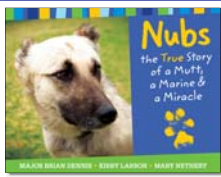


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In the tradition of Owen & Mzee, a true story of a marine and the miraculously loyal dog he befriends in Iraq. Although this story is set against a wartime backdrop, it focuses on the incredible bond between Major Dennis and his friend Nubs.



The Unusual Mind of Vincent Shadow

Tim Kehoe, Illustrated by Guy Travis and Mike Wohnoutka
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Vincent Shadow isn't particularly good at sports; he doesn't have a lot of friends; and he is constantly being picked on by his classmates at Central Middle School. But it is Vincent's unusually creative mastermind that truly separates him from other kids his age.



Cirque Du Freak Collection Vol. 1-3 (Media tie-in)

Darren Shan
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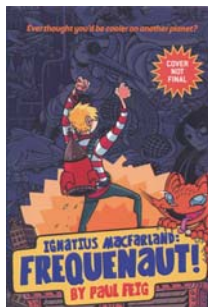
Coming to theaters starting January 2010 and starring Salma Hayek, William Defoe, and John C. Reilly. A bind-up of the first three novels in the *New York Times* bestselling series. A young boy visits a mysterious freak show that leads him on a journey into the dark world of vampires. Filled with grotesque creatures, murderous vampires, and a petrifying ending, CIRQUE DU FREAK will chill, thrill, and leave readers begging for more. Movie tie-in cover to come.



Gossip Girl: I Will Always Love You

Cecily von Ziegesar
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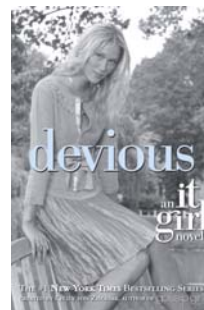
Nate, Dan, Chuck, Serena, and Blair are all back from college for a holiday break in the city. Has college changed anyone? What kind of hookups and breakups were going on while our favorite BFFs were apart... and what will happen now that they're together again for the first time since the end of the original series? Not to fear, Gossip Girl will be there to dish all. International B-Format.



Ignatius MacFarland

Paul Feig
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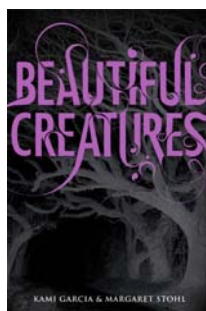
From the creator of 'Freaks and Geeks,' this novel which combines science fiction, adventure, and humor as well as the 'geek' theme has sure-fire boy appeal.



It Girl # 9

Cecily von Ziegesar
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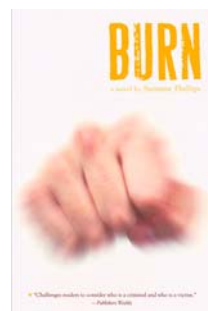
The ninth engrossing novel in the #1 bestselling *It Girl* series. Popular *Gossip Girl* character Jenny Humphrey never goes looking for trouble; but trouble always seems to find her. What Waverly Academy mischief will Jenny, Tinsley, and Callie stir up now?



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Kami Garcia and Margaret Stohl
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A gripping paranormal romance set against the gothic backdrop of an isolated southern town, in the tradition of Stephenie Meyer and Libba Bray. Ethan Wate, who has been counting the months until he can escape from his town of Gatlin, is haunted by dreams of a beautiful girl he has never met. When that girl moves into the town's oldest and most infamous plantation, Ethan is inexplicably drawn to her and determined to uncover the connection between them.



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Julie Anne Peters
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In this hilarious middle grade reissue by acclaimed author Julie Anne Peters, the Snob Squad discovers that revenge is sweet - or is it? Julie Anne Peters is the critically acclaimed author of *Keeping You a Secret*, *Between Mom and Jo*, *Far from Xanadu*, *Define "Normal,"* and *Luna*, a National Book Award Finalist.