

Read Aloud



Reading aloud with children improves their skills and it's fun



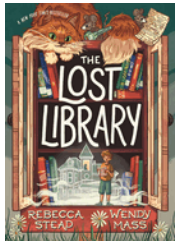
The Guardian Test

by Christina Soontornvat
JF Soontornvat
Plum is accepted to the Guardian Academy on Lotus Island. Plum struggles at school. If she can't embrace her inner animal form soon, she'll have to leave school and lose the first group of real friends she's ever known.



The Case of the Nibbled Pizza

by Tadgh Bentley
JJ Bentley
When sister and brother duo Dino Detective and Awesome Possum discover Grandma Thunderclaps's pizza is missing all its pepperoni, they jump into action to find out who is to blame.



The Lost Library

by Rebecca Stead
JF Stead
When a mysterious Little Free Library guarded by a large orange cat appears overnight, Evan plucks two weathered books from its shelves, never suspecting that his life is about to change.



Cornbread & Poppy

by Matthew Cordell
JJ Cordell
Cautious Cornbread and carefree Poppy are best friends, so when Poppy fails to prepare for winter, Cornbread ventures up Holler Mountain with her to help her find food.



A Rover's Story

by Jasmine Warga
JF Warga
Built to explore Mars, Resilience begins to develop human-like feelings as he learns from NASA scientists and must overcome different obstacles as he explores the red planet.



Orris and Timble: The Beginning

by Kate DiCamillo
JJ DiCamillo
Orris the rat lives alone, until the day his solitude is disrupted by a sudden flutter of wings and a loud screech. A small owl is caught in a trap. Can Orris rescue the owl?

Juvenile Junior Fiction



Iggy Rules the Animal Kingdom

by Annie Barrows
JJ Barrows
Nine-year-old Iggy's attempt to show his parents he is responsible enough to take care of a dog goes hilariously awry.



Leave It to Plum!

by Matt Phelan
JJ Phelan
Every day at the Athensville Zoo the peacocks are allowed to wander freely among the guests, delighting and guiding visitors, and Plum is proud of their responsibility.



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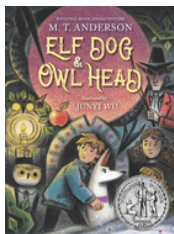


A Spoonful of Time

by Flora Ahn

JF Ahn

Maya discovers stories from her family's past in Korea as her grandmother teaches her to cook and about their family's ability to time travel into memories via food.



Elf Dog and Owl Head

by M.T. Anderson

JF Anderson

Quarantined with his family as a global plague ravages the world, Clay retreats to the woods where he meets a special little dog who leads him on surreal adventures.



Dogtown

by Katherine Applegate

JF Applegate

Chance has been in Dogtown since her owners left her with irresponsible dog sitters who skipped town. Metal Head, a robot dog, dreams of being back in a real home. Will they find their forever homes?



Thirst

by Varsha Bajaj

JF Bajaj

A heroic girl in Mumbai fights for her belief that water should be for everyone.



Simon Sort of Says

by Erin Bow

JF Bow

Two years after a tragedy, Simon O'Keeffe and his family move to Grin And Bear It, Nebraska, a National Quiet Zone, where with the help of two new friends, Simon plans to restart the narrative of his life.



The Wishkeeper's Apprentice

by Rachel Chivers Khoo

JF Chivers Khoo

Felix meets a strange old man who is a Wishkeeper and becomes his apprentice to help stop a threat to every wish ever granted in Whittlestone.

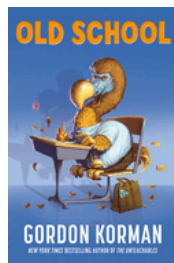


The (Mostly) True Story of Cleopatra's Needle

by Dan Gutman

JF Gutman

Five kids across centuries recount the history of Cleopatra's Needle, from its construction in ancient Egypt to moving it across the ocean to New York City in the 19th century.

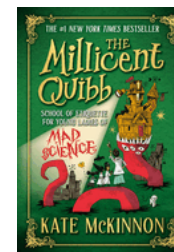


Old School

by Gordon Korman

JF Korman

Dexter Foreman has lived at The Pines Retirement Village with his grandmother, homeschooled by the residents until he's forced to attend middle school, where he sticks out like a sore thumb.

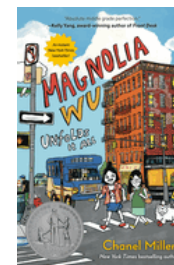


The Millicent Quibb School of Etiquette for Young Ladies of Mad Science

by Kate McKinnon

JF McKinnon

Three orphaned siblings become the pupils of the mysterious Professor Millicent Quibb and enter the world of mad science.



Magnolia Wu Unfolds It All

by Chanel Miller

JF Miller

Magnolia Wu, a 10-year-old sock detective is bent on returning all the lonely only socks left behind in her parents' NYC laundromat.



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 when they make the startling discovery that they are the only ones left in their neighborhood—and perhaps anywhere.



The Underdogs of Upson Downs

by Craig Silvey

JF Silvey

Eleven-year-old Annie trains her dog Runt to participate in an Agility Course Grand Championship in an effort to save her family farm.