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# 2022 Shortlist

## Picture Story Books

### Ellie's Dragon

Bob Graham

### There's No Such Thing

Heidi McKinnon

### Miss Kraken

Nicki Greenberg

### Three

Stephen Michael King

### No! Never!

Liby Hathorn & Lisa Hathorn-Jarman  
Mel Pearce

### Whitney and Britney Chicken Divas

Lucinda Gifford

### Not Cute

Philip Bunting

### Wombat

Philip Bunting

### Pig the Monster

Aaron Blabey

### Your Birthday Was the BEST

Maggie Hutchings  
Felicita Sala

## Younger Readers

### Alice-Miranda at Camp

Jacqueline Harvey

### Ninja Kid #5: Ninja Clones

Anh Do  
Anton Emdin

### Billie B Brown: The Best Day Ever

Sally Rippin  
Aki Fukuoka

### Real Pigeons #2: Eat Danger

Andrew McDonald  
Ben Wood

### Ella and Olivia #19: Note Perfect

Yvette Poshoglian  
Danielle McDonald

### The Bad Guys Episode 13: Cut to the Chase

Aaron Blabey

### Ella Diaries #12: Total TV Drama

Meredith Costain  
Danielle McDonald

### WeirDo #17: Spinning Weird!

Anh Do  
Jules Faber

### Hot Dog #5: Camping Time!

Anh Do  
Dan McGuinness

### What Zola Did on Thursday

Melina Marchetta  
Deb Hudson

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## Older Readers

### **Ella at Eden #5: The School Spy**

Laura Sieveking  
Danielle McDonald

### **The 143-Storey Treehouse**

Andy Griffiths  
Terry Denton

### **Friday Barnes #8: Never Fear**

R.A. Spratt

### **Nevermoor: The Trials of Morrigan Crow**

Jessica Townsend

### **Funny Kid #9: Prank Aliens**

Matt Stanton

### **The Little Wave**

Pip Harry

### **H is for Happiness**

Barry Jonsberg

### **The Right Way to Rock**

Nat Amoore

### **Mr Bambuckle's Remarkables on the**

#### **Lookout**

Tim Harris  
James Hart

### **Wolf Girl #6: Animal Train**

Anh Do  
Lachlan Creagh

## Fiction for Years 7-9

### **Always**

Morris Gleitzman

### **The Book of Chance**

Sue Whiting

### **The Edge of Thirteen**

Nova Weetman

### **The Grandest Bookshop in the World**

Amelia Mellor

### **Finding Serendipity**

Angelica Banks

### **The Stolen Prince of Cloudburst**

Jaclyn Moriarty  
Kelly Canby

### **The Secrets We Share**

Nova Weetman

### **Through My Eyes: Hotaka**

John Heffernan

### **Take Three Girls**

Cath Crowley  
Simmone Howell  
Fiona Wood

### **We Are Wolves**

Katrina Nannestad

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