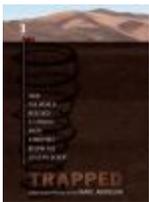


NON-FICTION:



Trapped

By Marc Aronson

J 363.119 ARO

Tells the story of 33 miners trapped in a copper-gold mine in San Jose, Chile and how experts from around the world, from drillers, to astronauts, to submarine specialists, came together to make their remarkable rescue possible.



Animals Alive

By DK Publishing

J 590 ANI

Explains biodiversity, discusses the role animals play in ecosystems, describes the threats affecting the lives of animals, and profiles various animals.

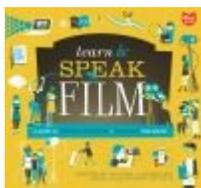


Starting From Scratch

By Sarah Elton

J 641.3 ELT

A book about food--how it works, why it works, and what kids need to know to have fun in the kitchen. Also includes some yummy recipes.



Learn to Speak Film

By Michael Glassbourg

J 791.43 GLA

Presents a guide to the basics of movie making, offering guidance on cinematography, visual storytelling, filming with a crew, post-production, and promoting the final product.



Every Last Drop

By Michelle Mulder

J 333.91 MUL

Looks at why the world's water resources are at risk and how communities around the world are finding innovative ways to quench their thirst and water their crops.

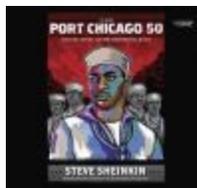


Josephine: the Dazzling Life of Josephine Baker

By Patricia Hurby Powell

J BIO BAKER

A portrait of the passionate performer and civil rights advocate Josephine Baker, the woman who worked her way from the slums of St. Louis to the grandest stages in the world.



The Port Chicago 50

By Steve Sheinkin

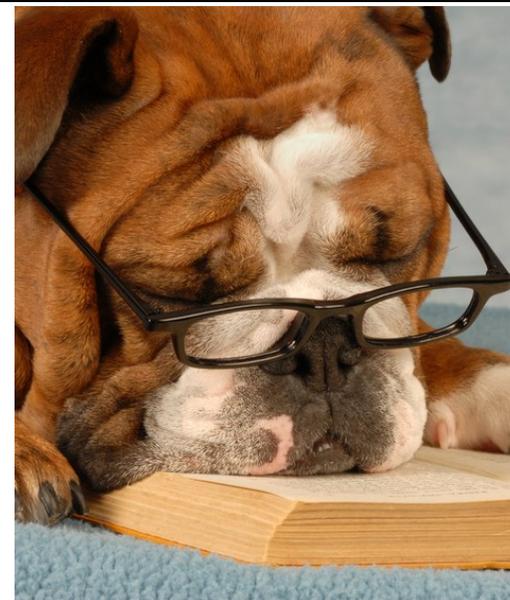
J 940.545 SHE

Presents an account of the 1944 civil rights protest involving hundreds of African-American Navy servicemen who were unjustly charged with mutiny for refusing to work in unsafe conditions after the deadly Port Chicago explosion.

For more book recommendations, ask a librarian. We'd love to help you and your child find the perfect book!



Reading List For Grades 5-6



Check out these novels, comic books and information books available in the Children's Room at the DCL!

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DeWitt, NY 13214
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www.dewlib.org

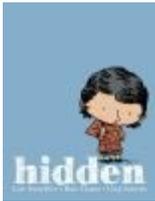
FICTION:



Jinx

By Sage Blackwood
J FIC BLACKWOOD

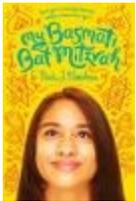
A young boy named Jinx encounters magic and danger as he grows up in the deep, dark forest known as the Urwald and discovers that the world beyond--and within--the Urwald is more complex than he could imagine.



Hidden: a Child's Story of the Holocaust

By Loïc Dauvillier
J GN DAUVILLIER

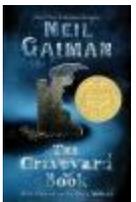
A grandmother shares the story of her experiences in WWII with her grandchild in this graphic novel for young readers.



My Basmati Bat Mitzvah

By Paula J. Freedman
J FIC FREEDMAN

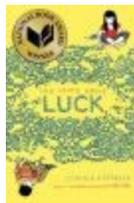
Tara Feinstein, proud of both her East Indian and Jewish heritage, questions what it means to have a bat mitzvah and deals with her own doubts about her faith.



The Graveyard Book

By Neil Gaiman
J FIC GAIMAN

After the grisly murder of his entire family, a toddler wanders into a graveyard where the ghosts and other supernatural residents agree to raise him as one of their own.



The Thing About Luck

By Cynthia Kadohata
J FIC KADOHATA

Just when Summer thinks nothing else can possibly go wrong in a year of bad luck, an emergency takes her parents to Japan, leaving Summer to care for her little brother while helping her grandmother cook and do laundry for harvest workers.



The Colossus Rises

By Peter Lerangis
J FIC LERANGIS

Teens Jack, Marco, Aly, and Cass begin a quest to find seven pieces of Atlantis' power that were hidden long ago and that will, if returned to Atlantis, save them from certain death due to the genetic abnormality that also gives them superior abilities.



A Snicker of Magic

By Natalie Lloyd
J FIC LLOYD

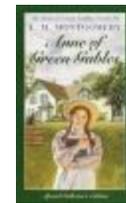
The Pickles are new to Midnight Gulch, Tennessee, a town which legend says was once magic.



Half a Chance

By Cynthia Lord
J FIC LORD

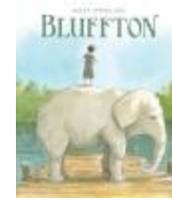
Lucy, with her mother and her photographer father, has just moved to a small rural community in NH, and with her new friend Nate she plans to spend the summer taking photos for a contest, but pictures sometimes reveal more than people are willing to see.



Anne of Green Gables

By L.M. Montgomery
J FIC MONTGOMERY

Anne, an eleven-year-old orphan, is sent by mistake to live with a lonely, middle-aged brother and sister on a Prince Edward Island farm and proceeds to make an indelible impression on everyone around her.



Bluffton: My Summers with Buster

By Matt Phelan
J GN PHELAN

A troupe of vaudeville performers has arrived in sleepy Muskegon, Michigan in 1908 to spend the summer. Young Henry Harrison is fascinated with the animals and performers, but mostly with a slapstick performer his own age named Buster Keaton, who is also a master prankster and loves to play baseball.



Sammy Keyes and the Showdown in Sin City

By Wendelin Van Draanen
J FIC VAN DRAANEN

When youth sleuth Sammy Keyes travels to Las Vegas to stop her mom from marrying her boyfriend's dad, she never expects she'll learn the identity of her absent father in the process.



The Mystery of the Missing Everything

By Ben H. Winters
J FIC WINTERS

Bethesda Fielding solves the mystery of a beloved missing trophy from her school.