

The Giverny Award
for Best Children's Science Picture Book
(15 Degree Laboratory, Louisiana State University, USA)

The Giverny Award is an annual award established in 1998. It is awarded to the author and the illustrator of an outstanding children's science picture book written in English published within five years of the award date. The awarded book must teach its young reader (aged from 4-13) at least one important scientific principle and its artwork, illustrations, photographs, or graphics must work in harmony with the text. Credits would be given to those with the theme of plants and/or plant science after other factors have been taken into considerations.

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Year	Winner	Subjects
2004	Jacobs, Francine, illustrated by Jean Cassels. <i>Lonesome George the Giant Tortoise.</i> Walker & Co, 2003. ISBN: 0802788645	Plant disturbance ecology, plant-animal interactions, introduction of non-native species, wildlife management, animal behavior, adaptation, animal locomotion, thermoregulation, plant and animal conservation, extinction, and reproductive genetics (Aged: 4-8)

2003	Baker, Jeannie (text and illustrations). <i>The Hidden Forest</i> . Greenwillow, 2000. ISBN: 0688157602	Underwater environmental and botanical education (Aged: 4-8)
2002	Brown, Don (text and illustrations). <i>Rare Treasure: Mary Anning and Her Remarkable Discoveries</i> . Houghton Mifflin, 1999. ISBN: 0395922860	Biography (fossil scientist), Fossils hunting and collecting (Aged: 4-8)
2001	Johnson, D.B. (text and illustrations). <i>Henry Hikes to Fitchburg</i> . Houghton Mifflin, 2000. ISBN: 0395968674	Hiking, Observation of the natural world (Aged: 4-8)
2000	Pfeffer, Wendy, illustrated by Robin Brickman. <i>A Log's Life</i> . New York : Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, 1997. ISBN: 0689806361	Ecological tale, "Life Circle" (Aged: 4-8)
1999	Petty, Kate & Scheffler, Axel (text and illustrations). <i>Sam Plants a Sunflower</i> . London : Macmillan Children's Books, 1997. ISBN: 0333682599	Sunflower, Growth of plants (Aged: 4-8)
1998	Bang, Molly (text and illustrations). <i>Common Ground: The Water, Earth, and Air We Share</i> . New York : Blue Sky, 1997. ISBN: 0590100564	Flora, Fauna, and Natural resources

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