



Children's Booklist 2025: SciFi & Fantasy

Sci-Fi and Fantasy for Grades 4 & 5



The Hotel Balzaar

by Kate DiCamillo

In a wise and magical follow-up to *The Puppets of Spelhorst*, we revisit the land of Norendy, where tales swirl within tales, bringing Marta closer to discovering the mystery of her soldier father's disappearance.



The Night Compass

by Amanda Foody

The villainous Audrian Keyes claims to possess the secret of finding Navrashtya, the missing Legendary Beast of the Tundra, which prompts a perilous mission by a team of specialized Lore Keepers to set off in the dangerous Tundra and find Navrashtya no matter the cost.



Inkworld: The Color of Revenge

by Cornelia Funke

Five years after the events of *Inkdeath*, peace reigns in Ombra, where Meggie, Mo, Dustfinger and others are happy. But Orpheus, who fled north, lives a deprived existence fueled by his thirst for revenge against those who betrayed him.



The Last Bookwanderer

by Anna James

Venturing into Arthurian legend to find the first bookwanderer and journeying into Greek and Roman mythology, these friends must find a way to untangle the Alchemist's grip on the world's imagination.



Amir and the Jinn Princess

by M. T. Khan

An heir to a wealthy brick kiln business in Pakistan, 12-year-old Amir drops his search to find his missing mother when his father announces plans to remarry and makes a deal with a shape-shifting jinn princess to find her before his life changes forever.



Amulet: Waverider

by Kazu Kibuishi

This electrifying conclusion to the #1 *New York Times* best-selling series follows Emily as she travels to Typhon to confront the fraud who has seized power, and must rely on new friends and old enemies to survive the threat of darkness.



The House With a Dragon In It

by Nick Lake

When a mysterious hole opens up in her new foster family's living room, Summer encounters a dragon who offers her three wishes, but as she uses the wishes, the magic takes a dark turn and jeopardizes Summer's deepest desire for a home.



Sona and the Golden Beasts

by Rajani LaRocca

Discovering an orphaned wolf pup she believes is related to the five sacred beasts of Devia, which a Hunter has been killing one by one, Sona embarks on an epic adventure during which she realizes that the fate of the sacred beasts, and the future of Devia, is in her hands.

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Vanya and the Wild Hunt

by Sangu Mandanna

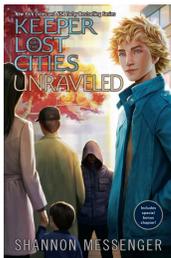
Eleven-year-old Vanya Vallen feels like she doesn't fit in, being British-Indian with ADHD in a white town, and when her family is attacked by a monster, she discovers her parents have secrets as she joins the ranks of archwitches and archivists.



Forgotten Five: Operation Chaos

by Lisa McMann

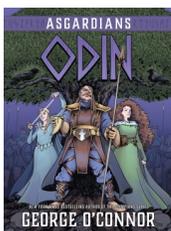
The Forgotten Five continue to fight the forces of corrupt President Fuerte in their battle to liberate the supernatural citizens of Estero.



Keeper of the Lost Cities: Unraveled

by Shannon Messenger

A telepathic girl is the key to an unknown world and it's up to her to save it in the latest thrilling chapter of this series. The book is told from the perspective of Keefe, Foxfire Academy's ultimate troublemaker.



Asgardians: Odin

by George O'Connor

In this epic new saga about the Norse gods, warrior god Odin, chief of Aesir, travels the Nine Worlds in search of knowledge and discovers that nothing is learned without sacrifice.



Wrath of the Triple Goddess

by Rick Riordan

In his continuing quest to earn college recommendation letters from the gods, Percy has to pet-sit the goddess Hecate's polecat and giant mastiff during Halloween week. What could go wrong?



City of Wishes

by Christina Soontornvat

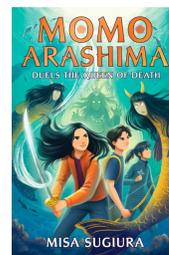
While staying in fabulous Nakhon City with Sam and his mother, the powerful Lady Ubon, Plum discovers that a dark storm is brewing beneath the city's glittering surface and must harness all her growing powers to survive it.



Shadow Fox

by Carlie Sorosiak

Bee thinks she's destined not only to help find her missing grandmother but also to save Whistlenorth Island from the Night Islanders, but it is actually Shadow the fox that has the magic powers of a chosen one, leaving Shadow and Bee to work together to drive the Night Islanders away for good.



Momo Arashima Duels the Queen of Death

by Misa Sugiura

Momo Arashima is half goddess and half human, and with friends Danny, Ryleigh, Jin and Niko by her side, she's finding a place where she belongs. However Izanami, the treacherous goddess of death, forces Momo into a terrible bargain.



Wings of Fire : Moon Rising : the graphic novel

by Barry Deutsch

While at Jade Mountain Academy, mind-reader and clairvoyant Moon must choose whether to stay hidden and safe or risk everything to save her friends when someone starts attacking dragons in school.



Majestica

by Sarah Tolcser

A maid-in-training at Majestica, a resort and nature preserve where visitors come face-to-face with rare magical flora and fauna, Hattie must go on the wilderness train excursion, but when the expedition goes horribly wrong, they must stick together to survive.



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