

# Fourth Grade Book List

Fiction, Non-Fiction and Graphic Novels for children entering or in 4th grade.

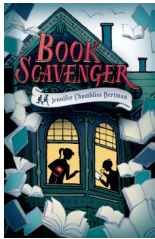


## The Last

by Katherine Applegate

Believed to possess mythical powers as the youngest member of her doglike daime pack, Byx fears she has become the last of her species when her family is hunted to near-extinction, forcing her to band together with a ragtag group of animals

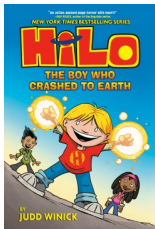
and humans who help put into motion events that could trigger war throughout their kingdom.



## Book Scavenger

by Jennifer Chambliss Bertman

Delightedly moving to San Francisco, 12-year-old Emily longs to meet a favorite author who lives nearby and who is savagely attacked just before the release of his latest online puzzle series. A first novel.



## Hilo: The Boy Who Crashed to Earth

by Judd Winick

When a mysterious boy from outer space crash lands on the Earth with no memory of his identity, D.J. and his friend Gina help the boy try to unlock the secrets of his past.



## Greenglass House

by Kate Milford

At Greenglass House, a smuggler's inn, 12-year-old Milo, the innkeepers' adopted son, plans to spend his winter holidays relaxing, but soon guests begin arriving with strange stories about the house, sending Milo and Meddy, the cook's

daughter, on an adventure.

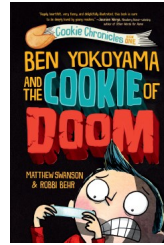


## Bee Fearless: Dream Like a Kid

by Mikaila Ulmer

Sharing practical advice for how to be a force for positive change, the 15-year-old lemonade entrepreneur and one of TIME Magazine's Top 30 Most Influential Teens describes how two bee stings and her grandmother's recipe for flaxseed

lemonade inspired her work as a conservation activist and business owner.



## Ben Yokoyama and the Cookie of Doom

by Matthew Swanson

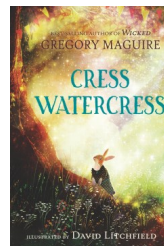
Simultaneously alarmed and inspired by a fortune-cookie fortune that advises him to live every day as if it were his last, literal-minded Ben tackles a bucket list of unfinished tasks that get him in and out of trouble before his parents realize what is going on.



## The Wild Robot

by Peter Brown

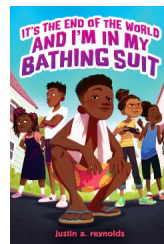
Roz the robot discovers that she is alone on a remote, wild island with no memory of where she is from or why she is there, and her only hope of survival is to try to learn about her new environment from the island's hostile inhabitants.



## Cress Watercress

by Gregory Maguire

Moving with her family to a basement unit of a rundown apartment oak when Papa doesn't come home one night, Cress wonders if a dead tree full of annoying neighbors, and no Papa, will ever be a place to call home.



## It's the End of the World and I'm In My Bathing Suit

by Justin A. Reynolds

When the electricity goes out, twelve-year-old Eddie and his friends set out to investigate what is going on when they make the startling discovery that they are the only ones left in their neighborhood--and perhaps the only people left anywhere.

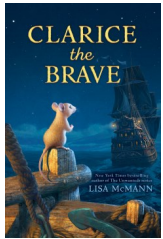


## Gold Rush Girl

by Avi

Finding freedom and friendship in 1848 San Francisco while her father searches for gold, Tory embarks on a mud-caked search for her kidnapped brother throughout San Francisco Bay's treacherous Rotten Row area and its hundreds of abandoned ships.

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## Clarice the Brave

by Lisa McMann

Separated at sea, mouse siblings Clarice and Charles Sebastian, who were taught to be careful, must now need to be bold if they are to survive—and keep their promise to find one another again.

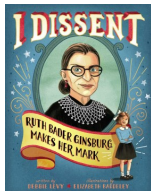


## Her Right Foot

by Dave Eggers

The author of *This Bridge Will Not Be Gray* shares engaging historical facts about America's emblematic Statue of Liberty, revealing how the story of the Statue's right foot has become powerfully representative of the country's foundations upon the principles of acceptance and diversity.

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## I Dissent : Ruth Bader Ginsburg Makes Her Mark

by Debbie Levy

A picture book portrait of the celebrated Supreme Court justice traces her achievements through the lens of her many famous acts of civil disagreement against inequality, unfair treatment and human rights injustice.



## Karma Moon, Ghost Hunter

by Melissa Savage

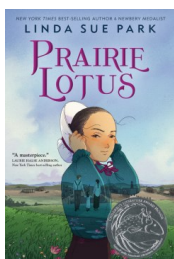
While in a haunted Colorado hotel for her father's ghost-hunting television series, Karma Moon must battle her anxiety, interpret the signs of the universe, and get footage of a real ghost—you know, the usual.



## Me, Frida, and the Secret of the Peacock Ring

by Angela Cervantes

When Lizzie and Gael share an irresistible challenge, to find the peacock ring that once belonged to artist Frida Kahlo, Paloma decides it is the perfect way to honor her father.



## Prairie Lotus

by Linda Sue Park

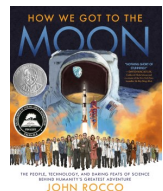
A young half-Asian girl arriving in 1880s America struggles to adjust to new surroundings while navigating the almost unanimous prejudice of the townspeople in her heartland community.



## Pizza! A Slice of History

by Greg Pizzoli

Bursting with color, flavor and fun facts, this delightful—and delicious—history of pizza takes readers through time and around the globe to serve up the real story of the world's favorite food.



## How We Got to the Moon: The People, Technology, and Daring Feats of Science Behind Humanity's Greatest Adventure

by John Rocco

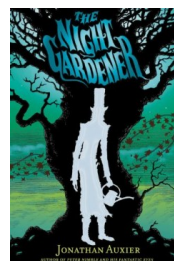
This beautifully illustrated, oversized guide to the people and technology of the moon landing by award-winning author/illustrator John Rocco is a must-have for space fans, classrooms, and tech geeks.



## I Survived the Sinking of the Titanic, 1912

by Georgia Ball

A high-action graphic novel adaptation of the best-selling series debut finds a 10-year-old boy and his younger sister eagerly exploring the Titanic before an accident changes their lives forever.



## The Night Gardener

by Jonathan Auxier

Irish orphans Molly, fourteen, and Kip, ten, travel to England to work as servants in a crumbling manor house where nothing is quite what it seems to be, and soon the siblings are confronted by a mysterious stranger and secrets of the cursed house



## Real Friends

by Shannon Hale

The Newbery Honor-winning author of *Princess Academy* traces the roller-coaster challenges of first friendships as demonstrated by her own experiences from kindergarten through fifth grade, years marked by cliques, bullies and her efforts to gain popularity.



## Ways to Make Sunshine

by Renée Watson

The Hart family of Portland, Oregon, faces many setbacks after Ryan's father loses his job, but no matter what, Ryan tries to bring sunshine to her loved ones.