2020 Ballot

Read at least three (3) books from the titles you see below, then vote for your favorite. Voting will take place at participating schools and libraries and the winning title will be announced on the RILA website after May 29, 2020.

If your local library or school is not participating, contact Maria Cotto mcotto@pawtucketlibrary.org at the Pawtucket Public Library. Deadline to submit this paper ballot to your school or local library is May 29, 2020. (Online ballot deadline is May 31st)

Grades K-2
- Across the Bay by Carlos Aponte
- Luca’s Bridge/ El Puente de Luca by Mariana Llanos, illustrated by Anna Lopez Real
- Where Are You From? by Yamile S. Mendez, illustrated by Jamie Kim
- My Papi has a Motorcycle by Isabel Quintero, illustrated by Zeke Peña
- Vamos! Let’s Go to the Market by Raul the Third
- Octopus Stew by Eric Velasquez

Grades 3-5
- Sarai Saves the Music by Monica Brown and Sarai Gonzalez
- Lety Out Loud by Angel Cervantes
- Dragon Slayer: Folktales by Jaime Hernandez
- When We Love Someone, We Sing to Them/ Cuando Amamos Cantamos by Ernesto Javier Martínez
- Love, Sugar, Magic: A Dash of Trouble by Anna Meriano
- Red Panda & Moon Bear by Jarod Roselló

Grades 6-8
- The Other Half of Happy by Rebecca Balcárcel
- Charlie Hernandez and the League of Shadows by Ryan Calejo
- Marcus Vega Doesn’t Speak Spanish by Pablo Cartaya
- Sal & Gabi Break the Universe by Carlos Hernandez
- Silver Meadows Summer by Emma Otheguy
- The Moon Within by Aida Salazar

High School
- Five Midnights by Ann Dávila Cardinal
- Blanca & Roja by Anna-Marie McLemore
- We Set the Dark on Fire by Thelor Kay Mejia
- Barely Missing Everything by Matt Menendez
- Don’t Date Rosa Santos by Nina Morena
- Undocumented: A Worker’s Fight by Duncan Tonitiuh
- The Grief Keeper by Alexandra Villasante