**Book Ideas for Boys (and Girls!)**

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| **Author** | **Titles** |
| Julie Andrews | Last of the Really Great Wangdoodles |
| Lynne Reid Banks | Indian in the Cupboard |
| Dave Barry | Peter and the Starcatchers |
| Holly Black and Tony DiTerlizzi | Spiderwick Chronicles |
| Judy Blume | SuperFudgeDoubleFudgeFudgeMania |
| Berkeley Breathed | Flawed Dogs |
| Frances Hodgson Burnett | The Secret Garden |
| Sheila Burnford | The Incredible Journey |
| Forrest Carter | The Education of Little Tree |
| Bryan Chick | The Secret Zoo |
| Beverly Cleary | Henry Huggins |
| Andrew Clements |  |
| Frank Cole | The Adventures of Hashbrown Winters |
| Eoin Colfer | Artemis Fowl books |
| Suzanne Collins | Gregor the Overlander |
| Susan Cooper | Dark is Rising |
| Cressida Cowell | How to Train Your Dragon |
| Roald Dahl | The BFGThe TwitsJames and the Giant PeachFantastic Mr. Fox |
| Elisabetta Dami | Geronimo Stilton books |
| Kate Dicamillo | Tale of DespereauxMercy Watson series |
| Franklin W. Dixon | Hardy boys |
| Wendelin Van Draanen | Shredderman seriesSammy Keyes |
| Edward Eager | Tales of Magic series |
| John R. Erickson | Hank the Cowdog |
| John D. Fitzgerald | The Great Brain books |
| Louise Fitzhugh | Harriet the Spy |
| Jogn Flanagan | Ranger’s Apprentice series |
| Sid Fleischman | By the Great Horn Spoon |
| Cornelia Funke | InkheartDragon Rider |
|  Ruth Stiles Gannett | My Father’s Dragon |
| John Reynolds Gardiner | Stone Fox |
| Jean Craighead George | My Side of the Mountain |
| Fred Gipson | Old Yeller |
| Kenneth Grahame | The Wind in the Willows |
| Dan Gutman | My Weird School |
| James Howe | Bunnicula seriesHowliday InnThe Celery Stalks at Midnight |
| Erin Hunter | Warrior series (about cats) |
| Diana Wynn Jones |  |
| Norton Juster | Phantom Tollbooth  |
| Gordon Korman | I Want to Go HomeNo Coins PleaseEverest and Island series |
| Margaret L’Engle | Wrinkle in Time series |
| C.S. Lewis | Chronicles of Narnia |
| Astrid Lindgren | Pippi Longstocking |
| Hugh Lofting | Dr. Dolittle |
| D.J. MacHale | Pendragon series |
| Kate McMullan | Dragon Slayer’s Academy |
| Brandon Mull | Fablehaven seriesThe Candy Shop War |
| Donna Jo Napoli | Soccer Shock |
| Jenny Nimmo | Charlie Bone series |
|  Christopher Paolini | Inheritance series |
| Barbara Park | Junie B. Jones |
| Gary Paulsen | Hatchet |
| Philippa Pearce | Tom’s Midnight Garden |
| Richard Peck | A Long Way from ChicagoA Year Down Yonder |
| Sarah Prineas | Magic Thief series |
| Arthur Ransome | Swallows and Amazons |
| Wilson Rawls | Where the Red Fern Grows |
| Rick Riordan | Percy Jackson seriesKane Chronicles |
| Emily Rodda | Deltora Quest |
| J.K. Rowling | Harry Potter |
| Louis Sachar | HolesSideways Stories from Wayside School |
| George Selden | A Cricket in Times Square |
| Anna Sewell | Black Beauty |
| Marjorie Weinman Sharmat | Nate the Great series |
| Adam Sidwell | Evertaster |
| Robert Kimmel Smith | Chocolate Fever |
| Elizabeth George Speare | The Sign of the Beaver |
| Jerry Spinelli | Maniac Magee |
| John Stephens | The Emerald Atlas |
| Trenton Lee Stewart | The Mysterious Benedict Society series |
| Theodore Taylor | The Cay |
| J.R. R. Tolkien | The Hobbitt |
| Bill Wallace | Pick of the LitterCoyote Autumn |
| Gertrude Chandler Warner | Boxcar children |
| E.B. White | Charlotte’s Web |
| Laura Ingalls Wilder | Little House on the PrairieFarmer Boy |
|  | 39 Clues Books  |