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GRADES K–2


Croza, Laurel. *I Know Here*. Illus. by Matt James. Groundwood. (Canada)

Dubuc, Marianne. *In Front of My House*. Tr. by Yvette Ghione. Kids Can. (Canada)

Graham, Bob. *April and Esme, Tooth Fairies*. Candlewick. (UK)

Prap, Lila. *Dinosaurs?!* NorthSouth. (Slovenia)

Tolman, Marije & Ronald Tolman. *The Tree House*. Illus. by authors. Lemniscaat/Boyd's Mills. (The Netherlands)

GRADES 3–5


Fromental, Jean-Luc. *Oops!* Illus. by Joëlle Jolivet. Tr. by Thomas Connors. Abrams. (France)


Hirsch, Odo. *Darius Bell and the Glitter Pool*. Kane Miller. (Australia)

Hole, Stian. *Garmann’s Street*. Tr. by Don Bartlett. Eerdmans. (Norway)


GRADES 6–8


Coates, Jan L. A Hare in the Elephant’s Trunk. Red Deer. (Canada/set in Sudan)

De Goldi, Kate. The 10 p.m. Question. Candlewick. (New Zealand)


Gleitzman, Morris. Once. Henry Holt. (Australia/set in Poland)

MacLean, Jill. The Present Tense of Prinny Murphy. Fitzhenry & Whiteside. (Canada)

Matti, Truus. Departure Time. Tr. by Nancy Forest-Flier. namelos. (The Netherlands)


McKay, Sharon E. Thunder over Kandahar. Illus. by Rafal Gerszak. Annick. (Canada/set in Afghanistan)


Norcliffe, James. The Boy Who Could Fly. Egmont. (New Zealand)

Reeve, Philip. Fever Crumb. Scholastic. (UK)

Reeve, Philip. No Such Thing as Dragons. Scholastic. (UK)


Walsh, Pat. The Crowfield Curse. Chicken House/Scholastic. (UK)

GRADES 9–12

Christopher, Lucy. Stolen. Chicken House/Scholastic. (UK/set in Australia)

de Vigan, Delphine. No and Me. Tr. by George Miller. Bloomsbury. (France)

Murray, Martine. How to Make a Bird. Author A. Levine/ Scholastic. (Australia)


Oron, Judie. Cry of the Giraffe: Based on a True Story. Annick. (Canada/set in Ethiopia)

Ward, Rachel. Numbers. Chicken House/Scholastic. (UK)

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