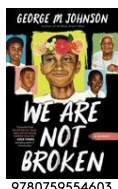


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Young Adult Nonfiction
 Little, Brown Books for Young Readers
 Ages 14+
 Sep 7, 2021
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[We Are Not Broken](#)

George M. Johnson

George M. Johnson, activist and bestselling author of *All Boys Aren't Blue*, returns with a striking memoir that celebrates Black boyhood and brotherhood in all its glory. This is the vibrant story of George, Garrett, Rall, and Rasul -- four children raised by Nanny, their fiercely devoted grandmother. The boys hold one another close through early brushes with racism, memorable experiences at the family barbershop, and first loves and losses. And with Nanny at their center, they are never broken. George M. Johnson captures the unique experience of growing up as a Black boy in America, and their rich family stories -- exploring themes of vulnerability, sacrifice, and culture -- are interspersed with touching letters from the grandchildren to their beloved matriarch. By turns heartwarming and heartbreaking, this personal account is destined to become a modern classic of emerging adulthood.

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Young Adult Fiction
 Page Street Publishing
 Ages 14+
 Oct 5, 2021
 352 pages
 5.50" x 8.25" x 1.19"



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[Tonight We Rule the World](#)

Zack Smedley, Asa Gilland

From the critically acclaimed author of *Deposing Nathan* comes an explosive examination of identity, voice, and the indelible ways our stories are rewritten by others. In the beginning, Owen's story was blank . . . then he was befriended by Lily, the aspiring author who helped him find his voice. Together, the two have spent years navigating first love and amassing an inseparable friend group. But all of it is upended one day when his school's administration learns Owen's secret: that he was sexually assaulted by a classmate. In the ensuing investigation, everyone scrambles to hold their worlds together. Owen, still wrestling with his self-destructive thoughts and choices. His father, a mission-driven military vet ready to start a war to find his son's attacker. The school bureaucrats, who seem most concerned with kowtowing to the local media attention. And Lily, who can't learn that Owen is the mystery victim everyone is talking about . . . because once she does, it will set off a chain of events that will change their lives forever. Heartbreaking and hopeful, this is a coming-of-age story that explores how we rebuild after the world comes crumbling down.

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Young Adult Fiction
 Amulet Books
 Ages 12+
 Sep 14, 2021
 400 pages
 5.50" x 8.25"



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[Stalking Shadows](#)

Cyla Panin 

A gothic YA fantasy debut about a young woman striving to break her sister's curse and stop the killing in her small French town. Seventeen-year-old Marie mixes perfumes to sell on market day in her small eighteenth-century French town. She wants to make enough to save a dowry for her sister, Ama, in hopes of Ama marrying well and Marie living in the level of freedom afforded only to spinster aunts. But her perfumes are more than sweet scents in cheap, cut-glass bottles: A certain few are laced with death. Marie laces the perfume delicately -- not with poison but with a hint of honeysuckle she's trained her sister to respond to. Marie marks her victim, and Ama attacks. But she doesn't attack as a girl. She kills as a beast. Marking Ama's victims controls the damage to keep suspicion at bay. But when a young boy turns up dead one morning, Marie is forced to acknowledge she might be losing control of Ama. And if she can't control her, she'll have to cure her. Marie knows the only place she'll find the cure is in the mansion where Ama was cursed in the first place, home of Lord Sebastien LaClaire. But once she gets into the mansion, she discovers dark secrets hidden away -- secrets of the curse, of Lord Sebastien . . . and of herself.

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Hardcover | \$23.99
Young Adult Fiction
 Little, Brown Books for Young Readers
 Ages 14+
 Oct 19, 2021
 384 pages
 5.50" x 8.25" x 1.25"



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[That Dark Infinity](#)

Kate Pentecost

An immortal monster hunter and a royal handmaiden embark on an epic journey to change their fates in this soul-stirring young adult fantasy novel for fans of *The Witcher* and *The Last Unicorn*. By night, the Ankou is a legendary, permanently young mercenary -- the most fearsome sword for hire in all of the Five Lands, and its most abiding mystery. But when the sun rises, a dark magic leaves him no more than bones. Cursed with this cycle of death and resurrection, the Ankou wants only to find the final rest that has been prophesied for him, no matter the cost. When the kingdom of Kaer-Ise is sacked, Flora, handmaiden to the royal family, is assaulted and left for dead. Wounded, heartbroken, and the sole survivor of the massacre, Flora wants desperately to be reunited with the princess she served and loved. She and the Ankou make a deal: He will help Flora find her princess, and train Flora in combat, in exchange for her aid in breaking his curse. But it isn't easy to kill an immortal, especially when their bond begins to deepen into something more . . . Together, they will solve mysteries, battle monsters, and race against time in this fantasy novel about sacrifice, love, and healing by Elysium Girls author Kate Pentecost.

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Juvenile Fiction
 Amulet Books
 Ages 8-12
 Aug 24, 2021
 256 pages
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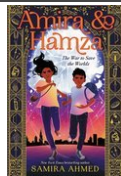
[Elvis and the World As It Stands](#)

Lisa Frenkel Riddiough, Olivia Chin Mueller

A poignant middle-grade story about loss and finding family from the point of view of a newly adopted kitten. "An absolute delight, from beginning to end." --Anne Ursu, author of National Book Award nominee *The Real Boy* "Elvis's journey is sweet and funny and profound." --Eliot Schreier, National Book Award finalist *Most shelter animals dream of going home with a forever family. But for Elvis, being chosen by Mrs. Pemberton is a nightmare. He's been separated from his sister, Etta, and is determined to get back to the shelter to find her. In spite of himself, Elvis becomes curious about ten-year-old Georgina Pemberton, who builds LEGO skyscrapers in her bedroom while navigating her parents' separation. The longer he's in his new home, the more he starts recognizing new feelings: admiration for Georgina's creations, affection for the other pets, and even empathy for the Pembertons--despite their inability to listen. As Georgina sets out to build her most important skyscrapers yet--the Twin Towers--Elvis realizes that maybe both humans and animals can take a page from Georgina's *Big Book of American Architecture* and "build a world of their own choosing," even if the choices aren't what they'd initially expected.*

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 Juvenile Fiction
 Little, Brown Books for Young Readers
 Ages 8-12
 Sep 21, 2021
 368 pages
 5.25" x 7.62"



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[Amira & Hamza: The War to Save the Worlds](#)

Amira & Hamza #1
 Samira Ahmed

From bestselling author Samira Ahmed comes a thrilling fantasy adventure intertwining Islamic legend and history, perfect for fans of Aru Shah and the Land of Stories. On the day of a rare super blue blood moon eclipse, twelve-year-old Amira and her little brother, Hamza, can't stop their bickering while attending a special exhibit on medieval Islamic astronomy. While stargazer Amira is wowed by the amazing gadgets, a bored Hamza wanders off, stumbling across the mesmerizing and forbidden Box of the Moon. Amira can only watch in horror as Hamza grabs the defunct box and it springs to life, setting off a series of events that could shatter their world—literally. Suddenly, day turns to night, everyone around Amira and Hamza falls under a sleep spell, and a chunk of the moon breaks off, hurtling toward them at lightning speed, as they come face-to-face with two otherworldly creatures: jinn. The jinn reveal that the siblings have a role to play in an ancient prophecy. Together, they must journey to the mystical land of Gaf, battle a great evil, and end a civil war to prevent the moon—the stopper between realms—from breaking apart and unleashing terrifying jinn, devs, and ghuls onto earth. Or they might have to say goodbye to their parents and live as they know it, forever.... [\[more\]](#)

Hardcover | \$22.99
 Juvenile Fiction
 Amulet Books
 Ages 8-12
 Oct 12, 2021
 320 pages
 5.50" x 8.00"



9781419746642



[Imaginary](#)

Lee Bacon, Katy Wu

The story of a boy and his imaginary friend—told by the imaginary friend Zach should've outgrown his imaginary friend by now. He knows this. He's 11, long past the days when kids are supposed to go on epic make-believe adventures with their invisible friends. But after the death of his father five years ago, all Zach wanted was an escape from the real world. So his imaginary friend, Shovel, hasn't faded away like the other kids' have. Their imaginary friendship grew stronger. But now Zach's in middle school, and things are getting awkward. His best friend ditched him for a cooler crowd. His classmates tease him in the hallways. He still misses his dad. Reality is the worst. Which is why Zach makes regular visits to a fantasy world with Shovel. But is Zach's overactive imagination helping him deal with loss or just pushing people away? Poignant, humorous, and breathtaking, Imaginary is an inventive story of friendship, loss, and growing up. . . . as only an imaginary friend could tell it. [\[more\]](#)

Hardcover | \$22.99
 Juvenile Fiction
 Little, Brown Books for Young Readers
 Ages 8-12
 Oct 5, 2021
 384 pages
 5.25" x 7.62" x 1.25"



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[Dust & Grim](#)

Chuck Wendig

From a bestselling author: Miss Peregrine meets The Graveyard Book in this middle grade adventure about rival siblings running a monster mortuary. Thirteen-year-old Molly doesn't know how she got the short end of the stick—being raised by her neglectful father—while Dustin, the older brother she's never met, got their mother and the keys to the family estate. But now the siblings are both orphaned, she's come home for her inheritance, and if Dustin won't welcome her into the family business, then she'll happily take her half in cash. There's just one problem: the family business is a mortuary for monsters, and Molly's not sure she's ready to deal with mysterious doors, talking wolves, a rogue devourer of magic, and a secret cemetery. It's going to take all of Dustin's stuffy supernatural knowledge and Molly's most heroic cosplay (plus a little help from non-human friends) for the siblings to figure it out and save the day... if only they can get along for five minutes. Bestselling author Chuck Wendig's middle grade debut is equal parts spooky, funny, and heartfelt—perfect for Halloween and year-round reading! [\[more\]](#)


Hardcover | \$19.99
 Juvenile Fiction
 Kids Can Press
 Ages 4-8
 Oct 5, 2021
 40 pages
 8.00" x 10.50"



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[My Words Flew Away Like Birds](#)

Debora Pearson, Shrija Jain 

A poetically told immigration story that fosters understanding and beautifully articulates how the desire to belong and the need for human connection are universal. A little girl learns some words in a new language to prepare for her move to a new country. But when she, her mother and her father arrive, "all her words fly away like birds." The girl waits, and watches, and listens, trying to figure things out. Only, it's hard. Then one day the girl meets someone who needs her help. And as she makes a new friend, she finds that the new words start to come easier --- becoming her words, at last. Beautifully written in engaging and accessible free verse, this poignant story offers a powerful lesson in empathy for children everywhere. The story is inspired by the many newcomer families Debora Pearson has met in her work as a children's librarian in a bustling urban center. Both timely and universal, it provides young children with an opportunity to expand their worldview and be inspired by how the heroine prevails and finds connection. Shrija Jain's simple, whimsical illustrations add playfulness and warmth to the narrative. A perfect read-aloud, this sweet and sensitive picture book encourages all children to celebrate inclusion and highlights the character education traits of resilience, kindness and empathy. There are links here to social studies lessons on com... [\[more\]](#)

Hardcover | \$23.99
 Juvenile Fiction
 Little, Brown Books for Young Readers
 Ages 4-8
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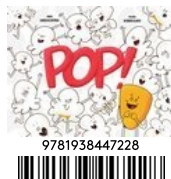


[Something Good](#)

Marcy Campbell, Corinna Luyken

A sensitive, timely and ultimately uplifting portrayal of how an elementary school struggles, copes, and heals together after "something bad" is discovered written on the wall, illustrated by bestselling artist Corinna Luyken. This kind of thing won't be tolerated at our school, the principal declares the day the "bad-something" is discovered written on a wall. The incident makes the kids nervous, giggly, and curious at first, but then they're worried, confused, sad and angry. Everyone is suspicious. Who did it, and why? They miss the days before the bad-something appeared, because everything—and everyone—feels different now. It takes a lot of talking, listening, looking, and creating something good together to find a way to heal. The story acknowledges that while the scars of such incidents remain, it is possible to teach tolerance and feel true community once again. Written and illustrated by the acclaimed creators of Adrian Simcox Does NOT Have a Horse!, here is a brave book about the power of words that tackles one of the most difficult topics for elementary school-aged children—hate speech—in a direct, realistic, and empathetic manner. [\[more\]](#)

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 Juvenile Fiction
 Genius Cat Books
 Grades 2 and under
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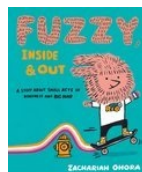
**Pop!**

Karen Kilpatrick, German Blanco

Being different doesn't have to mean missing out! Meet Otto, a young Kernel who's been dreaming about the day he would pop. But what happens when Pop Day finally arrives, and things don't go as planned? When all the Kernels pop except for Otto, he's left wondering what went wrong. Follow along Otto's journey and discover how differences don't have to hold you back, and that it's okay to be exactly as you are. From the award-winning creative team behind *When Pencil Met Eraser*, *Pop!* is the perfect story for kids who have ever felt or looked "different" and reminds us that we don't have to be like everyone else to enjoy life and reach our goals!

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 Abrams Books for Young Readers
 Ages 4-8
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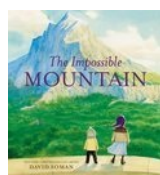
**Fuzzy, Inside and Out: A Story About Small Acts of Kindness and Big Hair**

Zachariah O'Hora

From the hilarious mind of bestselling creator Zachariah O'Hora comes this tale about small acts of kindness, big hair, and spreading warm, fuzzy feelings. Meet Fuzzy Haskins: with unruly fur and a heart of gold, he's fuzzy inside and out! Everywhere he goes, he spreads warm, fuzzy feelings throughout his community. There's only one thing that can possibly dampen his spirit: the humidity! When rainy weather brings on extra fuzz and gets Fuzzy into a jam of his own, it takes the generosity of others to get him back on his feet. With its endearing takes on friendship and small acts of kindness, this charmingly offbeat tale from the hilarious mind of Zachariah O'Hora will inspire readers to spread fuzziness wherever they go.

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 Juvenile Fiction
 Little, Brown Books for Young Readers
 Ages 3-6
 Nov 9, 2021
 48 pages
 9.50" x 10.50" x 0.37"



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**The Impossible Mountain**

David Soman

You are never too small for a big adventure. Anna and her little brother Finn have lived their whole lives safe behind the stone wall of their village, never knowing what lay beyond. Until the day they peek over the edge and see the Mountain for the first time. Now, there's no stopping them. Not even the villagers who say it will be impossible. The natural wonders of this epic journey are brought to breath-taking life by New York Times bestselling artist David Soman. Join Anna and Finn on a grand adventure where bravery, ingenuity, and grit will help them blaze a trail up the Impossible Mountain, and beyond their wildest dreams.

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 Juvenile Fiction
 Kids Can Press
 Ages 3-6
 Sep 7, 2021
 32 pages
 10.00" x 8.50"



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**Lost Things**

Carey Sookocheff 

In this charming simple story, things are lost, things are found and, somehow, it's all just as it should be. Sometimes things are lost. A hair ribbon. A pencil. A dog on a leash. But when someone loses a thing, another person may find it, sometimes with surprising results. In this thoughtful and deceptively simple story, several things are lost, and then each is found --- not always by the person who lost it, but always by someone who can use it. Though for most young children --- and their grownups! --- losing something is a cause for stress, Carey Sookocheff's delightful picture book presents the experience in a calm, matter-of-fact tone and invites readers to consider things from a different perspective. The subtle message is one we can all learn from --- while you can't always control what happens, you can manage how you respond. With very spare text and easy-to-follow visual storytelling, the book has a this-then-that rhythm that is reassuring and pleasant. It also begins and ends with the same girl walking her dog in the park, making for a cohesive and satisfying story. The illustrations use a limited, cool palette with the color orange signifying each of the lost items, perfect for enhancing observational skills and visual literacy. This book would work well as a jumping off point for children to create stories of their own. Imagine what might have h... [\[more\]](#)

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 Juvenile Fiction
 Hardie Grant Children's Publishing
 Ages 3-5
 Sep 1, 2021
 24 pages
 9.50" x 9.75"



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**The Cute Penguin**

Gabriel Evans

Once there was a drawing of a penguin. It was the cutest penguin ever. The penguin knew he was cute . . . and he didn't like it one bit. The penguin doesn't just want to be cute - he wants to look like a REAL penguin. But is there anything a drawing can do to change what they are? Follow this penguin's hilarious journey as he searches for a way to become less cute - giving all the other cute animal drawings in the sketchbook a stern talking to along the way.