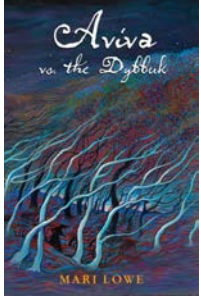
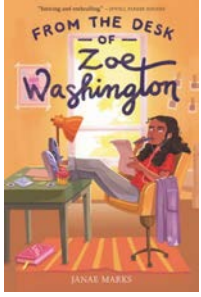





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	<p><i>Elf Dog & Owl Head</i> by M.T. Anderson and Junyi Wu</p>	<p>Quarantined with his family as a global plague ravages the world, Clay retreats to the woods where he meets a special little dog who leads him on surreal adventures where choosing the wrong path could cause them both to lose their way forever.</p>
	<p><i>Odder</i> by Katherine Applegate</p>	<p>Odder spends her days off the coast of central California, practicing her underwater acrobatics and spinning the quirky stories for which she's known. But when Odder comes face-to-face with a hungry great white shark, her life takes a dramatic turn, one that will challenge everything she believes about herself--and about the humans who hope to save her.</p>
	<p><i>The Book That No One Wanted to Read</i> by Richard Ayode and Tor Freeman</p>	<p>The life of a book isn't easy, especially when people judge you by your cover (not every book can be adorned with sparkly unicorns!). And this narrator should know—it's the book itself, and it has a lot of opinions. It gets irritated when readers bend its pages back, and it finds authors quite annoying. But it does have a story to tell.</p>
	<p><i>Winston Chu vs. the Whimsies</i> by Stacey Lee</p>	<p>Winston Chu saves the owner of a curiosities shop from a robbery only to be gifted a broomstick and a dustpan for his trouble--items that turn out to be more a curse than a blessing when they sweep away important stuff, like his baby sister. A modern reimagining of a classic Chinese folktale—replete with magic, boba, and lots of trash talking.</p>
	<p><i>Home Away From Home</i> by Cynthia Lord</p>	<p>Mia and her mom visit Grandma in Maine every summer, but this year Mia is going alone. Her mom will stay behind to get their house ready to sell. It'll be a new start, she says, after the divorce. Mia doesn't want a new start. She'd rather everything just stayed the same! Then Mia meets Grandma's know-it-all new neighbor, who's just her age.</p>



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	<p><i>Aviva vs. the Dybbuk</i> by Mari Lowe</p>	<p>A long ago "accident." An isolated girl named Aviva. A community that wants to help but doesn't know how. And a ghostly dybbuk (that no one but Aviva can see) causing mayhem and mischief that everyone blames on her.</p>
	<p><i>Zoe Washington series</i> by Janae Marks</p>	<p>Zoe Washington isn't sure what to write. What does a girl say to the father she's never met, hadn't heard from until his letter arrived on her twelfth birthday, and who's been in prison for a terrible crime? A crime he says he never committed. Could Marcus really be innocent? Zoe is determined to uncover the truth.</p>
	<p><i>Leeva at Last</i> by Sara Pennypacker and Matthew Cordell</p>	<p>What are people for? That's the burning question on the mind of Leeva Spayce Thornblossom. With the help of an orphaned badger, a risk-averse boy in a hazmat suit, and the town's librarians, Leeva sets off to discover her own answer—setting off a chain of events that will change Nutsmore forever.</p>
	<p><i>A Rover's Story</i> by Jasmine Warga</p>	<p>Meet Resilience, a Mars rover determined to live up to his name. Res was built to explore Mars. He was not built to have human emotions. But as he learns new things from the NASA scientists who assemble him, he begins to develop humanlike feelings. As millions of people back on Earth follow his progress, will Res have the determination, courage, and resilience to succeed... and survive?</p>
	<p><i>Finally Seen</i> by Kelly Yang</p>	<p>When ten-year-old Lina Gao steps off the plane in Los Angeles, it's her first time in America and the first time seeing her parents and her little sister in five years! She's been waiting for this moment every day while she lived with her grandmother in Beijing. Finally, her parents are ready for her to join their fabulous life in America! Except, it's not exactly like in the postcards.</p>

