

Books for Boys



Big Nate Strikes Again by Lincoln Peirce (J Peirce) Sixth grader and genius Nate must face his enemy Gina when they are paired up together to work on a research paper.



Where the Red Fern Grows by Wilson Rawls (J Rawls) A boy, Billy, and his hunting dogs Old Dan and Little Ann train to be the finest hunting team in the valley. This is a tale of friendship, adventure and love.



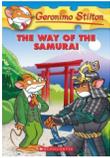
The Lightning Thief by Rick Riordan (J Riordan) Twelve year old Percy finds out he's a demigod—the son of a mortal woman and the god Poseidon of the sea. He is sent to a special camp for demigods, where he meets new friends and goes on a quest to prevent a war between the gods.



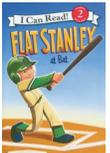
Guys Read: Funny Business by Jon Scieszka (J Scieszka) A collection of funny stories about a teenage mummy, a kid who wants to swim in the largest pool of chocolate milk, and more. Stories by Jeff Kinney, Eoin Colfer, Jack Gantos and more!



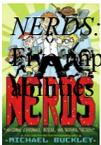
Crash by Jerry Spinelli (J Spinelli) Seventh grader Josh “Crash” Coogan is a typical jock, who reassesses the importance of friends and family when his grandfather has a stroke.



Geronimo Stilton: The Way of the Samurai by Geronimo Stilton (J Stilton) Geronimo Stilton travels to Japan in search of a legendary samurai scroll, which had fallen into the wrong hands. Geronimo and his friend Wild Willie must track down the scrolls and fight a group of ninjas!



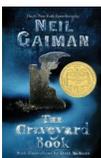
Flat Stanley at Bat by Lori Haskins (J Brown Level 2) Flat Stanley tries out for the baseball team. Because he is flat, Stanley can do things none of the other players can do! Flat Stanley seems to be unstoppable. But is it far?



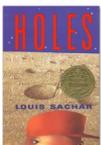
NERDS: National, Espionage, Rescue, and Defense Society by Michael Buckley (N.E.R.D.S. J Buckley Book 1) Popular elementary students run a spy network in the school. Their nerdy qualities transform into super-powers that help them fight evil villains.



Captain Underpants and the Attack of the Talking Toilets by Dav Pilkey (J Pilkey Book 2) Principal Krupp becomes the superhero Captain Underpants. In this book, Captain Underpants must save the world and the school from Turbo Toilet 2000.



The Graveyard Book by Neil Gaiman (Newbery Award J Gaiman) Nobody—Bod—Owens is a normal boy who has been raised by ghosts in a graveyard.

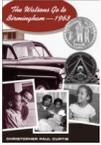


Holes by Louis Sachar (Newbery Award J Sachar) Due to a family curse, Stanley Yelnats is sent to Green Lake, a detention camp in the middle of the desert where the boys spent all day digging holes and looking for treasure for the warden. While there, Stanley makes his first real friend and searches for the truth about himself.

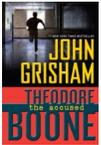
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Powerless by Matthew Cody (J Cody) Twelve year old Daniel is new in town. He soon learns the secret of his new friends: they all have superpowers. However, their Superpowers will disappear when they turn thirteen. Daniel loves to solve mysteries and he is determined to find out what's happening to their superpowers.



Watson's Go To Birmingham—1963 by Christopher Paul Curtis (J Curtis) Nine year old Kenny lives with his family in Flint Michigan in 1963. When his older brother starts getting into trouble, Kenny's parents decide to take the family down to Birmingham, Alabama in hopes that his grandmother can straighten him out.



Theodore Boone: The Accused by John Grisham (J Grisham) Theodore Boone, kid lawyer, has been accused of a robbery. With evidence stacked against him and his reputation in danger, Theo will do whatever it takes to clear his name!



Chomp by Carl Hiaassen (J Hiaassen) Wahoo and his friend Tuna set out into the Everglades to find the missing star of a reality television show, which uses animals from Wahoo's family's animal refuge.



Horrible Harry in Room 2B by Suzy Kline (J Kline) Doug discovers that being Harry's friend isn't easy, since he gets in trouble a lot, but it's a lot of fun too!



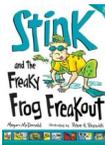
Ungifted by Gordon Korman (J Korman) After Donovan pulls a major prank at his middle school, he is accidentally sent to the Academy of Scholastic Distinction, a special program for gifted and talented students.



Alvin Ho: Allergic to Camping, Hiking, and Other Natural Disasters by Lenore Look (J Look) Second grader Alvin Ho is afraid of everything! Now he has to go camping with his father. Will he learn how to be brave despite his fears?



Travel Team by Mike Lupica (J Lupica) When twelve year old Danny gets cut from his basketball team—the same team his father took to national prominence—he forms his own team with the other kids who've been cut.



Stink and the Freaky Frog Freakout by Megan McDonald (J McDonald Book 8) Stink has been in the Polliwog swim class for what seems like frog-ever, and still can't bear to put his face in the water. Then one day, Stink has a close encounter with a freaky mutant frog. All of a sudden, his froggy senses are tingling!



Harris and Me by Gary Paulsen (J Paulsen) An eleven year old boy is sent to live with his relatives on a farm. While there, he meets his daredevil cousin, Harris, who introduces the boy to new and crazy adventures!