



# Library Media Services

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## AWARDS AND LISTS

The ALA website (<http://www.ala.org/alsc/awards.html>) is a good source for the following:

### AWARDS:

Among those included are:

John Newbery Medal  
Randolph Caldecott Medal  
Laura Ingalls Wilder Medal  
Andrew Carnegie Medal  
Coretta Scott King Award  
Mildred Batchelder Award  
Michael L. Printz Award  
Pura Belpre Award

### CHILDREN'S NOTABLES:

(Lists are archived back through 1996)

Notable Children's Books  
Notable Children's Recordings  
Notable Children's Computer Software  
Notable Children's Videos  
Notable Children's Websites

The Children's Book Council website (<http://www.cbcbooks.org>) is a rich source of information on children's books.

The following periodicals/websites are good sources for additional lists:

**Booklist**—March 15<sup>th</sup> issue  
or  
<http://www.ala.org/alsc/awards.html>

Best Books for Young Adults  
Notable Children's Books  
Notable Children's Media  
Quick Picks for Reluctant Young Adult Readers  
Selected Media for Young Adults

**Bulletin of the Center for Children's Books**--  
January issue

Bulletin Blue Ribbons—best books reviewed during  
previous year

**Horn Book**—January/February issue

Horn Book Honor List--selected from the books of the  
previous year in Picture Books, Fiction, Folklore, Poetry,  
Nonfiction, Toy and Movable Books

**Journal of Adolescent and Adult Literacy**—November issue  
or  
<http://www.reading.org> (click on Choices Booklists)

Young Adults' Choices--A list of 30 books which have had positive reviews from recognized sources and voted on by students

**Language Arts**—March issue

Notable Children's Books in the Language Arts (includes Outstanding Nonfiction Choices)

**Reading Teacher**—October issue  
or  
<http://www.cbcbooks.org> (click on Publications and Bibliographies)  
or  
<http://www.reading.org> (click on Choices Booklists)

Children's Choices—a *bibliographic* list of the year's most popular books selected by 10,000 children nationwide, compiled and issued by International Reading Association and Children's Book Council. *Annotated list* appears in the magazine issue.

**Reading Teacher**—November issue  
or  
<http://www.reading.org> (Click on Choices Booklists)

Teachers' Choices—a list of approximately 30 books rated by teams of teachers, librarians, and reading specialists as outstanding for curriculum use. *Annotated list* appears in the magazine issue.

**School Library Journal**—December issue  
or  
<http://www.slj.com> (Click on Best Books)

Best Books of the Year  
Also, ALA's Book Picks of the year, including  
Notable Children's Books  
Best Books for Young Adults  
Quick Picks for Reluctant Young Adult Readers  
Popular Paperbacks for Young Adults

**Science and Children**—March issue  
or  
<http://www.nsta.org/resources> (Button for list is on right side of screen)  
or  
<http://www.cbcbooks.org/> (click on Publications and Bibliographies)

Outstanding Science Trade Books for Children K-12  
On NSTA website, lists are archived through 1996.

**Science Books and Films**—Jan/Feb issue  
or  
<http://www.SBFonline.com/bestlists.html>

Best Books for Children  
Best Books for Jr. High and High School Readers  
Best AV Materials  
Best Films  
Best Software

**Social Education**—May/June issue  
or  
<http://www.socialstudies.org/resources/notable>  
or  
<http://www.cbcbooks> (Click on Publications and  
Bibliographies)

Notable Social Studies Trade Books for Young People K-8  
On website lists are archived back through 1998.

### **READING PROMOTION LINKS SPECIFICALLY FOR TEENS**

The ALA website is basic: <http://www.ala.org/yalsa/>

#### **For Students**

Reading Rants <http://tln.lib.mi.us/~amutch/jen/lists.htm>

Teens Only from the Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh <http://www.carnegielibrary.org/teens/read/index.html>

New York Library Teen Link <http://www2.nypl.org/home/branch/teen/>

Teen Series—a web site that lists titles and order for teen series books <http://www.bettendorflibrary.com/teen/series.htm>

Book a Minute (just for fun) <http://rinkworks.com/bookaminute>

#### **For Teachers and Librarians**

Virtual YA Index (Public Libraries with Young Adults Web Pages) <http://yahelp.suffolk.lib.ny.us/virtual.html>

Middle School Girls Reading List <http://www.utexas.edu/depts/wstudies/publications/msrl/index.html>

Books Recommended for 7<sup>th</sup> Graders <http://www.carolhurst.com/titles/7th.html>

Books Recommended for 8<sup>th</sup> Graders <http://www.carolhurst.com/titles/8th.html>

Books Recommended for 9<sup>th</sup> Graders <http://www.carolhurst.com/titles/9th.html>

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