

GRADE 5

SUGGESTED READING



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JF = Juvenile Fiction

JM = Juvenile Mysteries

TWEEN = Tween

JHF = Juvenile Historical Fiction

REALISTIC FICTION

LOCATION	AUTHOR	TITLE
JF	Anderson, John David	<i>Ms. Bixby's Last Day</i>
JF	Becker, Suzy	<i>Kate the Great</i>
JF	Behrens, Andy	<i>Fast and the Furriest</i>
TWEEN	Bertman, Jennifer	<i>The Book Scavenger</i>
JF	Cavanaugh, Nancy	<i>This Journal Belongs to Ratchet</i>
JF	Clements	<i>Lost and Found</i>
TWEEN	Creech, Sharon	<i>Walk Two Moons</i>
JF	Dairman, Tara	<i>All Four Stars</i>
TWEEN	Dowell, Frances	<i>The Secret Language of Girls</i>
TWEEN	Draper, Sharon	<i>Out of My Mind</i>
JF	Gantos, Jack	<i>Joey Pigza Swallowed the Key</i>
JF	George, Jean	<i>My Side of the Mountain</i>
JF	Greenwald, Lisa	<i>My Life in Pink and Green</i>
TWEEN	Grimes, Nikki	<i>Planet Middle School</i>
JF	Hurwitz, Michele	<i>Calli Be Gold</i>
JF	Kelsey, Annie	<i>Pippa Morgan's Diary</i>
JF	Korman, Gordon	<i>Framed</i>
TWEEN	Lord, Cynthia	<i>Rules</i>
JF	Martin, Ann	<i>Rain, Reign</i>
JF	McKay, Hilary	<i>Indigo's Star</i>
TWEEN	Myracle, Lauren	<i>Eleven</i>
JF	O'Dell, Kathleen	<i>Agnes Parker: Girl in Progress</i>
TWEEN	Palacio, R J	<i>Wonder</i>
JF	Paulsen, Gary	<i>Hatchet</i>
TWEEN	Perkins, Lynne Rae	<i>All Alone in the Universe</i>
JF	Spinelli, Jerry	<i>Jake and Lily</i>
TWEEN	Stead, Rebecca	<i>Liar & Spy</i>
JF	Wardlaw, Lee	<i>Seventh-Grade Weirdo</i>
JF	Weeks, Sarah	<i>Save Me a Seat</i>
JF	Winston, Sherri	<i>President of the Whole Fifth Grade</i>
JF	Woodrow, Allen	<i>The Pet War</i>
TWEEN	Yee, Lisa	<i>Millicent Min, Girl Genius</i>
JF	Yep, Laurence	<i>Ribbons</i>
JF	Yoo, David	<i>The Detention Club</i>

FANTASY and SCIENCE FICTION

LOCATION	AUTHOR	TITLE
JF	Alexander, Lloyd	<i>The Arkadians</i>
TWEEN	Armstrong, Kelly	<i>Loki's Wolves</i>
JF	Bernstein, Nina	<i>Magic By the Book</i>
JF	Boyce, Frank Cottrell	<i>The Astounding Broccoli Boy</i>
JF	Buckley, Michael	<i>Sisters Grimm Series</i>

TWEEN JF	Burgis, Stephanie Burt, Melissa	<i>Kat, Incorrigible</i> <i>Storybound</i>
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FUNNY

LOCATION	AUTHOR	TITLE
TWEEN	Allen, Crystal	<i>How Lamar's Bad Prank Won a Bubba-Sized Trophy</i>
TWEEN	Angelberger, Tom	<i>Strange Case of Origami Yoda</i>
JF	Buckley, Michael	<i>NERDS series</i>
JF	Himelblau, Linda	<i>The Trouble Begins</i>

JF	Holm, Jennifer	<i>Middle School is Worse Than Meatloaf</i>
JF	Horvath, Polly	<i>Everything on a Waffle</i>
TWEEN	Ignatow, Amy	<i>The Popularity Papers series</i>
TWEEN	Korman, Gordon	<i>Ungifted</i>
JF	Levy, Elizabeth	<i>My Life as a Fifth-Grade Comedian</i>
JF	Lombardo, Constance	<i>Mr. Puffball</i>
JF	Lubar, David	<i>Battle of the Red Hot Pepper Weenies</i>
TWEEN	Marcum, Lance	<i>The Cottonmouth Club</i>
JF	Margolis, Leslie	<i>Boys are Dogs</i>
JF	McCarthy, Maureen	<i>When You Wish Upon a Rat</i>
TWEEN	Russell, Rachel	<i>Dork Diaries series</i>
JF	Sachar, Louis	<i>There's a Boy in the Girls' Bathroom</i>
TWEEN	Skye, Obert	<i>Wonkenstein: The Creature From My Closet</i>
JF	Soup, Cuthbert	<i>No Other Story</i>
JF	Starkey, Scott	<i>How to Beat the Bully Without Really Trying</i>
JF	Tashjian, Janet	<i>My Life As a Cartoonist</i>
JF	Wardlaw, Lee	<i>101 Ways to Bug Your Parents / Teacher</i>
JF	Weeks, Sarah	<i>Regular Guy</i>

HISTORICAL FICTION

LOCATION	AUTHOR	TITLE
JHF	Avi	<i>Sophia's War</i>
JHF	Ayres, Katherine	<i>North by Night</i>
JHF	Bradley, Kimberly Brubaker	<i>War that Saved My Life</i>
JCX	Brink, Carolyn Ryrie	<i>Caddie Woodlawn</i>
JCX	Burnett, Frances	<i>The Secret Garden</i>
JHF	Casanova, Mary	<i>The Klipfish Code</i>
TWEEN	Choldenko, Gennifer	<i>Al Capone Does My Shirts</i>
JHF	Curtis, Christopher	<i>Elijah of Buxton</i>
JHF	Cushman, Karen	<i>The Ballad of Lucy Whipple</i>
JHF	Dagg, Carole Estby	<i>Sweet Home Alaska</i>
JF	Frederick, Heather Vogel	<i>The Education of Patience Goodspeed</i>
JHF	Giff, Patricia Reilly	<i>Lily's Crossing</i>
JHF	Graff, Serena	<i>Blackwell's Island</i>
JHF	Howard, Eva	<i>League of Archers</i>
JHF	Jocelyn, Marthe	<i>Mabel Riley</i>
JHF	Lasky, Katherine	<i>The Ballad of Lucy Whipple</i>
JHF	Levitin, Sonia	<i>Journey to America</i>
JHF	Lowry, Lois	<i>Number the Stars</i>
JHF	Meyer, Susan Lynn	<i>Black Radishes</i>
JHF	Orlev, Uri	<i>Run, Boy, Run</i>
TWEEN	Preus, Margi	<i>Heart of a Samurai</i>
JHF	Salisbury, Graham	<i>Under the Blood Red Sun</i>
JHF	Skrypuch, Marsha Forchuk	<i>Making Bombs for Hitler</i>
JHF	Smith, Dan	<i>My Brother's Secret</i>
TWEEN	Taylor, Mildred	<i>Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry</i>
JHF	Thor, Annika	<i>Faraway Island</i>
TWEEN	Vanderpool, Clare	<i>Moon Over Manifest</i>
JHF	Whelan, Gloria	<i>Small Acts of Amazing Courage</i>
JHF	Wilder, Laura Ingalls	<i>Little House in the Big Woods</i>
TWEEN	Wiles, Deborah	<i>Countdown</i>
TWEEN	Williams-Garcia, Rita	<i>One Crazy Summer</i>
JHF	Woodruff, Elvira	<i>The Ravenmaster's Secret</i>

MYSTERIES

LOCATION	AUTHOR	TITLE
JM	Allison, Jennifer	<i>Gilda Joyce: Psychic Investigator</i>
JM	Anderson, M.T.	<i>Clue of the Linoleum Lederhosen</i>
JM	Balliet, Blue	<i>Pieces and Players</i>
JM	Barnett, Mac	<i>Brixton Brothers series</i>
JM	Gorman, Carol	<i>Jennifer the Jerk Is Missing</i>
TWEEN	Grisham, John	<i>Theodore Boone: Kid Lawyer series</i>
JM	Hahn, Mary Downing	<i>Wait Till Helen Comes</i>
JM	Karbo, Karen	<i>Minerva Clark Gives Up the Ghost</i>
JM	Keene, Carolyn	<i>Nancy Drew series</i>
JM	Margolin, Phillip	<i>Vanishing Acts</i>
JM	Messner, Kate	<i>Manhunt</i>
JM	Montes, Marisa	<i>Something Wicked's in Those Woods</i>
JM	Quinn, Spencer	<i>Woof</i>
JM	Roberts, Willo Davis	<i>Surviving Summer Vacation</i>
TWEEN	Savage, J. Scott	<i>Case File 13</i>
JM	Spratt, R. A.	<i>Friday Barnes series</i>
JM	Springer, Nancy	<i>Enola Holmes series</i>
JM	Sylvester, Kevin	<i>Neil Flambe series</i>
JM	Van Draanen, Wendelin	<i>Sammy Keyes series</i>
JM	Yep, Laurence	<i>Case of the Goblin Pearls</i>
JM	Zhang, Kat	<i>The Emperor's Riddle</i>

SPORTS STORIES

LOCATION	AUTHOR	TITLE
TWEEN	Abdul-Jabbar, Kareem	<i>Sasquatch in the Paint</i>
TWEEN	Alexander, Kwame	<i>Crossover</i>
TWEEN	Cochrane, Mick	<i>Girl Who Threw Butterflies</i>
JF	Corbett, Sue	<i>Free Baseball</i>
JF	Freitas, Donna	<i>Gold Medal Summer</i>
TWEEN	Green, Tim	<i>Rivals</i>
JF	Gutman, Dan	<i>Baseball Card Adventures series</i>
JF	Haven, Paul	<i>Two Hot Dogs with Everything</i>
TWEEN	Hoblin, Paul	<i>The Beast</i>
JF	Hurwitz, Johanna	<i>Baseball Fever</i>
JF	Jennings, Patrick	<i>Outstanding in My Field</i>
TWEEN	Lupica, Mike	<i>Game Changers</i>
TWEEN	Mack, W C	<i>Athlete vs Mathlete</i>
JF	Mackel, Kathy	<i>Madcat</i>
JF	Ritter, John H.	<i>The Boy Who Saved Baseball</i>
JF	Roberts, Kristi	<i>My 13th Season</i>
JF	Russo, Marisabina	<i>House of Sports</i>
JF	Spinelli, Jerry	<i>Crash</i>
TWEEN	Vernick, Audrey	<i>Screaming at the Ump</i>
JF	Wallace, Bill	<i>Winning Season series</i>

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