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SPRING INTO A NEW BOOK



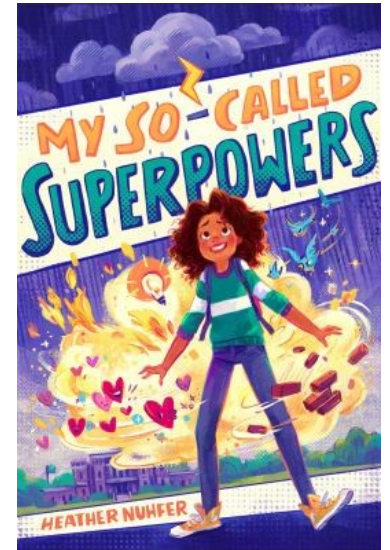
For Middle School Readers

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My So-Called Superpowers

by Heather Nuhfer

Children's Fiction J Nuhfer

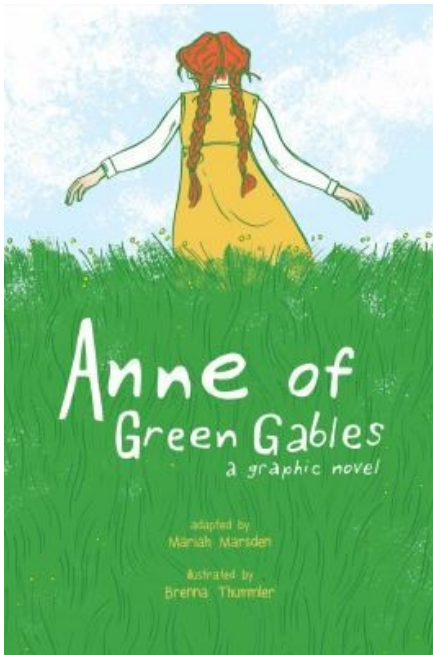


More than anything, Veronica McGowan wants to fit in with the cool kids. There's just one problem: they barely know she exists. Veronica wishes for something, anything, to fix her nobody status and gets more than she bargained for when she wakes up with useless, embarrassing superpowers.

Anne of Green Gables: a graphic novel

adapted by Mariah Marsden

Children's Graphic Novel J Marsden



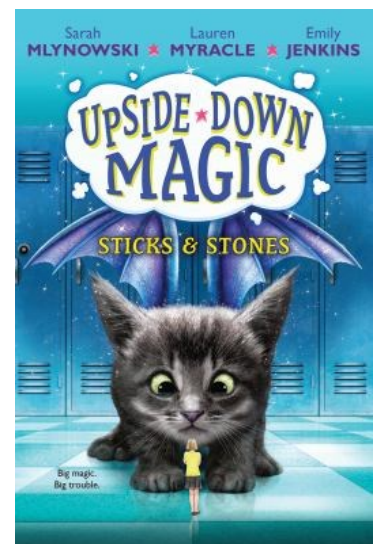
With flame-red hair and an unstoppable imagination, 11-year-old Anne Shirley takes Green Gables by storm. Anne's misadventures bring a little romance to the lives of everyone she meets: her friend, Diana Barry, the town gossip, and that infuriating tease, Gilbert Blythe. From triumphs and thrills to the depths of despair, Anne turns each everyday moment into something extraordinary. L.M. Montgomery's classic story finds new expression in the whimsical illustrations of this graphic novel.

Sticks & Stones

Book 2: Upside Down Magic

by Sarah Mlynowski

Children's Fiction J Mlynowski



Nory, Bax, and their friends are in a special class at Dunwiddle Magic School, a class for children whose magic is unpredictable--and while Nory is finding an outlet for her dritten-self (a combination of a dragon and kitten), in the kittenball team, Baxis worried because all he can do is turn into a rock, and nobody knows why.



Betty Before X
by Ilyasah Shabazz
Children's Fiction J Shabazz

Raised by her aunt until she is six, Betty, who will later marry Malcolm X, joins her mother and stepfamily in 1940s Detroit, where she learns about the civil rights movement.

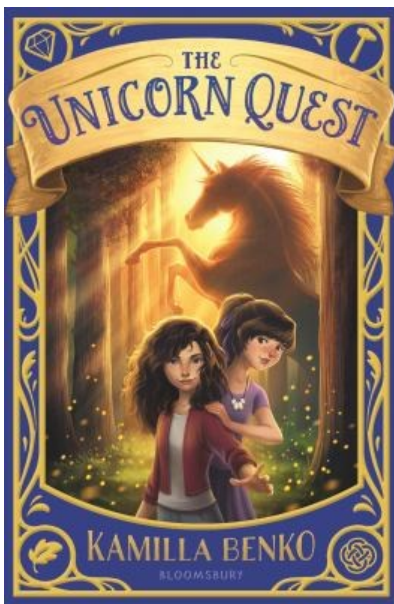


Story Thieves
Book 3 in the Secret Origins series
by James Riley
Children's Fiction J Riley

Except for reading the Kiel Gnomefoot magic adventure series, Owen's life is boring until he sees his classmate Bethany climb out of a book in the school library and he learns that she's half-fictional and has been searching every book she can find for her missing father, a fictional character.

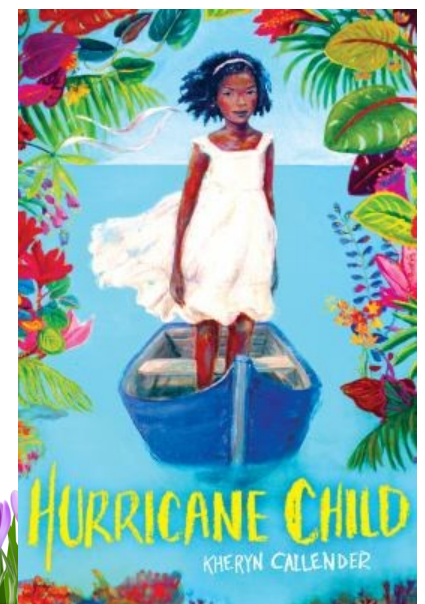


The Unicorn Quest
by Kamilla Benko
Children's Fiction J Benko



In an antique-filled mansion, sisters Claire and Sophie find a ladder to the magical land of Arden, where wraiths roam freely, unicorns have disappeared, and the guilds of magic no longer trust each other.

Hurricane Child
by Kheryn Callender
Fiction J Callender



Born on Water Island in the Virgin Islands during a hurricane, which is considered bad luck, twelve-year-old Caroline falls in love with another girl--and together they set out in a hurricane to find Caroline's missing mother.

