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GHOSTS OF WAR: THE TRUE STORY OF A 19-YEAR-OLD GI	SMITHSON, RYAN
HATE LIST	BROWN, JENNIFER
THE MAZE RUNNER	DASHNER, JAMES
SHIP BREAKER	BACIGALUPI, PAOLO
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THE FIREFLY LETTERS: A SUFFRAGETTE'S JOURNEY TO CUBA	ENGLE, MARGARITA
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ONE CRAZY SUMMER	WILLIAMS-GARCIA, RITA
RECKLESS	FUNKE, CORNELIA
THE STRANGE CASE OF ORIGAMI YODA	ANGLEBERGER, TOM
THE WAR TO END ALL WARS: WORLD WAR I	FREEDMAN, RUSSELL
WE SHALL OVERCOME: A SONG THAT CHANGED THE WORLD	STOTTS, STUART

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THE HIVE DETECTIVES: CHRONICLE OF A  
HONEY BEE CATASTROPHE

BURNS, LOREE GRIFFIN

I FEEL BETTER WITH A FROG IN MY  
THROAT: HISTORY'S STRANGEST CURES

BECCIA, CARLYN

A LONG WALK TO WATER: BASED ON A  
TRUE STORY

PARK, LINDA SUE

THE NIGHT FAIRY

SCHLITZ, LAURA AMY

OUT OF MY MIND

DRAPER, SHARON M.

RAGTAG

WOLF-MORGENLÄNDER, KARL

SIT-IN: HOW FOUR FRIENDS STOOD UP  
BY SITTING DOWN

PINKNEY, ANDREA DAVIS

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ANIMAL CRACKERS FLY THE COOP

O'MALLEY, KEVIN

FLIGHT OF THE PHOENIX

LAFEVERS, R.L.

FLOATING ON MAMA'S SONG

LACÁMARA, LAURA

HERE COMES THE GARBAGE BARGE!

WINTER, JONAH

THE IMAGINARY GARDEN

LARSEN, ANDREW

THE JUNKYARD WONDERS

POLACCO, PATRICIA

SEEDS OF CHANGE: PLANTING A PATH  
TO PEACE

JOHNSON, JEN CULLERTON

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ACHOO! GOOD MANNERS CAN BE  
CONTAGIOUS!

KELLY, MIJ

BIG WOLF & LITTLE WOLF

CITY DOG, COUNTRY FROG

GUMPTION!

LOOKING CLOSELY IN THE RAIN FOREST

MISS BROOKS LOVES BOOKS! (AND I  
DON'T)

SLEEP, BIG BEAR, SLEEP!

BRUN-COSME, NADINE

WILLEMS, MO

BROACH, ELISE

SERAFINI, FRANK

BOTTNER, BARBARA

WRIGHT, MAUREEN

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THE ADORATION OF JENNA FOX

GOOD ENOUGH

GRACELING

IF I HAD A HAMMER: BUILDING HOMES  
AND HOPE WITH HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

IF I STAY  
LITTLE BROTHER

MARCELO IN THE REAL WORLD

NATION

PEARSON, MARY E.

YOO, PAULA

CASHORE, KRISTIN

RUBEL, DAVID

FORMAN, GAYLE  
DOCTOROW, CORY

STORK, FRANCISCO X.

PRATCHETT, TERRY

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THE EVOLUTION OF CALPURNIA TATE

MOUSE GUARD: FALL 1152

KELLY, JACQUELINE

PETERSEN, DAVID

THE MYSTERIOUS UNIVERSE:  
SUPERNOVAE, DARK ENERGY, AND  
BLACK HOLES

JACKSON, ELLEN

THE SAVAGE  
SCAT

ALMOND, DAVID

HIAASEN, CARL

A SEASON OF GIFTS

PECK, RICHARD

TRUCE: THE DAY THE SOLDIERS  
STOPPED FIGHTING

MURPHY, JIM

WHEN YOU REACH ME

STEAD, REBECCA

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THE DAY-GLO BROTHERS

BARTON, CHRIS

ELLIE MCDODDLE: NEW KID IN SCHOOL

BARSHAW, RUTH McNALLY

HOW TO SCRATCH A WOMBAT: WHERE TO  
FIND IT...WHAT TO FEED IT...WHY IT  
SLEEPS ALL DAY

FRENCH, JACKIE

JANUARY'S SPARROW

POLACCO, PATRICIA

KNUCKLEHEAD: TALL TALES & ALMOST  
TRUE STORIES OF GROWING UP  
SCIESZKA

SCIESZKA, JON

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ODD AND THE FROST GIANTS

GAIMAN, NEIL

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14 COWS FOR AMERICA

DEEDY, CARMEN AGRA

BUBBLE HOMES AND FISH FARTS

THE LION'S SHARE

THE MOON OVER STAR

NUBS: THE TRUE STORY OF A MUTT, A  
MARINE & A MIRACLE

PEMBA SHERPA

THE PLOT CHICKENS

RED SINGS FROM TREETOPS: A YEAR IN  
COLORS

BAYROCK, FIONA

MCCELLIGOTT, MATTHEW

ASTON, DIANNA HUTTS

DENNIS, BRIAN

COSSI, OLGA

AUCH, MARY JANE

SIDMAN, JOYCE

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ASTRONAUT HANDBOOK

CHICKEN SAID, "CLUCK!"

GUS IS A TREE

LIVING SUNLIGHT: HOW PLANTS BRING  
THE EARTH TO LIFE

MOUSE AND MOLE: FINE FEATHERED  
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MY ABUELITA

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JOHNSTON, TONY

HEIDE, FLORENCE PARRY

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BOG CHILD

BONE BY BONE BY BONE

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THE STARRY RIFT: TALES OF NEW  
TOMORROWS

DOWD, SIOBHAN

JOHNSTON, TONY

CAMERON, PETER

STRAHAN, JONATHAN

THE SURRENDER TREE: POEMS OF  
CUBA'S STRUGGLE FOR FREEDOM

UNWIND

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AIRMAN

COLFER, EOIN

AMERICA AT WAR

HOPKINS, LEE BENNETT

MAO AND ME

HONG, CHEN JIANG

MY ONE HUNDRED ADVENTURES

HORVATH, POLLY

THIS IS JUST TO SAY: POEMS OF  
APOLOGY AND FORGIVENESS

SIDMAN, JOYCE

TROUBLE  
THE WINTER WAR

SCHMIDT, GARY D.  
DURBIN, WILLIAM

ZEN AND THE ART OF FAKING IT

SONNENBLICK, JORDAN

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BEOWULF, A HERO'S TALE RETOLD

BLUE LIKE FRIDAY

CHICKEN FEATHERS

FRANKENSTEIN TAKES THE CAKE

MARCO POLO

THE PORCUPINE YEAR

RUMFORD, JAMES

PARKINSON, SIOBHÁN

COWLEY, JOY

REX, ADAM

DEMI

ERDRICH, LOUISE

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ABE LINCOLN CROSSES A CREEK: A  
TALL, THIN TALE (INTRODUCING HIS  
FORGOTTEN FRONTIER FRIEND)

GRACE FOR PRESIDENT

HOW I LEARNED GEOGRAPHY

MANFISH: A STORY OF JACQUES  
COUSTEAU

MONARCH AND MILKWEED

NURK: THE STRANGE, SURPRISING  
ADVENTURES OF A (SOMEWHAT) BRAVE  
SHREW

SILENT MUSIC: A STORY OF BAGHDAD

WHEN THE WOLVES RETURNED:  
RESTORING NATURE'S BALANCE IN  
YELLOWSTONE

HOPKINSON, DEBORAH

DIPUCCHIO, KELLY

SHULEVITZ, URI

BERNE, JENNIFER

FROST, HELEN

VERNON, URSULA

RUMFORD, JAMES

PATENT, DOROTHY HINSHAW

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BEFORE JOHN WAS A JAZZ GIANT: A  
SONG OF JOHN COLTRANE

THE CHEESE

THE CHICKEN OF THE FAMILY

LOOK OUT, SUZY GOOSE

PINK

THE STORY BLANKET

WEATHERFORD, CAROLE BOSTON

PALATINI, MARGIE

AMATO, MARY

HORÁČEK, PETR

GREGORY, NAN

WOLFF, FERIDA

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THE ABSOLUTELY TRUE DIARY OF A  
PART-TIME INDIAN

HOME OF THE BRAVE

NINETEEN MINUTES

STRAYS

UNDERCOVER

WHAT THEY FOUND: LOVE ON 145TH  
STREET

YSABEL

ALEXIE, SHERMAN

APPLEGATE, KATHERINE

PICOULT, JODI

KOERTGE, RON

KEPHART, BETH

MYERS, WALTER DEAN

KAY, GUY GAVRIEL

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CHESS RUMBLE

ELIJAH OF BUXTON

THE GOLDEN DREAM OF CARLO  
CHUCHIO

INSIDE OUT: PORTRAIT OF AN EATING  
DISORDER

RULES

SHUG

NERI, G.

CURTIS, CHRISTOPHER PAUL

ALEXANDER, LLOYD

SHIVACK, NADIA

LORD, CYNTHIA

HAN, JENNY

THE WALL: GROWING UP BEHIND THE  
IRON CURTAIN

SÍS, PETER

WHAT THE MOON SAW

RESAU, LAURA

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AT ELLIS ISLAND: A HISTORY IN MANY  
VOICES

PEACOCK, LOUISE

A CROOKED KIND OF PERFECT

URBAN, LINDA

A DOG FOR LIFE

MATTHEWS, L.S.

A DROWNED MAIDEN'S HAIR: A  
MELODRAMA

SCHLITZ, LAURA AMY

HENRY'S FREEDOM BOX

LEVINE, ELLEN

THE KLIPFISH CODE

CASANOVA, MARY

LAWN BOY

PAULSEN, GARY

THE STRONGEST MAN IN THE WORLD:  
LOUIS CYR

DEBON, NICOLAS

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AT GLEASON'S GYM

LEWIN, TED

JOHN, PAUL, GEORGE & BEN

SMITH, LANE

LITTLE RAT MAKES MUSIC

BANG-CAMPBELL, MONIKA

A PICTURE FOR MARC

KIMMEL, ERIC A.

THOSE SHOES

BOELTS, MARIBETH

WHERE IN THE WILD? CAMOUFLAGED  
CREATURES CONCEALED...AND  
REVEALED

SCHWARTZ, DAVID M.

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BALLET OF THE ELEPHANTS

DIGBY TAKES CHARGE

FRED STAYS WITH ME!

ON MEADOWVIEW STREET

YUM! ¡MMMM! ¡QUÉ RICO! AMERICAS'  
SPROUTINGS

ZUZU'S WISHING CAKE

SCHUBERT, LEDA

CHURCH, CAROLINE JAYNE

COFFELT, NANCY

COLE, HENRY

MORA, PAT

MICHELIN, LINDA

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