



**Akron-Summit County
Public Library**

Historical Fiction for Boys

Grade levels are intended as guidelines, not to restrict readers. All titles are shelved in General Fiction (JFIC) unless otherwise noted. Titles followed by “(+)” are part of a series.

Prehistory through Ancient History

Dickinson, Peter. Suth's Story. Gr. 4-7

McCaughrean, Geraldine. Casting the Gods Adrift: A Tale of Ancient Egypt. Gr. 4-6

Rubalcaba, Jill. The Wadjet Eye. Gr. 5-8

Speare, Elizabeth. The Bronze Bow. Gr. 5-8

Medieval and Renaissance Eras

Avi. Crispin: The Cross of Lead. (+) Gr. 3-7

Cooper, Susan. The King of Shadows. Gr. 5-8.

Fleischman, Sid. The Whipping Boy. Gr. 2-5

Graham, Harriet. A Boy and his Bear. Gr. 4-7

Horowitz, Anthony. The Devil and His Boy. Gr. 5-7

MacDonald, Bailey. Wicked Will. Gr. 4-7.

Park, Linda Sue. A Single Shard. Gr. 4-8

Park, Linda Sue. The Kite Fighters. Gr. 4-7

Skurzynski, Gloria. The Minstrel in the Tower. Gr. 2-4

17th-18th Centuries

Avi. The Fighting Ground. Gr. 4-6

Blackwood, Gary. The Shakespeare Stealer. Gr. 4-7

Bruchac, Joseph. The Arrow Over the Door. Gr. 4-7

Collier, James Lincoln. My Brother Sam is Dead. Gr. 5-8

Denenberg, Barry. The Journal of William Thomas Emerson: A Revolutionary War Patriot. Gr. 4-8 JS

Hesse, Karen. Stowaway. Gr. 5-8

Jensen, Dorothea. The Riddle of Penncroft Farm. Gr. 4-6

Krensky, Stephen. The Printer's Apprentice. Gr. 4-7

Paterson, Katherine. The Master Puppeteer. Gr. 5-8

Rinaldi, Ann. The Journal of Jasper Jonathan Pierce: A Pilgrim Boy, Plymouth. Gr. 4-8 JS

Strickland, Brad. Mutiny. Gr. 4-8

19th Century

Avi. The Barn. Gr. 3-6

Avi. Captain Grey. Gr. 4-6

Avi. The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle. Gr. 4-8
Banks, Sara Harrell. Abraham's Battle: A Novel of Gettysburg. Gr. 4-8
Beatty, Patricia. Jayhawker. Gr. 4-8
Bruchac, Joseph. The Journal of Jesse Smoke: A Cherokee Boy: Trail of Tears, 1838. Gr. 4-8 JS
Calvert, Patricia. Betrayed! Gr. 5-8
Carbone, Elisa. Storm Warriors. Gr. 4-8
Cross, Gillian. The Great American Elephant Chase. Gr. 4-7
DeFelice, Cynthia. The Apprenticeship of Lucas Whitaker. Gr. 4-7
DeFelice, Cynthia. Weasel. Gr. 4-6
Fleischman, Paul. Bull Run. Gr. 4-8
Hahn, Mary Downing. Promises to the Dead. Gr. 4-7
Hansen, Joyce. The Captive. Gr. 4-7
Hemphill, Michael. Stonewall Hinkleman and the Battle of Bull Run. Gr. 4-7
Hite, Sid. The Journal of Rufus Rowe: A Witness to the Battle of Fredericksburg. Gr. 5-7 JS
Levitin, Sonia. Clem's Chances. Gr. 5-8
Murphy, Jim. The Journal of James Edmond Pease: A Civil War Union Soldier, Virginia, 1863. Gr. 4-8 JS
Myers, Walter Dean. The Journal of Joshua Loper: A Black Cowboy. Gr. 4-8 JS
Nixon, Joan Lowry. The Orphan Train Adventures (series). Gr. 5-8
Paterson, Katherine. Jip: His Story. Gr. 4-8
Paterson, Katherine. The Preacher's Boy. Gr. 5-8
Paulsen, Gary. Francis Tucket (series). Gr. 4-8
Polacco, Patricia. Pink and Say. Gr. 4-8
Reeder, Carolyn. Across the Lines. Gr. 4-8
Reeder, Carolyn. Shades of Gray. Gr. 3-6
Robinet, Harriette Gillem. Forty Acres and Maybe a Mule. Gr. 4-6
Seely, Debra. Grasslands. Gr. 5-8
Wait, Lea. Seaward Born. Gr. 4-7
Yep, Laurence. Golden Mountain Chronicles (series). Gr. 4-8
Yep, Laurence. The Journal of Wong Ming-Chung, a Chinese Miner, California, 1852. Gr. 4-7 JS
Yin. Coolies. Gr. 1-4

Early 20th Century

Ayres, Katherine. Macaroni Boys. Gr. 4-7
Choldenko, Gennifer. Al Capone Does My Shirts. Gr. 4-8
Curtis, Christopher Paul. Bud, Not Buddy. Gr. 4-7
Durbin, William. The Journal of C. J. Jackson: A Dust Bowl Migrant, Oklahoma to California, 1935. Gr. 5-8 JS
Durbin, William. The Journal of Otto Peltonen: A Finnish Immigrant. Gr. 5-8 JS
Gundisch, Karin. How I Became an American. Gr. 3-7
Levine, Gail Carson. Dave at Night. Gr. 5-8
Park, Linda Sue. When My Name Was Keoko. Gr. 4-8
Robinet, Harriette Gillem. Mississippi Chariot. Gr. 3-6

Selznick, Brian. The Invention of Hugo Cabret. Gr. 3-8
Taylor, Mildred. The Friendship. Gr. 2-6
Taylor, Mildred. Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry. Gr. 4-8
Wells, Rosemary. Wingwalker. Gr. 3-6
Yep, Laurence. Dragonwings. Gr. 4-7

WWII and after

Curtis, Christopher Paul. The Watsons Go To Birmingham-1963. Gr. 4-8
Donahue, John. Till Tomorrow. Gr. 5-7
Doyle, Brian. Angel Square. Gr. 4-6
Harlow, Joan Hiatt. Joshua's Song. Gr. 3-6
Harris, Carol Flynn. A Place for Joey. Gr. 3-6
Lawrence, Iain. Lord of the Nutcracker Men. Gr. 5-8
Levoy, Myron. Alan and Naomi. Gr. 5-8
Lisle, Janet. The Art of Keeping Cool. Gr. 5-8
Morpugo, Michael. Waiting for Anya. Gr. 4-8
Myers, Walter Dean. Patrol: An American Soldier in Vietnam. Gr. 3-7
Propp, Vera. When the Soldiers Were Gone. Gr. 4-6
Taylor, Theodore. The Cay. Gr. 4-8
White, Ruth. Belle Prater's Boy. Gr. 4-8

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