

If you love Harry Potter and are breathlessly awaiting Book 6 (*Harry Potter and the Long-Awaited Sequel*), you might try these fantasy books and series. These books are approximately the same reading level as the *Harry Potter* books. Most can be found in the Junior Fiction (JF) area; exceptions are noted below.

SERIES:

ADVENTURES OF BEATRICE BAILEY by Sandra Forrester
(*The Everyday Witch; The Witches of Friar's Lantern; The Witches of Sea-Dragon Bay*).

ARTEMIS FOWL series by Eoin Colfer
(*Artemis Fowl; The Arctic Incident; The Eternity Code*).

BARTIMAEUS trilogy by Jonathan Stroud
(*The Amulet of Samarkand; The Golem's Eye*.
Third book in the trilogy is not yet announced.).

The BOOKS OF MAGIC series by Carla Jablonski
(*The Invitation; Bindings*. More in series to be obtained soon.).

CHARLIE BONE series by Jenny Nimmo.
(*Midnight for Charlie Bone; Charlie Bone and the Time Twister*).

CHRESTOMANCI series by Diana Wynne Jones
(*Charmed Life; The Lives of Christopher Chant; The Magicians of Caprona; Witch Week; Mixed Magics*).

CHRONICLES OF NARNIA series by C. S. Lewis
(*The Magician's Nephew; The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe; Prince Caspian; The Voyage of the Dawn Treader; The Silver Chair; The Horse and His Boy; The Last Battle*). [Both JF and YAF]

The DARK IS RISING series by Susan Cooper
(*Over Sea, Under Stone; The Dark is Rising; Greenwitch; The Grey King; Silver on the Tree*). [Both JF and YAF]

DRAGON CHRONICLES series by Susan Fletcher
(*Flight of the Dragon Kyn; Dragon's Milk; Sign of the Dove*).

ECHORIUM SEQUENCE by Katherine Roberts
(*Song Quest; Crystal Mask; Dark Quetzal*).

KEYS TO THE KINGDOM series by Garth Nix
(*Mister Monday; Grim Tuesday*).

MINNIPINS series by Carol Kendall
(*The Firelings [not available here]; The Gammage Cup; The Whisper of Glocken*).

PENDRAGON series by D. J. MacHale
(*The Merchant of Death; The Lost City of Faar; The Never War; The Reality Bug*).

PRYDAIN CHRONICLES series by Lloyd Alexander
(*The Book of Three; The Black Cauldron; The Castle of Llyr; Taran Wanderer; The High King; The Foundling and Other Tales of Prydain*). [Both JF and YAF]

ROWAN series by Emily Rodda
(*Rowan of Rin; Rowan and the Travellers; Rowan and the Keeper of the Crystal; Rowan and the Zebak; Rowan and the Ice-Creepers*).

STREGA-BORGIA series by Debi Gliori
(*Pure Dead Magic; Pure Dead Wicked; Pure Dead Brilliant*).

TIME QUINTET by Madeleine L'Engle
(*A Wrinkle in Time; A Wind in the Door; A Swiftly Tilting Planet; Many Waters; An Acceptable Time*). [Some in JF, some in YAF]

TROLL series by John Vornholt
(*The Troll King; The Troll Queen; The Troll Treasure*).

YOUNG WIZARDS series by Diane Duane
(*So You Want to Be a Wizard?; Deep Wizardry; High Wizardry; A Wizard Abroad; The Wizard's Dilemma; A Wizard Alone; Wizard's Holiday*). [Some in JF, some in YAF]

INDIVIDUAL BOOKS:

Allen, Wil. SWORDS FOR HIRE: TWO OF THE MOST UNLIKELY HEROES YOU'LL EVER MEET.

Augarde, Steve. THE VARIOUS.

Avi. BRIGHT SHADOW; PERLOO THE BOLD.

Barker, Clive. ABARAT.

Blacker, Terence. THE ANGEL FACTORY.

Brockmeier, Kevin. CITY OF NAMES.

Bujor, Flavia. THE PROPHECY OF THE STONES.

Calder, David. THE DRAGONSLAYER'S APPRENTICE.

Calhoun, Dia. ARIA OF THE SEA.

Collins, Suzanne. GREGOR THE OVERLANDER.

Cooper, Susan. THE BOGGART; THE BOGGART AND THE MONSTER; GREEN BOY.

Doyle, Debra. KNIGHT'S WYRD; GROOGLEMAN.

DuPrau, Jeanne. THE CITY OF EMBER; THE PEOPLE OF SPARKS.

Fisher, Catherine. THE ORACLE BETRAYED.

Gaiman, Neil. CORALINE.

Garner, Alan. THE WIERDSTONE OF BRISINGAMEN; THE MOON OF GOMRATH.

Goto, Hiromi. THE WATER OF POSSIBILITY.

Jarvis, Robin. THORN OGRES OF HAGWOOD.

Kaaberbol, Lene. THE SHAMER'S DAUGHTER.

Kay, Elizabeth. THE DIVIDE

L'Homme, Erik. QUADDEHAR THE SORCERER.

Lubar, David. FLIP; WIZARDS OF THE GAME.
McCaughrean, Geraldine. THE STONES ARE HATCHING.
MacLachlan, Patricia. TOMORROW'S WIZARD.
McNish, Cliff. THE DOOMSPELL.
Nimmo, Jenny. THE SNOW SPIDER.
Oppel, Kenneth. AIRBORN; FIREWING; SILVERWING;
SUNWING.
Pratchett, Terry. THE WEE FREE MEN.
Prue, Sally. COLD TOM.
Regan, Dian Curtis. PRINCESS NEVERMORE.
Roberts, Katherine. SPELLFALL.
Rubinstein, Gillian. UNDER THE CAT'S EYE.
Rupp, Rebecca. THE WATERSTONE.
Stevermer, Caroline. A COLLEGE OF MAGICS.
Thompson, Kate. THE BEGUILERS.
Thornton, Duncan. KALIFAX.
Tolkien, J. R. R. ROVERANDUM.
Vande Velde, Vivian. CURSES, INC.; DRAGON'S BAIT; HEIR
APPARENT; A HIDDEN MAGIC; USER UNFRIENDLY;
A WELL-TIMED ENCHANTMENT; WITCH'S WISHES;
WIZARD AT WORK.
Yolen, Jane. HERE THERE BE DRAGONS; WIZARD'S HALL.

HUMOROUS BOOKS:

*These books are fantasies in which you **may** find adventure, but you certainly **will** find lots of laughs. Humor is the most important element of these books.*

Base, Graeme. TRUCKDOGS: A NOVEL IN FOUR BITES.
Frank, Lucy. THE ANNOYANCE BUREAU.
Ibbotson, Eva. DIAL-A-GHOST; NOT JUST A WITCH; THE
GREAT GHOST RESCUE; WHICH WITCH?; ISLAND OF
THE AUNTS; THE SECRET OF PLATFORM 13.
Kindl, Patricia. GOOSE CHASE.
Maguire, Gregory. THE HAMLET CHRONICLES series
(*Seven Spiders Spinning; Six Haunted Hairdos; Five Alien Elves;
Four Stupid Cupids; Three Rotten Eggs*).
Scieszka, Jon. The TIME WARP TRIO series
(*Knights of the Kitchen Table; The Not-So-Jolly Roger; The Good, the Bad,
and the Goofy; Your Mother was a Neanderthal; 2095; Tut, Tut;
Summer Reading is Killing Me!; It's All Greek to Me; See You Later,
Gladiator; Sam Samurai; Hey Kid, Want to Buy a Bridge?;
Viking It and Liking It*).
Venokur, Ross. THE AMAZING FRECKTACLE;
THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF MEATBALL FINKELSTEIN;
THE COOKIE FACTORY.

Books of

FANTASY

(In Junior Fiction, for Grades 4 - 8)



What can you read while you're waiting
for the next Harry Potter book?

