Just Right for 1st and 2nd Graders



E Li Li, Hui, **Scroll**

After learning how to draw Chinese characters, Lulu and her dog step into a magical world where the characters come to life.



E Lo

Long, Jessica. The Mermaid with No Tail

Based on and written by American Paralympic champion swimmer Long, a mermaid with no tail decides she wants to compete in the Mermaid Games.



E Qu

Que, Joanna. Dancing Hands: A Story of Friendship in Filipino Sign Language

When Sam meets Mai, she starts to learn Filipino sign language so they can communicate.



E Sa

Satoko Seo, Emily. The Perfect Sushi

Miko is determined to make perfect nigiri sushi but her efforts only lead to frustration until she realizes that cooking with love is more important than cooking perfect food.



E Sm Smith, Nikkolas. **Artivist.** A Black child who loves to paint and help the community sees problems in the world that make him want to act.











E H George George, Kaylin Melia. **Aloha Everything** When Ano begins to dance hula she learns the true meaning of the word aloha.



ER Av Avant-garde, Zaila. **Words Are Magic!** Mix, match, shout, and rap words.



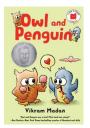
ER Iw Iwai, Melissa. **Gigi and Ojiji** Gigi can't wait for her Ojiji-Japanese grandpa- to move in, but things don't work out quite the way she hoped.

E Ta Takahashi, J.P. **Tokyo Night Parade** Eka listens for the sounds of the Night Parade of One Hundred Demons, when the human world overlaps with that of the yokai.

E Un Ung, Kim-Hoa. **A Gift for Nai Nai** Lyn struggles to crochet a lucky hat for her Nai Nai's birthday and learns that the perfect gift comes from within.

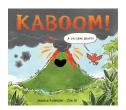
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Wright-Ruiz, Kiera. I Want to Be Spaghetti! Ramen announces they would much rather be spaghetti.



ER Ma Madan, Vikram. **Owl and Penguin** Despite their differences, two unlikely friends flock together like birds of a feather.

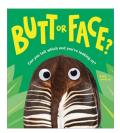


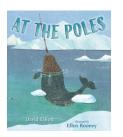


J 551.21 Ku Kulekjian, Jessica. **Kaboom! A Volcano Erupts** Step-by-step story of a volcanic eruption told from the volcano's point of view.

Schmitt, Kelly Rice. I Ship: A Container Ship's Colossal

port, loads up with cargo, and heads out to the open ocean.





J 571.31 La Lavelle, Kari. **Butt or Face? Can You Tell Which End You're Looking At?** Artfully cropped animal portraits challenge viewers to guess which end they're seeing.

J 811.54 El Elliott, David. **At the Poles** Travel to the most remote region illustrated poetic ode to the creat

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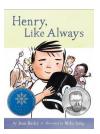
A massive container ship pulls into

Journey

Travel to the most remote regions of our planet in this beautifully illustrated poetic ode to the creatures that inhabit the North and South poles.



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J B Teave Fo Fogelson, Marni. **The Girl Who Heard the Music** Mahani, a musician who grew up on Rapa Nui, helps repair environmental damage to the island and creates a music school.

J H Ahuli'i Ahuli'i , Gabrielle. **Hi'iaka and Pana'ewa** Hi'iaka wants to make the forests of Hawai'i safe for travelers, but she'll have to battle an evil lizard named Pana'ewa and his army to

J Bailey Bailey, Jenn. **Henry, Like Always**

do it. Graphic Novel.

Henry, a first grader on the autism spectrum, attempts to navigate friendships and sudden changes in classroom routines.

J Bates Bates, Janet Costa. Rica Baptista : Llamas, Iguanas, and My Very Best Friend

With her best friend moving away, Rica Baptista needs a pet so she won't get lonely, but her parents are against it.

J Deen Deen, Natasha. **The Ghost Tree** When Asim moves to a new town he

When Asim moves to a new town he must save his new teacher when an evil spirit from Guyanese folklore begins to wreak havoc.



J Matthews Matthews, Andy. **Gustav & Henri: Space Time Cake** Meet Gustav and Henri in a book a bit about friendship and a lot about snacks. Graphic Novel.



J Miedoso

Miedoso, Andres. **Haunted House Next Door** When supernatural things start happening in the house timid Andres just moved into, next door neighbor Desmond Cole comes to the rescue. Series.

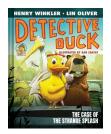


J Ramm Ramm, Meggie. **Batcat** Batcat, who has always enio

Batcat, who has always enjoyed being alone, finds themselves being haunted by a ghost. Graphic Novel.



J Venable Venable, Colleen. **Kitten Ninja** Before Cat Ninja became Metro City's greatest defender, he was a tiny, adorable kitten ninja who battled much tinier foes. Graphic Novel.



J Winkler Winkler, Henry. Detective Duck: The Case of the Strange Splash

Detective Duck is on the job, determined to unravel mysteries and solve any environmental problem that besets her beloved Dogwood Pond!



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