



Recommendations

Note: Please see included table for which works are recommended by these persons or organizations. Each is represented in the table by the parenthetical phrase or initials given next to their name below.

Golden Ducks (Gold) – The Golden Duck Awards for Excellence in Children’s Science Fiction Recommended List for Grades 6-10 (<http://www.goldenduck.org/recommended.php>).

Gardner Dozois (Dozois) –Dozois is a multiple Hugo award-winning editor of *Asimov’s Science Fiction* and editor of the highly regarded “Year’s Best Science Fiction” series of anthologies. (See http://www.sfga.org/reading/rec_dozois.htm)

Chicago Public Library (CPL) –The Chicago Public Library does not specify specific Heinlein titles, but gives a blanket recommendation for ages 11-15 (see <http://www.chipublib.org/003cpl/childrensvcs/yaficbib.html#scifi>). For the purposes of our list, we have assumed they are referring to the Scribner’s juveniles, though it is likely this is more limiting than they intended.

British Columbia Ministry of Education (BC) –Recommended English Arts Reading for Grades 8-10 (<http://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/irp/ela810/elalr810d.htm>)

Random House: The Board of the Modern Library Readers Poll Top 100 Novels of the 20th Century (RH) –Readers poll by the highly respected Random House Modern Library. (<http://www.randomhouse.com/modernlibrary/100bestnovels.html>)

Los Angeles Science Fiction Society (LASFS) –Established in 1934, LASFS is the world’s oldest continuously active science fiction society. These works are taken from their “Recommended Reading Lists for Children and Young Adults” at (<http://www.lasfs.org/lasfs/what/projects/rrl/>)

David Pringle (DP) –Respected Science Fiction critic and author of *Science Fiction: The 100 Best Novels (1949-1984)* (<http://www.auburn.edu/~vestmon/100best.txt>)

Hugo Winners (HW) –Awarded by the annual World Science Fiction convention, considered by many to be the highest accolade offered within the Science Fiction world.



Recommended Works of Robert A. Heinlein for Young Adults

Book	Gold	Dozois	CPL	BC	RH	LASFS	DP	HW	Grade
<i>Between Planets</i>	X	X	X			X			Grades 6-10
<i>Citizen of the Galaxy</i>	X	X	X		X	X			Grades 6-10
<i>Farmer in the Sky</i>	X	X	X			X		X	Grades 6-10
<i>Have Space Suit –Will Travel</i>	X		X			X			Grades 6-10
<i>Red Planet</i>	X	X	X			X			Grades 6-10
<i>Rocketship Galileo</i>	X		X			X			Grades 6-10
<i>The Rolling Stones</i>	X		X			X			Grades 6-10
<i>Space Cadet</i>	X		X			X			Grades 6-10
<i>The Star Beast</i>	X		X			X			Grades 6-10
<i>Starman Jones</i>	X	X	X						Grades 6-10
<i>Time for the Stars</i>	X		X						Grades 6-10
<i>Tunnel in the Sky</i>	X		X						Grades 6-10
<i>The Moon is a Harsh Mistress</i>		X			X			X	Grades 8-10
<i>Double Star</i>		X			X			X	Grades 8-10
<i>The Door Into Summer</i>				X	X		X		Grades 8-10
<i>Starship Troopers</i>					X			X	Grades 8-12
<i>The Puppet Masters</i>					X		X		Grades 8-10
<i>Orphans of the Sky</i>						X			Grades 6-10
<i>Stranger in a Strange Land</i>								X	Grades 9-12