**LTRC 2018 Nominated List**

1. **All American Boys** by Jason Reynolds and Brendan Kiely, 9781481463331, 240 pgs. Simon & Schuster, AR Quiz No. 176653, IL: UG - BL: 4.9 - AR Pts: 10.0 [realistic fiction, African American interest, alternating narrators, basketball, police relations, SLJ Best Books 2015, Coretta Scott King Honor Book, Walter Dean Myers Award]
2. **All the Bright Places** by Jennifer Niven, 9780385755887. 400 pgs. Random House. AR Quiz No. 171493, IL: UG - BL: 5.3 - AR Pts: 14.0. [realistic fiction, romance, grief, mental illness, bi-polar disorder, suicide, give to fans of Rainbow Rowell’s Eleonore and Park and John Green’s The Fault in Our Starts]
3. **The Bunker Diary** by Kevin Brooks, 9781467754200, 264 pgs. Lerner. AR Quiz No. 171391, IL: UG - BL: 4.0 - AR Pts: 8.0. [realistic fiction, kidnapping, survival, trapped, Carnegie Medal winner, the movie *Room* meets *Lord of the Flies*]
4. **The Dead Girls of Hysteria Hall** by Katie Alender, 9780545639996, 336 pgs. Scholastic. AR Quiz No. 177332 , IL: MG+ - BL: 4.8 - AR Pts: 11.0. [female protagonist, haunted house, horror, mystery, survival]
5. **Dumplin’** by Julie Murphy, 9780062327185, 384. HarperCollins. AR Quiz No. 178396. IL: UG - BL: 4.6 - AR Pts: 12.0. [realistic fiction, female protagonist, body image, relationships, beauty pageants, humorous]
6. **Illuminae** by Amie Kaufman and Jay Kristoff, 9780553499117, 608 pgs. Random House. AR Quiz No. 176656, IL: UG - BL: 5.5 - AR Pts: 14.0. [science fiction, female and male protagonists, space, survival, action, told through mixed media, 4 starred reviews, *Walking Dead* meets *Resident Evil* meets *Battlestar Galactica*]
7. **The Improbable Theory of Ana and Zak** by Brian Katcher, 9780062272775, 326 pgs. Katherine Tegen Books. No AR yet. [Alternating male/female perspective, romance, nerd culture, realistic fiction, sell to fans of *Eleanor and Park* and *Nick and Norah*]
8. **Nimona** by Noelle Stevenson, 9780062278234, 272 pgs. HarperCollins. AR Quiz No. 174397, IL: MG+ - BL: 3.1 - AR Pts: 2.0. [4 starred reviews, graphic novel, female protagonist, fantasy, modern Medieval setting, STEM, science and magic, National Book Award long list, SLJ Best Books 2015, SLJ Top 10 Graphic Novels]
9. **Red Queen** by Victoria Aveyard, 9780062310637, 400 pgs. HarperCollins. AR Quiz No. 171974 , IL: MG+ - BL: 5.2 - AR Pts: 17.0. [fantasy, female protagonist, dystopia, social inequality, sell to fans of *Young Elites* and *Hunger Games*]
10. **The Walls Around Us** by Nova Ren Suma, 9781616203726, 336 pgs. Algonquin. AR Quiz No. 172592 , IL: UG - BL: 5.6 - AR Pts: 13.0. [magical realism, alternating female perspectives, ballet, juvenile detention, the movie *Black Swan* meets *Miss Peregrine’s Home for Peculiar Children*, YALSA Best Book of 2015, SLJ Best Books 2015]