Recommended Books by Current Faculty

These are books written by our current faculty as of January Residency, 2018. We welcome Lisa Jahn-Clough back to Hamline; Eliot Schrefer and Kelly Barnhill join us this term. Meg Medina is visiting as a lecturer and will join the faculty beginning July 2018.

Reading these faculty books is optional but recommended. We feel that knowledge of our work will facilitate dialogues and enhance your educational experience. Each faculty member chose which works to list.

Swati Avasthi
- Split
- Chasing Shadows

Kelly Barnhill
- Iron Hearted Violet
- The Girl Who Drank the Moon

Coe Booth
- Tyrell
- Kinda Like Brothers

Marsha Wilson Chall
- Up North at the Cabin
- The Secret Life of Figgy Mustardo

Matt de la Peña
- We Were Here
- I Will Save You

Lisa Jahn-Clough
- Alicia Has a Bad Day
- Nothing but Blue

Emily Jenkins (E. Lockhart)
- The Disreputable History of Frankie Landau-Banks
- Toys Meet Snow

Ron Koertge
- Stoner & Spaz
- Lies, Knives, and Girls in Red Dresses

Nina LaCour
- Everything Leads to You
- We Are Okay

Mary Logue
- Sleep Like a Tiger
- Snatched (with Pete Hautman)

Jacqueline Briggs Martin
- Snowflake Bentley
- Farmer Will Allen and the Growing Table

Meg Medina
- Yaqui Delgado Wants to Kick Your Ass
- Burn Baby Burn

Claire Rudolph Murphy
- My Country 'Tis of Thee: How One Song Reveals the History of Civil Rights
- Children of the Gold Rush

Phyllis Root
- Lily and the Pirates
- Plant a Pocket of Prairie
Laura Ruby
  *Bad Apple*
  *Bone Gap*

Gary Schmidt
  *Orbiting Jupiter*
  *Mara’s Stories*

Eliot Schrefer
  *Endangered*
  *The Lost Rainforest*

Sherri L. Smith
  *Flygirl*
  *The Toymaker’s Apprentice*

Laurel Snyder
  *Bigger than a Breadbox*
  *Swan: The Life and Dance of Anna Pavlova*

Anne Ursu
  *The Real Boy*
  *Breadcrumbs*

Gene Yang
  *American Born Chinese*
  *Boxers and Saints*