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Fiction For Younger Readers

Arnold, Tedd. Vincent Paints His House. (070638) il. Vincent's animal friends disagree on how he should paint his house, so Vincent comes up with a colorful solution. **(03-08)** Holiday House 2015 K+,L,Q (AR) \$19.79

Bang, Molly. When Sophie's Feelings Are Really, Really Hurt. (088430) il. Sophie is hurt when the other children laugh at her painting of her favorite tree--but when she explains her painting everybody understands what she was trying to do. (04-08) Blue Sky Press 2015 B,K,L,Q+,M,C,W+(AR) \$20.51

Barton, Byron. My House. (095050) il. Jim the cat describes his favorite places inside and outside his house. (03-06) Greenwillow 2016 K-,L,Q+,M,C (AR) \$19.81

Campoy, F. Isabel. Maybe Something Beautiful: How Art Transformed A Neighborhood. (185217) Lopez, Rafael il. Mira lives in a gray and hopeless urban community until a muralist arrives and, along with his paints and brushes, brings color, joy, and togetherness to Mira and her neighbors. (04-07) Houghton Mifflin Harcourt 2016 B,K+,L,Q,W (AR/RC) \$19.81

Carle, Eric. Artist Who Painted A Blue Horse. (186240) il. Rather than use the same old colors, a child paints animals and objects in a variety of different hues. Includes biographical information about the German painter Franz Marc, who created unconventional animal paintings in the early 1900s. **(03-06)** Philomel 2011 B+,K,L,Q+,M,W+\$20.51

Carle, Eric. Draw Me A Star. (186259) An artist's drawing of a star begins the creation of an entire universe around him as each successive pictured object requests that he draw more. (04-08) Putnam 1998 B,K+,L,C (AR/RC) \$14.06

Cyrus, Kurt. Billions Of Bricks. (254106) il. A counting book that leads readers through the day

in the life of a construction worker building with bricks. (04-07) Holt 2016 B,Q \$20.51

Daly, Cathleen. Emily's Blue Period. (255739) Brown, Lisa il. After her parents get divorced, Emily finds comfort in making and learning about art. (06-08) Roaring Brook 2014 B,K,L+,Q,M+,C (AR/RC) \$20.51

Daywalt, Drew. Day The Crayons Came Home. (264528) Jeffers, Oliver il. One day, Duncan is happily coloring with his crayons when a stack of postcards arrives in the mail from his former crayons, each of which has run away or been left behind, and all of which want to come home. (05-08) Philomel 2015 B+,K,L+,Q+,M,C,W+ (AR/RC) \$21.21

Denos, Julia. Swatch: The Girl Who Loved Color. (273894) il. In a place where color ran wild lived a wild girl named Swatch, and color was her passion. An exuberant celebration of all the beauty and color that make up our lives. (04-08) Harper 2016 B,K+,Q (AR) \$20.51

DiLorenzo, Barbara. Renato And The Lion. (279600) il. Combining real history and a bit of magic, a story about WWII, the protection of priceless artwork, and how one boy immigrates with his family from Italy to America. **(05-07)** Viking 2017 B+,K,L,W \$20.51

Hall, Michael. Frankencrayon. (412611) il. If the crayons cannot stop the scribble monster, this picture book and the play "Frankencrayon" may have to be canceled. (04-08) Greenwillow 2016 $B_rK_rL^+,Q_rM$ (AR) \$20.51

Hall, Michael. Red: A Crayon's Story. (412633) il. Red's factory-applied label clearly says that he is red, but despite the best efforts of his teacher, fellow crayons and art supplies, and family members, he cannot seem to do anything right until a new friend offers a fresh perspective. (04-08) Greenwillow 2015 B+,K,L,Q+,M,W (AR/RC) \$20.51









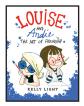




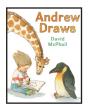


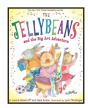
















Kirk, Daniel. Library Mouse: Home Sweet Home. (520516) il. While the library that Sam and his adventurous friend Sarah live in is being renovated, the two mice try to make new homes for themselves in the attic, constructing everything from a yurt to a geodesic dome. Includes photographs of real house styles discussed and a brief glossary of terms. **(06-09)** Abrams 2013 B,K,L,Q (AR/RC) \$20.49 ❖

Light, Kelly. Louise And Andie: The Art Of Friendship. (572621) il. Louise has a new neighbor, the creative and offbeat Andie--but can they overcome their differences and be friends? (04-08) Harper 2016 K,L,Q,W (AR) \$20.51

Liniers. Written And Drawn By Henrietta. (577172) il. When Henrietta's mother gives her a box of colored pencils, she sets out to draw an terrifying and fantastic adventure. In graphic novel format. (07-09) Toon Books 2015 B+,L+,Q+ (AR/RC) \$16.99

Luyken, Corinna. Book Of Mistakes. (590896) il. As an artist creatively incorporates her slipups into a drawing, readers see the ways in which 'mistakes' can provide inspiration and opportunity, and reveal that both the art and artist are works-in-progress. (04-08) Dial 2017 B+,K+ \$21.21

McPhail, David. Andrew Draws. (630902) il. Andrew's scribbles with a crayon he found become better and better until he is making drawings so realistic that they come right off the page. (04-08) Holiday House 2014 B,K,L,Q,W (AR/RC) \$19.79

Menchin, Scott. Grandma In Blue With Red Hat. (636879) Bliss, Harry il. After his teacher says that anything can be in an art exhibition, and his fellow students give myriad reasons why something might belong in a museum, a child offers his special grandmother as an exhibit but when the curator cites a rule against accepting grandmas, the child has a better idea. (04-08) Abrams 2015 K,L,Q+,M,W (AR/RC) \$19.79

Numeroff, Laura Joffe. Jellybeans And The Big Art Adventure. (684089) Munsinger, Lynn il. Four friends with different interests paint a mural on an outside wall of Mrs. Petunia Dinkley-Sneezer's candy shop that depicts them each doing what they love best. (04-08) Abrams 2012 L,Q,W (AR) \$20.49

Oliver, Lin. Danger! Tiger Crossing. (688846) Kallis, Samantha il. Ten-year-old Tiger and his new friend, Luna, are drawn into a copy of Henri Rousseau's painting, Surprised!, through a magical golden frame by which their neighbor's son disappeared fifty years earlier. (07-09) Grosset 2016 K,L,Q,W (AR) \$16.31

Polacco, Patricia. Art Of Miss Chew. (723301) il. A teacher encourages individuality, accepts learning differences, & helps a young student with academic difficulties get extra time for tests & permission to be in advanced art classes. (07-09) Putnam 2012 B,K,L,Q,W (AR/RC) \$20.51

Polacco, Patricia. Mr. Wayne's Masterpiece. (723352) il. Because she is afraid to read an essay aloud in English class, young Patricia is invited to take Mr. Wayne's drama class where she paints sets, participates in fun exercises, and memorizes every part in the play the others are rehearsing. (06-09) Putnam 2014 B,K,L,Q,C,W (AR) \$20.51

Raczka, Bob. Niko Draws A Feeling. (737126) Shin, Simone il. No one understands the abstract pictures that Niko draws until a new friend sees the thought and feeling within his shapes and forms. (06-08) Carolrhoda 2017 B,K,L+,W (AR) \$20.51

Reynolds, Peter H. (Peter Hamilton). Dot. (748658) Vashti believes that she cannot draw, but her art teacher's encouragement leads her to change her mind. **(05-09)** Candlewick 2003 B+,K,L+,Q,W+ (AR/RC) \$17.72

Reynolds, Peter H. (Peter Hamilton). Sky Color. (748905) il. Marisol loves to paint. So when her teacher asks her to help make a mural for the school library, she can't wait to begin! But how can Marisol make a sky without blue paint? After gazing out the bus window and watching from her porch as day turns into night, she closes her eyes and starts to dream. (05-08) Candlewick 2012 B+,K,L,Q,W (AR) \$17.72

Rockwell, Anne F. Let's Go To The Hardware Store. (761448) Iwai, Melissa il. When the new house needs fixing up, a brother and sister accompany their father on a trip to the hardware store to find the tools and materials needed to get the job done. **(04-07)** Holt 2016 K,L,Q **\$19.81**

Zemke, Deborah. My Life In Pictures. (980154) il. When budding artist Bea Garcia's best friend moves to Australia and a loud, rambunctious boy moves into her old house, Bea must learn to make new friends. **(06-09)** Dial 2016 B,K,L,Q,C,W (AR) \$18.41

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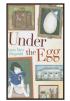


















Fiction For Older Readers

Balliett, Blue. Pieces And Players. (087984) The Pieces: Thirteen extremely valuable pieces of art have been stolen from one of the most secretive museums in the world. A Vermeer has vanished. A Degas has disappeared. And nobody has any idea where they and the other eleven artworks might be...or who might have stolen them. The Players: Calder, Petra, and Tommy are no strangers to heists and puzzles. Now they've been matched with two new sleuths--Zoomy and Early, who have a word or two to say about the missing treasure. (08-12) Scholastic 2015 B,K,L,Q,CA,W (AR/RC) \$20.51

Becker, Suzy. Kate The Great: Winner Takes All. (101253) il. [Bk. 2] Armed with her smarts, an artillery of doodles, and maybe even some advice from Eleanor Roosevelt, Kate must find a way to keep her friends, old and new. (08-12) Crown 2016 B,K,Q (AR) \$17.01

Cole, Henry. Nest For Celeste: A Story About Art, Inspiration, And The Meaning Of Home. (229671) il. Celeste, a mouse longing for a real home, inspires teenaged Joseph, assistant to artist and naturalist John James Audubon, at a New Orleans plantation in 1821. (08-12) Harper 2010 B,K+,L,Q,W+ (AR/RC) \$19.81

DeFelice, Cynthia C. Fort. (268332) A middlegrade summer adventure about two boys who build an awesome fort and tangle with two older bullies. (08-12) Farrar 2015 B,K+,L,Q,C (AR/RC) \$19.81

DiMartino, Michael Dante. Rebel Genius. (279651) il. [1st in the series] In twelve-year-old Giacomo's Renaissance-inspired world, art is powerful, dangerous, and outlawed. Every artist possesses a Genius, a birdlike creature that is the living embodiment of an artist's creative spirit. Those caught with one face severe punishment, so when Giacomo discovers he has a Genius, he knows he's in big trouble. (08-12) Roaring Brook 2016 B,K,L,Q,W (AR/RC) \$19.81

Fitzgerald, Laura Marx. Under The Egg. (339553) Her grandfather's dying words lead thirteen-year-old Theodora Tenpenny to a valuable, hidden painting she fears may be stolen, but it is her search for answers in her Greenwich Village neighborhood that brings a real treasure. (08-12) Dial 2014 B+,K,L,Q+,M,C,W (AR/RC) \$19.81

Gutman, Dan. Lincoln Project. (408654) il. #1 in the series: Miss Z, a mysterious billionaire and a collector of rare photographs, is sending her four

recruits back in time on a mission to capture, for the first time, one of the most important moments in American history--Abraham Lincoln giving his famous Gettysburg address. (08-12) Harper 2016 $B_rK_rL_rQ$ (AR) \$19.81

Ruby, Laura. Shadow Cipher. (769752) il. Book one: Three kids try to solve the greatest mystery of the modern world: a puzzle and treasure hunt laid into the very streets and buildings of New York City. And if they want to save their home from being destroyed by a real estate developer, they must quickly prove the Old York Cipher is real. (08-12) Walden Pond Press 2017 B+,K+,L+,M,C,W \$20.51

Tarpley, Natasha. Harlem Charade. (872516) Seventh-graders Jin, Alexandra, and Elvin come from very different backgrounds and circumstances, but they all live in Harlem, and when Elvin's grandfather is attacked they band together to find out who is responsible--and the search leads them to an enigmatic artist whose missing masterpieces are worth a fortune, and into conflict with an ambitious politician who wants to turn Harlem into an historic amusement park. (08-12) Scholastic 2017 B,K+,L,W+ (AR/RC) \$19.81

Tashjian, Janet. My Life As A Cartoonist. (872623) Tashjian, Jake il. Book 3--Twelve-year-old Derek wants to train his pet monkey to help Umberto, a new student who uses a wheelchair, but Umberto would rather steal Derek's cartoon ideas. **(09-12)** Holt 2013 B,K,Q (AR/RC) \$17.71

Tyre, Lisa Lewis. Last In A Long Line Of Rebels. (896202) When the city of Zollicoffer, Tennessee, where her family lives, announces plans to seize their one hundred seventy-five year old house through eminent domain, twelve-year-old Louise Mayhew needs to come up with a way to save it--and her ancestor's Civil War diary linking the house to the Underground Railroad, as well as a hidden treasure, seem to offer her family the best chance of saving their home. (10-14) Penguin 2015 B,K,L,Q,C,W+ (AR/RC) \$19.81

Wells, Marcia. Eddie Red, Undercover: Doom At Grant's Tomb. (933256) Calo, Marcos il. Elusive art thief Lars Heinrich returns to New York City looking to settle a score. Super sleuth seventh-grader Edmund Xavier Lonrrot will need not only his photographic mind and artistic talents, but any skill he possesses with cracking codes as a string of the city's historical monuments become potential clues in what could become one of the greatest heists in history. (09-12) Houghton Mifflin Harcourt 2016 K,Q (AR) \$19.81

















Wells, Marcia. Eddie Red, Undercover: Mystery On Museum Mile. (933259) Calo, Marcos il. Sixth grader Edmund Xavier Lonnrot, codename "Eddie Red," has a photographic memory and talent for drawing anything he sees. When the NYPD is stumped by a mastermind art thief, Eddie becomes their secret weapon to solve the case. (09-12) Houghton 2014 B,K,L,Q (AR/RC) \$19.81

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Nonfiction For Younger Readers

Bernhardt, Carolyn. Duct Tape Animals. (115078) il. Design a beautiful dragonfly, send a shark fin flying through the water, and build a spindly spider--all using duct tape! These step-by-step guides will have you creating your own duct tape animal projects in no time! (07-11) Lerner 2017 L \$26.58

Blumenthal, Deborah. Fancy Party Gowns: The Story Of Fashion Designer Ann Cole Lowe. (128837) Freeman, Laura (Illustrator) il. As soon as Ann Cole Lowe could walk, her momma and grandma taught her to sew. When her mom died, Ann continued sewing dresses. It wasn't easy, especially when she went to design school and had to learn alone, segregated from the rest of the class. But the work she did set her spirit soaring, as evidenced in the clothes she made. Rarely credited, Ann Cole Lowe became "society's best kept secret." (04-08) Little Bee 2017 B,K,L,M,C,W \$20.51

Bryant, Jennifer. Splash Of Red: The Life And Art Of Horace Pippin. (164425) Sweet, Melissa il. The inspiring story of a self-taught painter from humble beginnings who despite many obstacles, was ultimately able to do what he loved, and be recognized for who he was: an artist. (05-08) Knopf 2013 B+,K+,L,Q+,M,C (AR/RC) \$20.51

Davis, Kathryn Gibbs. Mr. Ferris And His Wheel. (262450) Ford, Gilbert il. It was a bizarre idea, presented by an eccentric engineer. Yes, it might be showy, but wouldn't the flimsy contraption collapse? Finally, the young inventor was told he could try--but only with his own money. His Ferris Wheel became the most iconic amusement ride of all time. **(06-08)** Houghton 2014 B+,K,L,Q,C,W (AR/RC) \$20.51

George, Anna. Origami Birds: Easy & Fun Paper-Folding Projects. (375046) il. Step-bystep instructions and color photos help readers make a wise owl, an elegant swan, and more. (07-10) Abdo 2017 L \$21.19

George, Anna. Origami Pets: Easy & Fun Paper-Folding Projects. (375047) il. Step-bystep instructions and colorful photos help readers make a cute cat, a perky puppy, and more. (07-10) Abdo 2017 L \$21.19

Hale, Christy. Dreaming Up: A Celebration Of Building. (411981) il. A collection of concrete poetry, illustrations, and photographs that shows how young children's constructions, created as they play, are reflected in notable works of architecture from around the world. (02-08) Lee & Low 2012 B,K+,Q+,M+ (RC) \$21.19

Harbo, Christopher L. Easy Animal Origami. (418638) il. Provides instructions and photo-illustrated diagrams for making a variety of easy animal origami models. **(06-09)** Capstone 2011 L \$20.32

MacLachlan, Patricia. Iridescence Of Birds: A Book About Henri Matisse. (594987) Hooper,
Hadley il. An account of how young Henri Matisse
became an artist whose paintings were vibrant
despite the fact he grew up in a gray dismal town
that lacked sun and natural light. (04-08) Roaring
Brook 2014 B+,K+,L+,Q+,M,W+ (AR) \$20.51

Morales, Yuyi. Viva Frida. (658020) il. Celebrates the life and art of a famous artist in this picture book biography of Frida Kahlo. (04-08) Roaring Brook 2014 B,K,L+,Q+,M+,CA,W+\$20.51

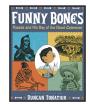
Novesky, Amy. Cloth Lullaby: The Woven Life Of Louise Bourgeois. (683896) Arsenault, Isabelle il. A picture book biography that examines the childhood of sculptor Louise Bourgeois and the experiences that inspired her work. (05-07) Abrams 2016 K+,L,Q+,M,W (AR/RC) \$21.19

Rosenstock, Barb. Noisy Paint Box: The Colors And Sounds Of Kandinsky's Abstract Art. (765108) GrandPre, Mary il. A picture book biography of Russian abstract painter Vassily Kandinsky, who experienced colors as sounds and sounds as colors. (04-08) Knopf 2014 B+,K+,L,Q+,M,CA,W+ (AR/RC) \$20.51

Slade, Suzanne. With Books And Bricks: How Booker T. Washington Built A School. (823744) Tadgell, Nicole il. Booker T. Washington had an incredible passion for learning. Born a slave, he taught himself to read. When the Civil War ended, Booker finally fulfilled his dream of attending school. After graduation, he was invited to teach in Tuskegee, Alabama. Finding many eager students, but no school, Booker set out to build his own school--brick by brick. (07-09) Whitman 2014 B,L,Q,C,W (AR) \$19.81





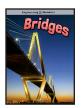












Steptoe, Javaka. Radiant Child: The Story Of Young Artist Jean-Michel Basquiat. (849233) il. A picture book biography about modern art phenomenon Jean-Michel Basquiat of New York City. (04-08) Little 2016 B,K+,L,Q+,M+,CA,W+ (AR/RC) \$20.51

Tonatiuh, Duncan. Funny Bones: Posada And His Day Of The Dead Calaveras. (884829) il. Jose Posada was a Mexican artist whose skeleton drawings are emblematic of Mexico's Dia de los Muertos. Explores the life of the man who created these iconic images. (06-10) Abrams 2015 B+,K+,L+,Q+,M+,C,W+ (AR) \$21.19

Winter, Jeanette. Henri's Scissors. (956792) il. Step into the colorful world of Henri Matisse and his magnificent paper cut-outs. (05-08) Beach Lane 2013 B+,K,L,Q+,M,CA,W+ (AR/RC) \$20.51

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Nonfiction For Older Readers

Antram, David. Draw Caricatures. (064076) il. Provides step-by-step instructions for artists to draw their favorite funny caricatures, including tips, tricks, and more. (08-12) Book House 2017 L \$23.29

Bolden, Tonya. How To Build A Museum: Smithsonian's National Museum Of African American History And Culture. (130465) il. The inside look at the creation of the first national museum devoted to the African-American experience in the United States. (10-14) Viking 2016 B,L+,Q (AR) \$20.51

Bow, James. Maker Projects For Kids Who Love Graphic Design. (139194) il. Discover the elements graphic designers use, such as colors, shapes, fonts, and perspective, to convey their messages. (10-13) Crabtree 2016 L \$14.70

Marcus, Leonard S. Comics Confidential: Thirteen Graphic Novelists Talk Story, Craft, And Life Outside The Box. (602910) il. Thirteen artists and writers who are comics fans give moving, funny, and inspirational anecdotes on the process of creating graphic novels. (12-16) Candlewick 2016 B,K,L+,Q+,M (RC) \$25.41

Mattern, Joanne. Bridges. (613284) il. An introduction to bridges, including the different types, civilizations and people who engineered and risked their lives to construct them, advances in bridge building that have made them safe and effective ways to keep us moving, and more. (08-12) Rourke 2016 B (AR) \$15.20

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- **C** Bulletin of the Center for Children's Books
- **K** Kirkus Reviews
- L School Library Journal
- M Horn Book
- Q Horn Book Guide
- W Publishers Weekly
- + Starred review
- AR Accelerated Reader® test available
- RC Reading Counts® test available
- CCSS Common Core State Standards
- TEKS Texas Essential Knowledge And Skills
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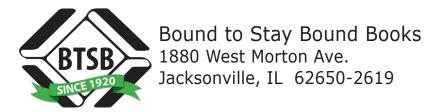
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