

1. **Atanu Roy**  
Has illustrated over 100 children's books, and devoted much of his creative strengths for children's literature. He has received several international and national awards for his illustrations and cartoons.
2. **Geeta Dharmarajan**  
A writer, educationist and social entrepreneur, she passionately believes in the power of story in transforming lives and societies. Her mission is to get all children reading well for fun and meaning. She has authored over forty books for children, especially fantasies. She was honoured with the Padma Shri in 2012 for her work in literature and education.
3. **K Dharmarajan**  
An ardent reader and connoisseur of children's books.
4. **Indu Punj**  
An educationist who is an ardent believer of 'teaching by doing' and has over twenty years of teaching experience. She loves reading fiction and books on psychology.
5. **Shilpi Sarkar**  
Erstwhile sociologist, current Child-Poverty-Education researcher, and occasional workshop facilitator who loves walking, and reflecting over stories, poems, books and life (both while walking and while sitting).
6. **Suddhasatwa Basu**  
Renowned illustrator, painter and creator of animation films for television. Among the awards he has won are the Katha Chitrakala Award in 2002 for his picture book, *The Song of Scarecrow* and an honorable mention at the Biennale of Illustrations, 2003.

7. **Vandana Bist**

An independent arts and crafts professional, she has created some magical books for children and illustrated several magazines as well. She is a recipient of the Noma Concours and the Chitra Katha Award 1998 for her books. Her works have been exhibited in Japan and Bratislava.