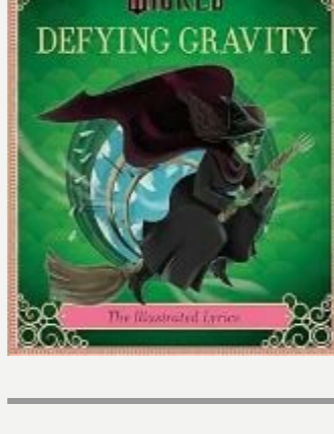
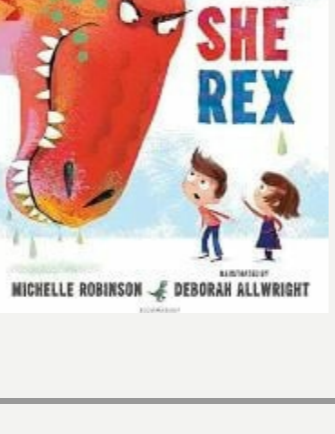

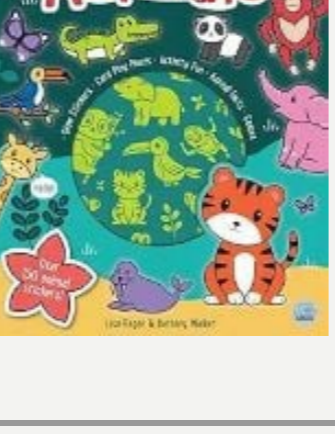
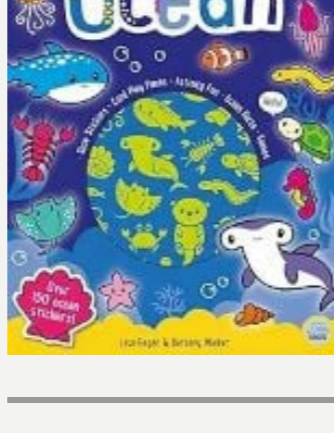
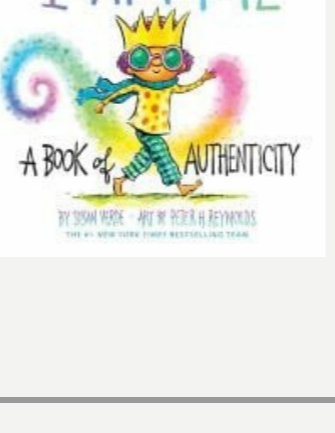
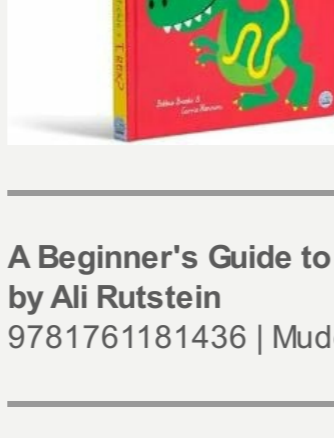
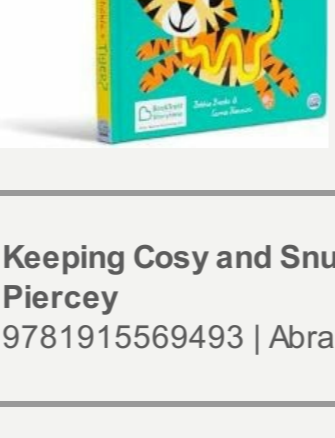
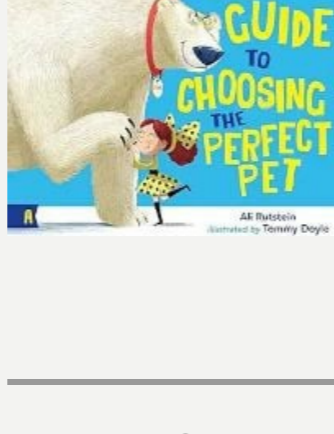

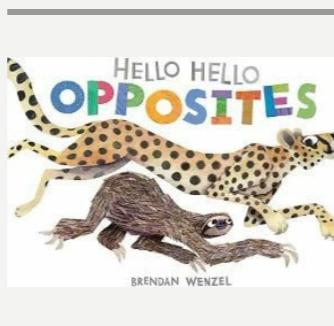
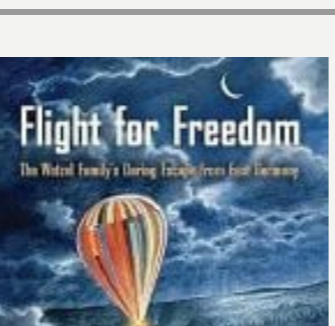



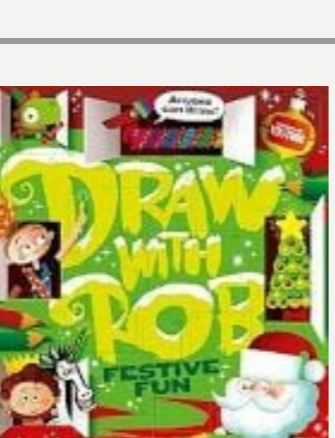
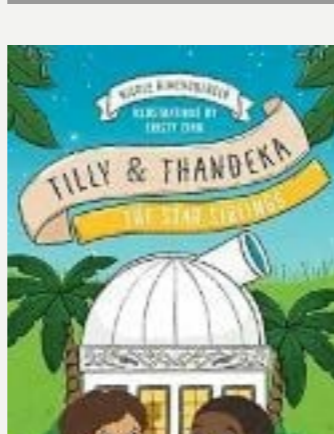
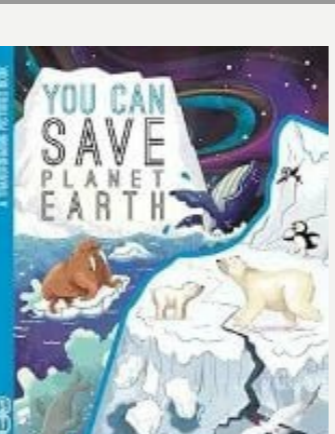
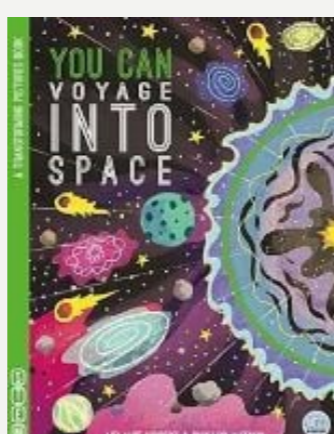
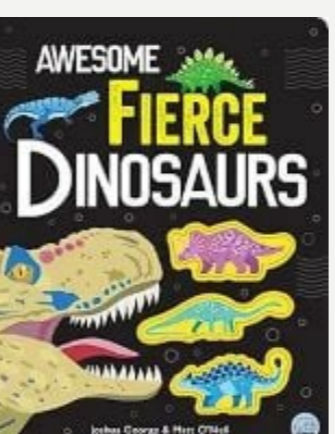
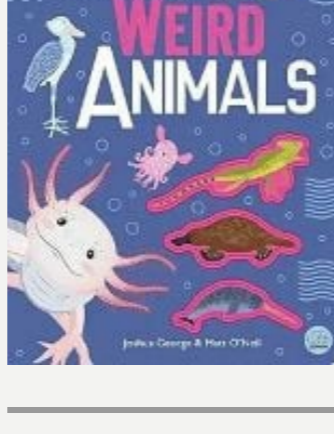
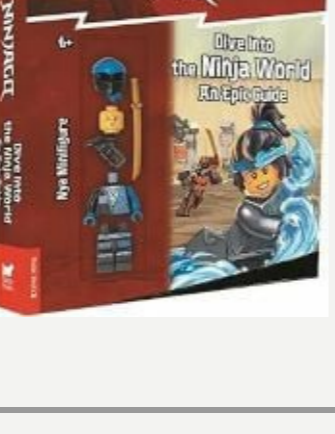

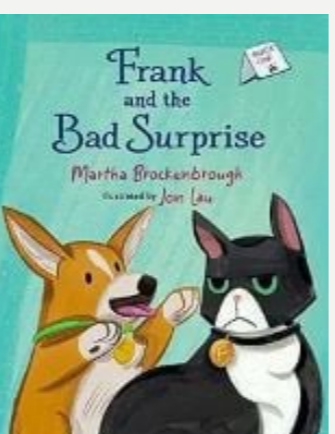

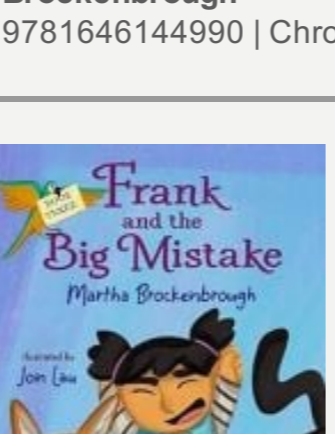


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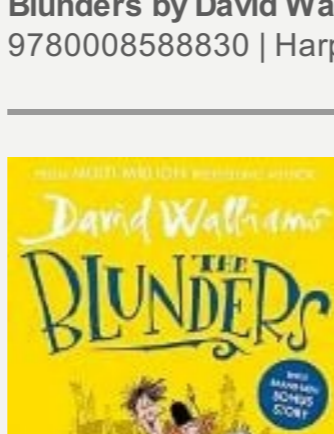
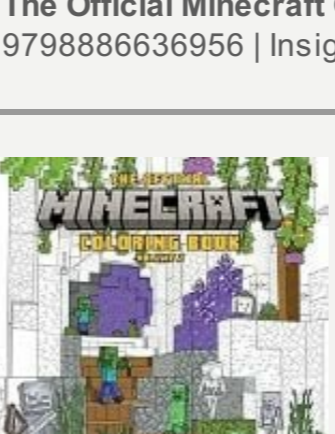
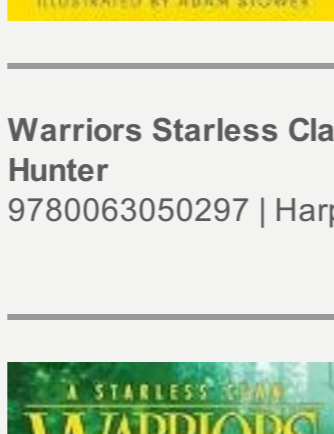
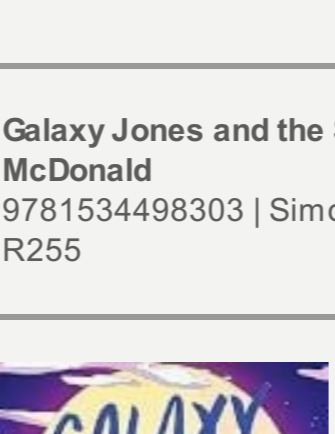

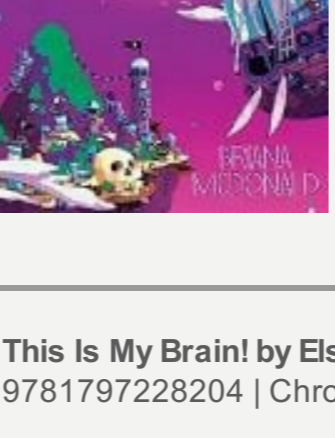

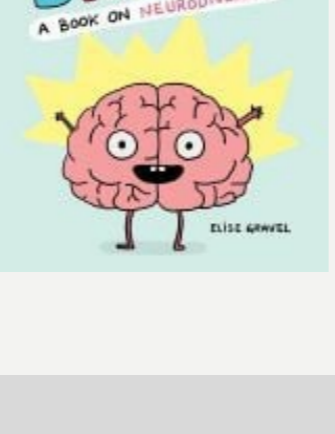

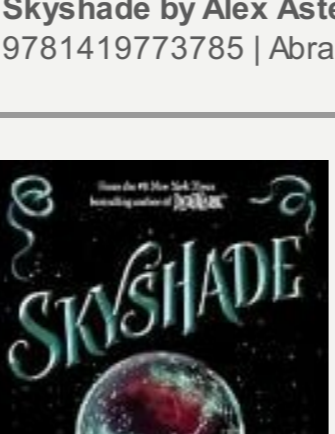
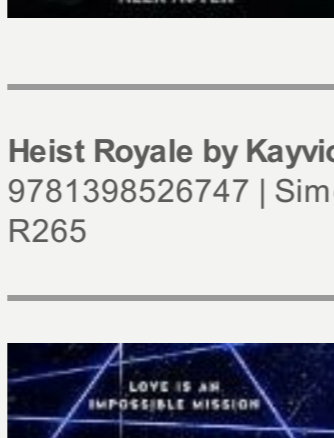
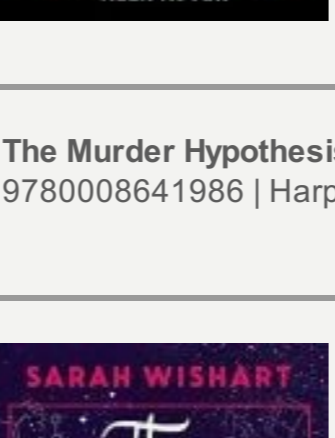


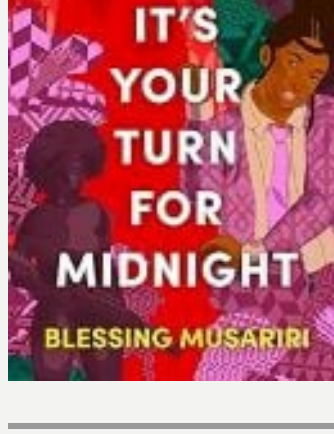

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| <p>Wicked: Defying Gravity by Elena Larussi
9781898607335 Insight Editions HB R360</p>  <p>Experience Elphaba and Glinda's show-stopping song "Defying Gravity" in this lavishly illustrated picture book with lyrics!</p> | <p>She Rex by Michelle Robinson
9781408876084 Bloomsbury UK PB R200</p>  <p>Maisy's brother Ed won't let her play with his toys. He says, "Dinos are for boys!" But Ed hasn't met T. Rex's BIGGER sister ...</p> |
| <p>Goat's Coat by Tom Percival
9781408881019 Bloomsbury UK PB R200</p>  <p>From author and illustrator Tom Percival, a beautifully illustrated, uplifting picture book that is bursting with kindness and good deeds.</p> | <p>Glow-in-the-Dark Animals: Sticker Activity by Lisa Regan
9781917082204 Gemini PB R170</p>  <p>Attention animal fans everywhere! Discover wild animal-themed activities in this sticker activity and press-out book that includes novelty animal stickers that glow in the dark!</p> |
| <p>Glow-in-the-Dark Ocean: Sticker Activity by Lisa Regan
9781917082211 Gemini PB R170</p>  <p>Discover amazing under-the-sea activities in this sticker activity and press-out book that includes novelty ocean stickers that glow in the dark!</p> | <p>I Am Me by Susan Verde
9781419746499 Abrams Books BB R240</p>  <p>A bighearted celebration of individuality, being comfortable in our own skin, respecting others for who they are, living authentically, and loving ourselves.</p> |
| <p>Can You Tickle a T. Rex? by Bobbie Brooks
9781917082129 Gemini BB R245</p>  <p>Touch, feel and tickle the noisy dinosaurs in this interactive book that is full of playful fun!</p> | <p>Can You Tickle a Tiger? by Bobbie Brooks
9781917082136 Gemini BB R245</p>  <p>Touch, feel and tickle the friendly wild animals in this interactive book that is full of playful fun!</p> |
| <p>A Beginner's Guide to Choosing the Perfect Pet by Ali Rutstein
9781761181436 Murdoch Books PB R235</p>  <p>Do you need help finding the perfect pet for your family? Then this book is for you! All the advice is vetted by experts. What could possibly go wrong...?</p> | <p>Keeping Cosy and Snuggling Up by Rachel Piercy
9781919569493 Abrams Books HB R270</p>  <p>A snug-rhyming story set in Brown Bear Wood with 100 cosy things to find.</p> |
| <p>Hello Hello Opposites by Brendan Wenzel
978197219881 Chronicle BB R245</p>  <p>Delightful duos of animal friends—from big and small to short and tall—make their hellos and introduce young children to opposites.</p> | <p>Flight for Freedom by Kristen Fulton
978197233178 Chronicle PB R195</p>  <p>The true story of one child and his family, as they risk their lives for the hope of freedom in a daring escape from East Germany in 1979 via a handmade hot air balloon.</p> |

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| <p>Wolfgang and the Magic of Music by Didier Lévy
9783500653838 Thames & Hudson HB R390</p>  <p>Wolfgang and the Magic of Music is the sweet tale of an unlikely friendship and how the power of song can bring everyone together.</p> | <p>Tales from Muggleswick Wood by Vicky Cowie
978152667136 Bloomsbury UK PB R395</p>  <p>Get ready to discover the timeless magic of Muggleswick Wood in this beautiful treasury of five interlinked bedtime stories.</p> |
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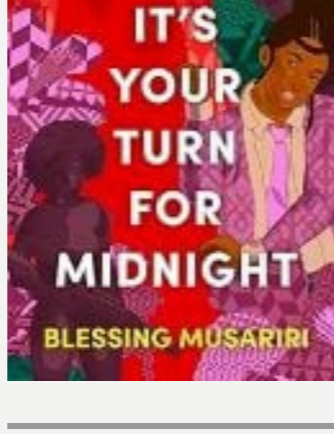

6-9 YEARS OLD

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| <p>Minecraft: Mega Bite-Size Builds
9780008615680 Farnshore HB R295</p>  <p>Embark on another bite-size adventure! Build over 20 new mini-projects in Minecraft, from duck party boats and houses on the moon to steam trains and fire engines!</p> | <p>Draw With Rob: Festive Fun by Rob Biddulph
9780008627614 HarperCollins UK PB R240</p>  <p>Ho! Ho! Ho! Get ready to jump into Christmas with <i>Draw With Rob: Festive Fun</i> – the newest book in the bestselling <i>Draw With Rob</i> series!</p> |
| <p>Tilly & Thandeka: The Star Siblings by Nicole Rimensberger
9780796156471 Imaginary House PB R155</p>  <p>A valuable crown of ancient Ghana is stolen from a museum exhibition. Tilly and Thandeka begin to connect the dots and fall headlong into their first adventure, but will they be brave enough to make it through?</p> | <p>You Can Save Planet Earth by Melanie Hibbert
9781917082167 Gemini BB R365</p>  <p>Embark on a thrilling journey of discovery that will teach you about climate change and inspire you to save the Earth!</p> |
| <p>You Can Voyage Into Space by Melanie Hibbert
9781917082174 Gemini BB R365</p>  <p>Embark on a thrilling voyage of discovery into outer space to transform your knowledge and change the way you see our Solar System, our galaxy and the Universe.</p> | <p>Awesome Fierce Dinosaurs by Joshua George
9781917082495 Gemini HB R315</p>  <p>Packed with awesome facts, this interactive book is guaranteed to elevate your knowledge about some of the most fearsome dinosaurs that ever lived on Earth.</p> |
| <p>Awesome Weird Animals by Joshua George
9781917082501 Gemini HB R315</p>  <p>Elevate your knowledge with 250 curious facts about some of the most amazing creatures on Earth. Do you dare to discover the weirdest of them all?</p> | <p>LEGO® NINJAGO®: Dive into the Ninja World: An Epic Guide
9781837250349 Buster Books HB R385</p>  <p>Build your Nya minifigure before exploring the two books and discovering the secrets of Spinjitzu. Meet Kai, Cole, Jay, Zane, Lloyd and Master Wu.</p> |
| <p>LEGO® Star Wars™: Explore the Galaxy: An Epic Guide
9781837250356 Buster Books HB R385</p>  <p>Build your Han Solo minifigure before exploring the two books and discovering the secrets of Master Yoda, Luke Skywalker, Princess Leia and other galactic favourites.</p> | <p>Frank and the Bad Surprise by Martha Brockenbrough
9781646145003 Chronicle PB R170</p>  <p>Frank the cat has it good: Tons of toys, unlimited food and space and quiet to stretch and nap. Then his people bring home a box with something unexpected inside. A puppy.</p> |
| <p>Frank and the Masked Cat by Martha Brockenbrough
9781646144587 Chronicle PB R170</p>  <p>Frank, Sunny, and new pal (an irascible parrot who is visiting) try hilariously to help Frank through his moony crush. On a racoon.</p> | <p>Frank and the Big Mistake by Martha Brockenbrough
9781646144990 Chronicle PB R160</p>  <p>In the third instalment of the Frank and the Puppy series, Frank and Sunny face their greatest challenge yet: an excitable little girl with no concept of boundaries.</p> |
| <p>Mishka by Edward van de Vendel
9781646144587 Chronicle HB R390</p>  <p>Winner of the national book award for children's literature in the Netherlands—a sweet and tender story of a girl refugee finding a new home!</p> | <p>Blue, Barry & Pancakes by Dan Abdo and Jason Patterson
9780061549047 One World PB R200</p>  <p>Meet the funniest trio in town! There's Blue, the thoughtful bookworm, Barry, the brilliant inventor, and Pancakes, the happy-go-lucky adventurer. They ALWAYS have each other's backs...</p> |

10-12 YEARS OLD

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| <p>Blunders by David Walliams
9780008588330 HarperCollins UK PB R240</p>  <p>A laugh-out-loud tale of the most blundering and lovable family in history. This paperback edition includes a hilarious NEW STORY.</p> | <p>The Official Minecraft Colouring Book
9780008636956 Insight Editions PB R365</p>  <p>Grab your pickaxe, bow, and colouring pencils as you Colour, Adventure, and Explore across the amazing Minecraft world!</p> |
| <p>Warriors Starless Clan 4: Thunder by Erin Hunter
9780063050297 HarperCollins USA PB R245</p>  <p>Packed with action and intrigue, this seventh Warriors series is a perfect introduction for new readers, while long-time fans will be thrilled to discover what unfolds after the events of <i>The Broken Code</i>.</p> | <p>Galaxy Jones and the Space Pirates by Briana McDonald
9781634468303 Simon & Schuster USA PB R255</p>  <p>A middle grade space adventure about a girl who is determined to save her family and friends from ruthless pirates—even if she has to venture across the universe to do it.</p> |
| <p>Spooky Lakes by Geo Rutherford
9781419770531 Abrams Books HB R645</p>  <p>From the creator of the hit series <i>Spooky Lake Month</i> (over 65 million likes)—comes this thrilling nonfiction book that plumbs the depths of 25 unusual lakes around the world.</p> | <p>This Is My Brain! by Elsie Gravel
978197228204 Chronicle HB R435</p>  <p>A seriously funny book all about our brains! Elsie Gravel celebrates the many wonderful ways humans think in a comic-style nonfiction book for curious kids.</p> |
| <p>Nightbane by Alex Aster
9781419769914 Abrams PB R310</p>  <p>Alex Aster's intricate world expands after the riveting culmination of the Centennial games, delving more deeply into Isla's memories of her past, as her future hurtles toward two possible fates.</p> | <p>Skyshade by Alex Aster
9781419773785 Abrams HB R510</p>  <p>With the clock ticking on her destiny and the survival of two warring kingdoms hanging on her own shattered heart, Isla Crow will either save the world—or destroy it.</p> |
| <p>Heist Royale by Kayliss Lewis
9781398528747 Simon & Schuster UK PB R265</p>  <p>Love is an mission... the enemy is everywhere in the pulse-pounding follow-up to international heist sensation, <i>Thieves' Gambit</i>.</p> | <p>The Murder Hypothesis by Sarah Wis hart
9780008641986 Harper Fire PB R270</p>  <p>How do you catch a murderer without knowing who the victim is? The gripping new YA thriller from the author of <i>FOUR GOOD LIARS</i>.</p> |
| <p>When It's Your Turn For Midnight by Blessing Musariri
9781035902538 Head of Zeus PB R270</p>  <p>An exceptional, thought-provoking YA novel about sisterhood, trauma and the fighting spirit of women from Zimbabwean author, Blessing Musariri.</p> | <p>Dear Mothman by Robin Gow
9781419764417 Abrams TPB R240</p>  <p>Robin Gow's acclaimed novel in verse about a young trans boy dealing with the loss of his friend by writing to his favorite cryptid, Mothman</p> |
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978192693796 Pushkin Press PB R270</p>  <p>Within this book are seven famous fairy tales turned into enchanting, inspiring and sometimes hair-raising stories for today's world, about girls with their own dreams and desires.</p> | <p>Lightark Collector's Edition by Alex Aster
9781419779797 Abrams HB R645</p>  <p>This stunning collector's edition of the #1 national bestseller—and first book in the beloved Lightark Saga—from award-winning author Alex Aster includes a suite of sensational features.</p> |
| <p>Sleepless in Dubai by Sajni Patel
9781419766878 Abrams TPB R310</p>  <p>Now in paperback comes this hilarious, smart, and swoon-worthy rom-com about two teens traveling to Dubai for Diwali.</p> | <p>Lord of the Flies by William Golding
9780571390762 Faber HB R595</p>  <p>A plane crashes on a desert island. The only survivors are a group of schoolboys. The iconic classic in a luxurious anniversary edition, with a foreword by Stephen King.</p> |

NON-BOOK

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| <p>Shark: Hunter of the Deep by Sheridan Parker
9781917082143 Gemini HB R410</p>  <p>Get into sharks with this totally immersive book and wall art activity kit!</p> | <p>T-Rex: King of the Tyrant Lizards by Sheridan Parker
9781917082150 Gemini HB R410</p>  <p>Get into dinosaurs with this totally immersive book and wall art activity kit!</p> |
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