



What's New in Children's Literature 2014

An Infopeople Webinar



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Agenda



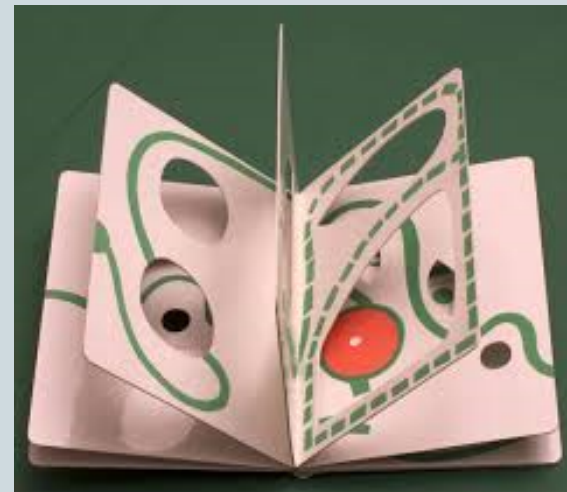
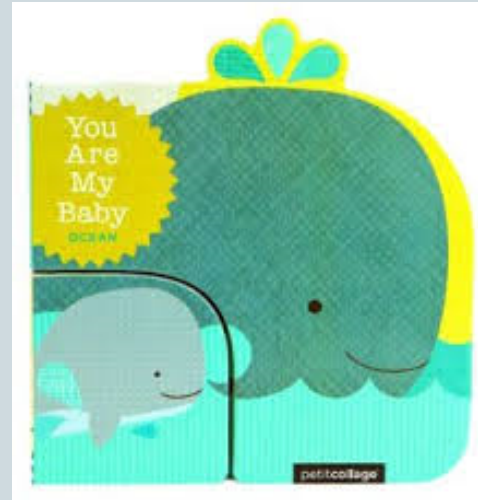
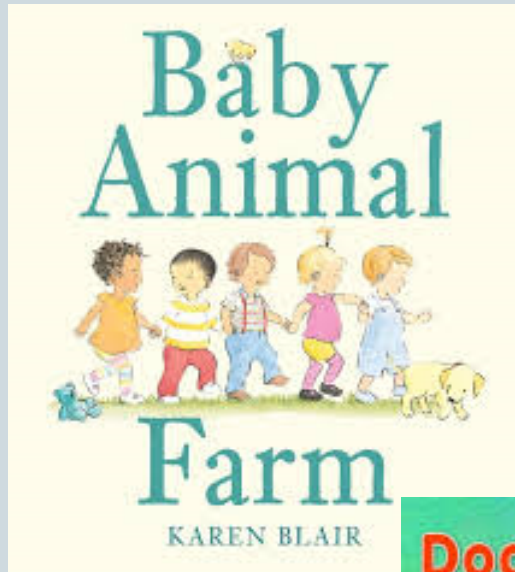
- New Board and Picture Books, and Easy Readers
- New Transitional Fiction, Poetry, Graphic Novels, Pop Culture
- Nonfiction and Common Core
- Tween Genre Fiction
- Multicultural Fiction
- Useful Websites

Handouts

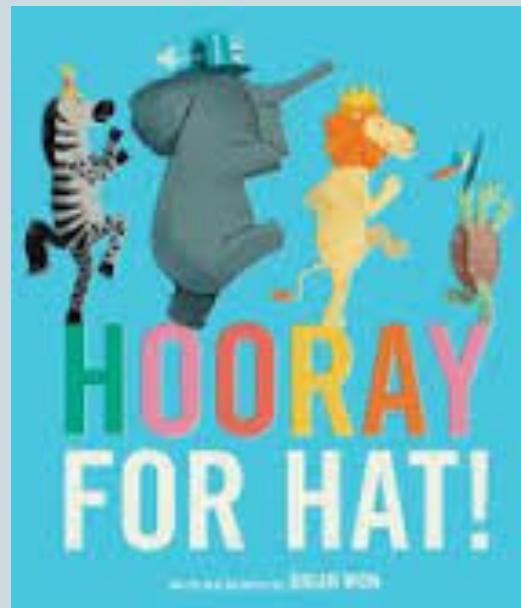
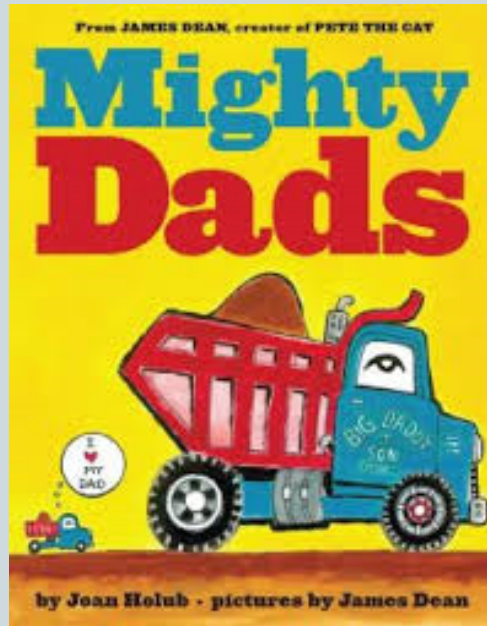


- *Books covered in the webinar*
- *Short informational picture books for primary grades*
- *Read-alikes for popular middle grade series*
- *Short novels for children and tweens*
- *Websites listing children's books, including new books, awards, graphic novels, and read-alikes*

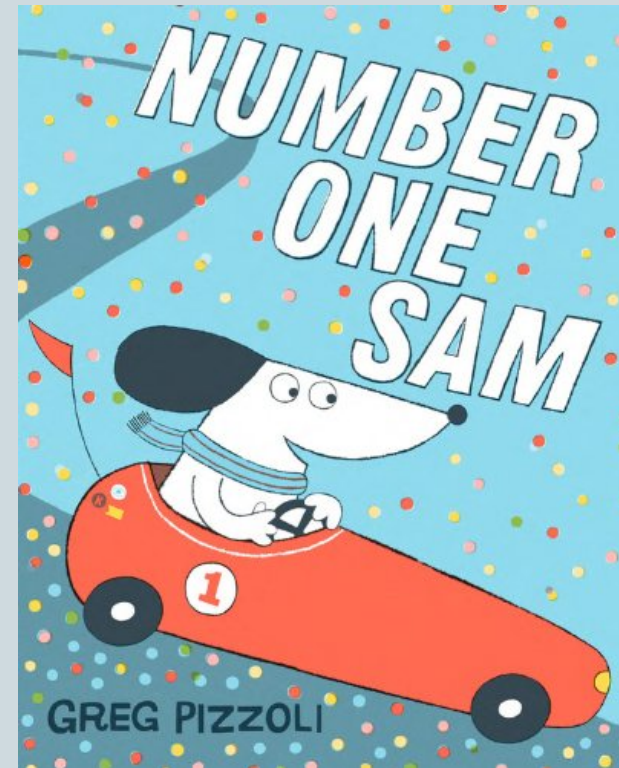
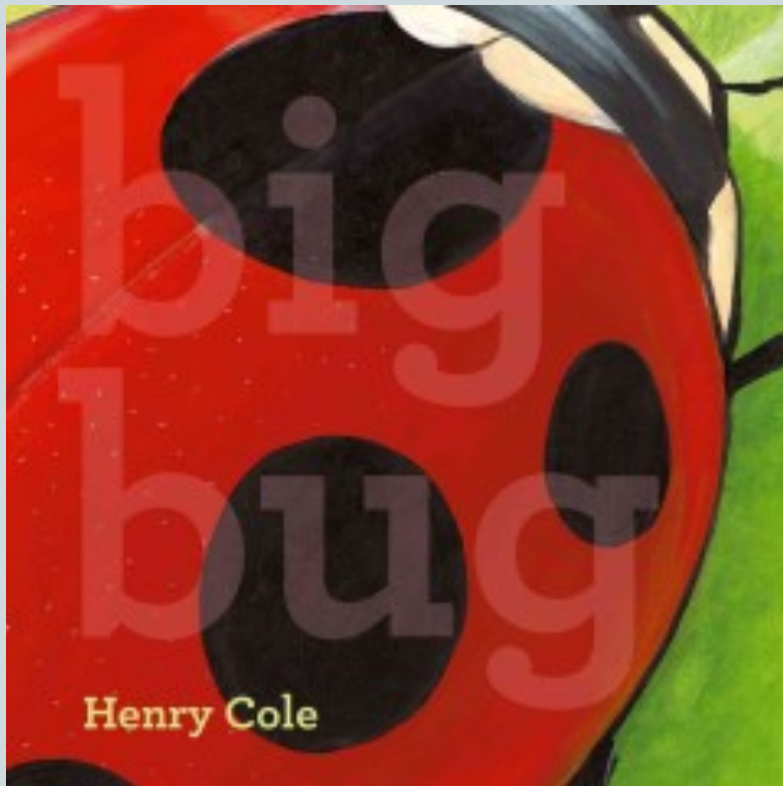
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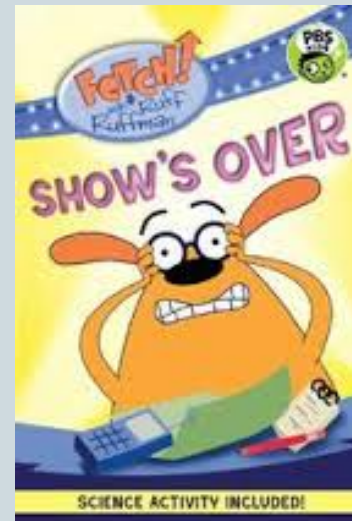
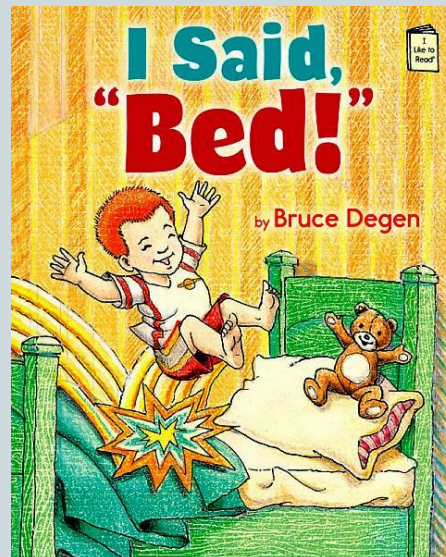
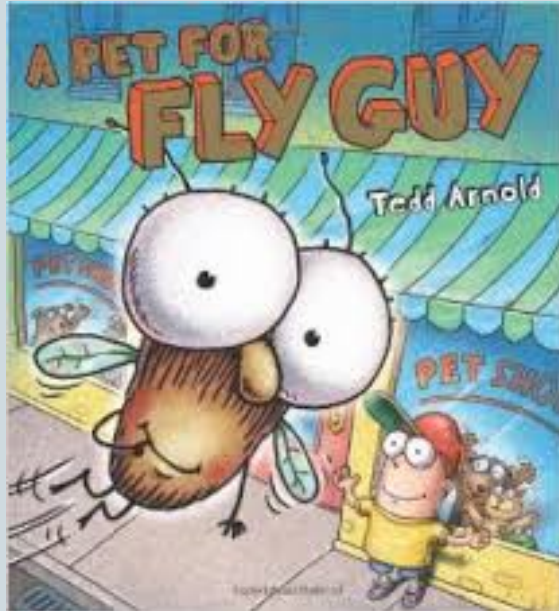
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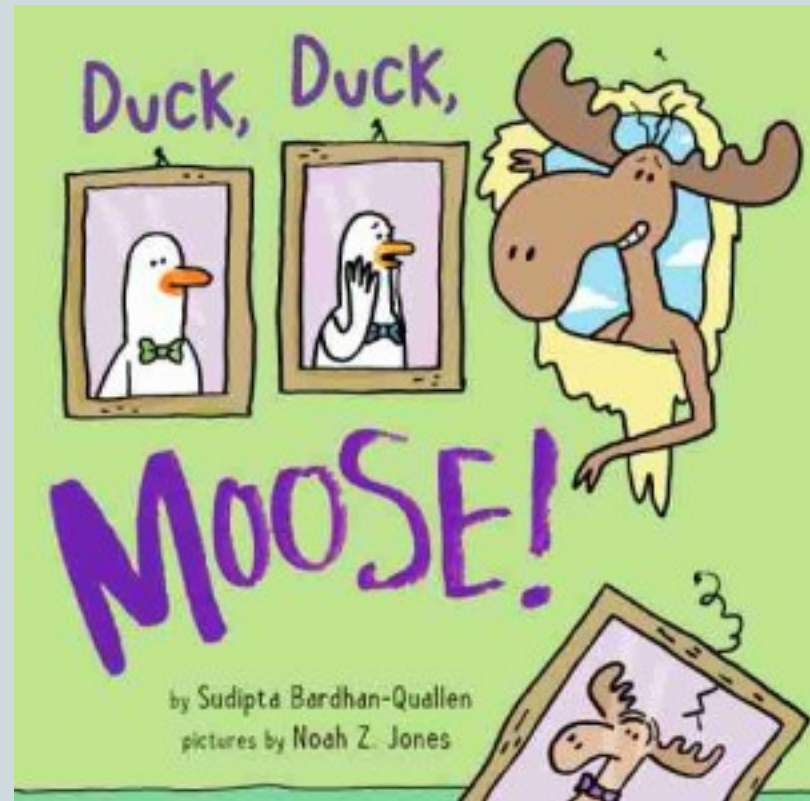
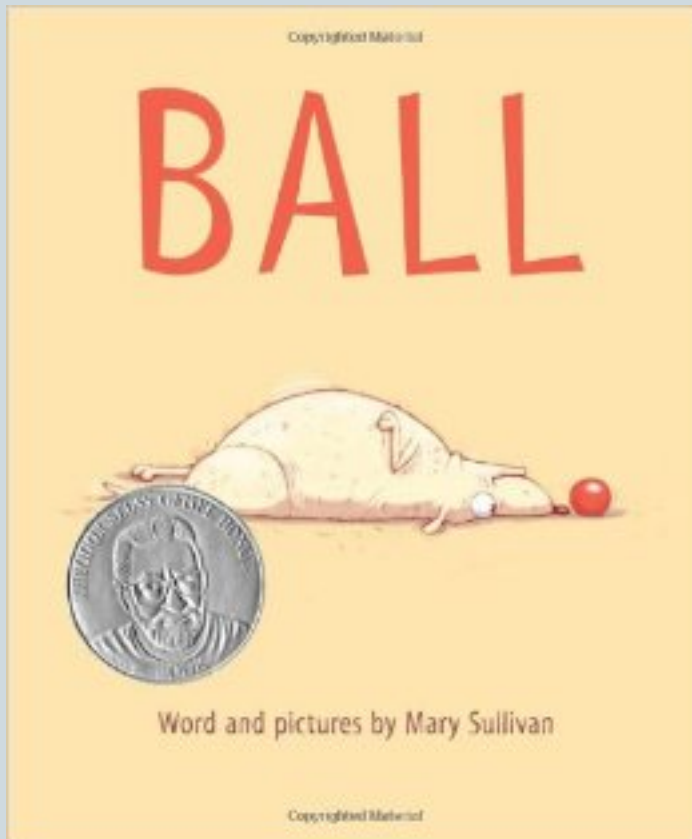
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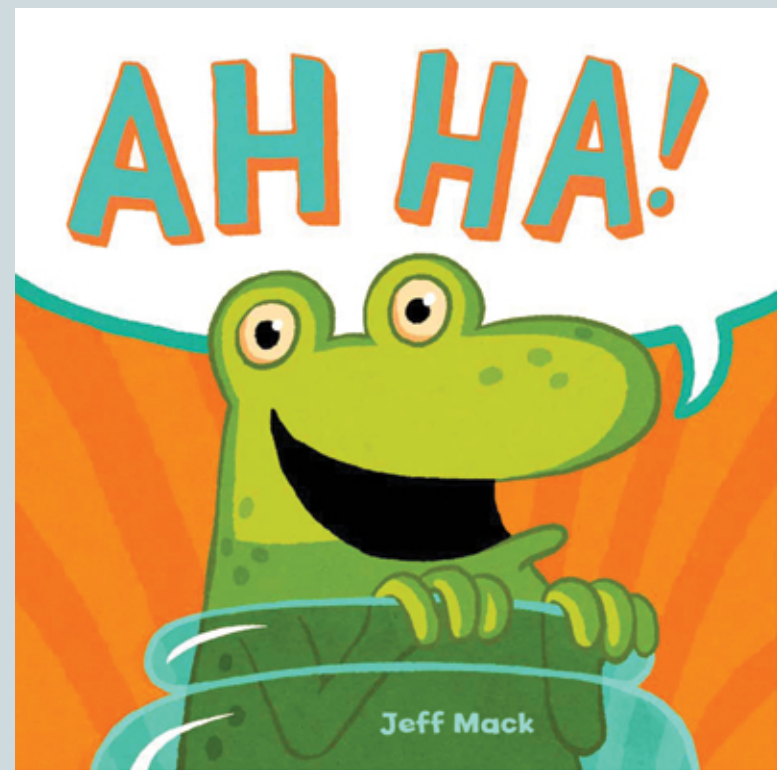
New Easy Readers



Very Easy to Read, One or Two Words



Other Suggestions for Very Easy Readers?

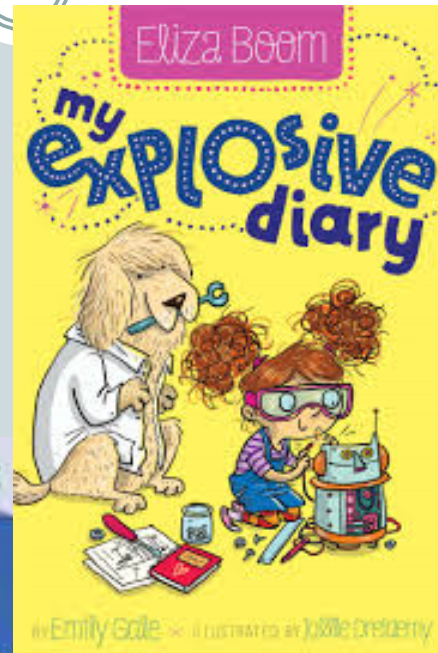
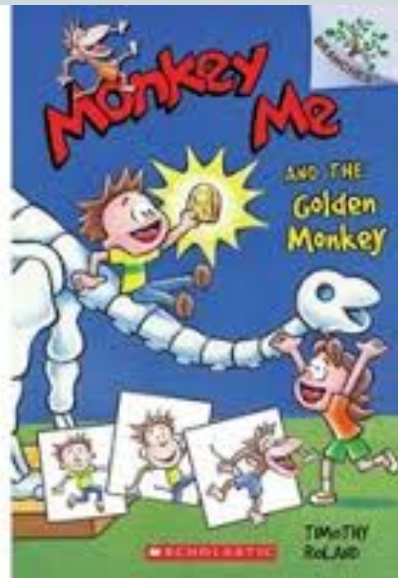
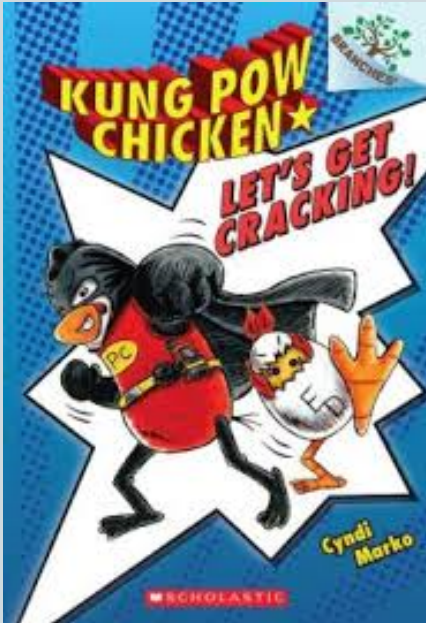


Transitional Fiction

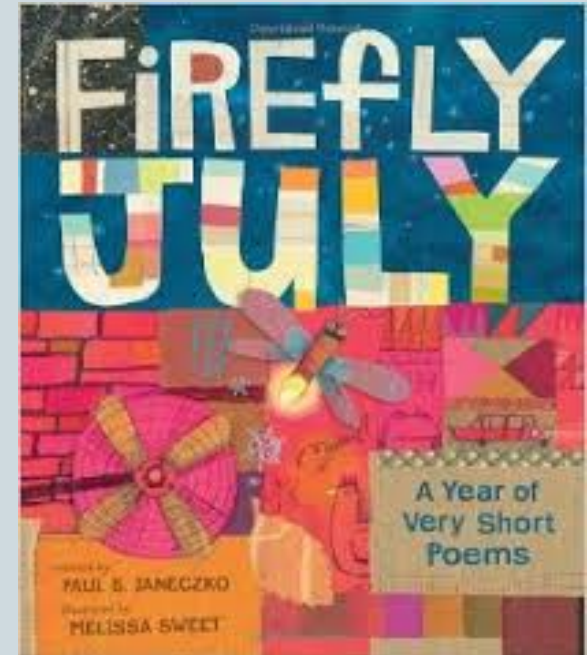
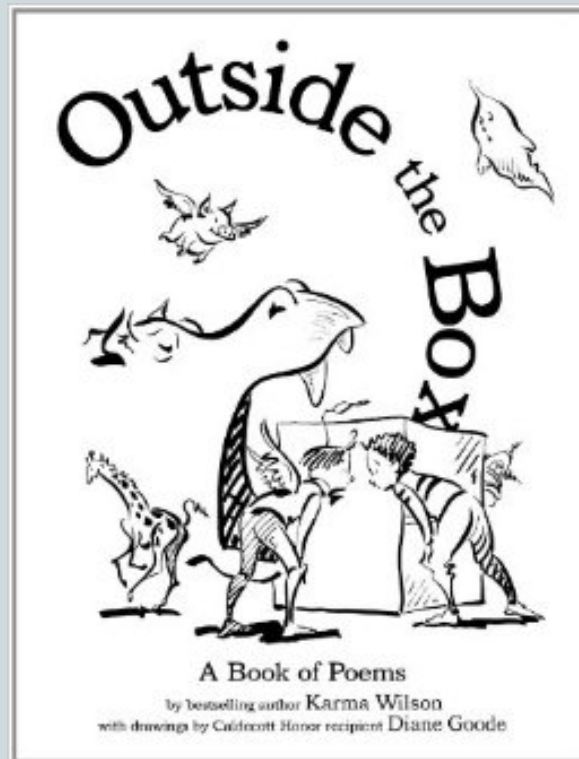
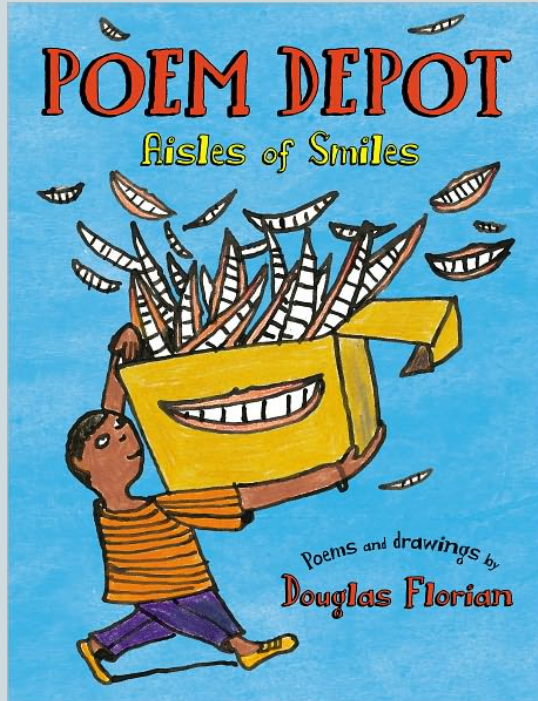


- Easy Chapter Books
- Bridge or Moving Up Books
- 2nd and 3rd grades
- Series fiction
- Sometimes with ink drawings once or twice in each chapter

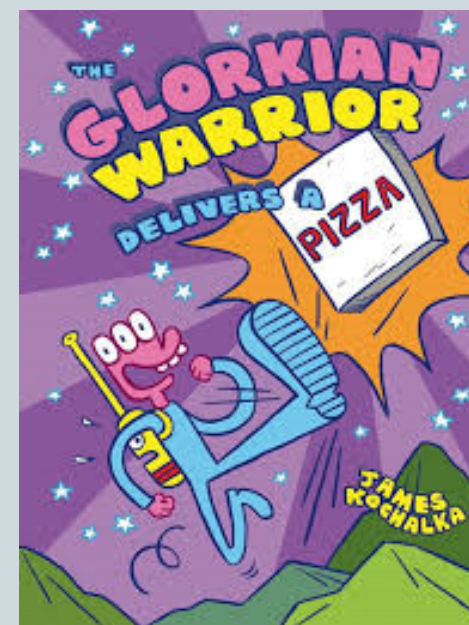
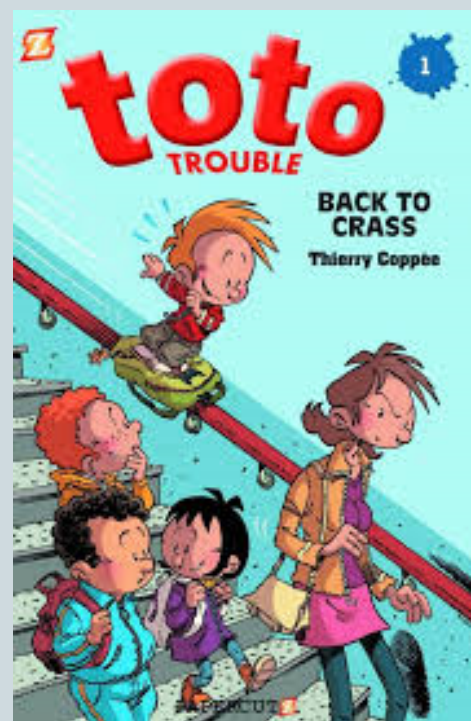
New Transitional Fiction



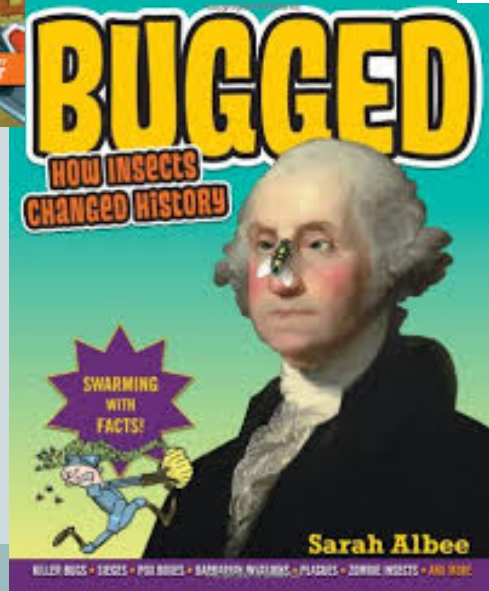
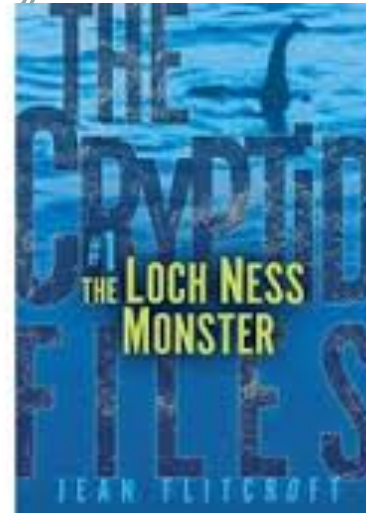
New Poetry for Children



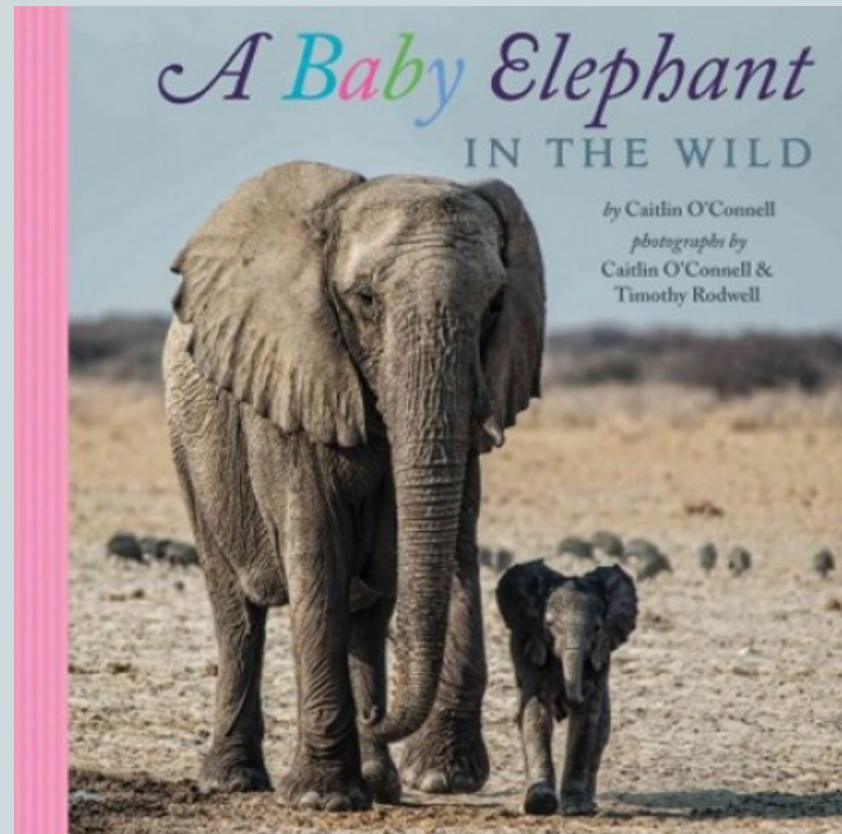
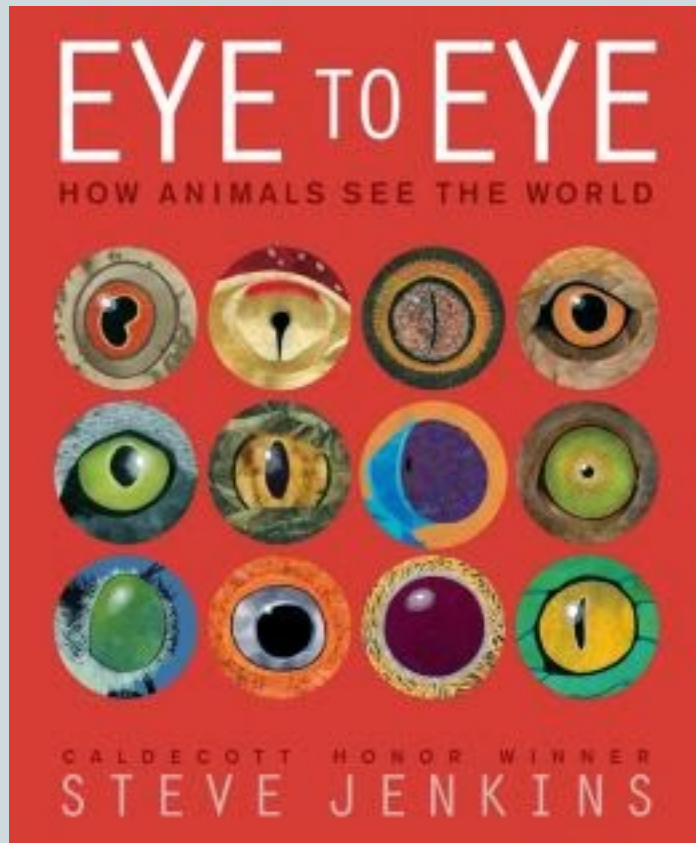
New Graphic Novels for Kids



Pop Culture-related Books



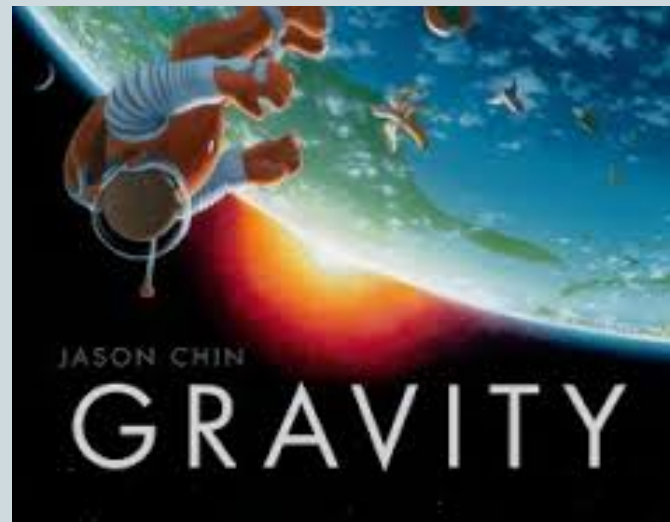
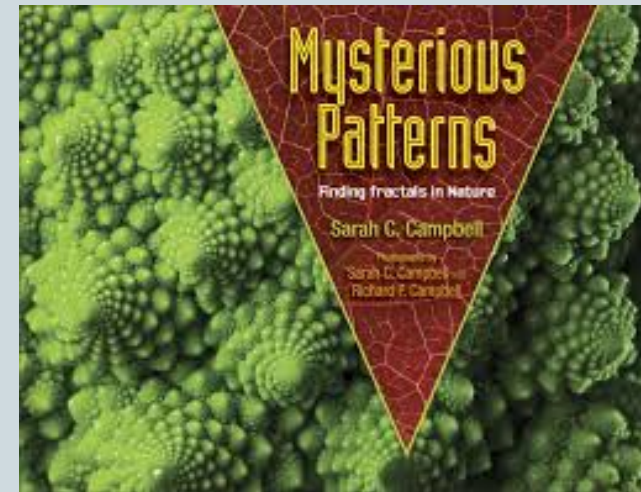
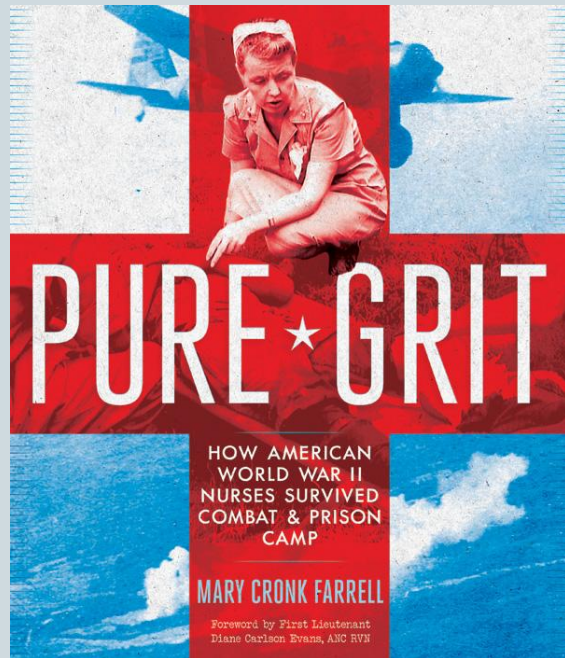
New Nonfiction



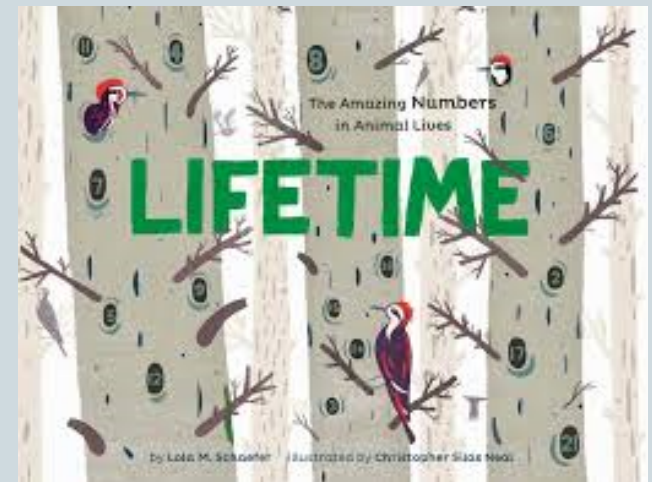
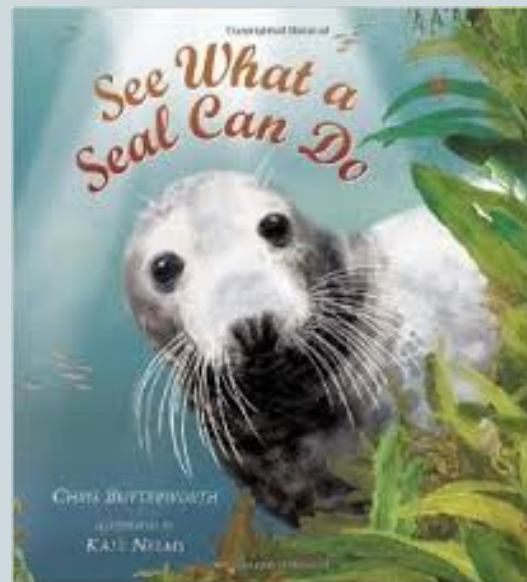
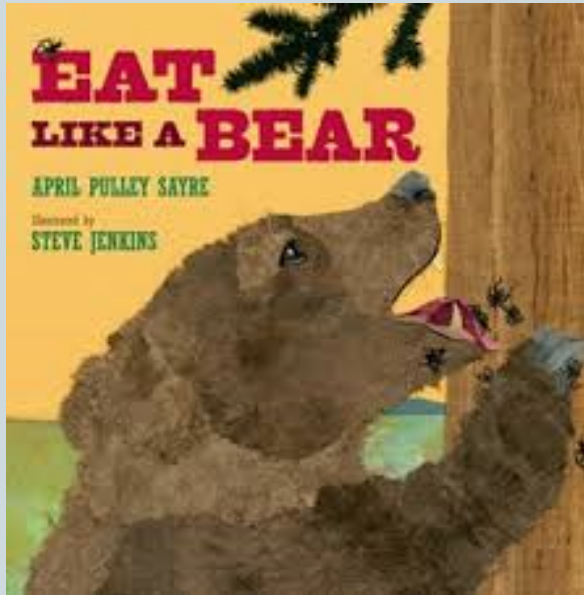
More New Nonfiction



More New Nonfiction



Informational Picture Books





Any favorites I missed you would like to mention?



Assisting Teachers with Common Core



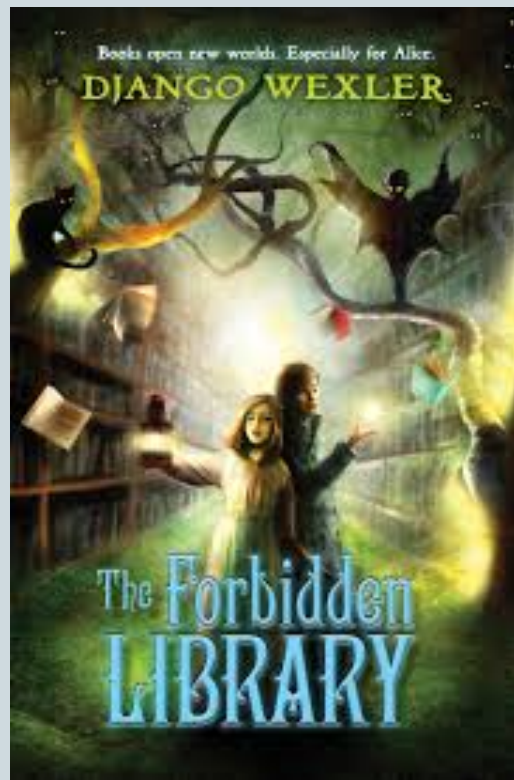
- www.corestandards.org
- www.slj.com/category/standards/common-core
- www.readcommoncore.com
- Other suggestions?

Tween Genre Fiction



- Genres include:
 - Fantasy
 - Historical Fiction
 - Sports novel
 - Humorous novel
 - Science Fiction
 - Mystery
 - Adventure
- For grades 4 – 8
 - Ages 9-12
 - Independent, confident readers

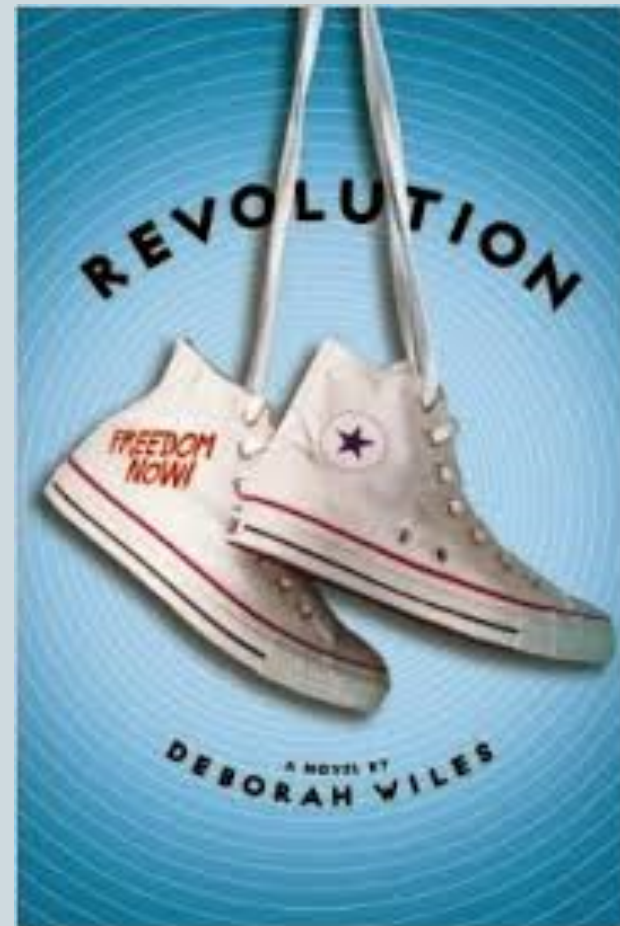
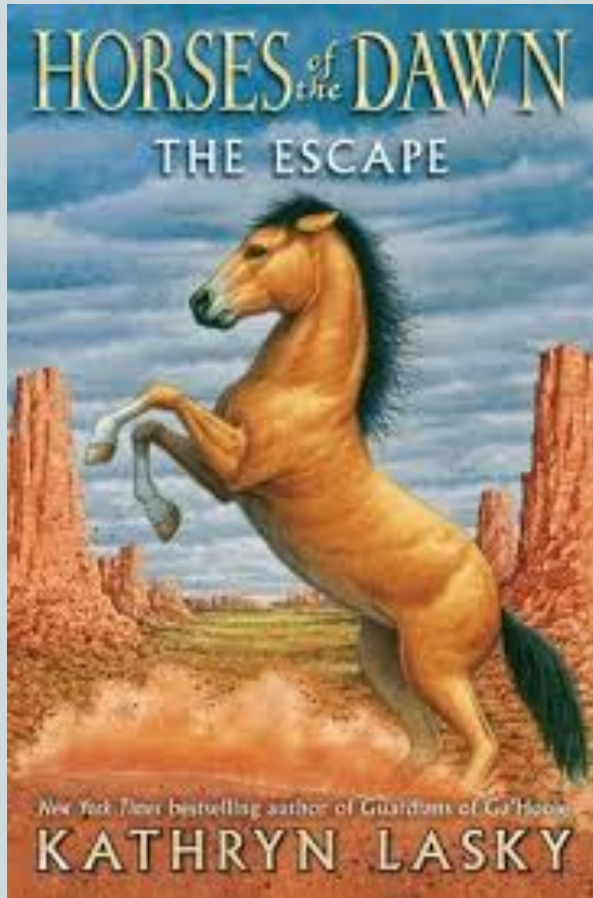
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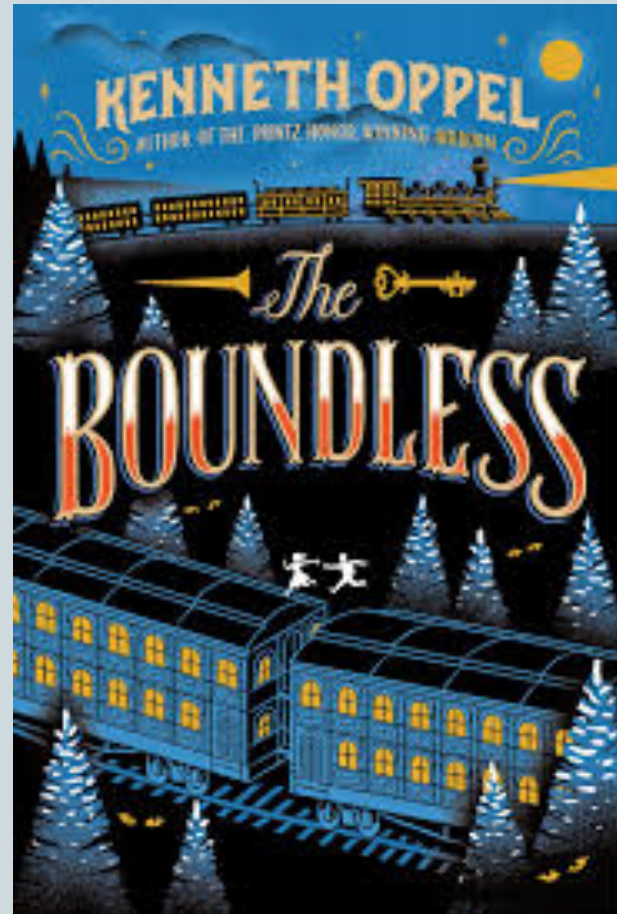
More Fantasy



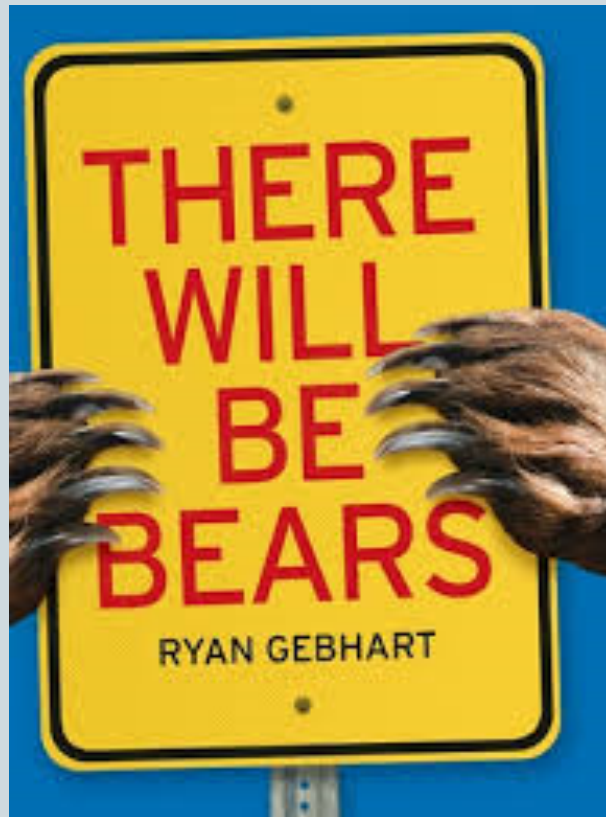
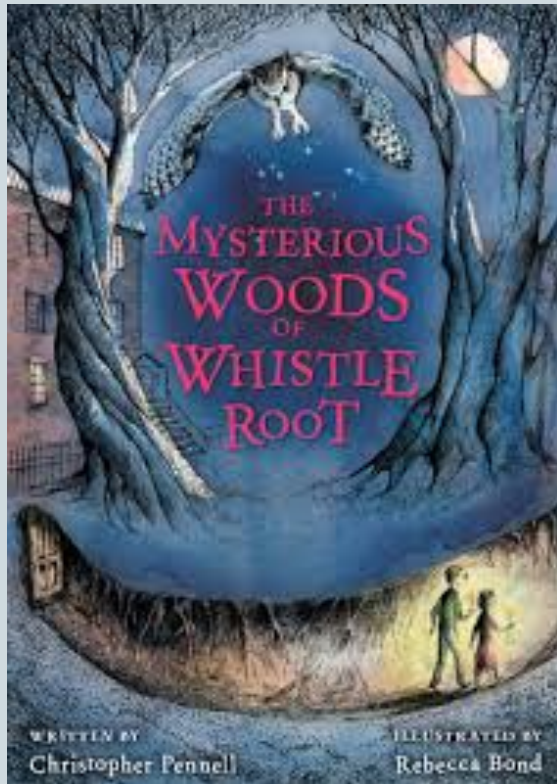
Historical Fiction



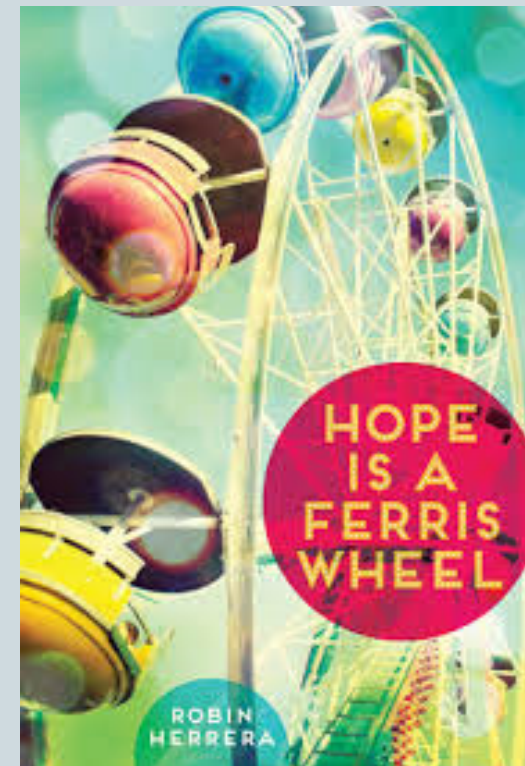
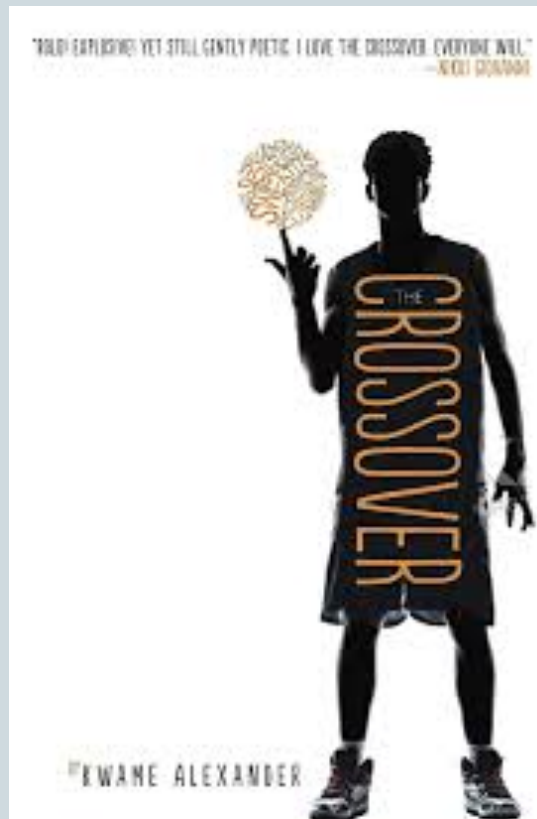
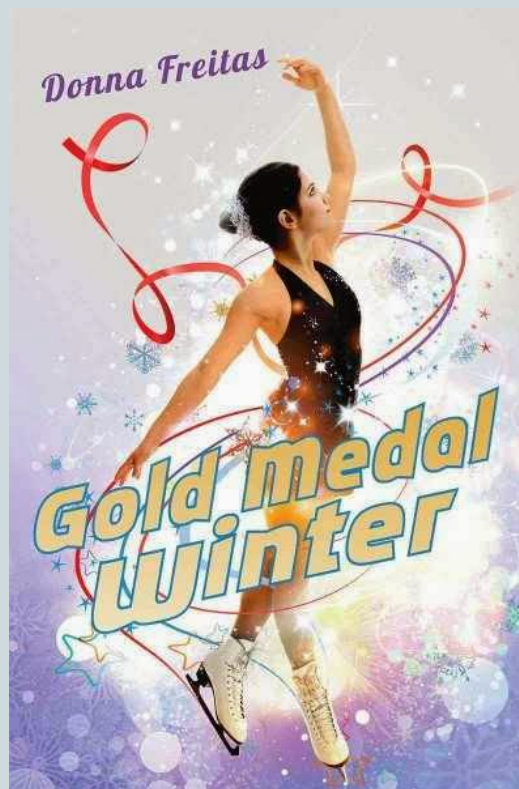
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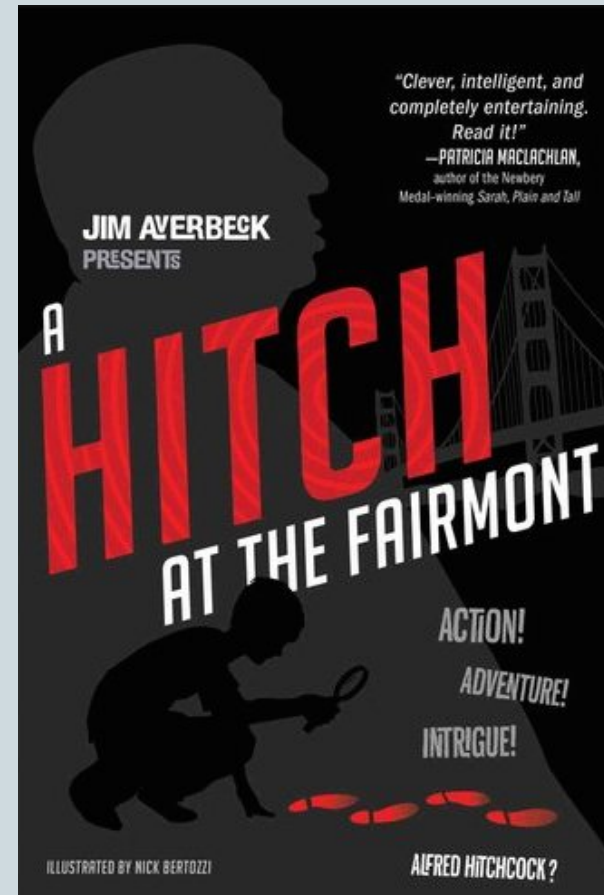
Adventure



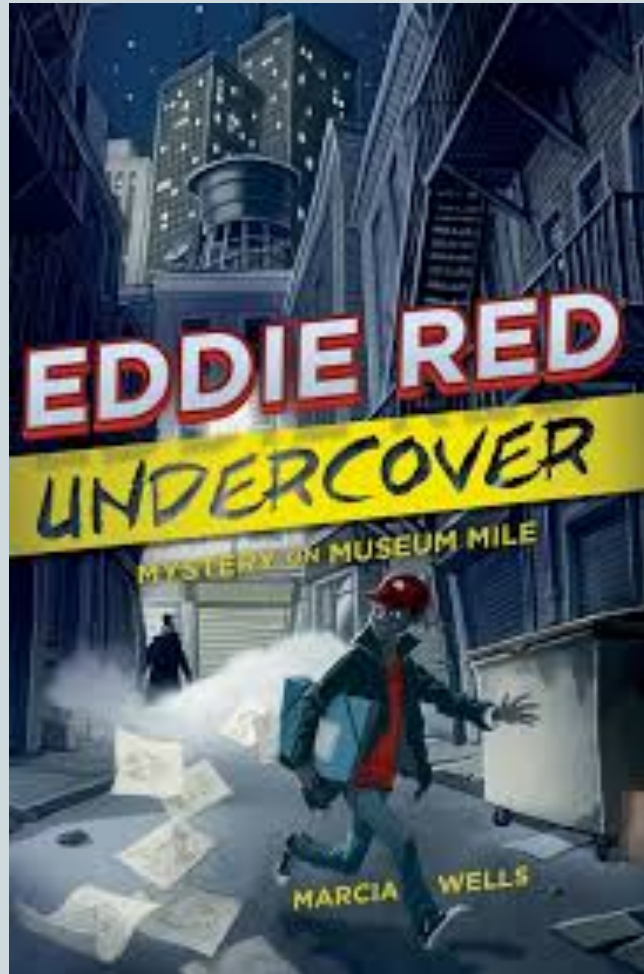
Sports



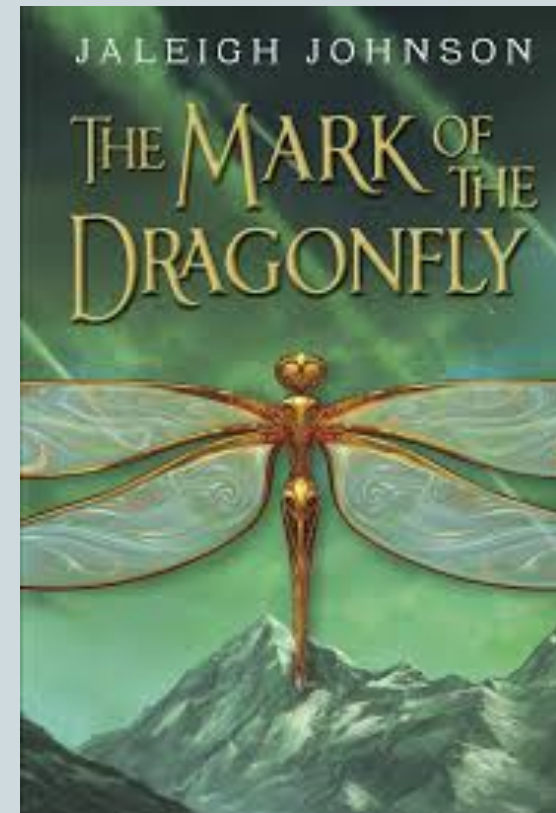
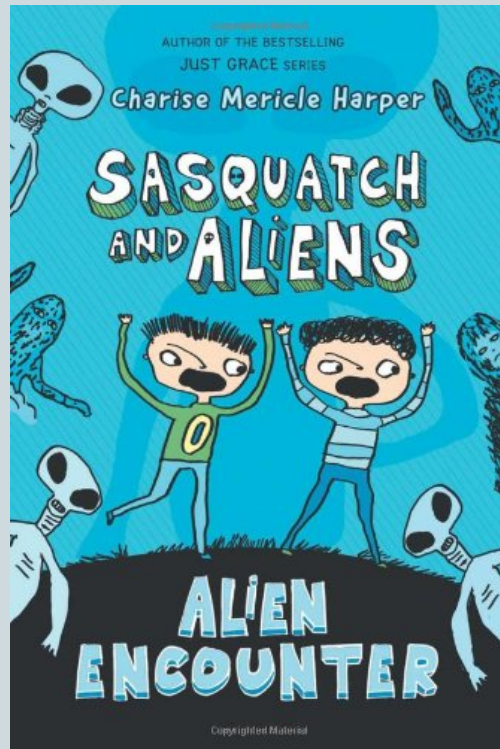
Mystery



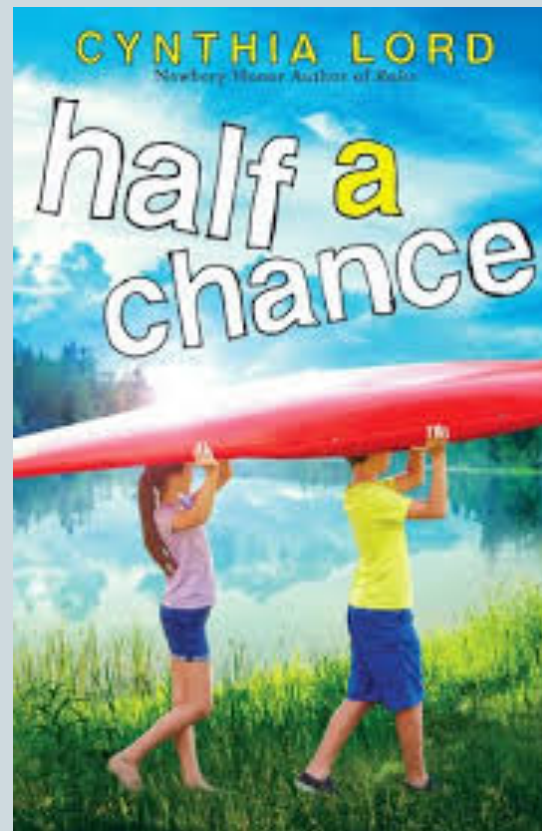
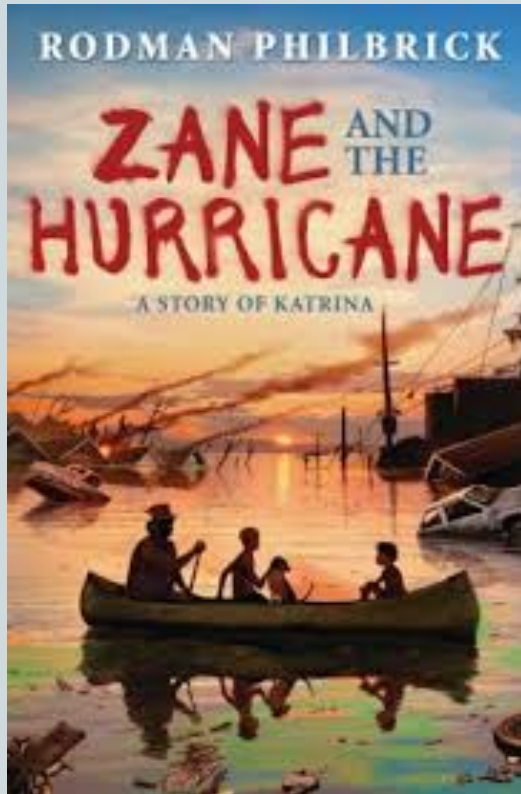
More Tween Mysteries



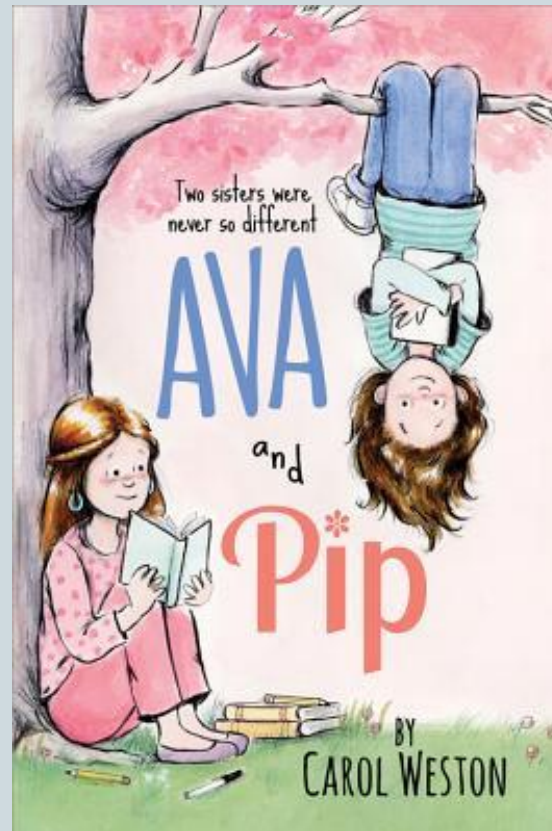
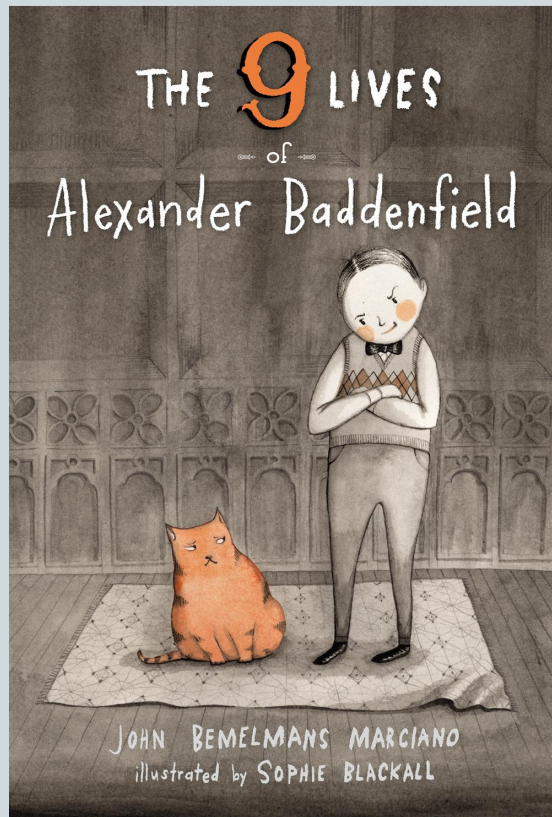
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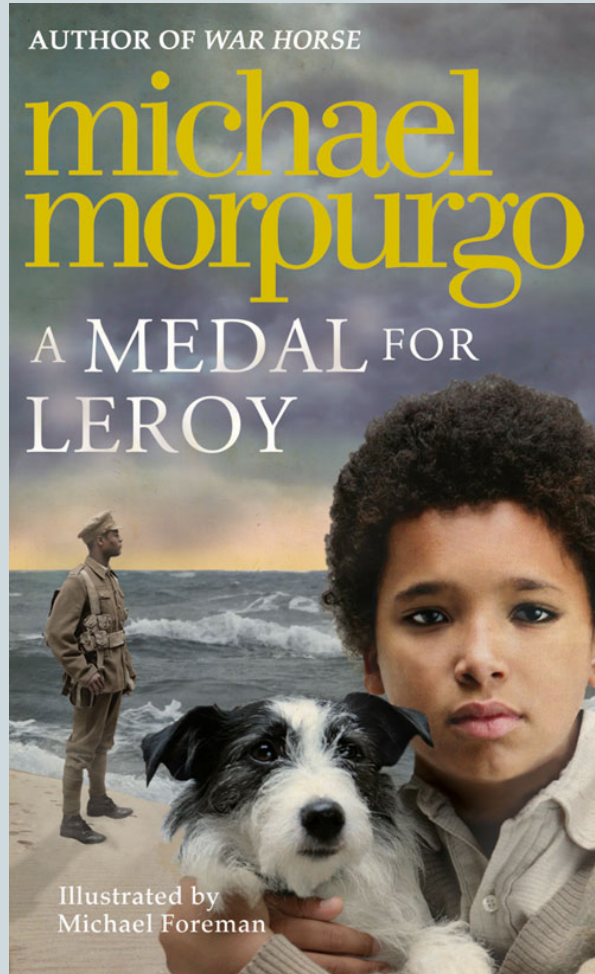
Realistic/Contemporary



Short Novels with Tween Appeal



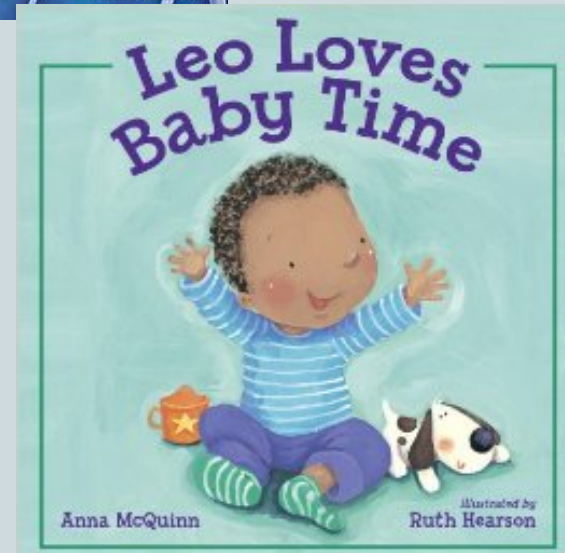
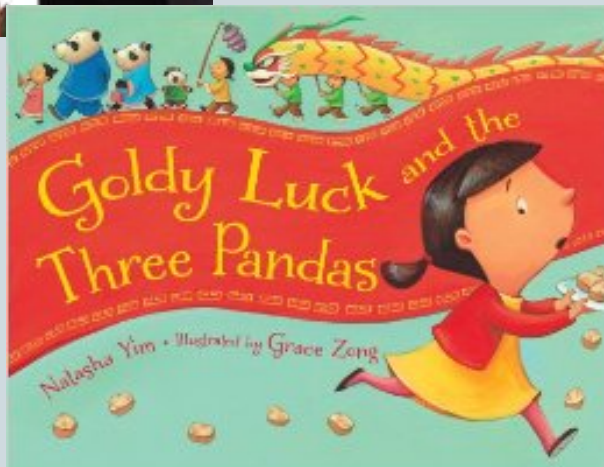
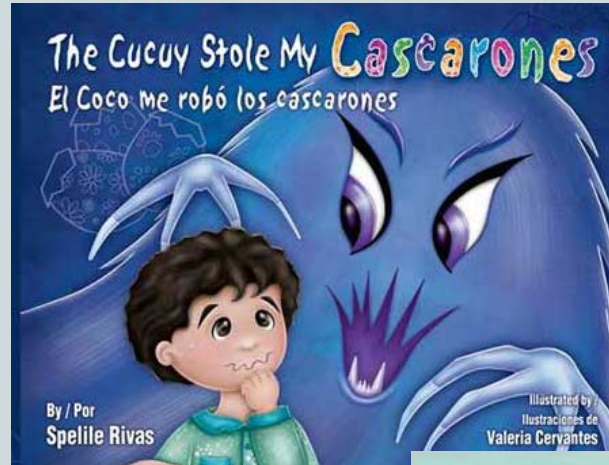
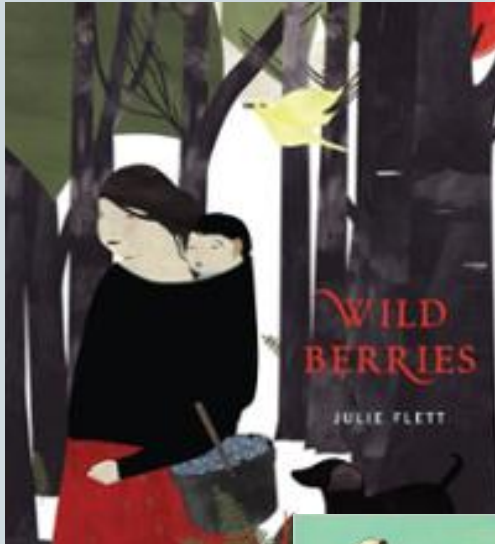
More Short Tween Novels



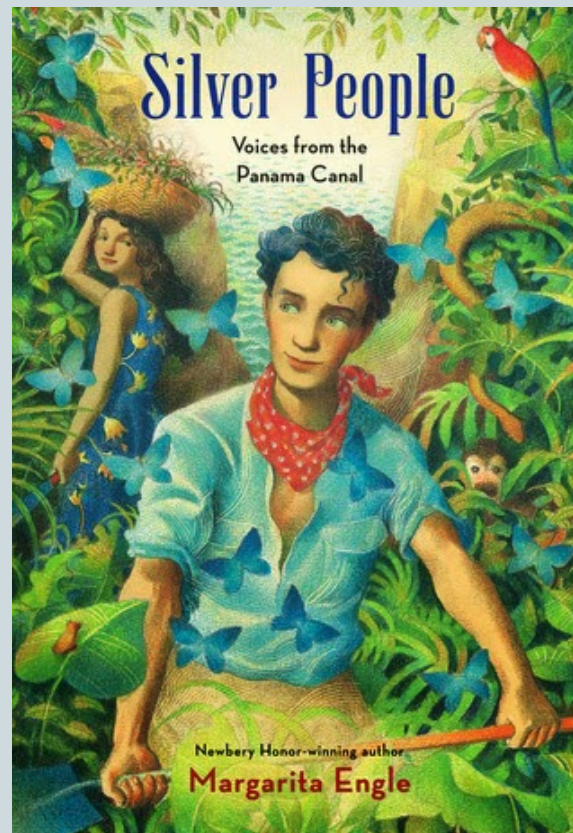
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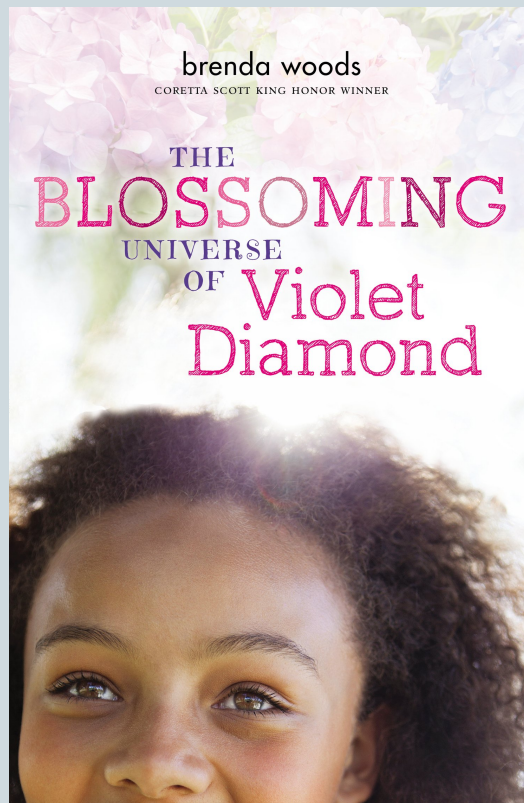
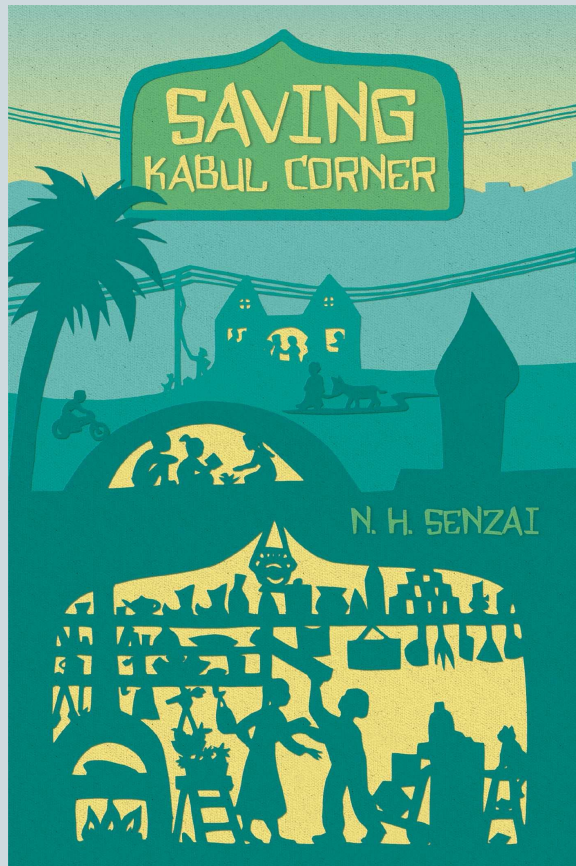
Multicultural Books for Younger Children



Multicultural Books for Older Children



More Multicultural Tween Novels



Websites on Multicultural Children's Books



- ALA White Paper
- Entertainment Weekly
- Lee and Low Books
- CCBC's List of Multicultural Resources

Finding What's New for Children



- No Flying, No Tights for graphic novels
- Best-seller's lists: Publishers' Weekly
- ALA/ALSC Book Awards (Newbery, etc.)
- Free webinars from Infopeople, and from Booklist magazine

Finding Read-Alikes



- “What book did you read recently that you liked?” – then find something similar
- A book in the same genre
- A book by that author or from that series
- Try the websites for Read-alikes listed on handout
- Check out the handout with Read-alikes for Holly Black’s *The Doll Bones*, and the series “Five Kingdoms” by Brandon Mull

Read-alike Resources



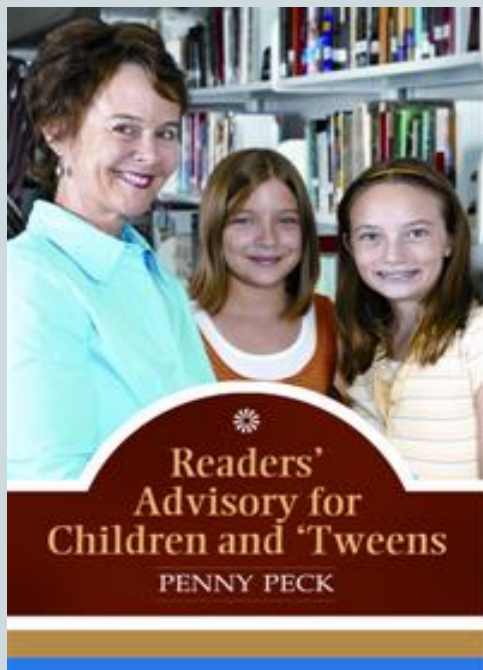
- [ACL Bayviews Read-alikes](#)
www.bayviews.org/readalikes.html
- Novelist K-8 – a paid database
- [Children's Series Books](#)
[www.mymcpl.org/books-movies-music/
juvenile-series](http://www.mymcpl.org/books-movies-music/juvenile-series)

Time for questions?





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