

Must Read Books for Teens

We have been compiling a list of just really good classic books that all homeschool kids should read!
Good quality, good honest and enjoyable books that will leave a positive impact on our kids!

These lists have been submitted by readers - submit your own to share, too!

Newberry Medal Winners 2001

The Newberry Medal is awarded annually to the most distinguished contribution to children's literature published in the United States.

- 2001...~... A Year Down Yonder, Richard Peck
- 2000 ...~... Bud, Not Buddy, Christopher Paul Curtis
- 1999 ...~... Holes, Louis Sachar
- 1998 ...~... Out of the Dust, Karen Hesse
- 1997 ...~... The View from Saturday, E.L. Konigsburg
- 1996 ...~... The Midwife's Apprentice, Karen Cushman
- 1995 ...~... Walk Two Moons, Sharon Creech
- 1994 ...~... The Giver, Lois Lowry
- 1993 ...~... Missing May, Cynthia Rylant
- 1992...~... Shiloh, Phyllis Reynolds Naylor
- 1991 ...~... Maniac Magee, Jerry Spinelli
- 1990 ...~... Number the Stars, Lois Lowry
- 1989 ...~... Joyful Noise: Poems for Two Voices, Paul Fleischman
- 1988 ...~... Lincoln: A Photobiography, Russell Freedman
- 1987 ...~... The Whipping Boy, Sid Fleischman
- 1986...~... Sarah, Plain and Tall, Patricia MacLachlan
- 1985 ...~... The Hero and the Crown, Robin McKinley
- 1984 ...~... Dear Mr. Henshaw, Beverly Cleary
- 1983...~... Dicey's Song, Cynthia Voigt
- 1982 ...~... A Visit to William Blake's Inn:
Poems for Innocent & Exp. Travelers, Nancy Willard
- 1981...~... Jacob Have I Loved, Katherine Paterson
- 1980...~... A Gathering of Days: A New England Girl's Journal,
1830-32, Joan W. Blos
- 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 ...~... M.C. Higgins the Great, Virginia Hamilton
- 1974 ...~... The Slave Dancer, Paula Fox
- 1973...~... Julie of the Wolves, Jean C. George
- 1972 ...~... Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH, Robert C. O'Brien
- 1971 ...~... Summer of the Swans, Betsy C. Byars
- 1970 ...~... Souder, William Armstrong
- 1969 ...~... The High King, Lloyd Alexander

Newberry Medal Winners 2001 (Continued)

- 1968 ...~... From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler, E.L. Konigsburg
1967...~... Up a Road Slowly, Irene Hunt
1966 ...~... I, Juan de Pareja, Elizabeth B. de Trevi'o
1965...~... Shadow of a Bull, Maia Wojciechowska
1964...~... It's Like This, Cat, Emily C. Neville
1963 ...~... A Wrinkle in Time, Madeleine L'Engle
1962 ...~... The Bronze Bow, Elizabeth G. Speare
1961...~... Island of the Blue Dolphins, Scott O'Dell
1960 ...~... Onion John, Joseph Krumgold
1959 ...~... The Witch of Blackbird Pond, Elizabeth G. Speare
1958 ...~... Rifles for Watie, Harold Keith
1957 ...~... Miracles on Maple Hill, Virginia Sorensen
1956 ...~... Carry On, Mr. Bowditch, Jean L. Latham
1955 ...~... The Wheel on the School, Meindert De Jong
1954 ...~... And Now Miguel, Joseph Krumgold
1953 ...~... Secret of the Andes, Ann N. Clark
1952 ...~... Ginger Pye, Eleanor Estes
1951 ...~... Amos Fortune, Free Man, Elizabeth Yates
1950 ...~... The Door in the Wall: Story of Medieval London, Marguerite de Angeli
1949 ...~... King of the Wind, Marguerite Henry
1948 ...~... Twenty-One Balloons, William Pene du Bois
1947 ...~... Miss Hickory, Carolyn S. Bailey
1946 ...~... Strawberry Girl, Lois Lenski
1945...~... Rabbit Hill, Robert Lawson
1944...~... Johnny Tremain, Ester Forbes
1943...~... Adam of the Road, Elizabeth J. Gray
1942 ...~... The Matchlock Gun, Walter D. Edmonds
1941 ...~... Call It Courage, Armstrong Sperry
1940...~... Daniel Boone, James Daugherty
1939 ...~... Thimble Summer, Elizabeth Enright
1938 ...~... The White Stag, Kate Seredy
1937 ...~... Roller Skates, Ruth Sawyer
1936...~... Caddie Woodlawn, Carol R. Brink
1935...~... Dobry, Monica Shannon
1934...~... Invincible Louisa, Cornelia Meigs
1933 ...~... Young Fu of the Upper Yangtze, Elizabeth F. Lewis
1932...~... Waterless Mountain, Laura A. Armer
1931 ...~... The Cat Who Went to Heaven, Elizabeth Coatsworth
1930 ...~... Hitty, Her First Hundred Years, Rachel Field
1929 ...~... The Trumpeter of Krakow, Eric P. Kelly
1928 ...~... Gay-Neck: The Story of a Pigeon, Dhan G. Mukerji
1927 ...~... Smoky, the Cow Horse, Will James
1926...~... Shen of the Sea, Arthur B. Chrisman
1925 ...~... Tales from Silver Lands, Charles J. Finger
1924 ...~... The Dark Frigate, Charles B. Hawes
1923 ...~... The Voyages of Doctor Dolittle, Hugh Lofting
1922...~... The Story of Mankind, Hendrik W. Van Loon

RECOMMENDED READING FOR TEENS

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Rather than reading another book in a modern series, perhaps your teen-ager would like to dig into some classic literature. These books are truly timeless, educational and thoroughly enjoyable -- even for today's youth. Here's a list of recommended books for your Junior/Senior High School level children. **Happy reading!**

JUNIOR HIGH

A Christmas Carol ~ Charles Dickens

A Wonder Book ~ Nathaniel Hawthorne

Adventures of Huckleberry Finn ~ Mark Twain

Adventures of Tom Sawyer, The ~ Mark Twain

Call of the Wild ~ Jack London

Christy ~ Catherine Marshall

David Copperfield ~ Charles Dickens

Emma ~ Jane Austen

Girl of the Limberlost, The
~ Gene Stratton Porter (and other books)

Jane Eyre ~ Charlotte Bronte

Lord of the Rings, The ~ J.R.R. Tolkien

Merry Adventures of Robin Hood, The ~
Howard Pyle

Pilgrim's Progress ~ John Bunyan

Plutarch's Lives ~ Plutarch
(T. North translation)

Pride and Prejudice ~ Jane Austen

Robinson Crusoe ~ William Defoe

Tanglewood Tales ~ Nathaniel Hawthorne

Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea ~
Jules Verne

White Fang ~ Jack London

HIGH SCHOOL AND UP

A Room with a View ~ E.M. Forster

A Tale of Two Cities ~ Charles Dickens

Age of Innocence ~ Edith Wharton

Autobiography of Benjamin Franklin, The ~
Benjamin Franklin

Ben Hur ~ Lew Wallace

Count of Monte Cristo, The ~ Alexander Dumas

Crime and Punishment ~ Fyodor Dostoevsky

Cry, the Beloved Country ~ Alan Paton

David Copperfield ~ Charles Dickens

Doctor Zhivago ~ Boris Pasternak

Don Quixote ~ Miguel De Cervantes

Frankenstein ~ Mary Shelley

Great Expectations ~ Charles Dickens

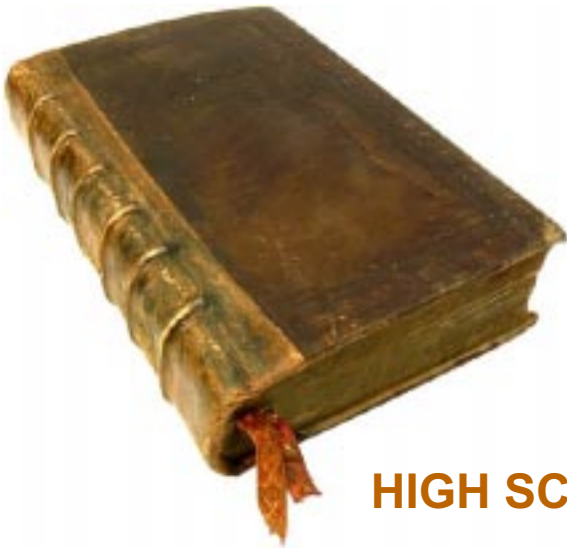
Gulliver's Travels ~ Jonathan Swift

Hiding Place, The ~ Corrie Ten Boom

Howard's End ~ E.M. Forster

Iliad, The ~ Homer
Ivanhoe ~ Sir Walter Scott

Last of the Mohicans, The ~
James Fenimore Cooper



HIGH SCHOOL AND UP (Continued)

L'Abri ~ Edith Schaeffer

Odyssey, The ~ Homer

Once and Future King, The ~ T.H. White

Owls in the Family ~ Farley Mowat

Persuasion ~ Jane Austen

Pilgrim's Regress, The ~ C.S. Lewis

Pride and Prejudice ~ Jane Austen

Rime of the Ancient Mariner, The ~ Samuel Taylor Coleridge

Rob Roy ~ Sir Walter Scott

Scarlet Letter, The ~ Nathaniel Hawthorne

Scarlet Pimpernel, The ~ Baroness Emmuska Orczy

Sense and Sensibility ~ Jane Austen

Silas Marner ~ George Eliot

Screwtape Letters, The ~ C.S. Lewis

Space Trilogy, The ~ C.S. Lewis

Uncle Tom's Cabin ~ Harriet Beecher Stowe

Walden ~ Henry David Thoreau

A Classical Study List

- Aeschylus ~ **The Oresteia**
Anonymous ~ **Beowulf**
Anonymous ~ **Everyman**
Anonymous ~ **Sir Gawain and the Green Knight**
Aristophanes ~ **Comedies**
Aristotle ~ **Poetics**
Aristotle ~ **Nichomachean Ethics**
Augustine ~ **The Confessions**
Austin, Jane ~ **Emma**
Austin, Jane ~ **Pride and Prejudice**
Baldwin, James ~ **Go Tell It On The Mountain**
Blake, William ~ **(Selections) Poetry**
Bolt, Robert ~ **A Man for All Seasons**
Bonhoeffer, Dietrich ~
Letters and Papers from Prison
Bronte, Charlotte ~ **Jane Eyre**
Bronte, Emily ~ **Wuthering Heights**
Browning, Robert ~ **(Selections) Poetry**
Buechner, Frederick ~ **Peculiar Treasures**
Bullfinch, Thomas ~ **The Age of Fable**
Bunyan, Paul ~ **Pilgrim's Progress**
Burdick, Eugene ~ **Fail-Safe**
Camus, Albert ~ **The Stranger**
Carroll, Lewis ~
Alice's Adventure's in Wonderland
Carroll, Lewis ~ **Through the Looking Glass**
Cather, Willa ~ **My Antonia**
Cervantes, Miguel de ~ **Don Quixote**
Chaucer, Geoffrey ~
Canterbury Tales (Selections)
Christy, Agatha ~ **And Then There Were None**
Coleridge, Samuel ~
The Rime of the Ancient Mariner
Conrad, Joseph ~ **Heart of Darkness**
Cooper, James F. ~ **The Last of the Mohicans**
Cooper, James F. ~ **The Deerslayer**
Crane, Stephen ~ **The Red Badge of Courage**
Dante ~ **The Divine Comedy**
Darwin, Charles ~ **Origin of Species**
Day, Clarence ~ **Life with Father**
Defoe, Daniel ~ **Robinson Crusoe**
Dickens, Charles ~ **Great Expectations**
Dickens, Charles ~ **Oliver Twist**
Dickinson, Emily ~
The Complete Poems (Selections)
Donne, John ~ **(Selections) Poetry**
Dostoevski, Feodor ~
Crime and Punishment
Doyle, Arthur Conan ~
The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes
Dumas, Alexandre ~ **The Three Musketeers**
Eliot, George ~ **Silas Marner**
Eliot, T.S. ~ **Four Quartets**
Eliot, T.S. ~ **Murder in the Cathedral**
Emerson, ~ **Ralph Waldo Essays**
Euripides ~ **The Bacchae**
Faulkner, William ~ **The Bear**
Faulkner, William ~ **Go Down, Moses**
Fitzgerald, F. Scott ~ **The Great Gatsby**
Foxe, John ~ **Foxe's Book of Martyrs**
Frank, Anne ~ **The Diary of a Young Girl**
Franklin, Benjamin ~ **Autobiography**
Frost, Robert ~ **(Selections) Poetry**
Gibson, William ~ **The Miracle Worker**
Goethe, Johann W. von ~ **Faust**
Golding, William ~ **Lord of the Flies**
Hamilton, Edith ~ **Mythology**
Hamilton, Madison, & Jay ~ **The Federalists**
Hardy, Thomas ~ **Mayor of Casterbridge**
Hawthorne, Nathaniel ~ **Scarlett Letter**
Hemingway, Ernest ~ **A Farewell to Arms**
Hemingway, Ernest ~
The Old Man and the Sea
Herbert, George ~ **The Temple**
Herodotus ~ **History of the Persian Wars**
Heyerdahl, Thor ~ **Kon-Tiki**
Hilton, James ~ **Lost Horizon**
Homer ~ **The Iliad**
Homer ~ **The Odyssey**
Hugo, Victor ~ **Les Miserables**
Hugo, Victor ~
The Hunchback of Notre Dame
Huxley, Aldous ~ **Brave New World**
Irving, Washington ~ **The Sketchbook**
James, Henry ~ **The Portrait of a Lady**
Joyce, James ~ **Dubliners**
Kafka, Franz ~ **The Trial**
Keats, John ~ **The Great Odes**
Kierkegaard, Soren ~ **Fear and Trembling**
Kipling, Rudyard ~ **Captains Courageous**
Kipling, Rudyard ~ **(Selections) Poetry**
Knowles, John ~ **A Separate Peace**
Lee, Harper ~ **To Kill A Mockingbird**
Lewis, C.S. ~ **The Chronicles of Narnia**
Lewis, C.S. ~ **Mere Christianity**

Lewis, C.S. ~ **The Screwtape Letters**
London, Jack ~ **The Call of the Wild**
London, Jack ~ **White Fang**
Machiavelli, Niccolo ~ **The Prince**
Malory, Sir Thomas ~ **Le Morte D'Arthur**
Marlowe, Christopher ~ **Doctor Faust**
Marx, Karl ~ **Communist Manifesto**
Maupassant, G. de ~
(Selections) Short Story
Melville, Herman ~ **Moby Dick**
Milton, John ~ **Paradise Lost**
More, Thomas ~ **Utopia**
Nietzsche, Friedrich ~ **Twilight of the Idols**
Nordhoff & Hall ~ **Mutiny on the Bounty**
O'Connor, Flannery ~
A Good Man is Hard to Find
O'Neill, Eugene ~ **The Emperor Jones**
Orwell, George ~ **Animal Farm**
Orwell, George ~ **1984**
Paine, Thomas ~ **The Rights of Man**
Pascal, Blaise ~ **Pensees**
Paton, Alan Cry, ~ **The Beloved Country**
Plato ~ **Apology**
Plato ~ **The Republic**
Poe, Edgar Allan ~
Fall of The House of Usher
Poe, Edgar Allan ~ **(Selections)**
Remarque, Erich M. ~
All Quiet on the Western Front
Rostand, Edmund ~ **Cyrano de Bergerac**
Salinger, J.D. ~ **The Catcher in the Rye**
Scott, Sir Walter ~ **Ivanhoe**
Shakespeare ~ (Selections) . **British Drama**
Shakespeare ~ (Selections) . **British Poetry**
Shaw, George Bernard ~ **Pygmalian**
Shelley, Mary ~ **Frankenstein**
Solzhenitsyn, Aleksandr I. ~
One Day in the Life of Ivan Denisovich
Sophocles ~ **The Three Theban Plays**
Steinbeck, John ~ **The Grapes of Wrath**
Steinbeck, John ~ **The Pearl**
Stevenson, Robert Lewis ~
Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde
Stevenson, Robert Lewis ~ **Treasure Island**
Stevenson, Robert Lewis ~ **Kidnapped**
Stowe, Harriet Beecher ~ **Uncle Tom's Cabin**
Swift, Jonathan ~ **Gulliver's Travels**
Tennyson, Lord Alfred ~ **(Selections) Poetry**

Thackeray, William ~ **Vanity Fair**
Thoreau, Henry David ~ **Civil Disobedience**
Thoreau, Henry David ~ **Walden**
Tocqueville, Alexis de ~
Democracy in America
Tolkien, J.R.R. ~
The Lord of the Rings Trilogy
Tolstoy, Leo ~ **War and Peace**
Turgenev, Ivan ~ **Fathers and Sons**
Twain, Mark ~
The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn
Twain, Mark ~
The Adventures of Tom Sawyer
Verne, Jules ~
20,000 Leagues Under the Sea
Virgil ~ **The Aeneid**
Voltaire ~ **Candide**
Vonnegut, Kurt ~ **Cat's Cradle**
Wallace, Lewis ~ **Ben Hur**
Washington, Booker T. ~ **Up From Slavery**
Wells, H.G. ~ **Collected Works of H.G. Wells**
Wharton, Edith ~ **Ethan Frome**
Whitman, Walt ~ **Leaves of Grass**
Wordsworth, William ~ **(Selections)**
Wouk, Herman ~ **The Caine Mutiny**
Yeats, William Butler ~ **(Selections) Poetry**
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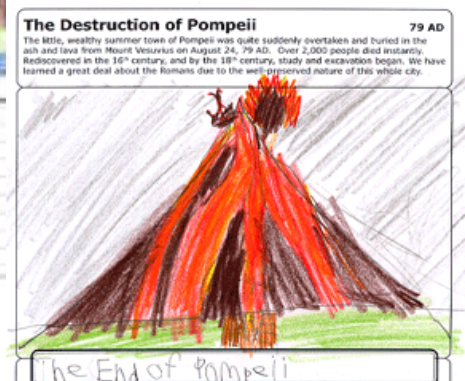
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- The 30's and WWII
- Cold War 'till Now



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- Medieval Saints
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- The Space Race
- Ancient Japan
- Timeline of Warfare
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- South America
- Understanding Islam



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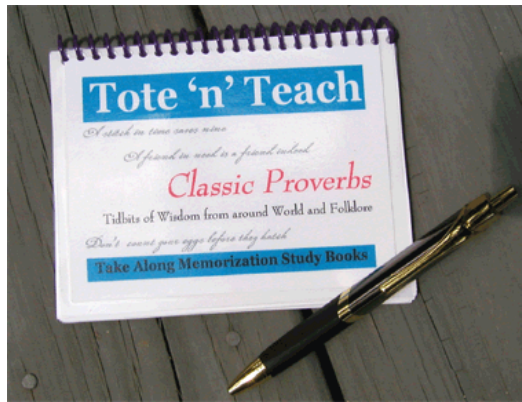
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