

100 Years of Read-Aloud Stories for Children

Year Published	Title	Author	Awards	Notes
1911	The Secret Garden	Frances Hodgson Burnett		Hallmark DVD *BBC DVD
1913	Pollyanna	Eleanor Porter		Haley Mills DVD
1922	The Velveteen Rabbit	Margery Williams (Bianco)	1971 Lewis Carroll Shelf Award	
1938	Mr. Popper's Penguins	Richard & Florence Atwater		
1944	The Hundred Dresses	Eleanor Estes	1945 Newbery Honor	
1948	Misty of Chincoteague	Marguerite Henry	1948 Newbery Honor	
1949	My Father's Dragon	Ruth Gannet	1949 Newbery Honor	
1957	The Story of Holly & Ivy	Rumer Godden		
1957	The Secret of Ron Mor Skerry	Rosalie Fry		1994 Film adaptation – The Secret of Roan Inish
1958	The Family Under the Bridge	Natalie Carlson	1959 Newbery Honor	
1960	The Cricket in Times Square	George Selden		
1961	Owls in the Family	Farley Mowatt	1961 Newbery Honor	autobiographical
1974	The Last of the Really Great Whangdoodles	Julie Edwards		*AKA Julie Andrews
1975	The Lion in the Box	Marguerite DeAngeli		
1984	Harry's Mad	Dick King-Smith		
1985	The Invisible Dog	Dick King-Smith		
1985	Sarah, Plain and Tall	Patricia MacLachlan	1986 Newbery Medal 1986 Scott Dell Award 1986 Golden Kite Award	1991 Hallmark TV movie - Glenn Close
1993	The Tunnel Beneath the Sea	Ruth Sargent		Mystery on a Maine Island

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2002	Pictures of Hollis Woods	Patricia Reilly Giff		Hallmark movie
2006	The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane	Kate Di Camillo		
2016	The Greenglass House	Kate Milford	Edgar Award	12 year old adopted Asian boy solves a mystery at his family's inn

Author/Illustrator Study

This is a terrific activity to do with a group of children. It is a chance to really investigate story form and different styles of illustration.

The authors on this list usually illustrate their own books. Jim LaMarche also illustrates for other authors.

Bill Peet

Jan Brett

Jim LaMarche

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Barbara Cooney

Tasha Tudor

For more information see:

The Read- Aloud Handbook – Jim Trelease

The Read Aloud Family – Sarah Mackenzie

The Ramped-Up Read Aloud – Maria Walther

Hey! Listen to This – Jim Trelease

2019 – Patricia C. Shapiro