# MIDDLE GRADE BOOKS

## SEPTEMBER
- The Imaginary (pb)
- The Great Shelby Holmes
- The Peculiar Night of the Blue Heart
- A Curious Tale of the In-Between (pb)

## OCTOBER
- Super Fly vs. Furious Flea!
- Super Fly vs. Furious Flea! (pb)
- Little Shaq (pb)
- Little Shaq: Star of the Week
- The Day the Mustache Took Over (pb)
- Rebellion of Thieves
- Shadows of Sherwood (pb)
- The Truest Heart
- The Perfect Match (pb)

## NOVEMBER
- The Kindness Club
- Apocalypse Bow Wow (pb)

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# PICTURE AND BOARD BOOKS

## SEPTEMBER
- Penguin’s Christmas Wish
- Shmelf the Hanukkah Elf
- A Hop is Up
- A Hop Is Up (bb)
- Snowy Bear (bb)
- Stormy Night (bb)
- Carry and Play: Christmas
- Carry and Play: Snowman
- What You Love About You

## OCTOBER
- Kiss It Better
- Kiss It Better (padded board book)
- Push! Dig! Scoop!
- Lift the Flap Friends: Fairy
- Lift the Flap Friends: Dinosaur

## NOVEMBER
- My Turn!

## DECEMBER
- Piggy

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# TEEN BOOKS

## SEPTEMBER
- The Bombs that Brought Us Together
- Throne of Glass Book 5
- Queen of Shadows (pb)

## OCTOBER
- Apple and Rain (pb)
- Stealing Snow
- Throne of Glass Coloring Book (pb)

## NOVEMBER
- The Kindness Club
- Apocalypse Bow Wow (pb)

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# DISTRIBUTION TITLES

## OCTOBER
- Lulu and the Noisy Baby

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Cover image from *What Do You Love About You* by Karen Lechelt
Salina Yoon's beloved character Penguin celebrates the magic of Christmas with his friends and family in this sixth book in the series.

Join Penguin and all of his friends for the most wonderful time of the year—Christmas! This heartwarming story of friendship, family, and joyous celebration unfolds with all the warmth and charm that readers have come to expect from Penguin.

Salina Yoon is an award-winning author/illustrator of nearly 150 books for children, including Penguin and Pinecone, Penguin on Vacation, Penguin in Love, Penguin and Pumpkin, Penguin's Big Adventure, Found, Stormy Night, Bear's Big Day, and Be a Friend. She studied art and design at the Art Center College of Design in Pasadena, California, and now lives in San Diego with her family. Visit her online at www.salinayoon.com, @SalinaYoon, and www.facebook.com/PenguinandPinecone.

Praise For...

Found: Winner of the SCIBA Book Award for Best Picture Book • An NPR Best Book

“Crisp illustrations that capture a genuinely loving heart.”—Kirkus Reviews on Penguin and Pinecone

“Readers will respond to this warm tale of finding love.”—Kirkus Reviews on Penguin in Love

“A thoughtful, flawlessly executed exploration of theory of mind and emotional intelligence.”
—Publishers Weekly, starred review, on Found
The rich traditions of Hanukkah come to life in this whimsical and magical story that’s perfect for the holiday season.

Shmelf is one of Santa's most important elves—as part of the List Checking department, he makes sure all the good boys and girls get their presents! But when Shmelf discovers that some children are missing from Santa’s list, he goes to investigate.

What Shmelf uncovers is Hanukkah, a wondrous and joyful holiday that Jewish families celebrate each year. As Shmelf observes a family lighting the menorah, playing dreidel, and hearing the Hanukkah story, he sees how special the traditions of the holiday truly are, and he wants to be a part of it! Luckily, Santa might just have a special role in mind for Shmelf...

Brought to life by Howard McWilliam’s delightful illustrations, this offbeat Hanukkah story is told with a perfect blend of humor and heart.

Greg Wolfe teaches high school English and History and lives in Southern California with his wife (a TV and film writer) and their son. This is his debut picture book.

Howard McWilliam won the (UK) Cartoon Art Trust’s Award for Caricature in 2009, and his first children’s picture book, I Need My Monster, won six State Awards and was turned into an animated short by University of Colorado, Denver. He has since illustrated five further picture books, plus several dozen black and white children’s novels. He lives in Cheltenham, UK, with his wife and two sons. Visit him online at www.howardmcwilliam.com.
Fun is just a hop, skip, and a jump away in this lively, active picture book that explores the sights and sounds of a neighborhood.

Wiggly, giggly youngsters will love the action in this picture book with its catchy sequence of movements and directions—hop up, bend down, spin round, jump over—that are endlessly fun. A young child and his energetic puppy take a walk in their neighborhood, where they encounter and interact with lots of friends along the way.

A jump is over, / from here to there. / A leap repeats / when there's a pair.

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Kristy Dempsey is the author of Mini Racer, Surfer Chick, A Dance Like Starlight, and Me With You, among many other books for children. Visit her online at www.kristydempsey.com and @KristyDempsey.

Lori Richmond the author and illustrator of the forthcoming Pax and Pigeon from Paula Wiseman Books (Spring 2017). As an artist, she has worked with brands and companies like Adobe, Apartment Therapy, Pottery Barn Kids, The Knot, and The Bump. She lives with her family in Brooklyn, NY. Visit her online at www.loridraws.com and @LoriRichmond.

Praise For...

“Bouncy rhymes. . . . Bright colorful illustrations.” —SLJ, starred review, on Mini Racer
“Dempsey's lyrical prose soars.” —Booklist, starred review, on A Dance Like Starlight
“A warm inspirational collaboration that will resonate in the hearts of all who dream.” —Kirkus, starred review, on A Dance Like Starlight
“Totally awesome!” —SLJ, starred review, on Surfer Chick
Fun is just a hop, skip, and a jump away in this lively, active board book perfect for the littlest hands.

Young readers will love the action in this board book with its catchy sequence of movements and directions—hop up, bend down, spin round, jump over—that are endlessly fun. A young boy and his energetic puppy take a walk in their neighborhood, where they encounter and interact with lots of friends along the way.

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From the author of the bestselling *I Love You Night and Day* comes a gorgeous rhymed celebration of love, family, and lots of kisses!

*Every day has its ups and downs / Sometimes you giggle, sometimes you frown. / But the thing to remember, the secret, is this . . . / Everything feels better with the help of a KISS.*

There are go-to-sleep kisses, I’m-sorry kisses, I-love-you kisses, and more. For every time of day there’s a kiss to go with it, and whether you’re big or small, young or old, it always makes you feel better. So the next time you see someone you love, just remember . . . a kiss is the very best gift of all!

A tender expression of love, *Kiss It Better* is the perfect gift for every parent and child who love the books of Nancy Tillman and Marianne Richmond.

*Smriti Prasadam-Halls* is a former children’s books editor who has written several picture books and novelty books, including the #1 *Publishers Weekly* bestselling picture book *I Love You Night and Day*. She lives in England with her husband and three sons. Visit Smriti at [www.smriti.co.uk](http://www.smriti.co.uk).

*Sarah Massini* studied Graphic Design in Manchester and followed careers in corporate design and children’s book design before settling down to pursue her life-long dream of illustrating books. Sarah lives in Sussex, United Kingdom with her environmentalist husband Peter, her son Mathew, and her mad terrier Tess. Visit Sarah at [www.sarahmassini.com](http://www.sarahmassini.com).

**Praise For...**

“This gentle, reassuring story is a calming tale just right for family or group sharing.” — *SLJ* on *I Love You Night and Day*

“Prasadam-Halls’s rhymed couplets have a pleasing lilt.” — *Publishers Weekly* on *I Love You Night and Day*

“Massini’s large, soft pastel illustrations are very appealing. . . . Perfect for Valentine’s Day and any discussion of love on many levels.” — *Booklist* on *Tulip*
From the bestselling author of I Love You Night and Day comes a celebration of love and family, in a perfect padded board book.

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“This gentle, reassuring story is a calming tale just right for family or group sharing.” — School Libraru
Come to the construction site and count along from 1-10 and then off to bed, in the vein of Goodnight, Goodnight Construction Site.

Down at the construction site, mama and papa trucks show their youngsters how to build. Push oosh goes a big mama bulldozer and her one little dozer! Dig schlup goes a tough papa excavator and his two little excavators!

Count along with every scooping, mashing, and spinning family of trucks in the construction site—all the way from the bright early morning till it’s time to snuggle in to bed. Picture book talents Rhonda Gowler Greene and Daniel Kirk have joined together for a book that will dig its way into the hearts of those who love Where Do Diggers Sleep at Night? and Digger, Dozer, Dumper.

Rhonda Gowler Greene is the author of over twenty children’s books. A former elementary learning disabilities teacher, Rhonda holds a Master’s in Educational Media. Her first book sale was Barnyard Song to Simon & Schuster/Atheneum. Among her other honors, her titles have been named a School Library Journal Best Book, an International Literacy Association Children’s Choice, and a Bank Street College Best Book. Visit Rhonda at www.rhondagowlergreene.com.

Daniel Kirk has written and illustrated a number of popular and bestselling books for children, including Library Mouse, which Booklist heralded in a starred review as “fun, fun, fun.” He lives in Glen Ridge, New Jersey. Visit Daniel at www.danielkirk.com.

Praise For...

“A clever and fun introduction to the assorted shapes.” —Publishers Weekly, starred review, on When a Line Bends . . . A Shape Begins

“A loving, deeply satisfying story that lights up the path toward sweet dreams.” —Booklist, starred review, on At Grandma’s
Depicting a universal friendship experience, this delightful picture book is perfect for any child learning how to take turns.

Pammy and Wyatt are best friends who have lots of fun together!

When they play parade, Pammy is always the Queen, and Wyatt is stuck pulling the float. When they play school, Pammy is always the teacher, and Wyatt has to raise his hand to talk. And when they go on the tree swing, Pammy gets to swing and spin, and Wyatt has to push. *Always.*

Hmm . . . Maybe it’s not so much fun for Wyatt.

When will Wyatt get his turn? What will Pammy do without her friend when Wyatt decides he doesn’t want to play anymore?

Author/illustrator Laura Rankin brings these two adorable animal friends to life with sweet and lively illustrations that depict a gentle lesson.

Laura Rankin's picture books include *Ruthie and the (Not So) Very Busy Day*, *Ruthie and the (Not So) Teeny Tiny Lie*, *Fluffy and Baron*, and *The Handmade Alphabet*, as well as *Rabbit Ears* and *No Babysitters Allowed*, both written by Amber Stewart. She has also illustrated the Harriet Bean mysteries by Alexander McCall Smith. She lives in Maryland.

**Praise For...**

*Ruthie and the (Not So) Busy Day*

“Rankin creates a believable scenario in which everything going wrong can somehow work out all right . . . Readers of all ages will easily identify with Ruthie’s trying day.” —*Kirkus Reviews*
An irresistibly adorable debut about a lonely little piglet who makes his first friend—perfect for anyone who has felt the joy of new friendships.

Piggy loves books so much that he never has time for friends. But his favorite story has always been about two friends and the special times they share together.

One day, Piggy sees a girl reading alone. And he wonders, perhaps, if they could be best friends? Try as Piggy might—in increasingly spectacular ways—the girl just doesn’t notice him. Will Piggy ever be able to tell her how he truly feels?

From the mind of Trevor Lai, an internationally renowned creator and animation entrepreneur, comes the lovable Piggy in an incredibly cute story about the wonder of new friendship that is sure to win your heart!

Trevor Lai was raised in Vancouver, Canada, where he wrote, illustrated and published his first children’s book at the age of 17. He is the founder of UP Studios, touted as one of Asia’s hottest studios creating original animated content, character franchises, and innovative media products for the global market. Trevor’s BOOMi Camera app is the world’s first video and 3D animation app, and has been downloaded in more than 90 countries by fans who have created hundreds of thousands of videos and photos. More than 65 million Piggy chat emoticons have been downloaded to date. Visit Trevor at www.trevorlai.com.
This fresh picture book with adorably unique art encourages readers to embrace what makes them different.

Everyone has something that makes them unique, and there is a lot to love about each one of us!

Elephant loves his trunk . . . it helps him spray water all around.
Giraffe loves his neck . . . it helps him reach the highest branch on the tree.
Flamingo loves her legs . . . they help her stand tall above the water.
Chipmunk love his cheeks . . . they help him store so much food for winter.

What do you love about you?

Debut creator Karen Lechelt’s unique art style brings these charming animals to life for the youngest of readers in a sweet, hip book that is sure to have broad appeal. Perfect for Valentine’s Day, year-round gift giving, and reading aloud, there’s a lot to love about what makes you . . . you!

Karen Lechelt was born in Seoul, grew up in New Jersey, and now lives in San Francisco with her husband and daughter. For over a decade, she worked as a graphic/web designer before she started the T-shirt company, Seems Logical. Visit her online at www.tumblr.com/blog/karenlecheltauthorblog.
Salina Yoon's beloved duo Bear and Floppy returns to board book format in a story about overcoming your fears!

When thunder shakes his house and rain pounds the windows, Bear is frightened. But comforting his Mama, Papa, and Floppy helps make the storm seem not so scary. Before Bear knows it, the storm has passed, because even storms need their sleep . . . and so do bears.

Countless readers and reviewers have already come to love the adorable Bear and Floppy, and Salina Yoon expands this still-growing series with a timeless story of friendship, family, and overcoming fears. Bear is sure to find even more fans in board—the format is the perfect fit for Salina’s sweet art and simple text.

Salina Yoon is an award-winning author/illustrator of nearly 150 books for children, including Penguin and Pinecone, Penguin on Vacation, Penguin in Love, Penguin and Pumpkin, Penguin’s Big Adventure, Found, Stormy Night, Bear’s Big Day, and Be a Friend. She studied art and design at the Art Center College of Design in Pasadena, California, and now lives in San Diego with her family. Visit her online at www.salinayoon.com, @SalinaYoon, and www.facebook.com/PenguinandPinecone.

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Stormy Night
“Youngsters will empathize with Bear and derive comfort from the loving togetherness his family displays while keeping the storm at bay.” —Kirkus Reviews

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“A thoughtful, flawlessly executed exploration of theory of mind and emotional intelligence.” —Publishers Weekly, starred review
Now in board, this sweet friendship story about a lonely little bear and the girl who gives him a home will melt any heart.

In the icy-cold heart of winter, a little bear wanders through the snow, searching for a place to call home. But where can he go? Each woodland nook and cranny has been claimed by other animals. There is no room for a bear.

Suddenly, Snowy Bear sees a warm flickering of light, orange and bright in the distance. It’s a house with a lonely little girl inside! Could this be Snowy Bear’s new home?

This comforting and homey story, featuring I Love You Night and Day illustrator Alison Brown’s tremendously appealing art paired with seasoned wordsmith Tony Mitton’s gorgeous text, tells a timeless tale of friendship and finding your place. With a wintry backdrop and a core message of love, this board book is the perfect Christmas or Valentine’s Day gift to hand to parents and their little ones.

Tony Mitton was born in North Africa and has also lived in Germany and Hong Kong. Now settled in Cambridge, England, Tony has written a number of picture books, including the Amazing Machines series. Visit him online at www.tonymitton.co.uk.

Alison Brown is the illustrator of the #1 Publishers Weekly bestseller I Love You Night and Day, as well as I’ll Never Let You Go, both written by Smriti Prasadam-Halls. She studied fine art in Liverpool before becoming a graphic designer, and she lives in the UK.

Praise For...

Plum by Tony Mitton: Winner of the Publishers Weekly Cuffies Award for Best Children’s Book of Poetry

“Brown’s soft, full-spread artwork nicely matches Prasadam-Halls’s brief rhyming verse . . . This gentle, reassuring story is a calming tale just right for family or group sharing.” — SL Jan, I Love You Night
Celebrate Christmas with your friends! This board book gift is perfect for little hands and big hearts to carry everywhere.

This adorable board book is filled with all the joys of Christmastime—Christmas trees, treats, Santa's visit, and more! With a foil-stamped cover, handle, and convenient size, this book makes for a fantastic stocking stuffer, easy for little ones to carry wherever they go.
Explore a snowy wonderland! This board book gift is perfect for little hands and big hearts to carry everywhere.

This adorable board book is filled with snowy fun and friends—snowmen, reindeer, cheerful birds, and more! With a foil-stamped cover, handle, and convenient size, this book makes for a fantastic holiday gift, easy for little ones to carry wherever they go.
Enter the magical world of fairies in this interactive board book filled with multiple lift-the-flaps on each page.

In this bright and interactive board book, little ones will get to spend a delightful day with the fairies! Join a magical fairy tea party, search for fairy friends, and help the fairies prepare for a ball. The interactive and brightly illustrated pages make this the perfect gift for any occasion.

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Carton Quantity: 0
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Perfect for fans of chapter book series like Captain Awesome and Captain Underpants, this boisterous story told through black & white illustrations proves superheroes come in all shapes and sizes.

Todd H. Doodler is the author of Super Fly: The World’s Smallest Superhero! and Super Fly: Revenge of the Roach!, as well as many other books for children including the popular Bear in Underwear series. He is also the founder of David & Goliath, a merchandise company that produces clothing, posters, and toys. He lives with his daughter and their two dogs in Los Angeles, CA.

Praise For...

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“Unapologetically silly, with plenty of gross-out humor and charming illustrations by author Doodler, beginning readers will thrill to the adventures of Super Fly.” —Booklist

“Doodler's cartoon illustrations add to the madcap action of a story that sets the stage for future exploits.” —Publishers Weekly
Superstar Shaquille O’Neal’s early chapter book series continues! Can Little Shaq prove he’s responsible enough for a new pet?

Created by Shaquille O’Neal and illustrated in full color by Coretta Scott King/John Steptoe New Talent award winner Theodore Taylor III, the Little Shaq series celebrates family, friends, and community and will have kids cheering for reading!

Little Shaq has always wanted his own kitten, but his parents aren’t sure he’s responsible enough. When Little Shaq is chosen as his class’s Star of the Week, he knows that this is his moment to shine, to prove to his parents that they can count on him. Will Little Shaq be able to show he’s ready for his very own pet?

Shaquille O’Neal is the author of Little Shaq and Little Shaq Takes a Chance and is a retired basketball legend, a businessman, and an analyst on the Emmy award–winning show Inside the NBA on TNT. During his NBA career, O’Neal was a four-time NBA champion, a three-time Finals MVP, and a fifteen-time All-Star, and was named the 1993 Rookie of the Year. Since his rookie year, O’Neal has been an ambassador for the Boys & Girls Clubs of America, a group with whom his relationship goes back to his youth in New Jersey. Passionate about education, he has earned his undergraduate degree from LSU, his MBA from University of Phoenix, and his PhD from Barry University. Visit him online at www.shaq.com or @Shaq.

Theodore Taylor III is the illustrator of Little Shaq and Little Shaq Takes a Chance and was awarded the 2014 Coretta Scott King/John Steptoe New Talent Award for his first picture book, When the Beat Was Born. An artist, designer, and photographer, Theodore lives in Washington, DC. Visit him online at www.theodore3.com.
The first book in superstar Shaquille O’Neal’s fun, family-friendly early chapter book series is now available in paperback!

When Little Shaq and his cousin Barry accidentally break their favorite video game, they need to earn enough money to replace it. That’s when Little Shaq’s science project inspires a solution: a gardening business. Little Shaq and Barry make a great team, helping out many different neighbors in their gardens. After earning more than enough money to buy the game, they decide on a creative way to give back to their community.

Showing kids that anything is possible with the support of friends and family, Little Shaq will inspire them to love reading, play fair, and have fun!

Shaquille O’Neal is a retired basketball legend, businessman and current analyst on the Emmy award winning show, Inside the NBA on TNT. During his 19-year NBA career, O’Neal was a four-time NBA champion, a three-time Finals MVP, a 15-time All-Star and was named the 1993 Rookie of the Year. Since his rookie year, O’Neal has been an ambassador for the Boy’s and Girl’s Clubs of America, a group with whom his relationship goes back to his youth in New Jersey. Passionate about education, he has earned his Undergraduate degree from LSU, MBA from University of Phoenix and his PHD from Barry University in 2012. Visit Shaq online at www.shaq.com or @Shaq.

Praise For...

Meet spunky sleuth Shelby and her sports-loving sidekick Watson as they take on a dog-napper in this fresh twist on Sherlock Holmes.

Shelby Holmes is not your average sixth grader. She’s nine years old, barely four feet tall, and the best detective her Harlem neighborhood has ever seen—always using logic and a bit of pluck (which yes, some might call “bossiness”) to solve the toughest crimes.

When eleven-year-old John Watson moves downstairs, Shelby finds something that’s eluded her up till now: a friend. Easy-going John isn’t sure of what to make of Shelby, but he soon finds himself her most-trusted (read: only) partner in a dog-napping case that’ll take both their talents to crack.

Sherlock Holmes gets a fun, sweet twist with two irresistible young heroes and black & white illustrations throughout in this middle grade debut from internationally bestselling YA author Elizabeth Eulberg.

Elizabeth Eulberg was born and raised in Wisconsin before heading off to college at Syracuse University and making a career in the New York City book biz. Now a full-time writer, she is the author of The Lonely Hearts Club, Prom & Prejudice, Take a Bow, Revenge of the Girl with the Great Personality, Better Off Friends, and We Can Work it Out. She lives outside of Manhattan with her three guitars, two keyboards, and one drumstick. Visit Elizabeth at www.elizabetheulberg.com and @ElizEulberg.

Praise For...

“[Eulberg’s] humor and supportive message are always fresh.” —Booklist on We Can Work it Out

“Readers who love seeing underdogs come out ahead will be delighted with the conclusion.” —Publishers Weekly on Take a Bow

The acclaimed, utterly unforgettable story of a girl who must save her imaginary best friend—fully illustrated with gorgeous artwork.

Rudger is Amanda’s imaginary friend. It’s a funny old life, not really being there, but someone’s got to do it. Nobody else can see Rudger—until the sinister Mr. Bunting arrives at Amanda’s doorstep.

Mr. Bunting hunts imaginaries. Rumor says he eats them. Soon Rudger is alone, and running for his imaginary life. But can a boy who isn’t there survive without a friend to dream him up?

Hailed as “wonderfully entertaining” and “inventive” in two starred reviews, the New York Times also called this extraordinary book “affecting and lovely.”

In the vein of Coraline and Wildwood, and with stunning illustrations (10 in full color) from acclaimed artist Emily Gravett, A.F. Harrold’s The Imaginary tells a powerful tale of friendship, imagination, and remembering what you never knew you lost.

A.F. Harrold is an English author and poet who writes and performs for adults and children. He is the owner of many books, a handful of hats, a few good ideas, and one beard. He lives in Reading, England. Visit him online at www.afharrold.co.uk.

Emily Gravett is the author and illustrator of numerous children’s books, including Wolves, winner of the Kate Greenaway Medal and the Boston Globe/Horn Book Honor Award for Illustration; and Orange Pear Apple Bear, a Quills Award finalist and a Publishers Weekly Best Book of the Year and a Kirkus Reviews Best Book of the Year. Emily lives in Brighton, England, with her partner, their daughter, and the family dog. Visit her at www.emilygravett.com.
From New York Times bestseller Lauren DeStefano comes a gorgeous tale of friendship found and fought for against a haunting danger.

Lionel is a wild boy, who doesn’t much like to be around other people. He’d rather be a purring cat or a wolf stalking the woods.

Marybeth is a nice girl. She doesn’t need to be told to comb her hair or brush her teeth, and she’s kind to everyone at the orphanage . . . Lionel most of all.

Different though they are, Lionel and Marybeth are best friends in a world that has forgotten about them. So when a mysterious blue spirit possesses Marybeth—and starts to take control—they know they must stop it before the real Marybeth fades away forever.

From New York Times bestselling author Lauren DeStefano comes a haunting tale of friendship, love, and the magic of childhood . . . and what lies beyond, just right for readers of Serafina and the Black Cloak.

Lauren DeStefano is the New York Times and USA Today bestselling author of A Curious Tale of the In-Between, The Internment Chronicles, and The Chemical Garden trilogy, which includes Wither, Fever, and Sever. She earned her BA in English with a concentration in creative writing from Albertus Magnus College in Connecticut. Visit her at www.LaurenDeStefano.com, @LaurenDeStefano, and www.LaurenDeStefano.tumblr.com.

Praise For...

A Curious Tale of the In-Between (An Indie Next Pick)
“A moving and multilayered tale . . . Love, loss, and hope are at the heart of this exciting read.” — Kirkus Reviews
“DeStefano creates a beguiling world through haunting images and descriptions. . . An eerie,
An exquisite middle grade debut about a girl who befriends ghosts from acclaimed New York Times bestselling author Lauren DeStefano.

Pram Bellamy has always seen the two worlds around her: That of the living—happy and dull. And that of the dead—hiding unnoticed behind every door. But the orphaned Pram much prefers the company of the ghosts that only she can see, especially that of her best friend, Felix.

Then Pram meets Clarence, a boy from school who has also lost a parent. Together they arrive at the door of the mysterious Lady Savant, who promises to help. But this spiritualist knows the true nature of Pram’s power, and what she has planned is more terrifying than any ghost.

Praised as a “moving and multilayered tale” New York Times bestselling author Lauren DeStefano’s unforgettable story of friendship, love, and what lies hidden in between is not to be missed.

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Praise For...

An Indie Next Pick
“The perfect book to hand to readers looking for the mysterious and spooky.” —Booklist
“Dark but often funny. . . . Fans of Holly Black’s Doll Bones may well enjoy this creepy, character-based tale.” —The Horn Book
The second book in Kekla Magoon’s adventurous series that Rick Riordan hailed as “a compelling reboot of the Robin Hood myth.”

Twelve-year-old Robyn Loxley has learned how to fend for herself while also protecting her home, Nott City, against a harsh government ruled by Ignomus Crown. Aided by a band of misfit kids, each with their own special talent for evading the authorities, Robyn has helped right the wrongs of a city ruled by an evil hand.

But now that Crown knows about Robyn, she must figure out a new way to survive in a corrupt society that is out to stop her and the brewing rebellion she’s inspired. In order to do so, she’ll have to infiltrate Crown’s castle by winning a grueling competition—one that, if she wins, will force her to enroll in the very army that’s out to capture Robyn.

The second book in this acclaimed series with an unforgettable heroine and a diverse band of characters continues to treat readers to feats o...

Kekla Magoon is the award-winning author of five young adult novels: What About X, Camo Girl, 37 Things I Love, Fire in the Streets, and The Rock and the River. Kekla received the 2010 ALA Coretta Scott King/John Steptoe New Talent Award, and was a two-time NAACP Image Award nominee. Kekla holds a B.A. in History from Northwestern University and an M.F.A. in Writing from Vermont College of Fine Arts. Prior to becoming a full-time author, she worked with youth-serving non-profit organizations in New York City and Chicago. Visit her online at www.keklamagoon.com and @KeklaMagoon.

Praise For...

Shadows of Sherwood
“A compelling reboot of the Robin Hood myth.” —Rick Riordan
Coretta Scott King/John Steptoe New Talent Award-winner Kekla Magoon reboots a classic tale with a high-action, girl-power twist.

The night her parents disappear, twelve-year-old Robyn Loxley must learn to fend for herself. Her home, Nott City, has been taken over by a harsh governor, Ignomus Crown. After fleeing for her life, Robyn has no choice but to join a band of strangers—misfit kids, each with their own special talent for mischief. Setting out to right the wrongs of Crown's merciless government, they take their outlaw status in stride. But Robyn can't rest until she finds her parents.

As she pieces together clues from the night they disappeared, Robyn learns that her destiny is tied to the future of Nott City in ways she never expected.

This start of a series from acclaimed author Kekla Magoon has it all: an unforgettable heroine, endless feats of courage and daring deeds, and a band of diverse characters to root for.

Kekla Magoon is the author of Shadows of Sherwood, as well as several young adult novels including the Coretta Scott King Honor winning novel How It Went Down, X, Camo Girl, 37 Things I Love, Fire in the Streets, and The Rock and the River. She received the 2010 ALA Coretta Scott King New Talent Award and was a two-time NAACP Image Award nominee. Kekla holds a B.A. in History from Northwestern University and an M.F.A. in Writing from Vermont College of Fine Arts. Prior to becoming a full-time author, she worked with youth-serving non-profit organizations in New York City and Chicago. Visit her online at www.keklamagoon.com and @KeklaMagoon.

Praise For...

"This exciting page-turner will undoubtedly be a hit."
—SLJ, starred review

When Cory has a vision of Mary Lambkin with one particular boy, Cory knows exactly what to do!

But it's Cory's own personal life that really needs help. The Fairy Guilds are constantly hounding her, furious that she's abandoned the guild she was born into in favor of choosing her own path. They won't stop until justice has been served. As Cory prepares to fight for what she believes in, she must decide once and for all if she's prepared to take on the responsibility of her biggest role yet, one that will change her destiny forever.

This fun and joyful third book in E. D. Baker's Fairy-Tale Matchmaker series is perfect for fans of fairytale retellings!

E. D. Baker is the author of the Tales of the Frog Princess series, The Wide-Awake Princess series, The Fairy-Tale Matchmaker series, and many other delightful books for young readers, including A Question of Magic, Fairy Wings, and Fairy Lies. The Frog Princess was the inspiration for Disney’s hit movie The Princess and the Frog. She lives with her family and their many animals in Churchville, Maryland. Visit her online at www.talesofedbaker.com.

Praise For...

The Fairy-Tale Matchmaker series
“A delightful romp through a truly unique fairy tale world!” —New York Times bestselling author Jessica Day George
“Radiates humor and creativity. . . . Thoroughly enjoyable in every way.” —School Library Journal
“Loyal fans of Baker’s other books will appreciate this lighthearted search for one’s true self.” —Kirkus Reviews
“Baker’s fans will easily relate to Cory’s struggle to define her own path and identity.” —Publishers Weekly
Goldilocks is looking for her perfect match in the second book in the Fairy-Tale Matchmaker series from beloved author E. D. Baker.

This fun and joyful follow-up to E. D. Baker's The Fairy-Tale Matchmaker is perfect for fans of fairytale retellings.

One day as she's house-sitting for the Three Bears, Cory—former tooth-fairy turned matchmaker—runs into the infamous Goldilocks. The girl with blonde locks wants Cory to help set her up on a date, but no one is quite right for her until Cory has a vision of Goldilocks with a prince who lives in a faraway castle. The only problem? He's promised to someone else. Luckily, the prince is a huge fan of Cory's band and wants them to perform at his ceremony, which means there might still be hope for Goldilocks. Will Cory be able to act fast and match everyone with their rightful love before it's too late?


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“Baker’s fans will easily relate to Cory’s struggle to define her own path and identity.” —Publishers
This beautifully illustrated treasury of fantastical beasts from mythology and fables is an essential must-have for all fantasy fans.

Enter an incredible world of magical beasts and discover the spellbinding stories of sixteen favorite mythical creatures from around the world. Learn why griffins collect a gem called agate, how to put out dragonfire, and how mischievous elves can cause terrible nightmares. Other featured beasts include phoenixes, unicorns, mermaids, centaurs, and many more.

A beautifully illustrated collection filled with rich, enchanting artwork and amazing facts, this is a luxurious gift book showcasing a fascinating menagerie of creatures from the world’s timeless mythologies and legends. Presented in a gorgeous package with spectacular cover finishes, it is sure to be treasured by fantasy enthusiasts.

Simon Holland has been writing and editing non-fiction books for children and adults for more than seventeen years. His background is in medieval literature and history, and he has a penchant for anything fantastic, philosophical, puzzling, paranormal and peculiar.

David Wyatt grew up in West Sussex, England, reading a lot, drawing a lot and messing about in rivers a lot. Nothing much has changed, except he does them on Dartmoor now. He has illustrated books by Tolkien, Terry Pratchett, Diana Wynne Jones, and many more.

Kev Walker is a comics’ artist and illustrator based in Leeds, England. He is known for his work on 2000 AD, Warhammer, and Marvel comics.
A hilarious, illustrated middle grade novel about trouble-making twins and their newest nanny—and his very impressive mustache!

David and Nathan are twin brothers who just can’t seem to keep a babysitter around for long—they’ve had 347, after all. Or is it 734? Either way, there’s got to be someone who can handle these two. Enter: Martin Healy Discount, or “Murray Poopins” as the boys dub him. When they first meet, Martin is all business—well, business and a very bushy mustache. The boys must brush their teeth and clean their rooms and there is absolutely no television allowed. But is there more to Martin than meets the eye? Because when David and Nathan’s parents leave, the twins aren’t the only ones acting like children . . .

Perfect for fans of Tom Angleberger and Dan Gutman, this hilarious start to a brand-new series has a cast of characters that will tickle more than your upper lip.

As a print and television writer, Alan Katz has majored in silliness for more than 30 years. He’s written for a whole bunch of Emmy-nominated TV shows, animated series, award shows, and a slew of Nickelodeon projects. He is also the author of several illustrated books of poems for kids, such as Take Me Out of the Bathtub and other Silly Dilly Songs. He lives in Connecticut with his family, including his twin sons. Visit Alan online at www.alankatzbooks.com.

Kris Easler has a masters in Illustration from Savannah College of Art and Design and lives in Chicago, Illinois. Visit her online at www.kriseasler.wix.com.

Praise For...

“There's a laugh on every page, no, every sentence. It makes your head spin. And we all know how painful that can be. I loved it.” —Dan Gutman, bestselling author of the My Weird School and My Weirder School series
Kindness is totally cool in this fun, character-driven series launch, perfect for fans of Meg Cabot or Sarah Mlynowski.

Chloe Silver is new in town and, after her parents’ divorce, she is not excited about yet another change. In her new fifth grade class, Chloe worries about making friends, but when she is assigned a group project with offbeat Lucy Tanaka and nerdy Leo Barnes, they decide to form The Kindness Club. Testing out different acts of kindness on their classmates, neighbors, and siblings, they hope to prove every action has an equal reaction. But sometimes being kind is harder than you’d think!

Award-winning author Courtney Sheinmel makes kindness shine in the first book of this kid-friendly series. Inspired by real-life anti-bullying campaigns across the country, these lovable characters will motivate all readers to think kind!

Courtney Sheinmel is the author of the Stella Batts series and YA novels *My So-Called Family* and *Positively*. Her books have received numerous awards, including the Sequoyah Award and a National Parenting Publication Awards honorable mention, and have appeared on lists like the New York Public Library’s Stuff for the Teenage and the ABC Best Books for Children. Courtney served as a national judge for the Scholastic Art & Writing Awards, and she received a National Scholastic Outstanding Educator Award for her work as a writing instructor at Writopia Lab, a non-profit organization serving kids ages 8–18. Courtney lives in New York City. Visit her online at [www.courtneysheinmel.com](http://www.courtneysheinmel.com) and [@courtneywrites](http://twitter.com/courtneywrites).

Praise For...

“Sheinmel’s characters are absolutely charming. Middle grade readers will want to join their club—as a matter of fact, I do too!” —Sarah Mlynowski, *New York Times* bestselling author of the *Whatever After* series
A hilarious "dogs rule" black & white graphic novel, perfect for readers of the Zombie Goldfish series.

It's the end of the world . . . but not for dogs! Humans have disappeared into thin air. Fires are raging everywhere. Animals are acting crazy. And dog buddies Brownie and Apollo can’t find their owners. With bellies rumbling, the two decide to make their way into the strange outside world.

Will Brownie and Apollo assemble the remaining canines of the world and create a new, better society for all? Probably not. Will they make some friends out there and learn to live on their own? Maybe. Will they find dinner?? A dog can only hope . . .

In the vein of Tom Angleberger and Lincoln Peirce comes a funny, furry, and utterly unique animal tale that’s perfect for reluctant readers.

James Proimos III attended St. Mary's College of Maryland where he obtained a BA in psychology. When not writing graphic novels, he takes on gigs as a quality control specialist in the video game industry. He currently lives in Maryland with his wife and goofy rescued mutt, as well as a housemate and that housemate's spunky Jack Russell mix.


Praise For...

"Uninhibitedly wacky . . . A potent combination of unhinged energy and poignant sentiment."
—Publishers Weekly

"This book is really funny. Spread the word." —100 Scope Notes blog
This new thriller from a breakout author is a compelling story of war, friendship, and heartbreaking choices—perfect for fans of Andrew Smith.

Fourteen-year-old Charlie Law has lived in Little Town, on the border with Old Country, all his life. He knows the rules: no going out after dark; no drinking; no litter; no fighting. But after Charlie meets Pavel Duda, a refugee from Old Country, the rules start to get broken.

Then the bombs and soldiers come from Old Country, and Little Town changes forever. As Little Town's rules crumble, Charlie is sucked into a dangerous game. There's a gun, and a bad man, and his closest friend, and his worst enemy. Charlie wants to keep everyone happy, even if it kills him. And maybe it will . . . But to protect Pavel, he'll have to kill someone else first.

From the acclaimed author of *When Mr. Dog Bites* comes a powerful story that asks the question—how far would you go to save the people you love?

Brian Conaghan lives and works as a teacher in Dublin and has a degree in Creative Writing from the University of Glasgow. Throughout the years, Brian has made a living as a painter and decorator, bartender, teacher, and now writer. *When Mr. Dog Bites* was his debut American novel. Visit him on Twitter @BrianConaghan.

Praise For...

*When Mr. Dog Bites*

Shortlisted for CILIP Carnegie Medal
Shortlisted for the CBI Book of the Year Award
"Dylan is smart and caring, and beneath his realistically portrayed condition, he is a normal teenager with relatable concerns. As Dylan would say, this one is 'A-mayonnaise-ing.'" —Booklist
"An appealingly offbeat look at friendship, sex and what's really 'normal.'" —Kirkus Reviews
"Insightful, engaging, and immerses teens into the world of Tourette's . . . . Uninhibited and compelling."
This Carnegie-shortlisted novel explores the bond between daughters and mothers, forgiveness, and the healing power of words.

When Apple’s mother returns after eleven years of absence, Apple feels almost whole again. In order to heal completely, her mother will have to answer one burning question: Why did she abandon her? But just like the stormy Christmas Eve when she left, her mother's homecoming is bittersweet. It's only when Apple meets her younger sister, Rain—someone more lost than she is—that she begins to see things for how they really are, allowing Apple to discover something that might help her to feel truly whole again.

From the author of the acclaimed novels One and The Weight of Water comes a beautifully-crafted, moving novel about family, betrayal, and the ultimate path to healing.

Sarah Crossan is the author of The Weight of Water, which was short-listed for the Carnegie Medal, as well as One, Breathe, and Resist. She grew up in Ireland and England, taught English in the United States, and now lives in Hertfordshire, England. Visit her online at www.sarahcrossan.com and @SarahCrossan.

Praise For...

Shortlisted for the Carnegie Award
“Crossan’s ear is flawless in capturing the cries of a young girl’s heart.” —BCCB
“An enjoyable YA novel. . . . Charming.” —SLJ
“Readers . . . will cheer for Apple and Rain.” —Publishers Weekly
“A realistic . . . tale about growing up.” —Kirkus
“Apple and Rain are engaging, sympathetic characters. This one is for readers who dote on happy endings.” —Booklist

The long path to the throne has only just begun for Aelin Galathynius. Loyalties have been broken and bought, friends have been lost and gained, and those who possess magic find themselves at odds with those don’t.

As the kingdoms of Erilea fracture around her, enemies must become allies if Aelin is to keep those she loves from falling to the dark forces poised to claim her world. With war looming on all horizons, the only chance for salvation lies in a desperate quest that may mark the end of everything Aelin holds dear.

Aelin’s journey from assassin to queen has entranced millions across the globe, and this fifth installment will leave fans breathless. Will Aelin succeed in keeping her world from splintering, or will it all come crashing down?

Sarah J. Maas is the author of the New York Times bestselling Throne of Glass series: Throne of Glass, Crown of Midnight, Heir of Fire, and Queen of Shadows, and the series’ prequel, The Assassin’s Blade; as well as the Court of Thorns and Roses series. A New York native, Sarah currently lives in Pennsylvania with her husband and dog. www.worldofsarahjmaas.com • @SJMaas

Praise For...

the New York Times and USA Today bestselling series

Queen of Shadows: A Good Reads Choice Award winner for Best Young Adult Fantasy/Sci-Fi


Crown of Midnight: “An epic fantasy readers will immerse themselves in and never want to leave.” —Kirkus Reviews, starred review

Throne of Glass: A Kirkus Best Teen Book • A YALSA Best Fiction for Young Adults
Sarah J. Maas’s *New York Times* bestselling series has reached over 1 million fans and hits new heights in this fourth book.

Everyone Celaena Sardothien loves has been taken from her. But she’s at last returned to the empire—for vengeance, to rescue her once-glorious kingdom, and to confront the shadows of her past . . .

She has embraced her identity as Aelin Galathynius, Queen of Terrasen. But before she can reclaim her throne, she must fight.

She will fight for her cousin, a warrior prepared to die for her. She will fight for her friend, a young man trapped in an unspeakable prison. And she will fight for her people, enslaved to a brutal king and awaiting their lost queen’s triumphant return.

Celaena’s epic journey has captured the hearts and imaginations of millions across the globe. Readers will be rapt as Celaena’s story builds to a passionate, agonizing crescendo that might just shatter her world.


**Praise For...**

“The best, most exciting installment yet. . . Each page teems with fierce intensity, romantic tension and propulsive suspense.” —USA Today

“Sizzles with action, deception and sexual tension, making it the best yet.” —*RT Book Reviews,* Top Pick

“Beautifully written prose and brilliantly crafted
From the *New York Times* bestselling author of *Dorothy Must Die* comes a twist on *The Snow Queen*, from the villain’s point of view.

Seventeen-year-old Snow has spent her life in a mental ward—but she isn’t crazy. When a strange orderly tells her to find her destiny, she plots an escape, leaving behind Bale, the only love she’s ever known.

Fighting through an icy forest, Snow suddenly finds herself in Algid, far from the real world. There, she meets the River Witch who prophecies Snow will save them from the ruthless King and his frozen land. Not sure who to trust, Snow discovers powers within and a web of magic, lies, and thievery. Torn between a village boy named Kai, the dark, brooding Jagger, and with Bale never far from her heart, Snow must make choices that will change everything forever.

This edgy retelling of *The Snow Queen* by bestselling author Danielle Paige begins the epic story of Snow’s rise to villain, queen, and hero.

**Danielle Paige** is a graduate of Columbia University and the author of the *New York Times* bestselling Dorothy Must Die series: *Dorothy Must Die*, *The Wicked Will Rise*, and the forthcoming *Yellow Brick War*, as well as six prequel novellas. Before turning to young adult literature, she worked in the television industry, where she received a Writers Guild of America Award and was nominated for several Daytime Emmys. She currently lives in New York City. Visit her online at [www.daniellepaigebooks.com](http://www.daniellepaigebooks.com) and [@daniellempaige](https://twitter.com/daniellempaige).

**Praise For...**

**Dorothy Must Die**
“For anyone who likes a good story turned on its head.” —*Huffington Post*

“For those willing to go on a quest with a heroine more attuned to our times than the Dust Bowl era, there’s no

For the first time, fans of Sarah J. Maas’s sweeping New York Times bestselling Throne of Glass saga can experience the vivid imagery of her expansive world. Celaena battling the ridderak in the catacombs, Chaol in the gardens of the glass castle, Manon riding her wyvern through the Crossing, and many other favorite moments, characters, and objects come to life as readers explore the vibrantly detailed realm of Throne of Glass. Stunning original black-and-white drawings will bring fans deeper into the series than ever before—making this a must-have companion to Sarah J. Maas’s beloved books.


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Yvonne Gilbert’s work runs the gamut from children’s books, postage stamps, posters, and record sleeves. Her love of fairy tales and history has resulted in her designing and illustrating many books for publishers worldwide. Yvonne lives in Toronto, Canada.

Praise For...

John Howe is a renowned fantasy artist and worked as the lead concept artist on Peter Jackson’s film trilogies, The Lord of the Rings and The Hobbit.

Craig Phillips’s work has appeared in publications for Simon & Schuster, Penguin Random House, Hardie Grant, Scholastic, Egmont, and more.

Praise for the New York Times and USA Today bestselling series...
Join Lulu as she welcomes her new noisy baby brother in this interactive lift-the-flap picture book.

Lulu is the perfect character to introduce pre-schoolers to new experiences and here she is welcoming her new noisy baby brother. With an accessible, warm, and reassuring text and interactive flaps to lift on every page, *Lulu and the Noisy Baby* offers a gentle introduction to the arrival of a new baby through the eyes of the older sibling.

Popular, trusted, and reassuring, the Lulu brand of picture, novelty, and board books are the perfect companion for inquisitive little minds.

Formerly the editorial director of Campbell Books, **Camilla Reid** has many years’ experience of conceiving and creating books for young readers. Now a mother of two small girls herself, she has gained a whole new insight into the peculiar but charmingly picky world of toddlers. Camilla lives in London.

**Ailie Busby** has had over 20 books published, including *Drat That Fat Cat!* and *Slugs for Breakfast*. She collects vintage jewelry, bags, and knitted toys. Ailie lives in Newcastle with her husband, two children, and their two cats.

**Praise For...**

"Simply told, full of familiar activities with wonderful attention to detail . . . Very pretty to look at to." — *The Childrens Bookseller*

"Bright and colourful, fun and easy to read, children will want to share this book again and again, and again." — *Welovethisbook.com*
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