

Keystone to Reading Secondary Book Award  
2024 for 2025 Winner  
**Middle School 6 - 8**

The Keystone State Literacy Association Book Award program encourages the reading of a variety of high quality trade books by young adults in 6th, 7th, and 8th grades. In order for students to participate in selecting the award winner, their teacher must follow these directions:

1. Teachers must submit the intent to participate form found below by December 31, 2024.
2. The school or classroom must have access to at least six books from the current list.
3. Students must read four of these books in order to vote.
4. Annotated book lists and voting ballots are available on the KSLA website ([www.ksla.wildapricot.org](http://www.ksla.wildapricot.org)). Completed ballots must be completed online by March 15, 2025.
5. Any questions should be directed to Co-Chair, Emily Reed, [flyingicesticks@gmail.com](mailto:flyingicesticks@gmail.com).
6. Return completed intent form to above email or to **Emily Reed, 127 Stoney Run Road, Dillsburg, PA 17019.**

Keystone to Reading Secondary Award Middle School Intent to Participate: mark box for books you will have available

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| <input type="checkbox"/> <b><i>Duel</i></b> by Jessixa and Aaron Bagby                      | 978-1534496545 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b><i>Four Eyes</i></b> by Rex Ogle and Dave Valeza                | 978-1338574968 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b><i>Good Different</i></b> by Meg Eden Kuyatt                    | 978-1338816105 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b><i>Hands</i></b> by Torrey Maldonado                            | 978-0593323793 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b><i>Mexikid</i></b> by Pedro Martin                              | 978-0593462294 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b><i>My Selma</i></b> by Willie Mae Brown                         | 978-0374390235 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b><i>Plague Busters</i></b> by Lindsey Fitzharris and Adrian Teal | 978-1547606030 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b><i>The Gray</i></b> by Chris Baron                              | 978-1250864710 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b><i>The Labors of Hercules Beal</i></b> by Gary D. Schmidt       | 978-0358659631 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b><i>The Lion of Lark-Hayes Manor</i></b> by Aubrey Hartmna       | 978-0316448222 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b><i>The Lost Year</i></b> by Katherine Marsh                     | 978-1250313607 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b><i>Warrior Girl</i></b> by Carmen Tafolla                       | 978-0593354711 |

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Teacher's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Students Voting \_\_\_\_\_

The Keystone to Reading Secondary Book Award lists are created to give students a voice in the selection of children's book awards presented each year at the annual KSLA Conference. The information presented in these books represents the thoughts and opinions of the authors and does not necessarily represent the viewpoints of the Keystone State Literacy Association.