

The 2000s

2007 Medal Winner: *The Higher Power of Lucky* by **Susan Patron**, illus. by Matt Phelan (Simon & Schuster/Richard Jackson)

Honor Books:

- *Penny from Heaven* by **Jennifer L. Holm**, (Random House)
- *Hattie Big Sky* by **Kirby Larson** (Delacorte Press)
- *Rules* by **Cynthia Lord** (Scholastic)

2006 Medal Winner: *Criss Cross* by **Lynne Rae Perkins** (Greenwillow Books/HarperCollins)

Honor Books:

- *Whittington* by **Alan Armstrong**, illustrated by S.D. Schindler (Random House)
- *Hitler Youth: Growing Up in Hitler's Shadow* by **Susan Campbell Bartoletti** (Scholastic)
- *Princess Academy* by **Shannon Hale** (Bloomsbury Children's Books)
- *Show Way* by **Jacqueline Woodson**, illustrated by Hudson Talbott (G.P. Putnam's Sons)

2005 Medal Winner: *Kira-Kira* by **Cynthia Kadohata** (Atheneum Books for Young Readers/Simon & Schuster)

Honor Books:

- *Al Capone Does My Shirts* by **Gennifer Choldenko** (G.P. Putnam's Sons/a division of Penguin Young Readers Group)
- *The Voice that Challenged a Nation: Marian Anderson and the Struggle for Equal Rights* by Russell Freedman (Clarion Books/Houghton Mifflin)
- *Lizzie Bright and the Buckminster Boy* by Gary D. Schmidt (Clarion Books/Houghton Mifflin)

2004 Medal Winner: *The Tale of Despereaux: Being the Story of a Mouse, a Princess, Some Soup, and a Spool of Thread* by Kate DiCamillo, illustrated by Timothy Basil Ering, (Candlewick Press)

Honor Books:

- *Olive's Ocean* by Kevin Henkes (Greenwillow Books)
- *An American Plague: The True and Terrifying Story of the Yellow Fever Epidemic of 1793* by Jim Murphy (Clarion Books)

2003 Medal Winner: *Crispin: The Cross of Lead* by Avi (Hyperion Books for Children)

Honor Books:

- *The House of the Scorpion* by Nancy Farmer (Atheneum)
- *Pictures of Hollis Woods* by Patricia Reilly Giff (Random House/Wendy Lamb Books)
- *Hoot* by Carl Hiaasen (Knopf)
- *A Corner of The Universe* by Ann M. Martin (Scholastic)
- *Surviving the Applewhites* by Stephanie S. Tolan (HarperCollins)

2002 Medal Winner: *A Single Shard* by Linda Sue Park (Clarion Books/Houghton Mifflin)

Honor Books:

- *Everything on a Waffle* by Polly Horvath (Farrar Straus Giroux)
- *Carver: A Life In Poems* by Marilyn Nelson (Front Street)

2001 Medal Winner: *A Year Down Yonder* by Richard Peck (Dial)

Honor Books:

- *Hope Was Here* by Joan Bauer (G.P. Putnam's Sons)
- *Because of Winn-Dixie* by Kate DiCamillo (Candlewick Press)
- *Joey Pigza Loses Control* by Jack Gantos (Farrar, Straus, and Giroux)
- *The Wanderer* by Sharon Creech (Joanna Cotler Books/HarperCollins)

2000 Medal Winner: *Bud, Not Buddy* by Christopher Paul Curtis (Delacorte)

Honor Books:

- *Getting Near to Baby* by Audrey Coulombis (Putnam)
- *Our Only May Amelia* by Jennifer L. Holm (HarperCollins)
- *26 Fairmount Avenue* by Tomie dePaola (Putnam)

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1999 Medal Winner: *Holes* by Louis Sachar (Frances Foster)

Honor Book:

- *A Long Way from Chicago* by Richard Peck (Dial)

1998 Medal Winner: *Out of the Dust* by Karen Hesse (Scholastic)

Honor Books:

- *Ella Enchanted* by Gail Carson Levine (HarperCollins)
- *Lily's Crossing* by Patricia Reilly Giff (Delacorte)
- *Wringer* by Jerry Spinelli (HarperCollins)

1997 Medal Winner: *The View from Saturday* by E.L. Konigsburg (Jean Karl/Atheneum)

Honor Books:

- *A Girl Named Disaster* by Nancy Farmer (Richard Jackson/Orchard Books)
- *Moorchild* by Eloise McGraw (Margaret McElderry/Simon & Schuster)
- *The Thief* by Megan Whalen Turner (Greenwillow/Morrow)
- *Belle Prater's Boy* by Ruth White (Farrar Straus Giroux)

1996 Medal Winner: *The Midwife's Apprentice* by Karen Cushman (Clarion)

Honor Books:

- *What Jamie Saw* by Carolyn Coman (Front Street)
- *The Watsons Go to Birmingham: 1963* by Christopher Paul Curtis (Delacorte)
- *Yolonda's Genius* by Carol Fenner (Margaret K. McElderry/Simon & Schuster)
- *The Great Fire* by Jim Murphy (Scholastic)

1995 Medal Winner: *Walk Two Moons* by Sharon Creech (HarperCollins)

Honor Books:

- *Catherine, Called Birdy* by Karen Cushman (Clarion)
- *The Ear, the Eye and the Arm* by Nancy Farmer (Jackson/Orchard)

1994 Medal Winner: *The Giver* by Lois Lowry (Houghton)

Honor Books:

- *Crazy Lady* by Jane Leslie Conly (HarperCollins)
- *Dragon's Gate* by Laurence Yep (HarperCollins)
- *Eleanor Roosevelt: A Life of Discovery* by Russell Freedman (Clarion Books)

1993 Medal Winner: *Missing May* by Cynthia Rylant (Jackson/Orchard)

Honor Books:

- *What Hearts* by Bruce Brooks (A Laura Geringer Book, a HarperCollins imprint)
- *The Dark-thirty: Southern Tales of the Supernatural* by Patricia McKissack (Knopf)
- *Somewhere in the Darkness* by Walter Dean Myers (Scholastic Hardcover)

1992 Medal Winner: *Shiloh* by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor (Atheneum)

Honor Books:

- *Nothing But The Truth: a Documentary Novel* by Avi (Jackson/Orchard)
- *The Wright Brothers: How They Invented the Airplane* by Russell Freedman (Holiday House)

1991 Medal Winner: *Maniac Magee* by Jerry Spinelli (Little, Brown)

Honor Book:

- *The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle* by Avi (Jackson/Orchard)

1990 Medal Winner: *Number the Stars* by Lois Lowry (Houghton)

Honor Books:

- *Afternoon of the Elves* by Janet Taylor Lisle (Jackson/Orchard)
- *Shabanu, Daughter of the Wind* by Suzanne Fisher Staples (Knopf)

- *The Winter Room* by Gary Paulsen (Jackson/Orchard)