

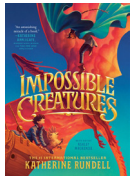


January 15, 2025

For the week ending January 12, 2025 based on sales in hundreds of independent bookstores nationwide.

CHILDREN'S

RANK EARLY & MIDDLE GRADE



1 Impossible Creatures
Katherine Rundell, Ashley Mackenzie (Illus.), Knopf Books for Young Readers, \$19.99

2 The Bletchley Riddle
Ruta Sepetys, Steve Sheinkin, Viking Books for Young Readers, \$18.99

3 The Squad: A Graphic Novel
Christina Soontorvat, Joanna Cacao (Illus.) Graphix, \$12.99



4 Warriors Graphic Novel: The Prophecies Begin #1
Erin Hunter, Natalie Riess (Illus.), Sara Goetter (Illus.), HarperAlley, \$15.99

★ **5 A Copycat Conundrum (The Misfits)**
Lisa Yee, Dan Santat (Illus.), Random House Books for Young Readers, \$14.99



6 The Millicent Quibb School of Etiquette for Young Ladies of Mad Science
Kate McKinnon, Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, \$17.99

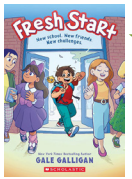
7 Super Duper Extra Deluxe Essential Handbook (Pokémon)
Scholastic, \$16.99



★ **8 Karma Is a Cat: The True Stories of Meredith Grey, Olivia Benson, and Benjamin Button Swift**
Farrin Jacobs, Katty Huertas (Illus.), Ten Speed Press, \$12.99

9 The One and Only Bob
Katherine Applegate, Patricia Castelao (Illus.), HarperCollins, \$10.99

10 The New Girl: A Graphic Novel
Cassandra Calin, Graphix, \$12.99



★ **11 Warriors: Changing Skies #1: The Elders' Quest**
Erin Hunter, HarperCollins, \$19.99

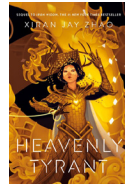
12 The Eyes and the Impossible
Dave Eggers, Shawn Harris (Illus.), Knopf Books for Young Readers, \$19.99

★ **13 Fresh Start: A Graphic Novel**
Gale Galligan, Graphix, \$14.99

14 The Last Dragon on Mars
Scott Reintgen, Aladdin, \$18.99

15 Drama: A Graphic Novel
Raina Telgemeier, Graphix, \$12.99

RANK YOUNG ADULT



1 Heavenly Tyrant
Xiran Jay Zhao, Tundra Books, \$20.99

2 Powerless
Lauren Roberts, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$19.99

★ **3 The Last Bookstore on Earth**
Lily Braun-Arnold, Delacorte Press, \$19.99



4 Iron Widow
Xiran Jay Zhao, Tundra Books, \$11.99

★ **5 Breath of the Dragon: Breathmarked**
Fonda Lee, Shannon Lee, Wednesday Books, \$21

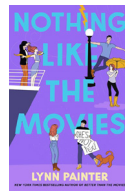
6 If He Had Been with Me
Laura Nowlin, Sourcebooks Fire, \$10.99



7 Pride and Prejudice
Jane Austen, Anna Bond (Illus.), Puffin Books, \$17

8 Better Than the Movies
Lynn Painter, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$12.99

9 The Outsiders
S. E. Hinton, Viking Books for Young Readers, \$14.99



10 Nothing Like the Movies
Lynn Painter, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$19.99

11 The Perks of Being a Wallflower
Stephen Chbosky, MTV Books, \$15.99

12 Divine Rivals
Rebecca Ross, Wednesday Books, \$18.99



13 Reckless
Lauren Roberts, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$21.99

★ **14 After Life**
Gayle Forman, Quill Tree Books, \$19.99

15 Heir
Sabaa Tahir, G.P. Putnam's Sons Books for Young Readers, \$21.99

Debut ★
Indies Introduce 

OTHER CHILDREN'S INDIE FAVORITES

AGES 8 TO 12

As You Wish

Nashae Jones, Aladdin, \$17.99

"Birdie's plans to get a boyfriend as an eighth grader go awry when a mythological West African god Anansi appears and grants a series of wishes. A sweet middle grade romance with a fun twist!"
—Beth Seuffer Buss, Bookmarks, Winston-Salem, NC



TEEN READERS

Mystery Royale

Kaitlyn Cavalancia, Disney Hyperion, \$18.99 

"This novel reads like a complex puzzle game with a touch of romance and lots of family drama! Readers will be swept up in this magical illusionary world."

—Kristine Jelstrom-Hamill, Buttonwood Books and Toys, Cohasset, MA

