

Ms. Bixby's Last Day

By [Anderson, John David](#)

2016-06 - Walden Pond Press

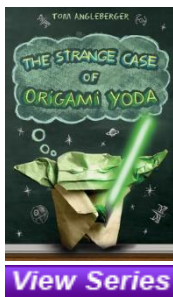
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New York Times Book Review Editor's Choice

A funny, heartwarming, and heartbreaking contemporary story about three boys, one teacher, and a day none of them will ever forget.

"Kids won't just love this book. They need it." --Soman Chainani, *New York Times* bestselling author of *The School for Good and ...[More](#)*



The Strange Case of Origami Yoda

By [Angleberger, Tom](#)

2010-03 - Harry N. Abrams

9780810984257 [Check Our Catalog](#)

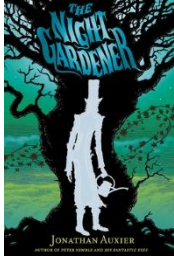
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1st book in Origami Yoda series

Awards:

Bluebonnet Awards (2011), Capitol Choices: Noteworthy Books for Children and Teens (2010), Colorado Children's Book Award (2011), Cybils (2009), Delaware Diamonds Award (2011), Dorothy Canfield Fisher Children's Book Award (2011), E.B. White Read Aloud Award (2010), Flicker Tale Children's Book Award (2012), Georgia Children's Book Award (2011), Great Stone Face Book Award (2011), Kentucky Bluegrass Award (2011), Land of Enchantment Book Award (2012), Louisiana Young Readers' Choice Award (2012), Nene Award (2012), Nene Award (2013), Nevada Young Readers' Award (2013), North Carolina Children's Book Award (2011), Pennsylvania Young Reader's Choice Award (2011), Rebecca Caudill Young Readers Book Award (2012), Rhode Island Children's Book Awards (2011), Sasquatch Award (2012), Sequoyah Book Awards (2012), South Carolina Childrens, Junior and Young Adult Book Award (2012), Sunshine State Young Reader's Award (2011), Virginia Readers Choice Award (2011), William Allen White Childens Book Award (2012), Young Hoosier Book Award (2012), Young Reader's Choice Award (2012)

In this funny, uncannily wise portrait of the dynamics of a sixth-grade class and of the greatness that sometimes comes in unlikely packages, Dwight, a loser, talks to his classmates via an origami finger puppet of Yoda. [...More](#)



The Night Gardener

By [Auxier, Jonathan](#)

2014-05 - Amulet Books

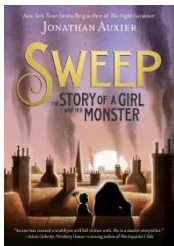
9781419711442 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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Awards:

Beehive Awards (2015), Black-Eyed Susan Award (2015), Bluebonnet Awards (2015), Capitol Choices: Noteworthy Books for Children and Teens (2014), Charlotte Award (2015), Colorado Children's Book Award (2015), Dorothy Canfield Fisher Children's Book Award (2015), Kentucky Bluegrass Award (2015), Manitoba Young Readers Choice Award (2015), Nene Award (2015), North Carolina Children's Book Award (2015), Pennsylvania Young Reader's Choice Award (2015), Rhode Island Children's Book Awards (2015), Rhode Island Teen Book Award (2015), Sunshine State Young Reader's Award (2015)

This follow-up to Auxier's exceptional debut, "Peter Nimble and His Fantastic Eyes," is a Victorian ghost story that follows two abandoned Irish siblings who travel to work as servants at a creepy, crumbling English manor house. But the house and its family are not quite what they seem. [...More](#)



Sweep: The Story of a Girl and Her Monster

By [Auxier, Jonathan](#)

2018-09 - Harry N. Abrams

9781419731402 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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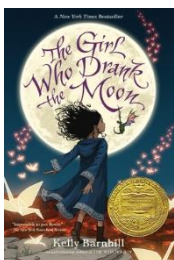
Awards:

Sydney Taylor Book Award (2018)

A 2019 Sydney Taylor Book Award Winner!

It's been five years since the Sweep disappeared. Orphaned and alone, Nan Sparrow had no other choice but to work for a ruthless chimney sweep named Wilkie Crudd. She spends her days sweeping out chimneys. The job is dangerous and thankless, but with her wits and will, Nan has managed to beat the deadly odds time and time again.

When Nan [...More](#)



The Girl Who Drank the Moon

By [Barnhill, Kelly](#)

2016-08 - Algonquin Young Readers

9781616205676 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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Awards:

Newbery Medal (2016)

Winner of the 2017 Newbery Medal

The *New York Times* Bestseller

An *Entertainment Weekly* Best Middle Grade Book of 2016

A New York Public Library Best Book of 2016

A Chicago Public Library Best Book of 2016

An Amazon Top 20 Best Book of 2016

A *Publishers Weekly* Best Book of 2016

A *School Library* [...More](#)



Aru Shah and the End of Time

By [Chokshi, Roshani](#)

2018-03 - Rick Riordan Presents

9781368012355 [Check Our Catalog](#)

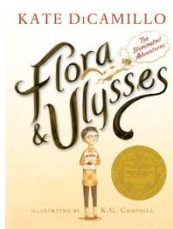
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1st book in Pandava series

Best-selling author Rick Riordan introduces this fantasy adventure by *New York Times* best-selling author, Roshani Chokshi, inspired by the great epics she grew up on.

Named one of 100 Best Fantasy Books of All Time by *Time* magazine

Twelve-year-old Aru Shah has a tendency to stretch the truth in order to fit in at school. While her classmates are jetting [...More](#)



Flora and Ulysses: The Illuminated Adventures

By [DiCamillo, Kate](#)

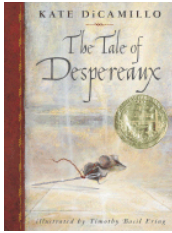
Illustrator [Campbell, K. G.](#)

2013-09 - Candlewick Press (MA)

076366040X [Check Our Catalog](#)

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From Newbery Medalist and #1 "New York Times"-bestselling author DiCamillo comes a laugh-out-loud story filled with eccentric, endearing characters and featuring an exciting new format--a novel interspersed with comic-style graphic sequences and full-page illustrations, all rendered in black-and-white by up-and-coming artist Campbell. [...More](#)



The Tale of Despereaux: Being the Story of a Mouse, a Princess, Some Soup, and a Spool of Thread

By [DiCamillo, Kate](#)

Illustrator [Ering, Timothy Basil](#)

2003-08 - Candlewick Press (MA)

0763617229 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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From the author of "Because of Winn-Dixie" comes a fairy tale full of quirky, unforgettable characters, told with DiCamillo's trademark humor and heartbreaking poignancy. [...More](#)



Stella by Starlight

By [Draper, Sharon M.](#)

2015-01 - Atheneum Books for Young Readers

9781442494978 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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Awards:

Charlotte Huck Award for Outstanding Fiction for Children (2015), Georgia Children's Book Award (2016), Parents Choice Awards (Fall) (2008-Up) (2014)

Sharon M. Draper presents "storytelling at its finest" (*School Library Journal*, starred review) in this *New York Times* bestselling Depression-era novel about a young girl who must learn to be brave in the face of violent prejudice when the Ku Klux Klan reappears in her segregated southern town.

Stella lives in the segregated South--in Bumblebee, North Carolina, to be exact [...More](#)



Fortunately, the Milk

By [Gaiman, Neil](#)

Illustrator [Young, Skottie](#)

2013-09 - HarperCollins

9780062224071 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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Awards:

Great Stone Face Book Award (2014), Kentucky Bluegrass Award (2014), Louisiana Young Readers' Choice Award (2015), Massachusetts Children's Book Award (2015), Maud Hart Lovelace Book Award (2015), Nene Award (2015), Nutmeg Book Award (2015), Sequoyah Book Awards (2015), Sunshine State Young Reader's Award (2015)

Newbery Medalist Gaiman teams with artist Young for a hilarious story of time travel. While picking up milk for his children's cereal, a father is abducted by aliens and finds himself on a wild adventure through time and space. Illustrations. [...More](#)



Coyote

By [Gemeinhart, Dan](#)

2019-01 - Henry Holt & Company

9781250196705 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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"Sometimes a story comes along that just plain makes you want to hug the world. *The Remarkable Journey of Coyote Sunrise* is Dan Gemeinhart's finest book yet -- and that's saying something. Your heart needs this joyful miracle of a book." --Katherine Applegate, acclaimed author of *The One and Only Ivan* and *Wishtree*

A 2020 ILA Teachers' Choice

A 2019 [...More](#)



Refugee

By [Gratz, Alan](#)

2017-07 - Scholastic Press

9780545880831 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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A tour de force from acclaimed author Alan Gratz (*Prisoner B-3087*), this timely -- and timeless -- novel tells the powerful story of three different children seeking refuge.

A New York Times bestseller JOSEF is a Jewish boy living in 1930s Nazi Germany. With the threat of concentration camps looming, he and his family board a ship bound for the other side of the world. [...More](#)



The Dark Lord Clementine

By [Horwitz, Sarah Jean](#)

2019-10 - Algonquin Young Readers

9781616208943 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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The new face of big evil is a little . . . small.

Dastardly deeds aren't exactly the first things that come to mind when one hears the name "Clementine," but as the sole heir of the infamous Dark Lord Elithor, twelve-year-old Clementine Morcerous has been groomed since birth to be the best (worst?) Evil Overlord she can be. But everything changes the day her father is cursed by a [...More](#)



The Curious World of Calpurnia Tate

By [Kelly, Jacqueline](#)

2015-07 - Henry Holt & Company

9780805097443 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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2nd book in Calpurnia Tate series

Callie Vee, Travis, Granddaddy, and the whole Tate clan are back in this charming follow-up to Newbery Honor-winner *The Evolution of Calpurnia Tate*.

Travis keeps bringing home strays. And Callie has her hands full keeping the wild animals-her brother included-away from her mother's critical eye. Whether it's wrangling a rogue armadillo or stray dog, a guileless younger brother or [...More](#)



Hello, Universe

By [Kelly, Erin Entrada](#)

Illustrator [Roxas, Isabel](#)

2017-03 - Greenwillow Books

9780062414151 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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Awards:

Newbery Medal (2017)

Winner of the Newbery Medal

"A charming, intriguingly plotted novel."--*Washington Post*

Newbery Medalist Erin Entrada Kelly's *Hello, Universe* is a funny and poignant neighborhood story about unexpected friendships.

Told from four intertwining points of view--two boys and two girls--the novel celebrates [...More](#)



Midsummer's Mayhem

By [Larocca, Rajani](#)

2019-06 - Yellow Jacket

9781499808889 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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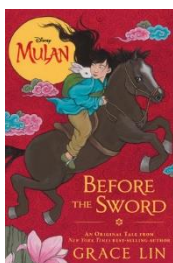
A Kirkus Best Book of 2019!

An Indies Introduce Selection for 2019!

An Indie Next Pick for Summer 2019!

"A delectable treat for food and literary connoisseurs alike." *Kirkus Reviews*,
STARRED REVIEW

"What a wonderful, intriguing, and magical book. And wow, did it ever get my tastebuds going! Each [...More](#)



Mulan: Before the Sword

By [Lin, Grace](#)

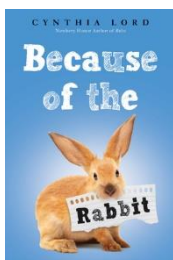
2020-02 - Disney Press

9781368020336 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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From *New York Times* best-selling author, Grace Lin, comes a novel filled with adventure and wonder set before the Walt Disney Studios film, *Mulan*.

Family is important to Hua Mulan--even if her parents don't understand why she would rather ride her horse, Black Wind, than weave, or how her notorious clumsiness can be so different from the graceful demeanor of her [...More](#)



Because of the Rabbit

By [Lord, Cynthia](#)

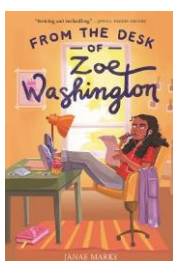
2019-03 - Scholastic Press

9780545914246 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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Newbery Honor-winning author Cynthia Lord has written a sensitive and accessible book about the challenges of fitting in when you know you're a little different.

On the last night of summer, Emma tags along with her game warden father on a routine call. They're supposed to rescue a wild rabbit from a picket fence, but instead they find a little bunny. Emma convinces her father to bring him [...More](#)



From the Desk of Zoe Washington

By [Marks, Janae](#)

2020-01 - Katherine Tegen Books

9780062875853 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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#1 Kids Indie Next List * *Parents Magazine* Best Book of the Year * Chicago Public Library Best of the Best Book of the Year * SLJ Best Book of the Year * *Kirkus* Best Book of the Year * Junior Library Guild Selection * Edgar Award Nominee * Four Starred Reviews * Bank Street Best Children's Book of the Year *

From debut author [...More](#)



Tristan Strong Punches a Hole in the Sky

By [Mbalia, Kwame](#)

2019-10 - Rick Riordan Presents

9781368039932 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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1st book in Tristan Strong series

Awards:

Coretta Scott King Award (2019)

Best-selling author Rick Riordan presents Kwame Mbalia's epic fantasy, a middle grade *American Gods* set in a richly-imagined world populated with African American folk heroes and West African gods.

*"Mbalia expertly weaves a meaningful portrayal of family and community with folklore, myth, and history--including the legacy of the slave trade--creating a fast-paced, [...More](#)



Willa and the Whale

By [Morris, Chad](#)

Author [Brown, Shelly](#)

2020-03 - Shadow Mountain

9781629727318 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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When her mother dies, twelve-year-old Willa feels lost and alone except when she connects with things her mom loved about the wonders of the ocean as a marine biologist.

While on a whale-watching excursion with her dad, who is trying to cheer her up after Willa is sent to live with him and his new family, Willa is alone on one side of the boat when she sees a humpback whale. Her awe and [...More](#)



A Night Divided

By [Nielsen, Jennifer A.](#)

2015-08 - Scholastic Press

9780545682428 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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Awards:

Texas Lone Star Reading List (2015)

From the "New York Times"-bestselling author of the acclaimed Ascendance trilogy comes a stunning thriller about a girl who must escape to freedom after the Berlin Wall divides her family between east and west. [...More](#)



Ghost Squad

By [Ortega, Claribel](#)

2020-04 - Scholastic Press

9781338280128 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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A New York Times bestseller!

Coco meets *Stranger Things* with a hint of *Ghostbusters* in this action-packed supernatural fantasy.

For Lucely Luna, ghosts are more than just the family business.

Shortly before Halloween, Lucely and her best friend, Syd, cast a spell that accidentally awakens malicious spirits, wreaking [...More](#)



The Best at It

By [Pancholy, Maulik](#)

2019-10 - Balzer & Bray/Harperteen

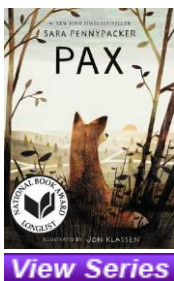
9780062866417 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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Awards:

Stonewall Book Award (2019)

From award-winning actor Maulik Pancholy comes a hilarious and heartfelt middle grade debut about a gay Indian American boy coming into his own. One of *Time Out's* "LGBTQ+ books for kids to read during Pride Month," this is perfect for fans of Tim Federle's Nate series. A Stonewall Honor Book [...More](#)



Pax

By [Pennypacker, Sara](#)

Illustrator [Klassen, Jon](#)

2016-02 - Balzer & Bray/Harperteen

9780062377012 [Check Our Catalog](#)

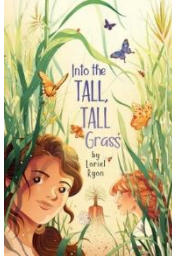
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[View Series](#)

1st book in Pax series

Jen's Favorite of the Year

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Into the Tall, Tall Grass

By [Ryon, Loriel](#)

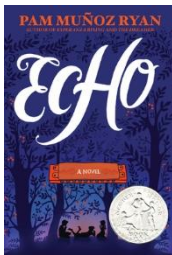
2020-04 - Margaret K. McElderry Books

9781534449671 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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A girl journeys across her family's land to save her grandmother's life in this captivating and magical debut that's perfect for fans of *The Thing About Jellyfish*.

Yolanda Rodriguez-O'Connell has a secret. All the members of her family have a magical gift--all, that is, except for Yolanda. Still, it's something she can never talk about, or the townsfolk will call her family [...More](#)



Echo

By [Ryan, Pam Munoz](#)

2015-02 - Scholastic Press

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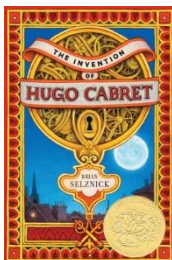
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Awards:

Kirkus Prize (2014), Newbery Medal (2015), Parents Choice Awards (Fall) (2008-Up) (2014)

2016 Newbery Honor Book New York Times Bestseller An impassioned, uplifting, and virtuosic tour de force from a treasured storyteller

Lost and alone in a forbidden forest, Otto meets three mysterious sisters and suddenly finds himself entwined in a puzzling quest involving a prophecy, a promise, and a harmonica. Decades later, Friedrich in Germany, Mike in Pennsylvania, and Ivy in [...More](#)



The Invention of Hugo Cabret

By [Selznick, Brian](#)

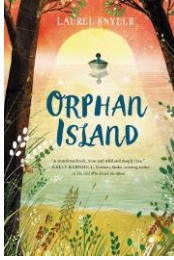
Illustrator [Selznick, Brian](#)

2007-03 - Scholastic Press

0439813786 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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Orphan, clock keeper, thief: Hugo lives in the walls of a busy Paris train station, where his survival depends on secrets and anonymity. Combining elements of picture book, graphic novel, and film, Caldecott Honor artist Selznick breaks open the novel form to create an entirely new reading experience in this intricate, tender and spellbinding mystery. [...More](#)



Orphan Island

By [Snyder, Laurel](#)

2017-05 - Walden Pond Press

9780062443410 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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A National Book Award Longlist title

A wondrous book, wise and wild and deeply true. --Kelly Barnhill, Newbery Medal-winning author of *The Girl Who Drank the Moon*

This is one of those books that haunts you long after you read it. Thought-provoking and magical. --Rick Riordan, author of the Percy Jackson series

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Other Words for Home

By [Warga, Jasmine](#)

2019-05 - Balzer & Bray/Harperteen

9780062747808 [Check Our Catalog](#)