

Batesville Middle School Library Media Center

Young Hoosier Book Award Program

All Batesville Middle School students are invited to participate in the Young Hoosier Book Award program at Batesville Middle School. There are several ways a student can become involved in the YHBA program for the 2021 – 2022 school year.

Opportunities:

1. Students reading and passing an Accelerated Reader quiz for a minimum of five (5) books from the middle school YHBA list by **Monday, April 4, 2022**, will be eligible to:

- participate in the YHBA Voting Celebration in April or early May 2022 (date to be determined)

2. Students reading and passing an Accelerated Reader quiz for a minimum of fifteen (15) books from the middle school YHBA list by **April 4, 2022**, will be eligible to:

- participate in the YHBA Voting Celebration in April or early May 2022
- receive a trophy at the end-of-the-year BMS awards program

3. **First Semester Reading Incentive** - Students reading and passing an Accelerated Reader quiz for a minimum of fifteen (15) books from the middle school YHBA list by **December 17, 2021**, will be eligible to:

- participate in the YHBA Voting Celebration in April or early May 2022
- receive a trophy at the end-of-the-year BMS awards program
- be eligible for a group activity during second semester

Guidelines:

- Students must read from the Young Hoosier Book Award middle school list. Titles are listed on the back.
- All books must be read from the beginning to the end **by the student**.
- When the student is finished with a book, a test must be taken at the BMS media center or in a language arts/reading teacher's classroom using the Accelerated Reader program. A 60% or better must be scored in order for the book to count toward the required number of books.
- Quizzes must be taken **after August 10, 2022**. If a student has already taken an AR test for a book on this year's list, the test results will be deleted, and the student may retake the test to qualify for the YHBA program. If retaking an AR test, rereading or skimming the previously read book is recommended before retaking the AR test.
- Copies of the books are also available at the Batesville Memorial Public Library.
- Questions about the program should be directed to Mrs. Lisa Barnett (lbarnett@batesville.k12.in.us).

Thank you in advance for your support in encouraging BMS students to be life-long readers!

YHBA is a program of the Association for Indiana School Library Educators.



Middle Grade

The Benefits of Being an Octopus by Ann Braden

Broken Strings by Eric Walters and Kathy Kacer

Field Notes on Love by Jennifer E. Smith

The Forgotten Girl by India Hill Brown

From the Desk of Zoe Washington by Janae Marks

The Guinevere Deception by Kiersten White

Hoax for Hire by Laura Martin

Impostors by Scott Westerfeld

Last Pick by Jason Walz

Look Both Ways: A Tale Told in Ten Blocks by Jason Reynolds

Other Words for Home by Jasmine Warga

Pet by Akwaeke Emezi

Pretend She's Here by Luanne Rice

Pumpkinheads by Rainbow Rowell

The Remarkable Journey of Coyote Sunrise by Dan Gemeinhar

Sal & Gabi Break the Universe by Carlos Hernandez

Strike Zone by Mike Lupica

Tristan Strong Punches a Hole in the Sky by Kwame Mbalia

White Bird by R.J. Palacio

Wink by Rob Harrell