New Books – Samoset Middle School Library

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NON-FICTION

031 MOR

Morse, Jenifer Corr. Scholastic 2016 book of world records. Special edition, first edition. New York, NY: Scholastic Inc., 2015.

Presents over 300 world records covering a wide range of subjects including nature records, science and technology records, and sports records.

363.34 BAI

Bailey, Rachel. <u>Superstorm Sandy.</u> Minneapolis, MN: ABDO Publishing Company, [2014]. Discusses Superstorm Sandy including how hurricanes form, what states did to prepare for Sandy, and the terrible aftermath of the storm.

530.4 HIR

Hirsch, Rebecca E. Properties of matter. Ann Arbor, Mich.: Cherry Lake Pub., c2012.

Your mission -- What you know -- States of matter -- Differences in density -- Mixing matter -- Matter that bends, matter that breaks -- Making new kinds of matter -- Mission accomplished! -- Consider this. Presents experiments, problems, and research on the different properties of matter.

530.4 MUL

Mullins, Matt. States of matter. Ann Arbor, Mich.: Cherry Lake Pub., c2010.

What's the matter? -- First things first -- Experiment #1: matter bonds -- Experiment #2: solids, liquids and gases -- Experiment #3: matter takes up space -- Experiment #4: density and weight -- Experiment #5: matter can be supercool -- Experiment #6: do it yourself!. Provides simple, step-by-step instructions for an assortment of science experiments that each deal in some way with states of matter. Features full-color photographs and illustrations throughout.

791.43 BRA

Bray, Adam. <u>Star Wars: absolutely everything you need to know.</u> First American edition. New York, New York: DK Publishing, 2015.

Presents a collection of trivia and facts about the worlds, individuals, and battles found in the Star Wars television programs and movies.

796.357 HOW

Howell, Brian, 1974-. New York Yankees. Minneapolis, Minnesota: SportsZone, [2015].

The Babe -- Getting started -- Dominance -- Up and down -- Return to dominance. Explores the history of the New York Yankees baseball team and outlines important moments, players, and accomplishments in the team's history. Features photographs, a glossary, a timeline, and further reading sources.

796.357 KNO

Knobel, Andy, 1959-. New York Mets. Minneapolis, Minnesota: SportsZone, [2015].

The Miracle Mets -- Meet the Mets -- Ya gotta believe -- Extra-inning magic -- In search of more glory. Explores the history of the New York Mets baseball team and outlines important moments, players, and accomplishments in the team's history. Features photographs, a glossary, a timeline, and further reading sources.

917.3 GRE

Greil, Marlene. <u>United States: the land.</u> Revised edition. New York, New York: Crabtree Publishing Company, [2013].

Regions -- A diverse land -- Climate -- People -- Washington, D.C -- Major cities, east to west -- Historic sites and national parks -- From the land and the sea -- Beginnings of industry -- Getting

around -- Industry today -- Conserving our resources. Highlights the geography, climate, major cities, industries, transportation, and conservation of the United States. Includes color photographs and a glossary.

936.2 CAP

Capek, Michael. <u>Stonehenge.</u> Minneapolis, Minnesota: Essential Library, [2015].

Describes the excavation of Stonehenge, discussing the history and culture of the site, leading excavators, and their findings.

937 GIM

Gimpel, Diane Marczely. <u>Pompeii.</u> Minneapolis, Minnesota: Essential Library, [2015]. Describes the excavation of Pompeii, discussing the history and culture of the site, leading excavators, and their findings.

940.54 LEW

Lewis, J. Patrick, author. Harlem hellfighters.

A regiment of African American soldiers from Harlem journeys across the Atlantic to fight alongside the French in World War I, inspiring a continent with their brand of jazz music.

958.104 LEV

Levete, Sarah. <u>The Afghanistan War : frontline soldiers and their families.</u> First edition. New York, NY : Gareth Stevens Publishing, 2016.

The Afghanistan War -- Why war? -- Living through the war -- A world of fear -- Home and away -- Future families. Examines the Afghanistan War, including key players, reasons the war began, and improvements that have been made to the country since the war began. Features a timeline, a glossary, resources for further information, and color photographs.

973 KOP

Kopp, Megan. <u>United States.</u> New York, NY: AV2 by Weigl, [2014].

United States overview -- Exploring the United States -- Land and climate -- Plants and animals -- Natural resources -- Tourism -- Industry -- Goods and services -- Indigenous peoples -- The age of exploration -- Early settlers -- Population -- Politics and government -- Cultural groups -- Arts and entertainment -- Sports -- Mapping the United States -- Quiz time. Provides an overview of the United States, focusing on the country's land, wildlife, people, history, and culture. Includes full-color photographs, fact boxes, a quiz, a glossary, and further reading sources.

973 MOR

Morss, Martha. <u>United States: the people.</u> Revised edition. New York: Crabtree Publishing Company, [2013].

Land of liberty -- The first Americans -- A new nation -- The modern United States -- Americans all -- City life, country life -- The armed forces -- Family celebrations -- Eating well -- Sports and games -- Going to school -- Jenna's busy day. Provides a brief history of America from ancient times to today, and offers information on city and country life, the military, popular foods, family traditions, sports and leisure, and education. Also profiles one day in the life of an American teenager. Includes color photographs and a glossary.

BIOGRAPHY

B BRADY

Barrington, Richard, 1961-. <u>Tom Brady: Super Bowl champion.</u> First edition. New York: Britannica Educational Publishing in association with Rosen Educational Services, [2016].

Introduction -- An unlikely football star -- From the bench to champion -- Building on success -- On and off the field -- Timeline -- Other living legends of football. Presents a biography of professional football player Tom Brady, including his childhood and his path to professional success. Includes a timeline, a glossary, and additional resources.

B BROCKMEIER

Brockmeier, Kevin. <u>A few seconds of radiant filmstrip</u>: a memoir of seventh grade. First edition. New York: Pantheon Books, [2014].

Kevin Brockmeier details the events of his life as he enters seventh grade and decides to find his true self.

B FRANCIS

Woll, Kris. Pope Francis: Catholic spiritual leader. Minneapolis, Minnesota: Core Library, [2015]. From far away -- Before he was pope -- White smoke -- A new pope -- The world watches. Presents a biography of Catholic spiritual leader Pope Francis, covering his early years in Argentina, his education and training as a Jesuit priest, his years teaching at a university, and his activities and messages as pope. Includes a timeline, a glossary, critical thinking questions, and a list of additional resources.

B FRANKLIN

Freedman, Russell. <u>Becoming Ben Franklin: how a candle-maker's son helped light the flame of liberty.</u> 1st ed. New York: Holiday House, c2013.

A biography of Benjamin Franklin that follows him from his childhood in Boston, where he was the son of a poor soap and candle maker with seventeen children, to his death, describing how Franklin became a self-made man who died a renowned statesman, scientist, printer, author, and inventor.

B MORGAN

Illugi Jökulsson. <u>Alex Morgan.</u> First edition, English-language edition. New York: Abbeville Press Publishers, 2015.

Presents a brief biography of U.S. women's Olympic soccer player Alex Morgan, describing her early life and how she became interested in soccer up to her and her team's gold-medal win in the 2012 Olympics.

B STINE

Stine, R. L. <u>It came from Ohio!</u> : my life as a writer. New York: Scholastic Press, [2015].

The children's author offers an autobiography describing his childhood, family, education, and inspirations for his scary stories. Includes black-and-white photographs and a list of frequently asked questions by fans.

B WAMBACH

Bankston, John, 1974-. <u>Abby Wambach.</u> Hockessin, Delaware: Mitchell Lane Publishers, [2014].

A bad break -- The natural -- Breaking records -- Goal! -- Best in the world. Presents information on the life and career of Abby Wambach, a professional soccer player who helped the U.S. win gold medals in the Olympics.

GRAPHIC NOVELS

741.5 STA

Barlow, Jeremy. <u>Boba Fett and the ship of fear.</u> Reinforced library bound ed. Milwaukie, OR: Dark Horse Books; 2013.

When Boba Fett obtains a map locating an old luxury liner that holds a valuable relic, he races against two bounty hunters to find the treasure. However, all three discover something more sinister waits on the abandoned ship.

741.5 STA

Barlow, Jeremy. <u>Han Solo and the hollow moon of Khorya.</u> Reinforced library bound ed. Milwaukie, OR: Dark Horse Books;, 2012.

In order to pay off a debt, Han travels with his former partner, Billal Batross, to the Hollow Moon casino world in order to steal back the casino boss's chief accounting droid, which the Empire wants to use to take him down.

741.5 STA

Barlow, Jeremy. <u>Princess Leia and the royal ransom.</u> Reinforced library bound ed. Milwaukie, OR: Dark Horse Books; 2012.

Princess Leia, Han Solo, and Chewbacca are being pursued by the Imperials, but when they stop at a smugglers hub, they become entangled in the kidnapping of Princess Mi and find themselves being pursued by gangsters, bounty hunters, and the kidnappers in addition to the Imperials.

741.5 STA

Cerasi, Christopher. <u>Chewbacca and the slavers of the Shadowlands.</u> Reinforced library bound edition. [Milwaukie, OR]: Dark Horse Books;, 2013.

When Chewbacca and his friends travel into the Shadowlands to seek adventure, they encounter a group of slavers and must ensure they never reach the Wookie village.

741.5 STA

Taylor, Tom, 1978-. <u>Luke Skywalker and the treasure of the dragonsnakes.</u> Reinforced library bound ed. Milwaukie, OR: Dark Horse Books; 2012.

In this full-color graphic novel, Luke Skywalker is sent on a mission by Master Yoda to obtain the treasure hidden in the dragonsnake's lair.

741.5 STA

Taylor, Tom, 1978-. <u>The will of Darth Vader.</u> Reinforced library bound ed. Milwaukie, OR: Dark Horse Books;, 2012.

When the Rebel Alliance becomes too successful in its attacks on Imperial cargo ships, Darth Vader is sent to find their base and destroy it. To do so, however, he must join forces with a smuggler named Luca, who may be more of a nuisance than the mission itself.

741.5 GIL

Gilroy, Henry. <u>Star wars, episode I, the phantom menace.</u> Reinforced library bound ed. Edina, Minn. : Spotlight, 2009.

When Jedi Knights Qui-Gon Jinn and Obi-Wan Kenobi are sent to the planet Naboo to sort out a trade disagreement, they find themselves pulled into a much larger conflict when they encounter the Trade Federations droid army.

741.5 HOL

Holm, Jennifer L. Sunny side up. First edition. New York, NY: Graphix, 2015.

When her brother Dale struggles with substance abuse, Sunny is sent to Florida to visit her grandfather for the summer. She meets a friend there and has some fun adventures, but Dale's problem threatens to overwhelm her.

FICTION

FIC BAI

Bailey, Linda, 1948- author. Seven dead pirates.

After his Great-Granddad dies, "terminally shy" Lewis Dearborn and his parents move into his dilapidated seaside mansion, where Lewis claims as his bedroom a cool tower overlooking the Atlantic. It isn't long before the ghosts of seven pirates, who had been living in that same room, make themselves known to Lewis. They want his help to retake their ancient ship, now restored in a museum. If he does, Lewis will get the room all to himself.

FIC BEN

Benjamin, Ali. <u>The thing about jellyfish</u>. First edition. New York: Little, Brown and Company, 2015. Twelve-year-old Suzy Swanson wades through her intense grief over the loss of her best friend by investigating the rare jellyfish she is convinced was responsible for her friend's death.

FIC CRO

Crowder, Melanie. A nearer moon. First edition. New York: Atheneum Books for Young Readers, [2015]. Long ago the dam formed, the lively river turned into a swamp, and the wasting illness came to Luna's village, and now that her little sister is sick Luna will do anything to save her, even offer herself to the creature that lives in the swamp on the day of the nearer moon--a lonely and bitter water sprite who was left behind when her people fled through a door to another world.

FIC DAS

Dashner, James, 1972-. <u>The game of lives.</u> First edition. New York: Delacorte Press, [2015]. Michael has to figure out who his friends are in order to put Kaine back in the box, otherwise Kaine will achieve worldwide cyber domination.

FIC DUR

Durst, Sarah Beth. <u>The girl who could not dream.</u> Boston ; : Clarion Books, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, [2015].

Sophie's parents run a secret shop that collects and sells dreams, although Sophie is forbidden to dream because her dreams become real. When the shop's dreams are stolen and her parents go missing, Sophie and her pet Monster have no choice but to befriend a boy troubled by nightmares, and go after them.

FIC FIT

Fitzgerald, Laura Marx. <u>Under the egg.</u> New York: Dial Books for Young Readers, an imprint of Penguin Group (USA) LLC, [2014].

Her grandfather's dying words lead thirteen-year-old Theodora Tenpenny to a valuable, hidden painting she fears may be stolen, but it is her search for answers in her Greenwich Village neighborhood that brings a real treasure.

FIC GAI

Gaiman, Neil. The sleeper and the spindle. First U.S. edition. New York, NY: Harper, 2015.

A queen and three dwarves travel into an enchanted land in order to reverse a sleeping spell that is moving throughout the land and soon to travel into the Queen's own land.

FIC GEN

Gensler, Sonia. Ghostlight. First edition. New York: Alfred A. Knopf, [2015].

A summer film project turns spooky when the setting turns out to actually be haunted.

FIC GIF

Giff, Patricia Reilly. <u>Until I find Julian.</u> First edition. New York: Wendy Lamb Books, [2015]. When 12-year-old Mateo's older brother Julian leaves Mexico to work in America, Mateo misses him terribly. When his family stops hearing from Julio, Mateo knows that he must find him. With only his backpack and an old notebook, Mateo heads toward the border. Along the way, he meets Angel, a tough, mysterious girl who can guide him to the crossing. Although there is danger all around them, Mateo will not give up because he won't go home without finding his brother.

FIC HAD

Haddix, Margaret Peterson. Revealed. First edition.

Thirteen-year-old Jonah is shocked when aviator Charles Lindbergh mysteriously appears and kidnaps Jonah's sister, Katherine. Then the children from the plane disappear, and Jonah's parents turn back into children. Now only Jonah can save time itself and rescue his family before it's too late.

FIC HAH

Hahn, Mary Downing. <u>Took: a ghost story.</u> Boston: Clarion Books, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, [2015].

"A witch called Old Auntie is lurking near Dan's family's new home. He doesn't believe in her at first, but is forced to accept that she is real and take action when his little sister, Erica, is 'took' to become Auntie's slave for the next fifty years"--Provided by publisher.

FIC HAH

Hahn, Rebecca. <u>The shadow behind the stars.</u> First edition. New York: Atheneum Books for Young Readers, [2015].

Chloe, Serena, and Xinot, the Fates, live on a secluded island spinning, measuring, and cutting the threads of human life but when Aglaia, a mortal, finds them Chloe must try to keep her sisters from getting attached to the girl and involved in her dark fate that could unravel the world.

FIC KIN

Kinney, Jeff. Old school. New York: Amulet Books, [2015].

After his hometown goes electronics-free, Greg Heffley and his family try to adjust and discover that perhaps they are not cut out for an old-fashioned world.

FIC KOR

Korman, Gordon, author. Masterminds. First edition.

Serenity, New Mexico, is a town no one would want to leave. But after Eli discovers he can't, his curiosity unveils Serenity's connection to dastardly criminals.

FIC LOU

Loughead, Deb, 1955-. <u>Rise of the zombie scarecrows.</u> Victoria, British Columbia: Orca Book Publishers, 2015.

Fifteen-year-old Dylan is making a short film about zombie scarecrows, but Halloween pranksters are making his progress difficult.

FIC MCG

McGhee, Alison, 1960-. <u>Firefly Hollow.</u> First edition. New York: Atheneum Books for Young Readers, [2015].

Because their dreams of daring adventures go against the cautious teachings of their nations, Firefly and Cricket set out on their own, find a home with kindly Vole, and together help a grieving "miniature giant" named Peter.

FIC MOR

Morgan, Alex (Alexandra Patricia), 1989-. <u>Hat trick.</u> First edition. New York: Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, [2015].

After the soccer season ends, Devin suffers from withdrawal--until she learns that there is a winter league. The problem is it is highly competitive, and not all her Kicks friends might make the cut. Also on Devin's plate is trying to keep her little sister's soccer program afloat after school budget cuts.

FIC MOR

Morgan, Alex (Alexandra Patricia), 1989-. <u>Sabotage season.</u> First edition. New York, New York: Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, [2013].

Just when Devin's soccer team, the Kicks, begins to set its eyes on a spot in the playoffs, unusual and unfortunate events begin occurring that set the team back. Believing that something suspicious is going on, Devin decides to investigate and determine whether someone is intentionally sabotaging their team.

FIC MOR

Morgan, Alex (Alexandra Patricia), 1989-. <u>Saving the team.</u> 1st ed. New York: Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, [2013].

After moving to California, seventh-grader Devin is afraid she will not make the soccer team but finds, instead, that the team is so bad that she is compelled to take the lead and turn it into something the players and coach can all be proud of.

FIC MOR

Morgan, Alex (Alexandra Patricia), 1989-. <u>Shaken up.</u> First edition. New York: Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, [2015].

An earthquake shakes Devin up, and she flunks a test at school and gets bad news at the dentist. Devin's friends rally around her and help her get her mojo back.

FIC MOR

Morgan, Alex (Alexandra Patricia), 1989-. <u>Win or lose.</u> First edition. New York: Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, [2014].

The players on the Kicks soccer team are thrilled they have made it to the league play-offs, but interpersonal conflicts threaten to derail their success.

FIC PAU

Paulsen, Gary. Field trip. 1st ed. New York: Wendy Lamb Books, [2015].

Ben and his twin classmates, Charlotte and Jacob, are missing a school field trip, so Ben's father takes them, his new apprentice Brig, and the dogs on an adventure during which Ben manages to try out for a hockey academy against his parents' wishes, and the twins turn the road trip into a learning experience.

FIC PEA

Pearsall, Shelley. The seventh most important thing. 1st ed. New York: Alfred A. Knopf, [2015].

"In 1963, thirteen-year-old Arthur is sentenced to community service helping the neighborhood Junk Man after he throws a brick at the old man's head in a moment of rage, but the junk he collects might be more important than he suspects. Inspired by the work of American folk artist James Hampton"-- Provided by publisher.

FIC SAC

Sachar, Louis, 1954-. Fuzzy mud. First edition. New York: Delacorte Press, [2015].

To avoid a bully, Marshall Walsh and Tamaya Dhilwaddi, a boy and girl who have walked to school and back together since they were little, take a shortcut through the off-limits woods. They soon wish they hadn't, as they stumble upon big trouble. Soon the authorities and even the U.S. Senate are getting involved, and the whole world may be affected.

FIC SEL

Selznick, Brian. The Marvels. 1st ed., September 2015. New York: Scholastic Press, 2015.

In 1766, a boy, Billy Marvel, is shipwrecked, rescued, and goes on to found a brilliant family of actors that flourishes in London until 1900--and nearly a century later, Joseph Jervis, runs away from home, seeking refuge with his uncle in London, and is captivated by the Marvel house, with its portraits and ghostly presences.

FIC SHU

Shulman, Polly. The Poe estate. New York, NY: Nancy Paulsen Books, [2015].

Sukie braves the twists and turns of the spooky Poe Annex at the New-York Circulating Material Repository to untangle ancient family secrets, find hidden treasure, and help the ghosts who are haunting her house.

FIC SHU

Shusterman, Neal, author. <u>Tesla's attic.</u>

A new house and a new attic hold untold mysteries for fourteen-year-old Nick, his younger brother, and new friends Mitch, Caitlin, and Vincent. The attic, it seems, was the genius Nikola Tesla's storehouse for his final invention, which needs to be assembled before use--unfortunately a garage sale scatters Tesla's individual items before Nick finds out. Now Nick must reassemble the items and keep them safe before they fall into the wrong hands.

FIC STA

Angleberger, Tom. <u>Beware the power of the dark side!</u> First edition. Los Angeles: Disney/Lucasfilm Press, 2015.

Presents an original retelling of "Star Wars: Return of the Jedi." Luke Skywalker has learned the truth: Darth Vader is his father, Anakin Skywalker, and he must confront the evil that the man has become, even as his Rebel allies enter their final battle with Imperial forces against the Second Death Star and the Emperor himself.

FIC STA

Bracken, Alexandra. <u>The princess, the scoundrel, and the farm boy.</u> First edition. Los Angeles: Disney/Lucasfilm Press, 2015.

Presents a novel retelling of the story of "Star Wars: A New Hope." Leia Organa is the princess of the tale, fighting a battle against the tyranny of Darth Vader and the Imperials; Han Solo is the scoundrel, just trying to get by on his own terms; and Luke Skywalker is the farm boy, who dreams of a greater destiny than moisture farming on a desert world. Destiny brings these three together to change the course of the entire galaxy.

FIC STA

Gidwitz, Adam. So you want to be a Jedi? First edition. Los Angeles: Disney/Lucasfilm Press, 2015. Presents an original retelling of "Star Wars: The Empire Strikes Back," placing the reader in the shoes of Luke Skywalker, addressed in the second person. As Luke, the reader goes from the battles on Hoth to Dagobah to learn from Master Yoda how to become a Jedi--then he flies to Cloud City to fight his nemesis, Darth Vader, who has a terrible secret about Luke's father.

FIC STA

Staniszewski, Anna. The gossip file. Naperville, Ill.: Sourcebooks Jabberwocky, [2015].

Rachel Lee has looked forward to relaxing for two weeks at a Florida resort with her father, but when his girlfriend asks her to help in a cafe, Rachel adopts a "cool" new persona, Ava, to fit in with her older co-workers, until they ask her to help with their Gossip File.

FIC STA

Staniszewski, Anna. I'm with Cupid. Naperville, Illinois: Sourcebooks Jabberwocky, [2015].

Lena is a soul reaper, not your average eighth-grade kid, meaning she collects souls that are about to die. At a party she accepts a dare to kiss the dorky but adorable Marcus, crossing off "First Kiss" from her teenage to-do list. What she didn't know is that Marcus is also extraordinary, being a supernatural matchmaker, with the power to make people fall in love. Their kiss switches their powers, and now Lena and Marcus must take over each other's tasks.

FIC STR

Strasser, Todd. <u>The beast of Cretacea.</u> First edition. Somerville, Massachusetts: Candlewick Press, 2015. A futuristic reimagining of "Moby Dick" finds young Ishmael awakening aboard a ship on an unpolluted faraway planet where he harvests resources for a depleted Earth before witnessing his captain's growing obsession with a great sea creature.

FIC SUM

Summy, Barrie. <u>The disappearance of Emily H.</u> First edition. New York: Delacorte Press, [2015]. Eighth-grader Raine, a new girl at Yielding Middle School, uses her supernatural ability to see other people's memories to solve the disappearance of a teenaged girl.

FIC TAR

Tarshis, Lauren. Hurricane Katrina, 2005. New York: Scholastic Press, c2011.

Barry's family prepares to evacuate before Hurricane Katrina hits, but when his little sister gets very sick, they are forced to stay home and face the floodwater that sweeps Barry away.

PICTURE BOOKS

P 398.2 BRE

Brett, Jan, 1949-. <u>The mitten: a Ukrainian folktale.</u> New York: Putnam, c1989. Several animals sleep snugly in Nicki's lost mitten until the bear sneezes.

P FIC BRE

Brett, Jan, 1949-. Gingerbread friends. New York: Putnam's, c2008.

Lonely Gingerbread Baby, having set out to find a friend, enters a bakery where he tries to talk to different cookies and other figures, but winds up leading a crowd back to his house on a chase similar to the one in the familiar tale.

P FIC BRE

Brett, Jan, 1949-. The three snow bears. New York: Putnam, c2007.

The Goldilocks story takes a fine twist when an endearing snow bear family and a curious Inuit girl meet center stage.

P FIC CAR

Carle, Eric. The Nonsense Show. New York, NY: Philomel Books, [2015].

A collection of rhymes about animals that use nonsense and surrealism to spark creativity and imagination.

P FIC MIL

Miller, Pat Zietlow. <u>Sharing the bread</u>: an old-fashioned <u>Thanksgiving story</u>. First edition. New York: Schwartz & Wade Books, 2015.

Illustrations and simple, rhyming text reveal a family's preparations for their Thanksgiving feast, with everyone pitching in to help--including Baby, who sleeps quiet as a mouse.

P FIC STI

Stine, R. L. <u>The Little Shop of Monsters.</u> First edition. New York: Little, Brown and Company, 2015.

A little boy and girl, reasonably apprehensively, visit the Little Shop of Monsters, viewing each one available, and just hoping none of them likes to eat children. Except the shoe is on the other foot--the monsters at the Little Shop of Monsters do the choosing of which little children to haunt.

P FIC WAR

Ward, Jennifer, 1963-. <u>There was an old mummy who swallowed a spider.</u> First edition. New York: Two Lions, [2015].

Presents a Halloween-themed adaptation of the popular children's song that features an old mummy who swallows a variety of creepy things on his journey from a graveyard to a haunted castle.

SHORT STORIES

SC PAL

Palacio, R. J. <u>Auggie & me: three wonder stories: The Julian chapter; Pluto; Shingaling.</u> First omnibus edition. New York: Alfred A. Knopf, [2015].

The Julian chapter -- Pluto -- Shingaling. Compiles three stories centered around the character Auggie Pullman from "Wonder." These stories take a look at Auggie's bully Julian's side of the story, Auggie's early days with his best friend Christopher, and Auggie's "welcome buddy" at school, Charlotte.