

### Dear Brother

by Alison McGhee

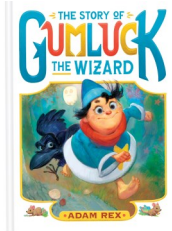
JF McGhee  
When her brother goes to camp, leaving her to care for his gross lizard, overlooked sibling Sister sends him letter after letter detailing her disdain for the scaly burden he's saddled her with—a correspondence that leads to a newfound appreciation for each other.



### Leeva at Last

by Sara Pennypacker

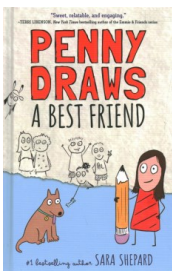
JF Pennypacker  
Determined to answer the burning question that asks what people are for, Leeva Spayce Thornblossom, with the help of an orphaned badger, a risk-averse boy in a hazmat suit, and the town's librarians, sets off a chain of events that will change Nutsmore forever.



### The Story of Gumluck the Wizard

by Adam Rex

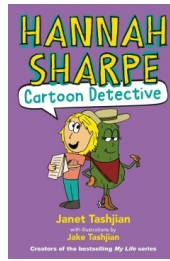
JF Rex  
Gumluck, a young, naïve wizard, does his best to help the local townspeople (and a small friendly ghost) with his sometimes critical raven sidekick, Helvetica.



### Penny Draws a Best Friend

by Sara Shepard

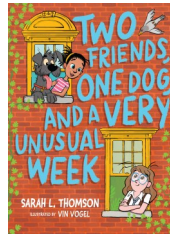
JF Shepard  
When her best friend Violet doesn't want to hang out anymore, spending all her time with the meanest girl in school, fifth-grader Penny, riddled with anxiety, wonders what she did wrong.



### Hannah Sharpe Cartoon Detective

by Janet Tashjian

JF Tashjian  
Hannah, an 11-year-old cartoonist with autism spectrum disorder, uses her curiosity, creativity, and amazing memory to investigate her family's newest Airbnb resident.



### Two Friends, One Dog, and a Very Unusual Week

by Sarah L. Thomson

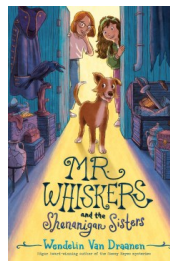
JF Thomson  
Straight-laced fifth-grader Emily's world is turned upside down when new neighbor and free spirit Rani moves in with her dog Otto.



### Don't Trust the Cat

by Kristen Tracy

JF Tracy  
When she wakes up in the body of her cat, Mitten Man, bullied fifth-grader Poppy attempts to navigate the world as a cat, while Mitten Man, tired of his owner's timidity, is out to put the purr in perfectionist and take over middle school—as Poppy.



### Mr. Whiskers and the Shenanigan Sisters

by Wendelin Van Draanen

JF Van Draanen  
Follow paw-some dog detective Mr. Whiskers, a street-wise stray dog with a nose for trouble and a fondness for two girls he calls the Shenanigan Sisters, as he tracks a kidnapped dad, a pirate treasure, and a place to call home.

# Children

# Humor



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# Juvenile Fiction

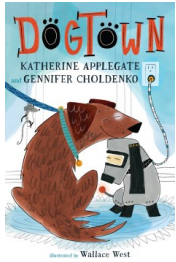


## The Greatest Kid in the World

by John David Anderson

JF Anderson

Selected as a contestant in an online competition to find the World's Greatest Kid, Zeke decides to give it his best shot but soon finds himself wondering what “great” really means and who gets to decide.

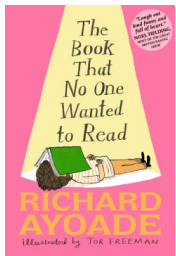


## Dogtown

by Katherine Applegate

JF Applegate

When Chance, a real dog, and Metal Head, a robot dog, break out of the Dogtown shelter, they embark on an adventure to find their fur-ever homes.



## The Book That No One Wanted to Read

by Richard Ayoade

JF Ayoade

Narrated by the book itself, who has a lot of opinions, this story reveals what happens when it meets a curious reader.



## How Not to Be a Vampire Slayer

by Katy Birchall

JF Birchall

Eleven-year-old Maggie lives at the edge of Skeleton Woods; she is descended from a line of vampire slayers, but she likes the vampires (especially her friend Sharptooth Shadow) and they have a common foe—the mayor, who wants to destroy the Woods and build himself a golf course.



## Oliver's Great Big Universe

by Jorge Cham

JF Cham

An aspiring astrophysicist, 11-year-old Oliver takes on the whole universe, explaining everything he learns, while starting his first year of middle school with new friends, new classes, new everything.

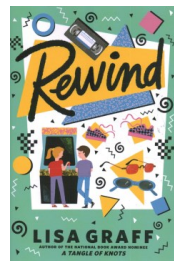


## Lolo Weaver Swims Upstream

by Polly Farquhar

JF Farquhar

Determined to get her grandfather's dog Hank back, Lola finds her plan unraveling when she runs into a student in her summer school class—Hank's new owner.



## Rewind

by Lisa Graff

JF Graff

Twelve-year-old McKinley's home town throws a giant annual party called the Time Hop to celebrate a single year in history. This year, McKinley somehow finds herself thrown back in time to the real 1993. All McKinley wants is to return to the present, but before she can, she's going to have to make a big change



## No One Leaves the Castle

by Christopher Healy

JF Healy

When a priceless artifact goes missing from the home of a famed monster hunter, aspiring bounty hunter Lila is led to his castle where she must catch a killer among people with secrets to hide—including herself.



## The Superteacher Project

by Gordon Korman

JF Korman

Determined to let their new teacher know who's boss, Oliver and his best friend Nathan realize that Mr. Aidact is not what they expected.



## Make a Move, Sunny Park!

by Jessica Kim

JF Kim

When her best friend Bailey coerces her into auditioning for the school dance team, seventh grader Sunny Park takes her first steps out from behind Bailey's shadow when she makes the team and must figure out who she wants to be when she's in the spotlight.

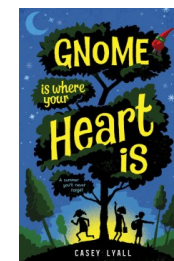


## Shermy & Shake, the Not-So-Nice Neighbor

by Kirby Larson

JF Larson

Shermy finds his plans for a quiet, relaxing summer upended by the arrival of Shake, who moves in next door, and as they are forced to spend more and more time together, these polar opposites must learn how to get along.



## Gnome is Where Your Heart Is

by Casey Lyall

JF Lyall

Determined to find the extraterrestrial gnomes her Grandpa Walt saw 30 years before, Lemon gets more than she bargains for when the aliens instead find her and nothing goes the way she expected.