

## KIDS' MAGAZINE FOR READERS AND WRITERS

Children magazines and their online counterparts are very important for helping students establish lifelong reading habits. Few can ignore the pull of new weekly or monthly edition of a favorite source of up-to-date information on a hobby sport, or other interest. Magazines are great sources of high-interest material for reluctant and/or developing readers.

Some kids' magazines are not only written for children, but by children. These publications are the primary market for children's original writing. Contact them for guidelines for submitting stories, poems, and art. Young writers, whose work is accepted, generally receive copies of the volume instead of monetary rewards. The review and notification time for submissions may take many months, but if published, the wait is well worth it to budding authors.

***American Girl*** (general interest content for girls; age 8-12)  
[http://store.americangirl.com/subscribe\\_ecomm.html](http://store.americangirl.com/subscribe_ecomm.html)

***Apple Seeds*** (social studies topics; ages 7-9)  
<http://www.cobblestonepub.com/pages/appmain.htm>

***Ask: Arts and Sciences for Kids*** (artists, scientists, thinkers; ages 6-9)  
[www.cobblestonepub.com/pages/askmain.html](http://www.cobblestonepub.com/pages/askmain.html)

***Boy's Life*** (general interest content for boys; ages 8-13)  
<http://www.boyslife.org/lo/index.html>

***Boy's Quest*** (general interest content for boys; ages 8-13)  
<http://www.boysquest.com/>

***Calliope World History for Young People*** (world history theme; ages 9-15)  
[www.cobblestonepub.com/pages/callmain.htm](http://www.cobblestonepub.com/pages/callmain.htm)

***Chickadee*** (general interest, activities; ages 5-9)  
[www.owlkids.com/chikadee/](http://www.owlkids.com/chikadee/)

***Click*** (science and exploration; ages 3-7).  
<http://www.clickmag.com>

***Cobblestone American History for Kids*** (American history topics; ages 8-14)  
<http://www.cobblestonepub.com/pages/cobbmain.htm>

***Cricket*** (children's literature; ages 8-12)  
[www.cricketmag.com/](http://www.cricketmag.com/)

**Dig** (earth science and archaeology; ages 9-14)

<http://www.cobblestonepub.com/>

**Faces: People, Places and Cultures** (cultures, geography, and news; ages 9-14)

[www.cobblestonepub.com/pages/facemain.htm](http://www.cobblestonepub.com/pages/facemain.htm)

**Foot Steps: African American History** (African American History; ages 8-14)

<http://www.footstepsmagazine.com>

**Highlights for Children** (general interest content and activities; ages 4-12)

<http://www.highlights.com/>

**Hopscotch** (general interest content and activities; ages 8-12)

[www.hopscotchmagazine.com/](http://www.hopscotchmagazine.com/)

**Jack and Jill** (general interest content and activities; ages 7-10)

<http://www.jackandjillmag.org/>

**Kids Discover** (nature, science, Geography; ages 6-12)

<http://www.kidsdiscover.com/>

**Muse** (nature, music science, literature; ages 9-14)

[www.cricketmag.com/](http://www.cricketmag.com/)

**National Geographic Kids** (wildlife, adventure, geography, science; ages 8-14)

<http://www.nationalgeographic.com/ngkids/>

**Nickelodeon Magazine** (children's pop culture and media; ages 8-14)

[http://www.nick.com/all\\_nick/everything\\_nick/enter\\_mag.jhtml](http://www.nick.com/all_nick/everything_nick/enter_mag.jhtml)

**Odyssey** (science themes; ages 10-16)

<http://www.odysseymagazine.com>

**Plays** (drama, activities and plays for elementary through high school; ages 8-16)

<http://www.playmag.com/>

**Ranger Rick** (nature, environment, outdoors; ages 7-10)

<http://www.nwf.org/gowild/>

**Soccer Jr.** (soccer stars, strategy, inspiration; 8-14)

<http://www.soccer-for-parents.com.soccer-magazines.html>

**Skipping Stones** (international, multicultural themes; ages 6-12)

<http://www.skippingstones.org>

## Magazines That Publish Young Writers

***Boodle: By Kids, For Kids*** (fiction, poetry, puzzles, humor; ages 4-12)  
P.O. Box 1049 Portland, IN 47371

***Creative Kids*** (fiction, poetry, puzzles, humor, artwork; ages 8-14)  
[http://www.prufrock.com/client/client.client\\_pages/prufrock\\_jm\\_createkids.cfm](http://www.prufrock.com/client/client.client_pages/prufrock_jm_createkids.cfm)  
Prufrock Press, P.O. Box 8813, Waco, TX 76714-8813

***Discovery Girls*** (hot topic for girls; ages 4-12)  
<http://www.discoverygirls.com/>  
P.O. Box 110760, Campbell, CA 95011

***Highlights for Children*** (stories, poetry, art humor; ages 4-12)  
<http://www.highlights.com/>  
803 Church Street, Honesdale, PA 18431

***New Moon*** (international, general content for girls; 8-14)  
<http://www.skippingstones.org>  
P.O. Box 3620, Duluth, MN 55803-3620

***Skipping Stones*** (fiction poetry, plays, artwork; 8-16)  
<http://www.skippingstones.org>  
P.O. Box 3939, Eugene, OR 97403

***Stone Soup*** (fiction, poetry plays, artwork; ages 8-16)  
<http://www.stonesoup.com/main2/printmagazines.html>

***The Acorn*** (fiction, nonfiction, poetry; ages 6-17)  
1530 Seventh Street, Rock Island, IL 61201

***Young Voices*** (fiction poetry, plays artwork; ages 8-16)  
P.O. Box 2321 Olympia, WA 98507