

## Summer Reading 4-5

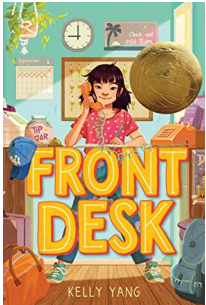
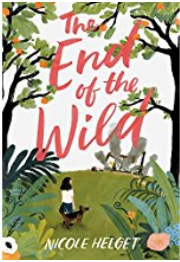
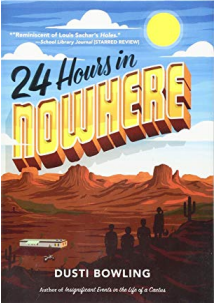
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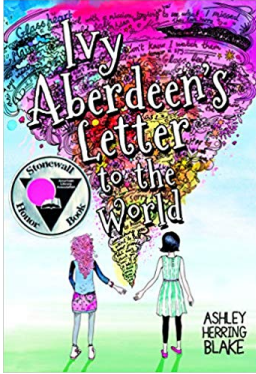
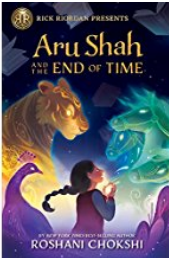
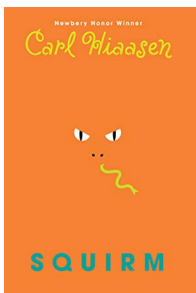
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### CHAPTER BOOKS


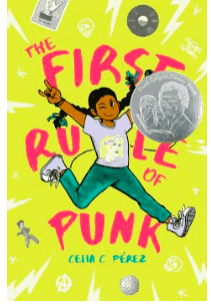
<u>Cover</u>	<u>Title and Author</u>	<u>Summary</u>
	<p><i>Front Desk</i> by Kelly Yang</p>	
	<p><i>The End of the Wild</i> by Nicole Helget</p>	<p>Eleven-year-old Fern helps to take care of her impoverished family by foraging for food in the forest, but when a fracking company rolls into town, she realizes that her peaceful woods and her family's livelihood could be threatened.</p>
	<p><i>24 Hours in Nowhere</i> by Dusty Bowling</p>	

	<p><i>Lifeboat 12</i> by Susan Hood</p>	
	<p><i>The Inn Between</i> by Marina Cohen</p>	<p>During a long car trip, best friends Quinn and Kara explore the strange and creepy goings-on at a remote Nevada inn when Kara's family stops for the night.</p>
	<p><i>The Matchstick Castle</i> by Keir Graff</p>	<p>Eleven-year-old Brian's summer turns out a lot less boring than expected when he encounters a huge, wacky house in the forest and befriends the eccentric family that lives there.</p>
	<p><i>The Serpent's Secret</i> by Sayantani Dasgupta</p>	<p>Kiran is a typical girl from New Jersey who is looking forward to trick or treating on her 12th Birthday, until her parents disappear and her home is destroyed by a monster. Her only choice is to follow a pair of Princes on Flying Horses to a magical kingdom where she has to figure out her true origin in order to save her family.</p>
	<p><i>The 65-Story Treehouse</i> by Andy Griffiths</p>	<p>Andy and Terry travel through time trying to save their treehouse from highly talented, angry ants and Inspector Bubblewrap the building inspector while rushing to meet their publisher's deadline in this further adventure in the series.</p>

	<p><i>Ivy Aberdeen's Letter to the World</i> by Ashley Blake</p>	<p>Ivy is all snuggled in her attic bedroom struggling with some questions in her mind when suddenly her Dad bursts in and they rush along with the rest of her family into their tornado shelter. When they come out Ivy has even more things to struggle with.</p>
	<p><i>Aru Shah and the End of Time</i> by Roshani Chokshi</p>	<p>Twelve-year-old Aru stretches the truth to fit in at her private school, but when she is dared to prove an ancient lamp is cursed, she inadvertently frees an ancient demon.</p>
	<p><i>Ghost</i> by Jason Reynolds</p>	<p>Ghost, a naturally talented runner and troublemaker, is recruited for an elite middle school track team. He must stay on track, literally and figuratively, to reach his full potential.</p>
	<p><i>Squirm</i> by Carl Hiaasen</p>	
	<p><i>Beautiful Blue World</i> (and its sequel) by Suzanne LaFleur</p>	<p>Sofarende is at war and the army is paying families well to recruit children, so if twelve-year-old Mathilde or her best friend Megs is chosen, they hope to help their families but fear they will be separated forever.</p>

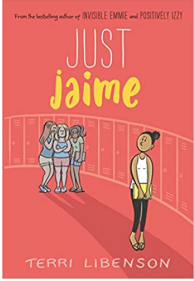
	<p><i>The War I Finally Won</i> (sequel to <i>The War that Saved my Life</i>) by Kimberly Brubaker Brubaker</p>	<p>As the frightening impact of World War II creeps closer and closer to her door, eleven-year-old Ada learns to manage life on the home front.</p>
	<p><i>Marcus Vega Doesn't Speak Spanish</i> by Pablo Cartaya</p>	
	<p><i>Merci Suárez Changes Gears</i> by Meg Medina</p>	
	<p><i>The Vanderbeekers of 141st Street</i> by Karina Yan Glaser</p>	<p>Told that they will have to move out of their Harlem brownstone just after Christmas, the five Vanderbeeker children, ages four to twelve, decide to change their reclusive landlord's mind.</p>
	<p><i>Beyond the Bright Sea</i> by Lauren Wolk</p>	<p>Twelve-year-old orphan Crow embarks on a journey to discover who her parents were and why they abandoned her as an infant. Historical Fiction</p>

	<p><i>Bob</i> by Wendy Mass and Rebecca Stead</p>	<p>Visiting her grandmother in Australia, Livy, ten, is reminded of the promise she made five years before to Bob, a strange, green creature who cannot recall who or what he is.</p>
	<p><i>Lucky Broken Girl</i> by Ruth Behar</p>	<p>In 1960s New York, fifth-grader Ruthie, a Cuban-Jewish immigrant, must rely on books, art, her family, and friends in her multicultural neighborhood when an accident puts her in a body cast.</p>
	<p><i>The Last Kids on Earth</i> series by Max Brallier</p>	<p>After a monster apocalypse hits town, average thirteen-year-old Jack Sullivan builds a team of friends to help slay the eerily intelligent monster known as Blarg. The final installment just came out!</p>
	<p><i>Michael Vey series</i> by Richard Paul Evans</p>	<p>To everyone at Meridian High School, fourteen-year-old Michael Vey is nothing special, just the kid who has Tourette's syndrome. But in truth, Michael is extremely special--he has electric powers. Michael thinks he is unique until he discovers that...</p>
	<p><i>DragonWatch</i> by Brandon Mull</p>	<p>Because Dragonwatch, an ancient group of wizards, enchantresses, and dragon slayers, is crumbling, an uprising of dragons threatens to destroy the magical preserves as well as overrun the non-magical world.</p>

	<p><i>The Wild Robot</i> by Peter Brown (and sequel, <i>The Wild Robot Escapes</i>)</p>	<p>Roz the robot discovers that she is alone on a remote, wild island with no memory of where she is from or why she is there, and her only hope of survival is to try to learn about her new environment from the island's hostile inhabitants.</p>
	<p><i>First Rule of Punk</i> by Celia C. Pérez</p>	<p>Twelve-year-old María Luisa O'Neill-Morales (who really prefers to be called Malú) reluctantly moves with her Mexican-American mother to Chicago and starts seventh grade with a bang--violating the dress code with her punk rock aesthetic and spurning the middle school's most popular girl in favor of starting a band with a group of like-minded weirdos.</p>
	<p><i>The Friendship War</i> by Andrew Clements</p>	

## Graphic Novels

	<p><i>Fake Blood</i> by Whitney Gardner</p>	
	<p><i>Best Friends</i> by Shannon Hale</p>	<p>** Coming in August **</p>
	<p><i>New Kid</i> by Jerry Craft</p>	
	<p><i>Sunny Side Up</i> by Jennifer L. Holm and Matthew Holm</p>	<p>After her older brother starts acting strangely, Sunny Lewin is shipped off to Florida to spend the summer with her grandfather. She makes a friend her age and tries to enjoy her stay but, other than Buzz, everyone is really old.</p>
	<p><i>Awkward</i> by Svetlana Chmakova</p>	

	<p><i>Just Jaime</i> by Terri Libenson</p>	
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## Non-Fiction

	<p><i>Ugly</i> by Robert Hoge</p>	
	<p><i>The Building of the Golden Gate Bridge</i> by Arnold Ringstad.</p>	<p>Gives readers a behind-the-scenes look at the building of the Golden Gate Bridge.</p>
	<p><i>Cute as an Axolotl: Discovering the World's Most Adorable Animals</i> by Jess Keating</p>	
	<p><i>The Great Leopard Rescue: Saving the Amur Leopards</i> by Sandra Markle</p>	<p>Amur leopards are the rarest big cats in the world. But thanks to scientists' new, innovative efforts to study them and breed a reserve population, these majestic cats have a chance to come back.</p>

	<p><i>Nefertiti the Spidernaut: the jumping spider who learned to hunt in space</i> by Darcy Pattison</p>	
	<p><i>First Generation: 36 Trailblazing Immigrants and Refugees who Make America Great</i> by Sandra Neil Wallace</p>	
	<p><i>Who Were the Tuskegee Airmen?</i> by Sherri Smith</p>	