

Texts Designated by Grade

Grade-Specific Titles by Author

Patricia Polacco

	Grade	GR Level	Lexile
When Lightning Comes in a Jar	3	M	540
Chicken Sunday	3	N	650
The Butterfly	3	-	430

Patricia MacLachlan

	Grade	GR Level	Lexile
Cassie Binegar	4	T	700
Baby	4	T	670
Journey	4	S	630

Jerry Spinelli

	Grade	GR Level	Lexile
Loser	5	U	650
Maniac McGee	5	W	820
Wringer	5	U	690

Additional Titles for Literature Circles Designated by Grade:

	Grade	GR Level	Lexile
The Chalk Box Kid	3	N	270
The Paint Brush Kid	3	M	300
Shoeshine Girl	3	N	330
The Kid in the Red Jacket	3	O	640
Molly's Pilgrim	3	M	450
Ramona and Her Father	3	O	840
Ramona Forever	3	O	810
Ramona and Her Mother	3	O	860
Runaway Ralph	3	O	890
The Mouse and the Motorcycle	3	O	860
Henry Huggins	3	O	670
Henry and the Paper Route	3	O	820
Dear Mr. Henshaw	3	Q	910
Muggie Maggie	3	O	730
Bunnicula	3	N/A	700
Just Grace	3	N/A	NC1060
Class Clown	3	O	670
Because of Winn Dixie	4	R	610
In the Year of the Boar...	4	S	730
The Family Under the Bridge	4	R	680
Tru Confessions	4	S	920
The Legend of the Paintbrush	4	O	AD840
The Legend of the Blue Bonnet	4	O	740
The Rough-Faced Girl	4	S	AD540

Frindle	4	R	830
School Story	4	R	760
Jake Drake, Know-It-All	4	M	570
The Jacket	4	Q	640
Landry News	4	R	950
Janitor's Boy	4	N/A	770
Journey to Jo'burg	4	S	760
Yang the Youngest...	4	P	700
There's an Owl in the Shower	4	N/A	670
Shiloh	4	R	890
Letters from Camp	4	V	NP
Regarding the Fountain	4	S	830
Trumpet of the Swan	4	R	750
Perloo, the Bold	5	S	730
Granny Torrelli Makes Soup	5	R	810
Music of the Dolphins	5	V	560
The Library Card	5	R	690
On My Honor	5	S	750
Tiger Rising	5	T	520
War Comes to Willy Freeman	5	U	800
Toliver's Secret	5	T	740
George Washington's Socks	5	T	840
My Brother Sam is Dead	5	Y	770
Sarah Bishop	5	X	760
Bud, Not Buddy	5	U	950
Poppy	5	S	670
The Fighting Ground	5	V	580
True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle	5	V	740
The View from Saturday	5	U	870
Pictures of Hollis Woods	5	V	650
Love That Dog	5	T	1010

Grade Band	Current Lexile Band	"Stretch" Lexile Band*	Revised GR Text Gradient
K-1	N/A	N/A	A-J
2-3	450L-725L	420L-820L	K-P
4-5	645L-845L	740L-1010L	Q-V
6-8	860L-1010L	925L-1185L	W-Z
9-10	960L-1115L	1050L-1335L	Z+
11-CCR	1070L-1220L	1185L-1385L	Z+