

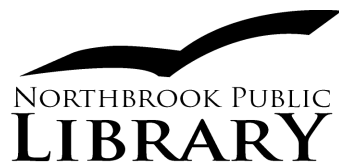
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## BOOKS FOR FOURTH GRADE



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*All books are located in the fiction section of the Youth Services Department of the Northbrook Public Library.*

**Applegate, Katherine**  
**The One and Only Ivan**

When Ivan, a gorilla who has lived for years in a down-and-out circus-themed mall, meets Ruby, a baby elephant that has been added to the mall, he decides that he must find her a better life.

**Clements, Andrew**  
**Frindle**

Nick invents a new word and things at school and home quickly get out of hand.

**Collins, Suzanne**  
**Gregor the Overlander**  
 Gregor and his two-year-old sister are pulled into a strange underground world.



**DeKeyser, Stacy**  
**The Brixen Witch**

Rudi stumbles upon a witch's lair while out hunting, takes a gold coin he finds there but then loses it again and must deal with the witch's servant who promises to end the town's rat infestation only if he receives that gold coin.

**DiCamillo, Kate**  
**The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane**

Edward Tulane, a cold-hearted proud toy rabbit, loves only himself until he is separated from the girl who adores him and travels across acquiring new owners and listening to their hopes, dreams, and histories.

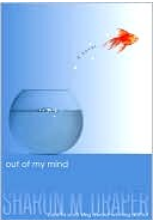
the country acquiring new owners.

**DiTerlizzi, Tony and Holly Black**  
**Field Guide**

When the Grace children go to stay at their Great Aunt Lucinda's old house, they begin to have some unusual experiences.

**Draper, Sharon**  
**Out of My Mind**

Considered by many to be mentally challenged, a brilliant impatient fifth grader with cerebral palsy discovers a technological device that will allow her to speak for the first time.



**Foley, Lizzie K.**  
**Remarkable**

Ten-year-old Jane Doe, the only student average enough to be excluded from the town of Remarkable's School for the Remarkably Gifted, is joined at her public school by the trouble-making Grimlet twins, who lead her on a series of adventures including a newly constructed bell tower that endangers Remarkable's most beloved inhabitant--a skittish lake monster named Lucky.

**Funke, Cornelia**  
**Ghost Knight**

Eleven-year-old Jon Whitcroft and new friend Ella summon the ghost of Sir William Longspee, who may be able to protect Jon from a group of ghosts that threatens him harm from the day he arrives at Salisbury Cathedral's boarding school.

**Gutman, Dan**

**Honus and Me: A Baseball Card Adventure**

Joey, who loves baseball, finds a valuable 1909 Honus Wagner card and travels back in time to meet Honus.

**Hannigan, Katherine**

**Ida B...and Her Plans to Maximize Fun, Avoid Disaster, and (Possibly) Save the World**

Fourth-grader Ida B spends happy hours being home-schooled and playing in her family's apple orchard, until her mother begins treatment for cancer and her parents must sell part of the orchard and send her to public school.

**Klise, Kate**

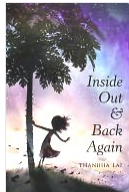
**Regarding the Fountain**

When the principal asks a fifth grade to inquire about the purchase of a new drinking fountain, all sorts of chaos results.

**Lai, Thanhha**

**Inside Out & Back Again**

Through a series of poems, a young girl chronicles the life-changing year of 1975, when she, her mother, and her brothers leave Vietnam and resettle in Alabama.



**Lin, Grace**

**Where the Mountain Meets the Moon**

Minli, and adventurous girl from a poor village, buys a magical goldfish and joins a dragon who cannot fly on a quest to find the Old Man of the Moon.

**Lowry, Lois**

**The Willoughbys**

The four Willoughby children set about to become “deserving orphans” after their neglectful parents embark on a treacherous around-the-world adventure, leaving them in the care of a nanny.

**Morpurgo, Michael**

**Kaspar the Titanic Cat**

Johnny Trott, a bell-boy at London's Savoy Hotel in 1912, becomes caregiver to Kaspar the Prince of Cats and soon the two are stowing away on the Titanic.



**Park, Barbara**

**The Kid in the Red Jacket**

When Howard moves to a new street he has to adjust to being shadowed by a little girl in a nearby house.

**Potter, Ellen**

**The Humming Room**

Twelve-year-old orphan Roo Fanshaw is sent to live with an uncle she never knew in a largely uninhabited mansion on an island and discovers a wild river boy, an invalid cousin, and the mysteries of a hidden garden.



**Rowling, J.K.**

**Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone**

Rescued from the outrageous neglect of his aunt and uncle, Harry receives an invitation to attend the Hogwarts School for Wizards.



**Selznik, Brian**

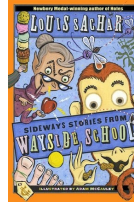
**The Invention of Hugo Cabret**

When Hugo, an orphan living and repairing clocks within the walls of a Paris train station, meets a mysterious toyseller and his god-daughter, his undercover life and his biggest secret are jeopardized.

**Sachar, Louis**

**Sideways Stories from Wayside School**

Humorous episodes from the classroom on the thirtieth floor of Wayside School, which was accidentally built sideways with one classroom on each story.



**Schlitz, Laura Amy**

**The Night Fairy**

When Flory the night fairy's wings are accidentally broken and she cannot fly, she has to learn to do things differently.



**Snicket, Lemony**

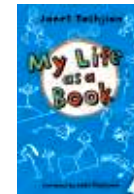
**The Bad Beginning**

After the sudden death of their parents, the three Baudelaire children are sent to live with a distant relative who is determined to get the children's fortune.

**Tashjian, Janet**

**My Life as a Book**

Dubbed a "reluctant reader" by his teacher, twelve-year-old Derek spends summer vacation learning important lessons even though he does not complete his summer reading list.



**Van Draanen, Wendelin**

**Sammy Keyes and the Hotel Thief**

Thirteen-year-old Sammy's penchant for speaking her mind gets her in trouble when she involves herself in the investigation of a robbery at the "seedy" hotel across the street from the seniors' building where she is living with her grandmother.



**Weeks, Sarah**

**Regular Guy**

Because he is so different from his eccentric parents, twelve-year-old Guy is convinced he has been switched at birth with a classmate whose parents seem more normal



**Wood, Maryrose**

**The Mysterious Howling**

Fifteen-year-old Miss Penelope Lumley, a recent graduate of the Swanburne Academy for Poor Bright Females, is hired as governess to three young children who have been raised by wolves and must teach them to behave in a civilized manner quickly, in preparation for a Christmas ball.

