What’s New in Children’s Literature - 2016

Children’s Literature Update 2016
An Infopeople Webinar

Thursday, April 14, 2016
12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m.

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Agenda

- New Board, Picture Books, and Easy Readers
- New Transitional Fiction, Poetry, and Graphic Novels
- Nonfiction and Common Core
- Tween Genre Fiction
- Multicultural books, Pop culture
- Useful Websites

Handouts

- Books covered in the webinar
- Books for classroom use, relating to the Common Core – pairings of nonfiction and fiction
- Websites listing children’s books, including new books, awards, graphic novels, Common Core-related nonfiction, multicultural books, and read-alikes

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New Board Books

New Interactive Books

New Picture Books

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New Picture Books

New Easy Readers

More New Easy Readers

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In Our Next Section

- New transitional chapter books
- New graphic novels
- New poetry
- New nonfiction

Transitional Fiction - Definition

- Easy Chapter Books
- Bridge or Moving Up Books
- 2nd and 3rd grades
- Series fiction
- Sometimes with ink drawings once or twice in each chapter

Easy Transitional Chapter Books

Claude

My Life in Pictures

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New Transitional Fiction

More New Transitional Fiction

New Poetry for Children

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New Graphic Novels for Kids

More New Graphic Novels

New Nonfiction

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More New Nonfiction

Common Core

Nonfiction and Fiction Pairings

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Any favorites I missed you would like to mention?

Tween Genre Fiction

- Genres include:
  - Fantasy
  - Historical Fiction
  - Sports novel
  - Humorous novel
  - Science Fiction
  - Mystery
  - Adventure

- For grades 4 – 8
- Ages 9-12
- Independent, confident readers

Fantasy

- KAREN CUSHMAN
  - Grayling's Song
- NIKKI GRIMES
  - The Secret of Dread Willow

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### Historical Fiction

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<td><em>Sweet Home Alaska</em></td>
<td><em>Carla Evert Fogel</em></td>
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<td><em>Raymie Nightingale</em></td>
<td><em>Kate DiCamillo</em></td>
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### Humor

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<td><em>Tim Armstrong</em></td>
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<td><em>The Bolds</em></td>
<td><em>Julian Clay</em></td>
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### Adventure

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Mystery

- Secrets of the Seven by Sarah L. Thomson
- Friday Barnes: Girl Detective by T. A. Barron

Realistic/Contemporary

- The Enchanted Hour by G. A. Aiken
- All Rise for Honorale Perry T. Cook by Les Idle Connor

Science Fiction

- The Wild Robot by Peter Brown
- How to Capture an Invisible Cat by Paul Tobin
Any new favorites I missed?

Multicultural Books for Younger Children

Multicultural Books for Older Children

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More Multicultural Novels

Multicultural Nonfiction

Websites on Multicultural Children’s Books

- ALA White Paper
  www.ala.org/alsc/importance-diversity
- We Need Diverse Books
  wenediversebooks.org/
- Lee and Low Books
  http://blog.leeandlow.com/2014/03/21/where-can-i-find-great-diverse-childrens-books/
- CCBC’s List of Multicultural Resources
  ccbc.education.wisc.edu/books/multicultural.asp
Pop Culture-related Books

New Films Based on Books

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Fall Films Based on Books

Finding What’s New for Children

- No Flying, No Tights for graphic novels
  noflyingnotights.com/?cat=11
- Best-seller’s lists: Publishers’ Weekly
  www.publishersweekly.com/pw/nielsen/index.html
- ALA/ALSC Book Awards (Newbery, etc.)
  www.ala.org/alsc/awardsgrants/bookmedia
- Free webinars from Infopeople, and from Booklist magazine

Finding Read-alikes

- “What book did you read recently that you liked?”
  – then find something similar
- A book in the same genre
- A book by that author or from that series
- Try the websites on handout for Read-alikes sites, including www.bayviews.org
Read-alike Resources

- ACL Bayviews Read-alikes
  http://www.bayviews.org/readalikes.html
- Novelist K-8 – a paid database
  https://www.ebscohost.com/novelist/our-products/novelist-k8
- Children’s Series Books
  www.mymcpl.org/books-movies-music/juvenile-series
- Goodreads, LibraryThing, Shelfari

Time for Questions

Thank You!

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