

Grade 5 Fiction:

Anderson, Jodi- My Diary from the Edge of the World
Angleberger, Tom- Origami Yoda series
Baggott, Julianna- The Prince of Fenway Park
Barnett, Mac- Brixton Brothers mystery series
Bauer, Joan- Almost Home; Close to Famous
Beasley, Cassie- Circus Mirandus
Beatty, Robert- Serafina series
[Bell, Cece- El Deafo](#)
Berlin, Eric- Winston Breen mystery series
Bertram, Jennifer Chambliss- Book Scavenger series
Bonk, John J.- Madhattan Mystery
Bradley, Kimberly Brubaker- The War that Saved My Life
Bruchac, Joseph- Code Talker
Choldenko, Gennifer- Chasing Secrets
Connor, Leslie- Crunch
Corriveau, Art- 13 Hangmen
Cottrell Boyce, Frank- The Astounding Broccoli Boy
Curtis, Christopher Paul- The Mighty Miss Malone; The Madman of Piney Woods
DiCamillo, Kate- Raymie Nightingale
Dowd, Siobhan- The London Eye Mystery
Draper, Sharon M.- Out of My Mind; Stella by Starlight
DuPrau, Jeanne- Book of Ember series
Erdrich, Louise- Chickadee series
Flake, Sharon- Unstoppable Octobia May
Flanagan, John- The Ranger's Apprentice series
Frazier, Sundee- The Other Half of My Heart
Frederick, Heather Vogel- Absolutely Truly (a Pumpkin Falls mystery)
Frederick, Heather Vogel- Mother Daughter Book Club series
French, S. Terrell- Operation Redwood
Gantos, Jack- Dead End in Norvelt
Gibbs, Stuart- Spy School series, Fun Jungle series, Moon Base Alpha series
Grabenstein, Chris- Mr. Lemoncello's series
Graff, Lisa- Absolutely Almost; Lost in the Sun
Greenwald, Tom- Charlie Joe Jackson's Guide to Not Reading
Grimes, Nikki- Words with Wings

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Grisham, John- Theodore Boone mystery series
Gutman, Dan- The Homework Machine
Haddix, Margaret Peterson- The Missing series
Hagen, George- Gabriel Finley and the Raven's Riddle
[Hale, Shannon- Rapunzel's Revenge; Calamity Jack](#)
Hiaasen, Carl- Chomp; Hoot; Scat; Flush
Holm, Jennifer- Turtle in Paradise
Hunt, Linda Mullaly- Fish in a Tree
Ignatow, Amy- The Popularity Papers
[Jamieson, Victoria- Roller Girl](#)
Khan, Michelle- The Hijab Boutique
Kirby, Matthew- Clockwork Three
Lacey, Josh- Island of Thieves
Lai, Thanhha- Inside Out & Back Again; Listen Slowly
Levine, Kristin- The Lions of Little Rock
Lord, Cynthia- Touch Blue; Half a Chance; Rules; A Handful of Stars
Lorenzi, Natalie Dias- Flying the Dragon
Lupica, Mike- Sports series
Maddox, Jake- Sports series
Martin, Ann M.- Rain Reign
McKay, Hilary- Casson Family series
McMann, Lisa- Unwanteds series
Meloy, Colin- Wildwood series
Oppel, Kenneth- Boundless
Palacio, R.J.- Wonder; Auggie and Me
Park, Linda Sue- Archer's Quest
Patterson, James- Treasure Hunters series
Paulsen, Gary- Lawn Boy; Lawn Boy Returns; Masters of Disaster; Hatchet series
Pflugfelder, Bob- Nick and Tesla's Secret Agent Gadget Battle: A Mystery with Spy Cameras, Code Wheels, and Other Gadgets You Can Build Yourself
[Phelan, Matt- The Storm in the Barn](#)
Pinkney, Andrea Davis- Bird in a Box
[Renier, Aaron- The Unsinkable Walker Bean](#)
Rose, Caroline Starr- May B.: A Novel
Ryan, Pam Munoz- Esperanza Rising; Becoming Naomi Leon; Echo
Sachar, Louis- Fuzzy Mud
Segel, Jason- Nightmares series
Selznick, Brian- any title

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Sloan, Holly G.- Counting by 7's
Smith, Roland- I.Q. spy series; Cryptid Hunters series
Spencer, Octavia- Ninja Detective series
St. Antoine, Sara- Three Bird Summer
Stead, Rebecca- When You Reach Me
Stephens, John- The Books of Beginning series
Stone, Phoebe- The Romeo and Juliet Code; Romeo Blue
Stroud, Jonathan- Lockwood and Co. horror series
[Telgemeier, Raina- Smile; Sisters](#)
Tashjian- My Life... humor series
Turnage, Sheila- Three Times Lucky; Ghosts of Tupelo Landing
Turner, Ann Warren- Love They Neighbor: The Tory Diary of Prudence Emerson
Ursu, Anne- Breadcrumbs; The Real Boy
Voigt, Cynthia- Mr. Max series
Watts, Jeri Hanel- Kizzy Ann Stamps
Williams-Garcia, Rita- One Crazy Summer; P.S. Be Eleven; Gone Crazy in Alabama
Wolff, Virginia Euwer- Bat 6
[Wood, Don- Into the Volcano](#)
Woods, Brenda - The Blossoming Universe of Violet Diamond
Young, Karen Romano- Doodlebug: A Novel in Doodles

Grade 5 Nonfiction:

Abdul- Jabbar, Kareem- What Color is My World?
[Adler, David- B. Franklin, Printer](#)
Aguilar, David- Alien Worlds: Your Guide to Extraterrestrial Life
Aldrin, Buzz- Welcome to Mars: Making a Home on the Red Planet
Becker, Halaine- Zoobots: Wild Robots Inspired by Real Animals
Berger, Melvin- The Real Vikings
[Bing, Christopher- The Midnight Ride of Paul Revere](#)
Brown, Don- Henry and the Cannons: An Extraordinary True Story of the American Revolution
Brown, Don- All Stations Distress (Titanic)
Brown, Don- Aaron and Alexander: the Most Famous Duel in American History
[Bruchac, Joseph- The Girl Who Helped Thunder and Other Native American Folktales](#)
[Bruchac, Joseph- Jim Thorpe, Original All-American](#)
Burns, Loree Griffin- Citizen Scientists: Be a Part of Scientific Discovery from your own Backyard

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Byrd, Robert- Electric Ben
Carlson, Lori M.- Cool Salsa
Cerullo, Mary- Journey to Shark Island: A Shark Photographer's Close Encounters
Christensen, Bonnie- I, Galileo
Clinton, Chelsea- It's Your World: Get Informed, Get Inspired, and Get Going!
Cooling, Wendy- Come to the Great World: Poems from Around the World
Crowe, Ellie- Surfer of the Century
Curry, Jane L.- Hold Up the Sky
David, Laurie- The Down-to-Earth Guide to Global Warming
Dickinson, Emily- I'm Nobody, Who Are You?
Ehrlich, Amy- Rachel: The Story of Rachel Carson
Fleischman, Sid- Escape! The Story of the Great Houdini
Fleming, Thomas- Everybody's Revolution
Fradin, Dennis- Let it Begin Here!: Lexington & Concord
Fradin, Judith Bloom- The Price of Freedom
Freedman, Russell- The Adventures of Marco Polo
Geras, Adele- My Grandmother's Stories
Hartland, Jessie- Bon Appetit: The Delicious Life of Julia Child
Heard, Georgia- The Arrow Finds its Mark
Hopkins, Lee Bennett- Lives: Poems About Famous Americans
Hughes, Langston- The Block
Janeczko, Paul- Top Secret: Codes, Ciphers, and Secret Writing
Jenkins, Steve- Bones: Skeletons and How They Work
Jennings, Ken- Maps & Geography
Kajikawa, Kimiko- Tsunami
Kamkwamba, William- The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind
Kerley, Barbara- The Extraordinary Mark Twain (According to Susy)
Kerley, Barbara- Those Rebels, John and Tom
Kimmel, Eric- The Tale of Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves
Krull, Kathleen- Isaac Newton; Lives of the Scientists
Laroche, Giles- What's Inside: Fascinating Structures Around the World
Lauber, Patricia- Who Came First: New Clues to Prehistoric Americans
Lewis, J. Patrick- A World of Wonders: Geographic Travels in Verse and Rhyme
Macaulay, David- Mosque
Mason, Paul- How to Improve at Swimming
McCaughrean, G.- Myths and Legends of the World
McLachlan, Brian- Draw Out the Story: Ten Secrets to Creating Your Own Comics
McCully, Emily- Marvelous Mattie: How Margaret E. Knight Became an Inventor

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Morrison, L.- More Spice Than Sugar: Poems About Feisty Females
Motion, Andrew- Poetry by Heart
Nelson, Kadir- We Are the Ship: The Story of Negro League Baseball
O'Connor, George- The Olympians mythology series
Poole, Josephine- Anne Frank
Prelutsky, Jack- Pizza, Pigs and Poetry
Rappaport, Doreen- Lady Liberty: A Biography
Roberts, Cokie- Founding Mothers
Swanson, Jennifer- Everything Robotics
Scieszka, Jon- Knucklehead
Shapiro, Karen Jo- I Must Go Down to the Beach Again
Sidman, Joyce- Dark Emperor and Other Poems of the Night
Silvey, Anita- Untamed: the Wild Life of Jane Goodall
Singer, Marilyn- Mirror, Mirror
Sis, Peter- The Wall
Slavin, Bill- Transformed: How Everyday Things Are Made
St. George, Judith- So You Want to Be an Inventor?
Stanley, Diane- Saladin: Noble Prince of Islam
Storace, Patricia- Sugar Cane: A Caribbean Rapunzel
Sutcliffe, Jane- Will's Words: How William Shakespeare Changed the Way You Talk
Torres, Laura- (Rock Your) Room
Truss, Lynne- The Girl's Like Spaghetti
Walker, Alice- Langston Hughes
Wicks, Maris- Coral Reefs: Cities of the Ocean
Woelfle, Gretchen- Mumbet's Declaration of Independence
Woodson, Jacqueline- Brown Girl Dreaming
Yezerki, Thomas- Meadowlands: A Wetland Survival Story
Yolen, Jane- Not One Damsel in Distress
Yolen, Jane- The Salem Witch Trials
Yousafzai, Malala- I am Malala: How One Girl Stood up for Education and Changed the World
Zalben, Jane B.- Paths to Peace: People Who Changed the World

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