

Below is a list of perennial favorites that span the range of fourth and fifth grade reading levels.

Alexander, Lloyd. *Prydain Chronicles*.  
Andersen, Hans Christian. *Fairy Tales*.  
Babbitt, Natalie. *Tuck Everlasting*.  
Baum, L. Frank. *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz*.  
Boston, L.M. *The Children of Green Knowe*  
Brink, Carol Ryrie. *Caddie Woodlawn*  
Brooks, Gwendolyn. *Bronzeville Boys and Girls*  
Burnett, Frances Hodgson. *The Secret Garden*  
Byars, Betsy. *The Summer of the Swans*  
Cooper, Susan. *The Dark Is Rising Sequence*  
Dodge, Mary Mapes. *Hans Brinker, or the Silver Skates*  
Eager, Edward. *Half Magic*  
Edmonds, Walter D. *The Matchlock Gun*  
Enright, Elizabeth. *Thimble Summer*  
Estes, Eleanor. *The Moffats*  
Farley, Walter. *The Black Stallion*  
Field, Rachel. *Hitty: Her First Hundred Years*  
Fitzhugh, Louise. *Harriet the Spy*  
Gardiner, John. *Stone Fox*  
George, Jean Craighead. *My Side of the Mountain*  
Grahame, Kenneth. *The Wind in the Willows*  
Henry, Marguerite. *Misty of Chincoteague*  
Howe, Deborah. *Bunnica*  
Hughes, Langston. *The Dream Keeper and Other Poems*  
Irving, Washington. *Rip Van Winkle*  
Juster, Norton. *The Phantom Tollbooth*  
Kipling, Rudyard. *The Jungle Books*  
Knight, Eric. *Lassie Come Home*  
Konigsburg, E.L. *From the Mixed-up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler*  
Lamb, Charles and Mary. *Tales from Shakespeare*  
Lawson, Robert. *Ben and Me*  
Lanski, Lois. *Strawberry Girl*  
Lewis, C.S. *The Chronicles of Narnia*  
Lindgren, Astrid. *Pippi Longstocking*  
Lofting, Hugh. *Doctor Dolittle*  
Lovelace, Maud Hart. *Betsy-Tacy*  
Macaulay, David. *Castle*  
Mathis, Sharon Bell. *The Hundred Penny Box*  
McCloskey, Robert. *Homer Price*  
Montgomery, L.M. *Anne of Green Gables*  
Nesbit, E. *The Railway Children*  
North, Sterling. *Rascal*  
Norton, Mary. *The Borrowers*

O'Brien, Robert C. *Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of Nimh*  
Paterson, Katherine. *Bridge to Terabithia*  
Pearce, Philippa. *Tom's Midnight Garden*  
Salten, Felix. *Bambi*  
Sawyer, Ruth. *Roller Skates*  
Sewell, Anna. *Black Beauty*  
Sharp, Margery. *The Rescuers*  
Spyri, Johanna. *Heidi*  
Travers, P. L. *Mary Poppins*  
Wyss, Johann. *Swiss Family Robinson*