



BLK Bestsellers — Juvenile Fiction — August 2026

Juvenile Fiction

#1

Ghost (paperback)

by Jason Reynolds • Atheneum (August 29, 2017) • 14 Months on List

#2

Out Of My Mind

by Sharon M. Draper • Atheneum (May 1, 2012) • 27 Months on List

#3

Dog Days

by Karen English • Clarion Books (October 14, 2014) • 2 Months on List

#4

New Kid (paperback)

by Jerry Craft • Quill Tree Books (February 5, 2019) • 24 Months on List

#5

Roll Of Thunder, Hear My Cry

by Mildred D. Taylor • Puffin Books (November 27, 2001) • 24 Months on List

#6

One Crazy Summer

by Rita Williams-garcia • Quill Tree Books (December 27, 2011) • 24 Months on List

#7

**The Watsons Go To Birmingham—
1963**

by Christopher Paul Curtis • Yearling B (September 8, 1997) • 23 Months on List

#8

The Day You Begin

by Jacqueline Woodson • Nancy Paulsen Books (August 28, 2018) • 8 Months on List

#9

Dork Diaries 1: Tales From A Not-so-fabulous Life

by Rachel Renée Russell • Aladdin Paperbacks (June 2, 2009) • 29 Months on List

#10

Dork Diaries 15: Tales From A Not-so-posh Paris Adventure

by Rachel Renée Russell • Aladdin Paperbacks (September 26, 2023) • 29 Months on List

#11

Baby Dunks-a-lot The Day The Basketballs Stopped Bouncing

by Jayson Tatum And Sam Apple • Abrams Books For Young Readers (July 7, 2026) • 1 Months on List

#12

Blood In The Water

by Tiffany D. Jackson • Scholastic Press (July 1, 2025) • 12 Months on List

#13

Look Both Ways: A Tale Told In Ten Blocks (paperback)

by Jason Reynolds • Atheneum (October 27, 2020) • 10 Months on List

#14

Amari And The Night Brothers

by B. B. Alston • Balzer & Bray/harperteen (January 4, 2022) • 26 Months on List

#15

The Queen Of Kindergarten

by Derrick Barnes • Nancy Paulsen Books (May 24, 2022) • 4 Months on List

#16

Brown Sugar Baby

by Kevin Lewis • Cottage Door Press (March 15, 2022) • 6 Months on List

#17

J Vs. K

by Kwame Alexander And Jerry Craft • Little Brown Books For Young Readers (May 6, 2025) • 7 Months on List

#18

Dork Diaries 2: Tales From A Not-so-popular Party Girl

by Rachel Renée Russell • Aladdin Paperbacks (June 8, 2010) • 20 Months on List

#19

King Of Kindergarten (paperback)

by Derrick Barnes • Nancy Paulsen Books (April 22, 2025) • 2 Months on List

#20

Roll Of Thunder, Hear My Cry

by Mildred D. Taylor • Puffin Books (April 12, 2004) • 11 Months on List