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## 2024 List

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### **Picture Books**



**The Book that Almost Rhymed** Omar Abed Illus. Hatem Aly Dial Books for Young Readers



Muhammad's Recipe for Remembering Maidah Ahmad Illus. Shruti Prabhu Annick Press



Mandeep's Cloudy Days Kuljinder Kaur Brar Illus. Samrath Kaur Annick Press



**Still My Tessa** Sylv Chiang Illus. Mathias Ball North Winds Press



**One Giant Leap** Thao Lam OwlKids



A Garden Called Home

Jessica J. Lee Illus. Elaine Chen Tundra



**Butterfly on the Wind** Adam Pottle Illus. Ziyue Chen

Roaring Brook Press



This Land is a Lullaby/ cistomawâsowin ôma askiy Tonya Simpson Trans. by Dorothy Thunder Illus. Delreé Dumont Orca



Baker Makers

Kim Smith HarperCollins



Oma's Bag

Michelle Wang Illus. Sam Nunez Arsenal Pulp Press

# **Junior Fiction**



The Curse of Eelgrass Bog Mary Averling Penguin Random House



**Viewfinder** Christine D.U. Chung & Salwa Majoka Tundra



**The Outsmarters** Deborah Ellis Groundwood Books



Maya Plays the Part Calyssa Erb Annick Press



Lo Simpson Starts a Revolution Melanie Florence Orca



Picture a Girl Jenny Manzer Órca



Noah Frye Gets Crushed Maggie Horne HarperCollins



The Last Hope School for Magical Delinquents Nicki Pau Preto Viking Books for Young Readers



Waking the Dead and **Other Fun Activities** 

Casey Lyall HarperCollins



Tig Heather Smith Tundra

## **Junior Non-Fiction**



Little by Little You Can Change the World Sonya Ballantyne Illus. Rhael McGregor & Toben Racicot **HighWater Press** 



Mushrooms Know: Wisdom From Our Friends the Fungi

Kallie George Illus. Sara Gillingham Greystone Kids



Club Microbe

Elise Gravel Trans. by Montana Kane Drawn & Quarterly



A Planet is a Poem Amanda West Lewis Illus. Oliver Averill Kids Can Press



How to be a Color Wizard Jason Logan MIT Kids Press

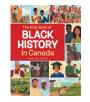


The Unlikelv Hero: The Story of Wolf 8 (A Young True Story of Survival Readers' Edition)

Rick McIntyre & David A. Poulsen Greystone Kids



Lost at Windy River: A Trina Rathgeber Illus. Alina Pete & Jillian Dolan Orca



The Kids Book of Black History in Canada **Rosemary Sadlier** Illus. Arden Taylor **Kids Can Press** 



The Lonaest Shot: How Larry Kwong Changed the Face of Hockey Chad Soon & George Chiang Illus. Amy Qi Orca



Queer History A to Z: 100 Years of LGBTQ+ Activism

Robin Stevenson Illus. Vivian Rosas Kids Can Press

### **Young Adult**



Fledgling (The Keeper's Records of Revolution S.K. Ali Kokila



**The Unfinished** Cheryl Isaacs Heartdrum



**Lockjaw** Matteo L. Cerilli Tundra



**Who We Are in Real Life** Victoria Koops Groundwood Books



**Pillow Talk** Stephanie Cooke Illus. Mel Valentine Vargas HarperCollins



**The Dark Becomes Her** Judy I. Lin Disney Hyperion



**A Witch's Guide to Burning** Aminder Dhaliwal Drawn & Quarterly



Sweetness in the Skin

Ishi Robinson HarperAvenue



**Age 16** Rosena Fung Annick Press



For She is Wrath Emily Varga St. Martin's Press

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