

# March Madness: Book Edition

Dates: March 16<sup>th</sup> – April 3<sup>rd</sup>

Get ready for a reading showdown this March at the library!

## How to Participate:

- Vote for your favorite books in our March Madness bracket. There will be 4 brackets -
  - 1<sup>st</sup> bracket is for children ages 6 months to 5 years old
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> bracket is for children ages 6-12
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> bracket is for tweens/teens ages 13-17
  - 4<sup>th</sup> bracket is for adults ages 18+
- Check our website, Facebook page, and in the library to see the book winner, which will be announced on 4/5.
  - ~~○ Week 1: 3/16-3/22 = Elite 8 ✓~~
  - Week 2: 3/23-3/29 = Semifinals
  - Week 3: 3/30-4/3 = Final Four
- April 5<sup>th</sup> = Book winner announced for all 4 brackets.

## Voting:

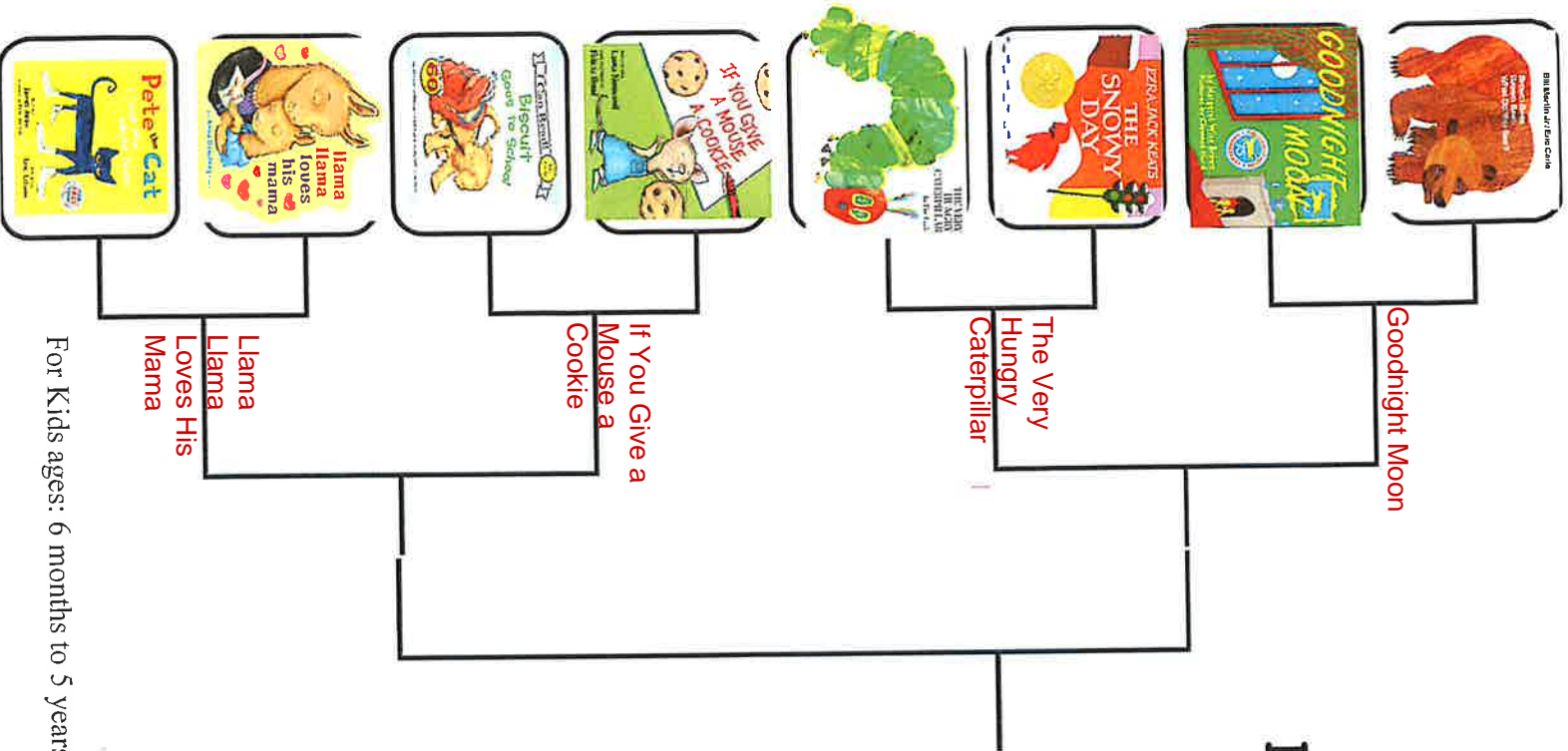
- Physical Voting: a voting jar and slips of paper will be in the library near the circulation desk. The books will be on display, and the brackets will be hung up in the library.
- Online Voting: A Google Form will be posted on our library's website and Facebook page. If for some reason, you cannot access the link, you can always email the library with your vote.

## Deadlines:

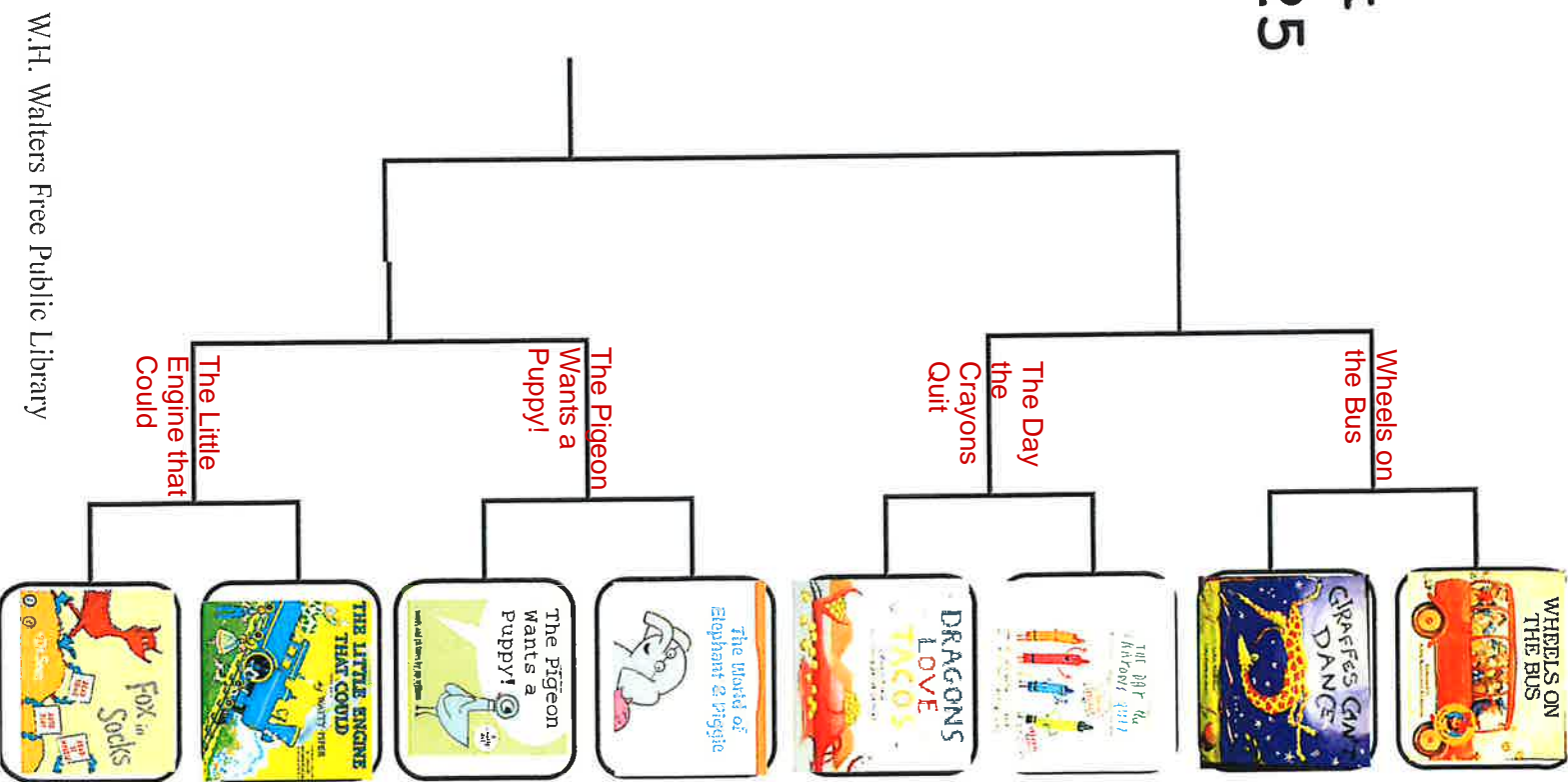
- ~~○ Week 1: Votes must be in by 6pm on 3/22 ✓~~
- Week 2: Votes must be in by 6pm on 3/29
- Week 3: Votes must be in by 6pm on 4/3
  - The winner will be announced at 11am on 4/5.



# March Book Madness 2025



For Kids ages: 6 months to 5 years old



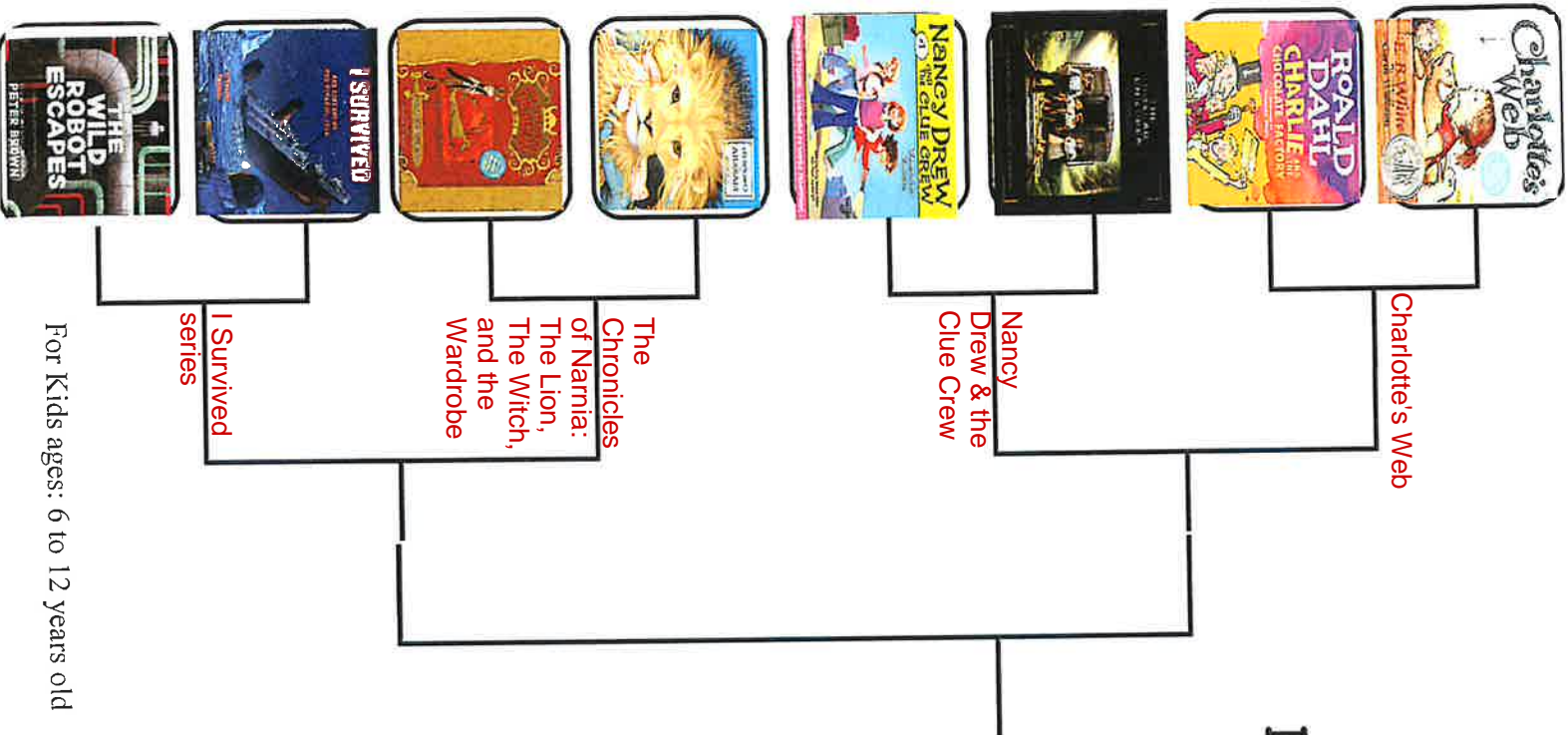
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## March Madness 2025 Books

Children: ages 6 months – 5 years old

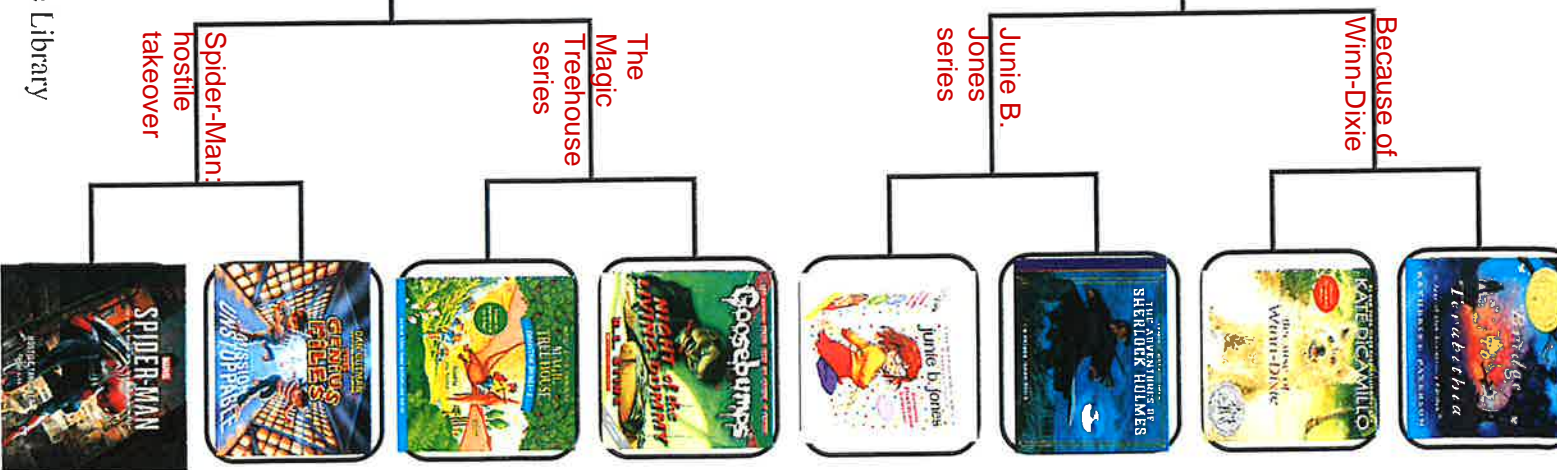
- ~~1. Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See? by Bill Martin Jr. and Eric Carle~~
2. Goodnight Moon by Margaret Wise Brown
- ~~3. The Snowy Day by Ezra Jack Keats~~
4. The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle
5. If You Give a Mouse a Cookie by Laura Numeroff
- ~~6. Biscuit Goes to School by Alyssa Saini Capucilli~~
7. Llama Llama Loves his Mama by Anna Dewdney
- ~~8. Pete the Cat. I Love My White Shoes by Eric Litwin~~
9. Wheels on the Bus by Paul O. Zelinsky
- ~~10. Giraffes Can't Dance by Giles Andreae~~
11. The Day the Crayons Quit by Drew Daywalt
- ~~12. Dragons Love Tacos by Adam Rubin~~
- ~~13. The World of Elephant & Piggie series by Mo Willems~~
14. The Pigeon Wants a Puppy by Mo Willems
15. The Little Engine That Could by Watty Piper
- ~~16. Fox in Socks by Dr. Seuss~~

# March Book Madness 2025



For Kids ages: 6 to 12 years old

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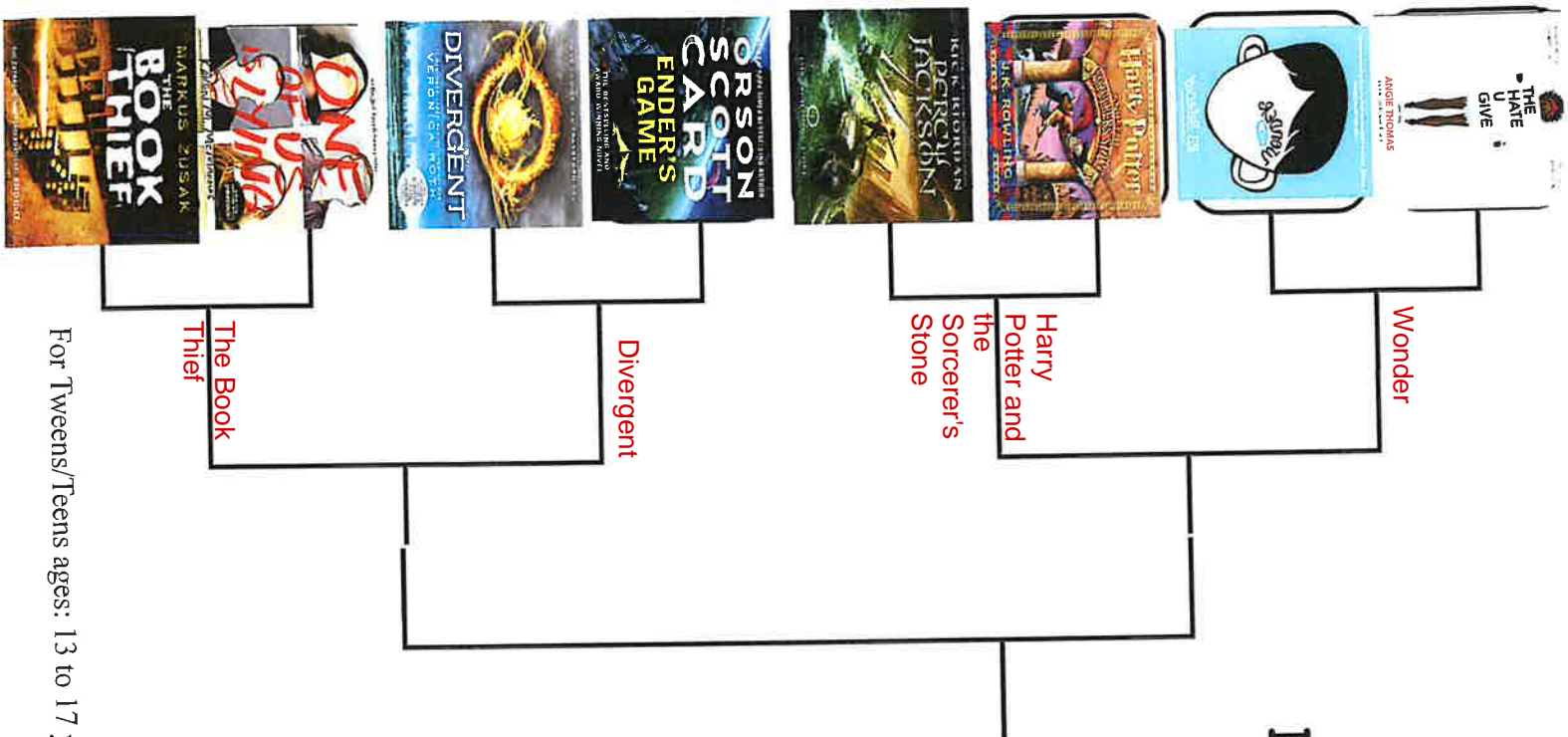


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### Children: ages 6 – 12 years old

1. Charlotte's Web by E.B. White
- ~~2. Charlie and the Chocolate Factory by Roald Dahl~~
- ~~3. The Boxcar Children series by Gertrude Chandler Warner~~
4. Nancy Drew series by Carolyn Keene
5. The Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, The Witch, and The Wardrobe by C.S. Lewis
- ~~6. How to Train Your Dragon by Cressida Cowell~~
7. I Survived series by Lauren Tarshis
- ~~8. The Wild Robot Escapes by Peter Brown~~
- ~~9. Bridge to Terabithia by Katherine Paterson~~
10. Because of Winn-Dixie by Kate DiCamillo
- ~~11. The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes by Arthur Conan Doyle~~
12. Junie B. Jones series by Barbara Park
- ~~13. The Goosebumps series by R.L. Stine~~
14. The Magic Treehouse series by Mary Pope Osborne
- ~~15. Genius Files series by Ursula Vernon~~
16. Spider-Man: hostile takeover by David Liss

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For Tweens/Teens ages: 13 to 17 years old



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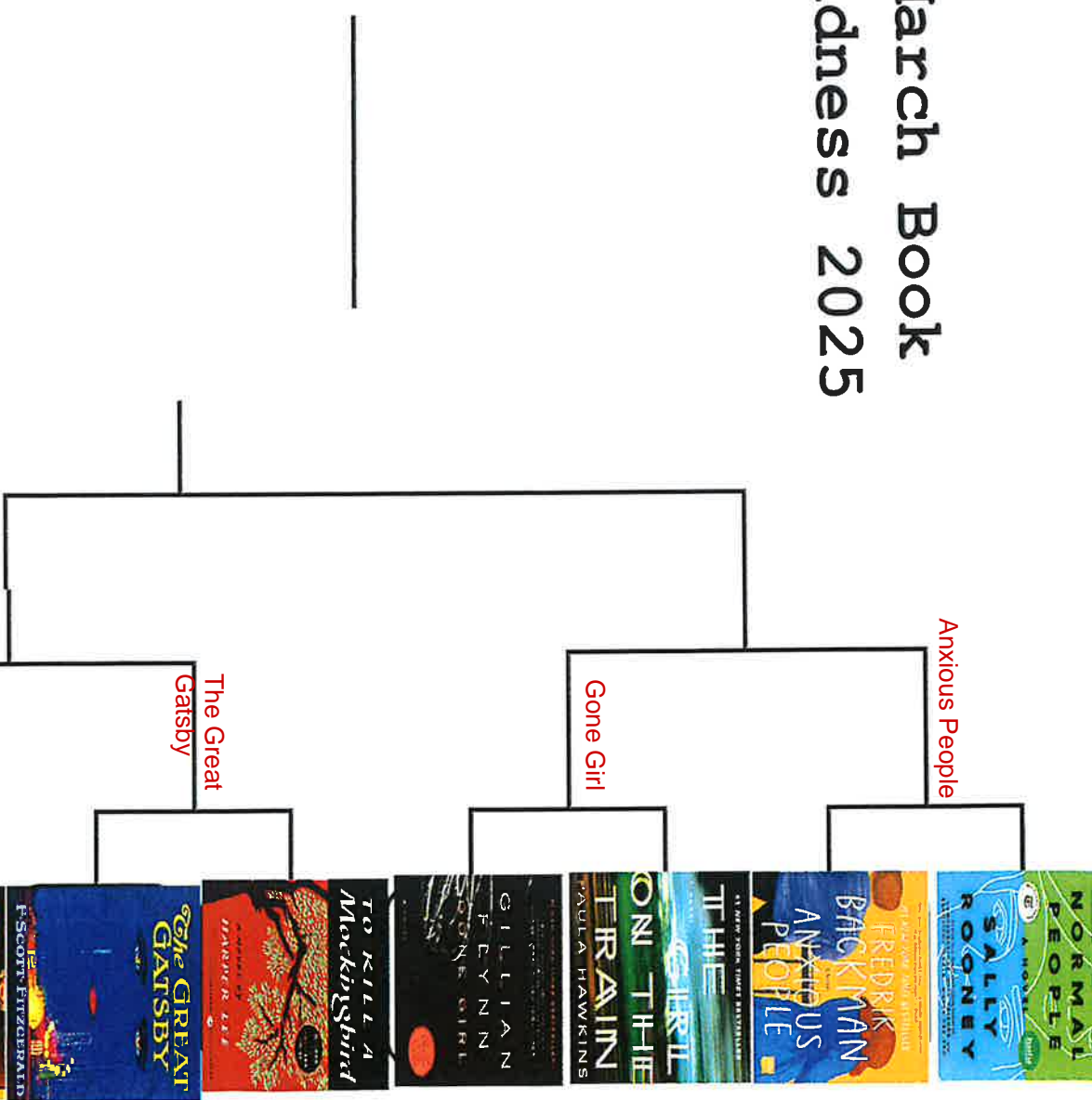
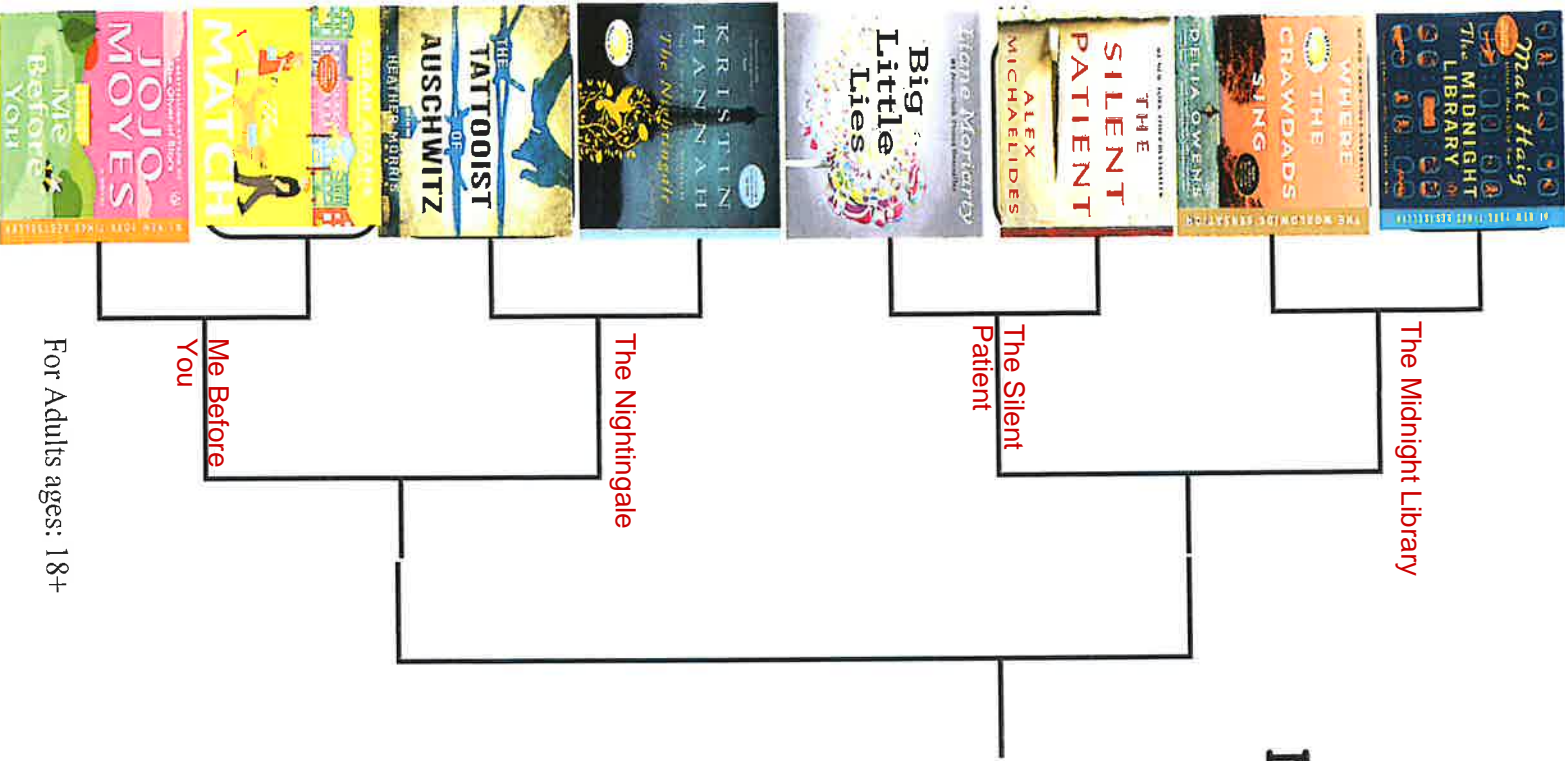
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### Tweens/Teens: ages 13 – 17 years old

- ~~1. The Hate U Give by Angie Thomas~~
2. Wonder by R.J. Palacio
3. Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone by J.K. Rowling
- ~~4. Percy Jackson and the Olympians: the Lightning Thief by Rick Riordan~~
- ~~5. Ender's Game by Orson Scott Card~~
6. Divergent by Veronica Roth
- ~~7. One of Us is Lying by Karen M. McManus~~
8. The Book Thief by Markus Zusak
- ~~9. Looking for Alaska by John Green~~
10. The Fault in Our Stars by John Green
11. The Hunger Games by Suzanne Collins
- ~~12. A Court of Thorns and Roses by Sarah J. Maas~~
- ~~13. Ready Player One by Ernest Cline~~
14. The Maze Runner by James Dashner
- ~~15. All the Light We Cannot See by Anthony Doerr~~
16. Between Shades of Gray by Ruth Sepetys



# March Book Madness 2025



For Adults ages: 18+

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Adults: ages 18+

1. The Midnight Library by Matt Haig
- ~~2. Where the Crawdads Sing by Delia Owens~~
3. The Silent Patient by Alex Michaelides
- ~~4. Big Little Lies by Liane Moriarty~~
5. The Nightingale by Kristin Hannah
- ~~6. The Tattooist of Auschwitz by Heather Morris~~
- ~~7. The Match by Sarah Adams~~
8. Me Before You by Jojo Moyes
- ~~9. Normal People by Sally Rooney~~
10. Anxious People by Fredrik Backman
- ~~11. The Girl on the Train by Paula Hawkins~~
12. Gone Girl by Gillian Flynn
- ~~13. To Kill a Mockingbird by Harper Lee~~
14. The Great Gatsby by F. Scott Fitzgerald
- ~~15. The Seven Husbands of Evelyn Hugo by Taylor Jenkins Reid~~
16. The Night Circus by Erin Morgenstein