

**BEST
BOOKS
of 2023**



Early Readers & Picture Books

Presented by: Lindsey Stockdale and Joella Bagshaw

Lindsey's Picks	Simon and the Better Bone	Corey Tabor
	Mr. S	Monica Arnaldo
	Nell Plants a Tree	Anne Wynter
	The Tree and the River	Aaron Becker
	There Was a Party for Langston	Jason Reynolds
	A Walk in the Woods	Nikki Grimes
	The Truth About Dragons	Julie Leung
	Shark-Cam	Margie Palatini
	Nat the Cat Takes a Nap	Jarrett Lerner
	Elena Rides	Juana Medina
	Jumper: A Day in the Life of a Backyard Jumping Spider	Jessica Lanan
	Good Books for Bad children: The Genius of Ursula Nordstrom	Beth Kephart
Joella's Picks	Rise to the Sky: How the World's Tallest Trees Grow Up	Rebecca E. Hirsch
	Tomfoolery!: Randolph Caldecott and the Rambunctious Coming-of-Age of Children's Books	Michelle Markel
	How Do You Spell Unfair?: MacNolia Cox and the National Spelling Bee	Carole Boston Weatherford
	Holding Her Own: The Exceptional Life of Jackie Ormes	Traci N. Todd
	The Book of Turtles	Sy Montgomery
	Bear and Bird: The Stars and Other Stories	Jarvis
	Try a Bit, Trilobite!	Jonathan Fenske
	Fox Has a Problem	Corey R. Tabor
	My Powerful Hair	Carole Lindstrom
	Remember	Joy Harjo
	Once Upon a Book	Grace Lin
	Evergreen	Matthew Cordell
Big	Vashti Harrison	