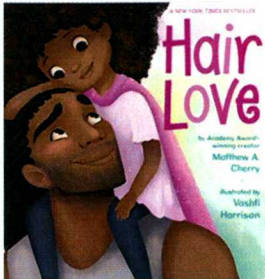


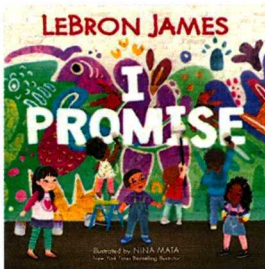
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Hair Love by Matthew A. Cherry

A New York Times Bestseller and tie-in to Academy-Award Winning Short Film.

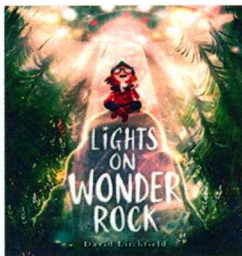
Zuri's hair has a mind of its own. It kinks, coils and curls every which way. Zuri knows it's beautiful. When Daddy steps in to style it for an extra special occasion, he has a lot to learn. But he LOVES his Zuri, and he'll do anything to make her – and her hair – happy.



I Promise by LeBron James

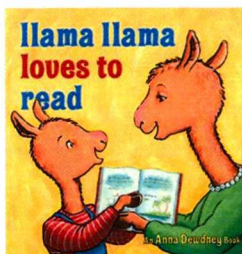
New York Times Bestseller! Indie Bestseller!

An inspiring picture book that reminds us that tomorrow's success starts with the promises we make to ourselves and our community today.



Lights on Wonder Rock by David Litchfield

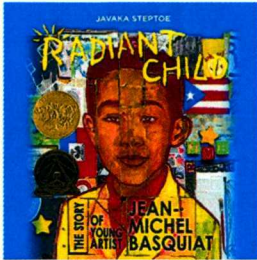
Heather wants more than anything to go to outer space, where the stars sparkle with magic and wonder. When a UFO lands behind her house and she meets a friendly alien, it seems that all of her dreams have come true. Soon her new friend has to return home. Will the spaceship ever come back for her? And if it does, is Heather ready to leave everything on Earth behind?



Llama Llama Loves to Read by Anna Dewdney

Llama Llama is growing up and learning to read! Throughout the school day, the teacher helps Llama Llama and the other children practice their letters, read stories, and brings them to the library where they can all choose a favorite book. By the end of the day, Llama Llama can't wait to show Mama Llama that he's becoming a reader!

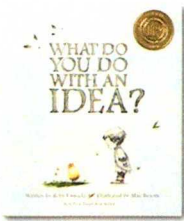
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Radiant Child: The Story of Young Artist Jean-Michel Basquiat by Javaka Steptoe

Winner of the Randolph Caldecott Medal and the Coretta Scott King Illustrator Award

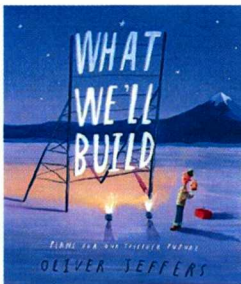
Art doesn't always have to be neat or clean – and definitely not inside the lines – to be beautiful.



What Do You Do with An Idea? By Kobi Yamada

New York Times bestseller

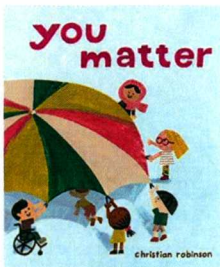
This is the story of one brilliant idea and the child who helps to bring it into the world. As the child's confidence grows, so does the idea itself. And then, one day, something amazing happens.



What We'll Build by Oliver Jeffers

An instant New York Times bestseller!

A rare and enduring story about a parent's boundless love, life's endless opportunities, and all we need to build a together future. A father and daughter set about laying the foundations for their life together. Using their own special tools, they get to work, building memories to cherish, a home to keep them safe, and love to keep them warm.



You Matter by Christian Robinson

A New York Times bestseller!

In this full, bright, and beautiful picture book, many different perspectives around the world are empathetically explored – from a pair of bird watchers to the pigeons they're feeding. Young readers will be invited to engage with the world in a new way and see how everyone is connected.