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Elementary

Adamson, Ged

041812 Bird Hugs. Bernard, with his impossibly long wings, isn't like other birds. A chance encounter with a dejected orangutan leads Bernard to a surprising discovery: maybe what makes him different is actually something to be embraced. il. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Two Lions E. **B,C,L,W 21.58**

Alexander, Lori

050879 Sporting Chance: How Ludwig Guttman Created The Paralympic Games. The inspiring human story behind the creation of the Paralympics. il. Drummond, Allan. [IL 7-10] 114 pages Houghton 796. **B,K+,L,M+,W (AR) 21.58**

Alloway, Tracy Packiam

054426 Perfect Project: A Book About Autism. When Billy's class has to do a project on trains, it's up to Billy to help his group get the job done. **SEN Superpowers.** il. Sanfelippo, Ana. [IL 5-7] 23 pages QEB E. **20.86**

054491 Playground Problem: A Book About Anxiety. Ruby notices that Joey is sad and doesn't seem to have a friend, so she investigates to see if he's okay and he ends up encouraging her in return. **SEN Superpowers.** il. Sanfelippo, Ana. [IL 5-7] 23 pages QEB E. **20.86**

Alvarez, Julia

055142 Already A Butterfly: A Meditation Story. A too busy butterfly who spends her day hurrying and worrying finds her own "quiet place" after learning about meditation and mindfulness from a flower bud. il. Colon, Raul. [IL 5-8] 34 pages Holt E. **B,K,W 22.28**

Andreae, Giles

061282 Be Brave, Little Penguin. Pip-Pip, the littlest penguin, is teased for being afraid of the water until, with his mother's guidance, he finally jumps in. il. Parker-Rees, Guy. [IL 3-6] 31 pages Orchard E. **K,L,Q,W (AR) 20.88**

Anthony, William

063921 Meditation. Learn the basics of what meditation is and how it can help keep your mind and body healthy. Then, explore different types of meditation. Even try some techniques out for yourself. **Calm Kids.** il. [IL 7-9] 24 pages Bearport 158. **22.26**

Armand, Glenda

068476 Song In A Rainstorm: The Story Of Musical Prodigy Thomas "Blind Tom" Wiggins. Born blind into a life of slavery, Thomas Wiggins was dismissed as a "useless burden." But through the loving protection of his family, he went on to become one of the greatest musicians of his time. il. Jackson, Bea. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Whitman 786-B. **B 21.58**

Asher, Diana Harmon

072793 Sidetracked. Seventh-grader Joseph Friedman is friendless and puny, with ADD to boot. He spends most of his time avoiding the class bully and hiding out in the Resource Room. But the Resource Room teacher encourages (i.e., practically forces) him to join the school cross country team, and he meets Heather, a new student who's tough and athletic and refuses to be pushed around by anybody. [IL 8-12] 233 pages Amulet Fic. **B,C,K,L-,M,Q+ (AR/RC) 20.88**

Bailey, Jenn

080768 Friend For Henry. Henry would like to find a friend at school, but for a boy on the autism spectrum, making friends can be difficult, as his efforts are sometimes misinterpreted, or things just go wrong--but Henry keeps trying, and in the end he finds a friend he can play with. il. Song, Mika. [IL 5-8] 30 pages Chronicle E. **B,K,L,M (AR) 20.88**

Bang, Molly

088439 When Sophie Gets Angry- Really, Really Angry- A young girl is upset and doesn't know how to manage her anger but takes the time to cool off and regain her composure. il. [IL 2-7] 36 pages Blue Sky Press E. **B,C,K,L+ (AR/RC) 14.89**

088430 When Sophie's Feelings Are Really, Really Hurt. 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. il. [IL 4-8] 36 pages Blue Sky Press E. **B,C,K,L,M,Q+,W+ (AR/RC) 22.28**

Bates, Amy June

096332 When I Draw A Panda. When a girl draws a panda, it comes to life and helps her embrace her own creativity and unique way of seeing the world. il. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Simon E. **B,K-,M 21.58**

Battersby, Katherine

096427 Perfect Pigeons. In a flock of "perfectly same" pigeons, one member redefines perfection, demonstrating the joys of being unique. il. [IL 4-8] 34 pages McElderry E. **K 21.58**

Bell, Lula

105647 I Don't Want To Go To School! It's Mouse's first day of school, and she is so nervous. It's Dinosaur's first day of school, too! He is so nervous that he can't eat his toast. And the school looks so scary! But when Mouse and Dinosaur arrive at school, they're both in for a big, happy surprise! il. Fitzgerald, Brian. [IL 3-7] 25 pages Tiger Tales E. **W 21.58**

Bernstein, Ariel

115252 Scary Sleepover. When Michael invites Warren over to go "camping" in his basement, Warren doesn't know if he's more excited or nervous about it. This is his very first sleepover. Sure, Michael promised there would be not one but two desserts to look forward to. But he also said he wants to swap scary stories. Warren can think of nothing more embarrassing than calling his parents to pick him up early from a sleepover, but how is he supposed to fall asleep in a dark basement full of mysterious, unfamiliar noises? **Warren & Dragon 4.** il. Malbrough, Mike. [IL 7-10] 90 pages Viking Fic. **19.48**

Bowers, Matt (Matthew David)

139346 Individual Sports At The Paralympics. An introduction to paralympic athletics, including cycling, archery, triathlon events, descriptions of each men's and women's individual sports, rules, and how they differ from their Olympic counterparts. **Paralympic Sports.** il. [IL 6-9] 32 pages Amicus 796. **L (AR) 24.36**

139890 Team Sports At The Paralympics. An introduction to Paralympic team sports, including football, sitting volleyball, goalball events, descriptions of the men's and women's team sports, rules, and how they differ from their Olympic counterparts. **Paralympic Sports.** il. [IL 6-9] 32 pages Amicus 796. **B,L (AR) 25.06**

Bowling, Dusti

140453 Aven Green Baking Machine. Aven is ready to shake things up by entering the exciting world of competitive baking with her friends Kayla, Sujata, and Emily. She has mastered mixing and measuring with her feet, but one skill she hasn't mastered in the kitchen is working together with her friends. Will adding friends to the mix turn into a recipe for disaster for Aven? **Aven Green 2.** il. Perry, Gina. [IL 6-9] 115 pages Sterling Fic. **18.06**

140448 Aven Green Sleuthing Machine. Third-grader Aven Green has been solving mysteries for a whole month--cracking such cases as **The Mystery of the Cranky Mom**. But can this perceptive detective solve two cases at the same time? First her teacher's lunch bag disappears. Then Aven's great-grandma's dog goes missing. Fortunately, since Aven was born without arms, all the "arm" cells went to her super-powered brain instead. (That's her theory). **Aven Green.** il. Perry, Gina. [IL 7-10] 119 pages Sterling Fic. **B,K,L+,W 18.06**

Brian, Rachel

150462 Worry (Less) Book: Feel Strong, Find Calm, & Tame Your Anxiety. An introduction to anxiety, giving readers the tools to recognize, understand, and help calm their worries, with illustrations that puts readers at ease. il. [IL 6-10] 61 pages Little 155. **B,K+,L 20.18**

Bright, Rachel

151746 Worrysaurus. Worrysaurus has planned a special picnic. But it isn't long before he starts worrying. Can he find a way to soothe his fears away? il. Chatterton, Chris. [IL 4-6] 30 pages Orchard E. **K (AR) 19.48**

Browne, Anthony

162968 What If ... ? The tale of a boy's anxiety as he heads to his first big party. il. [IL 5-8] 30 pages Candlewick E. **B,C,K+,L,M,Q+,W+ (AR) 20.88**

162976 Willy And The Cloud. When a persistent worry begins to cloud Willy's whole day, he finds facing your fears head-on can clear the skies once more. il. [IL 3-7] 25 pages Candlewick E. **Q 20.88**

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Bryant, Jennifer

164431 Six Dots: A Story Of Young Louis Braille. An inspiring picture-book biography of Louis Braille—a blind boy so determined to read that he invented his own alphabet. il. Kulikov, Boris. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Knopf 686-B. **C+,K,M,Q,W+** (AR/RC) **21.58**

Burcaw, Shane

172005 Not So Different: What You Really Want To Ask About Having A Disability. Answers an assortment of mundane and crazy questions kids often ask Shane Burcaw about his life confined to a wheelchair due to Spinal Muscular Dystrophy. il. Carr, Matt. [IL 6-9] 34 pages Roaring Brook 362-B. **B,C,K,L,Q,W** (AR/RC) **21.58**

Calabrese, Keith

180996 Lena's Shoes Are Nervous: A First-Day-Of-School Dilemma. Lena is excited about starting kindergarten but her favorite shoes are not until, with the help of her father and a very special headband, she convinces the shoes—and herself—to be brave. il. Medina, Juana. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Atheneum E. **C,L+,M,Q** (AR) **21.58**

Cameron, W. Bruce

183961 Cooper's Story: A Puppy Tale. Cooper, a malamute-Great Dane puppy, finds purpose as a service dog and emotional support animal to fifth-grader Burke, a boy in a wheelchair. **Dog's Purpose Puppy Tale.** il. Cowdrey, Richard [IL 8-11] 215 pages Starscape Fic. **K- 20.88**

Chang, Kirsten

206692 My Friend Is Blind. An introduction to different characters who are blind, including how blindness may affect their actions, how we can be good friends to people who are blind, and more. **All Kinds Of Friends.** il. [IL 4-7] 24 pages Bullfrog Books 305. (AR) **21.56**
206702 My Friend Is Deaf. An introduction to different characters who are deaf, including how deafness may affect their actions, how we can be good friends to people who are deaf, and more. **All Kinds Of Friends.** il. [IL 4-7] 24 pages Bullfrog Books 305. **B** (AR) **21.56**

206707 My Friend Uses A Wheelchair. An introduction to different characters who use wheelchairs, including how it may affect their actions, how we can be good friends to people who are in wheelchairs, and more. **All Kinds Of Friends.** il. [IL 4-7] 24 pages Bullfrog Books 305. (AR) **21.56**

Chau, Alina

208476 Marshmallow & Jordan. Jordan's days as star player for her school's basketball team ended when an accident left her paralyzed from the waist down. Now, she's still the team captain, but her competition days seem to be behind her... until an encounter with a mysterious elephant, who she names Marshmallow, helps Jordan discover a brand-new sport. il. [IL 8-12] 200 pages First Second 741. **K 19.48**

Cocca-Leffler, Maryann

225300 Belonging Tree. A young squirrel disagrees with his parents who want to exclude such newcomers as the blue jays, chipmunks, and beavers from the squirrels' woodland neighborhood. il. Lombardi, Kristine A. [IL 3-7] 33 pages Holt E. **K,L 22.28**

225248 Janine And The Field Day Finish. Janine is good at a lot of things like singing, cheering, and spelling big words. But she is not very good at sports—her body just doesn't work like the other kids'. On field day at school, Janine tries her best to finish each challenge. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Whitman E. **B,Q** (AR) **20.88**

225246 Same Way Ben. Ben is upset when a substitute teacher changes his school routine, until a visit from his regular teacher and her new baby reveals that change can be good. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Whitman E. **K 20.88**

Coppo, Marianna

242445 Ray. Ray is a light bulb. One day Ray is moved from a confining closet into a portable lantern and taken to a much larger closet (the outside), surrounded by incredible things! il. [IL 3-7] 42 pages Tundra E. **B+,K-,L,W 21.58**

Cotterill, Samantha

244754 Can I Play Too? A young boy building a train track with his friend is headed for trouble until a teacher steps in and helps him learn social cues of anger and happiness. **Little Senses.** il. [IL 3-7] 32 pages Dial E. **B,K,L 20.88**

244756 It Was Supposed To Be Sunny. Laila's birthday party, perfectly planned with her autism in mind, goes awry due to a change in weather and an accident with her cake, but with the help of her mom and her service dog, Laila knows she can handle this. **Little Senses.** il. [IL 3-7] 32 pages Dial E. **K 21.58**

Deedy, Carmen Agra

268197 Rita And Ralph's Rotten Day. Rita and Ralph live on neighboring hills and they are best friends, until a silly accident while goofing around ends up with both of them angry and unhappy—and they both need to find a way to heal the break in their relationship. il. Oswald, Pete. [IL 4-8] 46 pages Scholastic E. **B+,C,K,M,W** (AR) **21.58**

Derr, Aaron

274926 Sports Of The Paralympic Games. The first official Paralympic Games were held in 1960 in Rome with 400 athletes competing from 23 countries. Then in 1976, the first Winter Paralympic Games were held in Sweden. The 2018 Games in PyeongChang were the biggest Winter Games ever with over 500 athletes from nearly 50 countries. Like the Olympic Games, the Paralympic Games showcase super strength and stamina both individually and through teamwork. **Gold Medal Games.** il. [IL 7-10] 48 pages Red Chair 796. **B,L 25.78**

Dewdney, Anna

276348 Llama Llama Misses Mama. Llama Llama experiences separation anxiety on his first day of nursery school. il. [IL 3-6] 31 pages Viking E. **L,Q** (AR/RC) **22.28**

DiCamillo, Kate

276754 Good Rosie! When she is taken to the dog park to play, Rosie doesn't know any of the other dogs there. Will she be able to make new friends? In graphic novel format. il. Bliss, Harry. [IL 5-8] 40 pages Candlewick 741. **B,C,K+,L+,M,Q,W+** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Doerrfeld, Cori

282470 Rabbit Listened. When Taylor's block castle is destroyed, all the animals think they know just what to do, but only the rabbit quietly listens to how Taylor is feeling. il. [IL 3-5] 33 pages Dial E. **L,Q+** (AR) **21.58**

Duling, Kaitlyn

294148 My Friend Has Autism. An introduction to different characters who have autism, including how it may affect their actions, how we can be good friends to people who have autism, and more. **All Kinds Of Friends.** il. [IL 4-7] 24 pages Bullfrog Books 618. (AR) **21.56**

Durfey-Lavoie, Lee

297504 Just Roll With It. Explores the complexity of anxiety, OCD, and learning to trust yourself and the world around you. In graphic novel format. **Just Roll With It #1.** il. Agarwal, Veronica. [IL 8-12] 336 pages Random 741. **CA,K 18.08**

Eaton, Jason Carter

300928 Bad Brows. Bernard is mystified as to why everyone he encounters reacts strangely towards him, but he soon realizes that his facial expressions, more specifically his eyebrows, are conveying emotions he does not feel, leaving Bernard to wonder if he is doomed to live a life with horrendous brows. il. Petrik, Mike. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Abrams E. **K** (AR) **20.88**

Edwards, Nicola

303729 Happy. Gently encourages children to explore their emotions and discover their path to mindfulness. il. Hickey, Katie. [IL 3-7] 32 pages Rodale Kids 158. **B,K 21.58**

Everett, Michele Brummer

318058 Little Helpers. The lives of service animals and the wonderful (and sometimes unexpected!) ways they help people. il. [IL 4-7] 32 pages Houghton 362. **B,K-** (RC) **21.58**

Flood, Bo

343236 I Will Dance. Eva's cerebral palsy makes it difficult for her to do many things, but she longs to dance and, finally, her dream is realized. il. Swaney, Julianna. [IL 4-8] 43 pages Atheneum E. **C,K+** (AR) **21.58**

Frazee, Marla

352531 Little Brown. Little Brown is grumpy and lonely at the dog park, until he decides to take matters into his own hands. il. [IL 2-8] 32 pages Beach Lane E. **B,C,K-,L+,Q,W** (AR) **21.58**



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Freedman, Deborah (Deborah Jane)

352900 *Shy*. Shy loves birds, but he's only ever read about them in books. When a real bird finally comes along, he's dying to meet her, but he's too afraid to leave the gutter of the book. Can he put aside his fears, step out onto the page, and get to know her? il. [IL 3-6] 40 pages Viking E. **B,K+,L,M,Q+,W (AR) 21.58**

Gee, Kimberly

372708 *Mad, Mad Bear!* Bear is very angry that he has to leave the park, but after taking a deep breath he learns to let it go. il. [IL 2-8] 32 pages Beach Lane E. **B,K+,L,Q (AR) 21.58**

Gerber, Alyson

375568 *Taking Up Space*. Twelve-year old Sarah is used to being the star on her basketball team, playing with her best friends, but suddenly she finds that her body is changing, and she does not understand why she cannot keep up on the court, plus she does not understand why her mother has gotten so weird about food, binging on candy while forgetting about dinner. When Benny, her crush, offers to teach her how to cook and recruits her to a cooking competition she starts to stand up for herself and improve things. [IL 8-12] 259 pages Scholastic Fic. **B,K,W (AR) 21.58**

Gianferrari, Maria

376195 *Hello Goodbye Dog*. A student who uses a wheelchair finds a way to see her dog each day in school. il. Barton, Patrice. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Roaring Brook E. **B+,K,L,Q (AR) 21.58**

Golio, Gary

384833 *Dark Was The Night*. The story of Blind Willie Johnson--the legendary Texas musician whose song "Dark Was the Night" was included on the Voyager I space probe's Golden Record. il. Lewis, Earl B. [IL 5-8] 32 pages Nancy Paulsen 781-B. **B,CA,K+,L+,M,W+ (AR) 21.58**

Gravel, Elise

393518 *Great Antonio*. Tells the true story of Antonio Barichievich, the larger-than-life Montreal strongman who had muscles as big as his heart. **Toon Into Reading. Level 2.** il. [IL 6-8] 57 pages Toon Books 796-B. **B,Q+ (AR/RC) 18.06**

393513 *Puppy In My Head: A Book About Mindfulness*. Helps kids cope with anxiety using a dog as a metaphor for the feeling they have in their head and various ways to calm it down. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Harper 155. **K,L,W 21.58**

Grimes, Nikki

402555 *Watcher*. Jordan lives in fear of Tanya, the class bully. But Tanya has problems of her own, no matter how much she tries to ignore them. il. Collier, Bryan. [IL 6-10] 42 pages Eerdmans Fic. **B+,K+,L,Q,W+ (AR) 20.89**

Guglielmo, Amy

406116 *How To Build A Hug: Temple Grandin And Her Amazing Squeeze Machine*. As a young girl, scientist Temple Grandin decides she will build a hug machine! il. Potter, Giselle. [IL 4-8] 41 pages Atheneum 616-B. **B,C,K,L,M,Q,W (AR) 22.28**

406104 *Just Being Dali: The Story Of Artist Salvador Dali*. Salvador Dali struggles to follow the rules and fit in with his peers, until one day he realizes that artists can be and do anything they like. This realization gives him the freedom to truly be himself. il. Helquist, Brett. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Putnam 709-B. **C,K,L,M,W 21.58**

Hall, Michael

413913 *Swing*. As four very different letters arrive at the playground, each makes the next feel unwelcome, but once they begin to swing together, they have a wonderful time. il. [IL 4-8] 36 pages Greenwillow E. **B,K,M 21.58**

Harrington, Brayden

421013 *Brayden Speaks Up*. A thirteen-year-old boy with a stutter gives an incredible speech that electrifies the nation. il. Tang, Betty C. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Harper 305-B. **K,L 22.28**

Hobbie, Holly

449016 *Elmore*. Elmore is a porcupine desperate to make friends. But it is hard to seek closeness with others when you're covered with spikes that shoot off your back every so often! il. [IL 3-7] 31 pages Random E. **B,C,K,L,W+ (AR) 21.58**

Hunt, Lynda Mullaly

471638 *Fish In A Tree*. Ally's greatest fear is that everyone will find out she is as dumb as they think she is because she still doesn't know how to read. [IL 10-14] 276 pages Nancy Paulsen Fic. **B+,C,K,L+,M,Q+,W (AR/RC) 21.58**

Hunter, Linzie

472633 *What If, Pig?* When Pig gets the brilliant idea to throw a party for Mouse and their friends, he can't help but think of everything that could possibly go wrong. After all, what if a lion eats all the invitations? What if nobody comes? Or worse, what if everyone comes and has an awful time? il. [IL 4-8] 38 pages Harper E. **C,L,W 21.58**

John, Jory

492152 *First Day Critter Jitters*. It's almost the first day of school, and the animals are nervous. But the animals all figure out how to help one another through their jitters. il. Climo, Liz. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Dial E. **W (AR) 21.58**

Keller, Laurie

512104 *Hello, Arnie!: An Arnie The Doughnut Story*. Arnie knows all the doughnuts in the bakery, but he and the others are puzzled by the giant round maybe-doughnut (or maybe not doughnut) that Mr. Baker Man has just put on display. **Adventures Of Arnie The Doughnut 5.** il. [IL 2-6] 34 pages Holt E. **B,K (AR) 22.28**

Kerascoet

514999 *I Walk With Vanessa: A Story About A Simple Act Of Kindness*. An elementary school girl witnesses the bullying of another girl, but she is not sure how to help. il. [IL 4-7] 33 pages Schwartz & Wade E. **B,K+,L+,M,Q-,W+ 21.58**

King, Wesley

518551 *Sara And The Search For Normal*. Seventh-grader Sara wants to be normal, but her panic attacks and other episodes cause her to isolate herself until, in group therapy, she meets talkative and outgoing Erin, her first friend. [IL 8-12] 265 pages Simon Fic. **B,C,K,L,M 21.58**

Krull, Kathleen

533313 *Stay Curious: A Brief History Of Stephen Hawking*. A picture-book biography on science superstar Stephen Hawking, whose visionary mind revolutionized our concept of reality and whose struggle with ALS inspired millions. il. Kulikov, Boris. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Crown 530-B. **B,C,K-,L,M+ (AR) 21.58**

Lai, Trevor

537354 *Piggy: Let's Be Friends!* Piggy and Kate invite Miles, a mole who is afraid to come out of the ground, to a tea party with all of their friends. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Bloomsbury E. **K-,L 20.88**

Levis, Caron

567520 *This Way, Charlie*. Jack, an introverted goat, and Charlie, a blind horse, meet at Open Bud Ranch, an animal rehabilitation center, and form an unlikely friendship that grows stronger in the face of adversity. il. Santoso, Charles. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Abrams E. **B,K,L+ (AR) 21.58**

Llenas, Anna

581133 *Color Monster: A Story About Emotions*. A gentle exploration of feelings, starring Color Monster and a little girl. il. [IL 4-8] 35 pages Little E. **K,M,Q (AR) 20.88**

Loewen, Nancy

582769 *Roman And Iris: A Story About Bullying*. Roman is excited to go to summer day camp. But everything goes wrong when Iris starts to pick on him. Roman is being bullied, but he doesn't know how to handle the situation. **Helping Hand.** il. Paganelli, Elisa. [IL 5-8] 22 pages QEB E. **23.68**

Loh-Hagan, Virginia

584138 *Temple Grandin And Livestock Handling*. A biography of the life of Temple Grandin and her contributions to the livestock industry, and more. **21st Century Junior Library Women Innovators.** il. [IL 7-10] 24 pages Cherry Lake 636-B. **22.26**

Lovell, Patty

588449 *Speak Up, Molly Lou Melon*. Molly Lou's mother encouraged her to speak up when something is wrong, for those who can't, and even when it's hard, and all of that comes into play when a bully picks on a new kid at school. il. Catrow, David. [IL 4-8] 31 pages Putnam E. **K,L (AR) 21.58**

588450 *Stand Tall, Molly Lou Melon*. Even when the class bully at her new school makes fun of her, Molly remembers what her grandmother told her and feels good about herself. il. Catrow, David [IL 4-8] 32 pages Putnam E. **C,K,L,Q (AR/RC) 21.58**

Ludwig, Trudy

589986 *Invisible Boy*. Brian has always felt invisible at school, but when a new student, Justin, arrives, everything changes. il. Barton, Patrice. [IL 6-9] 33 pages Knopf E. **B,K,L,Q,W (AR/RC) 21.58**

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590106 Power Of One: Every Act Of Kindness Counts. When one child reaches out in friendship to a classmate who seems lonely, she begins a chain reaction of kindness that ripples throughout her school and her community. il. Curato, Mike. [IL 4-8] 36 pages Knopf E. **K 21.58**

Luyken, Corinna

590896 Book Of Mistakes. 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. il. [IL 4-8] 50 pages Dial E. **B+,K+,L+,Q (AR/RC) 22.28**

Malia, Jen

597624 Too Sticky!: Sensory Issues With Autism. With help from her family and teacher, Holly overcomes her dislike of having sticky hands to participate in a science experiment. Includes author's note about living with autism and sensory issues and a recipe for making slime. il. Lew-Vriethoff, Joanne. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Whitman E. **B,K 20.88**

McGhee, Holly M.

624972 Come With Me. In the face of fear and anger, a little girl's parents teach her bravery and compassion. il. Lemaitre, Pascal. [IL 5-8] 40 pages Putnam E. **L,Q,W (AR) 21.58**

Meltzer, Brad

636304 I Am Helen Keller. When Helen Keller was very young, she got a rare disease that made her deaf and blind. Suddenly, she couldn't see or hear at all, and it was hard for her to communicate with anyone. But when she was six years old, she met someone who would change her life forever: her teacher, Annie Sullivan. With Miss Sullivan's help, Helen learned to speak sign language and read Braille. Armed with the ability to express herself, Helen grew up to become a social activist. **Ordinary People Change The World.** il. Eliopoulos, Chris. [IL 6-8] 40 pages Dial 362-B. (AR) **20.18**

Miller, Pat Zietlow

646392 Remarkably You. Rhyming text encourages young readers to discover what they are good at and use it to make a difference in big ways or in small ones. il. Barton, Patrice. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Harper 155. **L 21.58**

Mortensen, Lori

660461 Chicken Lily. Through puns and poetry, Chicken Lily overcomes her fears and reads a poem onstage at her school poetry jam. il. Crittenden, Nina Victor. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Holt E. **B,K,Q 20.88**

Mosca, Julia Finley

661048 Girl Who Thought In Pictures: The Story Of Dr. Temple Grandin. Describes the life and accomplishments of the animal scientist and designer of cruelty-free livestock facilities, from her early life and autism diagnosis through her journey to become a livestock expert. **Amazing Scientists.** il. Rieley, Daniel. [IL 5-10] 40 pages Innovation Press 636-B. (AR/RC) **17.36**

Palacio, R. J.

695453 We're All Wonders. A picture book about Wonder's Auggie Pullman as a young boy. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Knopf E. **B,Q,W (AR) 22.28**

Paulson, Norene

704792 What's Silly Hair Day With No Hair? Bald for most of her life, Bea, helped by her best friend, Shaleah, struggles to find a way to participate in Silly Hair Day during Silly Spirit Week at school. Includes information about forms of alopecia and other causes of hair loss in children, and about temporary tattoos. il. Carrossine, Camila. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Whitman E. **K,L 20.88**

706364 Things Seen From Above. April is having a difficult time adjusting to sixth grade, so she signs up to be a Buddy Bench monitor for fourth-grade recess and meets Joey Byrd, an autistic boy who communicates using drawings. At first the drawings seem random to April, but she learns over time that Joey is communicating a story that will touch the hearts of their community. il. Jin, Xingye. [IL 8-12] 262 pages Knopf Fic. **B,CA,K,L,M (AR) 20.88**

Percival, Tom

709437 Ruby Finds A Worry. A young girl's sense of adventure and exploration vanishes when she discovers a Worry that grows and grows until she learns how to get rid of it. **Big Bright Feelings.** il. [IL 3-6] 32 pages Bloomsbury E. **B (AR) 21.58**

Petty, Dev

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disorder, it turns her family's world upside-down, especially since they are keeping the information private. [IL 9-13] 306 pages Aladdin Fic. **B,K,L,W** (AR) **21.58**

Demuth, Patricia

273349 Who Is Temple Grandin? Temple Grandin wasn't officially diagnosed with autism until she was in her 40s, but knew at an early age she was different from her family and classmates. She only felt comfortable when spending time with the animals on her aunt's ranch. But instead of seeing her differences as limitations, Temple used them to guide her education and career in animal science. She has become a leading advocate for the autistic as well as for the humane treatment of animals at meat packing companies. *Who Was--?* il. Squier, Robert. [IL 8-12] 107 pages Penguin Workshop 618-B. (AR) **14.29**

Dilloway, Margaret

279505 Five Things About Ava Andrews. A shy eleven-year-old learns to manage her anxiety through improv classes and discovers her activist voice. [IL 8-12] 301 pages Harper Fic. **B,K,L,W** **20.88**

Draper, Sharon M. (Sharon Mills)

290516 Out Of My Mind. Considered by many to be mentally retarded, a brilliant, impatient fifth-grader with cerebral palsy discovers a technological device that will allow her to speak for the first time. [IL 10-14] 295 pages Atheneum Fic. **B+,CA,K+,L+,M,Q+,W** (AR/RC) **22.28**

Easley, Sean

300562 Hotel Between. Twelve-year-old Cameron discovers a magical hotel through which, with the help of new friend Nico, he hopes to find his long-lost father and help for his twin sister Cass's spina bifida. [IL 9-12] 341 pages Simon Fic. **B,K,L** (AR/RC) **21.58**

Finnegan, Margaret Mary

335207 We Could Be Heroes. Fourth-graders Maisie and Hank, who has autism, become friends as they devise schemes to save a neighbor's dog, Booler, from being tied to a tree because of his epilepsy. [IL 8-12] 241 pages Atheneum Fic. **B,C,K,W** (AR) **21.58**

Title Entry

686909 Flying Lessons & Other Stories. From basketball dreams and family fiascos to first crushes and new neighborhoods, this anthology, written by award-winning children's authors, celebrates the uniqueness and universality in all of us. [IL 8-12] 218 pages Crown 808-S. **C+,K+,L+,M,Q+,W+** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Foxlee, Karen

349576 Lenny's Book Of Everything. In 1970s Ohio, Lenny and her younger brother, Davey, who suffers from a rare form of gigantism, cope with his declining health by poring over each installment of Burrell's Build-It-at-Home Encyclopedia Set. [IL 8-12] 314 pages Knopf Fic. **B+,C,K-,L,W** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Frith, Margaret

359459 Who Was Louis Braille? Examines the life and times of the nineteenth-century Frenchman who developed the system of raised dots by which blind people read and write. *Who Was--?* il. Squier, Robert. [IL 8-12] 104 pages Grosset 686-B. (AR/RC) **13.99**

Frost, Helen

360444 All He Knew. In 1939 six-year-old Henry, who is deaf, is taken from his family and placed in a home for the feeble-minded where, years later, his friends include a conscientious objector serving there during World War II. Includes historical notes. [IL 10-14] 254 pages Farrar Fic. **B,C+,K,L+,M,W** (AR) **21.58**

Gephart, Donna

375339 Lily And Dunkin. Lily Jo McGrother, born Timothy McGrother, is a girl. But being a girl is not so easy when you look like a boy. Especially when you're in the eighth-grade. Norbert Dorfman, nicknamed Dunkin Dorfman, is bipolar and has just moved from the New Jersey town he's called home for the past thirteen years. This would be hard enough, but the fact that he is also hiding from a painful secret makes it even worse. One summer morning, Lily Jo McGrother meets Dunkin Dorfman, and their lives forever change. [IL 12-16] 340 pages Delacorte Fic. **B+,C,Q** (AR/RC) **6.50***

Gerber, Alyson

375552 Braced. When twelve-year-old Rachel learns that her scoliosis has worsened and she will need to wear a back brace

to keep her spine straight, she is devastated; afraid that she will not be able to play soccer, and terrified that she will not be able to hide her condition from her friends and classmates--but her mother is determined to spare her the spinal fusion surgery that she herself had as a teenager. [IL 8-12] 287 pages Scholastic Fic. **B+,K+,L,Q** (AR/RC) **20.88**

375556 Focused. Twelve-year-old Clea wants to do her homework, follow instructions, pay attention in school, and play chess on the school team, but somehow she cannot focus on whatever is in front of her, and the other kids at school are starting to notice and make fun of her; when her worried parents take her to be tested she finds out that she has ADHD (only without the hyperactivity)--and with help from the psychiatrist who seems to really understand her she is determined to learn how to focus. [IL 8-12] 288 pages Scholastic Fic. **B+,C,K+,L,Q** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Gigliotti, Jim

378491 Who Was Stephen Hawking? Learn more about the renowned British scientist, professor, and author who spent his entire career trying to answer the question: "where did the universe come from?" *Who Was--?* il. Copeland, Gregory. [IL 8-12] 106 pages Penguin Workshop 530-B. (AR/RC) **13.99**

Gino, Alex

380168 You Don't Know Everything, Jilly P! Jilly thinks she knows everything. When her sister is born deaf, know-it-all Jilly realizes she still has a lot to learn and gets help from an online friend who is also deaf. [IL 8-12] 247 pages Scholastic Fic. **B,CA,K+,L,W+** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Graff, Lisa (Lisa Colleen)

390585 Lost In The Sun. As Trent Zimmerman struggles to move past a traumatic event that took place several months earlier, he befriends class outcast Fallon Little, who helps him understand that he can move on. [IL 10-14] 289 pages Philomel Fic. **B+,C+,K+,L+,M,Q+,W+** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Green, Shari

395798 Macy McMillan And The Rainbow Goddess. Deaf sixth-grader Macy struggles with resentment as her mother sells their house and prepares to add a stepfather and twin stepsisters to their family. Helping an elderly neighbor who is also preparing to move turns from a chore to an escape as Iris finds ways to communicate and shares stories that inspire the girl to look at life in new ways. [IL 8-12] 239 pages Pajama Press Fic. **E** (AR/RC) **20.86**

Green, Tim

395830 Left Out. A standalone football novel that explores one disabled boy's journey to prove that he deserves to be on the field and not warming the bench. [IL 8-12] 341 pages Harper Fic. **Q** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Griffin, Paul

402118 When Friendship Followed Me Home. Seventh-grader Ben, always an outsider, is led into a deep friendship with Halley, who is being treated for cancer, by the special dog he and his adoptive mother take in. il.[IL 10-14] 247 pages Dial Fic. **B,CA,K+,L,Q,W+** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Harrell, Rob

420973 Wink. After being diagnosed with a rare eye cancer, twelve-year-old Ross discovers how music, art, and true friends can help him survive both treatment and middle school. il. [IL 9-12] 314 pages Dial Fic. **B+,K,L,W+** (AR) **20.88**

Herman, Gail

440349 What Are The Paralympic Games? As the Opening Ceremony for the 1948 Summer Olympic Games commenced in London, a similar sporting competition was taking place a few miles away. But the men at Stoke Mandeville weren't your typical athletes. They were paralyzed World War II veterans. The games at Stoke Mandeville were so successful that they would eventually evolve into the Paralympics. *What Was--?* il. Thomson, Andrew. [IL 8-12] 106 pages Penguin Workshop 796. (AR) **13.99**

Hoge, Robert

455038 Ugly. Robert Hoge was born with a tumor the size of a tennis ball in the middle of his face and short, twisted legs, but he refused to let what made him different stand in the way of leading a happy, successful life. This is the true story of how he embraced his circumstances and never let his "ugly" stop him from focusing

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on what truly mattered. il. Robinson, Keith (Norman Keith) [IL 8-12] 200 pages Viking 362-B. **B,C+,K,L,Q,W+** (AR) **20.88**

Holt, K. A.

460896 Benbee And The Teacher Griefer. Told in multiple voices, four summer school classmates band together to save their teacher and their academic futures after Ms. J's unorthodox teaching methods are questioned. **Kids Under The Stairs Bk. 1.** il. [IL 8-12] 336 pages Chronicle Fic. **K** (AR) **21.58**

Jensen, Cordelia

491256 Every Shiny Thing. Seventh-grader Lauren begins stealing to help children who, like her brother, are on the autism spectrum, and Sierra, in foster care in Lauren's neighborhood, fears she will enable Lauren's lawbreaking. Told half in prose, half in verse. [IL 10-14] 361 pages Abrams Fic. **B,L,Q** (AR/RC) **20.88**

John, Antony

492182 Mascot. Noah Savino has been stuck in a wheelchair for months. He hates the way people treat him like he's helpless now. He's sick of going to physical therapy, where he isn't making any progress. He's tired of not having control over his own body. And he misses playing baseball--but not as much as he misses his dad, who died in the car accident that paralyzed Noah. Noah is scared he'll never feel like his old self again. He doesn't want people to think of him as different for the rest of his life. With the help of family and friends, he'll have to throw off the mask he's been hiding behind and face the fears that have kept him on the sidelines if he ever wants to move forward. [IL 8-12] 330 pages Harper Fic. **B,CA,K,L** (AR) **20.88**

Johnson, Terry Lynn

493384 Dog Driven. McKenna, fourteen, is losing her vision to Stargardt's disease, but that will not stop her from competing in a rigorous new sled dog race through the Canadian wilderness. [IL 10-14] 229 pages Houghton Fic. **B+,K+,L** (AR) **20.88**

Kane, Karen

506404 Charlie & Frog. While staying with his grandparents in Castle-on-the-Hudson, Charlie stumbles upon a mystery but must learn American Sign Language to keep up with Frog, a deaf girl who wants to help solve it. **Charlie & Frog v. 1.** [IL 8-12] 249 pages Disney/Hyperion Fic. **B,C,K,L,Q,W** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Kapit, Sarah

507098 Get A Grip, Vivy Cohen! Eleven-year-old knuckleball pitcher Vivy Cohen, who has autism, becomes pen pals with her favorite Major League Baseball player after writing a letter to him as an assignment for her social skills class. [IL 8-12] 326 pages Dial Fic. **B+,K+,L** (AR) **21.58**

Keller, Tae

512072 Science Of Breakable Things. Middle schooler Natalie's year-long assignment to answer a question using the scientific process leads to truths about her mother's depression and her own cultural identity. il. Neonakis, Alexandria. [IL 8-12] 297 pages Random Fic. **E** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Kelly, Erin Entrada

512801 We Dream Of Space. Cash, Fitch, and Bird Thomas are three siblings in seventh grade together in Park, Delaware. In 1986, as the nation waits expectantly for the launch of the Space Shuttle Challenger, they each struggle with their own personal anxieties. il. [IL 8-12] 391 pages Greenwillow Fic. **B+,C+,K,L,M+,W+** (AR) **20.88**

Kelly, Lynne

512796 Song For A Whale. Twelve-year-old Iris and her grandmother, both deaf, drive from Texas to Alaska armed with Iris's plan to help Blue-55, a whale unable to communicate with other whales. [IL 8-12] 303 pages Delacorte Fic. **C,K,L,W** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Keplinger, Kody

514799 Lila And Hadley. Hadley is an angry girl: angry at her mother for embezzling money, angry at her estranged older sister, Beth, whom she has to live with while her mother is in jail, angry at having to move to Kentucky away from her friends, and angry at the world because she has retinitis pigmentosa and is slowly going blind; but then she meets Lila, a rescued pit bull who has not responded to anyone else--so if Hadley can train Lila, maybe the dog can get adopted into her forever home, and just maybe Lila can help Hadley deal with her own problems. [IL 8-12] 245 pages Scholastic Fic. **K,L,W** (AR) **20.88**

King, A. S. (Amy Sarig)

518995 Year We Fell From Space. Middle schooler Liberty likes to make her own maps of the stars, in fact she is obsessed with them, especially since her family is falling apart; her parents are getting divorced, her nine-year-old sister will barely leave the house and carries a stuffed tiger at all times, her father is suffering from depression, but will not talk about it, and the brothers down the street, once friends, have turned into bullies--so when a tiny meteorite literally falls in her lap it is like a sign, but a sign of what? [IL 8-12] 262 pages Scholastic Fic. **B+,C+,K,L,M+,W** (AR/RC) **20.88**

King, Wesley

518525 OCDaniel. A thirteen-year-old boy's life revolves around hiding his obsessive compulsive disorder until a girl at school, who is unkindly nicknamed Psycho Sara, notices him for the first time and he gets a mysterious note that changes everything. [IL 8-12] 292 pages Simon Fic. **CA,K,Q,W** (AR/RC) **6.50***

518551 Sara And The Search For Normal. Seventh-grader Sara wants to be normal but her panic attacks and other episodes cause her to isolate herself until, in group therapy, she meets talkative and outgoing Erin, her first friend. [IL 8-12] 265 pages Simon Fic. **B,C,K,L,M** **21.58**

Levine, Kristin (Kristin Sims)

567221 Thing I'm Most Afraid Of. In 1993, twelve-year-old Becca, who struggles with a anxiety disorder, visits her divorced father in Vienna, Austria, where she befriends a Muslim refugee fleeing the Bosnian genocide. [IL 10-14] 321 pages Putnam Fic. **B,K,L,W** **21.58**

LeZotte, Ann Clare

571212 Show Me A Sign. It is 1805, and Mary Lambert has always felt safe among the deaf community of Chilmark on Martha's Vineyard where practically everyone communicates in a shared sign language, but recent events have shattered her life; her brother George has died, land disputes between English settlers and the Wampanoag people are becoming increasingly bitter, and a "scientist" determined to discover the origins of the islands' deafness has decided she makes the perfect "live specimen"--and kidnapped her. [IL 8-12] 269 pages Scholastic Fic. **B,CA,K+,L+,M,W+** (AR) **22.28**

Long, Jessica Tatiana

585256 Unsinkable: From Russian Orphan To Paralympic Swimming World Champion. Born in Siberia with fibular hemimelia, Jessica Long was adopted from a Russian orphanage at thirteen months old and has since become the second most decorated U.S. Paralympic athlete of all time. Now, Jessica shares all the moments in her life--big and small, heartbreaking and uplifting--that led to her domination in the Paralympic swimming world. il. [IL 12-16] 104 pages Houghton 797-B. **B+,L,Q** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Long, Susan Hill

585213 Magic Mirror: Concerning A Lonely Princess, A Foundling Girl, A Scheming King And A Pickpocket Squirrel. From the time she was a crippled baby, left in a church, Maggie's life has never been easy but when she glimpses her destiny in a magic mirror, she goes off on a quest to find her father and, along the way, finds happiness, as well. [IL 8-12] 309 pages Knopf Fic. **B,C,L,Q** (AR/RC) **6.50***

Lord, Cynthia

587340 Rules. Frustrated at life with an autistic brother, twelve-year-old Catherine longs for a normal existence but her world is further complicated by a friendship with a young paraplegic. [IL 9-12] 200 pages Scholastic Fic. **B,C,K,L,Q** (AR/RC) **20.18**

Lord, Emery

587525 When We Collided. Can seventeen-year-old Jonah save his family restaurant from ruin, his mother from her sadness, and his danger-seeking girlfriend Vivi from herself? [IL 12-16] 344 pages Bloomsbury Fic. **L+,Q** (AR/RC) **6.50***

Lupica, Mike

590875 Team Players. A girl with Asperger's joins Cassie's softball team but not everyone on the team welcomes her, creating a rift between Cassie and her teammates. **Home Team Novel Bk. 4.** [IL 8-12] 291 pages Simon Fic. **K,L,Q** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Mackler, Carolyn

594967 Not If I Can Help It. Willa lives on the upper West Side

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of Manhattan with her divorced father and her younger brother and attends fifth grade with her best friend Ruby, and she likes things to be a certain way, because it makes life manageable even with her Sensory Processing Disorder; she certainly does not like surprises, and her father has just thrown her a big one: he has been dating Ruby's mother, and suddenly Willa's life seems to be spiraling out of her control--and part of the trouble is that she cannot even explain why she thinks this is a horrible idea, when everyone else thinks that it is wonderful. [IL 8-12] 230 pages Scholastic Fic. **B,C,K+,L,M,W** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Manternach, Karla

601959 Meena Meets Her Match. Third-grader Meena Zee navigates the triumphs and challenges of family, friendship, and school while being diagnosed with epilepsy. **Meena Zee Books.** il. Alencar, Rayner. [IL 8-12] 186 pages Simon Fic. **B** (AR) **21.58**

McAnulty, Stacy

617245 World Ends In April. When seventh-grader Eleanor reads an article online claiming that an asteroid will hit Earth in April, she starts an underground school club to prepare kids for the end of the world as we know it. [IL 8-12] 362 pages Random Fic. **B,CA,K,L,W** (AR/RC) **20.88**

McDunn, Gillian

624207 Caterpillar Summer. Since her father's death, Cat has taken care of her brother, Chicken, for their hardworking mother, but while spending time with grandparents they never knew, Cat has the chance to be a child again. il.[IL 8-12] 295 pages Bloomsbury Fic. **E** (AR/RC) **20.88**

McGovern, Cammie

626302 Chester And Gus. A heartwarming middle grade novel about the remarkable bond between an aspiring service dog and a boy in need of a friend, told from the dog's point-of-view. [IL 8-12] 249 pages Harper Fic. **K,Q,W** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Moore, David Barclay

656232 Stars Beneath Our Feet. A boy tries to steer a safe path through the projects in Harlem in the wake of his brother's death. [IL 10-14] 294 pages Knopf Fic. **B,C+,K+,L+,M,Q+,W+** (AR/RC) **21.58**

Morris, Chad

659488 Squint. Flint Minett has keratoconus, an eye disease, but desperately wants to win a comic book art contest so that he and his new friend McKell Panganiban will be better accepted at middle school. [IL 8-11] 252 pages Shadow Mountain Fic. **K,L** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Northrop, Michael

681488 On Thin Ice. The way twelve-year-old Ked Eakins of Norton, Maine, sees it his life has been stolen from him, piece by piece; first by kyphosis, a spinal abnormality which has made him a social outcast at school and a target for the school bully, by his friends who have recently abandoned him, by his mother who left for the West Coast taking the insurance which might have saved him with her, and by his father who is a gambling addict who has lost the rent money--but Ked is a builder, and using the school's Maker Space he intends to build his life back, and maybe make a few real friends, and save his father while he is at it. [IL 9-12] 228 pages Scholastic Fic. **B,CA,K,L** (AR/RC) **21.58**

Ostler, Scott

693900 Bouncing Back. Orphaned thirteen year-old Carlos learns what it truly means to be a teammate when he must help save his new wheelchair basketball team's gym from destruction. [IL 8-12] 296 pages Little Fic. **B+,K,L** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Palacio, R. J.

695446 Auggie & Me: Three Wonder Stories. Three stories about Auggie and his first year at Beecher Prep from the perspectives of Julian, Christopher, and Charlotte. il. [IL 8-12] 303 pages Knopf 808-S. **CA,Q** (RC) **20.88**

695450 Wonder. Auggie, who was born with extreme facial abnormalities and was not expected to survive, goes from being home-schooled to fifth grade at a private middle school in Manhattan, where he endures taunts and fears. [IL 8-12] 315 pages Knopf Fic. **B+,C,K+,L+,M,Q** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Panteleakos, Nicole

698497 Planet Earth Is Blue. Autistic and nearly nonverbal, twelve-year-old Nova is happy in her new foster home and school,

but eagerly anticipates the 1986 Challenger launch, for which her sister, Bridget, promised to return. [IL 8-12] 232 pages Wendy Lamb Fic. **L+** (AR/RC) **14.89**

Patrick, Cat

703539 Paper Heart. Mere months after her best friend's death, thirteen-year-old Tess spends a summer with family in Wyoming, making friends at art camp while being haunted by Colette and her own anxieties. [IL 10-14] 274 pages Putnam Fic. **B,C+,K,L,M** (AR) **21.58**

Pearsall, Shelley

706364 Things Seen From Above. April is having a difficult time adjusting to sixth grade, so she signs up to be a Buddy Bench monitor for fourth-grade recess and meets Joey Byrd, an autistic boy who communicates using drawings. At first the drawings seem random to April, but she learns over time that Joey is communicating a story that will touch the hearts of their community. il. Jin, Xingye. [IL 8-12] 262 pages Knopf Fic. **B,CA,K,L,M** (AR) **20.88**

Pennypacker, Sara

709206 Here In The Real World. Two kids spend a summer creating a world of their own, and along the way discover strengths and gifts they never knew they had. il. [IL 8-12] 320 pages Harper Fic. **B,K,L,M,W+** (AR) **20.88**

Peretti, Paola

709452 Distance Between Me And The Cherry Tree. When nine-year-old Mafalda learns she will go blind in six months from Stargardt Disease, she needs the help of family and friends to retain what is essential to her. il. Rabei, Carolina. [IL 8-12] 215 pages Atheneum Fic. **B,K** (AR) **21.58**

Pla, Sally J.

720144 Someday Birds. Charlie, twelve, who has autism and obsessive compulsive disorder, must endure a cross-country trip with his siblings and a strange babysitter to visit their father, who will undergo brain surgery. il.[IL 8-12] 327 pages Harper Fic. **B,C,K,L,Q,W+** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Reeves, Jordan

744777 Born Just Right. When Jordan Reeves was born without the bottom half of her left arm, the doctors assured her parents she was "born just right." And she has been proving that doctor right ever since! il.[IL 9-13] 151 pages Aladdin 617. **B,L** (AR) **21.58**

Romero, Libby

762927 Helen Keller. The inspiring story of Helen Keller who overcame the odds by learning to understand and communicate with the world despite her disabilities. **DK Life Stories.** il. Ager, Charlotte. [IL 8-12] 128 pages DK Publishing 362-B. **13.99**

Salom, Susie

774874 Kyle Finds Her Way. On her first day in sixth grade Kyle Constantini punches a bully who is bothering Marcy, a deaf classmate--and so begins her tumultuous year at Georgia O'Keeffe Middle School, in a different school than her twin brother, with new friends, new enemies, and the regional NAVS competition to come. [IL 10-14] 248 pages Scholastic Fic. **B,K,L,Q** (AR/RC) **6.50***

Savage, Melissa (Melissa D.)

779846 Karma Moon, Ghosthunter. While in a haunted Colorado hotel for her father's ghost-hunting television series, Karma Moon must battle her anxiety, interpret the signs of the universe, and get footage of a real ghost--you know, the usual. il. [IL 8-12] 337 pages Crown Fic. **K,L,W** **20.88**

Schmitt, Adam P.

786864 Speechless. When his despised cousin Patrick dies, thirteen-year-old Jimmy is put in an impossible situation when his parents force him to eulogize Patrick at the funeral, but as Jimmy reflects on pivotal moments with his cousin, he gains a new perspective. [IL 9-12] 293 pages Candlewick Fic. **B,Q** (AR/RC) **21.58**

Scott, Libby

936391 Can You See Me? Eleven-year-old Tally is starting sixth grade at Kingswood Academy and she really wants to fit in, which means somehow hiding her autism, hypersensitivity to touch, and true self, and trying to act "normal" like her former best friend, Layla, who is distancing herself from Tally and her fourteen-year-old sister, Nell, who is always angry with Tally for being different; but as she records her thoughts and anxieties in her coping diary,

Tally begins to wonder--what is "normal" anyway? [IL 8-12] 362 pages Scholastic Fic. **B,C,K,W+** (AR) **20.88**

792732 Do You Know Me? Tally Olivia Adams is a twelve-year-old (just) autistic girl faced with the prospect of a week-long end-of-the-year class trip, which worries her, because there will be "teams" and "activities" and "competition" all of which terrifies her, especially when she finds out she is not bunking with her friend Aleksandra; the other girls on her team are often nasty, especially Skye--and Tally needs all the life-skills she has learned to cope with and expose the bully, and maybe make some friends. [IL 8-12] 309 pages Scholastic Fic. **K,L** **21.58**

Searle, Sarah Winifred

794224 Sincerely, Harriet. In 1996 Chicago, thirteen-year-old Harriet Flores, living with boredom, loneliness, and a chronic illness, lets her imagination run wild--with mixed results--and learns about the power of storytelling. In graphic novel format. il. [IL 9-13] 176 pages Graphic Universe 741. **K+,L** **17.38**

Shepherd, Gail

810586 True History Of Lyndie B. Hawkins. When twelve-year-old Lyndie and her parents must move to her grandparents' home in small-town Tennessee in 1985, having to keep all family problems private only adds to their problems. [IL 10-14] 297 pages Kathy Dawson Books Fic. **K+,M,Q** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Sloan, Holly Goldberg

824635 Counting By 7s. Twelve-year-old genius and outsider Willow Chance must figure out how to connect with other people and find a surrogate family for herself after her parents are killed in a car accident. [IL 10-14] 380 pages Dial Fic. **B+,C+,K,L+,M+,Q+,W** (AR/RC) **21.58**

Stauffacher, Sue

844437 Space Between Before And After. When 10-year-old Thomas's mother, who suffers from depression, disappears, he creates a fantasy narrative in which his mother is safe and sets in motion a path of healing, not just for himself, but for his father and aunt as well. [IL 9-12] 276 pages Holiday House Fic. **B,C,K,L** (AR) **21.58**

Stoddard, Lindsey

855735 Brave Like That. Eleven-year-old Cyrus knows he is not cut out to be a football hero or fireman like his adopted father, but it takes a skittish stray dog to teach him that he, too, can be brave. [IL 8-12] 261 pages Harper Fic. **B,K,L+** (AR) **20.88**

Sumner, Jamie

865093 Roll With It. Twelve-year-old Ellie, who has cerebral palsy, finds her life transformed when she moves with her mother to small-town Oklahoma to help care for her grandfather, who has Alzheimer's Disease. [IL 10-14] 250 pages Atheneum Fic. **C,K+,L,W+** (AR/RC) **21.58**

865114 Tune It Out. Twelve-year-old Lou Montgomery's life has been centered on her mother's terrifying plan to make her a singing star, but a crisis reveals Lou's sensory processing disorder and people determined to help her address it. [IL 10-14] 275 pages Atheneum Fic. **L+,M** (AR) **21.58**

Swartz, Elly D.

867807 Finding Perfect. With some help from her siblings and friends, Molly is able to face her OCD and be strong enough to get help for it. [IL 8-12] 296 pages Farrar Fic. **B** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Swinarski, Claire

868609 What Happens Next. A twelve-year-old girl throws herself into solving a local mystery to keep from missing her older sister, who has been sent to an eating disorder treatment facility. [IL 8-12] 249 pages Harper Fic. **B,K** **20.88**

Swore, Wendy S.

868972 Monster Like Me. Convinced that if she looks like a monster on the outside (a blood tumor covers half of her face), she must be a monster on the inside as well, Sophie tries to find a cure before her mother finds out the truth. [IL 8-12] 298 pages Shadow Mountain Fic. **B+,K-,L** (AR/RC) **20.88**

Telgemeier, Raina

875107 Guts. A funny true story from the author's childhood about growing up, anxiety that leads to serious stomach problems, and gathering the courage to explore--and eventually conquer--her fears. In graphic novel format. il. Lamb, Braden [IL 8-12] 211 pages 155-B. **B,C,K,L,M+,W+** (AR/RC) **18.08**

Thompson, Gare

880593 Who Was Helen Keller? A biography of the woman who, with the assistance of her devoted teacher Annie Sullivan, achieved success and fame despite being blind and deaf. **Who Was--?** il. Harrison, Nancy. [IL 8-12] 107 pages Grosset 362-B. (AR/RC) **13.99**

Vail, Rachel

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