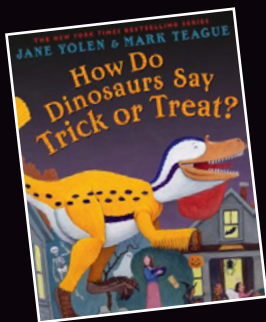


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RECOMMENDED READS, MOVIES & MORE!

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TRICK OR TREAT



 **Picture Books for Trick-or-Treaters**
...and so much more!

FOR KIDS

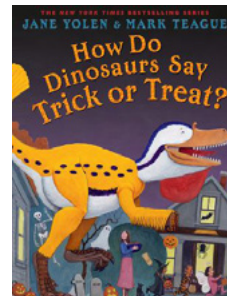
9 Picture Books for Trick-or-Treaters



The Crayons Trick or Treat

by Drew Daywalt

Purple Crayon knows just what to say when ringing neighbours' doorbells in this silly Halloween tale.



How Do Dinosaurs Say Trick or Treat?

by Jane Yolen

Dinosaur friends learn the dos-and-don'ts of trick-or-treating in this rhyming picture book.



Pig the Monster

by Aaron Blabey

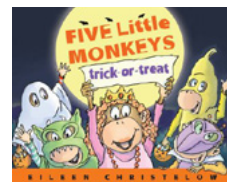
Pig the Pug gobbles up candy (and regrets it!) in this humorous rhyming picture book.



Trick or Treat in Canada

by Eric James

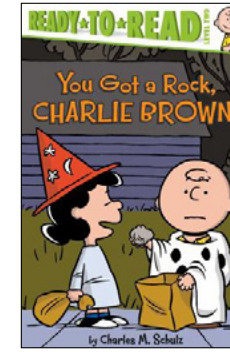
Travel all across Canada on Halloween night with a mysterious visitor!



Five Little Monkeys Trick-or-Treat

by Eileen Christelow

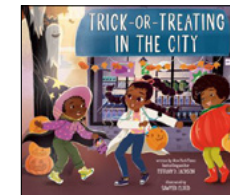
Mischief ensues when the five little monkeys head door to door with their babysitter.



You Got a Rock, Charlie Brown!

by Maggie Testa

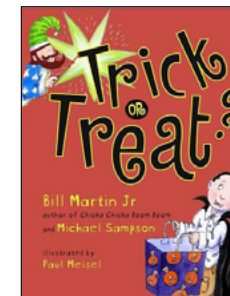
In this early reader, the Peanuts gang heads out for candy, but Charlie Brown gets a rock. Good grief!



Trick-or-Treating in the City

by Tiffany D. Jackson

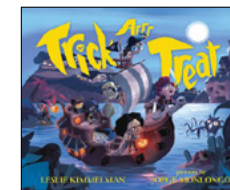
When her parents are stuck working, Janelle turns to her NYC community to help celebrate Halloween.



Trick or Treat?

by Bill Martin

Trick or treating takes a wacky turn when a boy's magical neighbour asks him for a trick!



Trick-ARRR Treat

by Leslie Kimmelman

Little pirates have an adventure on Halloween night using just their imaginations!

FOR KIDS

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Gripping Mystery Books for Young Detectives



Minerva Keen's Detective Club

by James Patterson

Packed with twists and turns, this thrilling story follows twelve-year-old Minerva Keen who forms her own detective club to uncover the mysterious poisoner of her neighbors.



Hide and GEEK

by T.P. Jagger

Get ready to embark on a captivating treasure hunt with Gina and her best friends to save their struggling town. An engaging read for those who enjoy puzzles and stories of friendship.



Swept Away

by Natalie Hyde

Ruth Mornay is convinced that the death of her beloved neighbor wasn't an accident. When a box of intriguing clues is handed over to her, she decides to delve deeper into the mystery and reveal the truth.



Finally, Something Mysterious

by Doug Cornett

Finally, something mysterious happened in Bellwood! When hundreds of rubber duckies appear on Mr. Babbage's lawn, Paul and his friends team up to crack the case. A suspenseful read not to be missed.



Drew Leclair Gets a Clue

by Katryn Bury

What does it take to be an exceptional detective? Follow Drew Leclair as she uses her keen observation skills to catch the cyberbully attacking the students at her school.



Spy Penguins

by Sam Hay

In this hilarious story, two young penguins believe they have everything they need to become secret agents. Will they be able to prove their worth to the Frosty Bureau of Investigation?



No One Leaves the Castle

by Christopher Healy

The missing artifact might be the Lilac's chance to become the best bounty hunter. Let's find out where her investigation leads her to. A spine-tingling murder mystery that will keep the readers on their toes.



Wave Riders

by Lauren St. John

This compelling story portrays twelve-year-old twins who face startling challenges after their guardian mysteriously disappears. What will be the cost of uncovering their family secrets?



To Catch a Thief

by Martha Brockenbrough

When the town's dragonfly staff is stolen just a few days before the festival, Amelia decides to piece together the mystery and catch the culprit. Hopefully, she'll be able to save the celebration.

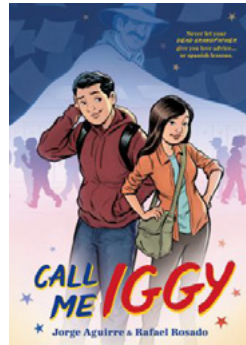
FOR TEENS

9 Supernatural Stories for All Hallows Eve



[A Magic Steeped in Poison](#)

by Judy I. Lin
Magic stems from carefully brewed teas in this political fantasy. First in a series, we follow Ning as she enters the royal tea-crafting competition and encounters romance.



[Call Me Iggy](#)

by Jorge Augusto Aguirre
This sweet-sounding graphic novel follows Ignacio "Iggy" Garcia as he develops a crush on classmate Marisol. Did we mention his late grandfather's well-meaning ghost is trying to give him pointers?



[Wisteria](#)

by Adalyn Grace
Third in a popular fantasy trilogy, Wisteria finds Blythe Hawthorne in an enemies to lovers romance with a divine being named Fate.



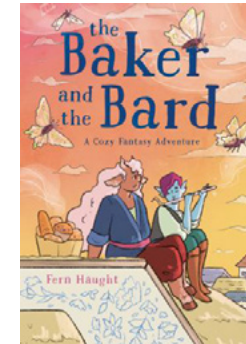
[The Ghostkeeper](#)

by Johanna Taylor
Cozy delights abound in this Victorian-era graphic novel about a queer "ghost specialist" called Dorian who makes sure each spirit he encounters finds their way to 'the other side.'



[Darker by Four](#)

by June CL Tan
Magic, destiny, gods, and revenge combine as Yiran, Rui, and Nikai cross paths and battle for the future of humanity.



[The Baker and the Bard](#)

by Fern Haught
This cozy fantasy about Juniper the apprentice baker and Hadley the performing bard welcomes readers into an endearing world of magic. The two best friends set out to solve the mystery of the missing oyster mushrooms.



[Beasts of Ruin](#)

by Ayana Gray
The second entry in the Beasts of Prey series deepens readers' knowledge of beastkeepers Koffi and Ekon as trials test their bond.



[Bad Dream](#)

by Nicole Maines
Part of the DC universe, this graphic novel delves into the beginnings of Nia Nal or Dreamer -- a trans superhero from the TV show Supergirl.

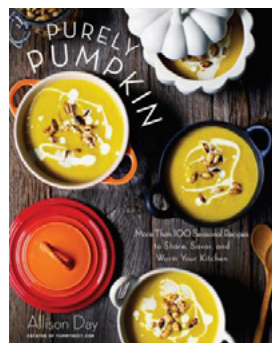


[Ghost Roast](#)

by Shawnelle Gibbs
After being grounded, teen Chelsea must help her father pursue apparitions in New Orleans. Little does he know, his daughter can see their spirit targets.

FOR ADULTS

10 Titles for Cozy Autumn Cooking



Purely Pumpkin

by Allison Day

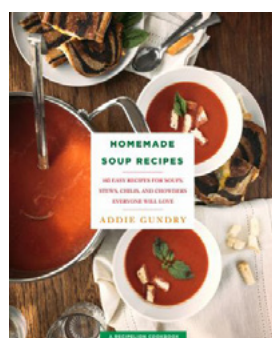
Is anything cozier than pumpkin? This delicious squash is good for more than just jack-o-lanterns!



The Best of Thanksgiving

by Williams Sonoma

Prepare your best Thanksgiving meal ever! Find recipes for turkey, gravy, sides, and dessert in this one-stop-shop.



Homemade Soup Recipes

by Addie Gundry

A wide variety of homestyle soups, chowders, and chilis awaits you in this recipe book for stovetop and slow-cookers.



Roast

by Louise Franc

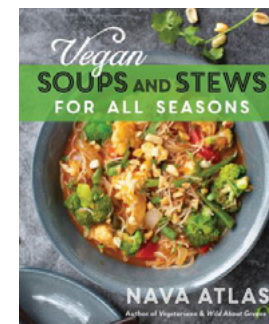
Fire up the oven and fill your kitchen with the delicious scent of roast meats, veggies, and desserts.



Baking Day with Anna Olson

by Anna Olson

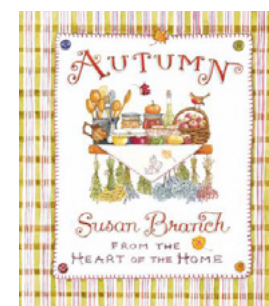
Chef Anna Olson encourages baking with loved ones with these easy to follow, kid-friendly recipes.



Vegan Soups and Stews for All Seasons

by Nava Atlas

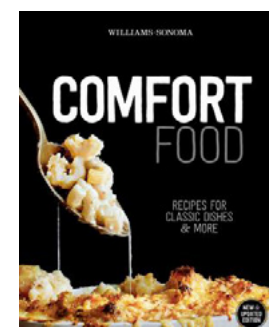
Plant-based eaters can feast well with these hearty soups and stews with a vegan spin.



Autumn

by Susan Branch

A trove of autumnal goodness including recipes (stuffing, chili, hot chocolate), crafts, and entertaining tips.



Comfort Food

by Rick Rodgers

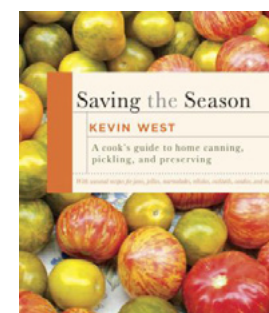
Forget the guilt and embrace comfort! These recipes cover classics like mac and cheese, apple pie, and more.



Gluten-free Baking Made Simple

by Cherie Lyden

Being gluten-free doesn't mean missing out on tasty goods with these baking alternatives!



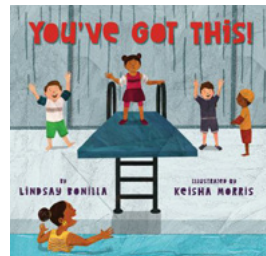
Saving the Season

by Kevin West

Learn the dos and don'ts of canning and preserving to save your harvested fruits and veggies.

FOR ALL AGES

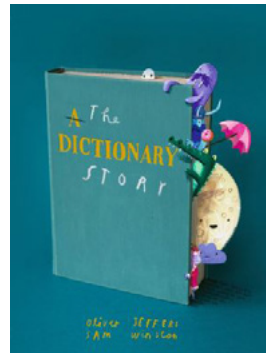
8 Exciting New Titles
You Can't Miss



You've Got This!

by Lindsay Bonilla

Life is full of scary moments. With vibrant illustrations and simple text, the book encourages young readers to face the challenges with confidence and positive attitude.



The Dictionary Story

by Oliver Jeffers

The dictionary wishes she could share stories just like all the other books. Let's embark on this hilarious adventure and find out what happens when the words come to life.



The Science of Friendship

by Tanita S. Davis

What makes a good friend? Do you need special skills to maintain healthy friendships? Join Rylee as she investigates the complicated science of friendship.



The Second Chance of Darius Logan

by David Walker

Instead of being sent to prison, Darius is offered the opportunity to become part of the Super Justice Force. This may be his chance to save the world from evil.



On the Bright Side

by Anna Sortino

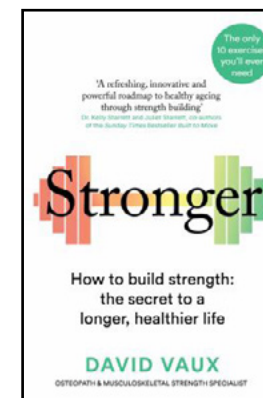
When Ellie's Deaf boarding school closes, she has no choice but to attend a public school. She will need to find someone who can help her adjust and navigate her struggles.



The Hidden Book

by Kirsty Manning

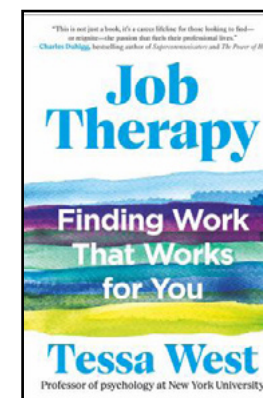
The prisoners of war risk their lives to save the photo album exposing the crimes of the Nazi regime. A powerful and heart-wrenching historical fiction about courage and resilience.



Stronger

by David Vaux

What's the secret to healthy aging? In this insightful guide, the author illustrates how strength training can enhance your physical well-being and increase your chances of a happier future.



Job Therapy

by Tessa V. West

How to land a job that will make you feel fulfilled? In this approachable guide, the author shares practical techniques to help you succeed on your career path.

FRENCH BOOKS ~ for all ages

8 Lectures épouvantables Terrifying Reads



L'horrible araignée

par Nadine Descheneaux

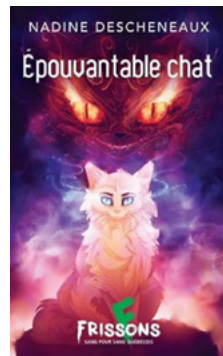
Alors que deux enfants jouent ensemble, ils remarquent une grosse araignée avec de grands yeux effrayants. Pour les tout-petits. / *While two kids are playing together, they notice a big spider with big scary eyes. For young children.*



Les vilains jouets

par Pierre Labrie

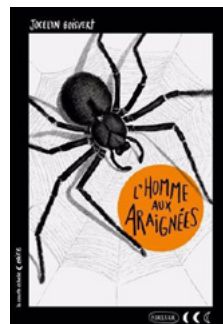
Rémi aime bien jouer dans sa chambre, mais le soir, ses jouets lui font peur. Pour les tout-petits. / *Rémi loves playing in his room, but at night his toys scare him. For young children.*



Épouvantable chat

par Nadine Descheneaux

Hugo est persuadé que le chat de sa grand-mère lui porte malheur. Lorsqu'il regarde un film avec son ami, les deux se sentent de moins en moins en sécurité près de la bête. Pour les enfants d'âge scolaire. / *Hugo is convinced that his grandmother's cat is a bad luck charm. While Hugo and his friend are watching a movie, they feel less and less safe around the cat. For school-aged kids.*



L'homme aux araignées

par Jocelyn Boisvert

En route pour Boston, Anna et sa famille s'arrêtent pour voir un vieil ami qui semble avoir disparu. Pour les enfants d'âge scolaire. / *On their way to Boston, Anna and her family stop by to see an old friend that seems to have gone missing. For school-aged kids.*



Bastien et Mathis : Les orphelins Andersen

par Yvan Godbout

Des personnages des contes de fées ne sont pas ce qu'ils semblent être dans cette histoire qui met en scène deux frères dans une école particulière. Pour les adolescents. / *Familiar fairytale characters are not what they seem in this twisted fairytale about two brothers that find themselves at a peculiar school. For teens.*



Marcel : Le gardien des secrets

par Steve Laflamme

Un gardien de prison qui pensait mourir travaille maintenant dans un pénitencier anormalement tranquille. Pour les adolescents. / *A prison guard who thought he was going to die now works in a penitentiary that's too quiet to be normal. For teens.*



Résonances

par Patrick Senécal

Après une IRM, Théodore commence à oublier certaines choses et constate que son entourage a changé. Pour adultes. / *After an MRI, Théodore starts forgetting certain things and finds that the people around him have changed. For adults.*



Si ça saigne

par Stephen King

Un recueil de nouvelles effrayantes de l'un des plus grands écrivains d'horreur. Pour adultes. / *A frightening collection of short stories from one of the most prominent writers of horror. For adults.*



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