

Fifth Grade Recommended Reading List

Fiction

Pick of the Litter, by Bill Wallace

The Watsons Go to Birmingham, by Christopher Paul Curtis

Gossamer, by Lois Lowry

Summerland, by Michael Chabon

Sideways Stories from Wayside School, by Louis Sachar, series

Hardy Boys, by Franklin Dixon, series

Nancy Drew, by Carolyn Keene, series

Nancy Drew, by Carolyn Keene and Macky Pamintuan, series

Poppy, by Avi, series

How Come the Best Clues Are Always in the Garbage? by Linda Bailey, series

Sarah's Boat, by Douglas Alvord

Riddle of the Prairie Bride, American Girl History Mysteries, series

Non-fiction

The Revenge of the Whale: the True Story of the Whaleship Essex, by Nathaniel Philbrick

Women of the Lights, by Candace Fleming

Triumph on Everest: A Photobiography of Sir Edmund Hillary, by Brian Colburn

For Boys Only: The Biggest, Baddest Book Ever, by Marc Aronsen

DK Eyewitness Books, by DK Publishing