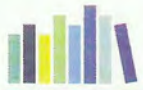


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Transform Your Literacy Curriculum





Are All of Your Students Developing as Readers?

Successful reading habits are the most predictive trait to achieving overall desirable life outcomes (Bayless, 2010). **Scholastic Literacy Pro** is a powerful, research-based program that combines actionable assessment with a personalized and motivating reading experience. **Literacy Pro** makes it **easier to target instruction** and ensure that students are reading the right books to **maximize their reading growth** and **academic achievement**.

“**Literacy Pro** is exciting. We have noticed a great improvement as well as an interest in reading.”

Maureen Wynecki, Head Librarian,
Braeburn Garden Estate School,
Nairobi, Kenya



How Literacy Pro Promotes Reading Success

Literacy Pro provides seamless, flexible support for the areas in your curriculum that are crucial for reading success:



ASSESSMENT & PROGRESS MONITORING

Accurately measure reading comprehension against relevant proficiency benchmarks



INSTRUCTIONAL PLANNING

Data-driven reports inform differentiated teaching and progress towards academic goals



INDEPENDENT READING

Automatically match every child to relevant books they can and will want to read



SCHOOL-TO-HOME CONNECTION

Create a reading culture in the community



Fast, Accurate, & Easy to Implement

Literacy Pro begins with a quick online assessment to measure reading comprehension. Educators love the LitPro Test because it is easy to use, generates accurate reading performance data for every child, and saves valuable instructional time.

Sara Jones

Animals live in every part of a pond. Clams live in the mud. Fish swim in the water. Insects walk on top of the water. Birds build nests in the plants. Turtles crawl on shore. Frogs hop on lily pads.

The pond is their _____.

- A prize
- B name
- C job
- D home

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Students read short passages and answer related multiple choice questions.

Sara Jones

Writing poetry all starts with paying attention. If you are serious about writing poetry, you need to slow down and observe. Only when you pay attention to the world around you will you be able to capture in words what you see, hear, and feel. If you have a notebook handy, you'll be able to jot down some words or maybe even a quick draft of a poem.

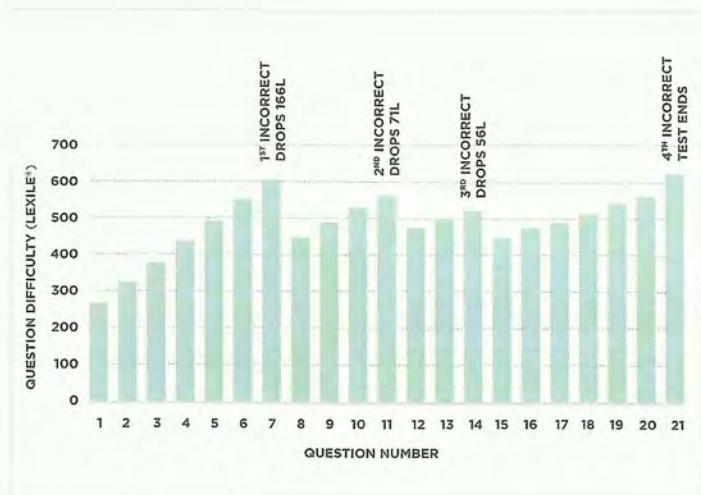
Poetry requires some _____.

- A perception
- B translating
- C publishing
- D speculation

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The computer-adaptive test saves time because test takers are not presented with questions that are far above or below their ability.



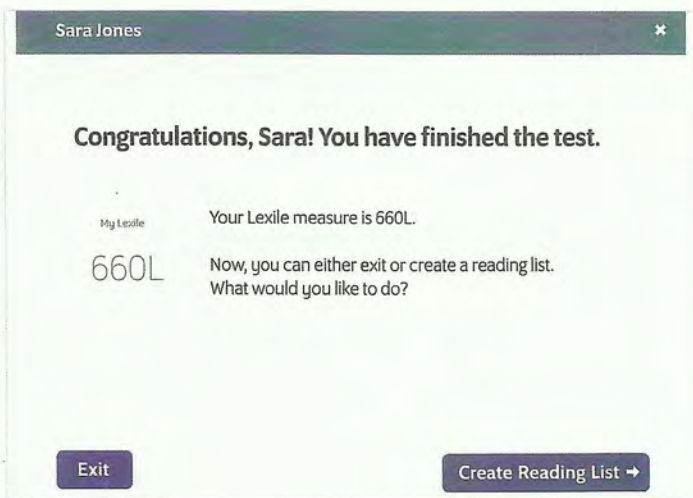
What is Item-Level Adaptivity?

The LitPro Test adjusts a question's difficulty based on whether the previous question was answered correctly or incorrectly. This accurately identifies a student's Lexile measure and targeted reading range. With thousands of test questions, every student will have a unique testing experience.

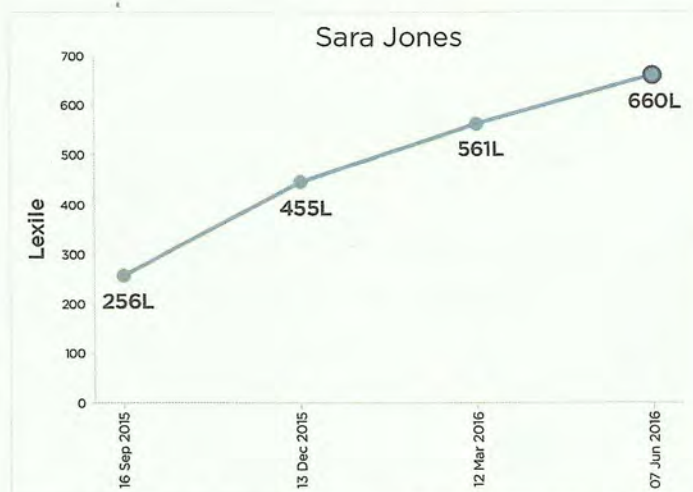
“ **Scholastic Literacy Pro** is a proven program that provides item-level adaptive assessment and personalized book lists to maximize student reading achievement. ”



Malbert Smith III, Ph.D.
President and Co-Founder of MetaMetrics, creators of the Lexile® Framework for Reading



Students discover their Lexile level after completing the LitPro Test.



Over time, the Lexile data demonstrates amount of reading growth.

Scientific and Research-Based

Scholastic Literacy Pro is powered by the Lexile® Framework for Reading.

A Lexile (L) is a unit of measurement. It measures the two key components of reading comprehension on the same scale:

- (1) **Students' reading comprehension level**
Assessed by the LitPro Test
- (2) **Text complexity**
Determined by computer analysis of its semantics and syntax

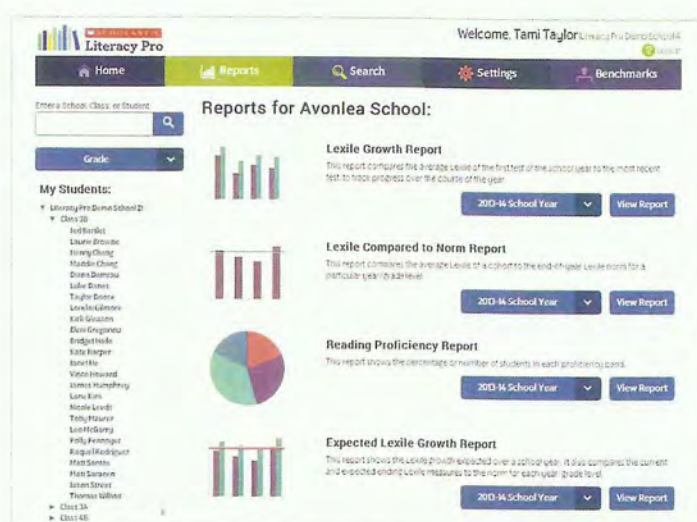
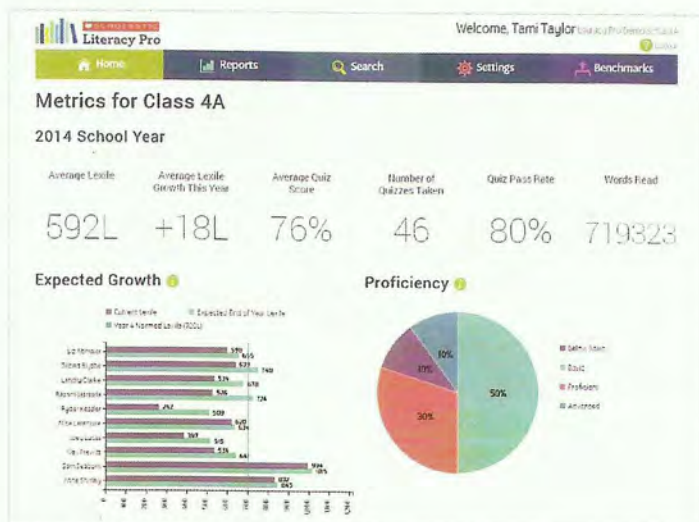
Research shows that a student's reading comprehension skills improve when their Lexile and the Lexile of the texts they choose to read are in the same range.

The Lexile Framework for Reading is the result of over three decades of research by MetaMetrics .



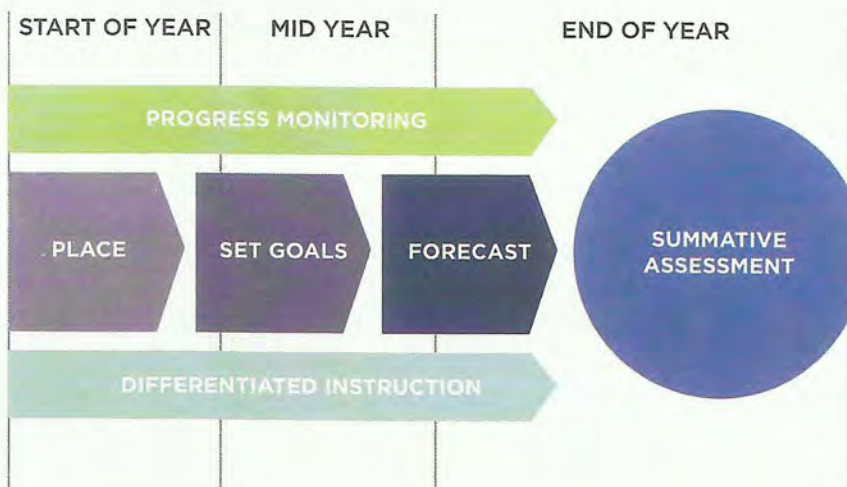
Target Instruction to Accelerate Achievement

Literacy Pro provides unparalleled access to actionable, relevant data. Administrators and teachers can easily generate reports from their personal dashboards to differentiate instruction, forecast performance goals, and measure curriculum effectiveness.



- Quick access to key performance data
- Customize proficiency benchmarks to global or national standards

- Reports are consolidated at the school, grade/year, class, and student level
- Monitor & analyze expected growth over the year



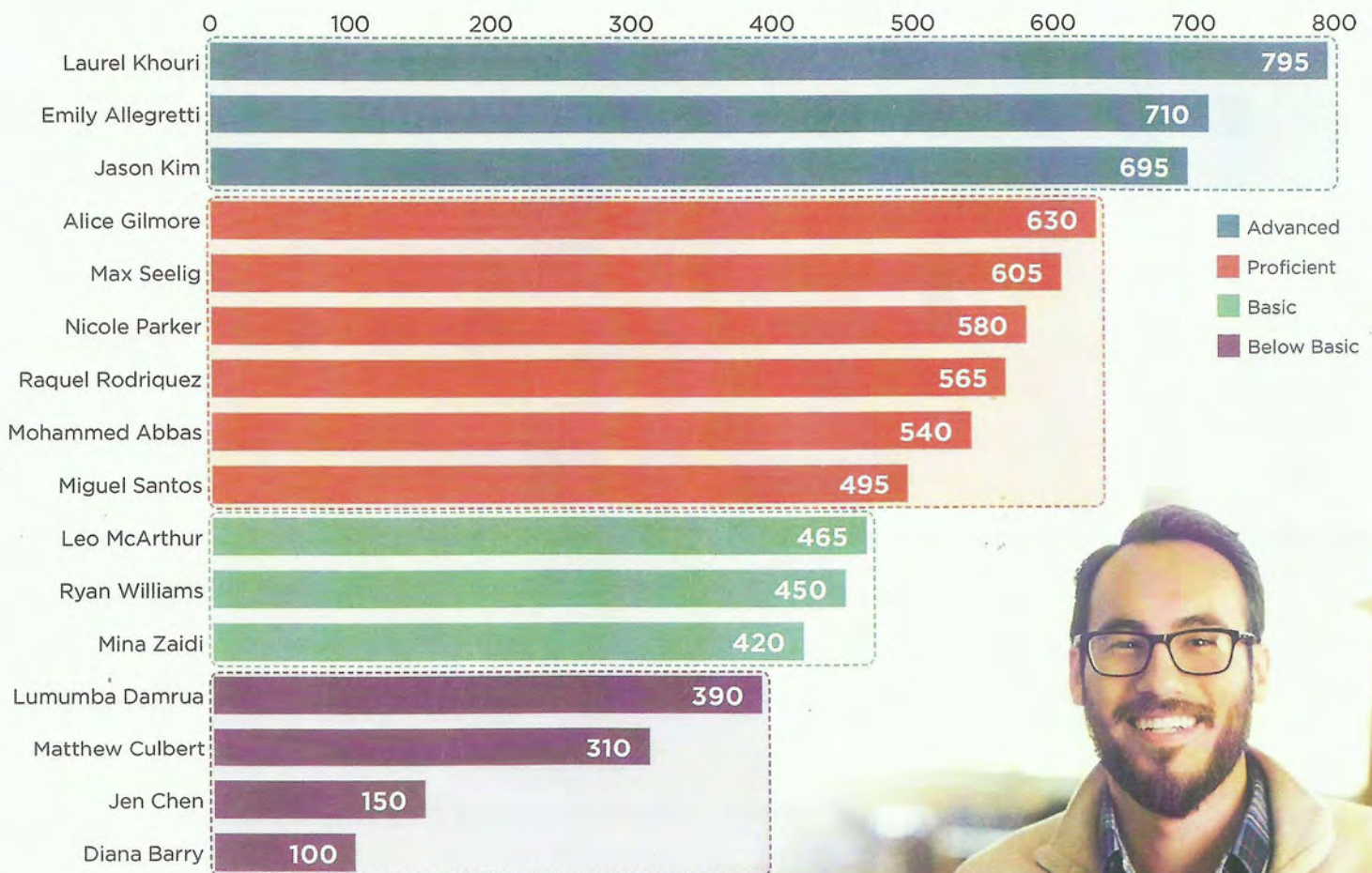
Recommended Testing Schedule

The LitPro Test should be taken 3-5 times per year. First, as a universal screener and placement tool; then, to monitor progress and analyze growth; and finally, as a measure of summative assessment performance.

“The LitPro Test was easy for my students to complete and the results were tremendously helpful for my planning and instruction.”

Ms. Jenny, Manor Hall International School, Al Ain, UAE

Teachers use the data to group their students according to reading ability to provide targeted instruction.



This data can be used to:

- Determine if the instruction is having the desired impact
- Identify students who need help or can be challenged further





INDEPENDENT READING

Motivate Every Student to Become a Reader

Literacy Pro delivers a motivating and accountable reading experience for every child. Personalized reading lists and incentives create an irresistible momentum for independent reading.

Choose up to three reading interests:

Cancel Update My Reading List →

Students identify their reading interests to inform a personalized list of books they will want to read.

Here are some great books to read! Print

What's New **Recommended** Fast Finds

Alice in Wonderland
Lewis Carroll
Lexile: 860L
Word Count: 25,425
One summer day, young Alice is sitting on the riverbank with her sister when a big white rabbit runs past. "Oh dear! Oh dear! I shall be too late," the rabbit says, taking a look at his watch. Then he pops down a large rabbit hole, and Alice can't help but follow him.

Take the Quiz

Captain Underpants and the Preposterous Plight of the Purple Potty People
Dav Pilkey

Reading lists are generated based on a student's Lexile level, interests, and age.

Hi, Sara
This is the quiz for *Alice in Wonderland*

1. While the Hatter was giving his testimony at the trial, Alice

- A** began growing larger.
- B** called him a liar.
- C** ate some peaches.
- D** tried to tie the Mouse's tail into a knot.

Students select a book to read and then complete a short quiz to measure their understanding.

How Targeted Reading Develops Literacy Skills

When children read within their targeted range, defined by MetaMetrics as 100 Lexiles below and 50 Lexiles above their Lexile measure, they comprehend 75% of what they are reading. That's enough to understand the text and not feel frustrated while also acquiring new vocabulary and reading skills in the process.

“ We love that children can read at their own level and choose books of their own interest. It’s an interactive program that motivates them. ”

Melissa Vazquez and **Adrienne Ramos**,
Dorado Academy, Dorado, Puerto Rico

Students are actively involved in tracking their achievements which are recognized and celebrated regularly.

The screenshot shows the Literacy Pro dashboard for a student named Sara Jones. At the top, it says "Welcome, Sara" and "Avonlea School". The dashboard includes a navigation bar with "Home", "Search", "My Results", and "LitPro Test". Below this, a summary table displays the following information:

My Lexile	Certificate Level	Quizzes Passed	Words Read	Average Quiz Score
660L	★ Gold	26	1315620	78%

Below the table, there is a section for "My reading interests" with icons for Biographies, Mystery, and History, and an "Edit Reading Interests" button. At the bottom, there is a section titled "Here are some great books to read!" with a "Recommended" tab selected. A book titled "The False Prince" by Jennifer Nielsen is featured with a Lexile of 710L.

Student dashboards provide up-to-the minute information on reading performance and progress.

They earn points towards award certificates when they pass a quiz, motivating them to keep reading.

The certificate is framed in red and features the Scholastic logo at the top. The main heading reads "Congratulations!". Below this, a gold star icon is next to the word "Gold". The text states: "This certificate is awarded to: Sara Jones". At the bottom, there are lines for "Teacher's Signature" and "Date". The Scholastic Literacy Pro logo is at the very bottom.



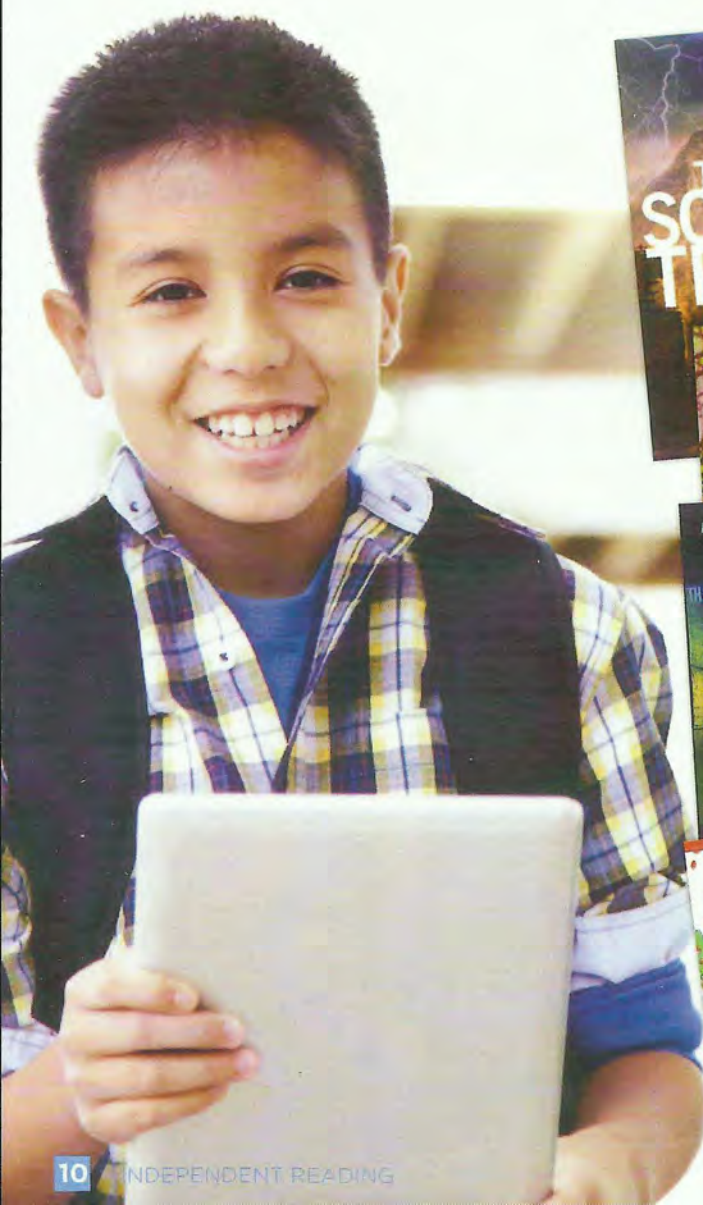


INDEPENDENT READING

Strengthen Skills with Interactive, Leveled ebooks

Literacy Pro Library is a corresponding ebook program that provides an engaging and supportive independent reading experience for students of all ages and ability levels.

It includes unlimited access to 835+ high-quality fiction and nonfiction ebooks ranging from Beginning Reader to 1200L, and are titles that children want to read, like *Maze Runner*, *Goosebumps*, and *Discover More*.



“Literacy Pro and Literacy Pro Library provide teachers with evidence-based data so we can make the best teaching & learning decisions to develop our students into successful, proficient readers.”

Leticia Becerril, Colegio Cuernavaca, Mexico

Support independent reading development with interactive, embedded tools that create a customized environment for every child.

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- **Clickable vocabulary** definitions have audio and pictorial support
- **Curated book collections** to quickly find books in the same genre or series

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The Milky Way's Neighborhood

The Milky Way is not alone in our part of the universe. Scientists call the Milky Way, and the galaxies nearby, the Local Group. There are dozens of galaxies in the Local Group. One of them is the Andromeda galaxy. It is the same size as the Milky Way, and is one of our closest neighbors. The Andromeda galaxy is about 2.5 million light-years away from Earth.

There are two galaxies that are much closer to the Milky Way than the Andromeda galaxy. They are called the Large Magellanic Cloud and the Small Magellanic Cloud.

A view of the Milky Way from the Southern Hemisphere

The Large Magellanic Cloud

The Magellanic Clouds are named after Ferdinand Magellan, the first sailor to travel all the way around Earth.

The Large Magellanic Cloud is about 170,000 light-years away from the Milky Way. The Small Magellanic Cloud is 200,000 light-years away. Below the equator, in the Southern Hemisphere, these galaxies can be seen in the sky. They look like puffs of clouds among the stars.

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- **Audio recorder** to practice fluency and pronunciation
- **Messaging feature** captures thoughts and questions as they're reading
- **Detailed search filters** help students and teachers find the right books

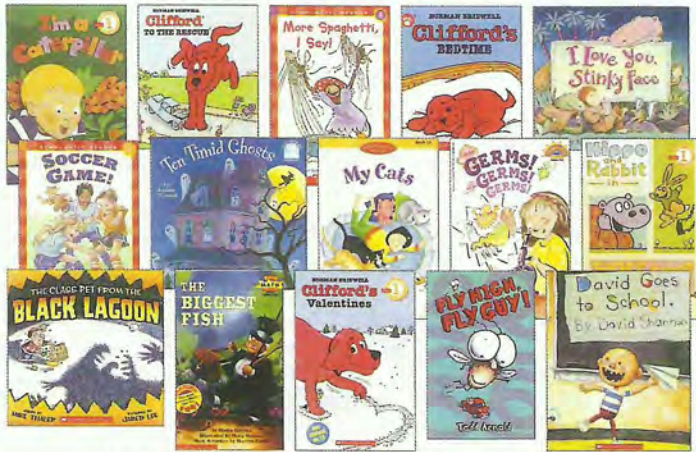


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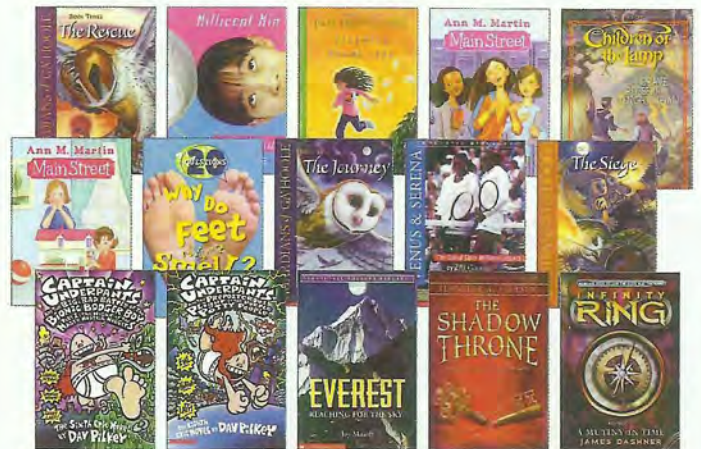
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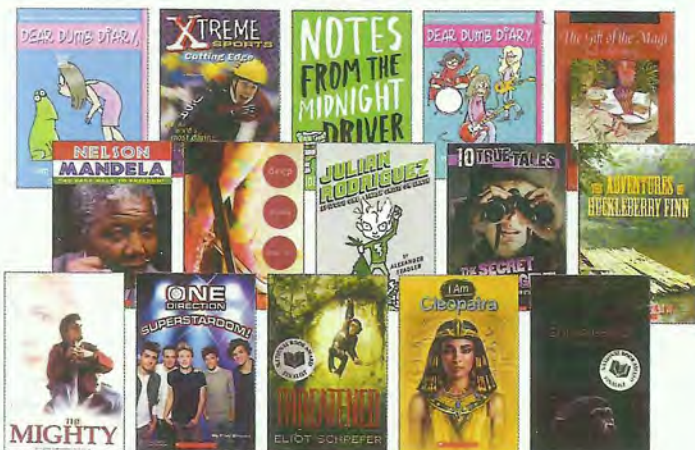
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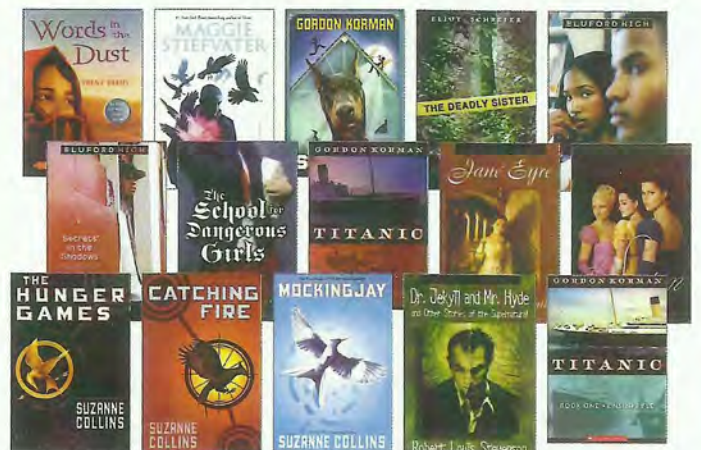
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