Great New Books for Kids K-8

**Autumn 2016**

There are so many wonderful new books! Here are some of our favorites. But there are others we just couldn’t leave out, even though we don’t have time to present them. You’ll find them on the supplementary list.

**Picture Books – Nonfiction**

***Ada’s Violin: The Story of the Recycled Orchestra of Paraguay*** – Susan Hood, ISBN 9781481430951, Simon & Schuster, $17.99, 5/16

***I Dissent: Ruth Bader Ginsberg Makes Her Mark*** – Debbie Levy, ISBN 9781481465595, Simon & Schuster, $17.99, 9/16

***Pink Is for Blobfish: Discovering the World’s Perfectly Pink Animals*** – Jess Keating, ISBN  9780553512274, Alfred A. Knopf, $16.99, 2/16

***Six Dots: A Story of Young Louis Braille*** – Jen Bryant, ISBN 9780449813379, Alfred A. Knopf, $17.99, 9/16

***The William Hoy Story*** – Nancy Churnin, ISBN 9780807591925, Albert Whitman & Co., $16.99, 3/16

**Picture Books – Fiction**

***Ada Twist, Scientist*** – Andrea Beaty, ISBN 9781419721373, Harry N. Abrams, $17.95, 9/16

***Frida and Bear Play the Shape Game*** – Anthony Browne, ISBN  9780763678371, Candlewick Press, $15.99, 10/16

***Hank’s Big Day: The Story of a Bug*** – Evan Kuhlman, ISBN 9780553511505, Schwartz & Wade, $16.99, 9/16

***A Hat for Mrs. Goldman: A Story about Knitting and Love*** – Michelle Edwards, ISBN 9780553497106, Schwartz & Wade, $17.99, 10/16

***Ida, Always*** – Caron Levis, ISBN 9781481426404, Atheneum Books, $17.99, 2/16

***The Summer Nick Taught His Cats to Read*** – Curtis Manley, ISBN 9781481435697, Simon & Schuster, $17.99, 7/16

**Middle Grade – Nonfiction**

***Forward: My Story*** – Abby Wambach, ISBN 9780062457929, HarperCollins, $16.99, 9/16

***In the Shadow of Liberty: The Hidden History of Slavery, Four Presidents, and Five Black Lives*** – Kenneth C. Davis, ISBN 9781627793117, Henry Holt & Co., $17.99, 9/16

***Irena’s Children: A True Story of Courage*** (Young Readers Edition) – Tilar J. Mazzeo, ISBN  9781481449915, Margaret K. McElderry Books, $17.99, 9/16

***Some Writer!: The Story of E. B. White*** – Melissa Sweet, ISBN  9780544319592, HMH Books for Young Readers, $18.99, 10/16

***Ten Days a Madwoman: The Daring Life and Turbulent Times of the Original “Girl” Reporter, Nellie Bly*** – Deborah Noyes, ISBN 9780803740174, Viking, $18.99, 2/16

***Ugly*** – Robert Hoge, ISBN 9780425287750, Viking Books, $16.99, 9/16

**Middle Grade – Fiction**

***Ashes*** – Laurie Halse Anderson, ISBN 9781416961468, Atheneum, $16.99, 10/16

***Cloud and Wallfish*** – Anne Nesbet, ISBN  9780763688035, Candlewick Press, $16.99, 9/16

***Ghosts*** – Raina Telegemeier, ISBN 9780545540629, Graphix, $10.99, 9/16

***The Inquisitor's Tale: Or, the Three Magical Children and Their Holy Dog* –** Adam Gidwitz, ISBN 9780525426165, Dutton Books, $17.99, 9/16

***Just My Luck –*** Cammie McGovern, ISBN 9780062330659, HarperCollins, $16.99, 2/16

***Lucky Strikes*** – Louis Bayard, ISBN 9781627793902, Henry Holt & Co., $16.99, 7/16

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**Great New YA Books**

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As is becoming increasingly evident, “YA” is a category created by publishers, not readers. We recommend all of these books for high school students. And teachers. And librarians. And everyone else. A supplementary list suggests some books we didn’t have time to present.

**Nonfiction**

***Being Jazz: My Life as a (Transgender) Teen*** – Jazz Jennings, ISBN 9780399554643, Crown, $17.99, 6/16

***March: Book Three*** – John Lewis and Andrew Aydin, ISBN 9781603094023, Top Shelf Productions, $19.99, 8/16

***Misunderstood: Why the Humble Rat May Be Your Best Pet Ever –*** Rachel Toor, ISBN9780374303082, Farrar, Straus & Giroux, $17.99, 6/16

***Quiet Power: The Secret Strength of Introverts – Susan Cain,*** ISBN9780803740600, Dial Books, $17.99, 5/16

***Sabotage: The Mission to Destroy Hitler’s Atomic Bomb*** – Neal Bascomb, ISBN 9780545732437, Arthur A. Levine Books, $17.99, 5/16

***Sachiko: A Nagasaki Bomb Survivor’s Story*** – Caren Stelson, ISBN 9781467789035, Carolrhoda Press, $19.99, 10/16

**Fiction**

***Girl in the Blue Coat –*** Monica Hesse, ISBN 9780316260602, Little, Brown, $17.99, 4/16

***Girl on a Plane*** – Miriam Moss, ISBN 9780544783997, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, $17.99, 9/16

***Highly Illogical Behavior***— John Corey Whaley, ISBN 9780525428183, Dial Books, $17.99, 5/16

***The Last True Love Story*** – Brendan Kiely, ISBN 9781481429887, Margaret K. McElderry Books, $17.99, 9/16

***Our Chemical Hearts*** – Kyrstal Sutherland, ISBN 9780399546563, G. P. Putnam’s Sons, $17.99, 10/16

***Wirewalker*** – Mary Lou Hall, ISBN 9780670016464, Viking Books, $17.99, 9/16

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