

Maple Leaf International School – The School Library

Online Resources

The school community has access to the EBSCO Host online database. Click here, <http://search.ebscohost.com>, to log-on. Please contact the library for a username and password.

The following interfaces are offered within the database:

EBSCO Host: All available databases (Teacher Profile)

Student Research Center: High School and Middle School

Kid Search: Middle and Elementary School

Searchasaurus : Elementary School



Citation Guide

Use the following to learn how to reference or cite your work correctly:

<http://www.oslis.org/elementary/index.php?page=citeSources>

<http://citationmachine.net/>

Canadian Literary Awards

[Canadian Library Association](#) encourages and promotes literary and graphic excellence in books for children and young adults. These three awards are presented annually:

- [Book of the Year Award for Children](#)
- [Amelia Frances Howard-Gibbon Award for Illustration](#)
- [Young Adult Canadian Book Award](#)

The Pacific Northwest Library Association's [Young Reader's Choice Award](#) is the oldest children's choice award in the U.S. and Canada. The award was established in 1940 by a Seattle bookseller, the late Harry Hartman, who believed every student should have an opportunity to select a book that gives her or him pleasure.

2007

- Junior Division 4th-6th grades: [Dragon Rider](#) Cornelia Funke
- Intermediate Division 7th-9th grades: [Supernaturalist](#) Eoin Colfer
- Senior Division 10th-12th grades: [Hat Full of Sky](#) Terry Pratchett

2006

- Junior Division 4th-6th grades: [The Tale of Despereaux](#) Kate DiCamillo
- Intermediate Division 7th-9th grades: [Eragon](#) Christopher Paolini
- Senior Division 10th-12th grades: [Fat Kid Rules the World](#) K. L. Going

2005

- Junior Division 4th-6th grades: [The Thief Lord](#) Cornelia Funke
- Intermediate Division 7th-9th grades: [Son of the Mob](#) Gordon Korman
- Senior Division 10th-12th grades: [The House of the Scorpion](#) Nancy Farmer

International Literary Awards

The John Newbery Medal is awarded for the most distinguished contribution to American Literature for Children. Established 1922.

See the [Newbery Medal homepage](#) for more information.

2007

Medalist

[The Higher Power of Lucky](#) Susan Patron, illustrated by Matt Phelan

Honors

[Penny from Heaven](#) Jennifer L. Holm

[Hattie Big Sky](#) Kirby Larson

[Rules](#) Cynthia Lord

The Randolph Caldecott Medal is awarded for the most distinguished American Picture Book for Children. Established 1938.

See also the [Caldecott Medal Home Page](#).

2007

Medalist

[Flotsam](#) David Wiesner

Honor

[Gone wild: An Endangered Animal Alphabet](#) David McLimans

[Moses: When Harriet Tubman Led Her People to Freedom](#) Kadir Nelson,
text by Carole Boston Weatherford

Author Websites

Children's Literature Web Guide

<http://www.acs.ucalgary.ca/~dkbrown/authors.html>

<http://www.ucalgary.ca/~dkbrown/index.html>

Avi

<http://www.avi-writer.com/>

Jan Brett's Home Page

<http://www.janbrett.com/>

Official Eric Carle Web Site

<http://www.eric-carle.com/>

Beverly Cleary

<http://www.beverlycleary.com/index.html>

Sharon Creech

<http://www.sharoncreech.com/index.html>

The Official Roald Dahl Web site

<http://www.roalddahl.com/>

Kevin Henkes

<http://www.kevinhenkes.com/>

The Official Robert Munsch Website

<http://www.robertmunsch.com/>

Laura Numeroff's (very own) Web Site

<http://lauranumeroff.com>

Barbara Park

<http://www.randomhouse.com/kids/junie/>

Katherine Paterson Web Site

<http://www.terabithia.com/>

Gary Paulsen

<http://www.scils.rutgers.edu/special/kay/paulsen.html>

Shel Silverstein

<http://www.shelsilverstein.com>