

# Middle Grade



#### **Ahimsa**

#### By Supriya Kelkar

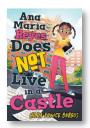
Hardcover - \$21.95 - 9781620143568 E-Book - \$21.95 - 9781620143575 Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-7

In this historical middle-grade novel, Gandhi asks for one member of each family to join the fight for independence from the British, and when Anjali's mother is jailed for doing so, Anjali must step out of her comfort zone to take over her mother's work.

★ School Library Journal

★ Kirkus Reviews
★ School Library Journal

★ Booklist



#### Ana Maria Reyes Does Not Live in a Castle

By Hilda Eunice Burgos

Hardcover - \$18.95 - 9781620143629 E-Book - \$18.95 - 9781620143636 Ages 9-12 | Grades 4-7

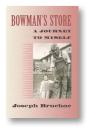
The Penderwicks meets In the Heights in this sparkling middle-grade debut about a young Dominican American girl in New York City.



# Blessing's Bead By Debby Dahl Edwardson

Paperback - \$15.95 - 9781643795768 E-Book - \$15.95 - 9781643796062 **Ages 10-15 | Grades 5-10** 

Now in paperback: the acclaimed middle-grade novel tracing four generations of an Iñupiaq family in Alaska, which the *Washington Post* praised as "a rare and beautiful book."



#### **Bowman's Store**

By Joseph Bruchac

Paperback - \$14.95 - 9781584300274 **Ages 9+ | Grades 4+** 

Bowman's Store gracefully weaves themes from Joseph Bruchac's intimate knowledge of Native American cultures with the scenes from the past that have shaped his life.





#### Boy, Everywhere By A. M. Dassu

Hardcover - \$21.95 - 9781643791968 E-Book - \$21.95 - 9781643791982

Ages 12+ | Grades 7+

What turns citizens into refugees and then immigrants? In this powerful middle-grade debut, Sami and his family embark on a harrowing journey to save themselves from the Syrian civil war.

★ Booklist★ Kirkus Reviews

★ Publishers Weekly



#### **Chess Rumble**

By G. Neri Illustrated by Jesse Joshua Watson

Paperback - \$12.95 - 9781620141892 E-Book - \$12.95 - 9781600608704 **Ages 8-13 | Grades 3-8** 

A story in free verse about a troubled boy who learns to use his mind instead of his fists through the guidance of an unconventional mentor and the game of chess.



#### Dance, Nana, Dance / Baila, Nana, baila

By Joe Hayes Illustrated by Mauricio Trenard Sayago

Paperback - \$16.95 - 9781947627444 E-Book - \$16.95 - 9781947627451 **Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-7** 

and magical protagonists.

Talking yams, a wily sorceress, a famous rascal, and more--find them all in this bilingual collection of Cuban folktales featuring ingenious



## The Day it Snowed Tortillas / El día que nevó tortillas

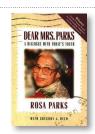
By Joe Hayes

Paperback - \$14.95 - 9780938317760 E-Book - \$14.95 - 9781933693309 Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-6

A Joe Hayes' classic, revealing the wit and wisdom of Hispanic New Mexico folklore.

## The Story Of Series





# Dear Mrs. Parks: A Dialogue with Today's Youth By Rosa Parks

Paperback - \$16.95 - 9781880000618

Ages 6-10 | Grades 1-5

On a December day in 1955, Rosa Parks changed the course of history when she was arrested for refusing to give up her seat to a white passenger on a Montgomery, Alabama bus.



## Chinese History Stories Volume 1: Stories from the Zhou Dynasty

By Renee Ting

Hardcover - \$19.95 - 9781885008374 E-Book - \$19.95 - 9781885008701 Ages 9-13 | Grades 4-8

For thousands of years, the people of China have been enthralled and entertained by stories of real historical figures and events of the past, and have retold the stories until they have become legendary.



# Chinese History Stories Volume 2: Stories from the Imperial Era

By Renee Ting

Hardcover - \$19.95 - 9781885008381 E-Book - \$19.95 - 9781885008718

Ages 9-13 | Grades 4-8

Nineteen of the most important and fascinating tales were translated from their original Chinese for this two-volume set of Chinese Historical Stories. They represent the most entertaining, well-known, and historically significant stories beloved by children and adults alike.



# Etched in Clay By Andrea Cheng

Paperback - \$13.95 - 9781620148075

E-Book - \$13.95 - 9781600608933 Ages 9+ | Grades 4+ ★ Kirkus Reviews ★ School Library Journal

The acclaimed biography-in-verse about the life and times of Dave, an enslaved potter who inscribed his works with short poems during the years leading up to the Civil War.



## Fight Back

By A. M. Dassu

Hardcover - \$21.95 - 9781643795881 E-Book - \$21.95 - 9781643795911 Ages 10-14 | Grades 5-9

Amina's Voice meets A Good Kind of Trouble in this story about 13-year-old Aaliyah, who feels alone after putting on a hijab for the first time, but finds friends and allies through organizing a protest at her school.





## **Galaxy Games**

By Greg Fishbone

E-Book - \$20.95 - 9781600608773 Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-7

Ty Sato and several other Earth children who are recruited by aliens to play in the Galaxy Games earn Earth a spot in the galactic community and save planet Mrendaria from galactic shunning.



## Ghost Fever / Mal de fantasma

By Joe Hayes

Paperback - \$14.95 - 9781933693033 E-Book - \$14.95 - 9781933693323 Ages 9-12 | Grades 4-7

Ages 9-12 | Grades 4-7

A bilingual ghost story just spooky enough to thrill middle grade readers!



#### **Indian No More**

By Charlene Willing McManis with Traci Sorell

Hardcover - \$18.95 - 9781620148396 E-Book - \$18.95 - 9781620148402

Ages 9-13 | Grades 4-8

When Regina's Umpqua tribe is legally terminated and her family must relocate from Oregon to Los Angeles, she goes on a quest to understand her identity as an Indian despite being so far from home.



#### Indio no más

## Escrito por Charlene Willing McManis con Traci Sorell

Paperback - \$15.95 - 9781643796529 E-Book - \$15.95 - 9781643796918

Ages 9-13 | Grades 4-8

Cuando la tribu Umpqua de Regina es terminada legalmente y su familia debe mudarse de Oregón a Los Ángeles, ella se embarca en una búsqueda para comprender su identidad como india a pesar de estar tan lejos de casa.



## Jingu: The Hidden Princess By Ralph E. Pray

Paperback - \$12.95 - 9781885008985 E-Book - \$12.95 - 9781885008800

Ages 8+ | Grades 3+

In fourth-century Japan, a princess lives a life of loneliness and learning until she makes a secret friend, but her destiny forbids that they ever be more than friends.

★ Booklist

★ School Library Journal

★ Booklist

★ School Library Journal



## Julieta and the Diamond Enigma

#### By Luisana Duarte Armendáriz

Hardcover - \$19.95 - 9781643790466 E-Book - \$19.95 - 9781643790473

Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-7

From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler meets Merci Suarez in this smart young middle-grade mystery about a diamond gone missing from the Louvre and the sweet and spunky girl who cracks the case.



# Lucha Libre: The Man in the Silver Mask By Xavier Garza

Paperback - \$12.95 - 9781933693101

Ages 6-13 | Grades 2-7

An action-packed bilingual picture book about traditional Mexican wrestling-lucha libre.



# The Magical Monkey King: Mischief in Heaven By Ji Li Jiang Illustrated by Youshan Tang

Paperback - \$16.95 - 9781885008251 E-Book - \$16.95 - 9781885008831

Ages 7-11 | Grades 2-6

A retelling of stories about the brave, smart, and mischievous Monkey King, accompanied by Chinese brush painting and pen drawings.



#### Mama's Window

By Lynn Rubright Afterword by Patricia C. McKissack

Paperback - \$13.95 - 9781600603358 E-Book - \$13.95 - 9781620140376 Ages 9-13 | Grades 4-8

After his mother dies, "Sugar" Martin is sent to live with his gruff uncle Free, a loner who makes his living fishing in a swamp in the Mississippi Delta in the early 1900s.



#### Mèo and Bé By Doan Phuong Nguyen

Hardcover - \$21.95 - 9781643796253 E-Book - \$21.95 - 9781643796260 Ages 10+ | Grades 5+ | 320 pages

Just before the United States enters the Vietnam War, elevenyear-old Bé and her three-footed kitten Mèo must rise above the injustices of war to find the comfort, safety, and love of a found family.



## **Miosotis Flores Never Forgets**

#### By Hilda Eunice Burgos

Hardcover - \$18.95 - 9781643790657 E-Book - \$18.95 - 9781643790664

Ages 9-12 | Grades 4-7

Perfect for fans of Meg Medina and Barbara O'Connor, this heartfelt novel about family, pets, and other things we hold close is one that you'll never forget.



# The Monster in the Mudball By S.P. Gates

Hardcover - \$19.95 - 9781620141410 E-Book - \$19.95 - 9781620141427 Ages 7-11 | Grades 2-6

In this lower middle-grade mystery, Jin must hunt down the monster he accidentally freed, before it eats his baby brother.



# Montgomery and the Case of the Golden Key By Tracy Occomy Crowder

Hardcover - \$21.95 - 9781643795171 E-Book - \$21.95 - 9781643795188

Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-7

It's 2008, and ten-year-old Montgomery "Monty" Carver is out to find the origin of a golden key found in his South Side Chicago community—which may or may not host the next Olympic games, or supply the next President of the United States, or . . . have a potential ghost hanging around.



# On These Magic Shores By Yamile Saied Méndez

Hardcover - \$19.95 - 9781643790312 E-Book - \$19.95 - 9781643790329

Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-7

Minerva must take care of her sisters after her mother's disappearance in this magical #ownvoices middle grade story that pairs perfectly with *Peter Pan*.



#### **Only One Year**

By Andrea Cheng Illustrated by Nicole Wong

Paperback - \$14.95 - 9781620142554 E-Book - \$14.95 - 9781620141816

Ages 7-10 | Grades 2-5

Three Chinese American children learn to trust and love one another again after the youngest child returns from a year living in China with extended family.



#### Rattlesnake Mesa

#### By Ednah New Rider Weber Photographed by Richela Renkun

Paperback - \$19.95 - 9781600608742 E-Book - \$19.95 - 9781620140666 Ages 9+ | Grades 4+

A true account of a spirited Native American girl's experiences growing up on a reservation and attending Phoenix Indian School in the 1920s, written in an engaging, unconventional style and accompanied by 38 dramatic photographs.



#### The Smell of Old Lady Perfume

#### By Claudia Guadalupe Martínez

Paperback - \$9.95 - 9781933693880 **Ages 11-13 | Grades 6-8** 

Chela faces the challenges of the sixth grade after losing her best friend: her dad.

★ Kirkus Reviews

★ Booklist★ Kirkus Reviews

★ Publishers Weekly



## **Speculation**

By Nisi Shawl

Hardcover - \$19.95 - 9781620149591 E-Book - \$19.95 - 9781620149607 Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-7 | 240 pages

A wonderful middle-grade fantasy debut about Black families, family history, family curses . . . and a really marvelous pair of spectacles.



## Step Up to the Plate, Maria Singh

By Uma Krishnaswami

Hardcover - \$21.95 - 9781600602610 E-Book - \$21.95 - 9781620140284

Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-7

Nine-year-old Maria Singh learns to play softball just like her heroes in the All-American Girls' League, while her parents and neighbors are struggling through World War II, working for India's independence, and trying to stay on their farmland.



## Stone River Crossing

By Tim Tingle

Hardcover - \$20.95 - 9781620148235 E-Book - \$20.95 - 9781620148242

Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-7

From the award-winning author of *How I Became a Ghost*, a tale of unlikely friendship and miracles. When Martha Tom helps Lil Mo and his family escape from the plantation across the river, it's just the beginning of a Choctaw adventure of a lifetime.



# Strong as Fire. Fierce Flame

#### Strong as Fire, Fierce as Flame By Supriya Kelkar

Hardcover - \$21.95 - 9781643790404 E-Book - \$21.95 - 9781643790411

Ages 9-13 | Grades 4-8

In 1857 India, 13-year-old Meera escapes a life she has no say in–and certain death on her husband's funeral pyre–only to end up a servant to a British general in the East India Company. When a rebellion against British colonizers spreads, she must choose between relative safety in a British household or standing up for herself and her people.



#### There's No Base Like Home

By Jessica Mendoza and Alana Mendoza Dusan

Hardcover - \$18.95 - 9781620145883 E-Book - \$18.95 - 9781620145890 Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-7

ESPN Major League Baseball analyst and two-time Olympic medalist Jessica Mendoza teams up with her sister Alana Mendoza Dusan for their first highly-illustrated novel for young readers, a Dork Diaries for sporty kids.



#### **Tofu Quilt**

By Ching Yeung Russell

Paperback - \$13.95 - 9781620143544 E-Book - \$13.95 - 9781600608674

Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-7

A collection of poems telling the story of Yeung Ying, a young girl in Hong Kong in the 1960s who, against the conventions of society and family members, aspires to become a writer.



## The Wind Called my Name

By Mary Louise Sanchez

Hardcover - \$20.95 - 9781620147801 E-Book - \$20.95 - 9781620147818 Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-7

In this heartwarming historical middle-grade set in the 1930s—perfect for fans of *Esperanza Rising* and *Hattie Big Sky*—Margarita Sandoval and her family try to navigate the shifting winds of belonging in their new Wyoming town.

# **Graphic Novels**

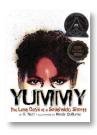


# Rise of the Halfling King (Tales of the Feathered Serpent #1)

By David Bowles
Illustrated by Charlene Bowles

Paperback - \$14.95 - 9781947627376 E-Book - \$14.95 - 9781947627383 **Ages 10+ | Grades 5+** 

In the first of a graphic novel series based on ancient Mesoamerican sagas, a magical boy from Maya legend takes on a giant snake, a power-hungry king, and three impossible tests.



#### Yummy: The Last Days of a Southside Shorty

By G. Neri Illustrated by Randy DuBurke

Paperback - \$16.95 - 9781584302674 E-Book - \$16.95 - 9781600608667 Ages 10+ | Grades 5+

- ★ Booklist
- ★ Bulletin of the Center for Children's Books
- ★ Kirkus Reviews

★ Kirkus Reviews

★ School Library Journal

A graphic novel based on the life and death of Robert "Yummy" Sandifer, an eleven-year-old gang member from Chicago's Southside who was killed by his own gang members.



#### **Grand Theft Horse**

By G. Neri Illustrated by Corban Wilkin

Paperback - \$19.95 - 9781620148556 E-Book - \$19.95 - 9781620148563 Ages 12+ | Grades 6+ | 240 pages

Yummy author G. Neri returns to graphic novels with the powerful story of his cousin Gail Ruffu, who stole a racehorse in order to save it, and ended up fighting the whole racing industry for the humane treatment of animals.

★ Booklist

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#### I Am Alfonso Jones

By Tony Medina Illustrated by Stacey Robinson & John Jennings

Foreword by Bryan Stevenson, Executive Director of the Equal Justice Initiative and author of Just Mercy

Paperback - \$18.95 - 9781620142639 E-Book - \$18.95 - 9781620145913

Ages 12+ | Grades 6+

The Hate U Give meets The Lovely Bones in this unflinching graphic novel about the afterlife of a young man killed by an off-duty police officer.



#### Pitch Black

#### By Anthony Horton & Youme

Paperback - \$17.95 - 9781643796567 E-Book - \$17.95 - 9781933693767

Ages 12+ | Grades 7+

In this short graphic novel, acclaimed author Youme joins with Anthony Horton to tell the true story of how Anthony lived and created art underneath the New York City subway system.



### The Witch Owl Parliament (Clockwork Curandera #1)

By David Bowles & Raul the Third Color by Stacey Robinson & Lettering by Damian Duffy

Paperback - \$18.95 - 9781620145920 E-Book - \$18.95 - 9781620145937

Ages 12+ | Grades 7+ Discover a graphic novel unlike any other-a brilliant steampunk

reimagining of Frankenstein set in colonial Mexico.



#### El parlamento de lechuzas (Curandera mecánica #1)

Creado por David Bowles y Raúl the Third Colores de Stacey Robinson & Rotulación de Damian Duffy

Paperback - \$17.95 - 9781643795140 E-Book - \$17.95 - 9781643795157 Edades 13+ | Grados 8+

Descubre una novela gráfica sin par: una brillante reinvención steampunk de Frankenstein ambientada en el México colonial.

# MG / YA Series



# Maximilian & the Mystery of the Guardian Angel (Max's Lucha Libre Adventures #1) / Maximilian y el misterio del Ángel de la Guarda By Xavier Garza

Paperback - \$18.95 - 9781933693989 E-Book - \$18.95 - 9781935955344 **Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-7** 

Maximillian's summer vacation resembles one of his beloved lucha libre movies: grudge matches, fantastic villains and the Guardian Angel.



#### Maximilian & the Bingo Rematch (Max's Lucha Libre Adventures #2) / Maximilian & la revancha de la lotería By Xavier Garza

Paperback - \$18.95 - 9781935955467 E-Book - \$18.95 - 9781935955474 Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-7

Maximilian's old aunts battle for the Queen Bingo trophy while his sweetheart and the new girl war for Max's heart.



#### Maximilian & the Lucha Libre Club (Max's Lucha Libre Adventures #2) / Maximilian & la revancha de la lotería By Xavier Garza

Paperback - \$18.95 - 9781941026410 E-Book - \$18.95 - 9781941026427 Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-7 **★** Booklist

Max seems like any other nerdy kid until he's asked to join the ranks of the super-secret Lucha Libre Club.



#### Maximilian & the Curse of the Fallen Angel (Max's Lucha Libre Adventures #4) / Maximilian & la maldición del Ángel Caído By Xavier Garza

Paperback - \$18.95 - 9781947627314 E-Book - \$18.95 - 9781947627321

Ages 8-12 | Grades 3-7

Max gets closer to lucha libre fame, and his favorite luchador gears up to face his biggest opponent yet!



# The Shadow Prince By David Anthony Durham

Hardcover - \$21.95 - 9781643794280 E-Book - \$21.95 - 9781643794297

Ages 10-13 | Grades 5-8

In this middle grade solarpunk novel set in an alternate Egyptian universe, twelve-year-old Ash must compete and survive to become the shadow—and protector—of the prince.



#### The Longest Night in Egypt

**By David Anthony Durham** 

Hardcover - \$21.95 - 9781643796093 E-Book - \$21.95 - 9781643796130

Ages 10-13 | Grades 5-8

The Shadow Prince saga continues as Ash and his heroic friends rush to save Ra from the belly of Apep and bring light back to an Egypt that has been plunged into darkness.





# Killer of Enemies By Joseph Bruchac

Paperback - \$12.95 - 9781620142769 E-Book - \$12.95 - 9781620141441

Ages 12+ | Grades 6+

A post-apocalyptic YA novel with a steampunk twist, based on an Apache legend.



#### Trail of the Dead: Killer of Enemies #2 By Joseph Bruchac

Hardcover - \$19.95 - 9781620142615 E-Book - \$19.95 - 9781620142622

Ages 12+ | Grades 6+

In this sequel to *Killer of Enemies*, Lozen and her family, on the run from the tyrants who once held them hostage, embark on a journey along a perilous trail once followed by her ancestors, where they meet friends and foes alike.



#### Arrow of Lightning: Killer of Enemies #3 By Joseph Bruchac

★ Kirkus Reviews

Hardcover - \$19.95 - 9781620143308 E-Book - \$19.95 - 9781620143315

Ages 12+ | Grades 6+

In the final installment of the Killer of Enemies series, Lozen attempts to live a life without the violence that so far has defined her life, but the remaining Ones will not let that happen without a fight.



#### Rebel Seoul By Axie Oh

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★ School Library Journal

Paperback - \$15.95 - 9781643796659 E-Book - \$21.95 - 9781620143001

Ages 12+ | Grades 7+

Pacific Rim meets Korean action dramas in this mind-blowing sci-fi novel set in New Seoul in the year 2199.



#### Rogue Heart By Axie Oh

Hardcover - \$21.95 - 9781643790374

E-Book - \$21.95 - 9781643790381

Ages 12+ | Grades 7+

Warcross meets Final Fantasy in this companion novel to *Rebel Seoul*, in which a young telepath joins a rebel group on a secret mission to end a decades-long world war.





#### **Tankborn** By Karen Sandler

Paperback - \$18.95 - 9781620142967 E-Book - \$18.95 - 9781600608766

Ages 12+ | Grades 7+

Kayla and Mishalla, two genetically engineered enslaved nonhumans (GENs), fall in love with higher-status boys, discover deep secrets about the creation of GENs, and in the process find out what it means to be human.



#### Awakening: Tankborn #2 By Karen Sandler

Paperback - \$16.95 - 9781643790923 E-Book - \$16.95 - 9781600609831 Ages 12+ | Grades 7+

Before Kayla can free her fellow GENs from enslavement, she must save them from a deadly virus.

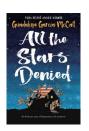


#### Rebellion: Tankborn #3 By Karen Sandler

Hardcover - \$19.95 - 9781600609848 E-Book - \$19.95 - 9781600609855 Ages 12+ | Grades 7+

In a world where half the population is genetically engineered, what does it mean to be human? The acclaimed TANKBORN trilogy rushes to a thrilling conclusion with Rebellion!

# YA / Teen



#### All the Stars Denied

#### By Guadalupe García McCall

Hardcover - \$19.95 - 9781620142813 E-Book - \$19.95 - 9781620142820 **Ages 12+ | Grades 7+** 

In a companion novel to her critically acclaimed *Shame the Stars*, Pura Belpré Award Winner Guadalupe Garcia McCall tackles the hidden history of the United States and its first mass deportation that swept up hundreds of thousands of Mexican American citizens during the Great Depression.

★ School Library Journal



# Alicia Afterimage By Lulu Delacre

Paperback - \$18.95 - 9781620145784 **Ages 12+ | Grades 7+** 

A story of remembrance as well as an exploration of teen grief and healing, recounting the life and death of the author's sixteen-year-old daughter, as told through her parents' and friends' recollections, thoughts, feelings, and memories.



#### The Black Butterfly By Shirley Reva Vernick

Hardcover - \$19.95 - 9781935955795 Paperback - \$11.95 - 9781935955801 E-Book - \$19.95 - 9781935955818 **Ages 13+ | Grades 8+** 

A spooky hotel, two ghosts (friend and enemy), real boyfriend, real romance, a forgiven mother. Not bad for Winter Vacation.

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# Black Was the Ink By Michelle Coles

Hardcover - \$21.95 - 9781643794310 E-Book - \$21.95 - 9781643794327 Ages 13+ | Grades 8+

Ages 13+ | Grades 6+

Through the help of a ghostly ancestor, sixteen-year-old Malcolm is sent on a journey through Reconstruction-era America to find his place in modern-day Black progress.





# The Blood Lie By Shirley Reva Vernick

Hardcover - \$15.95 - 9781933693842 Ages 14+ | Grades 9+

Latent hostility against the Jews erupts in a blood lie when Daisy, a young Gentile girl, disappears in the woods.



## **Bloody Seoul**

#### **By Sonia Patel**

Hardcover - \$17.95 - 9781947627208 Paperback - \$11.95 - 9781947627215

Ages 14+ | Grades 9+

Rocky's future as crime boss for the Three Star Pa gang in Seoul seems fated—until he discovers that his violent father has lied about everything.



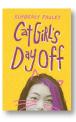
## **Boys of the Beast**

By Monica Zepeda

Hardcover - \$21.95 - 9781643790954 E-Book - \$21.95 - 9781643790961

Ages 14+ | Grades 9+

Three cousins. Four days. One car. This smart and fearless road-trip novel is perfect for fans of David Levithan, Benjamin Alire Saenz, or Meg Medina.



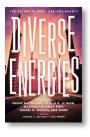
## Cat Girl's Day Off

By Kimberly Pauley

Paperback - \$13.95 - 9781643790503 E-Book - \$13.95 - 9781600608841

Ages 11+ | Grades 6+

In this hilarious YA homage to Ferris Bueller's Chicago, Natalie must use her Talent of talking to cats to solve a high-profile celebrity kidnapping.



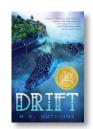
#### **Diverse Energies**

**Edited by Tobias Buckell and Joe Monti** 

Paperback - \$13.95 - 9781620140116 E-Book - \$13.95 - 9781600608889

Ages 13+ | Grades 8+

A collection of dystopian short stories featuring diverse main characters and by authors of color.



#### Drift By M.K. Hutchins

Hardcover - \$19.95 - 9781620141458 E-Book - \$19.95 - 9781620141465

Ages 11+ | Grades 6+

Tenjat joins a dangerous defense to protect his island home from the monsters who threaten it in this fresh YA fantasy inspired by Mayan and Indian folklore.

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\* Publishers Weekly



#### **Echoes of Grace**

## By Guadalupe García McCall

Hardcover - \$21.95 - 9781643794259 E-Book - \$21.95 - 9781643794266 Ages 14+ | Grades 9+

Pura Belpré Award-winning author Guadalupe García McCall explores sisterhood, family secrets, intergenerational trauma, life, and love in a modern Gothic setting with a magical realist twist.



#### The Everything I Have Lost By Sylvia Zéleny

Hardcover - \$15.95 - 9781947627178 Ages 14+ | Grades 9+

Julia keeps lists-lists of everything she loses. Eventually those lists include her dad and her home. Writing in her diary keeps her going but she'll need more than that to find the truth.



#### Gabi, A Girl in Pieces By Isabel Quintero

Paperback - \$16.95 - 9781935955955

E-Book - \$16.95 - 9781935955962 Ages 14+ | Grades 9+

In this groundbreaking William C. Morris Award winner, Gabi's life is a mess-her family, her friends, her attempts at a love life-but writing helps, especially since it turns out she's pretty good at poetry.



#### **Hammer of Witches**

By Seth Mlawski

Hardcover - \$20.95 - 9781600609879 E-Book - \$20.95 - 9781600609886

Ages 11+ | Grades 6+

In this YA historical fantasy, a teen from Spain finds himself aboard a ship sailing to the "New World" with Christopher Columbus.



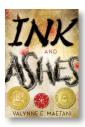


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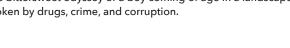
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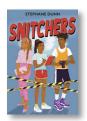
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