



## **New Accelerated Reader & Library Books**



### **The Extraordinary Life of Serena Williams**

The story of game-changing tennis champion Serena Williams, who began playing tennis when she was just a child and is now an Olympic champion who has won more Grand Slam singles titles than anyone else.

**Age Range: 11 to 13**



### **The Extraordinary Life of Rosa Parks**

This is the story of a woman whose defiance sparked a revolution. Rosa Parks changed the lives of millions of people by refusing to give up her seat on a bus.

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### **The Extraordinary Life of Katherine Johnson**

This biography profiles the life and career of mathematician Katherine Johnson.

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### **The Extraordinary Life of Malala Yousafzai**

This biography profiles the life and career of Malala Yousafzai, who has become an inspiration for people all over the world who are fighting for justice.

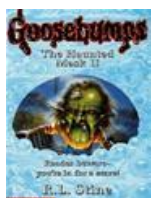
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### **My Survival: A Girl on Schindler's List**

Rena Finder shares her childhood growing up in Poland during the Holocaust and surviving thanks to Oskar Schindler.

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### **The Haunted Mask II**

Steve Boswell will never forget Carly Beth's Halloween mask. It was so gross, so terrifying.

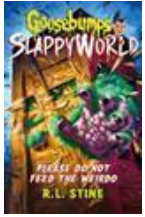
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### **I Am Slappy's Evil Twin**

It is double the trouble for Luke when his father brings home twin dummies that walk and talk on their own.

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### **Please Do Not Feed the Weirdo**

Jordan Keppler is looking forward to a nice, quiet day at Carnival World, but he and his sister, Karla, are about to experience something terrifying.

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### **The Headless Ghost**

Everyone knows that Hill House is haunted by a boy with no head.

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### **Young Merlin**

Merlin always knew he was different from other people. This is the story of how young Merlin discovered the magic inside himself.

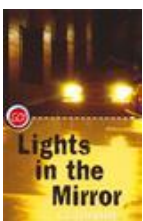
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### **Dragonracers**

Kitty is obsessed with the idea of becoming an aeronaut but her father doesn't think children should fly. When she and her brother discover a strange egg from which a dragon hatches, they decide to participate in an air race across England.

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### **Lights in the Mirror**

Max and Mum are being followed by a car - and the driver looks just like Mum!

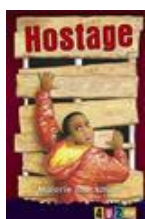
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### **Romeo and Juliet**

This book provides a junior reader's introduction to Shakespeare's story of love and hate.

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### **Hostage**

Angela is held to ransom and needs all her skill and bravery to survive.

**Age Range: 11 to 13**



### **Date with Danger**

Ben can't swim, but Carla convinces him to go into the water at the beach. Then Carla swims away...

**Age Range: 14+**



### **Striking Out**

Jerome dreams of becoming a world-class footballer, but with a difficult home life, he can't see how he'll ever make it come true. Co-author is Musa Okwonga. Contains themes of domestic abuse and racism.

**Age Range: 11 to 13**



### **Future Hero: Race to Fire Mountain**

When Jarell discovers that the fantasy world, he is obsessed with doodling is actually real, he is launched into an incredible adventure. Ulfrika, the land of his ancestors, is in trouble and HE is the hero they need.

**Age Range: 11 to 13**



### **Kylian Mbappé**

Kylian Mbappé was just 19 when he scored at a World Cup final, the second youngest player to do so. An exceptional striker for PSG in France's Ligue 1, Kylian continues his rise to the top.

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### **Jadon Sancho**

An undeniable talent, from London five-a-sides to the pro ranks and international fanfare, Jadon's stellar football journey has only just begun.

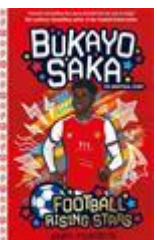
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### **Marcus Rashford**

A talented forward for Manchester United, Marcus Rashford is a force both on and off the football pitch. From humble beginnings in Manchester, this young star shines brightly in the Premier League and beyond.

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### **Bukayo Saka**

This is the unofficial story of Bukayo Saka, the footballing force for Arsenal who went on to take a historic trophy double.

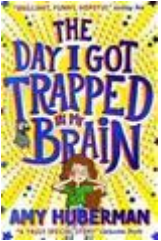
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### **Foden: From the Playground to the Pitch**

Phil Foden always dreamed of playing for Manchester City, but when he signed his youth contract the club was already building its title-winning team and he had to work tirelessly to become Pep's irreplaceable star.

**Age Range: 11 to 13**



### **The Day I Got Trapped in My Brain**

Frankie has a world inside her head called Thoughtopolis. It's full of weird places and creatures, and together, she, Fred and Blue go on adventures. Frankie then gets trapped, and has to uncover a secret if she is to get back to the Real World.

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### **Onyeka and the Academy of the Sun**

When twelve-year-old Onyeka discovers that she has psychokinetic powers, her mother reveals that she is part of a secret group of Nigerian mutants that trains at the Academy of the Sun. Text contains mild violence.

**Age Range: 11 to 13**



### **Meg and Merlin: Running Away**

When Meg and Sam go for a long picnic ride on their ponies, Merlin and Alfred, the whole day feels like a wonderful adventure. But on the way home, Meg takes a wrong turn and soon she and Merlin are galloping into deadly danger.

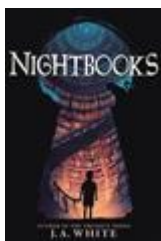
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### **The Inheritance Games**

When a Connecticut teenager inherits vast wealth and an eccentric estate from the richest man in Texas, she must also live with his surviving family and solve a series of puzzles to discover how she earned her inheritance.

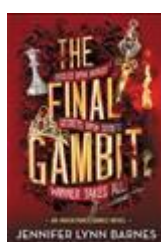
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### **Nightbooks**

Alex's original hair-raising tales are the only thing keeping the witch, Natacha, happy, but soon he'll run out of pages to read from and be trapped forever.

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### **The Final Gambit**

Eighteen-year-old Avery Grambs is weeks away from inheriting the multibillion-dollar Hawthorne fortune, but first she'll have to survive a dangerous game against an old enemy looking for vengeance. Text contains mild profanity and mild violence.

**Age Range: 14+**



### **Dragon Destiny**

After the Dragon Realm collapses and is exposed to the Human Realm, Billy and his friends must find a new home for the dragons. They learn of the Hidden Realm, but only one dragon knows how to locate it - Glorious Old.

**Age Range: 11 to 13**



### **Aarti and the Blue Gods**

Aarti has lived on the island with Aunt for as long as she can remember. One day, Aarti enters a room and begins to suspect that Aunt hasn't been truthful about who Aarti really is. Contains mild violence, gender bias and disturbing imagery.

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### **Of Mice and Men**

Rough-tongued, ribald men yearn for land of their own while working on a ranch in California's Salinas Valley.

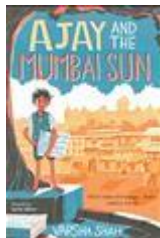
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### **Firesong**

Arthur and Maudie decide that the Aurora's next voyage will be to the Volcanic North, where their parents discovered a rare moth that became their family symbol. Contains violence, criminal activity and animal abuse.

**Age Range: 11 to 13**



### **Ajay and the Mumbai Sun**

Ajay has grown wanting to be a journalist and sets up a newspaper with his friends. As they hunt down stories, they uncover corruption in the city. Contains violence, cultural bias, criminal activity, bullying, and negative stereotypes.

**Age Range: 11 to 13**



### **Revenge of the Beast**

Notorious prankster Bethany, along with her new friend Claudette, is determined that she and Ebenezer are going to de-beast their lives, but neither of them are sure what "good people" do. Book contains violence. Themes include bullying.

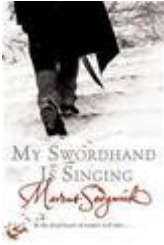
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### **Vi Spy: Never Say Whatever Again**

Vi is failing at spy school but, worst of all, her nemesis Umbra is still at large and she'll need the help of old friends and new to save the world. Contains violence, criminal activity and themes of racism.

**Age Range: 11 to 13**



### **My Swordhand Is Singing**

In the dark of winter in an Eastern European village during the early seventeenth century, Peter learns from a gypsy girl that the Shadow Queen is behind the recent murders and re-animations, and his father's secret past may hold the key to stop her.

**Age Range: 12+**



### **Girls Rule**

Pearl moves into 10 Downing Street when her mum Patrice becomes the first Black female Prime Minister. A chance meeting with Patrice's childhood sweetheart, Jackson, and suddenly Pearl's new life has an unexpected gatecrasher: Jackson's daughter Izzy.

**Age Range: 12+**



### **Amari and the Great Game**

After finding her brother and saving the entire supernatural world, Amari Peters is convinced her first full summer as a Junior Agent will be a breeze. Themes include cultural bias.

**Age Range: 11 to 13**



### **The Beast and the Bethany**

Ebenezer Tweezer keeps a beast in the attic and feeds it all manner of things in exchange for irresistible gifts. But the beast grows greedier and becomes bored with its diet. It's time for a new, child-sized meal! Illus. Isabelle Follath.

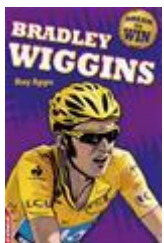
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### **Jessica Ennis/Jessica Ennis-Hill**

The story of Jessica Ennis' early years and the key events that led to her becoming a World Champion.

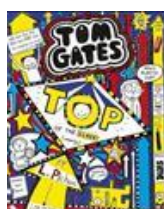
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### **Bradley Wiggins**

The story of how Bradley Wiggins became a successful cyclist.

**Age Range: 11 to 13**



### **Top of the Class (Nearly)**

Not only does Tom have to worry about a very important test, he also has to avoid the school bully and find his missing drawing.

**Age Range: 11 to 13**



### **What Monster?**

Tom is desperate for a ticket to the local music festival, Oakchella. Meanwhile, at school, there is a strict supply teacher standing in for Mr Fullerman, and some mysterious things are happening.

**Age Range: 11 to 13**



### **Biscuits, Bands and Very Big Plans**

In the 14th book of the series, Tom has very big plans like writing songs about biscuits, avoiding Delia at all costs and doodling as much as possible.

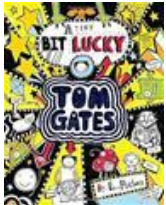
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### **Extra Special Treats (not)**

Tom gets a day off school when it snows, and his family plan a party for the Fossils' wedding anniversary.

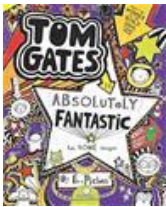
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### **A Tiny Bit Lucky**

There's an inspection at Tom's school, and lessons are a bit different from usual. Meanwhile, Dogzombies enter Band Battle

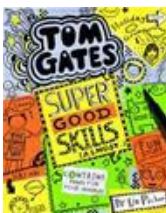
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### **Tom Gates Is Absolutely Fantastic (at Some Things)**

When Tom goes on the School Activity Trip, he finds himself competing in a raft race with Great Manor school and having a noisy midnight feast, much to Mr Fullerman's annoyance. Meanwhile, Delia has got a job.

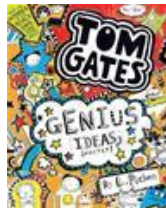
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### **Super Good Skills (Almost...)**

As the end of the school term draws near, Tom is looking forward to going away on holiday for the first time in ages. Unfortunately, his trip does not go at all according to plan.

**Age Range: 11 to 13**



### **Genius Ideas (Mostly)**

Tom Gates has some genius ideas! Especially when he gets Amy's hair brush stuck in his hair.

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