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Prince Hal is upset – he wants the moon.

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So the King and Queen send their servants, Grim and Crumb, out to catch the moon for him, with hilarious consequences. This charming story by award-winning author Mal Peat and Elspeth Graham is illustrated by Xiao Xin. • Blue/Band 4 books offer longer, repeated patterns with sequential events and integrated literary and natural

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language. • Text type: A simple story with a familiar setting • Children can recap the main stages of the story on pages 14–15, providing lots of speaking and listening opportunities. • Curriculum links: Knowledge and Understanding of the world

Learn why NASA astronaut Mike Collins

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calls this extraordinary space race story "the best book on Apollo": this inspiring and intimate ode to ingenuity celebrates one of the most daring feats in human history. When the alarm went off forty thousand feet above the moon's surface, both astronauts looked down at the computer to see 1202 flashing on the

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readout. Neither of them knew what it meant, and time was running out . . . On July 20, 1969, Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin became the first humans to walk on the moon. One of the world's greatest technological achievements -- and a triumph of the American spirit -- the Apollo 11 mission was a mammoth

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undertaking involving more than 410,000 men and women dedicated to winning the space race against the Soviets. Set amid the tensions and upheaval of the sixties and the Cold War, Shoot for the Moon is a gripping account of the dangers, the challenges, and the sheer determination that defined not only Apollo 11, but also

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the Mercury and Gemini missions that came before it. From the shock of Sputnik and the heart-stopping final minutes of John Glenn's Mercury flight to the deadly whirligig of Gemini 8, the doomed Apollo 1 mission, and that perilous landing on the Sea of Tranquility -- when the entire world held its breath while Armstrong and Aldrin

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battled computer alarms, low fuel, and other problems -- James Donovan tells the whole story. Both sweeping and intimate, Shoot for the Moon is "a powerfully written and irresistible celebration" of one of humankind's most extraordinary accomplishments (Booklist, starred review).

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In a book with foldout pages, Monica's father fulfills her request for the moon by taking it down after it is small enough to carry, but it continues to change in size. Moving in with the grandfather she never knew after the death of her mother, 17-year-old Emily witnesses bizarre supernatural activities in her new North

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Carolina community while befriendng its remarkable residents. By the author of The Sugar Queen. Reprint.

A Kirkus Reviews Best Book of the Year

This lyrical middle-grade novel-in-verse celebrates the power of story and of finding one's individual voice. Keet knows the only good thing about moving away

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from her Alabama home is that she'll live near her beloved grandfather. When Keet starts school, it's even worse than she expected, as the kids tease her about her southern accent. Now Keet, who can talk the whiskers off a catfish, doesn't want to open her mouth. While fishing with her grandfather, she learns the art of listening

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and gradually, she makes her first new friend. But just as she's beginning to settle in, her grandfather has a stroke, and even though he's still nearby, he suddenly feels ever-so-far-away. Keet is determined to reel him back to her by telling him stories; in the process she finds her voice and her grandfather again. A Cooperative

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Children's Book Center Choices Selection

When Grandma was a little girl in Mississippi, she sneaked into town one day. It was a hot day—the kind of hot where a firecracker might light up by itself. But when this little girl saw the "Whites Only" sign on the water fountain, she had no idea what she would spark

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when she took off her shoes and—wearing her clean white socks—stepped up to drink. Bravery, defiance, and a touch of magic win out over hatred in this acclaimed story by Elevelyn Coleman. Tyrone Geter's paintings richly evoke its heat, mood, and legendary spirit. Can you help the little monkey to catch the

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moon? Fully illustrated Book, for ages 0-8

"Catch The Moon" tells the story of a little monkey that doesn't want to go to bed.

Instead he decides to catch the moon. Will he succeed? Author Efrat Haddi is taking young children on a journey with the little monkey as he finds a way to catch the moon. This well-written and inspiring

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story, delivers bedtime fun complemented by vibrant, delightful illustrations This story may be ideal for reading to your kids at bedtime and enjoyable for the whole family as well! It is suitable as a read aloud book for preschoolers or a self-read book for older children. Grandparents will definitely enjoy reading this book to their

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grandchildren.

A new, exclusive surfing club has just opened on Windy Island. Residents know that the island is famous for its sudden storms... but their warnings fall on deaf ears until a giant wave hits.

[He Wanted the Moon](#)
[A Novel](#)

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[That is what Leprechauns Do](#)

[Catching Stardust](#)

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[Shoot for the Moon](#)

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[The House That Jane Built](#)

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Soon to be a major motion picture, from Brad Pitt and Tony Kushner A Washington Post Best Book of 2015 A mid-century doctor's raw, unvarnished account of his own descent

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into madness, and his daughter's attempt to piece his life back together and make sense of her own. Texas-born and Harvard-educated, Dr. Perry Baird was a rising medical star in

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***the late 1920s and 1930s.
Early in his career, ahead of
his time, he grew
fascinated with identifying
the biochemical root of
manic depression, just as
he began to suffer from it***

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***himself. By the time the
results of his
groundbreaking
experiments were
published, Dr. Baird had
been institutionalized
multiple times, his medical***

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***license revoked, and his
wife and daughters
estranged. He later
received a lobotomy and
died from a consequent
seizure, his research
incomplete, his***

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achievements

***unrecognized. Mimi Baird
grew up never fully
knowing this story, as her
family went silent about
the father who had been
absent for most of her***

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childhood. Decades later, a string of extraordinary coincidences led to the recovery of a manuscript which Dr. Baird had worked on throughout his brutal institutionalization,

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***confinement, and escape.
This remarkable document,
reflecting periods of both
manic exhilaration and
clear-headed health,
presents a startling portrait
of a man who was a***

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***uniquely astute observer of
his own condition,
struggling with a disease
for which there was no
cure, racing against time to
unlock the key to treatment
before his illness became***

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impossible to manage. Fifty years after being told her father would forever be "ill" and "away," Mimi Baird set off on a quest to piece together the memoir and the man. In time her

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***fingers became stained
with the lead of the pencil
he had used to write his
manuscript, as she devoted
herself to understanding
who he was, why he
disappeared, and what***

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***legacy she had inherited.
The result of his
extraordinary record and
her journey to bring his
name to light is He Wanted
the Moon, an unforgettable
testament to the reaches of***

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***the mind and the
redeeming power of a
determined heart.
This ebook includes audio
narration. This winning
heroine will inspire every
child to cheer her on as she***

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***ventures through a bitter cold snowstorm in William Steig's classic Brave Irene
Brave Irene is Irene Bobbin, the dressmaker's daughter. Her mother, Mrs. Bobbin, isn't feeling so well and***

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can't possibly deliver the beautiful ball gown she's made for the duchess to wear that very evening. So plucky Irene volunteers to get the gown to the palace on time, in spite of the

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fierce snowstorm that's brewing-- quite an errand for a little girl. But where there's a will, there's a way, as Irene proves in the danger-fraught adventure that follows. She must defy

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***the wiles of the wicked
wind, her most formidable
opponent, and overcome
many obstacles before she
completes her mission.
Brave Irene is a 1986 New
York Times Book Review***

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***Best Illustrated Book of the
Year. NARRATED by MERYL
STREEP.***

***"Catch me the moon," cries
Madeline. "Okay," says
Poppa. He makes her a
"moon box." But when she***

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looks inside, the moon is never there. So Poppa finds a bigger box. And then one night, it happens...

This poetic picture book explores seven marvelous ways of catching the moon.

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Equipped with a butterfly net, a little girl tries hitching with a witch, riding on a dragon's back, and floating in a hot-air balloon, until finally the moon is discovered.

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Jessilyn Lassiter no longer has to convince people she's not a child. Having just turned 19 in the summer of 1938, her love for Luke Talley has never been more real. And Luke is

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finally beginning to care for her in the way she's always dreamed of. But their budding romance is interrupted when Tal Pritchett—a young, black doctor—comes to Calloway,

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***stealing the heart of
Jessilyn's best friend,
Gemma, and stirring up the
racial prejudice that has
been simmering just
beneath the town's surface.
The tension starts to***

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bubble over when Jessie's elderly neighbor Miss Cleeta becomes the first white townspeople to accept Tal's treatment. And when a young black man is lynched, Calloway is

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brought to its knees once again as Jessilyn realizes that her anger can make her heart as full of hate as the klan members who have terrorized her town and her family.

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The Girl Who Tried to Catch the Moon was first written by Ashby at the age of four. Over the years, she would take the original and revise it to fix innocent spelling and grammatical errors.

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The book's essential themes; willingness to dream big, persistence, and imagination are traits she believes to be relevant to anyone, no matter their age.

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***Judith Ortiz Cofer's Pura
Belpré award-winning
collection of short stories
about life in the barrio! Rita
is exiled to Puerto Rico for
a summer with her
grandparents after her***

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parents catch her with a boy. Luis sits atop a six-foot mountain of hubcaps in his father's junkyard, working off a sentence for breaking and entering. Sandra tries to reconcile

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her looks to the conventional Latino notion of beauty. And Arturo, different from his macho classmates, fantasizes about escaping his community. They are the

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***teenagers of the barrio --
and this is their world.***

***“Deeply moving, superbly
crafted, and highly
unconventional.”***

***—Washington Times Raven
Stole the Moon is the***

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***stunning first novel from
Garth Stein, author of the
phenomenal New York
Times bestseller The Art of
Racing in the Rain. A
profoundly poignant and
unforgettable story of a***

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***grieving mother's return to
a remote Alaskan town to
make peace with the loss of
her young son, Raven Stole
the Moon combines intense
emotion with Native
American mysticism and a***

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***timeless and terrifying
mystery, and earned raves
for a young writer and his
uniquely captivating
imagination. According to
the Fort Worth Star-
Telegram, this remarkable***

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***novel “serves notice that
Stein is a rare talent.”***

[Keeping the Moon](#)

[Catching a Storyfish](#)

[The Space Race and the](#)

[Extraordinary Voyage of](#)

[Apollo 11](#)

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**[The Girl who Tried to Catch
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**[The Girl Who Drank the
Moon \(Winner of the 2017
Newbery Medal\)](#)**

[Meet Me at the Moon](#)
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**[Seven Ways to Catch the
Moon](#)**

[City Moon](#)

[I'll Catch the Moon](#)

*Dedicated to astronaut
Neil Armstrong, A Kite
for Moon is the perfect*

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*children's book to help
celebrate the 50th
anniversary of the first
United States moon
landing. Written by New
York Times bestselling
author of How Do*

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*Dinosaurs Say Goodnight?
Jane Yolen and her
daughter, Heidi Stemple,
this book is a heartfelt
story about a young
boy's fascination and
unlikely friendship with*

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*the moon. What would it
be like if the moon was
your friend? Find out as
you walk alongside a
little boy who journeys
through life to achieve
his dream of becoming an*

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*astronaut. And then
blast off with your
little one as you zoom
to the moon together!
The story begins when a
little boy, who is
flying his kite, notices*

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*a sad Moon. He sends up
kites to her, writing
notes promising he will
come see her someday.
This promise propels him
through years of
studying, learning, and*

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*training to become an
astronaut. Until ... he
finally goes up, up, up
in a big rocket ship
with a fiery tail. A
Kite for Moon: Features
over 20 gorgeous*

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illustrations by award-winning artist Matt Phelan Is the perfect storybook for children ages 4 to 8 Celebrates every child's fascination with space

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*Patrick McDonnell—
beloved, bestselling
author-artist and
creator of the Mutts
syndicated comic
strip--shares the
inspiring story of young*

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*Jane Goodall, the
legendary and inspiring
conservationist featured
in the hit documentary
film Jane. In his
characteristic
heartwarming style,*

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Patrick McDonnell tells the story of the young Jane Goodall and her special childhood toy chimpanzee named Jubilee. As the young Jane observes the

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*natural world around her
with wonder, she dreams
of "a life living with
and helping all
animals," until one day
she finds that her dream
has come true. With*

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*anecdotes taken directly
from Jane Goodall's
autobiography, McDonnell
makes this very true
story accessible for the
very young--and young at
heart. One of the*

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*world's most inspiring
women, Dr. Jane Goodall
is a renowned
humanitarian,
conservationist, animal
activist,
environmentalist, and*

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*United Nations Messenger
of Peace. In 1977 she
founded the Jane Goodall
Institute (JGI), a
global nonprofit
organization that
empowers people to make*

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*a difference for all
living things.*

*For fans of The War That
Saved My Life and other
World War II fiction, A
Place to Hang the Moon
is the tale of three*

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*orphaned siblings who
are evacuated from
London to live in the
countryside with the
secret hope of finding a
permanent family. It is
1940 and William, 12,*

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*Edmund, 11, and Anna, 9,
aren't terribly upset by
the death of the not-so-
grandmotherly
grandmother who has
taken care of them since
their parents died. But*

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the children do need a guardian, and in the dark days of World War II London, those are in short supply, especially if they hope to stay together. Could the mass

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*wartime evacuation of
children from London to
the countryside be the
answer? It's a
preposterous plan, but
off they go-- keeping
their predicament a*

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secret, and hoping to be placed in a temporary home that ends up lasting forever. Moving from one billet to another, the children suffer the cruel

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*trickery of foster
brothers, the cold
realities of outdoor
toilets and the
hollowness of empty
stomachs. They find
comfort in the village*

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*lending library, whose
kind librarian, Nora
Müller, seems an
excellent choice of
billet, except that her
German husband's
whereabouts are*

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*currently unknown, and
some of the villagers
consider her unsuitable.
A Place to Hang the Moon
is a story about the
dire importance of
family: the one you're*

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*given, and the one you
choose. A Junior Library
Guild Gold Standard
Selection*

*The complex bond and
unspoken resentments
between sisters . . .*

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*the aching search for
home and connection and
community . . . the ever-
changing landscape of
family and those who
define it . . . Sands
Hall weaves these*

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*powerful elements into a
novel ripe with
discovery and wonder.
Set against the
immutable backdrop of
the American Southwest,
Catching Heaven*

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*illuminates that quiet
place in the heart where
solitude embraces
serenity and dreams meet
possibility.*

*The spirited story of
Marcenia Lyle, the*

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*African American girl
who grew up to become
"Toni Stone," the first
woman to play for an all-
male professional
baseball team.*

When leprechauns Ari,

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*Boo, and Col need to
place the pot of gold at
the end of the rainbow,
they cannot help getting
into mischief along the
way.*

A Newbery Honor Winner

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New York Times

*Bestseller This stunning
fantasy inspired by
Chinese folklore is a
companion novel to
Starry River of the Sky
and the New York Times*

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*bestselling and National
Book Award finalist When
the Sea Turned to Silver
In the valley of
Fruitless mountain, a
young girl named Minli
lives in a ramshackle*

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*hut with her parents. In
the evenings, her father
regales her with old
folktales of the Jade
Dragon and the Old Man
on the Moon, who knows
the answers to all of*

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life's questions.

*Inspired by these
stories, Minli sets off
on an extraordinary
journey to find the Old
Man on the Moon to ask
him how she can change*

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her family's fortune.

*She encounters an
assorted cast of
characters and magical
creatures along the way,
including a dragon who
accompanies her on her*

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*quest for the ultimate
answer. Grace Lin,
author of the beloved
Year of the Dog and Year
of the Rat returns with
a wondrous story of
adventure, faith, and*

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*friendship. A fantasy
crossed with Chinese
folklore, Where the
Mountain Meets the Moon
is a timeless story
reminiscent of The
Wizard of Oz and Kelly*

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*Barnhill's The Girl Who
Drank the Moon. Her
beautiful illustrations,
printed in full-color,
accompany the text
throughout. Once again,
she has created a*

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*charming, engaging book
for young readers.*

*A child imagines going
into outer space,
catching the moon, and
taking it on an around-
the-world adventure.*

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(Read aloud by Paul
McGann)

Me Jane

A Place to Hang the Moon

Catch a Falling Star

When a Dragon Moves In

'A promising debut.' New

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Scientist Icy, rocky, sometimes dusty, always mysterious – comets and asteroids are among the Solar System's very oldest inhabitants, formed within a swirling cloud of gas and dust in the area of space that eventually

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hosted the Sun and its planets.
Locked within each of these
extra-terrestrial objects is the
4.6-billion-year wisdom of Solar
System events, and by studying
them at close quarters using
spacecraft we can coerce them

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into revealing their closely-guarded secrets. This offers us the chance to answer some fundamental questions about our planet and its inhabitants.

Exploring comets and asteroids also allows us to shape the story

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of Earth's future, enabling us to protect our precious planet from the threat of a catastrophic impact from space, and maybe to even recover valuable raw materials from them. This cosmic bounty could be as useful in

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space as it is on Earth, providing the necessary fuel and supplies for humans as they voyage into deep space to explore more distant locations within the Solar System. Catching Stardust tells the story of these enigmatic

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celestial objects, revealing how scientists are using them to help understand a crucial time in our history – the birth of the Solar System, and everything contained within it.

Have you ever had an

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unwelcome thought that you just couldn't get rid of, no matter how hard you tried to push it away? In *Catching Thoughts*, a girl is plagued by an unwanted thought. No matter what she does--ignore it, yell at it, cry

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about it--the thought won't go away. Frustrated and discouraged, she finally looks that bad thought in the face and says, "Hello." At last, she is able to notice other more beautiful, positive thoughts all around her.

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As she catches hold of new thoughts, the girl discovers she can fill her mind with whatever she chooses. For every child who has been weighed down by sadness or anxiety, this story teaches kids how to

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acknowledge unwanted thoughts, show them compassion, then actively replace them with positive thoughts instead. Catching Thoughts is a quiet, thoughtful story that teaches readers how

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to practice mindfulness, focusing on thoughts that bring beauty, joy, and calm into their lives.

A deliciously charming novel about finding true love . . . and yourself. Nothing ever happens in Little, CA. Which is just the

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way Carter Moon likes it. But when Hollywood arrives to film a movie starring former child star turned PR mess Adam Jakes, everything changes. Carter's town becomes a giant glittery set and, much to her annoyance,

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everyone is starry-eyed for Adam. Carter seems to be the only girl not falling all over herself to get a glimpse of him. Which apparently makes her perfect for the secret offer of a lifetime: playing the role of

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Adam's girlfriend while he's in town, to improve his public image, in exchange for a hefty paycheck. Her family really needs the money and so Carters agrees. But it turns out Adam isn't at all who she thought he

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was. As they grow closer, their relationship walks a blurry line between what's real and what's fake, and Carter must open her eyes to the scariest of unexplored worlds - her future. Can Carter figure out what she

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wants out of life AND get the
guy? Or are there no Hollywood
endings in real life?

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around their neighborhood
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Choice Every year, the people of
the Protectorate leave a baby as
an offering to the witch who lives
in the forest. They hope this

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sacrifice will keep her from terrorizing their town. But the witch in the Forest, Xan, is kind. She shares her home with a wise Swamp Monster and a Perfectly Tiny Dragon. Xan rescues the children and delivers them to

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welcoming families on the other side of the forest, nourishing the babies with starlight on the journey. One year, Xan accidentally feeds a baby moonlight instead of starlight, filling the ordinary child with

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extraordinary magic. Xan decides she must raise this girl, whom she calls Luna, as her own. As Luna's thirteenth birthday approaches, her magic begins to emerge--with dangerous consequences.

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Meanwhile, a young man from the Protectorate is determined to free his people by killing the witch. Deadly birds with uncertain intentions flock nearby. A volcano, quiet for centuries, rumbles just beneath the earth's

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surface. And the woman with the
Tiger's heart is on the prowl . . .

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spacecraft to the moon in July 1969 have done nothing to alter the fundamental wonder of the event: man reaching the moon remains one of the great events—technical and spiritual—of our lifetime. In *Carrying the Fire*, Collins conveys, in a very personal

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way, the drama, beauty, and humor of that adventure. He also traces his development from his first flight experiences in the air force, through his days as a test pilot, to his Apollo 11 space walk, presenting an evocative picture of the joys of flight as well as a

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unforgettable story about a simple event - a long-ago fishing trip. Graphic novelist Thi Bui and acclaimed poet Bao Phi deliver a powerful, honest glimpse into a relationship between father and son - and between cultures, old and new. As a young boy, Bao and

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his father awoke early, hours before his father's long workday began, to fish on the shores of a small pond in Minneapolis. Unlike many other anglers, Bao and his father fished for food, not recreation. A successful catch meant a fed family. Between hope-

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filled casts, Bao's father told him about a different pond in their homeland of Vietnam. Thi Bui's striking, evocative art paired with Phi's expertly crafted prose has earned this powerful picture books six starred reviews and numerous awards.

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Bobby, a boy of the Tsartlip First Nation, would like to win the bicycle that is the top prize for the Kid's Fishing Derby at Dan Adam's marina in August, 1957, but he does not have enough money to register and is scheduled to work that day.

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This enhanced eBook features read-along narration. On a beautiful day at the beach, a young boy brings his bucket, shovel, and imagination, and builds a perfect sand castle. Right away, a dragon moves in. The boy decides to befriend his dragon and they

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spend time roaming the shore, flying a kite, braving the waves, defying bullies, and roasting marshmallows—all while Dad is busy sunbathing and Mom is engrossed in her book.

Unfortunately, no one believes the boy when he tries to share the news of this

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magnificent creature. That's when the mischief begins, and the dragon becomes a force to be reckoned with. While adults will recognize the naughty antics as a ploy for attention, children will dissolve into giggles as the dragon devours every last

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sandwich, blows bubbles in the lemonade, and leaves claw prints in the brownies. Maybe the dragon really is running amok on the beach, or maybe it's a little boy's imagination that is running wild.

From the illustrator of the #1 smash hit

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The Day the Crayons Quit comes a story about wishing, persevering, and reaching for the stars. Once there was a boy, and that boy loved stars very much. So much so that he decided to catch one of his very own. But how? Waiting for them to grow tired from

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being up in the sky all night doesn't work. Climbing to the top of the tallest tree? No, not tall enough. The boy has a rocket ship . . . but it is made of paper and doesn't fly well at all. Finally, just when the boy is ready to give up, he learns that sometimes things aren't

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where, or what, we expect them to be. Oliver Jeffers offers a simple, childlike tale of reaching for the stars, and emerging with a friend.

This is the story of Jane Addams, the first American woman to receive the Nobel Peace Prize, who transformed a

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From the bestselling author of BEE SEASON, a memorable book for children. Every night, when the moon comes out, an old woman sits and

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and the sweetest man in the night sky,
CATCHING THE MOON shows the
unexpected pleasures to be found when
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