2018-2019 VSBA Primary Nominee List

- Beaty, Andrea. *Ada Twist, Scientist*. Illustrated by David Robert. Harry N. Abrams, 2016.
- Bell, Cece. I Yam a Donkey! Clarion Books, 2015.
- Bestor, Sheri Mabry. *Good Trick, Walking Stick!* Illustrated by Johnny Lambert. Sleeping Bear Press, 2016.
- Bledsoe, Josh. *Hammer and Nails*. Illustrated by Jessica Warrick. Flashlight Press, 2016.
- Bush, Laura & Hager, Jenna Bush Hager. *Our Great Big Back Yard*. Illustrated by Jaqueline Rogers. HarperCollins, 2016.
- Campoy, F. Isabel & Howell, Teresa. *Maybe Something Beautiful: How Art Transformed a Neighborhood*. Illustrated by Rafael López. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2016.
- Heder, Thyra. *The Bear Report*. Harry N. Abrams, 2015.
- Jenson-Elliot, Cindy. *Antsy Ansel: Ansel Adams a Life in Nature*. Illustrated by Christy Hale. Henry Hold and Co., 2016.
- Kennedy, Anne Vittur. *Ragweed's Farm Dog Handbook (Learn From the Best!)*. Candlewick, 2015.
- Lazan, Tara. *Little Red Gliding Hood*. Illustrated by Troy Cummings. Random House Books for Young Readers, 2015.
- Levis, Caron. *Ida, Always*. Illustrated by Charles Santoso. Athenaeum Books for Young Readers, 2016.
- London, Jonathan. *Hippos Are Huge!* Illustrated by Matthew Trueman. Candlewick, 2015.
- Mebane, Jeanie. *At the Marsh in the Meadow*. Illustrated by Gerald Guerlais. Sleeping Bear Press, 2016.
- Miller, Pat Zietlow. *The Quickest Kid in Clarksville*. Illustrated by Frank Morrison. Chronicle Books, 2016.
- Olien, Jessica. *The Blobfish Book*. Balzer + Bray, 2016.
- Papp, Lisa. Madeline Finn and the Library Dog. Peachtree Publishers, 2016.
- Rex, Adam. *School's First Day of School*. Illustrated by Christian Robinson. Roaring Brook Press, 2016.
- Scanlon, Liz Garton & Vernick, Audrey. *Bob, Not Bob!* *to be read as though you have the worst cold ever. Illustrated by Matthew Cordell. Disney-Hyperion, 2017.
- Wenzel, Brendan. *They All Saw a Cat.* Chronicle, 2016.
- Yeh, Kat. *The Friend Ship*. Illustrated by Chuck Groenink. Disney-Hyperion, 2016.

2018-2019 VSBA Intermediate Nominee List

- Barton, Chris. *Whoosh: Lonnie Johnsons' Super-Soaking Stream of Inventions*. Illustrated by Don Tate. Charlesbridge, 2016.
- Bauer, Joan. Soar. Viking, 2016.
- Beckhorn, Susan. The Wolf's Boy. Disney Hyperion, 2016.
- Bowman, Donna Janell. *Step Right Up: How Doc and Jim Key Taught the World about Kindness*. Illustrated by Daniel Minter. Lee & Low Books, 2016.
- Brown, Peter. The Wild Robot. Little Brown and Company, 2016.
- Creech, Sharon. Moo. Joanna Cotler Books, 2016.
- Davis, Jacqueline. Nothing But Trouble. Katherine Tegen Books, 2016.
- Dicamillo, Kate. *Raymie Nightingale*. Candlewick Press, 2016.
- Jacobson, Jennifer. Paper Things. Candlewick Press, 2015.
- Kelly, Jacqueline. Skunked! Henry Holt and Company, 2016.
- Korman, Gordon. Slacker. Scholastic, 2016.
- MacHale, D.J. *Curse of the Boggin*. Random House, 2016.
- Nobelman, Marc Tyler. Brave like My Brother. Scholastic, 2016.
- Paulsen, Gary. Six Kids and a Stuffed Cat. S & S Books for Young Readers, 2016.
- Ray, Delia. *Finding Fortune*. Farrar Strauss Giroux, 2015.
- Rhodes, Jewel Parker. Towers Falling. Little, Brown and Company, 2016.
- Sachar, Louis. *Fuzzy Mud.* Delacorte Press, 2015.
- Shepherd, Megan. The Secret Horses of Briar Hill. Delacorte Press, 2016.
- Telgemeier, Raina. Ghosts. Graphix, 2016.
- Weeks, Sarah and Gita Varadarajan. Save Me a Seat. Scholastic, 2016.

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- Alexander, Kwame. Booked. Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, 2016.
- Anderson, Laurie Halse. Ashes. Antheneum Books for Young Readers, 2016.
- Barnhill, Kelly. The Girl Who Drank the Moon. Algonquin, 2016.
- Cameron, Sharon. *The Forgetting*. Scholastic, 2016.
- Crowder, Melanie. *Audacity*. Philomel, 2015.
- Freedman, Russell. We Will Not Be Silent: The White Rose Student Resistance Movement that Defied Adolf Hitler. Clarion Books, 2016.
- Gemeinhart, Dan. Scar Island. Scholastic, 2017.
- Grimes, Nikki. Garvey's Choice. Wordsong, 2016.
- Harrington, Karen. Mayday. Little Brown & Company, 2016.
- Jarrow, Gail. *Bubonic Panic: When the Plague Invaded America*. Calkins Creek, 2016.
- Kidd, Ronald. Night on Fire. Albert Whitman and Company, 2015.
- Maraniss, Andrew. *Strong Inside* (Young Readers Edition): *The True Story of How Perry Wallace Broke College Basketball's Color Line*. Philomel, 2017.
- Meyer, Marissa. *Wires & Nerve*. Feiwel and Friends, 2017.
- Pearsall, Shelley. The Seventh Most Important Thing. Alfred A. Knopf, 2015.
- Reynolds, Jason. *Ghost.* Antheneum Books for Young Readers, 2016.
- Shetterly, Margot Lee. *Hidden Figures* (Young Readers Edition): *The Untold True Story of Four African-American Women Who Helped Launch Our Nation into Space*. HarperCollins, 2016.
- Shusterman, Neal. Scythe. Simon & Schuster, 2016.
- Vaught, Susan. *Things Too Huge to Fix by Saying Sorry*. Simon & Schuster, 2016.
- Weeks, Sarah and Gita Varadarajan. Save Me a Seat. Scholastic, 2016.
- Wolk, Lauren. Wolf Hollow. Dutton's Children's Books, 2016.

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- Cameron, Sharon. The Forgetting. Scholastic, 2016.
- Garber, Stephanie. Caraval. Flatiron Books, 2017.
- Hoose, Phillip. The Boys Who Challenged Hitler. Square Fish, 2015.
- Hutchinson, Shuan David. We Are the Ants. Simon Pulse, 2016.
- Kincaid. S.J. The Diabolic. Simon & Schuster, 2016.
- Lubar, David. *Character, Driven*. Tor Teen, 2016.
- McGinnis, Mindy. *The Female of the Species*. Katherine Tegan Books, 2016.
- Medina, Meg. Burn Baby Burn. Candlewick Press, 2016.
- Meyer, Marissa. *Wires & Nerve*. Feiwel and Friends, 2017.
- Miller, Sarah. *The Borden Murders: Lizzie Borden & the Trial of the Century*. Schwartz and Wade, 2016.
- Noah, Trevor. *Born a Crime: Stories from a South African Childhood*. Spiegel and Grau, 2016.
- Perez, Ashley Hope. Out of Darkness. Carolrhoda Lab, 2015.
- Redwine. C.J. The Shadow Queen. Balzer + Bray, 2016.
- Russo, Meredith. If I Was Your Girl. Flatiron Books, 2016.
- Saeed, Aisha. Written in the Stars. Nancy Paulsen Books, 2015.
- Schwab, Victoria. This Savage Song. Greenwillow Books, 2016.
- Shusterman, Neal. Scythe. Simon & Schuster, 2016.
- Whaley, John Corey. *Highly Illogical Behavior*. Dial Books, 2016.
- Yoon, Nicola. The Sun is Also a Star. Delacorte Press, 2016.
- Zentner, Jeff. *The Serpent King*. Crown, 2016.