2023-2024 Prairie Bud (PreK-1<sup>st</sup>) Nominees

- **Don’t Hug Doug (He Doesn’t Like It)** by Carrie Finison, drawings by Daniel Wiseman
- **Frankenslime** by Joy Keller, illustrated by Ashley Belote
- **I Can Help** by Reem Faruqi, illustrated by Mikela Prevost
- **Milo Imagines the World** by Matt de la Peña, pictures by Christian Robinson
- **The Mysterious Sea Bunny** by Peter Raymundo
- **A New Day** by Brad Meltzer, illustrated by Dan Santat
- **Off-Limits** by Helen Yoon
- **On the Trapline** by David A. Robertson and Julie Flett
- **Our Table** by Peter H. Reynolds
- **See the Dog: Three Stories About a Cat** by David LaRochelle, illustrated by Mike Wohnoutka

2023-2024 Prairie Bloom (2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup>) Nominees

- **The Book of Not Entirely Useful Advice** by A. F. Harrold, Illustrated by Mini Grey
- **Classified: The Secret Career of Mary Golda Ross, Cherokee Aerospace Engineer** by Traci Sorell, illustrated by Natasha Donovan
- **How War Changed Rondo** by Romana Romanynshyn and Andriy Lesiv
- **The Little Wooden Robot and The Log Princess** by Tom Gauld
- **Monster Friends** by Kaeti Vandorn
- **Muhammad Ali Was a Chicken?** by Dan Gutman
- **Nicky & Vera: A Quiet Hero of the Holocaust and the Children He Rescued** by Peter Sís
- **The Strangest Thing in the Sea** by Rachel Poliquin, illustrated by Byron Eggenschwiler
- **Tag Team** by Raúl the Third
- **Which Came First: The Chicken or the Friendship?** by Elana K. Arnold, illustrated by A. N. Kang

2023-2024 Prairie Pasque (4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>) Nominees

- **A Whale of the Wild** by Rosanne Parry, illustrated by Lindsay Moore
- **Dust and Grim** by Chuck Wendig
- **The Floating Field: How a Group of Thai Boys Built Their Own Soccer Field** by Scott Riley, illustrated by Nguyen Quang & Kim Lien
- **Garlic and the Vampire** by Bree Paulsen
- **Ground Zero** by Alan Gratz
- **The Lion of Mars** by Jennifer L. Holm
- **Living Ghosts and Mischievous Monsters** by Dan SuSuWeh Jones, illustrated by Weshoyot Alvitre
- **The One Thing You’d Save** by Linda Sue Park, illustrated by Robert Sae-Heng
- **Race to the Bottom of the Earth: Surviving Antartica** by Rebecca Barone
- **The Secret Garden on 81<sup>st</sup> Street** by Ivy Noelle Weir, illustrated by Amber Padilla