THE FABULOUS
SUMMER READING LIST!!!

SOME FAVORITE BOOKS FROM
THE LOWER SCHOOL LIBRARY
Summer 2021

This was a challenging year, but we still read a ton of amazing books! This list includes some of our favorite shared stories from this year and lots of other fabulous books for you to explore!

And as always, if you read anything especially awesome, let us know! E-mail the librarians at ls.library@saintannsny.org. We would be thrilled to hear from you!

Love,
Rebecca and Nan
Stupendous Picture Books

The Patchwork Bike by Maxine Beneba Clarke
The Day You Begin by Jacqueline Woodson
Pokko and the Drum by Matthew Forsythe
‘Ohana Means Family by Ilima Loomis
Julián at the Wedding by Jessica Love
Pride Puppy by Robin Stevenson
Jabari Tries by Gaia Cornwall
Camp Tiger by Susan Choi
Quackers by Liz Wong
Oona by Kelly DiPucchio
The Field by Baptiste Paul
Drawn Together by Minh Lê
Hooray for Books! by Brian Won
Sugar in Milk by Thrity Umrigar
The Turtle Ship by Helena Ku Rhee
If You Plant a Seed by Kadir Nelson
Lubna and Pebble by Wendy Maddour
Bubbles...Up! by Jacqueline Davies
Home is in Between by Mitali Perkins
Our Subway Baby by Peter Mercurio
The Book of Mistakes by Corinna Luyken
The Thing about Bees by Shabazz Larkin
Salma the Syrian Chef by Danny Ramadan
Ten Ways to Hear Snow by Cathy Camper
Brick by Brick by Heidi Woodward Sheffield
La Princesa and the Pea by Susan Middleton Elya
¡Vamos! Let’s Go to the Market by Raul the Third
Magnificent Homespun Brown by Samara Cole Doyon
Madeline Finn and the Therapy Dog by Lisa Papp
The Many Colors of Harpreet Singh by Supriya Kelkar
Zonia’s Rain Forest/Antamishite Zonia by Juana Martinez-Neal
We are Water Protectors by Carole Lindstrom (*2021 Caldecott winner*)
No Reading Allowed: The WORST Read-Aloud Book Ever by Raj Halder
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We studied these amazing authors!

Grace Lin:
- A Big Mooncake for Little Star
- The Seven Chinese Sisters
- A Big Bed for Little Snow
- The Ugly Vegetables
- Lissy’s Friends

Chris Haughton:
- Oh No, George!
- Don’t Worry, Little Crab
- Shh! We Have a Plan!
- Little Owl Lost
- Goodnight Everyone

Jerdine Nolen:
- Raising Dragons
- Thunder Rose
- Plantzilla
- Hewitt Anderson’s Great Big Life
- Harvey Potter’s Balloon Farm

Jan Thomas:
- A Birthday for Cow
- The Easter Bunny’s Assistant
- Rhyming Dust Bunnies
- Can You Make A Scary Face?
- Here Comes the Big Mean Dust Bunny
- The Chicken Who Couldn’t
- Is That Wise, Pig?
- The Doghouse
- Is Everyone Ready for Fun?
- My Friends Make Me Happy!
- There’s a Pest in the Garden!
- Pumpkin Trouble
- My Toothbrush is Missing!
- What Will Fat Cat Sit On?
- What is Chasing Duck?

Joseph and James Bruchac:
- How Chipmunk Got His Stripes
- Raccoon’s Last Race
- Turtle’s Race with Beaver
- Rabbit’s Snow Dance
- Buffalo Song
- The Powwow Thief

Deborah Freeman:
- Carl and the Meaning of Life
- Shy
- The Story of Fish and Snail
- By Mouse and Frog
- Is Was
- Blue Chicken

Bob Staake:
- The Donut Chef
- Beachy and Me
- The Red Lemon
- The First Pup
- Me and My Pet Book
- Can You See Me?
- Look! A Book!
- Bluebird
- The Book of Gold

Bonny Becker:
- A Visitor for Bear
- A Birthday for Bear
- A Bedtime for Bear
- The Sniffles for Bear
- A Christmas for Bear
- A Library Book for Bear
We read about holidays!

Here are just a few of the books we read! If you want to hear more, visit the holiday videos at the Lower School Library Online!

Goodbye Summer, Hello Autumn by Kenard Pak (First Day of Fall)
When the Shadbush Blooms by Carla Messinger (Indigenous People’s Day)
P is for Poppadoms by Kabir & Surishtha Sehgal (Diwali)
Squanto’s Journey by Joseph Bruchac (Thanksgiving History)
Duck for Turkey Day by Jacqueline Jules (Thanksgiving Food)
Queen of the Hanukkah Dosas by Pamela Ehrenberg (Hanukkah)
Goodbye Autumn, Hello Winter by Kenard Pak (First Day of Winter)
The Shortest Day by Susan Cooper (Winter Solstice)
Between Us and Abuela: a Family Story from the Border by Mitali Perkins (Christmas)
Seven Spools of Thread by Angela Shelf Medearis (Kwanzaa)
Every Month is a New Year by Marilyn Singer (New Year)
Bringing in the New Year by Grace Lin (Lunar New Year)
Be a King: Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.’s Dream and You by Carole Boston Weatherford (MLK Day)
Goodbye Winter, Hello Spring by Kenard Pak (First Day of Spring)
When Spring Comes to the DMZ by Uk-Bae Lee (First Day of Spring)
Welcoming Elijah by Lesléa Newman (Passover)
Chicken Sunday by Patricia Polacco (Easter)
Festival of Colors by Kabir & Surishtha Sehgal (Holi)
If You Come to Earth by Sophie Blackall (Earth Day)
We Planted a Tree by Diane Muldrow (Arbor Day)
Eid Breakfast at Abuela’s by Mariam Saad (Ramadan/Eid al Fitr)
Cinco de Mouse-o by Judy Cox (Cinco de Mayo)
Blackout by John Rocco (End of School/Summer Vacation)
All Different Now by Angela Johnson (Juneteenth)
We Voted!

This spring the first and second graders listened to and reviewed the four semifinalists for the 2021 Irma Black award for an outstanding read-aloud picture book, and were proud to have their votes counted in the national tally. The nominees were:

- **Cat Dog Dog** by Nelly Buchet (the winner!)
- **Bread for Words: a Frederick Douglass story** by Shana Keller
- **Nana Akua Goes to School** by Tricia Elam Walker
- **Your Name is a Song** by Jamilah Thompkins-Bigelow

More Irma Black Award Fun!

Enjoy these nominees and winners from previous years!

2020:
- **The Crayon Man** by Natascha Biebow (the winner!)
- **The Most Terrible of All** by Muon Thi Van
- **Rocket Says Look Up!** by Nathan Bryon
- **Hair Love** by Matthew A. Cherry

2019:
- **We Don’t Eat Our Classmates** by Ryan T. Higgins (the winner!)
- **Sun! One in a Billion** by Stacy McAnulty
- **Stumpkin** by Lucy Ruth Cummins
- **The Wall in the Middle of the Book** by Jon Agee

2018:
- **7 Ate 9** by Tara Lazar (the winner!)
- **After the Fall** by Dan Santat
- **Sparkle Boy** by Lesléa Newman
- **How the Cookie Crumbled** by Gilbert Ford
Want to Read More Stories Like the Irma Black Books?

Did Bread for Words inspire you? Here are more stories (many based on true events) about the power of learning to read:

Words Set Me Free: the Story of Young Frederick Douglass by Lesa Cline-Ransome
Schomburg: the Man Who Built a Library by Carole Boston Weatherford
Richard Wright and the Library Card by William Miller
Light in the Darkness by Lesa Cline-Ransome
Amadi’s Snowman by Katia Saint-Lot
Yasmin’s Hammer by Ann Malaspina
Ron’s Big Mission by Rose Blue
Grandmama’s Pride by Becky Birtha
Walking for Water by Susan Hughes
Thank You, Mr. Falker by Patricia Polacco
The Oldest Student: How Mary Walker Learned to Read by Rita Hubbard

Here are more stories like Cat Dog Dog, where characters learn to be friends:
The Friendship by Kat Yeh
Yes and No by Elisha Cooper
Good Rosie by Kate DiCamillo
Excellent Ed by Stacy McAnulty
Hondo and Fabian by Peter McCarty
Some Cat! and Some Dog! by Mary Casanova
We Are (Not) Friends and others by Anna Kang
Mr. Pusskins and Little Whiskers by Sam Lloyd
Tarra and Bella by Carol Buckley
Natumi Takes the Lead by Gerry Ellis
Strictly No Elephants by Lisa Mantchev
The Girl and the Wolf by Katherena Vermette
Penguin and Pinecone and others by Salina Yoon
Best Friends in the Universe by Stephanie Watson
Owen and Mzee and others by Isabella Hatkoff et al.
Did you love *Nana Akua Goes to School*? Here are some more wonderful stories about grandparents and older friends:

- *Grandma’s Records* and *Grandma’s Gift* by Eric Velasquez
- *The Ocean Calls: A Hanyeo Mermaid Story* by Tina Cho
- *I Love Saturdays y Domingos* by Alma Flor Ada
- *Where Are You From?* by Yamile Saied Méndez
- *Sweet, Sweet Memory* by Jacqueline Woodson
- *A Map into the World* by Kao Kalia Yang
- *Mr. Posey’s New Glasses* by Ted Kooser
- *The Powwow Thief* by Joseph Bruchac
- *A Day with Yayah* by Nicola Campbell
- *This is Our House* by Hyewon Yum
- *Memory Jars* by Vera Brosgol
- *My Singing Nana* by Pat Mora
- *Free* by Sam Usher

Did your *Name is a Song* sing for you? Here are more glorious stories about embracing what makes us individual and special:

- *The Name Jar* by Yangsook Choi
- *Laxmi’s Mooch* by Shelly Anand
- *Watercress* by Andrea Wang
- *Be You! By Peter H. Reynolds
- *I’m a Girl!* by Yasmin Ismail
- *Hope* by Isabell Monk
- *Thunder Boy Jr.* by Sherman Alexie
- *This Story Is For You* by Greg Pizzoli
- *Eyes that Kiss at the Corners* by Joanna Ho
- *Crown: An Ode to the Fresh Cut* by Derrick Barnes
- *Same, Same but Different* by Jenny Sue Kostecki-Shaw
- *Skin Like Mine* and *Hair Like Mine* by LaTashia Perry
- *Alma and How She Got Her Name* by Juana Martinez-Neal
Excellent I-Can-Read Books

* indicates great books for beginning readers

*Elephant and Piggie series by Mo Willems
*A Night at the Zoo and others in the I Like to Read series
*Fox the Tiger series by Corey Tabor
*Hi, Jack! and other Jack books by Mac Barnett and Greg Pizzoli
*Ty’s Travels series by Kelly Starling Lyons
*It’s Shoe Time! by Bryan Collier
*See the Cat by David LaRochelle
*I’m On It! by Andrea Tsurumi
*Andy & Sandy series by Tomie dePaola
*Big Dog and Little Dog series by Dav Pilkey
*Gossie and Gertie and others by Olivier Dunrea
*Read and Play: Big Animals and others by Jim Pipe
  A Pig, a Fox, and Stinky Socks and others by Jonathan Fenske
  Follow That Map, The Garden, The Protest
      and others in the Confetti Kids series by various authors
  Attack of the 50-Foot Fly Guy and others by Tedd Arnold
  Duck, Duck, Porcupine series by Salina Yoon
  Pup and Hound series by Susan Hood
  Noodleheads series by Tedd Arnold
  Buzz Beaker series by Cari Meister
  Snail and Worm series by Tina Kugler
  Clark the Shark series by Bruce Hale
  Goose and Duck by Jean Craighead George
  Urgency Emergency! series by Dosh Archer
  Pass the Ball, Mo! and others by David A. Adler
  Spark and others in the Tiny Tales series by Kallie George
  Pig and Goose and the First Day of Spring by Rebecca Bond
  Baseball Buzz and other Sports Illustrated Kids Starting Line Readers
  Dinosaur Pets and other American Museum of Natural History readers
  A Trip to the Top of the Volcano with Mouse and other Toons titles by various authors
Super I-Can-Read Challenges

Baby Monkey, Private Eye by Brian Selznick and David Serlin
Tales of Bunjitsu Bunny series by John Himmelman
Bradford Street Buddies series by Jerdine Nolen
King and Kayla series by Dori Hillestad Butler
Houndsley and Catina series by James Howe
Arnold and Louweezie series by Erica Perl
Ana and Andrew series by Christine Platt
Mercy Watson series by Kate DiCamillo
Commander Toad series by Jane Yolen
Tiger vs. Nightmare by Emily Tetri
Dodsworth series by Tim Egan
Tashi series by Anna Fienberg
Boo's Dinosaur by Betsy Byars
Grin and Bear It by Leo Landry
Ling & Ting series by Grace Lin
Aggie and Ben series by Lori Ries
Rabbit & Robot series by Cece Bell
Meet Yasmin series by Saadia Faruqi
Johnny Boo series by James Kochalka
Murilla Gorilla series by Jennifer Lloyd
Doggo and Pupper by Katherine Applegate
Bramble and Maggie series by Jessie Haas
Charlie and Mouse series by Laurel Snyder
Katie Woo and Friends series by Fran Manushkin
The Princess in Black series by Shannon & Dean Hale
The High-Rise Private Eyes series by Cynthia Rylant
Bink and Gollie series by Kate DiCamillo and Alison McGhee
Scholastic True or False series by Melvin & Gilda Berger
Upstairs Mouse, Downstairs Mole series by Wong Herbert Yee
The Adventures of Allie and Amy series by Stephanie Calmenson and Joanna Cole
Intriguing Information Books

**Hero Dogs and others in the National Geographic Kids Chapters series**

**Awesome 8 series** from National Geographic Kids

**Redwoods, Coral Reefs, and others** by Jason Chin

**A Life Like Mine** and **Children Just Like Me** (DK)

**You Can Change the World: The Kids’ Guide to a Better Planet** by Lucy Bell

**Go for the Moon: A Rocket, a Boy, and the First Moon Landing** by Chris Gall

**Velociraptor and others in the Graphic Dinosaurs series** by various authors

**Manhattan: Mapping the Story of an Island** by Jennifer Thermes

**We Are Still Here** by Traci Sorell

**The ABCs of Black History** by Rio Cortez

**Navajo Code Talkers** by J. Patrick Lewis

**The 50 States** by Gabrielle Balkan

**The Hello Atlas** by Ben Handicott

**Her Right Foot** by Dave Eggers

**Bloom Boom; Thank You, Earth; and others** by April Pulley Sayre

**The Atlas Obscura Explorer’s Guide for The World’s Most Adventurous Kid**

  by Dylan Thuras and Rosemary Mosco

**Titanosaur: Discovering the World’s Largest Dinosaur**

  by Dr. José Luis Carballido & Dr. Diego Pol

**Basher Science series** by Dan Green

**Big Ideas that Changed the World series** by Don Brown

**The House of a Million Pets** by Ann Hodgman

**History Smashers series** by Kate Messner

**We Are the Ship: The Story of Negro League Baseball**

  written and illustrated by Kadir Nelson

**Crossing on Time and anything else** by David Macaulay

**Lincoln: A Photobiography and anything else** by Russell Freedman

**Into the Unknown: How Great Explorers Found Their Way** by Stewart Ross

  * indicates longer and more challenging titles
We voted, too!
The third graders joined children across the country and participated in the vote for the 2021 Cook Prize, which is given to an outstanding picture book on a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) topic. The nominees were:

- **Your Place in the Universe** by Jason Chin (**the winner!**)
- **Honeybee: The Busy Life of Apis Mellifera** by Candace Fleming
- **If You Take Away the Otter** by Susannah Buhrman-Deever
- **Perkin’s Perfect Purple** by Tami Lewis Brown and Debbie Loren Dunn

**Explore STEM with the Cook Prize**
Try some of the other books that have been nominated for this award!

2020:
- **Mario and the Hole in the Sky** by Elizabeth Rusch (**the winner!**)
- **Hedy Lamarr’s Double Life** by Laurie Wallmark
- **Flower Talk** by Sara Levine
- **Secret Engineer** by Rachel Dougherty

2019:
- **Counting on Katherine** by Helaine Becker (**the winner!**)
- **If Polar Bears Disappeared** by Lily Williams
- **Nothing Stopped Sophie** by Cheryl Bardoe
- **Fossil** by Fossil by Sara Levine

2018:
- **Beauty and the Beak** by Deborah Lee Rose and Janie Veltkamp (**the winner!**)
- **Karl, Get Out of the Garden** by Anita Sanchez
- **The Hidden Life of a Toad** by Doug Wechsler
- **Grand Canyon** by Jason Chin

2017:
- **Journey** by Emma Bland Smith (**the winner!**)
- **Follow the Moon Home** by Philippe Cousteau and Deborah Hopkinson
- **Solving the Puzzle Under the Sea** by Robert Burleigh
- **Whoosh!** by Chris Barton
What Can I Read That’s Like the Cook Prize Nominees?

If Your Place in the Universe made you want to know more about the universe and the world around us, start here:

The Story of Life and The Story of Space by Catherine Barr and Steve Williams
If…a Mind-Bending New Way of Looking at Big Ideas and Numbers by David Smith
Sun! One in a Billion and others in the Our Universe series by Stacy McAnulty
How Did I Get Here? by Philip Bunting
The Wonders of Nature by Ben Hoare
The Mysteries of the Universe by Will Gater
If Pluto Was a Pea by Gabrielle Prendergast
Many: The Diversity of Life on Earth by Nicole Davies
Curiositree: Natural World and Human World by AJ Wood et al.
The Wondrous Workings of Planet Earth by Rachel Ignotofsky

If our look into the world of a Honeybee made you curious about the lives of other animals, take a look at these titles:

Creature Features: 25 Animals Explain Why They Look the Way They Do,
Actual Size, My First Day, The Animal Book,
and everything else by Steve Jenkins
Smart about Sharks, Crazy about Cats and others by Owen Davey
An Anthology of Intriguing Animals (DK)
10 Reasons to Love a Penguin and others by Catherine Barr
The Bat, The Fly, and others in the Disgusting Critters series by Elise Gravel
Eels, Moles, and others in The Superpower Field Guide series by Rachel Poliquin
Winter’s Tail and others by Juliana, Isabella, and Craig Hatkoff
The Hidden Life of a Toad by Doug Wechsler
High Tide for Horseshoe Crabs by Lisa Kahn Schnell
The Moose of Ewenki by Gerelchimeg Blackcrane
Did If You Take Away the Otter make you curious about interactions between animals and humans? Here are some other great titles:

If Elephants Disappeared and others by Lily Williams
The Blue Whale, The Polar Bear, The Elephant by Jenni Desmond
Almost Gone: the World’s Rarest Animals by Steve Jenkins
Sea Otter Inlet and Wolf Island by Celia Godkin
Chee-Lin: A Giraffe’s Journey by James Rumford
You Are Stardust by Elin Kelsey
Desert Elephants by Helen Cowcher
The Lion Queens of India by Jan Reynolds
Red Alert!: Endangered Animals Around the World by Catherine Barr
Sea Otter Rescue, Koala Hospital and others by Suzi Eszterhas
Over and Under the Snow and others by Kate Messner
The Mangrove Tree by Susan L. Roth and Cindy Trumbore

Did Perkin’s Perfect Purple make you want to read about other cool inventions and inventors? Have a look at these:

Pop! The Invention of Bubble Gum and Earmuffs for Everyone
    by Meghan McCarthy
The Marvelous Thing that Came from a Spring by Gilbert Ford
How the Cookie Crumbled by Gilbert Ford
Mr. Ferris and his Wheel by Kathryn Davis
Hoop Genius by John Coy
The Crayon Man by Natascha Biebow
The Day-Glo Brothers by Chris Barton
The Boy Who Invented TV by Kathleen Krull
Levi Strauss Gets a Bright Idea by Tony Johnston
Whoosh! Lonnie Johnson’s Super-Soaking Stream of Inventions by Chris Barton
Girls Think of Everything: Stories of Ingenious Inventions by Women
    by Catherine Thimmesh
Our country also voted!

Books about Those Elected to Serve

Joey: the Story of Joe Biden by Dr. Jill Biden
The Story of Joe Biden by Frank Berrios
Kamala Harris: Rooted in Justice by Nikki Grimes
The Story of Kamala Harris by Tonya Leslie
Superheroes are Everywhere by Kamala Harris
Elizabeth Warren: Nevertheless She Persisted by Susan Wood
What Do You Do With a Voice Like That? by Chris Barton
Sharice’s Big Voice: A Native Kid Becomes a Congresswoman by Sharice Davids
Rebel Girls Lead: 25 Tales of Powerful Women by Francesca Cavallo and Elena Favili
She Was the First! The Trailblazing Life of Shirley Chisholm by Katheryn Russell-Brown
Who Did It First? 50 Politicians, Activists, and Entrepreneurs by Leslie Jay

Books about the Importance of Voting and Voting Rights

V is for Voting by Kate Farrell
Vote for our Future by Margaret McNamara
I Voted: Making a Choice Makes a Difference by Mark Shulman
Equality’s Call: the Story of Voting Rights in America by Deborah Diesen
How Women Won the Vote by Susan Campbell Bartoletti
Lillian’s Right to Vote by Jonah Winter
Graddaddy’s Turn by Michael Bandy
Why Did We Do That?
Learn more about coronavirus, vaccines and why we quarantined

June Almeida, Virus Detective! The Woman who Discovered the First Human Coronavirus
by Suzanne Slade

Dr. Fauci: How a Boy from Brooklyn Became America’s Doctor by Kate Messner

Keeping the City Going by Brian Floca

Outside, Inside by LeUyen Pham

Share Your Rainbow: 18 Artists Draw Their Hope for the Future

Coronavirus: A Book for Children by Elizabeth Jenner et al.

A Little Spot Stays Home: A Story about Viruses and Safe Distancing
by Diane Alber

Tiny Creatures: The World of Microbes by Nicola Davies

Germs Make Me Sick by Melvin Berger

The Bacteria Book by Steve Mould

Understanding Viruses with Max Axiom, Super Scientist (Graphic Science) and
The Surprising World of Bacteria with Max Axiom, Super Scientist
by Agnieszka Biskup

It’s Catching: The Infectious World of Germs and Microbes by Jennifer Gardy

Louis Pasteur and Pasteurization (Graphic Library) by Jennifer Lee Fandel

Jonas Salk and the Polio Vaccine (Graphic Library) by Katherine Krohn

Plagues: The Microscopic Battlefield (Science Comics) by Falynn Koch
Books about Standing Up for What’s Right

Say Something! by Peter Reynolds
What Can a Citizen Do? by Dave Eggers
Peaceful Fights for Equal Rights by Rob Sanders
Freedom on the Menu by Carole Boston Weatherford
Be A King: Dr. Martin Luther King Jr’s Dream and You by Carole Boston Weatherford

Side by Side: The Story of Dolores Huerta and Cesar Chavez by Monica Brown
Young Water Protectors: A Story about Standing Rock by Kelly Tudor
Stonewall: A Building, an Uprising, a Revolution by Rob Sanders
Through My Eyes by Ruby Bridges
Let the Children March by Monica Clark-Robinson
Malala/Iqbal: Two Stories of Bravery by Jeanette Winter
Brave Girl: Clara and the Shirtwaist Strike of 1909 by Michelle Markel
Lift as You Climb: The Story of Ella Baker by Patricia Hruby Powell
Malcolm Little: The Boy Who Grew Up to be Malcolm X by Ilyasah Shabazz
Our House is on Fire: Greta Thunberg’s Call to Save the Planet by Jeanette Winter
Voice of Freedom: Fannie Lou Hamer, Spirit of the Civil Rights Movement by Carole Boston Weatherford

On Our Way to Oyster Bay: Mother Jones and the March for Children’s Rights by Monica Kulling

Separate is Never Equal: Sylvia Mendez and her Family’s Fight for Desegregation by Duncan Tonatiuh

Enough! 20 Protestors who Changed America by Emily Easton
Bold and Brave: Ten Heroes who Won Women the Right to Vote by Senator Kirsten Gillibrand

Kid Activists by Robin Stevenson
*I am Malala by Malala Yousafzai
*Voices of Justice: Poems about People Working for a Better World by G. E. Lyon
*Because They Marched, Freedom Walkers, and others by Russell Freedman
*March graphic novel series by John Lewis and Andrew Aydin
*We Rise, We Resist, We Raise Our Voices edited by Wade and Cheryl Hudson
Cool Biographies

**Picture Books**
The Boy Who Touched the Stars/El Niño Que Alcanzó Las Estrellas  
by José Hernández
It Began with a Page: How Gyo Fujikawa Drew the Way by Kyo Maclear
Fly High: The Story of Bessie Coleman by Louise Borden
Malala’s Magic Pencil by Malala Yousafzai
Fauja Singh Keeps Going by Simran Jeet Singh
William Still and His Freedom Stories by Don Tate
Nadia: The Girl Who Couldn’t Sit Still by Karlin Gray
Virginia Was a Spy by Catherine Urdahl & Gary Kelley
Hidden Figures: The True Story of Four Black Women and the Space Race  
by Margot Lee Shetterly with Winifred Conkling
The Girl with a Mind for Math: the Story of Raye Montague  
and others by Julia Finley Mosca
Grace Hopper, Queen of Computer Code by Laurie Wallmark
Digging for Words: José Alberto Gutiérrez and the Library He Built  
by Angela Burke Kunkel
We Wait for the Sun by Dovey Johnson Roundtree & Katie McCabe
Queen of Physics: How Wu Chien Shiung Helped Unlock the Secrets of the Atom  
By Teresa Robeson

**Longer Books and Collections**
Born Curious: 20 Girls Who Grew Up to Be Awesome Scientists by Martha Freeman
Little Leaders, Little Dreamers, and Little Legends by Vashti Harrison
Kid Artists, Kid Authors, Kid Athletes by David Stabler
Who Was/Is...? and What Is...? series by assorted authors
She Persisted chapter book series by various authors
Rad Women Worldwide by Kate Schatz
Women in Science by Rachel Ignotofsky
Rabble Rousers: 20 Women Who Made a Difference by Cheryl Harness
Shaking Things Up: 14 Young Women Who Changed the World by Susan Hood
Fantastic Shorter Chapter Books

Zapato Power series and Sofia Martinez series by Jacqueline Jules
Anna Hibiscus series and The No. 1 Car Spotter series by Atinuke
Sassy series and Clubhouse Mysteries series by Sharon Draper
Sarai and the Meaning of Awesome series by Sarai Gonzalez
Lucy’s Lab series by Michelle Houts, illustrated by Elizabeth Zechel
Lulu and the Duck in the Park and sequels by Hilary McKay
Sadiq and the Desert Star and others by Siman Nuurali
Definitely Dominguita series by Terry Catasus Jennings
Make Way for Dyamonde Daniel series by Nikki Grimes
Desmond Cole Ghost Patrol series by Andres Miedoso
Jasmine Toguchi series by Debbi Michiko Florence
The Questioneers series by Andrea Beaty
The Carver Chronicles by Karen English
The Bad Guys series by Aaron Blabey
Polly Diamond series by Alice Kuipers
Lola Levine series by Monica Brown
Data Set series by Ada Hopper
Mindy Kim series by Lyla Lee
City Kids series by Zetta Elliott
Mia Mayhem series by Kara West
Jada Jones series by Kelly Starling Lyons
Haunted Library series by Dori H. Butler
Jaden Toussaint series by Marti Dumas
Violet Mackerel series by Anna Branford
Book Uncle and Me by Uma Krishnaswami
My Happy Life series by Rose Lagercrantz
Frankie Sparks series by Megan Frazer Blakemore
Lulu and the Brontosaurus series by Judith Viorst
Magic in the Park and other magical stories by Ruth Chew
Witches of Benevento series by John Bemelmans Marciano
JoJo Makoons: The Used-to-Be Best Friend by Dawn Quigley
Wonderful Longer Chapter Books

Ana Maria Reyes Does NOT Live in a Castle by Hilda Eunice Burgos
The One and Only Ivan and sequel by Katherine Applegate
Eight Princesses and a Magic Mirror by Natasha Farrant
Dragons in a Bag and The Dragon Thief by Zetta Elliott
The Last Last-Day-of-Summer by Lamar Giles
Ghost Squad by Claribel A. Ortega
Seaglass Summer by Anjali Banerjee
Summer at Forsaken Lake by Michael Beil
A Boy Called Bat and sequel by Elana K. Arnold
The Year of Billy Miller and sequel by Kevin Henkes
Ways to Make Sunshine and sequel by Renée Watson
The Lottery's plus One and sequel by Emma Donoghue
Maybe Maybe Marisol Rainey by Erin Entrada Kelly
The Magic Half and Magic in the Mix by Annie Barrows
My Mixed-Up, Berry Blue Summer by Jennifer Gennari
Step Up to the Plate, Maria Singh by Uma Krishnaswami
Julieta and the Diamond Enigma by Luisana Duarte Armendáriz
*The List of Things That Will Not Change and others by Rebecca Stead
*The Garden of My Imaan and Child of Spring by Farhana Zia
*The Mighty Miss Malone and others by Christopher Paul Curtis
*A Clatter of Jars and Absolutely Almost by Lisa Graff
*Save Me a Seat by Sarah Weeks and Gita Varadarajan
*Dactyl Hill Squad and sequel by Daniel José Older
*The Other Side of My Heart by Sundee Frazier
*Don't Check Out This Book! by Kate Klise
*When You Trap a Tiger by Tae Keller
*Roll With It by Jamie Sumner
*Rain Reign by Ann M. Martin
*George and Rick by Alex Gino

* indicates more challenging titles
Fabulous Longer Chapter Book Series

The Willoughbys and The Willoughbys Return by Lois Lowry
The Vanderbeekers of 141st Street series by Karina Yan Glaser
The Year of the Book (the Anna Wang series) by Andrea Cheng
The 13 Story Treehouse and sequels by Andy Griffiths
The Unicorn Rescue Society series by Adam Gidwitz
Ruby and the Booker Boys series by Derrick Barnes
The Year of the Dog and sequels by Grace Lin
Mac B., Kid Spy series by Mac Barnett
Stella Díaz series by Angela Dominguez
The Oddmire series by William Ritter
Astro-Nuts series by Jon Scieszka
Juana and Lucas series by Juana Medina
Love, Sugar, Magic series by Anna Meriano
43 Old Cemetery Road series by Kate Klise
Cilla Lee-Jenkins series by Susan Tan
Real Pigeons series by Andrew McDonald
Toys Go Out series by Emily Jenkins
The Genius Files by Dan Gutman
The Secret Zoo series by Bryan Chick
Baseball Card Adventures by Dan Gutman
Jasmine Green Rescues series by Helen
The Lost Rainforest series by Eliot Schrefer
The Gumazing Gum Girl series by Rhode Montijo
Missing on Superstition Mountain series by Elise Broach
Magical Animal Adoption Agency series by Kallie George
The Misadventures of the Family Fletcher by Dana Alison Levy
Where the Mountain Meets the Moon and others by Grace Lin
*The War that Saved My Life and sequel by Kimberly Bradley
*One Crazy Summer and sequels by Rita Williams-Garcia
*Guys Read series edited by Jon Scieszka
*Spy School series by Stuart Gibbs
What Do You Have That's Like...?

Diary of a Wimpy Kid by Jeff Kinney
   Pie in the Sky and others by Remy Lai
   Olga series by Elise Gravel
   Bea Garcia by Deborah Zemke
   Frazzled series by Booki Vivat
   Tom Gates series by Liz Pichon
   The Best of Iggy by Annie Barrows
   Clueless McGee series by Jeff Mack
   Kate the Great series by Suzy Becker
   Justin Case series by Rachel Vail
   Cheesie Mack series by Stephen Cotler
   Clara Humble series by Anna Humphrey
   Max and the Midknights series by Lincoln Pierce
   Stick Dog and Stick Cat series by Tom Watson
   My Life as a Book series by Janet Tashjian

The Land of Stories by Chris Colfer
   Breadcrumbs by Anne Ursu
   Story Thieves series by James Riley
   Worldquake series by Scarlett Thomas
   The Book of Fatal Errors by Dashka Slater
   A Tale Dark and Grimm series by Adam Gidwitz
   Ophelia and the Marvelous Boy by Karen Foxlee
   The Wide-Awake Princess series by E.D. Baker
   The Thirteenth Princess and others by Diane Zahler
   Samuel Blink and the Forbidden Forest by Matt Haig
   Red: The True Story of Little Red Riding Hood and others by Lisa Shurtliff
   The Hero’s Guide to Saving Your Kingdom series by Christopher Healy
The Lightning Thief by Rick Riordan
This author has helped us out by curating a collection of titles that are inspired by mythology and folklore of different cultures, including:

Sal and Gabi Break the Universe series by Carlos Hernandez
Aru Shah and the End of Time series by Roshani Chokshi
The Storm Runner series by J. C. Cervantes
Paola Santiago series by Tehlor Kay Mejia
Race to the Sun by Rebecca Roanhorse
Tristan Strong series by Kwame Mbalia
The Last Fallen Star by Graci Kim
Dragon Pearl by Yoon Ha Lee

Harry Potter by J. K. Rowling
Inkheart trilogy by Cornelia Funke
Wildwitch series by Lene Kaaberbol
The Magnificent 12 series by Michael Grant
The Emerald Atlas series by John Stephens
Enchanted Forest Chronicles by Patricia Wrede
The Girl Who Drank the Moon by Kelly Barnhill
The Blackwell Pages series by Kelley Armstrong
Knightley Academy and sequel by Violet Haberdasher
The Secret of Platform 13 and others by Eva Ibbotson
The Power of Poppy Pendle and others by Natasha Lowe
The Girl Who Could Fly and sequels by Victoria Forester
Upside-Down Magic series by S. Mlynowski, L. Myracle, and E. Jenkins
Kiranmala and the Kingdom Beyond series by Sayantani DasGupta
The Girl who Circumnavigated Fairyland series by Catherynne Valente
Splendid Classic Novels That Stand the Test of Time

In the Year of the Boar and Jackie Robinson by Bette Bao Lord
The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and sequels by L. Frank Baum
The Boxcar Children series by Gertrude Chandler Warner
A Bear Called Paddington and sequels by Michael Bond
Ramona the Pest, Ribsy, and others by Beverly Cleary
The Melendy Quartet and others by Elizabeth Enright
Half Magic, Time Garden, and others by Edward Eager
The Trumpet of the Swan and others by E. B. White
The Twenty-One Balloons by William Pène du Bois
Harriet the Spy and sequels by Louise Fitzhugh
Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle series by Betty MacDonald
Understood Betsy by Dorothy Canfield Fisher
The Wind in the Willows by Kenneth Grahame
All-of-a-Kind Family series by Sydney Taylor
Five Children and It and others by E. Nesbit
Ballet Shoes and others by Noel Streatfeild
Miracles on Maple Hill by Virginia Sorensen
Winnie-the-Pooh and others by A.A. Milne
Betsy-Tacy series by Maud Hart Lovelace
The Birchbark House series by Louise Erdrich
A Little Princess & The Secret Garden by Frances Hodgson Burnett
*From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler,
   *A Proud Taste for Scarlet and Miniver
       and others by E. L. Konigsberg
*The Great Brain series by John D. Fitzgerald
*Around the World in 80 Days and others by Jules Verne
*A Wrinkle in Time series by Madeline L’Engle
*Chronicles of Prydain by Lloyd Alexander
Books of all Kinds for Lovers of Myths and Mythical Creatures!

The Book of Mythical Beasts and Magical Creatures by Stephen Krensky
Myth Atlas: Maps and Monsters, Heroes and Gods by Thiago de Moraes
Treasury of Egyptian Mythology and others by Donna Jo Napoli
Brownstone’s Mythical Collection by Joe Todd Stanton
Olympians series by George O’Connor
Myth-o-Mania series by Kate McMullan
The Cronus Chronicles by Anne Ursu
Goddess Girls, Thunder Girls, and Heroes in Training series by Joan Holub
Mermaids, Unicorns, Dragons and other Amazing Mysteries by Ashley Gish
The Unseen World of Poppy Malone series by Suzanne Harper
Wings of Fire series and Menagerie series by Tui Sutherland
Magical Animal Adoption Agency series by Kallie George
Nathaniel Fludd, Beastologist series by R. L. LaFevers
The Unicorn Rescue Society series by Adam Gidwitz
The Jumbies series by Tracey Baptiste
Beast Quest series by Adam Blade
Zoey and Sassafras series by Asia Citro
The Mermaid Atlas by Anna Claybourne
Emily Windsnap series by Liz Kessler
Fish Girl by David Wiesner and Donna Jo Napoli
The Secret Lives of Mermaids by Professor Anuk Tola
The Secret Lives of Unicorns by Dr. Teisa Seraphini and Sophie Robin
The Magical Unicorn Society: Official Handbook and Brief History of Unicorns
   by Selwyn Phipps
The Unicorn Quest series by Kamilla Benko
Pegasus series by Kate O’Hearn
A Dragon’s Guide to the Care and Feeding of Humans by Laurence Yep
A Field Guide to Monsters by Johan Olander
The Atlas of Monsters by Sandra Lawrence and Stuart Hill
The Creature from My Closet series by Obert Skye
The Last Kids on Earth series by Max Brallier
We Found a Monster by Kirk Scroggs
Kid Beowulf series by Alexis Fajardo
Poetry to Savor
Collections Shared by Asiya and Dolapo

Verse by Adelaide Crapsey
Ode to Common Things by Pablo Neruda
All the Small Poems and Fourteen More by Valerie Worth
Names of the Lion by Ibn Khālawayh, translated by David Larsen
World Make Way: New Poems Inspired by Art from the Metropolitan Museum of Art edited by Lee Bennett Hopkins

Other Entrancing Collections

Bravo! Poems about Amazing Hispanics by Margarita Engle
Thanks a Million and Meet Danitra Brown by Nikki Grimes
The Undefeated by Kwame Alexander
Bookjoy, Wordjoy by Pat Mora
I Am Loved by Nikki Giovanni
Hi, Koo! By Jon J. Muth
Let Freedom Sing by Vanessa Newton
Swirl by Swirl: Spirals in Nature by Joyce Sidman
Martin Rising: Requiem for a King by Andrea Davis Pinkney
Echo Echo: Reverso Poems about Greek Myths by Marilyn Singer

Novels in Verse

Grow by Juanita Havill
May B. by Caroline Rose Starr
Red Butterfly by A. L. Sonnischsen
Like Pickle Juice on a Cookie by Julie Sternberg
Where I Live and The Dancing Pancake by Eileen Spinelli
Amber was Brave, Essie was Smart by Vera B. Williams
Love that Dog, Hate that Cat, and Moo by Sharon Creech
Little Cat’s Luck and Little Dog, Lost by Marion Dane Bauer
Prince Puggly of Spud and the Kingdom of Spiff and Zorgamazoo by Robert Paul Weston
Great Graphic Novels!

Shorter ones...

Tiny Titans series by Art Baltazar
Mega Princess by Kelly Thompson
Olympians series by George O’Connor
Princeless series by Jeremy Whitley
Bigby Bear series by Philippe Coudray
The Hilda Books by Luke Pearson
Nightlights series by Lorena Alvarez
Stone Rabbit series by Erik Craddock
Oddly Normal series by Otis Frampton
Lunch Lady series by Jarrett Krosoczka
Comics Squad series by various authors
Narwhal and Jelly series by Ben Clanton
Bird and Squirrel series by James Burks
Super Dinosaur series by Robert Kirkman
Scaredy Squirrel series by Melanie Watt
Chi’s Sweet Home series by Konami Kanata
Princess Princess Ever After by Katie O’Neil
Monster Allergy series by Francesco Artibani
Adventures in Cartooning series by James Sturm
Superman Family Adventures series by Art Baltazar
Sardine in Outer Space series by Emmanuel Guibert
The Amazing Crafty Cat series by Charise M. Harper
Simon and Chester: Super Detectives! by Cale Atkinson
Lost in NYC by Nadja Spiegelman and other Toon Books
Secret Coders series by Gene Luen Yang & Mike Holmes
Solar System: Our Place in Space and other Science Comics
Superman, Batman, and Wonder Woman by Ralph Cosentino
Team Taekwondo series by Master Taekwon Lee & Jeffrey Nodelman
Putuguq & Kublu series by Roselynn Akulukjuk and Danny Christopher
...and novel-length ones!

My Beijing by Nie Jun
Amulet series by Kazu Kibuishi
Roller Girl by Victoria Jamieson
Red's Planet series by Eddie Pittman
Camp, Click, and Act by Kayla Miller
Zita the Spacegirl series by Ben Hatke
Cleopatra in Space series by Mike Maihack
Phoebe and Her Unicorn series by Dana Simpson
The Baby-Sitters Club series by Raina Telgemeier and others
Smile, Drama, Sisters, Guts by Raina Telgemeier
The Nameless City series by Faith Erin Hicks
The Three Thieves series by Scott Chantler
Dog Man and Cat Kid series by Dav Pilkey
Catstronauts series by Drew Brockington
5 Worlds series by Mark Siegel
Be Prepared by Vera Brosgol
Hilo series by Judd Winick
Newsprints by Ru Xu
El Deafo by Cece Bell
Stargazing by Jen Wang
Mighty Jack by Ben Hatke
Yotsuba&! series by Kiyohiko Azuma
Sanity and Talullah series by Molly Brooks
The Witch Boy series by Molly Knox Ostertag
The Cardboard Kingdom series by Chad Sell
Book #2 just came out!
The Okay Witch by Emma Steinkellner

A sequel, The Okay Witch and the Hungry Shadow, will be out in July!

Magic Tree House: The Graphic Novel series by Mary Pope Osborne

The first title, Dinosaurs Before Dawn, will be out in June!
Akissi: Tales of Mischief series by Marguerite Abouet
Real Friends and Best Friends by Shannon Hale and LeUyen Pham
The Chronicles of Claudette by Jorge Aguirre and Rafael Rosado
Dragonbreath series and Hamster Princess series by Ursula Vernon
Major Impossible and other Hazardous Tales by Nathan Hale
Fantastic Tales of Nothing by Alejandra Green & Fanny Rodriguez
Katie the Catsitter by Colleen AF Venable
New Shoes by Sara Varon
Witches of Brooklyn by Sophie Escabasse
   A sequel, What the Hex?, will be out in August.
Peter and Ernesto series by Graham Annable
Lowriders in Space by Cathy Camper and Raul the Third
Red Panda and Moon Bear by Jarod Roselló
Pilu of the Woods by Mai K. Nguyen
Max Meow series by John Gallagher
Twins by Varian Johnson
Pawcasso by Remy Lai
Investigators series by John Patrick Green
El Toro and Friends by Raúl the Third
Allergic by Megan Wagner Lloyd and Michelle Mee Nutter
Nat Enough and Forget Me Nat by Maria Scrivan
Breaking Cat News Adventures series by Georgia Dunn
Tom’s Midnight Garden by Philippa Pearce, adapted by Edith
The Singing Rock and Other Brand-New Fairy Tales by
   Nathaniel Lachenmeyer
*Maker Comics by various authors
*Diana, Princess of the Amazons by Shannon and Dean Hale
*Nico Bravo and the Hound of Hades by Mike Cavallaro
*Class Act and New Kid by Jerry Craft
*This Was Our Pact by Ryan Andrews
*The Deep and Dark Blue by Niki Smith
The Lower School Library Online is still up and running!

If you want to re-watch any of the library story videos we posted this school year, they're all still available! Go to:
https://sites.google.com/saintannsny.org/lowerschoollibraryonline/home
(Be sure you’re logged in with your school email address!)

There are also links to other fun online resources! Enjoy!

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The Saint Ann’s Digital Library is always open!

It’s accessible through the school’s website or through this link:  
Saint Ann’s Digital Library

The Digital Library is full of e-books you can download to a computer, phone, or reading device. Simple instructions can be found on the Saint Ann’s website (click on “Annie Bosworth Library”).

Forgot your library card number or password? E-mail us at ls.library@saintannsny.org

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Don’t forget about the Brooklyn Public Library!

The BPL website (https://www.bklynlibrary.org/) will allow you to request books and load up your e-reader from their digital collection. You can also access TumbleBooks with your library card!
Magazines: Always Fun to Find in the Mailbox!

For beginning readers

Ladybug
Click
National Geographic Little Kids
Ranger Rick Jr.

For independent readers

National Geographic Kids
Zoobooks
Chickadee
Kazoo Ask
Spider
Okido
Anorak
Ranger Rick
Sports Illustrated for Kids

For advanced readers

Cricket
Cobblestone
Faces: People, Places, and Cultures
Dig (into History)
Muse
OWL
Brain Space
Stone Soup
And Finally, Books for More than Just Reading!

Iggy Peck’s Big Project Book for Amazing Architects by Andrea Beaty
Ada Twist’s Big Project Book for Stellar Scientists by Andrea Beaty
Rosie Revere’s Big Project Book for Bold Engineers by Andrea Beaty
She Spoke: 14 Women Who Raised Their Voices and Changed the World by Kathy Macmillan & Manuela Bernardi, with audio clips

The Story Orchestra series of books with music
The 50 States Activity Book by Gabrielle Balkan
Inside and Out: New York by Josh Cochran
Let’s Play! and others by Hervé Tullet
Who Done It? by Olivier Tallec
Words by Christoph Niemann
Animals by Ingela Arrhenius
Ralph Masiello’s Drawing Books
Ed Emberley’s Drawing Books
Superhero Comic Kit by Jason Ford
Superhero Handbook by James Doyle and Jason Ford
Optical Illusions and Color Illusions by DK Publishing
Draw-It-Yourself Adventures series by Andrew and Chris Judge
Guinness Book of World Records 2021
Weird but True series by National Geographic Kids
Pretend Soup and Other Real Recipes by Molly Katzen
Make it Easy, Cupcake! and others by Karen Tack
United Tastes of America by Gabrielle Langholtz
Fairy Tale Feasts and Jewish Fairy Tale Feasts by Jane Yolen
Chinese Fairy Tale Feasts by Paul Yee
Nadiya’s Bake Me a Story by Nadiya Hussein
Star Wars Cookbooks I and II
The Lego Ideas Book by Daniel Lipkowitz
Cool Castles and other Lego building books by Sean Kenney
Epic LEGO Adventures with Bricks You Already Have by Sarah Dees
LEGO Minifigure Year by Year by Gregory Farshtey and Daniel Lipkowitz
LEGO Harry Potter Build Your Own Adventure by Elizabeth Dowsett
You Choose Interactive History Adventures series
Choose Your Own Adventure series by R.A. Montgomery and others
Share Your Smile: Raina’s Guide to Telling Your Own Story and
My Smile Diary by Raina Telgemeier
Big Nate Boredom Buster and Doodlepalooza by Lincoln Peirce
The Wimpy Kid Do-It-Yourself Book by Jeff Kinney
Star Wars Jedi Academy: Attack of the Journal by Jeffrey Brown
What I Like: The Fill-In Book for Kids by Patrick Mueller
Rainy Day Unicorn Fun by Dana Simpson
Escape this Book: Titanic and Tombs of Egypt by Bill Doyle and Sarah Sax
The Cursed Castle: an Escape Room in a Book by L. J. Tracosas
Destroy this Book in the Name of Science by Mike Barfield
Wreck this Journal by Keri Smith
Etch Art: Secret Sea and others by AJ Wood
Origami and Poetry and Origami and Haiku by Nosy Crow
Origami Made Simple by Russell Wood
My First Origami Kit by Joel Stern
Pop-Up Design and Paper Mechanics by Duncan Birmingham
This is intended for adults but teaches very simple pop-up techniques that kids
can absolutely learn. Kids might be inspired by the author’s excellent videos on
YouTube.
The Story Pirates Present… series by various authors
Mightier than the Sword series by Drew Callander and Alana Harrison
Picasso: An Animated Coloring Adventure by Claire Fay
Odd One Out by Buster Books
Look Alikes series by Joan Steiner
Hidden in Nature: Search, Find, and Count by Agnes Baruzzi
Search and Find: Alphabet of Alphabets and A Number of Numbers
by AJ Wood, Allan Sanders, et al.

Have an amazing summer, everyone! We love you!