

**Middle School
Suggested
Reading
7th Grade 2009**



The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy
Douglas Adams

The Black Cauldron
Lloyd Alexander

Do you Remember the Color Blue? : And Other Questions Kids Ask about Blindness
Sally Alexander

Kit's Wilderness
David Almond

Skellig
David Almond

Shipwreck at the Bottom of the World: The Extraordinary True story of Shackleton and the Endurance
Jennifer Armstrong

Sylvia Earle: Guardian of the Sea
Beth Baker

Exploring the Titanic
Robert Ballard

Peter Pan
J.M. Barrie

The Lost Years of Merlin
T.A. Barron

The Mummy, the Will, and the Crypt
John Bellairs

The Folk Keeper
Franny Billingsley

The King's Chessboard
David Birch

The Shakespeare Stealer
Gary L. Blackwood

Tiger Eyes
Judy Blume

Diana, Princess of Wales
Kristine Brennan

Queenie Peavy
Robert Burch

The I Hate Mathematics! Book
Marilyn Burns

Ender's Game
Orson Scott Card

The White Mountains
John Christopher

Crazy Lady!
Jane Leslie Conly

Trout Summer
Jane Leslie Conly

Driver's Ed
Caroline B. Cooney

The Face on the Milk Carton
Caroline B. Cooney

Flight #116 is Down!
Caroline B. Cooney

The Dark is Rising
Susan Cooper

Jurassic Park
Michael Crichton

Catherine, Called Birdy
Karen Cushman

The Midwife's Apprentice
Karen Cushman

The Divorce Express
Paula Danziger

Bodies from the Bog
James M. Deem

The Twisted Window
Lois Duncan

Dive! : My Adventures in the Deep Frontier
Sylvia Earle

Francie
Karen English

The House of the Scorpion
Nancy Farmer

Zlata's Diary: A Child's Life in Sarajevo
Zlata Filipovic

Flour Babies
Anne Fine

Helen Keller: Lighting the Way for the Blind and Deaf
Carin Ford

How Monkeys Make Chocolate: Foods and Medicines from the Rainforest
Adrian Forsyth

Monkey Island
Paula Fox

Mohandas Gandhi
Mary Furbee

Gary Paulsen: Author and Wilderness Adventurer
Ann Gaines

Fascinating Fibonacci
Trudi Garland

Waiting for the Rain
Sheila Gordon

The Wind in the Willows
Kenneth Grahame

The Man Behind the Magic: The Story of Walt Disney
Katherine Greene

The Captive
Joyce Hansen

Cromwell's Boy
Erik Christian Haugaard

The Samurai's Tale
Erik Christian Haugaard

Letters from Rifka
Karen Hesse

Out of the Dust
Karen Hesse

Our Only May Amelia
Jennifer L. Holm

Slake's Limbo
Felice Holman

When Zachary Beaver Came to Town
Kimberly Willis Holt

Stormbreaker
Anthony Horowitz

Yes, We Have Bananas: Fruits from Shrubs & Vines
Meredith Hughes

A Time for Dancing
Davida Hurwin

The Bone Detectives: How Forensic Anthropologists Solve Crimes and Uncover Mysteries of the Dead
Donna Jackson

Mossflower
Brian Jacques

The Place My Words are looking for: What Poets Say About and Through Their Work
Paul Janeczko, ed.

The Circuit: Stories from the Life of a Migrant Child
Francisco Jimenez

Small Steps: The Year I Got Polio
Peg Kehret

Sweet and Sour: Tales from China
Carol Kendall

Dinky Hocker Shoots Smack!
M.E. Kerr

California Blue
David Klass

Silent to the Bone
E. L. Konigsburg

The Most Beautiful Roof in the World: Exploring the Rainforest Canopy
Kathryn Lasky

A Swiftly Tilting Planet
Madeline L'Engle

A Wizard of Earthsea
Ursula K. Le Guin

Life Connections: Pioneers in Ecology
Linda Leuzzi

Castle
David Macaulay

Cathedral
David Macaulay

Math Mini-Mysteries
Sandra Markle

Silver
Norma Fox Mazer

The Kite Rider
Geraldine McCaughrean

The Pirate's Son
Geraldine McCaughrean

The Moorchild
Eloise McGraw

Beauty: A Retelling of the Story of Beauty & the Beast
Robin McKinley

The Pushcart War
Jean Merrill

Scorpions
Walter Dean Myers

Alice in Rapture, Sort Of
Phyllis Reynolds Naylor

The Kidnapping of Christina Lattimore
Joan Lowery Nixon

Rascal
Sterling North

Alexandra
Scott O'Dell

Silverwing
Kenneth Oppel
More Joy of Mathematics: Exploring Mathematics All Around You
Theoni Pappas

A Single Shard
Linda Sue Park

Brian's Winter
Gary Paulsen

Hatchet
Gary Paulsen

My Life in Dog Years
Gary Paulsen

The River
Gary Paulsen

A Day No Pigs Would Die
Robert Newton Peck

Revenge of the Whale
Nat Philbrick

The Merry Adventures of Robin Hood
Howard Pyle

The Only Alien on the Planet
Kristen Randle

The Yearling
Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings

Where the Red Fern Grows
Wilson Rawls

Cal Ripken, Jr.: My Story
Cal Ripken, Jr.

Shelterwood
Susan Hand Shetterly

Knots in my Yo-Yo String: The Autobiography of a Kid
Jerry Spinelli

Leonardo da Vinci
Diane Stanley

Treasure Island
Robert Louis Stevenson

The Trouble with Tuck
Theodore Taylor

Dicey's Song
Cynthia Voigt

Daddy-Long-Legs
Jean Webster

Belle Prater's Boy
Ruth White