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| Location  | Author            | Title  |
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| <b>J ALL</b>  | Allison, Jennifer | <b>Gilda Joyce, Psychic Investigator</b>                     |
| <p>During the summer before ninth grade, intrepid Gilda Joyce invites herself to the San Francisco mansion of distant cousin Lester Splinter and his thirteen-year-old daughter, where she uses her purported psychic abilities and detective skills to solve the mystery of the mansion's boarded-up tower.</p>  |                   |  |
| <b>J ARC</b>  | Arcane, Amicus    | <b>Tales from the Haunted Mansion: The Fearsome Foursome</b> |
| <p>Middle schoolers Willa, Tim, Noah, and Steve bond over their love of horror and form The Fearsome Foursome, their storytelling club. They meet weekly to share tales of ghosts and ghouls. One day, their headquarters gets demolished in a freakish storm. In the wreckage, the quartet find four fancy invitations to an address on the other side of town. Intrigued, they find it's a Gothic mansion, which seems deserted except for the librarian, who is the keeper of all scary stories. It turns out the librarian has a story to read about each of them, and he insists they will be dying to find out how these tales end.</p>                         |                   |  |
| <b>J ARR</b>  | Arroyo, Raymond   | <b>Will Wilder: The Relic of Perilous Falls</b>              |
| <p>A thrill-seeking twelve-year-old boy with a mysterious family heritage discovers ancient objects of rare power--and must protect them from the terrifying demons who will do anything to possess them.</p>   |                   |  |
| <b>J AUX</b>  | Auxier, Jonathan  | <b>The Night Gardener: A Scary Story</b>                     |
| <p>Irish orphans Molly, fourteen, and Kip, ten, travel to England to work as servants in a crumbling manor house where nothing is quite what it seems to be, and soon the siblings are confronted by a mysterious stranger and secrets of the cursed house.</p>   |                   |  |
| <b>J BAL</b>  | Ballerini, Joe    | <b>The Babysitter's Guide to Monster Hunting</b>             |
| <p>When Kelly loses a little boy to monsters who live under his bed during her first babysitting job, she learns about a secret society of babysitters who fight monsters.</p>  |                   |  |
| <b>J BAP</b>  | Baptiste, Tracey  | <b>The Jumbies</b>   |
| <p>Corinne La Mer isn't afraid of anything. Not scorpions, not the boys who tease her, and certainly not jumbies. They're just tricksters parents make up to frighten their children. Then one night Corinne chases an agouti all the way into the forbidden forest. Those shining yellow eyes that followed her to the edge of the trees, they couldn't belong to a jumbie. Or could they? When Corinne spots a beautiful stranger speaking to the town witch at the market the next day, she knows something unexpected is about to happen. And when this same beauty, called Severine, turns up at Corinne's house, Corinne is sure that danger is in the air.</p> |                   |  |
| <b>J BAP</b>  | Baptiste, Tracey  | <b>Rise of the Jumbies</b>                                   |
| <p>Suspicion falls on half-jumbie Corinne when local children from her Caribbean island home begin to disappear, and she is forced to go deep into the ocean to seek the help of a dangerous jumbie who rules the waves.</p>  |                   |  |

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| <b>J BAS</b>  | Bass, Guy           | <b>Stitch Head</b>                  |
| <p>Stitch Head, the Mad Professor's first creation, has long hidden in the shadows of Castle Grotteskew--but now that the newest monster, the Creature, has decided that they are best friends, and the evil Freakfinder wants to kidnap the monsters for his freak show, Stitch Head finds himself cast in the role of hero.</p>   |                     |                                     |
| <b>J BEA</b>  | Beatty, Robert      | <b>Serafina and the Black Cloak</b> |
| <p>Years ago, Serafina's father helped build the Biltmore mansion. The house has many secrets -- and Serafina is one of them. She sleeps most of the day and prowls the house at night, catching rats and observing the midnight life of the house. She does not, however, venture into the woods surrounding the estate, because her father has often warned her of the many dangers that lurk there. But when danger comes to Biltmore, Serafina may be the only one who can stop it -- if she is brave and daring and willing to move beyond the confines of her hidden life.</p>  |                     |                                     |
| <b>J COH</b>  | Cohn, Edith         | <b>Spirit's Key</b>                 |
| <p>By now, twelve-year-old Spirit Holden should have inherited the family gift: the ability to see the future. But when she holds a house key in her hand like her dad does to read its owner's destiny, she can't see anything. Maybe it's because she can't get over the loss of her beloved dog, Sky, who died mysteriously. Sky was Spirit's loyal companion, one of the wild dogs that the local islanders believe possess dangerous spirits. As more dogs start dying and people become sick, too, almost everyone is convinced that these dogs and their spirits are to blame -- except for Spirit. Then Sky's ghost appears, and Spirit is shaken. But his help may be the key to unlocking her new power and finding the cause of the mysterious illness before it's too late.</p> |                     |                                     |
| <b>J CON</b>  | Connolly, MarcyKate | <b>Monstrous</b>                    |
| <p>The city of Bryre suffers under the magic of an evil wizard. Because of his curse, girls sicken and disappear without a trace, and all live in fear. No one is allowed outside after dark. Night is when Kymera comes to the city, with a cloak disguising her wings, the bolts in her neck, and her spiky tail. Her mission is to rescue the girls of Bryre. Despite Kym's caution in going secretly, a boy named Ren sees and befriends her . . . but what he knows will change her world forever.</p>   |                     |                                     |
| <b>J CON</b>  | Connolly, MarcyKate | <b>Ravenous</b>                     |
| <p>A witch has come to the city of Bryre, traveling in a hut that has chicken feet. She is ravenous for little children, and captures Greta's little brother Hans. In order to free him, Greta goes on an epic quest to retrieve something the witch desires.</p>   |                     |                                     |

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| <b>J DES</b>  | DeStefano, Lauren | <b>A Curious Tale of the In-Between</b>       |
| <p>Pram Bellamy is special – she can talk to ghosts. She doesn't have too many friends amongst the living, but that's all right. She has her books, she has her aunts, and she has her best friend, the ghostly Felix.</p> <p>Then Pram meets Clarence, a boy from school who has also lost a parent and is looking for answers. Together they arrive at the door of the mysterious Lady Savant, who promises to help. But this spiritualist knows the true nature of Pram's power, and what she has planned is more terrifying than any ghost.</p>   |                   |   |
| <b>J DUR</b>  | Durham, Paul      | <b>The Luck Uglies</b>                        |
| <p>Luck Uglies was a name whispered around the docks and darkest taverns, places the law dare not tread. Rye has grown up hearing the legend of the Luck Uglies - notorious deadly outlaws who once stalked the streets. Now they have faded to ghosts and rumors and Rye isn't sure they ever existed. Then on the night of the Black Moon, a mysterious stranger known only as Harmless, steps from the shadows to save Rye's life and Rye learns that sometimes it takes a villain to save you from the monsters...</p> <p><b>Sequel:</b> <i>The Fork-Tongue Charmers.</i></p>                                   |                   |   |
| <b>J 741.597</b><br><b>FAW</b>  | Fawkes, Ray       | <b>Possessions, Book One: Unclean Getaway</b> |
| <p>Meet Gurgazon the Unclean, the cuddliest little pit demon ever trapped in the Llewellyn-Vane House for Captured Spirits and Ghostly Curiosities! This pit demon may look just like a cute little 5-year old girl, but it isn't interested in playing checkers with other ghosts. The Gurgazon is determined to escape! Will the house contain it? Or will the world of peace and friendly bunnies come to an end as the Gurgazon exacts its revenge?</p>   |                   |   |
| <b>J 741.597</b><br><b>FRA</b>  | Frampton, Otis    | <b>Oddly Normal</b>                           |
| <p>Meet Oddly Normal, a ten-year-old girl with pointed ears and green hair... a half-witch who will be the first to tell you that having a mother from a magical land called Fignation and a father from Earth doesn't make it easy to make friends at school! On her tenth birthday, she blows out her cake's candles and makes a disastrous wish. Now Oddly must travel to Fignation to uncover the mystery of her parents' disappearance. Join Oddly as she navigates a strange new school, monstrous bullies, and Evil itself on an unforgettable fantasy adventure through the vibrant world of Fignation!</p> |                   |   |

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| <b>J GAI</b>  | Gaiman, Neil     | <b>Coraline</b>  |
| <p>In Coraline's family's new flat are twenty-one windows and fourteen doors. Thirteen of the doors open and close. The fourteenth is locked, and on the other side is only a brick wall, until the day Coraline unlocks the door to find a passage to another flat in another house just like her own. Only it's different. At first, things seem marvelous in the other flat. The food is better. The toy box is filled with wind-up angels that flutter around the bedroom, books whose pictures writhe and crawl and shimmer, little dinosaur skulls that chatter their teeth. But there's another mother, and another father, and they want Coraline to stay with them and be their little girl. They want to <i>change</i> her and never let her go. Other children are trapped there as well, lost souls behind the mirrors. Coraline is their only hope of rescue. She will have to fight with all her wits and all the tools she can find if she is to save the lost children, her ordinary life, and herself.</p> |                  |  |
| <b>J HOO</b>  | Hoover, P.J.     | <b>Tut: The Story of My Immortal Life</b>                      |
| <p>You'd think it would be great being an Egyptian demigod, but if King Tut has to sit through eighth grade one more time, he'll mummify himself. Granted the gift of immortality by the gods – or is it a curse? – Tut has been stuck in middle school for ages. Even worse, evil General Horemheb, the man who killed Tut's father and whom Tut imprisoned in a tomb for three thousand years, is out and after him. The general is in league with the Cult of Set, a bunch of guys who worship one of the scariest gods of the Egyptian pantheon – Set, the god of Chaos. The General and the Cult of Set have plans for Tut... and if Tut doesn't find a way to keep out of their clutches, he'll never make it to the afterworld alive.</p>  |                  |  |
| <b>J JIN</b>  | Jinks, Catherine | <b>How to Catch a Bogle</b>                                    |
| <p>Birdie McAdam, a ten-year-old orphan, is tougher than she looks. She's proud of her job as apprentice to Alfred the Bogler, a man who catches monsters for a living. Birdie lures the bogles out of their lairs with her sweet songs, and Alfred kills them before they kill her. On the mean streets of Victorian England, hunting bogles is actually <i>less</i> dangerous work than mudlarking for scraps along the vile river Thames. Or so it seems - until the orphans of London start to disappear...</p>   |                  |  |
| <b>J JOY</b>  | Joyce, William   | <b>Nicholas St. North and the Battle of the Nightmare King</b> |
| <p>Nicholas St. North, a daredevil swordsman seeking treasure in the fiercely guarded village of Santoff Claussen finds, instead, the great wizard Ombric Shalazar and a battle against the Nightmare King and his evil Fearlings--a battle Nicholas can win only if he finds five other Guardians in time.</p>   |                  |  |
| <p><b><u>Also in the Guardians series:</u></b> <i>E. Aster Bunnymund and the Battle of the Warrior Eggs at the Earth's Core; Toothiana, Queen of the Tooth Fairy Armies; The Sandman and the War of Dreams.</i></p>   |                  |  |

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| <b>J LUB</b>   | Lubar, David  | <b>My Rotten Life</b>                  |
| <p>Tired of continually having his feelings hurt by popular students and bullies, fifth-grader Nathan agrees to try an experimental formula, Hurt-Be-Gone, and becomes a half-dead zombie, a condition which, he soon discovers, has some real advantages.</p> <p><b>Also in the Nathan Abercrombie, Accidental Zombie series:</b> <i>Dead Guy Spy; Goop Soup.</i></p>   |               |  |
| <b>J MAC</b>   | MacHale, D.J. | <b>Curse of the Boggin</b>             |
| <p>When supernatural phenomenon start following Marcus O'Mara around, he discovers a key that leads to The Library, a place where all the stories of the living and dead are kept that will help him and his friends solve a terrifying mystery.</p>   |               |  |
| <b>J MAS</b>   | Mass, Wendy   | <b>The Last Present (Willow Falls)</b> |
| <p>Amanda and Leo have a history with birthdays. Now their friend's little sister, Grace, has fallen into a strange frozen state on her birthday, and Amanda and Leo must travel in time in order to fix whatever's wrong. As they journey back to each of Grace's birthdays, they start seeing all sorts of patterns...which raise all sorts of questions.</p> <p>Amanda and Leo are going to have to unravel the threads of the past and present - and travel much further than they ever imagined - if they're going to save Grace. Luckily, a little birthday magic always helps in the charming and funny Willow Falls series by Wendy Mass, where everything is possible and there are no coincidences.</p> <p><b>Also in the Willow Falls series:</b> <i>11 Birthdays; Finally; 13 Gifts; Graceful.</i></p> |               |  |
| <b>J MES</b>   | Messner, Kate | <b>Keeper of the Lost Cities</b>       |
| <p>At age twelve, Sophie learns that the remarkable abilities that have always caused her to stand out identify her as an elf, and after being brought to Eternalia to hone her skills, discovers that she has secrets buried in her memory for which some would kill.</p> <p><b>Also in this series:</b> <i>Everblaze; Neverseen; Lodestar; Nightfall.</i></p>  |               |  |
| <b>J MIL</b>   | Milford, Kate | <b>Ghosts of Greenglass House</b>      |
| <p>Twelve-year-old Milo is stuck spending the winter holidays in a house full of strange guests who are not what they seem-again! He will have to work with friends old and new to uncover clues in search of a mysterious map and a famous smuggler's lost haul.</p>  |               |  |
| <b>J MIL</b>   | Milford, Kate | <b>Greenglass House</b>                |
| <p>At Greenglass House, a smuggler's inn, twelve-year-old Milo, the innkeepers' adopted son, plans to spend his winter holidays relaxing but soon guests are arriving with strange stories about the house sending Milo and Meddy, the cook's daughter, on an adventure.</p>   |               |  |

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**J 741.597** Naifeh, Ted **Courtney Crumrin and the Night Things**  
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Courtney Crumrin is not a happy camper. Her mom and dad, after years of living beyond their means, have at last found a solution to their financial difficulties. They're moving to the burbs, into the home of their rich uncle, Professor Aloysius Crumrin. Old man Crumrin's huge Victorian mansion is par for the course in the well-to-do neighborhood of Hillsborough. However, as Courtney soon discovers, Uncle Aloysius has a sinister reputation throughout the district, and he and his home are shrouded in dark rumor. And while this new arrangement allows her parents their much-desired boost in social status, Courtney feels as though she's landed in a nightmare: one where she is an outcast among her new spoiled classmates. And if that weren't bad enough, the moldering old mansion seems to house even stranger creatures than Mom and Dad or Uncle Aloysius.

They crawl about the dark corridors, just out of sight. They crunch bones in the corner. And sometimes they'll climb up on the bed and watch Courtney while she sleeps. Mom and Dad don't notice them. He calls them "the Night Things."

**Also in the Courtney Crumrin series:** *The Coven of Mystics; The Twilight Kingdom; Monstrous Holiday; The Witch Next Door; The Final Spell.*

**J OHA** O'Hara, Mo **My Big Fat Zombie Goldfish**

When Tom's big brother decides to become an Evil Scientist, his first experiment involves dunking Frankie the goldfish into toxic green gunk. Tom knows that there is only one thing to do: Zap the fish with a battery and bring him back to life! But there's something weird about the new Frankie. He's now a big fat zombie goldfish with hypnotic powers . . . and he's out for revenge!

**Also in this series:** *The Seaquel; Fins of Fury; Any Fin is Possible; Live and Let Swim; Jurassic Carp.*

**J OH** Oh, Ellen **Spirit Hunters**

Feeling uncomfortable from the moment she arrives in her new home, Harper is dismayed by local rumors that her house is haunted and that every family that has ever lived there has suffered terrible tragedies, a situation that turns sinister when her cheerful little brother begins acting in alarming ways.

**J PRE** Preller, James **Better Off Undead**

Adrian Lazarus, who became a zombie just before starting middle school, and new friends Gia, Zander, and Talal, navigate a mystery involving global warming, disappearing bees, and billionaire developers.

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| <b>J RIV</b> | Rivers, Phoebe | <b>Ghost Town (Saranormal)</b> |
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Sara Collins is a normal twelve-year-old girl with an abnormal secret: She is psychic. She's had her abilities for as long as she can remember, but she doesn't like to talk about them. She hopes that if she ignores them, they might go away. Sara wants nothing more than to have a normal life, and to her, "normal" doesn't include anything paranormal. But Sara's life is about to be turned upside down, because she's moving across the country with her dad to an old shore town in New Jersey. A shore town with a lot of history...and more than its fair share of ghosts roaming around. As Sara tries to settle into her new home, she discovers that for the first time, the ghosts around her can communicate with her. One ghost in particular desperately needs something from her and won't leave her alone. Sara wants to help, but she's scared. Can Sara put her fear aside and help the spirit? Will doing so put her in jeopardy?

**Also in the Saranormal series:** *Haunted Memories; Mischief Night; Spirits of the Season; Moment of Truth; Giving Up the Ghost; The Secrets Within; Playing with Fire; Kindred Spirits; A Perfect Storm; Yesterday and Today.*

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| <b>J SAV</b> | Savage, J. Scott | <b>Zombie Kid (Case File 13)</b> |
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Monster-obsessed friends Nick, Carter, and Angelo are in for a hilariously grim adventure when an amulet that turns Nick into a zombie leads them on a quest to defeat the Zombie King himself.

**Also in the Case File 13 series:** *Making the Team; Evil Twins.*

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| <b>J SCH</b> | Schusterman, Michelle | <b>Olive and the Backstage Ghost</b> |
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Olive discovers an old theater where she'll finally have a chance to shine on stage, but this theater--and its mysterious owner--are hiding dark secrets.

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| <b>J SEG</b> | Segel, Jason | <b>Nightmares!</b> |
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Charlie Laird has several problems.

1. His dad married a woman he is sure moonlights as a witch.
2. He had to move into her purple mansion, which is NOT a place you want to find yourself after dark.
3. He can't remember the last time sleeping wasn't a nightmarish prospect. Like even a nap.

What Charlie doesn't know is that his problems are about to get a whole lot more real. Nightmares can ruin a good night's sleep, but when they start slipping out of your dreams and into the waking world – that's a line that should never be crossed. And when your worst nightmares start to come true . . . well, that's something only Charlie can face. And he's going to need all the help he can get, or it might just be lights-out for Charlie Laird. For good.

**Sequel:** *The Lost Lullaby.*

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| <b>J SHE</b>  | Shearer, Alex       | <b>The Ministry of Ghosts</b>            |
| <p>Pressured by the stern Minister Beeston from the Department of Economies, the Ministry of Ghosts has been given three months to prove the existence or nonexistence of ghosts, or else it will be shut down! As it seems that children are particularly magnetic to ghosts and supernatural beings, Thruppence and Tim are hired to join the ministry's ghost-catching team. And although neither of them is scared by talk of ghosts or monsters, they are unprepared for what they're about discover!</p>  |                     |  |
| <b>J SMI</b>  | Smith, Roland       | <b>Hoodoo</b>                            |
| <p>In 1930s Alabama, twelve-year-old Hoodoo Hatcher is the only member of his family who seems unable to practice folk magic, but when a mysterious man called the Stranger puts the entire town at risk from his black magic, Hoodoo must learn to conjure to defeat him.</p>  |                     |  |
| <b>J 398.25 TEI</b>   | Teitelbaum, Michael | <b>The Scary States of America</b>       |
| <p>Twelve-year-old Jason Specter, self-proclaimed "clearing house for the weird," introduces and presents his favorite stories of the paranormal--one from each state of the Union--submitted to the Web site he created after his own encounter with a ghost at school three years earlier.</p>  |                     |  |
| <b>J VEL</b>  | Velasquez, Crystal  | <b>Hunters of Chaos</b>                  |
| <p>Ana's average, suburban life is turned upside down when she's offered a place at the exclusive boarding school in New Mexico that both of her late parents attended. As she struggles to navigate the wealthy cliques of her new school, mysterious things begin to occur: sudden power failures, terrible storms, and even an earthquake! Ana soon learns that she and three other girls -- with Chinese, Navajo, and Egyptian heritages -- harbor connections to priceless objects in the school's museum, and the museum's curator, Ms. Benitez, is adamant that the girls understand their ancestry.</p> |                     |  |
| <b>J WHI</b>  | Whitehouse, Howard  | <b>Zombie Elementary: The Real Story</b> |
| <p>Larry Mullet is your typical fourth grader. He's not the biggest kid or the smartest kid or the best looking kid. He rides his bike, plays baseball, takes the school bus, avoids cafeteria food, and--oh yeah, he's a zombie hunting expert. Larry was just doing his usual thing when Alex Bates from Ms. Hoag's class tried to eat him. Sadly, that was only the beginning. Something odd was going on at Brooks Elementary... and it was up to Larry and his friends to take charge (for some reason).</p>   |                     |  |
| <b>J YEL</b>  | Yelchin, Eugene     | <b>The Haunting of Falcon House</b>      |
| <p>In 1891, twelve-year-old Lev Lvov travels to Saint Petersburg, Russia, to assume his duties as Prince, but must first use his special gift to rid the House of Lions of a ghost.</p>   |                     |  |

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