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Babbitt, Natalie. *Tuck Everlasting*

Barry, Dave. *Peter and the Starcatchers*

Baskin, Nora R. *Anything But Typical*

Carey, Elizabeth Doyle. *The Callahan Cousins*
(series)

Casanova, Mary. *The Klipfish Code*

Choldenko, Gennifer. *Al Capone Does My Shirts*

Clements, Andrew. *A Week in the Woods*

Collins, Suzanne. *Gregor the Overlander*
(series)

Coville, Bruce. *My Teacher is an Alien*

Curtis, Christopher Paul. *Elijah of Buxton*

Danziger, Paula & Ann M. Martin. *P.S. Longer
Letter Later*

Dowell, Frances O'Roarke. *Dovey Coe*

Erdrich, Louise. *The Birchbark House*

Fitzgerald, John D. *The Great Brain* (series)

Gantos, Jack. *Joey Pigza* (series)

George, Jean Craighead. *My Side of the
Mountain* (series)

Giff, Patricia Reilly. *Nory Ryan's Song*

Giff, Patricia Reilly. *Wild Girl*

Griffin, Peni. *The Switching Well*

Haddix, Margaret. *Among the Hidden* (series)

Hahn, Mary Downing. *The Old Willis Place*

Hesse, Karen. *Music of Dolphins*

Holm, Jennifer L. *Penny from Heaven*

Holm, Jennifer L. *Turtle in Paradise*

Holt, Kimberly Willis. *My Louisiana Sky*

Jackson, Donna. *The Bug Scientist*

Jacques, Brian. *Redwall* (series)

Konigsburg, E.L. *Silent to the Bone*

Korman, Gordon. *Swindle*

Law, Ingrid. *Savvy*

L'Engle, Madeleine. *A Wrinkle in Time*

Levine, Gail Carson. *Ella Enchanted*

Lord, Cynthia. *Rules*

Lowry, Lois. *The Willoughbys*

Napoli, Donna Jo. *The King of Mulberry Street*

Naylor, Phyllis Reynolds. *Boys Against Girls*
(series)

Park, Linda Sue. *When My Name Was Keoko*

Park, Barbara. *Mick Harte Was Here*

Paulsen, Gary. *My Life in Dog Years*

Peck, Richard. *A Long Way from Chicago*

Perkins, Lynne Rae. *All Alone in the Universe*

Robinette, Harriette. *Walking to the Bus Rider
Blues*

Rocklin, Joanne. *For Your Eyes Only*

Scieszka, Jon. *Knucklehead*

Speare, Elizabeth George. *The Witch of
Blackbird Pond*

Spinelli, Jerry. *Maniac Magee*

Stanley, Diane. *Bella at Midnight*

Stauffacher, Sue. *Donuthead*

Stewart, Trenton Lee. *The Mysterious Benedict
Society*

Taylor, Mildred. *Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry*

Thomson, Sarah. *Dragon's Egg*

Tolan, Stephanie S. *Surviving the Applewhites*

Van Draanen, Wendelin. *Sammy Keyes* (series)

Weston, Elise. *The Coastwatcher*

White, Ruth. *Belle Prater's Boy* (series)

Williams-Garcia, Rita. *One Crazy Summer*

Wolf, Joan M. *Someone Named Eva*

Wrede, Patricia C. *Dealing with Dragons*

Yee, Lisa. *Millicent Min, Girl Genius*