

# Caldecott Medal Winners and Honor Books, 1938 – Present:

## The 2010s

### 2017 Medal Winner

"**Radiant Child: The Story of Young Artist Jean-Michel Basquiat,**" illustrated and written by Javaka Steptoe, and published by Little, Brown and Company.

### **Honor Books:**

- *Leave Me Alone!*, illustrated and written by Vera Brosgol, and published by Roaring Brook Press.
- *Freedom in Congo Square*, illustrated by R. Gregory Christie, written by Carole Boston Weatherford and published by Little Bee Books, an imprint of Bonnier Publishing Group.
- *Du Iz Tak?* illustrated and written by Carson Ellis, and published by Candlewick Press.
- *They All Saw a Cat*, illustrated and written by Brendan Wenzel, and published by Chronicle Books LLC

### 2016 Medal Winner

*Finding Winnie: The True Story of the World's Most Famous Bear*, illustrated by Sophie Blackall, written by Lindsay Mattick and published by Little, Brown, and Co., a division of Hachette Book Group.

### **Honor Books**

- *Trombone Shorty*, pictures by Bryan Collier and words by Troy Andrews and published by Abrams Books for Young Readers, an imprint of ABRAMS.
- *Waiting*, illustrated and written by Kevin Henkes ; published by Greenwillow Books, an imprint of HarperCollins Publishers
- *Voice of Freedom: Fannie Lou Hamer, Spirit of the Civil Rights Movement*, illustrated by Ekua Holmes, written by Carole Boston Weatherford and published by Candlewick Press.
- *Last Stop on Market Street*, written by Matt de la Pena, illustrated by Christian Robinson and published by G.P. Putnam's Sons, an imprint of Penguin Group (USA)

### 2015 Medal Winner

*The Adventures of Beekle: The Unimaginary Friend*, illustrated and written by Dan Santat and published by Little, Brown and Company.

## Honor Books

- *The Noisy Paint Box: The Colors and Sounds of Kandinsky's Abstract Art*, illustrated by Mary GrandPré, written by Barb Rosenstock and published by Alfred A. Knopf, New York
- *Nana in the City*, written and illustrated by Lauren Castillo and published by Clarion Books.
- *Sam & Dave Dig a Hole*, illustrated by Jon Klassen, written by Mac Barnett and published by Candlewick Press.
- *Viva Frida*, illustrated and written by Yuyi Morales and published by Roaring Brook Press, a Neal Porter Book.
- *The Right Word: Roget and His Thesaurus*, illustrated by Melissa Sweet, written by Jen Bryant and published by Eerdmans Books for Young Readers.
- *This One Summer*, illustrated by Jillian Tamaki, written by Mariko Tamaki and published by First Second

## 2014 Medal Winner

*Locomotive*, illustrated by Brian Floca, is the 2014 Caldecott Medal winner. The book was written by Brian Floca and published by Atheneum Books for Young Readers, an imprint of Simon & Schuster Children's publishing.

## Honor Books

- *Journey*, written and illustrated by Aaron Becker and published by Candlewick Press
- *Flora and the Flamingo*, written and illustrated by Molly Idle and published by Chronicle Books LLC
- *Mr. Wuffles!* written and illustrated by David Wiesner and published by Clarion Books, an imprint of Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Publishing Company

## 2013 Medal Winner

The 2013 Caldecott Medal winner is *This Is Not My Hat*, written and illustrated by Jon Klassen, published by Candlewick Press.

## Honor Books:

- *Creepy Carrots!*, illustrated by Peter Brown, written by Aaron Reynolds and published by Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, an imprint of Simon & Schuster Children's Publishing Division.
- *Extra Yarn*, illustrated by Jon Klassen, written by Mac Barnett and published by Balzer + Bray, an imprint of HarperCollins Publishers.
- *Green*, illustrated and written by Laura Vaccaro Seeger and published by Neal Porter Books, an imprint of Roaring Brook Press.
- *One Cool Friend*, illustrated by David Small, written by Toni Buzzeo and published by Dial Books for Young Readers, a division of Penguin Young Readers Group

- *Sleep Like a Tiger*, illustrated by Pamela Zagarenski, written by Mary Logue and published by Houghton Mifflin Books for Children, an imprint of Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Publishing Company.

### 2012 Medal Winner

The 2012 Caldecott Medal winner is *A Ball for Daisy*, written and illustrated by Chris Raschka, published by Schwartz & Wade Books, an imprint of Random House Children's Books, a division of Random House, Inc.

#### **Honor Books:**

- *Blackout*, written and illustrated by John Rocco, published by Disney · Hyperion Books, an imprint of Disney Book Group.
- *Grandpa Green*, written and illustrated by Lane Smith, published by Roaring Brook Press, a division of Holtzbrinck Publishing Holdings Limited Partnership
- *Me ... Jane*, written and illustrated by Patrick McDonnell and published by Little, Brown and Company, a division of Hachette Book Group, Inc.

### 2011 Medal Winner

*A Sick Day for Amos McGee*, illustrated by Erin E. Stead, is the 2011 Caldecott Medal winner. The book was written by Philip C. Stead, and is a Neal Porter Book, published by Roaring Brook Press, a division of Holtzbrinck Publishing.

#### **Honor Books:**

- *Dave the Potter: Artist, Poet, Slave*, illustrated by Bryan Collier, written by Laban Carrick Hill and published by Little, Brown and Company, a division of Hachette Book Group, Inc.
- *Interrupting Chicken*, written and illustrated by David Ezra Stein and published by Candlewick Press.

### 2010 Medal Winner

The 2010 Caldecott Medal winner is *The Lion & the Mouse*, illustrated and written by Jerry Pinkney (Little, Brown and Company Books for Young Readers)

#### **Honor Books**

- *All the World*, illustrated by Marla Frazee, written by Liz Garton Scanlon, published by Beach Lane Books.

- *Red Sings from Treetops: A Year in Colors*, illustrated by Pamela Zagarenski, written by Joyce Sidman, published by Houghton Mifflin Books for Children, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt.

## The 2000s

### 2009 Medal Winner:

*The House in the Night*, illustrated by Beth Krommes, written by Susa Marie Swanson (Houghton Mifflin Company)

### Honor Books:

- *A Couple of Boys Have the Best Week Ever*, by Maria Frazee (Harcourt, Inc.)
- *How I Learned Geography*, by Uri Shulevitz (Farrar Straus Giroux)
- *A River of Words: The Story of William Carlos Williams*, illustrated by Melissa Sweet, written by Jen Bryant (Eerdmans Books for Young Readers, an imprint of Wm. B. Eerdmans Publishing Co.)
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### 2008 Medal Winner:

*The Invention of Hugo Cabret* by Brian Selznick (Scholastic Press, an imprint of Scholastic)

### Honor Books:

- *Henry's Freedom Box: A True story from the Underground Railroad* illustrated by Kadir Nelson, written by Ellen Levine (Scholastic Press, an imprint of Scholastic)
- *First the Egg* by Laura Vaccaro Seeger (Roaring Brook/Neal Porter)
- *The Wall: Growing Up Behind the Iron Curtain* by Peter Sis (Farrar/Frances Foster)
- *Knuffle Bunny Too: A Case of Mistaken Identity* by Mo Willems (Hyperion)

### 2007 Medal Winner:

*Flotsam* by David Wiesner (Clarion)

### Honor Books:

- *Gone Wild: An Endangered Animal Alphabet* by David McLimans (Walker)
- *Moses: When Harriet Tubman Led Her People to Freedom* illustrated by Kadir Nelson, written by Carole Boston Weatherford (Hyperion/Jump at the Sun)

### 2006 Medal Winner:

*The Hello, Goodbye Window* illustrated by **Chris Raschka** and written by Norton Juster (Michael di Capua Books/Hyperion Books for Children)

**Honor Books:**

- *Rosa* illustrated by **Bryan Collier** and written by Nikki Giovanni (Henry Holt and Company)
- *Zen Shorts* illustrated and written by **Jon J. Muth** (Scholastic Press)
- *Hot Air: The (Mostly) True Story of the First Hot-Air Balloon Ride* illustrated and written by **Marjorie Priceman**. (An Anne Schwartz Book/Atheneum Books for Young Readers/Simon & Schuster)
- *Song of the Water Boatman and Other Pond Poems* illustrated by **Beckie Prange**, written by Joyce Sidman (Houghton Mifflin Company)

[2005 Medal Winner:](#)

*Kitten's First Full Moon* by **Kevin Henkes** (Greenwillow Books/HarperCollinsPublishers)

**Honor Books:**

- *The Red Book* by **Barbara Lehman** (Houghton Mifflin Company)
- *Coming on Home Soon* illustrated by **E.B. Lewis**, written by **Jacqueline Woodson** (G.P. Putnam's Son's/Penguin Young Readers Group)
- *Knuffle Bunny: A Cautionary Tale* illustrated and written by **Mo Willems**. (Hyperion Books for Children)

[2004 Medal Winner:](#)

*The Man Who Walked Between the Towers* by Mordicai Gerstein (Roaring Brook Press/Millbrook Press)

**Honor Books:**

- *Ella Sarah Gets Dressed* by Margaret Chodos-Irvine (Harcourt, Inc.)
- *What Do You Do with a Tail Like This?* illustrated and written by Steve Jenkins and Robin Page. (Houghton Mifflin Company)
- *Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus* by Mo Willems. (Hyperion)

[2003 Medal Winner:](#)

*My Friend Rabbit* by Eric Rohmann (Roaring Brook Press/Millbrook Press)

**Honor Books:**

- *The Spider and the Fly* illustrated by Tony DiTerlizzi, written by Mary Howitt (Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers)

- *Hondo & Fabian* by Peter McCarty (Henry Holt & Co.)
- *Noah's Ark* by Jerry Pinkney (SeaStar Books, a division of North-South Books Inc.)

### 2002 Medal Winner:

***The Three Pigs* by David Wiesner (Clarion/Houghton Mifflin)**

#### **Honor Books:**

- *The Dinosaurs of Waterhouse Hawkins* illustrated by Brian Selznick, written by Barbara Kerley (Scholastic)
- *Martin's Big Words: the Life of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.* illustrated by Bryan Collier, written by Doreen Rappaport (Jump at the Sun/Hyperion)
- *The Stray Dog* by Marc Simont (HarperCollins)

### 2001 Medal Winner:

***So You Want to Be President?* Illustrated by David Small, written by Judith St. George (Philomel)**

#### **Honor Books:**

- *Casey at the Bat* illustrated by Christopher Bing, written by Ernest Thayer (Handprint)
- *Click, Clack, Moo: Cows that Type* illustrated by Betsy Lewin, written by Doreen Cronin (Simon & Schuster)
- *Olivia* by Ian Falconer (Atheneum)

### 2000 Medal Winner:

***Joseph Had a Little Overcoat* Simms Taback (Viking)**

#### **Honor Books:**

- *A Child's Calendar* illustrated by Trina Schart Hyman  
Text: John Updike (Holiday House)
- *Sector 7* by David Wiesner (Clarion Books)
- *When Sophie Gets Angry-Really, Really Angry* by Molly Bang (Scholastic)
- *The Ugly Duckling* illustrated by Jerry Pinkney Text: Hans Christian Andersen, adapted by Jerry Pinkney (Morrow)

### **The 1990s**

### 1999 Medal Winner:

***Snowflake Bentley*, Illustrated by Mary Azarian, text by Jacqueline Briggs Martin (Houghton)**

#### **Honor Books:**

- *Duke Ellington: The Piano Prince and the Orchestra* illustrated by Brian Pinkney  
Text: Andrea Davis Pinkney(Hyperion)

- ***No, David!*** by David Shannon (Scholastic)
- ***Snow*** by Uri Shulevitz (Farrar)
- ***Tibet Through the Red Box*** by Peter Sís (Frances Foster)

1998 Medal Winner:

***Rapunzel* by Paul O. Zelinsky (Dutton)**

**Honor Books:**

- ***The Gardener*** illustrated by David Small  
Text: Sarah Stewart (Farrar)
- ***Harlem*** illustrated by Christopher Myers  
Text: Walter Dean Myers (Scholastic)
- ***There Was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly*** by Simms Taback (Viking)

1997 Medal Winner:

***Golem* by David Wisniewski (Clarion)**

**Honor Books:**

- ***Hush! A Thai Lullaby*** illustrated by Holly Meade; text: Minfong Ho (Melanie Kroupa/Orchard Books)
- ***The Graphic Alphabet*** by David Pelletier (Orchard Books)
- ***The Paperboy*** by Dav Pilkey (Richard Jackson/Orchard Books)
- ***Starry Messenger*** by Peter Sís (Frances Foster Books/Farrar Straus Giroux)

1996 Medal Winner:

***Officer Buckle and Gloria* by Peggy Rathmann (Putnam)**

**Honor Books:**

- ***Alphabet City*** by Stephen T. Johnson (Viking)
- ***Zin! Zin! Zin! a Violin***, illustrated by Marjorie Priceman; text: Lloyd Moss (Simon & Schuster)
- ***The Faithful Friend***, illustrated by Brian Pinkney; text: Robert D. San Souci (Simon & Schuster)
- ***Tops & Bottoms***, adapted and illustrated by Janet Stevens (Harcourt)

1995 Medal Winner:

***Smoky Night***, illustrated by David Diaz; text: Eve Bunting (Harcourt)

**Honor Books:**

- *John Henry*, illustrated by Jerry Pinkney; text: Julius Lester (Dial)
- *Swamp Angel*, illustrated by Paul O. Zelinsky; text: Anne Issacs (Dutton)
- *Time Flies* by Eric Rohmann (Crown)

1994 Medal Winner:

*Grandfather's Journey* by Allen Say; text: edited by Walter Lorraine (Houghton)

**Honor Books:**

- *Peppe the Lamplighter*, illustrated by Ted Lewin; text: Elisa Bartone (Lothrop)
- *In the Small, Small Pond* by Denise Fleming (Holt)
- *Raven: A Trickster Tale from the Pacific Northwest* by Gerald McDermott (Harcourt)
- *Owen* by Kevin Henkes (Greenwillow)
- *Yo! Yes?* illustrated by Chris Raschka; text: edited by Richard Jackson (Orchard)

**1993 Medal Winner:**

*Mirette on the High Wire* by Emily Arnold McCully (Putnam)

**Honor Books:**

- *The Stinky Cheese Man and Other Fairly Stupid Tales*, illustrated by Lane Smith; text: Jon Scieszka (Viking)
- *Seven Blind Mice* by Ed Young (Philomel Books)
- *Working Cotton*, illustrated by Carole Byard; text: Sherley Anne Williams (Harcourt)

**1992 Medal Winner:** *Tuesday* by David Wiesner  
(Clarion Books)

**Honor Book:**

- *Tar Beach* by Faith Ringgold (Crown Publishers, Inc., a Random House Co.)

**1991 Medal Winner:** *Black and White* by David Macaulay (Houghton)

**Honor Books:**

- *Puss in Boots*, illustrated by Fred Marcellino; text: Charles Perrault, trans. by Malcolm Arthur (Di Capua/Farrar)
- *"More More More," Said the Baby: Three Love Stories* by Vera B. Williams (Greenwillow)

**1990 Medal Winner:** *Lon Po Po: A Red-Riding Hood Story from China* by Ed Young  
(Philomel)

**Honor Books:**

- *Bill Peet: An Autobiography* by Bill Peet (Houghton)

- *Color Zoo* by Lois Ehlert (Lippincott)
- *The Talking Eggs: A Folktale from the American South*, illustrated by Jerry Pinkney; text: Robert D. San Souci (Dial)
- *Hershel and the Hanukkah Goblins*, illustrated by Trina Schart Hyman; text: Eric Kimmel (Holiday House)

## The 1980s

**1989 Medal Winner:** *Song and Dance Man*, illustrated by Stephen Gammell; text: Karen Ackerman (Knopf)

### Honor Books:

- *The Boy of the Three-Year Nap*, illustrated by Allen Say; text: Diane Snyder (Houghton)
- *Free Fall* by David Wiesner (Lothrop)
- *Goldilocks and the Three Bears* by James Marshall (Dial)
- *Mirandy and Brother Wind*, illustrated by Jerry Pinkney; text: Patricia C. McKissack (Knopf)

**1988 Medal Winner:** *Owl Moon*, illustrated by John Schoenherr; text: Jane Yolen (Philomel)

### Honor Book:

- *Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters: An African Tale* by John Steptoe (Lothrop)

**1987 Medal Winner:** *Hey, Al*, illustrated by Richard Egielski; text: Arthur Yorinks (Farrar)

### Honor Books:

- *The Village of Round and Square Houses* by Ann Grifalconi (Little, Brown)
- *Alphabatics* by Suse MacDonald (Bradbury)
- *Rumpelstiltskin* by Paul O. Zelinsky (Dutton)

**1986 Medal Winner:** *The Polar Express* by Chris Van Allsburg (Houghton)

### Honor Books:

- *The Relatives Came*, illustrated by Stephen Gammell; text: Cynthia Rylant (Bradbury)
- *King Bidgood's in the Bathtub*, illustrated by Don Wood; text: Audrey Wood (Harcourt)

**1985 Medal Winner:** *Saint George and the Dragon*, illustrated by Trina Schart Hyman; text: retold by Margaret Hodges (Little, Brown)

### Honor Books:

- *Hansel and Gretel*, illustrated by Paul O. Zelinsky; text: retold by Rika Lesser (Dodd)
- *Have You Seen My Duckling?* by Nancy Tafuri (Greenwillow)
- *The Story of Jumping Mouse: A Native American Legend*, retold and illustrated by John Steptoe (Lothrop)

**1984 Medal Winner:** *The Glorious Flight: Across the Channel with Louis Bleriot* by Alice & Martin Provensen (Viking)

### Honor Books:

- *Little Red Riding Hood*, retold and illustrated by Trina Schart Hyman (Holiday)
- *Ten, Nine, Eight* by Molly Bang (Greenwillow)

**1983 Medal Winner: *Shadow***, translated and illustrated by Marcia Brown  
Original text in French: Blaise Cendrars (Scribner)

**Honor Books:**

- *A Chair for My Mother* by Vera B. Williams (Greenwillow)
- *When I Was Young in the Mountains*, illustrated by Diane Goode; text: Cynthia Rylant (Dutton)

**1982 Medal Winner: *Jumanji*** by Chris Van Allsburg (Houghton)

**Honor Books:**

- *Where the Buffaloes Begin*, illustrated by Stephen Gammell; text: Olaf Baker (Warne)
- *On Market Street*, illustrated by Anita Lobel; text: Arnold Lobel (Greenwillow)
- *Outside Over There* by Maurice Sendak (Harper)
- *A Visit to William Blake's Inn: Poems for Innocent and Experienced Travelers*, illustrated by Alice & Martin Provensen; text: Nancy Willard (Harcourt)

**1981 Medal Winner: *Fables*** by Arnold Lobel (Harper)

**Honor Books:**

- *The Bremen-Town Musicians*, retold and illustrated by Ilse Plume (Doubleday)
- *The Grey Lady and the Strawberry Snatcher* by Molly Bang (Four Winds)
- *Mice Twice* by Joseph Low (McElderry/Atheneum)
- *Truck* by Donald Crews (Greenwillow)

**1980 Medal Winner: *Ox-Cart Man***, illustrated by Barbara Cooney; text: Donald Hall (Viking)

**Honor Books:**

- *Ben's Trumpet* by Rachel Isadora (Greenwillow)
- *The Garden Of Abdul Gasazi* by Chris Van Allsburg (Houghton)
- *The Treasure* by Uri Shulevitz (Farrar)

**The 1970s**

**1979 Medal Winner: *The Girl Who Loved Wild Horses* by Paul Goble (Bradbury)**

**Honor Books:**

- *Freight Train* by Donald Crews (Greenwillow)
- *The Way to Start a Day*, illustrated by Peter Parnall; text: Byrd Baylor (Scribner)

**1978 Medal Winner: *Noah's Ark*** by Peter Spier (Doubleday)

**Honor Books:**

- *Castle* by David Macaulay (Houghton)
- *It Could Always Be Worse*, retold and illustrated by Margot Zemach (Farrar)

**1977 Medal Winner:** *Ashanti to Zulu: African Traditions*, illustrated by Leo & Diane Dillon; text: Margaret Musgrove (Dial)

**Honor Books:**

- *The Amazing Bone* by William Steig (Farrar)
- *The Contest*, retold and illustrated by Nonny Hogrogian (Greenwillow)
- *Fish for Supper* by M. B. Goffstein (Dial)
- *The Golem: A Jewish Legend* by Beverly Brodsky McDermott (Lippincott)
- *Hawk, I'm Your Brother*, illustrated by Peter Parnall; text: Byrd Baylor (Scribner)

**1976 Medal Winner:** *Why Mosquitoes Buzz in People's Ears*, illustrated by Leo & Diane Dillon; text: retold by Verna Aardema (Dial)

**Honor Books:**

- *The Desert is Theirs*, illustrated by Peter Parnall; text: Byrd Baylor (Scribner)
- *Strega Nona* by Tomie de Paola (Prentice-Hall)

**1975 Medal Winner:** *Arrow to the Sun* by Gerald McDermott (Viking)

**Honor Books:**

- *Jambo Means Hello: A Swahili Alphabet Book*, illustrated by Tom Feelings; text: Muriel Feelings (Dial)

**1974 Medal Winner:** *Duffy and the Devil*, illustrated by Margot Zemach; retold by Harve Zemach (Farrar)

**Honor Books:**

- *Three Jovial Huntsmen* by Susan Jeffers (Bradbury)
- *Cathedral* by David Macaulay (Houghton)

**1973 Medal Winner:** *The Funny Little Woman*, illustrated by Blair Lent; text: retold by Arlene Mosel (Dutton)

**Honor Books:**

- *Anansi the Spider: A Tale from the Ashanti*, adapted and illustrated by Gerald McDermott (Holt)
- *Hosie's Alphabet*, illustrated by Leonard Baskin; text: Hosea, Tobias & Lisa Baskin (Viking)
- *Snow-White and the Seven Dwarfs*, illustrated by Nancy Ekholm Burkert; text: translated by Randall Jarrell, retold from the Brothers Grimm (Farrar)
- *When Clay Sings*, illustrated by Tom Bahti; text: Byrd Baylor (Scribner)

**1972 Medal Winner:** *One Fine Day*, retold and illustrated by Nonny Hogrogian (Macmillan)

**Honor Books:**

- *Hildilid's Night*, illustrated by Arnold Lobel; text: Cheli Durán Ryan (Macmillan)
- *If All the Seas Were One Sea* by Janina Domanska (Macmillan)
- *Moja Means One: Swahili Counting Book*, illustrated by Tom Feelings; text: Muriel Feelings (Dial)

**1971 Medal Winner: *A Story A Story***, retold and illustrated by Gail E. Haley (Atheneum)

**Honor Books:**

- *The Angry Moon*, illustrated by Blair Lent; text: retold by William Sleator (Atlantic)
- *Frog and Toad are Friends* by Arnold Lobel (Harper)
- *In the Night Kitchen* by Maurice Sendak (Harper)

**1970 Medal Winner: *Sylvester and the Magic Pebble*** by William Steig (Windmill Books)

**Honor Books:**

- *Goggles!* by Ezra Jack Keats (Macmillan)
- *Alexander and the Wind-Up Mouse* by Leo Lionni (Pantheon)
- *Pop Corn & Ma Goodness*, illustrated by Robert Andrew Parker; text: Edna Mitchell Preston (Viking)
- *Thy Friend, Obadiah* by Brinton Turkle (Viking)
- *The Judge: An Untrue Tale*, illustrated by Margot Zemach; text: Harve Zemach (Farrar)

## The 1960s

**1969 Medal Winner: *The Fool of the World and the Flying Ship***, illustrated by Uri Shulevitz;  
text: retold by Arthur Ransome (Farrar)

**Honor Books:**

- *Why the Sun and the Moon Live in the Sky*, illustrated by Blair Lent; text: Elphinstone Dayrell (Houghton)

**1968 Medal Winner: *Drummer Hoff***, illustrated by Ed Emberley; text: adapted by Barbara Emberley (Prentice-Hall)

**Honor Books:**

- *Frederick* by Leo Lionni (Pantheon)
- *Seashore Story* by Taro Yashima (Viking)
- *The Emperor and the Kite*, illustrated by Ed Young; text: Jane Yolen (World)

**1967 Medal Winner: *Sam, Bangs & Moonshine*** by Evaline Ness (Holt)

**Honor Book:**

- *One Wide River to Cross*, illustrated by Ed Emberley; text: adapted by Barbara Emberley (Prentice-Hall)

**1966 Medal Winner: *Always Room for One More***, illustrated by Nonny Hogrogian; text: Sorche Nic Leodhas, pseud. [Leclair Alger] (Holt)

**Honor Books:**

- *Hide and Seek Fog*, illustrated by Roger Duvoisin; text: Alvin Tresselt (Lothrop)
- *Just Me* by Marie Hall Ets (Viking)
- *Tom Tit Tot*, retold and illustrated by Evaline Ness (Scribner)

**1965 Medal Winner: *May I Bring a Friend?*** illustrated by Beni Montresor; text: Beatrice Schenk de Regniers (Atheneum)

**Honor Books:**

- *Rain Makes Applesauce*, illustrated by Marvin Bileck; text: Julian Scheer (Holiday)
- *The Wave*, illustrated by Blair Lent; text: Margaret Hodges (Houghton)
- *A Pocketful of Cricket*, illustrated by Evaline Ness; text: Rebecca Caudill (Holt)

**1964 Medal Winner: *Where the Wild Things Are*** by Maurice Sendak (Harper)

**Honor Books:**

- *Swimmy* by Leo Lionni (Pantheon)
- *All in the Morning Early*, illustrated by Evaline Ness; text: Sorche Nic Leodhas, pseud. [Leclairer Alger] (Holt)
- *Mother Goose and Nursery Rhymes*, illustrated by Philip Reed (Atheneum)

**1963 Medal Winner: *The Snowy Day*** by Ezra Jack Keats (Viking)

**Honor Books:**

- *The Sun is a Golden Earring*, illustrated by Bernarda Bryson; text: Natalia M. Belting (Holt)
- *Mr. Rabbit and the Lovely Present*, illustrated by Maurice Sendak; text: Charlotte Zolotow (Harper)

**1962 Medal Winner: *Once a Mouse***, retold and illustrated by Marcia Brown (Scribner)

**Honor Books:**

- *Fox Went out on a Chilly Night: An Old Song* by Peter Spier (Doubleday)
- *Little Bear's Visit*, illustrated by Maurice Sendak; text: Else H. Minarik (Harper)
- *The Day We Saw the Sun Come Up*, illustrated by Adrienne Adams; text: Alice E. Goudey (Scribner)

**1961 Medal Winner: *Baboushka and the Three Kings***, illustrated by Nicolas Sidjakov; text: Ruth Robbins (Parnassus)

**Honor Book:**

- *Inch by Inch*, by Leo Lionni (Obolensky)

**1960 Medal Winner: *Nine Days to Christmas***, illustrated by Marie Hall Ets; text: Marie Hall Ets and Aurora Labastida (Viking)

**Honor Books:**

- *Houses from the Sea*, illustrated by Adrienne Adams; text: Alice E. Goudey (Scribner)
- *The Moon Jumpers*, illustrated by Maurice Sendak; text: Janice May Udry (Harper)

## The 1950s

**1959 Medal Winner: *Chanticleer and the Fox*, illustrated by Barbara Cooney; text: adapted from Chaucer's *Canterbury Tales* by Barbara Cooney (Crowell)**

### Honor Books:

- *The House that Jack Built: La Maison Que Jacques A Batie* by Antonio Frasconi (Harcourt)
- *What Do You Say, Dear?* illustrated by Maurice Sendak; text: Sesyle Joslin (W. R. Scott)
- *Umbrella* by Taro Yashima (Viking)

**1958 Medal Winner: *Time of Wonder* by Robert McCloskey (Viking)**

### Honor Books:

- *Fly High, Fly Low* by Don Freeman (Viking)
- *Anatole and the Cat*, illustrated by Paul Galdone; text: Eve Titus (McGraw-Hill)

**1957 Medal Winner: *A Tree is Nice*, illustrated by Marc Simont; text: Janice Udry (Harper)**

### Honor Books:

- *Mr. Penny's Race Horse* by Marie Hall Ets (Viking)
- *1 is One* by Tasha Tudor (Walck)
- *Anatole*, illustrated by Paul Galdone; text: Eve Titus (McGraw-Hill)
- *Gillespie and the Guards*, illustrated by James Daugherty; text: Benjamin Elkin (Viking)
- *Lion* by William Pène du Bois (Viking)

**1956 Medal Winner: *Frog Went A-Courtin'*, illustrated by Feodor Rojankovsky; text: retold by John Langstaff (Harcourt)**

### Honor Books:

- *Play With Me*, by Marie Hall Ets (Viking)
- *Crow Boy* by Taro Yashima (Viking)

**1955 Medal Winner: *Cinderella, or the Little Glass Slipper*, illustrated by Marcia Brown; text: translated from Charles Perrault by Marcia Brown (Scribner)**

### Honor Books:

- *Book of Nursery and Mother Goose Rhymes*, illustrated by Marguerite de Angeli (Doubleday)
- *Wheel On The Chimney*, illustrated by Tibor Gergely; text: Margaret Wise Brown (Lippincott)
- *The Thanksgiving Story*, illustrated by Helen Sewell; text: Alice Dalgliesh (Scribner)

**1954 Medal Winner: *Madeline's Rescue* by Ludwig Bemelmans (Viking)**

### Honor Books:

- *Journey Cake, Ho!* illustrated by Robert McCloskey; text: Ruth Sawyer (Viking)
- *When Will the World Be Mine?* illustrated by Jean Charlot; text: Miriam Schlein (W. R. Scott)
- *The Steadfast Tin Soldier*, illustrated by Marcia Brown; text: Hans Christian Andersen, translated by M. R. James (Scribner)

- *A Very Special House*, illustrated by Maurice Sendak; text: Ruth Krauss (Harper)
- *Green Eyes* by A. Birnbaum (Capitol)

**1953 Medal Winner: *The Biggest Bear* by Lynd Ward (Houghton)**

**Honor Books:**

- *Puss in Boots*, illustrated by Marcia Brown; text: translated from Charles Perrault by Marcia Brown (Scribner)
- *One Morning in Maine* by Robert McCloskey (Viking)
- *Ape in a Cape: An Alphabet of Odd Animals* by Fritz Eichenberg (Harcourt)
- *The Storm Book*, illustrated by Margaret Bloy Graham; text: Charlotte Zolotow (Harper)
- *Five Little Monkeys* by Juliet Kepes (Houghton)

**1952 Medal Winner: *Finders Keepers*, illustrated by Nicolas, pseud. (Nicholas Mordvinoff); text: Will, pseud. [William Lipkind] (Harcourt)**

**Honor Books:**

- *Mr. T. W. Anthony Woo* by Marie Hall Ets (Viking)
- *Skipper John's Cook* by Marcia Brown (Scribner)
- *All Falling Down*, illustrated by Margaret Bloy Graham; text: Gene Zion (Harper)
- *Bear Party* by William Pène du Bois (Viking)
- *Feather Mountain* by Elizabeth Olds (Houghton)

**1951 Medal Winner: *The Egg Tree* by Katherine Milhous (Scribner)**

**Honor Books:**

- *Dick Whittington and his Cat* by Marcia Brown (Scribner)
- *The Two Reds*, ill. by Nicolas, pseud. (Nicholas Mordvinoff); text: Will, pseud. [William Lipkind] (Harcourt)
- *If I Ran the Zoo* by Dr. Seuss, pseud. [Theodor Seuss Geisel] (Random House)
- *The Most Wonderful Doll in the World*, illustrated by Helen Stone; text: Phyllis McGinley (Lippincott)
- *T-Bone, the Baby Sitter* by Clare Turlay Newberry (Harper)

**1950 Medal Winner: *Song of the Swallows* by Leo Politi (Scribner)**

**Honor Books:**

- *America's Ethan Allen*, illustrated by Lynd Ward; text: Stewart Holbrook (Houghton)
- *The Wild Birthday Cake*, illustrated by Hildegard Woodward; text: Lavinia R. Davis (Doubleday)
- *The Happy Day*, illustrated by Marc Simont; text: Ruth Krauss (Harper)
- *Bartholomew and the Obleck* by Dr. Seuss, pseud. [Theodor Seuss Geisel] (Random House)
- *Henry Fisherman* by Marcia Brown

## The 1940s

**1949 Medal Winner: *The Big Snow* by Berta & Elmer Hader (Macmillan)**

### Honor Books:

- *Blueberries for Sal* by Robert McCloskey (Viking)
- *All Around the Town*, illustrated by Helen Stone; text: Phyllis McGinley (Lippincott)
- *Juanita* by Leo Politi (Scribner)
- *Fish in the Air* by Kurt Wiese (Viking)

**1948 Medal Winner: *White Snow, Bright Snow*, illustrated by Roger Duvoisin; text: Alvin Tresselt (Lothrop)**

### Honor Books:

- *Stone Soup* by Marcia Brown (Scribner)
- *McElligot's Pool* by Dr. Seuss, pseud. [Theodor Seuss Geisel] (Random House)
- *Bambino the Clown* by Georges Schreiber (Viking)
- *Roger and the Fox*, illustrated by Hildegard Woodward; text: Lavinia R. Davis (Doubleday)
- *Song of Robin Hood*, illustrated by Virginia Lee Burton; text: edited by Anne Malcolmson (Houghton)

**1947 Medal Winner: *The Little Island*, illustrated by Leonard Weisgard; text: Golden MacDonald, pseud. [Margaret Wise Brown] (Doubleday)**

### Honor Books:

- *Rain Drop Splash*, illustrated by Leonard Weisgard; text: Alvin Tresselt (Lothrop)
- *Boats on the River*, illustrated by Jay Hyde Barnum; text: Marjorie Flack (Viking)
- *Timothy Turtle*, illustrated by Tony Palazzo; text: Al Graham (Welch)
- *Pedro, the Angel of Olvera Street* by Leo Politi (Scribner)
- *Sing in Praise: A Collection of the Best Loved Hymns*, illustrated by Marjorie Torrey; text: selected by Opal Wheeler (Dutton)

**1946 Medal Winner: *The Rooster Crows* by Maud & Miska Petersham (Macmillan)**

### Honor Books:

- *Little Lost Lamb*, illustrated by Leonard Weisgard; text: Golden MacDonald, pseud. [Margaret Wise Brown] (Doubleday)
- *Sing Mother Goose*, illustrated by Marjorie Torrey; music: Opal Wheeler (Dutton)
- *My Mother is the Most Beautiful Woman in the World*, illustrated by Ruth Gannett; text: Becky Reyher (Lothrop)
- *You Can Write Chinese* by Kurt Wiese (Viking)

**1945 Medal Winner: *Prayer for a Child*, illustrated by Elizabeth Orton Jones; text: Rachel Field (Macmillan)**

### Honor Books:

- *Mother Goose*, illustrated by Tasha Tudor (Oxford University Press)

- *In the Forest* by Marie Hall Ets (Viking)
- *Yonie Wondernose* by Marguerite de Angeli (Doubleday)
- *The Christmas Anna Angel*, illustrated by Kate Seredy; text: Ruth Sawyer (Viking)

**1944 Medal Winner: *Many Moons***, illustrated by Louis Slobodkin; text: James Thurber (Harcourt)

**Honor Books:**

- *Small Rain: Verses From The Bible*, illustrated by Elizabeth Orton Jones; text: selected by Jessie Orton Jones (Viking)
- *Pierre Pidgeon*, illustrated by Arnold E. Bare; text: Lee Kingman (Houghton)
- *The Mighty Hunter* by Berta & Elmer Hader (Macmillan)
- *A Child's Good Night Book*, illustrated by Jean Charlot; text: Margaret Wise Brown (W. R. Scott)
- *Good-Luck Horse*, illustrated by Plato Chan; text: Chih-Yi Chan (Whittlesey)

**1943 Medal Winner: *The Little House*** by Virginia Lee Burton (Houghton)

**Honor Books:**

- *Dash and Dart* by Mary & Conrad Buff (Viking)
- *Marshmallow* by Clare Turlay Newberry (Harper)

**1942 Medal Winner: *Make Way for Ducklings*** by Robert McCloskey (Viking)

**Honor Books:**

- *An American ABC* by Maud & Miska Petersham (Macmillan)
- *In My Mother's House*, illustrating by Velino Herrera; text: Ann Nolan Clark (Viking)
- *Paddle-To-The-Sea* by Holling C. Holling (Houghton)
- *Nothing At All*, by Wanda Gág (Coward)

**1941 Medal Winner: *They Were Strong and Good***, by Robert Lawson (Viking)

**Honor Book:**

- *April's Kittens* by Clare Turlay Newberry (Harper)

**1940 Medal Winner: *Abraham Lincoln*** by Ingri & Edgar Parin d'Aulaire (Doubleday)

**Honor Books:**

- *Cock-a-Doodle Doo* by Berta & Elmer Hader (Macmillan)
- *Madeline* by Ludwig Bemelmans (Viking)
- *The Ageless Story* by Lauren Ford (Dodd)

## The 1930s

**1939 Medal Winner: *Mei Li* by Thomas Handforth (Doubleday)**

**Honor Books:**

- *Andy and the Lion* by James Daugherty (Viking)

- *Barkis* by Clare Turlay Newberry (Harper)
- *The Forest Pool* by Laura Adams Armer (Longmans)
- *Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs* by Wanda Gág (Coward)
- *Wee Gillis*, illustrated by Robert Lawson; text: Munro Leaf (Viking)

### **1938 Medal Winner:**

***Animals of the Bible, A Picture Book*, illustrated by Dorothy P. Lathrop;  
text: selected by Helen Dean Fish (Lippincott)**

### **Honor Books:**

- *Four and Twenty Blackbirds*, illustrated by Robert Lawson; text: compiled by Helen Dean Fish (Stokes)
- *Seven Simeons: A Russian Tale*, retold and illustrated by Boris Artzybasheff (Viking)