

# CEA 3-5 Book Buzz 2017

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## Simply...Great Books

Title and Author	Notes
<i>Wishtree</i> By Katherine Applegate	
<i>Beatrice Zinker, Upside Down Thinker</i> By Shelley Johannes	
<i>Walking with Miss Millie</i> By Tamara Bundy	
<i>A Boy Called Bat</i> By Elana K. Arnold	
<i>Insignificant Events in the Life of a Cactus</i> By Dusti Bowling	
<i>Where Oliver Fits</i> By Cale Atkinson	
<i>The Watcher</i> By Nikki Grimes	
<i>After the Fall</i> By Dan Santat	
<i>Two Truths and a Lie: It's Alive</i> By Ammi-Joan Paquette	

## Random Theme of the year: Shipwrecked Orphans

Title and Author	Notes
<i>Orphan Island</i> By Laurel Snyder	
<i>Beyond the Bright Sea</i> By Lauren Wolk	
<i>Pablo and Birdy</i> By Alison McGhee	

## Graphic Novels

Title and Author	Notes
<i>Real Friends</i> By Shannon Hale	
<i>Swing it, Sunny</i> By Jennifer L. Holm	
<i>CatStronauts</i> books By Drew Brockington	

## Why resist the urge to buy even more books?

Title and Author	Notes
<i>Finding Perfect</i> By Elly Swartz	
<i>Chester and Gus</i> By Cammie McGovern	
<i>Cilla Lee-Jenkins: Future Author...</i> By Susan Tan	
<i>Amina's Voice</i> By Hena Khan	
<i>Lights, Camera Middle School!</i> By Jennifer L. Holm	
<i>Clayton Byrd Goes Underground</i> By Rita Williams-Garcia	
<i>Word of Mouse</i> By James Patterson	
<i>Short</i> By Holly Goldberg Sloan	
<i>Dragon Captives (Unwanted's Quests #1)</i> By Lisa McMann	
<i>Ghost</i> By Jason Reynolds	
<i>Patina</i> By Jason Reynolds	
<i>The Losers Club</i> By Andrew Clements	
<i>Tumble and Blue</i> By Cassie Beasley	
<i>The Gauntlet</i> By Karuna Riazi	
<i>The Unbeatable Squirrel Girl</i> By Shannon Hale	
<i>King of the Bench books</i> By Steven Moore	
<i>The Great Treehouse War</i> By Lisa Graff	
<i>Lucy</i> By Randy Cecil	
<i>The Unlikely Story of a Pig in the City</i> By Jodi Kendall	
<i>Gorilla Dawn</i> By Gill Lewis	
<i>The Capybara Conspiracy</i> By Erica S. Perl	
<i>The Poet's Dog</i> By Patricia MacLachlan	
<i>The Purloining of Prince Oleomargarine</i> By Mark Twain and Phillip Stead	

## Books for younger readers

Title and Author	Notes
<i>Zoey and Sassafras</i> books By Asia Citro	
<i>Fergus and Zeke</i> By Kate Messner	
<i>Juana and Lucas</i> By Juana Medina	
<i>The Infamous Ratsos</i> books By Kara LaReau	
<i>Sam the Man</i> books By Frances O'Roark Dowell	
<i>Mae and June and the Wonder Wheel</i> By Charise Mericle Harper	
<i>Princess Cora and the Crocodile</i> By Laura Amy Schlitz	
<i>Absolutely Alfie</i> books By Sally Warner	
<i>Jada Jones</i> books By Kelly Starling Lyons	

## Great book for inspiring young writers

Title and Author	Notes
<i>Our Story Begins</i> By Weissman and Alexander	

## Not necessarily for grades 3-5...but you should read these

Title and Author	Notes
<i>Refugee</i> By Alan Gratz	
<i>Posted</i> By John David Anderson	

## Picture books you Need to Buy!

Title and Author	Notes
<i>She Persisted</i> By Chelsea Clinton	
<i>What Makes a Monster</i> By Jess Keating	
<i>Shark Lady: The True Story...</i> By Jess Keating	
<i>Ice Boy</i> By David Ezra Stein	
<i>The Legend of Rock Paper Scissors</i> By Drew Daywalt	

<i>One Proud Penny</i> By Randy Siegel	
<i>Her Right Foot</i> By Dave Eggers	
<i>We're All Wonders</i> By R. J. Palacio	
<i>John Ronald's Dragons</i> Caroline McAlister	

Happy Reading!

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to do some shopping!