

Caldecott Award Winners

The Caldecott Medal was named in honor of nineteenth-century English illustrator Randolph Caldecott. It is awarded annually by the Association for Library Service to Children, a division of the American Library Association, to the artist of the most distinguished American picture book for children.

Winners of that year are in BOLD

Year	Title	Illustrator / Author
2023	Hotdog	Doug Salati
	<i>Ain't Burned All the Bright</i>	Illustrated by Jason Griffin and written by Jason Reynolds
	<i>Berry Song</i>	Illustrated by Michaela Goade and written by Michaela Goade
	<i>Choosing Brave: How Mamie Till-Mobley and Emmett Till Sparked the Civil Rights Movement</i>	Illustrated by Janelle Washington and written by Angela Joy
	<i>Knight Owl</i>	Christopher Denise
2022	Watercress	Illustrated by Jason Chin and written by Andrea Wang
	<i>Have You Ever Seen a Flower?</i>	Illustrated by Shawn Harris and written by Shawn Harris
	<i>Mel Fell</i>	Corey R Tabor
	<i>Unspeakable: The Tulsa Race Massacre</i>	Illustrated by Floyd Cooper and written by Carole Boston
	<i>Wonder Walkers</i>	Micha Archer
2021	We Are Water Protectors	Illustrated by Michaela Goade Nelson and written by Carole Lindstrom
	<i>A Place Inside Me: A Poem to Heal the Heart</i>	Illustrated by Noa Denmon and written by Zetta Elliott
	<i>The Cat Man of Aleppo</i>	Illustrated by Yuko Shimizu and written by Irene Latham & Karim Shamsi-Basha
	<i>Me & Mama</i>	Illustrated by and written by Cozbi A Cabrera
	<i>Outside In</i>	Illustrated by Cindy Derby and written by Deborah Underwood

2020	The Undefeated	Illustrated by Kadir Nelson and written by Kwame alexander
	<i>Bear Came Along</i>	Illustrated by LeUyen Pham and written by Richard T Morris
	<i>Double Bass Blues</i>	Illustrated by Rudy Gutierrez and written by Andrea J Loney
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	<i>Going Down Home with Daddy</i>	Illustrated by Daniel Minter and written by Kelly Starling Lyons
2019	Hello Lighthouse	Illustrated and written by Sophie Blackall
	<i>Alma and how She Got Her Name</i>	Illustrated and written by Juana Martinez-Neal
	<i>A Big Mooncake for Little Star</i>	Illustrated and written by Grace Lin
	<i>The Rough Patch</i>	Illustrated and written by Brian Lies
	<i>Thank You, Omu!</i>	Illustrated and written by Oge Mora
2018	Wolf in the Snow	Illustrated and written by Matthew Cordell
	<i>Big Cat, Little Cat</i>	Illustrated and written by Elisha Cooper
	<i>Crown: An Ode to the Fresh Cut</i>	Illustrated by Gordon C. James, written by Derrick Barnes
	<i>A Different Pond</i>	Illustrated by Gordon C James, written by Derrick Barnes
	<i>Grand Canyon</i>	Illustrated and written by Jason Chin

2017	Radiant Child	Javaka Steptoe
	<i>Leave Me Alone!</i>	Vera Brosgol
	<i>Freedom in Congo</i>	Illustrated by R. Gregory

	<i>Square</i>	Christie, written by Carole Boston
	<i>Du Iz Tak?</i>	Carson Ellis
	<i>They All Saw a Cat</i>	Brendan Wenzel
2016	<i>Finding Winnie: The True Story of the World's Most Famous Bear</i>	Illustrated by Sophie Blackall, written by Lindsay Mattick
	<i>Trombone Shorty</i>	Illustrated by Bryan Collier, written by Troy Andrews
	<i>Waiting</i>	Kevin Henkes
	<i>Voice of Freedom: Fannie Lou Hamer,</i>	Illustrated by Ekua Holmes, written by Carole Boston
	<i>Spirit of the Civil Rights Movement</i>	Weatherford
2015	<i>The Adventures of Beekle: The Unimaginary Friend</i>	Dan Santat
	<i>Nana in the City</i>	Lauren Castillo
	<i>The Noisy Paint Box: The Colors and Sounds of Kandinsky's Abstract Art</i>	Illustrated by Mary GrandPré, written by Barb Rosenstock
	<i>Sam & Dave Dig a Hole</i>	Illustrated by Jon Klassen, written by Mac Barnett
	<i>Viva Frida</i>	Yuyi Morales
2014	<i>Locomotive</i>	Brian Floca
	<i>Journey</i>	Aaron Becker
	<i>Flora and the Flamingo</i>	Molly Idle
2013	<i>This Is Not My Hat</i>	Jon Klassen
	<i>Creepy Carrots!</i>	Illustrated by Peter Brown, written by Aaron Reynolds
	<i>Extra Yarn</i>	Illustrated by Jon Klassen, written by Mac Barnett
	<i>Green</i>	Laura Vaccaro Seeger
2012	<i>A Ball for Daisy</i>	Chris Raschka
	<i>Blackout</i>	John Rocco
	<i>Me...Jane</i>	Patrick McDonnell
	<i>Grandpa Green</i>	Lane Smith

2011	<i>A Sick Day for Amos McGee</i>	Illustrated by Erin E. Stead, written by Philip C. Stead
	<i>Dave the Potter: Artist, Poet, Slave</i>	Illustrated by Bryan Collier, written by Laban Carrick Hill
	<i>Interrupting Chicken</i>	David Ezra Stein
2010	<i>The Lion & the Mouse</i>	Jerry Pinkney
	<i>All the World</i>	Illustrated by Marla Frazee, written by Liz Garton Scanlon
	<i>Red Sings from Treetops: A Year in Colors</i>	Illustrated by Pamela Zagarenski, written by Joyce Sidman
2009	<i>The House in the Night</i>	Krommes, written by Susan Marie Swanson
	<i>A Couple of Boys Have the Best Week Ever</i>	Marla Frazee
	<i>How I Learned Geography</i>	Uri Shulevitz
	<i>A River of Words: The Story of William Carlos Williams</i>	Illustrated by Melissa Sweet, written by Jen Bryant
2008	<i>The Invention of Hugo Cabret</i>	Brian Selznick
	<i>Henry's Freedom Box: A True Story from the Underground Railroad</i>	Illustrated by Kadir Nelson, written by Ellen Levine
	<i>The Wall: Growing Up Behind the Iron Curtain</i>	Peter Sis
	<i>First the Egg</i>	Laura Vaccaro Seeger
2007	<i>Flotsam</i>	David Wiesner
	<i>Gone Wild: An Endangered</i>	David McLimans
	<i>Moses: When Harriet Tubman Led Her People to Freedom</i>	Illustrated by Kadir Nelson, written by Carole Boston Weatherford

