

Survival Stories with Children

Title	F&P Level	Subjects
<u>On the Trail of the Bushman,</u> Anita Daher	RL 4.1	Secrets, Whitehorse, Yukon, camps, wilderness survival
<u>Hatchet,</u> Gary Paulsen	R	Canadian wilderness, survival, divorce
<u>Letters to Rifka,</u> Karen Hesse	S/T	Emigration and immigration, escape from Russia (1919), courage
<u>The Adventures of Tommy Smith,</u> Robert Sutherland	T	Georgian Bay, Ontario, sinking of S.S. Asia (1882), murder
<u>Frozen Fire: A Tale of Courage,</u> James Houston	T	Canadian Arctic, Inuit culture, survival, mystery
<u>The Haymeadow,</u> Gary Paulsen	T	Self-reliance, bildungsroman, ranch life, Wyoming (USA), coming of age
<u>Voyageur,</u> Eric Walters	T	Bereavement, wilderness survival, friendship, Quebec
<u>Julie of Wolves,</u> Jean Craighead George	U	Inuit, wilderness survival, wolves
<u>Mr. Tucket,</u> Gary Paulsen	U	Native Americans (Great Plains), frontier and pioneer life (West, US), Pawnee Indians, overland journeys to the Pacific
<u>My Side of the Mountain,</u> Jean Craighead George	U	Wilderness survival, self-reliance, adventure, Catskill Mountains
<u>The Breadwinner,</u> Deborah Ellis	V	Afghanistan, women's freedoms, Taliban, family life
<u>The Cay,</u> Theodore Taylor	V	Survival after a shipwreck, prejudices, friendship, Caribbean area
<u>Island of the Blue Dolphins,</u> Scott O'Dell	V	Survival skills, First Nations girl, dolphins, islands (California)
<u>Kensuke's Kingdom,</u> Michael Morpurgo	V	Castaways, Japanese islands, shipwrecks, survival skills

<u>A Long Walk to Water: Based on a True Story,</u> Linda Sue Park	W	Sudan (Civil War, 1983-2005), water, refugees, Dut, Salva (1974), survival
<u>Parvana's Journey,</u> Deborah Ellis	W	Teenage girls (Afghanistan), Taliban, determination, victims of war, families
<u>Thunder Cave,</u> Roland Smith	W	Father-son relationship, Africa (Kenya), survival skills, poaching, Masai (African people)
<u>Hana's Suitcase: a True Story,</u> Karen Levine	Y	Jewish children in the Holocaust (Czech Republic), Theresienstadt (concentration camp)
<u>Refugee,</u> Alan Gratz	Y	Immigration and emigration, survival skills, children and war, refugee children, World War II, Cubans (USA), Syria (Civil War, 2011)
<u>Lost in the Barrens,</u> Farley Mowat	Z	Wilderness survival, Inuit, Northern Canada, Cree Indians, adventure
<u>The Maestro,</u> Tim Wynne-Jones	Z	Wilderness survival, runaway teenagers, composers, determination

Overcoming Hardship

Title	F&P Level	Subjects
<u>Speechless,</u> Valerie Sherrand	N/A	Public speaking, silence, friendship
<u>Can You Feel the Thunder?,</u> Lynn McElfresh	S/T	People with disabilities, blind, deaf, brothers and sisters
<u>First Crossing : Stories About Teen Immigrants,</u> Donald R. Gallo	S/T	Emigration and immigration, short stories
<u>The Color of my Words,</u> Lynn Joseph	U	Brothers and sisters, freedom of speech, Dominican Republic
<u>Eleven,</u> Patricia Reilly Giff	U	Dyslexia, personal identity, grandfathers, woodworking
<u>Summer of the Swans,</u> Betsy Byars	U	People with mental disabilities, brothers and sisters, family life
<u>True...sort of,</u> Katherine Hannigan	U	Selective mutism, brothers and sisters, friendship, self-control, human behavior
<u>Lyddie,</u> Katherine Paterson	V	Self-reliance, factories, poverty, textile workers, Lowell (Mass., USA)
<u>Shizuko's Daughter,</u> Kyoko Mori	V	Family—Japan, suicide, mothers and daughters, remarriage
<u>Walking a Thin Line,</u> Sylvia McNicoll	V	Anorexia nervosa, body image, self-perception, friendship
<u>Call it Courage,</u> Armstrong Sperry	X	Fear, courage, Polynesia (folklore), ocean (folklore), wilderness survival
<u>Freak the Mighty,</u> Rodman Philbrick	Z	People with learning disabilities, friendship, physical handicaps

Family/Relationships

Title	F&P Level	Subjects
<u>Cursed!</u> , Maureen Bush	N/A	Family problems, facing one's fears, masks, fate
<u>Jacob's Little Giant</u> , Barbara Smucker	N/A	Canada geese, family life, adversity
<u>Speechless</u> , Valerie Sherrand	N/A	Public speaking, silence, friendship
<u>Reading the Bones</u> , Gina McMurchy-Barber	N/A	Archaeology, Coast Salish Indians, honesty, intergenerational relations, Crescent Beach, BC
<u>Hatchet</u> , Gary Paulsen	R	Canadian wilderness, survival, divorce
<u>Out of the Blue</u> , Sarah Ellis	R	Adoption, sisters, family life
<u>Awake and Dreaming</u> , Kit Pearson	S	Dreams, ghosts, mother and daughters, loneliness
<u>Flight of the Phoenix;</u> <u>Nathaniel Flud Beastologist</u> <u>#1</u> , R.L. LaFevers	S	Mythical animals, Middle East, family, adventure
<u>The House of Wings</u> , Betsy Byars	S	Injured crane, grandfathers, love, respect
<u>The Power of Un</u> , Nancy Etchemendy	T	Brothers and sisters, time travel, decision making, 'undoing' a mistake
<u>The Power of Un</u> , Nancy Etchemendy	T	Brothers and sisters, time travel, decision making, 'undoing' a mistake
<u>Time to Let Go</u> , Lurlene McDaniel	T	Children and death, grief, therapy, headaches
<u>The Color of my Words</u> , Lynn Joseph	U	Brothers and sisters, freedom of speech, Dominican Republic
<u>Dancing Through the Snow</u> , Jean Little	U	Foster children, orphans, Christmas, dogs, family
<u>Eleven</u> , Patricia Reilly Giff	U	Dyslexia, personal identity, grandfathers, woodworking

<u>Esperanza Rising,</u> Pam Munoz Ryan	U	Mothers and daughters, Mexican American (California), agricultural laborers, 20 th century
<u>Samphire Song,</u> Jill Hucklesby	U	Horses, family problems, grief
<u>Summer of the Swans,</u> Betsy Byars	U	People with mental disabilities, brothers and sisters, family life
<u>Absolutely Normal Choas,</u> Sharon Creech	V	Family life, homesickness, death, father-son relationship, cousins
<u>Circling Vultures,</u> Sylvia Sikundar	V	Africa, poachers, friendship, mystery
<u>Shizuko's Daughter,</u> Kyoko Mori	V	Family (Japan), suicide, mothers and daughters, remarriage
<u>The Night Gardener,</u> Jonathan Auxier	X	Brothers and sisters, ghosts, English household employees, blessing and cursing
<u>The Moonlight Man,</u> Betty Ren Wright	Y	Single parent family, moving homes, sisters, ghosts
<u>The Outsiders,</u> S.E. Hinton	Z	Adolescence, brothers, gangs, bullies, family life

Fantasy

Title	F&P Level	Subjects
<u>The Bonemender</u> , Holly Bennett	N/A	Healing, elves, love
<u>The Hobbit: or There and back again – a graphic novel</u> , J.R.R. Tolkien	N/A	Bilbo Baggins, dwarves, dragons, adventure, courage
<u>The Red Pyramid: graphic novel</u> , Rick Riordan	O	Egyptian mythology, magic, family, secrets, voyages
<u>Who's Got Game? The Lion or the Mouse?</u> , Tony Morrison	O/P	Aesop's fables, fairy tales, animals, bullying
<u>The Dragon Prince</u> , Laurence Yep	P	Chinese folklore, fairy tales, dragons
<u>Knights of the Round Table (adapted)</u> , Gwen Gross	Q	Middle Ages, bravery, witches, dragons, wizards, dragons, adventure
<u>Alcatraz Versus the Evil Librarians</u> , Brandon Sanderson	R	Grandfathers, humour, good and evil, libraries
<u>The Borrowers</u> , Mary Norton	S	Miniature objects, families
<u>Flight of the Phoenix; Nathaniel Flud Beastologist #1</u> , R.L. LaFevers	S	Mythical animals, Middle East, family, adventure
<u>Lightning Thief (graphic novel)</u> , Rick Riordan	S	Greek mythology, fathers and sons, adventure
<u>The Magic Nesting Doll</u> , Jacqueline K. Ogburn	S/T	Russian folklore, fairy tale
<u>Bridge to Terabithia</u> , Katherine Paterson	T	Magical kingdom, friendship, death, Virginia (USA)
<u>The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe</u> , C.S. Lewis	T	Narnia, good and evil, witches, magic, fantastic animals

<u>Dealing with Dragons,</u> Patricia Wrede	U	Fairy tales, dragons, wizards, humour, princesses
<u>A Stranger Came Ashore,</u> Mollie Hunter	U	Scotland, magic, witchcraft
<u>Silverwing,</u> Kenneth Oppel	U	Bats, migration, growth
<u>Sunwing,</u> Kenneth Oppel	U	Bats, father-son relationship
<u>The Three Pinces: a Tale from the Middle East,</u> retold by Eric A. Kimmel	U	Fairy tales, Arab folklore
<u>A Weave of Words,</u> Robert D. San Souci	U	Fairy tales, Armenian folklore
<u>Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone,</u> J.K. Rowling	V	Wizards, magic, friendship, English schools
<u>Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of Nimh,</u> Robert O'Brien	V	Mice, rats, courage, family, fantasy
<u>Domitila: a Cinderella Tale from the Mexican Tradition,</u> adapted by Jewell Reinhart Coburn	V/W	Folklore (Mexico), Cinderella, fairy tales
<u>The Adventures of Ulysses,</u> Bernard Evslin	W	Greek Mythology, Odysseus (King of Ithaca)
<u>The Gammage Cup,</u> Carol Kendall	W	Heroes, war, families
<u>The Lightning Thief,</u> Rick Riordan	W	Greek Mythology, Percy Jackson, good and evil, fathers and sons, Poseidon, Hades, Zeus, friendship
<u>The Red Pyramid,</u> Rick Riordan	W	Egyptian mythology, magic, gods and goddesses, magic, siblings
<u>Tuck Everlasting,</u> Natalie Babbitt	W	Immortality, aging, secrecy
<u>The Grey King,</u> Susan Cooper	X	Quests, uncles, courage, Wales (England), good and evil

<u>The Mark of Athena,</u> Rick Riordan	X	Greek and Roman mythology, goddesses, Hera, Gaia, giants, camps
<u>Firewing,</u> Kenneth Oppel	Y	Bats, father-son relationship
<u>The Golden Compass,</u> Philip Pullman	Z	Missing children, experiments, kidnapping, Arctic regions
<u>Hobbit: Or There and Back Again,</u> J.R.R. Tolkien	Z	Middle Earth (imaginary place), quests, good and evil, dwarfs
<u>The Sword in the Stone,</u> T.H. White	Z	Medieval times, fantasy, King Arthur, Merlin, wizards, knights, English folklore

War

Title	F&P Level	Subjects
<u>You Can Call Me Vodka,</u> In Sam Oeun	N/A	Cambodia history, United Nations refugee camp, Pol Pot and Khmer Rouge
<u>Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes,</u> Eleanor Coerr	S	Hiroshima (Japan), atomic bombs, leukemia in children, death
<u>Number the Stars,</u> Lois Lowry	U	World War II (Denmark), friendship, Jews—rescue, Nazis
<u>Someone Named Eva,</u> Joan M. Wolf	U	World War II (Europe), Nazis, brainwashing, boarding schools
<u>Turned Away: the World War II Diary of Devorah Bernstein,</u> Carol Matas	V	World War II, Jewish children in the Holocaust, immigration (Canada), Winnipeg (MAN)
<u>The Upstairs Room,</u> Johanna Reiss	V	World War II, Jews (Netherlands), German occupation (1940-1945), personal narrative
<u>The Silver Sword,</u> Ian Serraillier	W	Warsaw (Poland) Ghetto Uprising, 1943, World War II Jews, refugee children
<u>Anne Frank: Diary of a Young Girl,</u> Anne Frank	Y	Jewish Holocaust (1939-1945), persecutions (Netherlands), children in World War II
<u>Hana's Suitcase: a True Story,</u> Karen Levine	Y	Jewish children in the Holocaust (Czech Republic), Theresienstadt (concentration camp)
<u>When My Name Was Keoko,</u> Linda Sue Park	Y	Korea: family life, history, military occupation, courage, World War II (underground movements), patriotism

Animal Stories

Title	F&P Level	Subjects
<u>Tornado,</u> Betsy Byars	N/A	Dogs, tornadoes
<u>It's Like This, Cat,</u> Emily Cheney Neville	N/A	Cats, family life, New York, humour
<u>Jacob's Little Giant,</u> Barbara Smucker	N/A	Canada geese, family life, adversity
<u>Who's Got Game? The Lion or the Mouse?,</u> Tony Morrison	O/P	Aesop's fables, fairy tales, animals, bullying
<u>I'm Not a Supermouse!,</u> Geronimo Stilton	R	Mice, adventure, self-confidence, journalists, humour
<u>The One and Only Ivan,</u> Katherine Applegate	R	Gorillas, elephants, circuses, animal treatment, social issues, friendship
<u>The Secret of Nimh,</u> Robert O'Brien	R	Mice, rats, fantasy, families
<u>The House of Wings,</u> Betsy Byars	S	Cranes, grandfathers, love, respect
<u>Ugly,</u> Donna Jo Napoli	S	Conformity, swans, ducks, "Ugly Duckling" retold
<u>Souder,</u> William Armstrong	T	Dogs, Southern United States, poverty, sharecropping, African American families
<u>Samphire Song,</u> Jill Hucklesby	U	Horses, family problems, grief
<u>Silverwing,</u> Kenneth Oppel	U	Bats, migration, growth
<u>Sunwing,</u> Kenneth Oppel	U	Bats, father-son relationship
<u>A Walk in the Tundra,</u> Rebecca Johnson	U	Tundra ecology, biomes
<u>Big Red,</u> Jim Kjelgaard	V	Dogs, trappers, father-son relationship
<u>The Incredible Journey,</u> Sheila Burnford	V	Dogs, cats, adventure, Canadian wilderness

<u>Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of Nimh,</u> Robert O'Brien	V	Mice, rats, courage, family, fantasy
<u>Old Yeller,</u> Fred Gibson	V	Dogs, frontier and pioneer life (Texas, USA)
<u>Racso and the Rats of Nimh,</u> Jane Leslie Conly	V	Rats, mice, courage, families
<u>Rascal,</u> Sterling North	V	Raccoons, country life (Wisconsin, USA)
<u>The Call of the Wild,</u> Jack London	Y	Dogs, Klondike River Valley (Yukon), gold rush, wolves, history (1867-1914)
<u>Firewing,</u> Kenneth Oppel	Y	Bats, father-son relationships

Mystery

Title	F&P Level	Subjects
<u>The Ghost of Ramshaw Castle</u> , Robert Sutherland	N/A	Ghost stories, Scotland, haunted castles
<u>Something Suspicious in Saskatchewan</u> , Dayle Gaetz	N/A	Detective story, sabotage, farm life, Saskatchewan
<u>Junie B. Jones and the Ucky Blucky Fruitcake</u> , Barbara Park	M	humour, lethal weapons, detective stories
<u>Encyclopedia Brown and the Case of the Midnight Visitor</u> , Donald Sobol	P	Boy detective story
<u>The Curse of the Blue Figurine</u> , John Bellairs	S	Detective stories, ghost story, haunted places
<u>From the Mixed-up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler</u> , E.L. Konigsburg	S	Runaways, brothers and sisters, supernatural, Metropolitan Museum of Art (New York)
<u>Thumb and the Bad Guys</u> , Ken Roberts	S	Archaeology, British Columbia, friendship, detectives
<u>The Mystery of 'Ksan</u> , Eric Wilson	U	Detective and mystery story, First Nations masks (British Columbia), Gitksan
<u>The Eyes of the Amaryllis</u> , Natalie Babbitt	V	Ghost stories, grandmothers, sea stories
<u>The Golden Goblet</u> , Eloise Jarvis McGraw	V	Egypt history (332 BC), fate, self-realization, crime
<u>Masterminds</u> , Gordon Korman	V	Cloning, human experiments, truthfulness, criminals, friendship
<u>The Moonlight Man</u> , Betty Ren Wright	Y	Single parent family, moving homes, sisters, ghosts
<u>The Clockwork Scarab</u> , Colleen Gleason	Z+	Time travel, secret societies, London (England): history (19 th century), scarabs, detective story

Adventure

Title	F&P Level	Subjects
<u>The Curse of the Viking Grave,</u> Farley Mowat	N/A	Sequel to “Lost in the Barrens”, Viking relics, Canadian literature, Inuit
<u>Ghost Canoe,</u> Will Hobbs	N/A	Makah Indians, Pacific Northwest, buried treasure
<u>The Red Pyramid : graphic novel,</u> Rick Riordan	O	Egyptian mythology, magic, family, secrets, voyages
<u>20,000 Leagues Under the Sea,</u> Jules Verne	O/P	Underwater exploration, sea stories, adventure, submarines
<u>Knights of the Round Table (adapted),</u> Gwen Gross	Q	Middle Ages, bravery, witches, dragons, wizards, dragons, adventure
<u>Banner in the Sky,</u> James Ullman	R	Mountaineering, wilderness survival, Switzerland
<u>I’m Not a Supermouse!,</u> Geronimo Stilton	R	Mice, adventure, self-confidence, journalists, humour
<u>The Whipping Boy,</u> Sid Feishchman	R	Robbers and outlaws, princes, humour, spin-off of “the Prince and the Pauper”
<u>Amish Adventure,</u> Barbara Smucker	T	Amish culture, Ontario, families
<u>Tracker,</u> Gary Paulsen	T	Hunting, multigenerational, cancer, Minnesota (USA)
<u>Voyageur,</u> Eric Walters	T	Bereavement, wilderness survival, friendship, Quebec
<u>Julie of Wolves,</u> Jean Craighead George	U	Inuit, wilderness survival, wolves
<u>The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane,</u> Kate Di Camillo	U	Rabbits, toys, love, adventure
<u>Gregor the Overlander,</u> Suzanne Collins	V	Quests, animals, brothers and sisters, fantasy, missing persons

<u>Holes,</u> Louis Sachar	V	Juvenile delinquency, friendship, homeless persons, buried treasure
<u>The Red Pyramid,</u> Rick Riordan	W	Egyptian mythology, magic, gods and goddesses, magic, siblings
<u>Treasure Island,</u> Robert Louis Stevenson	Z	Pirates, treasure troves, adventure, classical literature

School/Family/Friendships

Title	F&P Level	Subjects
<u>Just J,</u> Colin Frizzel	N/A	Social issues, friendship, bildungsroman
<u>The 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens: the Ultimate Teenage Success Guide,</u> Sean Covey	N/A	Conduct of life, success (psychological aspects), life skill guide
<u>On the Trail of the Bushman,</u> Anita Daher	RL 4.1	Secrets, Whitehorse, Yukon, camps, wilderness survival
<u>TJ and the Sports Fanatic,</u> Hazel Hutchins	N/A	Friendship, sports, football, problem solving
<u>Clementine,</u> Sara Pennypacker	O	Humour, friendship, family life
<u>My Rotten Life (Nathan Abercrombie, Accidental Zombie #1),</u> David Lubar	P	Schools, popularity, self-confidence, zombies, humour
<u>The Nine Lives of Travis Keating,</u> Jill Keating	P	Cats, bullies, Newfoundland
<u>The Jacket,</u> Andrew Clements	R	Prejudices, race relations, American schools
<u>The Lemonade War,</u> Jacqueline Davies	S	Fundraising, Math, brothers and sisters
<u>Melonhead,</u> Katy Kelly	S	Humour, inventors, Washington (D.C.), summer vacation
<u>On My Honor,</u> Marion Bauer	S	Conduct of life, friendship, drowning, accidents, obedience
<u>A Taste of Blackberries,</u> Doris Buchanan Smith	S	Friendship, death, loss
<u>Juan Verdades : the Man Who Couldn't Tell a Lie,</u> Joe Hayes	S/T	Ranchers (United States), truth, folklore
<u>Anne of Green Gables,</u> L.M. Montgomery	T	Friendship, orphans, Prince Edward Island, country life

<u>Super-sized Slugger,</u> Cal Ripken Jr.	T	Baseball, bullies, mystery, obesity, theft, middle school, moving
<u>Eleven,</u> Patricia Reilly Giff	U	Dyslexia, personal identity, grandfathers, woodworking
<u>Loser,</u> Jerry Spinelli	U	Self-acceptance, family life, schools
<u>True...sort of,</u> Katherine Hannigan	U	Selective mutism, brothers and sisters, friendship, self-control, human behavior
<u>WJHC on the air!,</u> Jane Smith Fisher	U	Disc jockeys, high school radio station, graphic novel, friendship
<u>Wringer,</u> Jerry Spinelli	U	Bildungsroman, violence of the annual Pigeon Day, courage
<u>Stargirl,</u> Jerry Spinelli	V	Individuality, popularity, eccentrics, high school (Arizona)
<u>Any Small Goodness: a Novel of the Barrio,</u> Tony Johnston	X	Families (East Los Angeles, USA), Mexican Americans
<u>The Egypt Game,</u> Zilpha Keatley Snyder	X	Egyptology, imagination, friendship, murder
<u>Freak the Mighty,</u> Rodman Philbrick	Z	People with learning disabilities, friendship, physical handicaps

Indigenous Novels

Title	F&P Level	Subjects
<u>Cibou</u> , Susan Young de Biagi	N/A	17 th century Mi'kma'ki, Maritime Canada, missionary
<u>Ghost Canoe</u> , Will Hobbs	N/A	Makah Indians, Pacific Northwest, buried treasure, mystery
<u>The Curse of the Viking Grave</u> , Farley Mowat	N/A	Sequel to "Lost in the Barrens", Viking relics, Canadian literature, Inuit
<u>Reading the Bones</u> , Gina McMurchy-Barber	N/A	Archaeology, Coast Salish Indians, honesty, intergenerational relations, Crescent Beach, BC
<u>Triple Threat</u> , Jaqueline Guest	N/A	Basketball, Alberta, rivalry, First Nations, summer
<u>Glooscap stops the Wind</u> , Retold by David Bouchard	M	"Turtle Island Voices" series, graphic novel, tricksters
<u>The Mystery at Lake Laberge</u> , Joan Nelson	P	"Turtle Island Voices" series, mystery, friendship
<u>Copper Sunrise</u> , Bryan Buchan	S	Beothuk, friendship, colonization in Canada
<u>Birchbark House</u> , Louise Erdrich	T	Ojibwa (First Nations people), Lake Superior region, 1847
<u>The Boy Who Told Tales</u> , Robert Cutting	T	"Turtle Island Voices" series, folklore, extra-terrestrial, truthfulness
<u>Frozen Fire: A Tale of Courage</u> , James Houston	T	Canadian Arctic, Inuit culture, survival, mystery
<u>Bearstone</u> , Will Hobbs	U	First Nations youth, adventure, Colorado, Ute Indians, bears
<u>Julie of Wolves</u> , Jean Craighead George	U	Inuit, wilderness survival, wolves

<u>Mr. Tucket,</u> Gary Paulsen	U	Native Americans (Great Plains), frontier and pioneer life (West, US), Pawnee Indians, overland journeys to the Pacific
<u>Thunder Rolling in the Mountains,</u> Scott O'Dell and Elizabeth Hall	U	Nez Perce Indians, Native American (Pacific Northwest, USA), late 19 th century
<u>The Mystery of 'Ksan,</u> Eric Wilson	U	Detective and mystery story, First Nations masks (British Columbia), Gitksan
<u>Island of the Blue Dolphins,</u> Scott O'Dell	V	Survival skills, First Nations girl, dolphins, islands (California)
<u>Nothing Scares Me!,</u> retold by Wilfred Burton and Calvin Racette	W	"Turtle Island Voices" series, First Nations folklore (Canada)
<u>Let's Dance!</u> Jessica Athlueetuk	X	"Turtle Island Voices" series, Aboriginal dances
<u>Stories of Thunderbird,</u> retold by David Bouchard	X	"Turtle Island Voices" series, First Nations folklore (Canada)
<u>Contact,</u> Robert Cutting	Y	"Turtle Island Voices" series, First Nations folklore (Canada), European immigration
<u>Close to Home,</u> Robert Cutting	Y	"Turtle Island Voices" series, First Nations folklore (Canada), foster care
<u>Touching Spirit Bear,</u> Ben Mikaelson	Y	Tlingit Indians, Indigenous people (Alaska), child abuse, forgiveness, anger, rehabilitation
<u>White Mist,</u> Barbara Smucker	Y	Potawatomi Indians (Michigan), environmental protection, adopted children, time travel, pollution

<u>Danger!</u> Robyn Michaud-Turgeon	Z	“Turtle Island Voices” series, First Nations folklore (Canada), dangerous careers
<u>Lost in the Barrens,</u> Farley Mowat	Z	Wilderness survival, Inuit, Northern Canada, Cree Indians, adventure
<u>Unexpected Friends,</u> Jacqueline Guest	Z	“Turtle Island Voices” series, First Nations folklore (Canada),

Historical Fiction

Title	F&P Level	Subjects
<u>Cariboo Runaway,</u> Sandy Frances Duncan	N/A	Cariboo (B.C.: Regional district), gold discoveries, adventure, runaways
<u>Cibou,</u> Susan Young de Biagi	N/A	Aboriginal peoples (Maritime Canada), young women, Jesuits, 17 th century Mi'kma'ki
<u>Excalibur : the legend of King Arthur, a graphic novel,</u> Tony Lee	N/A	King Arthur, Merlin, Middle Ages, Great Britain history
<u>Shadow in Hawthorn Bay,</u> Janet Lunn	N/A	Frontier and pioneer life, emigration and immigration, extrasensory perception
<u>A Traveller in Time,</u> Alison Uttley	N/A	Mary Queen of Scots, time travel, Great Britain history
<u>White Jade Tiger,</u> Julie Lawson	N/A	Time travel, railroads (BC), Chinatown (Victoria)
<u>Franklin D. Roosevelt,</u> Laura Waxman	R	Presidents of the United States, biographies
<u>Matthew Henson,</u> Maryann Weidt	R	African American explorers, biographies, explorers, North Pole
<u>Rosa Parks,</u> Maryann Weidt	R	Biographies, African American women, segregation, race relations, Alabama
<u>Amelia Earhart: Free in the Skies (graphic novel),</u> Robert Burleigh	S/T	Women air pilots, biography
<u>When Marian Sang,</u> Pam Munoz Ryan	S/T	African American singers, biography, contraltos
<u>The Adventures of Tommy Smith,</u> Robert Sutherland	T	Georgian Bay, Ontario, S.S. Asia (1882), murder
<u>Birchbark House,</u> Louise Erdrich	T	Ojibwa (First Nations people), Lake Superior region, 1847

<u>Forbidden City,</u> William Bell	T	Tiananmen Square Incident, Beijing (China) 1989, political demonstrations
<u>The Door in the Wall,</u> Marguerite de Angeli	U	Great Britain-Edward III, 1327-1377, people with disabilities, Middle Ages
<u>Number the Stars,</u> Lois Lowry	U	World War II (Denmark), friendship, Jews—rescue, Nazis
<u>A Single Shard,</u> Linda Sue Park	U	Korea, 12 th century, pottery, orphans
<u>Someone Named Eva,</u> Joan M. Wolf	U	World War II (Europe), Nazis, brainwashing, boarding schools
<u>There Will Be Wolves</u>	U	First Crusades (1096-1099)
<u>The Breadwinner,</u> Deborah Ellis	V	Afghanistan, women's freedoms, Taliban, family life
<u>The Golden Goblet,</u> Eloise Jarvis McGraw	V	Egypt history (332 BC), fate, self-realization
<u>Turned Away: the Word War II Diary of Devorah Bernstein,</u> Carol Matas	V	World War II, Jewish children in the Holocaust, immigration (Canada), Winnipeg (MAN)
<u>Underground to Canada,</u> Barbara Smucker	V	Slavery (USA), fugitive, Underground Railroad, Canada history (1841-1867)
<u>The Upstairs Room,</u> Johanna Reiss	V	World War II, Jews (Netherlands), German occupation (1940-1945), personal narrative
<u>A Library for Juana: the World of Sor Juana Lines,</u> Pat Mora	V/W	Women authors (Mexican), 17 th century, biography, nuns
<u>Surviving Hitler,</u> Andrea Warren	V/W	Jewish children in the Holocaust (World War II), Gdynia (Poland), survivors
<u>Dragonwings,</u> Laurence Yep	W	Chinese Americans, San Francisco (Calif.) history, 20 th century, fathers and sons

<u>A Long Walk to Water:</u> <u>Based on a True Story,</u> Linda Sue Park	W	Sudan (Civil War, 1983-2005), water, refugees, Dut, Salva (1974), survival
<u>The Man Who Went to the Far Side of the Moon: or a Book about Michael Collins, Apollo 11, and 20 Pounds of Checklists,</u> Bea Uusma Schyffert	W	Michael Collins, astronauts (USA), space flight to the moon, Project Apollo
<u>Parvana's Journey,</u> Deborah Ellis	W	Teenage girls (Afghanistan), Taliban, determination, victims of war, families
<u>Revolution is not a Dinner Party,</u> Ying Chang Compestine	W	China (1966-1976), persecution, family life (China), communism, physicians, Cultural Revolution
<u>The Silver Sword,</u> Ian Serraillier	W	Warsaw (Poland) Ghetto Uprising, 1943, World War II Jews, refugee children
<u>Young Fu of the Upper Yangtze,</u> Elizabeth Foreman Lewis	W	City and town life (China), 1920's
<u>Hana's Suitcase: a True Story,</u> Karen Levine	Y	Jewish children in the Holocaust (Czech Republic), Theresienstadt (concentration camp)
<u>Refugee,</u> Alan Gratz	Y	Immigration and emigration, survival skills, children and war, refugee children, World War II, Cubans (USA), Syria (Civil War, 2011)
<u>When My Name Was Keoko,</u> Linda Sue Park	Y	Korea: family life, history, military occupation, courage, World War II (underground movements), patriotism

Social Responsibility

Title	F&P Level	Subjects
<u>The One and Only Ivan,</u> Katherine Applegate	R	Gorillas, elephants, circuses, animal treatment, social issues, friendship
<u>Pay It Forward,</u> Catherine Ryan Hyde	U	Kindness, school children, California, bildungsroman, conduct of life
<u>Three Cups of Tea: Young Reader's Edition,</u> Greg Mortenson	Z	Pakistan, Afghanistan, girls' schools, humanitarian assistance, social responsibility, Taliban

Sports

Title	F&P Level	Subjects
<u>TJ and the Sports Fanatic,</u> Hazel Hutchins	N/A	Friendship, sports, football, problem solving
<u>Triple Threat,</u> Jaqueline Guest	N/A	Basketball, Alberta, rivalry, First Nations, summer
<u>Ultra,</u> David Carroll	N/A	Marathon running, fathers and sons, Afghan War (2001)
<u>Roberto Clemente: Pride of the Pittsburgh Pirates,</u> Jonah Winter	R	Baseball players (Puerto Rico), Pittsburgh Pirates, biography
<u>Finding Buck McHenry,</u> Alfred Slote	S	Baseball history, African Americans, Little League baseball
<u>Super-sized Slugger,</u> Cal Ripken Jr.	T	Baseball, bullies, mystery, obesity, theft, middle school, moving
<u>Maniac Magee,</u> Jerry Spinelli	U	Athletes, sports, courage, orphans, heroes, running

Classics

Title	F&P Level	Subjects
<u>William Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream : the graphic novel,</u> William Shakespeare	N/A	Fantasy, fairies, humour, magic, Athens (Greece), courtship
<u>William Shakespeare's Romeo and Juliet : the graphic novel,</u> William Shakespeare	N/A	Elizabethan times (1500-1600), tragedies, Verona (Italy), love stories
<u>William Shakespeare's Macbeth : the graphic novel,</u> William Shakespeare	N/A	King of Scotland (11 th century), regicides, Scotland history (to 1057), murder
<u>20,000 Leagues Under the Sea,</u> Jules Verne	O/P	Underwater exploration, sea stories, adventure, submarines
<u>Frankenstein (adapted),</u> Mary Shelley	O/P	Monsters, horror, scientists
<u>Time Machine (adapted),</u> H.G. Wells	O/P	Time travel, dystopias, adventure
<u>The War of the Worlds (adapted),</u> H.G. Wells	Q	Thriller, Martians

Science Fiction

Title	F&P Level	Subjects
<u>20,000 Leagues Under the Sea,</u> Jules Verne	O/P	Underwater exploration, sea stories, adventure, submarines, classic literature
<u>Frankenstein (adapted),</u> Mary Shelley	O/P	Monsters, horror, scientists, classic literature
<u>Time Machine (adapted),</u> H.G. Wells	O/P	Time travel, dystopias, adventure, classic literature
<u>The War of the Worlds (adapted),</u> H.G. Wells	Q	Thriller, Martians, classic literature
<u>Ctrl-Z,</u> Andres Norriss	S	Time travel, computers, humour
<u>The Power of Un,</u> Nancy Etchemendy	T	Brothers and sisters, time travel, decision making, 'un-doing' a mistake
<u>A Handful of Time,</u> Kit Pearson	U	Time travel, cousins
<u>Z for Zachariah,</u> Robert C. O'Brien	V	Nuclear warfare, radiation, atomic bomb (blast effect), young women (USA)
<u>When you Reach Me,</u> Rebecca Stead	V	Space and time, friendship, New York history, 1950 (NY)
<u>A Wrinkle in Time,</u> Madeleine L'Engle	W	Time travel, brothers and sisters, extraterrestrial beings, gifted children, friendship
<u>Double Identity,</u> Margaret Peterson Haddix	X	Cloning, identity (psychology), aunts
<u>Gathering Blue,</u> Lois Lowry	X	People with disabilities, orphans, artists, dystopias
<u>The Ear, the Eye, and the Arm,</u> Nancy Farmer	Y	Blacks (Zimbabwe), kidnapping, future (2194)
<u>The Giver,</u> Lois Lowry	Y	Conscience, dystopias, memory

<u>The serpent's Shadow,</u> Rick Riordan	Y	Egyptian mythology, magic, brothers and sisters, snakes, voyages
<u>The Sword of Summer,</u> Rick Riordan	Y	Norse mythology, Norse gods, Magnus Chase, quests, Vikings, homeless children
<u>White Mist,</u> Barbara Smucker	Y	Potawatomi Indians (Michigan), environmental protection, adopted children, time travel, pollution
<u>Among the Hidden,</u> Margaret Peterson Haddix	Z	Population policies, dystopias, family, totalitarianism, identity
<u>Catching Fire,</u> Suzanne Collins	Z	Insurgency, dystopias, survival, interpersonal relations, reality TV game shows, courage, girls
<u>Divergent,</u> Veronica Roth	Z	Dystopias, self-perception, social classes, family relations, ethics, courage, identity
<u>The Hunger Games,</u> Suzanne Collins	Z	Dystopias, reality TV game shows, interpersonal relations, heroines, survival, insurgency
<u>Mockingjay,</u> Suzanne Collins	Z	Dystopias, reality TV game shows, interpersonal relations, heroines, survival
<u>The Clockwork Scarab,</u> Colleen Gleason	Z+	Time travel, secret societies, London (England): history (19 th century), scarabs, detective story

Middle Ages

Title	F&P Level	Subjects
<u>The Door in the Wall,</u> Marguerite de Angeli	U	Great Britain-Edward III, 1327-1377, people with disabilities, Middle Ages
<u>Crispin: the Cross of Lead,</u> Avi	W	Middle Ages (Great Britain), Richard II (1377-1399), voyages, families, peasant boy
<u>Hail of Arrows: Jenkin Lloyd Agincourt, France 1415,</u> Michael Cox	W	Battle of Agincourt (France, 1415), archers (Wales), Medieval civilization (France), Hundred Years War
<u>Catherine, Called Birdy,</u> Karen Cushman	X	Great Britain history (Edward I, 1272-1307), diaries, nobility, women in England (13 th century)
<u>Midwife's Apprentice,</u> Karen Cushman	X	Medieval England, midwives, humour
<u>A Sword in her Hand,</u> Jean-Claude Van Rijkechem and Pat Van Beirs	Z	Middle Ages, princesses, Black Death, fathers and daughters, Flanders, Belgium (1347), gender roles
<u>The Sword in the Stone,</u> T.H. White	Z	Medieval times, fantasy, King Arthur, Merlin, wizards, knights, English folklore