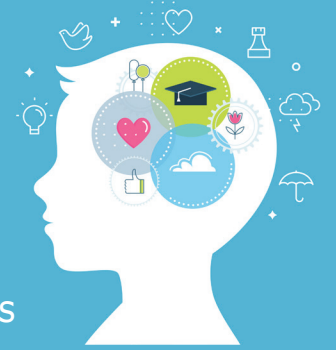


# Social & Emotional Learning

Younger Readers



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SEL is the process through which all young people and adults acquire and apply the knowledge, skills, and attitudes to develop healthy identities, manage emotions and achieve personal and collective goals, feel and show empathy for others, establish and maintain supportive relationships, and make responsible and caring decisions.

## Adamson, Ged

**041929 Scribbly.** Maude moves to a new town and everything feels ... okay. Things would feel just right if only she had a friend. So, Maude draws a blue puppy and names him Scribbly. He plays catch, takes naps, but most importantly, Scribbly teaches Maude the importance of staying true to herself and gives her the courage to meet new friends--both human and four-legged. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Harper E. **B,C,K,L,M,W 22.58**

## Adamson, Heather

**041860 Children's Crusade Of 1963 Boosts Civil Rights.** A captivating look into the Civil Rights Movement and how the actions of children helped promote equality for all races in America. il. [IL 8-12] 32 pages Child's World 323. **B (AR) 23.96**

## Adler, David A.

**042954 Get On The Ice, Mo!** Mo is new to ice hockey and is having trouble staying upright on the ice, but his desire to help the team motivates him to keep getting better. il. Ricks, Sam. [IL 6-8] 32 pages Penguin E. **21.18**

## Agna, Gwen

**491530 Finding Home: Words From Kids Seeking Sanctuary.** In this photographic picture book, the authors record and transcribe the words of displaced children, raising up their voices--who they are, where they came from, and the many different reasons that they had to leave their home country. il. [IL 4-8] 48 pages Clarion 362. **23.98**

## Ahmed, Roda

**047056 Etta Extraordinaire.** When Etta discovers her school is hosting a talent show, she wants to share her many talents with the world. Even though she has never performed onstage before, all Etta needs to do is make a plan (Etta always has a plan!). Find out how Etta beats her worries, with the help of her loving family. il. Burgett, Chloe. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Harper E. **23.98**

## Albus, Kate

**047830 Nothing Else But Miracles.** Living on their own on Manhattan's Lower East Side while their Pop is off fighting in World War II, twelve-year-old Dory Byrne and her brothers discover an abandoned hotel that proves a perfect hideout just when they need it most. [IL 9-12] 272 pages Holiday House Fic. **22.58**

## Aldridge, Ethan M.

**049701 Deephaven.** When Guinevere 'Nev' Tallow receives an acceptance letter to Deephaven Academy, an exclusive and secluded school, they know it's the fresh start that they've been looking for. Nev takes it upon themselves to unravel the mysteries hidden in Deephaven's halls. But will they risk their fresh start to bring the academy's secret to light? il. [IL 8-12] 288 pages Quill Tree Fic. **23.28**

## Allen, Tessa

**053856 Sometimes People March.** An introduction to how Americans exercise their right to speech by marching in the name of justice. il. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Harper 302. **B+,K,W+ 22.58**

## Almond, David

**054429 Color Of The Sun.** When a boy is assumed to have been killed, Davie thinks he might know who is responsible. He turns away from the gossip and excitement to the sunlit summit at the top of the town where what's real and imaginary begin to blur, but also where he begins to realize that amid immorality, there can be kindness, and in darkness, there is a chance for hope. [IL 12-16] 218 pages Candlewick Fic. **B,C,K,L,M,W (AR) 21.38**

**054492 War Is Over.** It's 1918, and John's father is fighting in the trenches. One day John has an impossible moment: a dreamlike meeting with a German boy that gives him a glimpse of a better world. il. Litchfield, David. [IL 9-12] 115 pages Candlewick Fic. **B,CA,K,W (AR) 21.88**

## Alsaid, Adi

**053650 Bravest Warrior In Nefaria.** Welcome to Nefaria, where nearly every day the kingdom faces another evil scheme. Most are harmless, though, so the citizens of Nefaria simply learn to live with it. This includes Bobert Bougainvillea, who is much more concerned with the fact that he seems to be invisible. Everything changes when he follows his classmates to a cursed gumball machine. Before he knows it, Bobert is sucked into one of Nefaria's most villainous evil schemes, a plot that has been a long time in the making. [IL 8-12] 256 pages Aladdin Fic. **23.28**

## Altes, Marta

**055063 Five More Minutes.** A funny story all about time and how children and adults see it VERY differently. il. [IL 2-5] 32 pages Macmillan E. **23.28**

## 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, 23.28**

## Amos, Shawn

**057322 Ellis Johnson Might Be Famous.** After the overnight mega success of his dad's cookie store, twelve-year-old Ellis Johnson is on top of the world. He's met celebrities, strangers stop "the Cookie Kid" on the street, and he's even headed to NYC to be in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade with his dad. Ellis is ready for his star turn, playing harmonica on national television--until his big break turns into the most embarrassing moment of his life. Sequel to *Cookies & Milk*. il. [IL 8-12] 336 pages Little Fic. **21.88**



**Anderson, Beth**

**058959 Lizzie Demands A Seat! Elizabeth Jennings Fights For Streetcar Rights.** "Lizzie" Jennings tried to board a streetcar in New York City on her way to church. She was denied entry and decided to fight back. il. Lewis, Earl B. [IL 5-8] 32 pages Calkins Creek 305-B. **B+,K+,L+** (AR) **22.58**

**Anderson, Laura Ellen**

**058951 I Don't Want To Be Small.** A young boy is frustrated because he is smaller than all his friends, but eventually he realizes that size does not matter when it comes to friendship. il. [IL 3-7] 25 pages Philomel E. **K-,L** **22.58**

**Andreae, Giles**

**061325 Free To Be Elephant Me.** Every young elephant parades their talent in front of the king to earn their special elephant name. But Num-Num doesn't have a special skill to display. With the help from some familiar friends, will this little elephant learn that being yourself is the most important talent of them all? il. Parker-Rees, Guy. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Orchard E. **K,L**, (AR) **23.28**

**Andrews, Julie**

**061621 Enchanted Symphony.** When a village that once thrived on creativity, nature, and time spent together loses sight of the things that once connected them, they barely notice the mist descending upon their town. It takes the actions of an opera maestro and his optimistic son to unite and spark joy in the townsfolk again. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Abrams E. **23.98**

**Angkasa, Clar**

**062493 Stories Of The Islands.** Takes three folk tales from her childhood in Indonesia and gives them back to the girl characters, following their hopes, dreams, and journeys for independence from malevolent forces--both natural and unnatural. In graphic novel format. il. [IL 8-12] 176 pages Holiday House 741. **20.48**

**Annable, Graham**

**063418 EerieTales From The School Of Screams.** No one knows this better than Davis and Emily. But they're not scared of school because of tough tests or merciless vice principals. They're scared because their teacher wants her students to present the class with the spookiest, most chilling stories they can think of. In graphic novel format. il. [IL 8-12] 368 pages First Second 741. **K** **20.48**

**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. il. [IL 7-9] 24 pages Bearport 158. **23.26**

**063924 Mindfulness.** Learn the basic of what mindfulness is and how it can keep your mind and body healthy. Then, explore different mindfulness techniques and tips. Even try some mindfulness practices for yourself. il. [IL 6-9] 24 pages Bearport 158. **23.26**

**063926 Self-Care.** Learn the basics of what self-care is and how it can keep your mind and body healthy. Then, explore different ways to look after yourself. Try some of these practical tips and tricks for yourself. il. [IL 6-9] 24 pages Bearport 613. **23.26**

**063931 Yoga.** Learn the basics of what yoga is and how it can help keep your mind and body healthy. Then, explore different poses and try some out for yourself. il. [IL 6-9] 24 pages Bearport 613. **23.26**

**Applegate, Katherine**

**064854 Dogtown.** Dogtown is a shelter for stray dogs, misbehaving dogs, and discarded robot dogs whose owners have outgrown them. Chance, a real dog, has

been in Dogtown since his owners unwittingly left him with irresponsible dog-sitters who skipped town. Metal Head is a robot dog who dreams of being back in a real home. When Chance and Metal Head embark on an adventure to find their forever homes, there is danger, cheese sandwiches, a charging station, and some unexpected kindnesses along the way. il. West, Wallace. [IL 8-12] 208 pages Feiwel and Friends Fic. **22.58**

**Arena, Jen**

**068226 Give.** A group of kids learn about the act of giving all kinds of things, from scarves to a hug. il. Bell, Rahele Jomepour. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Knopf 179. **23.28**

**Aronson, Katelyn**

**071084 Clovis Keeps His Cool.** A bull faces off against a crowd of bullies and figures out how to manage his own temper. il. Farb, Eve. [IL 4-8] 30 pages Page Street Kids E. **K,L+** (AR) **23.28**

**Ashman, Linda**

**072877 I Like This, You Like That.** A rhyming friendship story told in two voices, this picture book follows two children as they try to find common ground, from favorite toys to shaggy dogs to pizza toppings. il. Coy, Eve. [IL 3-5] 25 pages Abrams E. **B,L+** **21.88**

**Athaide, Tina**

**074740 Meena's Mindful Moment.** After her excitement spins out of control in slapstick comedic scenes, an energetic young girl discovers how to calm down and be present in the moment, thanks to her grandfather's help. il. Gilland, Asa. [IL 4-8] 26 pages Page Street Kids E. **K-** **22.58**

**Atinuke**

**074947 Merry Christmas, Anna Hibiscus!** When Anna leaves her family home in Africa to visit her Canadian grandmother, she discovers how resilient she can be. il. Tobia, Lauren. [IL 6-9] 112 pages Candlewick Fic. **15.89**

**Ayala-Kronos, Chris**

**077766 Chill, Chomp, Chill!** Meet Chomp, a preschooler with lots of feelings ... who is also a T. Rex! Join him as he learns to navigate his emotions while participating in activities with his teacher and classmates. il. Sordo, Paco. [IL 4-6] 32 pages Clarion E. **K** **22.58**

**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** (AR) **21.88**

**Baillie, Kaye**

**080863 Boo Loves Books.** Some dogs are shy and anxious; so are some children. Can Boo and Phoebe turn their fears into a positive experience? A book that celebrates the joy of reading. il. Grimwood, Tracie. [IL 4-8] 31 pages New Frontier E. **22.58**

**Baldwin, Cindy**

**086311 Beginners Welcome.** Annie Lee makes two new friends after trying to bounce back from her father's death. But when one friend goes missing and trying to find him means breaking a promise to the other, how will she deal with the difficult choice? [IL 8-12] 325 pages Harper Fic. **B,L** (AR) **21.88**

**Banghart, Tracy**

**088414 Love Like Chocolate.** As a family welcomes an adopted little girl to their home, her brother takes it upon himself to teach his new sister their traditions. For good days and bad, for birthdays, holidays, and everything in between, their family always celebrates

with chocolate. But the boy soon realizes that his sister might have favorite treats of her own, and that if they work together, they can create new traditions and memories together. il. Chau, Alina. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Little E. **23.28**

**Baptist, Kelly J.**

**088593 Ready, Set, Dough!** Spunky sixth-grader Zoe Sparks has discovered a unique way to get the laptop of her dreams--to win it! If Zoe can sell more tubs of cookie dough than anyone in her school, the laptop is hers. It's the first step to becoming a prize-winning journalist! But her win-at-all-costs attitude is starting to drive a wedge between Zoe, her best friend Felix, and her family. [IL 8-10] 176 pages Crown Fic. **21.88**

**Barnes, Derrick**

**091551 Santa's Gotta Go!** When Santa stays with the Mack family while he waits for his sleigh to be repaired, they discover that he isn't the best houseguest. il. Lovett, Courtney. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Nancy Paulsen E. **23.28**

**Barnett, Mac**

**091682 Great Zapfino.** To escape a burning building, Zapfino must confront the fears that forced him out of the circus. il. Frazee, Marla. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Beach Lane E. **B,C,K+,L+ 22.58**

**091701 Tres Chivitos Gruff (Three Billy Goats Gruff)** Once there was a bridge and a terrible and VERY hungry troll lived underneath it. When the three Billy Goats Gruff decide to clip-clop across the bridge to get to the grassy ridge, the troll is already imagining all the ways to prepare a delicious goat dinner. But the troll underestimates those seemingly sweet but oh-so-savvy goats! In Spanish. il. Klassen, Jon. [IL 4-8] 48 pages Scholastic 398-E. **16.34**

**Barry, Mark**

**094042 Books Aren't For Bears.** Bear learns to read from a book he finds in the woods, so, hoping for more, he sets out for the city, but people tell him that books are not for bears and chase him away--except for the librarian, who understands. il. Halford, Katy. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Capstone E. **23.28**

**Barton, Bree**

**095115 Zia Erases The World.** Zia remembers the exact night the Shadoom arrived. One moment she was laughing with her best friends, and the next a dark room of shadows had crept into her chest--until Zia discovers an old family heirloom: the C. Scuro Dictionary. Hidden within its magical pages is a mysterious blue eraser. When Zia starts to erase words that remind her of the Shadoom, they disappear one by one from the world around her. But things quickly dissolve into chaos, as the words she erases turn out to be vital. [IL 8-12] 236 pages Viking Fic. **B,C,K 21.88**

**Barton, Chris**

**095010 All Of A Sudden And Forever: Help And Healing After The Oklahoma City Bombing.** On April 19, 1995, a man parked a truck in front of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City with a bomb in it and he exploded it. This picture book commemorates what was lost and offers hope for the future. il. Xu, Nicole. [IL 6-8] 40 pages Carolrhoda 363. **B,K+,L (AR) 20.48**

**Bates, Amy June**

**339775 Sombrilla Grande (Big Umbrella)** A spacious umbrella welcomes anyone and everyone who needs shelter from the rain. In Spanish. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Simon E. **16.34**

**Bayron, Kalynn**

**098688 Secret Of The Reaping.** Boog and her best friends, Cedrick, Jules, and Aaron--aka The Squad--stick together, no matter what. Now that vampires have

returned, they'll need to take their Vanquisher lessons more seriously than ever. But who is behind this return of the undead? [IL 8-11] 288 pages Bloomsbury Fic.

**22.58**

**Behar, Ruth**

**102035 Pepita Meets Bebita.** When dog meets baby, it will take a little time and a lot of love for Pepita and Bebita to become the best of friends. il. Lechuga, Maribel. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Knopf E. **23.28**

**102040 Pepita Y Bebita (Pepita Meets Bebita)**

When dog meets baby, it will take a little time and a lot of love for Pepita and Bebita to become the best of friends. In Spanish. il. Lechuga, Maribel. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Knopf E. **23.28**

**Bell, Kristen**

**106268 World Needs More Purple People.** An energetic and joyous read-aloud that offers a wonderful message about embracing the things that bring us together as humans. il. Wiseman, Daniel. [IL 3-7] 33 pages Random E. **K (AR) 22.58**

**Berenstain, Mike**

**112227 Berenstain Bears' Extra Special Valentine.** It's Valentine's Day in Bear Country, and Brother and Sister Bear have made Valentines for all their friends. Brother Bear has even made a big card for someone special--and Sister Bear wants to guess who! But when Brother Bear doesn't share the card with anyone at school, who could it be for? il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Harper E. **14.99**

**Berne, Emma Carlson**

**114879 One Horn To Rule Them All.** Join the spunky and powerful Sparkle Dragons as they blast their glitter fire and put their brains together to save the queendom from a malicious unicorn. In graphic novel format. (Postponed from Spring 2023) il. Flowers, Luke. [IL 6-10] 144 pages Clarion 741. **16.34**

**Bertman, Jennifer Chambliss**

**116761 Good Deed Can Grow.** A gentle and lyrical picture book that celebrates the importance and impact of good deeds, all by showcasing the magic of nature, kindness, and nurturing community. il. Hatam, Holly. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Little E. **23.28**

**Betancourt-Perez, Jessica**

**117196 Mil Mariposas Blancas (Thousand White Butterflies)** Newly arrived from Colombia, Isabella's first day of school in the United States is cancelled because of snow and when Isabella notices a girl playing outside she makes a new friend, despite the language barrier. In Spanish. il. Maldonado, Gina Lorena. [IL 5-8] 40 pages Charlesbridge E. **22.58**

**Bingham, Winsome**

**120210 Walk.** As a little girl accompanies her grandma on a walk to the polling station, members of their community join and the grandmother explains the importance of their journey. il. Lewis, E. B. (Earl Bradley) [IL 4-8] 33 pages Abrams E. **23.28**

**Black, Holly**

**123498 Sir Morien: The Legend Of A Knight Of The Round Table.** Prince Morien was brave and clever and true... The brave North African knight Morien is on a quest to find his father, who had set off on an adventure of his own and never returned. But every knight he meets wants to fight! At first, Morien is determined to best them all, until he meets some knights willing to quest with him. Together, they discover not only the importance of friendship, but also Morien's long-lost father! il. Ebony, Glenn. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Little 398-E. **23.28**

**Bloom, Suzanne**

**127789 Zack And Ike Are Exactly Alike.** Zack and Ike are best friends who like to think they're exactly alike. But what happens when these best friends

disagree? And what happens when they meet a new friend who is exactly different--or is she? il. [IL 3-7] 32 pages Boyds Mills E. **L 22.58**

**Boehman, Meghan**

**129829 Dear Rosie.** A group of animal friends navigates a new school year together as they grieve the loss of their friend, Rosie. In graphic novel format. il. Briner, Rachael. [IL 8-12] 203 pages Knopf 741.

**19.78**

**Bowling, Dusti**

**140451 Across The Desert.** While using a public library computer to find help for her mother who is addicted to pain medicine, twelve-year-old Jolene witnesses a friend's livestreamed crash-landing in the Arizona desert and embarks on a journey to rescue her. [IL 8-12] 310 pages Little Fic. **B+,K,L+ (AR) 21.88**

**140442 Dust.** When a boy with a terrible secret moves to town there is a sudden increase in dust storms, and asthmatic Avalyn theorizes the storms are linked to his emotions and tries to help as she struggles to breathe. [IL 8-12] 340 pages Little Fic. **21.88**

**Bradford, Wade**

**143218 Dr. Seuss's Horton Hears A Boo!** Join Dr. Seuss's beloved character Horton the elephant and friends on a Halloween adventure as they try to overcome their fears and find the source of a spooky sound. il. Brannon, Tom. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Random E.

**17.68**

**Bramucci, Stephen**

145184 **Race For The Ruby Turtle.** Jake Rizzi is spending the summer at his great-aunt's cabin in the mossy, sodden Oregon backwoods to give his parents a break, but he isn't sure about her off-the-grid lifestyle and stories about a turtle with a ruby-colored shell. He soon finds the turtle is more than a myth. And thanks to a viral article online, strangers have even arrived to search for it. Jake feels sure that finding the turtle will change how people see him, but to do that he'll need help from his new friend Mia. [IL 8-11] 224 pages Bloomsbury Fic. **22.58**

**Brannen, Sarah S.**

**147067 Bear Needs Help.** A young bear needs help with an untied shoe. il. [IL 3-6] 32 pages Philomel E. **B,C,K,L 21.88**

**147088 Perfect Day.** A seagull is enjoying a perfect day until a disagreeable crab comes along, but by sunset, they have discovered what really makes a day perfect. il. [IL 3-7] 32 pages Philomel E. **C,K,L 22.58**

**Brantley-Newton, Vanessa**

**147154 Just Like Me.** Poems for girls of all kinds whether they're shy or outgoing, live in the city or country, feel confident and powerful or feel afraid. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Dragonfly Books 811. (paperback edition) **7.87**

**675422 Just Like Me.** Poems for girls of all kinds whether they're shy or outgoing, live in the city or country, feel confident and powerful or feel afraid. il. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Knopf 811. **B,K,L (AR) 22.58**

**Bridges, Ruby**

**150528 Dear Ruby, Hear Our Hearts.** A compilation of letters from concerned young students about today's issues, including bullying, climate change, gun violence, and racism. Reading Ruby's intuitive and inspirational responses, young readers will embrace the courage to be brave, bold, and confident. il. Cabuay, John Jay. [IL 5-7] 32 pages Orchard 379. **23.28**

**Briseno, Stephen**

**152448 Notebook Keeper: A Story Of Kindness From The Border.** After traveling to Tijuana, Mexico, Noemi and her mother are denied entry at the border and must find the refugee in charge of the notebook,

an unofficial ledger of those waiting to cross into the United States. il. Mora, Magdalena. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Random House Studio E. **B+,K,L 22.58**

**Brockington, Drew**

**153947 Flight Or Fright.** Waffles, Pancake, and Mom-Cat go to visit Gramps and Grammers, but this is the kittens' first time flying on an airplane, and Waffles is a little nervous. In graphic novel format. il. [IL 6-8] 57 pages Little 741. **19.08**

**153939 Hangry.** A young monster takes the train into the big city, only to find his favorite hot dog vendor is closed and he's unable to satiate his hunger, leading to an epic case of destructive crankiness. il. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Little E. **C,K,L,Q 22.58**

**Bryant, Megan E.**

**164403 Ready Or Not!** Nine-year-old Abby McAdams grapples with changes in her home life, her body, and her perspective on the world as she navigates fourth grade. [IL 8-12] 194 pages Penguin Workshop Fic. **B 21.88**

**Bryon, Nathan**

**164760 Rocket Says Speak Up!** When Rocket finds out that her town's library is closing, she knows something must be done. Inspired by the activism of Rosa Parks, Rocket rallies support from her peers, and together they lead a peaceful protest that spreads awareness and raises enough money to save their beloved library. il. Adeola, Dapo. [IL 3-7] 32 pages Random E. **23.28**

**Bstan-'dzin-rgya-mtsho, Dalai Lama XIV**

**254716 Seed Of Compassion: Lessons From The Life And Teachings Of His Holiness The Dalai Lama.** Told through stories of his own childhood, the Dalai Lama shares lessons of peace and compassion. il. Luu, Bao. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Kokila 294-B. (AR) **23.28**

**Bullis, Amber**

**169948 Empathy.** Learn what empathy is, how and why to show it, how to use mindfulness to better practice empathy, and how to encourage it in others. il. [IL 7-10] 24 pages Blue Owl 155. **23.26**

**169976 Respect.** Learn what respect is, how and why to show it, how to use mindfulness to better practice respect, and how to encourage it in others. il. [IL 7-10] 24 pages Blue Owl 179. **23.26**

**Burach, Ross**

**171864 Little Butterfly That Could.** An extremely confused and frightened butterfly turns to a whale for guidance on how to reach the flowers--and encouragement as the whale advises him to never give up on his migration. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Scholastic E. **K (AR) 22.58**

**Burgan, Michael**

**172954 Who Was Confucius?** Learn about China's most famous teacher and philosopher, whose ideas are still influential today in the teachings known as Confucianism. il. Squier, Robert. [IL 8-12] 108 pages Penguin Workshop 181-B. (AR) **15.29**

**Burgess, Matthew**

**173434 Sylvester's Letter.** Some letters can't be delivered in the usual way...but Sylvester has a plan: if it's couriered by some energetic parachutists, a train speeding through the jungle, and a river packed with piranhas and pink dolphins, his letter is sure to reach its final destination. What makes this letter so important? Well, Sylvester wrote it for his beloved G.G. (Great Grandma), who he's missing, and it's filled with happy memories and loads of love. il. Cochran, Josh. [IL 6-10] 36 pages Enchanted Lion E. **23.96**

**173437 Unbudgeable Curmudgeon.** Explores several different fun methods of how kids can get rid of grouchiness. il. Woodcock, Fiona. [IL 4-8] 25 pages Knopf E. **L+ (AR) 22.58**

**Button, Lana**

**179433 *Tayra's Not Talking*.** Why doesn't the new student in Miss Seabrooke's kindergarten class say anything when the other students talk to her? Tayra won't even answer the teacher! Kitty decides she'll show Tayra things instead of telling her. Soon the pair are communicating with gestures, drawings and smiles. il. Battuz, Christine. [IL 3-7] 32 pages Kids Can E. **L+ 23.28**

**Callender, Kacen**

**183918 *King And The Dragonflies*.** In a small Louisiana town, one boy's grief takes him beyond the bayous of his backyard, to learn that there is no right way to be yourself. [IL 8-12] 259 pages Scholastic Fic. **B+,C,K,L (AR/RC) 22.58**

**Camacho-Church, Adriana**

**183933 *Grandma, Where Will Your Love Go? = Abuela, Adonde Ira Tu Amor?*** A grandmother assures her granddaughter that her love will always surround the young girl, even when she is no longer physically present. In English and Spanish. il. Hauviller, Gaston [IL 4-7] 32 pages Pinata E. **23.26**

**Carter, Caela**

**195252 *Fifty-Four Things Wrong With Gwendolyn Rogers*.** Chronically frustrated eleven-year-old Gwendolyn Rogers comes to realize she has an undiagnosed mental health issue and tries every way possible to get control of her emotions. [IL 8-12] 317 pages Quill Tree Fic. **B+,C,K,L (AR) 21.88**

**Chambers, Veronica**

**205475 *Flora La Fresca Y El Arte De La Amistad (Flora La Fresca & The Art Of Friendship)*** Ten-year-old larger-than-life Flora Violeta LeFevre uses humor and a little mischief to navigate her best friend moving away, her sister's overbearing and all-consuming quince preparations, and a surprising new friendship. In Spanish. il. Rim, Sujean. [IL 8-12] 192 pages Vintage Espanol Fic. **19.06**

**Chapman, Jared**

**207336 *Seals Are Jerks!*** A young girl is determined to find out the truth about her favorite animals -- and find out once and for all, are seals really jerks and do they really eat penguins?! il. [IL 4-8] 41 pages Orchard E. **23.28**

**Cheong, Peter**

**209723 *Every Night At Midnight*.** A werewolf named Felix struggles to make friends in his human form until he meets someone else like him. il. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Atheneum E. **23.28**

**Christou, Bethany**

**213957 *Nervous Nigel*.** A nervous crocodile from a long line of competitive swimmers must find the courage to be honest with his family. il. [IL 3-7] 40 pages Templar E. **L 23.28**

**Churnin, Nancy**

**214852 *Lila And The Jack-O'-Lantern: Halloween Comes To America*.** An Irish immigrant moves to America, bringing along a now-beloved Halloween tradition. il. Bray, Anneli. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Whitman E. **23.28**

**214853 *Mama's Year With Cancer*.** Explores the impact of a parent's cancer diagnosis on a child's daily life, while offering kids ways to help loved ones on their recovery journey. il. Pink, Wazza. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Whitman E. **23.28**

**Clarkson, Chris (Christopher Anthony)**

**218659 *Where Did Benjamin Go?*** Charlie uses happy memories to cope with the loss of his older brother, and soon discovers that Mom and Dad each do the same. il. Barber, Annalise. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Abrams E. **23.28**

**Clayton, Dhonielle**

**220317 *Memory Thieves*.** In this fantasy adventure set in a global magic school in the sky, Ella, Jason, and Brigit return for their second year at the Arcanum Training institute. [IL 8-12] 400 pages Holt Fic. **22.58**

**Clement, Gary**

**221503 *K Is In Trouble*.** K is nice, polite, and always does as he's told. K is also always, always in trouble. Whether it's his easily annoyed parents or prickly pedestrians on the street, K gets on everyone's bad side and he didn't even do anything wrong! In graphic novel format. il. [IL 7-12] 224 pages Little 741. **19.78**

**Cline-Ransome, Lesa**

**222858 *Fighting With Love: The Legacy Of John Lewis*.** The story of a groundbreaking civil rights leader, John Lewis, comes to life. il. Ransome, James. [IL 4-8] 48 pages Simon 328-B. **23.28**

**222871 *Leaving Lymon*.** Raised by his grandparents, first in Mississippi then in Wisconsin, ten-year-old Lymon moves to Chicago in 1945 to live with the mother he never knew, while yearning for his father. [IL 8-12] 199 pages Holiday House Fic. **B,K+,L (AR) 22.58**

**Coe, Victoria J.**

**225602 *Fenway And The Great Escape*.** One day on a hike, Fenway finally convinces Hattie to take off his leash so he can run free with dogs, and as always, keep humans safe from any squirrels. He can't wait to tell all his friends at home that he officially doesn't need a leash anymore! But the next time Fenway runs free on a hike, things don't go so well. il. Lew-Vriethoff, Joanne. [IL 5-8] 96 pages Putnam Fic. **21.18**

**Colfer, Eoin**

**230479 *Dog Who Lost His Bark*.** Oz the puppy has suffered at the hands of some bad people and no longer knows whom to trust. When Patrick finds Oz, he is determined to coax the frightened little dog's bark back. il. Lynch, Patrick James. [IL 7-10] 134 pages Candlewick Fic. **B,C,K,L (AR/RC) 21.88**

**Collier, Bryan**

**230714 *Music Is A Rainbow*.** After a tragedy a young boy discovers a connection between music and colors that helps guide him and gives him comfort in times of darkness. il. [IL 4-8] 41 pages Little E. **B,K+,L+ 23.28**

**Collier, Nicole D.**

**230712 *Just Right Jillian*.** Fifth-grader Jillian must learn to speak and break free of her shell to enter her school's academic competition and keep her promise to her grandmother. [IL 8-12] 215 pages Versify Fic. **B,C,K,L 21.88**

**Collins, Ross**

**231494 *We Disagree About This Tree: A Christmas Story*.** Bear and Mouse have finally overcome their differences and are living together in perfect harmony... until it's time to decorate the Christmas tree! Follow-up to *There's A Bear On My Chair* and *There's A Mouse In My House*. il. [IL 2-5] 32 pages Candlewick E. **21.88**

**Comrie, Courtney**

**234430 *Rain Remembers*.** Rain is confronted with many changes and challenging experiences in a new school, that will put the happiness she's worked so hard to cultivate to the test. Sequel to *Rain Rising*. [IL 8-12] 336 pages Harper Fic. **23.98**

**Conklin, Melanie**

**235483 *When You Have To Wait*.** A warm and relatable picture book about mastering the art of patience. il. Hong, Leah. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Roaring Brook E. **23.28**

**Conn, Marla**

**236054 *Let's Help Out, Dear Dragon!*** A boy and his pet dragon find joy in being helpful to others by walking

the dog, raking leaves, and washing the dishes. il. Schimmell, David. [IL 4-6] 23 pages Norwood House E. (AR) **22.56**

**Cordell, Matthew**

**243752 Cornbread & Poppy At The Museum.** Cornbread LOVES spending time inside. Not Poppy. Cornbread adores in-depth research. Not Poppy. Cornbread is THRILLED to visit Moonville Museum. Not Poppy. But they're best of friends, so when Cornbread is invited to the Founders Gala for the unveiling of a surprise new exhibit, Poppy agrees to go. Their evening is full of spectacular treasures, including hand-carved hairbrushes, diamond-encrusted perfume sprayers, and a solid gold ice cream scoop. What other wonders will these mice discover? il. [IL 4-8] 80 pages Little E.

**15.23**

**Corrigan, Kathleen**

**244086 Boy Who Cried Wolf.** Readers will learn why telling the truth is important while they learn about the diphthongs oi and oy in this retelling of *Boy Who Cried Wolf*. il. [IL 7-9] 24 pages Norwood House 428.

**18.34**

**244087 Tortoise And The Hare.** This retelling of the classic fable lets readers build on their earlier taught sounds and learn about the complicated vowel teams au, aw, and o as they also learn you shouldn't take things for granted--it's always best to put in your full effort. il. [IL 7-9] 24 pages Norwood House 428.

**18.34**

**Cotler, Joanna**

**244681 Sorry (Really Sorry)** After Cow's bad mood spreads to the whole farm, Dog starts a new chain reaction by showing kindness. il. Bliss, Harry. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Philomel E. **B,K+,L (AR) 22.58**

**Cousins, Lucy**

**245981 Maisy's Big Book Of Kindness.** Join Maisy and her pals as they explore everyday acts of kindness--from sharing toys to making cards or gifts, nurturing animals to caring for the environment, looking out for one another to taking care of themselves! il. [IL 3-5] 48 pages Candlewick E. **22.58**

**Cousseau, Alex**

**245983 Brothers Zzli.** A newly arrived bear family receives both welcome and suspicion as they try to make a new home in the forest. il. Boutin, Anne-Lise. [IL 6-9] 33 pages Eerdmans E. **22.58**

**Cronin, Doreen**

**250538 Lawrence & Sophia.** Lawrence stays close to home because "out there" is too big and loud. Sophia stays high up in the tree branches because "down there" is too dark and dangerous. When they meet and become friends, they find ways to enjoy each other's company without leaving their own safe spots ... until a storm comes. il. Cronin, Brian. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Rocky Pond E. **23.28**

**Crossmeister, David**

**251304 What Happens At A Funeral?** Helps readers understand what they might expect during and after a funeral, introduces places such as the cemetery, objects such as a coffin, how to cope with emotions, and more. il. [IL 8-11] 24 pages PowerKids 393. **B 16.42**

**Culley, Betty**

**252254 Natural Genius Of Ants.** Harvard, his younger brother, and his dad move to Maine for the summer, where they start an ant farm with their neighbor Neveah and learn about ants, each other, and how to forgive yourself when things do not go as planned. [IL 8-12] 229 pages Crown Fic. **B+,K 21.88**

**Cummings, Troy**

**252356 Otto The Ornament.** Otto is an ornament. He's glittery, he's colorful, he's full of Christmas pizzazz! Otto wants to be at the top of the tree, not in

the middle with all of the regular ornaments! Doesn't he deserve to shine at the top? il. [IL 3-7] 40 pages Random E. **19.08**

**Curry, Parker**

**253782 Parker's Big Feelings.** Parker is not having a good day. All she wants is some time alone to read her book, but her brother and sister will not stop following her around. Parker is feeling lots of big feelings. How can Parker turn a bad day into something good? il. Jackson, Brittany. [IL 4-6] 32 pages Simon E.

**14.54**

**Cushman, Karen**

**254046 War And Millie McGonigle.** Millie McGonigle lives in sunny California near the beach and surf, but times are tough. Hitler is trying to take over Europe, the U.S. may get pulled into the war, food is rationed, money is tight, and Millie's sickly little sister gets all her family's attention. Will Millie be able to find her way in her family, and keep her balance as the world around her loses its own? [IL 8-12] 214 pages Knopf Fic. **B,C,K+,L (AR) 21.88**

**Daciute, Evelina**

**254323 Fox On The Swing.** Paul, who lives in a cozy treehouse in a big city with his family, befriends a wise, friendly fox on a walk home from the bakery. The fox encourages Paul to think about what makes him happy and what friendship means. il. Kiudulaite, Ausra. [IL 4-8] 48 pages Thames & Hudson E. **K+ (AR) 21.86**

**Dakos, Kalli**

**212009 Get Me Out Of This Book: Rules & Tools For Being Brave.** Max, a skittish bookmark, learns to conquer his fear of books by using rules and tools inspired by the Navy SEALs. il. Infante, Sara. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Holiday House E. **K,L 22.58**

**Datcher, Michael**

**259070 Harlem At Four.** Two stories about Harlem; the first chronicles the adventures of a four-year-old Black girl named Harlem, and the second describes the history of the New York neighborhood of Harlem and the start of America's Great Black Migration. il. Morrison, Frank. [IL 4-8] 48 pages Random Studio E. **23.28**

**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 (AR) 23.28**

**Delacre, Lulu**

**270974 Veo, Veo, I See You.** Celebrates essential workers during the COVID-19 pandemic. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Atheneum E. **23.28**

**Denos, Julia**

**273866 Here And Now.** Illustrations and easy-to-read text celebrate mindfulness and the connectedness of everything on Earth. il. Goodale, E. B. [IL 4-7] 33 pages Clarion E. **B,C+,K+,L (AR) 22.58**

**Derby, Cindy**

**274444 Oh, Panda.** An adorable (And ingenious!) panda bear must find the grit within to climb--and overcome--a snowy, slippery mountain. il. [IL 2-5] 40 pages Knopf E. **23.28**

**Desormeaux, Allyson**

**275173 Camel, The Deer, And The Horse.** Sharing and friendship are explored in this retelling of the fable *The Camel, The Deer, And The Horse*. Readers will learn the r controlled vowel or pattern as they hear about Camel's kindness to her friends has different outcomes. il. [IL 7-9] 24 pages Norwood House 428. **18.34**

**275177 June And Luke Play Tunes.** June and Luke have fun making music together but first they have a lesson in sharing. Readers will see how June learns to share and also learn a fun way to make music. They also have chances to decode u\_e words. il. [IL 5-7] 24 pages Norwood House 428. **18.34**

**Dewdney, Anna**

**276316 Everything Will Be Ok.** Nothing is going right for little Bunny today. His sandwich has PB&J instead of cheese. Ow! And he's stubbed his toe! But while some days can feel more sad than happy, there's always a bright spot on the horizon. il. Schachner, Judith Byron. [IL 2-5] 32 pages Viking E. **23.28**

**DiCicco, Joan**

**277062 Unstoppable Garrett Morgan: Inventor, Entrepreneur, Hero.** The biography of Garrett A. Morgan, an African American entrepreneur and prolific inventor, whose bravery saved lives at the Cleveland Waterworks Disaster in 1916. il. Glenn, Ebony. [IL 6-9] 40 pages Lee & Low 609-B. **K,L (AR) 23.96**

**Dickerson, Mason**

**277258 Housecat Trouble.** When Buster, a timid housecat, discovers monsters in his home, he gets help from two street cats, Chauncey and Nova, to get them out before his owner returns from work. In graphic novel format. il. [IL 7-10] 172 pages Random 741. **L 19.08**

**Diesen, Deborah**

**278204 Pout-Pout Fish And The Worry-Worry Whale.** Mr. Fish and Willa Whale are on their way to a birthday party, but Willa is worried about fitting in so Mr. Fish shows her how to overcome her social anxiety by tackling the worries one at a time. il. Mones, Isidre. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Farrar E. **23.28**

**278447 You Can Be Kind, Pout-Pout Fish!** Mr. Fish and his friends are having a bad day at school. What can Mr. Fish do to turn the day around? il. Paprocki, Greg. [IL 4-8] 24 pages Farrar E. **21.88**

**278816 You Can Find The Class Pet, Pout-Pout Fish!** Mr. Fish's class has a pet, but one day the pet isn't in his cage. Where did he go? The whole class is about to pout! But if they all work together, they'll find a way to bring the pet home in no time. il. Hanna, Dan. [IL 3-6] 24 pages Farrar E. **15.44**

**Dilloway, Margaret**

**279502 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 (AR) (paperback edition) 7.05**

**Dimopoulos, Elaine**

**279677 Remarkable Rescue At Milkweed Meadow.** Butternut is a young, anxious rabbit and master storyteller who makes friends outside her burrow--even though she was cautioned not to--and now must decide whether she will remain loyal to her family or help other animals in need. il. Salati, Doug. [IL 8-11] 181 pages Charlesbridge Fic. **B+,K+ 22.58**

**DiTerlizzi, Angela**

**280580 Magical Yet.** A rhyming celebration of the journey of working toward each new milestone. il. Alvarez, Lorena. [IL 3-6] 34 pages Disney/Hyperion E. **B,K,L (AR) 22.58**

**280589 Very Cranky Book.** A charmingly snarky tale of a very cranky book that might not be so cranky after all. il. DiTerlizzi, Tony. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Quill Tree E. **23.98**

**DMC**

**623134 Darryl's Dream.** Meet Darryl, a quiet third grader with big hopes and dreams. He loves writing and wants to share his talents, but he's shy-and the

kids who make fun of his glasses only make things worse. Will the school talent show be his chance to shine? A story about finding confidence, facing bullies, and finding your voice. il. Tait, Tristan. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Random E. **19.08**

**Doerrfeld, Cori**

**282461 Goodbye, Friend! Hello, Friend!** A gentle story about the difficulty of change ... and the wonder that new beginnings can bring. il. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Dial E. **B,C+,K,L (AR) 22.58**

**Dominguez, Angela**

**285557 I'm Not Sleepy! = No Tengo Sueno!** Follows an adorable bird and tyrannosaurus rex as they navigate the hazards of bedtime, sharing, and friendship. In English and Spanish. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Holt E. **23.28**

**285588 Stella Diaz Dreams Big.** Stella has started fourth grade and things are going swimmingly! Suddenly, Stella is way too busy for everything on her schedule. With so much going on, can she achieve her goals without letting anyone down? il. [IL 7-10] 188 pages Roaring Brook Fic. **K (AR) 21.88**

**Dow, Alechia**

**288487 Just A Pinch Of Magic.** Two young enchanters team up to save their small town from a spell gone wrong. [IL 8-12] 304 pages Feiwel and Friends Fic. **22.58**

**Drago, Flavia Z.**

**290286 Gustavo, The Shy Ghost.** Gustavo the ghost has a problem. He is very, very shy. He longs to make friends, but he's never even dared to speak to any of the other monsters in his town. With the Day of the Dead fast approaching, can Gustavo be brave enough to let others see him? il. [IL 3-7] 34 pages Candlewick E. **B,C,K+,L+ (AR) 22.58**

**290304 Vlad, El Vampirito Fabuloso (Vlad, The Fabulous Vampire)** Vlad is a vampire with the misfortune of having rosy cheeks that--gasp!--make him look abysmally alive. But being the fabulous vampire that he is, he hides his rosy complexion behind elaborate vampire outfits in traditional black. That is, until he finds out that his best friend has a pink secret of her own ... In Spanish. il. [IL 3-7] 40 pages Candlewick E. **22.58**

**290308 Vlad, The Fabulous Vampire.** Vlad is a vampire with the misfortune of having rosy cheeks that--gasp!--make him look abysmally alive. But being the fabulous vampire that he is, he hides his rosy complexion behind elaborate vampire outfits in traditional black. That is, until he finds out that his best friend has a pink secret of her own ... il. [IL 3-7] 40 pages Candlewick E. **22.58**

**Duncan, Alice Faye**

**294939 Coretta's Journey: The Life And Times Of Coretta Scott King.** Who was Coretta Scott King? Her black-veiled image at the funeral of her husband Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. was moving and iconic. This book introduces readers to the woman behind the veil--a girl full of spunk and pluck, bravery and grit. il. Christie, R. Gregory. [IL 7-10] 48 pages Calkins Creek 323-B. **23.28**

**295256 Traveling Shoes: The Willye White Story, US Olympian And Long Jump Champion.** Here is the story of Black sprinter and long-jumper Willye B. White, who went from picking cotton as a child in Mississippi to competing and winning in the 1956 and 1964 Olympics. il. Mallett, Keith. [IL 7-10] 40 pages Calkins Creek 796-B. **23.28**

**Duncan, Reed**

**276371 Llama Llama's Little Lie.** Llama Llama learns a lesson in telling the truth, even if it is hard to say. il. Morrow, J. T. [IL 3-6] 32 pages Viking E. **23.28**

**DuPrau, Jeanne**

**295845 Project F.** A post-apocalyptic story set hundreds of years in the future, where life is simple and modern conveniences are a thing of the past until a boy enchanted by technology is forced to choose between doing the right thing for his community and pursuing his dreams of adventure. [IL 8-12] 224 pages Random Fic. **22.58**

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**Dyckman, Ame**

**299170 Don't Blow Your Top!** Big Volcano and Little Volcano live side by side in paradise, but when a silly bird drops a coconut (or two) on Little Volcano's crater he blows his top. il. Alwar, Abhi. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Orchard E. **22.58**

**Dyson, DK**

**299369 Window Fishing.** A heartwarming story about finding joy in art and intergenerational friendship. il. Guierrez, Rudy. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Knopf E. **23.28**

**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) 21.88**

**Edwards Richmond, Susan**

**751926 Night Owl Night.** Sova's mother studies owls and their migration patterns, and one night, when Sova is old enough, she accompanies her mother to observe and tag saw-whet owls in the woods. il. Lechuga, Maribel. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Charlesbridge E. **22.58**

**Elliott, Rebecca**

**306985 Eva Va De Acampada (Eva's Campfire Adventure)** Eva can't wait to go camping with her classmates! They pitch tents, eat yummy campfire treats, and build useful inventions. Best of all, they go on a treasure hunt through the forest. In Spanish. il. [IL 5-7] 80 pages Scholastic Fic. **14.99**

**Elliott, Zetta**

**307070 Place Inside Of Me: A Poem To Heal The Heart.** A beautiful poem about a brown child discovering their emotional landscape. il. Denmon, Noa. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Farrar E. **22.58**

**Erskine, Kathryn**

**314638 All Of Us.** A picture book that celebrates the shared world we all are a part of. il. Boiger, Alexandra. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Philomel E. **B+,K,L+ 22.58**

**314650 Lily's Promise.** Lily is a shy sixth-grade girl navigating a new school, bullies, friendships, and the important promise she made to her late father. [IL 8-12] 278 pages Quill Tree Fic. **B,K,L 21.88**

**Fairbairn, Nathan**

**320962 Priya Puts Herself First.** The holidays have arrived, and the girls of PAWS are about to discover that not all surprises are necessarily good ones. In graphic novel format. il. Msassyk. [IL 8-12] 167 pages Razorbill 741. **19.08**

**Falatko, Julie**

**321031 Rick The Rock Of Room 214.** Tired of sitting all day on the Nature Finds shelf in Room 214, a rock named Rick escapes the classroom for the great outdoors, only to discover that sometimes the greatest adventure in life is friendship. il. Chan, Ruth. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Simon E. **K 23.28**

**Faruqi, Reem**

**325406 Swimming Toward A Dream: Yusra Mardini's Incredible Journey From Refugee To Olympic Swimmer.** The inspirational and unforgettable tale of competitive swimmer and Syrian refugee Yusra Mardini, who heroically helped tow her refugee boat

to safety before achieving her Olympic dreams. il. Enayeh, Asma. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Page Street Kids 797-B. **23.28**

**Faruqi, Saadia**

**325364 Marya Khan And The Spectacular Fall Festival.** Marya loves fall. Every year, she and her Baba and brother go to the town's fall festival and pick out the best pumpkin. But then her frenemy Alexa, wins the fall festival fancy dress contest, and gets a big, cool pumpkin-shaped trophy. Marya wants to get a trophy for something! When her school holds its own fall festival, the person selling the most tickets wins a prize. Is Marya so focused on winning, she's losing sight of what really matters? il. Bushry, Ani. [IL 6-9] 144 pages Amulet Books Fic. **20.48**

**325405 Saving Sunshine.** The poignant story of Muslim American siblings learning how to build each other up in a world that is too often unkind. In graphic novel format. il. Khan, Shazleen. [IL 8-12] 224 pages First Second 741. **20.48**

**Feder, Tyler**

**327572 Are You Mad At Me?** When Opal the ostrich is anxious, her neck feels as wobbly as a spaghetti noodle. Now it's the day of her family's annual party, and Opal is in charge of picking up the triple-layer-double-custard-beet-and-berry tart from the bakery. What if she does something wrong? What if somebody gets mad at her? Opal is having a serious case of the Noodles. il. [IL 5-8] 33 pages Rocky Pond E. **23.28**

**Fenske, Jonathan**

**331004 Let's Play, Crabby!** Crabby is a very grumpy crab, so Plankton tries to find a game that will cheer Crabby up, but Crabby does not want to play Simon says or hide-and-seek--will a game of tag be more to Crabby's taste? il. [IL 4-6] 44 pages Scholastic E. **K (AR) 14.54**

**331055 This Tank Is Mine!** Angelo the angel fish lives in a fancy tank and everything belongs to him until a new fish moves in to share it. il. [IL 3-5] 33 pages Scholastic E. **22.58**

**Ferry, Beth**

**333322 We Believe In You.** Animals inspire their little ones to chase their dreams and reach for the stars. il. Idle, Molly Schaar. [IL 3-6] 32 pages Roaring Brook E. **K 23.28**

**Figueroa, Michelle**

**334470 Good Thing Happened Today.** A lyrical picture book that highlights good moments--from small to big--and encourages kids to become the good news in the world, reminding us that there are positive things happening every day and we can all be a part of it. il. Kaulitzki, Ramona. [IL 4-8] 38 pages Harper E. **22.58**

**Flake, Sharon G.**

**340064 Once In A Blue Moon.** Paralyzed by guilt, eleven-year-old John Henry must come to terms with the events surrounding his Ma's near drowning and with the help of his twin sister Hattie, learn to embrace life again. [IL 8-12] 327 pages Knopf Fic. **22.58**

**Fleming, Candace**

**341188 Mine!** A group of forest animals vie for the same delicious red apple that is just about to drop. il. Rohmann, Eric. [IL 3-7] 40 pages Schwartz & Wade E. **23.28**

**Fong, Pam**

**344832 When The Fog Rolls In.** When a thick fog rolls in, an irresistible little puffin is lost in unfamiliar territory. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Greenwillow E. **23.98**

**Forman, Ruth**

**346164 Like So.** Told from Nana's point of view, this simple, affirming, and comforting read-aloud shows



how every family's love is natural and connected to the world around us. il. Figueroa, Raissa. [IL 1-4] 40 pages Little Simon E. **23.28**

**Fornasari, Eleonora**

**346340 10 Ideas To Save The World With Kindness.** Ten little but powerful ideas depict actions we can each commit to in order to save the world-with kindness! il. Corradin, Clarissa. [IL 7-10] 39 pages Starry Forest 179. **B 19.08**

**Fosberry, Jennifer**

**347128 Cupcake Catastrophe.** Chi-Chi and Pey-Pey are excited when they get cupcakes at snack time, but there is only one cupcake that has purple frosting--and they both want it! Can they find a way to share before they're left with nothing but crumbs? In graphic novel format. il. Pate, Shiho. [IL 4-6] 64 pages Simon 741. **15.44**

**Franklin, Ashley**

**351876 Hair Today, Gone Tomorrow.** Sure, Lunella may be a genius super-hero (Moon Girl), but when someone makes unkind comments about her hair, she questions whether she needs to change it for School Picture Day. Ultimately, Lunella figures out the hairstyle that makes her feel like her best self for her school picture, but not before struggling with what that means for her. il. Jackson, Bea. [IL 5-8] 40 pages Marvel Fic. **21.18**

**Fraser, Lu**

**352139 Littlest Yak And The New Arrival.** As Gertie prepares for the arrival of her new sibling, she worries there will not be enough room in Mummy's heart for two yaks. il. Hindley, Kate. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Peachtree E. **22.58**

**Freedman, Deborah**

**352780 Carl And The Meaning Of Life.** Carl is an earthworm. One day a field mouse asks him a simple question that stops him short: "Why?" Carl's quest takes him on an adventure to meet all the animals of the forest. il. [IL 3-5] 48 pages Viking E. **B+,C,K,L+,Q (AR) 22.58**

**Frost, Helen**

**360443 Blue Daisy.** Friends Sam and Katie try to help a stray dog and, in the process, bring their neighbors closer together. Includes a recipe for dog biscuits. il. Shepperson, Rob. [IL 7-10] 88 pages Holiday House Fic. **B,C,K,L (AR) 21.18**

**Funk, Josh**

**361587 Dear Unicorn.** Two pen pals receive the shock of a lifetime when they finally meet face to face in this ode to friendship, art, and keeping an open mind! il. Santoso, Charles. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Viking E. **23.28**

**Gaiman, Neil**

**363902 What You Need To Be Warm.** In 2019, in response to a refugee crisis, Neil Gaiman asked his Twitter followers: What reminds you of warmth? Over 1,000 responses later, Neil used the replies from across the world to inspire him to write a poem in aid of the United Nations High Commission on Refugees. It reveals our shared desire to feel safe, welcome, and warm in a world that can often feel scary. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Quill Tree 811. **23.28**

**Garrod, Beth**

**368939 Inflatables In Snack To The Future.** It's Lynn's birthday! Except...Lynn hates birthdays. Donut is determined to change her mind by baking the best cake in the chowniverse! But when his secret recipe accidentally sends the inflata-gang TIME TRAVELING, they have to face some truly ferocious foes. Can Donut get his inflata-pals home and turn Lynn from party pooper to party popper? In graphic novel format. il. Danger, Chris. [IL 7-10] 128 pages Scholastic 741. **15.44**

**Gastaldi, Federico**

**370283 Chip.** Atticus wakes at his usual time, ready to feed Chip. But when he reaches the fishbowl, Chip is gone. When Atticus asks his loved ones where Chip is, he gets a range of answers in the form of gentle but evasive ways of explaining the concept of death: Chip is in a better place; Chip has moved on. These ideas are confusing for Atticus. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Little E. **23.28**

**Gee, Kimberly**

**372701 Glad, Glad Bear!** Bear is very glad about going to ballet class today, gets somewhat anxious before the music starts, then joyously begins to dance. il. [IL 2-6] 32 pages Beach Lane E. **C,K+,L 22.58**

**372715 Sad, Sad Bear!** Bear is very sad when Mommy must go to work and leave him at Cub Care, but his first day turns out to be a good one. il. [IL 3-5] 32 pages Beach Lane E. (AR) **22.58**

**Gianferrari, Maria**

**376174 To Dogs, With Love: A Love Letter To The Dogs Who Help Us.** Give thanks to every human's best friend, in this sweet and inclusive ode to dogs of all kinds--with an emphasis on service dogs. il. Lobo, Isha. [IL 3-6] 40 pages Roaring Brook E. **23.28**

**Giddens, Rhiannon**

**376934 We Could Fly.** At a sparrow's urging, a young girl feels a mysterious trembling in her arms, a lightness in her feet, a longing to be free. Her mother tells her that her Granny Liza experienced the same, as did many of their people before her. Perhaps it's time, Mama says, to slip the bonds of earth and join the journey started long ago. Companion to *Build A House*. il. Uchendu, Briana Mukodiri. [IL 6-9] 40 pages Candlewick 782. **23.28**

**Gilmore, Sophie**

**379668 Little Doctor And The Fearless Beast.** A doctor of crocodiles meets her most challenging patient yet. il. [IL 5-8] 31 pages Owlkids E. **B,L 22.56**

**Gino, Alex**

**380134 Alice Austen Lived Here.** Middle school student Sam is comfortable with their nonbinary identity, and their family has accepted it too (as long as they do their homework and chores), so when their history teacher assigns as a project coming up with a proposal for the new statue honoring a historical Staten Islander (there is a contest involved) they and their friend TJ decide to focus on Alice Austen, a lesbian photographer, whose house on Staten Island is a museum. il.[IL 9-12] 162 pages Scholastic Fic. **B+,C,K 22.58**

**380161 Green.** The story of a non-binary middle-schooler named Green who comes into their own in no small part by fighting for gender-free casting in their school's production of *The Wizard Of Oz*. [IL 8-12] 240 pages Scholastic Fic. **22.58**

**Gonzalez, Xelena**

**385627 Remembering.** A family remembers their beloved pet dog. il. Garcia, Adriana M. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Simon E. **23.28**

**Gorman, Amanda**

**386918 Algo Algun Dia (Something, Someday)** Reveals how even the smallest gesture can have a lasting impact on the world's biggest problems. In Spanish. il. Robinson, Christian. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Viking E. **23.28**

**386941 Something, Someday.** Reveals how even the smallest gesture can have a lasting impact on the world's biggest problems. il. Robinson, Christian. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Viking E. **23.28**

**Grabenstein, J. J.**

**389906 Shine!** When seventh-grader Piper's father is hired by Chumley Prep, a school where every student

seems to be the best at everything, she gets the chance to compete for the prestigious Excelsior Award. il. [IL 8-12] 210 pages Random Fic. **B,K,L (AR/RC) 21.88**

**Graff, Lisa (Lisa Colleen)**

**390574 Rewind.** When McKinley O'Dair arrives at her town's annual Time Hop, she follows her friend's mom into the restroom in 2018 and walks out in 1993, twenty-nine years and one week before she left. As McKinley struggles to figure out how to get back to her future, she meets a really jerky boy named Billy who turns out to be her dad! The more McKinley learns about her family, the more she understands why they act the way they do in her time. It makes getting back seem more crucial. [IL 8-12] 320 pages Philomel Fic. **22.58**

**Graham, Bob**

**390752 Concrete Garden.** After a long, cold winter, doors finally open, and children spill out like candies from a box. Amanda is the last one out of the apartment building, with a carton of chalk in her hands. On every inch of the pavement outside, the children draw pictures of flowers and trees, mushrooms and snails, and a few very unexpected things. Their creativity, unfettered in the open air, brings something beautiful, something hopeful, to the residents there, and to many more across the globe. il. [IL 3-7] 32 pages Candlewick E. **23.28**

**Gravel, Elise**

**393534 Everybody!: You, Me & Us.** A funny array of monsters in different sizes, shapes, and colors demonstrate how everybody is unique and different, but we are all more similar than we think. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Scholastic 152. **K,L 21.18**

**393503 Pink, Blue, And You!: Questions For Kids About Gender Stereotypes.** An easy-to-grasp picture book, exploring questions relating to gender identity, sexuality, and sexism. il. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Ann Schwartz 305. **B,K,L+ 22.58**

**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 22.58**

**Gray Smith, Monique**

**831147 When We Are Kind.** This beautiful picture book looks at how the simple act of being kind, to others and oneself, affects all aspects of a child's life. il. Neidhardt, Nicole. [IL 3-5] 31 pages Orca E. **K 23.96**

**Graziano, Jonathan**

**394357 Noodle Conquers Comfy Mountain.** Noodle the pug embarks on a quest to climb comfy mountain. il. Tavis, Dan. [IL 4-8] 32 pages McElderry E. **23.28**

**Green, Harold III**

**395753 Love Bubble.** Love bubbles are meant to protect us from the trouble that can find us in daily life. They require faith, hope, and persistence to give them power. As young Harry learns how to create his own "love bubble," he and his grandmother, Big Girl, visit with different members of their community, who, in turn, share their wisdom and teach him how to harness the energy he needs to make the perfect bubble. il. Karibo, Princess. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Running Press E. **22.58**

**Greenawalt, Kelly**

**397531 I Can Help!** Princess Truly knows how to help! Across three stories, Princess Truly lends a hand during her friend's moving day, she cleans up a stinky park with her magical curls, and she helps a farmer find his tractor key! il. Rauscher, Amariah. [IL 4-6] 48 pages Scholastic E. **14.54**

**Grimes, Nikki**

**402578 Walk In The Woods.** In this moving account of loss, a boy takes a walk in the woods and makes a discovery that changes his understanding of his father. il. Pinkney, Jerry. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Holiday House Fic. **23.28**

**Grimm, Gavin**

**403198 If You're A Kid Like Gavin.** Picture book memoir from transgender activist Gavin Grimm. il. Yang, J. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Katherine Tegen 306-A. **B,K+,L 23.28**

**Guterson, Ben**

**408442 Einsteins Of Vista Point.** Eager for a fresh start, the grieving Einstein family moves to the remote town of Vista Point to renovate an old house and turn it into a bed-and-breakfast. il. Petur Antonsson. [IL 8-12] 256 pages Little Fic. **B,C,K 21.88**

**Gutierrez, Jolene**

**408432 Too Much!: An Overwhelming Day.** Simple, rhyming text tackles a tricky subject as a child works through overwhelming situations. il. Chang, Angel. [IL 3-5] 32 pages Abrams E. **21.18**

**Haddix, Margaret Peterson**

**409508 Ghostly Photos.** Colin and Nevaeh unravel a mystery from the 1930s and explore the emotions associated with death and dying. [IL 8-12] 336 pages Katherine Tegen Fic. **23.98**

**Hale, Shannon**

**412025 Itty-Bitty Kitty-Corn.** Kitty, who looks like a kitten yet feels like she is actually a unicorn, begins to doubt herself as others ridicule her, until she meets a unicorn that helps her discover and embrace who she is. il. Pham, LeUyen. [IL 4-8] 41 pages Abrams E. **B,C,K (AR) 23.28**

**Halliday, Fiona**

**414290 Flora's Wish.** A young mouse learns how to grieve and honor her best friend. il. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Dial E. **23.28**

**Hare, John**

**412089 Plus One.** When Agnes decides to host a tea party, she finds it hard to shake a most unlikely guest . . . and his even more unlikely friends. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Holiday House E. **23.28**

**Hatch, Leanne**

**424556 Brand-New Never Used, Perfect Crayons.** When Violet gets a super big box of crayons she can't bring herself to use them because they are so perfect. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Holiday House E. **23.28**

**Haydu, Corey Ann**

**429208 One Jar Of Magic.** Rose Alice Anders believes she is destined to catch more jars of magic than anyone else on New Year's Day--only to catch just one tiny jar of magic. Her dad won't talk to her anymore and her friendships have been ruined. Maybe if she's away from all the jars of magic, and from her dad, Rose can begin to piece together what's truly real in a world full of magic. [IL 8-12] 340 pages Katherine Tegen Fic. **B+,C,K+,L+ (AR) 21.88**

**Head, Honor**

**432690 Building Confidence.** Everyone feels scared or worried sometimes. Being resilient means being able to cope with times when you feel unsure of yourself or when you are going through a situation that makes you feel anxious. This book offers tips on how to boost your self-esteem and reduce your stress. il. [IL 7-11] 32 pages Crabtree 155. **17.27**

**432742 Coping With Change.** Everyone faces change in their life. When something out of our routine happens, we can lose that feeling of safety and being

in control. Learn how to develop the skills you need to cope with changes that are big and scary, such as changing schools or moving to a new town. il. [IL 7-11] 32 pages Crabtree 158. **17.27**

**432768 Dealing With Challenges.** Sudden, unexpected changes can happen in everyone's life. A change in family situation, such as a divorce, or a serious illness can leave us feeling overwhelmed and anxious. Learn how to build skills that will help you bounce back more quickly from shock and disappointment. il. [IL 7-11] 32 pages Crabtree 155. **17.27**

**432814 Growing Friendships.** Everyone needs friends. They make our lives more enjoyable. But friendships require effort on our part. Learn how to develop the skills you need to make new friends, be a good friend yourself, and cope with difficult situations, such as being bullied or losing a friend. il. [IL 7-11] 32 pages Crabtree 177. **17.27**

**Henkes, Kevin**

**437952 Chrysanthemum.** Chrysanthemum loves her name, until she starts going to school and the other children make fun of it. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Greenwillow E. **B,C,K+,L+** (AR/RC) **16.79**

**Hernandez, Carlos Alberto Pablo**

**440504 Sal & Gabi Break The Universe.** In order to heal after his mother's death, thirteen-year-old Sal learns to reach into time and space to retrieve things--and people--from other universes. [IL 8-12] 382 pages Disney/Hyperion Fic. **B+,C,K+,L+** (AR/RC) **21.88**

**Hest, Amy**

**441593 Billy And Rose: Just The Way They Are.** Billy and Rose are back--and prone to serious discussion about the ups and downs of negotiating friendship. il. Denton, Kady MacDonald. [IL 4-8] 48 pages Candlewick E. **21.88**

**Higgins, Ryan T.**

**443385 Out Cold.** It's wintertime in Soggy Hollow and the mice are doing all their favorite outdoor things, like ski jumping, building a snow family, and ice skating. But not Bruce. He's inside with a cold. So the mice decide to bring the winter fun indoors! Lucky Bruce! il. [IL 3-5] 32 pages Disney/Hyperion E. **16.79**

**Higuera, Donna Barba**

**444050 It's Navidad, El Cucuy!** Ramon's friendly monster, El Cucuy, is hesitant to embrace the holiday cheer, but Ramon shows him the spirit of Christmas. il. Perdomo, Juliana. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Abrams E. **23.28**

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**Hillenbrand, Will**

**445322 Little Red.** The annual tree-lighting is one of the most beloved nights of the year. But a snowstorm has blanketed the streets and made it difficult for the community to get around. Little Red will stop at nothing to help his neighbors--the show must go on! il. [IL 3-7] 40 pages Little E. **23.28**

**Hinrichs, Alexandra S. D.**

**446330 Pocket Book.** A girl and her mom take a walk and fill their pockets along the way. Pockets hold treasures. And they hold moments and memories that stop time--that blossom. il. Breckenreid, Julia. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Cameron Kids E. **22.58**

**Hoefler, Kate**

**450913 In The Dark.** A young girl steps into the woods and brings two communities separated by misunderstanding together. il. Luyken, Corinna. [IL 3-7] 40 pages Knopf E. **23.28**

**Hoffman, Haley**

**452387 Daniel Says I'm Sorry.** Daniel and his friends are having a great time playing pretend cars at preschool. But when Daniel keeps accidentally crashing into Katerina, she gets very upset. Daniel learns an

important lesson: genuinely saying "I'm sorry" goes a long way to make friends feel better! il. Fruchter, Jason. [IL 3-7] 24 pages Simon E. **14.54**

**Holmes, Kathryn**

**460588 Tally Tuttle Turns Into A Turtle.** Tally Tuttle, a shy, new-in-town second-grader, magically transforms into a turtle on the first day of school, and in order to transform back to herself she must learn how to come out of her shell both literally and figuratively. il. Landy, Ariel. [IL 6-9] 144 pages Amulet Fic. (Paperback edition) **6.23**

**Holt, Kimberly Willis**

**461179 Hurricane Girls.** Born in the wake of Hurricane Katrina, Greer, Joya Mia, and Kiki are seventh graders and the best of friends. After an accident leaves Greer's little sister paralyzed, Greer is forever changed by the experience and blames herself. Kiki and Joya Mia will do anything to help Greer let go of this emotional burden, and a plan is hatched to compete in a triathlon. [IL 8-12] 288 pages Little Fic. **21.88**

**Hopkinson, Deborah**

**463417 Small Places, Close To Home: A Child's Declaration Of Rights: Inspired By The Universal Declaration Of Human Rights.** A moving adaptation of this important U.N. declaration on its 75th anniversary, about the basic rights children deserve. il. Gardiner, Kate. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Balzer & Bray 300. **23.98**

**Howe, James**

**467122 Milo Walking.** Young Milo and his mother go for the same walk around their neighborhood every morning, but with Milo's imagination, there are always new things to see, old things to see in new ways, and the possibilities of what they will see tomorrow. il. Kikuchi, Sakika. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Abrams E. **23.28**

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**Howell, Destiny**

**467196 High Score.** Darius James--DJ to his friends--has a head for cons and a heart of gold. He pulled his last con months ago at his old school. Now safely enrolled in Ella Fitzgerald Middle School he's determined to keep his head down. But when Conor, his best friend from his old school, shows up, DJ knows his anonymous days are done. To save Conor from Lucky, the school bully, DJ is forced to rig a contest for Lucky by stealing 100,000 tickets for the contest. Will it work? [IL 8-12] 297 pages Scholastic Fic. **B+ 22.58**

**Hudson, Wade**

**469485 Invincible: Fathers And Mothers Of Black America.** Explores the birth of Black America, focusing on the little-known men and women who fought for justice and for an America where freedom truly rang for all. il. Lewis, E. B. (Earl Bradley) [IL 7-10] 40 pages Calkins Creek 300. **23.28**

**Huebner, Dawn**

**748220 Curiously Calm With Curious George.** Follows everyone's favorite monkey as he works to regulate big energy and emotions. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Clarion E. **19.08**

**Hughes, Sloane**

**470650 Work It Out: How To Resolve Conflict.** Uh-oh! We don't agree. But we can work it out! Colorful illustrations, engaging photos accompany lively text to teach about conflict resolution. Explore how life works when we work it out! Includes hands-on activities to put the social and emotional engagement into action. il. [IL 6-9] 24 pages Fusion 303. **23.26**

**Hunt, Lynda Mullaly**

**472098 Shouting At The Rain.** Delsie loves tracking the weather, living with her grandmother, and the support of friends and neighbors, but misses having

a "regular family," especially after her best friend outgrows her. [IL 8-12] 278 pages Nancy Paulsen Fic.

**B,K,L,Q (AR/RC) 21.88**

**Hussain, Nadiya**

**474624 Today I'm Strong.** A little girl who loves to go to school musters up some inner strength to stand up to a bully in her class. il. Bailey, Ella. [IL 3-5] 25 pages Viking E. **C+,K,L 22.58**

**Jackson, Linda Williams**

**484821 Lucky Ones.** It's 1967, and eleven-year-old Ellis Earl Brown has big dreams. He's going to grow up to be a teacher or a lawyer--or maybe both--and live in a big brick house in town. There'll always be enough food in the icebox, and his mama won't have to run herself ragged working as some white woman's maid. But when Mama tells Ellis Earl that he might need to quit school to help support the family, he wonders if happy endings are only possible in storybooks. [IL 8-12] 308 pages Candlewick E. **B+,K,L 23.28**

**Jacoby, Sarah**

**486544 Doris.** Doris dances to her own tune in this whimsical and emotionally resonant tale about finding the courage to be yourself. il. [IL 3-6] 40 pages Roaring Brook E. **23.28**

**James, LeBron**

**487275 I Promise.** Encourages kids to be their own biggest motivators and to be their best selves! il. Mata, Nina. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Harper E. **K,L 23.98**

**Jaycox, Jaelyn**

**490172 Sometimes I Feel Angry.** What does it mean to be angry? Anger may not make us feel good, but it's an emotion everybody has! Children will learn how to identify when they are angry and ways to manage their feelings. Photos help illustrate what anger looks like. A mindfulness activity will give kids an opportunity to explore their feelings. il. [IL 5-7] 24 pages Capstone 152. **23.70**

**490174 Sometimes I Feel Embarrassed.** What does it mean to be embarrassed? Learn what embarrassment feels like and what may trigger this emotion. Children will explore different ways to deal with their feelings and turn bad feelings into good ones. A mindfulness activity will give kids the chance to practice managing their emotion. il. [IL 5-7] 24 pages Capstone 152. **23.70**

**490203 Sometimes I Feel Sad.** What does it mean to be sad? It's normal for people to feel down sometimes. Learn what it feels like, what causes it, and how to turn sad feelings into happy ones. Big, diverse photos illustrate what sadness looks like. A mindfulness activity will give children the chance to practice managing their emotions. il. [IL 5-7] 24 pages Capstone 152. **23.70**

**490218 Sometimes I Feel Worried.** What does it mean to feel worried? Everyone feels worried sometimes. Learn how to recognize, name, and manage your emotions. Photos illustrate what being worried looks like. A mindfulness activity will help children learn how to turn worried feelings into good ones! il. [IL 5-7] 24 pages Capstone 152. **23.70**

**John, Jory**

**492135 Big Cheese.** Meet the newest member of the Food Group! Here to join the Bad Seed, the Good Egg, the Cool Bean, the Couch Potato, the Smart Cookie, and the Sour Grape! il. Oswald, Pete. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Harper E. **23.98**

**492157 Cool Bean.** A group of too-cool-for-school beans are about to find out that it's always better to be kind. il. Oswald, Pete. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Harper E. **B,K,L (AR) 23.28**

**492160 Good Egg.** The good egg has been good for as long as he can remember, until one day he decides

being perfect all the time isn't what it's cracked up to be. il. Oswald, Pete. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Harper E.

**B+,CA,K+,L,Q (AR) 23.28**

**492183 It's Not My Fault!** A boy steadfastly blames everything from messy homework to a dirty face on inanimate objects until they visit his dreams, reminding him that he must take responsibility for his mistakes. il. Chapman, Jared. [IL 3-7] 34 pages Random E. **B,C,K-,L (AR) 22.58**

**492202 Sour Grape.** The Sour Grape holds grudges for every reason under the sun. Lime never returned a scarf they borrowed. Orange never called back. But when a friend holds a grudge against Sour Grape without listening to an explanation, Sour Grape realizes how unfair grudges can be. Could forgiveness be enough to turn a sour grape sweet? il. Oswald, Pete. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Harper E. **K 23.98**

**Jonker, Travis**

**500189 Just One Flake.** It's snowing outside! Liam rushes out into the squall determined to catch one perfect snowflake. He tries any number of tricks to complete his mission, but each time he is thwarted. il. [IL 4-8] 48 pages Abrams E. **23.28**

**Joy, Angela**

**502274 Choosing Brave: How Mamie Till-Mobley And Emmett Till Sparked The Civil Rights Movement.** A picture book biography of the mother of Emmett Till, and how she channeled grief over her son's death into a call to action for the civil rights movement. il. Washington, Janelle. [IL 6-10] 59 pages Roaring Brook 364-B. **K+,L+ 23.98**

**Kasha, Manka**

**507600 Small Knight And The Anxiety Monster.** When Small Knight feels pressure from their parents to be a perfect princess, an anxiety monster shows up. No one else can see the monster, so Small Knight and their best friend Tiny Bear decide that it is up to them to save themselves. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Feiwel and Friends E. **B 23.28**

**Kendrick, Erika J.**

**513109 Cookie Monsters.** Twelve-year-old Brooklyn Ace is ready to take the Valentine World Scouts by storm and build her own cookie empire. After she nearly won the top cookie selling spot last year, she refuses to come in second again, even though she's still dealing with grief over losing her mom. [IL 8-12] 320 pages Little Fic. **K 21.88**

**Kenney, Karen Latchana**

**513935 Calm Monsters, Kind Monsters: A Sesame Street Guide To Mindfulness.** Breathing, thinking ahead, and calming down--mindfulness includes all this and more. Sesame Street characters present big emotions readers have likely faced alongside simple solutions like belly breathing to help kids cope with what they're feeling. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Lerner 152. **L 24.68**

**Kent, Deanna**

**514046 Earth School.** The Marshmallow Martians head off to Earth School and try to learn all about bugs. In graphic novel format. il. Hooson, Neil. [IL 5-8] 57 pages Random Graphic 741. **17.68**

**Khalil, Aya**

**516494 Great Banned-Books Bake Sale.** Kanzi has come to feel welcome in her American school--that is, until an entire shelf of books about immigrant kids and kids of color suddenly disappears from the school library. il. Semirdzhyan, Anait. [IL 6-8] 32 pages Tilbury House E. **23.26**

**Khan, Hena**

**516477 Amina's Song.** Feeling pulled between two cultures after a month with family in Pakistan, Amina

shares her experiences with Wisconsin classmates through a class assignment and a songwriting project with new student Nico. [IL 8-12] 280 pages Simon Fic. **B+,K,L+ (AR) 22.58**

**Khiani, Darshana**

**517019 Building A Dream: How The Boys Of Koh Panyee Became Champions.** In the Thai village of Koh Panyee, a team of boys builds their own football pitch on top of the Phang Na Bay. il. Phumiruk, Dow. [IL 5-9] 34 pages Eerdmans Fic. **23.28**

**Kim, Jessica**

**517953 Make A Move, Sunny Park!** Sunny Park, a seventh-grade student at Ranchito Mesa Middle loves K-pop, hanging out with her cool grandma, dancing when no one is watching, snacking on shrimp chips, and being there for Bailey, her best friend since third grade. Bailey decides that she and Sunny should audition for the school dance team in a ploy to parent-trap Bailey's divorced mom and dad. Sunny makes the team and Bailey doesn't, and when Sunny reluctantly joins, it's the start of a painful and drawn-out parting of ways. [IL 9-12] 338 pages Kokila Fic. **K+ 22.58**

**King, Coretta Scott**

**518482 Coretta: The Autobiography Of Mrs. Coretta Scott King.** Celebrate the life of the extraordinary civil and human rights activist Coretta Scott King with this picture book adaptation of her critically acclaimed adult memoir. il. Holmes, Ekuu. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Godwin Books 323-A. **23.28**

**King, Yolanda Renee**

**518829 We Dream A World.** The granddaughter of Martin Luther King, Jr. and Coretta Scott King delivers a stirring tribute to her grandparents that speaks to children everywhere about her hopes for a new future. il. Tadgell, Nicole. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Orchard 818-C. **23.28**

**Kinney, Jeff**

**519761 Diary Of An Awesome Friendly Kid: Rowley Jefferson's Journal.** It's finally time for readers to hear directly from Rowley in a journal of his own as he writes about his experiences and agreeing to play the role of biographer for Greg along the way (after all, one day Greg will be rich and famous, and everyone will want to know his life's story). But Rowley is a poor choice for the job, and his "biography" of Greg is a hilarious mess. il. [IL 8-12] 217 pages Amulet Fic. **K (AR/RC) 19.78**

**Klise, Kate**

**524661 How Mr. Silver Stole The Show.** Everyone loves an underdog--especially when he's a cat! On a rainy morning in 1947, a small gray kitten wandered into the Hamilton Hotel in St. Louis, Missouri, two days before the Greater St. Louis Cat Club Show. A stray kitten. A fancy hotel. A serious contest for pedigreed cats. What could possibly go right? il. Klise, M. Sarah. [IL 2-5] 40 pages Feiwel and Friends 599. **23.28**

**Knutson, Julie**

**527535 Do The Work!: Gender Equality.** Readers will learn about the fifth UN Sustainable Development Goal and what it takes to commit to achieving gender equality by 2030. il. [IL 9-12] 32 pages Cherry Lake 305. **L (AR) 24.66**

**527563 Do The Work!: No Poverty.** Readers will learn about the first UN Sustainable Development Goal and what it takes to commit to ending poverty by 2030. il. [IL 9-12] 32 pages Cherry Lake 338. **L (AR) 24.66**

**Korman, Gordon**

**530000 Mixed Up.** Twelve-year-olds Reef and Theo have a mutual problem: their memories are getting mixed up, and that means that Reef is losing his memory of his mother, recently dead of COVID, which

terrifies him--but for Theo his new memories are helping him deal with his domineering father. il. [IL 8-12] 241 pages Scholastic Fic. **22.58**

**Kostecki-Shaw, Jenny Sue**

**530206 Like You, Like Me.** Pen pals Tulsi and Vanessa discover that even though life in their countries--Tanzania and America--is very different, they still have a lot in common. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Little E. **23.28**

**Kousky, Vern**

**530223 I See You, Sad Bear.** Takes on big concepts like sadness and empathy, helping young readers learn that offering comfort can mean lending a hand or an ear, or simply just being there. il. [IL 3-6] 40 pages Roaring Brook E. **K 23.28**

**Krans, Angela Pham**

**530787 Words Between Us.** Felix and Grandma have always lived oceans apart--until the day Grandma arrives. Felix is so excited to meet Grandma and spend time with her. Except she doesn't know English! One day, when Grandma gets lost and doesn't know how to ask for help, Felix decides to teach her English. And by working together and teaching each other, they just might learn to share words as well. il. Ho, Dung. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Harper E. **23.98**

**Krekelberg, Alyssa**

**532792 Finding Solutions: Problem Solving.** Helps young readers find solutions and solve problems in emotional situations. il. [IL 5-8] 24 pages Child's World 302. (AR) **23.26**

**532794 Let's Get Along: Resolving Conflict.** Teaches young readers how to resolve conflict in positive ways. il. [IL 5-8] 24 pages Child's World 302. (AR) **23.26**

**532796 We Work Together: Learning About Teamwork.** Teaches young readers about teamwork and how to work together and cooperate. il. [IL 5-8] 24 pages Child's World 302. (AR) **23.26**

**Krull, Kathleen**

**533319 Born Reading: Twenty Stories Of Women Reading Their Way Into History.** Once books change their brains, girls change history. Discover the foundation of reading that empowered some of the world's most influential women in this collection of 20 biographies. il. Lewis, Aura. [IL 8-12] 138 pages Simon 028-C. **23.98**

**Kuo, Fifi**

**534946 Magic Hug.** A little dragon gets so angry that she flames red-hot and burns things in her path, but a well-timed hug changes everything. il. [IL 3-6] 25 pages Sterling E. **22.56**

**LaCour, Nina**

**536580 Apartment House On Poppy Hill.** Two new tenants have just arrived at 1106 Wildflower Place and 9-year-old Ella is determined to help them settle in. Who better to teach them about the glitchy lights and the nighttime noises? il. Albert, Sonia. [IL 7-10] 132 pages Chronicle Fic. **20.48**

**Lalli, Cristina**

**537910 Nola's Scribbles Save The Day.** A little girl loves to draw but struggles when no one understands her unique doodles. il. [IL 4-8] 26 pages Page Street Kids E. **B,K 22.58**

**Lang, Suzanne**

**541204 Esta Grunon! (Grumpy Monkey)** Jim Panzee wakes up in a bad mood one beautiful day, but he keeps denying he is grumpy even as his friends give advice for feeling better. In Spanish. il. Lang, Max. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Molino E. **22.56**

**541360 Grumpy Monkey Don't Be Scared.** Grumpy Monkey and his jungle friends pursue Halloween treats amid strange noises and mysterious smells, they

remind each other that nothing can be scarier than returning home with no treats. il. Lang, Max [IL 4-8] 31 pages Random Studio E. **L 17.68**

**541389 Grumpy Monkey Valentine Cross-Out.** Jim Panzee is very grumpy about Valentine's Day until his buddy Norman shows him that the holiday is for everyone. il. Lang, Max. [IL 3-7] 31 pages Random E. **L (AR) 17.68**

**LaReau, Kara**  
**542977 Extra Ezra Makes An Extra-Special Friend.** Ezra does everything a little bit extra. But that doesn't work out so well when a new girl comes to school and his efforts to make friends with her seem to go unnoticed. il. Kirsch, Vincent X. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Harper E. **B,C 22.58**

**LaRocca, Rajani**  
**543071 Your One And Only Heart.** A beautifully illustrated and poetic exploration and ode to the human heart and all that it does. il. Conrad, Lauren Paige. [IL 5-8] 40 pages Dial 612. **23.28**

**Latham, Irene**  
**545238 12 Days Of Kindness.** In this variation on the song "The Twelve Days of Christmas," a child explores the many ways to be kind. il. Park, Junghwa. [IL 5-8] 26 pages Putnam 782-E. **B 22.58**

**544448 Be A Bridge.** Rhyming verse describes different ways in which readers can "be a bridge," from welcoming a new student and listening respectfully when someone else is talking to standing up to a bully and comforting a classmate who is upset. il. Adani, Nabila. [IL 4-9] 32 pages Carolrhoda E. **K 23.98**

**Le, Maria**  
**554736 Gift From Daniel.** Daniel Tiger wants to give his friends and family special presents, but he doesn't have enough money to buy them! Then his mom reminds him that homemade gifts are even better than store-bought, and Daniel learns to embrace his creativity and the joy of giving. il. Fruchter, Jason. [IL 3-5] 32 pages Simon E. **14.54**

**Le, Minh**  
**554729 Enlighten Me.** When Binh fights back against a bully who makes fun of his Vietnamese heritage, he expects to be cheered as the hero. He defeated the bad guy, right? Instead, it gets him a stern warning from his vice principal and worried parents. Now he's stuck on a family trip to a silent meditation retreat. That means no talking--and no video games!--for a whole weekend. Could things possibly get any worse? In graphic novel format. il. Chau, Chan. [IL 8-12] 144 pages Little 741. **19.08**

**Leannah, Michael**  
**554840 Most Days.** This is a picture book about paying attention to what's around us and enjoying the extraordinary unfoldings of an ordinary day. Moving from morning to night, the narrator becomes by turns a boy or girl of ever-changing ethnicity and ability, inhabiting city, country, or suburb. il. Baratta, Megan Elizabeth. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Tilbury House E. **K+ 22.56**

**Lenz, Niki**  
**562980 Bernice Buttman, Model Citizen.** Bernice Buttman is tired of being labeled a "bully," so when her mom leaves her with her aunt, who is a nun, Bernice decides to mend her ways and become a model citizen. [IL 8-12] 228 pages Random Fic. **B,K (AR/RC) 21.88**

**Leung, Julie**  
**566351 Truth About Dinosaurs.** Follows a young child on a journey guided by his mother's bedtime storytelling. He quests into two very different forests, as his two grandmothers help him discover two different, but equally enchanting, truths about dragons. il. Cha, Hanna. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Holt E. **23.28**

**Levine, Sara**  
**567165 Sensitive.** A young girl hears messages that she's too sensitive and needs to change. The message travels into her body, and she ultimately changes the negative comments into an affirmation that being sensitive is her strength. il. Amini, Mehrdokht. [IL 5-10] 32 pages Carolrhoda 158. **23.28**

**Levis, Caron**  
**567527 Feathers Together.** Stork friends Malena and Klepetan look forward to the next migration from Croatia to South Africa, but when Malena is injured and can not join the flock, their time apart brings many challenges and big feelings, pushing them to stay connected with hopes for a spring reunion. il. Santoso, Charles. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Abrams E. **K+ 23.28**

**567529 Mighty Muddy Us.** Elephant Enid watches out for her younger brother Ely who was born with a leg injury, and as Ely grows stronger and more confident Enid worries he no longer needs her. il. Santoso, Charles. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Abrams E. **23.28**

**Levithan, David**  
**567465 Answers In The Pages.** When Donovan left his copy of *The Adventurers* on the kitchen counter, he didn't think his mom would read it--much less have a problem with it. It's just an adventure novel about two characters trying to stop an evil genius ... right? But soon the entire town is freaking out about whether the book's main characters are gay, Donovan's mom is trying to get the book removed from the school curriculum, and Donovan is caught in the middle. [IL 8-12] 170 pages Knopf Fic. **C,L+ 22.58**

**LeZotte, Ann Claire**  
**571205 Sail Me Away Home.** As a young teacher on Martha's Vineyard, Mary Lambert feels restless and adrift. So when a league of missionaries invite her to travel abroad, she knows it's a once in a lifetime opportunity. Paris is home to a pioneering deaf school where she could meet its visionary instructors Jean Massieu and Laurent Clerc--and even bring back their methods to help advance formal deaf education in America! [IL 8-12] 288 pages Scholastic Fic. **23.28**

**Light, Steve**  
**572632 Spider Named Itsy.** Why did Itsy Bitsy make his famous journey? il. [IL 3-5] 32 pages Candlewick E. **23.28**

**Lindeen, Mary**  
**574366 Being Kind To Animals.** People need animals, and animals need people. They need our care and kindness so they can grow and thrive. Find out what we can do to be kind to animals. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Norwood House 179. **B 21.86**

**574365 Being Kind To Each Other.** Being kind to others is a choice that we can make at home, in the neighborhood, at school, and with our friends. Learn how people can choose to be kind to each other. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Norwood House 303. **21.86**

**574364 Feeling Afraid.** Discusses the feeling of being afraid and how to cope with and manage fear. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Norwood House 152. **21.86**

**574363 Feeling Angry.** Discusses the feeling of being angry and how to cope with and manage anger. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Norwood House 155. **21.86**

**574361 Feeling Brave.** Discusses the feeling of being brave and how it can help conquer fears. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Norwood House 179. **B 21.86**

**574360 Feeling Excited.** Discusses the feeling of being excited and how it affects your mind and body. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Norwood House 152. **21.86**

**574359 Feeling Joyful.** Discusses the feeling of having joy and happiness. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Norwood House 155. **21.86**

**574353 Feeling Lonely.** Discusses the feeling of being lonely and ways to overcome loneliness. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Norwood House 155. **21.86**

**574351 Feeling Sad.** Discusses the feeling of being sad and ways to manage and overcome sadness. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Norwood House 152. **21.86**

**574347 Feeling Shy.** Discusses the feeling of being shy and ways to overcome shyness. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Norwood House 155. **21.86**

**574418 Sentirse Alegre (Feeling Joyful)** Discusses the feeling of having joy and happiness. In Spanish. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Norwood House 155. **L 23.26**

**574440 Sentirse Emocionado (Feeling Excited)** Discusses the feeling of being excited and how it affects your mind and body. In Spanish. il. [IL 4-8] 31 pages Norwood House 152. **L 23.26**

**574451 Sentirse Enojado (Feeling Angry)** Discusses the feeling of being angry and how to cope with and manage anger. In Spanish. il. [IL 4-8] 31 pages Norwood House 155. **L 23.26**

**574459 Sentirse Temeroso (Feeling Afraid)** Discusses the feeling of being afraid and how to cope with and manage fear. In Spanish. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Norwood House 152. **L 23.26**

**574460 Sentirse Timido (Feeling Shy)** Discusses the feeling of being shy and ways to overcome shyness. In Spanish. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Norwood House 155. **L 23.26**

**574461 Sentirse Triste (Feeling Sad)** Discusses the feeling of being sad and ways to manage and overcome sadness. In Spanish. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Norwood House 152. **L 23.26**

**574464 Sentirse Valiente (Feeling Brave)** Learn ways in which we can understand ourselves and our friends about feeling brave. In Spanish. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Norwood House 179. **L 23.26**

**Liu, Dane**

**580355 Laolao's Dumplings.** Millie loves cooking with her Lao Lao, and together they walk through Chinatown collecting fresh ingredients to make a steaming hot batch of dumplings. Chives from Auntie Lim, shrimp from Uncle Lee & Low, and enough lychee to last all day make for the perfect dumplings and the perfect summer together for Millie and Lao Lao. il. Moon, Shin Yeon. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Godwin Books E. **23.28**

**Lockington, Mariama**

**582178 In The Key Of Us.** While twelve-year-old Andi has suffered from anxiety attacks ever since her mother died ten months ago, Zora starts hurting herself whenever she feels out of control; they are both at Camp Harmony, an elite summer music camp, trying to deal with their problems and also the stress of competition--but as the summer passes they find themselves increasingly drawn to each other, and maybe not just as friends. [IL 8-12] 348 pages Farrar Fic. **B,C+,K+,L+ 21.88**

**Lodding, Linda Ravin**

**582320 When We Had To Leave Home.** Displaced by conflict in Ukraine, a young girl and her family must start again in a new country. il. Aronson, Anna. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Whitman E. **23.28**

**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. il. Paganelli, Elisa. [IL 5-8] 22 pages QEB E. **24.68**

**Long, Ethan**

**585196 Horse & Buggy On Ice.** Best friends Horse & Buggy test their friendship as Horse spins out of

control showing off his skating moves. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Holiday House E. **B,K-,L 21.18**

**Long, Jessica**

**585205 Mermaid With No Tail.** A mermaid without a tail wants to compete in the Mermaid Games. With determination, support, and lots of practice, she carries the day. il. O'Callaghan, Airin. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Sounds True E. **23.98**

**Lopez, Darren**

**586622 Mi Maestro Tiene Tatuajes (My Teacher Has Tattoos)** In Xavier's neighborhood, tattoos represent gang membership. After Xavier catches a glimpse of his new teacher's tattoos, he learns about the pitfalls of stereotyping and the rich cultural tradition tattoos can represent. In Spanish. il. Madanasinghe, Bhagya. [IL 5-9] 48 pages Soaring Kite Books Fic. **23.28**

**586626 My Teacher Has Tattoos.** In Xavier's neighborhood, tattoos represent gang membership. After Xavier catches a glimpse of his new teacher's tattoos, he learns about the pitfalls of stereotyping and the rich cultural tradition tattoos can represent. il. Madanasinghe, Bhagya. [IL 5-9] 48 pages Soaring Kite Books Fic. **23.28**

**Loux, Matthew**

**588242 Prunella And The Cursed Skull Ring.** There are whispers around the village that monsters are lurking outside the gates. Prunella unearths a strange skull-shaped ring in her garden. When she places it on her finger, she's transformed into a skeleton girl, terrifying her monster-fearing town! Exiled, Prunella wanders the wilderness, where she discovers that monsters aren't as bad as she's been led to believe. In graphic novel format. il. [IL 6-10] 160 pages First Second 741. **C,L 23.28**

**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) 22.58**

**Lubomirski, Alexi**

**589724 What Are Words, Really?** Whimsical text is a gentle reminder that words have power--the power to hurt or to heal, to make someone feel small or feel tall. il. Aponte, Carlos. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Candlewick 158. **K,L 22.58**

**Luby, Brittany**

**589732 When The Stars Came Home.** How does a strange new place become home? When Ojiig moves to the city with his family, he misses everything they left behind. Most of all, he misses the sparkling night sky. Without the stars watching over him, he feels lost. His parents try to help, but nothing seems to work. But then they have a new idea for how to make Ojiig feel better--a special quilt stitched through with family stories that will wrap Ojiig in the warmth of knowing who he is and where he came from. il. Donovan, Natasha. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Little E. **23.28**

**Lucianovic, Stephanie V. W.**

**589918 What Is Hope?** Explores familiar, everyday places and situations where children can seek and find hope. il. Buzzell, Kelsey. [IL 3-6] 30 pages Nancy Paulsen E. **23.28**

**Ludwig, Trudy**

**589938 Brave Every Day.** Camila is filled with worry and fear, but when she hides during a class field trip to the aquarium, she finds a classmate who is also afraid and needs a friend. il. Barton, Patrice. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Knopf E. **B,C,K 23.28**

**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) 22.08**

**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 22.58**

**Lukoff, Kyle**

**590584 When Aidan Became A Brother.** Aidan, a transgender boy, experiences complicated emotions as he and his parents prepare for the arrival of a new baby. il. Juanita, Kaylani. [IL 5-8] 32 pages Lee & Low E. **B+,K+,L+ (AR) 23.26**

**Luyken, Corinna**

**590906 My Heart.** An ode to love, connection, and self-acceptance. il. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Dial E. **B,K+,L+,Q (AR) 22.58**

**Ma, Heather**

**591825 Greedy Dog.** Readers will learn an important lesson from Sari the dog about greed and gratitude. Readers will learn the r controlled vowel ar pattern as Sari learns why you should be happy with what you already have! il. [IL 7-9] 24 pages Norwood House 428. **18.34**

**591842 Mike's New Kite.** Mike and his friend Nile discover the fun of kite flying as well as the difficulties that can ensue. They discover a way to solve their problem and ready the kite for the next adventure. Gives the readers the chance to read many i\_e words as well as practice some one syllable a\_e words. il. [IL 5-7] 24 pages Norwood House 428. **18.34**

**Mabry, Sheri**

**591970 Thunder Pause.** After an angry outburst, a child takes a cue from nature to find calm. il. Kanavaliuk, Anastasiya. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Whitman E. **23.28**

**Maddox, Jake**

**761738 Drill Team Determination.** Thirteen-year-old Aniyah comes from a long line of steppers. Her family doesn't understand why Aniyah doesn't want to continue the tradition. But Aniyah doesn't like performing. Then Aniyah's friend Stacey convinces her to give step club a try. Aniyah discovers that stepping is fun! But just when Aniyah is starting to get into the groove, the rules change, and the club decides to enter drill team competitions. Can Aniyah overcome her fears and get on board with performing? il. [IL 8-12] 89 pages Stone Arch Fic. **22.72**

**Maier, Brenda (Brenda J.)**

**597112 Little Blue Bridge.** Loosely adapted from *The Three Billy Goats Gruff*. Ruby and her brothers want to cross a bridge to pick blueberries, but it is guarded by the bully Santiago--the boys manage to trick him, but clever Ruby takes a different tack, builds her own bridge, and turns Santiago into an ally and friend. il. Sanchez, Sonia. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Scholastic E. **B,K,L (AR) 23.28**

**597202 Little Red Fort.** In this adaptation of the Little Red Hen fable, Ruby wants to build a fort, but her three brothers refuse to help, so when the fort is finished Ruby will not let them join her--until the boys come up with a few embellishments for the fort, like a mailbox, a garden, and a fresh coat of paint. il. Sanchez, Sonia. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Scholastic 398-E. **B,C+,K,L,M,Q+,W (AR/RC) 22.78**

**Malbrough, Mike**

**597597 Marigold Finds The Magic Words.** When party-crashing birds ruin Marigold's magic act during his otherwise perfect birthday party, he makes all of

his guests disappear before recalling the magic words to bring them back. il. [IL 3-7] 34 pages Philomel E. **K 22.58**

**Maldonado, Torrey**

**597616 Tight.** After his quick-tempered father gets in a fight and is sent back to jail, sixth-grader Bryan, known for being quiet and thoughtful, snaps and follows new friend Mike into trouble. [IL 10-14] 180 pages Nancy Paulsen Fic. **B,L+,Q (AR/RC) 21.38**

**Mann, Jennifer K.**

**600808 Camping Trip.** An exploration of a young girl's first camping adventure. il. [IL 3-7] 49 pages Candlewick E. **B+,C,K+,L 22.58**

**Manushkin, Fran**

**602192 Plenty Of Hugs.** Two mommies spend a sunny day with their toddler in this cozy, rhyming picture book that lovingly celebrates family and togetherness. il. Alizadeh, Kate. [IL 3-6] 31 pages Dial E. **B,K+,L 22.58**

**Marks, Janae**

**604075 Soft Place To Land.** Twelve-year old Joy dreams of writing music for the movies, but first she has to survive her family's move into a small apartment when her father loses his job. [IL 8-12] 281 pages Katherine Tegen Fic. **B+,C,K,L (AR) 23.28**

**Martin, Ann M.**

**606261 Claudia And The New Girl.** Claudia has always been the most creative kid in her class ... until Ashley Wyeth comes along. Ashley's really different: she wears hippie clothes, has multiple earrings, and she's the most fantastic artist Claudia has ever met. Ashley says Claudia is a great artist, too, but thinks she's wasting her artistic talent with The Baby-sitters Club. When Claudia starts spending more time with Ashley and missing BSC meetings, it becomes clear that Claudia has to make a decision--one of them has to go! In graphic novel format. il. Epstein, Gabriela. [IL 8-12] 164 pages Scholastic 741. (AR) **19.08**

**Mayer, Sasha**

**615732 Squash, The Cat.** A story about a friendship lost and found between a cat named Squash and her constant companion Maggie. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Random Studio E. **23.28**

**Maynor, Megan**

**616546 House For Every Bird.** The blue bird goes in the blue house, the orange bird in the orange house, and so on. But wait! The birds don't agree with the narrator's choices and, much to her distress, are rebelling by swapping houses. il. Juanita, Kaylani. [IL 3-7] 32 pages Knopf E. **C,K 22.58**

**McAneney, Caitie**

**617209 I Can Breathe.** Introduces early readers to the concept of coping and using breath to settle down. il. [IL 4-6] 23 pages PowerKids 613. **15.99**

**617207 I Can Create.** Introduces kids to new ideas for getting creative to find their calm. il. [IL 4-6] 23 pages PowerKids 153. **15.99**

**617206 I Can Move.** Introduces early readers to ideas for dealing with hard feelings through movements, such as yoga poses and mindful walking. il. [IL 4-6] 23 pages PowerKids 155. **15.99**

**617203 I Can Talk.** Introduces readers to the skill of communicating their feelings to trusted people in their lives. il. [IL 4-6] 23 pages PowerKids 155. **15.99**

**McAnulty, Stacy**

**617246 Small Kindness.** It was like a game of tag, with one small act of kindness spreading throughout a small community of kids and teachers alike. il. Leach, Wendy. [IL 3-6] 32 pages Running Press E. **B,K,L 22.58**

**McCarthy, Steve**

**618489 Wilderness.** A young boy who fears the outdoors becomes lost in the forest--and discovers not



only his courage but a new friend, too. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Candlewick E. **23.28**

**McDaniel, Breanna J.**

**623026 Hands Up!** A young girl lifts her hands up in a series of everyday moments before finally raising her hands in resistance at a protest march. il. Evans, Shane. [IL 5-6] 32 pages Dial E. **K,L+,Q** (AR) **22.58**

**McGinty, Alice B.**

**626237 Step By Step.** On the morning he is to start school, a nervous little boy is reassured by his father's advice to handle problems step by step. il. Goode, Diane. [IL 4-8] 25 pages Simon E. **K** **22.58**

**McKee, J. C.**

**627624 Oh Look, A Cake!** A story about a sloth, a lemur, a giant cake, and what happens when you don't share. il. [IL 4-7] 33 pages Clarion E. **K,M** **23.28**

**McKissack, Pat**

**628442 What Is Given From The Heart.** Despite their own poverty since Daddy died, Mama tells nine-year-old James Otis they need to help Sarah, seven, whose family lost everything in a fire. il. Harrison, April. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Schwartz & Wade E. **B,C,L+,Q** (AR) **22.58**

**McMahon, Bob**

**629394 Play It Cool.** What happens when Cool Cucumber and his loyal followers put Cookie and Broccoli's coolness to the test, and Cookie's hokey pokey dance does NOT impress? And worse, when Broccoli's cool math trick propels him to be the new leader of the Cool Crowd? Can their friendship withstand this popularity contest? In graphic novel format. il. [IL 6-8] 76 pages Dial 741. **K,L+** **15.97**

**McPhail, David**

**630897 Lost Little Bird.** A little bird loses his memory after a bump on the head. Determined to find out what kind of bird he is and to restore his memories, he sets off on a journey, encountering many new birds. But will he ever find his fellow birds of a feather? il. [IL 4-7] 32 pages Holt E. **K,L** **23.28**

**Meddour, Wendy**

**634478 Howard The Average Gecko.** Howard thinks he's the most exceptional creature in the entire rainforest. That's because no other creature is as fantastically camouflaged as he is! But when Howard learns that other creatures can be camouflaged, too, he doesn't feel so special anymore. In fact, he might just be ... GASP ... average! Who could ever love a completely unexceptional gecko like Howard? il. Saldana, Carmen. [IL 4-8] 31 pages Peachtree E. **C,K,L** **22.58**

**634483 Lubna And Pebble.** Lubna's best friend is a pebble. Pebble always listens to her stories. Pebble always smiles when she feels scared. But when a lost little boy arrives in the World of Tents, Lubna realizes that he needs Pebble even more than she does. il. Egneus, Daniel. [IL 4-8] 30 pages Dial E. **B+,L,Q** (AR) **22.58**

**Medina, Juana**

**635001 I Feel!: A Book Of Emotions.** Helps young readers to identify how they feel with bold, colorful illustrations and simple text. il. [IL 2-4] 40 pages Versify E. **K,L+** **21.18**

**Medina, Meg**

**635007 Evelyn Del Rey Is Moving Away.** The bittersweet story of two girls who will always be each other's numero uno, even though one is moving away. il. Sanchez, Sonia. [IL 5-7] 32 pages Candlewick E. **B,C+,K+,L** (AR) **22.58**

**Meltzer, Brad**

**636404 New Day.** Sunday quits after feeling like she is being taken for granted, unlike the other days of the

week. As the remaining days of the week interview various days to replace Sunday, a little girl shows up with a thank-you gift that makes all the difference for Sunday. il. Santat, Dan. [IL 3-5] 42 pages Dial E. **B+,C,K,L** (AR) **22.58**

**Meshher, Sydney**

**639590 She Kept Dancing: The True Story Of A Professional Dancer With A Limb Difference.** Tells the true story of Sydney Meshher, the first Radio City Rockette with a visible disability. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Feiwel and Friends 792-A. **23.28**

**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** **22.58**

**Miller, Sharee**

**644608 Curlfriends: New In Town.** Charlie has a foolproof plan for the first day at her new middle school. She's used to starting over--thanks to her military family's constant moving--so making friends has never been easy for her. This time, her first impression needs to last, since this is where her family plans to stay. So she's hiding any interests that may seem "babyish," updating her look, and trying to leave her shyness behind her...but is erasing the real Charlie the best way to make friends? In graphic novel format. il. [IL 8-12] 288 pages Little 741. **19.08**

**Mills, Julia**

**647316 I Am Stuck.** A tender (and humorous) look at the way tough emotions can make us feel stuck and how the presence of a good friend and a deep belly laugh can make it easier to get through stormy feelings. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Clarion E. **23.98**

**Mir, Saira**

**649481 Muslim Girls Rise: Inspirational Champions Of Our Time.** Introduces readers to nineteen powerhouse Muslim women who rose up and made their voices heard. il. Jaleel, Aaliya. [IL 6-9] 41 pages Simon 305-C. **B,K+,L,W** (AR) **22.58**

**Mlynowski, Sarah**

**650477 Time After Time.** The magic bracelet comes to a girl in Texas, who ends up in a Groundhog Day-style time loop. il. [IL 8-12] 192 pages Scholastic Fic. **21.18**

**Montague, Brad**

**651976 Circles All Around Us.** As we grow, our circle keeps getting bigger and bigger to include family, friends, neighbors, community, and beyond. il. Montague, Kristi [IL 3-6] 32 pages Dial E. **K,L** **22.58**

**Montez Minor, Rachel**

**652540 See You On The Other Side.** An ode to those we've lost and a reassurance that we will carry their love with us forever. il. Rahman, Mariyah. [IL 3-7] 32 pages Crown E. **23.28**

**Montgomery, Sy**

**652309 Becoming A Good Creature.** A picture book about the many surprising lessons animals have to teach us on friendship, compassion, families, and how to make positive contributions in the world. il. Green, Rebecca. [IL 4-7] 32 pages Clarion 590. **K+,L+** (AR) **22.58**

**Montijo, Rhode**

**652834 Skeletown: Si. No!** Spend the day with Skully and Skelly as they learn what to say "yes" and "no" to! With the clever use of just two words--si and no--throughout the whole book, a sequence of hilarious gags leads to mischief, chaos, and ultimately friendships soaring to new heights! il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Little E. **22.58**

**Moore, David Barclay**

**655299 Boyogi: How A Wounded Family Learned To Heal.** When his daddy comes home from the service struggling with PTSD, a young boy discovers that learning yoga together can be a source of healing. il. Denmon, Noa. [IL 6-9] 32 pages Candlewick E.

**22.58**

**Morris, Keisha**

**659342 Between Two Windows.** A blossoming friendship is formed by two children passing drawings across the clothesline between their apartment windows. il. [IL 4-8] 48 pages Harper E. **23.98**

**Morris, Lucy**

**659396 May's Brave Day.** May is anxious about her first day of school, but her mom reassures her that everyone gets butterflies when trying new things and even a butterfly has to learn to spread its wings. il. [IL 3-6] 40 pages Bloomsbury E. **23.28**

**Moss, Caroline**

**661614 Blast Off Into Space Like Mae Jemison.** Discover how Mae Jemison became the first African American woman in space and learn 10 key lessons from her work you can apply to your own life. il. Erkas, Sinem. [IL 8-12] 56 pages Frances Lincoln 629-B **B 21.18**

**Muhammad, Ibtihaj**

**663167 Kindest Red: A Story Of Hijab And Friendship.** Sisters Faizah and Asiyah learn how to spread kindness on school picture day. il. Aly, Halem. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Little E. **B,K+ 22.58**

**Murphy, Julie**

**664945 Chubby Bunny.** Bunny comes from a long line of Barbaras that started with her mother and grandmother. She loves putting her hair up in "bun buns," playing with her rabbit Ralph, and eating marshmallows. But when she participates in a marshmallow eating contest at field day called "Chubby Bunny," her classmates start teasing her--and suddenly her name doesn't feel so special anymore. Bunny is determined to change the narrative, and, with a little help from another Barbara, she finds the sweetest solution. il. Searle, Sarah Winifred. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Balzer & Bray E. **23.98**

**Napoleoni, Fabio**

**667249 Dragonboy And The 100 Hearts.** Dragonboy and his stuffed-animal friends are stuck at home, feeling as gloomy as the weather. If only they could go outside and discover something. Inside everything is the same as always. Or is it... il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Little E. **23.28**

**Nisson, Sam**

**677370 Squad Up.** After their victory in the Every Game Ever tournament, unstoppable video game duo and now, IRL best friends Rhys and Miles are enjoying their last few weeks of sixth grade. And the duo is competing to be the first ever to beat Mecha Quest 21. But when shifting loyalties and an online bully threaten their duo, Rhys and Miles discover that sometimes you need to tap your squad to get the win. In graphic novel format. il. Johnson, Darnell. [IL 8-12] 226 pages Clarion 741. **19.78**

**Ogle, Rex**

**686630 Cuatro Ojos (Four Eyes)** Sixth grade isn't as great as Rex thought it would be. He's the only kid who hasn't had a growth spurt, and the bullies won't let him forget it. So when he discovers that he needs glasses, and his family can only afford the ugliest pair in the store, any hope Rex had of fitting in goes completely out of focus. In graphic novel format and Spanish. il. Valeza, Dave. [IL 8-12] 224 pages Scholastic 741. **19.08**

**Oliver, Jamie**

**688783 Billy And The Giant Adventure.** Billy and his friends know that Waterfall Woods is out of bounds; strange things are rumored to have happened there and no one in their village has ventured past its walls for decades . . . When they discover a secret way in, Billy and his best friends, Anna, Jimmy and Andy, can't resist the temptation to explore! Only to quickly discover that the woods are brimming with magic and inhabited by all sorts of unusual creatures, including a whole community of sprites who need the children's help! il. Armino, Monica. [IL 8-12] 336 pages Tundra Fic. **23.28**

**Olson, Jennifer Gray**

**690009 Party Pooper.** A hilarious yet tender picture book about making mistakes, owning up to them, and asking forgiveness. il. [IL 3-7] 40 pages Roaring Brook E. **23.28**

**Onajin, Alaba**

**690173 Waaa Waaa Goes Tawa.** Tawa's temper tantrums throughout the day exasperate everyone around her, so when bedtime arrives the exhausted grownups treat her to their own cries with surprising results. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Random House Studio E. **23.28**

**Ortega, Claribel A.**

**692047 Rizos (Fizzy)** Marlene stops straightening her hair and embraces her natural curls. In graphic novel format and Spanish. il. Bousamra, Rose. [IL 8-12] 224 pages First Second 741. **19.08**

**Owens, R. J.**

**694939 Song So Black, So Proud!** A picture book adaptation of James Brown's 1968 song Say it loud, which he composed after the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and later became an anthem for the civil rights movement. il. Okafor, Keisha. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Sleeping Bear Press 782. **23.28**

**Palacio Obon, Martha Riva**

**695496 Secrets We Tell The Sea.** When hard truths come out after a tragedy, ten-year-old mermaid Sofia must learn how to forgive herself and others. [IL 8-11] 256 pages Bloomsbury Fic. **22.58**

**Papp, Lisa**

**698658 Madeline Finn And The Blessing Of The Animals.** When Madeline Finn attends the Blessing of the Animals with Bonnie and Star, she finds herself thinking about the gifts each of us have to offer--even the small people--and looking for an opportunity to share hers with the animals at her local shelter. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Peachtree E. **23.28**

**Patterson, James**

**703929 Middle School: Million Dollar Mess.** When Rafe discovers that he's inherited a fortune, it's not all good news. Sure, he gets an all-expenses-paid trip to glamorous Beverly Hills...but he also has to go to school while he's in California. And not just any school--St. Benedict's, the snobbiest of snobby establishments. Rafe finds himself in the middle of a very big mess. Can he tidy his life up, or will he be sent packing? [IL 8-12] 272 pages Little Fic. **20.48**

**Paul, Baptiste**

**704179 Patchwork Prince.** A story of a boy made royal by his mother's hand-stitched clothes. il. Thomas, Kitt. [IL 3-7] 32 pages Dial E. **L 23.28**

**Penfold, Alexandra**

**709112 All Are Welcome: Give What You Can.** Illustrations and simple, rhyming text introduce kids work together to give back to their community. il. Kaufman, Suzanne. [IL 4-6] 32 pages Random E. **14.99**

**709121 Big Feelings.** A group of kids express a multitude of feelings and discover they are not alone. il. Kaufman, Suzanne. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Knopf E. **K 23.28**

**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 (AR) 21.88**

**Percival, Tom**  
**709445 Finn's Little Fibs.** Finn always looks forward to spending time with Grandma. But when he accidentally breaks her clock, he panics and tells a fib, blaming it on his sister. But soon one lie turns into many, and Finn's little fibs don't seem so little anymore. Can Finn get rid of the fibs and work up the courage to tell the truth? il. [IL 3-6] 32 pages Bloomsbury E. **23.28**

**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. il. [IL 3-6] 32 pages Bloomsbury E. **B (AR) 22.58**

**Peterson, Brenda**  
**710767 Catastrophe By The Sea.** A lost cat wanders the beach alone and meets a colony of live creatures living at the sea's edge. From a sea anemone and a barnacle, the cat learns empathy and the amazing powers tide pool creatures have in order to survive. il. Young, Ed. [IL 5-8] 32 pages Graphic Arts/West Maren E. **B,K,L 21.88**

**Petty, Dev**  
**713136 Bear Must Go On.** Rabbit, Bear, Squirrel, and Other Squirrel make big plans for a show, but they have forgotten one very important thing and only shy Bear can help. il. Todd, Brandon. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Philomel E. **B,C,K,L 22.58**

**Pham, LeUyen**  
**714328 Outside, Inside.** Celebrates the community coming together to face the challenges of the global COVID-19 pandemic. il. [IL 3-6] 42 pages Roaring Brook E. **B+,K+,L+ (AR) 23.28**

**Pillemer, Jayne**  
**717891 Still Mine.** What happens when the person you love is gone? Your heart hurts and you miss them, but even though your eyes can't see them anymore and your arms can't hug them, they are still there, still yours to love, just in a different way. il. Murray, Sheryl. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Harper E. **K 22.58**

**Pintadera, Fran**  
**719200 Why Do We Cry?** Explains the reasons for our tears, making it clear that everyone is allowed to cry, and that everyone does. il. Sender, Ana. [IL 3-7] 33 pages Kids Can E. **B+,K,L+ 21.88**

**Prahn, Andrew**  
**730337 Elbert, The Curious Clock Tower Bear.** Elbert, one of five mechanical bears in the town's old clock tower, has disrupted the proper operation of the clock for the last time, and he is given twenty-four hours to assuage his curiosity about the world below before he will be allowed back in the clock tower. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Putnam E. **K 22.58**

**Puller, J. S.**  
**734748 Captain Superlative.** Janey, a quiet outsider, is inspired by the eccentric and enigmatic Captain Superlative, a masked superhero who runs through the halls of their middle school, performing radical acts of kindness. [IL 8-12] 245 pages Disney/Hyperion Fic. **B,K,L (AR/RC) 15.49**

**Ramadan, Danny**  
**738144 Salma Writes A Book.** Salma is going to be a big sister! She's determined to be the best sister ever, so she sets out to write the ultimate guidebook to siblinghood. But the more Salma learns about siblings, the more confused she gets. Can Salma figure out what it means to be a good sister before the baby arrives? il. Bron, Anna. [IL 6-9] 120 pages Annick Press Fic. **16.29**

**Ramos, NoNieqa**  
**738253 Beauty Woke.** Beauty, who is of Taino Indian, African, and Boricua heritage, was taught to be strong and proud, but hatred toward people who look like her bruises her heart until her community opens her eyes to the truth. il. Escobar, Paola. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Versify E. **B+,K+,L 22.58**

**Rashid, Qasim**  
**739811 Hannah And The Ramadan Gift.** Hannah is too young to fast for Ramadan, but she learns how to celebrate it with good deeds and kindness that make all the difference. il. Jaleel, Aaliya. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Viking E. **B,K,L (AR) 22.58**

**Read, Kate**  
**741160 Littlest Elephant.** Adorable jungle animals explore kindness and the importance of respecting others. il. [IL 2-5] 32 pages Peachtree E. **K 22.58**

**Reynolds, Peter H. (Peter Hamilton)**  
**748358 All We Need Is Love And A Really Soft Pillow!** Follows a father and son as they discuss all the things they need in life like a really good pillow or a roof over their heads--but most important of all, love. il. [IL 4-8] 41 pages Orchard E. **23.28**

**748488 Be You!** A joyful celebration of individuality--and staying true to yourself. il. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Orchard E. **K,L 22.58**

**748899 Say Something!** Explores the many ways that saying something can make a difference. il. [IL 4-8] 36 pages Orchard E. **K,L 22.58**

**Rich, Simon**  
**750424 I'm Terrified Of Bath Time.** A bathtub, who is just as terrified of bath time as the little girl who bathes in him, offers suggestions on how to make the experience better for both of them. il. Toro, Tom. [IL 4-8] 37 pages Little E. **B,C,K,L 22.58**

**Rivera, Lilliam**  
**757232 Barely Floating.** A story full of heart about how one twelve-year-old channels her rage into synchronized swimming dreams. [IL 9-12] 240 pages Kokila Fic. **22.58**

**Roberts, David**  
**758066 Lila Greer, Teacher Of The Year.** A moving story starring the Questioners' teacher that's all about kindness, learning to face your fears, and the profound difference that one brilliant educator can make in a child's life. il. [IL 5-7] 40 pages Abrams E. **23.98**

**Rockwell, Lizzy**  
**761423 How Do You Feel?** This book helps children and parents talk about feelings. il. [IL 3-5] 25 pages Holiday House 155. **B,K 23.28**

**Roeder, Vanessa**  
**761772 Box Turtle.** Terrance the turtle was born without a shell, so he uses a cardboard box instead. Terrance loves his box. It keeps him dry on soggy days, safe from snooping strangers, and is big enough to cozy up with a friend. But when another turtle points out that Terrance's shell is, well, weird, he begins to wonder whether there might be a better shell out there. il. [IL 3-6] 33 pages Dial E. **B,CA,K (AR) 23.28**

**Rosen, Michael**  
**764344 I Am Happy!** Follow a jubilant pooch from here to the stars and back. il. Starling, Robert. [IL 3-7] 32 pages Candlewick E. **20.48**

**Rosenbaum, Andria Warmflash**

**764378 Our Class Is A Country.** Students of different races, ethnicities, and abilities welcome readers to their class. il. Chen, Dream. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Whitman E.

**23.28**

**Rosenthal, Amy Krouse**

**765318 Straw.** A bendy drinking straw loves to speed through life, but he learns to appreciate taking it slow with the help of a friend. il. Magoon, Scott. [IL 3-6] 40 pages Disney/Hyperion E. **B,K-,L (AR) 21.88**

**Rudd, Maggie**

**770321 Sometimes It's Hard To Be Nice.** While going about his day, a boy experiences the challenges of being kind, but with enough practice he soon discovers how great it feels to be nice. il. O'Neill, Kelly (Kelly Elizabeth) [IL 4-8] 32 pages Whitman E. **B,K-,L 21.88**

**Ruiz-Flores, Lupe**

**770695 Piece By Piece: Ernestine's Gift For President Roosevelt.** During the Great Depression, Ernestine Guerrero's family didn't have much. This is the true story of a resourceful Mexican American teen who made a remarkable gift to thank President Roosevelt for the food aid that helped them survive! il. Lopez Real, Anna. [IL 5-9] 32 pages Millbrook 973.

**21.01**

**Runton, Andy**

**771106 Just A Little Blue.** Best friends Owly and Wormy have days filled with adventure and hearts filled with kindness. And when they discover a bluebird family living in a damaged tree, they want to help out the best way they can: by building the birds a new home! But when Owly and Wormy share their gift, the birds don't welcome the new birdhouse quite as Owly and Wormy had hoped. With a big storm moving in, can Owly and Wormy help get the birds (and their chicks!) to safety before it's too late? In graphic novel format. il. [IL 5-8] 118 pages Scholastic 741. (AR) **17.68**

**Rusu, Meredith**

**773579 I Can Be A Good Friend.** This is Hikaru, and he wants to share with you what it means for him to be a good friend. You will see that, when he chooses being a good friend, friendship grows! il. Colombo, Alexandra. [IL 5-7] 32 pages Children's 300.

**15.44**

**773584 I Can Be Brave.** This is Bob, and he wants to share with you what it means for him to be brave. You will see that, when he works hard to be brave, he feels big and strong. It's his superpower! il. Colombo, Alexandra. [IL 5-7] 32 pages Children's 300.

**15.44**

**773586 I Can Be Honest.** This is Leila, and she wants to share with you what it means for her to be honest. As you follow her along her day, you will see why being honest matters. il. Colombo, Alexandra. [IL 5-7] 32 pages Children's 179. **15.44**

**773588 I Can Be Kind.** Learn all about positive behavior and meet your best self! il. Colombo, Alexandra. [IL 5-7] 32 pages Children's 300.

**15.44**

**Saltzberg, Barney**

**775003 I Want To Be Mad For A While!** A story about one little cat who just wants to be MAD ... at least for a little while! il. [IL 3-5] 26 pages Orchard E.

**K,L 16.79**

**Sanchez, Victoria M.**

**775618 Pilar's Worries.** Pilar has social anxiety, but when tryouts for her favorite ballet are held she uses the coping techniques she has learned and her love of dance to persevere. il. Golden, Jess. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Whitman E. **B,K-,L 21.38**

**Sanders, Rob**

**776735 Stonewall: A Building.** An Uprising. A Revolution. The history of the Stonewall Inn and its role in the gay civil rights movement. il. Christoph, Jamey. [IL 5-8] 40 pages Random 323. **K,Q 22.58**

**Saxon, Victoria**

**780706 Be Mindful, Donald!** Donald Duck needs to get a lot accomplished, but nothing is going his way. How will he get everything done? Daisy tells Donald that it's important to be mindful, but he's not sure what that means. il. Disney Storybook Artists. [IL 5-8] 32 pages Lerner E. **29.58**

**Say, Allen**

**781126 Kozo The Sparrow.** The tale of a young boy who saves a baby bird from the local bullies transports readers to a stirring memory of his childhood in Japan. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Clarion E. **23.98**

**Scaletta, Kurtis**

**781289 Granny Rex.** When little Dee is harassed by the neighborhood hawk, Mama comforts her with a story about her dinosaur grandmother, reminding Dee that even though she is small, she is mighty. il. Henderson, Nik. [IL 4-8] 25 pages Cameron Kids E.

**23.28**

**Scott, Jordan**

**792643 Angela's Glacier.** As soon as she's born, Angela's father introduces her to her glacier. He carries her on his back up the icy expanse as the wind makes music of the snow and the water underneath. Over time, Angela gets big enough to walk beside him, and then, to go alone. She tells her glacier everything, and it answers. il. Sudyka, Diana. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Holiday House E. **23.28**

**Shapiro, Shauna**

**806378 Good Morning, I Love You, Violet!** When Violet and her classmates are taught to say "Good morning, I love you," to improve their happiness, she's skeptical. How will saying she loves herself change anything? But with the encouragement of her friends and the kindness of her mother, Violet embraces the practice. With it, she learns to counter her negative self-talk, embrace self-love, and feel genuinely happy. il. Schaefer, Susi. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Sounds True E.

**22.58**

**Shea, Bob**

**809135 Who Wet My Pants?** When Reuben the bear brings doughnuts to his forest friends, they discover that his pants are wet and he angrily accuses them of the dirty deed. il. O'Hara, Zachariah. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Little E. **B+,C,K+,L (AR) 22.58**

**Sheffield, Heidi Woodward**

**809529 Ice Cream Face.** A little boy experiences a variety of different emotions while he waits in line for ice cream, his favorite food. il. [IL 3-6] 25 pages Nancy Paulsen E. **C 23.28**

**Shepard, Sara**

**810074 Penny Draws A School Play.** Fifth grader, Penny Lowry who doddles to cope with anxiety, is tapped for a role in her class play! il. [IL 8-12] 240 pages Putnam Fic. **20.48**

**Silvestro, Annie**

**819605 Butterflies On The First Day Of School.** Have you ever felt butterflies in your stomach? Explores that feeling on a scary but exciting occasion: the first day of school. il. Chen, Dream. [IL 3-7] 25 pages Sterling E. **K,L (AR) 22.56**

**Sirdeshpande, Rashmi**

**822887 Dadaji's Paintbrush.** Once, in a tiny village in India, there was a young boy who loved to paint. He lived with his grandfather, who taught him to paint with his fingers, to make paints from marigolds and brushes

made from jasmine flowers. After his grandfather dies, the boy notices a little box wrapped in string with a note that reads: "From Dadaji, with love," with his grandfather's best paintbrush tucked away inside. Will the boy overcome his grief and find joy in painting and his Dadaji's memory again? il. Mhasane, Ruchi. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Levine Querido E. **L+ 23.28**

**Smith, Heather**

**830043 Phone Booth In Mr. Hirota's Garden.** The story of a young Japanese boy who loses his dad in a tsunami. il. Wada, Rachel. [IL 6-8] 32 pages Orca E. **B+,CA,K+,L+ (AR) 23.96**

**Smith, Lane**

**827210 Stickler Loves The World.** Stickler, a woodland creature, reminds us to appreciate the everyday wonders we often ignore. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Random House Studio E. **23.28**

**Smith, Sydney**

**827042 Do You Remember?** A boy and his mother share the memories that are most meaningful to them. Her gentle reassurance helps him adjust as he is about to move into a new home. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Holiday House E. **23.28**

**Smith, Tamara Ellis**

**827064 Grief Is An Elephant.** When it first comes, grief is as large as an elephant, but with time it becomes smaller, and easier to deal with until finally you can let it go and just remember. il. Whitesides, Nancy. [IL 4-8] 36 pages Chronicle E. **22.58**

**Sotomayor, Sonia**

**836283 Just Help!: How To Build A Better World.** A story about how one act of kindness triggers another, and how we can each do our part to make this a better world for everyone. il. Dominguez, Angela. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Philomel E. **K,L 22.58**

**Stead, Philip Christian**

**844485 North Wind And The Sun.** Portrays the many different definitions of strength, as told through the powerful bond of three sisters. Together they face The North Wind, a mighty wintry gale bent on destroying the sisters' old patchwork coats with his harsh words and powerful blustering. But these gray-haired sisters stand firm, bracing against the hateful Wind and his taunts, facing his negativity with practicality, resilience, grit, and gut. Their coats will not be blown off by force. il. [IL 4-8] 48 pages Holiday House 398-E. **23.28**

**Steinberg, David**

**847178 How To Be Kind In Kindergarten: A Book For Your Backpack.** Small enough to fit in a child's backpack, this collection of short poems spans the entire year of kindergarten, offering sweet and simple tips on how to be your best self--sharing your umbrella with a friend, taking turns on the swings, and inviting someone to join in a game. il. Hammond, Ruth. [IL 3-5] 30 pages Grosset 303. **K 14.99**

**Sterer, Gideon**

**849330 I Will Read To You.** Once upon a time, there was a boy who loved stories--scary ones about skeletons and witches, giants and ghosts, vampires, dragons, mummies and goblins. But he wondered...do monsters have anyone to read to them? Armed with only a book and a flashlight (And with his bemused mother in tow), he travels through the night, calling together every monster he can think of to make sure they get the bedtime story they need. il. Santos, Charles. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Little E. **23.28**

**Stocker, Shannon**

**855650 Warrior: A Patient's Courageous Quest.** Maria imagines battling through a dangerous land to rid her kingdom of beasts, but after a disappointing day she returns to her hospital bed feeling beat, where her friends,

family, and medical team remind her she is a warrior. il. Turner, Sarah K. [IL 4-8] 36 pages Sleeping Bear E.

**23.28**

**Stoddard, Lindsey**

**855698 Bea Is For Blended.** Bea and her mom have always been a two-person team. But now her mom is marrying Wendell. As if finding her place in her new blended family isn't tough enough, Bea's also facing her first year of middle school, where she's stuck in class with not just Bryce, but Aileyanna--a new girl with a fancy soccer net in her front yard and a killer left foot. [IL 8-12] 293 pages Harper Fic. **B,K,L (AR) 21.88**

**855826 Real Deal.** Real best friends Gabe and Oliver tackle family problems, bullying, and the challenge of dealing with the new kid in their sixth grade class, Reuben, who refuses to talk--and no one knows why. [IL 8-12] 272 pages Harper Fic. **K 21.88**

**855878 Right As Rain.** Eleven-year-old Rain must adjust to a new normal after her brother dies and her family moves to New York City. [IL 8-12] 296 pages Harper Fic. **B (AR/RC) 21.88**

**Swanson, Matthew**

**867722 Ben Yokoyama And The Cookie Of Doom.** Eight-year-old Ben takes a fortune cookie literally and believing he has only one day left to live tries to do everything he has always wanted to before nightfall. il. Behr, Robbi. [IL 8-12] 273 pages Knopf Fic. **K,L (AR) 19.78**

**867716 Ben Yokoyama And The Cookie Thief.** After his fortune cookie is stolen by the school bully, Ben tries to get his fortune back by taking his case to the Kid Court. il. Behr, Robbi. [IL 8-12] 285 pages Knopf Fic. **19.08**

**Swinarski, Claire**

**868607 Kate In Between.** Twelve-year-old Kate becomes the face of an anti-bullying movement after a heroic act goes viral, but her world is turned upside-down when the truth about her involvement is revealed. [IL 8-12] 289 pages Quill Tree Fic. **B,C,K,L (AR) 21.88**

**Sycamore, Beth**

**869000 Who Needs A Hug?** While playing hide-and-seek with Dory and her friends, an otter pup gets lost and Dory and the others work together to find him. il. Disney Storybook Artists. [IL 5-8] 32 pages Lerner E. **29.58**

**Tabor, Corey R.**

**870809 Mel Fell.** Readers will delight in turning their book sideways and upside down to follow Mel on her journey from downward fall to triumphant flight in this tale of self-confidence and taking a leap of faith. il. [IL 4-8] 39 pages Harper E. **B,C,K+ (AR) 22.58**

**Tagholm, Sarah**

**870947 Sam Francisco, King Of The Disco.** Superstar DJ Sam Francisco's party is keeping his neighbor Buzzkill Bill awake. Bill tries everything to shut it down--he sends his dogs, then pest control, the fire department, and the police! When Bill finally succeeds in pulling the plug, things look bleak, but luckily it's the people (and the cats) who make a party, not the fancy equipment. il. Talib, Binny. [IL 4-7] 32 pages Annick Press E. **23.28**

**Tarpley, Natasha Anastasia**

**872652 Keyana Loves Her Friend.** Keyana is back and it's time for a slumber party! Keyana is hosting her very best friend, Nia, over for a night of games, dancing, and splashing in the pool! But when Keyana and Nia have trouble seeing eye-to-eye, they'll have to come together to remember just how much they care about each other. Follow-up to *Keyana Loves Her Family!* il. Pinkney Barlow, Charnelle. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Little E. **23.28**

**Tarshis, Lauren**

**872607 Only My Dog Knows I Pick My Nose.** A boy explains how he often obeys the rules when others are watching, but there are some rules he is happy to break only when his dog is around to see it. il. Mezoff, Lisa Bronson. [IL 3-6] 41 pages Scholastic E. **K,L (AR) 22.58**

**Tashjian, Janet**

**872653 Hannah Sharpe, Cartoon Detective.** Young cartoonist Hannah Sharpe has many strengths: she's curious, creative, has an amazing memory, and most important--she notices things. When Doug Williams moves into her family's Airbnb, Hannah can't shake the feeling that he's got something to hide. Hannah investigates, often with her sketchbook in hand, she makes a series of unsettling discoveries involving stolen packages, changed keypad codes, and hidden stacks of cash. Can Hannah crack the case and unfold the mystery on her own? il. Tashjian, Jake. [IL 8-12] 224 pages Little Fic. **22.58**

**Tatsukawa, Maya**

**872768 Mole Is Not Alone.** Mole anxiously decides to journey through underground tunnels to attend a friend's party. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Holt E. **23.28**

**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 Scholastic 155-A. **B,C,K,L (AR/RC) 19.08**

**Thorn, Theresa**

**881539 It Feels Good To Be Yourself: A Book About Gender Identity.** Some people are boys. Some people are girls. Some people are both, neither, or somewhere in between. Introduces the concept of gender identity to the youngest reader. il. Grigni, Noah. [IL 4-8] 33 pages Holt 305. **L (AR) 22.58**

**Thurman, Brittany J.**

**882325 Forever And Always.** A young black child waits for--and worries about--her father while he's away from home. il. Knight-Justice, Shamar. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Greenwillow E. **23.98**

**Torres, Jennifer**

**885659 Fresh New Face Of Griselda.** After her father's landscaping business fails and the family loses their house, sixth-grader Griselda Zaragoza follows her sister's example and begins selling Alma cosmetics while hiding her changed circumstances from friends. [IL 8-12] 245 pages Little Fic. **B,C,K (AR) 21.88**

**Tsurumi, Andrea**

**891305 I'm On It!** When Frog and Goat turn a simple game into an all-out competition, things get out of hand ... until finally, they're over it. il. [IL 3-6] 58 pages Disney/Hyperion E. **B,C,K+ (AR) 17.24**

**Underwood, Deborah**

**898407 Outside In.** Illustrations and easy-to-read text reveal ways nature affects our everyday lives, such as providing food and clothing, and showing when to go to bed and when to get up. il. Derby, Cindy. [IL 4-7] 39 pages Clarion E. **B,K+,L+ (AR) 22.58**

**898574 Walter Had A Best Friend.** Walter and Xavier are best friends. But then...quietly...slowly...Xavier becomes best friends with someone else. Walter goes from feeling hurt and left out to feeling confused and angry to feeling just plain lonely. While out for a hike by himself, he meets Ollie. Could this be the beginning of a new friendship? il. Ruzzier, Sergio. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Beach Lane E. **B,C,K+,L+ 23.28**

**Vandorn, Kaeti**

**905944 Monster Friends.** Despite their differences, monster neighbors Reggie and Emily make the perfect pair of explorers, and with a map to make, a beach

party to plan, and a sea monster to find, Reggie will have to learn to talk about his feelings and let new friends in. In graphic novel format. il. [IL 5-9] 265 pages Random 741. **K+,L+ 19.08**

**Vaught, Susan**

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**Verde, Susan**

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**Vo, Young**

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**Wade, Stef**

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**Ward, Lindsay**

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**Ward, Matthew**

**920327 Unflappable.** Three flightless friends long to feel the wind beneath their wings. So, they try, and try, and try to fly. But all they do is fall, fall, fall. Flying, it turns out, is hard. Will they give up--or get up? il. Magoon, Scott. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Clarion E. **23.98**

**Watson, Renee**

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**Watt, Melanie**

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**19.08**

**Wheeler, Eliza**

**937242 Home In The Woods.** During the Great Depression six-year-old Marvel, her seven siblings, and their mother find a tarpaper shack in the woods and, over the course of a year, turn it into a home. Based on the author's grandmother's childhood; includes historical notes. il. [IL 5-8] 40 pages Nancy Paulsen E.

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**White, Kathryn**

**939386 Home For Grace.** When a woman appears with a sleeping bag, living in a shop doorway, Jess is full of questions. Where Is her Home? Why did she leave? And what will happen when the snow comes? il. Dean, Rachael. [IL 5-9] 32 pages Andersen Press USA E.

**23.28**

**Whiting, Ruth**

**941506 Lonely Bird.** She's just a tiny slip of paper, a doodle cut in the shape of a bird. She isn't sure who made her or how she came to be, or if the family she lives with even knows she is there. She turns found objects into things of beauty--sometimes leaving them for the child of the house to discover. And now the dauntless artist makes something thoroughly unexpected: a friend. il. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Candlewick E.

**23.28**

**Wilkins, Ebony**

**948400 Zora, The Story Keeper.** A young Black girl and her aunt celebrate the wonder and magic of their family's legacy through storytelling. il. Coulter, Dare. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Kokila E.

**23.28**

**Wilkins, Veronica B.**

**170017 Tolerance.** Learn what tolerance is, how and why to show it, how to use mindfulness to better practice tolerance, and how to encourage it in others. il. [IL 7-9] 24 pages Blue Owl 179.

**23.26**

**Willems, Mo**

**949550 Pigeon Has To Go To School!** The pigeon must go to school, but frets about math, learning the alphabet, heavy backpacks, and what the teacher and other birds will think of him. il. [IL 3-5] 36 pages Disney/Hyperion E.

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**Williams, Karen Lynn**

**949676 Bear Helps The Forest (Maybe You Help, Too)** Bear loves jumping in leaf piles, but fall playtime ends with winter hibernation. When Bear wakes up she realizes it'll be a while--through spring and summer--till the leaves will fall again. While she waits, she learns about the constant work the forest does to renew her playground--and how she helps. il. Landazabal, Andres. [IL 3-7] 32 pages Charlesbridge E.

**21.88**

**Williams, Nyasha**

**949646 Ally Baby Can: Be Antiracist.** Readers will learn how to be an effective antiracist ally. il. Orlando, Jade. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Harper E.

**16.34**

**951104 Keep Dreaming, Black Child.** A reminder of the power of big dreams--for their future selves, their communities, and the larger world. il. Cloud, Sawyer. [IL 4-8] 32 pages Running Press E.

**22.58**

**Williamson, Margaret**

**953226 Lucky Bird.** Readers will explore the r controlled vowel patterns er, ir, and ur in this retelling of the fable The Lucky Bird. This story shows how greed

and wickedness can change a person's luck. il. [IL 7-9] 24 pages Norwood House 428.

**18.34**

**Wilson, Lakita**

**954845 Sparkle.** After twelve-year-old reluctant social media influencer, Sparkle Moore, is diagnosed with alopecia, she must navigate family, friends, and her own self-esteem with the added challenge of losing her hair. [IL 8-12] 240 pages Viking Fic.

**22.58**

**Witek, Jo**

**958650 When I Smile: A Book Of Kindness.** One girl discusses the power of a smile and the many different smiles she gives to those around her throughout the day. This story shows the power and gift of a smile. il. Roussey, Christine. [IL 2-4] 30 pages Abrams E.

**23.28**

**Wohnoutka, Mike**

**959972 So Big!** Just when a little bear starts to feel overwhelmed on his first day of school, he meets a new friend, and together they find the courage to overcome their fear. il. [IL 3-6] 32 pages Bloomsbury E.

**K+,L**

**22.58**

**959979 Ups And Downs: A Book Of Emotions.**

Simple words and tender, nuanced illustrations follow three young children as they traverse emotional highs and lows over the course of a school day. The wide spectrum of emotions covered invites readers to share their own contradictory, unpredictable, ever-present feelings. il. [IL 3-7] 32 pages Candlewick E.

**22.58**

**Woolley, Katie**

**983296 Angelfish Feels Angry.** When Angelfish got angry, her face turned red and she started to shake. This relatable story helps kids identify their feelings and provides useful tools for managing emotions. il. Arumi, David. [IL 5-9] 32 pages Lerner E.

**25.38**

**983409 Jellyfish Feels Jealous.** When Jellyfish was jealous, he was unkind...which in turn made him feel awful. This relatable story helps kids identify their feelings and provides useful tools for managing emotions. il. Arumi, David. [IL 5-9] 32 pages Lerner E.

**25.38**

**983407 Shark Feels Shy.** When Shark felt shy, his tummy did a somersault and he swam away and hid. This relatable story helps kids identify their feelings and provides useful tools for managing emotions. il. Arumi, David. [IL 5-9] 32 pages Lerner E.

**25.38**

**983406 Starfish Feels Scared.** When Starfish was scared to try something new, she missed out on having fun with her friends. This relatable story helps kids identify their feelings and provides useful tools for managing emotions. il. Arumi, David. [IL 5-9] 32 pages Lerner E.

**25.38**

**983411 Swordfish Feels Sad.** When Swordfish was sad and missing her dad, she had a hard time finding enjoyment in anything. This relatable story helps kids identify their feelings and provides useful tools for managing emotions. il. Arumi, David. [IL 5-9] 32 pages Lerner E.

**25.38**

**983404 Whale Feels Worried.** When Whale started to worry, she had a hard time doing anything but worry more. This relatable story helps kids identify their feelings and provides useful tools for managing emotions. il. Arumi, David. [IL 5-9] 32 pages Lerner E.

**24.88**

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**327568 World Of Kindness.** From simply saying "please" and "thank-you" to helping, comforting, and protecting others, A World of Kindness goes beyond mere platitudes and politeness to examine, in a kid-friendly way, the most powerful of social interactions. il. [IL 3-6] 32 pages Pajama Press E.

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**11.12**

**Wyman, Christina**

**970230 Jawbreaker.** Max Plink's life is complicated. Her parents aren't getting along. The school bullies are relentless--and her own sister is the cruelest of them. Worst of all, her mouth is a mess. Max has a Class II malocclusion, otherwise known as a severe overbite. She already has braces, but now Max has to wear painful (and totally awkward) orthodontic headgear called "the jawbreaker." Could things get any worse? [IL 8-12] 320 pages Farrar Fic. **22.58**

**Yanish, Brian**

**971360 Shark And Bot.** An unlikely friendship forms between a great white shark and a robot when they bond over a favorite book series, then stand--and dance--together against playground bullies. il. [IL 6-9] 75 pages Random 741. **K (AR) 16.79**

**Yi, Susie**

**556737 Sky Of Paper Stars.** A Korean-American girl who makes an ill-fated wish to fit in and must grapple with the consequences when she returns to Korea to attend her grandmother's funeral. In graphic novel format. il. [IL 8-12] 240 pages Roaring Brook 741. **20.48**

**Yoon, Salina**

**973667 Penguin And Ollie.** Worried about his new friend, a shy octopus named Ollie, Penguin recruits the other animals to help look for him, and discovers something more precious than treasure. il. [IL 3-6] 40 pages Bloomsbury E. **23.28**

**Yoshitake, Shinsuke**

**974156 I Can Open It For You.** A little boy imagines all the things he will be able to open once he gets bigger, but for now he needs his parents' help. il. [IL 3-5] 52 pages Chronicle E. **21.18**

**Zehava**

**979586 Connor Kissed Me.** Miriam navigates her confusion about an unprovoked kiss--finding her voice and using it to assert her personal boundaries. il. Turner, Sarah K. [IL 4-8] 40 pages Lee & Low E. **24.66**

**Zhang, Gracey**

**980141 When Rubin Plays.** Rubin loves the beautiful sounds that are played by the orchestra. He wants to learn to play the violin and make his own music. But when Rubin plays, it doesn't sound like he imagines it should. Rubin goes into the forest to practice alone and despite only getting the violin to screech, he finds an unlikely audience that loves his unique style. il. [IL 4-8] 49 pages Orchard E. **23.28**

**Zollman, Pam**

**983619 I'll Say Goodbye.** With the help of a pet hermit crab, a child finds a way to say goodbye to Uncle Mike after his death from cancer. il. Ives, Frances. [IL 4-8] 34 pages Eerdmans E. **B 22.58**

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<b>CA</b> Bulletin of the Center for Children's Books Additional Purchase	<b>M</b> Horn Book	<b>RC</b> Reading Counts®
<b>CM</b> Bulletin of the Center for Children's Books Marginal Book	<b>Q</b> Horn Book Guide	
	<b>W</b> Publishers Weekly	
	<b>+</b> Starred Review	