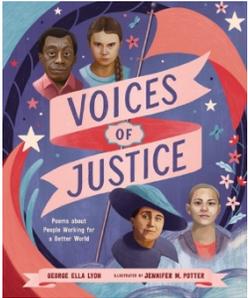
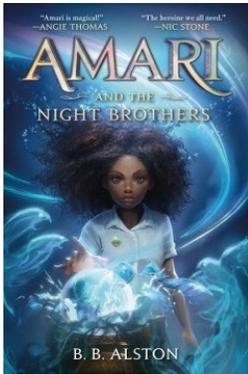
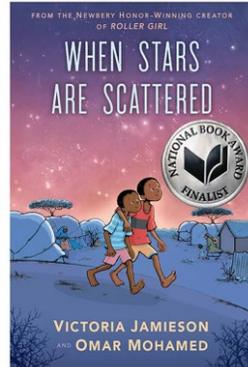
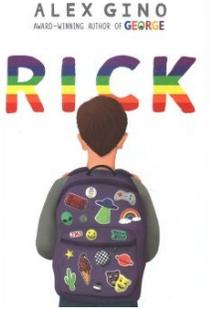
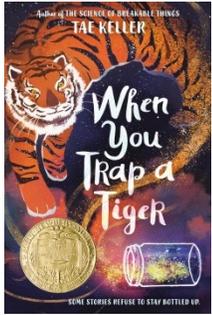


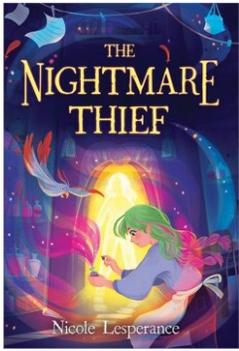
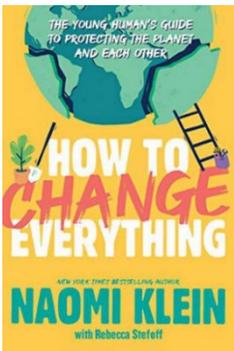
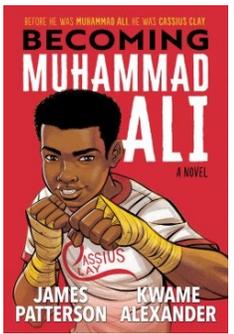
Expect great things.



# 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade Summer Reading List

Book	Title, Author, Summary	Where can I find it?
	<p><b><i>Voices of Justice</i></b> Lyon, George Ella In the face of injustice, the world has always looked to brave individuals to speak up and spark change. Nelson Mandela used his voice to bring down Apartheid. Jane Goodall, Dian Fossey, and Birutė Galdikas gave a voice to the primates who couldn't speak for themselves. The Women of Greenham Common used their collective voice to fight against preparations for nuclear war. And today's youth—like Xiuhtezcatl Martinez, the students of Stoneman Douglas High School, and Greta Thunberg—unite their voices to stop gun violence, save the planet, and so much more.</p>	<p>Print only.</p>
	<p><b><i>Amari and the Night Brothers</i></b> Alston, B.B. Amari Peters has never stopped believing her missing brother, Quinton, is alive. Not even when the police told her otherwise, or when she got in trouble for standing up to bullies who said he was gone for good. So, when she finds a ticking briefcase in his closet, containing a nomination for a summer tryout at the Bureau of Supernatural Affairs, she's certain the secretive organization holds the key to locating Quinton—if only she can wrap her head around the idea of magicians, fairies, aliens, and other supernatural creatures all being real. Now she must compete for a spot against kids who've known about magic their whole lives. No matter how hard she tries, Amari can't seem to escape their intense doubt and scrutiny.</p>	<p>SORA as eBook: <a href="https://soraapp.com/library/aca/search/query-amari%20and%20the%20night%20brothers/libraries-340188,88/page-1/88/5416984">https://soraapp.com/library/aca/search/query-amari%20and%20the%20night%20brothers/libraries-340188,88/page-1/88/5416984</a> Audiobook: <a href="https://soraapp.com/library/aca/search/query-amari%20and%20the%20night%20brothers/libraries-340188,88/page-1/88/5431620">https://soraapp.com/library/aca/search/query-amari%20and%20the%20night%20brothers/libraries-340188,88/page-1/88/5431620</a></p>
	<p><b><i>When Stars Are Scattered</i></b> Jamieson, Victoria and Omar Mohamed Omar and his younger brother, Hassan, have spent most of their lives in Dadaab, a refugee camp in Kenya. Life is hard there: never enough food, achingly dull, and without access to the medical care Omar knows his nonverbal brother needs. So, when Omar has the opportunity to go to school, he knows it might be a chance to change their future . . . but it would also mean leaving his brother, the only family member he has left, every day.</p>	<p>SORA as eBook: <a href="https://soraapp.com/library/aca/search/query-when%20stars%20are%20scattered/libraries-340188,88/page-1/88/4849352">https://soraapp.com/library/aca/search/query-when%20stars%20are%20scattered/libraries-340188,88/page-1/88/4849352</a> Audiobook: <a href="https://soraapp.com/library/aca/search/query-when%20stars%20are%20scattered/libraries-340188,88/page-1/88/4848114">https://soraapp.com/library/aca/search/query-when%20stars%20are%20scattered/libraries-340188,88/page-1/88/4848114</a></p>

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	<p><b>Stand Up, Yumi Chung!</b> Kim, Jessica</p> <p>On the outside, Yumi Chung suffers from #shygirlproblems, a perm-gone-wrong, and kids calling her "Yu-MEAT" because she smells like her family's Korean barbecue restaurant. On the inside, Yumi is ready for her Netflix stand-up special. Her notebook is filled with mortifying memories that she's reworked into comedy gold. All she needs is a stage and courage.</p> <p>Instead of spending the summer studying her favorite YouTube comedians, Yumi is enrolled in test-prep tutoring to qualify for a private school scholarship, which will help in a time of hardship at the restaurant. One day after class, Yumi stumbles on an opportunity that will change her life: a comedy camp for kids taught by one of her favorite YouTube stars. The only problem is that the instructor and all the students think she's a girl named Kay Nakamura--and Yumi doesn't correct them.</p>	<p>Sora as eBook: <a href="https://soraapp.com/library/aca/search/query-stand%20up%20yumi/libraries-340188.88/page-1/88/4815935">https://soraapp.com/library/aca/search/query-stand%20up%20yumi/libraries-340188.88/page-1/88/4815935</a></p>
	<p><b>Twins</b> Johnson, Varian</p> <p>Maureen and Francine Carter are twins and best friends. They participate in the same clubs, enjoy the same foods, and are partners on all their school projects. But just before the girls start sixth grade, Francine becomes Fran -- a girl who wants to join the chorus, run for class president, and dress in fashionable outfits that set her apart from Maureen. A girl who seems happy to share only two classes with her sister. Maureen and Francine are growing apart and there's nothing Maureen can do to stop it. Are sisters really forever? Or will middle school change things for good?</p>	<p>Print only.</p>
	<p><b>Rick</b> Gino, Alex</p> <p>Rick's never questioned much. He's gone along with his best friend Jeff even when Jeff's acted like a bully and a jerk. He's let his father joke with him about which hot girls he might want to date even though that kind of talk always makes him uncomfortable. And he hasn't given his own identity much thought because everyone else around him seemed to have figured it out. But now Rick's gotten to middle school, and new doors are opening. One of them leads to the school's Rainbow Spectrum club, where kids of many genders and identities congregate, including Melissa, the girl who sits in front of Rick in class and seems to have her life together. Rick wants his own life to be that . . . understood. Even if it means breaking some old friendships and making some new ones.</p>	<p>HOOPLA Audiobook <a href="https://www.hoopladigital.com/title/12580928">https://www.hoopladigital.com/title/12580928</a> SORA Audiobook <a href="https://www.hoopladigital.com/title/12580928">https://www.hoopladigital.com/title/12580928</a></p>
	<p><b>When You Trap a Tiger</b> Keller, Tae</p> <p>When Lily and her family move in with her sick grandmother, a magical tiger straight out of her halmoni's Korean folktales arrives, prompting Lily to unravel a secret family history. Long, long ago, Halmoni stole something from the tigers. Now they want it back. And when one of the tigers approaches Lily with a deal--return what her grandmother stole in exchange for Halmoni's health--Lily is tempted to agree. But deals with tigers are never what they seem With the help of her sister and her new friend Ricky, Lily must find her voice...and the courage to face a tiger.</p>	<p>SORA eBook <a href="https://soraapp.com/library/aca/search/query-when%20you%20trap%20a%20tiger/libraries-340188.88/page-1/88/4866958">https://soraapp.com/library/aca/search/query-when%20you%20trap%20a%20tiger/libraries-340188.88/page-1/88/4866958</a></p>

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	<p><b><i>The Nightmare Thief</i></b>  Lesperance, Nicole and Federica Fenna  Part 1 of the <i>Nightmare Thief</i> series  Maren Partridge loves working in her family's dream shop where she can hand-craft any dream imaginable. The shop has only one rule. Dreams cannot be given to a person without their consent. Maren has no problem with this -- until her sister, Hallie, has an accident that leaves her in a coma. Maren's certain she can cure Hallie with a few well-chosen dreams. And when no one is watching, she slips her a flying dream. But a strange new customer from the shop has been following Maren and knows what she did. Now she's laid the perfect trap to blackmail Maren into creating custom nightmares for a dark and terrible purpose.</p>	<p><a href="https://www.hoopladigital.com/title/13649826">https://www.hoopladigital.com/title/13649826</a> (eBook)</p>
	<p><b><i>How to Change Everything</i></b>  Klein, Naomi  Warmer temperatures. Fires in the Amazon. Superstorms. These are just some of the effects of climate change that we are already experiencing. The good news is that we can all do something about it. A movement is already underway to combat not only the environmental effects of climate change but also to fight for climate justice and make a fair and livable future possible for everyone. And young people are not just part of that movement, they are leading the way. They are showing us that this moment of danger is also a moment of great opportunity — an opportunity to change everything.</p>	<p>Print only</p>
	<p><b><i>Becoming Muhammad Ali</i></b>  Patterson, James and Kwame Alexander  A depiction of the childhood of Muhammed Ali up to age 17—showing his struggles, his friendships, and how he discovered the boxing that would turn him into a household name.</p>	<p>SORA Audiobook  <a href="https://soraapp.com/library/aca/search/query-becoming%20muhammad%20ali/libraries-340188,88/page-1/88/5545854">https://soraapp.com/library/aca/search/query-becoming%20muhammad%20ali/libraries-340188,88/page-1/88/5545854</a></p>

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