



## AWARD WINNING BOOKS

The American Library Association awards the Newbery Medal annually for the most distinguished American children's book published the previous year. The Newbery Award was the first children's book award in the world.

- 2008:** *Good Masters! Sweet Ladies! Voices from a Medieval Village* by Laura Amy Schlitz (Candlewick)
- 2007:** *The Higher Power of Lucky* by Susan Patron, illus. by Matt Phelan (Simon & Schuster/Richard Jackson)
- 2006:** *Criss Cross* by Lynne Rae Perkins (Greenwillow Books/HarperCollins)
- 2005:** *Kira-Kira* by Cynthia Kadohata (Atheneum Books for Young Readers/Simon & Schuster)
- 2004:** *The Tale of Despereaux: Being the Story of a Mouse, a Princess, Some Soup, and a Spool of Thread* by Kate DiCamillo (Candlewick Press)
- 2003:** *Crispin: The Cross of Lead* by Avi (Hyperion Books for Children)
- 2002:** *A Single Shard* by Linda Sue Park (Clarion Books/Houghton Mifflin)
- 2001:** *A Year Down Yonder* by Richard Peck (Dial)
- 2000:** *Bud, Not Buddy* by Christopher Paul Curtis (Delacorte)

The Caldecott Medal is awarded annually to the most distinguished American picture book for children.

- 2008:** *The Invention of Hugo Cabret* by Brian Selznick (Scholastic Press, an imprint of Scholastic)
- 2007:** *Flotsam* by David Wiesner (Clarion)
- 2006:** *The Hello, Goodbye Window* Illustrated by Chris Raschka, written by Norton Juster (Michael di Capua/Hyperion)
- 2005:** *Kitten's First Full Moon* by Kevin Henkes (Greenwillow Books HarperCollinsPublishers)
- 2004:** *The Man Who Walked Between the Towers* by Mordicai Gerstein (Roaring Brook Press/Millbrook Press)
- 2003:** *My Friend Rabbit* by Eric Rohmann (Roaring Brook Press/Millbrook Press)
- 2002:** *The Three Pigs* by David Wiesner (Clarion/Houghton Mifflin)
- 2001:** *So You Want to Be President?* Illustrated by David Small; text by Judith St. George (Philomel Books)
- 2000:** *Joseph Had a Little Overcoat* by Simms Taback (Viking)