbit- Beth Ferry
- Iggy Peck and the Mysterious Mansion- Andrea Beatty
- The Littlest Voyageur- Margi Preus
- The Sword in the Grotto- Angie Sage
- Mia Mayhem is a Superhero- Kara West

Level 2:

- Finding Langston- Lesa Cline-Ransome
- Kodi- Jared Cullum
- The Amelia Six- Kristin L. Gray
- Kiki's Delivery Service- Eido Kadono
- The Boy at the Back of the Class- Onjali Q. Rauf

Level 3:

- Once Upon an Eid- S.K. Ali and Aisha Saeed
- Shirley & Jamila Save Their Summer- Gillian Goetz
- The Silver Arrow- Lev Grossman
- Jayla Jumps In- Joy Jones
- Brave Like That- Lindsey Stoddard

Level 4:

- Raising Lumie- Joan Bauer
- Clan- Sigmund Brouwer
- Cub- Cynthia L. Copeland
- The Mystwick School of Musicraft- Jessica Khoury
- Before the Ever After- Jacqueline Woodson

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2022

Group 1:

- Too Small Tola- Atinuke
- Sydney & Taylor Explore the Whole Wide World- Jacqueline Davies
- Pup Detectives: The First Case- Felix Gumpaw
- The Secret Explorers and the Missing Scientist- S.J. King
- Mia Mayhem is a Superhero- Kara West

Group 2:

- Home Court- Amaré Stoudemire
- How to Win a Slime War- Mae Respicio
- Legend of the Dragon Slayer- Brandon Mull
- Rez Dogs- Joseph Bruchac
- Sherlock Bones and the Natural Mystery- Renee Tremi

Group 3:

- Trapped in a Video Game- Dustin Brady
- The Lion of Mars- Jennifer L. Holm
- Soul Lanterns- Shaw Kuzuki
- The Elephant in the Room- Holly Goldberg Sloan
- Allergic- Megan Wagner Lloyd

Group 4:

- Willodeen- Katherine Applegate
- Life Boat- Susan Hood
- Take Back the Block- Chrystal D. Giles
- City Spies- James Ponti
- Katie the Catsitter- Colleen A. Venable

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2023

Group 1:

- Cranky Chicken- Katherine Battersby
- The Puppy Problem- Laura James
- Night Frights- Joe McGee
- Boogie Bass, Sign Language Star- Claudia Mills
- The Puffin Keeper- Michael Morpurgo

Group 2:

- Agent 9: Flood-a-Geddon!- James Burks
- The Great Pet Heist- Emily Ecton
- Endlessly Ever After- Laurel Snyder
- Second Sleep- Diane Stanley
- A Rover's Story- Jasmine Warga

Group 3:

- Odder- Katherine Applegate
- Falling Short- Ernesto Cisneros
- Paws: Gabby Gets it Together- Nathan Fairbairn
- The Unforgettable Logan Foster- Shawn Peters
- Maizy Chen's Last Chance- Lisa Yee

Group 4:

- Enola Holmes: The Graphic Novels- Serena Blasco
- Super Troop- Bruce Hale
- The Lucky Ones- Linda Williams Jackson
- Hummingbird- Natalie Lloyd
- Witchlings- Claribel A. Ortega

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2024

Group 1:

- Kingdom Caper- Brett Bean
- Search for a Giant Squid- Amy Seto Forrester & Andy Chou Musser
- The Apartment House on Poppy Hill- Nina LaCour
- Leave it to Plum- Matt Phelan
- The Story of Gumluck the Wizard- Adam Rex

Group 2:

- Squire & Knight- Scott Chantler
- The Puppets of Spelhorst- Kate DiCamillo
- Just Jerry: How Drawing Shaped My Life- Jerry Pinkney
- The Remarkable Rescue at Milkweed Meadow- Elaine Dimopoulos
- Mystery of the Radcliffe Riddle- Taryn Souders

Group 3:

- Nothing Else But Miracles- Kate Albus
- The Area 51 Files- Julie Buxbaum
- The Firefly Summer- Morgan Matson
- Picture Day- Sarah Sax
- The Lost Library- Rebecca Stead and Wendy Mass

Group 4:

- Bea and the New Deal Horse- L.M. Elliott
- Whale Done- Stuart Gibbs
- My Head Has a Bellyache- Chris Harris
- When Sea Becomes Sky- Gillian McDunn
- Hoops- Matt Tavares