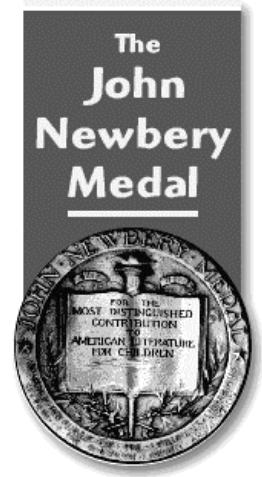


Newbery Medal Winners, 1922 – Present



The Newbery Medal was named for eighteenth-century British bookseller John Newbery. It is awarded annually by the Association for Library Service to Children, a division of the American Library Association, to the author of the most distinguished contribution to American literature for children.

- 2006:** *Criss Cross* by Lynne Rae Perkins (Greenwillow Books/HarperCollins)
- 2005:** *Kira-Kira* by Cynthia Kadohata (Atheneum Books for Young Readers/Simon & Schuster)
- 2004:** *The Tale of Despereaux: Being the Story of a Mouse, a Princess, Some Soup, and a Spool of Thread* by Kate DiCamillo (Candlewick Press)
- 2003:** *Crispin: The Cross of Lead* by Avi (Hyperion Books for Children)
- 2002:** *A Single Shard* by Linda Sue Park (Clarion Books/Houghton Mifflin)
- 2001:** *A Year Down Yonder* by Richard Peck (Dial)
- 2000:** *Bud, Not Buddy* by Christopher Paul Curtis (Delacorte)
- 1999:** *Holes* by Louis Sachar (Frances Foster)
- 1998:** *Out of the Dust* by Karen Hesse (Scholastic)
- 1997:** *The View from Saturday* by E.L. Konigsburg (Jean Karl/Atheneum)
- 1996:** *The Midwife's Apprentice* by Karen Cushman (Clarion)
- 1995:** *Walk Two Moons* by Sharon Creech (HarperCollins)
- 1994:** *The Giver* by Lois Lowry (Houghton)
- 1993:** *Missing May* by Cynthia Rylant (Jackson/Orchard)
- 1992:** *Shiloh* by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor (Atheneum)
- 1991:** *Maniac Magee* by Jerry Spinelli (Little, Brown)
- 1990:** *Number the Stars* by Lois Lowry (Houghton)
- 1989:** *Joyful Noise: Poems for Two Voices* by Paul Fleischman (Harper)
- 1988:** *Lincoln: A Photobiography* by Russell Freedman (Clarion)
- 1987:** *The Whipping Boy* by Sid Fleischman (Greenwillow)
- 1986:** *Sarah, Plain and Tall* by Patricia MacLachlan (Harper)
- 1985:** *The Hero and the Crown* by Robin McKinley (Greenwillow)
- 1984:** *Dear Mr. Henshaw* by Beverly Cleary (Morrow)
- 1983:** *Dacey's Song* by Cynthia Voigt (Atheneum)
- 1982:** *A Visit to William Blake's Inn: Poems for Innocent and Experienced Travelers* by Nancy Willard (Harcourt)
- 1981:** *Jacob Have I Loved* by Katherine Paterson (Crowell)
- 1980:** *A Gathering of Days: A New England Girl's Journal, 1830-1832* by Joan W. Blos (Scribner)
- 1979:** *The Westing Game* by Ellen Raskin (Dutton)
- 1978:** *Bridge to Terabithia* by Katherine Paterson (Crowell)
- 1977:** *Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry* by Mildred D. Taylor (Dial)
- 1976:** *The Grey King* by Susan Cooper (McElderry/Atheneum)
- 1975:** *M. C. Higgins, the Great* by Virginia Hamilton (Macmillan)
- 1974:** *The Slave Dancer* by Paula Fox (Bradbury)
- 1973:** *Julie of the Wolves* by Jean Craighead George (Harper)
- 1972:** *Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH* by Robert C. O'Brien (Atheneum)
- 1971:** *Summer of the Swans* by Betsy Byars (Viking)
- 1970:** *Souder* by William H. Armstrong (Harper)

1969: *The High King* by Lloyd Alexander (Holt)
1968: *From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler* by E.L. Konigsburg (Atheneum)
1967: *Up a Road Slowly* by Irene Hunt (Follett)
1966: *I, Juan de Pareja* by Elizabeth Borton de Trevino (Farrar)
1965: *Shadow of a Bull* by Maia Wojciechowska (Atheneum)
1964: *It's Like This, Cat* by Emily Neville (Harper)
1963: *A Wrinkle in Time* by Madeleine L'Engle (Farrar)
1962: *The Bronze Bow* by Elizabeth George Speare (Houghton)
1961: *Island of the Blue Dolphins* by Scott O'Dell (Houghton)
1960: *Onion John* by Joseph Krumgold (Crowell)
1959: *The Witch of Blackbird Pond* by Elizabeth George Speare (Houghton)
1958: *Rifles for Watie* by Harold Keith (Crowell)
1957: *Miracles on Maple Hill* by Virginia Sorenson (Harcourt)
1956: *Carry On, Mr. Bowditch* by Jean Lee Latham (Houghton)
1955: *The Wheel on the School* by Meindert DeJong (Harper)
1954: *...And Now Miguel* by Joseph Krumgold (Crowell)
1953: *Secret of the Andes* by Ann Nolan Clark (Viking)
1952: *Ginger Pye* by Eleanor Estes (Harcourt)
1951: *Amos Fortune, Free Man* by Elizabeth Yates (Dutton)
1950: *The Door in the Wall* by Marguerite de Angeli (Doubleday)
1949: *King of the Wind* by Marguerite Henry (Rand McNally)
1948: *The Twenty-One Balloons* by William Pène du Bois (Viking)
1947: *Miss Hickory* by Carolyn Sherwin Bailey (Viking)
1946: *Strawberry Girl* by Lois Lenski (Lippincott)
1945: *Rabbit Hill* by Robert Lawson (Viking)
1944: *Johnny Tremain* by Esther Forbes (Houghton)
1943: *Adam of the Road* by Elizabeth Janet Gray (Viking)
1942: *The Matchlock Gun* by Walter Edmonds (Dodd)
1941: *Call It Courage* by Armstrong Sperry (Macmillan)
1940: *Daniel Boone* by James Daugherty (Viking)
1939: *Thimble Summer* by Elizabeth Enright (Rinehart)
1938: *The White Stag* by Kate Seredy (Viking)
1937: *Roller Skates* by Ruth Sawyer (Viking)
1936: *Caddie Woodlawn* by Carol Ryrie Brink (Macmillan)
1935: *Dobry* by Monica Shannon (Viking)
1934: *Invincible Louisa: The Story of the Author of Little Women* by Cornelia Meigs (Little, Brown)
1933: *Young Fu of the Upper Yangtze* by Elizabeth Lewis (Winston)
1932: *Waterless Mountain* by Laura Adams Armer (Longmans)
1931: *The Cat Who Went to Heaven* by Elizabeth Coatsworth (Macmillan)
1930: *Hitty, Her First Hundred Years* by Rachel Field (Macmillan)
1929: *The Trumpeter of Krakow* by Eric P. Kelly (Macmillan)
1928: *Gay Neck, the Story of a Pigeon* by Dhan Gopal Mukerji (Dutton)
1927: *Smoky, the Cowhorse* by Will James (Scribner)
1926: *Shen of the Sea* by Arthur Bowie Chrisman (Dutton)
1925: *Tales from Silver Lands* by Charles Finger (Doubleday)
1924: *The Dark Frigate* by Charles Hawes (Little, Brown)
1923: *The Voyages of Doctor Dolittle* by Hugh Lofting (Stokes)
1922: *The Story of Mankind* by Hendrik Willem van Loon (Liveright)