

**2021 Battle of the Books
Book List
Grades 4-6**



Applegate, Katherine	The One and Only Ivan
Chokshi, Roshani	Aruh Shah: and the End of Time
Clements, Andrew	Losers Club
Craft, Jerry	New Kid
DiCamillo, Kate	Because of Winn-Dixie
Dowd, Siobhan	London Eye Mystery
Dowell, Frances	Phineas L. MacGuire...Erupts!: The First Experiment
Fleischman, Sid	By the Great Horn Spoon!
Fleming, Candace	Boxes for Katje
Grabenstein, Chris	Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library
Hahn, Mary Downing	Time for Andrew: A Ghost Story
Hobbs, Valerie	Carolina Crow Girl
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Jones, Kelly	Unusual Chickens for the Exceptional Poultry Farmer
Korman, Gordon	Masterminds
Levine, Gail Carson	Ella Enchanted
Lowry, Lois	Number the Stars
Manes, Stephen	Be a Perfect Person in Just Three Days
Palacio, R.J.	Wonder
Paulsen, Gary	Hatchet
Pennypacker, Sara	Clementine
Ryan, Pam Munoz	Esperanza Rising
Sachar, Louis	Holes
Scieszka, Jon	Knights of the Kitchen Table
Tarshis, Lauren	I Survived the American Revolution, 1776
Vernick, Audrey	Brothers at Bat: The True Story of an Amazing Al-Brother Baseball Team
Winthrop, Elizabeth	Castle in the Attic
Yang, Kelly	Front Desk

This 2021 list contains 28 book titles instead of the usual 30. Two have been **omitted** from that list: *What If You Had Animal Eyes?* by Sandra Markle; and *On the Banks of Plum Creek* by Laura Ingalls Wilder. They have been replaced by *Carolina Crow Girl* by Valerie Hobbs and *Holes* by Louis Sachar, both of which are highlighted above. The SBCEO team will provide practice questions for these two substituted titles. If your school site plans to hold a battle to determine who participates in the county event, you can obtain a membership from America's Battle of the Books (battleofthebooks.org) and receive school-site questions for a fee. (SBCEO does not have or provide questions for these books, just the substituted titles.) When you receive your questions from ABOB, remove the questions for the two books we have omitted and add questions from the two substituted titles.