



## 2019 Thumbs Up! Nomination Form

This award recognizes one book that has captured the attention of teen librarians throughout the State of Michigan for its ability to communicate through literature to an intended audience.

Titles must be:

- Published between January 1 and December 31, 2018
- Written for teens, ages 13-18

Qualifications include:

- Intended for teens within the age range of 13-18
- The book must appeal to this age group, both in respect to its characters and setting, as well as in terms of subject and theme.
- Books originally published outside the U.S. are eligible, provided that their first U.S. printing occurred during the eligibility period.
- Selections will be made based on the suggested guidelines for the Young Adult Library Services Association's Michael L Printz award. The guidelines include story, setting, theme, voice, accuracy, illustrations (if any), style, characters, and design.

**Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Author:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Publisher:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of publication:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Other info (please include any review sources and dates or other pertinent information for the committee):**

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**WITH THIS FORM PLEASE INCLUDE:**

- At least 2 copies of the nominated book. One of these copies must be a final version (for publishers and authors).
- Reason for your nomination

**NOMINATION FORMS SHOULD BE SENT OR EMAILED TO:**

Michigan Library Association  
ATTN: Thumbs Up! Award  
3410 Belle Chase Way, Suite 100  
Lansing, MI 48911  
MLA@milibraries.org

**Nomination Deadline is December 31, 2018**

**Nomination submitted by:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Nominator's Business Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Nominator's Business Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Nominator's Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_