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Ocean Sea Alessandro Baricco 2000-06-27 "Exotic...erotic... Ocean Sea is highly romantic and breathtakingly lyrical."--The New York Times Book Review With Silk, his first novel to appear in English, Alessandro Baricco immediately proved himself to be a magical storyteller. With Ocean Sea, he has been acclaimed as the successor to Italo Calvino, and a major voice in modern literature. In Ocean Sea, Alessandro Baricco presents a hypnotizing postmodern fable of human malady--psychological, existential, erotic--and the sea as a means of deliverance. At the Almayer Inn, a remote shoreline hotel, an artist dips his brush in a cup of ocean water to paint a portrait of the sea. A scientist pens love letters to a woman he has yet to meet. An adulteress searches for relief from her proclivity to fall in love. And a sixteen-year-old girl seeks a cure from a mysterious condition which science has failed to remedy. When these people meet, their fates begin to interact as if by design. Enter a mighty tempest and a ghostly mariner with a thirst for vengeance, and the Inn becomes a place where destiny and desire battle for the upper hand. Playful, provocative, and ultimately profound, Ocean Sea is a novel of striking originality and wisdom.

<u>Fairy Mom and Me #1</u> Sophie Kinsella 2018-01-02 Fans of Sophie Kinsella's sparkling humor will love her first ever illustrated series for young readers about the charming adventures of a mother-daughter fairy duo! Ella Brook can't wait to grow up, because one day she will become a fairy and have her own sparkly wings and a teacher on Fairy Tube, just like her mom! Until then, Ella has to learn by watching her mom in action. But sometimes spells go wrong, and Ella's mom can never seem to remember the right magic codes on her Computawand. A lot of the time, it's up to Ella to come to the rescue. Does she have what it takes to be a fairy one day? Or will there be more glitches than glitter?

Il Mistero della Signora Zetkin Edoardo Stauni 2017-01-05 Con questo romanzo l'autore ha tentato una felice fusione, meglio dire un innesto, tra la letteratura puramente poliziesca e il romanzo psicologico. Nella piccola cittadina di Oberammergau, in Germania, nel 1938, va a pensione presso le

fräuleins Cordes la bellissima signora Zetkin, enigmatica figura di donna che non si sa di dove viene, né perché viene, avvolta da un mistero che nessuno riesce a svelare. Tutto sembra procedere per il meglio, ma poi un brutale omicidio e il suicidio, o forse omicidio, della signora Zetkin fa piombare Ilselore Cordes in un baratro senza fine dal quale piano piano riemerge portando alla luce una verità sconvolgente. E la domanda che si era posta da tempo: può l'omicidio essere giustificato, sembra trovare una risposta inaspettata. Una storia incalzante e coinvolgente. Un giallo atipico più da ascrivere al dramma che alla storia poliziesca, ma che del mistero e dell'indagine fa il suo punto di forza. Un piccolo capolavoro.

Case Closed #1: Mystery in the Mansion Lauren Magaziner 2018-08-14 Pick-yourown-path and puzzle-packed mystery collide in the first book in Lauren Magaziner's hilarious and high-stakes four-book middle grade series in which the reader must help Carlos and his friends put together the clues to save his mom's detective agency. In this wildly entertaining and interactive adventure, YOU pick which suspects to interview, which questions to ask, and which clues to follow. You pick the path—you crack the case! Carlos Serrano has never solved a mystery in his life. But when Carlos's mom gets sick with a flu on the morning of an investigation that could save her failing detective agency, Carlos takes on the case. With the help of his best friend, Eliza, and her wild little brother, Frank, Carlos must uncover a mystery involving an eccentric local millionaire, anonymous death threats, and a buried treasure. But with tricky riddles, cagey suspects, hidden secrets, and dozens of impossible choices, they need your help! Can you help Carlos and his friends find the culprit and save Las Pistas Detective Agency? Or will it be case closed? Middle grade readers will enjoy all four books in this favorite series: Mystery in the Mansion (#1), Stolen from the Studio (#2), Haunting at the Hotel (#3), and Danger on the Dig (#4)!

<u>Grey Star the Wizard</u> Ian Page 1987-02 A role-playing adventure in which the reader must find the legendary Moonstone and with its power save the land from the cruel grip of the evil Wytch-king of Shadakine.

The Silver Boy Kristina Ohlsson 2017-02-02 They thought ghosts didn't exist . . But when Aladdin's parents discover food is being stolen from their restaurant, he and his friends decide to investigate. Soon, Aladdin notices a strange boy — dressed in short trousers, despite the freezing cold. But as hard as he tries to catch him, the boy always disappears — leaving no tracks in the fresh snow. Before long, Aladdin and his friends are pulled into a web of secrets and history, treasure and crime. Can they uncover the mystery of the curious Silver Boy?

<u>Evelyne. Il mistero della donna francese</u> Marco Scardigli 2018-09-15 In piena Belle Époque in un albergo di Novara arriva una donna francese così affascinante da diventare l'oggetto delle attenzioni di tutti i viveur della città. Sarebbe solo materia di pettegolezzo, se non fosse che la sua presenza coincide con una sequenza di eventi via via più misteriosi e tragici. Quando,

nel fossato del castello, viene trovato il corpo di una giovane terribilmente sfigurata, i giornali si buttano con avidità sulla vicenda, che sembra ricalcare quella londinese di Jack lo Squartatore. Sul caso indaga il commissario Marchini, ma verranno coinvolti anche il suo amico, il maggiore Stoffel, e Tina, la donna amata da entrambi. E sarà un'avventura che cambierà del tutto le loro vite. @font-face { font-family: Times; }@font-face { font-family: Times; }@font-face { font-family: Times; }@font-face { font-family: ITCAvantGardeStd-Bk; }p.MsoNormal, li.MsoNormal, div.MsoNormal { margin: 0cm 0cm 0.0001pt; font-size: 12pt; font-family: Times; }p.Paragrafobase, li.Paragrafobase, div.Paragrafobase { margin: 0cm 0cm 0.0001pt; line-height: 120%; font-size: 12pt; font-family: "Times-Roman", "serif"; color: black; }.MsoChpDefault { font-size: 10pt; }div.WordSection1 { }

Case Closed #2: Stolen from the Studio Lauren Magaziner 2019-08-13 The hilarious and high-stakes Case Closed middle grade series gets a touch of Hollywood glamor! Pick-your-own-path and puzzle-packed mystery collide in this star-studded sequel in which the reader must help Carlos and his friends solve the disappearance of a famous teen actress. In this wildly entertaining and interactive adventure, YOU pick which suspects to interview, which questions to ask, and which clues to follow. You pick the path—you crack the case! Carlos Serrano needs your help—again! His mother has received an urgent assignment to find the missing star of a wildly popular TV show, but she won't let Carlos investigate! With his genius friend, Eliza, and her little brother, Frank, along for the case, Carlos is excited to examine the studio for clues and interrogate suspects on the set of Teen Witch, but he has to keep his detective work hidden from his mother's laser-sharp gaze. And just like before, he can't do it without you! Can you help Carlos and his friends solve the puzzles and stay out of trouble long enough to save Layla Jay? Or will it be case closed? Middle grade readers will enjoy all four books in this favorite series: Mystery in the Mansion (#1), Stolen from the Studio (#2), Haunting at the Hotel (#3), and Danger on the Dig (#4)!

Case Closed #4: Danger on the Dig Lauren Magaziner 2022-05-17 Pick-your-own path and puzzle-packed mystery collide in the fourth book in Lauren Magaziner's hilarious and interactive middle grade series as Las Pistas Detective Agency gets its first international case at an archaeological dig in Greece. In this wildly entertaining and interactive adventure, YOU pick which suspects to interview, which questions to ask, and which clues to follow. You pick the path—you crack the case! Carlos and Eliza may be going on separate paths, but their end goal is the same—keep the booby traps from taking their detective agency out! But with tricky puzzles and dozens of impossible choices, they need your help! Can you help Carlos and his friend find the lost treasure . . . and can you protect it from the culprit trying to steal it? Can you help Carlos and his friends unravel the mystery before it's too late? Or will it be case closed? Middle grade readers will enjoy all four books in this favorite series: Mystery in the Mansion (#1), Stolen from the Studio (#2), Haunting at the Hotel (#3), and Danger on the Dig (#4)!

The Only Thing Worse Than Witches Lauren Magaziner 2015-08-04 Roald Dahl meets Eva Ibbotson in this hilarious middle grade debut * "Fifth-grader Rupert Campbell lives in a world that combines Roald Dahl's Witches and Louis Sachar's Wayside School. Readers will banish themselves from the ordinary world to finish this book in a flash." --Kirkus Reviews, starred review Rupert Campbell is fascinated by the witches who live nearby. He dreams of broomstick tours and souvenir potions, but the closest he can get to a witchy experience is sitting in class with his awful teacher Mrs. Frabbleknacker, who smells like bellybutton lint and forbids Rupert's classmates from talking to each other before, during, and after class. So when he sees an ad to become a witch's apprentice, Rupert simply can't resist applying. But Witchling Two isn't exactly what Rupert expected. With a hankering for lollipops and the magical aptitude of a toad, she needs all the help she can get to pass her exams and become a full-fledged witch. She's determined to help Rupert stand up to dreadful Mrs. Frabbleknacker too, but the witchling's magic will be as useful as a clump of seaweed unless Rupert can figure out a way to help her improve her spellcasting—and fast!

Rollercoasters: Room 13 Reader Robert Swindells 2009 Somebody was in there. Somebody - or some thing...There is no Room 13 in the creepy Crow's Nest Hotel, where Fliss and her friends are staying on a school trip. Or is there? For at the stroke of midnight, something peculiar happens to the door of the linen cupboard next to Room 12. And something is happening to Ellie-May Sunderland, too - something very sinister... A gripping page-turner from the master of spooky suspense, award-winning Robert Swindells.

Sean Wants to Be Messi Tanya Preminger 2016-05-09 Sean, a whimsical class two kid, wants to be the great Leo Messi, and he's willing to work hard for his cause. Join Sean as he battles fears, bullies, nagging parents, and tiresome teachers in pursuit of his dream to become the best football player in the world. A children's book about football, math, practise and persistence. Not necessarily in this order.Illustrations: Elettra Cudignotto

<u>Wizardmatch</u> Lauren Magaziner 2018-03-06 Take the hilarious, magic-infused world of Eva Ibbotson's Which Witch, add the lovable feuding family from The Incredibles, and you'll get Wizardmatch--funny, fantastical, action-packed, and totally heartwarming. Twelve-year-old Lennie Mercado loves magic. She practices her invisibility powers all the time (she can now stay invisible for fifteen seconds!), and she dreams of the day that she can visit her grandfather, the Prime Wizard de Pomporromp, at his magical estate. Now Lennie has her chance. Poppop has decided to retire, and his grandchildren are coming from all over to compete in Wizardmatch. The winner inherits his title, his castle, and every single one of his unlimited magical powers. The losers get nothing. Lennie is desperate to win, but when Poppop creates a new rule to quelch any sibling rivalry, her thoughts turn from winning Wizardmatch to sabotaging it...even if it means betraying her family. Comedic, touching, and page-turny, Wizardmatch is perfect for fans of Mr. Lemoncello's Library, The Gollywopper Games, and The Candymakers.

Il mistero della Pallacorda. La prima inchiesta del commissario De Pedris Riccardo Pedraneschi 2016-09-29 Riccardo Pedraneschi è nato a Parma, dove risiede. È amante del genere letterario poliziesco e dal 1987 si è avvicinato alla città di Siena, interessandosi in modo particolare del Palio. Il romanzo che ci presenta, riguarda un misterioso omicidio avvenuto nella Contrada del Drago. Questo evento rischia di offuscare la festa del Popolo di Camporegio e per la prima volta appare in scena il commissario De Pedris, un torinese di origini emiliane da sempre attratto da Siena e dalle sue tradizioni.

The Secret Garden Hodgson B.F. «Таинственный сад» — любимая классика для читателей всех возрастов, жемчужина творчества Фрэнсис Ходжсон Бернетт, роман о заново открытой радости жизни и магии силы. Мэри Леннокс, жестокое и испорченное дитя высшего света, потеряв родителей в Индии, возвращается в Англию, на воспитание к дяде-затворнику в его поместье. Однако дядя находится в постоянных отъездах, и Мэри начинает исследовать округу, в ходе чего делает много открытий, в том числе находит удивительный маленький сад, огороженный стеной, вход в который почему-то запрещен. Отыскав ключ и потайную дверцу, девочка попадает внутрь. Но чьи тайны хранит этот загадочный садик? И нужно ли знать то, что находится под запретом?.. Впрочем, это не единственный секрет в поместье...

Religious Narratives in Italian Literature after the Second Vatican Council Jenny Ponzo 2019-03-18 This book presents a semiotic study of the reelaboration of Christian narratives and values in a corpus of Italian novels published after the Second Vatican Council (1960s). It tackles the complex set of ideas expressed by Italian writers about the biblical narration of human origins and traditional religious language and ritual, the perceived clash between the immanent and transcendent nature and role of the Church, and the problematic notion of sanctity emerging from contemporary narrative.

Caso chiuso. Il mistero del castello Lauren Magaziner 2018

The Secret Garden Frances Hodgson Burnett 1912 A ten-year-old orphan comes to live in a lonely house on the Yorkshire moors and discovers an invalid cousin and the mysteries of a locked garden.

Raúl, a very polar bear: Adventure in the North Pole A.P. Hernández 2018-11-19 Explore the animal world. Raúl is a polar bear and Raky is a very talkative Artic hare. She is also his best friend. By reading this book, you can travel with them along the North Pole, you can play at guessing riddles with Raky and you will discover other amazing animals, such as the walrus Leticia, the Artic fox Antonio and... even, a reindeer! Wrap up for this adventure! This book contains many photos of the North Pole and its animals.

The Guggenheim Mystery Robin Stevens 2019-10-15 The adventure that began in Siobhan Dowd's popular novel The London Eye Mystery at long last continues as three kids investigate a theft at the Guggenheim Museum. When Ted and his big sister, Kat, take a trip to New York to visit their cousin Salim and their aunt

Gloria, they think they're prepared for big-city adventures. But when a famous painting is stolen from the Guggenheim Museum, where Aunt Gloria works, the surprises begin to mount faster than they could have anticipated. With the police looking at Aunt Gloria as the prime suspect, Ted, Kat, and Salim become sleuthing partners, following a trail of clues across NYC to prove her innocence--and to pinpoint the real thief. Ultimately, it comes down to Ted, whose brain works in its own very unique way, to find the key to the mystery.

The Book of Disquiet Fernando Pessoa 2010-12-09 Sitting at his desk, Bernardo Soares imagined himself free forever of Rua dos Douradores, of his boss Vasques, of Moreira the book-keeper, of all the other employees, the errand boy, the post boy, even the cat. But if he left them all tomorrow and discarded the suit of clothes he wears, what else would he do? Because he would have to do something. And what suit would he wear? Because he would have to wear another suit. A self-deprecating reflection on the sheer distance between the loftiness of his feelings and the humdrum reality of his life, The Book of Disquiet is a classic of existentialist literature.

Missing Pieces Carly Anne West 2018 Nicky Roth has always been a lonely kid. But that all changes when he and his family move to Raven Brooks and meet their eccentric neighbors, the Petersons. Nicky befriends the Petersons' son, Aaron, bonding over their talents for tinkering. Soon the boys are inseparable and using their skills to pull pranks on the townspeople. But something about Aaron bothers Nicky--people seem almost afraid of him and his family. Through snippets from Aaron and a lot of sleuthing in the town's archives, Nicky discovers a dark past haunting his neighbors, a streak of bad luck they can't seem to shake. Aaron thinks that's all behind them now, but Nicky has a feeling the Petersons are fated for another tragedy ...

Dad By My Side Soosh 2018-05-08 A heartwarming celebration of the special relationship between a father and daughter from Instagram sensation Soosh. Whether they're playing make-believe, making you smile, or warding off monsters under the bed, dads are always there when you need them. Debut picture book artist Soosh celebrates fathers with a gorgeously illustrated and moving story about the parent-child bond. When Soosh first posted her initial series of images of a larger-than-life father and his adorable daughter on Instagram, fans from across the world immediately took notice with over 2 million views on a popular viral content website in a single week. These illustrations now come together in a universally relatable story of familial love for parents and children to share.

<u>Remember Me</u> Christopher Pike 2020-09-22 After her untimely death, eighteenyear-old Shari tries to prove that she did not commit suicide and attempts to keep the person responsible from killing again.

<u>Pilfer Academy</u> Lauren Magaziner 2016 Troublemaking George has never heard of Pilfer Academy, a top-secret school for cultivating young crooks, until he's kidnapped as its newest student. The teachers are kooky at best, and naughty

does not even begin to describe his sneaky, smart, and morally bankrupt new classmates. Between disguise classes, cracking safes, and DIY gadgets, George becomes an expert bandit and finds true friendship with Tabitha, his new partner-in-crime. But everything is ruined when George comes to a shocking realization- He is just toogood-hearted to be a thief! Unfortunately, not thieving is not an option at Pilfer Academy, and 'misbehaving' students face Dean Deanbugle's favorite punishment-the Whirlyblerg! In order to gain their freedom, George and Tabitha must pull the biggest heist the school has ever seen and reveal their true colors not as thieves, but as kind (and, okay, mischievous) kids. Praise forPilfer Academy- 'Magaziner creates another weird and silly world that mirrors Hogwarts without the magic . . . A fun fantasy romp. 'Kirkus Reviews Praise for The Only Thing Worse Than Witches-'CombinesRoald Dahl's WitchesandLouis Sachar's Wayside School . . .readers will banish themselves from the ordinary world to finish this book in a flash.'Kirkus Reviews, starred review 'A rollicking tale . . . first-time novelist Lauren Magaziner fashions a rich and compelling alternative reality.'The Chicago Tribune 'Magaziner's debut has echoes ofDahl's Matilda . . .a fun, frothy story that will, well, charm its readers. 'Publishers Weekly 'Mrs. Frabbleknacker is as awful as her name, with antics reminiscent of scenes fromLouis Sachar's Sideways Stories from Wayside Schoolgone wrong. 'School Library Journal 'Ideal for middle-grade readers who loveRoald Dahl's Matilda(1988) and enjoy humor with their fantasy, this debut novel is madcap and fantastical. It's the perfect thing for kids not quite ready for Diane DuaneorMadeleine L'Engle.'Booklist 'The kids' slowly forming friendship has real grace and authenticity . . . Eva Ibbotsonfans will appreciate the guirky humor.'BCCB 'This hilarious, light-hearted debut would be a great read-aloud for middle grade classrooms. 'Library Media Connection

The Girl Who Kicked the Hornet's Nest Stieg Larsson 2010-05-25 In the third volume of the Millennium series, Lisbeth Salander lies in critical condition in a Swedish hospital, a bullet in her head. But she's fighting for her life in more ways than one: if and when she recovers, she'll stand trial for three murders. With the help of Mikael Blomkvist, she'll need to identify those in authority who have allowed the vulnerable, like herself, to suffer abuse and violence. And, on her own, she'll seek revenge--against the man who tried to killer her and against the corrupt government institutions that nearly destroyed her life.

Sheila Holmes e il Mistero del Vaso di Bronzo Adelaide Byrne 2014-10-20 Presentando Sheila Holmes, pronipote di Sherlock Holmes e che svolge la sua stessa professione, occorre dire subito che essa nasce nella fantasia di Adelaide Byrne come emula di Modesty Blaise e, nell'ambientazioni delle storie, dell'eroine dei fumetti quali Jane di Mike Hubbard, Patti di Bob Hamilton e Scarth di Luis Roca e Jo Addams. Le avventure di Sheila Holmes, si dipanano in una Inghilterra degli anni 70, in piena rivoluzione sessuale, e la nostra eroina risente di questo clima, specchio della ragazza inglese della classe media di quel periodo. Nel delinearne il carattere, e il rapporto che essa ha con il fidanzato James Hatch, Adelaide Byrne si è rifatta al profilo che fa di

Modesty Blaise Francesco Paolo Conte: "Una femminilità lontana dai canoni che alla donna sono stati per secoli e secoli prestati ma, comunque, aderente a certe immutabili realtà non soltanto biologiche ma anche spirituali.... Bella e sessualmente appetibile, ricorre raramente al suo fascino. Quando lo fa, tuttavia, sa di giocare una carta vincente. Audace e spericolata, è troppo professionista per gettarsi allo sbaraglio. Quando vi si getta ha già calcolato che almeno su una via d'uscita può contare......questa giovane è capace di edonistiche pause e di pietà, di patimenti fisici e di smarrimenti dello spirito...... E sta forse in questo il suo fascino. Un fascino adulto.....Un fascino anche scabroso e frastornante, specie per i lettori non giovanissimi sui quali l'immagine di una donna che compie miracoli d'audacia e destrezza agisce in modo meno scioccante dell'immagine della medesima donna che, pur amando, ricambiata, il suo uomo non raramente lo "tradisce" (anche in guesto da lui largamente ricambiata) con l'immancabile epilogo dei due amanti che sorseggiando sofisticati cocktails amabilmente e senza mai smettere di sorridere si raccontano il "chi", il "come" e il "quando" consapevoli che il "perché" non esiste né può esistere" (dalla presentazione del Fumetto Modesty Blaise — Morbidamente tua di Badia Romero — Edizioni SEA — giugno 1975) Ma anche a quanto scrive Piero Zanotto nell'aprile 1974: "I rapporti affettuosi e talora intensi, che farebbero supporre un ménage tranquillo sul piano sentimentale e sessuale, sono tenuti volutamente fuori dalle regole, dai sacramenti, dai certificati matrimoniali. Non solo: anche questo in fondo sarebbe oggi abbastanza accettato e tranquillo. I due, sempre insieme in ogni azione al servizio di Sua Maestà britannica, efficientemente affiatati e sull'orlo spesso di finire nel mondo dei più, poiché gli avversari rispecchiano la fredda determinazione della reale delinguenza organizzata dei giorni nostri, non esitano – quando occorre – a vantarsi di rapporti, certamente occasionali, con altri partners. E lo fanno con una serenità che gli sarebbe invidiata, penso, anche dai cultori dell'amore di gruppo." Vediamo con quanto non chalance si concede ad un uomo che le piace: " Si era appena spogliata e si era sdraiata su letto, quando sentì bussare leggermente alla porta. Automaticamente rispose: Avanti. Era sdraiata nuda sul letto, le mani intrecciate sotto il capo. La finestra era aperta, ma la tenda interamente abbassata lasciava in ombra la camera: un'ombra ardente di sole. Fuori, il profumo dei fiori era intenso. Non un rumore saliva dal giardino. Anche la casa era silenziosa, come se non fosse abitata. Gilmore rimase interdetto, affascinato dalla visione che aveva davanti agli occhi. Sheila, con noncuranza lo invitò ad entrare e non fece nulla per ricoprirsi. - Non ho potuto avere il testo delle testimonianze, - egli si scusò ma eccovi le annotazioni del commissario Hammett sulle singole deposizioni. Sarebbe bene che le copiaste. — Grazie, ma prima leggiamole insieme. Gilmore venne a metterle sulla sponda del letto. Era titubante, imbarazzato, indeciso sul da farsi. Senza scomodarsi dalla posizione in cui era, Sheila si sporse col busto quel tanto che le permise di prenderle. La pienezza del seno e il triangolo del pube turbarono profondamente il conte. Le cortine di seta rosa scostate lasciavano completamente in vista il letto basso dove la trionfante nudità di Sheila riposava. L'eccitazione del conte era, ora, evidente, quasi imbarazzante. Sheila decise di lasciarsi andare, di giocare con lui, erano quasi quindici giorni che i suoi organi non venivano stimolati da uno sprone

maschile e adesso desiderava approfittare il più completamente e il più a lungo possibile di quell'attimo di estremo desiderio che si era impadronito di lei. Un desiderio quasi animalesco. In quel momento la sua mente si era astratta da tutto, anche da Peter Sand e da James Hatch. — Che state a fare li immusonito? Venite qui, accanto a me!" Ed al sottile erotismo Adelaide Byrne, nell'espletamento dell'avventura criminosa, dell'indagine poliziesca, dove il sesso si muove in modo molto garbato e la brutalità è del tutto assente, aggiunge una nota di Glamour esente però da romanticismo sdolcinato. Ed il Glamour di Adelaide Byrne è fatto da eroine che vestono in modo impudico, che si presentano in deshabillé o completamente nude come Eleanor Randolph in Sheila Holmes e La Vendetta di Lady Randolph. "Allo specchio, Eleanor Randolph, completamente nuda, si pettinava sorpresa di scoprirsi ancora bella come quando aveva vent'anni. Il seno, finemente modellato, si manteneva ancora saldo e svettante e il ventre non mostrava smagliature di sorta. Improvvisamente, restando con la mano sospesa sul capo ella si chiese se aveva fatto bene a vivere quella folle avventura con Richard Herbert." Adelaide Byrne è maestra nel giocare con il lettore che sa solleticare con intelligenza e buon gusto, portando la sua temperatura ad un sano grado di erotismo. La sua eroina, laureata in filosofia, in legge e in medicina, è indubbiamente sexy ma non è una Dark Lady. Sheila Holmes non insidia la casta virtù degli uomini o delle donne, se si concede loro, già, perché ci siamo dimenticati di dire che è anche bisex, lo fa con il loro pieno consenso. Adelaide Byrne si richiama alla moralità dell'epoca che si stava evolvendo su rotaie d'una sempre più fervida prodigalità di costumi. Trama La giovane Sheila Holmes, su incarico dell'Agenzia Investigativa Matheson, si reca al Castello di Lother per indagare sull'assassinio del gioielliere Fitz-Patrick. Qui, tra un amore nascente, un'avventura galante ed un nuovo omicidio, la pronipote di Sherlock Holmes dipana la matassa in modo magistrale.

The Mythics #1: Marina and the Kraken Lauren Magaziner 2022-09-06 From Case Closed author Lauren Magaziner and artist Mirelle Ortega comes the first book in a new highly illustrated middle grade fantasy series. Full of action, adventure, and friendship, a team of five girls must stop a powerful villain by finding their mythical familiars. It's Pairing Day in Terrafamiliar! Marina has been waiting for this moment--anxiously--for as long as she can remember. Because today's the day she gets to bond with her animal familiar for life, like every other ten-year-old in the land. Except after the ceremony ends, Marina doesn't have one. And she's not alone . . . four other girls also didn't get their animal companions. The leaders of Terrafamiliar realize something special is happening: Marina and the other four girls--Kit, Ember, Pippa, and Hailey--are called Mythics In times of unrest, the Mythics must earn their Mythies--mythical beasts--in quests of courage. But danger lurks everywhere as there are others seeking this mysterious power. And only the Mythics can save Terrafamiliar!

Le Streghe. Dono del Folletto alle Signore presentato da D. Sacchi Defendente SACCHI 1830 The Goldfish Boy Lisa Thompson 2017-02-28 Lisa Thompson's debut novel is a page-turning mystery with an emotionally-driven, complex character study at its core -- like Rear Window meets The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time. Matthew Corbin suffers from severe obsessive-compulsive disorder. He hasn't been to school in weeks. His hands are cracked and bleeding from cleaning. He refuses to leave his bedroom. To pass the time, he observes his neighbors from his bedroom window, making mundane notes about their habits as they bustle about the cul-de-sac. When a toddler staying next door goes missing, it becomes apparent that Matthew was the last person to see him alive. Suddenly, Matthew finds himself at the center of a high-stakes mystery, and every one of his neighbors is a suspect. Matthew is the key to figuring out what happened and potentially saving a child's life... but is he able to do so if it means exposing his own secrets, and stepping out from the safety of his home?

One of These is Not Like the Others Barney Saltzberg 2021-07-13 One of these is not like that other--and that's great! This gently subversive picture book points out-- and celebrates!-- the differences between subjects. Barney Saltzberg's hilarious and delightfully direct text and simple illustrations introduce children to the concept and splendor of inclusiveness, through recognizing who or what's different on each spread and celebrating the unity as it is. For example, the reader sees three cows and an elephant accompanied by the text "One of these is not like the other," turn the page... and all four animals take part in an exuberant conga line and say "that's just fine with us"! In a series of similar examples children are encouraged to notice both the similarities and differences between characters and celebrate both. Barney Saltzberg's picture book is a pointed and timely tribute to the power of inclusivity and as well as a riotous read-aloud.

The Cask of Amontillado Edgar Allan Poe 1999 After enduring many injuries of the noble Fortunato, Montressor executes the perfect revenge.

Case Closed #3: Haunting at the Hotel Lauren Magaziner 2020-08-11 Pick-yourown-path and puzzle-packed mystery collide in the third book in Lauren Magaziner's hilarious and interactive middle grade series. In the Case Closed books, the reader helps Carlos and his friends hunt ghosts at a haunted hotel. In this wildly entertaining adventure, YOU pick which suspects to interview, which questions to ask, and which clues to follow. You pick the path—you crack the case! Carlos Serrano is now officially an apprentice detective at Las Pistas Detective Agency. He finally earned his mom's trust, but his next case will be his most difficult one yet. Guests at a creepy mountain hotel are complaining of weird disturbances, threatening messages, and hair-raising howls! Carlos, along with his best friend, Eliza, and her wacky little brother, Frank, arrive on the scene to investigate a . . . ghost? What secrets is this haunted hotel hiding? With tricky puzzles, ghoulish secrets, ectoplasmic enemies, and dozens of impossible choices, these junior detectives need your sleuthing skills! Can you help Carlos and his friends unravel the mystery before it's too late? Or will it be case closed? Middle grade readers will

enjoy all four books in this favorite series: Mystery in the Mansion (#1), Stolen from the Studio (#2), Haunting at the Hotel (#3), and Danger on the Dig (#4)!

The Day of The Bomb Karl Bruckner 2016-08-09 First published in 1961 under the German title Sadako Will Leben (meaning Sadako Wants to Live), this non-fiction book by renowned Austrian children's writer Karl Bruckner is considered his most famous work. Telling the vivid story about a Japanese girl named Sadako Sasaki, who lived in Hiroshima and died of illnesses caused by radiation exposure following the horrific atomic bombing of the city in August 1945, the book has been translated into most major languages and has been used as material for peace education in schools around the world.

The Art of Killing Well Marco Malvaldi 2015-06-04 Nothing could please a chef more than a chance to learn the secrets of a Baron's castle kitchen. Having travelled the length and breadth of the country compiling his masterpiece, The Science of Cooking and The Art of Eating Well, Pellegrino Artusi relishes the prospect of a few quiet days and a boar hunt in the Tuscan hills. But his peace is short-lived. A body is found in the castle cellar, and the local inspector finds himself baffled by an eccentric array of aristocratic suspects. When the baron himself becomes the target of a second murder attempt, Artusi realises he may need to follow his infallible nose to help find the culprit. Marco Malvaldi serves up an irresistible dish spiced with mischief and intrigue, and sweetened with classical elegance and wit. His stroke of genius is to bring Italy's first cookery writer to life in this most entertaining of murder mysteries.

Il mistero degli assassini senza testa Manuel Mura 2017-09-02 Inquietanti delitti sconvolgono la Francia del 1700. Gli unici testimoni parlono di uomini senza testa che avrebbero compiuto i misfatti. L'ultima vittima inoltre pareva che facesse parte di una strana setta dedita a misteriosi progetti scientifici. Tra gli altri alcuni scritti di Leonardo Da Vinci che parlavano di macchinari all'avanguardia che se mal usati potrebbero sconvolgere il mondo. Il medico legale Etoile Renée è l'unica che si sta occupando del caso mentre dall'alto si vuole chiuderlo in fretta. Misteri, avventura, azione, sentimento, antichi progetti e culti nella Francia prima della rivoluzione.

Wolf by Wolf Ryan Graudin 2015-10-20 Her story begins on a train. The year is 1956, and the Axis powers of the Third Reich and Imperial Japan rule. To commemorate their Great Victory, they host the Axis Tour: an annual motorcycle race across their conjoined continents. The prize? An audience with the highly reclusive Adolf Hitler at the Victor's ball in Tokyo. Yael, a former death camp prisoner, has witnessed too much suffering, and the five wolves tattooed on her arm are a constant reminder of the loved ones she lost. The resistance has given Yael one goal: Win the race and kill Hitler. A survivor of painful human experimentation, Yael has the power to skinshift and must complete her mission by impersonating last year's only female racer, Adele Wolfe. This deception becomes more difficult when Felix, Adele's twin brother, and Luka, her former love interest, enter the race and watch Yael's every move. But as Yael grows

closer to the other competitors, can she be as ruthless as she needs to be to avoid discovery and stay true to her mission? From the author of The Walled City comes a fast-paced and innovative novel that will leave you breathless.

The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time Mark Haddon 2009-02-24 A bestselling modern classic-both poignant and funny-narrated by a fifteen year old autistic savant obsessed with Sherlock Holmes, this dazzling novel weaves together an old-fashioned mystery, a contemporary coming-of-age story, and a fascinating excursion into a mind incapable of processing emotions. Christopher John Francis Boone knows all the countries of the world and their capitals and every prime number up to 7,057. Although gifted with a superbly logical brain, Christopher is autistic. Everyday interactions and admonishments have little meaning for him. At fifteen, Christopher's carefully constructed world falls apart when he finds his neighbour's dog Wellington impaled on a garden fork, and he is initially blamed for the killing. Christopher decides that he will track down the real killer, and turns to his favourite fictional character, the impeccably logical Sherlock Holmes, for inspiration. But the investigation leads him down some unexpected paths and ultimately brings him face to face with the dissolution of his parents' marriage. As Christopher tries to deal with the crisis within his own family, the narrative draws readers into the workings of Christopher's mind. And herein lies the key to the brilliance of Mark Haddon's choice of narrator: The most wrenching of emotional moments are chronicled by a boy who cannot fathom emotions. The effect is dazzling, making for one of the freshest debut in years: a comedy, a tearjerker, a mystery story, a novel of exceptional literary merit that is great fun to read.

The Hunt for the Colosseum Ghost (Geronimo Stilton Special Edition) Geronimo Stilton 2018-03-27 The Colosseum is being haunted by a gladiator ghost. None of the tourists want to visit anymore! Geronimo must solve the mystery and rid the site of its ghost.*Plus BONUS Mini Mystery: The Cheese BurglarCan Geronimo clear his name and catch the real thief before it's too late?

The Evolution of Jane Cathleen Schine 2011 When Jane unexpectedly encounters her cousin, Martha, in the Galapagos Islands, she feels she finally has the opportunity to talk to her about their deteriorating friendship and find out what it was that caused their once strong bond to end so suddenly. 75,000 first printing. Tour.