**Grade 5**

**Suggested Titles**

**Adventure Stories**
- Naylor, Phyllis Reynolds: The Grand Escape

**Animal Stories**
- Avi: The Underneath
- Appelt, Kathi: Because of Winn Dixie
- Gipson, Fred: Old Yeller
- Henry, Marguerite: Misty of Chincoteague
- King-Smith, Dick: Babe, The Gallant Pig
- London, Jack: Call of the Wild
- Naylor, Phyllis Reynolds: Shiloh

**Fantasy/Science Fiction**
- O'Brien, Robert C.: Mrs. Frisbie and the Rats of Nimh
- Peterson, John: The Littles (series)
- Pinkwater, Daniel: Blue Moose
- Rodgers, Mary: Fat Men from Space
- Rowling, J.K.: Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone
- Rylant, Cynthia: Harry Potter (series)
- Sachar, Louis: Sideways Stories from Wayside School
- Schieszka, Jon: Time Warp Trio (series)
- Smith, Robert K.: Chocolate Fever
- White, E. B.: Charlotte's Web
- Rylant, Cynthia: Stuart Little

**Fantasy/Science Fiction cont.**
- Alexander, Lloyd: Time Cat
- Andersen, Hans Christian: Snow Queen
- Babitt, Natalie: Kneeknock Rise
- Barry, Dave: Peter and the Starcatchers (series)
- Brown, Jeff: Flat Stanley
- Colfer, Eoin: Artemis Fowl (series)
- Collins, Suzanne: Gregor the Overlander (series)
- Coombs, Patricia: Dorrie and The Wizards Spell (series)
- Cooper, Susan: Boggart (series)
- Corbett, Scott: Baseball Trick
- Coville, Bruce: Monster's Ring
- Dahl, Roald: Charlie and the Chocolate Factory
- DiCamillo, Kate: Tale of Desperaux
- Downer, Ann: Hatching Magic
- DuPrau, Jeanne: City of Ember
- Fleischman, Sid: McBroom (series)
- Gannett, Ruth S.: My Father's Dragon (series)
- Gordon, Roderick: Tunnels (series)
- Gray, Luli: Falcon's Egg
- Juster, Norton: The Phantom Tollbooth
- Langton, Jane: The Fledgling
- LeGuin, Ursula: Catwings
- L'engle, Madeleine: A Wrinkle in Time
- Levine, Gail Carson: Ella Enchanted
- Lewis, C. S.: The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe (series)
- Lindgren, Astrid: Pippi Longstocking (series)

**Historical Fiction**
- Anderson, Laurie Halse: Fever 1793
- Avi: Crispin: the Cross of Lead
- Bruchac, Joseph: The Arrow Over the Door
- Buck, Pearl S.: The Big Wave
- Coerr, Eleanor: Sadako and the Thousand Paper Games
- Curtis, Christopher: Bud, Not Buddy
- Dorris, Michael: The Watsons Go to Birmingham
- English, Karen: Francie
- Erdrich, Louise: Birchbark House
- Giff, Patricia Reilly: Lily's Crossing
- Hansen, Joyce: I Thought My Soul Would Rise and Fly
- MacLaughlin, Patrick: Sarah, Plain and Tall
- Peck, Richard: A Long Way from Chicago
- Ryan, Pam Munoz: A Year Down Under
- Taylor, Mildred: Esperanza Rising
- Wilder, Laura Ingalls: Song of the Trees
- Mysteries
- Adler, David: Cam Jansen (series)
- Balliet, Blue: Chasing Vermeer
- Clifford, Etr: Flatfoot Fox (series)
- DeFelice, Cynthia: The Ghost of Fossil Glen
- Giff, Patricia Reilly: Have You Seen Hyacinth Macaw?
- Hildick, E. W.: Case of the Muttering Mummy and Other McGurk Mysteries
- Simon, Seymour: Einstein Anderson, Super Sleuth (series)
Mysteries cont.
Sobol, Donald Encyclopedia Brown (series)
Titus, Eve Basil of Baker Street (series)
VanDraanen, W. Sammy Keyes (series)
Warner, G. C. Boxcar Children (series)

Realistic Fiction
Blume, Judy Freckle Juice
Otherwise Known As Sheila the Great
Superfudge Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing
Byars, Betsy The Cybil War
18th Emergency Midnight Fox
Summer of the Swan
Cabot, Meg Moving Day (Allie Finkle's Rules for Girls (series)
Cameroon, Ann Stories Julian Tells (series)
Stories Huey Tells (series)
Clements, Andrew Findle
Landry News
School Story
Cleary, Ann Henry Huggins (series)
Ramona (series)
Clifford, Eth Help! I'm a Prisoner in a Library
Cohen, Barbara Thank You, Jackie Robinson
Conford, Ellen Jenny Archer (series)
Danziger, Paula Amber Brown (series)
Ester, Eleanor The Hundred Dresses
Fitzhugh, Louise Harriet the Spy
Fox, Paula Monkey Island
Gantos, Jack Joey Pigza Swallowed the Key
*Giff, Patricia Reilly *Pictures of Hollis Woods
Polk St. School (series)
Henkes, Kevin Protecting Marie
Henkes, Kevin Olive's Ocean
Jenkins, Steve Top of the World: Climbing Mount Everest
Kline, Suzy Herbie Jones (series)
ORP
*Konigsberg, E. L. The Outcasts of 19 Schuyler Place
Lauber, Patricia Volcano
Lowry, Lois Anastasia Krupnick (series)
See You Around, Sam
MacLachlan, Patricia Seven Kisses in a Row
*Mass, Wendy Jeremy Fink and the Meaning of Life
Mathis, Sharon Bell Hundred Penny Box
McKay, Hilary Dog Friday
Moss, Marisa Amelia's Notebook (series)
Naylor, Phyllis Reynolds Alice In-Between (series)
Patterson, Katherine The Same Stuff as Stars
Rylant, Cynthia Every Living Thing
Missing May
Sachar, Louis Holes
Marvin Redpost (series)
Smith, Robert Kimmel War with Grandpa
Taylor, Sidney All of a Kind Family
Yep, Laurence Child of the Owl

Sports Stories
Avi Jackie and Me
Christopher, Matt Jack Rabbit Goalie & other Sports Stories
Gutman, Dan Honus and Me
Hurwitz, Johanna Baseball Fever
*Lupica, Mike *Heat
*Travel Team
*Summer Ball
*Ritter, John H. The Boy Who Saved Baseball
Slote, Alfred Matt Gargan's Boy
Smith, Robert K. Bobby Baseball

Poetry
Cech, Sharon Love That Dog
Frost, Helen Spinning Through the Universe:
a novel in poems from Room 214
Greenfield, Elouise Honey, I Love You
Hopkins, Lee Bennett Spectacular Science
Medina, Jane My Name is Jorge: Poems in English and Spanish
Steptoe, Javaka In Daddy's Arms I Am Tall

Non-Fiction
Aliki, William Shakespeare and the Globe
Bridges, Ruby Through My Eyes
Cummings, Pat Talking with Adventurers
Lincoln: A Photobiography
Fritz, Jean And Then What Happened,
Paul Revere (and other titles by this author)
Giblin, James Cross The Amazing Life of Benjamin Franklin
Hansen, Joyce The Century That Was
Breaking Ground, Breaking Silence
World

Robinson, Sharon Promises to Keep: How Jackie Robinson Changed America
Lewin, Ted Gorilla Walk
Macauley, David The New Way Things Work
McKissack, Patricia Black Hands, White Sails
Myers, Walter Dean I've Seen the Promised Lande:
The Life of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.
Robinson, Sharon Promises to Keep: How Jackie Robinson Changed America
Tillage, Leon Walker Leon's Story
Walker, Paul Robert Children Just Like Me
The Pride of Puerto Rico: The Life of Roberto Clemente

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