

Favorite Chapter Books for Older Readers

Title	Author
I Am the Messenger	Marcus Zusak
The Book Thief	Marcus Zusak
Fighting Ruben Wolfe	Marcus Zusak
Speak	Laurie Halse Anderson
Catalyst	Laurie Halse Anderson
Prom	Laurie Halse Anderson
The Year of Secret Assignments	Jaclyn Moriarty
I Was a Rat	Phillip Pullman
Bucking the Sarge	Christopher Paul Curtis
Crispin: The Cross of Lead	Avi
Tales of Despereaux	Kate DiCamillo
Breaktime	Aidan Chambers
Pictures of Hollis Woods	Patricia Reilly Giff
Memoirs of a Bookbat	Kathryn Lasky
The Perks of being a Wallflower	Stephen Chbosky
Flipped	Wendelin Van Draanen
When Zachary Beaver Came to Town	Kimberly Willis Holt
Al Capone Does My Shirts	Gennifer Choldenko
The Cheat	Amy Goldman Koss
Hoot	Carl Hiaason
Stargirl	Jerry Spinelli
Milkweed	Jerry Spinelli
Surviving the Applewhites	Stephanie Tolan
Trino's Choice	Diane Gonzales Bertrand
Lizzie Bright and the Buckminster Boy	Gary Schmidt
Kira-Kira	Cynthia Kadohata
Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane	Kate DiCamillo
Story Time	Edward Bloor
Criss Cross	Lynne Rae Perkins
Teach Me	R. A. Nelson
Here Lies the Librarian	Richard Peck
The Goddess	Pete Hautman
Whirligig	Paul Fleischman
The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night Time	Mark Haddon
Big Mouth and Ugly Girl	Joyce Carol Oates
Absolutely, Positively Not	David LaRochelle
Project Mulberry	Linda Sue Park
Clockwork	Phillip Pullman