



## 2018 Monarch Award Master List



<b>Author</b>	<b>Illustrator</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Publisher</b>
Rosenstock, Barb	Schindler, S.D.	Ben Franklin's Big Splash	Calkins Creek
Adler, David	Ricks, Sam	Don't Throw it to Mo!	Penguin Young Readers
Beck, W.H.	Beck, W.H.	Glow: Animals With Their Own Night-Lights	HMH Books for Young Readers
Birney, Betty	Burris, Priscilla	Humphrey's Playful Puppy Problem	Puffin Books
Barton, Bethany	Barton, Bethany	I'm Trying to Love Spiders	Viking Books for Young Readers
de la Peña, Matt	Robinson, Christian	Last Stop on Market Street	G.P Putnam's Sons Books for Young Readers
Agee, Jon	Agee, Jon	Lion Lessons	Dial Books
Medina, Meg	Dominguez, Angela	Mango, Abuela, and Me	Candlewick
Brown, Monica	Diaz, David	Maya's Blanket	Children's Book Press
Campoy, F. Isabel & Howell, Theresa	Lopez, Rafael	Maybe Something Beautiful: How Art Transformed a Neighborhood	HMH Books for Young Readers
Jones, Noah	Jones, Noah	Moldy Locks and the Three Beards	Scholastic
Higgins, Ryan T.	Higgins, Ryan T.	Mother Bruce	Disney-Hyperion
Bernstrom, Daniel	Wenzel, Brendan	One Day in the Eucalyptus, Eucalyptus Tree	HarperCollins
Keating, Jess	DeGrand, David	Pink is for Blobfish: Discovering the World's Perfectly Pink Animals	Knopf Books for Young Readers
Hall, Michael	Hall, Michael	Red: A Crayon's Story	Greenwillow Books
Barnett, Mac	Klassen, Jon	Sam and Dave Dig a Hole	Candlewick
Escoffier, Michael	Di Giacomo, Kris	Take Away the A	Enchanted Lion Books
Alexie, Sherman	Morales, Yuyi	Thunder Boy Jr.	Little, Brown
Andrews, Troy & Taylor, Bill	Collier, Bryan	Trombone Shorty	Harry N. Abrams
Churnin, Nancy	Tuya, Jez	William Hoy Story, The: How a Deaf Baseball Player Changed the Game	Albert Whitman and Company



**2018 Master List  
Bluestem Book Award  
Illinois Children's  
Choice Award**

<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>	<b>Year</b>	<b>AR Level/Color</b>	<b>GRL</b>
11 Birthdays	Mass, Wendy	2009	4.1/Orange	S
A Blind Guide to Stinkville	Vrabel, Beth	2015	4.5/White	R*
Among the Hidden	Haddix, Margaret	1998	4.8/White	Z
Book Scavenger	Bertman, Jennifer	2016	5.5/Dark Purple	R*
Crenshaw	Applegate, Katherine	2015	3.8/Dark Pink	Q
Crossing Niagara	Tavares, Matt	2016	4.4/Orange	S
Dash	Larson, Kirby	2016	3.9/Dark Pink	U
Fuzzy Mud	Sachar, Louis	2016	5/Dark Green	W
Hilo Book 1: The Boy Who Crashed to Earth	Winick, Judd	2015	2.3/Dark Pink	O
Roller Girl	Jamieson, Victoria	2015	3.2/Light Green	V
Save Me a Seat	Weeks, Sara	2016	4.8/White	Q*
Separate is Never Equal	Tonatiuh, Duncan	2014	5.1/Dark Green	R*
Soar	Baur, Joan	2016	3.6/Dark Pink	T
Stick Dog	Watson, Tom	2013	4.5/ White	P
The House that Jane Built	Stone, Tanya Lee	2015	4.5/White	Q*
The Most Amazing Creature in the Sea	Guiberson, Brenda Z.	2015	4.2/Orange	Q*
The Terrible Two	Barnett, Mac	2015	4.5/White	R
The Wild Robot	Brown, Peter	2016	5.1/Dark Green	R
Where the Mountain Meets the Moon	Lin, Grace	2011	5.5/Dark Purple	T
Who Was Louis Braille	Frith, Margaret	2014	5.3/Dark Green	R

\* Level is estimated based on AR Level and Lexile Level



## 2018 Master List Rebecca Caudill Young Readers' Book Award Illinois Children's Choice Award

Author	Title	Publisher	Pub Date	Interest Levels
Bertman, Jennifer	The Book Scavenger	Henry Holt	2015	4-7
Brown, Don	Drowned City: Hurricane Katrina and New Orleans	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	2015	6-8
Chmakova, Svetlana	Awkward	Yen	2015	5-8
Connor, Leslie	All Rise for the Honorable Perry T. Cook	Katherine Tegen	2016	4-6
Eagar, Lindsay	Hour of the Bees	Candlewick	2016	6-8
Ganda, Martin	I Will Always Write Back	Little, Brown	2015	5-8
Hilton, Marilyn	Full Cicada Moon	Dial	2015	5-8
Holt, K.A.	House Arrest	Chronicle	2015	5-8
Jamieson, Victoria	Roller Girl	Dial	2015	4-8
Lai, Thanhha	Listen, Slowly	HarperCollins	2015	4-8
Leyson, Leon	The Boy on the Wooden Box	Atheneum	2013	5-8
Nielsen, Jennifer A.	A Night Divided	Scholastic	2015	5-8
Pearsall, Shelley	The Seventh Most Important Thing	Knopf	2015	5-8
Priest, Cherie	I Am Princess X	Arthur A. Levine	2015	6-8
Sachar, Louis	Fuzzy Mud	Delacorte	2015	4-7
Schmidt, Gary D.	Orbiting Jupiter	Clarion	2015	7-8
Smith, Roland	Beneath	Scholastic	2015	4-8
Stead, Rebecca	Goodbye Stranger	Wendy Lamb	2015	6-8
Sullivan, Tara	The Bitter Side of Sweet	Putnam's Sons	2016	7-8
Tyre, Lisa Lewis	Last in a Long Line of Rebels	Nancy Paulsen	2015	4-6

Interest levels reflect a title's combination of ability and appeal for young readers as suggested by the RCYRBA Steering Committee. With each annual list participants should evaluate, purchase and promote only those books which they determine appropriate for their students and the grade levels served. Be reminded, to participate in the program, you need only offer 12 of the titles.