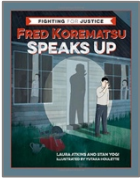


2018-2019 Georgia Children's Book (Gr. 4-8) Award Nominees

Grade level categories are recommendations and may assist with Helen Ruffin Reading Bowl purposes. There are ten books per grade level category. However, youth are welcome to read across BOTH lists for voting.

Grades 4-5



Akins, Laura. (2017). *Fred Korematsu Speaks Up* (Illus. Yutaka Houlette). Berkeley, CA: Heyday.

Lexile (not available)



Brown, Jennifer. (2015). *How Lunchbox Jones Saved Me from Robots, Traitors, and Missy the Cruel*. New York, NY: Bloomsbury.

Lexile = 750L



Edge, Christopher. (2016). *The Many Worlds of Albie Bright*. New York, NY: Delacorte.

Lexile = 960L



Helget, Nicole. (2017). *The End of the Wild*. New York, NY: Little, Brown Books for Young Readers.

Lexile (not available)



Hicks, Deron R. (2017). *The Van Gogh Deception*. New York, NY: Houghton Mifflin Harcourt.

Lexile = 750L



Johnson, Jaleigh. (2017). *The Quest to the Uncharted Lands*. New York, NY: Delacorte.

Lexile = 830L



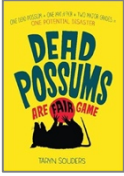
McGhee, Holly M. (2017). *Matylda, Bright and Tender*. Somerville, MA: Candlewick.

Lexile (not available)



O'Donnell Tubb, Kristin. (2017). *A Dog Like Daisy*. New York, NY: Katherine Tegen Books.

Lexile = 550L



Souder, Taryn. (2015). *Dead Possums are Fair Game*. New York, NY: Sky Pony Press.
Lexile = 770L

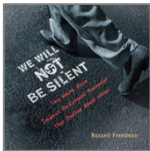


Torres, Jennifer. (2017). *Stef Soto, Taco Queen*. New York, NY: Little, Brown Books for Young Readers.
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Grades 6-8



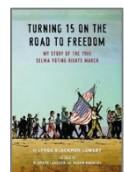
Cartaya, Pablo. (2017). *The Epic Fail of Arturo Zamora*. New York, NY: Viking.
Lexile = 750L



Freedman, Russell. (2016). *We Will Not Be Silent: The White Rose Student Resistance Movement that Defied Adolf Hitler*. New York, NY: Clarion.
Lexile = 630L



Gratz, Alan. (2017). *Refugee*. New York, NY: Scholastic.
Lexile = 800L



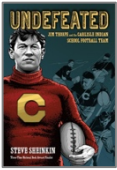
Lowery, Lynda Blackmon, Leacock, Elspeth, & Buckley, Susan. (2015). *Turning 15 on the Road to Freedom: My Story of the 1965 Selma Voting Rights March* (Illus. P.J. Loughran). New York, NY: Speak.
Lexile = 780L



Markell, Denis. (2016). *Click Here to Start*. New York, NY: Delacorte.
Lexile = 670L



Reynolds, Jason. (2016). *Ghost*. New York, NY: Simon & Schuster.
Lexile = 730L



Sheinkin, Steve. (2017). *Undeclared: Jim Thorpe and the Carlisle Indian School Football Team*. New York, NY: Roaring Brook Press.

Lexile = 980L



Smith, Ronald. (2015). *Hoodoo*. New York, NY: Houghton Mifflin Harcourt.

Lexile = 600L



Standish, Ali. (2017). *The Ethan I Was Before*. New York, NY: HarperCollins.

Lexile = 730L



Wientge, Kristi. (2017). *Karma Khullar's Mustache*. New York, NY: Simon & Schuster.

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