

First Chapter Books



Books for young readers

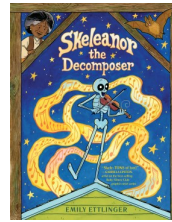


Catalina Incognito

by Jennifer Torres

JF Torres

When her aunt gives her a magical sewing kit, eight-year-old Catalina Castaneda must create the perfect disguise to track down the person responsible for stealing the rhinestones for her aunt's most famous costume.

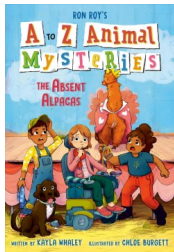


Skeleanor the Decomposer

by Emily Ettlinger

JGN Ettlinger

With the Little Casketon Summershine Festival fast approaching, Skeleanor finally gets her chance to show people her skills and rattle her way into the spotlight.



The Absent Alpacas

by Kayla Whaley

JF Whaley

When a group of alpacas goes missing right before the alpaca costume contest at the Maine State Fair, Abbi, her dog, and her friends must sniff out this mystery.

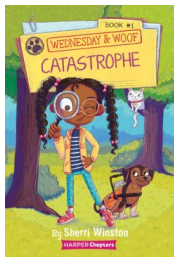


Fry Guys

by Eric Geron

JGN Fry

One day, Waffle's hometown is invaded by evil UFO-nion Rings. It's up to Waffle and her best buddies to put an end to the rampage.



Catastrophe

by Sherri Winston

JF Winston

Amateur sleuths Wednesday and her service dog, Woof, must employ their keen skills of detection when Mrs. Winters' cat goes missing right before her big trip to Paris.



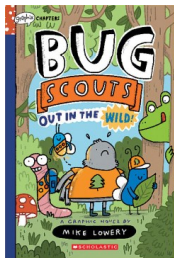
Sir Ladybug

by Corey R. Tabor

JGN Sir

Sir Ladybug and his trusty friends must put their heads together to come up with the perfect plan to rescue a caterpillar from the clutches of a monster chickadee.

Juvenile Graphic Novel

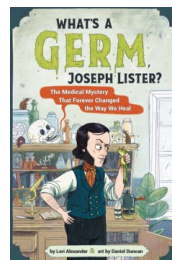


Out in the Wild!

by Mike Lowery

JGN Bug Scouts

To earn their foraging bug badge, Doug, Abby, and Josh, embark on an adventure in the wilderness to find an edible plant and encounter a clever frog who distracts them from their mission.



What's a Germ Joseph Lister?

by Lori Alexander

J Biography Alexander

This biography shows how Joseph Lister proved that unsanitary conditions contributed to infections. It changed the way surgeons work and has saved countless lives.



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Juvenile Early Reader

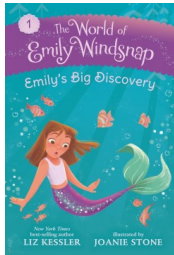


The Princess in Black and the Prince in Pink

by Shannon Hale

JE Hale

When an angry emu tries to crash her party, Princess Magnolia finds a savior in the gallant Prince Valerian, who vows to save the day with some major glam.



Emily's Big Discovery

by Liz Kessler

JE Kessler

Follow half-mermaid Emily Windsnap as she, with a tail and a sense of adventure, sets out to make new friends.



José and el Perro

by Susan Rose

JE Rose

In this bilingual easy reader, José picks out the perfect dog from the shelter, but when he tries out commands, he realizes his new pet doesn't understand Spanish and sets out to teach the pup new words in español.



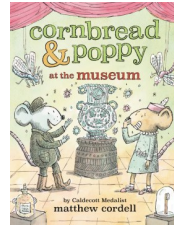
Treasure Map

by Brandon Todd

JF Todd

Moving to a new town, Clarke meets Miguel and the two soon become fast friends. With their walkie-talkies and compass in hand, they map out their neighborhood and search for hidden treasure.

Juvenile Fiction

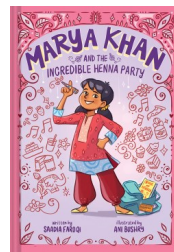


Cornbread & Poppy at the Museum

by Matthew Cordell

JF Cordell

When Cornbread brings Poppy as his guest to the Founders Gala to see the unveiling of a surprise new exhibit, they marvel at the magnificent treasures displayed before them.



Marya Khan and the Incredible Henna Party

by Saadia Faruqi

JF Faruqi

With her eighth birthday coming up, Marya claims she is having an epic henna party, so now she must convince her family to make it happen, but everything Marya does seems to end in disaster.

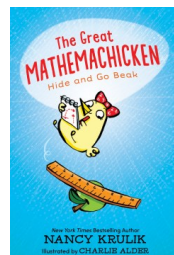


Bear and Bird: The Picnic and Other Stories

by Jarvis

JF Jarvis

A collection of stories filled with gentle humor and adorable illustrations. Best friends Bear and Bird, despite their differences, find their close friendship always stays the same, no matter what.

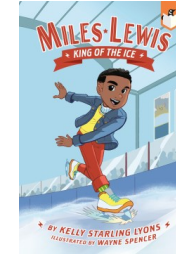


Hide and Go Beak

by Nancy E. Krulik

JF Krulik

A chicken hops a ride to school to see what the humans do there all day and unlocks the superpowers of math and science, which she uses to save the coop.



King of the Ice

by Kelly Starling Lyons

JF Lyons

When his friend RJ bets that Miles will wipe out at the ice rink, he is determined to prove him wrong.



The Case of the Musical Mishap

by Veronica Mang

JF Mang

With the help of some of the most enigmatic women in history who worked as spies, Peggy, Rita, and Dot solve the case.



Awesome Orange Birthday

by Mitali Banerjee Ruths

JF Ruths

While planning her aunt's birthday party with the intention of donating the money she makes to help endangered animals, Priya becomes overwhelmed.



My Kingdom of Darkness

by Susan Tan

JF Tan

This hilarious story follows rescue chihuahua Ember, who, while assembling an army to take over the neighborhood, finds himself growing attached to his minions—the Chin family.