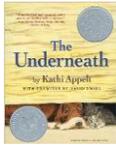




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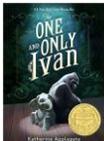
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Ten Animal Stories Older Reader



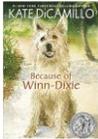
"The Underneath"
By Kathi Appelt
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A cat, about to have kittens, and a dog become friends, bound to the "underneath" of the porch in order to stay safe. But when one of the new kittens becomes curious, danger will ensue.



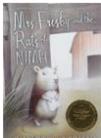
"The One and Only Ivan"
By Katherine Applegate
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Inspired by the story of a real gorilla, Ivan is used to his glass enclosure and being watched. But when a baby elephant comes, he has to rethink the situation.



"Because of Winn-Dixie"
By Kate DiCamillo
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Opal heads to the Winn-Dixie market and is followed home by a dog. With the help of her new dog, she is able to make friends and face fears.



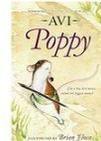
"Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH"
By Robert O'Brien
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Mrs. Frisby, a widowed mouse, needs to move her family as quickly as possible. But her youngest child is ill and cannot be moved. Upon encountering the rats of NIMH her problem may be solved though.



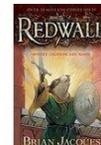
"Black Beauty"
By Anna Sewall
J FIC SEW

Have you ever thought about what it would be like to be a horse? *Black Beauty* is told from the perspective of a horse and the reader discovers that some owners are nicer than others in this portrait of humanity.



"Tales from Dimwood Forest" series
By Avi
J FIC AVI (Series) / J-CD BOOK AVI

Poppy and Ereth work together to stop a terrifying owl, Mr. Ocax, and become the best of friends from then on. Join them in the continuation of their adventures in Dimwood Forest.



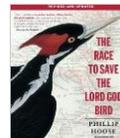
"Redwall" series
By Brian Jacques
J FIC JAC (Series)

The mice of Redwall are peaceful, but what will happen when Cluny the Scourge and his battle-hardened rats attack?



"Super Bug Encyclopedia"
By John Woodward
J 595.7 WOO

With the aid of macro photography, take a magnified look at the most amazing insects on the planet. Chock-full of information about each bug.



"The Race to Save the Lord God Bird"
By Phillip Hoose
J 598.72 HOO

Hoose tells the tale of the Ivory-billed Woodpecker, thought to be extinct after years of being killed and sold. He outlines the conservation efforts that saved it once it was discovered to still be in existence.



"Eyewitness Books" series
By Various Authors
J non-fiction

Take an in depth look at over 100 topics with this series, including some about animals! This is the series for the reader who wants just facts. Full-color photographs line the pages.