

The RI Children's Book Award is pleased to announce the 2025 nominees.

1. *Art Club* by Rashad Doucet
2. *The Boy Who Tried to Shrink His Name* by Sandhya Parappukaran, illustrated by Michelle Pereira
3. *Champion Chompers, Super Stinkers and Other Poems* by Extraordinary Animals by Linda Ashman, illustrated by Aparna Varma
4. *Ellen Takes Flight: The Life of Astronaut Ellen Ochoa* by Doreen Rappaport, illustrated by Oliver Dominguez
5. *Finch House* by Ciera Burch
6. *Grimwood* by Nadia Shireen
7. *The Guardian Test* by Christina Soontornvat, illustrated by Kevin Hong
8. *Home Away from Home* by Cynthia Lord
9. *How Not to Get Eaten* by Josette Reeves, illustrated by Asia Orlando
10. *Jovita Wore Pants* by Aida Salazar, illustrated by Molly Mendoza
11. *The Last Plastic Straw* by Dee Romito, illustrated by Ziyue Chen
12. *Lolo's Sari-Sari Store* by Sophia N. Lee, illustrated by Christine Almeda
13. *Mabuhay!* By Zack Sterling
14. *Meesh the Bad Demon* by Michelle Lam, illustrated by Lauren "Perry" Wheeler
15. *My Powerful Hair* by Carole Lindstrom, illustrated by Steph Littlebird
16. *Sam Makes a Splash* by Nicole Melleby
17. *Sejal Sinha Battles Superstorms* by Maya Prasad, illustrated by Abira Das
18. *Shermy & Shake, the Not-So-Nice Neighbor* by Kirby Larson, illustrated by Shinji Fujioka
19. *Something Like Home* by Andrea Beatriz Arango
20. *These Olive Trees* by Aya Ghanameh