

BERKELEY PUBLIC LIBRARY--BOOKS FOR FIFTH GRADERS

J FICTION *All fiction titles are shelved by the author's name. Some titles are also available as audiobooks or ebooks.*

- Bird, B. **Funny girl: funniest. stories. ever.** *Funny short stories, poems, and comic strips from today's top female authors*
 Blume, J. **Blubber** *Be a bystander, be a bully or be a target—Jill has to choose*
 Cao, W. **Bronze and Sunflower** *Sunflower is adopted by a poor but loving family in a village in China*
 Clements, A. **Loser's Club** *Alex starts an afterschool book club in order to be left alone to read*
 Codell, E. **Sahara Special** *What's so special about Sahara? Maybe her second time in 5th grade will be different*
 Curtis, C. **Bud, Not Buddy** *It's 1936 and Bud hits the road to find his missing father, who might be a jazz musician*
- Draper, S. **Out of My Mind** *Melody won't be defined by cerebral palsy and finding her voice, nothing can stop her*
 Erdrich, L. **The Birchbark House** *The joys of summer and the perils of winter with Omakayas's Ojibwa family, 1847*
 Fairlie, E. **The Lost Treasure of Tuckernuck** *Can they solve an 80 year old mystery before their school is demolished?*
 French, S. **Operation Redwood** *Julian Carter-Li fights to save an old-growth grove of trees from being cut down*
- Gantos, J. **The Key That Swallowed Joey Pigza** *Joey has a new baby brother, a mom in trouble, and a missing dad*
 George, J. **My Side of the Mountain** *Leave your family in the cramped apartment behind. Live in a tree with your falcon*
 Giff, P. **Eleven** *In a locked box in grandfather's attic lies the key to who Sam's identity*
 Gutman, D. **The Titanic Mission [Flashback Four]** *Four kids are sent back in time to take a photo of the Titanic as it sinks*
- Harrell, R. **Trouble with Weasles_[Life of Zarf]** *Middle school is hard enough but what if you are a troll?*
 Holm, J. **The Fourteenth Goldfish** *Ellie's grandfather has discovered a way to reverse aging and has turned into a teenager*
 Jones, K. **Unusual Chickens for the Exceptional Poultry Farmer** *Sophie's uncle leaves her the most unusual chickens*
 Kelly, E. **Hello Universe** *A bully's prank lands Virgil at the bottom of a well, intertwining the lives of four kids*
- L'Engle, M. **A Wrinkle in Time** *Mrs. Who, Mrs. Whatsit, and Mrs. Which are there to help*
 Lin, G. **Starry River of the Sky** *The moon is missing but only Rendi notices*
 Lowry, L. **Number the Stars** *In 1943 Denmark, Annemarie helps hide her Jewish friend from the Nazis*
- Meriano, A. **A Dash of Trouble [Love Sugar Magic]** *Leonora discovers she can add magic to her family's bakery goods*
 Messner, K. **All the Answers** *Ava's magic pencil promises to answer math test questions and more*
 Mlynowski, S. **Upside Down Magic** *Nory's wonky magic lands her in Dunwiddle Magic School*
- Palacio, R. **Wonder** *Augie, an ordinary kid with an extraordinary face, is the new student at school*
 Park, L. **A Single Shard** *An orphaned boy in medieval Korea longs to learn how to make fine ceramics*
 Patron, S. **The Higher Power of Lucky** *Lucky Trimble runs away while seeking the Higher Power that will bring her stability*
 Pennypacker **Pax** *After being forced to give up his pet fox Pax, a boy struggles to get his best friend back*
 Perkins, M. **Tiger Boy** *Neel's in a race to find the escaped tiger cub before poachers get ahold of her*
- Raskin, E. **The Westing Game** *A millionaire dies mysteriously but who will inherit the money?*
 Riordan, R. **The Sword of Summer** *Chase Magnus has always been trouble — maybe it's because he is the son a Norse god*
 Rocklin, J. **Five Lives of Our Cat Zook** *Oona's cat is critically ill but he still has lives yet to live, just as Oona herself does*
 Ryan, P. **Becoming Naomi Leon** *The mother who abandoned her returns, but Naomi tries to find her father in Mexico*
- Sachar, L. **Fuzzy Mud** *A shortcut through the woods leads to disaster and possibly the end of the world*
 Senzai, N. **Shooting Kabul** *Would you go from Afghanistan to San Francisco and back again to find your sister?*
 Shovan, L. **The Last Fifth Grade of Emerson Elementary** *Can the kids save their school? 18 different voices have their say*
 Sloan, H. **Short** *Short for her age, Julia grows into her sense of self in a production of The Wizard of Oz*
 Stevenson, R. **Treasure Island** *The classic pirate tale begins with the discovery of a dead man's map*
 Sutherland, T. **The Dragonet Prophecy [Wings of Fire]** *The Talons of Peace try to end a long war among the seven dragon tribes*
- Van Draanen **Sammy Keyes and the Hotel Thief** *Astrologer robbed! Sammy's on the case*
 Van Eekhout **The Boy at the End of the World** *Fisher knows just a few things like he must avoid the robot that knows his name*
 Vernon, U. **Castle Hangnail** *It was a marvelously dark and dour hour at the castle when the new mistress arrived*
 Weeks, S. **Save Me a Seat** *Ravi and Joe may be different, but they unite against a common classroom enemy*
 Williams-Garcia **One Crazy Summer** *Oakland, 1968 Delphine and her sisters come to meet their mother after years apart*
 Woods, B. **The Blossoming Universe of Violet Diamond** *A biracial girl meets the African American side of her family*

GRAPHIC NOVELS (Fiction)

- Camper, C. **Lowriders in Space** *Three friends customize their car to win the Universal Car Competition*
 Hale, N. **One Trick Pony** *Strata and a robotic horse must avoid the aliens destroying all technology*
 Hatke, B. **Mighty Jack** *Jack trades his mom's car for a box of mysterious seeds*
 Jamieson, V. **Roller Girl** *Roller derby can help mend a broken heart*
 Shiga, J. **Meanwhile** *The flavor of ice cream you chose could mean the destruction of life as we know it*
 Simpson, D. **Phoebe and Her Unicorn** *Phoebe wishes Marigold would become her best friend*
 Telgemeier **Sisters** *Three weeks, two sisters, one car—true story*
 Yang, G. **Secret Coders** *Hopper and her friend, Eni use coding to uncover the secret of Stately Academy!*
 Boothby, I. **Sparks!** *Can two heroic cats in a robotic dog suit save the world from the evil baby?*

NONFICTION - Titles are arranged by call number (subject). "GN" indicates Non-Fiction Graphic Novel section

Social Studies

- 305.9 Leat **Stormy seas : stories of young boat refugees** / Leatherdale, M.
 324.65 Ford **How Elections Work** / Ford, J.
 332.024 M175k **The Kids' Money Book** / McGillian, J.
 398.245 Ar675g **The Griffin and the Dinosaur** / Aronson, M.

STEAM: Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math

- 001.133 Scr17w **Coding Games in Scratch** / Woodcock, J.
 500 Sm541i **If...: A Mind Bending New Way of Looking at Big Ideas and Numbers** / Smith, D.
 508.866 C441i **Island: a Story of the Galápagos** / Chin, J.
 551.48 Bang **Rivers of sunlight : how the Sun moves water around the Earth** / Bang, M.
 553.63 K965s **The Story of Salt** / Kurlansky, M.
 576.8 P936b **Billions of Years, Amazing Changes** / Pringle, L.
 591.51 Cusi **Get the scoop on animal snot, spit & slime : from snake venom to fish slime, 251 cool facts about mucus, saliva & more!** / Cusick, D.
 579.5 Billups **It's a fungus among us : the good, the bad & the downright scary** / Billups, C.
 599.35 M349o **Oh Rats! The Story of Rats and People** / Marrin, A.
 598.33 Thornhill **The Tragic Tale of the Great Auk** / Thornhill, J.
 611.81 Swanson **Brain Games : the Mind-blowing Science of Your Amazing Brain** / Swanson, J.
 636.7 Wadsworth **Poop detectives : working dogs in the field** / Wadsworth, G.
 641.5 Se19n **National Geographic Kids Cookbook: a Year-Round Fun Food Adventure** / Seaver, B.
 777.7 Suen **Video Animation and Photography** / Suen, A.

Literature and Poetry

- 291 H18i **In the Beginning: Creation Stories from Around the World** / Hamilton, M.
 292 N162t **Tales from the Arabian nights : stories of adventure, magic, love, and betrayal** / Napoli, D.
 811 Si64e **Echo echo : reverso poems about Greek myths** / Singer, M.
 808.1 Alexander **Out of wonder : poems celebrating poets** / Alexander, K.

History and Biography

- GN 306.362 H134u **Underground Abductor: An Abolitionist Tale** / Hale, N.
 341.67 Atkins **Fred Korematsu Speaks Up** / Atkins, L.
 759.1 P662b **A Splash of Red: the Life and Art of Horace Pippin** / Bryant, J.
 920 Hernandez **Danza! : Amalia Hernández and el Ballet Folklórico de Mexico** / Tonatiuh, D.
 GN 793.8 H813f **Escape! The Story of the Great Houdini** / Fleischman
 797.32 K12c **Surfer of the Century: the Life of Duke Kahanamoku** / Crowe, E.
 920 Engle **Bravo! : poems about amazing Hispanics** / Engle, M.
 920 F854b **Electric Ben: the Amazing Life and Times of Benjamin Franklin** / Byrd, R.
 920 Gin **I Dissent: Ruth Bader Ginsburg Makes Her Mark** / Levy, D.
 920 L942w3 **Ada Byron Lovelace and the Thinking Machine** / Wallmark
 920 Z616d **The Great Voyages of Zheng He** / Demi
 940.53 Osborne **World War II** / Osborne, M.
 972.01 B413a **Amazing Maya Inventions You Can Build Yourself** / Bell-Rehwoldt, S.
 973.049 Sm53t **28 Days: Moments in Black History that Changed the World** / Smith, C.
 974.71 M315s **Statue of Liberty : Liberty, Enlightening the World [Series: Wonders of the World Book]** / Mann, E.
 GN 976.335 B812d **Drowned City : Hurricane Katrina & New Orleans** / Brown, D.