

COPLEY-FAIRLAWN CITY SCHOOLS

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KINDERGARTEN

Title	Author	BOE Approval Date	Notes
The Doorbell Rang	Pat Hutchins	12-19-95	
The Gingerbread Man	Brenda Parkers/Judith Smith	12-19-95	
If You Gave A Mouse A Cookie	Laura Numeroff	12-19-95	
Jack and the Beanstalk	Rigby	12-19-95	

GRADE 1

Title	Author	BOE Approval Date	Notes
Each Peach Pear Plum	Janet Alhberg	12-19-95	
Emma	James Stevenson	12-19-95	
Ira Sleeps Over	Bernard Waber	12-19-95	
Leo the Late Bloomer	Robert Krause	12-19-95	
Madeline	Ludwig Bemelmans	12-19-95	
Make Way for Ducklings	Robert McCloskey	12-19-95	
Pet Show!	Ezra Jack Keats	12-19-95	
The Cloud Book	Tomi DePaolo	12-19-95	
The Snowy Day	Ezra Jack Keats	12-19-95	
The Teeny-Tiny Woman	Folktale	12-19-95	
The Story of Ferdinand	Munro Leaf	12-19-95	
Where the Wild Things Are	Maurice Sendak	12-19-95	

GRADE 2

Title	Author	BOE Approval Date	Notes
A Chair for My Mother	Vera B. Williams	12-19-95	
Amelia Bedilia	Peggy Parish	12-19-95	
Arthur Series	Marc Brown	12-19-95	
Digging Up Dinosaurs	Aliki	12-19-95	
Doctor DeSoto	William Steig	12-19-95	
Flatfoot Fox	Eth Clifford	12-19-95	
Freckle Juice	Judy Blume	12-19-95	
George & Martha	James Marshall	12-19-95	
Green Thumbs Everyone			
Henry and Mudge Series	Cynthia Rylant	12-19-95	
Hot Fudge	James Howe	12-19-95	

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Louise Braille	Margaret Davidson	12-19-95	Handicap Awareness/Biography
Look Out Washington D.C.	Patricia Reilly Giff		
Magic School Bus Series	Joanne Cole	12-19-95	Inside the Earth—Rock, Geology
May Marony and the Snake Series	Suzy Kline		
Ming Lo Moves the Mountain	Arnold Lobel	12-19-95	
Muggie Maggie	Beverly Cleary	12-19-95	
Mystery of the Dinosaur Bones-Cam Jansen	David Adler	12-19-95	
Tacky the Penguin	Helen Lester	12-19-95	
The Beast in Ms. Rooney's Room	Patricia Reilly Giff	12-19-95	
The Island of the Skog	Steven Kellogg	12-19-95	
The Mysterious Cases of Mr. Pin	Mary Elise Monsell	12-19-95	
The Frog Alphabet Book	Jerry Pallotta	12-19-95	Animals Unit-Amphibians
The Principal's New Clothes	Stephanie Calmenson	12-19-95	
The Secret at the Polk Street School	Patricia Reilly Giff		
Thomas Edison	Margaret Davidson	12-19-95	Science/Electricity/Biography
Whale in the Sky	Anne Siberell	12-19-95	

GRADE 3

Title	Author	BOE Approval Date	Notes
Babe the Gallant Pig	King Smith	12-19-95	
Be a Perfect Person in Just Three Days	Stephen Manes	12-19-95	Fantasy
Boxcar Children	Warner	12-19-95	
Chocolate Fever	Robert Smith	12-19-95	
Chocolate Touch	Patrick Catling	12-19-95	Fantasy
Helen Keller	Davidson	12-19-95	Handicap Awareness
Henry Huggins	Beverly Cleary	12-19-95	
How to Eat Fried Worms	Thomas Rockwell	12-19-95	
How a Book is Made	Aliki	12-19-95	

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I Have Dream	Margaret Davidson	12-19-95	
Josephine's Imagination	Dobrin	12-19-95	
Julian's Glorious Summer	Ann Cameron	12-19-95	
Key to the Treasure	Peggy Parish	12-19-95	
Little House in the Big Woods	Laura Wilder	12-19-95	
Owls in the Family	Farley Mowat	12-19-95	
Ramona Quimby-Age 8	Beverly Cleary	12-19-95	Realistic/Modern Fiction
Ramona Forever	Beverly Cleary	12-19-95	
Rent A Third Grader	B.B. Hiller	12-19-95	
School's Out	Johanna Jurwitz	12-19-95	
Scrawny the Classroom Duck	Susan Clymer	12-19-95	
Seven Kisses in a Row	Patricia MacLachlan	12-19-95	
Squanto	Clyde Robert Bulla	12-19-95	Biography
Stone Soup	Folktale	12-19-95	
Surprise Island	Gertrude Warner	12-19-95	
The Nightingale	Hans Christian Anderson	12-19-95	
The Dream Eater	Christian Garrison	12-19-95	
The Trouble with Tuck	Taylor	12-19-95	Realistic Fiction/Handicap Awareness
The Spooky Tail of Prewitt Peacock	Bill Peet	12-19-95	
The Adventures of Ali Baba Bernstein	Johanna Hurwitz	12-19-95	

GRADE 4

Title	Author	BOE Approval Date	Notes
And Then What Happened, Paul Revere?	Jean Fritz		
Buffalo Woman	Paul Goble	12-19-95	
Bunnicula	James Howe	12-19-95	
Carry Me Home Cuyahoga	Christine Kallevig		Ohio History, Reading
Charlotte's Web	E.B. White	12-19-95	
Encyclopedia Brown	Donald Sobel	12-19-95	
Family Under the Bridge	Natalie Savage Carlson	12-19-95	
Fourth Grade Wizards	Barthe DeClements	12-19-95	
Ghost Children	Eve Bunting	12-19-95	

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If Your Name Was Changed at Ellis Island	Ellen Levine		
James and the Giant Peach	Roald Dahl	12-19-95	
Mr. Popper's Penguins	R. & F. Atwater	12-19-95	
Number The Stars	Lois Lowry		
Phoebe the Spy	Judith Berry Griffin	12-19-95	
Pocahontas and the Strangers	Clyde Robert Bulla		
Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes	Eleanor Coerr	12-19-95	
Sarah, Plain and Tall	Patricia MacLachlan	12-19-95	
Secrets of the Rainforest	Scholastic	12-19-95	
Snow Treasure	Marie McSwigan	12-19-95	
Stone Fox	John Gardiner	12-19-95	Child vs. Elements
Stuart Little	E.B. White	12-19-95	
Tales of Antarctica	Scholastic	12-19-95	
The Castle in the Attic	Elizabeth Winthrop	12-19-95	
The Cricket in Times Square	George Selden	12-19-95	
The Shoeshine Girl	Clyde Robert Bulla	12-19-95	
The Mouse & the Motorcycle	Beverly Cleary	12-19-95	
Trumpet of the Swan	E.B. White	12-19-95	
What's the Big Idea, Ben Franklin?	Jean Fritz		

GRADE 5

Title	Author	BOE Approval Date	Notes
Across the wide and Lonesome Prairie	Kristiana Gregory		Social Studies
Beanpole	Barbara Park	12-19-95	
Caddie Woodlawn	Carol Brink	12-19-95	
Celery Stalks at Midnight	James Howe	12-19-95	
Christmas with Ida Early	Robert Burch		
Every Living Thing	Cynthia Rylant	04-22-08	
Dear Mr. Henshaw	Beverly Cleary	12-19-95	
Double Life of Pocahontas	Jean Fritz	12-19-95	
From the Mixed Up Files of Mrs. Basil E.	E.L. Konigsburg	12-19-95	Realistic Fiction

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Frankweiler			
Ghost Cat	Beverly Butler	12-19-95	
Help! I'm Trapped in Obedience School	Todd Strasser	12-19-95	
House Without A Christmas Tree	Gail Rock	12-19-95	
I Spent My Summer Kidnapped Into Space	Marilyn Godfrey	12-19-95	
In the Year of the boar and Jackie Robinson	Bette Bao Lord	12-19-95	
Indian in Cupboard	Banks	12-19-95	
Jacob's Rescue	Malka Drucker and Micael Halperin		
Jelly Belly	Robert Smith	12-19-95	
Just Plain Cat	Nancy K. Robinson	12-19-95	
Maniac Magee	Spinelli	12-19-95	
Misty of Chincoteague	Marguerite Henry	12-19-95	
Pinballs	Betsy Byars		
Save Queen of Sheba	Louise Moeri		
Seedfolks	Paul Fleischman	07-15-08	
Thanksgiving Treasure	Gail Rock		
The Best School Year Ever	Barbara Robinson		
The Cabin Faced West	Jean Fritz	12-19-95	Problems/Solutions
The Creep's At It Again	Janet Bloss	12-19-95	
The Great Brain	John Fitzgerald	12-19-95	
The Incredible Journey	Sheila Burnford	12-19-95	
The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe	C.S. Lewis	12-19-95	
The Midnight Fox	Betsy Byars	12-19-95	
The Twenty-One Balloons	William Dubois		
The War With Grandpa	Robert Smith	12-19-95	

GRADE 6

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Adam of the Road	Elizabeth Janet Gay	12-19-95	
Amos Fortune	Elizabeth yates	12-19-95	
At the Sound of the Beep	Marilyn Sachs	12-19-95	Modern Problems-Divorce
Banner In the Sky	James Ramsey Ullman	12-19-95	
Bridge to Terabithia	Katherine Patterson	12-19-95	Friendship/Death Character Development

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Call Of The Wild	Jack London	12-19-95	To be used in top group only
Call It Courage	Armstrong Sperry	12-19-95	
Charlie Pippin	Candy Dawson Boyd	12-19-95	
Dacey's Song	Cynthia Voight	12-19-95	
Dollhouse Murders	Betty Ren Wright	12-19-95	Mental Retardation during Teenage Years
Everyone Else's Parents Said Yes	Paul Danziger	12-19-95	Boy's adolescence/Peer Relationships/Family Life
House in the Snow	M.J. Engh	12-19-95	Mystery
Island of the Blue Dolphins	Scott O'Dell	12-19-95	
Jonathan Livingston Seagull	Richard Bach	12-19-95	
Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of Nimh	Robert O'Brien	12-19-95	
My Side of the Mountain	Jean George	12-19-95	Survival/Science
On My Honor	Marion Bauer	12-19-95	
Onion John	Joseph Krumgold	12-19-95	
Sixth Grade Can Really Kill You	Barthe DeClemente	12-19-95	
Pike River Phantom	Betty Ren Wright	12-19-95	Social Problems
Rasco & the Rats of Nimh	Jan Conly	12-19-95	
Shane	Jack Schaefer	12-19-95	To be used in top group only
Shiloh	Phyllis Naylor	12-19-95	Animal Lover
Sign of the Beaver	Elizabeth Speare	12-19-95	Survival/Friendship
Summer of the Swan	Betsy Byars	12-19-95	
Teacher Glows in the Dark	Bruce Coville	12-19-95	
Teacher Fried My Brains	Bruce Coville	12-19-95	
Teacher Flunked the Planet	Bruce Coville	12-19-95	
The Cay	Theodore Taylor	12-19-95	
The Diary of Anne Frank	Anne Frank		Autobiography
The Giver	Lois Lowry		
The Half-A-Moon Inn	Paul Fleischman	11-16-10	
The Illyrian Adventure	Lloyd Alexander	12-19-95	
The Kid in the Red Jacket	Barbara Park	12-19-95	
The Little Prince	Antoine deSaint-Exupery	12-19-95	Fable Morals
The Outsiders	S.E. Hinton	12-19-95	To be used in top group only
The Perilous Road	William O. Steele	12-19-95	
The Talking Earth	Jean Craighead George	12-19-95	

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The Westing Game	Ellen Raskin	12-19-95	
There's a Boy in the Girls Bathroom	Louis Sacher	12-19-95	Humor/Author's Style
Timothy of the Cay	Theodore Taylor	12-19-95	
Wayside School	Louis Sacher	12-19-95	Humor/Author's Style
Wayside School is Falling Down	Louis Sacher	12-19-95	Humor
What Could Go Wrong?	Willo Davis Roberts	12-19-95	Adolescents dealing with mystery and intrigue
Where the Red Fern Grows	Wilson Rawls	12-19-95	
Whipping Boy	Sid Fleischman	12-19-95	Historical Fiction
Windcatcher	Avi	12-19-95	Ocean Unit
Zia	Scott O'Dell	12-19-95	

GRADE 7

Title	Author	BOE Approval Date	Notes
Catherine Called Birdy	Karen Cushman	06-24-08	
Crispin The Cross of Lead	Avi	11-16-04	
Crispin At the Edge of the World	Avi	06-24-08	
Every Living Thing	Cynthia Rylant	05-20-08	
Eyes of the Amarillas	Natallie Babbit	12-19-95	Mystery
Great Gilly Hopkins	Katherine Paterson	12-19-95	Contemporary Fiction
Hatchet	Gary Paulsen	12-19-95	Anthology
House of Dies Drear	Virginia Hamilton	12-19-95	Ohio History
I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings	Maya Angelou	12-19-95	Autobiography
Let the Circle Be Unbroken	Mildred Taylor	12-19-95	American History
Light in the Forest	Conrad Richter	12-19-95	Ohio History
Roll of Thunder Hear My Cry	Mildred Taylor	12-19-95	American History
Song of the Trees	Mildred Taylor	12-19-95	
The Midwife's Apprentice	Karce Cushman	06-24-08	
The Road to Memphis	Mildred Taylor		
Voyage of the Frog	Gary Paulsen	12-19-95	Adventure

GRADE 8

Title	Author	BOE Approval Date	Notes
A Wrinkle in Time	M. L'Engle	12-19-95	Science Fiction
A Day No Pigs Would Die	Robert Peck	12-19-95	American History
Adventures of Tom Sawyer	Mark Twain	12-19-95	Adventure
All But My Life	Gerta W. Klein	12-19-95	Autobiography
Don't Look Behind You	L. Duncan	12-19-95	Contemporary Fiction
Fahrenheit 451	Ray Bradbury	12-19-95	Changed to 8 th grade 11/2010
My Brother Sam is Dead	Collier	12-19-95	American History
Pigman	Paul Zindel	12-19-95	Contemporary Fiction
Red Pony	John Steinbeck	12-19-95	Historical Fiction
Shane	Jack Schaefer	12-19-95	
Souder	William H. Armstrong	12-19-95	American History
The Outsiders	S.E. Hinton	12-19-95	Contemporary Fiction
The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle	Avi	12-19-95	
Treasure Island	Robert Stevenson	12-19-95	Adventure
Tuck Everlasting	Nattalie Babbit	12-19-95	Science Fiction
Where the Lilies Bloom	Cleaver	12-19-95	American History
Witch of Blackbird Pond	E. Speare	12-19-95	American History

High School

Title	Author	BOE Approval Date	Notes
A Raisin in the Sun	Lorraine Hansberry	11-08-08	9, 9 Honors
A Separate Peace	John Knowles	12-19-95	
All the King's Men	Robert Penn Warren	12-19-95	
Anil's Ghost	Michael Ondaatje	11-18-08	11, 11 Honors, AP Literature, Senior composition
Animal Farm	George Orwell	12-19-95	
Billy Budd	Herman Melville	12-19-95	
Catch-22	Joseph Heller	12-19-95	
Catcher in the Rye	J.D. Salinger	12-19-95	
Dracula	Bram Stoker	12-19-95	
Ethan Frome	Edith Wharton	12-19-95	
Flowers for Algernon	Daniel Keyes	12-19-95	
Frankenstein	Mary Shelley	12-19-95	
Franny and Zooey	J.D. Salinger	12-19-95	
Heart of Darkness	Joseph Conrad	12-19-95	
Look Homeward Angel	Thomas Wolfe	12-19-95	

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Lord of the Flies	William Golding	12-19-95	
Moby Dick	Herman Melville	12-19-95	
Monster	Walter Dean Myers	11-18-08	9, 9 Honors
Native Son	Richard Wright	12-19-95	
Night	Elie Weisel	12-19-95	
Of Mice and Men	John Steinbeck	12-19-95	
One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest	Ken Kesey	12-19-95	
Ordinary People	Judith Guest	12-19-95	
Pathfinder	James Fenimore Cooper	12-19-95	
Power and the Glory	Graham Greene	12-19-95	
Pudd'nhead Wilson	Mark Twain	12-19-95	
Red Badge of Courage	James Fenimore Cooper	12-19-95	
Sons and Lovers	D.H. Lawrence	12-19-95	
Speak	Laurie Halse Anderson	12-19-95	
Tess of the D'urbervilles	Thomas Hardy	12-19-95	
Tex	S.E. Hinton	12-19-95	
The Dew Breaker	Edwidge Danticat	12-16-08	
The Grapes of Wrath	John Steinbeck	12-19-95	
The Great Gatsby	F. Scott Fitzgerald	12-19-95	
The Odyssey	Homer	12-19-95	
The Old Man and the Sea	Ernest Hemingway	12-19-95	
The Scarlet Letter	Nathaniel Hawthorne	12-19-95	
The Tin Can Tree	Anne Tyler	12-19-95	
The Things They Carried	Tim O'Brien	06-27-06	
To Kill a Mockingbird	Harper Lee	12-19-95	