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#### Biblioteca maldita: los capitulos finales (Library of Doom: The Final Chapters) (Spanish / Stone Arch Books)



### #2316125 No abras la puerta! (Do not open the door!) (Library Binding) written by Michael Dahl

Es tarde por la noche cuando dos amigas se apresuran a volver a casa despues de una fiesta de cumpleanos. En el camino, observan una pequena biblioteca que no estaba alli antes de la fiesta. Cuando abren la pequena puerta y hojean los libros, sale una garra y las arrastra al interior! Se encuentran atrapadas en un mundo oscuro con una bestia siniestra que tiene predileccion por los lectores voraces...

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### #2316126 Noche del Borrador (Eraser Night) (Library Binding) written by Michael Dahl

Slate es un escalador de precipicios: una persona que localiza libros especificos en las estanterias con aspecto de rascacielos de las profundidades de la Biblioteca Maldita. Segun Slate, el puede encontrar cualquier libro, incluso aquel que ningun Bibliotecario ha podido localizar: EL BORRADOR. Para demostrar su valor, Slate se adentra en las prohibidas Estanterias Negras, un laberinto tan oscuro y frio que el aire absorbe todos los sonidos y no se pueden pronunciar palabras. Pero antes de que Slate pueda localizar el libro hace tanto tiempo perdido, encuentra mas de lo que esperaba... 978-1-6690-1433-1 ©2023 5 x 7 40 pgs.

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### #2316128 Ultima palabra (Last word) (Library Binding) written by Michael Dahl

En el corazon de la Biblioteca Maldita, dentro de la camara secreta del Bibliotecario, hay una boyeda invisible y sellada. Contiene un unico libro, un libro tan venenoso que drena la vida del Bibliotecario dia a dia, ano a ano. Es el precio que cada Bibliotecario debe pagar, porque si alguien lee la ultima palabra de la historia, se destruira el mundo entero! Por eso, cuando el libro desaparece, el Bibliotecario debe localizarlo sin demora. Solo hay un problema: la unica persona que puede saber donde se encuentra el libro es otro Bibliotecario... Hay un traidor en la Liga de Bibliotecarios? 978-1-6690-1434-8 ©2023 5 x 7 40 pgs.

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#### #2316127 Tesauro Rex (Rex Thesaurus) (Library Binding) written by Michael Dahl

Una noche, una joven estudiante oye un extrano sonido de tragar. Parece provenir de su diccionario de sinonimos. De repente, el diccionario despega y vuela por la ventana de su dormitorio. Mira hacia afuera y ve el diccionario abajo, en la hierba. Entonces, de repente, un monstruo colosal se despliega de las paginas del diccionario como una creacion de origami que salio terriblemente mal. Pronto, se eleva sobre la casa de la familia, cambiando constantemente su forma y brotando una nueva arma con cada transformacion! Quien podria derrotar a este monstruo hecho de sinonimos que cambia de forma sin cesar?

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#### Cat Kid Comic Club (Spanish / Prebound)



### #2346760 (Vol. 04) Colaboraciones (Collaborations) (Prebound) written by Dav Pilkey

After their chores, the rambunctious group presents even more amazing mini-comics: a thrilling ride in "Chubbs McSpiderbutt," an action-packed romp in "Frogzilla," reflective haikus in "In the Autumn Pond," a candy-coated mystery in "Mallo Cop," and much, much more. By working together, the baby frogs discover that small things can have a huge impact.

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### #2239411 (Vol. 01) Club de Comics de Supergatito (Cat Kid Comic Club) (Prebound)

written by Dav Pilkey

Welcome to the Cat Kid Comic Club, where Li'l Petey (LP), Flippy, and Molly introduce twenty-one rambunctious, funny, and talented baby frogs to the art of comic making. As the story unwinds with mishaps and hilarity, readers get to see the progress, mistakes, and improvements that come with practice and persistence. 978-1-5364-6929-5 ©2021 5-1/2 x 8-1/4 176 pgs. Grades 1 - 4 Dewey# 741.5 AR Lvl 2.9 AR Pts 1.0 Lexile 330

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#2292846 (Vol. 02) Perspectivas (Perspectives) (Prebound) written by Dav Pilkey

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#2317486 (Vol. 03) A Proposito (On Purpose) (Prebound) written by Dav Pilkey

The comic club is going in all different directions! Naomi, Melvin, and siblings are



each trying to find their purpose. Naomi has an idea to get rich quick that causes a lot of commotion and emotion. And when faced with rejections, the friends try and try again to stay true to their vision. To top it off, a surprise visitor comes to class to stir things up. Will a desire for money and power cloud Naomi's purpose? Is it quitting time? Will the club ever be the same?

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#### Cuentos Escalofriantes de Michael Dahl (Spanish / Stone Arch Books)



#2169573 Mano de la muneca dice adios: y otros cuentos de miedo (The Wrist Hand Says Goodbye and Other Scary Tales) (Library Binding) written by Michael Dahl

En esta coleccio'n de cuentos escalofriantes, una mun~eca cobra vida y persigue a una nin~a. Un joven escritor solo tiene cien palabras para informar a los dema's sobre un peligro inminente. Y un nin~o esta' atrapado en un bu'nker subterra'neo con personas siniestras que llevan muchos an~os desaparecidas.

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#2169572 Fantasma del telefono y otros cuentos de miedo (The Phone Ghost and Other Scary Tales) (Library Binding) written by Michael Dahl

No apagues la luz cuando leas esta coleccio'n de cuentos escalofriantes. Una chica extran~a y silenciosa solo aparece en las fotos del tele'fono. Una broma en la escuela con un duende naviden~o sale terriblemente mal. Una tiza hace dibujos a una velocidad espeluznante. Y un nin~o tiene un encuentro espantoso icon la pasta de dientes ma's increi'ble del mundo!

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#2169571 Desconocido en las escaleras y otros cuentos de miedo (A Stranger on the Stairs and Other Scary Tales) (Library Binding) written by Michael Dahl

Nuestras peores pesadillas se vuelven realidad en esta coleccio'n de cuentos escalofriantes. Una simple ronda del Juego de lava se vuelve aterradora. Un antiguo albergue para len~adores esta' embrujado por un horrible fantasma. Un nin~o piensa que esta' solo en su casa hasta que descubre que alguien lo acompan~a.

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#2169574 Voz en el bano de los ninos y otros cuentos de miedo (The Voice in the Children's Bathroom and Other Scary Stories) (Library Binding)



#### written by Michael Dahl

Esta coleccio'n de historias escalofriantes te dejara' temblando. Una peli'cula sobre una invasio'n de extraterrestres se hace realidad. Una caceri'a en un bosque nevado se convierte en una pesadilla cuando aparece un monstruo. Una ti'a abuela regresa del ma's alla', justo a tiempo para la fiesta de cumplean~os de una nin~a.

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### Diario del Wimpy Kid (Diary of a Wimpy Kid / Prebound)



#2000105 (Vol. 11) Diario del Wimpy Kid: Doble o Nada! (Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Double Down) (Prebound)

written by Jeff Kinney

When his mom encourages him to broaden his horizons beyond video games, Greg finds an old video camera in his basement and hatches a plan with best friend Rowley to become rich and famous by filming a scary movie.

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#1958525 (Vol. 01) Diario del Wimpy Kid: Un Renacuajo (Diary of a Wimpy Kid) (Prebound)

written by Jeff Kinney

Greg records his sixth grade experiences in a middle school where he and his best friend, Rowley, undersized weaklings amid boys who need to shave twice daily, hope just to survive, but when Rowley grows more popular, Greg must take drastic measures to save their friendship.

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#1958526 (Vol. 02) Diario del Wimpy Kid: La Ley de Rodrick (Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Rodrick Rules) (Prebound)

written by Jeff Kinney

Greg Heffley tells about his summer vacation and his attempts to steer clear of trouble when he returns to middle school and tries to keep his older brother, Rodrick, from telling everyone about Greg's most humiliating experience of the summer.

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Reviews by: School Library Journal Gr 5-8-This is the well-translated and hilariously entertaining Spanish-language version of Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Rodrick Rules. Greg"s adventures and antics in middle school, the journal format, and the engaging cartoon art will appeal to new Spanish readers familiar with the character and to readers who come from predominantly Latin American countries. This edition, which differs slightly from the one published in Spain, is culturally more in sync with the American middle-school experience. The book design makes this title pleasurable reading for kids who are fluent in Spanish and for those just learning the language.—Eric Gomez, Broward County African-American Research Library, Fort Lauderdale, FL



#1958527 (Vol. 03) Diario del Wimpy Kid: Esto Es el Colmo! (Diary of a Wimpy Kid: The Last Straw) (Prebound)

written by Jeff Kinney

Middle-schooler Greg Heffley nimbly sidesteps his father's attempts to change Greg's wimpy ways until his father threatens to send him to military school.

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#1958528 (Vol. 04) Diario del Wimpy Kid: Dias de Perros (Diary of a Wimpy **Kid: Dog Days)** (Prebound)

written by Jeff Kinney

Greg Heffley recounts his daily experiences during summer vacation as he tries to live out his ultimate fantasy of spending the days indoors playing video games with no responsibilities and no rules, despite his mother's attempts to pack the summer with outdoor activities and family fun.

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#1958529 (Vol. 05) Diario del Wimpy Kid: La Cruda Realidad (Diary of a Wimpy Kid: The Ugly Truth) (Prebound)

written by Jeff Kinney

While trying to find a new best friend after feuding with Rowley, middle-school slacker Greg Heffley is warned by older family members that adolescence is a time to act more responsibly and to think seriously about his future.

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#1958531 (Vol. 07) Diario del Wimpy Kid: Sin Pareja (Diary of a Wimpy Kid: The Third Wheel) (Prebound)

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As the day of the Valentine's Day dance approaches, Greg Heffley worries he will be left out until a twist of fate lands Greg with a date, but leaves his best friend, Rowley, on his own.

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written by Jeff Kinney

A family road trip is supposed to be a lot of fun . . . unless, of course, you're the Heffleys. The journey starts off full of promise, then quickly takes several wrong turns. Gas station bathrooms, crazed seagulls, a fender bender, and a runaway pig are not exactly Greg Heffley's idea of a good time. Luckily, even the worst road trip can turn into an adventure.

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#1958535 (Vol. 08) Diario del Wimpy Kid: Mala Suerte (Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Hard Luck) (Prebound)

written by Jeff Kinney

Greg Heffley's best friend, Rowley Jefferson, has ditched him, and finding new friends in middle school is proving to be a tough task. To change his fortunes, Greg decides to take a leap of faith and turn his decisions over to a roll of the dice.

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written by Jeff Kinney

In The Deep End, book 15 of the Diary of a Wimpy Kid series from #1 international bestselling author Jeff Kinney, Greg Heffley and his family hit the road for a cross-country camping trip, ready for the adventure of a lifetime. But things take an unexpected turn, and they find themselves stranded at an RV park that's not exactly a summertime paradise. When the skies open up and the water starts to rise, the Heffleys wonder if they can save their vacation--or if they're already in too deep. 978-1-5364-7392-6 ©2022 5-1/2 x 8-1/4 224 pgs.

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written by Jeff Kinney

After a disastrous field day competition at school, Greg decides that when it comes to his athletic career, he's officially retired. But after his mom urges him to give sports one more chance, he reluctantly agrees to sign up for basketball.

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Kid: The Getaway) (Prebound) written by Jeff Kinney

The Heffleys decide to go away for Christmas to avoid all the stress of the holidays. A tropical island should be just what the doctor ordered for a little rest and relaxation, but, their dream trip turns into a nightmare. Will they be able to do anything to avoid the vacation becoming a total disaster?

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#### written by Jeff Kinney

When snow shuts down Greg Heffley's middle school, his neighborhood transforms into a wintry battlefield. Rival groups fight over territory, build massive snow forts, and stage epic snowball fights. And in the crosshairs are Greg and his trusty best friend, Rowley Jefferson.

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An unexpected inheritance gives the Heffley family a chance to make major improvements to their home. But they soon find that construction isn't all it's cracked up to be. When things get rough, will the Heffleys be able to stay . . . or will they be forced to move?

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#2368816 (Vol. 18) Diario del Wimpy Kid: Descerebrados (Diary of a Wimpy Kid: No Brainer) (Prebound)

### written by Jeff Kinney

Up until now, middle school hasn't exactly been a joyride for Greg Heffley. So when the town threatens to close the crumbling building, he's not too broken up about it. But when Greg realizes this means he's going to be sent to a different school than his best friend, Rowley Jefferson, he changes his tune. Can Greg and his classmates save their school before it's shuttered for good? Or is this the start of a whole new chapter for Greg?

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#2287712 (Vol. 01) Diario de Rowley: Un Chico Supergenial! (Diary of an Awesome Friendly Kid: Rowley Jefferson's Journal) (Prebound) written by Jeff Kinney

It's the first day of a new school year, and while Mary Anne doesn't know what to expect from the eighth grade, she's looking forward to getting back into the swing of things. One thing she definitely doesn't expect is to meet Logan Bruno, who just moved to Stoneybrook.

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### #2287713 (Vol. 02) Diario de Rowley 2: Una Aventura Supergenial (Rowley Jefferson's Awesome Friendly Adventure) (Prebound) written by Jeff Kinney

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From the imagination of Rowley Jefferson comes an adventure of epic proportions. Join Roland and his best friend, Garg the Barbarian, as they leave the safety of their village and embark on a quest to save Roland&;s mom from the White Warlock. Will our heroes survive? Find out in Rowley Jefferson's Awesome Friendly Adventure! 978-1-5364-7485-5 Molino ©2022 5-1/2 x 8-1/4 126 pgs. *Grades 3 - 6 Dewey# Fic* 



#2292824 (Vol. 03) Rowley Presenta Historias Supergeniales de Miedo (Rowley Jefferson's Awesome Friendly Spooky Stories) (Prebound) written by Jeff Kinney

Grab a flashlight, crawl under the covers, and dive into the twisted, unexpectedly hilarious world of Rowley Jefferson's imagination. You'll meet zombies, vampires, ghosts, and much more in these comically terrifying tales. 978-1-5364-7565-4 Molino ©2022 5-1/2 x 8-1/4 224 pgs.

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#2249086 (Vol. 03) Peor dia de Karen (Karen's Worst Day) (Prebound) written by Katy Farina

Karen is having a terrible day. Her favorite jeans are missing, there's no prize in the Crunch-O cereal box, and Boo-Boo the cat won't play with her. She even gets punished and sent to her room! Karen tries everything to make her day better, but nothing is going right and her bad luck just won't go away. Will this be the worst day ever?

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#2267319 (Vol. 04) Club de los Gatitos de Karen (Karen's Kittycat Club) (Prebound)

written by Katy Farina

Karen's best friend Hannie just got an adorable new kitten. Their neighbor Amanda has a cat, too, and Karen has grumpy old Boo-Boo. Now that they all have cats, Karen comes up with a great idea. She wants to start a Kittycat Club! What will the club do? Karen can't baby-sit like her big sister Kristy... but she can cat-sit! Will anyone want to hire Karen and her friends?

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#2196585 (Vol. 02) Patines de Karen (Karen's Roller Skates) (Prebound) written by Katy Farina

It's going to be a great weekend! Karen has new roller skates and is a very good skater. She's looking forward to trying some new tricks. But, oh no! Karen falls down \$22.95



and has to go to the hospital. Her wrist is broken! Karen is determined to get everyone she knows -- plus someone famous -- to sign her cast.

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### #2178262 (Vol. 01) Bruja de Karen (Karen's Witch) (Prebound) written by Katy Farina

Karen Brewer lives next door to Mrs. Porter, who wears long robes and has wild gray hair. Mrs. Porter has a black cat named Midnight and always seems to be working in her garden. Karen isn't supposed to spy on her neighbor, but she's determined to prove that Mrs. Porter is a witch named Morbidda Destiny!

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### Hombre Perro (Dog Man) (Spanish / Prebound)



### #2178206 (Vol. 07) Por Quien Rueda la Pelota (Dog Man: for Whom the Ball Rolls) (Prebound)

#### written by Dav Pilkey

The Supa Buddies have been working hard to help Dog Man overcome his bad habits. But when his obsessions turn to fears, Dog Man finds himself the target of an all-new supervillain! Meanwhile, Petey the Cat has been released from jail and starts a new life with Li'l Petey. But when Petey's own father arrives, Petey must face his past to understand the difference between being good and doing good.

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### #2199357 (Vol. 08) Atrapa 22 (Fetch-22) (Prebound) written by Dav Pilkey

Petey the Cat is out of jail, and he has a brand-new lease on life. While Petey's reevaluated what matters most, Li'l Petey is struggling to find the good in the world. Can Petey and Dog Man stop fighting like cats and dogs long enough to put their paws together and work as a team? They need each other now more than ever -- Li'l Petey (and the world) is counting on them!

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### #2133646 (Vol. 06) Pelea de la Selva (Brawl of the Wild) (Prebound) written by Dav Pilkey

Is Dog Man bad to the bone? The heroic hound is sent to the pound for a crime he didn't commit! While his pals work to prove his innocence, Dog Man struggles to find his place among dogs and people. Being a part of both worlds, will he ever fully fit in



with one?

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### #2086911 (Vol. 04) Hombre Perro y Supergatito (Dog Man and Cat Kid) (Prebound)

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written by Dav Pilkey

The heroic hound with a real nose for justice now has a furry feline sidekick, and together they have a mystery to sniff out! When a new kitty sitter arrives and a glamorous movie starlet goes missing, it's up to Dog Man and Cat Kid to save the day! Will these heroes stay hot on the trail, or will Petey, the World's Most Evil Cat, send them barking up the wrong tree?

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### #2267314 (Vol. 10) Cumbres Maternales (Mothering Heights) (Prebound) written by Dav Pilkey

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Dog Man is down on his luck, Petey confronts his not so purr-fect past, and Grampa is up to no good. The world is spinning out of control as new villains spill into town. Everything seems dark and full of despair. But hope is not lost. Can the incredible power of love save the day?

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### #2247003 (Vol. 09) Churre y Castigo (Grime and Punishment) (Prebound) written by Dav Pilkey

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The Supa Buddies bamboozled the baddies, but all's not right in the world. Dog Man has a new problem to pound, and he's going to need his entire pack to help him. Will he go barking up the wrong tree?

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Reviews by: Booklist Grades 2-4 The new Dog Man series continues the brand of humor Pilkey mined for the Captain Underpants series, except with a whole new hero to love. Hombre Perro, as the series is known in Spanish, is about Oficial Caballero and his very intelligent dog, Gregorio. A villainous kitty decides to get rid of them both with a bomb, only to end up creating the most incredible policeman ever when, in surgery, the dog's head is grafted onto the policeman's body. Violà: Dogman, who has the strength of Oficial Caballero and the smarts of Gregorio. This combines zany, childlike, full-color, sometimes interactive pages with high-level Spanish vocabulary good for second-graders and already-fluent Spanish readers. This kind of humor translates well?and the translation itself is quite good.(Reprinted with permission of Booklist, copyright 2018, American Library Association.)



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Reviews by: Children's Literature Until twenty hours before the earthquake, Leo has his gold nugget. Leo also has warm memories of his papa telling stories of brave Grandpop and Papa saying that Leo has his Grandpop's "guts and good luck." His papa always ended the stories by giving the nugget to Leo to hold. But now his gold nugget, his promise of a better life, has been stolen by two vicious street thugs. For the enterprising young Leo, a self-sufficient orphan who supports himself selling newspapers on the streets of San Francisco, the destructive earthquake of 1906 follows a personal disaster of major proportion. Leo is intent on retrieving his gold nugget until his friend, Morris, and the earthquake foil his efforts. Survival becomes all that matters. All over San Francisco, buildings are collapsing; fires burn out of control and the people are helpless to take care of themselves. Leo will persevere and help other people. This chapter book, in the "I Survived" series, does not have one dull moment. The adventures are fast paced, the descriptions are vivid, and all the illustrations fit the time period and mood. The gold nugget illustration on the title page and at the beginning of each chapter sparkles! Good will prevail over adversity. The end papers are important to the story. The author, Tarshis, writes about her current impressions of San Francisco as she retraces Leo's steps. The question/answer section offers the where, why and what nature of earthquakes. The additional Facts on Earthquakes explain the pattern of earthquakes and their impact on land and sea and space. Reviewer: Jill Walton



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George Calder must be the luckiest kid alive. He and his little sister, Phoebe, are sailing with their aunt on the Titanic, the greatest ship ever built! George can't resist exploring every inch of the incredible boat, even if it gets him into trouble. But one night while George is off exploring, a terrible boom shakes the entire boat. Soon the impossible is happening: The Titanic is sinking. George has always gotten out of trouble before. Can he survive this nightmare?

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Ever since Ellie wore a whale swimsuit and made a big splash at her fifth birthday party, she's been bullied about her weight. To cope, she tries to live by the Fat Girl Rules--like "no making waves," "avoid eating in public," and "don't move so fast that your body jiggles." And she's found her safe space--her swimming pool--where she feels weightless in a fat-obsessed world.

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Reviews by: Booklist Grades 5-8 \*Starred Review\* Ellie is doing her best, but it never seems to be enough: not for her mom, who insists Ellie's weight is something to be fixed; not for her peers, who taunt her with unimaginably cruel words; and not even for herself. She doesn't mind being fat, but she does mind how she's treated for it. Now, as the threat of bariatric surgery grows, Ellie must find it within herself to stand up to the ones who pushed her to create the Fat Girl Rules--including herself. Fipps bursts onto the middle-grade scene with her debut, a verse novel that shines because of Ellie's keen and emotionally striking observations. As she draws readers in with her smart and succinct voice, Ellie navigates the difficult map of knowing she deserves better treatment while struggling with the conflict that's necessary to achieve it. Fipps hands her young narrator several difficult life lessons, including how to self-advocate, how not to internalization of the words of others, and what it means to defend yourself. Ellie's story will delight readers who long to see an impassioned young woman seize an unapologetic victory. COPYRIGHT(2020) Booklist, ALL RIGHTS RESERVED.

Reviews by: Bulletin of the Center for Children's Books "You don't deserve/ to be seen or heard, / to take up room, / to be noticed./ Make yourself small." That's the core of the Fat Girl Rules inscribed by Ellie, nicknamed Splash after a poolside cannonball in early childhood drew fatphobic teasing. As sixth grade starts, she knows it'll be hell, and she's right: the bullying her peer group habitually engages in has only gotten more vicious, and worse still, her mother is controllingly, cruelly obsessed with Ellie's weight ("Ellie, we're just trying to fix you"). In this freeverse novel, Fipps is laceratingly authentic about the kind of "teasing" and "help" that Ellie is constantly subject to, and the family dynamic, wherein her father dislikes her mother's treatment but rarely intervenes, is sadly believable. The book gains hopefulness from Ellie's experience with a gifted therapist and from her growing friendship with neighbor Catalina and her warm family. There's not much dimension to secondary characters (or even Ellie) beyond the central problem of fatphobia, but the intense focus mirrors a lot of experience, and readers will be glad to see Ellie eventually "starfishing-starting to claim my right to take up space." DS

Reviews by: Horn Book Magazine Since she was five, Ellie (now eleven) has lived by a list of Fat Girl Rules: "Make yourself small"; "Move slowly so / your fat doesn't jiggle"; "When you hear laughter, / someone's laughing at you." She only feels comfortable in her body when she's swimming or spending time with her dog or her similarly fat best friend, Viv. But when Viv moves away, Ellie is alone in facing the sixth-grade bullies, who call her a whale, slam doors in her face, and -- horrifyingly -- loosen the screws on her desk so it collapses. It's not much better outside of school, where strangers make rude comments, or at home, where her mother posts dieting articles on the fridge and even takes her to see a bariatric surgeon without her consent. (If it all seems too cruel to be realistic, an author's note explains that these experiences are based on Fipps's own.) Luckily, Ellie has the support of her dad, a new friend, and an understanding therapist who teaches her to stand up for herself. Ellie's simple and powerful free-verse poems intensify her emotional turmoil and smoothly destroy stereotypes ("They think I'm unhappy / because I'm fat. / The truth is, / I'm unhappy because / they bully me / about being fat"). Her strength in accepting herself and learning to defy her Fat Girl Rules is an inspiring reminder to all readers that they deserve to "take up space." Rachel L. Smith(Copyright 2021 by The Horn Book, Incorporated, Boston. All rights reserved.)

Reviews by: Kirkus Reviews A girl seeks acceptance rather than judgment for her size. Eleven-year-old Texan Ellie loves to swim in her backyard pool even though a cannonball during her fifth birthday party earned her the nickname "Splash" and endless jokes about whales. She maneuvers through life following unspoken "Fat Girl Rules," chief among them, "Make yourself small." Ellie dreads the start of sixth grade, partially because her best friend just moved away, but mainly because classmates bully her at every turn. The worst, though, is her mother, with her endless stream of derogatory comments, obsessive monitoring of Ellie's food intake, and preoccupation with bariatric surgery (which Ellie knows is unsafe). Thankfully, Ellie has support in compassionate educators, tried-and-true friends, her beloved pug, and her more considerate psychiatrist father, who finds Ellie a therapist to work through her pent-up feelings. As a self-proclaimed poet, Ellie has a strong command of words, and she learns how and when to use them to defend herself. She also makes friends with her new neighbor, whose Mexican American family can empathize with being judged on appearances. Fipps' verse is skillful and rooted in emotional reality. The text places readers in Ellie's shoes, showing how she is attacked in many spaces--including by strangers on public transit--while clearly asserting that it's other people who need to change. Half-Jewish, half-Christian Ellie is cued as White. Make room in your heart for this cathartic novel. (Verse novel. 9-13) COPYRIGHT(2021) Kirkus Reviews, ALL

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Reviews by: Publishers Weekly Told in verse, this affirming representation of fatness stars Ellie Montgomery-Hofstein, 11, who, to avoid the bullying she's endured since the age of five, lives by the Fat Girl Rules; the unspoken rules one learns "when you break them; / and suffer/ the consequences." Finding solace from taunts and judgment in her fenced-in backyard's pool, Ellie, who is half-Christian, half-Jewish, and presumed white, enjoys sprawling in the water like a starfish, weightless and free. When her best friend Viv moves away, Ellie feels alone at her Dallas, Tex., school, but she soon forms a tentative bond with her new neighbor, Catalina Rodriguez, whose boisterous, loving Mexican family makes her feel accepted for who she is. With support from new friends, her father, and a therapist who acknowledges her feelings and helps her find her voice, Ellie finds the strength to stand up to her bullies, including her mother, who pressures Ellie to undergo bariatric surgery, and verbally abusive older siblings. Fipps's use of verse is as effective as it is fitting; Ellie dreams of becoming a storyteller and poet "to help people feel what it's like/ to live in/ someone else's skin." A triumphant and poignantly drawn journey toward self-acceptance and self-advocacy. Ages 10: up. Agent: Liza Fleissig, Liza Royce Agency. (Mar.)

Reviews by: School Library Journal Gr 5 Up—A charming novel in verse about a girl struggling with self-worth. Ellie is a middle school girl who is bullied every day for her weight. Whether it comes from classmates, siblings, or even her mother, Ellie is constantly bombarded with comments about her size. Luckily, her friends help keep her head up most of the time. When her best friend Viv moves away, a new friend, Catalina, fits right into her place. Ellie's dad is also an ally; he stands up to Ellie's mom and decides to take Ellie to a therapist. With the help of Dr. Wood, Ellie learns how to feel comfortable in her own skin. Once readers start, it will be difficult for them to put this book down. Ellie's story is heartbreaking and raw at times, and Fipps paints a realistic picture of bullying in a world that equates thinness with beauty. Ellie's own family, except for her dad, also buy into that ideal, calling her "Splash," making fun of her, and cataloguing everything she eats. True joy comes in watching Ellie gain confidence in herself and standing up to the bullies, even when they're family. The race of most characters is not mentioned. Catalina and her family are Mexican American. VERDICT A must-have for libraries serving teens and tweens.—Lisa Buffi, Sterling M.S., VA



### #2292932 Chicos Fantasmas (Ghost Boys) (Prebound) written by Jewell Parker Rhodes

Twelve-year-old Jerome is the latest victim, shot by a white police officer who mistakes his toy gun for a threat. As a ghost, he observes the devastation that's been unleashed on his family and community in the wake of what they see as an unjust and brutal killing. Once again Jewell Parker Rhodes deftly weaves historical and sociopolitical layers into a gripping and poignant story. 978-1-5364-7602-6 ©2022 5-1/4 x 7-1/2 240 pgs.

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written by Adrianna Cuevas

Nestor Lopez and his mother move to a new town to live with his grandmother, Nestor has no intention of letting anyone find out that he can talk to animals. But when the animals in town start disappearing, and Nestor's grandmother is spotted in the woods where they were last seen, suspicion mounts against her. Nestor learns that they are being taken by a tule vieja, and his extraordinary ability is put front and center as he tries to catch the real culprit and clear his grandmother's name. 978-0-374-39084-6 ©2022 5 x 7-1/2 368 pgs.

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#2290399 Con Cuba en el Bolsillo (Cuba in my Pocket) (Hardcover (Trade)) written by Adrianna Cuevas

When the failed Bay of Pigs invasion in 1961 solidifies Castro's power in Cuba, twelve-year-old Cumba's family makes the difficult decision to send him to Florida alone. Faced with the prospect of living in another country by himself, Cumba tries to

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remember the sound of his father's clarinet, the smell of his mother's lavender perfume.

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Reviews by: Booklist Grades 4-7. Cuevas' intense and immersive account of a Cuban boy's experience after the failed Bay of Pigs Invasion brings a specific point in history alive (1961 Santa Clara, Cuba) while also feeling extremely relatable and contemporary on matters such as immigration and the overwhelming feelings associated with moving and starting at a new school. Twelve-year-old Cumba loves his family and home in Cuba's mountains, but Fidel Castro's ascent to power has made life chaotic and frightening. Castro's socialist agenda comes with soldiers patrolling the streets and whispers that turn neighbors against one another. Cumba himself is now old enough to be recruited for Castro's "Young Rebels," a precursor to mandatory military training, and that's not a fate the boy's parents will permit. With heavy hearts and secret contacts on the island, they obtain the forged paperwork needed to fly Cumba to the U.S. and to safety. Drawing from her father's boyhood experiences, Cuevas does an outstanding job of eliciting the confusing array of emotions Cumba feels as he is thrown into life in a new country, where he understands only a smattering of English and desperately misses his family in Cuba. Cuevas takes care not to depict Cubans with broad strokes, emphasizing their individuality within a shared culture, and she lovingly raises up family, biological and made, as essential to finding a way forward.

Reviews by: Horn Book Magazine Twelve-year-old Cumba Fernandez carries an unlucky double-nine domino, la caja de muertos, or the "dead man's box," in his pocket as a reminder that "there are worse sources of bad luck than a little white tile." It's April 1961 in Santa Clara, Cuba, and the Cuban exiles fighting to overthrow Fidel Castro have failed in their mission, leaving families like Cumba's who sided with the former president Batista vulnerable to incarceration and violent subjugation. In order to avoid the threat of mandatory military training in Russia, Cumba's parents decide to send him to the United States. Cuevas's (The Total Eclipse of Nestor Lopez) skillful first-person present-tense narrative follows Cumba's experience of separation from his loved ones; his adjustment to life in Miami as a refugee; and ultimately his reunion with his family in the United States. Cuevas furthers this insider perspective with letters between Cumba and his little brother, Pepito. Incorporating elements from her father's experiences as a Cuban exile and child refugee, the author tells a larger, complicated story about the ways children navigate the geopolitical forces that compel families to make hard choices to ensure their survival. Lettycia Terrones November/December 2021 p.99

Reviews by: Kirkus Reviews To escape the harsh realities of Castro's Cuba, a 12-year-old boy must leave his family behind and flee to the United States alone. Following the failed Bay of Pigs invasion, Fidel's grip on Cuba tightens. Neighbors whisper and conspire against each other, and those not loyal to Castro's regime face punishment, even execution. When young Cumba is marked for military recruitment, his family decides to send him off to the United States. Escaping to Miami and the home of a distant relative, Cumba struggles to adjust to his new life without his family. The labyrinthlike city's size and the cacophony of English-speaking voices overwhelm the young boy at first. School also brings its share of pains and embarrassments. Thankfully, Cumba gains allies in the unlikeliest ways, including an American schoolmate obsessed with horse races and other Cuban refugee young people. Letters from his little brother back home also bring him some comfort. Then, one day, a letter brings horrible news: Fidel's soldiers have arrested Cumba's parents. Inspired by stories from her father's childhood, Cuevas' latest is a triumph of the heart. Devoting half of the story to Cumba's life in Cuba and the other half to his adjustment to the United States, the author continually reminds readers about the strength provided by community and family and the forces that can threaten to snatch these sources of happiness away. A compassionate, emotionally astute portrait of a young Cuban in exile. (author's note, glossary) (Historical fiction. 8-12)

Reviews by: Publishers Weekly Cuevas (The Total Eclipse of Nestor Lopez) excavates family history to illuminate the Cuba of 1961 during Fidel Castro's reign. Cumba, 12, his family, and the other citizens of Cuba are attempting to adjust to the new order after the failed Bay of Pigs invasion a week before, living in fear of "Fidel's oppressive government" and soldiers. With the threat of Cumba getting drafted into the military, his family sends him to the United States alone. When Cumba arrives in Florida, he must learn to navigate his new home, school, and language, as well as the wave of homesickness that follows. His only respite is his new friends, fellow Cuban refugees Valeria and Alejandro, and letters from his younger brother, Pepito. But when bad news from home reaches Cumba as he is forced to start over again, he spirals into self-doubt and the guilt of leaving his family behind. Cuevas packs this sophomore novel with palpable emotions and themes of friendship, love, longing, and trauma, attentively conveying tumultuous historical events from the lens of one young refugee. Back matter features an author's note and glossary. Ages 8: 12. (Sept.)

Reviews by: School Library Journal Gr 4-6-Twelve-year-old Cumba Fernandez is a normal kid in many aspects. He has a loving family, friends at school, and loves building models so one day he can be an architect. However, life in Santa Clara, Cuba, is far from ordinary in 1961. Fidel Castro, now in power after his successful campaign against dictator Fulgencio Batista, has defeated a group of Cuban refugees who tried to overthrow Fidel during the Bay of Pigs invasion. But as Cumba's grandfather noted "we traded one dictator for another," and life was hard in Cuba. Children were sent to Russia for military training or forced to join the Young Rebel forces. In addition, people were executed; schools' curriculum modified to disseminate communist propaganda; neighbors turned against one another; and churches were closed, with foreign priests expelled. Cumba's parents have only one choice. First-generation Cuban American author Cuevas offers a historical novel inspired by the experience of her father, who as a boy had to leave Cuba alone and start a new life in the United States. The 34-chapter work, written in English with some Spanish

terms interlaced in the narrative, is divided into two sections-one depicting Cumba's life in Cuba, and the second, starting in chapter 12, exploring his life in Florida. Of interest to educators, the text contains many English vocabulary words. However, the novel is filled with secondary characters that help to move the story forward but lack meaningful character development. What makes this novel strong is Cuevas's ability to capture the spirit of this Caribbean country, its food, flora, and fauna, and Cubans' cultural traits. The book contains a glossary for terms used throughout. VERDICT A fast-moving novel for middle schoolers who enjoy historical fiction that could work well in a social unit covering child migrants, authoritarian governments, and humanitarianism.-Kathia Ibacache, Univ. of Colorado Boulder © Copyright 2021. Library Journals LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Media Source, Inc. No redistribution permitted.

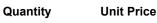


### #2329264 Nuestro Pacto (Spanish Edition) (Paperback (Trade)) written by Ryan Andrews

It's the night of the annual Autumn Equinox Festival, when the town gathers to float paper lanterns down the river. Legend has it that after drifting out of sight, they'll soar off to the Milky Way and turn into brilliant stars, but could that actually be true? This year, Ben and his classmates are determined to find out where those lanterns really go, and to ensure success in their mission, they've made a pact with two simple rules: No one turns for home. No one looks back.

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### #2377096 Casi, Casi un Hogar (Something Like Home) (Prebound) written by Andrea Beatriz Arango

Laura Rodriguez Colon has a plan: No matter what the grown-ups say, she will live with her parents again. Can you blame her? It's tough to make friends as the new kid at school. And while staying at her aunt's house is okay, it just isn't the same. But that's all going to change. Because when Laura finds a puppy, it seems like fate. If she can train the puppy to become a therapy dog, then maybe she'll be allowed to visit her parents. Maybe the dog will help them get better, and things will finally go back to the way they should.

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**Reviews by: Booklist** Grades 5-8. Laura Rodríguez Colón just wants to go home, but she made the decision to call 911, and now she's living with an aunt she didn't even know she had and learning the ins and outs of kinship foster care. Disgruntled by the situation, mad at herself, and longing for home, Laura stumbles upon someone who needs her just as much as she needs someone: a lost dog that, somehow, her aunt agrees to let her keep. Laura is certain that the dog, Sparrow, is going to be her ticket back to her parents as she trains him to be a therapy dog. At her new school, luckily, Laura is befriended by Benson, a boy fighting sickle-cell disease who happens to be a good trainer, and a great friend who doesn't judge her for her parents' addiction. Full of the author's signature heart-tugging verse, a character you just want to hug, and threads of friendship, family, and belonging, Arango's follow-up to her Newbery Honor debut is a triumph for readers who need comforting encouragement without having to ask for it.

Reviews by: Horn Book Magazine If only life were as straightforward as the Rubik's Cube that Laura loves to solve. When this Virginia-set verse novel begins, the Puerto Rican sixth grader is on her way to a kinship foster-care placement "on the other side of town" with her titi Silvia, whom Laura has never met. Pulled from her admittedly chaotic life with her parents, who are struggling with addiction, Laura copes with the overwhelming changes that a new caregiver, new rules, a new school, and new peers bring, while suffering with extreme feelings of guilt over making the 911 call that resulted in her parents' being placed in rehab. Laura finds purpose in training a dog she rescues near Titi's house to be a therapy animal; her plan is to bring the dog to the rehab facility so she can finally see her parents. Arango's writing is intimate and heartbreaking, tackling such hefty issues as cultural identity, addiction, the pain of displacement and the anxiety it causes, and the adulation and rationalization that a child in pain can offer to adults they love. Arango (Newbery honoree for Iveliz Explains It All, rev. 9/22) accomplishes this with the believable voice of a girl in crisis and by tapping into compassion for all the characters amidst moving scenes of joy and connection. Amanda R. Toledo September/October 2023 p.68

Reviews by: Publishers Weekly Latinx 11-year-old Laura Rodriguez Colon believes that it's her fault she was separated from her parents and sent to live with her aunt, Titi Sylvia, a "rich perfect stranger" who resides on the other side of Laura's Virginia county. If she hadn't called 911, she

thinks, her parents wouldn't have been sent to rehab for substance reliance, and she wouldn't be staring down the barrel of an uncertain future with Titi Sylvia, whose emotionally closed-off nature makes Laura feel isolated. Though she'd rather be with her parents, she's elated when Titi Sylvia lets her keep the abandoned pup that Laura finds in town, which she names Sparrow. When Laura is told that she can't visit her parents in rehab, she resolves to train Sparrow as a therapy dog, because "Children may not be allowed in Harmonic Way... but apparently therapy dogs and their owners/ are." Laura's improvised training seems to go well, until a disastrous event imperils her hard work. In moving, approachable verse, Arango (Iveliz Explains It All) thoughtfully portrays Laura's guilt and the constant push-and-pull of her desire to be with her parents and her growing connection with Titi Sylvia. Abundant bird facts; which Laura learned on daily walks with her father; add sensitive insight into Laura's interpretation of family and loyalty. Ages 10: 14. (Sept.)

Reviews by: School Library Journal Gr 4 Up—Everything in Laura's life is wrong, and it is all her fault. If she hadn't called 911, then the police wouldn't have found her parents on pills, and she wouldn't have been sent to live with an aunt she doesn't know while her parents are in rehab. Haunted by her guilt and lack of autonomy, Laura is struggling to find a place in a new school and in a house with rules she doesn't understand when she discovers an abandoned puppy and sets out to train him as a therapy dog. Maybe he will be the key to visiting her parents so she can apologize and they can all go home together. Extraordinarily honest and sensitive, this novel in verse tactfully and gracefully deals with foster and kinship care and some of the many emotions involved. Laura and her aunt are both Puerto Rican, although Laura doesn't speak fluent Spanish, and some simple Spanish phrases are included through their dialogue. The verse format and word choice make this a more accessible option than some other books on similar topics. Throughout the story, Laura learns to accept that her love for her parents does not make her responsible for their actions, and to allow herself to have space in her heart for all those who love and care for her. An author's note supplies more information for readers who are not familiar with foster/kinship care, as well as encouragement to those who have experienced it firsthand. VERDICT So much affirmation, exploration, and positivity for those in similar situations are packed beautifully into these verses, making it a solid addition to collections.—Emily Beasley



#2377643 Tumbos (Tumble) (Prebound) written by Celia C. Perez

Twelve-year-old Adela "Addie" Ramirez has a big decision to make when her stepfather proposes adoption. Addie loves Alex, the only father figure she's ever known, but with a new half brother due in a few months and a big school theater performance on her mind, everything suddenly feels like it's moving too fast. She has a million questions, and the first is about the young man in the photo she found hidden away in her mother's things.

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Reviews by: Horn Book Magazine Twelve-year-old Adela Ramirez has a loving family, a robust middle-school life, and an awesome best friend in her small New Mexico town, known for its love of wrestling: "Roswell had its aliens. Albuquerque had its hot air balloons. We had wrestling." Her paleontologist mom is expecting her second child, and her warm and supportive diner-owning stepdad has just asked to legally adopt her. This seemingly positive "happily ever after" gesture only dredges up and intensifies Adela's frustration at not knowing anything about her biological father, whom her mother refuses to talk about. The determined girl, along with her bestie Cy, starts investigating and piecing together bits of her past. She soon discovers that her father is a well-known professional wrestler named Manny "The Mountain" Bravo, and she subsequently meets the whole Bravo clan. Both of her grandparents were one-time world champions, and their kids, and a few grandkids, were and are fearsome competitors. Adela loves mythology and draws parallels from it to wrestling's celebrity allure and peripatetic lifestyle. Perez (The First Rule of Punk, rev. 7/17; Strange Birds, rev. 9/19) captures the action, rigor, and theater associated with the sport -- full of colorful costumes and lucha libre masks, unpredictable moves and hijinks, and characters' ever-changing personae. It all acts as an engaging backdrop to this story of family lost and found and of making amends. Manny may not be the biological father Adela had wanted him to be, but she is glad to have met him and made room for him and the Bravo dynasty in her heart. Available in Spanish as Tumbos (forthcoming in October). Luann Toth September/October 2022 p.96(c) Copyright 2022. The Horn Book, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Media Source, Inc.



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#### Jake Maddox en Espanol (Spanish / Stone Arch Books)



### #2316260 Futbolista fabuloso (Soccer Sensation) (Library Binding) written by Jake Maddox

Cameron Jones no juega al futbol porque le encanta, sino porque su papa cree que un dia obtendra una gran recompensa: una beca universitaria. Cuando la transferencia laboral de su papa le lleva de la gran ciudad a un equipo de un pueblo pequeno, Cameron cree que puede ser su oportunidad de alejarse del futbol. El nuevo equipo esta desorganizado y a los companeros no parece interesarles la disciplina que se necesita para ganar. Pero quizas este nuevo equipo sea exactamente lo que Cameron necesita para que el futbol vuelva a resultarle divertido.

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### #2316262 Tiro perfecto (Nothing but Net) (Library Binding) written by Jake Maddox

A Layla le encanta jugar al basquetbol, especialmente con su mejor amiga, Danika. Ahora, despues de pasar la mayor parte del verano preparandose para las pruebas, Layla esta ansiosa por dejar de ser suplente y convertirse en una de las cinco titulares. Cuando por fin llegan las pruebas, Layla no solo forma parte de la plantilla titular, sino que tambien la nombran capitan del equipo. Todas sus amigas y companeras de equipo estan emocionadas por ella. Todas, excepto Danika, que esta celosa del exito de su amiga. Layla pronto descubre que no es facil ser capitan del equipo y la mejor amiga de Danika al mismo tiempo. Podra Layla ser un buen capitan del equipo y una buena amiga?

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No hace mucho que la hermana mayor de Lily Davis, Jana, se marcho de casa para asistir al entrenamiento basico, y Lily echa mucho de menos a su idolo del futbol. Pero cuando los padres y la entrenadora de Lily empiezan a presionarla para que ocupe el lugar que dejo Jana, la presion de ser como la delantera estrella le resulta abrumadora. Lograra Lily encontrar la fuerza para ser ella misma? Esta historia deportiva superentretenida de Jake Maddox, incluye un glosario, sugerencias para la escritura, preguntas para dialogar y muchos datos sobre futbol, es un triunfo para educadores y estudiantes!

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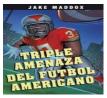
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written by Jake Maddox

Michael tiene la velocidad para ser un gran receptor abierto, pero no logra atrapar los pases con consistencia. El tecnico defensivo ve potencial en la velocidad de Michael,



y le hace probar como back defensivo. Luego el tecnico principal lo asigna a los equipos especiales para que regrese los despejes. Michael agradece todas las oportunidades de ayudar a su equipo a ganar, pero sigue afligido por lo dificil que le resulta atrapar los pases. Podra Michael mejorar sus habilidades de receptor para convertirse en una autentica triple amenaza?

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Dominic no quiere jugar futbol, pero cuando su mama lo inscribe, no tiene opcion. Se pasa los entrenamientos haciendo tonterias en la cancha, aunque en secreto admira las destrezas de Carlos, la estrella de su equipo. Cuando Carlos tiene que faltar a un partido, Dominic se da cuenta que podria ser su oportunidad para destacar. Pero despues de sus travesuras, sera que el entrenador y sus companeros de equipo confiaran en Dominic?suras, el tecnico y sus companeros de equipo confiaran en Dominic?

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Sofia esta acostumbrada a ser la mejor gimnasta en el modesto club local. Pero despues de sufrir una fuerte caida y lesionarse durante el entrenamiento, volver al riel es mas dificil de lo que se imaginaba. Cuando finalmente termina su rehabilitacion, Sofia esta consumida por el miedo y la ansiedad relacionados con la caida, emociones que pareciera que la entrenadora no reconoce. Podra Sofia superar su miedo y trauma para volver al mando del riel?

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Raisa Kumar juega al softbol desde hace anos, y gracias al apoyo de su equipo, los Tigres, figura entre las mejores lanzadoras de la liga. Cuando Annie, una nueva jugadora, se une al equipo y quiere aprender a ser lanzadora, Raisa no duda en ofrecer su ayuda. Pero esta convencida de que su metodo es el mejor, lo que funciona para ella ha de funcionar para Annie. Aprendera Raisa a dar un paso atras y compartir el monticulo por el bien de su equipo?

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Tanner Ryan hates everything about his new town. All of his friends are back in his old city, and the only thing he likes in Woodville is his family's pool. That is until he discovers the Curves, the most amazing place ever to skateboard. Unfortunately, on the same day he finds the Curves, he meets Bennett Parsons III, the resident bully. And the locals aren't happy that Tanner's been skateboarding all over town. Can Tanner make friends and still have fun doing what he likes to do? Or has he been doomed to a life without skateboarding?

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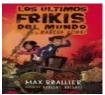
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Life after the zombie apocalypse is pretty good for 13-year-old Jack Sullivan: he lives in a mind-clobberingly cool tree fort with his best friends, speeds through town playing Real-Life Mario Kart, has a crew of monster buddies, battles zombies on the regular, and generally treats life like it's a videogame!

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It's the first winter after the Monster Apocalypse. For Jack and his buddies, that means sled catapults, epic snowball battles, and one monstrous Christmas celebration. But their winter wonderland turns dark when a villainess begins hunting them. And this villainess is different--she's a human.

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Merci Suarez (Spanish / Prebound)

#2181581 (Vol. 01) Merci Suarez Se Pone Las Pilas (Merci Suarez Changes Gears) (Prebound)

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When bossy Edna Santos sets her sights on the new boy who happens to be Merci's

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school-assigned Sunshine Buddy, Merci becomes the target of Edna's jealousy. Things aren't going well at home, either: Merci's grandfather and most trusted ally, Lolo, has been acting strangely lately-- forgetting important things, falling from his bike, and getting angry over nothing.

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#### Merci Suarez (Spanish / Trade)



#2287786 (Vol. 02) Merci Suarez No Sabe Bailar (Merci Suarez Can't Dance) (Hardcover (Trade))

written by Meg Medina

Seventh grade is going to be tough for Merci Suarez. Her no-nonsense science teacher expects her to be a smart as her brother, Roli. She's been assigned to co-manage the school store with Wilson Bellevue, a boy she barely knows but might actually like. And then there's Edna Santos, who is more obnoxious than ever now that she's in charge of the annual Heart Ball. One thing is for sure, though: Merci Suarez can't dance, not even at the Heart Ball. Dancing makes her almost as queasy as love does, especially now that merengue-teaching Tia Ines has a new man in her life. 978-1-5362-2438-2 ©2022 384 pgs.

#### Spellbound: Buscadores de fantasmas (Phantom Finders) (Spanish / Magic Wagon)

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#2371361 Caso de la brujula agrietada (Case of the Cracked Compass) (Library Binding)

written by Brigitte Henry Cooper

When Grandpa finds a mysterious compass washed up on the seashore, Phantom Finders Abby and Theo review museum artifacts and brave a raging storm to discover whom it belonged to and what it means for their town, Murky Creek. Aligned to Common Core Standards and correlated to state standards. Spellbound is an imprint of Magic Wagon, a division of ABDO. Professionally translated.

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When flickering lights and a ghastly screech begin plaguing Murky Creek at the turn of each hour, the Phantom Finders investigate the clock tower by the high school football stadium. They discover that the tower is dedicated to a star player who would have plenty of reason to curse his old stomping ground. Aligned to Common Core Standards and correlated to state standards. Spellbound is an imprint of Magic Wagon, a division of ABDO. Professionally translated.

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### #2371363 Caso de la reliquia misteriosa (Case of the Eerie Heirloom) (Library Binding)

#### written by Brigitte Henry Cooper

An old, silent music box has strangely begun to play its tune, and when Anya Ivanovich asks for the Phantom Finders' help, Abby and Theo follow the trail of clues to Murky Creek's once-ornate theater, the Kirby Center. Aligned to Common Core Standards and correlated to state standards. Spellbound is an imprint of Magic Wagon, a division of ABDO. Professionally translated.

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When a train mysteriously appears at the long-abandoned Murky Creek station and a young man says he lost his ticket to go meet his love, Phantom Finders Abby and Theo review museum records to help him, especially because the voyage he's talking about happened almost a century ago! Aligned to Common Core Standards and correlated to state standards. Spellbound is an imprint of Magic Wagon, a division of ABDO. Professionally translated.

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#### written by Brigitte Henry Cooper

When the famous portrait of Murky Creek's founding family goes missing from Town Hall just before the town's 100-year anniversary celebration, Phantom Finders Abby and Theo sift through old photographs and search a crypt after dark to find the culprit and rescue the painting. Aligned to Common Core Standards and correlated to state standards. Spellbound is an imprint of Magic Wagon, a division of ABDO. Professionally translated.

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### #2371362 Caso de la llave esqueleto (Case of the Skeleton Key) (Library Binding)

#### written by Brigitte Henry Cooper

When a friend of Grandpa's complains of ghostly shrieking in the long-ago burned-out Waverly hotel on the edge of their town, Murky Creek, Phantom Finders Abby and Theo use a hotel master key and brave a raging snowstorm to find out what all the noise is about and hopefully stop it. Aligned to Common Core Standards and correlated to state standards. Spellbound is an imprint of Magic Wagon, a division of ABDO. Professionally translated.

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#### Spy School (Spanish / Prebound)



### #2168233 (Vol. 01) Escuela de Espias (Spy School) (Prebound) written by Stuart Gibbs

Twelve-year-old Ben Ripley leaves his public middle school to attend the CIA's highly secretive Espionage Academy, which everyone is told is an elite science school.

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#### Spy School (Spanish / Trade)



### #2298491 (Vol. 02) Campamento de Espias (Spy Camp) (Hardcover (Trade)) written by Stuart Gibbs

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written by B. B. Alston

Amari Peters has never stopped believing her missing brother, Quinton, is alive. Not even when the police told her otherwise, or when she got in trouble for standing up to bullies who said he was gone for good. So when she discovers a ticking briefcase in his closet containing a nomination for a summer tryout at the Bureau of Supernatural Affairs, she's certain the secretive organization holds the key to locating Quinton.

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#### Witchlings (Spanish / Trade)





### #2328711 (Vol. 01) Witchlings (Spanish) (Hardcover (Trade)) written by Claribel A. Ortega

Every year, in the magical town of Ravenskill, Witchlings who participate in the Black Moon Ceremony are placed into covens and come into their powers as fullfledged witches. And twelve-year-old Seven Salazar can't wait to be placed in the most powerful coven with her best friend! But on the night of the ceremony, in front of the entire town, Seven isn't placed in one of the five covens. She's a Spare! Even worse, when Seven and the other two Spares perform the magic circle to seal their coven and cement themselves as sisters, it doesn't work! The three Spares will be assigned an impossible task: If they work together and succeed at it, their coven will be sealed and they'll gain their full powers. If they fail... Well, the last coven to make the attempt ended up being turned into toads. Forever.

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Grades 4 - 7 Dewey# Fic AR Lvl 5.9 AR Pts 13.0

Reviews by: Booklist Grades 4-7 Seven Salazar is a Witchling who is excited to be placed in a coven and come into her full powers during the approaching Black Moon Ceremony; so it's a devastating shock when the big day comes and Seven is instead made a "Spare" with two other girls. Determined to cast off this undesirable fate, the three girls undertake an impossible task so that they might become fully fledged witches in a coven of their own making--but they will have to work together if they are to succeed. Ortega (Ghost Squad, 2020) weaves a gorgeous tale of determination and magic in her sophomore novel. The story explores the importance of having understanding and supportive friends, especially while making personal discoveries and finding out what one is really made of. This touching tale blends fantastic and realistic moments to create a saga of sisterhood that will resonate with readers even as it charms. Pair this with Emma Steinkellner's The Okay Witch (2019) and Julie Abe's Eva Evergreen, Semi-Magical Witch (2020). COPYRIGHT(2022) Booklist, ALL RIGHTS RESERVED.

Reviews by: Bulletin of the Center for Children's Books Seven Salazar is a twelve-year-old Witchling, which means this year she'll be sorted into her coven of five-but at the sorting ceremony, Seven is left over with two others, new girl Thorn and Seven's long-time bully Valley, as Spares. Spares are mistreated and looked down upon in the Twelve Towns, and Seven refuses to accept that fate, invoking the Clause of the Impossible Task: to prove their worth the girls must slay the fearsome Nightbeast. Failing the impossible task, though, means that the trio will be "toadified," so Seven has to quickly learn how to work with a new friend and an old enemy before the deadline hits. Ortega's witchy world is committed to its bubbly aesthetic and is brimming with amusingly eccentric references, such as "Real Witch Wives of Hastings-on-Pumpkins" and an amphibian named Edgar Allan Toad. This light-hearted tone is successfully balanced with heavier factors, as the books tackles issues of parental abuse and class politics that keep the Spares oppressed and in danger. Seven is a character who readers will want to root for, and her journey to befriend a stranger and understand her former bully brings authentic realism to this clever fantasy. NB COPYRIGHT(2022) Bulletin of the Center for Children's Books, ALL RIGHTS RESERVED.

Reviews by: Kirkus Reviews Ceremony, when Witchlings in Ravenskill are assigned to their covens, and the one thing 12-year-old Seven Salazar hopes to avoid is being made a Spare Witch. When her fears unfortunately come to pass, she's faced with two other leftover and unlikely new compa ions--not to mention a challenge that might just prove deadly. Alongside the other Spares, anxious Thorn La Roux and bully Valley Pepperhor , Seven must embark on a dangerous quest to find and kill the rumored child-eating Nightbeast. Through their adventures, however, Seven lear s about a lot more than just the mystery of the Nightbeast: She comes to see people--including herself--differently. She peers beneath h er first assumptions and stands up for others even when that's not easy. When she fears a friend is experiencing parental abuse, she brings her oncerns to an adult she trusts even though she's frightened it will make her friend angry. The story balances serious social themes with lighthearted friendship hijinks, and the plot is fast-paced and full of gratifying twists. Ortega invites readers in, combining familiar fantasy furnishings wi th a low-key, modern-inflected tone. Seven is cued as Latine, and many of the spells she invokes on her journey ring with Spanish roots, offering

Spanish speakers the joy of recognition and others the excitement of new-forged understanding. Thorn and Valley read as White. Energetic and intelligent; invites readers to question their assumptions and the status quo. (Fantasy. 8-12) COPYRIGHT(2021) Kirkus Reviews, ALL RIGHTS RESERVED.

Reviews by: Publishers Weekly During magical Ravenskill's Black Moon Ceremony, every 12-year-old Witchling is sorted into one of five powerful covens, except those designated as Spares, a sixth group treated as a servant class by the others. Much to her surprise, aspiring journalist Seven Salazar, who has brown skin and reads as Latinx, is designated a Spare, along with wealthy mean girl Valley Pepperhorn, who is white with rose-hued hair, and amiable pale-skinned newcomer Thorn La Roux. But when the new Spares face losing their magic completely, and becoming Forever Witchlings without powers, Seven invokes the little-used Clause of the Impossible Task. Now the trio has three weeks to locate and defeat the deadly, wolflike Nightbeast, or be permanently transformed into toads. As they combine their skills; Seven's botanical expertise, Valley's hunting knowledge, and Thorn's enchanted tailoring; and develop a bond of friendship and loyalty, the quest reveals more about the Spares, and the Nightbeast's predations. Centering three resourceful, sympathetic protagonists and considering issues of exploitation and privilege, Ortega's (Ghost Squad) lively sophomore release interweaves Spanish phrases, contemporary elements, and well-grounded magical worldbuilding. Ages 8: 12. Agent: Suzie Townsend, New Leaf Literary. (Apr.)

Reviews by: School Library Journal Gr 3-7--Twelve-year-old Seven Salazar excitedly awaits the Black Moon ceremony where she and her best friend Poppy hope to be placed in the powerful coven, House Hyacinth. Sadly, only Poppy joins House Hyacinth and in a nightmare come true, Seven finds out that she's a Spare. In the magical town of Ravenskill, Spares are looked down on and have less power. To make matters worse, also in her coven are Seven's bully, Valley Pepperhorn, and a girl named Thorn. When the three are unable to seal their coven, Seven invokes the impossible task which, if completed successfully, would seal their coven and give them their full power as witches. Their impossible task to fell the Nightbeast is a difficult enough endeavor, but they also have to contend with their constant bickering, the community's unfavorable view toward Spares, and a mysterious conspiracy surrounding the Nightbeast. The trio of witchlings eventually overcome misunderstandings, grow to trust each other, and work together. The sorting system has a unique spin to it with the presence and treatment of the Spares. Readers familiar with Spanish may recognize the magic words used to cast spells: viento for wind, esconder for hiding something, and so on. Among the cast are many Latinx characters, a character with a nonbinary gender identity, and those in a same-sex relationship. The poor treatment of Spares may spark a timely conversation on the lack of protection for marginalized communities. The witchlings also find out that Valley's father is abusive, on one occasion starving her for two days because of a bad grade. Mentions of abuse may be distressing to some readers. VERDICT A magic-filled quest of friendship and power sure to please lovers of the genre; an excellent purchase for libraries.--Myiesha Speight Copyright 2022 School Library Journal, LLC Used with permission.

**Reviews by: Shelf Awareness** Three gutsy girl witches must defeat a legendary monstruo in this frolicking fun middle-grade Latine fantasy.

#### Zone Books: Biblioteca maldita (Library of Doom) (Spanish / Stone Arch Books)



#2158179 Sujetalibros horripilantes (The Creeping Bookends) (Library Binding)

written by Michael Dahl

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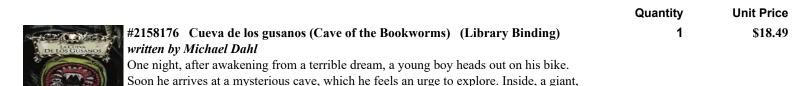
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