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Photographs and text trace the life of the Civil War President.
- J CD-BOOK BYA Byars, Betsy Cromer. The summer of the swans. Prince Frederick, MD : Recorded Books, p1995.
Performed by Christina Moore. A teen-age girl gains new insight into herself and her family when her mentally retarded brother gets lost.
- J CD-BOOK CLE Cleary, Beverly. Dear Mr. Henshaw. Prince Frederick, MD : Recorded Books, p1992.
Narrated by George Guidall. In his letters to his favorite author, ten-year-old Leigh reveals his problems in coping with his parents' divorce, being the new boy in school, and generally finding his own place in the world.
- J CD-BOOK DIC DiCamillo, Kate. The tale of Despereaux. New York : Random House/Listening Library, p2003.
Read by Graeme Malcolm. The adventures of Despereaux Tilling, a small mouse of unusual talents, the princess that he loves, the servant girl who longs to be a princess, and a devious rat determined to bring them all to ruin.
- J CD-BOOK GAI Gaiman, Neil. The graveyard book. Unabridged. New York : Harper Children's Audio, c2008.
Performed by the author ; music arranged and performed by Béla Fleck. Nobody Owens is a normal boy, except that he has been raised by ghosts and other denizens of the graveyard.

- J CD-BOOK GEO George, Jean Craighead, 1919-. Julie of the wolves. Unabridged. Prince Frederick, MD : Recorded Books, p1993.
Narration by Christina Moore. While running away from home and an unwanted marriage, a thirteen-year-old Eskimo girl becomes lost on the North Slope of Alaska and is befriended by a wolf pack.
- J CD-BOOK KAD Kadohata, Cynthia. Kira-kira. New York : Random House/Listening Library, p2005.
Read by Elaina Erika Davis. Chronicles the close friendship between two Japanese-American sisters growing up in rural Georgia during the late 1950s and early 1960s, and the despair when one sister becomes terminally ill. kira-kira (kee' ra kee' ra): glittering; shining. That's how Katie Takeshima's sister, Lynn, makes everything seem. The sky is kira-kira because its color is deep but see-through at the same time. The sea is kira-kira for the same reason. And so are people's eyes. When Katie and her family move from a Japanese community in Iowa to the Deep South of Georgia, it's Lynn who explains to her why people stop them on the street to stare. And it's Lynn who, with her special way of viewing the world, teaches Katie to look beyond tomorrow. But when Lynn becomes desperately ill, and the whole family begins to fall apart, it is up to Katie to find a way to remind them all that there is always something glittering -- kira-kira -- in the future.
- J CD-BOOK LOW Lowry, Lois. Number the stars. Unabridged. Prince Frederick, MD : Recorded Books, p1993.
Narration by Christina Moore. In 1943, during the German occupation of Denmark, ten-year-old Annemarie learns how to be brave and courageous when she helps shelter her Jewish friend from the Nazis.
- J CD-BOOK PAT Patron, Susan. The higher power of Lucky. New York : Random House/Listening Library, p2007.
Read by Cassandra Campbell. Fearing that her legal guardian plans to abandon her to return to France, ten-year-old aspiring scientist Lucky Trimble determines to run away while also continuing to seek the Higher Power that will bring stability to her life.
- J CD-BOOK SAC Sachar, Louis, 1954-. Holes. [Old Greenwich, CT] : Listening Library, [2001], p1999.
Read by Kerry Beyer. As further evidence of his family's bad fortune which they attribute to a curse on a distant relative, Stanley Yelnats is sent to a hellish correctional camp in the Texas desert where he finds his first real friend, a treasure, and a sense of himself.
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In this fifth and final chronicle of Prydain the forces of good and evil meet in ultimate confrontation.
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Angry and humiliated when his sharecropper father is jailed for stealing food for his family, a young black boy grows in courage and understanding with the help of the devoted dog Sounder, and also by learning to read.
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Falsely accused of theft and murder, an orphaned peasant boy in fourteenth-century England flees his village and meets a larger-than-life juggler who holds a dangerous secret.
- J FIC BAI Bailey, Carolyn Sherwin, 1875-1961. Miss Hickory. New York : The Vikings Press, 1946.
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The journal of a 14-year-old girl, kept the last year she lived on the family farm, records daily events in her small New Hampshire town, her father's remarriage, and the death of her best friend.
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Chronicles the adventures of eleven-year-old Caddie growing up with her six brothers and sisters on the Wisconsin frontier in the mid-nineteenth century.
- J FIC BYARS Byars, Betsy Cromer. The summer of the swans. New York : Viking Press, c1970.
A teen-age girl gains new insight into herself and her family when her mentally retarded brother gets lost.
- J FIC CHR Chrisman, Arthur Bowie, 1889-1953. Shen of the sea : Chinese stories for children. New York : Dutton, c1925.
- J FIC CLARK Clark, Ann Nolan, 1898-. Secret of the Andes. New York : Viking Press, 1952.
An Indian boy who tends llamas in a hidden valley in Peru learns the traditions and secrets of his Inca ancestors.
- J FIC CLE Cleary, Beverly. Dear Mr. Henshaw. New York : Morrow, 1983.
In his letters to his favorite author, ten-year-old Leigh reveals his problems in coping with his parents' divorce, being the new boy in school, and generally finding his own place in the world.
- J FIC COOPER Cooper, Susan, 1935-. The grey king. 1st ed. New York : Margaret K. McElderry Books ; Simon & Schuster Children's Publ. Division ;, 1975.
In this fourth book of The Dark Is Rising sequence, Will Stanton, visiting in Wales, is swept into a desperate quest to find the golden harp and to awaken the ancient Sleepers.
- J FIC CREECH Creech, Sharon. Walk two moons. 1st HarperTrophy edition. New York : HarperTrophy, 1996, c1994.
After her mother leaves home suddenly, thirteen-year-old Sal and her grandparents take a car trip retracing her mother's route. Along the way, Sal recounts the story of her friend Phoebe, whose mother also left.

- J FIC CUS Cushman, Karen. The midwife's apprentice. New York : Clarion Books, c1995.
In medieval England, a nameless, homeless girl is taken in by a sharp-tempered midwife, and in spite of obstacles and hardship, eventually gains the three things she most wants: a full belly, a contented heart, and a place in this world.
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Robin, the crippled son of an English Lord, overcame his disabilities and won knighthood. Grades 4-6.
- J FIC DICAMILLO DiCamillo, Kate. The tale of Despereaux : being the story of a mouse, a princess, some soup, and a spool of thread. 1st ed. Cambridge, Mass. : Candlewick Press, 2003.
The adventures of Despereaux Tilling, a small mouse of unusual talents, the princess that he loves, the servant girl who longs to be a princess, and a devious rat determined to bring them all to ruin.
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- J FIC ENR Enright, Elizabeth, 1909-1968. Thimble summer. New York : H. Holt, [1987?], c1966.
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When the Pye family's puppy, Ginger, disappears on Thanksgiving Day, the children are convinced that he has been abducted by a stranger in a yellow hat.
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- J FIC FLE Fleischman, Sid, 1920-. The whipping boy. 1st ed. New York : Greenwillow Books, c1986.
A bratty prince and his whipping boy have many adventures when they inadvertently trade places after becoming involved with dangerous outlaws.
- J FIC GAIMAN Gaiman, Neil. The graveyard book. 1st ed. New York : HarperCollins, c2008.
The orphan Bod, short for Nobody, is taken in by the inhabitants of a graveyard as a child of eighteen months and raised lovingly and carefully to the age of eighteen years by the community of ghosts and otherworldly creatures.
- J FIC GEORGE George, Jean Craighead, 1919-. Julie of the wolves. [1st ed.]. New York : Harper & Row, 1972.
While running away from home and an unwanted marriage, a thirteen-year-old Eskimo girl becomes lost on the North Slope of Alaska and is befriended by a wolf pack.
- J FIC GRAY Vining, Elizabeth Gray, 1902-. Adam of the road. Puffin Books. Viking, 1942.
In thirteenth-century England an eleven-year-old boy roams the countryside as he searches for his father and his stolen dog.

- J FIC HAMILTON Hamilton, Virginia. M. C. Higgins, the great. [1st ed.]. New York, N.Y. : Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, 1974.
As a slag heap, the result of strip mining, creeps closer to his house in the Ohio hills, fifteen-year-old M.C. is torn between trying to get his family away and fighting for the home they love.
- J FIC HESSE Hesse, Karen. Out of the dust. 1st ed. New York : Scholastic Press, 1997.
In a series of poems, fifteen-year-old Billie Jo relates the hardships of living on her family's wheat farm in Oklahoma during the dust bowl years of the Depression.
- J FIC KADOHATA Kadohata, Cynthia. Kira-kira. 1st ed. New York : Atheneum Books for Young Readers, c2004.
Chronicles the close friendship between two Japanese-American sisters growing up in rural Georgia during the late 1950s and early 1960s, and the despair when one sister becomes terminally ill.
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- J FIC LOFTING Kleinbaum, N. H. The voyages of Doctor Dolittle. Adaptation ed. New York, NY. : Bantam Doubleday Dell Books for Young Readers, 1997.
- J FIC LOW Lowry, Lois. Number the stars. Boston : Houghton Mifflin Co., 1989.
In 1943, during the German occupation of Denmark, ten-year-old Annemarie learns how to be brave and courageous when she helps shelter her Jewish friend from the Nazis.
- J FIC MACLACHLAN MacLachlan, Patricia. Sarah, plain and tall. 1st ed. New York : Harper & Row, c1985.
When their father invites a mail-order bride to come live with them in their prairie home, Caleb and Anna are captivated by their new mother and hope that she will stay.
- J FIC MUK Mukerji, Dhan Gopal, 1890-1936. Gay-Neck; the story of a pigeon. New York : Dutton, [1968, c1927].

- J FIC NAY Naylor, Phyllis Reynolds. Shiloh. 1st ed. New York : Atheneum, 1991.
When he finds a lost beagle in the hills behind his West Virginia home, Marty tries to hide it from his family and the dog's real owner, a mean-spirited man known to shoot deer out of season and to mistreat his dogs.
- J FIC ODELL O'Dell, Scott, 1898-1989. Island of the Blue Dolphins. New York : Dell Publishing, 1987, c1960.
- J FIC PAR Park, Linda Sue. A single shard. New York : Clarion Books, 2001.
Tree-ear, a thirteen-year-old orphan in medieval Korea, lives under a bridge in a potters' village, and longs to learn how to throw the delicate celadon ceramics himself.
- J FIC PATRON Patron, Susan. The higher power of Lucky. 1st ed. New York : Atheneum Books for Young Readers, c2006.
Fearing that her legal guardian plans to abandon her to return to France, ten-year-old aspiring scientist Lucky Trimble determines to run away while also continuing to seek the Higher Power that will bring stability to her life.
- J FIC PECK Peck, Richard, 1934-. A year down yonder. New York : Dial Books for Young Readers, 2000.
During the recession of 1937, fifteen-year-old Mary Alice is sent to live with her feisty, larger-than-life grandmother in rural Illinois and comes to a better understanding of this fearsome woman.
- J FIC RYLANT Rylant, Cynthia. Missing May. New York : Orchard Books, c1992.
After the death of the beloved aunt who has raised her, twelve-year-old Summer and her uncle Ob leave their West Virginia trailer in search of the strength to go on living.
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- J FIC SCHLITZ Schlitz, Laura Amy. Good masters! Sweet Ladies! : voices from a medieval village. 1st ed. Cambridge, Mass. : Candlewick Press, 2007.
Hugo, the Lord's nephew -- Taggot, the blacksmith's daughter -- Will, the plowboy -- Alice, the shepherdess -- Thomas, the doctor's son -- Constance, the pilgrim -- Mogg, the villein's daughter -- Otho, the miller's son -- Jack, the half-wit -- Simon, the knight's son -- Edgar, the falconer's son -- Isobel, the Lord's daughter -- Barbary, the mud slinger -- Jacob Ben Salomon, the moneylender's son and Petronella, the merchant's daughter -- Lowdy, the varlet's child -- Pask, the runaway -- Piers, the glassblower's apprentice -- Mariot and Maud, the glassblower's daughters -- Nelly, the sniggler -- Drago, the tanner's apprentice -- Giles, the beggar. A collection of short one-person plays featuring characters, between ten and fifteen years old, who live in or near a thirteenth-century English manor.
- J FIC SER Serey, Kate. The white stag. New York : The Viking press, c1937.
Retells the legendary story of the Huns and Magyars' long migration from Asia to Europe where they hope to find a permanent home.
- J FIC SOR Sorensen, Virginia Eggertsen, 1912-. Miracles on Maple Hill. San

- Diego : Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, 1988, c1956.
Marly and her family share many adventures when they move from the city to a farmhouse on Maple Hill.
- J FIC SPEARE Speare, Elizabeth George. The witch of Blackbird Pond. New York : Dell, 1958.
- J FIC TAYLOR Taylor, Mildred D. Roll of Thunder, hear my cry. New York, N.Y., U.S.A. : Puffin Books, 1991.
- J FIC WOJ Wojciechowska, Maia, 1927-. Shadow of a bull. New York : Atheneum, 1965, c1964.
Manolo Olivar has to make a decision: to follow in his famous father's shadow and become a bullfighter, or to follow his heart and become a doctor.
- J PLAYAWAY LOW Lowry, Lois. Number the stars. Unabridged. [New York] : Listening Library ;, c2006.
Read by Blair Brown. In 1943, during the German occupation of Denmark, ten-year-old Annemarie learns how to be brave and courageous when she helps shelter her Jewish friend from the Nazis.
- J PLAYAWAY ODE O'Dell, Scott, 1898-1989. Island of the Blue Dolphins. Unabridged. Falls Church, VA : Sound Room ;, c2006, 1995.
Read by Tantoo Cardinal. Left alone on a beautiful but isolated island off the coast of California, a young Indian girl spends eighteen years, not only merely surviving through her enormous courage and self-reliance, but also finding a measure of happiness in her solitary life.
- YA CD-BOOK LOW Lowry, Lois. The giver. New York : Listening Library, [2000?], c1993.
Performance by Ron Rifkin. At the annual Ceremony of Twelve, Jonas is chosen for something special as his life assignment. This leads him to The Giver, a man who holds all the memories of the past. Through this man, Jonas learns the terrible truth about the society in which he lives.
- YA CROSSOVER L'ENGLE L'Engle, Madeleine. A wrinkle in time. New York : Farrar, Straus and Giroux, c1962.
- YA FIC COOPER Cooper, Susan. The grey king. 1st Collier Books ed. New York : Collier Books, c1975, 1986.
In this volume of The Dark Is Rising sequence, Will Stanton, visiting in Wales, is swept into a desperate quest to find the golden harp and to awaken the ancient Sleepers.
- YA FIC CUR Curtis, Christopher Paul. Bud, not Buddy. New York : Delacorte Press, 1999.
Ten-year-old Bud, a motherless boy living in Flint, Michigan, during the Great Depression, escapes a bad foster home and sets out in search of the man he believes to be his father--the renowned bandleader, H.E. Calloway of Grand Rapids.
- YA FIC FOX Fox, Paula. The slave dancer : a novel. Scarsdale, N.Y. : Bradbury Press, c1973.
Kidnapped by the crew of an Africa-bound ship, a thirteen-year-old boy discovers to his horror that he is on a slaver and his job is to play music for the exercise periods of the human cargo.
- YA FIC HAWES Hawes, Charles Boardman, 1889-1923. The dark frigate : wherein is

- told the story of Philip Marsham who lived in the time of King Charles and was bred a sailor but came home to England after many hazards by sea and land and fought for the King at Newbury and lost a great inheritance and departed for Barbados in the same ship, by curious chance, in which he had long before adventured with the pirates. Boston : Joy Street Books, [198-?], c1971.
A young man dares not return to England after his ship is taken over by pirates and he becomes a member of their crew.
- YA FIC HUNT Hunt, Irene. Up a road slowly. Cleveland, Ohio : Modern Curriculum Press, c1966.
- YA FIC KEL Kelly, Eric Philbrook, 1884-1960. The trumpeter of Krakow. [New ed.]. New York : Macmillan, c1966.
A Polish family in the Middle Ages guards a great secret treasure and a boy's memory of an earlier trumpeter of Krakow makes it possible for him to save his father.
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- YA FIC LOWRY Lowry, Lois. The giver. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, 1993.
Given his lifetime assignment at the Ceremony of Twelve, Jonas becomes the receiver of memories shared by only one other in his community and discovers the terrible truth about the society in which he lives.
- YA FIC MCKINLEY McKinley, Robin. The hero and the crown. 1st ed. New York : Greenwillow Books, c1984.
Aerin, with the guidance of the wizard Luthe and the help of the blue sword, wins the birthright due her as the daughter of the Damarian king and a witchwoman of the mysterious, demon-haunted North.
- YA FIC PAT Paterson, Katherine. Jacob have I loved. 1st ed. New York : Crowell, c1980.
Feeling deprived all her life of schooling, friends, mother, and even her name by her twin sister, Louise finally begins to find her identity.
- YA FIC PATERSON Paterson, Katherine. Bridge to Terabithia. New York : HarperCollins, c1977.
The life of a ten-year-old boy in rural Virginia expands when he becomes friends with a newcomer who subsequently meets an untimely death trying to reach their hideaway, Terabithia, during a storm.
- YA FIC PERKINS Perkins, Lynne Rae. Criss cross. 1st ed. New York : Greenwillow Books, 2005.
Teenagers in a small town in the 1960s experience new thoughts and feelings, question their identities, connect, and disconnect as they search for the meaning of life and love.
- YA FIC SACHAR Sachar, Louis, 1954-. Holes. 1st ed. New York : Farrar, Straus and Giroux, 1998.
As further evidence of his family's bad fortune which they attribute to a curse on a distant relative, Stanley Yelnats is sent to a hellish correctional camp in the Texas desert where he finds his first real friend, a treasure, and a new sense of himself.
- YA FIC SPERRY Sperry, Armstrong, 1897-. Call it courage. New York : Macmillan,

c1968.

Based on a Polynesian legend, this is the story of a youth who overcomes his fear of the sea and proves his courage to himself and his tribe.

YA FIC TREVINO

Treviño, Elizabeth Borton de, 1904-. I. Juan de Pareja. New York : Farrar, Straus & Giroux, c1965.

YA FIC VOIGT

Voigt, Cynthia. Dicey's song. 1st ed. New York : Atheneum, 1982. Now that the four abandoned Tillerman children are settled in with their grandmother, Dicey finds that their new beginnings require love, trust, humor, and courage.

YA PLAYAWAY LEN

L'Engle, Madeleine. A wrinkle in time. New York : Random House Audio ;, 2006. Performance by the author. Father is missing! His top secret job as a physicist for the government has taken him away - but where? - and how? Meg and her younger brother set out with their friend Calvin on an exciting adventure through time and space to search for him.

YA PLAYAWAY LOW

Lowry, Lois. The giver. New York : Random House Audio ;, 2006. Performance by Ron Rifkin. Given his lifetime assignment at the Ceremony of Twelve, Jonas becomes the receiver of memories shared by only one other in his community and discovers the terrible truth about the society in which he lives.

YA PLAYAWAY PAT

Paterson, Katherine. Bridge to Terabithia. Unabridged. Chagrin Falls, Ohio : Findaway World, [2006]. Read by Robert Sean Leonard. The life of a ten-year-old boy in rural Virginia expands when he becomes friends with a newcomer who subsequently meets an untimely death trying to reach their hideaway, Terabithia, during a storm.