

Battle of the Books
Sample Questions
Junior Division – Grades 4/5/6

1. In which book is there a giant ash tree in the woods with a little spring bubbling up among its roots?
Tuck Everlasting by Natalie Babbitt
2. In which book does a group of students support a protest launched by a classmate?
Hoot by Carl Hiaasen
3. In which book do the children get a free pass to Kid's Day at the Ex?
That Scatterbrain Booky by Bernice Thurman Hunter
4. In which book does the main character always check for lightning warnings before stepping outside?
Jolted: Newton Starker's Rules for Survival by Arthur Slade
5. In which book are newcomers referred to as cave people?
People of Sparks by Jeanne DuPrau
6. In which book were lions Volunteer Feline Detectives?
The Slippery Slope by Lemony Snicket
7. In which book do the popular kids always elect the school's biggest geek to be class president?
Schooled by Gordon Korman
8. In which book is the criminal caught in a Tunnel of Love?
South by Southeast by Anthony Horowitz
9. In which book do three students return to class after an intense experience to find both their classroom and their teacher transformed?
The Calder Game by Blue Balliett
10. In which book is Larry Harry nicknamed Prisoner 95?
The Odds Get Even by Natale Ghent
11. In which book do some kids plan to tell their parents that they are going trick-or-treating so they can sneak off to the Halloween Fair?
Jellaby by Kean Soo
12. In which book does the main character plan to save ten dollars in order to go to Hollywood, California?
When the Sergeant Came Marching Home by Don Lemna