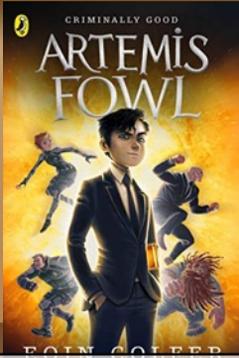




The Frozen Sea by Piers Torday

The Frozen Sea is an enjoyable and thrilling return to the magical world of Folio. This story follows Jewel and her hilarious hamster, Fizz, who hide in an old bookshop to escape the bullies that are chasing her. Whilst inside, she stumbles across an unusual atlas which acts as a portal and transports her to Folio, a kind of enchanting Narnia. She meets a librarian who gives her an exciting but dangerous task; to rescue her Aunt Evie, the Empress of Folio. Jewel embarks on an adventure of a lifetime, where she learns some important truths along the way. The Frozen Sea, is a story you will instantly fall in love with and will make your imagination run wild!

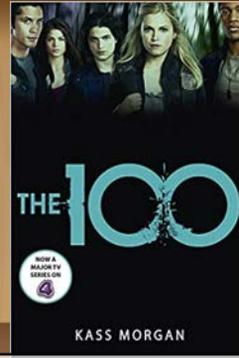
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Artemis Fowl by Eoin Colfer



The Secret of Platform 13 by Eva Ibbotson

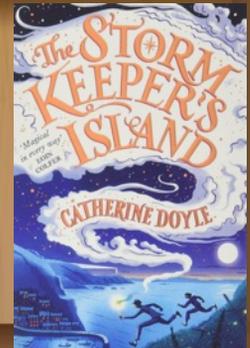


The 100 by Kass Morgan



A Face like Glass by Frances Hardinge

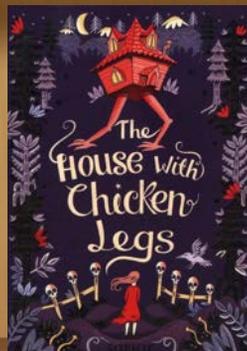
When Fionn Boyle sets foot on Arranmore Island, it begins to stir beneath his feet ... Once in a generation, Arranmore Island chooses a new Storm Keeper to wield its power and keep its magic safe from enemies. The time has come for Fionn's grandfather, a secretive and eccentric old man, to step down. Soon, a new Keeper will rise. But, deep underground, someone has been waiting for Fionn. As the battle to become the island's next champion rages, a more sinister magic is waking up, intent on rekindling an ancient war.



The Storm Keeper's Island by Catherine Doyle



The Last Chance Hotel by Nicki Thornton



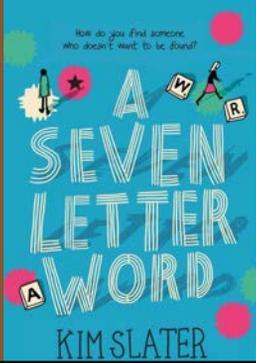
The House with Chicken Legs by Sophie Anderson



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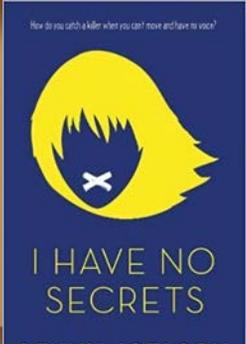
A Seven Letter Word by Kim Slater

Finlay is a Scrabble genius struggling to overcome a stutter that has become worse since his mum mysteriously left. In his new Nottingham-based school, he struggles with bullying and making new friends, but can an online Scrabble player help him to find both his mum and his voice?

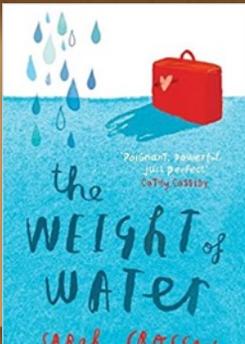
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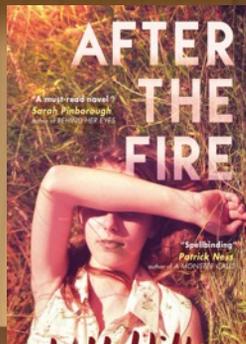
See You In The Cosmos by Jack Cheng



I Have No Secrets by Penny Joelson



The Weight of the Water by Sarah Crossan

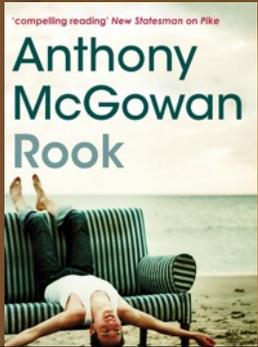


After the Fire by Will Hill

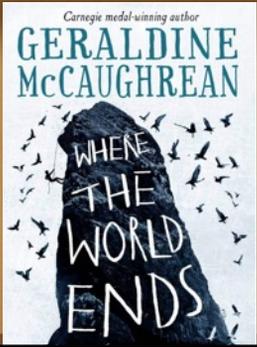
Budi's plan is simple. He's going to be a star. Budi's going to play for the greatest team on earth, instead of sweating over each stitch he sews, each football boot he makes. But one unlucky kick brings Budi's world crashing down. Now he owes the Dragon, the most dangerous man in Jakarta. Soon it isn't only Budi's dreams at stake, but his life. A story about dreaming big, about hope and heroes, and never letting anything stand in your way.



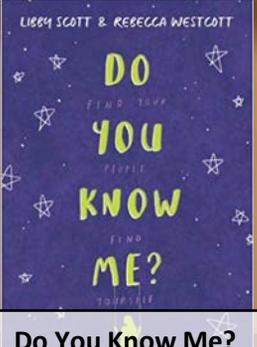
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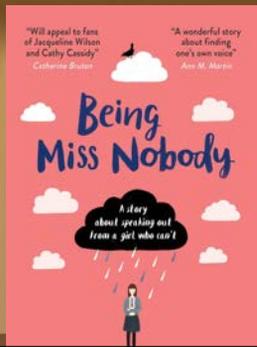
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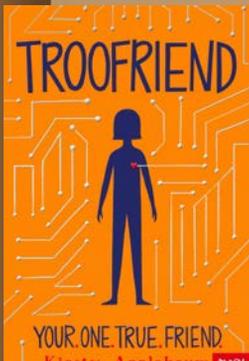
Where the World Ends by Geraldine McCaughrean



Do You Know Me? by Libby Scott and Rebecca Westerfield



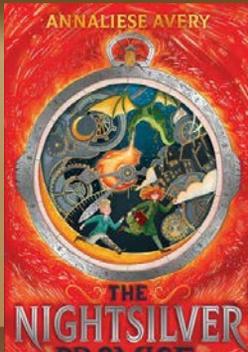
Being Miss Nobody by Tamsin Winter



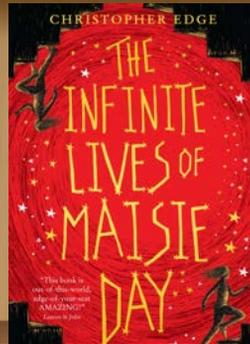
TrooFriend by Kirsty Applebaum

Imagine having the perfect friend, one who never steals, lies or bullies. Now you can; with the TrooFriend 560, the latest in artificial intelligence! What can go wrong with a robot buddy? Especially one that's developing human characteristics and feelings, and who has just run away with her human?

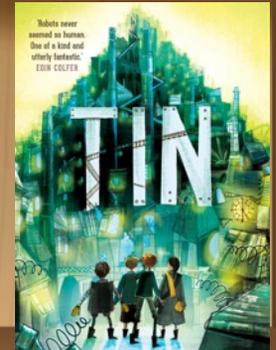
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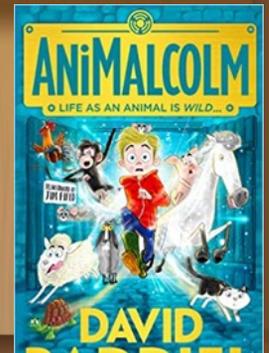


The Infinite Lives of Maisie Day by Christopher Edge



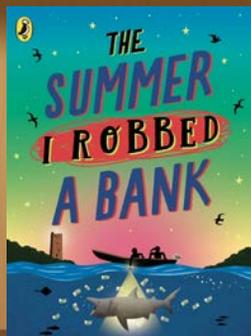
Tin by Padraig Kenny

Malcolm does not like animals, which is unfortunate as he lives in a house full of pets with his family who seem obsessed with them. He tries to get over his disappointment at not receiving the birthday present he asked for by looking forward to the Y6 residential trip, until he finds out it is a visit to a farm. Malcolm's life is transformed when he comes face to face with a strange old goat at the farm, leading to a series of magical adventures which make Malcolm fear that he will never get home safely. He realises that his rescue is in the paws and hooves of the animals he has always shunned. Join Malcolm on his journey through the animal kingdom and you will not be disappointed.

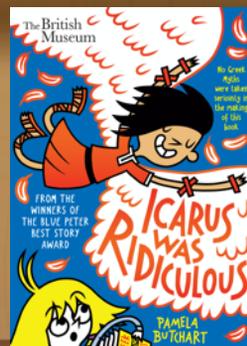


AniMalcolm by David Baddiel

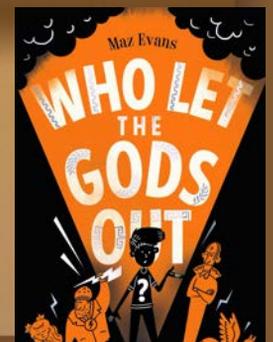
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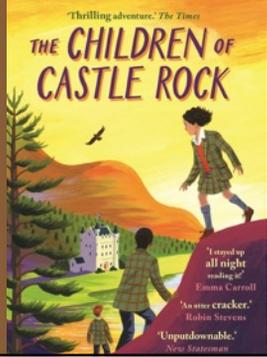
The Summer I Robbed the Bank by David O'Doherty



Icarus was Ridiculous by Pamela Butchart



Who Let The Gods Out by Maz Evans



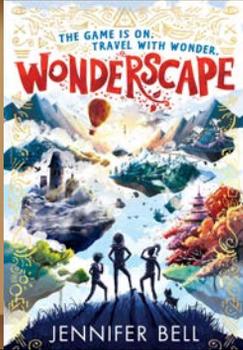
When Alice Mistlethwaite is shipped off to boarding school in Scotland it's nothing like she imagines. Run by the mysterious Major, there are no punishments and the students are more likely to be taught about body painting or extreme survival than maths or English! Then Alice's dad goes missing and she must run away to find him. Can she persuade her new friends to help? So begins an epic quest across wild Scottish highlands and islands, where friendships will be made and broken, lies will be untangled and the children will face danger and excitement at every turn.

The Children of Castle Rock by Natasha Farrant

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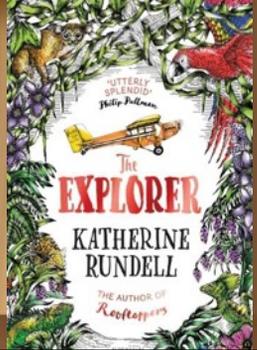
The Way Past Winter - Kiran Millwood Hargrave



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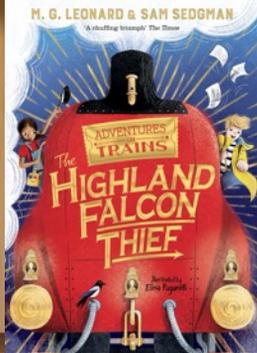


Where the River Runs Gold by Sita Brahmachari



The Explorer by Katherine Rundell

Harrison is accompanying his Uncle Nat, a travel writer who has been invited to report on the final journey of the royal train, The Highland Falcon. Joining them on the four day tour around Britain is a group of esteemed invited guests, including an eccentric Countess with her five spoiled Samoyeds, a glamorous film star, a German Baron and his son and a rich entrepreneur and his wife. When a precious brooch disappears without trace, it seems that a notorious jewel thief is among the passengers or crew. Harrison and his surprise new friend are determined to solve the mystery and recover the brooch before the train arrives back at Paddington Station. Climb aboard for a first class mystery story!

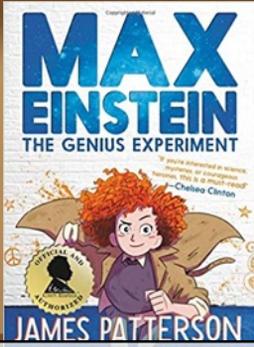


Highland Falcon Thief by M.G. Leonard

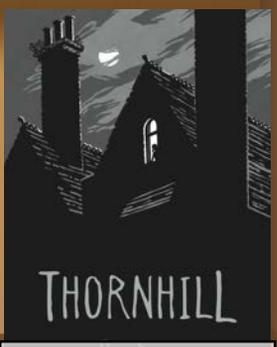
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Kat Wolfe Investigates by Lauren St John



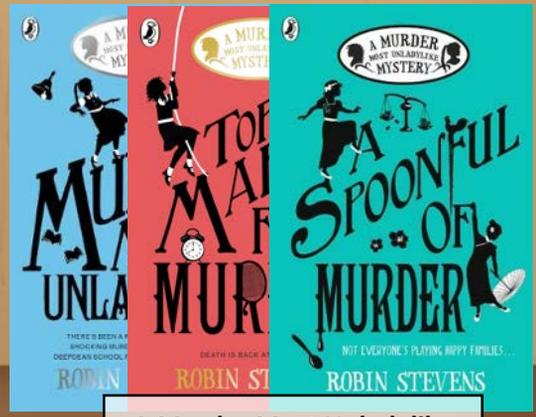
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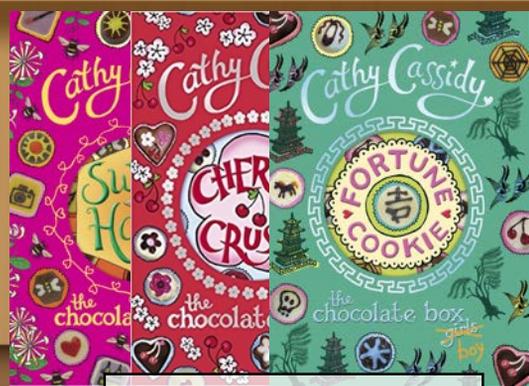
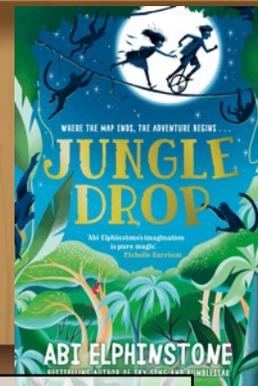
Skulduggery Pleasant by Derek Landy



Cogheart Adventure by Peter Bunzl



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The Fowl Twins by Eoin Colfer

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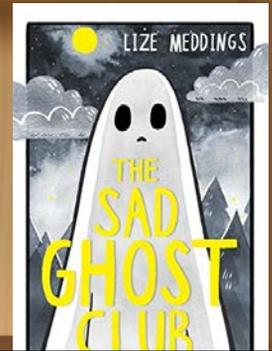
Boy, Everywhere by
A.M. Dassu

This debut novel chronicles the harrowing journey taken by Sami and his family from privilege to poverty, across countries and continents, from a comfortable life in Damascus, via a smuggler's den in Turkey, to a prison in Manchester. A story of survival, of family, of bravery ... In a world where we are told to see refugees as the 'other', this story will remind readers that 'they' are also 'us'.

Family. Survival. Refugees.

Ever felt anxious or alone? Like you don't belong anywhere? Like you're almost... invisible? Find your kindred spirits at The Sad Ghost Club. (You are not alone. Shhh. Pass it on.). This is the story of one of those days - a day so bad you can barely get out of bed, when it's a struggle to leave the house, and when you do, you wish you hadn't. But even the worst of days can surprise you. When one sad ghost, alone at a crowded party, spies another sad ghost across the room, they decide to leave together. What happens next changes everything. Because that night they start The Sad Ghost Club - a secret society for the anxious and alone, a club for people who think they don't belong.

Anxiety. Loneliness. Friendships. Graphic Novel.



The Sad Ghost Club by
Liz Meddings

A thrilling World War II adventure set in occupied France, featuring an Indian RAF pilot. Thirteen-year-old Joelle Breton stumbles across Indian-born RAF pilot Mohinder Singh when his plane crashes in occupied France and it's up to her and her parents to hide him from the Nazis. After all, her parents are brave members of the French Resistance and will do everything they can to help get Mohinder back to Britain. But when they are betrayed and tragedy strikes, Joelle and Mohinder will have to act fast if they are ever to evade the enemy.

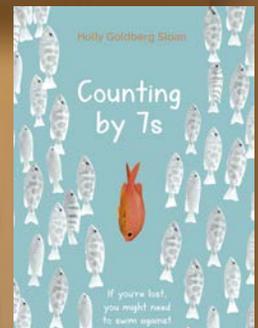
World War Two. Diverse Historical Fiction.



Mohinder's War by Bali
Rai

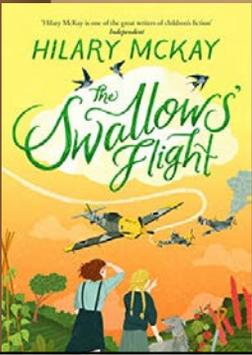
COUNTING BY 7S tells the story of Willow Chance, a twelve-year-old genius who is obsessed with diagnosing medical conditions and finds comfort in counting by 7s. It has never been easy for her to connect with anyone other than her adoptive parents, but that hasn't kept her from leading a quietly happy life . . . until now. Suddenly Willow's world is tragically changed when her parents both die in a car crash, leaving her alone in a baffling world. Her journey to find a fascinatingly diverse and fully believable surrogate family is a joy and a revelation to read.

Grief. Loss. Loneliness.



Counting by 7s by Holly
Goldberg Sloan

New for 2021



The Swallow's Flight
by Hilary McKay

Erik and Hans are German boys. Ruby and Kate are English girls. They grow up in worlds that would never meet, until war tumbles their lives together. Then one September afternoon there are choices to be made.

How is courage lost, and found? Who is really the enemy? And what does friendship truly mean, in the middle of a war?

Meanwhile Rupert and Clarry work secretly for peace – and a brighter future for them all . . .

Historical fiction

Late one night a schoolgirl is attacked in a city park. When a stranger rushes to her rescue, Genna Adams believes it's luck that their paths crossed. Then a week later, the same boy saves her from being kidnapped and Genna realises this is no coincidence. But the explanation offered by the boy, Phoenix, is even stranger than she could have imagined - a long-forgotten foe has tracked her across lifetimes to lay claim to Genna's very soul.

As the hunters close in, Genna has no choice but to trust her mysterious protector - and soon she is swept into a deadly adventure, racing across time to save herself and, ultimately, the human race.

Adventure



The Soul Hunters by
Chris Bradford