

	Title	Author	Genre	pages	Summary	Notes
1	Orbiting Jupiter	Gary D. Schmidt	realistic	183	Jack's family takes in a foster kid named Joseph who, at age 13, is already a father and very troubled.	
2	The Nest	Kenneth Oppel	horror	244	Steve's baby brother is sick, so when a mysterious wasp queen invades his dreams, offering to "fix" the baby, Steve thinks his prayers have been answered.	
3	Brown Girl Dreaming	Jacqueline Woodson	bio, novel in verse	336	In vivid poems, Woodson shares her experience as a black girl in the 60s and 70s, living with the remnants of Jim Crow and the growing Civil Rights Movement.	
4	Categorical Universe of Candice Phee	Barry Jonesburg	realistic	242	Candice Phee isn't a typical twelve-year-old girl. She has more than her fair share of quirks, but she also has the best of intentions and an unwavering determination to make sure everyone around her is happy. Hilarious!!	
5	Nine, Ten a September 11 Story	Nora Raleigh Baskin	realistic	197	A touching look at the days leading up to the tragic events of September 11, 2001 and how that day impacted the lives of four middle schoolers.	
6	Serafina and the Black Cloak	Robert Beatty	fantasy	320	A brave and unusual girl named Serafina lives secretly in the basement of the grand Biltmore Estate. When children at the estate start disappearing, Serafina and her friend Braeden Vanderbilt must work together to solve a dark and dangerous mystery.	
7	Yard War	Taylor Kitchings	historical fiction	224	The one black person Trip Westbrook knows well in Mississippi is Willie Jane, the family maid, who has been a second mother to him. When Trip invites her son, Dee, to play football in the yard, he discovers the ugly side of his smiling neighbors.	
8	Kalahari	Jessica Khoury	science fiction	354	When an educational safari goes wrong, five teens are stranded in the Kalahari Desert without a guide. It's up to Sarah, the daughter of zoologists, to keep them alive.	
9	I am Princess X	Cherie Priest	mystery	227	Once upon a time, two best friends created a graphic novel (Princess X) together. Then Libby died, but May is still seeing Princess X images around town. Is Libby really alive?	
10	Moving Target	Christina Diaz Gonzalez	fantasy	256	Cassie Arroyo has her world ripped apart when someone tries to kill her father, an art history professor at an Italian university. Is she their next target?	

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