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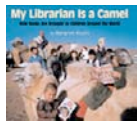
The Man Who Walked Between the Towers
By Mordecai Gerstein



The Librarian of Basra
By Jeanette Winter



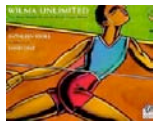
Alia's Mission: Saving the Books of Iraq
By Mark Alan Stamaty



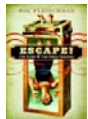
My Librarian is a Camel:
How Books are Brought to Children Around the World
By Laurence Anholt, Illustrated by Sheila Moxley



The Journey That Saved Curious George:
The True Wartime Escape of Margret and H.A. Rey
By Louise Borden, Illustrated by Allan Drummond



Wilma Unlimited
By Kathleen Krull, Illustrated by David Diaz



Escape: The Story of the Great Houdini
By Sid Fleischman



Tomboy of the Air: Daredevil Pilot Blanche Stuart Scott
By Julie Cummins



Mother Teresa
By Demi



Traveling Man: The Journey of Ibn Battuta, 1325-1354
By James Rumford



Amelia Earhart: The Legend of the Lost Aviator
By Shelley Tanaka, Illustrated by David Craig

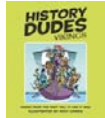
Non Fiction Favorites

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Never Smile at a Monkey

By Steve Jenkins (and many others by him)



History Dudes (Series) (Various Authors)



Six Million Paper Clips:

The Making Of A Children's Holocaust Memorial

By Peter Schroeder and Dagmar Schroeder-Hildebrand



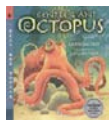
Stone Girl, Bone Girl: The Story of Mary Anning

By Laurence Anholt, Illustrated by Sheila Moxley



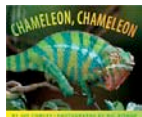
Rare Treasure: Mary Anning and Her Remarkable Discoveries

By Don Brown



Gentle Giant Octopus

By Karen Wallace, Illustrated by Mike Bostock



Chameleon, Chameleon

By Joy Cowley, Illustrated by Nic Bishop



The Red-Eyed Tree Frog

By Joy Cowley, Illustrated by Nic Bishop



You are the First Kid on Mars

By Patrick O'Brien



Truce

By Jim Murphy (and many others by him)



The Kid who named Pluto:

And the Stories of Other Extraordinary Young People in Science

By Marc McClutcheon, Illustrated by Jon Cannell

Make Them Laugh: Funny Books

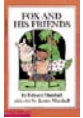
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Rotten Ralph (Series)
(Ages 4-8)
By Jack Gantos



The Giggler Treatment
(Ages 4-10)
By Roddy Doyle



Fox and His Friends
(Ages 4 and up)
By James Marshall



George and Martha (Series)
(Ages 4 and up)
By James Marshall



The Stinky Cheeseman and Other Fairly Stupid Tales
(Ages 5 and up)
By John Scieszka



The True Story of the Three Little Pigs
(Ages 5 and up)
By John Scieszka



The Time Warp Trio (Series)
(Ages 5 and up)
By John Scieszka



The Zack Files (Series)
(Ages 7-12)
By Dan Greenburg



Secrets of Dripping Fang
(Ages 7-12)
By Dan Greenburg



Diamond Brothers Mysteries (Series)
(Ages 9-12)
By Anthony Horowitz



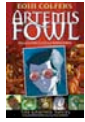
Wayside School (Series)
(Ages 9-12)
By Louis Sachar



And try all varieties of joke books such as these favorites:
The Biggest Joke Book in the World By Matt Rissinger and Philip Yates, or Best Joke Book Ever By Charles Keller and Jeff Sinclair

Graphic Novels and Comics

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Artemis Fowl: The Graphic Novel

Adapted by Eoin Colfer and Andrew Donkin, Art by Giovanni Rigano with colors by Paolo Lamanna



Garfield (Collected strips)

By Jim Davis



Adventures of Tintin (Series)

By Hergé



Alex Rider (Series)

Adapted from the novel by Anthony Horowitz, Written by Antony Johnston, Art by Kanako Damerum and Yuzuru Takasaki



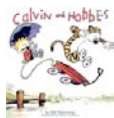
Bone (Series)

By Jeff Smith



Little Lulu (Collected strips)

By John Stanley



Calvin and Hobbes (Collected strips)

By Bill Watterson



Sardines in Outer Space (Series)

By Emmanuel Guibert



Mo & Jo

Written by Jay Lynch, Art by Dean Haspiel



Tiny Tyrant (Collected strips)

By Lewis Trondheim and Fabrice Parme