2020 NOMINATED BOOKS

Read each book in your grade category, and VOTE FOR YOUR FAVORITE in February 2020!

PRE-K - 2ND GRADE
Lost in the Library: A Story of Patience and Fortitude
written by Josh Funk; illustrated by Stevie Lewis

The Big Bed
written by Bunmi Laditan; illustrated by Tom Knight

Eat Pete!
written by Michael Rex

Hedgehog Needs a Hug
written by Jen Betton

Kitten and the Night Watchman
written by John Sullivan; illustrated by Taeeun Yoo

Sisters and Champions: The True Story of Venus and Serena Williams
written by Howard Bryant; illustrated by Floyd Cooper

Star in the Jar
written by Sam Hay; illustrated by Sarah Massini

The Broken Ornament
written by Tony DiTerlizzi

What Do They Do With All That Poo?
written by Jane Kurtz; illustrated by Allison Black

How to Build a Hug: Temple Grandin and Her Amazing Squeeze Machine
written by Amy Guglielmo and Jacqueline Tourville; illustrated by Giselle Potter

Something Smells!
written by Blake Liliane Hellman; illustrated by Steven Henry

3RD - 5TH GRADE
Good Dog
written by Dan Gemienhart

Bob
written by Wendy Mass and Rebecca Stead; illustrated by Nicholas Gannon

Hope in the Holler
written by Lisa Lewis Tyre

The Unforgettable Guinevere St. Clair
written by Amy Makechnie

Wonderland
written by Barbara O’Conner

Brave Jane Austin: Reader, Writer, Author, Rebel
written by Lisa Pliscou; illustrated by Jen Corace

Amal Unbound
written by Aisha Saeed

Flying Deep: Climb Inside Deep-Sea Submersible Alvin
written by Michelle Cusolito; illustrated by Nicole Wong

Real Friends: A True Story About Cool Kids and Crybabies
written by Shannon Hale; illustrated by LeUyen Pham

The Boy, The Boat, and The Beast
written by Samantha M. Clark

6TH - 8TH GRADE
The Parker Inheritance
written by Varian Johnson

Until Tomorrow, Mr. Marsworth
written by Shelia O’Connor

The Doughnut Fix
written by Jessie Janowitz

Lucky Little Things
written by Janice Erlbaum

The Not-So-Boring Letters of Private Nobody
written by Matthew Landis

Lifeboat 12
written by Susan Hood

The Language of Spells
written by Garret Weyr; illustrated by Katie Harnett

Countdown: 2979 Days to the Moon
written by Suzanne Slade; illustrated by Thomas Gonzalez

9TH -12TH GRADE
Boots on the Ground: America’s War in Vietnam
written by Elizabeth Partridge

Dread Nation
written by Justina Ireland

A Heart in a Body in the World
written by Deb Caletti

Orphan Monster Spy
written by Matt Killeen

The Strange Fascinations of Noah Hypnotik
written by David Arnold

What I Leave Behind
written by Alison McGhee