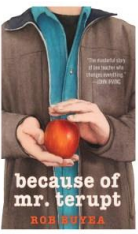
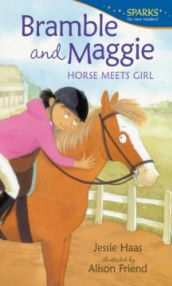

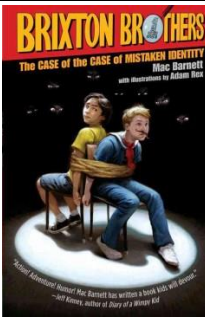
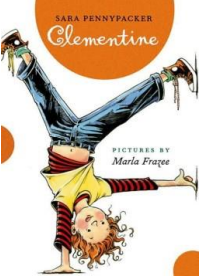


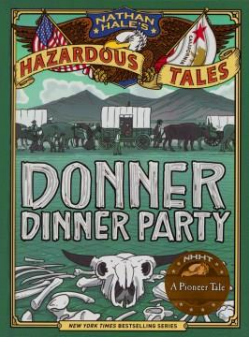
# High Interest Books

Title/ Author(s)/ AR Info/ Location	Summary	Book Cover
<b>13-Story Treehouse</b> by Andy Griffiths <i>Treehouse; 1</i> AR Level: 3.8 AR Points: 1 Hardcopy: FIC GRI	Andy and Terry are trying hard to write their next book but they are constantly distracted by the many animals and special rooms in their thirteen story treehouse.	
<b>The Absent Author</b> by Ron Roy <i>A to Z Mysteries; 1</i> AR Level: 3.4 AR Points: 1 Hardcopy: FIC ROY	Dink Duncan and his two friends investigate the apparent kidnapping of famous mystery author Wallis Wallace.	
<b>The Ball Hogs</b> by Rich Wallace <i>Kickers; 1</i> AR Level: 3.7 AR Points: 2 Hardcopy – FIC WAL	Nine-year-old Ben, a natural athlete and member of the Bobcats co-ed soccer team, wants to overcome his inexperience and prove himself on the field, but his obnoxious teammate, Mark, keeps hogging the ball.	
<b>Batter Up</b> by Jake Maddox <i>Jake Maddox Sports Series</i> AR Level: 4.0 AR Points: 1 Hardcopy – FIC MAD <a href="#">MackinVIA Ebook</a>	Caleb has always batted with the same wood bat--until the other team accuses Caleb of cheating by tampering with the bat. Now Caleb is forced to use the aluminum bat. How is he supposed to help his team win when he keeps striking out?	

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<p><b>Because of Mr. Terupt</b> by Rob Buyea</p> <p><i>Terupt; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.7 AR Points: 5</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC BUY MackinVIA Ebook</p>	<p>Seven fifth-graders at Snow Hill School in Connecticut relate how their lives are changed for the better by "rookie teacher" Mr. Terupt.</p>	
<p><b>Bramble and Maggie</b> by Jessie Haas</p> <p><i>Bramble and Maggie; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 2.1 AR Points: 0.5</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC ERD</p>	<p>Maggie, a little girl who longs for a horse of her own, finds her match in Bramble, a horse who has grown tired of riding lessons and walking in circles.</p>	
<p><b>Captain Awesome to the Rescue</b> by Stan Kirby</p> <p><i>Captain Awesome; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.8 AR Points: 1</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC KIR</p>	<p>When second-grader Eugene and his family move to a new neighborhood and he starts at a new school, he has a chance to bring out his superhero alter ego, Captain Awesome, to find the kidnapped class hamster.</p>	
<p><b>The Case of Case of Mistaken Identity</b> by Mac Barnett</p> <p><i>Brixton Brothers; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.1 AR Points: 4</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC BAR</p>	<p>Twelve-year-old Steve Brixton, a fan of Bailey Brothers detective novels, is mistaken for a real detective and must elude librarians, police, and the mysterious Mr. E as he seeks a missing quilt containing coded information.</p>	
<p><b>Clementine</b> By Sara Pennypacker</p> <p><i>Clementine; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.5 AR Points: 2</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC PEN</p>	<p>While sorting through difficulties in her friendship with her neighbor Margaret, eight-year-old Clementine gains several unique hairstyles while also helping her father in his efforts to banish pigeons from the front of their apartment building.</p>	

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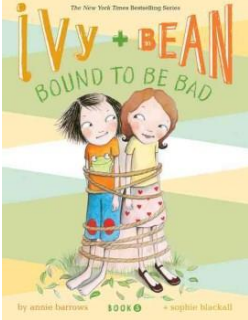
<p><b>The Cross of Lead</b> by Avi</p> <p><i>Crispin; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 5.0 AR Points: 7</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC AVI</p>	<p>Falsely accused of theft and murder, an orphaned peasant boy in fourteenth-century England flees his village and meets a larger-than-life juggler who holds a dangerous secret.</p>	
<p><b>Dog Heaven</b> by Graham Salisbury</p> <p><i>Calvin Coconut; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 2.8 AR Points: 2</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC SAL</p>	<p>When his teacher asks him to write a persuasive argument about something he really wants, fourth-grader Calvin creates a unique way to express his desire for a dog.</p>	
<p><b>Donner Dinner Party</b> by Nathan Hale</p> <p><i>Nathan Hale's Hazardous Tales</i></p> <p>AR Level: 2.7 AR Points: 2</p> <p>Hardcopy – 741.5 HAL <b>MackinVIA Ebook</b> (Graphic Novel)</p>	<p>Presents a humorous graphic novel about the true story of the Donner family, who in 1846 took a bad shortcut through the Rocky Mountains and ended up stranded in the mountains throughout the winter of that year.</p>	
<p><b>Dragonbreath series</b> by Ursula Vernon</p> <p><i>Dragonbreath; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.3 AR Points: 1</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC VER</p>	<p>Danny Dragonbreath and his friend Wendell get an up-close underwater tour of the Sargasso Sea from Danny's sea-serpent cousin, encountering giant squid and mako sharks--and learn about standing up to bullies in the process.</p>	
<p><b>Dying to Meet You</b> By Kate Klise</p> <p><i>43 Old Cemetery Road; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.9 AR Points: 2</p>	<p>In this story told mostly through letters, children's book author, I. B. Grumpy, gets more than he bargained for when he rents a quiet place to write for the summer.</p>	

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<p>Hardcopy – FIC KLI</p> <p><b>Eva's Treetop Festival</b> by Rebecca Elliot</p> <p><i>Owl Diaries; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.0 AR Points: 0.5</p> <p><b>MackinVIA Ebook</b></p>	<p>Having a Bloomtastic Festival at school to celebrate spring is a great idea--but Eva Wingdale, a young owl, discovers that it is also a lot of work, and there is nothing wrong with asking her friends for help.</p>	
<p><b>The Fairy-Tale Detectives</b> by Michael Buckley</p> <p><i>Sisters Grimm; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 5.2 AR Points: 9</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC BUC <b>MackinVIA Ebook</b></p>	<p>Orphans Sabrina and Daphne Grimm are sent to live with an eccentric grandmother that they have always believed to be dead.</p>	
<p><b>The Field Guide</b> by Tony DiTerlizzi</p> <p><i>Spiderwick Chronicles; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.2 AR Points: 1</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC DIT</p>	<p>The Grace children discover a field guide to fairies in their Great Aunt Lucinda's old Victorian house that sends them on a fantastic journey into a world of elves, dwarves, and trolls.</p>	
<p><b>Frank Einstein and the Antimatter Motor</b> By Jon Scieszka</p> <p><i>Frank Einstein; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.7 AR Points: 3</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC SCI <b>*MackinVIA Ebook</b></p>	<p>In his Grandpa Al's garage workshop, child genius Frank Einstein tries to invent a robot that can learn on its own, and after an accident brings wisecracking Klink and overly expressive Klank to life, they set about helping Frank perfect his Antimatter Motor until his archnemesis, T. Edison, steals the robots for his doomsday plan.</p>	
<p><b>Ghost</b> by Jason Reynolds</p> <p><i>Track; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.6 AR Points: 6</p> <p>Hardcopy: FIC REY <b>MackinVIA Ebook &amp; Audio</b></p>	<p>Ghost, a naturally talented runner and troublemaker, is recruited for an elite middle school track team. He must stay on track, literally and figuratively, to reach his full potential.</p>	

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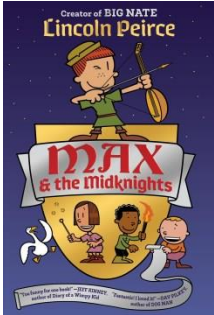
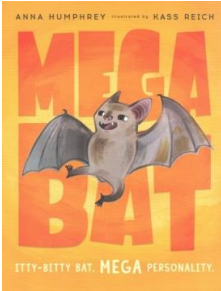
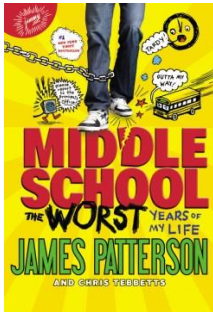


<p><b>Harriet the Invincible</b> by Ursula Vernon</p> <p>Hamster Princess; 1</p> <p>AR Level: 5.1 AR Points: 2</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC VER</p>	<p>Never a conventional princess, Harriet becomes an adventurer after learning she is cursed to fall into a deep sleep on her twelfth birthday, but after two years of slaying ogres, cliff-diving, and more with her riding quail, Mumfrey, things go awry at home and she must seek a prince to set things right.</p>	
<p><b>A Hero's Guide to Saving the Kingdom</b> by Christopher Healy</p> <p><i>A Hero's Guide; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 5.0 AR Points: 12</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC HEA</p>	<p>Liam, Frederic, Duncan, and Gustav, all former princes who had been rejected by their princesses and cast out of their castles, encounter trolls, witches, and dragons during their quest to become heroes.</p>	
<p><b>How to Train Your Dragon</b> by Cressida Cowell</p> <p><i>How to Train Your Dragon; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 6.6 AR Points: 5</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC COW</p>	<p>Chronicles the adventures and misadventures of Hiccup Horrendous Haddock the Third as he tries to pass the important initiation test of his Viking clan, the Tribe of the Hairy Hooligans, by catching and training a dragon.</p>	
<p><b>In High Gear</b> by Jessica Scott Kerrin</p> <p><i>Martin Bridge; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.4 AR Points: 1</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC KER</p>	<p>Martin Bridge and his friends get ready for the science fair, but a classmate refuses to do his part; and Martin gets advice from a grouchy old aunt and learns the importance of helping others.</p>	
<p><b>Ivy &amp; Bean Bound to be Bad</b> by Annie Burrows</p> <p><i>Ivy &amp; Bean; 5</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.2 AR Points: 1</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC BUR <b>MackinVIA Ebook</b></p>	<p>Best friends Ivy and Bean learn that being very good, or very bad, can be a real challenge when they set out to become like a man Ivy heard about who was so pure of heart that birds and animals followed him.</p>	

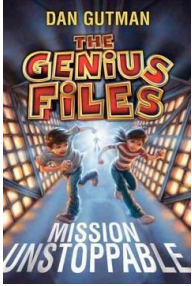
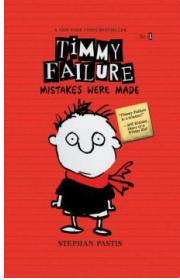
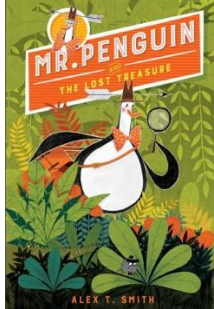

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<p><b>Kickoff</b> By Tiki &amp; Ronde Barber</p> <p><i>Barber Game Time</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.3 AR Points: 5</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC BAR <b>MackinVIA Ebook</b></p>	<p>Twelve-year-olds Tiki and Ronde tryout for the junior high football team and hope to not only get a spot but also to be a part of the starting lineup.</p>	
<p><b>Knights of the Kitchen Table</b> by Jon Scieszka</p> <p><i>Time Warp Trio; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.8 AR Points: 1</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC SCI <b>*MackinVIA Audiobook</b></p>	<p>Joe, Fred, and Sam are sent back in time by a magic book, and find themselves face-to-face with giants, dragons, wizards, and the Knights of the Round Table.</p>	
<p><b>The Last Kids on Earth</b> by Max Brallier</p> <p><i>Last Kids on Earth; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.1 AR Points: 3</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC BRA <b>MackinVIA Ebook &amp; Audiobook</b></p>	<p>Ever since the monster apocalypse hit town, average 13-year-old Jack Sullivan has been living in his tree house, which he's armed to the teeth with catapults &amp; a moat, &amp; video games &amp; an endless supply of Oreos &amp; Mountain Dew scavenged from abandoned stores. But Jack alone is no match for the hordes of Zombies &amp; Vine Thingies, &amp; especially not for the eerily intelligent monster known only as Blarg.</p>	
<p><b>The Last Musketeer</b> by Stuart Gibbs</p> <p><i>Last Musketeer; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 5.0 AR Points: 7</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC GIB</p>	<p>On the first day of a family trip to Paris, Greg Rich's parents disappear. They're not just missing from the city-they're missing from the century. So Greg does what any other fourteen-year-old would do: He travels through time to rescue them.</p>	
<p><b>Lost! A Dog Called Bear</b> by Wendy Orr</p> <p><i>Rainbow Street Shelter; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.4 AR Points: 1</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC ORR</p>	<p>When Logan's dog runs away as he and his mother are moving to a new home after his parents separate, a girl named Hannah, who longs for a dog of her own, finds him.</p>	

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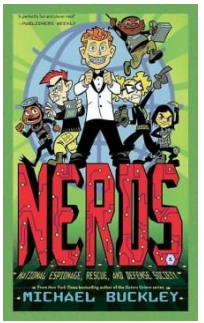
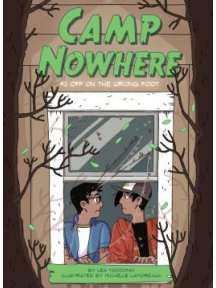
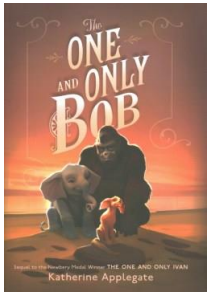
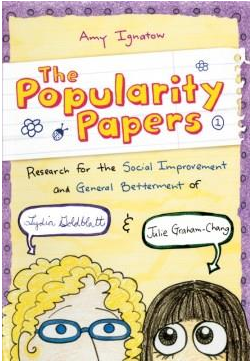
<p><b>Lunch Lady and the Cyborg Substitute</b> by Jarrett Krosoczka</p> <p><i>Lunch Lady; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 2.2 AR Points: 0.5</p> <p>Hardcopy – 741.5 KRO (Graphic Novel)</p>	<p>The school lunch lady, a secret crime fighter, uncovers an evil plot to replace all the popular teachers with robots.</p>	
<p><b>Max and the Midnights</b> by Lincoln Peirce</p> <p><i>Max and the Midnights</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.3 AR Points: 3</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC PEI MackinVIA Audiobook</p>	<p>Max and a group of friends dubbed the Midnights go on a quest to rescue the Kingdom of Byjovia from the mean King Gastley!</p>	
<p><b>MegaBat</b> By Anna Humphrey</p> <p><i>Megabat; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.9 AR Points: 2</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC HUM</p>	<p>Daniel Misumi has just moved to a new house AND it's haunted . . . or is it? Megabat was just napping on a papaya one day when he was stuffed in a box and shipped halfway across the world. Now he's living in an old house far from home, feeling sorry for himself and accidentally scaring the people who live there. Daniel realizes it's not a ghost in his new house. It's a bat. And he can talk. And he's actually kind of cute. Megabat realizes that not every human wants to whack him with a broom.</p>	
<p><b>Middle School the Worst Years of My Life</b> by James Patterson</p> <p><i>Middle School; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.5 AR Points: 4</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC PAT MackinVIA Ebook</p>	<p>When Rafe Kane enters middle school, he teams up with his best friend, "Leo the Silent," to create a game to make school more fun by trying to break every rule in the school's code of conduct.</p>	

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<p><b>Mission Unstoppable</b> by Dan Gutman</p> <p><i>Genius Files; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.8 AR Points: 8</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC GUT MackinVIA Audiobook</p>	<p>On a cross-country vacation with their parents, twins Coke and Pepsi, soon to be thirteen, fend off strange assassins as they try to come to terms with their being part of a top-secret government organization known as The Genius Files.</p>	
<p><b>Mistakes Were Made</b> by Stephan Pastis</p> <p><i>Timmy Failure; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.8 AR Points: 3</p> <p>MackinVIA Ebook</p>	<p>May include sheet of temporary tattoos. Meet Timmy Failure, the founder, president, and CEO of the best detective agency in town, probably the nation. And his lazy sidekick, Total, a 1,500-pound polar bear.</p>	
<p><b>Mr. Penguin and the Lost Treasure</b> By Alex T. Smith</p> <p>Mr. Penguin; 1</p> <p>AR Level: 5.6 AR Points: 2</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC SMI</p>	<p>Aspiring Professional Adventurer Mr. Penguin and his colleague, Colin the spider, try to find a treasure rumored to be buried in The Museum of Extraordinary Objects before bandits do.</p>	
<p><b>The Name of This Book is Secret</b> by Pseudonymous Bosch</p> <p><i>Secret Series; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 5.6 AR Points: 9</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC BOS</p>	<p>Cassandra and Max find a missing magician's notebook and start to investigate the fire which burnt down his house and his mysterious "symphony of smells."</p>	

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<p><b>National Espionage, Rescue, and Defense</b> By Michael Buckley</p> <p><i>NERDS; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 5.3 AR Points: 9</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC BUC <b>MackinVIA Ebook</b></p>	<p>While running a spy network from their elementary school, five unpopular misfits combine their talents and use cutting-edge gadgetry to fight evil around the world.</p>	
<p><b>Off on the Wrong Foot</b> by Lea Taddonio</p> <p><i>Camp Nowhere; 2</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.0 AR Points: 0.5</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC TAD</p>	<p>Cooper and Cruz Garcia are making do at Camp Nowhere, but then one of their bunkmates goes missing! Cooper and Cruz investigate, and find a huge footprint outside their cabin. They can think of only one thing that leaves tracks like that! And What does that mean for their missing bunkmate.</p>	
<p><b>One and Only Bob</b> by Katherine Applegate</p> <p><i>One and Only; 2</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.9 AR Points: 4</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC APP <b>MackinVIA Ebook</b></p>	<p>Bob sets out on a dangerous journey in search of his long-lost sister with the help of his two best friends, Ivan and Ruby. As a hurricane approaches and time is running out, Bob finds courage he never knew he had and learns the true meaning of friendship and family.</p>	
<p><b>Research for the Social Improvement and General Betterment of Lydia Goldblatt &amp; Julie Graham-Chang</b> by Amy Ignatow</p> <p><i>Popularity Papers; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.0 AR Points: 2</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC IGN</p>	<p>Two best friends embark on a project to study the behavior and taste of the popular girls at their elementary school so that by the time they get to middle school they too will be in the right crowd and record their findings in the form of a scrapbook.</p>	


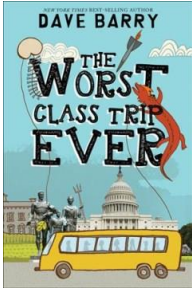
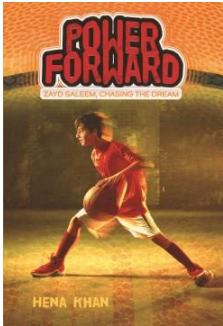
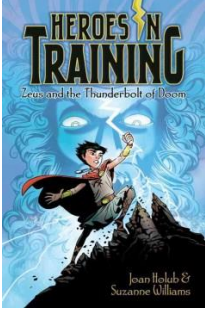
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<p><b>Secret Identity</b> By Wendelin Van Draanen</p> <p><i>Shredderman; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.3 AR Points: 2</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC MCD</p>	<p>Fifth-grader Nolan Byrd, tired of being called names by the class bully, has a secret identity--Shredderman!</p>	
<p><b>Stealing the Sword</b> By Wendy Mass</p> <p><i>Time Jumpers; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.8 AR Points: 1</p> <p>MackinVIA Ebook</p>	<p>At the flea market nine-and-a-half-year-old Chase and his younger sister Ava acquire an old suitcase filled with rows of carefully packed strange objects, and when they handle one of the objects (a dragon-headed doorknob) they find themselves in King Arthur's castle, on a mission to save the King--and pursued by a strange man whom they first saw at the flea market, who is after their suitcase.</p>	
<p><b>Stink The Incredible Shrinking Kid</b> By Megan McDonald</p> <p><i>Stink Moody; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.0 AR Points: 1</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC MCD *MackinVIA Ebook</p>	<p>The shortest kid in the second grade, James Moody, also known as Stink, learns all about the shortest president of the United States, James Madison, when they celebrate Presidents' Day at school.</p>	
<p><b>The Strange Case of Origami Yoda</b> by Tom Angleberger</p> <p><i>Origami Yoda; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.7 AR Points: 3</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC ANG MackinVIA Ebook</p>	<p>Sixth-grader Tommy and his friends describe their interactions with a paper finger puppet of Yoda, worn by their weird classmate Dwight, as they try to figure out whether or not the puppet can really predict the future. Includes instructions for making Origami Yoda.</p>	
<p><b>Swindle</b> by Gordon Korman</p> <p><i>Swindle; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.9 AR Points: 5</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC KOR</p>	<p>After unscrupulous collector S. Wendell Palomino cons him out of a valuable baseball card, sixth-grader Griffin Bing puts together a band of misfits to break into Palomino's heavily guarded store and steal the card back, planning to use the money to finance his father's failing invention, the Smart Pick fruit picker.</p>	

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<p><b>The Tail of Emily Windsnap</b> by Liz Kessler</p> <p><i>Emily Windsnap; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.8 AR Points: 6</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC KES <b>*MackinVIA Ebook</b></p>	<p>After finally convincing her mother that she should take swimming lessons, twelve-year-old Emily discovers a terrible and wonderful secret about herself that opens up a whole new world.</p>	
<p><b>The Terrible Two</b> by Mac Barnett</p> <p><i>Terrible Two; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.5 AR Points: 4</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC BAR <b>*MackinVIA Ebook</b></p>	<p>When master prankster Miles Murphy moves to sleepy Yawnee Valley, he challenges the local, mystery prankster in an epic battle of tricks but soon the two join forces to pull off the biggest prank ever seen.</p>	
<p><b>Treasure Hunters</b> by James Patterson</p> <p><i>Treasure Hunters; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.6 AR Points: 6</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC PAT <b>*MackinVIA Audiobook</b></p>	<p>Following clues left by their missing father, twelve-year-old twins Bickford and Rebecca Kidd sail from the Caribbean to New York City with their siblings to finish the dangerous quest of their world-famous treasure-hunting parents.</p>	
<p><b>The Truth!</b> By Karen Tayleur</p> <p><i>David Mortimore Baxter</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.5 AR Points: 1</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC TAY</p>	<p>Caught "bending the truth" again, young David Mortimore Baxter decides to follow a strict diet of honesty which lands him in even more trouble.</p>	
<p><b>We the Children</b> By Andrew Clements</p> <p><i>Benjamin Pratt and the Keepers of the School; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 5.2 AR Points: 3</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC CLE</p>	<p>Ben and his friend Jill find themselves in danger when they discover the secret history of their Massachusetts school and set out to derail a developer's plan to level the building to make way for an amusement park.</p>	

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<p><b>The Wishing Spell</b> by Chris Colfer</p> <p><i>The Land of Stories; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 5.0 AR Points: 15</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC COL</p>	<p>Through the mysterious powers of a cherished book of stories, twins Alex and Conner leave their world behind and find themselves in a foreign land full of wonder and magic where they come face-to-face with the fairy tale characters they grew up reading about.</p>	
<p><b>The Worst Class Trip Ever</b> by Dave Barry</p> <p><i>Worst; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 4.8 AR Points: 6</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC BAR</p>	<p>When the eighth grade civics class of Miami's Culver Middle School goes on a trip to Washington, D.C., Wyatt Palmer finds himself in deep trouble before the plane even lands because his best friend, Matt, has decided the men sitting behind them are terrorists and it is up to the boys to stop them.</p>	
<p><b>Zayd Saleem, Chasing the Dream</b> by Hena Khan</p> <p><i>Power Forward; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.8 AR Points: 2</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC KHA</p>	<p>Fourth-grader Zayd yearns to play basketball on the Gold Team, but when he skips orchestra rehearsal to practice, his parents forbid anything basketball-related, and tryouts are coming soon.</p>	
<p><b>Zeus and the Thunderbolt of Doom</b> by Joan Holub</p> <p><i>Heroes in Training; 1</i></p> <p>AR Level: 3.8 AR Points: 2</p> <p>Hardcopy – FIC HOL</p>	<p>Ten-year-old Zeus, irritated that he keeps getting struck by lightning, discovers a magical thunderbolt embedded in a stone and embarks on the adventure of a lifetime when he is attacked by the Titans, who have been kidnapping other Olympian children with powers comparable to Zeus's.</p>	

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