

## Chronicles of Narnia read-alikes

Sorted by Call Number / Author

- CD-BOOK TOL Tolkien, J. R. R. (John Ronald Reuel), 1892-1973. The hobbit. Prince Frederick, MD : Recorded Books, p1991.  
Narrated by Rob Inglis. Bilbo Baggins, a respectable, well-to-do hobbit, lives comfortably in his hobbit-hole until the day the wandering wizard Gandalf chooses him to take part in an adventure from which he may never return.
- CD-BOOK TOL Tolkien, J. R. R. (John Ronald Reuel), 1892-1973. The Silmarillion. : Volume 1-3. [New York, N.Y.] : BDD Audio, p1998.  
Performance by Martin Shaw.
- FIC TOLKIEN Tolkien, J. R. R. (John Ronald Reuel), 1892-1973. The annotated hobbit. Rev. and expanded ed. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, 2002.
- FIC TOLKIEN Tolkien, J. R. R. (John Ronald Reuel), 1892-1973. The fellowship of the ring : being the first part of The Lord of the rings. 2d ed. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, c1965.
- FIC TOLKIEN Tolkien, J. R. R. (John Ronald Reuel), 1892-1973. The hobbit; ; or, There and back again. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, c1966.  
The adventures of the well-to-do hobbit, Bilbo Baggins, who lived happily in his comfortable home until a wandering wizard granted his wish.
- J CASS ALE Alexander, Lloyd. The book of three. Unabridged. New York : Listening Library ;, p2004.  
Read by James Langton, with an introduction by the author. Taran, the assistant pig-keeper, longs to be a hero. He begins his journey to heroism with a strange assortment of companions on a dangerous mission to save his beloved homeland, Prydain. Taran's adventures chronicle the brave battle he wages against the forces of evil to protect it.
- J CASS FUN Funke, Cornelia Caroline. Inkheart. New York : Random House/Listening Library, p2003.  
Read by Lynn Redgrave. Twelve-year-old Meggie learns that her father, who repairs and binds books for a living, can "read" fictional characters to life when one of those characters abducts them and tries to force him into service.
- J CD-BOOK CAR Carroll, Lewis, 1832-1898. Alice in Wonderland & Through the looking glass. Library ed. Falls Church, VA : Sound Room Publishers, c2002.  
Narrated by Ralph Cosham.
- J CD-BOOK COL Collins, Suzanne. Gregor the Overlander. New York : Random House/Listening Library, p2005.  
Read by Paul Boehmer. When eleven-year-old Gregor and his two-year-old sister are pulled into a strange underground world, they trigger an epic battle involving men, bats, rats, cockroaches, and spiders while on a quest foretold by ancient prophecy.
- J CD-BOOK NIM Nimmo, Jenny. Midnight for Charlie Bone : [children of the red king]. New York : Random House/Listening Library, p2004.  
Read by Simon Russell Beale. Charlie Bone's life with his widowed mother and two grandmothers undergoes a dramatic change when he discovers that he can hear people in photographs talking.
- J FIC ALE Alexander, Lloyd. The book of three. rev. ed. New York : H. Holt, c1999.  
Taran, Assistant Pig-Keeper to a famous oracular sow, sets out on a hazardous mission to save Prydain from the forces of evil.
- J FIC ALEXANDER Alexander, Lloyd. The rope trick. 1st ed. New York : Dutton Children's Books, 2002.  
Motivated by her quest to learn a legendary rope trick, the magician Princess

Lidi and her troupe embark on a journey through Renaissance Italy that intertwines adventure, love, and mystery.

- J FIC ALEXANDER Alexander, Lloyd. Taran wanderer. New York : Dell, 1980, c1967.
- J FIC BARRIE Barrie, J. M. (James Matthew), 1860-1937. Peter Pan. New York : Scribner, c1980.  
The adventures of Peter Pan, the boy who would not grow up.
- J FIC BARRIE Barrie, J. M. (James Matthew), 1860-1937. Peter Pan. Centennial ed. New York : H. Holt, 2003, c1987.  
The adventures of Peter Pan, the boy who would not grow up.
- J FIC BAUM Baum, L. Frank (Lyman Frank), 1856-1919. The Wizard of Oz. New York : North-South Books, 1996.  
After being transported by a cyclone to the land of Oz, Dorothy and her dog are befriended by a scarecrow, a tin man, and a cowardly lion, who accompany her to the Emerald City to look for a wizard who can help Dorothy return home to Kansas.
- J FIC CARROLL Carroll, Lewis, 1832-1898. Alice in Wonderland : and Through the looking glass. Complete and unabridged. Chicago : Childrens Press, [1969].  
A little girl falls down a rabbit hole and discovers a world of nonsensical and amusing characters.
- J FIC COLLINS Collins, Suzanne. Gregor the Overlander. 1st ed. New York : Scholastic Press, 2003.  
When eleven-year-old Gregor and his two-year-old sister are pulled into a strange underground world, they trigger an epic battle involving men, bats, rats, cockroaches, and spiders while on a quest foretold by ancient prophecy.
- J FIC COO Cooper, Susan. The boggart. 1st ed. New York : M.K. McElderry Books ;, c1993.  
After visiting the castle in Scotland which her family has inherited and returning home to Canada, twelve-year-old Emily finds that she has accidentally brought back with her a boggart, an invisible and mischievous spirit with a fondness for practical jokes.
- J FIC COOPER Cooper, Susan. Greenwitch. [1st ed.]. New York, : Atheneum, 1974.  
Jane's invitation to witness the making of the Greenwich begins a series of sinister events in which she and her two brothers help the Old Ones recover the grail stolen by the Dark.
- J FIC DITERLIZZI DiTerlizzi, Tony. The field guide. New York : Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, 2003.  
When the Grace children go to stay at their Great Aunt Lucinda's worn Victorian house, they discover a field guide to fairies and other creatures and begin to have some unusual experiences.
- J FIC FUNKE Funke, Cornelia Caroline. Inkheart. 1st American ed. New York : Scholastic/The Chicken House, 2003.  
Twelve-year-old Meggie learns that her father, who repairs and binds books for a living, can "read" fictional characters to life when one of those characters abducts them and tries to force him into service.
- J FIC JON Jones, Diana Wynne. Stopping for a spell : three fantasies. 1st ed. New York : Greenwillow Books, 1993.  
Includes three separate stories: "Chair Person," "The Four Grannies," and "Who Got Rid of Angus Flint?".
- J FIC JONES Jones, Diana Wynne. The ogre downstairs. New Greenwillow ed. New York : Greenwillow Books, 2002, c1974.  
When a disagreeable man with two boys marries a widow with three children, family adjustments are complicated by two magic chemistry sets which cause strange things to happen around the house.

- J FIC JUSTER                   Juster, Norton, 1929-. The phantom tollbooth. New York, : Epstein & Carroll; distributed by Random House, [1961].  
A journey through a land where Milo learns the importance of words and numbers provides a cure for his boredom.
- J FIC NIMMO                   Nimmo, Jenny. Midnight for Charlie Bone. 1st Scholastic ed. New York : Orchard Books, 2003, c2002.  
Charlie Bone's life with his widowed mother and two grandmothers undergoes a dramatic change when he discovers that he can hear people in photographs talking.
- J FIC SNYDER                   Snyder, Zilpha Keatley. The unseen. New York : Delacorte Press, 2004.  
Feeling angry and out-of-place in her large family, twelve-year-old Xandra finds a magical key to a world of ghostly, sometimes frightening, phantoms that help her see herself and her siblings more clearly.
- J FIC TOL                   Tolkien, J. R. R. (John Ronald Reuel), 1892-1973. Roverandom. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, 1998.  
A dog who has been turned into a toy dog encounters rival wizards and experiences various adventures on the moon with giant spiders, dragon moths, and the Great White Dragon.
- J PLAYAWAY CAR               Carroll, Lewis, 1832-1898. Alice in Wonderland & Through the looking glass. Falls Church, VA : Sound Room Publishers ;, 2002.  
Narrated by Ralph Cosham.
- J PLAYAWAY FUN               Funke, Cornelia Caroline. Inkheart. New York : Listening Library, p2003.  
Read by Lynn Redgrave. Meggie lives a quiet life alone with her father Mo, a bookbinder, until one cruel night when Mo reads aloud from Inkheart and an evil ruler named Capricorn escapes the boundaries of fiction and lands in their living room.
- LOST STACKS                 Jones, Diana Wynne. Year of the griffin. 1st ed. New York : Greenwillow Books, c2000.  
When Elda, the griffin daughter of the great Wizard Derk, arrives for schooling at the Wizards' University, she encounters new friends, pirates, assassins, worry, sabotage, bloodshed, and magic misused.
- LRG.PRT FIC TOL               Tolkien, J. R. R. (John Ronald Reuel), 1892-1973. The hobbit, or, There and back again. Large print ed. Waterville, Me. : Thorndike Press, 2003.  
Bilbo Baggins, a respectable, well-to-do hobbit, lives comfortably in his hobbit-hole until the day the wandering wizard Gandalf chooses him to take part in an adventure from which he may never return.
- YA CASS COO                 Cooper, Susan. The dark is rising. Old Greenwich, CT : Listening Library, p1999.  
Alex Jennings. On his eleventh birthday Will Stanton discovers that he is the last of the Old Ones, destined to seek the six magical Signs that will enable the Old Ones to triumph over the evil forces of Dark.
- YA CASS LEN                 L'Engle, Madeleine. A wrinkle in time. TC ed. [Old Greenwich, CT] : Listening Library, p1993, c1962.  
Read by the author.
- YA CASS WRE                 Wrede, Patricia C., 1953-. Dealing with dragons. Old Greenwich, CT : Listening Library, p1996, c1990.  
Narrated by Liz Caldwell ; cast: Bruce Coville (King/Moranz), Katherine Coville (Fairy godmother), Johanna Elliott (Princess Cimorene). Bored with traditional palace life, a princess goes off to live with a group of dragons and soon becomes involved with fighting against some disreputable wizards who want to steal away the dragons' kingdom.
- YA CD-BOOK PUL               Pullman, Philip, 1946-. The golden compass. Old Greenwich, CT : Listening Library, c1999.  
"...narrated by Philip Pullman himself, with the support of some of the finest actors of the London stage."

- YA FIC BRENNAN Brennan, Herbie. Faerie wars. 1st U.S. ed. New York : Bloomsbury, 2003.  
Troubled by family problems, Henry finds his life taking a whole new dimension when he and his friend, old Mr. Fogarty, become involved with Prince Pyrgus Malvae who has been sent from the faerie world in order to escape the treacherous Faeries of the Night.
- YA FIC BRENNAN Brennan, Herbie. Purple Emperor. 1st U.S. ed. New York : Bloomsbury :, 2004.  
Henry and his friend Mr. Fogarty return to the Faerie Realm to help their friends, the royal siblings Pyrgus and Holly Blue, in their continued fight against the treacherous Lord Hairstreak and the evil forces of the Faeries of the Night.
- YA FIC COO Cooper, Susan. The dark is rising : Over sea, under stone ; The dark is rising ; Greenwitch ; The grey king ; Silver on the tree. [S.l.] : Guild America Books, [1996?].  
Over sea, under stone -- The dark is rising -- Greenwitch -- The grey king -- Silver on the tree. Volumes in The dark is rising sequence.
- YA FIC JON Jones, Diana Wynne. Dark Lord of Derkholm. New York : Greenwillow Books, 1998.  
Derk, an unconventional wizard, and his magical family become involved in a plan to put a stop to the devastating tours of their world arranged by the tyrannical Mr. Chesney.
- YA FIC JON Jones, Diana Wynne. Howl's moving castle. 1st ed. New York : Greenwillow Books, c1986.  
Eldest of three sisters in a land where it is considered to be a misfortune, Sophie is resigned to her fate as a hat shop apprentice until a witch turns her into an old woman and she finds herself in the castle of the greatly feared wizard Howl.
- YA FIC JON Jones, Diana Wynne. The magicians of Caprona. 1st Beech Tree ed. New York : Beech Tree Books, 1999.  
After two centuries of feuding the powers of the two families of magicians in mythical Caprona are too weak to stop an incipient war, but the younger members of the families find a way.
- YA FIC JONES Jones, Diana Wynne. Fire and hemlock. New York : Greenwillow Books, c1985.
- YA FIC JONES VOL.1 Jones, Diana Wynne. Chronicles of Chrestomanci. 1st Harper trophy ed. New York : HarperCollins Publishers, 2001.  
v. 1. Charmed life. The lives of Christopher Chant -- v. 2. Witch Week. The magicians of Caprona. Adventures of the Chrestomanci, an enchanter with nine lives, whose job is to control the practice of magic in the infinite parallel universes of the Twelve Related Worlds.
- YA FIC LEG Le Guin, Ursula K., 1929-. A wizard of earthsea. Berkeley, Calif. : Parnassus Press, [c1968].  
A boy grows to manhood while attempting to subdue the evil he unleashed on the world as an apprentice to the Master Wizard.
- YA FIC L'ENGLE L'Engle, Madeleine. A wrinkle in time. New York : Farrar, Straus and Giroux, c1962.
- YA FIC MCK McKinley, Robin. The hero and the crown. 1st ed. New York : Greenwillow Books, c1984.  
Aerin, with the guidance of the wizard Luthe and the help of the blue sword, wins the birthright due her as the daughter of the Damarian king and a witchwoman of the mysterious, demon-haunted North.
- YA FIC PUL Pullman, Philip, 1946-. Count Karlstein. New York : Knopf :, c1998.  
In the mountains of Switzerland the wicked Count Karlstein plots to abandon his two orphaned nieces in a hunting lodge as prey for the Demon Huntsman and his ghostly hounds.

- YA FIC PULLMAN Pullman, Philip, 1946-. The golden compass. 1st ed. New York : Alfred A. Knopf, 1996.  
Accompanied by her daemon, Lyra Belacqua sets out to prevent her best friend and other kidnapped children from becoming the subject of gruesome experiments in the Far North.
- YA FIC PULLMAN Pullman, Philip, 1946-. The ruby in the smoke. 1st American ed. New York : Knopf :, c1985.  
In nineteenth-century London, sixteen-year-old Sally, a recent orphan, becomes involved in a deadly search for a mysterious ruby.
- YA FIC PULLMAN Pullman, Philip, 1946-. Shadow in the north. 1st Borzoi Sprinters ed. New York : Knopf :, 1989, c1988.  
In 1878 in London, Sally, now twenty-two and established in her own business, and her companions Frederick and Jim try to solve the mystery surrounding the unexpected collapse of a shipping firm and its ties to a sinister corporation called North Star.
- YA FIC ROW Rowling, J. K. Harry Potter and the chamber of secrets. New York : Arthur A. Levine Books, 1999.  
When the Chamber of Secrets is opened again at the Hogswart School for Witchcraft and Wizardry, second-year student Harry Potter finds himself in danger from a dark power that.
- YA FIC TOLKIEN Tolkien, J. R. R. (John Ronald Reuel), 1892-1973. The hobbit, or, There and back again. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, 2001.  
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- YA FIC WHITE White, T. H. (Terence Hanbury), 1906-1964. The sword in the stone. New York : Dell, [1984], c1963.
- YA FIC WREDE Wrede, Patricia C., 1953-. Dealing with dragons. 1st ed. San Diego : Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, c1990.  
Bored with traditional palace life, a princess goes off to live with a group of dragons and soon becomes involved with fighting against some disreputable wizards who want to steal away the dragons' kingdom.
- YA PLAYAWAY LEN L'Engle, Madeleine. A wrinkle in time. New York : Random House Audio ;, 2006.  
Performance by the author. Father is missing! His top secret job as a physicist for the government has taken him away - but where? - and how? Meg and her younger brother set out with their friend Calvin on an exciting adventure through time and space to search for him.