They Called Us Enemy
by George Takei
YGN Biography Takei
The actor presents a graphic memoir of his experiences as a child prisoner in the Japanese-American internment camps of World War II, reflecting on the hard choices his family made in the face of legalized racism.

The Big Book of Monsters
by Hal Johnson
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Monster profiles from 25 works of classic literature, including Dracula, Cyclops, and the Invisible Man.

Caught!
by Georgia Bragg
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A humorous look at how famous people got caught, including Joan of Arc, Blackbeard, Al Capone, and more! Some were crooked, some were deadly, and some were merely out of line, but they all got caught!

Finding Gobi: The True Story of One Little Dog's Big Journey
by Dion Leonard
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You will love the inspiring tale of Gobi, a lost dog who kept pace with an ultramarathon runner, Dion Leonard, across a vast desert.

Other Words for Home
by Jasmine Warga
JF Warga
Sent with her mother to the safety of a relative's home in Cincinnati when her Syrian community is overshadowed by violence, Jude worries for the beloved family members who were left behind and forges a new sense of identity.

The Beast Player
by Nahoko Uehashi
YF Uehashi
When her mother is executed for the mysterious deaths of their kingdom’s protective water serpents, a girl with an inherited ability to communicate with magical beasts finds her talent ensnaring her in life-threatening war plots.

The Okay Witch
by Emma Steinkellner
JGN Steinkellner
Moth Hush discovers her abilities and her family's secret magical heritage while foiling a group of bullies on Halloween.

The Crossover
by Kwame Alexander
YGN Alexander
Follows the experiences of a young basketball star who confronts a difficult choice between athletics and his talent for rap music.
### Fiction

**Allies**
by Alan Gratz  
JF Gratz  
A terrified World War II soldier from America participates in the top-secret D-Day operation, while a young French spy works to sabotage German occupiers and a paratrooper orchestrates a daring midnight raid.

**Sal & Gabi Break the Universe**
by Carlos Alberto Pablo Hernandez  
JF Hernandez  
A teen troublemaker clashes with another student who accuses him of putting a raw chicken inside a friend’s locker.

**Song for a Whale**
by Lynne Kelly  
JF Kelly  
Frustrated by the communication challenges of the hearing world as her school’s only hearing-impaired student, an electronics whiz uses her tech skills to help a whale that has lost its ability to communicate.

**Restart**
by Gordon Korman  
JF Korman  
Chase doesn’t remember falling off the roof. He doesn’t remember hitting his head. He doesn’t, in fact, remember anything. He wakes up in a hospital room and suddenly has to learn his whole life all over again, starting with his own name.

**Prairie Lotus**
by Linda Sue Park  
JF Park  
A young half-Asian girl arriving in 1880s America struggles to adjust to new surroundings while navigating the almost unanimous prejudice of the townspeople in her heartland community.

**Strange Birds: A Field Guide to Ruffling Feathers**
by Celia C. Pérez  
JF Perez  
A budding journalist, a bookish foodie and a birdwatcher forge a friendship with a fourth misfit when they organize an alternative sisterhood troop to protest their community’s scout traditions.

**The Dark Lord Clementine**
by Sarah Jean Horwitz  
JF Horwitz  
When her father is cursed by a rival witch, 12-year-old Clementine Morcerous assumes his duties as Dark Lord of the realm, but soon questions her father’s code of good and evil.

**Parked**
by Danielle Svetcov  
JF Svetcov  
Living in an old orange van when her mother is unable to find work, Jeanne Ann befriends the son of a successful restaurant owner and a remarkable group of homeless fellow misfits whose perspectives shape her hardscrabble existence.

**The Bridge Home**
by Padma Venkatraman  
JF Venkatraman  
Two runaway sisters find shelter and friendship on an abandoned bridge with two homeless boys before an illness forces them to choose between survival and freedom.

**Wildfire**
by W.R. Philbrick  
JF Philbrick  
When his summer camp is evacuated ahead of a fast-moving wildfire, Sam makes the mistake of going back for his phone, and finds himself left behind, disoriented, and running for his life.