

## Fiction Books to Inspire Imagination and Fun

## Ages 9-12

\*Denotes books that go with suggested story time programs for Family Reading Week

Afternoon of the Elves, by Janet Taylor Lisle

Bunnicula; A Rabbit Tale of Mystery, by James & Deborah Howe

Ella Enchanted, by Gail Carson Levine

Emily's Runaway Imagination, by Beverly Cleary

From The Mixed-Up Files Of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler, by E.L. Konigsburg

The Hobbit, by J.R.R. Tolkien

The Houdini Box, by Brian Selznick

Inkheart, by Cornelia Funke

The Invention of Hugo Cabret; A Novel in Words and Pictures, by Brian Selznick

Jeremy Thatcher, Dragon Hatcher, by Bruce Coville

The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe / Narnia Chronicles, by C.S. Lewis

Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of Nimh, by Robert C. O'Brien

Mrs. Pigglewiggle, by Betty MacDonald

The Mud Pony; A Traditional Skidi Pawnee Tale, by Caron Lee Cohen (in Spanish: El Poni de Barro)

The Princess Bride: S. Morgenstern's Classic Tale of True Love and High Adventure, by

William Goldman

Redwoods, by Jason Chin

The Secret Garden, by Frances Hodgson Burnett

The Tale of Despereaux,, by Kate DiCamillo

Walter Wick's Optical Tricks, by Walter Wick (nonfiction)

We Sled with Dragons, by C. Alexander London

The Wizard of Oz, by L. Frank Baum

A Wrinkle in Time, by Madeleine L'Engle



