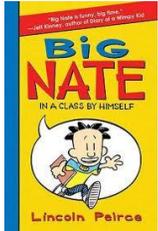
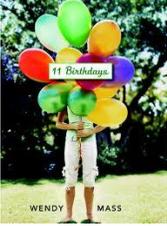
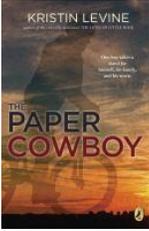
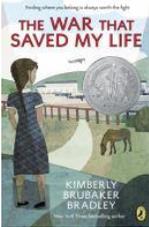
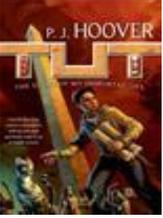
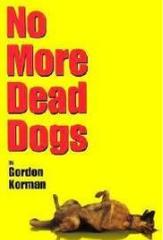
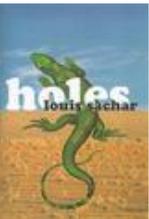


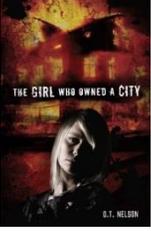
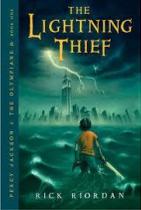
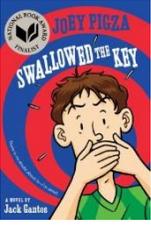
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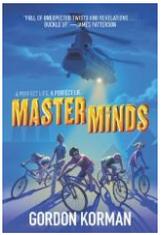
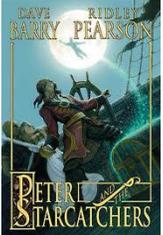
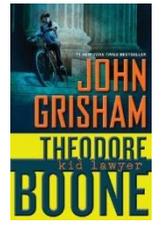
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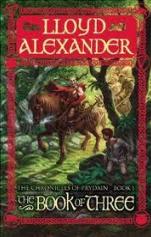
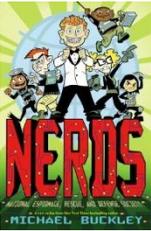
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	<p><b>Big Nate Series</b> Lincoln Peirce</p> <p><i>Big Nate: In a Class By Himself</i> Supremely confident middle school student Nate Wright manages make getting detention from every one of his teachers in the same day seem like an achievement.</p>	<p>J PEIRCE, L.</p> <p>Also Available as a Downloadable Audio Book</p>
	<p><b>Myth-O-Mania Series</b> Kate McMullan</p> <p><i>Have a Hot Time Hades!</i> In this story with a modern twist, Hades tells his own version of how he became King of the Underworld and Zeus became King of the Gods.</p>	<p>J MCMULLAN, K.</p> <p>Also Available on ESS Kids Nook Battle</p>
	<p><b>Weenies Series</b> David Lubar</p> <p><i>Attack of the Vampire Weenies and Other Warped and Creepy Tales</i> Thirty creepy stories about warped technology, revengeful ants, sadistic gym teachers, and other terrifying things.</p>	<p>J LUBAR, D.</p>
	<p><b>Crenshaw</b> Katherine Applegate</p> <p>Fearing his family will have to move back into their minivan when they suffer another financial setback, Jackson finds support and comfort through his friendship with a giant imaginary cat.</p>	<p>J APPLGATE, K.</p> <p>Also Available as an E-Book</p> <p>Also Available as a Downloadable Audio Book</p>

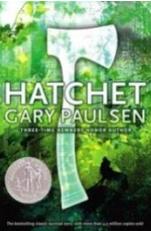
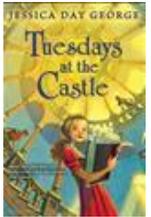
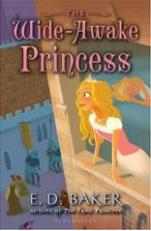
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	<p><b>Scary Stories Series</b> Alvin Schwartz</p> <p><b><i>Scary Stories to Tell in the Dark</i></b> A collection of tales so horrifying that they stay with you, in more ways than one. Some classics include; <i>the Big Toe</i>, <i>High Beams</i> and <i>Wait till Martin Comes</i>.</p>	<p>J SCH</p>
	<p><b><i>Paper Cowboy</i></b> Kristin Levin</p> <p>In a small town near Chicago in 1953, Tommy faces escalating problems at home, among his Catholic school friends, and with the threat of a communist living nearby, but taking over his hospitalized sister's paper route introduces him to neighbors who he comes to rely on for help.</p>	<p>J LEVIN</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available as a Downloadable Audio Book</i></p>
	<p><b><i>The War That Saved My Life</i></b> Kimberly Brubaker Bradley</p> <p>A young disabled girl and her brother are evacuated from London to the English countryside during World War II, where they find life to be much sweeter away from their abusive mother.</p>	<p>J BRUBAKER</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available on Audio</i></p>
	<p><b><i>There Will Be Bears</i></b> Ryan Gebhart</p> <p>Tyson sneaks off with his roughneck, but ill, grandpa to go on his first elk hunt, amid reports of a stalking man-eating grizzly.</p>	<p>J GEBHART, R.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p>
	<p><b>The Blackwell Pages Series</b> K.L. Armstrong &amp; M.A. Marr</p> <p><b><i>Loki's Wolves</i></b> Matt, a descendent of the order-keeping god Thor, and Fen and Laurie, descendants of the trickster god Loki, must fight monsters to stop the end of the world.</p>	<p>J ARMSTRONG, K.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available as a Downloadable Audio Book</i></p>

	<p><b>Tut Series</b> P.J. Hoover</p> <p><i><b>Tut: The Story of My Immortal Life</b></i> King Tut used to rule Ancient Egypt. Now he's stuck in middle school (again)... oh, and his immortal uncle is trying kill him and take over the world.</p>	<p>J HOOVER, P.</p>
	<p><i><b>No More Dead Dogs</b></i> Gordon Korman Football hero Wallace Wallace gets detention and has to attend rehearsals of the school play. Nothing goes right. Everyone blames Wallace. Who is trying to sabotage the play? And how does Wallace stop them from making the dog explode?</p>	<p>J KORMAN, G.</p> <p><i>Also Available on Audio</i></p>
	<p><b>The Grimm Trilogy</b> Adam Gidwitz</p> <p><i><b>A Tale Dark &amp; Grimm</b></i> This book follows Hansel and Gretel as they walk out of their own story and into eight more tales, encountering wicked creatures such as witches, as well as kindly strangers and other helpful folk.</p>	<p>J GIDWITZ, A.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available on Audio</i></p> <p><i>Also Available on ESS Kids Nook Battle</i></p>
	<p><i><b>Holes</b></i> Louis Sachar A family curse on a distant relative sends Stanley Yelnats to a hellish correctional camp in the Texas desert. Don't touch the spotted lizards, and don't make Mr. Sir mad.</p>	<p>J SAC</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available as a Downloadable Audio Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available on Audio</i></p>
	<p><i><b>Westly: A Spider's Tale</b></i> Bryan Beus Westly is as ready as his caterpillar friends to keep their beautiful territory free of lesser creatures as they await the day they turn into delicate butterflies, but when he finally emerges from his chrysalis, he discovers he is vastly different from his friends.</p>	<p>J BEUS, B.</p>

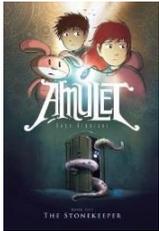
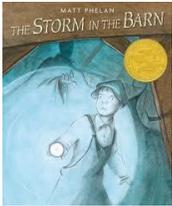
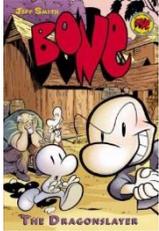
	<p><b><i>The Girl Who Owned the City</i></b> O.T. Nelson</p> <p>A plague wipes out all adults leaving the children under twelve to find for themselves. Ten year old Lisa is just trying to take care of her brother, but events escalate until it is clear that they need to pull together. Can Lisa bring the local kids together and keep them safe?</p>	<p>J NELSON, O.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available as a Graphic Novel</i></p>
	<p><b>Percy Jackson &amp; the Olympians Series</b> Rick Riordan</p> <p><b><i>The Lightning Thief</i></b></p> <p>Percy Jackson learns he is a demigod, the son of a mortal woman and Poseidon, god of the sea. His mother sends him to a summer camp for demigods where he and his new friends set out on a quest to prevent a war between the gods.</p>	<p>J RIORDAN, R.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available as a Downloadable Audio Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available on Audio</i></p>
	<p><b>Wonder Series</b> R.J. Palacio</p> <p><b><i>Wonder</i></b></p> <p>Auggie, born with extreme facial abnormalities, goes from being homeschooled to entering fifth grade at a private middle school, where he endures taunts and bullying and struggles to be seen as just another student.</p>	<p>J PALACIO, R.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available on Audio</i></p>
	<p><b>Joey Pigza Series</b> Jack Gantos</p> <p><b><i>Joey Pigza Swallowed the Key</i></b></p> <p>To the constant disappointment of his mother and his teachers, Joey has trouble paying attention or controlling his mood swings when his prescription meds wear off and he starts getting worked up and acting wired.</p>	<p>J GANTOS, J.</p> <p><i>Also Available as a Downloadable Audio Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available on Audio</i></p>
	<p><b><i>No Talking</i></b> Andrew Clements</p> <p>The noisy fifth grade boys of Laketon Elementary School challenge the equally loud fifth grade girls to a "no talking" contest.</p>	<p>J CLEMENTS, A.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available on Audio</i></p>

	<p><b>Guys Read Series</b> Jon Scieszka, Editor</p> <p><b><i>Other Worlds</i></b> A collection of science fiction stories from various authors featuring aliens from other planets, both humorous and frightening.</p>	<p>J SCIESZKA, K.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p>
	<p><b>Masterminds Series</b> Gordon Korman</p> <p><b><i>Masterminds</i></b> In the too-perfect setting of Serenity, New Mexico, Eli Frieden and twenty-nine other kids discover they were cloned from the DNA of some of the greatest criminal masterminds in history for a sociological experiment.</p>	<p>J KORMAN, G.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available on Audio</i></p>
	<p><b>Peter Pan Series</b> Dave Barry &amp; Ridley Pearson</p> <p><b><i>Peter and the Starcatchers</i></b> In this prequel to Peter Pan, a boy named Peter finds his way to his island home, meets a certain pirate and learns to fly for the very first time.</p>	<p>J BARRY, D.</p>
	<p><b>Super Children Series</b> Matthew Cody</p> <p><b><i>Powerless</i></b> Soon after moving to Noble's Green, Pennsylvania, Daniel learns that his new friends have super powers that they will lose when they turn thirteen, unless he can use his brain power to protect them.</p>	<p>J CODY, M.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available on Audio</i></p>
	<p><b>Theodore Boone Series</b> John Grisham</p> <p><b><i>Theodore Boone, Kid Lawyer</i></b> With two attorneys for parents, thirteen-year-old Theodore Boone knows more about the law than most lawyers do. But when a high profile murder trial comes to his small town and Theo gets pulled into it, it's up to this amateur attorney to save the day.</p>	<p>J GRISHAM, J.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p>

	<p><b>Descendants Series</b> Melissa de la Cruz</p> <p><i><b>The Isle of the Lost</b></i> Imprisoned on the Isle of the Lost, the teenaged children of Disney's most evil villains search for a dragon's eye, the key to true darkness and the villains' only hope of escape.</p>	<p>J DE LA CRUZ, M.</p>
	<p><b>The Chronicles of Prydain Series</b> Lloyd Alexander</p> <p><i><b>The Book of Three</b></i> Taran, Assistant Pig-Keeper to a famous oracular sow, sets out on a hazardous mission to save Prydain from the forces of evil.</p>	<p>J ALE</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p>
	<p><b>N.E.R.D.S. Series</b> Michael Buckley</p> <p><i><b>National Espionage, Rescue, and Defense Society</b></i> While running a spy network from their elementary school, five unpopular misfits combine their talents and use cutting-edge gadgetry to fight evil around the world.</p>	<p>J BUCKLEY, M.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available on Audio</i></p>
	<p><b>Harry Potter Series</b> J.K. Rowling</p> <p><i><b>Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone</b></i> Rescued from the outrageous neglect of his aunt and uncle, a young boy with a great destiny proves his worth while attending Hogwarts School for Wizards and Witches. <i>*Available in Multiple Languages</i></p>	<p>J ROWLING, J.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available on Audio</i></p> <p><i>Also Available as a Downloadable Audio Book</i></p>
	<p><b>All the Wrong Questions Series</b> Lemony Snicket</p> <p><i><b>Who Could That Be at This Hour?</b></i> Lemony Snicket begins his apprenticeship with S. Theodora Markson of the secretive V.F.D. in the tiny dot of a town called Stain'd-by-the-Sea, where he helps investigate the theft of a statue. Prequel series to "A Series of Unfortunate Events"</p>	<p>J SNICKET, L.</p> <p><i>Also Available as a Downloadable Audio Book</i></p>

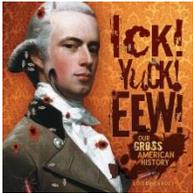
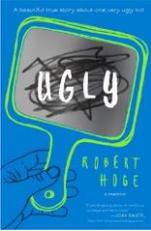
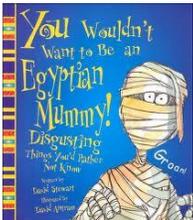
	<p><b>FunJungle Series</b> Stewart Gibbs</p> <p><i>Belly Up</i> Teddy investigates when Henry the hippopotamus, a popular Texas zoo's star attraction, is murdered.</p>	<p>J GIBBS</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p>
	<p><b>The Unwanted Series</b> Lisa McMann</p> <p><i>The Unwants</i> In a society that purges thirteen-year-olds who are creative, identical twins Aaron and Alex are separated, one to attend University while the other, supposedly Eliminated, finds himself in a wondrous place where youths hone their abilities and learn magic.</p>	<p>J MCMANN, L.</p>
	<p><b>Brian Series</b> Gary Paulsen</p> <p><i>Hatchet</i> After a plane crash, thirteen-year-old Brian spends fifty-four days in the wilderness, learning to survive with only the aid of a hatchet given him by his mother, and learning also to survive his parents' divorce.</p>	<p>J PAULSEN, G.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p> <p><i>Also Available on Audio or as a Downloadable Audio Book</i></p>
	<p><b>Castle Glower Series</b> Jessica Day George</p> <p><i>Tuesdays at the Castle</i> Princess Celie lives at Castle Glower, which adds rooms, stairways, or secret passageways most every Tuesday. When the king and queen are ambushed while traveling, it is up to Celie to protect their home.</p>	<p>J GEORGE, J.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p>
	<p><b>Tales of the Wide-Awake Princess Series</b> E.D. Baker</p> <p><i>The Wide-Awake Princess</i> Annie, younger sister of Sleeping Beauty, is immune to magic and stays awake when the rest of the castle falls into an enchanted sleep, then sets out to find a way to break the spell.</p>	<p>J PB BAKER, E.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p>

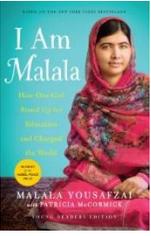
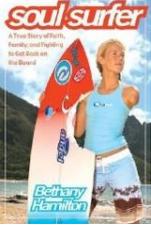
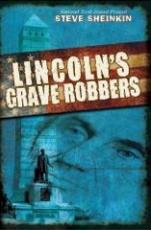
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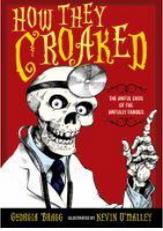
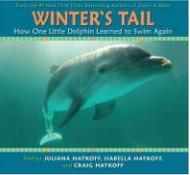
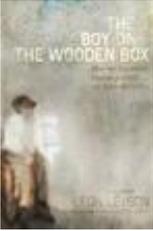
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	<p><b>Amulet Series</b> Kazu Kibuishi</p> <p><i>The Stonekeeper</i> Emily and Navin's mother is kidnapped by a tentacled creature in the basement that leads the children on a deadly chase into the magical world below their home.</p>	<p>J GN KIBUISHI, K.</p>
	<p><b>Storm in the Barn</b> Matt Phelan</p> <p>Jack Clark has a lot to deal with growing up in the Kansas during 1937. The Dust Bowl has rendered his family's farm desolate and puts added strain on the family and town. Jack is struggling to find a way to contribute, but is the hope as pointless as the wish for rain?</p>	<p>J GN PHELAN, M.</p>
	<p><b>Bone Series</b> Jeff Smith</p> <p><i>The Dragonslayer</i> The adventure starts when cousins Fone Bone, Phoney Bone, and Smiley Bone are run out of Boneville and later get separated and lost in the wilderness, meeting monsters and making friends as they attempt to return home.</p>	<p>J GN SMITH</p>
	<p><b>Raina Series</b> Raina Telgemeier</p> <p><i>Smile</i> From sixth grade through tenth, Raina copes with a variety of dental problems that affect her appearance and how she feels about herself. Graphic Novel.</p>	<p>J GN TELGEMEIER, R.</p> <p><i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p>
	<p><b>Dream Jumper Series</b> Greg Grunberg</p> <p><i>Nightmare Escape</i> Ben has a gift. He can jump into other people's dreams. So when his classmates start falling victim to an evil dream monster he knows he has to do something. But can he get to them in time?</p>	<p>J GN GRUNBERG</p>

	<p><b>Cleopatra in Space Series</b> Mike Maihack</p> <p><i>Target Practice</i></p> <p>Mysteriously zapped thousands of years into the future, a teenaged Cleopatra discovers that she is destined to save the galaxy, a prophecy that compels her to enroll in a high-tech school where she can learn modern subjects, alien languages, and combat fighting.</p>	<p>J GN MAIHACK</p>
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### Nonfiction

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	<p><i>Ick! Yuck! Eew! Our Gross American History</i></p> <p>Lois Miner Muey</p> <p>This book travels back to June 1770 to show just how "gross" daily life was in the United States around the time of the American Revolution.</p>	<p>J 973.23 HUE</p>
	<p><i>Ugly</i></p> <p>Robert Hoge</p> <p>Robert Hoge, born with a tumor in the middle of his face and short, twisted legs, amazingly survived several reconstructive surgeries. Refusing to let his face define him, Robert shares his story of courage, hope, and resilience.</p>	<p>J BIOG HOGE, R.</p>
	<p><b>You Wouldn't Want to Be Series</b> Various Authors</p> <p><i>You Wouldn't Want to Be an Egyptian Mummy!: Disgusting Things You'd Rather not Know</i></p> <p>A light-hearted approach to the process of mummification in ancient Egypt.</p>	<p>J 932 STE</p>

	<p><b><i>I am Malala : How One Girl Stood Up for Education and Changed the World</i></b>  Malala Yousafzai  Raised in a once-peaceful area of Pakistan transformed by terrorism, Malala was taught to stand up for what she believes. So she fought for her right to be educated. And on October 9, 2012, she nearly lost her life for the cause. (Young Readers Edition.)</p>	<p>J BIOG  YOUSAFZAI, M.</p>
	<p><b><i>Soul Surfer</i></b>  Bethany Hamilton  A teenage surfer lost her arm in a shark attack off the coast of Kauai, Hawaii. Not even the loss of her arm keeps her from returning to surfing, the sport she loves.</p>	<p>J BIOG  HAMILTON   <i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p>
	<p><b>The Case of the Vanishing... Series</b>  Sandra Markle   <b><i>The Case of the Vanishing Honeybees</i></b>  For roughly the past decade, honeybees around the world have been dying at an alarming rate, and scientists are hard at work determining why and how the bees might be saved.</p>	<p>J 595.799  MAR</p>
	<p><b>Who Was Series</b>  Various Authors   <b><i>Who Was Bruce Lee?</i></b>  Presents the life of actor and martial artist Bruce Lee.</p>	<p>J BIOG LEE   <i>Also Available as an E-Book</i></p>
	<p><b>I Survived: True Stories Series</b>  Lauren Tarshis   <b><i>5 Epic Disasters</i></b>  Five harrowing true stories of survival, featuring real kids in the midst of epic disasters.</p>	<p>J 363.34 TAR</p>
	<p><b><i>Lincoln's Grave Robbers</i></b>  Steve Sheinkin  A dramatic account of the 1875 attempt by a counterfeiting ring to ransom Lincoln's body to secure the release of their imprisoned ringleader.</p>	<p>J 973 SHE   <i>Also Available as an E-Book</i>   <i>Also Available as a Downloadable Audio Book</i></p>

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