



## SCARY STORIES BOOKLIST

### SUGGESTIONS FOR SHORT READ-ALOUDS

- In a Dark, Dark Room and Other Scary Stories* by Alvin Schwartz (HarperTrophy, 1985)  
*Scary Stories to Tell in the Dark* by Alvin Schwartz (HarperTrophy, 1981)  
*More Scary Stories to Tell in the Dark* by Alvin Schwartz (HarperTrophy, 1986)  
*Scary Stories 3: More Stories to Chill Your Bones* by Alvin Schwartz (HarperTrophy, 1991)  
*Two-Minute Mysteries* by Donald Sobol (Scholastic, 1991)  
*Beware! R.L. Stine Picks His Favorite Stories* by R.L. Stine (HarperCollins, 2004)

### RECOMMENDED MYSTERIES FOR GRADES 6–8

- The Man Who Was Poe* by Avi (HarperTrophy, 1997)  
*The Mummy, the Will, and the Crypt* by John Bellairs (Puffin, 1996)  
*Hardy Boys Mysteries: The Ghost at Skeleton Rock* by Franklin W. Dixon (Grosset & Dunlap, 1966)  
*The Hound of the Baskervilles* by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle (Aladdin, 2000)  
*Down a Dark Hall* by Lois Duncan (Laurel Leaf, 1997)  
*Point Blank* by Anthony Horowitz (Penguin USA, 2003)  
*The Legend of Sleepy Hollow* by Washington Irving (Wildside Press, 2004)  
*Dragons in the Water* by Madeline L'Engle (Laurel Leaf, 1982)  
*A Deadly Game of Magic* by Joan Lowery Nixon (Laurel Leaf, 1985)  
*The Castle in the Sea* by Scott O'Dell (Fawcett Books, 1990)  
*Slumber Party* by Christopher Pike (Scholastic, 1985)  
*The Westing Game* by Ellen Raskin (Penguin, 1997)  
*Holes* by Louis Sachar (Yearling, 2000)  
*The Mark Twain Murders* by Lawrence Yep (Four Winds, 1982)

### POPULAR MYSTERY AUTHORS

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| K.A. Applegate        | Walter Dean Myers |
| Jean Craighead George | Lemony Snicket    |
| Virginia Hamilton     | Cynthia Voight    |
| Carolyn Keene         | Lawrence Yep      |
| Ann Martin            |                   |