Haddon Township School District Suggested Reading List for 5th Grade

Suggested Titles:

- We the Children by Andrew Clements
- Gregor the Overlander by Suzanne Collins
- The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane by Kate DiCamillo
- Storyteller by Patricia Reilly Giff
- The Liberation of Gabriel King by K.L. Going
- The Willoughbys by Lois Lowry
- Any poetry by Maya Angelou
- Bad News for Outlaws by Vaunda Nelson
- How to Steal a Dog by Barbara O'Connor
- Hatchet by Gary Paulsen
- A Year Down Yonder by Richard Peck
- Bone series by Tom Sniegoski
- The Mysterious Benedict Society by Trenton Lee Stewart
- 39 Clues series by various authors

Suggested Series:

- Alex Rider series by Anthony Horowitz
- American Girl Mysteries
- Any Newbery winner or honor book
- Chet Gecko series by Bruce Hale
- Raven Hill Mysteries by Emily Rodda
- Roman Mysteries by Caroline Lawrence
- Sammy Keyes series by Wendelin Van Draanen
- Who was series by various authors
- You Wouldn't Want to be In series by various authors

Nonfiction Books by these authors:

- David Adler
- Robert Burleigh
- Joanna Cole
- Nicola Davies
- Douglas Florian
- Russell Freedman
- Jean Fritz

- Lee Bennett Hopkins
- Kathleen Krull
- Kathryn Lasky
- Patricia Lauber
- Sandra Markle
- Sy Montgomery
- Jim Murphy
- Mary Pope Osborne
- Seymour Simon
- Jane Yolen
- Editors of National Geographic

Fiction Books by These Authors:

- Avi
- Judy Blume
- Andrew Clements
- Eoin Colfer
- Suzanne Collins
- Bruce Coville
- Sharon Creech
- Roald Dahl
- Cornelia Funke
- Jack Gantos
- Patricia Reilly Giff
- Dan Gutman
- Margaret Haddix
- Anthony Horowitz
- Erin Hunter
- Eva Ibbotson
- Peg Kehret
- Deborah Kent
- Gail Levine
- Gregory Maguire
- Ann Martin
- Gerald Morris
- Phyllis Naylor
- Barbara O'Connor
- Linda Sue Parks
- Gary Paulsen
- Emily Rodda
- Robert Kimmel Smith
- Jerry Spinelli
- Jean van Leeuwen
- Rich Wallace