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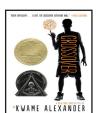
Just a few of the exciting books available at Mrs. Nelson's Book Fair!



Belles By Dhonielle Clayton

In the opulent world of Orleans, Belles are revered, for they control the most coveted commodity— beauty. Only a Belle can transform the lowly citizens of Orleans and made

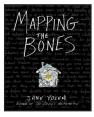
them beautiful. But it's not enough for Camellia to be just a Belle. She wants to be the favorite—the Belle chosen by the Queen of Orleans to live in the royal palace. But once Camellia and her Belle sisters arrive at court, it becomes clear that being the favorite is not everything she always dreamed it would be. \$10.99



Crossover By Kwame Alexander

Josh Bell and his twin brother Jordan are kings on the basketball court. But Josh has more than basketball in his blood—he's got mad beats, too, which help him find his rhythm

when it's all on the line. As their winning season unfolds, things begin to change. Jordan meets a girl and the twins' bond unravels. Told in dynamic verse, this fast and furious middle grade novel absolutely bounces with rhythm and bursts with heart. \$8.99



Mapping the Bones By Jane Yolen

It's 1942 in Poland, and the world is falling to pieces. At least that's how it seems to twins Chaim and Gittel, whose lives feel like a horrific tale with evil witches, forbidden forests and dangerous

ovens looming on the horizon. But in all darkness, there is light, and the twins find it through Chaim's poetry which becomes a beacon of memory so that the children and grandchildren of survivors will never forget the atrocities of the Holocaust. \$10.99



Prettyboy Must Die By Kimberly Reid

When a classmate posts a picture of Peter Smith, he knows he's in trouble. But when hostiles drop through the ceiling of his chemistry class and take out his teacher, Peter is pretty

sure his trouble just became a national emergency. Because he's not really Peter Smith. He's Jake Morrow, former foster-kid turned CIA operative. After a massive screwup on his first mission, he's on a pity assignment, a dozen hit lists and now social media. \$9.99



Checked By Cynthia Kadohata

Hockey is Conor's whole life. It's his dad's whole life too—and probably why his stepmom left. The only thing Conor and his dad love more than hockey, is their

Doberman, Sinbad. When Sinbad gets diagnosed with cancer, Conor gives up his hockey lessons and practices so they can afford Sinbad's treatment. But without hockey as a distraction, Conor begins to notice things he didn't see before. \$8.99



Dumplin' By Julie Murphy

Self-proclaimed fat girl Willowdean Dickson (a.k.a. "Dumplin"') has always been at home in her own skin—until she takes a job at a local fast-food joint. There she meets a hot

former jock named Bo, who seems to like her. Instead of finding self-confidence in their relationship, Will starts to doubt herself. So, she sets out to take back her confidence by doing the most horrifying thing she can imagine: entering the Miss Clover City beauty pageant. \$9.99.



Moon Base Aplha 3 Waste of Space By Stuart Gibbs

Moon Base Alpha was supposed to be an exciting place to live, but Dash didn't expect it to be this exciting. He's already solved a murder

and located a missing moon base commander. Now, there's another potential killer loose, and Dash is forced to identify the most likely suspects. Suddenly he finds himself with a target on his back, because the murderer will stop at nothing to keep his—or her—identity secret. \$8.99



Scythe 2 Thunderhead By Neal Shusterman

A year has passed since Rowan and Citra became apprentice scythes. Since then, Rowan has gone rogue, snuffing out corrupt scythes, while Citra gleans those she chooses with compassion.

But when her life is threatened, it becomes clear that not everyone approves of her methods. Old foes and new enemies converge, as corruption within the Scythedom spreads. Will the Thunderhead intervene? Or will it simply watch as this perfect world begins to unravel? \$12.99



Children of Blood and Bone By Tomi Adeyemi

In a world where magic has disappeared and magis, once revered, are targeted by a ruthless king, Zélie, her brother and a fugitive princess set off on a

journey to restore her people's magical abilities. In order to succeed, they'll have to outwit Prince Inan, who is hell-bent on eradicating magic forever. In the face of danger, death and a star-crossed romance, Zélie must grapple with the ramifications of bringing magic back to her people—and come to terms with her own powers. \$12.99



Love Hate and Other Filters By Saira Ahmed

Seventeen-year-old Maya Aziz is torn between worlds. There's the proper one of her parents' expectations: attending a college close to home and being paired off with an older

Muslim boy. And then there is the world of her dreams: going to film school in NYC—and pursuing an "unsuitable" boy. But in the aftermath of a horrific crime perpetrated hundreds of miles away, her life is turned upside down. \$10.99



Orphan Monster Spy By Matt Killeen

After her mother is shot at a checkpoint, fifteen-year-old Sarah finds herself on the run from the Nazis in Third Reich-ruled Germany. While trying to escape, Sarah meets

a mysterious man who is part of the secret resistance against the Reich. He needs her help to infiltrate a boarding school for the daughters of top Nazi brass, and befriend the daughter of a key scientist. Sarah may look like the rest of the girls, but she refuses to be as monstrous. \$10.99



Serpent's Secret By Sayantani DasGupta

On the morning of her 12th birthday, Kiranmala's parents mysteriously vanish and a drooling rakkhosh demon slams through her kitchen, determined to eat her alive. Turns out there might be some truth to her parents'

fantastical stories—like how she's a real Indian princess from another world. Suddenly, Kiran is swept away to a dimension full of magic, where she must battle demons, find her parents and basically save New Jersey, her entire world, and everything beyond it. \$7.99

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Someday Suitcase By Corey Ann Haydu

Clover and Danny are best friends who've had an incredibly close bond since they were babies. So close that Clover believes they're symbiotic: a science word which means

two beings who can't function without the other. But when Danny's incurable illness worsens, he and Clover devise a secret plan that combines Danny's dream of seeing snow for the first time with a visit to a clinic that specializes in holistic healing. \$6.99



Stars Beneath Our Feet By David Barclay Moore

It's Christmas Eve in Harlem, but twelve-year-old Lolly and his mom aren't celebrating. They're still reeling from his older brother's death in a gang-related shooting. When Lolly receives two

enormous bags filled with Legos, he's faced with a choice between a pile of building blocks and no instructions or the pressure to join a gang for protection, just like his brother did. \$7.99



Survivior's Club By Michael Bornstein

Working from his own recollections, as well as extensive interviews with other family members and survivors who knew the family, the author relates the story of how he survived

Auschwitz and how others in his family dodged death time and again. Shocking, heartbreaking and uplifting, this narrative nonfiction offers an indelible depiction of what happened to one Polish village in the wake of the German invasion in 1939. \$12.99.



They Both Die at the End By Adam Silvera

On September 5, a little after midnight, Death-Cast calls Mateo Torrez and Rufus Emeterio to give them some bad news: they're going to die today. Mateo and Rufus are total strangers,

but, for different reasons, they're both looking to make a new friend on their End Day. The good news is, there's an app for that. It's called the Last Friend, and through it, Rufus and Mateo are about to meet up for one last great adventure---an unforgettable day that will change both their lives forever. \$10.99



Traitor's Game 1 By Jennifer A. Nielsen

After spending three years in exile, Kestra Dallisor (daughter to the second-in-command to a cruel king) returns to her kingdom. Before making it back, she is snatched by rebels who

plan to use her as a bargaining chip. They want her to retrieve the lost Olden Blade, the only object that can destroy the king—but Kestra is not the obedient captive they expected. Once secrets emerge, however, she must decide what—and who—she's fighting for. \$10.99



We are Okay By Nina LaCour

Marin hasn't spoken to anyone from her old life since the day she left everything behind. No one knows the truth about those final weeks. Not even her best friend Mabel. But even thousands of miles

away, Marin still feels the pull of the life and tragedy she's tried to outrun. Now, months later, alone in a college dorm for winter break, Marin waits. Mabel is coming to visit, and Marin will be forced to face everything that has been left unsaid. \$10.99



Wild Rescuers Guardians of Taiga 1 By StacyPlays

Stacy was raised by wolves. She's never needed humans to survive and, from what she sees of humans, they're dangerous. Together, she and her pack of

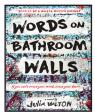
six powerful wolves patrol the forest to keep other animals safe, relying on her wits and each wolf's unique abilities. But as the forest changes and new dangers begin lurking, are Stacy and the wolves prepared for the perils that await them? \$7.99



Wonder Woman Warbringer By Leigh Bardugo

Diana risks everything to save a mortal girl whose boat has been bombed. But Alia Keralis is no ordinary girl. She's a Warbringer—a direct descendant

of the infamous Helen of Troy, fated to bring about an age of bloodshed and misery. Together, Diana and Alia face an army of enemies—mortal and divine—determined to either destroy or possess the Warbringer. If they have any hope of saving their worlds, they will have to stand side by side against the tide of war, \$10.99



Words on Bathroom Walls By Julia Walton

Adam is a pretty regular teen—he's just navigating high school life while living with paranoid schizophrenia. His hallucinations include an odd cast of characters. An experimental drug promises

to help him hide his illness from the world. When Adam meets Maya, he desperately wants to be the normal, great guy that she thinks he is. But as the miracle drug begins to fail, how long can he keep this secret from the girl of his dreams? \$9.99

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