Reading Map for Ender’s Game by Orson Scott Card

A Scifi Classic...
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Discussion Questions about Ender’s Game:
http://www.hatrack.com/research/teachers/endersgame.shtml


Orson Scott Card
Image: Orson Scott Card speaking into a microphone

Best known for his science fiction novels Ender’s Game and Ender's Shadow, Orson Scott Card has written in many other forms and genres. He has written plays, musical comedies, biblical novels, contemporary fantasies, poetry, and books about writing, in addition to the scifi novels for which he has become famous. Card also conducts writing workshops.

Card’s website, Hatrack River: http://www.hatrack.com/

Author bio: http://www.hatrack.com/osc/about.shtml

The Movie
Movie trailer: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vP0cUBi4hwE

Showtimes: http://www.imdb.com/showtimes/title/tt1731141

Curious about the boycott?
http://skipendersgame.com/

NPR’s Book News: ‘Ender’s Game’ author responds to boycott threats

HuffPo: Call Off the Ender’s Game Boycott by Emma Ruby-Sachs
Readalikes (and listenalikes)

1. Ender's Shadow by Orson Scott Card -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=Ender%27s+Shadow&te=&lm=PPLD&rt=TITLE%7C%7C%7C%7C%7C%7Cfalse

2. Starship Troopers by Robert Heinlein -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=Starship+Troopers+Heinlein&te=&lm=PPLD

3. The Forever War by Joe Haldeman -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=TITLE%3DThe+forever+war&qu=AUTHOR%3DHaldeman%2C+Joe+W.

4. One Jump Ahead by Mark L. Van Name -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=One+Jump+Ahead+Van+Name&te=&lm=PPLD

5. The warrior's apprentice by Lois McMaster Bujold -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=The+warrior%27s+apprentice+Bujold&te=&lm=PPLD

6. Parable of the Sower by Octavia Butler -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=Parable+of+the+Sower+Butler&te=&lm=PPLD

7. Dune by Frank Herbert -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=Dune+Herbert&te=&lm=PPLD

8. Beggars in Spain by Nancy Kress -

9. Adiamante by L.E. Modesitt Jr. -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=Adiamante+Modesitt&te=&lm=PPLD

10. Raising the Stones by Sheri Tepper -
    https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=Raising+the+Stones+Tepper&te=&lm=PPLD

11. Once a Hero by Elizabeth Moon -
    https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=Once+a+Hero+Elizabeth+Moon&te=&lm=PPLD

12. Higher Education by Charles Sheffield & Jerry Pournelle -
    https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=higher+education+sheffield&te=&lm=PPLD
YA:

1. Variant by Robison Wells -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=Variant+Wells&te=&lm=PPLD

2. A confusion of princes by Garth Nix -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=A+confusion+of+princes+Nix&te=&lm=PPLD

3. Divergent by Veronica Roth -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=Divergent+%2F+Roth&te=&lm=PPLD

4. Insignia by S.J. Kincaid -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=Insignia+Kincaid&lm=PPLD

Grades 5-8:

1. Virtual by Gloria Skurzynski –
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=Virtual+war+Skurzynski&te=&lm=PPLD

2. Clones by Gloria Skurzynski -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=clones+skurzynski&te=&lm=PPLD

3. Cinder by Marissa Meyer -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=Cinder+Marissa+Meyer&te=&lm=PPLD

4. Fever Crumb by Philip Reeve -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=Fever+Crumb+Philip+Reeve&te=&lm=PPLD

5. Happenstance Found by P. W. Catanese -

6. Glow by Amy Kathleen Ryan -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=Glow+Amy+Kathleen+Ryan&te=&lm=PPLD

7. Stuck on Earth by David Klass -
   https://pikp.ent.sirsi.net/client/PPLD/search/results?qu=Stuck+on+Earth+David+Klass&te=&lm=PPLD

Watchalikes
Adventure & Aliens?

Pacific Rim -
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Treasure Planet -
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Scifi adventure with '80s nostalgia?

Flight of the Navigator -
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Back to the Future -
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WarGames -
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Dune -
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