

Newbery Award Winners and Nominees 1959–present in the YA Section

Winners

Honors

2014

One Came Home – Amy Timberlake
Paperboy – Vince Vawter

2013

The One and Only Ivan – Katherine Applegate

Bomb: the race to build –and steal- the World’s most dangerous weapon – Steve Sheinkin

2012

Inside Out and Back Again – Thanhha Lai

2011

Moon Over Manifest – Clare Vanderpool

One Crazy Summer – Rita Williams-Garcia

2010

When You Reach Me – Rebecca Stead

The Evolution of Calpurnia Tate – Jacqueline Kelly
Claudette Colvin: Twice Toward Justice – Philip Hoose
The Mostly True Adventures of Homer P. Figg – Rodman Philbrick

2009

Graveyard Book – Neil Gaiman

Savvy - Ingrid Law
After Tupac And D Foster – Jacqueline Woodson

2008

The Wednesday Wars – Gary D. Schmidt
Feathers – Jacqueline Woodson

2006

Criss Cross – Lynne Rae Perkins

2005

Kira-Kira – Cynthia Kadohata

Al Capone Does My Shirts – Jennifer Choldenko

2004

Olive’s Ocean – Kevin Henkes
An American Plague: The True and Terrifying Story of the Yellow Fever Epidemic of 1793 – Jim Murphy

2003

Crispin: The Cross of Lead – Avi

The House of the Scorpion – Nancy Farmer
Pictures of Hollis Woods – Patricia Reilly Giff
Hoot – Carl Hiaasen
A Corner of the Universe – Ann M. Martin
Surviving the Applewhites – Stephanie S. Tolan

2002

A Single Shard – Linda Sue Park

Everything on a Waffle – Polly Horvath
Carver: A Life in Poems – Marilyn Nelson

2001

A Year Down Yonder – Richard Peck

Hope Was Here – Joan Bauer

Joey Pigza Loses Control – Jack Gantos

The Wanderer – Sharon Creech

2000

Our Only May Amelia – Jennifer L. Holm

1999

Holes – Louis Sachar

A Long Way to Chicago – Richard Peck

1998

Out of the Dust – Karen Hesse

Lily's Crossing – Patricia Reilly Giff

Wringer – Jerry Spinelli

1997

The View from Saturday – E.L. Konigsburg

A Girl Named Disaster – Nancy Farmer

The Thief – Megan Whalen Turner

1996

The Midwife's Apprentice – Karen Cushman

The Watsons Go to Birmingham – Christopher Paul Curtis

1995

Walk Two Moons – Sharon Creech

Catherine, Called Birdy – Karen Cushman

The Ear, The Eye, And the Arm – Nancy Farmer

1994

The Giver – Lois Lowry

1992

Nothing But the Truth: A Documentary Novel – Avi

1991

Maniac Magee – Jerry Spinelli

The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle – Avi

1990

The Winter Room – Gary Paulsen

1989

Scorpions – Walter Dean Myers

1988

Hatchet – Gary Paulsen

1984

The Sign of the Beaver – Elizabeth George Speare

1983

Dacey's Song – Cynthia Voigt

1981

Jacob Have I Loved – Katherine Paterson

1979

The Westing Game – Ellen Raskin

1978

Bridge to Terabithia – Katherine Paterson

1977

Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry – Mildred Taylor

1976

The Grey King – Susan Cooper

1975

Figgs and Phantoms – Ellen Raskin

My Brother Sam is Dead – James Lincoln Collier and Christopher Collier

1974

The Dark is Rising – Susan Cooper

1973

Julie of the Wolves – Jean Craighead George

1972

The Tombs of Atuan – Ursula K. LeGuin

1970

Souder – William H. Armstrong

1968

The Black Pearl – Scott O’Dell

The Egypt Game – Zilpha Keatley Snyder

1967

Up A Road Slowly – Irene Hunt

1966

The Black Cauldron – Lloyd Alexander

1965

Across Five Aprils – Irene Hunt

1963

A Wrinkle in Time – Madeleine L’Engle

1962

The Bronze Bow – Elizabeth George Speare

1961

Island of the Blue Dolphins – Scott O’Dell

1960

My Side of the Mountain – Gerald W. Johnson

1959

The Witch of Blackbird Pond – Elizabeth George Speare

