**FICTION BOOKS**

**Applegate, Katherine.** THE ONE AND ONLY BOB*

The One and Only Ivan’s friend Bob the dog gets his own adventure in this sequel.

**Baldwin, Cindy.** BEGINNERS WELCOME

Annie Lee feels completely alone after the death of her father - until she meets someone who needs a friend just as badly as she.

**Brooks, Molly.** SANITY & TALLULAH: FIELD TRIP*

Sanity and Tallulah must work together to rejoin the rest of their class on a catastrophic field trip.

**Carter, Ally.** WINTERBORNE HOME FOR VENGEANCE AND VALOR*

April and the other orphans work together to uncover the many secrets inside the Winterborne Home where they live.

**Craft, Jerry.** CLASS ACT*

In this sequel to New Kid, Drew is finding it hard to bridge the divide between him and his friends.

**Escabasse, Sophie.** WITCHES OF BROOKLYN*

When Effie moves in with her two aunts, she discovers the magic in her extended family.

**Gino, Alex.** RICK*

Rick learns a lot about himself when he joins his school’s Rainbow Spectrum club.

**Gudsnuk, Kristen.** MAKING FRIENDS: BACK TO THE DRAWING BOARD*

Dany accidentally unleashes a supernatural magical dog that wrecks havoc on their town.

**Harris, Neil Patrick.** THE MAGIC MISFITS: THE MINOR THIRD*

Join the Magic Misfits on another adventure, this time to stop a suspicious ventriloquist.

**Hernandez, Carlos.** SAL & GABI BREAK THE UNIVERSE*

Can Sal heal from a recent trauma by reaching into time and space and pull things from other universes?

**Kelly, Lynne.** SONG FOR A WHALE

Iris and her grandmother, both Deaf, come up with a plan to help Blue-55, a whale who can’t communicate with other whales.

**Khan, Hena.** MORE TO THE STORY

Jameela, features editor for her school’s newspaper, wants to impress her father by writing a spectacular story about the new student but a few challenges complicate things.

**Kim, Jessica.** STAND UP YUMI CHUNG

Yumi is a comedian in the making, but when she is mistaken for another student in a kids’ comedy camp, she plays the part.

**Korman, Gordon.** NOTORIOUS

Keenan moves to a strange island and meets his weird neighbor who believes someone murdered her dog.

**Lee, Yoon Ha.** DRAGON PEARL

Min stows away on a battle cruiser, impersonating a cadet in order to try and solve the mystery of what happened to her brother in the Thousand World Space Forces.

*Title is one in a series/companion novel
O’Neill, Katie. **AQUICORN COVE**
Lana and her father return to their hometown village to clean up from a storm and discover a fairy-type sea creature.

Panteleakos, Nicole. **PLANET EARTH IS BLUE**
Nova, who is autistic and nearly nonverbal, eagerly awaits the 1986 Challenger Space Shuttle launch.

Parry, Rosanne. **A WOLF CALLED WANDER**
A young wolf who is separated from his pack, journeys across 1000 miles before finding his new home.

Roanhorse, Rebecca. **RACE TO THE SUN**
Nizhoni, guided by her Navajo ancestors, discovers her destiny to become a monsterslayer.

Ryan, Pam Muñoz. **MAÑANALAND**
Max sets out on a dangerous quest to prove that he is true of heart with a compass, a rubbing stone, and a mythical gatekeeper’s legend.

Seigel, Mark. **5 WORLDS: THE RED MAZE**
Book 3 in the adventures of Oona Lee, Jax Amboy, and An Tzu to save the 5 worlds.

Steinkeller, Emma. **THE OKAY WITCH**
Moth comes from a long line of witches and unlocks a hidden world that threatens her town and family.

Tarshis, Lauren. **I SURVIVED: THE SINKING OF THE TITANIC**
A graphic novel reimagining of the sinking of the Titanic.

Timberlake, Amy. **SKUNK AND BADGER**
Will quiet Badger and outgoing Skunk learn how to live together peacefully?

Watson, Renee. **WAYS TO MAKE SUNSHINE**
Ryan learns there are different ways to be happy.

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**INFORMATIONAL BOOKS**

Jarrow, Gail. **SPOOKED!: HOW A RADIO BROADCAST AND THE WAR OF THE WORLDS SPARKED THE 1938 INVASION OF AMERICA**
A radio broadcast in 1938 sparked panic when the public believed we were being invaded by Martians.

Laskow, Sarah. **THE VERY SHORT, ENTIRELY TRUE HISTORY OF UNICORNS**
Learn about the history of unicorns, their myth and legend, their popularity, and how they impact pop culture.

Rosenstock, Barb. **YOGI: THE LIFE, LOVES, AND LANGUAGE OF BASEBALL LEGEND YOGI BERRA**
Yankee legend Yogi Berra was known for his skill on and off the field.

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**CHALLENGING READS**

Saeed, Aisha. **AMAL UNBOUND**
A young Pakistani girl’s dream of becoming a teacher is ended when her innocent comment forces her into indentured servitude to her village’s ruling family.

Gratz, Alan. **ALLIES**
Stories of heroism and alliances between soldiers and citizens on June 6, 1944, D-Day.

Oliver, Lauren. **THE MAGNIFICENT MONSTERS OF CEDAR STREET**
Will Cordelia solve the mystery of what happened to her father and the fascinating creatures they worked to save and heal?

Pasternack, Sofiya. **ANYA AND THE DRAGON**
Anya and her new friend must face a Viking and a Tsar to protect the water dragon who saved her life.

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