



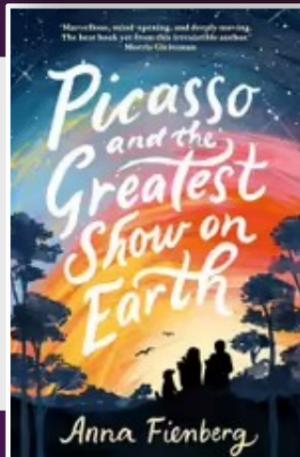
We recommend these great reads in
NEW JUNIOR FICTION

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Magic Awry (Big Magic #2) by Sarah Armstrong

In this thrilling sequel to fantasy adventure BIG MAGIC, a young magician will do whatever it takes to save magic – but at what cost?



Picasso and the Greatest Show on Earth by Anna Fienberg

A sweetly moving story about friendship and finding happiness, for readers who loved *Wonder* and *Lenny's Book of Everything*.



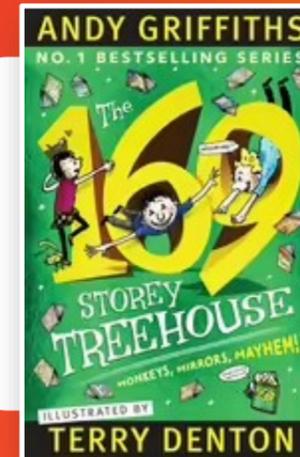
Endgame (Skywake #3) by Jamie Russell

The Red Eyes have taken over the Earth. Can Casey use her new powers to lead the resistance? The third in an exciting and original sci-fi adventure trilogy for the gaming generation.



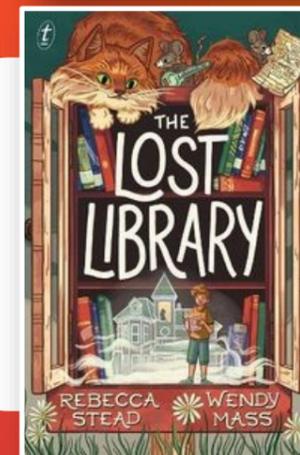
Once Upon a Wickedness by Fleur Beale

An exciting adventure novel for contemporary kids with a fairytale setting, a daring hero and message that you're never too young and powerless to stand up to tyrants!



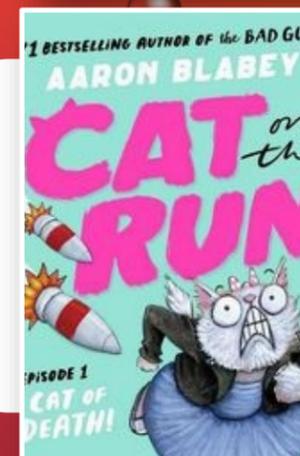
The 169-storey Treehouse by Andy Griffiths

Andy and Terry have built their biggest and most astonishing treehouse yet! It has everything they - and you - could wish for, including an electric pony stable, a Santa Land, a NOISY level, a kangaroo-riding range, a WHATEVER-WEATHER-YOU-WANT dome, a 100% edible gingerbread house and a hall of funhouse mirrors. But Anti-Andy, Terrible-Terry and Junkyard-Jill, their doppelgangers, are trapped in one of the mirrors - and they want out.



The Lost Library by Rebecca Stead

When a mysterious little free library (guarded by a large orange cat) appears overnight in the small town of Martinville, eleven-year-old Evan plucks two weathered books from its shelves, never suspecting that his life is about to change.



Cat of Death [Cat on the Run #1] by Aaron Blabey

What happens when the World's #1 Cat Video Star gets accused of a crime she didn't commit? She becomes a Cat on the Run, that's what. But how do you avoid capture and prove your innocence when you are the most famous feline on the planet?! Well, it ain't easy ...



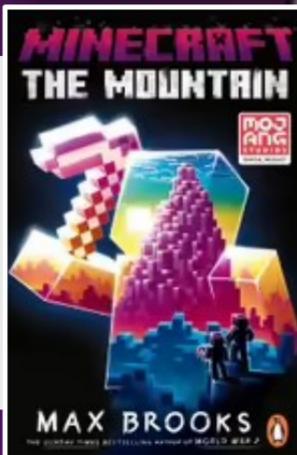
The Lonely Lighthouse of Elston-Fright by *Reece Carter*

Danger, darkness and a mysterious legacy unveiled in this magical seaside adventure by the bestselling author of *A Girl Called Corpse*.



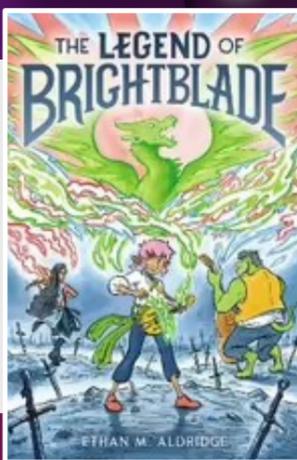
The Magic Gems (Lily Halfmoon #1) [Graphic novel] by *Xavier Bonet*

A magical graphic novel about a secret school of witches, animal guardians and magical gemstones from an international comic artist!



Minecraft: The Mountain by *Max Brooks*

In the new official Minecraft novel from the *New York Times* bestselling author of *Minecraft- The Island*, a stranded hero stumbles upon another castaway-and discovers that teamwork might just be the secret to survival.



The Legend of Brightblade [Graphic novel] by *Ethan M. Aldridge*

A young prince must learn to be his own kind of hero in this stand-alone graphic novel from the acclaimed creator of the *Estranged* duology. Perfect for fans of the *Amulet* series and *The Witch Boy*.



Millie Mak the Maker by *Alice Pung*

Nine-year-old Millie Mak has discovered she has a superpower! Using everyday objects, Millie turns them into something new, beautiful and useful. Who would ever think that a sunhat could be made from an old bedsheet, a skirt from a tea-towel, or some hair scrunchies from a scarf?



Good Different by *Meg Edén Kuyatt*

An extraordinary novel-in-verse for fans of *Starfish* and *A Kind of Spark* about a neurodivergent girl who comes to understand and celebrate her difference.



How to be... A Friend by *Anna Branford*

Hazel Morrison has settled into her new school, and made a new friend, Laura, who shares Hazel's love of making pretend tutorials about everyday things. Laura's mum goes to hospital and Laura comes to stay with Hazel's family. Together the girls learn how to be a friend: navigating self-doubt, secrets, helping out, knowing when to give someone space ... and all the fun in between!



Ghost Book [Graphic novel] by *Remy Lai*

A thrilling contemporary fantasy graphic novel about a girl who befriends a boy ghost stuck between the worlds of the living and the dead, from the bestselling author of *Pawcasso*. 'I adored it!' Jessica Townsend, *New York Times* bestselling author of *Nevermoor*.