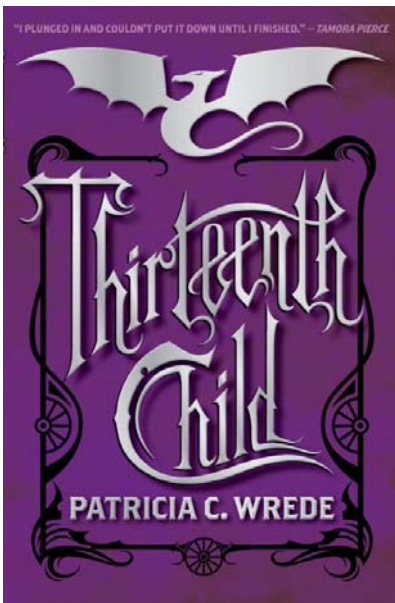


New Titles Highlights April-May 2010

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Fiction



Eff was born a thirteenth child. Her twin brother, Lan, was born the seventh of a seventh son. This means he's supposed to possess amazing talent - and she'd bring only bad things to her family and her town. Undeterred, her family moves to Frontier, where her father will be a professor of magic at the school perilously close to the magic divide that separates settlers from the beasts of the wild. . . .

"The world-building is effortless. . . The culminating adventure of this volume ties up Eff's coming of age with a frontier-style bow while leaving her poised for more adventures"

Kirkus Reviews, starred review

9780545033459 P.B \$8.99 May 2010 Ages 12+

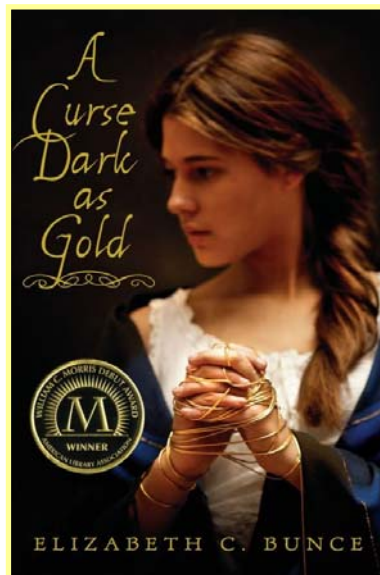
As Charlotte struggles to manage the difficulties she inherits along with Stirwaters Woollen Mill, she discovers a shadow world at the fringes of the familiar: Dark magic, restless spirits, a mysterious Helper. A wicked uncle, an age-old curse.... How can Charlotte prevail with such forces allied against her?

In this novel inspired by "Rumpelstiltskin," the miller's daughter of the fairy tale comes to life as a young woman determined to save her family and her mill--whatever the cost.

This award-winning debut novel is a ghost story, spun with a romance, woven with a mystery, and shot through with fairy tale.



Winner of the 2009 William C. Morris Young Adult Debut Award



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Fiction

THE AMAZING ADVENTURES OF NATE BANKS

Includes an 8-page full-colour comic book insert!



Sixth grader Nate Banks, who's obsessed with comic books, leads a normal life until he discovers his history teacher may be a superhero.

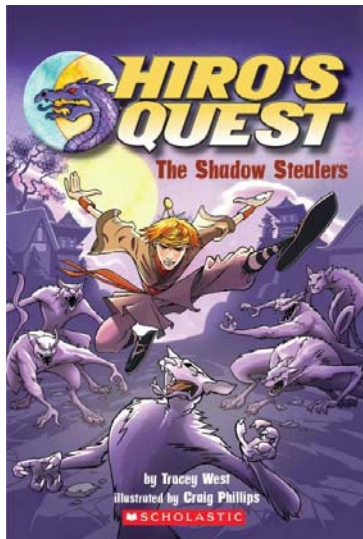
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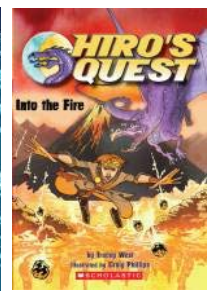
Next summer you'll stay home...if you survive!

The food isn't great. The counselors are a little strange. And the camp director seems demented. Billy can handle all that. But then strange things start to happen after dark, his parents won't answer his letters, and his fellow campers start to disappear. What's going on? Camp Nightmare is turning into Camp Nightmare! And Billy might be next.



In this exciting new graphic novel series from New York Times-bestselling author Tracey West, a ninja-in-training must use skills he doesn't know he has to defeat a deadly enemy. Books 1 and 2 already available!

HIRO'S QUEST

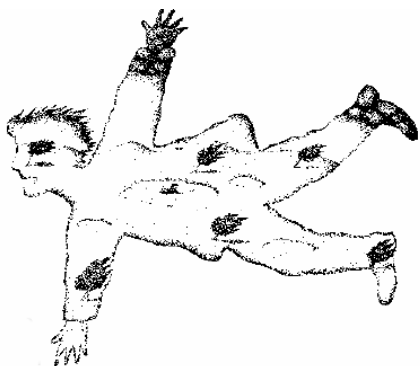


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Enemy Rising 9780545162883
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Fiction



The Dreamer

Pam Munoz Ryan, illustrated by Peter Sis

From the time he is a young boy, Neftalí hears the call of a mysterious voice. Even when the neighborhood children taunt him, and when his harsh, authoritarian father ridicules him, and when he doubts himself, Neftalí knows he cannot ignore the call. Under the canopy of the lush rain forest, into the fearsome sea, and through the persistent Chilean rain, he listens and he follows. . . and becomes one of the most widely read poets in the world, Pablo Neruda.

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El Sonador

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Combining elements of magical realism with biography, poetry, literary fiction, and sensorial, transporting illustrations, Pam Muñoz Ryan and Peter Sis take readers on a rare journey of the heart and imagination.

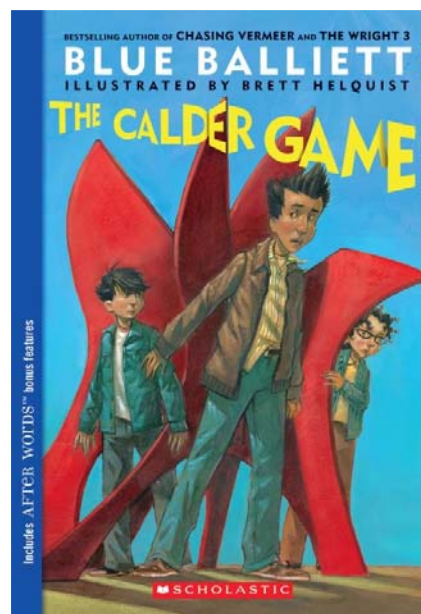
"Ryan writes movingly in clear, poetic language that children will sink into" Booklist

Starred reviews in
Publishers Weekly
and Booklist

9780439852081 PB \$7.99

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When Calder Pillay travels with his father to a remote village in England, he finds a mix of mazes and mystery, including an unexpected Alexander Calder sculpture in the town square. Calder is strangely drawn to the sculpture, while other people have less-than-friendly feelings towards it. Both the boy and the sculpture seem to be out of place and then, on the same night, they disappear! Calder's friends Petra and Tommy must fly out to help his father find him. But this mystery has more twists and turns than a Calder mobile...with more at stake than first meets the eye.



"A winning combination of mystery, art education and quirky characters" Parade

"Acclaimed for her sophisticated juggling of art concepts, mystery, philosophy and storytelling, Balliett outdoes herself with this ambitious novel" Publishers Weekly

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#8: The Emperor's Code

As the race to find the 39 Clues builds to its explosive finish, Amy and Dan must explore the ancient culture of (SORRY - TOO TOP SECRET TO REVEAL) and steal a Clue guarded by thousands of the world's best-trained soldiers. It's the most dangerous Clue search yet . . . and it may mean the end for Amy and Dan.

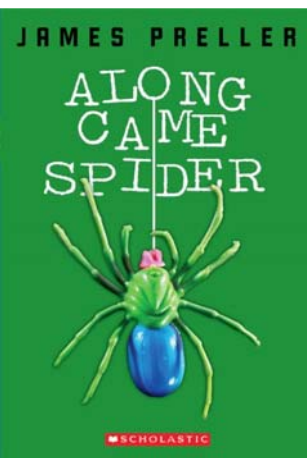


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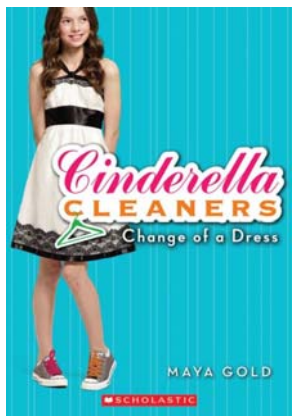
Spider Stevens and Trey Cooper have lived next door to each other their entire lives. Their houses are on the odd-numbered side of Maple Street, which seems just about right. Because Trey Cooper is a little odd himself. It didn't matter when they were little kids — you know, way back in second grade. And it doesn't matter so much when they're at home on Maple Street. That's just Trey being Trey. But it matters in the fifth grade. The whole class thinks Trey is weird. Does that mean Spider has to turn his back on his oldest friend?

“Preller adeptly portrays the psychological and social dynamics of this age group and Trey is realistic and sympathetic as a misfit”

Kirkus Reviews



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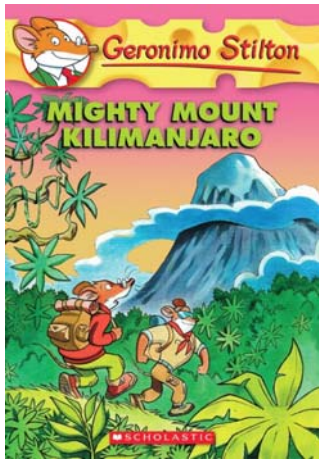


Meet Diana who finds a mysterious invitation in a fancy coat brought into her family's dry-cleaning business, Cinderella Cleaners. The title alone, prepares the reader for a modern day retelling of the classic fairytale, Cinderella. "Prep Cool" sees Diana sneaking into a posh private school to catch a thief... but will she pass as a prep school student or flunk big time?

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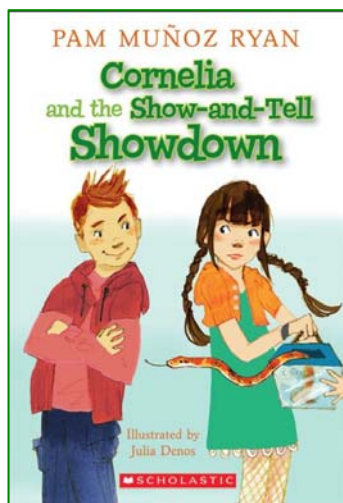
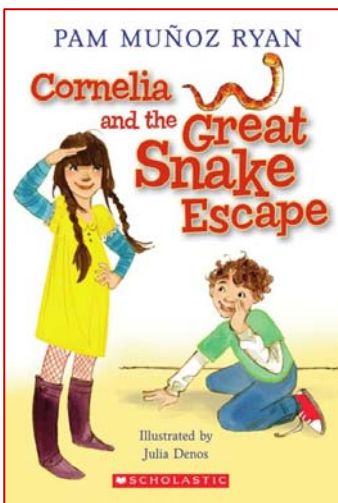
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Fiction



Bruce Hyena is back, and he's convinced Geronimo to accompany him on another totally extreme adventure--a climb to the top of Mount Kilimanjaro in Africa! Will Geronimo discover the secret to making it to the summit?

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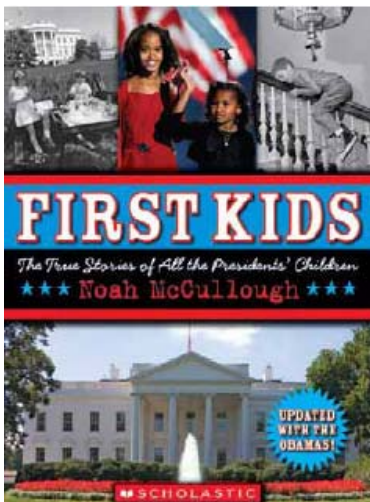


A heartwarming and hilarious new beginning chapter book series from award-winning author Pam Munoz Ryan.

Great Snake Escape
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Show-and-Tell Showdown
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Non Fiction



From the private quarters of the White House, this book - written by a 14 year old political whiz kid - will make readers laugh and get hooked on history in a way they never thought possible! First Kids are kids like any other: they just lived with parents who happened to be busy running the free world. Discover likes and dislikes and learn about everything from the games they played to the vegetables they despised. **UPDATED WITH THE OBAMAS!!**

9780545175388 PB \$7.99 April 2009 Ages 9-12

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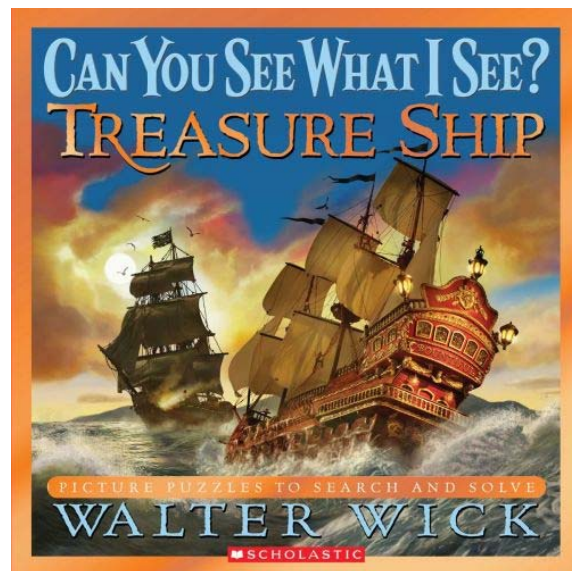
This bright, tactile board book celebrates a first encounter with the hottest season: summer! Bold, simple illustrations and textures show what a child first sees, hears, touches, and tastes. And no matter how sticky it may be outside, this child ends up safe and cool in Daddy's arms. The last instalment in this series of four seasonal offerings.

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Amazing photos accompany a fun search-and-find game by Walter Wick, the creator of award-winning picture books and the photographer of the bestselling I Spy series.

A pirate ship and a chest of gold take readers on a journey through time that leads to the location of purloined treasures. Beginning with a zoom of a gold coin, photographs pull back to reveal the story of the coin's travels from the hull of a pirate ship in the 1700's to the shore of a beach town today. Wick has built a series of sets that tell a story and create a game that will delight and challenge readers of all ages.



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