



2023 RI Latino Books Award 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 on June 1, 2023.

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Grades K-2

- Song of Frutas** by Margarita Engle
- Run, Little Chaski!** By Mariana Llanos
- The Cot in the Living Room** by Hilda E. Burgos
- El Toro & Friends: Tag Team** by Raul the Third
- Coqui in the City** by Normar Pérez
- Areli is a Dreamer** by Areli Morales

Grades 3-5

- Milo Imagines the World** by Matt de la Pena
- Letters from Cuba** by Ruth Behar
- Latinitas: Celebrating 40 Big Dreamers** by Juliet Menendez
- The Super Natural Society** by Rex Ocle
- The Keeper** by Guadalupe Garcia McCall
- Just Help!: How to Build a Better World** by Sonia Sotomayor

Grades 6-8

- Concealed by Christina Diaz Gonzalez**
- Loteria by Karla Arena Valenti**
- The Insiders by Mark Oshiro**
- Pilar Ramirez and the Escape from Zafa by Julian Randall**
- Time Villians by Victor Pineiro**

High School

- When We Make It** by Elisabet Velasquez
- Fat Chance, Charlie Vega** by Crystal Maldonado
- How Moon Fuentez Fell in Love with the Universe** by Raquel Vasquez Gilliland
- The Last Cuentista** by Donna Barba Higuera
- Wild Tongues Can't Be Tamed: 15 Voices from the Latinx Diaspora edited** by Saraciea J. Fennell

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