

Juvenile Animal Fiction



Youth Services

- J/Fiction
Applegate ***The One and Only Ivan*** by Katherine Applegate 305 pages
When Ivan, a gorilla who has lived for years in a down-and-out circus-themed mall, meets Ruby, a baby elephant, he decides that he must find her a better life.
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Auch ***A Dog on His Own*** by Mary Auch 153 pages
After a daring escape from the animal shelter, Pearl, Peggy, and K-10—so named because he is one step above all the other canines—explores the outside world while moving from one adventure to another.
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Bauer ***Little Cat's Luck*** by Marion Dane Bauer 211 pages
A little cat named Patches manages to push out a window screen and leave her house, chasing a falling leaf, and sets out to find a special place to call her own.
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Coe ***Fernway & Hattie*** by Victoria J. Coe 162 pages
An excitable Jack Russell terrier named Fernway and his Favorite Short Human, Hattie, move to the suburbs and must adjust to the changes that come with their new home.
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Davies ***The Great Cat Conspiracy*** by Katie Davies 219 pages
When their naughty cat disappears while being disciplined for bringing home the head of the vicar's most expensive koi carp, three siblings suspect a kidnapping and begin investigating.
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Frost ***Diamond Willow*** by Helen Frost 111 pages
In a remote area of Alaska, twelve-year-old Willow helps her father with their sled dogs when she is not at school wishing she were more popular, all the while unaware that the animals surrounding her carry the spirits of dead ancestors & friends.
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Horvath ***Mr. and Mrs. Bunny - Detectives Extraordinaire!*** by Polly Horvath 248 pages
Madeline's parents have been kidnapped by foxes! Upon discovering that she can understand animal languages, Madeline hires two rabbit detectives to find them.
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Korman ***Zoobreak*** by Gordon Korman 230 pages
After a class trip to a floating zoo where animals are mistreated and Savannah's missing pet monkey is found in a cage, sixth-grader Griffin and his band of misfits plan a rescue.
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Martin ***Everything for a Dog*** by Ann M. Martin 211 pages
In parallel stories, Bone, an orphaned dog, finds and loses a series of homes, Molly, a family pet, helps Charlie through the grief and other after-effects of his brother's death, and lonely Henry pleads for a dog of his own.

J/Fiction Naylor	<i>Shiloh</i> by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor When he finds a lost beagle in the hills behind his West Virginia home, Marty tries to hide it from his family and the dog's real owner, a mean-spirited man known to mistreat his dogs.	137 pages
J/Fiction Paulsen	<i>Road Trip</i> by Gary Paulsen Dad and Ben haven't been getting along recently, and Dad hopes a road trip to rescue a border collie will help them reconnect. Along the way, they accumulate fellow quirky travelers, who ultimately learn from one another.	114 pages
J/Fiction Perkins	<i>Nuts to You</i> by Lynne Rae Perkins After surviving being carried off by a hawk, a young squirrel resolves to find his way home, as his best friends begin their search for him.	259 pages
J/Fiction Voigt	<i>Young Fredle</i> by Cynthia Voigt Fredle, a young mouse cast out of his home, faces dangers and predators outside, makes some important discoveries and allies, learning the meaning of freedom as he struggles to return home.	227 pages
J/Fiction Watson	<i>Stick Dog</i> by Tom Watson Introducing everyone's new best friend: Stick Dog! He'll make you laugh ... He'll make you cry ... He'll make you hungry. Follow Stick Dog as he goes on an epic quest for the perfect burger.	189 pages
J/Chapter Cronin	<i>The Chicken Squad</i> by Doreen Cronin Dirt, Sweetie, Poppy, and Sugar might be chicks, but they sure aren't chicken. They're the Chicken Squad, and it's up to them to figure out what Tail, the not-so-brave squirrel, is so afraid of. Can our feckless, fluffy heroes defeat something that could very well be -- gulp -- from out of this world?	92 pages
J/Chapter Fine	<i>The Return of the Killer Cat</i> by Anne Fine Tuffy the pet cat narrates his escapades as he attempts to escape his family's cat-sitter and suffers a humiliating episode of mistaken identity, in the sequel to <i>The Diary of a Killer Cat</i> .	74 pages
J/Chapter Griffiths	<i>The Big Fat Cow that Goes Kapow</i> by Andy Griffiths In these ten easy-to-read stories there is a mixed-up cow that says "miaow," a mole called Noel who plays rock 'n' roll in a hole, and a boy named Mike who rides a bike with a very big spike!	123 pages
J/Chapter MacLachlan	<i>White Fur Flying</i> by Patricia MacLachlan A sad and silent nine-year-old boy finds his voice when moving next door to a family that rescues dogs.	112 pages

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