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HARDCOVER FICTION

1. The Pirate Queen

Ariel Lawhon, Doubleday, \$32.00, 9780385550345

2. Threshing Day (Wing and Claw Collection) (The Empyrean)

Rebecca Yarros, Entangled: Red Tower Books, \$24.99, 9781682818084

3. The Calamity Club

Kathryn Stockett, Spiegel & Grau, \$35.00, 9781954118812

4. American Hagwon

Min Jin Lee, Cardinal, \$36.00, 9781538752036

5. Hollywood, Ending

John Green, Dutton Books, \$32.00, 9780525426073

6. The Witch (Deluxe Edition)

Freida McFadden, Poisoned Pen Press, \$29.99, 9781464249648

7. Exit Party

Emily St. John Mandel, Knopf, \$32.00, 9780593321461

8. Whistler

Ann Patchett, Harper, \$30.00, 9780063511637

9. Yesteryear (Indies Introduce)

Caro Claire Burke, Knopf, \$30.00, 9780593804216

10. The French Illusion (The French Illusion Series)

John Grisham, Doubleday, \$35.00, 9780385550543

11. Other Worlds Than These: A Talisman Novel (The Talisman Trilogy #3)

Stephen King, Peter Straub, Scribner, \$35.00, 9781668233092

12. Mad Mabel

Sally Hepworth, St. Martin's Press, \$29.00, 9781250284549

13. The Disappearers

Marlon James, Riverhead Books, \$32.00, 9780593717202

14. Mestra: A Short Story

Madeline Miller, Ecco, \$15.00, 9780063566286

15. Victorious (Villains #3)

V.E. Schwab, Tor Books, \$31.99, 9781250192233

HARDCOVER NONFICTION

1. The American Way of Killing: The Invention of an Epidemic

Malcolm Gladwell, Little, Brown and Company, \$34.00, 9780316603782

2. Blockers: Rebels in the Deep State
Michael Lewis, W. W. Norton & Company, \$29.99, 9781324131656
3. The Land and Its People: Essays
David Sedaris, Little, Brown and Company, \$30.00, 9780316264839
4. Ottolenghi Simple Too: A Cookbook
Yotam Ottolenghi, Ten Speed Press, \$45.00, 9781984860088
5. End Times Fascism: And the Fight for the Living World
Naomi Klein, Astra Taylor, Farrar, Straus and Giroux, \$32.00, 9780374621384
6. The Serviceberry: Abundance and Reciprocity in the Natural World
Robin Wall Kimmerer, John Burgoyne (Illus.), Scribner, \$20.00, 9781668072240
7. One Day, Everyone Will Have Always Been Against This
Omar El Akkad, Knopf, \$28.00, 9780593804148
8. Everything Is Tuberculosis: The History and Persistence of Our Deadliest Infection
John Green, Crash Course Books, \$28.00, 9780525556572
9. Rules to Live By: How Extraordinary Lives Define What Really Matters
Jimmy Chin, Celadon Books, \$30.00, 9781250371645
10. The Rush: California Gold, the Civil War, and the Making of the Modern World
Nathaniel Philbrick, Viking, \$38.00, 9780525562238
11. An Unexpected Life: A Memoir
Gloria Steinem, Random House, \$30.00, 9780593978177
12. The Nerd Reich: Silicon Valley Fascism and the War on Democracy
Gil Durán, Avid Reader Press / Simon & Schuster, \$30.00, 9781668221402
13. Redwood: The Untold Story of the Cold War's Most Extraordinary Spy
Ben Macintyre, Crown, \$35.00, 9780593728123
14. Sleeping Beauties: Why Good Ideas Go Dormant and How They Wake Up
David Byrne, Penguin Press, \$36.00, 9780593655276
15. Protocols: An Operating Manual for the Human Body
Ph.D. Huberman, Andrew D., S&S/Simon Element, \$35.00, 9781668032145

PAPERBACK FICTION

1. Theo of Golden
Allen Levi, Atria Books, \$20.00, 9781668236512
2. Dungeon Crawler Carl
Matt Dinniman, Ace, \$20.00, 9780593820254
3. I Who Have Never Known Men
Jacqueline Harpman, Transit Books, \$16.95, 9781945492600
4. Bound and Unbound: A paranormal novella duology
Ali Hazelwood, Berkley, \$20.00, 9798217192359
5. East of Eden
John Steinbeck, Penguin, \$25.00, 9780142004234
6. Carl's Domsday Scenario (Dungeon Crawler Carl #2)
Matt Dinniman, Ace, \$21.00, 9780593820278
7. Project Hail Mary

Andy Weir, Ballantine Books, \$22.00, 9798217299461
8. Wild Dark Shore
Charlotte McConaghy, Flatiron Books, \$18.99, 9781250828019
9. The Road to Tender Hearts
Annie Hartnett, Ballantine Books, \$20.00, 9780593873465
10. Circe
Madeline Miller, Back Bay, \$19.99, 9780316556323
11. The Women
Kristin Hannah, St. Martin's Griffin, \$21.00, 9781250178640
12. Stitched
Eli McCann, Torrey House Press, \$18.95, 9798890920461
13. The Buffalo Hunter Hunter
Stephen Graham Jones, S&S/Saga Press, \$20.00, 9781668075098
14. Back for Blood: Never Whistle at Night Part II
Shane Hawk (Ed.), Vintage, \$20.00, 9798217007622
15. The Odyssey
Homer, Emily Wilson (Transl.), Norton, \$18.95, 9780393356250

PAPERBACK NONFICTION

1. Braiding Sweetgrass: Indigenous Wisdom, Scientific Knowledge, and the Teachings of Plants
Robin Wall Kimmerer, Milkweed Editions, \$22.00, 9781571313560
2. Crossing the Wine-Dark Sea: Journeys Through Ancient Literature
Emily Wilson, Liveright, \$19.99, 9781324099406
3. Family of Spies: A World War II Story of Nazi Espionage, Betrayal, and the Secret History Behind Pearl Harbor
Christine Kuehn, Celadon Books, \$18.99, 9781250344489
4. Communion: The Female Search for Love
bell hooks, William Morrow Paperbacks, \$17.99, 9780060938291
5. Kitchen Confidential: Adventures in the Culinary Underbelly
Anthony Bourdain, Ecco, \$18.99, 9780060899226
6. All About Love: New Visions
bell hooks, William Morrow Paperbacks, \$17.99, 9780060959470
7. The Art Thief: A True Story of Love, Crime, and a Dangerous Obsession
Michael Finkel, Vintage, \$18.00, 9781984898456
8. Bread of Angels: A Memoir
Patti Smith, Random House Trade Paperbacks, \$20.00, 9781101910177
9. Say Nothing: A True Story of Murder and Memory in Northern Ireland
Patrick Radden Keefe, Vintage, \$23.00, 9780307279286
10. Enshittification: Why Everything Suddenly Got Worse and What to Do About It
Cory Doctorow, Picador, \$20.00, 9781250448194
11. Mother Mary Comes to Me
Arundhati Roy, Scribner, \$20.00, 9781668094723
12. A Marriage at Sea (Indies Introduce)

Sophie Elmhirst, Riverhead Books, \$20.00, 9780593854297
13. On Tyranny: Twenty Lessons from the Twentieth Century
Timothy Snyder, Crown, \$14.00, 9780804190114
14. All the Way to the River: Love, Loss, and Liberation
Elizabeth Gilbert, Riverhead Books, \$20.00, 9780593540992
15. The Unsettling of America (50th Anniversary Edition): Culture and Agriculture
Wendell Berry, Counterpoint, \$20.00, 9781640098374

MASS MARKET PAPERBACK

1. Animal Farm
George Orwell, Signet, \$12.00, 9780451526342
2. 1984
George Orwell, Signet, \$12.00, 9780451524935
3. Slaughterhouse-Five
Kurt Vonnegut, Dell, \$10.99, 9780440180296
4. The Hobbit
J.R.R. Tolkien, Del Rey, \$8.99, 9780345534835
5. Hyperion
Dan Simmons, Spectra, \$11.00, 9780553283686
6. Mistborn: The Final Empire
Brandon Sanderson, Tor, \$10.99, 9781250318541
7. The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy
Douglas Adams, Del Rey, \$9.99, 9780345391803
8. The Name of the Wind
Patrick Rothfuss, DAW, \$10.99, 9780756404741
9. And Then There Were None
Agatha Christie, Morrow, \$10.99, 9780062073488
10. Dune
Frank Herbert, Ace, \$10.99, 9780593640340

CHILDREN'S ILLUSTRATED

1. Room on the Broom
Julia Donaldson, Axel Scheffler (Illus.), Dial Books, \$9.99, 9780593110409
2. Where the Wild Things Are
Maurice Sendak, Harper, \$21.99, 9780060254926
3. Wonderful Halloween
Emily Winfield Martin, Random House Books for Young Readers, \$9.99, 9798217233175
4. Goodnight Moon
Margaret Wise Brown, Clement Hurd (Illus.), Harper, \$10.99, 9780694003617
5. The Bakery Dragon and the Giant Cookie
Devin Elle Kurtz, Knopf Books for Young Readers, \$19.99, 9798217118748
6. Pete the Cat and the Cookie Catastrophe
James Dean, Kimberly Dean, HarperCollins, \$19.99, 9780063350588

7. Gruffalo Granny

Julia Donaldson, Axel Scheffler (Illus.), Dial Books, \$19.99, 9798217238736

8. The Skeleton and the Cat

Brandon James Scott, HarperCollins, \$19.99, 9780063455887

9. Who's There, Little Pumpkin? (Who's There?)

Teresa Bellón, Boxer Books, \$9.99, 9781454799207

10. Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?: Stamped Edges Special Edition

Bill Martin, Jr., Eric Carle (Illus.), Henry Holt and Co. BYR, \$10.99, 9781250445506

CHILDREN'S TITLES

1. Trust Fall

Lynn Painter, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$21.99, 9798347100217

2. Camp Half-Blood: From the World of Percy Jackson: The Wild Zone

Rick Riordan, Annabelle Oh, Random House Books for Young Readers, \$20.99,
9798217445981

3. Where the Wild Things Are

Maurice Sendak, Harper, \$21.99, 9780060254926

4. The Sixth Faction Deluxe Limited Edition (A New Divergent Series #1)

Veronica Roth, HarperCollins, \$25.99, 9780063462540

5. Room on the Broom

Julia Donaldson, Axel Scheffler (Illus.), Dial Books, \$9.99, 9780593110409

6. Baby-sitters on Board!: A Graphic Novel (The Baby-sitters Club Super Special #1)

Raina Telgemeier (Illus.), Graphix, \$16.99, 9781546174363

7. Sunrise on the Reaping (The Hunger Games)

Suzanne Collins, Scholastic Press, \$17.99, 9781546171607

8. The Void Dragons (The Dragonships Series #3)

Scott Reintgen, Aladdin, \$18.99, 9781665982016

9. Spy School Goes East

Stuart Gibbs, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$18.99, 9781665986717

10. Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince: The Illustrated Edition (Harry Potter, Book 6)

J.K. Rowling, Levi Pinfold (Illus.), Scholastic Inc., \$54.99, 9780545791441

11. Goodnight Moon

Margaret Wise Brown, Clement Hurd (Illus.), Harper, \$10.99, 9780694003617

12. The Perks of Being a Wallflower (Special Edition)

Stephen Chbosky, Simon Pulse, \$15.99, 9781665982412

13. The Skeleton and the Cat

Brandon James Scott, HarperCollins, \$19.99, 9780063455887

14. The Neverfear (Impossible Creatures #3)

Katherine Rundell, Ashley Mackenzie (Illus.), Knopf Books for Young Readers, \$19.99,
9780593809945

15. Building 903

Lois Lowry, Clarion Books, \$19.99, 9780063515109

EARLY AND MIDDLE GRADE

1. Camp Half-Blood: From the World of Percy Jackson: The Wild Zone
Rick Riordan, Annabelle Oh, Random House Books for Young Readers, \$20.99, 9798217445981
2. Building 903
Lois Lowry, Clarion Books, \$19.99, 9780063515109
3. Hatchet
Gary Paulsen, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$9.99, 9781481486293
4. Charlotte's Web
E.B. White, HarperCollins, \$10.99, 9780064400558
5. A Wolf Called Fire
Rosanne Parry, Mónica Armijo (Illus.), Greenwillow Books, \$9.99, 9780063415140
6. The Undead Fox of Deadwood Forest (Newbery Honor Award Winner)
Aubrey Hartman, Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, \$8.99, 9780316575737
7. The New Girl: First Crush: A Graphic Novel
Cassandra Calin, Graphix, \$14.99, 9781338762488
8. The Skull: A Tyrolean Folktale
Jon Klassen, Candlewick, \$19.99, 9781536223361
9. The Bletchley Riddle
Ruta Sepetys, Steve Sheinkin, Viking Books for Young Readers, \$9.99, 9780593527559
10. Dream
Barbara O'Connor, Square Fish, \$8.99, 9781250444912

YOUNG ADULT

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Lynn Painter, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$21.99, 9798347100217
2. The Sixth Faction Deluxe Limited Edition (A New Divergent Series #1)
Veronica Roth, HarperCollins, \$25.99, 9780063462540
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Stephen Chbosky, Simon Pulse, \$15.99, 9781665982412
4. Fake Skating
Lynn Painter, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$13.99, 9781665921275
5. Marionetta, Volume 1
Miriam Bonastre Tur, Ink Pop, \$18.99, 9798217032846
6. Radio Free Texas
Libba Bray, Scholastic Press, \$21.99, 9781546156543
7. The Outsiders
S. E. Hinton, Viking Books for Young Readers, \$14.99, 9780142407332
8. Nothing Like the Movies
Lynn Painter, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$13.99, 9781665947145
9. The Giver Deluxe Collector's Edition
Lois Lowry, Clarion Books, \$24.99, 9780063519633
10. Better Than the Movies

Lynn Painter, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$12.99, 9781534467637

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Jeff Kinney, Amulet Books, \$15.99, 9781419788109
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Katherine Rundell, Ashley Mackenzie (Illus.), Yearling, \$11.99, 9780593809891
8. The Dragonet Prophecy (Wings of Fire Graphic Novel, #1)
Tui T. Sutherland, Mike Holmes (Illus.), Graphix, \$12.99, 9780545942157
9. Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Partypooper
Jeff Kinney, Amulet Books, \$15.99, 9781419782695
10. New Moon: Deluxe Collector's Edition (The Twilight Saga #2)
Stephenie Meyer, Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, \$40.00, 9780316599399

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Tui T. Sutherland, Mike Holmes (Illus.), Scholastic
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Lauren Tarshis, Alvaro Sarraseca (Illus.), Scholastic
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Suzanne Collins, Scholastic Press
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Mo Willems, Hyperion
7. Impossible Creatures
Katherine Rundell, Ashley Mackenzie (Illus.), Yearling
8. Magic Tree House
Mary Pope Osborne, Sal Murdocca (Illus.), Random House Books for Young Readers

9. Dog Man

Dav Pilkey, Graphix

10. Baby-Sitters Club Super Special

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