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Grade Level	Year	Title Information	Call Number
EASY			
2 - 3	1977	Bemelmans, Ludwig. <i>Madeline's Rescue</i> . Pine Plains, NY: Live Oak Media, 1977. Sound recording. (1954 Caldecott Award)	MM E B423MR.B
		A hound rescues a schoolgirl from the Seine, becomes a beloved school pet, is chased away by the trustees, and returns with a surprise.	
K - 4	2007	Collier, Bryan. <i>Uptown</i> . Pine Plains, NY: Live Oak Media, 2007. Sound recording. (2001 Coretta Scott King Illustrator Award)	MM E C69U.A
		A tour of the sights of Harlem, including the Metro-North Train, brownstones, shopping on 125th Street, a barber shop, summer basketball, the Boys' Choir, and sunset over the Harlem River.	

1 - 2	2004	De, Regniers B. S. <i>May I Bring a Friend?</i> Weston, CT: Weston Woods, 2004. Sound recording. (1965 Caldecott Award)	MM E D444M.A
		A well-mannered little boy, frequently invited to visit the king and queen, always asks to bring a friend and the friends are always wild animals, and always well-behaved.	
K	2002	Emberley, Barbara. <i>Drummer Hoff</i> . New York: Weston Woods, 2002. Sound recording. (1968 Caldecott Award)	MM E EM1392D.B
		After having provided one piece each, seven toy soldiers build a miniature cannon. However, they are unable to agree on who should get to fire it.	
2 - 3	2001	Goble, Paul. <i>The Girl Who Loved Wild Horses</i> . New York: Live Oak Media, 2001. Sound recording. (1979 Caldecott Award)	MM E G538GIR.C
		Though she is fond of her people, a girl prefers to live among the wild horses where she is truly happy and free.	
2 - 3	1979	Hall, Donald. <i>Ox-cart Man</i> . Pine Plains, NY: Live Oak Media, 1979. Sound recording. (1980 Caldecott Award)	MM E H141OX.A
		Describes the day-to-day life throughout the changing seasons of an early 19th-century New England family.	
PreK	1974	Keats, Ezra J. <i>The Snowy Day</i> . Pine Plains, NY: Live Oak Media, 1974. Sound recording. (1963 Caldecott Award)	MM E K225SN.B
		Expresses the delight of a young boy as he romps in the snow.	
2 - 3	1975	McCloskey, Robert. <i>Make Way for Ducklings</i> . Pine Plains, NY: Live Oak Media, 1975. Sound recording. (1942 Caldecott Award)	MM E M1327M.B
		Tells story of what happens when Mama duck takes her brood from the river to the public gardens.	

2 - 3	1991	McDermott, Gerald. <i>Arrow to the Sun</i> . Weston, CT: Weston Woods, 1991. Sound recording. (1975 Caldecott Award)	MM E M143AR.A
		An adaptation of the Pueblo Indian myth which explains how the spirit of the Lord of the Sun was brought to the world of men.	
K - 3	2004	Rathmann, Peggy. <i>Officer Buckle and Gloria</i> . Norwalk, CT: Weston Woods, 2004. Sound recording. (1996 Caldecott Award)	MM E R188O.A
		The children at Napville Elementary School always ignore Officer Buckle's safety tips, until a police dog named Gloria accompanies him when he gives his safety speeches.	
1 - 2	1991	Sendak, Maurice. <i>Where the Wild Things Are</i> . New York: Weston Woods Studios, 1991. Sound recording. (1964 Caldecott Award)	MM E SE55W.A
		Max has an active imagination, who will throw a fit if others don't go along with what he wants. Following an incident with his sister Claire and her friends, Max throws a tantrum when his mother pays more attention to her boyfriend than to him - runs away from home. Wearing his wolf costume at the time, Max not only runs away physically, but runs toward a world in his imagination. This world, an ocean away, is inhabited by large wild beasts, including Carol who has the same temperament as Max. Instead of eating Max like they normally would with creatures of his type, the wild things befriend Max after he proclaims himself a king who can magically solve all their problems.	
K - 3	2000	Soto, Gary. <i>Chato and the Party Animals</i> . New York: Putnam, 2000. Sound Recording. (2002 Pura Belpré Illustrator Award)	MM E SO782CA
		Chato decides to throw a "pachanga" for his friend Novio Boy, who has never had a birthday party, but when it is time to party, Novio Boy cannot be found.	
PreK - 2	2003	Soto, Gary. <i>Chato's Kitchen</i> . Pine Plains, NY: Live Oak Media, 2003. Sound recording. (1996 Pura Belpré Illustrator Award; 1996 Tomás Rivera Book Award; 1995 Américas Award Honor)	MM E SO782CSK.A
		To get the "ratoncitos," little mice who have moved into the barrio, to come to come to his house, Chato the cat prepares all	

kinds of good food: fajitas, frijoles, salsa, enchiladas, and more.

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| PreK - 3 | 2001 | Taback, Simms. <i>Joseph Had a Little Overcoat</i> . Pine Plains, NY: Live Oak Media, 2001. Sound recording. (2000 Caldecott Award) | MM
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T111J.A |
| | | A very old overcoat is recycled numerous times into a variety of garments. | |
| 2 - 3 | 2003 | Ward, Lynd. <i>The Biggest Bear</i> . Weston, CT: Weston Woods, 2003. Sound recording. (1953 Caldecott Award) | MM
E
W214B.B |
| | | Johnny goes hunting for a bearskin to hang on his family's barn and returns with a small bundle of trouble. | |
| PreK - K | 2002 | Yolen, Jane. <i>Owl Moon</i> . Westport, CT: Weston Woods, 2002. Sound recording. (1988 Caldecott Award) | MM
E
Y78OW.A |
| | | On a winter's night under a full moon, a father and daughter trek into the woods to see the Great Horned Owl. | |
| K - 12 | 2001 | Yorinks, Arthur. <i>Hey, Al</i> . New York: Spoken Arts, 2001. Sound recording. (1987 Caldecott Award) | MM
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Y82H.A |
| | | A city janitor and his treasured canine companion are transported by a large colorful bird to an island in the sky, where their comfortable paradise existence threatens to turn them into birds as well. | |

FICTION

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| 3 - 6 | 2008 | Alexander, Lloyd. <i>The High King</i> . New York: Listening Library, 2008. Sound recording. (1969 Newbery Award) | MM
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AL272CP5.A |
| | | In this final part of the chronicle of Prydain the forces of good and evil meet in an ultimate confrontation, which determines the fate of Taran, the Assistant Pig-Keeper who wanted to be a hero. | |

7 - 9	2005	Armstrong, William H. <i>Sounder</i> . New York: Harper Children's Audio, 2005. Sound recording. (1970 Newbery Award)	MM F AR588S.A
Angry and humiliated when his sharecropper father is jailed for stealing food for his family, a young black boy grows in courage and understanding by learning to read and with the help of the devoted dog Sounder.			
6 - 9	2006	Creech, Sharon. <i>Walk Two Moons</i> . New York: Harper Children's Audio, 2006. Sound recording. (1995 Newbery Award)	MM F C8612WL.A
Salamanca Tree Hiddle, age 13, and her grandparents are off to find Salamanca's mother, who left home on a trip to Idaho and never came back. As they acquire a car and retrace her route, Sal tells the story of her friend Phoebe Winterbottom, whose mother also disappeared under unusual circumstances.			
4 - 7	2006	Curtis, Christopher Paul. <i>Bud, Not Buddy</i> . New York: Listening Library, 2006. Sound recording. (2000 Newbery and Coretta Scott King Author Award)	MM F C941BUD.C
Ten-year-old Bud, a motherless boy living in Flint, Michigan, during the Great Depression, escapes a bad foster home and sets out in search of the man he believes to be his father--the renowned bandleader, H.E. Calloway of Grand Rapids.			
4 - 8	2008	Curtis, Christopher. <i>Elijah of Buxton</i> . New York: Random House/Listening Library, 2008. Sound recording. (2008 Coretta Scott King Author Award; 2008 Newbery Honor)	MM F C941E.A
In 1859, eleven-year-old Elijah Freeman, the first free-born child in Buxton, Canada, which is a haven for slaves fleeing the American south, uses his wits and skills to try to bring to justice the lying preacher who has stolen money that was to be used to buy a family's freedom.			
3 - 12	2003	DiCamillo, Kate. <i>The Tale of Despereaux</i> . New York: Random House/Listening Library, 2003. Sound recording. (2004 Newbery Award)	MM F D5471TA.A
Once upon a time in the far away kingdom of Dor lived a brave and virtuous mouse with comically oversized ears who dreamt of becoming a knight. Banished from his home for having such lofty ambitions, Despereaux sets off on an amazing adventure with his good-hearted rat friend Roscuro. The two go on a very noble quest to rescue an endangered princess and save an entire			

kingdom from darkness.

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| 7 - 9 | 2005 | Forbes, Esther. 2005. <i>Johnny Tremain, a Story of Boston in Revolt</i> . Ashland, OR: Blackstone Audio. (1944 Newbery Award) | MM
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F742J.A |
| | | Johnny, a young apprentice silversmith, is caught up in a dramatic involvement with Otis, Hancock, and John and Samuel Adams in the exciting operations and subterfuges that lead up to the Boston Tea Party and the Battle of Lexington. As Johnny is forced into the role of a full-grown man in the face of his new country's independence, he finds that his relations with those he loves changes for the better as well. | |
| 5 - 8 | 2008 | Gaiman, Neil. <i>The Graveyard Book</i> . New York: Harpers Children's Audio, 2008. (2009 Newbery Award) | MM
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G127GR.A |
| | | Nobody Owens is a normal boy, except that he has been raised by ghosts and other denizens of the graveyard. | |
| 4 - 6 | 2006 | George, Jean C. <i>Julie of the Wolves</i> . New York: HarperCollins, 2006. Sound recording. (1973 Newbery Award) | MM
F
G293JA.A |
| | | While running away from home and an unwanted marriage, a thirteen-year-old Eskimo girl becomes lost on the North Slope of Alaska and is befriended by a wolf pack. | |
| 4 - 6 | 2008 | Henry, Marguerite. <i>King of the Wind</i> . New York: Random House/Listening Library, 2008. Sound recording. (1949 Newbery Award) | MM
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H3966K.A |
| | | Sham and the stable boy, Agba, travel from Morocco to France to England where, at last, Sham's majesty is recognized and he becomes the "Godolphin Arabian," ancestor of the most superior Thoroughbred horses. | |
| 5 - 12 | 2006 | Hesse, Karen. <i>Out of the Dust</i> . New York: Listening Library, 2006. Sound recording. (1998 Newbery Award) | MM
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H4639O.B |
| | | In a series of poems, fifteen-year-old Billie Jo relates the hardships of living on her family's wheat farm in Oklahoma during the dust bowl years of the Depression. | |

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| 5 - 12 | 2001 | Jiménez, Francisco. <i>The Circuit: Stories from the Life of a Migrant Child</i> . Northport, ME: Audio Bookshelf, 2001. Sound recording. (1997 Américas Award) | MM
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J5643C.B |
| [In this novel], intertwined stories follow a migrant family through their circuit, from picking cotton and strawberries to topping carrots - and back again - over a number of years. As it moves from one labor camp to the next, the little family of four grows into ten. Impermanence and poverty define their lives. But with faith, hope, and back-breaking work, the family endures. | | | |
| 6 - 8 | 2005 | Kadohata, Cynthia. <i>Kira-kira</i> . New York: Random House/Listening Library, 2005. Sound recording. (2005 Newbery Award) | MM
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K116K |
| Chronicles the close friendship between two Japanese-American sisters growing up in rural Georgia during the late 1950s and early 1960s, and the despair when one sister becomes terminally ill. kira-kira (kee' ra kee' ra): glittering; shining Glittering. That's how Katie Takeshima's sister, Lynn, makes everything seem. The sky is kira-kira because its color is deep but see-through at the same time. The sea is kira-kira for the same reason. And so are people's eyes. When Katie and her family move from a Japanese community in Iowa to the Deep South of Georgia, it's Lynn who explains to her why people stop them on the street to stare. And it's Lynn who, with her special way of viewing the world, teaches Katie to look beyond tomorrow. But when Lynn becomes desperately ill, and the whole family begins to fall apart, it is up to Katie to find a way to remind them all that there is always something glittering -- kira-kira -- in the future. | | | |
| 4 - 6 | 2009 | Konigsburg, E L. <i>From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler</i> . New York: Audioworks/Simon & Schuster Audio, 2009. Sound recording. (1968 Newbery Award) | MM
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K8361FR.C |
| Having run away with her younger brother to live in the Metropolitan Museum of Art, twelve-year-old Claudia strives to keep things in order in their new home and to become a changed person and a heroine to herself. | | | |
| 4 - 6 | 2009 | Konigsburg, E L. <i>The View from Saturday</i> . New York: Audioworks/Simon and Schuster Audio, 2009. Sound recording. (1997 Newbery Award) | MM
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K8361V.B |
| Four seemingly unrelated, ordinary students converge and become friends after joining their school's Academic Team. Led by the rough-and-tumble Mrs. Olinsky, the Academic Team becomes the pride and joy of the school. | | | |

4 - 6	2000	Lofting, Hugh. <i>The Voyages of Doctor Dolittle</i> . Ashland, OR: Blackstone Audiobooks, 2000. Sound recording. (1923 Newbery Award)	MM F L8276V.D
		Presents the story of the good doctor who learned the language of animals, and made adventurous voyages.	
6 - 9	2001	Lowry, Lois. <i>The Giver</i> . New York: Listening Library, 2001. Sound recording. (1994 Newbery Award)	MM F L9556GI.A
		Given his lifetime assignment at the Ceremony of Twelve, Jonas becomes the receiver of memories shared by only one other in his community and discovers the terrible truth about the society in which he lives.	
3 - 7	2004	Lowry, Lois. <i>Number the Stars</i> . New York: Random House/Listening Library, 2004. Sound recording. (1990 Newbery Award)	MM F L9556N.A
		In 1943, during the German occupation of Denmark, ten-year-old Annemarie learns how to be brave and courageous when she helps shelter her Jewish friend from the Nazis.	
5 - 8	2005	O'Dell, Scott. <i>Island of the Blue Dolphins</i> . New York: Listening Library, 2005. Sound recording. (1961 Newbery Award)	MM F OD2IS.B
		Left alone on a beautiful but isolated island, a young Indian girl spends eighteen years, not only merely surviving through her enormous courage and self-reliance, but also finding a measure of happiness in her solitary life.	
5 - 8	2002	Park, Linda S. <i>A Single Shard</i> . New York: Listening Library/Random House, 2002. Sound recording. (2002 Newbery Award)	MM F P21974SI.B
		Tree-ear, a thirteen-year-old orphan in medieval Korea, lives under a bridge in a potters' village, and longs to learn how to throw the delicate celadon ceramics himself.	
7 - 9	2005	Paterson, Katherine. <i>Bridge to Terabithia</i> . New York: Harper Children's Audio, 2005. Sound recording. (1978 Newbery Award)	MM F P2732BRI.C
		The life of a ten-year-old boy in rural Virginia expands when he becomes friends with a newcomer who subsequently meets an	

untimely death trying to reach their hideaway, Terabithia, during a storm.

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| 5 - 8 | 2000 | Peck, Richard. <i>A Year Down Yonder</i> . New York: Random House Audio, 2000. Sound recording. (2001 Newbery Award) | MM
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P3364Y.A |
| | | In 1937, during the Depression, fifteen-year-old Mary Alice, initially apprehensive about leaving Chicago to spend a year with her fearsome, larger-than-life grandmother in rural Illinois, gradually begins to better understand and admire her grandmother's unusual qualities. | |
| 6 -9 | 2006 | Perkins, Lynne R. <i>Criss Cross</i> . New York: HarperCollins, 2006. Sound recording. (2006 Newbery Award) | MM
F
P41962C.A |
| | | Teenagers in a small town in the 1960s experience new thoughts and feelings, question their identities, connect, and disconnect as they search for the meaning of life and love. | |
| 8 - 12 | 2009 | Resau, Laura. <i>Red Glass</i> . New York: Listening Library, 2009. Sound recording. (2008 Américas Award) | MM
F
R3111R.A |
| | | Sophia and her family are called when a young boy is found abandoned at the US-Mexico border. Somehow, the Mexican boy, Pablo, possesses a business card belonging to Sophie's step-father. Taking the boy in, Sophia discovers that Pablo still has family in Mexico. | |
| 6 - 9 | 2002 | Ryan, Pam M. <i>Esperanza Rising</i> . New York: Scholastic/Read 180 Audiobooks, 2002. Sound recording. (2002 Pura Belpré Award; 2000 Américas Award Honor) | MM
F
R957E |
| | | Esperanza and her mother are forced to leave their life of wealth and privilege in Mexico to go work in the labor camps of Southern California, where they must adapt to the harsh circumstances facing Mexican farm workers on the eve of the Great Depression. | |
| 5 - 8 | 1999 | Sachar, Louis. <i>Holes</i> . Old Greenwich, CT: Listening Library, 1999. Sound recording. (1999 Newbery Award) | MM
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SA142H.D |
| | | As further evidence of his family's bad fortune which they attribute to a curse on a distant relative, Stanley Yelnats is sent to a hellish correctional camp in the Texas desert where he finds his | |

first real friend, a treasure, and a new sense of himself.

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| 820L | 2007 | Selznick, Brian. <i>The Invention of Hugo Cabret</i> . New York: Scholastic Audiobooks, 2007. Sound recording. (2008 Caldecott Award) | MM
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SE499I.A |
| | | When twelve-year-old Hugo, an orphan living and repairing clocks within the walls of a Paris train station in 1931, meets a mysterious toy seller and his goddaughter, his undercover life and his biggest secret are jeopardized. | |
| 4 - 7 | 2008 | Soto, Gary. <i>Baseball in April and Other Stories</i> . Middletown, RI: Audio Bookshelf, 2008. Sound recording. (1996 Pura Belpré Honor) | MM
F
S78B.A |
| | | A collection of eleven short stories focusing on the everyday adventures of Hispanic young people growing up in Fresno, California. | |
| 7 - 9 | 2005 | Speare, Elizabeth G. <i>The Bronze Bow</i> . Ashland, OR: Blackstone Audio, 2005. Sound recording. (1962 Newbery Award) | MM
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SP31B.A |
| | | After witnessing his father's crucifixion by Roman soldiers, Daniel bar Jamin is determined to avenge his father's death by driving the Roman legions from the land of Israel. Daniel joins the brutal raids of an outlaw band living in the hills outside his village. Though his grandmother's death slows his plans by forcing him to move home to care for his sister, he continues his dangerous life by leading a group of boy guerrillas in spying and plotting, impatiently waiting to take revenge. | |
| 7- 9 | 2007 | Speare, Elizabeth G. <i>The Witch of Blackbird Pond</i> . New York: Listening Library, 2007. Sound recording. (1959 Newbery Award) | MM
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SP31W.B |
| | | In 1687 in Connecticut, Kit Tyler, feeling out of place in the Puritan household of her aunt, befriends Hannah Tupper, an old woman considered a witch by the community and suddenly finds herself standing trial for witchcraft. | |

6 - 10	2005	Spinelli, Jerry. <i>Maniac Magee</i> . New York: Listening Library, 2005. Sound recording. (1991 Newbery Award)	MM F SP465M.B
		He came into this world named Jeffrey Lionel Magee, but when his parents died and his life changed, so did his name. And Maniac Magee became a legend.	
1 - 2	2004	Steig, William. <i>Sylvester and the Magic Pebble</i> . Norwalk, CT: Weston Woods, 2004. Sound recording. (1970 Caldecott Medal)	MM F ST335SY.B
		Sylvester the donkey finds a magic pebble that grants his every wish, but in a moment of fright he wishes he were a rock, and then cannot hold the pebble to wish himself back to normal again.	
PreK - 3	2001	Steptoe, John. <i>Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters</i> . Pine Plains, NY: Live Oak Media, 2001. Sound recording. (1988 Coretta Scott King Illustrator Award; 1988 Caldecott Honor)	MM E ST454M.A
		Featured story Mufaro's beautiful daughters is read by Phylicia Rashad. Host LeVar Burton learns about traditional African instruments and their making. The show ends with scenes of African music and dance from a celebration in New York's Central Park.	
4 - 6	2001	Taylor, Mildred D. <i>Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry</i> . New York: Random House, 2001. Sound recording. (1977 Newbery Award; 1977 Coretta Scott King Author Honor)	MM F T216ROL.B
		Mildred Taylor talks about her novel, her family's experience, and the general experience of African Americans in the American South.	
4 - 6	1998	De Treviño, Elizabeth B. <i>I, Juan De Pareja</i> . Ashland, OR: Blackstone Audio, 1998. Sound recording. (1966 Newbery Award)	MM F T7291I
		Juan de Pareja, the slave who prepares the paints and canvases of the artist Velázquez, describes his work with his master and the climate of Spanish court life.	

NONFICTION

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| 2 - 3 | 2002 | Aardema, Verna. <i>Why Mosquitoes Buzz in People's Ears</i> . Weston, CT: Weston Woods, 2002. Sound recording. (1976 Caldecott Award) | MM
398.2
AA72W.A |
| A retelling of a traditional West African tale that reveals how the mosquito developed its annoying habit. | | | |
| K - 4 | 2008 | Deedy, Carmen A. <i>Martina, the Beautiful Cockroach</i> . Atlanta, GA: Peachtree, 2008. Sound recording. (2008 Pura Belpré Author Honor) | MM
398.2
D3605M.B |
| In this humorous retelling of a Cuban folktale, a cockroach interviews her suitors in order to decide whom to marry. | | | |
| 4 - 6 | 2005 | Hamilton, Virginia. <i>The People Could Fly: American Black Folktales</i> . New York: Audio Bookshelf, 2005. Sound recording. (1986 Coretta Scott King Author and Illustrator Award) | MM
398.2
H1808P.A |
| In this retelling of a folktale, a group of slaves, unable to bear their sadness and starvation any longer, calls upon the African magic that allows them to fly away. | | | |
| 5 - 9 | 2007 | Sperry, Armstrong. <i>Call It Courage</i> . New York: Random House/Listening Library, 2007. Sound recording. (1941 Newbery Award) | MM
398.2
SP37C.B |
| Relates how Mafatu, a young Polynesian boy whose name means Stout Heart, overcomes his terrible fear of the sea and proves his courage to himself and his people. | | | |
| 2 - 3 | 2006 | Young, Ed. <i>Lon Po Po: A Red-Riding Hood Story from China</i> . Norwalk, CT: Weston Woods, 2006. Sound recording. (1990 Caldecott Award) | MM
398.2
Y848L.A |
| In this Chinese version of the classic fairy tale, a mother leaves her three children home alone while she goes to visit their grandmother. When the children are visited by a wolf, pretending to their Po Po, or granny, they let him in the house, but ultimately are not fooled by his deep voice and hairy face. | | | |

3 - 5	2004	Haley, Gail E. <i>A Story, a Story: an African Tale</i> . Weston, CT: Weston Woods, 2004. Sound recording. (1971 Caldecott Award)	MM 398.2096 H137S.A
		Recounts how most African folk tales came to be called "Spider Stories."	
3 - 4	2003	Martin, Jacqueline B. <i>Snowflake Bentley</i> . New York: Scholastic Inc, 2003. Sound recording. (1999 Caldecott Award)	MM 551.57 M364S.A
		A biography of a self-taught scientist who photographed thousands of individual snowflakes in order to study their unique formations.	
K - 5	2004	Andrews-Goebel, Nancy. <i>The Pot That Juan Built</i> . New York: Weston Woods Studios, 2004. Sound recording. (2004 Pura Belpré Illustrator Award; 2002 Américas Medal)	MM 738 AN266P.A
		A cumulative rhyme summarizes the life's work of renowned Mexican potter, Juan Quezada. Additional information describes the process he uses to create his pots after the style of the Casas Grandes people.	
K - 6	2005	Gerstein, Mordicai. <i>The Man Who Walked Between the Towers</i> . Pine Plains, NY: Live Oak Media, 2005. Sound recording. (2004 Caldecott Award)	MM 791.3 G325M.A
		A lyrical evocation of Philippe Petit's 1974 tightrope walk between the World Trade Center towers in New York City.	
3 - 12	2008	Nelson, Kadir. <i>We Are the Ship: the Story of Negro League Baseball</i> . Grand Haven, MI: Brilliance Audio, 2008. Sound recording. (2009 Coretta Scott King Author Award; 2009 Coretta Scott King Illustrator Honor; 2009 Sibert Medal; 2009 Orbis Pictus Honor)	MM 796.357 N3346W
		Using an "Everyman" player as his narrator, Kadir Nelson tells the story of Negro League baseball from its beginnings in the 1920s through the decline after Jackie Robinson crossed over to the majors in 1947. Illustrations from oil paintings by artist Kadir Nelson.	

7 - 12	2009	Engle, Margarita. <i>The Poet Slave of Cuba: a Biography of Juan Francisco Manzano</i> . New York: Listening Library, 2009. Sound recording. (2008 Pura Belpré Author Award; 2006 Américas Award)	MM 811 EN35P.A
		Juan Francisco Manzano was born in 1797 into the household of wealthy slave owners in Cuba. He spent his early years at the side of his owner's wife, entertaining her friends. His poetry was his outlet, reflecting the beauty and cruelty of his world. Written in verse.	
4 - 6	2009	Engle, Margarita. <i>The Surrender Tree: poems of Cuba's Struggle for Freedom</i> . New York: Random House/Listening Library, 2009. Sound recording. (2009 Pura Belpré Award; 2009 Newbery Honor; 2009 Américas Award)	MM 811 EN35S.A
		Cuba has fought three wars for independence, and still she is not free. This history in verse creates a lyrical portrait of Cuba.	
PreK - 3	2002	Steptoe, Javaka. <i>In Daddy's Arms I Am Tall</i> . New York: Live Oak Media, 2002. Sound recording. (1998 Coretta Scott King Illustrator Award)	MM 811 IN9.A
		A collection of poems celebrating African-American fathers.	
3 - 8	2005	Shange, Ntozake. <i>Ellington Was Not a Street</i> . Weston, CT: Weston Woods, 2005. Sound recording. (2005 Coretta Scott King Illustrator Award)	MM 811.54 SH186E.A
		In this touching memoir, children's poet Ntozake Shange recalls her segregated childhood and reveals how different things were then.	
1 - 12	2002	St, George Judith. <i>So You Want to Be President?</i> United States: Weston Woods/Scholastic, 2002. Sound recording. (2001 Caldecott Award)	MM 973.099 SA23S.A
		In the time-honored tradition of political commentary, the public and private lives of forty-two Presidents are celebrated with humor and flair.	

BIOGRAPHY

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| 7 - 9 | 2008 | Yates, Elizabeth. <i>Amos Fortune, Free Man</i> . Middletown, RI: Audio Bookshelf, 2008. Sound recording. (1951 Newbery Award) | MM
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F779Y.A |
| | | The life of the eighteenth-century African prince who, after being captured by slave traders, was brought to Massachusetts where he was a slave until he was able to buy his freedom at the age of sixty. | |
| 5 - 12 | 2008 | Freedman, Russell. <i>Lincoln: A Photobiography</i> . New York: Listening Library, 2008. Sound recording. (1988 Newbery Award) | MM
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L6381FRE.A |
| | | A study of the boyhood, marriage, professional life, political career, and tragic death of Abraham Lincoln includes select photos from the print edition. | |

AWARD WINNING EBOOKS

FICTION

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| 4 - 8 | 2013 | Appelt, Kathi. <i>The Underneath</i> . New York: Atheneum Books for Young Readers, 2013. (2009 Newbery Honor) | MackinVIA
eBook |
| | | A calico cat about to have kittens befriends a hound dog, Ranger, who urges her to hide underneath the porch of his dilapidated house to raise her kittens. Ranger warns the cat about the man named Gar-Face who lives in the house will likely use the kittens as alligator bait. Soon one kitten becomes very curious and ventures out, setting off a chain of remarkable events. | |
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