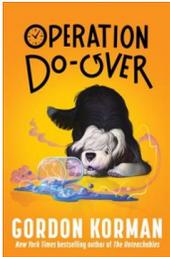




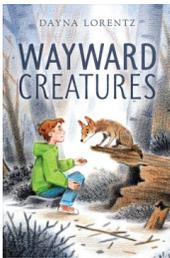
Hide and GEEK

by T.P. Jagger
JF Jagger
To save their hometown of Elmwood, which was put on the map by the late Maxine Van Houten and her popular puzzle sphere, the GEEKs (Gina, Edgar, Elena, and Kevin) must solve the famous toymaker's final puzzle.



Operation Do-Over

by Gordon Korman
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Science nerd Mason gets a chance to stop the chain of events that made his previous life implode when he is magically transported back to the seventh grade before he and his best friend had a falling out.



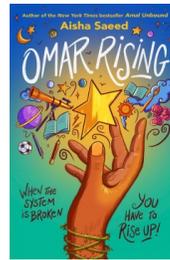
Wayward Creatures

by Dayna Lorentz
JF Lorentz
Damaging both the land and his life after accidentally causing a forest fire, lonely 12-year-old Gabe crosses paths with a coyote named Rill and discovers that sometimes it only takes one friend to find the place where you belong.



It's the End of the World and I'm in My Bathing Suit

by Justin A. Reynolds
JF Reynolds
When the electricity goes out, Eddie and his friends set out to investigate and make the startling discovery that they are the only ones left in their neighborhood.



Omar Rising

by Aisha Saeed
JF Saeed
While attending an elite boarding school, Omar discovers the school makes it nearly impossible for scholarship students to graduate and sets out to do the impossible—change a rigged system.



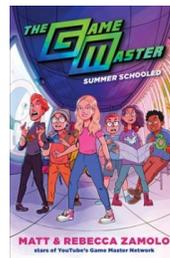
A Baker's Guide to Robber Pie

by Caitlin Sangster
JF Sangster
Searching for a Fel, a crow-like magical creature who cannot lie, Evie and her friend stumble into a nest of robbers.



Sir Fig Newton and the Science of Persistence

by Sonja Thomas
JF Thomas
When her beloved cat is diagnosed with diabetes but her family cannot afford the insulin shots, Mira relies on her ingenuity and a surprising ally to save him.



Summer Schooled

by Matt Zamolo
JF Zamolo
Rebecca is on a mission. She's stuck in summer school. The Game Master comes over the intercom claiming to have locked the doors, scared off the teachers, and if they don't solve the clues, they'll never get to enjoy their summer vacation.

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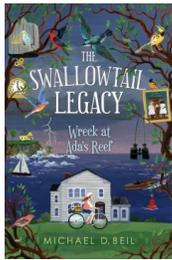
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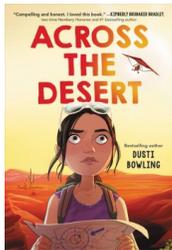


Wreck at Ada's Reef

by Michael D. Beil

JF Beil

Twelve-year-old Lark Heron-Finch inherits a house on Swallowtail Island in Lake Erie where she untangles a decades-old mystery and saves the island from unscrupulous developers.



Across the Desert

by Dusti Bowling

JF Bowling

When her hero, a girl known as the Desert Aviator, crashes during her livestream, 12-year-old Jolene, armed with a hand-drawn map and a stolen cell phone, races against time across the treacherous Arizona desert to save her.

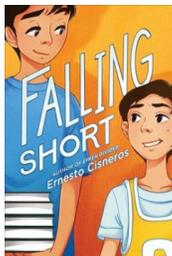


The Girl in the Lake

by India Hill Brown

JF Brown

When strange things begin to happen while staying at her grandparents' lake house, Celeste spies a twisted version of herself in the mirror and must discover who this girl is and what she wants before it's too late.



Falling Short

by Ernesto Cisneros

JF Cisneros

Two best friends—one athletically gifted and one academically gifted—have more in common than they realize when their goals intersect, forcing them to find a way to support each other so they don't fall short.



Just Right, Jillian

by Nicole D. Collier

JF Collier

To keep her promise to her grandmother, fifth-grader Jillian must learn to speak up, break out of her shell, and show everyone her true self to win the school's biggest academic competition.

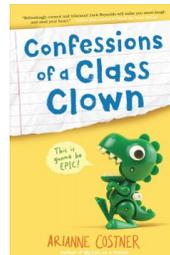


Anybody Here Seen Frenchie?

by Leslie Connor

JF Connor

When her best friend Frenchie, who is autistic and doesn't talk, disappears after they encounter a rare piebald deer in the woods, Aurora feels that she's to blame and does everything she can to find him.



Confessions of a Class Clown

by Arianne Costner

JF Costner

Joining the new afterschool club, Speed Friendship, to find a collaborator for his wacky MyTube channel, Jack Reynolds wonders if his quest for internet fame will cost him a real friend.



Partly Cloudy

by Tanita S. Davis

JF Davis

In desperate need of clear skies as she starts at a new school, Madalyn has days filled with clouds that lead to serious storms until she learns the power of community and family after disaster strikes.



Where the Sky Lives

by Margaret Dilloway

JF Dilloway

When a new housing development threatens her favorite astronomy spot, Tuesday Beals makes a discovery that could save the park and the rest of her world from falling apart.



Louisa June and the Nazis in the Waves

by L.M. Elliott

JF Elliott

In 1941, after Hitler declares war on the US, unleashing U-boat submarines to attack American ships, Louisa June must help her mother after her father and brother are caught in the crossfire.



The Boy Who Met a Whale

by Nizrana Farook

JF Farook

Sri Lankan fisherboy Raz and his sister are swept into a high-seas adventure when they meet Zheng, who has escaped a shipwreck and is full of tales of sea monsters and missing treasure.



The School for Whatnots

by Margaret Peterson Haddix

JF Haddix

Delving into the power of privilege, the importance of true friendship, and the question of humanity and identity, this novel follows fifth grader Max as he searches for his best friend who disappeared, leaving behind a strange note.