

My book recommendation list

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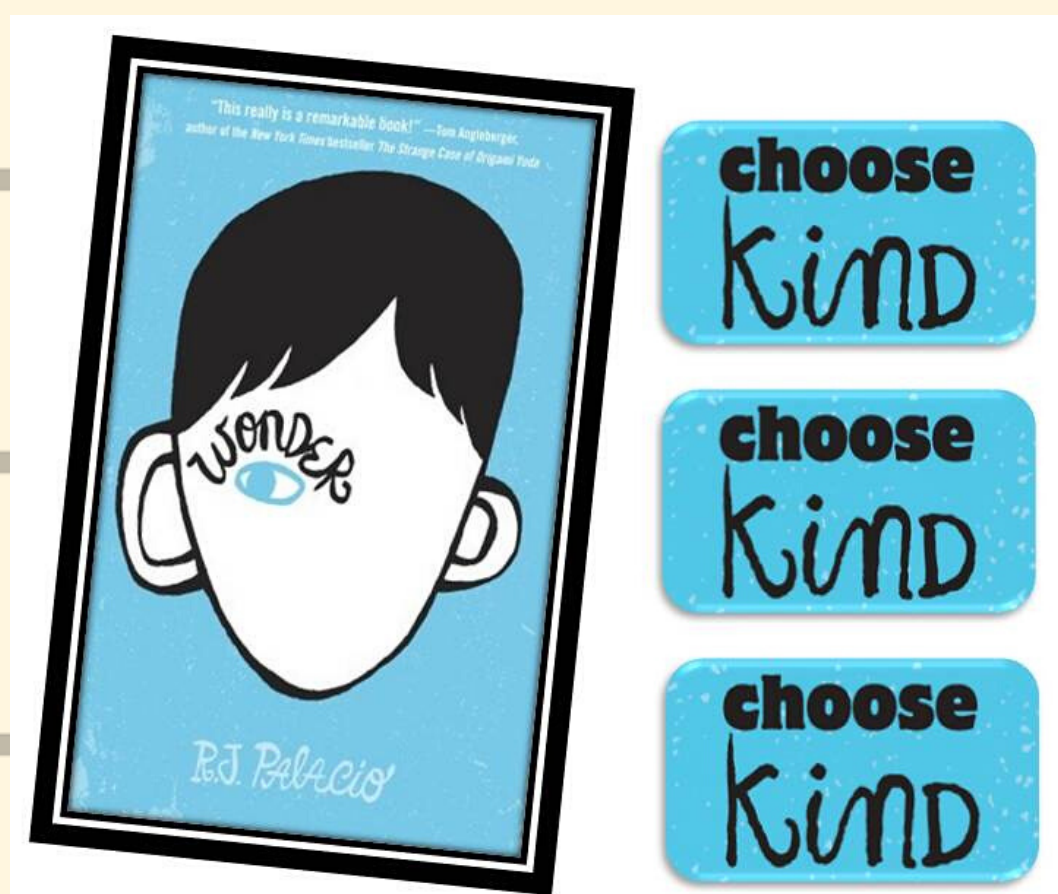
I do love fantasy, but I think the genre doesn't offer a deeper meaning of the world. It doesn't give an opinion or a character of the person who wrote the literary work. But I do have honorable mentions; „Harry Potter (written by Joane Kathleen Rowling)“ & „The Lord of the Rings (written by John Ronald Reuel Tolkien)“. Harry Potter is, I believe, known to most of you. It is about a young boy, who soon realizes that he is a wizard. The Lord of the Rings, in my opinion, is a serious version of a fantasy book series. It has it's own map of the world that the writer created, and it's own language. I think this book was written in longer span of time that most of the fantasy books, that's why I mentioned it here.

(„Harry Potter“ & „Gospodar prstenova“)



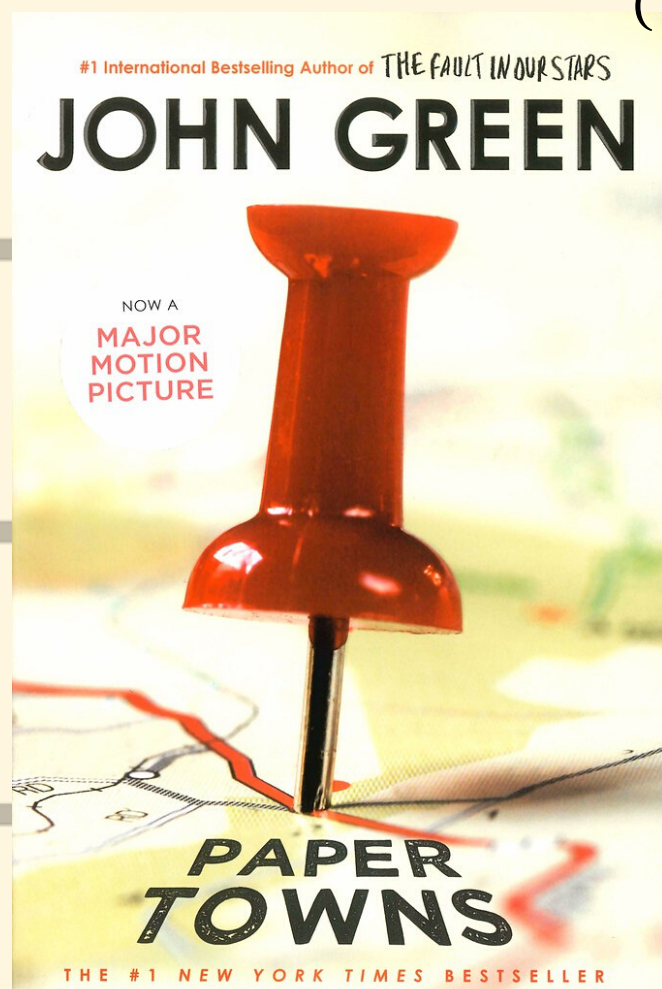
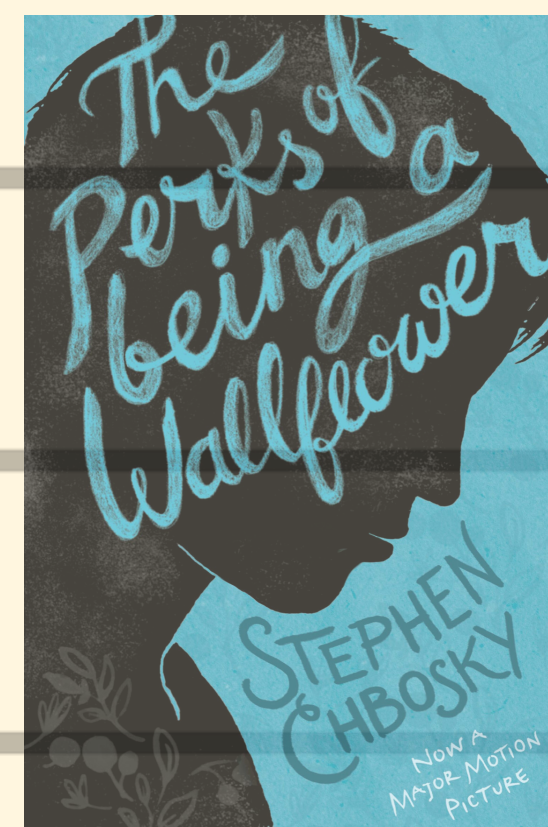
I would like to introduce you to the „Wonder“ written by Raquel Jaramillo. This book is for younger audience, to enhance their empathy for others. The book talks about a young boy who is faced with society's standards of beauty. He had numerous surgeries because of his heart issues, and he was homeschooled . One day he needed to go to school and was confronted by most of the people there. The majority of the time, it gives us insight of his emotions, and you will love this character because he is very brainy, shy and most importantly good-hearted.

(„Čudo“)



The next two books are for teenagers, so I wouldn't recommend this for first-sixth grade. First is „The Perks of Being a Wallflower“ written by Stephen Chbosky. It is a deep book, and it is not to just read, it is to think about it later on. It is about a boy in his teenage years who doesn't „go with the crowd“. Simply, he is and feels different, yet he hopes there is someone who understands him, because he is often misunderstood. Feel free to watch a movie, even though I like the book better.

(„Charlijev svijet“)



The last but certainly not least is... „Paper towns“. John Green wrote this book, and I must admit I read most of his work. I loved every bit of it. To me the most fascinating thing is that he is a 30-year old man, who can write like he is a teenager in today's world. His books are authentic and have a lot of quotes that I can't have enough of. Paper towns is a book that starts with a cliché, but takes a great twist. The boy falls in love with a girl that is off limits to him. So one day, she came to his window and took him on an adventure. I would love to continue but I will spoil the story.

(„Gradovi od papira“)

Have fun reading!