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**NEVER POP A
PENGUIN!**

WRITTEN BY CHRISTIE HAINSBY
ILLUSTRATED BY STUART LYNCH

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You must never pop a penguin...except in this book with fun pictures and silly rhymes! Get ready to play with your favorite winter animals and pop their bellies in and out. You'll meet polar bears, puffins, and of course...penguins!



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**MY FIRST BOOK
OF COLORS**

ILLUSTRATED BY STUART LYNCH

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What do you get when you mix the colors of the rainbow? Turn the pretty pages in this super-cool book to mix the colorful windows and find out! There's so much to discover: You'll see new colors and even hear new words.



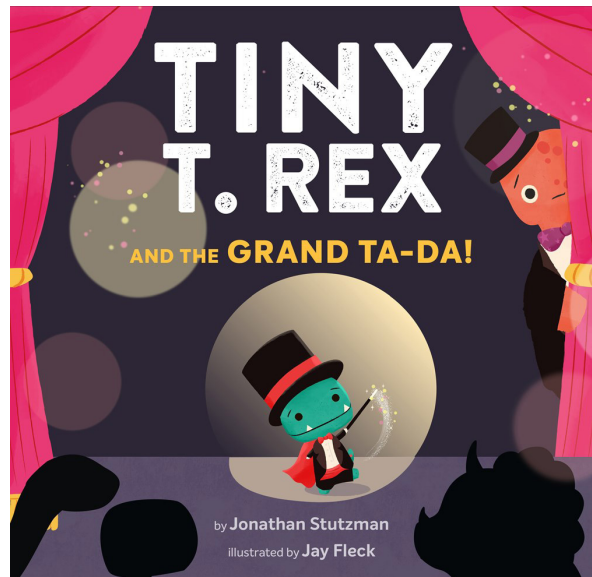
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TINY T. REX AND THE GRAND TA-DA!

WRITTEN BY JONATHAN STUTZMAN
ILLUSTRATED BY JAY FLECK

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Tiny and his friend Pointy really want to win their school's talent show. And they think they know just how to do it: They will become great magicians, just like their hero, The Amazing Presto. Together they work hard on their act, including the grandest trick of all: to make something disappear. But it isn't easy to become magicians, and just when they've mastered their skills, they face an even greater challenge—performing in front of an audience!



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GABBY'S DOLLHOUSE: SLEEPOVER PARTY

WRITTEN BY GABRIELLE REYES

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Do you know Gabby Girl from DreamWorks Gabby's Dollhouse on TV? Well, she's back in a brand-new book. Join her as she unboxes a sleeping bag and slippers just in time for a sleepover in the dollhouse. She's really excited, but her friend Pillow Cat is nervous because she's never been to a sleepover before. It's up to Gabby Girl, Pandy Paws, and Kitty Fairy to show her how fun sleepovers can be. Includes a full sheet of stickers!



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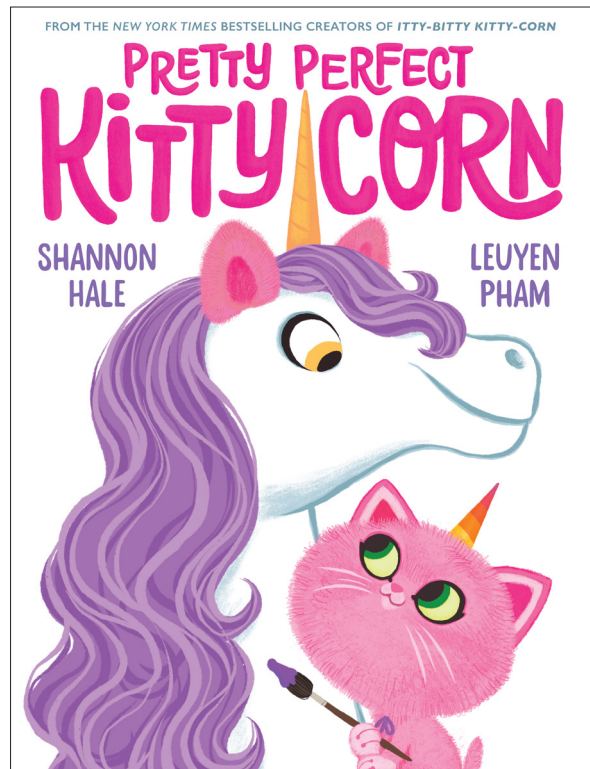
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**PRETTY PERFECT
KITTY-CORN**

WRITTEN BY SHANNON HALE
ILLUSTRATED BY LEUYEN PHAM

RECOMMENDED FOR STUDENTS IN PRE-K—GRADE 2

Unicorn is perfect. Everybody thinks so. He really wishes he could look the way everyone thinks he should. But when a fumble makes Unicorn feel like a big, ugly goof, he can't help but wonder: If he's not absolutely perfect and majestic, will Kitty even want to be his best friend anymore? This story about two adorable friends shows us that we're all lovable and unique in our own special way—even when we make mistakes.



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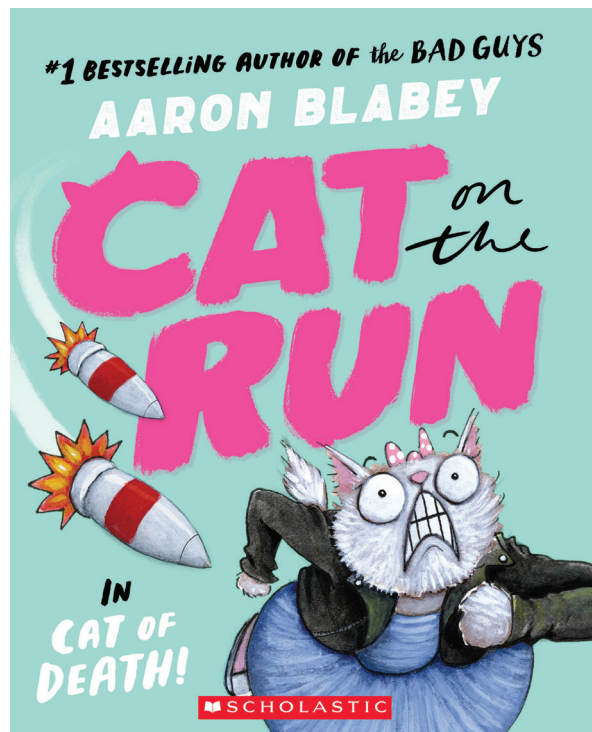
**CAT ON THE RUN
IN CAT OF DEATH!**

BY AARON BLABEY

RECOMMENDED FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 2-4

What happens when the world's biggest cat video star gets accused of a crime she didn't commit? She becomes a cat on the run. But how do you avoid capture and prove your innocence when you're the most famous feline on the planet? Well, it ain't easy. Follow Princess Beautiful as she goes from meme megastar #1 to public enemy #1 and fights to clear her name.

Is she a super villain? An internet-famous buffoon? Or a butt-kicking gal who's just been seriously underestimated? Find out in this new book from the author of The Bad Guys series.



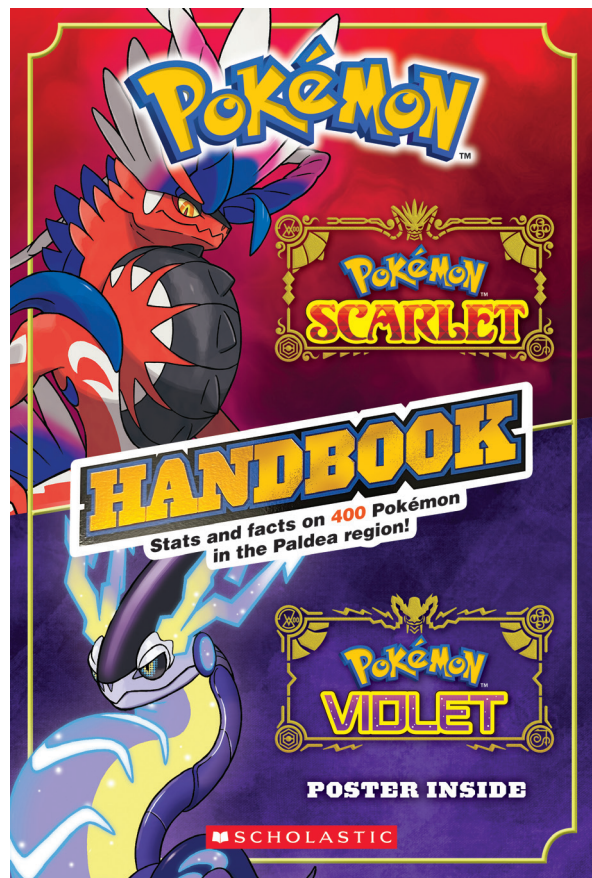
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**POKÉMON: SCARLET
& VIOLET HANDBOOK**

RECOMMENDED FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 2-5

Are you ready to meet all the Pokémon of the brand-new Paldea region from the new *Scarlet* and *Violet* video games? Every amazing Pokémon of this new generation is included in this complete handbook. Discover stats and facts about them all, from the new first partners—Sprigatito, Fuecoco, and Quaxly—to classic favorites like Pikachu. It's everything you've ever wanted to know about the Pokémon of this all-new region. Includes pull-out poster!



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ZOMBIE SEASON

BY JUSTIN WEINBERGER

RECOMMENDED FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 4+

Every summer, zombie season arrives in California. Towns evacuated. Property destroyed. Lives on the line.

Joule refuses to evacuate with her mom. She can't leave town while her dad's still missing.

Regina is proud of her scientist parents working on a weapon to fight the zombies. But when she discovers a dark underside to their new technology, she's faced with a terrifying decision she can't turn away from.

Oliver's sick of the drills. It's clear to him that the zombies are just faster and stronger than ever. But when the adults refuse to accept this scary truth, he must find a way to sound the alarm: This year's zombie season is very, very different. Something has changed, and time is running out to stop it.



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**SEARCH AND RESCUE:
PENTAGON ESCAPE**

BY ALEX LONDON

RECOMMENDED FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 4+

Twelve-year-old Mikey has special permission to visit his dad's office at the Pentagon for a school project. The tour's pretty tame—until all the TVs across the office begin showing the attacks on the Twin Towers. Like everyone, Mikey is transfixed and horrified by what he's seeing. Then, the world around him explodes.

Sage is an 18-month-old border collie and search-and-rescue dog. He's been training since he was a young pup and is eager for his first official mission. Sage is confident in his skills, perhaps even too confident. But today those skills will be put to a dire and tragic test.

Thrust together on one of the darkest days in American history, Mikey and Sage are both still young. But they'll do everything they can to help—and to survive.



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