

**De Anza Middle School**  
**Core and Extended Literature Novels**

Grade	Author	Title	AR RL
<b>Sixth Grade</b>			
6	L'Engle, Madeline	A Wrinkle in Time	4.7
6	Denzel, Justin	Boy of the Painted Cave	5.2
6	Sperry, Armstrong	Call it Courage	6.2
6	Slote, Alfred	Finding Buck McHenry	3.5
6	Sachar, Louis	Holes	4.6
6	George, Jean Craighead	Julie of the Wolves	5.8
6	Turnbull, Ann	Maroo of the Winter Caves	5.7 *
6	O'Brien, Robert	Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH	5.1
6	Potter, Robert	Myths and Folk Tales Around the World	7th *
6	Armstrong, William	Sounder	5.3
6	Ho, Minfong	The Clay Marble	5.4
6	Snyder, Zilpha Keatly	The Egypt Game	6.4
6	McGraw, Eloise	The Golden Goblet	6.3
6	Cox, Miriam	The Magic and the Sword	?
6	Juster, Norton	The Phantom Tollbooth	6.7
6	Stevenson, Robert Louis	Treasure Island	8.3
6	Babbitt, Natalie	Tuck Everlasting	5.0
6	Du Bois, William Pene	Twenty-one Balloons	6.8
<b>Seventh Grade</b>			
7	Yep, Lawrence	Dragonwings	5.3
7	Ryan, Pam Munoz	Esperanza Rising	5.3
7	Voigt, Cynthia	Homecoming	4.4
7	Fritz, Jean	Homesick, My Own Story	5.1
7	Trevino, Elizabeth Borton de	I, Juan de Pareja	6.5
7	Lord, Betty	In the Year of the Boar and Jackie Robinson	4.6
7	Beatty, Patricia	Lupita Manana	4.7
7	Paterson, Katherine	Master Puppeteer	5.4
7	Pyle, Howard	Otto of the Silver Hand	?
7	Cervantes, Esther and Alex	Retold Mexican-American Folktales	4.4
7	Watkins, Yoko	So Far from the Bamboo Grove	4.7
7	Alexander, Lloyd	The Book of Three	5.3
7	Taylor, Theodore	The Cay	5.3
7	De Angeli, Marguerite	The Door in the Wall	6.2
7	Huyunh, Quang Nhuong	The Land I Lost	6.1
7	Cushman, Karen	The Midwife's Apprentice	6.0
7	Twain, Mark	The Prince and the Pauper	9.5
7	Bonnars, Susan	The Silver Balloon	4.1 *
7	Byars, Betsy	The Summer of the Swans	4.9
7	Kelly, Eric	The Trumpeter of Krakow	7.1
7	Paulsen, Gary	The Voyage of the Frog	6.0
7	Cleaver, Vera & Bill	Where the Lilies Bloom	5.2

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<b>EighthGrade</b>			
8	Hunt, Irene	Across Five Aprils	6.6
8	Hernandez, Irene	Across the Great River	4.3
8	Rostkowski, Margaret	After the Dancing Days	3.8
8	Gaeddert, Louann	Breaking Free	4.8 *
8	Paterson, Katherine	Bridge to Terabithia	4.6
8	London, Jack	Call of the Wild	8.0
8	Frank, Anne	Diary of a Young Girl	6.5
8	Houston, Jeanne Wakatsuki	Farewell to Manzanar	6.7
8	Collier, James & Christopher	My Brother Sam is Dead	4.9
8	Avi	Nothing but the Truth	3.6
8	Lowry, Lois	Number the Stars	4.5
8	Wisler, Clifton	Red Cap	5.4
8	Keith, Harold	Rifles for Waite	6.1
8	Taylor, Mildred	Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry	5.7
8	Speare, Elizabeth	Sign of the Beaver	4.9
8	Fox, Paula	Slave Dancer	6.0
8	Greene, Betty	Summer of My German Soldier	5.2
8	Carter, Forrest	The Education of Little Tree	5.5
8	Lowry, Lois	The Giver	5.7
8	Avi	The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle	5.3
8	Curtis, Christopher Paul	The Watson's go to Birmingham, 1963	5.0
8	Speare, Elizabeth	The Witch of Blackbird Pond	5.7
8	O'Dell & Hall	Thunder Rolling in the Mountains	4.6
8	Bishop, Claire Huchet	Twenty and Ten	4.0 *
8	Rawls, Wilson	Where the Red Fern Grows	4.9

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