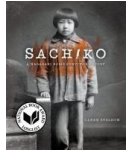




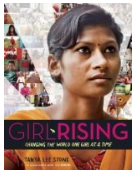
Everland / Wendy Spinale
YA FICTION SPINALE

In a London destroyed by a blitz of bombs and disease, Gwen Darling and her siblings find safety with a daredevil boy named Pete and his gang of Lost Boys.



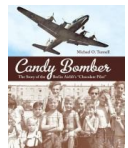
Sachiko: A Nagasaki Bomb Survivor's Story / Caren Stelson
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In the aftermath of the bombing of her hometown of Nagasaki, survivor Sachiko Yasui seeks self-healing.



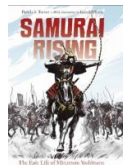
Girl Rising: Changing the World One Girl at a Time / Tanya Lee Stone
YA 371.822 STONE

A compelling collection of stories of girls around the world who pursue their education, despite efforts to keep them from attending school.



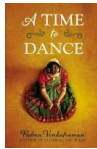
Candy Bomber: The Story of the Berlin Air-Lift's "Chocolate Pilot" / Michael Tunnell
J 943.155 TUNNELL

A US Air Force pilot drops candy to the children of blockaded West Berlin at the end of the European conflict during World War II.



Samurai Rising / Pamela S. Turner
J BIOGRAPHY MINAMOTO

This stylish graphic adaptation of the Bard's romantic tragedy offers modern touches and a diverse cast that underscores the story's universality.



A Time to Dance / Padma Venkatraman
YA FICTION VENKATRAMAN

Veda lives and breathes dance, until an accident shatters her dreams. This inspiring story recounts her struggle to regain her passion and find peace.



The Watch That Ends the Night: Voices from the Titanic / Allan Wolf
Y FICTION WOLF

The Titanic story told in verse through twenty-four distinct voices and extensive back matter, including coded messages to decipher and historical documents.

Reading Beyond

These books were chosen by the
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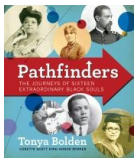
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Children in
Grades 4-5
Who are
Reading At a
7th Grade Level**



*Pathfinders: The Journeys of 16
Extraordinary Black Souls /*
Tonya Bolden
J 920 BOLDEN

A collection of sixteen mini-biographies of African-American trailblazers.



Hour of the Bees / Lindsay Eager
Y FICTION EAGAR

Magic blends with reality in a stunning coming-of-age novel about a girl, a grandfather, wanderlust, and reclaiming your roots.



*The Ranger's Apprentice: The Ruins
of Gorlan /* Jon Flanagan
Y FICTION FLANAGAN

When 15-year-old Will is rejected by battleschool, he becomes the reluctant apprentice to the mysterious Ranger Halt, and winds up protecting the kingdom from danger.



We Will Not be Silent /
Russell Freedman
J 943.086 FREEDMAN

The story of the White Rose student resistance movement that defied Nazi Germany.



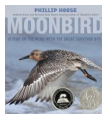
The Inquisitor's Tale / Adam Gidwitz
J FICTION GIDWITZ

A medieval tale, told from multiple points of view, about three children with extraordinary gifts on an incredible journey.



*One Last Word: Wisdom from the
Harlem Renaissance /* Nikki Grimes
J 811 GRIMES

Nikki Grimes shares classic poetry and her own poems to bring the Harlem Renaissance to life for young readers.



*Moonbird: A Year on the Wind with
the Great Survivor B95 /*
Phillip Hoose
J 598.072 HOOSE

Phillip Hoose takes us around the hemisphere with the world's most celebrated shorebird.



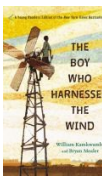
*Red Scarf Girl: A Memoir of the
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J 951.05 JIANG

This autobiography is the true story of one girl's determination to hold her family together during a terrifying era in Chinese history.



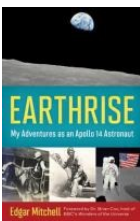
Unidentified Suburban Object /
Mike Jung
J FICTION JUNG

A satirical but honest look at being both a bright, sensitive middle-schooler, and a so-called "model-minority" in a decidedly not-diverse town...with a surprise twist!



*The Boy Who Harnessed the
Wind /* William Kamkwamba
J BIOGRAPHY KAMKWAMBA

The memoir of William Kamkwamba, who created a windmill to bring lighting to his family home in Malawi. A true story about ingenuity from a pioneering spirit.



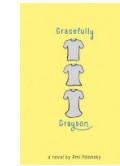
*Earthrise: My Adventures as an
Apollo 14 Astronaut /* Edgar
Mitchell
J BIOGRAPHY MITCHELL

Recollections from the sixth man to ever walk on the Moon.



*This Same Sky: A Collection of
Poems from Around the World /*
Naomi Shihab Nye
J 808.81 THIS

Poems by poets from sixty-eight countries, reflecting a wide variety of experiences.



Gracefully Grayson / Ami Polansky
Y FICTION POLANSKY

Grayson feels stuck in the wrong gender's body, but hopes to be cast as the female lead in the school play.



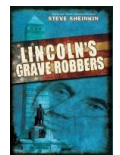
The Lightning Queen / Laura Resau
J FICTION RESAU

The Lightning Queen offers a glimpse of the encounter between the Rom and the Mixtec Indians, while telling the heart-warming story of an unlikely friendship that spans generations.



Splendors and Gloom /
Laura Amy Schlitz
Y FICTION SCHLITZ

Laura Amy Schlitz brings her sorcery to a Victorian gothic thriller--an enthralling, darkly comic tale that would do Dickens proud.



Lincoln's Grave Robbers /
Steve Sheinkin
J 973.7092 SHEINKIN

Learn how a counterfeiting ring plotted to ransom Lincoln's body to secure the release of their imprisoned ringleader.



Falling Sideways /
Jordan Sonnenblick
Y FICTION SONNENBLICK

When Claire's beloved father unexpectedly has a stroke in front of her, it changes everything.