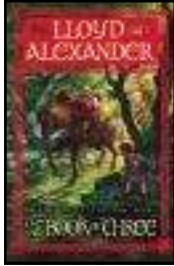


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INTO THE LAND OF UNICORNS

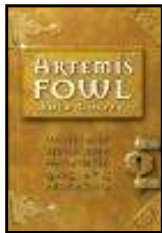
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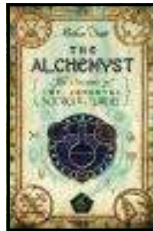
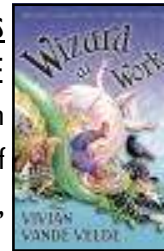
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MAGYK

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Septimus Heap, the seventh son of a wizard, is destined to have extraordinary magical powers — unfortunately he dies at birth. Fortunately, on the same day, his father finds a baby girl abandoned in the snow and takes her into his home, where she is named Jenna and raised as a member of the family. Ten years later, questions remain. Did Septimus really perish? And what is Jenna's true identity?

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GREGOR THE OVERLANDER

By Suzanne Collins J COLLI

When Gregor falls through a grate in his apartment building, he hurtles into the dark Underland, where spiders, rats, and cockroaches coexist uneasily with humans. This world is on the brink of war and Gregor's arrival is no accident. *First in a Series*



THE MAGIC THIEF

by Sarah Prineas J PRINE

When Conn picks the pocket of the Nevery the Wizard and the magic stone that he steals doesn't kill him, Nevery is curious about the boy and decides to take him on as a servant so he can study him further. And when Conn shows a mysterious affinity for magic, Nevery promotes him to apprentice and together they try to discover why all the magic is disappearing from the city. *First in a Series*

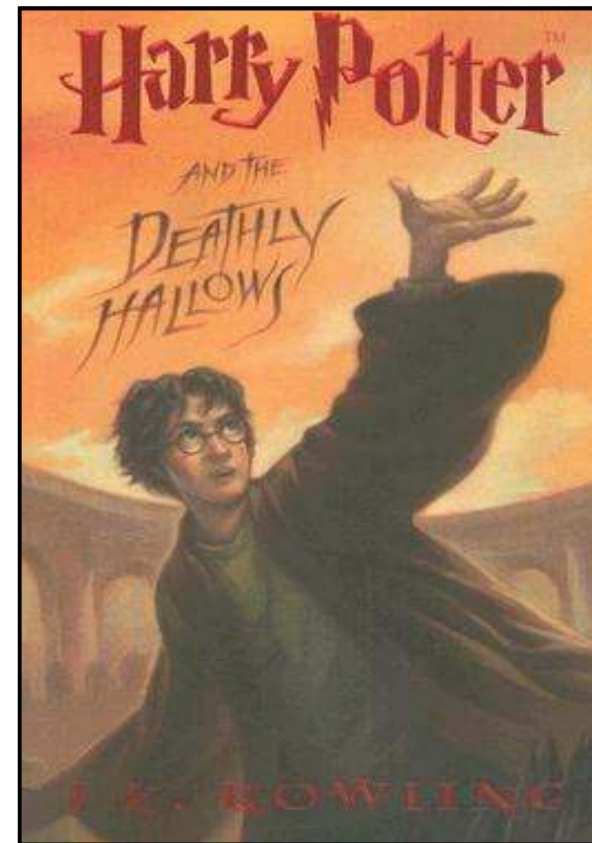
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By Jenny Nimmo J NIMMO

Charlie Bone's life with his widowed mother and two grandmothers undergoes a dramatic change when he discovers that he can hear people talking in photographs. *First in a Series*



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