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**Animal Smackdown** - Emily Krieger 2018  
Enter the ring to witness an epic battle of brawn between an ant and an elephant! A chimp vs. a crow in a showdown of wits! An emperor penguin vs. a pygmy marmoset in a contest for cutest creature! Some of the victors might surprise you and all of these animals will amaze you! Stats, fun facts, photos, and in-depth

profiles about each contender will help you pick winners for more than a dozen mighty matchups. A March Madness-style bracket at the end of the book allows readers to choose the ultimate champion!

**Peter & Ernesto: A Tale of Two Sloths** -  
Graham Annable 2018-04-10  
Peter and Ernesto are sloths, friends, and

nothing alike, so Ernesto decides to go off on an adventure alone. Will the pals' separation tear them apart or bring them closer together?

Presented in comic books format.

**Wonderstruck** - Brian Selznick 2015-09-03

Ben's story takes place in 1977 and is told in words. Rose's story in 1927 is told entirely in pictures. Ever since his mother died, Ben feels lost. At home with her father, Rose feels alone. When Ben finds a mysterious clue hidden in his mother's room, and when a tempting opportunity presents itself to Rose, both children risk everything to find what's missing. Rich, complex, affecting and beautiful, WONDERSTRUCK is a staggering achievement from a uniquely gifted artist.

**Sakamoto's Swim Club** - Julie Abery 2021-05-04

Lyrical true story of the teacher who coached Hawaiian swimmers to Olympic glory. When the children of workers on a 1930s Maui sugar plantation were chased away from playing in the nearby irrigation ditches, local science

teacher Soichi Sakamoto had an idea. He would take responsibility for the children and train them to swim. Using his science background, Sakamoto developed a strict practice regime for the kids, honing their skills and building their strength and endurance. They formed a team and began to dominate events, first nationally and then internationally — until they made it all the way to Olympic gold! Told in simple rhyme, Sakamoto's story will inspire athletes, coaches — and everyone who believes impossible dreams can come true.

**Inspector Flytrap** - Tom Angleberger

2016-08-02

Hoping to become the greatest detective that ever grew, Inspector Flytrap, a Venus Flytrap, and his assistant, Nina the Goat, investigate "big deal" mysteries at an art museum, a cookie shop, and a garden.

**Live Oak, with Moss** - Walt Whitman

2019-04-09

As he was turning forty, Walt Whitman wrote

twelve poems in a small handmade book he entitled "Live Oak, With Moss." The poems were intensely private reflections on his attraction to and affection for other men. They were also Whitman's most adventurous explorations of the theme of same-sex love, composed decades before the word "homosexual" came into use. This revolutionary, extraordinarily beautiful and passionate cluster of poems was never published by Whitman and has remained unknown to the general public—until now. New York Times bestselling and Caldecott Award-winning illustrator Brian Selznick offers a provocative visual narrative of "Live Oak, With Moss," and Whitman scholar Karen Karbiener reconstructs the story of the poetic cluster's creation and destruction. Walt Whitman's reassembled, reinterpreted Live Oak, With Moss serves as a source of inspiration and a cause for celebration. *The High-Rise Private Eyes #7: The Case of the Baffled Bear* - Cynthia Rylant 2006-02-21 Why is Bernard the Bear baffled? Well, for one

thing, he has lost his whistle and he can't figure out where it is. For another thing, he has just met Jack Jones—one of the High-Rise Private Eyes and a very fine detective in his own right—and Jack won't stop talking about . . . pretzels! Luckily for the baffled bear (and for kids who are ready to read on their own), Jack takes the mystery (and the bear) back to the high-rise to meet Bunny Brown. Bunny is the brains of the operation, and she quickly determines that it's high time for the High-Rise Private Eyes to open case file #7: The Case of the Baffled Bear.

[Riding Freedom](#) - Pam Munoz Ryan 2013-10-29 A reissue of Pam Munoz Ryan's bestselling backlist with a distinctive new author treatment. In this fast-paced, courageous, and inspiring story, readers adventure with Charlotte Parkhurst as she first finds work as a stable hand, becomes a famous stage-coach driver (performing brave feats and outwitting bandits), finds love as a woman but later resumes her

identity as a man after the loss of a baby and the tragic death of her husband, and ultimately settles out west on the farm she'd dreamed of having since childhood. It wasn't until after her death that anyone discovered she was a woman.

**Kaleidoscope** - Brian Selznick 2021-01-11

A ship. A garden. A library. In *Kaleidoscope*, the incomparable Brian Selznick presents the story of two people bound to each other through time and space, memory and dreams. At the centre of their relationship is a mystery about the nature of grief and love which will look different to each reader. *Kaleidoscope* is a feat of storytelling that illuminates how even the wildest tales can help us in the hardest times. Brian Selznick's first book, *The Invention of Hugo Cabret*, was the winner of the esteemed Caldecott Medal, the first novel to do so, as the Caldecott Medal is for picture books. Released as a live-action film *Hugo* in 2011, directed by Martin Scorsese and starring Asa Butterfield, Ben Kingsley, Jude Law, Sacha Baron Cohen, Richard Griffiths, Ray

Winstone, and Christopher Lee. Brian Selznick's second book, *Wonderstruck*, was also made into a feature film, starring Julianne Moore and Michelle Williams

**Bull** - David Elliott 2017-03-28

Much like Lin-Manuel Miranda did in *Hamilton*, the New York Times best-selling author David Elliott turns a classic on its head in form and approach, updating the timeless story of Theseus and the Minotaur. A rough, rowdy, and darkly comedic young adult retelling in verse, which NPR called "beautifully clever," *Bull* will have readers reevaluating one of mythology's most infamous monsters. SEE THE STORY OF THESEUS AND THE MINOTAUR IN A WHOLE NEW LIGHT. Minos thought he could Pull a fast one On me, Poseidon! God of the Sea! But I'm the last one On whom you Should try such a thing. The nerve of that guy. The balls. The audacity. I AM THE OCEAN! I got capacity! Depths! Darkness! Delphic power! So his sweet little plan Went big-time sour And his wife had a

son Born with horns and a muzzle Who ended up  
In an underground puzzle. What is it with you  
mortals? You just can't seem to learn: If you play  
with fire, babies, You're gonna get burned.

Found - Jeff Newman 2018-11-20

A wordless picture book about what we lose,  
what we find, and what we give back. Jenn's  
beloved dog was lost sometime ago. Long  
enough that she has given up the search. But  
she still misses her friend. One day she finds a  
lost dog. She takes him in and despite a rocky  
start, she grows to love him. Until she spots his  
picture on a missing poster. His name is Roscoe,  
and he's someone else's best friend. Jenn knows  
she should return Roscoe, but she really doesn't  
want to. Will Jenn do the right thing? Or will she  
keep this new dog she's grown to love so much?

**The Case of the Missing Monkey** - Cynthia  
Rylant 2002-08-01

A glittery glass monkey is swiped from the  
counter at Bunny and Jack's favorite diner. Who  
would steal a glass monkey, and why? Full of

humor, action, and tenderness, this snappy  
mystery is ideal for beginning readers. Full-color  
illustrations.

**On the Other Side of the Garden** - Jairo  
Buitrago 2018-03-01

From one of the great creative teams in picture  
books, *On the Other Side of the Garden* is about  
a city girl learning to accept the change brought  
about by her parents' separation when she is  
taken to her grandmother's house in the country  
and befriended by an owl, a frog and a mouse.  
When her father leaves her at her grandmother's  
house, the young girl at the center of this story  
feels abandoned and lonely. Her mother has  
moved to another country, and the girl wasn't  
paying attention when her father explained what  
was happening. And she hardly remembers her  
grandmother. After going up to her room she  
decides to venture out into the nighttime garden  
where she meets an owl, a frog and a mouse.  
They take her on a tour of her extraordinary new  
world. When she gets back in the morning, her

grandmother explains that her father won't be back for a long time. The girl tells her that she wants to be able to spend time in the garden with the plants and animals of this new world, and her grandmother doesn't seem to be either surprised or alarmed by her nighttime adventures. And she is very happy that the girl and she will get to know each other. Buitrago's stories are noted for conveying large truths through understatement and suggestion. This story, beautifully illustrated by Yockteng, shows how a child can use her own bravery and curiosity to confront frightening and potentially destructive realities such as a parents' separation and being left with an almost unknown relative through what we must assume is a situation where her father had no choice. There is an endnote about the plants and animals that might be found in such a garden. [Lola Loves Animals](#) - Imapla 2022-02-22  
What little animal lover wouldn't want to set all the animals in the zoo free and fly through the

sky with them? Lift-the-flap and open the door to join Lola and the animals, with an accordion fold that turns the pages into a stand-up story-telling scroll! The little girl in this whimsical wordless adventure story begins the day with a trip to the zoo, accompanied by her mother. Lola has fun imitating the monkeys, the giraffes, and all the animals -- until it starts to rain, and they run back home. That night, as she drifts off to sleep, Lola is joined by all the animals in the zoo. Little readers can lift a little flap that looks like a door to enter into a dreamscape and fly through the night sky as the pages fold out to become a stand-up scene of Lola's dream. This truly one-of-a-kind novelty picture book -- with two stories in one book -- will astound and delight adventurous book-lovers of all ages. *Monkey Man* - Steve Brewer 2006  
Investigator Bubba Mabry's discussion with a new client is interrupted when someone in a monkey suit appears holding a gun. *Parked* - Danielle Svetcov 2021-02-02

For fans of Rebecca Stead and Joan Bauer comes a scrappy, poignant, uplifting debut about family, friendship, and the importance of learning both how to offer help and how to accept it. "A big-hearted novel with characters I wish were my friends in real life." —Gennifer Choldenko, author of the Al Capone at Alcatraz series Jeanne Ann is smart, stubborn, living in an orange van, and determined to find a permanent address before the start of seventh grade. Cal is awkward, sensitive, living in a humongous house across the street, and determined to save her. Jeanne Ann wants Cal's help just about as much as she wants to live in a van. As the two form a tentative friendship that grows deeper over alternating chapters, they're buoyed by a cast of complex, oddball characters, who let them down, lift them up, and leave you cheering. Debut novelist Danielle Svetcov shines a light on a big problem without a ready answer, pulling it off with the perfect balance of humor, heartbreak, and hope. "Insightful [and] touching...Not to be

missed." —Karen Cushman, author of *The Midwife's Apprentice* "For readers of Dan Gemeinhart [and] Katherine Applegate." —The Children's Book Review "You won't be able to put it down. Trust." —ScaryMommy.com "Relatable and beautifully told." —Commonsense Media "Pertinent....Honest...Uplifting...Fresh." —PW "Utterly of this moment." —Jack Cheng, author of *See You in the Cosmos* "Absorbing and warmhearted." —Annie Barrows, author of the *Ivy & Bean* series "Realistically hopeful...Recommended." —SLC "Sharp...Perceptive." —BCCB "Unforgettable." —Brightly

**Animals Grow and Change** - Bobbie Kalman  
2007-10

Describes the life cycles of different kinds of animals, discussing how kangaroos, horses, chicks, snakes, and frogs are born, grow, and change.

*Elephant in the Dark* - Mina Javaherbin  
2015-08-25

When the villagers hear of a huge and mysterious creature that has come all the way from India, they steal into the dark barn to find out what it is. "It's like a snake!" says one. "It's like a tree trunk," says another. "No, it's like a fan!" argues the third. Who is right? Which of them knows the creature's true shape? Mina Javaherbin's charming and witty retelling combined with Eugene Yelchin's refreshingly brilliant illustrations bring this enlightened classic, inspired by Rumi's poem, vividly to life. *Whobert Whoever, Owl Detective* - Jason Gallaher 2017-07-18

Help Whobert Whoever, Owl Detective, keep his woods safe in this hilarious who-who-dun-it. What happened to Perry the Possum? Whobert Whoever, Owl Detective, is on the case! Did Debbie the Duck whack Perry with her wicked wings? Or did Freddie the Frog soak Perry in his sickening slime? And what if the culprit is closer to home than Whobert expects?

[Tell Me a Mitzi](#) - Lore Segal 2017-09-13

Three household adventures in the life of Mitzi include an intended trip to grandmother's, sharing a family cold, and reversing the President's motorcade.

### **The Three Little Pigs** - 1992

The classic story of the three pigs who build their houses out of different materials and of the wolf who is determined to eat them all.

**Hattie and Hudson** - Chris Van Dusen  
2017-05-09

When Hattie's singing rouses a giant beast from the lake, everyone in town is terrified except Hattie, who works to convince the townsfolk that Hudson is not dangerous.

*When Marian Sang* - Pam Munoz/ Selznick Ryan (Brian) 2004-04-01

An introduction to the life of Marian Anderson, extraordinary singer and civil rights activist, who was the first African American to perform at the Metropolitan Opera, whose life and career encouraged social change.

*Time Warp (Geronimo Stilton Journey Through*



*Time #7)* - Geronimo Stilton 2020-02-04

A thrilling quest through the past with Geronimo Stilton and his friends. Geronimo travels back in time once more! In this book he visits Plato in ancient Greece, the mythical Atlantis, and Stonehenge!

*Frindle* - Andrew Clements 1998-02

Nicholas Allen is not a troublemaker -- he's just creative. When he decides to liven things up in Mrs. Granger's fifth grade language arts class, he comes up with the greatest plan yet. He invents a new word for a pen -- frindle. It doesn't take long

**The Houdini Box** - Brian Selznick 2008-10-07

A chance encounter with Harry Houdini leaves a small boy in possession of a mysterious box--one that might hold the secrets to the greatest magic tricks ever performed.

**Baby Monkey, Private Eye** - Brian Selznick  
2018

Baby Monkey, private eye, will investigate stolen jewels, missing pizzas, and other mysteries--if he

can manage to figure out how to put his pants on.

**The Monkey's Raincoat** - Robert Crais  
2019-10-01

“Elvis Cole provides more fun for the reader than any L.A. private eye to come along in years.”—Joseph Wambaugh WINNER OF THE ANTHONY AND MACAVITY AWARDS FOR BEST NOVEL • NOMINATED FOR THE EDGAR AND SHAMUS AWARDS FOR BEST NOVEL Meet Elvis Cole, L.A. Private Eye. . . . He quotes Jiminy Cricket and carries a .38. He’s a literate, wisecracking Vietnam vet who is determined to never grow up. When quiet Ellen Lang enters Elvis Cole’s Disney-Deco office, she’s lost something very valuable—her husband and her young son. The case seems simple enough, but Elvis isn’t thrilled. Neither is his enigmatic partner and firepower, Joe Pike. Their search down the seamy side of Hollywood’s studio lots and sculptured lawns soon leads them deep into a nasty netherworld of drugs, sex—and murder.

Now the case is getting interesting, but it's also turned ugly. Because everybody, from cops to starlets to crooks, has declared war on Ellen and Elvis. For Ellen, it isn't Funtown anymore. For Elvis, it's just a living . . . He hopes. Praise for *The Monkey's Raincoat* "Outstanding characters, tight plot, and scintillating prose style. . . . This fast-paced story speeds Elvis Cole to a chilling, heart-stopping ending."—Mystery Scene "Is Bob Crais good? Put it this way: if they're taking you out to put you against the firing squad wall, and you want to enjoy your last moments on earth, pass on the last cigarette and ask for an Elvis Cole novel."—Harlan Ellison "Far and away the most satisfying private eye novel in years. Grab this one—it's a winner!"—Lawrence Block "The best private eye novel of the year . . . lots of action; bright, crisp dialogue; and sharply drawn characters."—The Denver Post "Robert B. Parker has some competition on his hands. . . . Elvis Cole is an appealing character and Crais's style is fresh and funny."—Sue Grafton "In Crais, a

new star has appeared on the private eye scene—a dazzling first novel."—Tony Hillerman  
*The Invention of Hugo Cabret* - Brian Selznick  
2015-09-03

ORPHAN, CLOCK KEEPER, AND THIEF, twelve-year-old Hugo lives in the walls of a busy Paris train station, where his survival depends on secrets and anonymity. But when his world suddenly interlocks with an eccentric girl and her grandfather, Hugo's undercover life, and his most precious secret, are put in jeopardy. A cryptic drawing, a treasured notebook, a stolen key, a mechanical man, and a hidden message from Hugo's dead father form the backbone of this intricate, tender, and spellbinding mystery.

***Lulu Walks the Dogs*** - Judith Viorst  
2014-03-11

Lulu needs help from a boy named Fleischman if she is to earn money walking her neighbors' dogs, and she finds out that if she wants her business venture to succeed, she has to be nice.  
*Heartwood Hotel Book 1: A True Home* - Kallie

George 2017-07-04

“Charming and imaginative, and full of endearing characters who excel at kindness as only animals can. With stories that highlight the power of friendship, Heartwood Hotel is sure to leave readers eager to visit again.” —Ashley Spires, author and illustrator of *The Most Magnificent Thing* “If there’s one thing Vancouver author Kallie George knows, it’s how to create a tale full of whimsy.” —Quill & Quire  
*Downton Abbey* meets *The Tale of Peter Rabbit* in this heartwarming chapter book about a mouse discovering where she belongs. When Mona the mouse stumbles across the wondrous world of the Heartwood Hotel in the middle of a storm, she desperately hopes the staff will let her stay. As it turns out, Mona is precisely the maid they need at the grandest hotel in Fernwood Forest, where animals come from far and wide for safety, luxury and comfort. But it’s not all acorn soufflé and soft, moss-lined beds. Danger lurks nearby, and as it approaches,

Mona has to use all her wits to protect the place she’s come to love. Because this hotel is more than a warm shelter for the night. It might also be a home. This delightfully enticing story of friendship, courage and community, sweetly illustrated by Stephanie Graegin, kicks off a new chapter-book series by the author of the *Magical Animal Adoption Agency* books.

*Artificial Parts, Practical Lives* - Katherine Ott  
2002

From the wooden teeth of George Washington to the Bly prosthesis, popular in the 1860s and boasting easy uniform motions of the limb, to today's lifelike approximations, prosthetic devices reveal the extent to which the evolution and design of technologies of the body are intertwined with both the practical and subjective needs of human beings. The peculiar history of prosthetic devices sheds light on the relationship between technological change and the civilizing process of modernity, and analyzes the concrete materials of prosthetics which

carry with them ideologies of body, ideals, body politics, and culture. Simultaneously critiquing, historicizing, and theorizing prosthetics, *Artificial Parts, Practical Lives* lays out a balanced and complex picture of its subject, neither vilifying nor celebrating the merger of flesh and machine.

**The Art of Traveling Strangers** - Zoe Disigny  
2022-02-22

It's the 1980s, and art historian Claire Markham reels from a series of heartbreaking losses. Desperate to escape her shattered reality, she becomes an art guide in Europe for quirky stranger Viv Chancey and embarks on a life-changing journey through the art-filled cities of Milan, Venice, Ravenna, Florence, Siena, Rome, and Paris. Once abroad, Claire tries to hide her woes by focusing on Viv's art education, but Viv--who is not who she seems--has a different learning experience in mind. Frustrated and wanting to reimagine her life, Claire embraces the idea of reality as illusion and finds herself

slipping into the tales of art and history. When threatened with one more crushing loss, Claire must learn from the spirit of her eccentric companion and the lessons from the art they encounter to take charge of her life or lose the most precious thing in it. *The Art of Traveling Strangers* is a journey of self-discovery and personal empowerment inspired by the great art masterpieces of Italy and France. It's a tale of female bonding and the amazing powers of perception. After all, reality, like art, is just an illusion.

**The Queen of the Frogs** - Davide Cali  
2017-03-20

"When a frog discovers a crown at the bottom of the pond, she is instantly pronounced queen over all the other frogs"--

*The Marvels* - Brian Selznick 2015-09-15  
Don't miss Selznick's other novels in words and pictures, *The Invention of Hugo Cabret* and *Wonderstruck*, which together with *The Marvels*, form an extraordinary thematic trilogy! A

brehtaking new voyage from Caldecott Medalist Brian Selznick. Two stand-alone stories--the first in nearly 400 pages of continuous pictures, the second in prose--create a beguiling narrative puzzle. The journey begins at sea in 1766, with a boy named Billy Marvel. After surviving a shipwreck, he finds work in a London theatre. There, his family flourishes for generations as brilliant actors until 1900, when young Leontes Marvel is banished from the stage. Nearly a century later, runaway Joseph Jervis seeks refuge with an uncle in London. Albert Nightingale's strange, beautiful house, with its mysterious portraits and ghostly presences, captivates Joseph and leads him on a search for clues about the house, his family, and the past. A gripping adventure and an intriguing invitation to decipher how the two stories connect, *The Marvels* is a loving tribute to the power of story from an artist at the vanguard of creative innovation.

*Baby Monkey, Private Eye* - Brian Selznick

2018-02-27

Caldecott Medalist Brian Selznick and debut children's book author David Serlin create a dazzling new format especially for young children! A New York Times Bestselling Book An Amazon Best Book of the Year A Kirkus Reviews Best Book of the Year Parents Magazine Best Early Reader of the Year "A marvel." --The New York Times "Inventive... fabulously expressive..." --San Francisco Chronicle Who is Baby Monkey? He is a baby. He is a monkey. He has a job. He is Baby Monkey, Private Eye! Lost jewels? Missing pizza? Stolen spaceship? Baby Monkey can help... if he can put on his pants! Baby Monkey's adventures come to life in an exciting blend of picture book, beginning reader, and graphic novel. With pithy text and over 120 black and white drawings accented with red, it is ideal for sharing aloud and for emerging readers.

***We Don't Cry, We Try*** - Denisha Alphonse  
2017-12-23

Don isn't ready to go back to school without his

toys. He learns with the use of the catch-phrase "We Don't Cry, We Try" that school is for learning and he can play with his toys when he gets home.

*Cute as an Axolotl* - Jess Keating 2018-08-28  
"Cats of Instagram" meets National Geographic in this hilarious picture book about nature's cutest weirdos from the author of *Pink Is for Blobfish!* The Internet pretty much runs on cute animal photos, but "cute" is so much more than clickbait kittens and insta-pups. Cute is for feathery-gilled axolotls (pronounced: ax-uh-LOT-ulz), shy pygmy hippos, poisonous blue dragons, and armored pangolins. All of these animals are cute, but they've also adapted remarkable ways to survive in their unique environments. With her signature blend of humor and zoological know-how, *Pink Is for Blobfish* author Jess Keating shows how cute animals can be more than just a pretty face in this latest installment of the *World of Weird Animals*.

**Snowdrops** - A.D. Miller 2011-02-22

SHORTLISTED for the 2011 Man Booker Prize for Fiction An intense psychological drama that echoes sophisticated entertainments like *Gorky Park* and *The Talented Mr. Ripley*. Nick Platt is a British lawyer working in Moscow in the early 2000s—a place where the cascade of oil money, the tightening grip of the government, the jostling of the oligarchs, and the loosening of Soviet social mores have led to a culture where corruption, decadence, violence, and betrayal define everyday life. Nick doesn't ask too many questions about the shady deals he works on—he's too busy enjoying the exotic, surreally sinful nightlife Moscow has to offer. One day in the subway, he rescues two willowy sisters, Masha and Katya, from a would-be purse snatcher. Soon Nick, the seductive Masha, and long-limbed Katya are cruising the seamy glamour spots of the city. Nick begins to feel something for Masha that he is pleased to think is love. Then the sisters ask Nick to help their aged aunt, Tatiana, find a new apartment. Of

course, nothing is as it seems—including this extraordinary debut novel. The twists in the story take it far beyond its noirish frame—the sordid and vivid portrayal of Moscow serves as a backdrop for a book that examines the irresistible allure of sin, featuring characters whose hearts are as cold as the Russian winter.

The Dinosaurs of Waterhouse Hawkins - Barbara Kerley 2001

Introduces the true story of Victorian artist Benjamin Waterhouse Hawkins, who built life-sized models of dinosaurs in the hope of educating the world about these awe-inspiring ancient animals and what they were like.