

Return to: Fall 2025: New Purchases

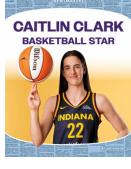


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23 items | Sorted by Title

Item	!	Qty.
 <p><b>Bark twice for murder</b> (Orca Currents) by Lekich, John (#2827THX)  <b>FollettBound Glued</b> — Orca Book Publishers, 2025</p> <p>"In this high-interest accessible novel for middle-grade readers, fourteen-year-old Harry pairs up with a talking dog to solve the mystery of their friend Stanley's murder"--Provided by publisher.</p> <p>Dewey: <b>-Fic-</b>; Audience: <b>Middle School</b>; Interest Level: <b>5-8</b>  <b>AR</b> 3.9 MG+ 2 555548EN; <b>LEX</b> HL530L  From the publisher: <b>Grades 4-7; Ages 9-12</b>  From SLJ: <b>Gr 5-8</b></p> <p>Tags: <span>Diverse Families</span> <span>Hi/Lo</span> <span>Homelessness</span> <span>Mental Illness</span> <span>Mystery</span> <span>Self-Management</span></p> <p>FREE Teaching Resources available for download.</p>	—	1
 <p><b>Caitlin Clark : basketball star</b> (Core Library: Newsmakers) by Hanlon, Luke (#2161DG7)  <b>Hardcover (library binding)</b> — Core Library, an imprint of Abdo Publishing, 2025</p> <p>Chronicles the life and career of basketball player Caitlin Clark.</p> <p>Dewey: <b>796.323</b>; Audience: <b>Middle School</b>; Interest Level: <b>5-8</b>  <b>AR</b> 5.9 MG 1 553123EN; <b>LEX</b> 940L  From the publisher: <b>Grades 4-8; Ages 9-13</b></p> <p>Tags: <span>Basketball</span> <span>Biography</span> <span>Sports</span> <span>Women's Studies</span></p>	—	1
 <p><b>Diary of an awesome friendly kid : Rowley Jefferson's journal</b> (Diary of an Awesome Friendly Kid, Book 1) by Kinney, Jeff (#1248TU2)  <b>FollettBound Glued</b> — Amulet Books, 2019</p> <p>"In his first journal, middle schooler Rowley Jefferson, Greg Heffley's sidekick, records his experiences and misguided decision to write a biography of Greg, who, in his own mind, is destined to become rich and famous"--OCLC.</p> <p>Dewey: <b>-Fic-</b>; Audience: <b>Middle School</b>; Interest Level: <b>5-8</b>; Reading Level: <b>5.0</b>  <b>AR</b> 5 MG 2 500555EN; <b>RC</b> 8.6 6; <b>LEX</b> 1020L  From the publisher: <b>Grades 3-7; Ages 8-12</b>  From Booklist: <b>Grades 2-5</b>; Kirkus: <b>Ages 7-10</b>; PW: <b>Ages 8-12</b></p> <p>Tags: <span>Humor</span> <span>Realistic Fiction</span> <span>Relationship Skills</span></p> <p>FREE Teaching Resources available for download.</p>	—	1
 <p><b>Electronic Arts : makers of Madden NFL and the Sims</b> (Essential Library: Video Game Companies) by Mooney, Carla (#2966GB6)  <b>Hardcover (library binding)</b> — Essential Library, an imprint of Abdo Publishing, 2024</p> <p>"This book introduces readers to Electronic Arts. Readers will explore the company's history, its dominance of the sports video game landscape, and how the company continues to innovate today. Features include infographics, a glossary, references, websites, source notes, and an index. Aligned to Common Core Standards and correlated to state standards"--Provided by publisher.</p> <p>Dewey: <b>338.4</b>; Audience: <b>Young Adult</b>; Interest Level: <b>YA</b>  <b>AR</b> 8.1 UG 3 551065EN; <b>LEX</b> 1150L  From the publisher: <b>Grades 6-12; Ages 11-17</b></p> <p>Tags: <span>Games &amp; Gaming</span> <span>Sports</span></p>	—	1
 <p><b>Fatal forecast : an incredible true story of courage in a savage storm</b> (True Survival) by Toulias, Michael J (#2619CEX)  <b>Hardcover</b> — Little, Brown and Company, 2024</p> <p>"A spellbinding, moment-by-moment account of seventy-two hours in the lives of eight young fishermen-some of whom would never set foot on dry land again-as they fight to survive a deadly storm in the middle of winter"--Provided by publisher.</p>	—	1

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Dewey: **910.9163**; Audience: **Middle School**; Interest Level: **5-8**From the publisher: **Grades 4-9; Ages 9-14**From Booklist: **Grades 4-8**; Kirkus: **Ages 10-14**; SLJ: **Gr 5-Up**Tags: Narrative Nonfiction Survival Stories U.S. History Weather

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**Four eyes** (Four Eyes, Book 1) by Ogle, Rex (#2024JB2)

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**FollettBound Glued** — Graphix, an imprint of Scholastic, 2023

"When Rex finds out he needs glasses, he's beyond miserable. Dealing with the bullies at school, his family being broke, and an embarrassing lack of friends, he has way too much on his plate already"--Provided by publisher.

Dewey: **741.5**; Audience: **Middle School**; Interest Level: **5-8**; Reading Level: **3.4****AR** 2.6 MG 2 521148EN; **LEX** GN280LFrom the publisher: **Grades 3-7; Ages 8-12**From Booklist: **Grades 3-7**; Kirkus: **Ages 8-12**; PW: **Ages 8-12**; SLJ: **Gr 5-8**Tags: Change (Literary Theme) Graphic Novels Memoir

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**Freakiest trip ever!** (Middle School and Other Disasters, Book 6) by Coven, Wanda (#2262FH0)

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**Hardcover** — Simon Spotlight, 2025

When a talented new witch starts at Broomsfield Academy, she and Heidi spark a magical competition that spirals out of control during a field trip to a museum.

Dewey: **-Fic-**; Audience: **Middle School**; Interest Level: **5-8****AR** 4.4 MG 4 555663ENFrom the publisher: **Grades 3-7; Ages 8-12**Tags: Fantasy Humor School Stories**Isle of ever** (Isle of Ever, Book 1) by Calonita, Jen (#2980FF4)

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**Hardcover** — Sourcebooks, Young Readers, 2025

In order to receive her mysterious inheritance, twelve-year-old Everly "Benny" must play--and win--a game following clues left by her ancestor.

Dewey: **-Fic-**; Audience: **Middle School**; Interest Level: **5-8****AR** 4.5 MG 9 554980ENFrom the publisher: **Grades 4-8; Ages 10-13**From Booklist: **Grades 4-7**; Kirkus: **Ages 8-12**; PW: **Ages 10-13**; SLJ: **Gr 5-7**Tags: Diverse Families Fantasy Poverty Social Awareness Strong Female Protagonist**The last dragon on Mars** (Dragonships (Aladdin), Book 1) by Reintgen, Scott (#2350UH6)

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**FollettBound Glued** — Aladdin, 2025

"Thirteen-year-old Lunar Jones was born on Mars, with every day a struggle, until he stumbles into a restricted military zone where he learns dragons are real and a new dragon has chosen him as a rider--a role he needs to embrace quickly because this dragon could save the Martian colony"--OCLC.

Dewey: **-Fic-**; Audience: **Middle School**; Interest Level: **5-8****AR** 4.3 MG 10 553327ENFrom Booklist: **Grades 5-8**; Kirkus: **Ages 10-14**; PW: **Ages 10-up**Tags: Fantasy Friendship Stories Overcoming Adversity (Literary Theme) Relationship Skills Science Fiction Space**Not if you break up with me first** by Miller, G. F. (#2219DE9)

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**Hardcover** — Aladdin, 2024

Best friends Eve and Andrew go to their first eighth grade dance together, and suddenly everybody assumes they are dating, so they each try and arrange a break-up--except they are both beginning to feel a different kind of attraction.

Dewey: **-Fic-**; Audience: **Middle School**; Interest Level: **5-8****AR** 4.9 MG 8 554879ENFrom Booklist: **Grades 5-8**; Kirkus: **Ages 10-14**; SLJ: **Gr 5-Up**Tags: Realistic Fiction Relationship Skills Romance School Stories**Once upon a crime : delicious mysteries and deadly murders from the Detective Society** (Murder Most Unladylike Mystery) by Stevens, Robin (#2736RG1)

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**FollettBound Glued** — Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, 2025

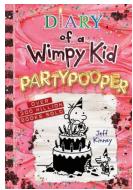
A collection of six short story mysteries featuring Daisy Wells and Hazel Wong, founders of the Detective Society.

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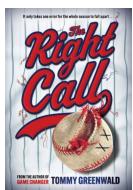
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Tags: [Mystery](#) [Story Collections](#)**Open wide** by Eerie, I. M. (#2349AH2)**FollettBound Glued** — Aladdin, 2025

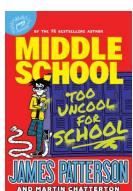
"Eddie and his friend Darryl team up to uncover the sinister secrets behind the eccentric dentist, Dr. Yankum, who has been pulling kids' teeth for unknown and frightening reasons"--OCLC.

Dewey: **-Fic-**; Audience: **Middle School**; Interest Level: **5-8**From the publisher: **Grades 3-7; Ages 8-12**From Kirkus: **Ages 8-12**Tags: [Horror](#) [Mystery](#) [Quick Reads](#) [Scary Stories](#)**Partypooper** (Diary of a Wimpy Kid, Book 20) by Kinney, Jeff (#2311KH8)**FollettBound Glued** — Amulet Books, 2025

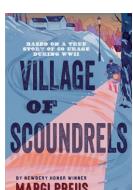
Celebrate with Greg, his family, and more as Greg throws an epic birthday party for himself.

Dewey: **-Fic-**; Audience: **Middle School**; Interest Level: **5-8****AR** 5.6 MG 3 556030ENFrom the publisher: **Grades 3-7; Ages 8-12**From Kirkus: **Ages 8-12**Tags: [Holiday Stories](#) [Humor](#) [Realistic Fiction](#) [Relationship Skills](#)**The right call** (Game Changer) by Greenwald, Tommy (#2258JG4)**Hardcover** — Amulet Books, 2025

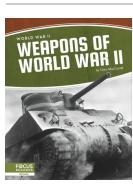
Told through a combination of transcripts, articles, texts, and emails, star pitcher Cal must face the fallout after his father attacks an umpire during a game.

Dewey: **-Fic-**; Audience: **Middle School**; Interest Level: **5-8****AR** 3.9 MG 4 556034ENFrom the publisher: **Grades 5-9; Ages 10-14**From Kirkus: **Ages 10-13; SLJ: Gr 6-Up**Tags: [Baseball & Softball](#) [Sports Fiction](#)**Too uncool for school** (Middle School, Book 17) by Patterson, James (#2116QG6)**Hardcover** — Jimmy Patterson Books/Little, Brown and Company, 2025

Rafe Khatchadorian finally gets a taste of popularity when he joins a rock band and lands a job at a trendy coffee shop, but his plans hit a snag when the band is terrible and led by the school bully, leaving Rafe struggling to save both his coolness and his chance at the Best Band Competition.

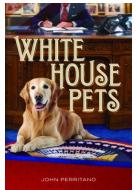
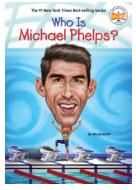
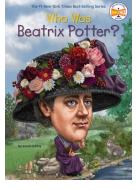
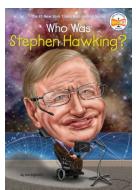
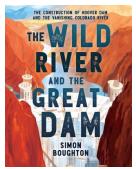
Dewey: **-Fic-**; Audience: **Upper Elementary**; Interest Level: **3-6****AR** 5.2 MG 4 554272ENFrom the publisher: **Grades 3-7; Ages 8-12**Tags: [Humor](#) [Relationship Skills](#) [Responsible Decision-making](#) [School Stories](#)**Village of scoundrels : a novel based on a true story of courage during WWII** by Preus, Margi (#2358GH5)**FollettBound Glued** — Amulet Books, 2025

In the 1940s, remote Les Lauzes, France, houses Jews, unregistered foreigners, forgers, and others who take great risks to shelter refugees and smuggle them to safety in Switzerland.

Dewey: **-Fic-**; Audience: **Middle School**; Interest Level: **5-8****AR** 5.8 MG 9 506785EN; **F&P Y**From the publisher: **Grades 5-9; Ages 10-14**From Booklist: **Grades 5-8; Kirkus: Ages 10-18; PW: Ages 10-14; SLJ: Gr 5-8**Tags: [Historical Fiction](#) [Holocaust](#) [Social Awareness](#) [World War II](#)**FREE Teaching Resources available for download.****Weapons of World War II** (Focus Readers: World War II-Voyager Level) by MacCarald, Clara (#1927JZ5)**FollettBound Sewn** — Focus Readers, 2023

"Describes various weapons used in World War II on land, in the air, and at sea"--Provided by publisher.

Dewey: **355.8**; Audience: **Middle School**; Interest Level: **5-8**; Reading Level: **6.5****AR** 5.1 MG+ 1 517886EN; **LEX 750L**From the publisher: **Grades 5-6; Ages 10-15**From SLJ: **Gr 5-9**Tags: [World History](#) [World War II](#)

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 <p><b>White House pets</b> (Red Rhino Books Nonfiction) by Perritano, John (#2479MH0)  <b>FollettBound Glued</b> — Saddleback Educational Publishing, 2025</p> <p>"Why might people have pets? What pets . . . have lived in the White house? Where is the White House? Who lives in the White House? Which animals would make the best White House Pets?"--Back cover.</p> <p>Dewey: <b>636.088</b>; Audience: <b>Upper Elementary</b>; Interest Level: <b>3-6</b>  <b>AR</b> 2.7 MG .5 553484EN</p> <p>Tags: <span>Animals</span> <span>Hi/Lo</span> <span>Includes Primary Sources</span></p>	1
 <p><b>Who is Michael Phelps?</b> (Who Was...?) by Hecht, Micah (#2953KC9)  <b>FollettBound Glued</b> — Penguin Workshop, 2024</p> <p>"Born and raised in Baltimore, Maryland, Michael Phelps began swimming at age seven at the urging of his mom. As a young boy, Michael was brimming with energy-more energy than most other kids his age-and Mrs. Phelps thought this sport could help keep him calm and focused. As Michael grew older, his skills improved, and he transformed into one of the greatest swimmers in the world, winning twenty-eight Olympic medals"--Provided by publisher.</p> <p>Dewey: <b>797.2</b>; Audience: <b>Upper Elementary</b>; Interest Level: <b>3-6</b>  <b>AR</b> 6.2 MG 1 551293EN</p> <p>From the publisher: <b>Grades 3-7; Ages 8-12</b></p> <p>Tags: <span>Biography</span> <span>Overcoming Adversity (Literary Theme)</span> <span>Sports</span></p>	1
 <p><b>Who was Beatrix Potter?</b> (Who Was...?) by Fabiny, Sarah (#0525JS3)  <b>FollettBound Sewn</b> — Grosset &amp; Dunlap, an imprint of Penguin Random House, 2015</p> <p>A biography of English author and illustrator Beatrix Potter.</p> <p>Dewey: <b>823</b>; Audience: <b>Upper Elementary</b>; Interest Level: <b>3-6</b>; Reading Level: <b>4.9</b>  <b>AR</b> 5.2 MG 1 175212EN; <b>RC</b> 5.2 4; <b>LEX</b> 790L; <b>F&amp;P S</b></p> <p>From the publisher: <b>Grades 3-7; Ages 8-12</b></p> <p>Tags: <span>Biography</span></p>	1
 <p><b>Who was Stephen Hawking?</b> (Who Was...?) by Gigliotti, Jim (#1471RU9)  <b>FollettBound Glued</b> — Penguin Workshop, an imprint of Penguin Random House LLC, 2019</p> <p>A biography of British physicist Stephen Hawking who spent his entire career trying to answer the question: "Where did the universe come from?" Although he was diagnosed with a neurological disease at age 21, he did not let the illness define his life and continued his research until his death in 2018. He is best known for his black hole theories and his best-selling book "A Brief History of Time."</p> <p>Dewey: <b>530.092</b>; Audience: <b>Upper Elementary</b>; Interest Level: <b>3-6</b>; Reading Level: <b>6.5</b>  <b>AR</b> 6 MG 1 504035EN; <b>RC</b> 5.7 4; <b>LEX</b> 890L; <b>F&amp;P X</b></p> <p>From the publisher: <b>Grades 3-7; Ages 8-12</b></p> <p>Tags: <span>Biography</span></p>	1
 <p><b>The wild river and the great dam : the construction of Hoover Dam and the vanishing Colorado River</b> by Boughton, Simon (#2055PD5)  <b>Hardcover</b> — Little, Brown and Company, 2024</p> <p>"A nonfiction exploration of the building of the Hoover Dam, revealing the causes, effects, and lasting legacies of one of America's most recognizable and misrepresented landmarks"--Provided by publisher.</p> <p>Dewey: <b>979.3</b>; Audience: <b>Middle School</b>; Interest Level: <b>5-8</b>  <b>AR</b> 8 MG 8 555396EN</p> <p>From the publisher: <b>Grades 4-9; Ages 9-14</b></p> <p>From Booklist: <b>Grades 4-9</b>; Kirkus: <b>Ages 10-16</b>; PW: <b>Ages 9-14</b>; SLJ: <b>Gr 4-6</b></p> <p>Tags: <span>Conservation &amp; Environment</span> <span>Earth Science</span> <span>Includes Primary Sources</span> <span>Narrative Nonfiction</span> <span>STEM</span> <span>U.S. History</span></p> <p><b>FREE Teaching Resources available for download.</b></p>	1

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