

The Schenck School

Summer Reading for Rising First Grade

- **Read** at least 16 picture books to (or with) your child this summer.
 - **Keep** a list of the picture books you and your child read.
 - **Submit** your list of 16 or more picture books to your child's teacher at the beginning of the school year, and your child will receive a reward from his or her teacher.
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Suggested Picture Book Lists

Caldecott Award Winners (*winners prior to 2009 may be found online*)

- 2022: Watercress, by Andrea Wang
- 2021: We are Water Protectors, by Michaela Goade
- 2020: The Undefeated, by Kadir Nelson
- 2019: Hello Lighthouse, by Sophie Blackall
- 2018: Wolf in the Snow, by Matthew Cordell
- 2017: Radiant Child: The Story of Young Artist Jean-Michel Basquiat by Javaka Steptoe
- 2016: Finding Winnie: The True Story of the World's Most Famous Bear, illustrated by Sophie Blackall, written by Lindsay Mattick
- 2015: The Adventures of Beekle: The Unimaginary Friend by Dan Santat
- 2014: Locomotive by Brian Floca
- 2013: This Is Not My Hat by Jon Klassen
- 2012: A Ball for Daisy by Chris Raschka
- 2011: A Sick Day for Amos McGee, illustrated by Erin E. Stead, written by Philip C. Stead
- 2010: The Lion & the Mouse by Jerry Pinkney
- 2009: The House in the Night, illustrated by Beth Krommes, written by Susan Marie Swanson

Georgia Children's Book Award (*winners prior to 2011 may be found online*)

- 2022: I am a Tiger, by Karl Newson
- 2021: Hair Love, by Matthew A. Cherry
- 2020: We Don't Eat our Classmates, by Ryan T. Higgins
- 2019: Not Quite a Narwhal, by Jessie Sima
- 2018: It Came in the Mail, by Ben Clanton
- 2017: Gaston, illustrated by Christian Robinson, written by Kelly DiPucchio
- 2016: Breaking News: Bear Alert, by David Biedrzycki
- 2015: Ol' Clip-Clop: A Ghost Story, illustrated by Eric Velasquez, written by Patricia McKissack
- 2014: Sylvie, by Jennifer Sattler
- 2013: When a Dragon Moves In, illustrated by Howard McWilliam, written by Jodi Moore
- 2012: I Need My Monster, illustrated by Howard McWilliam, written by Amanda Noll
- 2011: Aliens Are Coming! The True Account of the 1938 War of the Worlds Radio Broadcast, by Meghan McCarthy