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Young Adults and Children

Teen books

- The 57 Bus – By Dashka Slater
- Air – By Ryan Gattis
- All American Boys – By Jason Reynolds and Brendan Kiely
- American Street, 2017 – By Ibi Zoboi
- Anger is a Gift – By Mark Oshiro
- Boy 21 – By Matthew Quick
- Chasing King's Killer: The Hunt for Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Assassin – By James L. Swanson
- Dear Martin – By Nic Stone
- Dreamland Burning – By Jennifer Latham
- Fresh Ink: An Anthology – By Lamar Giles (Editor)
- The Hate U Give – By Angie Thomas
- How It Went Down – By Kekla Magoon
- I Am Alfonso Jones – By Tony Medina
- I'm Not Dying with You Tonight – By Gilly Segal and Kimberly Jones
- Love, Hate & Other Filters – By Samira Ahmed
- The March Trilogy – By John Lewis, Andrew Aydin and Illustrated By Nate Powell
- Martin – By Sybrina Fulton
- Monster – By Walter Dean Myers
- Patron Saints of Nothing – By Randy Ribay
- Piecing Me Together – By Renée Watson
- The Poet X, 2018 – By Elizabeth Acevedo
- Shine – By Lauren Myracle
- They Called Themselves the K.K.K.: The Birth of an American Terrorist Group – By Susan Campbell Bartoletti
- Tyler Johnson Was Here – By Jay Coles
- A Very Large Expanse of Sea – By Tahereh Mafi
Chapter Books

- Amal Unbound – By Aisha Saeed
- Amina’s Voice – By Hena Khan
- Better Nate Than Ever – By Tim Federle
- The Birchbark House – By Louise Erdrich
- Esperanza Rising – By Pam Muñoz Ryan
- The First Rule of Punk – By Celia C. Pérez
- Front Desk – By Kelly Yang
- George – By Alex Gino
- Ghost Boys – By Jewell Parker Rhodes
- A Good Kind of Trouble – By Lisa Ramee
- Henry is Kind: A Story of Mindfulness – By Linda Ryden
- Indian No More – By Charlene Willing McManis
- It’s Trevor Noah : Born a Crime (adapted for young readers), – By Trevor Noah
- Look Both Ways – By Jason Reynolds
- Marcus Vega Doesn’t Speak Spanish – By Pablo Cartaya
- Memphis, Martin, and the Mountaintop: The Sanitation Strike of 1968 – By Alice Faye Duncan
- The Misadventures of the Family Fletcher – By Dana Alison Levy
- New Kid – By Jerry Craft (graphic novel)
- The Night Diary – By Veera Hiranandani
- Other Words for Home – By Jasmine Warga
- Refugee – By Alan Gratz
- Song for a Whale – By Lynne Kelly
- Stargazing – By Jen Wang (graphic novel)
- The Stars Beneath Our Feet – By David Barclay Moore
- The Story of Ruby Bridges – By Robert Cole and George Ford
- The Usual Suspects by Maurice Broaddus Yasmin! (series) – By Saadia Faruqi
- Zombie Baseball Beatdown – By Paolo Bacigalupi

Picture Books

- Bow Wow Pow Wow – By Brenda J. Child
- Dreamers – By Yuyi Morales
- Calling the Water Drum – By LaTisha Redding
- Crown: An Ode to the Fresh Cut – By Derrick D. Barnes
- Drum Dream Girl – By Margarita Engle
- Four Feet, Two Sandals – By Karen Lynn Williams and Khadra Mohammed
- I Am Jazz – By Jessica Herthel
Picture Books (Continued)

- I Am Not a Number – By Jenny Kay Dupuis
- Imagine – By Juan Felipe Herrera
- In Our Mothers’ House – By Patricia Polacco
- It’s Okay to be Different – By Todd Parr
- Journey – By Francesca Sanna
- Last Stop on Market Street – By Matt de la Peña
- Malala's Magic Pencil – By Malala Yousafzai
- Mango Moon – By Diane De Anda
- The Other Side – By Jacqueline Woodson
- Pancho Rabbit and the Coyote – By Duncan Tonatiuh
- My Papi Has A Motorcycle – By Isabel Quintero
- A Place Where Sunflowers Grow – By Amy Lee-Tai
- The Proudest Blue – By Ibtihai Muhammad
- The Undefeated – By Kwame Alexander
- Under My Hijab – By Hena Khan
- The Wall in the Middle of the Book – By Jon Agee
- We are Grateful Otsaliheliga – By Traci Sorell
- When Aidan Became a Brother – By Kyle Lukoff
- Where Are You From – By Yamile Saied Méndez and Jaime Kim

Film for Youth

- Belly Flop – animated 5 minutes, (Elementary and Middle School) – Vimeo
- The Door She Opened – 3 minutes, (Elementary, Middle and High School) – StoryCorps
- Dear Dreamer – 10 minutes, (Middle and High School) – Vimeo
- Out of Many, One – 34 minutes – Netflix