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GRADES K-2



Agent Moose

by Mo O'Hara, illustrated by Jess Bradley FEIWEL & FRIENDS, 2020

ISBN: 9781250222213

Folks are disappearing on the South Shore, including an important witness. Moose and his friend Owlfred are on the case, but will they find the witness?

Arlo & Pips: King of the Birds by Elise Gravel

HARPERALLEY, 2020 ISBN: 9780062982216

Three fun and informative short stories about Arlo and Pips, two bird friends who take wild adventures together. Chock-full of interesting bird facts, too! (Part of a series.)

Baloney and Friends by Greg Pizzoli

LITTLE, BROWN, 2020 ISBN: 9781368054546

Laugh along with Baloney and friends while they put on a magic show, brave the pool, and cheer one another up in three short stories and a few minicomics. (Part of a series.)

Bug Boys

by Laura Knetzger RANDOM HOUSE GRAPHIC, 2020; ISBN: 9781984896766

Sweet vignettes tell the kooky adventures of best-bud bugs who learn

a little about science and a lot about friendship as they explore. (Part of a series.)

Bunbun & Bonbon: Fancy Friends by Jess Keating

GRAPHIX, 2020 ISBN: 9781338646832

Meet Team Fancy! Bunny Bunbun finally finds a friend in sweet candy Bonbon. Together, the two have fun saying fancy words, eating fancy donuts with sprinkles, and hopping to fancy parties. (Part of a series.)

Chick and Brain: Smell My Foot! by Cece Bell

CANDLEWICK, 2019 ISBN: 9780763679361

In this silly story of misunderstandings and good manners, friends Chick and Brain must foil a hungry dog named Spot. (*Part of a series.*)

Crabapple Trouble by Kaeti Vandorn

RANDOM HOUSE GRAPHIC, 2020; ISBN: 9781984896803

When the local festival holds a harvest contest, Callaway, a crabapple, feels the pop of anxiety; she literally loses her head. A funny and understanding take on anxiety and how to cope.

Dewdrop

by Katie O'Neill ONI PRESS, 2020 ISBN: 9781620106891

When Mia the turtle, Norman the newt, and others need help completing difficult tasks, their adorable and supportive friend, axolotl Dewdrop, is there to cheer them on. (Part of a series.)

Don't Worry, Bee Happy (Bumble and Bee #1)

by Ross Burach SCHOLASTIC, 2019 ISBN: 9781338504934

In three short stories about picture day, hiccups, and dancing, Bee and Bumble love buzzing around their grouchy best friend Froggy. (Part of a series.)

Donut Feed the Squirrels (Norma and Belly #1) by Mika Song

RANDOM HOUSE GRAPHIC, 2020 ISBN: 9781984895837

After burning their

Arter barning trief breakfast, squirrels Norma and Belly stage a hilarious donut heist from a food truck in their neighborhood park. (Part of a series.)

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Fish Feud! (Squidding Around #1)

by Kevin Sherry GRAPHIX, 2020 ISBN: 9781338636680

Squizzard's big personality pushes friend Toothy too far. Can he win back his buddy, or will Squizzard spend his school days alone? (Part of a series.)

Fox & Rabbit

by Beth Ferry, illustrated by Gergely Dudás

AMULET, 2020 ISBN: 9781419740770

Five tales featuring Fox and Rabbit prove these best friends may not always agree with each other but always have fun. (*Part of a series.*)

Frank and Bean by Jamie Michalak,

illustrated by Bob Kolar CANDLEWICK, 2019 ISBN: 9780763695590

Despite opposing personalities, unlikely friends Frank and Bean make music together in this lighthearted and funny story.

Frankie and the Creepy Cute Critters by Caitlin Rose Boyle

ONI PRESS, 2020 ISBN: 9781620107829

Fairy Frankie searches for her identity and a better understanding of the creatures around her with the help of creepy-cute critters she befriends at her new school.

Gabby and Gator

by James Burks YEN PRESS, 2020 ISBN: 9781975318567

Misfits Gabby, an outsider, and Gator, a sewer snapper with a nasty habit of eating neighborhood pets, find their quirkiness makes their adventures together that much more fun.

The Great Bunk Bed Battle (Fox Tails #1) by Tina Kügler SCHOLASTIC, 2020 ISBN: 9781338561685

Fox siblings Fritz and Franny each try to entice their dog, Fred, to join them in bed. Imaginative journeys lead the three to castles, the sea, a volcano, and, ultimately, common ground. (Part of a series.)

InvestiGators

by John Patrick Green FIRST SECOND, 2020 ISBN: 9781250219954

In a world where alligators talk and travel the city by sewer, two SUIT (special undercover investigation team) agents prepare their VEST (very exciting spy technology) to solve mysteries and bring criminals to justice. (Part of a series.)

Karen's Witch (Baby-Sitters Little Sister #1)

by Ann M. Martin, illustrated by Katy Farina GRAPHIX, 2019

ISBN: 9781338356113

Convinced that their neighbor Mrs. Porter is a witch, Karen sets out to prove as much to her family and friends. (Part of a series.)

Let's Have a Sleepover! (Hello, Hedgehog! #2) by Norm Feuti

SCHOLASTIC, 2019 ISBN: 9781338281415

Harry is very anxious about their backyard sleepover, but Harry's understanding friend Hedgehog helps him out. (Part of a series.)

My Pencil and Me by Sara Varon

FIRST SECOND, 2020 ISBN: 9781596435896

This metatextual romp through the creative process features a girl, her pencil, and everything they can imagine as they create the book we are reading.

Narwhal's Otter Friend (Narwhal and Jelly #4) by Ben Clanton

TUNDRA BOOKS, 2019 ISBN: 9780735262485

In this continuation of a beloved series, Narwhal makes a new friend! But what will his dear old friend Jelly think? (Part of a series.)

Pea, Bee, & Jay: Stuck Together by Brian Smith

HARPERALLEY, 2020 ISBN: 9780062981172

A pea, a bee, and a blue jay become fast friends on their first of what will likely be many hilarious adventures. (Part of a series.)

Pizza and Taco: Who's the Best? by Stephen Shaskan

RANDOM HOUSE GRAPHICS, 2020; ISBN: 9780593123300

Pizza and Taco are best friends, but which one is the best? It is up to the

reader to decide in this hilarious comic of oneupmanship. (Part of a series.)

Shark and Bot by Brian Yanish

RANDOM HOUSE, 2020 ISBN: 9780593173350

Shark and Bot are different, but that won't hold the two back from an awesome friendship. (Part of a series.)

A Trip to the Top of the Volcano with Mouse (Trips with Mouse) by Frank Viva

TOON BOOKS, 2019 ISBN: 9781943145362

Did Mouse go to Italy to climb Mount Etna or to eat delicious pizza? Both, of course! This boldly illustrated book combines fact and fiction. (Part of a series.)

Who Is the Mystery Reader? (Unlimited Squirrels #2) by Mo Willems

HYPERION, 2019 ISBN: 9781368046862

Zoom Squirrel tests out a new superpower as we join the cast of squirrels for a puzzling mystery, quizzes, jokes, and more. (Part of a series.)

The Wolf in Underpants Freezes His Buns Off

by Wilfred Lupano, illustrated by Mayana Itoïz and Paul Cauuet

GRAPHIC UNIVERSE, 2020 ISBN: 9781541586949

A message about misplaced perceptions underpins the dependable hilarity of underpants in this sequel about a cranky wolf and his forest community. (Part of a series.)

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