Humor

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Title	Author	Call #
NERDS*	Buckley, Michael	FIC BUC



While running a spy network from their elementary school, five unpopular misfits combine their talents and use cutting-edge gadgetry to fight evil around the world.

Fakespeare Castle, M.E. FIC CAS



Three kids join the Get Lost Book Club and soon find themselves trapped in William Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet." They must help the star-crossed couple finish their story to free themselves, but they must deal with a swordsman and a perfumer, disguises, fake pizza, and tomato fights as they try to get Romeo Montague to ask Juliet Capulet on a date.

Remarkable Gerhardt, Jake FIC GER



Ten-year-old Jane Doe, the only student average enough to be excluded from the town of Remarkable's School for the Remarkably Gifted, is joined at her public school by the trouble-making Grimlet twins, who lead her on a series of adventures involving an out-of-control science fair project, a pirate captain on the run from a mutinous crew, a lonely dentist, and a newly constructed bell tower that endangers Remarkable's most beloved inhabitant-a skittish lake monster named Lucky.

Me and Miranda Mullaly

Gerhardt, Jake

FIC GER



They each have 33% chance with her, but she's 0% interested.

Meet Sam, the comedian; Duke, the intellectual; and Chollie, the athlete. Their fates converge at Penn Valley Middle as each falls desperately for the enigmatic Miranda Mullaly--the girl who smiles like she means it, the girl who makes Christmas truly magic when she sings, the girl who...barely realizes her admirers exist! Small misunderstandings lead to big laughs, and beneath the humor, every attempt to win Miranda's favor becomes a compelling look at the larger world of each guy's life.

The Smartest Kid in the Universe* Grabenstein, Chris FIC GRA



12 year old Jake's middle school is about to be shut down. Jake and his friends know their school's worth saving-if they could only figure out how! When Jake spies a bowl of jellybeans at the hotel where his mom works, he eats them. Before long, Jake is the smartest kid in the universe. And when word gets out about this new genius, people want him but not all of them are good. Can Jake navigate all the ins and outs of his newfound geniusdom AND use his smarts to figure out how to save his school? It turns out, sometimes even the smartest kid has a lot to learn!

Middle School is Worse than Meatloaf Holm, Jennifer FIC HOL



Ginny has ten items on her big to-do list for seventh grade. None of them, however, include accidentally turning her hair pink. Or getting sent to detention for throwing frogs in class. Or losing the lead role in the ballet recital to her ex-best friend. Or the thousand other things that can go wrong between September and June. But it looks like it's shaping up to be that kind of a year! Here's the story of one girl's worst school year ever -- told completely through her stuff.

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Bad Kitty* Jaffe, Michele FIC JAF



While vacationing with her family in Las Vegas, seventeen-year-old Jasmine stumbles upon a murder mystery that she attempts to solve with the help of her friends, recently arrived from California.

The Boys in the Back Row Jung, Mike FIC JUN



Best friends Matt and Eric are hatching a plan for one big final adventure together before Eric moves away: during the marching band competition at a Giant Amusement Park, they will sneak away to a nearby comics convention and meet their idol – a famous comic creator. Without cell phones. Or transportation. Or permission. Of course, their final adventure together is more than just that – really, it's a way for the boys to celebrate their friendship, and their honest love and support for one another.

The Unteachables Korman, Gordon FIC KOR



The Unteachables never thought they'd find a teacher who had a worse attitude than they did. And Mr. Kermit never thought he would actually care about teaching again. Over the course of a school year, though, room 117 will experience mayhem, destruction--and maybe even a shot at redemption.

Enginerds Lerner, Jarrett FIC LER



When a group of nerdy best friends each begin receiving robots that start to act like real creatures, it is up to them to save the day, and the planet.

Camp Shady Crook Malone, Lee Gjertsen FIC MAL



Klawde*

Budding con artists Archie and Vivien spend a summer at a dilapidated, mismanaged Vermont camp competing to get whatever they want from their fellow campers.

FIC MAR

LEE GUERTSEM MALONS



Klawde, the exiled ruler of the planet Lyttyrboks, and Raj, who just moved from Brooklyn to tiny Elba, Oregon, forge an unlikely friendship as they find their footing in a strange new world.

Marciano, Johnny

Homerooms and Hall Passes* O'Donnell, Tom FIC ODO



In the mystical realm of Bríandalör, every day the brave and the bold delve into hidden temples or forgotten dungeons, battling vile monsters and evil wizards to loot their treasure hoards for sweet, sweet magic items. But in their free time, our heroes need to relax and unwind. That's why they meet up once a week to play Homerooms & Hall Passes: a role-playing game where they assume the characters of average American eighth graders. But when the five young adventurers are magically transported into their H&H game by an ancient curse, they must band together to survive their toughest challenge yet: middle school.

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My FANGtastically Evil Vampire Pet*

O'Hara, Mo

FIC OHA



This summer is going to be epic. Epically evil, that is. 'Cause I'm going to Evil Scientist Summer Camp! No annoying little brothers. No annoying zombie goldfish. Just me, my best friend Sanj, our notebook of evil plans, and my truly evil (and totally forbidden) vampire kitten Fang. We've got it all planned out. Okay, so maybe I didn't expect for the totally not-evil Geeky Girl to show up, or for Sanj to find a new partner to work with, but there's no way I'm going to let them ruin my summer. Evil Emperor of the Camp, here I come!

I Funny*

Patterson, James

FIC PAT



Resolving to become the world's greatest stand-up comedian despite less-than-funny challenges in his life, wheelchair-bound middle school student Jamie Grimm endures bullying from his mean-spirited cousin and hopes he will be fairly judged when he enters a local comedy contest.

The Book Case*

Shelton, Dave

FIC SHE



Daphne is off to St Rita's, an exclusive girls' boarding school. She loves to read, and is delighted to be offered the chance to interview for Librarian's assistant's assistant immediately upon arrival. But nothing is quite what you'd expect at St Rita's and Daphne discovers the librarian doesn't really exist.

But there is a librarian's assistant, Emily Lime. And she's really a crime-solving genius, who's looking for a new assistant of her own. And booksmart Daphne is just the girl for the job, because mystery and intrigue are about to strike St Rita's and Emily Lime is going to need all the help she can get...

Geeked Out*

Skye, Obert

FIC SKY



Waddle Jr. High has become a dystopian outpost with divided cliques—Pepville, Jockstown, Staffland, and even Geekdom. Society may be in danger but middle school must go on. Enter geeky Tip and all his friends: easy-to-blush Owen, coding master Xennipher, and brilliant, dependable Mindy, who've all had enough of being bullied and decide to take a stand. Together, they form a secret vigilante group: the League of Average Mediocre Entities, better known as LAME. With everything that's going on in the world, their school could use a few heroes. And what if those heroes were geeked-up superheroes? Get ready. Better yet, get LAME!

Lumberjanes*

Tamaki, Mariko

FIC TAM



Welcome to Miss Qiunzella Thiskwin Penniquiqul Thistle Crumpet's Camp for Hardcore Lady Types. The five scouts of Roanoke cabin--Jo, April, Molly, Mal, and Ripley--love their summers at camp. They get to hang out with their best friends, earn Lumberjane scout badges, annoy their no-nonsense counselor Jen. and go on supernatural adventures. When challenge-loving April leads the girls on a hike up the TALLEST mountain they've ever seen, things don't go quite as planned. For one, they didn't expect to trespass into the lands of the ancient Cloud People. Also, unicorns.

Frazzled*

Vivat, Booki

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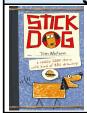


Meet Abbie Wu! She's about to start middle school and she's totally in crisis. Not just because she's stuck in a family that doesn't quite get her or because the lunch ladies at school are totally corrupt or because everyone seems to have a "Thing" except her. Abbie Wu is in crisis always.

Stick Dog*

Watson, Tom

FIC WAT



Stick Dog and his four friends--Stripes, Mutt, Poo-Poo and Karen--will do anything to steal some sweet-smelling hamburgers from a family at Picasso Park!

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