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SILVERWORLD

BY DIANA ABU-JABER

Desperate to help her ailing grandmother, Sami consults Sitti's spell book and falls into the magical Silverworld, where she must try to save the enchanted city and, perhaps, Sitti, too.

AMARI AND THE NIGHT BROTHERS

BY B.B. ALSTON

Thirteen-year-old Amari, a poor Black girl from the projects, gets an invitation from her missing brother to join the Bureau of Supernatural Affairs and join in the fight against an evil magician. 4th-6th grades

THE WAY TO RIO LUNA

BY ZORAIDA CÓRDOV

Eleven-year-old Danny Monteverde believes that the enchanted land of Rio Luna in his older sister's favorite book is real and that if he can find the way there he will find his sister Pili because he does not believe that his sister would run away and leave him behind; but after years of searching his faith begins to fade--until one day he finds a mysterious book in the library that contains a map to Rio Luna...and a way to find Pili. 4th-6th grades

THE LAST LAST-DAY-OF-SUMMER

BY LAMAR GILES

When adventurous cousins Otto and Sheed Alston accidentally extend the last day of summer by freezing time, they find the secrets between the unmoving seconds are not as much fun as they expected. 4th-6th grades

<u>A WISH IN THE DARK</u>

BY CHRISTINA SOONTORNVAT

Set in a Thai-inspired fantasy world, Christina Soontornvat's twist on Victor Hugo's Les Misérables is a dazzling, fast-paced adventure that explores the difference between law and justice - and asks whether one child can shine a light in the dark. 4th-6th grades

SAL & GABI BREAK THE UNIVERSE

BY CARLOS ALBERTO HERNANDEZ

In order to heal after his mother's death, thirteen-year-old Sal learns to reach into time and space to retrieve things--and people--from other universes. 4th-6th grades



VENTURE FURTHER

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THE BOOK OF MYTHICAL BEASTS AND MAGICAL CREATURES

BY STEPHEN KRENSKY

You'll meet an incredible cast of mind-boggling fictional animals from all around the world.Learn about the societies that spawned these legendary creatures, from Ancient Greece to the indigenous tribes of Australia, and find out what the beasts tell us about the people who created them. XI 398.2 KRE



MAKER COMICS. CREATE A COSTUME!

BY SARA MYER

With Maker Comics: Create a Costume! you can create fun, easy, budget-friendly costumes. And you don't have to start from scratch: a few simple modifications can transform thrift store clothes into a variety of costumes. XI 646.478 MYE



YOU CAN DRAW MANGA CHIBI CHARACTERS, CRITTERS & SCENES

BY SAMANTHA WHITTEN

Learn how to draw in the chibi style using simple steps and easy-to-find art tools. Also included are tips and techniques for designing your own chibi creations! You can draw more than 50 chibi characters, animals, props, and much more, with the easy, step-by-step art projects. XI 741.51 WHI



THE LITTLE WITCH'S BOOK OF SPELLS

BY ARIEL KUSBY

This spellbinding book guides readers on how to craft a magic wand, befriend a fairy, and read tea leaves, as well as glossaries of magical terms and symbols. XI 133.44 KUS



EVERY DAY MAGIC FOR KIDS: 30 AMAZING MAGIC TRICKS THAT YOU CAN DO ANYWHERE

BY JUSTIN FLOM

Using every day objects, daring magician Justin Flom will teach kids all they need to know to perform 30 amazing and how-did-you-do-that magic tricks at the turn of a hat. Featuring step-by-step instructions and illustrations. XI 793.8 FLO



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SEA SIRENS

BY AMY CHU

Trot, a Vietnamese American surfer girl, and Cap'n Bill, her cranky one-eyed cat, catch too big a wave and wipe out, sucked down into a magical underwater kingdom where an ancient deep-sea battle rages. XI 741.5973 SEA

FEATHERS

BY JORGE CORONA

Born covered in black feathers, abandoned as a baby in the slums of the Maze, Poe has lived his entire eleven-year-old life hidden away under the protection of his adoptive father, Gabriel. He spends his days secretly helping the Mice, bands of orphans who roam the slums, but there is a whisper of an altogether more sinister figure in the shadows, making street children disappear. XI 741.5973 FEATHERS

LIGHTFALL

BY TIM PROBERT

Bea and Cad are two unlikely friends who get swept up in an epic quest to save their world from falling into eternal darkness. XI 741.5973 LIGHTFALL

CUCUMBER QUEST

BY GIGI D.G.

The seven kingdoms of Dreamside need a legendary hero. Instead, they'll have to settle for Cucumber, a nerdy magician who just wants to go to school. As destiny would have it, he and his way more heroic sister, Almond, must now seek the Dream Sword, the only weapon powerful enough to defeat Queen Cordelia's Nightmare Knight. XI 741.5973 CUCUMBER

THE TEA DRAGON SOCIETY

BY KATIE O'NEILL

After discovering a lost tea dragon in the marketplace, Greta learns about the dying art form of tea dragon care-taking from the kind tea shop owners, Hesekiel and Erik. As she befriends them and their shy ward, Minette, Greta sees how the craft enriches their lives - and eventually her own. XI 741.5993 TEA





