

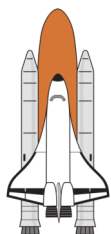
their mother, a dedicated poet and printer, is resentful of the intrusion of their visit and sends them to attend a nearby Black Panther summer camp. J FIC WILLIAMS-GARCIA

Orange for the Sunsets, by Tina Athaide. (M)

In alternating voices, friends Asha and Yesofu, one Indian and one African, find their world turned upside-down when Idi Amin decides to expel Asian Indians from Uganda in 1972. J FIC ATHAIDE

Prepped and Punked: Bringing 1980s and 1990s Flair to Your Wardrobe,\* by Allison Krotzer Kimmel. (E, M)

Describes the fashion trends of the 1980s and 1990s, including step-by-step instructions on how to get the looks today. J CUSTOMS & HOLIDAYS 391.009 KIM



We Dream of Space, by Erin Entrada Kelly. (M)

The Thomas children exist in their own orbits, with little in common except an enthusiastic science teacher named Ms. Salonga. As the launch of the Challenger approaches, Ms. Salonga gives her students a project; they are separated into spacecraft crews and must create and complete a mission. When the fated day finally arrives, it changes all of their lives and brings them together in unexpected ways. J FIC KELLY

Who Was Harvey Milk?\*, by Corinne Grinapol. (E, M)

Harvey Milk found himself captivated by the history-making movements of the 1960s. He would eventually make history of his own by becoming the first openly gay elected politician in California. J BIO MILK

A Year Without Mom, by Dasha Tolstikova. (H)

It is the early 1990s in Moscow, and political change is in the air. But Dasha is more worried about her own challenges as she negotiates family, friendships and school without her mother. Just as she begins to find her own feet, she gets word that she is to join her mother in America—a place that seems impossibly far from everything and everyone she loves. TEEN FIC TOLSTIKOVA

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E—Elementary Readers—PK-4th Grades

M—Middle Readers—5th-8th Grades

H—High School Readers—9th-12th Grades

\*Book is part of a series!



All The Way to the Top, by Annette Bell Pimentel. (E, M)

Diagnosed with cerebral palsy at birth, Jennifer Keelan grew up battling-and overcoming-the limitations others set for her. When Jennifer was just 8 years old, she participated in the Capitol Crawl. The deeply affecting image of Jennifer crawling up the steps of Capitol Hill went viral and helped pressure Congress into passing the Americans with Disabilities Act. J NORTH AMERICA 323.3 PIM

The Black Kids, by Christine Hammonds Reed. (H)

With the Rodney King riots closing in on high school senior Ashley and her family, the privileged bubble she has enjoyed, protecting her from the difficult realities most black people face, begins to crumble. TEEN FIC REED

The Blackbird Girls, by Anne Blankman. (M)

Valentina Kaplan and Oksana Savchenko wake up to an angry red sky. A reactor at the nuclear power plant where their fathers work—Chernobyl—has exploded. Before they know it, the two girls, who've always been enemies, find themselves on a train bound for Leningrad to stay with Valentina's estranged grandmother. In their new lives in Leningrad, they begin to learn what it means to trust another person. J FIC BLANKMAN

Brother's Keeper, by Julie Lee. (M)

12-year-old Sora and her little brother, Youngsoo, have to escape North Korea's oppressive Communist regime on their own in 1950. J FIC LEE

Child Soldier, by Jessica Dee Humphreys. (M, H)

Michel Chikwanine was five years old when he was abducted from his schoolyard soccer game in the Democratic Republic of Congo and forced to become a soldier for a brutal rebel militia. Against the odds, Michel managed to escape and find his way back to his family, but he was never the same again. J WORLD HISTORY 355.008 HUM



Game On!, by Dustin Hansen. (M)

Find out about the fast and furious growth and evolution of video games (including how they are quickly taking over the world!) by looking at some of the most popular, innovative, and influential games ever. J TRIVIA & GAMES 794.8 HAN

Indian No More, by Charlene Willing McManis. (M)

When Regina's Umpqua tribe is legally terminated and her family must relocate from Oregon to Los Angeles, she goes on a quest to understand her identity as an Indian despite being so far from home. J FIC MCMANIS

It Ain't So Awful, Falafel, by Firoozeh Dumas. (M)

11-year-old Zomorod tells her story of growing up Iranian in Southern California during the Iranian Revolution and hostage crisis of the late 1970s. J FIC DUMAS

Kent State, by Deborah Wiles. (H)

Told from different points of view--protesters, students, National Guardsmen, and "townies"—recounts the story of what happened at Kent State in May 1970, when a student protest was turned into a bloody battlefield. TEEN FIC WILES

Loving Vs. Virginia, by Patricia Hruby Powell. (M, H)

Novel in Verse about Mildred Loving, African American, and Richard Loving, Caucasian, who challenged the Virginia law forbidding interracial marriages in the 1950s. TEEN FIC POWELL

Magic Ramen, by Andrea Wang. (E)

For years, Ando Momofuku dreamed about making a new kind of ramen noodle soup that was quick, convenient, and tasty. To feed the hungry people he'd seen in line for a bowl on the black market following World War II. "Peace follows from a full stomach," he believed. With persistence, creativity, and a little inspiration, Ando succeeded, creating one of the world's most popular foods. J FOOD & FARMING 641.822 WAN

March: Book One\*, by John Lewis. (H)

Congressman John Lewis' first-hand account of his lifelong struggle for civil and human rights. Rooted in Lewis' personal story, it also reflects on the highs and lows of the broader civil rights movement. TEEN COMIC LEWIS

Most Dangerous, by Steve Sheinkin. (H)

In 1964, Daniel Ellsberg was one of the Pentagon insiders helping to plan a war in Vietnam. The U.S. Government would do anything to stop the spread of communism. But as the fighting in Vietnam escalated, Ellsberg turned against the war and realized he had access to information that the American public needed to know. TEEN BIO ELLSBERG

My Brigadista Year, by Katherine Paterson. (M)

Only 13 years old, Lora journeys from a sheltered life to a singular mission: teaching fellow Cubans of all ages to read and write, while helping with the work of their daily lives and sharing the dangers posed by counterrevolutionaries hiding in the hills nearby. J FIC PATERSON

Occupying Alcatraz, by Alexis Burling. (E, M)

In 1969, a group of Native American activists launched a 19-month takeover of Alcatraz Island in San Francisco Bay, seeking to highlight the poor living conditions that persisted in Native American communities throughout the country. J NORTH AMERICA 365 BUR

One Crazy Summer, by Rita Williams-Garcia. (M)

After travelling from Brooklyn to Oakland, California, to spend a month with the mother they barely know, 11-year-old Delphine and her two younger sisters arrive to discover that

