

Pugs of the Frozen North / Philip Reeve

## J FICTION REEVE

A step up from early chapter books, Not-So-Impossible-Tales are packed

with big adventure, quirky misfits, and lively art.



Echo Echo: Reverso Poems about Greek Myths / Marilyn Singer J811 SINGER

Mirror poems meant to be read backwards and forwards present two sides of classic Greek myths.



Weekends with Max and His Dad / Linda Urban

## **NEXT STEP FICTION URBAN**

Third-grader Max pursues neighborhood adventures with his dad as they

both adjust to recent changes in their family.



Ada Byron Lovelace and the Thinking Machine / Laurie Wallmark

## J BIOGRAPHY LOVELACE

This biography introduces readers to the amazing Ada Byron Lovelace, creator of the world's first computer program.

Twenty-Two Cents: Muhammad Yunus and the Village Bank / Paula Yoo

## **J BIO YUNUS**

The story of a Nobel Peace Prize winner who changed the lives of people in poverty through founding a micro-loans bank, making small but significant changes in the lives of millions of people.

# **Reading Beyond**

These books were chosen by the American Library Association and

# Children's Book Council Joint Committee

to provide guidance to parents in discovering books for children who read at an advanced level and are seeking more challenging, but still age-appropriate, books.





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# **Baldwin Public Library**

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Trombone Shorty / Troy Andrews

J BIO ANDREWS

The true story of a musician who bucked the odds to achieve his dreams.



Good Luck, Anna Hibiscus / Atinuke

#### **NEXT STEP FICTION ATINUKE**

This charming book joyfully details Anna's life in contemporary Africa, while gently exploring social justice

issues in a way sure to captivate young readers.



Ada Twist, Scientist / **Andrea Beaty E BEATY** 

CIENTIST The story of Ada, a young scientist whose family embraces her passion

for science despite some messy experiments.



Comets. Stars, the Moon, and Mars: Space Poems and Paintings / Douglas Florian J811 FLORIAN

Blast off into space with these poems about stars and planets!



Mathematickles! / Betsy Franco J811 FRANCO

A collection of seasonal poems that creatively incorporate mathematical language and concepts.



Mighty Jack / Ben Hatke **GRAPHIC NOVEL MIGHTY** 

What starts as a normal garden behind the house quickly grows up into a

magical jungle with tiny onion babies, pumpkins that bite, and a dragon.



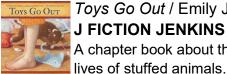
The Boy Who Loved Math: The Improbably Life of Paul Erdos / Deborah Heiligman J BIO ERDOS

A joyous biography of famed mathematician Paul Erdos.



When the Beat was Born: DJ Kool Herc and the Creation of Hip Hop / Laban Carrick Hill J BIO KOOL

The exciting story of DJ Kool Herc, who is credited with creating hip-hop music in New York City in the 1970s, told through rhythmic text and engaging illustrations.



Toys Go Out / Emily Jenkins J FICTION JENKINS A chapter book about the secret



I Dissent: Ruth Bader Ginsburg Makes Her Mark / Debbie Levy J BIO GINSBURG

The first Jewish woman to sit on the United States Supreme Court, Ginsburg's life story and fight for

equal rights for all is the subject of this biographical picture book.



Juana and Lucas / Juana Medina

# **NEXT STEP FICTION MEDINA**

The series debut of Juana, a girl living in Colombia, and her dog Lucas. Ideal for fans of Judy Moody and Clarice Bean.



Detective Gordon: The First Case / Ulf Nilsson

## **NEXT STEP FICTION NILSSON**

A chapter book mystery starring Detective Gordon, a toad searching for the thieves behind a stolen stash

of nuts in a woodland setting.



Tiger Boy / Mitali Perkins J FICTION PERKINS

Acclaimed author Mitali Perkins crafts an adventure story about a young Bengali boy in search of an escaped tiger cub.



Frank and Lucky Get Schooled / Lynne Rae Perkins **E PERKINS** 

Frank and his rescue dog Lucky experience learning in the "school"

that is their neighborhood.



Tricky Vic / Greg Pizzoli J BIO LUSTIG

This is the true story of the greatest conman of the early 20th century.



Wet Cement: A Mix of Concrete Poems / Bob Raczka J811 RACZKA

Raczka's quirky peoms are fun and inspiring. They're sure to hook many young poets-who-just-don'tknow-it!