## **New Books April 2025: Youth**

### **Picture Books**



### Bruce Saves the Planet by Ryan T. Higgins

This book is part of the Disney Planet Possible Books program, aiming to inspire and empower young readers to take care of planet Earth through amazing stories and kidfriendly environmental activities.

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# Little Blue Truck and Racer Red by Alice Schertle

A small blue truck finds his way out of a jam, with a little help from his friends.

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### Maya's Holi by Thirty Umrigar

Maya and her family start the magical day by eating a special breakfast, including rasgulla dumplings and glasses of mango lassi. Illustrated by Kamala Nair.

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## Challah for Shabbat Tonight by Sara Holly Ackerman

A girl and her grandmother prepare for Shabbat dinner by baking challah.

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#### Many Things at Once by Veera Hiranandani

In this poignant picture book about family and belonging, the child of a Jewish mother and a South Asian father hears stories about her family history.

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### What Would Bluey's Mum Do?

Why is Mum so great? Is it because she has the best dance moves, or because she always knows what to say to make things better?

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## 1-2 Readers



#### My First Phonics Box by Eric Carle

With simple text and timeless illustrations by Eric Carle, young readers are ready to begin their journey of learning phonics.

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#### Nat the Cat Has a Hat by Jarrett Lerner

"Nat the Cat has a hat. Pat the Rat has a nicer hat. Nat the Cat wants a hat like that. Will the two friends have a spat?"--Provided by publisher.

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### Pokemon: A New Journey by Julia March

Discover the friendships, special skills, and awesome mysteries the Pokémon hope to uncover on this new journey!

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## Princess Truly: I Can Grow It by Kelly Greenawalt

Princess Truly gardens and has fun with her friends, across three rhyming stories perfect for beginning readers!

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#### Stop That Mop by Jonathan Fenske

Ready-to-Read Level 1 Jonathan Fenske.

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## Unicorn Diaries: The Secret of the Lost Gold by Rebecca Elliott

Bo and the unicorns meet a majestic griffin who is guarding an ancient secret in this early chapter book

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#### Diary of a Pug: Get Well, Pug by Kyla May

Pick a book. Grow a Reader!This series is part of Scholastic's early chapter book line, Branches, aimed at newly independent readers.

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# Itty Bitty Princess Kitty: The Kitty-Catwalk by Melody Mews

Itty Bitty Kitty is about to become the princess of Lollyland in this first adorable book in the Itty Bitty Princess Kitty chapter book series!

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# Minecraft Ironsword Academy: It's Now or Nether by Caleb Zane Huett

**Caleb Zane Huett** ..He seriously doubted the Evoker King thought the best way to teach Eek was to trap him in a secret..

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### My Weirdtastic School: Mr. and Mrs. Phelps Need Help by Dan Gutman

With more than 35 million books sold, the My Weird School series really gets kids reading! In this seventh book of the My Weirdtastic School arc, A.J. and his friends start taking shop class and home economics with Mr. and Mrs.

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### **Fiction**



#### Away by Megan E. Freeman

Megan E. Freeman. Praise for Megan E. Freeman's ALONE " A tense, engrossing survival story on par with classics such as Hatchet." -Booklist " The lengths to which resourceful Maddie must go in order to survive feel realistic, and ...

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#### One Wrong Step by Jennifer A. Nielsen

From #1 New York Times bestselling author Jennifer A. Nielsen comes a brand-new, spine-tingling adventure about two kids and their fight for survival on the unforgiving trails of Mount Everest.

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#### Tessa Miyata Is So Unlucky by Julie Abe

... Julie is also the author of Eva Evergreen and the Cursed Witch; Alliana, Girl of Dragons; and **Tessa Miyata** Is No Hero. She invites you to visit her online at julieabebooks.com. BY **JULIE ABE TESSA MIYATA Tessa Miyata** Is No Hero.

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#### The Gorgon's Fury by Brandon Mull

Satyrs Newel and Doren are maturing into more responsible citizens after helping put an end to the dragon rebellion.

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#### Max in the Land of Lies by Adam Gidwitz

Max Bretzfeld is back in Berlin where his most dangerous mission is about to begin! The thrilling conclusion to the World War II spy duology that began with Max in the House of Spies.

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#### **Resist by Alan Gratz**

From #1 New York Times bestselling author Alan Gratz comes a gripping, 80-page bonus story about D-Day that can be read alongside the novel Allies, or on its own!

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#### The Beanstalk Murder by P.G. Bell

AN EDGAR AWARD NOMINEE! A young witch unintentionally finds herself in the kingdom of giants with her archnemesis and a huge murder mystery!

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## Too Uncool for School by James Patterson and Martin Chatterton

In this hilarious installment of a #1 New York Times bestselling series, Rafe is finally getting a taste of the cool life—but his problems are red-hot!

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#### (Be Smart About) Screen Time by Rachel Brian

Buy this book if you're looking for: A fun, accessible, kidfriendly guide to safe, healthy, and productive screen time A gift for a kid getting their first phone Ways to start conversations and set boundaries around social ...

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## I Survived the Great Molasses Flood, 1919 by Georgia Ball

One of the strangest disasters in US history is brought to vivid life in this graphic novel adaptation.

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## Besties: Prank War by Kayla Miller and Jeffrey

New York Times bestselling author Kayla Miller, coauthor Jeffrey Canino, and illustrator Sarah Turner, with her playful and expressive art style, deliver another vibrant and unique portrayal of middle school friendship in this latest title ...

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## Nat a Chance by Maria Scrivan

The sixth book in the New York Times bestselling series that began with Nat Enough!

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#### Night Night! Sleep Tight! by Mercer Mayer

Mercer Mayer. I Can Read Comics Cartooning Basics Panel A moment in time Gutter The space between panels Tier One row ... Night Night! Sleep Tight! Copyright 2025 by Twelve Thirty, LLC LITTLE CRITTER, MERCER MAYER'S LITTLE ...





#### Sweet Valley Twins: Sneaking Out by Francine **Pascal**

Identical twins Elizabeth and Jessica Wakefield play tricks on Brooke Dennis (the new girl in school) until Elizabeth discovers why Brooke has been so mean to everyone.

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# The Adventures of the Invisible Boy: Zeroes to

In the second installment of this hilarious unlikely-superhero adventure, Stanley and Gene master their invisibility powers 'Can't be missed!" - Max Brallier, #1 NYT ...



### Sonic the Hedgehog: Adventure Awaits by Ian **Flynn**

The action-packed saga continues as Sonic and crew zip around in search of fun, but find trouble instead!

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#### The Adventures of Penguin and Panda: Winterfest by Brenda Maier

For fans of Narwhal & Jelly; Beak & Ally; and Pizza & Taco. The language used in the series is accessible and appropriate for early readers, making it a great choice for children who are developing their reading skills. Christmas trees!

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## **Heroes by Doogie Horner**

and face a mysterious new villain bent on their destruction!

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#### The Baby-Sitters Club: Mallory and the Trouble with the Twins by Arley Nopra

Mallory comes down with mono and her parents make her quit the Baby-Sitters Club.

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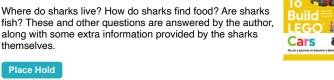
## Non-Fiction



#### Chomp! The Truth About Sharks by Annette Whipple

fish? These and other questions are answered by the author, along with some extra information provided by the sharks themselves.

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#### Lego: How to Build Anything by Hannah Dolan

Discover how to build your dream LEGO cars - with tips and techniques from expert LEGO builders.

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#### The Book of Belonging by Mariko Clark

The Book of Belonging features • Forty-two Bible stories: twenty from the Old Testament, twenty-two from the New Testament • Rich, vibrant illustrations on every page, showcasing a variety of body shapes, ages, abilities, and skin ...

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## **Biography**



### I am Sally Ride by Brad Meltzer

The first American woman to fly in space is the 35th hero in the New York Times bestselling picture book biography series for ages 5 to 9.

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