

Scholastic Inc. 9780545432399 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.) \$6.99

Board book

10 pages 3 And Under Juvenile Nonfiction / Concepts JNF013030

1, 2 at the Zoo

Sue Dicicco

Summary

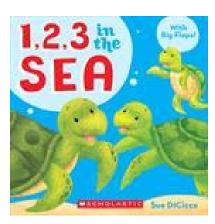
Count to two with the animals at the zoo in this board book with gatefolds and a giant pop-up!

Bold and bright, each spread in this novelty board book features a different zoo animal family of two! With zoo animals like monkeys and elephants, this playful and engaging numbers book is perfect for babies and toddlers.

This is part of a new series of basic number books using an appealing, hands-on format and graphic animal illustrations! Each book teaches just one number to help babies and toddlers get a head start on learning. With inventive gatefold flaps, one oversized popup page, and an adorable ending, little ones will be clamoring for more!

Author Bio

Sue DiCicco is a former Disney animator and the author/illustrator of many beloved storybooks for children.



Scholastic Inc. 9780545432382 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.) \$6.99 Board book

10 pages 3 And Under Juvenile Fiction / Concepts JUV009030

1, 2, 3 in the Sea

Sue Dicicco

Summary

Count to two and then three with the help of these sea animals in this board book with gatefolds and a giant pop-up!

Bold and bright, each spread in this novelty board book features a different ocean animal family of three! With adorable sea creatures like sea turtles and whales, this playful and engaging numbers book is perfect for babies and toddlers.

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GRAPHIX 9780545208895

Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.)

\$12.99

Paperback / softback

208 pages Ages 8 to 12, Grades 3 to 7 Juvenile Fiction / Comics & Graphic Novels JUV008000

Series: Amulet

Amulet #5: Prince of the Elves

Kazu Kibuishi

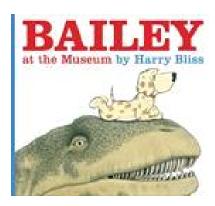
Summary

Kazu Kibuishi's thrilling, NEW YORK TIMES bestselling series continues!

Emily has survived the chaos of the Guardian Academy, but Max Griffin, who is working for the Elf King, has escaped with the Mother Stone. The Elf King has now forged new amulets, which will allow him the ability to invade Cielis and destroy it once and for all. Emily and her friends desperately make preparations to defend Cielis in what will inevitably be a brutal war, and they can only hope that it will be enough to defeat the Elf King.

Author Bio

Kazu Kibuishi is the founder and editor of the critically acclaimed Flight anthologies, as well as the creator of COPPER, a collection of his popular webcomic. He lives in Alhambra, California, with his wife and fellow comics artist, Amy Kim Kibuishi, and their son. Visit him online at www.boltcity.com.



Scholastic Press 9780545233453 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.) \$16.99 Hardback

32 pages Ages 3 to 6, Grades P to 1 Juvenile Fiction / Animals JUV002070 Series: Bailey

Bailey at the Museum

Harry Bliss

Summary

Join Bailey on a school trip to the Museum of Natural History!

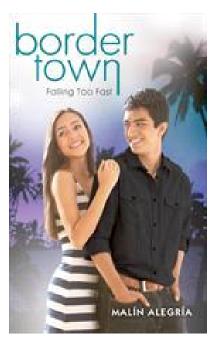
Bailey is very excited about the school trip to the Museum of Natural History. After all, he loves to dig up bones even more than an archeologist!

And besides bones, there's lots of fun to be had with tepees, totem poles, and dinosaur skeletons. Bailey's classmates never know what will happen next: maybe that's why the museum guard becomes Bailey's special partner.

Bailey is a character that every picture-book age kid wants to read about and his humor and charm will keep everyone giggling.

Author Bio

HARRY BLISS is a cartoonist and cover artist for The New Yorker magazine. His first book, A FINE, FINE SCHOOL by Newbery-award winning author, Sharon Creech, was a New York Times bestseller. He went on to illustrate many other books, including WHICH WOULD YOU RATHER BE, by William Steig; COUNTDOWN TO KINDERGARTEN by Alison McGhee, and DIARY OF A WORM by Doreen Cronin, a #1 New York Times bestselle...



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Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.)

\$5.99

Paperback / softback

192 pages Ages 12 And Up, Grades 7 And

Juvenile Fiction / People & Places

JUV011030

Series: Border Town

Border Town #3: Falling Too Fast

Malin Alegria

Summary

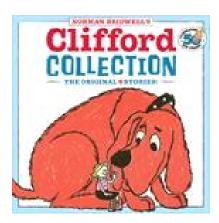
In Dos Rios, Texas, things aren't always as they seem.

Alexis Garza has music in her blood. She's certain that one day, she'll be leaving the border town of Dos Rios, Texas behind for a glamorous life of singing stardom. Until then, however, she'll have to content herself with belting her heart out at voice classes, going to high school mariachi band practice, and helping out at the Graza family restaurant.

Alexis's ordinary life takes a turn for the extraordinary when she meets the swoonworthy lead singer of a rival high school's mariachi band. His singing (and his smile) make Alexis melt. There's one small problem-- this suave singer doesn't seem to know that Alexis exists. She's determined to make herself heard-- no matter what the cost.

Author Bio

Malin Alegria is the author of Estrella's Quincenera and Sofi Mendoza's Guide to Getting Lost in Mexico. She currently lives in San Francisco, CA, where she teaches, writes, and spends as much time as possible playing in the dirt. Visit her online at www.malinalegria.com.



Scholastic Inc. 9780545450133

Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.)

\$12.99 Hardback

192 pages Ages 3 to 5 Juvenile Fiction / Animals JUV002070

Clifford Collection

Norman Bridwell

Summary

Celebrate a BIG anniversary with a classic collection! The eye-catching cover design will have red foil and matte and spot gloss.

Celebrate Clifford's 50th anniversary with this collection of six classic stories that were originally published beginning in 1963!

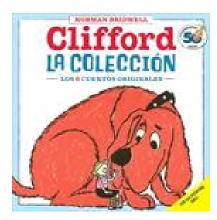
This book includes:

- * Clifford the Big Red Dog
- * Clifford at the Circus
- * Clifford Gets a Job
- * Clifford Takes a Trip
- * Clifford's Good Deeds
- * Clifford's Tricks

Also included in the book is an original letter from Norman Bridwell to the reader, information about the creation of Clifford--including an image of Norman's 1962 painting that inspired the Clifford series, the story behind the real Emily Elizabeth, and more!

Author Bio

Norman Bridwell is the author and illustrator of numerous children's books, including the beloved Clifford series, which has over 126 million copies in print, in 13 languages! He lives in Edgartown, MA with his wife Norma. They have two children, son, Tim, and daughter, Emily Elizabeth.



Scholastic en Espanol 9780545456920 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.) \$12.99 Hardback

192 pages Ages 3 to 5 Juvenile Fiction / Animals JUV002070 Series: Clifford

Clifford: La coleccion

(Spanish language edition of Clifford Collection) Norman Bridwell

Summary

Special language editions to celebrate!

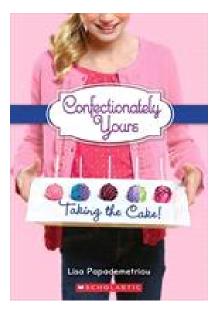
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Scholastic Paperbacks 9780545222297 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.) \$5.99

Paperback / softback

240 pages Ages 8 to 12, Grades 3 to 7 Juvenile Fiction / Social Issues

JUV039060

Series: Confectionately Your

Confectionately Yours #2: Taking the Cake!

Lisa Papademetriou

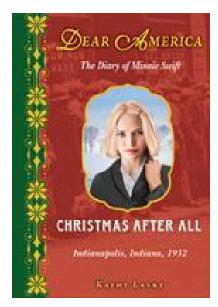
Summary

A delicious new series from NEW YORK TIMES bestselling author Lisa Papademetriou!

Hayley and her little sister, Chloe, have just moved into their grandmother's house with their mom, who recently divorced their dad and has just been laid off from her job. Helping out at her grandmother's tea shop, Hayley discovers she has a knack for baking, but her newfound talent seems to have cost her her best friend, Artie. Now Hayley's crushing on someone who might just be Artie's new boyfriend. This mess really takes the cake!

Author Bio

Lisa Papademetriou is the author of the Candy Apple books HOW TO BE A GIRLY GIRL IN JUST TEN DAYS and ACCIDENTALLY FABULOUS. Her first hardcover novel, SIXTH-GRADE GLOMMERS, NORKS, AND ME, was named one of the best books of the year by FamilyFun.com. Lisa was born and raised in Houston, Texas, and now lives with her family in Northampton, Massachusetts. Visit her online at www.lisapapa.com.



Scholastic Inc. 9780545381772 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.) \$12.99 Hardback

192 pages Ages 8 to 12, Grades 3 to 7 Juvenile Fiction / Historical JUV016000 Series: Dear America

Dear America: Christmas After All Kathryn Lasky

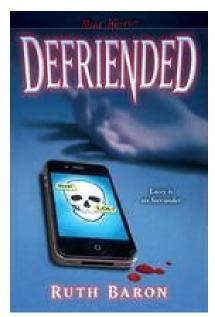
Summary

Newbery Honor author Kathryn Lasky's *CHRISTMAS AFTER ALL* is back in print with a gorgeous new package!

To twelve-year-old Minnie Swift, Christmas is not going to be the time of bounty she's used to. It is 1932 -- the middle of the Great Depression -- and jobs are scarce and Papa seems more worried each day. But when their orphaned cousin comes to live with them, the Swifts are quick to rearrange the beds and make room for her. Minnie, thrilled to have another youngster in the home, is resolved to make this Christmas memorable in spite of the hard times. Through her diary entries, Minnie captures the darkness of the Great Depression, the optimism of a small Midwestern family, the fortitude of the American spirit, and the magic of Christmas.

Author Bio

Kathryn Lasky is the Newbery Honor-winning author of over one hundred books for children and young adults. Her beloved Guardians of Ga'Hoole fantasy series has sold more than 4 million copies, and she is the author of A TIME FOR COURAGE as well as the Daughters of the Sea series, the Wolves of the Beyond series, and other Dear America titles. Kathryn has also written a number of critically acclaim...



Scholastic Inc. 9780545423571

Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.)

\$9.99

Paperback / softback

224 pages Ages 14 And Up, Grades 9 And Up Juvenile Fiction / Mysteries, Espionage, & Detective Stories JUV028000

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Ruth Baron

Summary

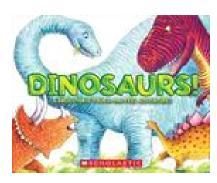
It's the return of Point Horror for the Internet generation! Don't open the door. Don't answer your phone. And, whatever you do, DON'T turn on your computer . . .

Jason has met the perfect girl. Ok, so maybe he hasn't actually MET Lacey yet, but they talk online all the time. Yet despite spending most nights chatting, Lacey refuses to meet up in person. Suspicious, Jason starts googling, and his cyberstalking leads to a shocking discovery: according to multiple newspapers, Lacey died in car crash a year earlier.

Soon, Jason finds himself enmeshed in a disturbing mystery. Has he found a way to iChat with the dead? Or is someone playing a dangerous trick? Either way, Jason has to discover the truth before it's too late. You can't put up away messages from beyond the grave . . .

Author Bio

Ruth Baron is the web editor at O Magazine. She lives in Brooklyn, NY.



Cartwheel Books 9780545425704 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.) \$14.99 Novelty book

12 pages Ages 3 to 5 Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals JNF003050

Dinosaurs!

Jeffrey Burton, John Bendall-Brunello

Summary

Dinosaurs! A prehistoric touch-and-feel book!

Dinosaurs are adored by the toddler set and this multiple touch-and-feel novelty book will place these ancient creatures directly into young reader's hands.

Now dino fans everywhere can explore this colorful collection of dinosaurs as sharp teeth chomp and feathery wings soar, spiky tails swing, and pop-up dinosaurs roar!

With dino-centric touch-and-feels on every page, oversized flaps, a dino-sized pop-up, and a gatefold reveal at the end of the book, Dinosaurs! will have kids of all ages roaring for more!

- * Touch-and-feels
- * Gatefold flaps
- * Pop-up
- * Foil
- * Embossing throughout
- * Dinosaurs galore!

Author Bio

Jeffrey Burton has written several books for children. He lives in New York City with his family.

John Bendall-Brunello drew from quite a young age, doodling cartoon likenesses of his teachers in notebooks at school. Since then he has had over 30 children's books published in England and the US. John lives part of the year in Cambridge and part in Cannes in the South of France.



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20 pages Ages 3 to 5 Juvenile Fiction / Religious JUV033010

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Dios es bueno todo el tiempo

(Spanish language edition of God Is Good-All the Time) Aleksey Ivanov, Olga Ivanov

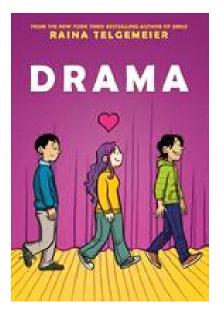
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GRAPHIX 9780545326988 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.) \$23.99 Hardback

240 pages Ages 10 to 14, Grades 5 to 9 Juvenile Fiction / Comics & Graphic Novels JUV008000

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Drama

Raina Telgemeier

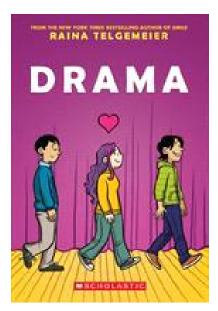
Summary

The bestselling, award-winning author of *Smile* brings us her next full-color graphic novel!

Callie loves theater. And while she would totally try out for her middle school's production of Moon Over Mississippi, she's a terrible singer. Instead she's the set designer for the stage crew, and this year she's determined to create a set worthy of Broadway on a middle-school budget. But how can she, when she doesn't know much about carpentry, ticket sales are down, and the crew members are having trouble working together? Not to mention the onstage AND offstage drama that occurs once the actors are chosen, and when two cute brothers enter the picture, things get even crazier! Following the success of SMILE, Raina Telgemeier brings us another graphic novel featuring a diverse set of characters that humorously explores friendship, crushes, and all-around drama!

Author Bio

Raina Telgemeier grew up in San Francisco, then moved to New York City, where she earned an illustration degree at the School of Visual Arts. Her most recent title, SMILE, a critically acclaimed graphic memoir based on her childhood, was a NEW YORK TIMES bestseller and winner of the Eisner Award for Best Publication for Teens, and received a BOSTON GLOBE-HORN BOOK Honor. Raina also adapted and ill...



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Scholastic en Espanol 9780545355810 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.) \$3.99

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Ages 4 to 8, 3 And Under Juvenile Fiction / Humorous Stories JUV019000 Series: Eric & Julieta

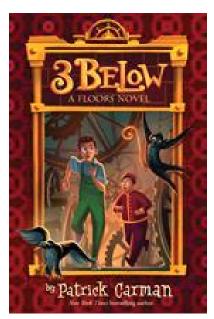
Eric & Julieta: Desastre en la cocina / A Mess in the Kitchen

(Bilingual) Isabel Munoz, Gustavo Mazali

Summary

Julieta has a playdate won't even look at her brother Eric. The latest story from the two siblings!

Eric is dying to play with his sister Julieta and her friend Lupe, but won't admit it. So he tries to hide one of Julieta's dolls on top of the kitchen shelves... unfortunately, as he climbs up he trips and falls with a loud thump! The girls come to find out what happened, and Eric, to hide his prank, gets them to make cookies for everyone. The idea is as wild as the mess they're about to create.



Scholastic Press 9780545255202 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.) \$16.99 Hardback

240 pages Ages 8 to 12, Grades 3 to 7 Juvenile Fiction / Humorous Stories JUV019000 Series: Floors

-Related Products ——— Other Formats 9780545466165 - \$25.99

Floors #2: 3 Below

Patrick Carman

Summary

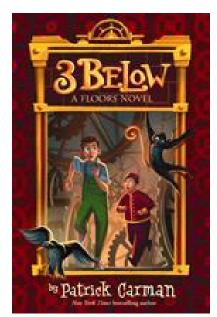
Charlie had his chocolate factory. Stanley Yelnats had his holes. Leo has the wacky, amazing Whippet Hotel.

Now that Leo has uncovered a few secrets behind the wacky Whippet Hotel, he'll have to save it!

Leo has explored the zany, wonderful Whippet Hotel from basement to top floor, with trains, flying goats, and mazes (among other things) in between. But even Leo doesn't know every secret of the Whippet - and when he discovers that there's more beneath the hotel than he'd thought, it doesn't take long for more adventures to unfold!

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Patrick Carman is the bestselling author of numerous series for young readers, including The Land of Elyon, Elliot's Park, Skeleton Creek, Atherton, Trackers, Dark Eden, and 3:15. He got his start as a storyteller weaving bedtime tales for his two daughters. He lives in Walla Walla, Washington, with his family.



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\$25.99 CD-Audio / CD standard audio format

Ages 8 to 12, Grades 3 to 7 Juvenile Fiction / Humorous Stories JUV019000 Series: Floors

Related Products
Other Formats
9780545255202 - \$16.99

Floors #2: 3 Below - Audio

Patrick Carman

Summary

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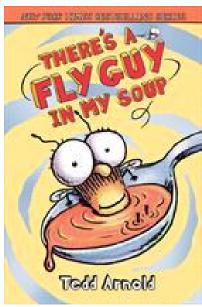
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Cartwheel Books 9780545312844 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.)

32 pages Ages 4 to 8, 3 And Under Juvenile Fiction / Animals JUV002140 Series: Fly Guy

\$6.99 Hardback

Fly Guy #12: There's a Fly Guy in My Soup Tedd Arnold

Summary

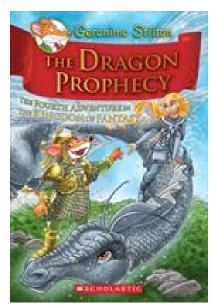
At a fancy hotel dinner, Fly Guy gets into some trouble-and the restaurant's soup!

When Buzz and his family have dinner in a fancy hotel's restaurant, Fly Guy isn't allowed in. After searching through the hotel's trash, Fly Guy smells a wonderful aroma coming from the restaurant's kitchen.

Fly Guy causes some messy mayhem in the restaurant, and in the end, everyone needs a bath!

Author Bio

Tedd Arnold is the author and illustrator of the bestselling Fly Guy series and the illustrator of more than 60 books, including DETECTIVE BLUE. He has received Theodor Seuss Geisel Honors for HI! FLY GUY and I SPY FLY GUY! Tedd lives with his wife, Carol, in upstate New York.



Scholastic Paperbacks 9780545393515 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.) \$14.99 Hardback

320 pages Ages 7 to 10, Grades 2 to 5 Juvenile Fiction / Action & Adventure JUV001000

Geronimo Stilton and the Kingdom of Fantasy #4: The Dragon Prophecy

Geronimo Stilton

Summary

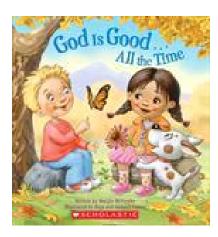
Join Geronimo as he returns to the Kingdom of Fantasy for his fourth amazing adventure!

I, Geronimo Stilton, was astonished to find myself in the Kingdom of Fantasy for the fourth time. Sterling, the Princess of the Silver Dragons, needed my help! An ancient prophecy said that one day a Knight would save all the dragons . . . and it looked like I might be that Knight. The last existing dragon egg had been stolen from Sterling. If that egg was destroyed, dragons would become extinct forever! I couldn't let that happen. So my friends and I set out across enchanted lands to defy dangers and restore peace to the Kingdom of Fantasy!

Geronimo's fourth hardcover adventure!

Author Bio

GERONIMO STILTON is the publisher of The Rodent's Gazette, Mouse Island's most famouse newspaper. In his spare time, Mr. Stilton enjoys collecting antique cheese rinds, playing golf, and telling stories to his nephew Benjamin. He lives in New Mouse City, Mouse Island. Visit Geronimo online at www.scholastic.com/geronimostilton.



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20 pages Ages 3 to 5 Juvenile Fiction / Religious JUV033010

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God Is Good-All the Time

Aleksey Ivanov, Olga Ivanov

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Hot Wheels: Extreme Stunts (Reader #17)

Ace Landers

Summary

Speed-read this exciting beginning reader!

In this easy-to-read story, Team Hot Wheels is testing their biggest and baddest stunts. Each driver on the team has an important part to play: the yellow driver is all about power, the red driver takes things to the extreme, the green driver's skill is speed, and the blue driver is all about precision. One thing's for sure: Team Hot Wheels won't rest until they try and beat every stunt in their path!

Author Bio

David is an illustrator of many books for children. He currently works and resides in Easthampton, Massachussetts.

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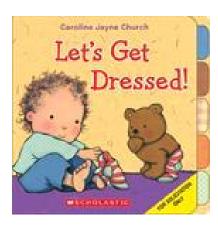
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\$3.99

Paperback / softback

32 pages Ages 4 to 8, 3 And Under Juvenile Fiction / Readers JUV043000

Series: Hot Wheels



Scholastic Inc. 9780545436373 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.) \$7.99 Board book

10 pages Ages 2 to 4 Juvenile Fiction / Social Issues JUV039000

Let's Get Dressed!

Caroline Jayne Church

Summary

Caroline Jayne Church teaches us how to get dressed!

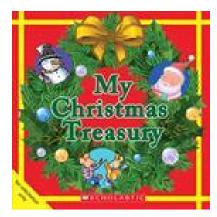
First we need a brand-new pair of super-duper... UNDERWEAR!

New from the bestselling illustrator of I LOVE YOU THROUGH AND THROUGH, this clever board book is a playful way to teach toddlers how to dress themselves. With oversized flaps on every page, readers can guess and uncover what article of clothing comes next! The simple, rhyming text surprises and delights while the hands-on format and Caroline Jayne Church's adorable toddlers makes this a perfect introduction to dressing routines!

* With oversize lift-the-flaps!

Author Bio

Caroline Jayne Church is a bestselling author and illustrator. Some of her bestselling titles include I LOVE YOU THROUGH AND THROUGH by Bernadette Rossetti-Shustak, THANK YOU PRAYER by Josephine Page, THE STORY OF MY FEELINGS by Laurie Berkner, BUNNY WISHES and DEAR BUNNY both authored by Michaela Morgan. She lives in Surrey, England, but you can visit her at www.carolinejaynechurch.com.



Scholastic Inc. 9780545436472 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.) \$8.99 Hardback

96 pages Ages 4 to 8, 3 And Under Juvenile Fiction / Holidays & Celebrations JUV017010

My Christmas Treasury

Cheryl Ryan, Lucille Colandro, Steven Kroll, Jared...

Summary

The perfect gift for Christmas! A holiday treasury with three favorite stories!

This merry treasury of stories will warm every heart with holiday tales of sharing, caring, and bearing good tidings of Christmas cheer! Three stories at one low price in a padded, keepsake format!

Includes:

- * THE BIGGEST CHRISTMAS TREE EVER! by Steven Kroll and Jeni Bassett
- * THERE WAS AN OLD LADY WHO SWALLOWED A BELL! by Lucille Colandro and Jared Lee
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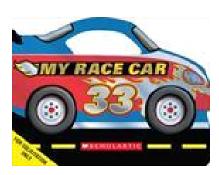
Shiny foil cover!

Author Bio

Lucille Colandro has written many books for children including the There Was An Old Lady series illustrated by Jared Lee.

Steven Kroll was the author of over fifty books for children and young adults, including the New York Times bestselling The Biggest Pumpkin Ever.

Jared Lee has illustrated more than 100 books for young readers. He has received awards from the Society of Illustrators, the Martha K...



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My Race Car

Ace Landers, David A. White

Summary

A shiny race car-shaped board book with a handle!

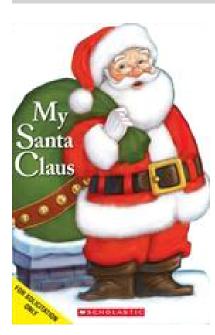
Race car, race car, zoom zoom, go! Around the race track, never slow!

Read all about race cars in this exciting shaped board book with a full foil cover. Active readers will love to follow the simple rhyming text to find out who will finish the race first! With exciting illustrations throughout, this is one read to pick up again and again.

* Shiny foil cover

Author Bio

David is an illustrator of many books for children. He currently works and resides in Easthampton, Massachussetts.



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12 pages Ages 3 to 5 Juvenile Fiction / Holidays & Celebrations JUV017010

My Santa Claus

Lily Karr, Jay Johnson

Summary

A shiny, shaped Santa Claus board book with flocking and foil!

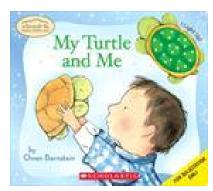
With sweet illustrations and a simple Christmas holiday story inside, this novelty board book is made to look exactly like Santa Claus--complete with a shiny suit and fuzzy beard. It's the perfect Christmas gift for active readers getting ready for the season!

- * Shiny foil cover!
- * Fuzzy flocking!

Author Bio

Lily Karr has written many books for children, including Spooky Boo! A Halloween Adventure and A Christmas Present for Me! She lives in New York City.

Jay Johnson has illustrated many books for children including Ten Grouchy Groundhogs. He lives in Texas.



Scholastic Inc. 9780545433877 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.) \$9.99 Board book

10 pages 3 And Under Juvenile Fiction / Bedtime & Dreams JUV010000

My Turtle and Me

Owen Bernstein, Carol Thompson

Summary

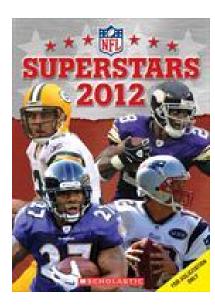
An interactive light book based on the bestselling Twilight Turtle by Cloud B.

I snuggle with my turtle and hug him real tight. He cuddles next to me and hugs me right back. My turtle shines when we hug!

Made in association with Cloud B, the baby sleep specialists, follow a young child and his turtle as they do everything together! Includes a turtle-shaped night light visible on every page, just like the real thing.

Author Bio

Carol Thompson is an internationally recognized children's book illustrator. Her illustrations have earned her many awards including the Frank Warner Golf Award, the Mother Goose Award for Children's Book Illustrations, and the Oppenheim Gold Award. Carol lives in England with her husband and three sons.



NFL: Superstars 2012

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Summary

Check out the hottest NFL players of the season!

The 15 best players from the 2011-2012 NFL season will be captured in this full-color poster book. With easy-to-read text and full page photographs, this book will be perfect for NFL fans.

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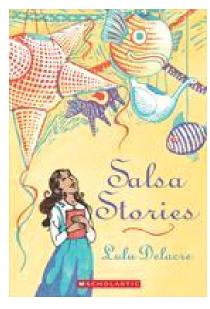
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JNF054050 Series: Nfl



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Paperback / softback

112 pages Ages 7 to 10, Grades 2 to 5 Juvenile Nonfiction / People & Places JNF018030

Salsa Stories

Lulu Delacre

Summary

An evocative collection of short stories by a three-time Pura Belpre honoree. Now available in paperback!

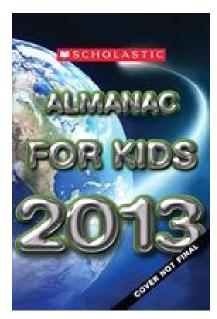
When Carmen Teresa receives a notebook as a holiday gift, the guests suggest she write down their own childhood stories, which they tell. But Carmen Teresa, who loves to cook, collects their family recipes instead!

With energy, sensitivity, and warmth, Lulu Delacre introduces readers to a symphony of colorful characters whose 9 stories dance through a year of Latin American holidays and customs. Countries include Mexico, Puerto Rico, Argentina, Guatamala and Peru.

Seventeen delicious and authentic recipes are included!

Author Bio

Lulu Delacre was born to Argentinian parents and grew up in Puerto Rico. Her award-winning books for children include GOLDEN TALES: MYTHS, LEGENDS AND FOLKTALES FROM LATIN AMERICA; ARROZ CON LECHE: POPULAR SONGS AND RHYMES FROM LATIN AMERICA; and her Scholastic Pura Belpre Award Honor Book, THE BOSSY GALLITO (text by Lucia M. Gonzalez). You can visit her online at www.luludelacre.com!



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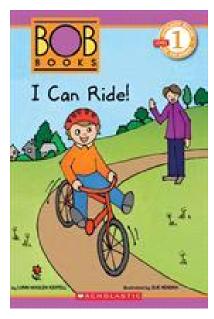
Scholastic Almanac for Kids 2013

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Summary

Updated with the most recent facts, stats and records!

Need homework help? Love trivia? Just want to impress your friends or teachers? The SCHOLASTIC ALMANAC 2013 has information about practically anything and everything! If you have questions, this book has A LOT of answers. Packed with hundreds of facts, stats, and all of the info you need to keep boredom away and handle schoolwork with ease. The 2013 edition will feature an exciting new cover, completely updated facts and stats throughout, and new chapter openers.



Scholastic Reader Level 1: BOB Books: I Can Ride! Lynn Maslen Kertell, Sue Hendra

Summary

Learn to read independently with this new Bob Books reader!

In this easy-to-read story, Jack learns how to ride a bike. Once he's speeding along, the whole family goes for a bike ride together.

Author Bio

Lynn Maslen Kertell is the current manager of Bob Books and the author of Bobs Books: Sight Words Kindergarten and First-Grade. You can visit her and learn more about Bob Books at www.bobbooks.com.

Sue Hendra has illustrated several children's books including Bob Books: Sight Words Kindergarten and First Grade.

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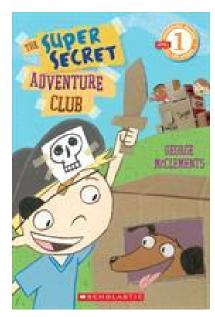
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Scholastic Reader Level 1: The Super Secret Adventure Club

George McClements

Summary

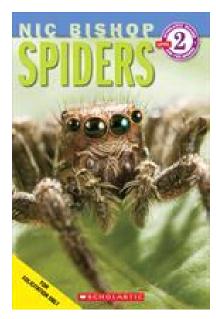
Three boys a supercool clubhouse "no sisters allowed!" = tons of adventure!

Sam, Matt, and Luke have built the coolest clubhouse ever. But they can't decide what kind of club they should be. Are they space explorers? Dino hunters? Pirate captains?

For three small boys with big ideas, life is one crazy adventure after another in this simple Level 1 reader!

Author Bio

George McClements is the creator of several picture books, including Baron von Baddie and the Ice Ray Incident, Ridin' Dinos with Buck Bronco, and Night of the Veggie Monster, for which he appeared on the Rachel Ray television talk show. When he's not writing and illustrating, George works as a creative director for Disney. He lives with his family in Glendale, California.



Scholastic Paperbacks 9780545237574 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.) \$3.99

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Scholastic Reader Level 2: Spiders

Nic Bishop

Summary

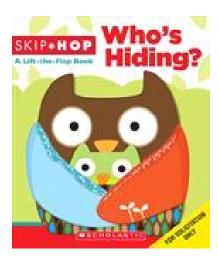
Nic Bishop's Sibert Honor Book, adapted for the youngest readers

There are more than 38,000 types of spiders. They live almost everywhere, even in your basement! Spiders have eight legs and fangs. They spin silk into webs-and use the webs to catch their dinner!

Now even the youngest readers can join Sibert-Honor author, photographer, and biologist Nic Bishop as he takes a closer look at the world's most amazing animals. In this first book, Nic introduces fun facts about spiders and their bodies, habits, and life cycle. The simple, easy-to-read text is perfect for beginners, and the eye-catching photographs will delight naturalists of all ages. A glossary

Author Bio

Nic Bishop is the author and photographer of many award-winning books for children, including Red-Eyed Tree Frog; Chameleon, Chameleon; Nic Bishop Spiders; and most recently, Nic Bishop Lizards. He has a doctorate in biological sciences and a passionate interest in many of the smaller animals on our planet. Originally from New Zealand, Nic lives in Michigan. Visit him at www.nicbishop.com. ...



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12 pages 3 And Under Juvenile Fiction / Animals JUV002000 Series: Skip Hop

Skip Hop: Who's Hiding?

Orli Zuravicky, Weldon Swanson

Summary

A lift-the-flap board book based on the bestselling Hug & Hide Activity Toys from Skip*Hop!

Mama Owl is oh so blue. She can't find Baby Owl. Can you?

Lift the flap on each spread to help Mama Owl find her little one! With simple, predictable, rhyming text and an appealing graphic illustration style, this hands-on story is a great introduction to animals and their babies.

Based on the characters from the bestselling Skip*Hop Hug & Hide activity toys, little ones will delight in discovering and recognizing animals like little lamb, puppy dog, and more. A fun reading time activity that will engage and excite--just like the Hug & Hide characters!

* With lift-the-flaps!



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320 pages Ages 12 And Up, Grades 7 And Up Juvenile Fiction / Family JUV013000

Strings Attached

Judy Blundell

Summary

From National Book Award-winner Judy Blundell, a lethal tale of love, mystery, and the Mob.

When Kit Corrigan arrives in New York City, she doesn't have much. She's fled from her family in Providence, Rhode Island, and she's broken off her tempestuous relationship with a boy named Billy, who's enlisted in the army.

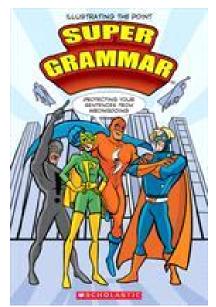
The city doesn't exactly welcome her with open arms. She gets a bit part as a chorus girl in a Broadway show, but she knows that's not going to last very long. She needs help--and then it comes, from an unexpected source.

Nate Benedict is Billy's father. He's also a lawyer involved in the mob. He makes Kit a deal--he'll give her an apartment and introduce her to a new crowd. All she has to do is keep him informed about Billy . . . and maybe do him a favor every now and then.

As she did in her National Book Award-winning What I Saw and How I Lied, Judy Blundell traps readers in a web of love, deceit, intrigue, and murder. The result? One stunner of a novel.

Author Bio

Judy Blundell's WHAT I SAW AND HOW I LIED is the 2008 winner of the National Book Award for Young People's Literature. As Jude Watson, she is the author of the bestselling Star Wars: Last of the Jedi and Jedi Quest series. She lives in Katonah, New York.



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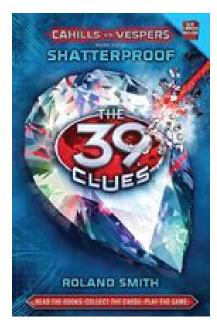
Think grammar is difficult? You just need someone to save you from it!

The best learning tools for a young mind are word association, visual aids, and superpowers! In SUPER GRAMMAR, all of the major elements of grammar will be personified with superhero or super villain identities. You won't just learn about the part-of-speech called an adverb. Instead you'll meet the vibrant super heroine The Adverb, and you'll learn about her awesome ability to modify verbs and other adverbs. You won't simply be told that you shouldn't use a double negative in a sentence. Instead you'll actually meet the sinister twin brothers, Double Negative, and you'll learn how to avoid being tricked into falling for their double talk. The book's fun, full-color design looks like a mix between a reference book and a comic book. With SUPER GRAMMAR you'll learn to save yourself!

Author Bio

By day, Tony is a special effects artist and 3D computer animator. He started his career with the animated film THE NIGHTMARE BEFORE CHRISTMAS. By night, he is a writer and grammar enthusiast. He lives in California, but you can visit him at www.tonypreciado.com.

By day, Rhode is the children's book author and illustrator of the picture books CLOUD BOY and THE HALLOWEEN KID. He also illustrated t...



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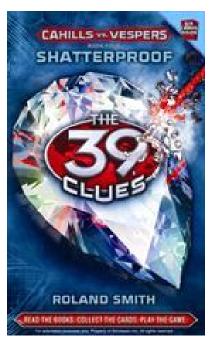
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Author Bio

Roland Smith first worked with animals at the Portland Zoo, and he has been involved in animal rescues and conservation work around the world for more than twenty years. He is the author of Jack's Run, Zach's Lie, Cryptid Hunters, Peak, and most recently Tentacles, his Scholastic debut. He is also the co-author of numerous picture books with his wife, Marie. Roland lives with Marie on a farm south...



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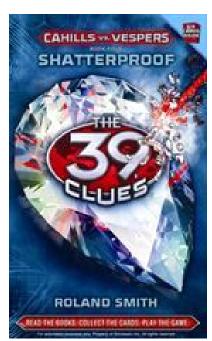
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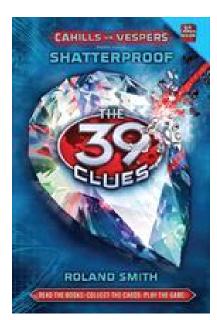
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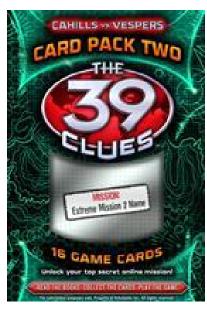
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Summary

The world is counting on YOU!

Sixteen explosive adrenaline-charged game cards unlock a daring online mission. What was legendary explorer Ferdinand Magellan hiding . . . and why will the Vespers kill to find out?

Each card unlocks a game, piece of evidence, or chance to interview a suspect. Do you have what it takes to discover Magellan's secret?

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The Dark Unwinding

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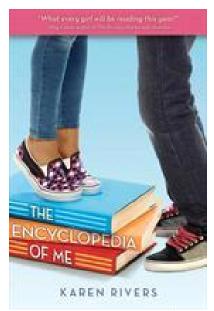
Summary

A thrilling tale of spies, intrigue, and heart-racing romance!

When Katharine Tulman's inheritance is called into question by the rumor that her eccentric uncle is squandering away the family fortune, she is sent to his remote English estate to have him committed to an asylum. But instead of a lunatic, Katharine discovers a genius inventor with his own set of child-like rules, who employs a village of nine hundred people rescued from the workhouses of London. Katharine is now torn between protecting her own inheritance and preserving the peculiar community she has grown to care for -- a conflict made even more complicated by a handsome apprentice, a mysterious student, and fears for her own sanity. As the mysteries of the estate begin to unravel, it is clear that not only is her uncle's world at stake, but also the state of England as they know it. With twists and turns and breathtaking romance at every corner, this thrilling adventure will captivate readers.

Author Bio

Sharon Cameron was awarded the Society of Children's Book Writers and Illustrators' Sue Alexander Award for Most Promising New Work for THE DARK UNWINDING. It is Sharon's debut novel. She lives in Nashville, Tennessee.



Arthur A. Levine Books 9780545310284 Pub Date: 9/1/12 (US, Can.) \$16.99 Hardback

256 pages Ages 10 to 14, Grades 5 to 9 Juvenile Nonfiction / Reference JNF048040

The Encyclopedia of Me

Karen Rivers

Summary

A is for Aardvark, Tink Aaron-Martin, and Amazing in this wonderful alphabetical novel!

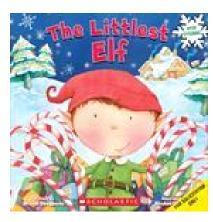
Tink Aaron-Martin has been grounded AGAIN after an adventure with her best friend Freddie Blue Anderson. To make the time pass, she decides to write an encyclopedia of her life from "Aa" (a kind of lava--okay, she cribbed that from the real encyclopedia) to "Zoo" (she's never been to one, but her brothers belong there).

As the alphabet unfolds, so does the story of Tink's summer: more adventures with Freddie Blue (and more experiences in being grounded); how her family was featured in a magazine about "Living with Autism," thanks to her older brother Seb--and what happened after Seb fell apart; her growing friendship, and maybe more, with Kai, a skateboarder who made her swoon (sort of). And her own sense that maybe she belongs not under "H" for "Hideous," or "I" for "Invisible," but "O" for "Okay."

Written entirely in Tink's hilarious encyclopedia entries, THE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF ME is both a literary trick and a reading treat for anyone who loves terrific middle-grade novels.

Author Bio

Karen Rivers writes rich and funny novels for middle-grade readers, young adults, and the occasional grown-up. She lives in Victoria, British Columbia, with her two children and a noxious-smelling dog. Visit her online at www.karenrivers.com and @karenrivers.



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The Littlest Elf

Brandi Dougherty, Kirsten Richards

Summary

A sweet holiday story from a New York Times bestselling duo!

From the New York Times bestselling team that brought us The Littlest Pilgrim comes a sweet new holiday follow-up filled with Christmas cheer and adorable stickers!

Oliver may be the littlest elf in the North Pole, but he has a big desire to discover his very special job in Santa's workshop! But after getting lost in the toy shop, making a mess at the book shop, and falling in the mixing machine at the bakery, is the littlest elf just too little?

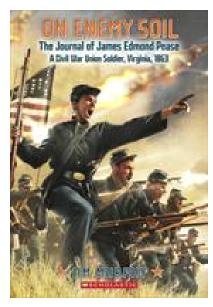
Perhaps he just needs the littlest reindeer to remind him what Christmas is all about!

* With Christmas stickers!

Author Bio

Brandi Dougherty is the author of the New York Times best-selling picture book The Littlest Pilgrim and two middle-grade novels, The Valentine's Day Disaster and The Friendship Experiment. She lives in Los Angeles, CA, with her new puppy, Jerome. Visit her online at www.brandidougherty.com.

Kirsten Richards is an illustrator of children's books, including the New York Times bestseller, The Littlest...



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Paperback / softback

176 pages Ages 8 to 12, Grades 3 to 7 Juvenile Fiction / Historical JUV016000

The On Enemy Soil: Journal of James Edmond Pease, a Civil War Union Soldier

Jim Murphy

Summary

American History comes alive with this exciting war journal from an award-winning author!

Ignorant to the bitter realities of military life, 16-year-old James enlists in the Union Army at the dawn of the Civil War. When his lieutenant assigns him to be the company historian of the G Company of the 122nd Regiment, New York Volunteers, he is initially at a loss as to what exactly he is supposed to record. As the days pass, James settles into his role, but he cannot take comfort in it. His country is divided by a bloody war, and his unit struggles through the hardships and turmoil. Through his journal entries, James poignantly captures the terror of battle, the drudgery of day-to-day life in the infantry, the loss of comrades, and the disillusionment of a young soldier.

Author Bio

Jim Murphy is the celebrated author of more than thirty-five books for young readers, most notably TRUCE: THE DAY THE SOLDIERS STOPPED FIGHTING and THE GREAT FIRE, a Newbery Honor Winner. His carefully researched, engaging, and elegantly written nonfiction has garnered the most prestigious awards in the field. He lives in Maplewood, New Jersey, with his wife and their two sons.



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The Raven Boys

Maggie Stiefvater

Summary

An all-new series from the masterful #1 New York Times bestselling author Maggie Stiefvater!

"There are only two reasons a non-seer would see a spirit on St. Mark's Eve," Neeve said. "Either you're his true love . . . or you killed him."

It is freezing in the churchyard, even before the dead arrive.

Every year, Blue Sargent stands next to her clairvoyant mother as the soon-to-be dead walk past. Blue herself never sees them-not until this year, when a boy emerges from the dark and speaks directly to her.

His name is Gansey, and Blue soon discovers that he is a rich student at Aglionby, the local private school. Blue has a policy of staying away from Aglionby boys. Known as Raven Boys, they can only mean trouble.

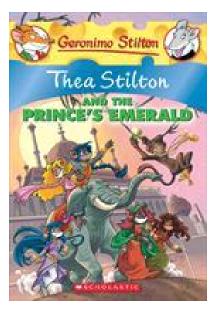
But Blue is drawn to Gansey, in a way she can't entirely explain. He has it all-family money, good looks, devoted friends-but he's looking for much more than that. He is on a quest that has encompassed three other Raven Boys: Adam, the scholarship student who resents all the privilege around him; Ronan, the fierce soul who ranges from anger to despair; and Noah, the taciturn watcher of the four, who notices many things but says very little.

For as long as she can remember, Blue has been warned that she will cause her true love to die. She never thought this would be a problem. But now, as her life becomes caught up in the strange and sinister world of the Raven Boys, she's not so sure anymore.

From Maggie Stiefvater, the bestselling and acclaimed author of the *Shiver* trilogy and *The Scorpio Races*, comes a spellbinding new series where the inevitability of death and the nature of love lead us to a place we've never been before.

Author Bio

Maggie Stiefvater is the #1 New York Times bestselling author of the Shiver trilogy and The Scorpio Races. She is also the author of Lament: The Faerie Queen's Deception and Ballad: A Gathering of Faerie. She lives in Virginia with her family. You can visit her online at www.maggiestiefvater.com and on Twitter @mstiefvater.



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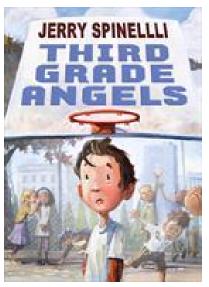
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Author Bio

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A warm, funny return to elementary school from master storyteller Spinelli.

Author Bio

Jerry Spinelli won the Newbery Medal in 1991 for Maniac Magee, one of his more than 25 acclaimed books for young readers. He now lives in West Chester, Pennsylvania, with his wife, Eileen Spinelli, who is also an author of children's books.