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Summer Reading K – 5 List 2017

“How can our students avoid the Summer Reading Slide?”



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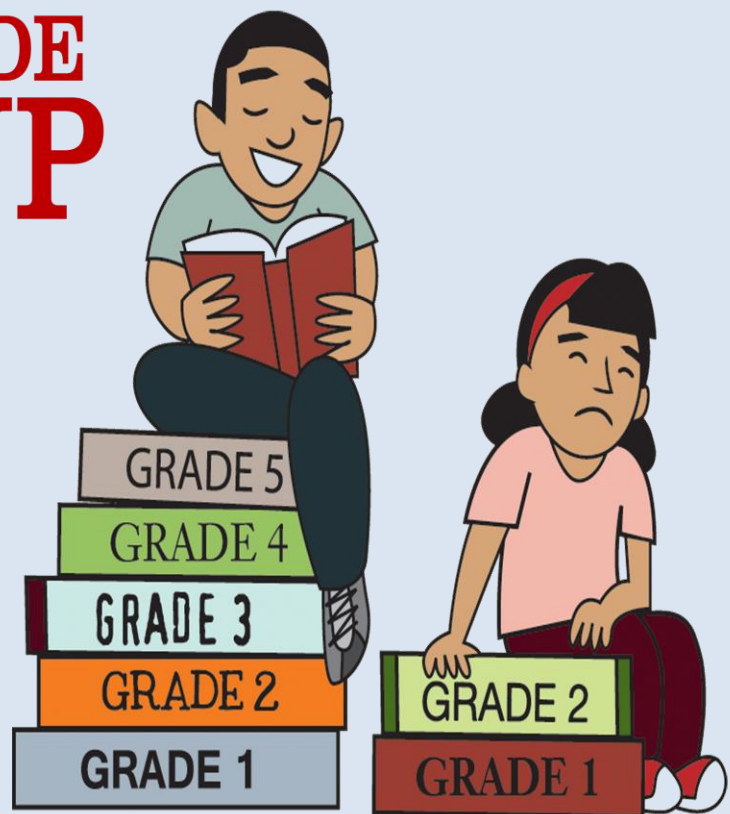
“Summer Slide” is the tendency for students to lose some of the achievement gains they made during the previous school year. The way to prevent the Reading Slide is to ensure that students continue to read during the summer months.

Enclosed you will find Birmingham City School’s Summer Reading List for Grades K – 5. The lists that have been compiled will enhance your child’s background knowledge and comprehension skills while keeping them actively engaged and motivated to read.

SUMMER SLIDE ADDS UP

When kids don’t read over the summer they fall behind.

By the end of 5th Grade, kids in need are nearly 3 grades behind their peers in reading skills.



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Goals for Summer Reading in *Birmingham* City Schools

- Advance literacy and academic performance by engaging children in reading and reading-related activities during the summer months.
- Foster a love of reading through public library programs and services.
- Increase successful reading experiences through librarian-supported, self-selected, voluntary reading.
 - Improve children's access to library material activities, which will encourage them to become lifelong library users.
- Increase the number of children participating in public library summer reading programs.



Kindergarten and First Grades

Picture Books

Barnett, Mac- Sam & Dave Dig a Hole

Barton, Chris- Shark vs. Train

Berger, Carin- The Little Yellow Leaf

Bloom, Becky- Wolf!

Bluemle, Elizabeth - Tap Tap Boom Boom

Bolt, Mike- 123 versus ABC

Boyd, Lizi - Flashlight

Brett Jan- The Mitten; The Umbrella, The Three Snow Bears

Brown, Peter- The Curious Garden; My Teacher is a Monster

Carle, Eric- Mr. Seahorse; The Artist Who Painted a Blue Horse

Castillo, Lauren- Nana in the City

Catchpool, Michael- The Cloud Spinner

Colon, Raul- Draw

Cooper, Elisha- Train

Cotter, Bill- Don't Push the Button!

Cronin, Doreen- Duck for President

Curtis, Jamie Lee- When I Was Little

Daywalt, Drew- The Day the Crayons Quit

Dean, James- Pete the Cat series

DiPucchio, Kelly- Gaston

Donaldson, Julia- The Gruffalo; Gold Star for Zog; Superworm

Fleming, Denise- Underground

Fox, Mem- The Magic Hat; Koala Lou

Frazee, Marla- A Couple of Boys have the Best Week Ever

Fucile, Tony- Let's Do Nothing

Gall, Chris- Dinotrax

Greenfield, Roseanne- Green is a Chile Pepper

Harris, Robbie H.- Maybe a Bear Ate It

Hillenbrand, Will- Kite Day, A Bear and Mole Story

Henkes, Kevin- My Garden; Lilly's Purple Plastic Purse; Old Bear

Heos, Bridget- Mustache Baby

Hills, Tad- How Rocket Learned to Read; Duck and Goose (series)

Idle, Molly- Flora and the Flamingo; Flora and the Penguin

Intriago, Patricia- Dot

Jiang, Ji-li- Red Kite Blue Kite

Jeffers, Oliver- Lost and Found

Kang, Anna- You are (Not) Small

Kasza, Keiko- My Lucky Birthday

Keats, Ezra Jack- The Snowy Day; Whistle for Willie

Jason Lefebvre- Too Much Glue

Lionni Leo- Swimmy; Little Blue and Little Yellow

Mack, Jeff- Good News Bad News

Manning, Maurie- Laundry Day

Matheson, Christie- Tap the Magic Tree

McDonnell, Patrick- A Perfectly Messed-Up Story

McPhail, David- The Teddy Bear

Moore, Julianne- Freckleface Strawberry

Nichols, Lori- Maple, Maple and Willow, This Orq

Numeroff Laura- If You Give a Dog a Donut

Nelson, Kadir- Baby Bear; If You Plant a Seed

Novak, B.J.- The Book with No Pictures

Pinkwater, Daniel- The Big Orange Splot; Bear's Picture

Pizzoli, Greg- The Watermelon Seed

Raschka, Christopher- A Ball for Daisy; Daisy Gets Lost

Reynolds, Peter - Sky Color

Rocco, John- Blackout; Blizzard

Rohmann, Eric- My Friend Rabbit

Rylant, Cynthia- The Relatives Came

Santat, Dan- The Adventures of Beekle: The Unimaginary Friend

Scieszka, Jon- The True Story of the Three Little Pigs

Seeger, Laura Vaccaro- Dog and Bear; Green, Bully

Seuss, Dr.- The Cat in the Hat; Green Eggs and Ham

Shea, Bob- Unicorn Thinks He's Pretty Great

Smith, Lane- Grandpa Green

Snicket, Lemony- "Shouldn't you be in School?"

Spires, Ashley- The Most Magnificent Thing

Stead, Philip Christian- Sick Day for Amos McGhee; Hello, My Name Is Ruby

Stein, David Ezra- Interrupting Chicken

Swanson, Susan M.- The House in the Night

Thong, Roseanne Greenfield- Green is a Chile Pepper

Viorst Judith- Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day

Willems, Mo- Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus; Duckling Gets a Cookie!; A Big Guy Took My Ball

Wiesner, David- The Three Pigs; Art & Max; Mr. Wuffles!

Wilson, Karma- Bear's Loose Tooth; Animal Strike at the Zoo, It's True!

Wood, Don and Audrey- The Alphabet Adventure

Yamada, Kobi- What Do You Do With an Idea?

Early Readers

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Adler, David- Young Cam Jansen (Series); Bones Mysteries (Series)

Arnold, Tedd- Fly Guy (Series)

Capucilli, Alyssa Satin- Biscuit (Series)

Dean, Kim- Too Cool for School

DiCamillo, Kate- Mercy Watson Collection, Bink and Gollie

Gantos, Jack- Rotten Ralph (Series)

Giff, Patricia R.- Zigzag Kids (Series)

Gilman, Grace- Dixie and the Best Day Ever

Grant, Judyann A.- Chicken Said "Cluck!"

Greene, Stephanie- Princess Posey series

Henkes, Kevin- Penny and Her Marble

Hill, Susan- Stuart Little: Stuart at the Library (Series)

Kang, Anna- You Are (Not) Small

Kwitz, Mary DeBall- Little Chick's Friend Duckling

Lobel, Arnold- Frog and Toad (Series)

Manushkin, Fran- Katie Woo (Series)

O'Conner, Jane- Dear Tooth-fairy, Fancy Nancy Early Readers

Pizzoli, Greg- The Watermelon Seed

Willem, Mo- An Elephant & Piggie Book (Series); Waiting is Not Easy

Nonfiction

Adamson, Thomas K.- Jupiter, Earth

Bancroft, Henrietta & Richard Van Gelder- Animals in Winter (Let's Read & Find Out Science Series)

Bearce, Stephanie- Care for Puppy, Care for Kitten, Care for Guinea Pig (Series)

Bridges, Sarah- Sports Cars

Campbell, Sarah C.- Wolfsnail: A Backyard Predator

Clay, Kathryn- Cool Baseball Facts, Cool Hockey Facts

Frost, Helen- Fish (All About Pets Series)

Gibbons, Gail- The Boat Book

Grindley, Sally- The Little Ballerina (DK Eyewitness Readers-Level 2)

Jeunesse, Gallimard- Bears (Scholastic A First Discovery Book Series)

Jenkins, Steve- Actual Size, How to Clean a Hippopotamus, Down, Down, Down

Linden, Joanne- Yorkshire Terriers (Pebble Books - Dogs Series)

Meltzer, Brad- I am... (Series)

Murphy, Stuart- Just Enough Carrots (MathStart Series)

Shores, Lori- How to Build a Fizzy Rocket (Hands-on Science Series)

Various Authors- Welcome Books Series

Wallace, Karen- Tale of the Tadpole (DK Eyewitness Readers- Level 1)

Weatherford, Carol- Before John Was a Jazz Giant

Yaccarino, Dan- All The Way to America

Second and Third Grades

Picture Books

Ada, Alma Flor- I Love Saturdays y Domingos

Beatty, Andrea- Rosie Revere, Engineer

Becker, Aaron- Journey, Quest

Brumbeau, Jeff- The Quiltmaker's Gift

Bunting, Eve- The Butterfly House

Cannon, Janell- Stellanuna; Verdi

Cronin, Doreen- Diary of a Fly; Click, Clack, Peep!

Cushman, Doug- The Mystery of King Karfu

DePaola, Tomie- Strega Nona (Series)

Fletcher, Ralph- The Sandman

Fraze, Marla- A Couple of Boys Have the Best Week Ever

Fraze, Marla- The Farmer and the Clown

Grey, Mini- Traction Man is Here, Traction Man Meets Turbodog

Hartman, Bob- The Wolf Who Cried Boy

Hoffman, Mary- Amazing Grace

Holub, Joan- Little Red Writing

Klassen, J.- I Want My Hat Back; This is Not My Hat

Lee, Spike- Giant Steps to Change The World

McKissack, Patricia- Goin' Someplace Special

Morales, Yuyi- Viva Frida; Nino Wrestles the World

Moss, Marissa- Amelia's Notebook

Niemann, Christoph- The Pet Dragon: A Story about Adventure, Friendship, and Chinese Characters

O'Conner, Jane- Fancy Nancy (Series)

O'Malley, Kevin- Once upon a Cool Motorcycle Dude

Palatini, Margie- Web Files; Piggie Pie

Peet, Bill- The Wump World; Whingdingdilly

Polacco Patricia- Thank You, Mr. Falker; The Bee Tree

Rabinowitz, Alan- A Boy and a Jaguar

Rathman, Peggy- Ten Minutes til Bedtime

Recorvitz, Helen- My Name is Yoon

Reynolds, Aaron - Creepy Carrots; Carnivores

Reynolds, Peter- The Dot; Ish

Rosenstock, Barb- The Noisy Paint Box: The Colors and Sounds of Kandinsky's Abstract Art

Rosenthal, Amy Krouse- Exclamation Mark

Sierra, Judy- Wild about Books

Steig, William- Sylvester and the Magic Pebble

Teague, Mark- Dear Mrs. LaRue (Series)

Van Allsburg, Chris- The Wretched Stone; Jumanji

Watt, Melanie- Scaredy Squirrel (Series)

Wheeler, Lisa- Dino-Hockey (Dino Sports series)

Wiesner, David- Flotsam, Art and Max

Woodson, Jacqueline- The Other Side; Each Kindness

Fiction

Abbott, Tony- Secrets of Droon (Series)

Adler, David- Cam Jansen (Series)

Barrows, Annie- Ivy and Bean (Series)

Bean, Jonathan- Building Our House

Blume, Judy- Soupy Saturdays; Cool Zone with the Pain and the Great One

Butler, Dori Hillestad- The Buddy Files (Series)

Bruel, Nick- Bad Kitty (Series)

Byars, Betsy- SOS Files; Tornado

Christopher, Matt- Soccer Cats (Series); Stranger in Right Field

Cleary Beverly- The Mouse and the Motorcycle ; Ramona (Series)

Coven, Wanda- Heidi Heckelbeck (Series)

Cowell, Cressida- How to Train Your Dragon (Series)

Cronin, Doreen - The Chicken Squad: The First Misadventure

Dadey, Debbie- Battle of the Best Friends (Series)

DiCamillo, Kate- Mercy Watson to the Rescue (Series)

DiTerlizzi, Tony- Spiderwick Chronicles

Donnelly, Jennifer- Deep Blue

Friedman, Laurie- Mallory on the Move (Series)

Gannett, Ruth Stiles- My Father's Dragon

Hunt, Elizabeth Singer- Secret Agent Jack Stalwart (Series)

Stein, Garth- Racing in the Rain: My Life as a Dog

Green, D.L.- Zeke Meeks (Series)

Gutman, Dan- My Weird School (Series)

Hanlon, Abby- Dory Fantasmagory

Henkes, Kevin- The Year of Billy Miller

Hermes, Patricia- Emma's Dilemma (Series)

Jenkins, Emily- Toys Go Out (Series)

Kline, Suzy- Horrible Harry (Series)

Maddox, Jake- Jake Maddox (Series)

McDonald, Meg- Judy Moody (Series); Stink (Series)

Meadows, Daisy- The Rainbow Magic Fairies (Series)

Mrs. Bunny- Mr. and Mrs. Bunny-Detectives Extraordinaire

Osborne, Mary Pope- Magic Tree House (Series)

Parish, Peggy/Herman- Amelia Bedelia (Series)

Pennypacker, Sara- Clementine (Series)

Roy, Ron- A-Z Mysteries (Series), The Capital Mysteries (Series)

Rylant, Cynthia- Cobble Street Cousins (Series)

Salisbury, Graham- Calvin Coconut: Hero of Hawaii

Stilton, Geronimo- Geronimo Stilton (Series) Thea Stilton (Series)

Tripp, Valerie et al.- American Girl (Series)

VanDraanen, Wendelin- Shredderman (Series)

Nonfiction

Adler, David A.- A Picture Book of Harry Houdini

Applegate, Katherine- Ivan the Remarkable True Story of the Shopping Mall Gorilla

Barretta, Gene- Now & Ben: The Modern Inventions of Benjamin Franklin

Berger, Melvin- Spinning Spiders

Bishop, Nic- Spiders, Frogs, Marsupials

Brown, Don- Henry and the Cannons: An Extraordinary True Story of the American Revolution

Browne, Anthony- The Shape Game

Burleigh, Robert- Homerun: The Story of Babe Ruth

Bunting, Eve- The Cart That Carried Martin

Chin, Jason- Gravity; Redwoods; Coral Reefs

Coy, John- Hoop Genius

Cowley, Joy- The Red-Eyed Tree Frog

Floca, Brian- Lightship; Locomotive

George, Jean Craighead- The Eagles are Back

Gerstein, Mordicai- The Man Who Walked Between the Towers

Gourley, Robbin- The First Garden: And How it Grew

Guiberson, Brenda Z.- Frog Song

Hatkoff, Isabella- Owen and Mzee

Hopkins, H. Joseph- The Tree Lady

Jenkins, Steve- Eye to Eye: How Animals See the World

Jokulsson, Illugi- Real Madrid: the most successful club in the world

Kalman, Maira- Looking at Lincoln

Kamkwamba, William- The Boy Who Harnessed The Wind

Krull, Kathleen- Boy on Fairfield Street

Leedy, Loreen- Follow the Money

Jenkins, Steve- The Beetle Book; Bones

McLimans, David- Gone Wild: An Endangered Animal Alphabet

McCarthy, Meghan- Pop! The Invention of Bubble Gum

Menotti, Andrea- How Many Jelly Beans?

Morales, Yuyi- Viva Frida

Nobleman, Marc Tyler- Boys of Steel: The Creators of Superman

Pinborough, Jan- How Annie Moore Created Libraries for Children

Pinkney, Andrea Davis- Martin & Mahalia: His Words, Her Song

Rabe, Tish- My, Oh My- A Butterfly

Rumford, James- Sequoyah: The Cherokee Man Who Gave His People Writing

Schwartz, Heather- Cool Engineering Activities for Girls

Slade, Suzanne- Cool Physics Activities for Girls

Stewart, Melissa- No Monkeys, No Chocolate

Sturn, James- Satchel Paige; Striking Out Jim Crow

Sweet, Melissa- Balloons Over Broadway

Sylver, Adrienne- Hot Diggity Dog: The History of the Hot Dog

Tang, Greg- Math Fables; Math Fables Too

Fourth and Fifth Grades

Picture Books for Older Readers

Applegate, Katherine- Ivan: The Remarkable True Story of the Shopping Mall Gorilla

Adler, David- One Yellow Daffodil

Bunting, Eve- The Wall; Fly Away Home

Copeland, Misty- Firebird

Deedy, Carmen Agra- 14 Cows for America

Fleischman, Paul- Matchbox Diary

Floca, Brian- Locomotive

Heiligman, Deborah- The Boy Who Loved Math: The Improbable Life of Paul Erdos

Hill, Laban Karrick- Dave the Potter: Artist, Poet, Slave

Hopkinson, Deborah- Apples to Oregon: being the (slightly) true narrative of how a brave pioneer father brought apples, peaches, pears, plums, grapes, and cherries (and children) across the plains

Hopkinson Deborah- Sky Boys: How they Built the Empire State Building

Lorbiecki, Marybeth- Sister Anne's Hands

Markell, Michelle- Brave Girl: Clara and Shirtwaist Makers' Strike of 1909

Morales, Yuyi- Viva Frida

Pinkney, Andrea Davis- Sit-in: How Four Friends Stood Up By Sitting Down

Polocco, Patricia- Just in Time, Abraham Lincoln; Thank You, Mr. Falker

Powell, Patricia Hruby- Josephine: The Dazzling Life of Josephine Baker

Reibstein, Mark- Wabi Sabi

Rosenstock, Barb- The Noisy Paint Box: The Colors and Sounds of Kadinsky's Abstract Art

Shulevitz, Uri- How I Learned Geography

Woodson, Jacqueline- This is the Rope: A Story from the Great Migration; Each Kindness

Historical Fiction

Avi- The Secret School; Seer of Shadows; Iron Thunder

Anderson, Laurie Halse- Forge; Chains

Byars, Betsy- Keeper of the Doves

Choldenko, Gennifer- Al Capone Does My Shirts (series)

Curtis, Christopher Paul- The Mighty Miss Malone; Elijah of Buxton

Erdrich, Louise- Birchbark House

Gantos, Jack- Dead End in Norvelt

Giff, Patricia Reilly- Nory Ryan's Song

Gutman, Dan- The Edison Mystery; Race for the Sky: The Kitty Hawk Diaries of Johnny Moore

Hesse, Karen- Letters from Rifka; Stowaway; Brooklyn Bridge

Hill, Kirkpatrick- The Year of Miss Agnes

Kelly, Jacqueline- The Evolution of Calpurnia Tate

Lai, Thanhha- Inside Out and Back Again

Lawson, Jessica- The Actual and Truthful Adventures of Becky Thatcher

Lenski, Lois- Indian Captive: The Story of Mary Jemison

Levine, Kristin- The Lions of Little Rock

Oppel, Kenneth- The Boundless

Paulsen, Gary- Mr. Tucket (Series)

Peck, Richard- A Year down Yonder; Secrets at Sea

Selznick, Brian- The Invention of Hugo Cabret; Wonderstruck

Tarshis, Lauren- I Survived the Japanese Tsunami, 2011 (I Survived series)

Turner, Ann Warren- Love Thy Neighbor: The Tory Diary of Prudence Emerson

Vanderpool, Clare- Moon over Manifest

Wilder, Laura Ingalls- Little House in the Big Woods (Little House Series)

Fantasy and Science Fiction

Blackwood, Sage- Jinx (Series)

Bosch, Pseudonymous- Bad Magic; If You're Reading This, It's Too Late (Series)

Brittain, Bill- The Wish Giver: Three Tales of Coven Tree

Chabon, Michael- Summerland

Colfer, Chris- The Land of Stories (Series)

Collins, Suzanne- Gregor the Overlander (Underland Chronicles) (Series)

Creech, Sharon- The Unfinished Angel

DiCamillo, Kate- The Tale of Despereaux; The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane

DiCamillo, Kate- Flora & Ulysses

DeLint, Charles- The Cats of Tanglewood Forest

Foxlee, Karen- Ophelia and the Marvelous Boy

Funke, Cornelia- The Thief Lord; Dragon Rider; Inkheart Trilogy

Gidwitz, Adam- A Tale Dark and Grim

Gutman, Dan- Babe & Me, Jackie & Me (The Baseball Card Adventure Series)

Haddix, Margaret Peterson- Found; Sent; Sabotage

Hale, Shannon- Princess Academy

Holm, Jennifer- The Fourteenth Goldfish

Kessler, Liz- The Tail of Emily Windsnap (Series)

Klimo, Kate- The Dragon in the Driveway; 43 Old Cemetery Road (series)
Levine, Gail Carson- Fairest
Law, Ingrid- Savvy; Scumble
L'Engle, Madeline- A Wrinkle in Time
Lewis, S.- The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe (Chronicles of Narnia Series)
Lin, Grace- Year of the Rat; Where the Mountain Meets the Moon; Dumpling Days
Lloyd, Natalie- A Snicker of Magic
MacLachlan, Patricia- Kindred Souls
Mass, Wendy- The Candymakers ; Pie in the Sky
McMann, Lisa- The Unwanteds (Series)
Milford, Kate- The Greenglass House
Mlynowski, Sara- Whatever After (Series)
Nimmo, Jenny- Charlie Bone and the Time Twister (Series)
Patterson, James- Theodore Boone: Kid Lawyer (Series)
Riordan, Rick- The Lightning Thief (Percy Jackson & the Olympians Series); The Red Pyramid (The Kane Chronicles Series)
Stead, Rebecca- When You Reach Me, Liar and Spy
Urse, Annie- The Real Boy
Ursu, Anne- Breadcrumbs
Wilson, N.D.- 100 Cupboards (Series)

Realistic Fiction

Alexander, Kwame- The Crossover
Alvarez, Julia- How Tia Lola Came to (Visit) Stay
Anderson, Laurie Halse- Fight for Life (Wild at Heart Series)
Applegate, Katherine- The One and Only Ivan
Bauer, Marion Dane- On My Honor
Birdsall, Jeanne- The Penderwicks: A Summer Tale of Four Sisters, Two Rabbits, and a Very Interesting Boy (Series)
Buyea, Rob- Because of Mr. Terupt
Clements, Andrew- Extra Credit; No Talking; Troublemakers
Cleary, Beverly- Dear Mr. Henshaw
Creech, Sharon- Ruby Holler; Almost Absolutely Chaos; Love that Dog
Davies, Jacqueline- Lemonade War series
Draper, Sharon- Out of My Mind
Estes, Eleanor- Ginger Pye
Fitzhugh, Louise- Harriet the Spy
Gantos, Jack- Joey Pigza Swallows the Key (Series)
Grabenstein, Chris- Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library
Graff, Lisa- Absolutely Almost
Green, Tim- Football Hero; Football Genius
Grogan, John- Marley; A Dog Like No Other
Gutman, Dan- Shoeless Joe and Me: A Baseball Card Adventure (Series); Nightmare at the Book Fair

Haddix, Margaret Peterson- Running Out of Time; Found (Series); Among the Hidden (Series)
Henkes, Kevin- The Year of Billy Miller
Ibbotson, Eva- One Dog and His Boy
Johnson, Varian- The Great Greene Heist
Konigsburg, E. L.- From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler;
Korman, Gordon- Schooled
Lopez, Diana- Confetti Girl
Lord, Cynthia.- Rules, Half a Chance
Lowry, Lois- Anastasia Krupnik
Lupica, Mike- Million Dollar Throw; The Underdogs; Hero; True Legend
Mack, W.C.- Athlete vs. Mathlete
Martin, Ann M.- Rain Reign
Mass, Wendy- 11 Birthdays; 12 Finally
Messner, Kate - Capture the Flag
Naylor, Phyllis Reynolds- Shiloh (Series)
O'Dell, Scott- Island of the Blue Dolphins
Patterson, James- I Funny; I Even Funnier; I Totally Funnier: A Middle School Story
Patterson, Katherine- Jip: His Story
Paulsen, Gary- Lawn Boy; Lawn Boy Returns
Potter, Ellen- Slob
Rundell, Kathleen- Cartwheeling in Thunderstorms
Ryan, Pam Munoz- Becoming Naomi Leon; Esperanza Rising
Rylant, Cynthia- Missing May
Sachar, Louis- There's a Boy in the Girl's Bathroom
Schmidt, Gary- Okay for Now
Schroeder, Lisa- Frosting and Friendship; My Secret Guide to Paris
Spinelli, Eileen- Another Day as Emily
Tashjian, Janet- My Life as a Stuntboy; My Life as a Book; My Life as a Cartoonist
Timberlake, Amy- One Came Home
Vanderpool, Clare- Navigating Early

Mysteries

Avi- The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle
Balliet, Blue- Chasing Vermeer; Wright 3; Calder Game, Hold Fast
Blakemore, Heather- Spy Catchers of Maple Hill
Bosh, Pseudonymous- The Name of This Book is Secret (Series)
Buckley, Michael- The Fairy Tale Detectives: Sisters Grimm
Colfer, Eoin- Artemis Fowl (Series)
Dixon, Franklin W.- Hardy Boys (Series)
Fitzgerald, Laura Marx- Under the Egg
Frederick, Heather Vogel- Absolutely Truly
Hale, Bruce- From Russia with Lunch (Chet Gecko Series)

Hiaasen, Carl- Hoot; Flush; Scat; Chomp

Keene, Carolyn- Nancy Drew (Series)

Konigsburg, E.L.- From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler

Mack, Tracy- Sherlock Holmes and the Baker Street Irregulars

Roberts, Willo- The View from the Cherry Tree; What Could Go Wrong?

Stewart, Trenton Lee- The Mysterious Benedict Society (Series)

Turnage, Sheila- Three Times Lucky

Various Authors- 39 Clues (Series)

Nonfiction

Brown, Don- All Stations! Distress!: April 15, 1912: The Day the Titanic Sank

Cate, Annette- Look Up!: Bird-watching In Your Own Backyard

Chandra, Deborah- George Washington's Teeth

Christelow, Eileen-Vote!

Coleman, Janet Wyman- Eight Dolphins of Katrina

DeCristofano, Carolyn Cinami- A Black Hole is Not a Hole

Davis, Jack- Big Air Skateboarding

Gerstein, Mordicai- The Man Who Walked Between the Towers

Golenbock, Peter- Teammates

Hoose, Phillip- The Race to Save the Lord God Bird; We Were There, Too!: Young People in U.S. History

Hughes, Langston- I, Too, Am America

Hurley, Michael- Great World Cup Moments

Kerley, Barbara- Those Rebels, John and Tom

Malam, John- Titanic: Shipwrecks and Sunken Treasure

Markle, Sandra- The Case of the Vanishing Little Brown Bats: A Scientific Mystery

Moss, Marissa- Barbed Wire Baseball

Owen, Ruth- Your Cat's Superhero Skills

Pentland, Peter- Forensic Science

Ringstad, Arnold- Weird But True Facts About U.S. History

Roth, Susan L.- Parrots Over Puerto Rico

Russch, Elizabeth- Eruptions Volcanoes and The Science of Saving Lives

Ruurs, Margriet- My School in the Rainforest, How Children Attend School Around the World

Schanzer, Rosalyn- George vs. George: The American Revolution as Seen from Both Sides

Schulman, Janet- Pale Male: Citizen Hawk of New York City

Shoveller, Herb- Ryan and Jimmy And the Well in Africa That Brought Them Together

Smith, Charles- Brick by Brick

Solheim, James- It's Disgusting- and We Ate It!; True Food Facts From Around the World and Throughout History!

St. George, Judith- So You Want to Be President; So You Want to Be an Inventor

Sturm, James- Adventures in Cartooning

Waxman, Laura Hamilton- Famous Fashion Inventions

Biographies

Armstrong, Jennifer- Spirit of Endurance: The True Story of the Shackleton Expedition to the Antarctic

Ashby, Ruth- The Amazing Mr. Franklin or the Boy who Read Every-thing

Berne, Jennifer- On a Beam of Light: A Story of Albert Einstein

Bryant, Jennifer- The Right Word: Roget and His Thesaurus

Bryant, Jennifer- A River of Words: The Story of William Carlos Williams

D'Agnese, Joseph- Blockhead: The Life of Fibonacci

Fleischman, Sid- Escape!: The Story of the Great Houdini

Giovanni, Nikki- Rosa.

Greenberg, Jan- Action Jackson

Greenfeld, Howard- The Hidden Children

Herrera, Juan Felipe- Portraits of Hispanic American Heroes

Kerley, Barbara- Walt Whitman: Words for America; What To Do About Alice?: How Alice Roosevelt Broke the Rules, Charmed the World, and Drove her Father Teddy Crazy!

Krull, Kathleen- A Woman for President: The Story of Victoria Woodhull

Lawlor, Laurie- Rachel Carson and Her Book That Changed the World

Lester, Julius- The Blues Singers: Ten Who Rocked the World

Maurer, Richard- The Wright Sister

Nelson, Kadir- Nelson Mandela; We Are the Ship: The Story of Negro League Baseball

Polacco, Patricia- Clara and Davie: the True Story of Young Clara Barton, founder of the Red Cross

Powell, Patricia Hruby- Josephine: The Dazzling Life of Josephine Baker

Rappaport, Doreen- Helen's Big World: The Life of Helen Keller

Scieszka Jon- Knucklehead

Shelly, Tanaka- Amelia Earhart: The Legend of the Lost Aviator

Silcox-Jarrett, Diane- Heroines of the American Revolution

Van Der Rol, Ruud- Anne Frank: Beyond the Diary

Warhola, James- Uncle Andy's

Weatherford, Carole Boston- Moses: When Harriet Tubman Led her People to Freedom

Woodson, Jacqueline- Brown Girl Dreaming

Various Authors- Who Was...? (Series)

All Ages

Folklore (All Ages)

Aardema, Verna- Why Mosquitoes Buzz in People's Ears: A West African Tale

Aylesworth, Jim - My Grandfather's Coat

Brett, Jan- Town Mouse, Country Mouse

Bruchac, Joseph- Keepers of the Earth

Campoy, F. Isabel and Alma Flor Ada.- Tales Our Abuelitas Told: A Hispanic Folktale Collection

Crews, Nina- The Neighborhood Mother Goose

Demi- The Empty Pot; One Grain of Rice

Diakite, Baba Yague- The Hunter Man and the

Crocodile Domanska, Janina- The Little Red Hen

Elya, Susan M.- Little Roja Riding Hood

Fleischman, Paul- Glass Slipper, Gold Sandal: A Worldwide Cinder-ella

Galdone, Paul- The Three Billy Goats Gruff

Hamilton, Virginia- The Girl Who Spun Gold

Isaacs, Anne- Dust Devil

Martin, Rafe- The Rough Face Girl

Myers, Tim J.- Tanuki's Gift

Napoli, Donna Jo- Treasury of Egyptian Mythology

Pinkney, Jerry- The Tortoise and the Hare; Aesop's Fables, The Lion & the Mouse

Salley, Coleen- Epossumondas

San Souci, Robert- The Talking Eggs; Cendrillon

Santat, Dan- Three Ninja Pigs

Steptoe, John- Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters

Schwartz, Corey Rosen- Ninja Red Riding

Hood Schwartz, Alvin- In a Dark, Dark Room

Young, Ed- Lon Po Po

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