



## Picture books

***Aliens love Dinopants*** by Claire Freedman

When a group of aliens crash-lands in the jungle, they stumble across the biggest stash of underpants ever, but the oversized owners of the underwear won't let them go without a fight.

JE Freedman

***Alistar in Outer Space*** by Marilyn Sadler

Alistar is kidnapped by a spaceship full of Goots from Gootula.

JE Sadler

***Baloney, Henry P*** by Jon Scieszka

A transmission received from outer space in a combination of different Earth languages tells of an alien schoolboy's fantastic excuse for being late to school again.

JE Scieszka

***Bebe's Bad Dream*** by Brian Karas

Despite her mother's reassurances, a young girl is convinced that aliens are coming to eat her, until she decides to trick them into taking her brother instead.

JE Karas

***Beep! Beep! Go to Sleep!*** By Todd Tarpley

Three reluctant robots fight off sleep while their young caretaker does his best to get them to calm down.

JE Tarpley

***Boy and Bot*** by Ame Dyckman

A boy and a robot strike up a friendship despite their differences

JE Dyckman

***Clink*** by Kelly DiPucchio

While newer, fancier robots are quickly purchased, Clink, an old-fashioned robot who can only make toast and music, gathers dust and feels downhearted until a young boy enters the shop looking for something special.

JE DiPucchio

***Earthlets, as Explained by Professor Xargle*** by Jeanne Willis

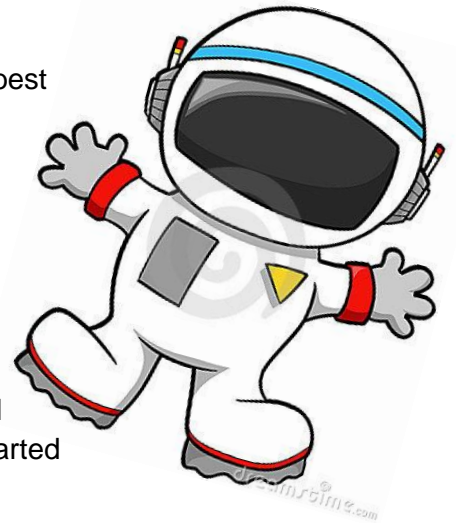
Part of the "Professor Xargle" series. Professor Xargle's class of extraterrestrials learns about the physical characteristics of the human body.

JE Willis

***I want to be an Astronaut*** by Byron Barton

A young child thinks about what it would be like to be an astronaut and go out on a mission into space.

JE Barton



***Interstellar Cinderella*** by Deborah Underwood

In this outer space adaptation of the fairy tale in rhyme, Cinderella dreams of becoming a spaceship mechanic.

JE Underwood

***Life on Mars*** by Jon Agee

A young astronaut is trying to find life on Mars, but he's made a very big oversight.

JE Agee

***Nuts in Space*** by Elys Dolan

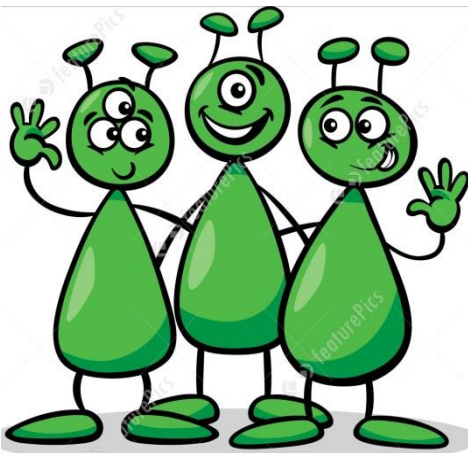
An elite crew has finally found the Lost Nuts of Legend. But will they get home before something happens to the nuts?

JE Dolan

***Robo-Sauce*** by Adam Rubin

A special sauce turns a boy into a robot, and he then transforms everyone and everything into robots, including the book.

JE Rubin



***Star Wars 1, 2, 3***

A numerical exploration of a galaxy far, far away, *Star Wars: 123* uses Star Wars' most popular heroes, villains, vehicles, droids, and aliens to teach fundamental counting skills.

J TV TIE-IN STAR WARS

***The Three Little Aliens and the Big Bad Robot*** by Margaret McNamara

Three aliens set off to find a new planet for themselves but soon Bork and Gork have forgotten all of their mother's good advice and only Nklxwcyz builds a home safe enough to withstand the Big Bad Robot.

JE McNamara

***Time for (Earth) School, Dewey Dew*** by Leslie Staub

Click-Clack Waddle Dot Dewey Dew from Planet Eight Hundred Seventy-Two Point Nine does not want to go to school--not on his planet, and definitely not on Planet Earth at Mrs. Brightsun's School for Little Learners. Everything on Earth is different. In this first day of school story with a twist, nervous Dewey Dew learns that new experiences--like going to school on another planet--might be okay after all

JE Staub

***You Can't eat a Princess*** by Gillian Rogerson

*Princess Spaghetti* blasts off into space to save her kidnapped father, King Cupcake, from hungry aliens, who are introduced to a wonderful new food: chocolate.

JE Rogerson

***Your Alien*** by Tammi Sauer

When a little boy meets a stranded alien child, the two quickly become friends, but at bedtime, the alien suddenly grows very sad, and the boy tries to figure out what his new friend needs to be happy again  
JE Sauer

## **Easy Readers**

***Adventures of BB-8*** by David Fentiman

Follows the adventures of the astromech droid BB-8 as it gets caught up in the battle to save the galaxy.

Level: **N**

J TV TIE-IN Star Wars

***Aliens for Breakfast*** by Jonathan Etra

Finding an intergalactic special agent in his cereal box, Richard joins the extraterrestrial in a fight to save Earth from the Dranes, one of whom is masquerading as a student in Richard's class.

Level: **M**

J Reader Etra

***Alien & Possum: Friends no Matter What*** by Tony Johnston

First in the “*Alien & Possum*” series. Possum and Alien become friends and find that they both have similarities and differences.

Level: **K**

J Reader Johnston

***Berenstain Bears on the Moon*** by Stan Berenstain

Two Berenstain bears and their pup take a rocket ship to the moon.

Level: **J**

J Reader Berenstain

***Chase’s Space Case*** by Kristen Depken

Chase and the rest of the PAW Patrol have an out-of-this-world adventure when they help a lost alien find his spaceship.

Level: **J**

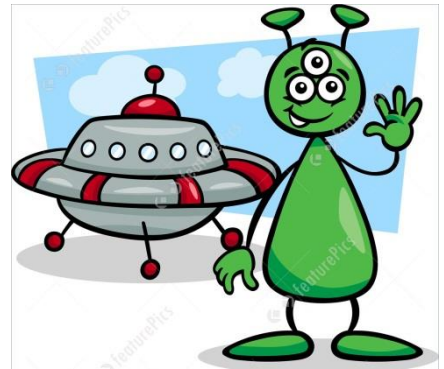
J TV TIE-IN Paw

***Commander Toad in Space*** by Jane Yolen

Part of the “*Commander Toad*” series. The crew of the spaceship Star Warts goes where no frog has gone before.

Level: **K**

J Reader Yolen



**A New Hope** by Emma Grange

Retells the story of the iconic science fiction film through LEGO figurines as they attempt to save Princess Leia from the clutches of the Empire.

Level: **Q**

J TV TIE-IN LEGO



**Peeper and Zeeper** by Adam Gudeon

Peeper, a chick who has injured his wing, and Zeep, an alien who has crashed his spaceship, hope Frog, an inventor can help them return to their homes

Level: **E**

J Reader Gudeon

**See Otto** by David Milgrim

Part of the *Adventures of Otto* series. Otto the robot lands on Earth, where he is chased by a rhinoceros and befriended by some monkeys.

Level: **D**

J Reader Milgrim

**Rabbit and Robot: The Sleepover** by Cece Bell

Rabbit is excited about the sleepover he has carefully planned for his friend Robot, but Robot has some different ideas about how things should go.

Level: **L**

J Reader Bell

**Super Cluck** by Jane O'Connor

An alien chick living on Earth uses his super strength to save baby chicks from a rat.

Level: **J**

J Reader O'Connor

**Space Race** by Judith Bauer Stamper

Zip, Zat, and Zing, and Ray have a fun race in space.

Level: **F**

J Reader Stamper

## **2<sup>nd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Fiction**

**Aliens don't wear Braces** by Debbie Dadey

Part of the *Bailey's School Kids* series. When the art teacher disappears after a strange display of flashing lights, it looks like Bailey Elementary is in a bind. But out of nowhere a mysterious and pale woman with silver-white hair and an unusual white outfit shows up to take her place. Could she be an alien?

Level: **M**

JFIC Dadey

***Alien Escape*** by Geronimo Stilton

Part of the *Geronimo Stilton Space Mice* series. Geronimo Stilton's spaceship is in danger of exploding! The only solution is to replace the engine's batteries by tracking down a rare element. When a group of mysterious aliens claim they can help, Geronimo is relieved, but are the aliens as friendly as they seem?

Level: **R**

J Series Stilton

***The Ark Plan*** by Laura Martin

Part of the *Edge of Extinction* series. A century and a half after cloned dinosaurs forced humans to move into underground compounds, Sky discovers a clue to the whereabouts of her long-missing father and ventures above ground on a quest that has the potential to save the world.

Level: **R**

JFIC Martin

***Captain Awesome to the Rescue*** by Stan Kirby

Part of the *Captain Awesome* series. When second-grader Eugene and his family move to a new neighborhood and he starts at a new school, he brings out his superhero alter ego, Captain Awesome, to find the kidnapped class hamster

Level: **P**

JFIC Kirby

***Cosmoe's Weiner Getaway*** by Max Brallier

Part of the *Galactic Hot Dogs* series. Meet Cosmoe, the Earth-Boy. He's captain of the Neon Weiner, the finest flying food truck in the galaxy. Along with his bud, Big Humphree, he spends his days cruising the cosmos and staying crazy busy.

Level: **S**

JFIC Brallier

***Curse of the Bologna Sandwich*** by Greg Trine

Part of the *Melvin Beederman* series. After graduating from the superhero academy, Melvin Beederman heads for Los Angeles, where he unexpectedly teams up with Candace Brinkwater, school play actress, to nab the evil McNasty Brothers.

Level: **O**

JFIC Trine

***Fortunately the Milk*** by Neil Gaiman

While picking up milk for his children's cereal, a father is abducted by aliens and finds himself on a wild adventure through time and space.

Level: **R**

JFIC Gaiman



***Game Over, Super Rabbit Boy*** by Thomas Flintham

Part of the *Press Start* series. When King Viking and his evil robot army attack Animal Town, and kidnap Singing Dog, it is up to Super Rabbit Boy, with some help from Sunny and his video game console, to save the day.

Level: **M**

JFIC Flintham

***Hello, Nebulon*** by Ray O’Ryan

Part of the *Galaxy Jack* series. Moving from Earth to the futuristic planet Nebulon in 2120, eight-year-old Zack is nervous about starting school and meeting people

Level: **N**

JFIC O’Ryan

***Horizon*** by Scott Westerfeld

When Aero Horizon 16 crashes in the Arctic, eight children emerge from the wreckage to find themselves alone and surrounded, not by ice, but by a mysterious and deadly jungle full of carnivorous plants and predatory birds--the other five hundred people from the plane are gone, not necessarily dead, but taken by something that lives in the jungle.

level: **S**

JFIC Westerfeld

***Invasion of the Ufonuts*** by Laurie Keller

Arnie is shocked when he hears his neighbor Loretta Schmoretta tell news reporters that she was the victim of an alien abduction. And not just any aliens--alien doughnuts from outer spastry. Arnie thinks this is a ridiculous story, that is, until he gets abducted. Arnie must think fast in order to rescue his fellow doughnuts and the townspeople from the alien invaders

Level: **P**

JFIC Keller

***Knights of the Kitchen Table*** by Jon Scieszka

Part of the *Time Warp Trio* series. When Joe, Fred, and Sam are sent back in time by a magic book, they find themselves face-to-face with giants, dragons, wizards, and the Knights of the Round Table.

Level: **P**

JFIC Scieszka

***March of the Mini Beasts*** by Ada Hopper

Three second-graders who love science get thrown in a wild spiral of adventures after meeting their reclusive neighbor, Dr. Gustav Bunsen. When Dr. Bunsen's growth ray hits a crate of animal figurines, the toys not only start growing, but also come to life.

Level: **P**

JFIC Hopper



***Me and Marvin's Gardens*** by Amy King

Obe Devlin spends a lot of his time cleaning up the creek that runs through what little is left of his family's once extensive farmland, and worrying about what the developers are doing nearby, and the pollution it is causing, but one day he finds a strange creature by his creek that eats plastic, and soon the animal he calls Marvin Gardens becomes his personal secret.

Level: **N**

JFIC King



***My Teacher Fried my Brains*** by Bruce Coville

The first day of seventh grade was probably the worst day of Duncan Dougal's life. He knows that things are really bad when he finds an alien's hand in a dumpster and then gets plugged into an alien brain fryer.

Level: **S**

JFIC Coville

***Ricky Ricotta's Mighty Robot*** by Dav Pilkey

Part of the *Ricky Ricotta's Mighty Robot* series. Ricky Ricotta, a small mouse, is being bullied at school, but when he rescues a powerful robot from its evil creator, he acquires a friend and protector, and saves the city from Dr. Stinky.

Level: **M**

J Series Ricky

***Sasquatch and Alien*** by Charise Harper

Nine-year-old Morgan of the Pacific Northwest is fascinated with aliens and the sasquatch, but his real adventures begin when he meets Lewis, whose parents just bought a motel named the Sasquatch Inn.

Level: **O**

JFIC Harper

***Secret Identity*** by Wendelin Van Draanen

Part of the *Shredderman* series. Fifth-grader Nolan Byrd, tired of being called names by the class bully, has a secret identity.

Level: **R**

JFIC Van Draanen

***Space Taxi*** by Wendy Mass

On "Take Your Kid to Work Day," eight-year-old Archie discovers that his father drives a space taxi that shuttles aliens from one area of the universe to another.

Level: **O**

JFIC Mass

***The Wild Robot*** by Peter Brown

Roz the robot discovers that she is alone on a remote, wild island with no memory of where she is from or why she is there, and her only hope of survival is to try to learn about her new environment from the island's hostile inhabitants.

Level: **S**

JFIC Brown

## **5th Grade and Up Fiction**

***Akiko and the Planet Smoo*** by Mark Crilley

Ten-year-old Akiko has an unexpected adventure when she is whisked away to a distant planet and put in charge of the rescue mission that must search for the kidnapped Prince Froptopit.

Level: **V**

JFIC Crilley

***Aliens on Vacation*** by Clete Smith

Part of the *Intergalactic Bed and Breakfast* series. Unhappy at being sent to stay with his grandmother at the inn she operates, The Intergalactic Bed & Breakfast, Scrub discovers that each room is actually a portal to space and the inn's visitors are aliens who are vacationing *on* Earth.

Level: **T**

JFIC Smith

***Among the Hidden*** by Margaret Peterson Haddix

Part of the *Shadow Children* series, also check out other series by Haddix. In a future where the Population Police enforce the law limiting a family to only two children, Luke has lived all his twelve years in isolation and fear on his family's farm, until another "third" convinces him that the government is wrong.

Level: **Z**

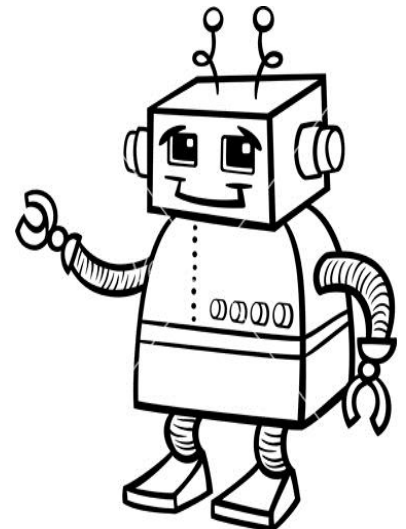
JFIC Haddix

***Archvillain*** by Barry Lyga

Twelve-year-old Kyle Camden develops greater mental agility and superpowers during a plasma storm that also brings Mighty Mike, an alien, to the town of Bouring, but while each does what he thinks is best, Kyle is labeled a villain and Mike a hero.

Level: **T**

JFIC Lyga





***Beware the Power of the Dark Side!*** By Tom Angleberger

An original retelling of *Star Wars: Return of the Jedi* featuring Luke Skywalker, Han Solo, and Princess Leia as they battle the Empire.

Level: **V**

JFIC Angleberger

***Blast Off!*** By Nate Ball

Part of the *Alien in My Pocket* series. Fourth-grader Zack McGee's life is turned upside-down when Amp, a tiny alien, crash-lands in his bedroom, then causes trouble at school while trying to get parts to repair his spaceship.

Level: **U**

JFIC Ball

***City of Ember*** by Jeanne DuPrau

In the year 241, twelve-year-old Lina trades jobs on Assignment Day to be a Messenger to run to new places in her decaying but beloved city, perhaps even to glimpse Unknown Regions.

Level: **W**

JFIC DuPrau

***The Colossus Rises*** by Peter Lerangis

Teens Jack, Marco, Aly, and Cass begin a quest to find seven pieces of Atlantis' power that were hidden long ago and that will, if returned to Atlantis, save them from certain death due to the genetic abnormality that also gives them superior abilities.

Level: **V**

JFIC Lerangis

***Evil Genius*** by Catherine Jinks

Child prodigy Cadel Piggot, an antisocial computer hacker, discovers his true identity when he enrolls as a first-year student at an advanced crime academy.

Level: **Y**

JFIC Jinks

***Frank Einstein & the Antimatter Motor*** by Jon Scieszka,

First in the "*Frank Einstein*" series. In his Grandpa Al's garage workshop, child genius Frank Einstein tries to invent a robot that can learn on its own, and after an accident brings wisecracking Klink and overly expressive Klank to life, they set about helping Frank perfect his Antimatter Motor until his archnemesis, T. Edison, steals the robots for his doomsday plan.

Level: **T**

JFIC Scieszka

***George's Secret Key to the Universe*** by Lucy Hawking

Part of the *Geroges's Cosmic Treasure Hunt* series. Follows the adventures of a young boy and his neighbor friend as they travel through a computer portal into outer space, where they explore such mysteries as black holes and the origins of the universe, while trying to evade an evil scientist.

Level: **W**

JFIC Hawking

***The Girl Who Could Fly*** by Victoria Forester

When homeschooled farm girl Piper McCloud reveals her ability to fly, she is quickly taken to a secret government facility to be trained with other exceptional children, but she soon realizes that something is very wrong and begins working with brilliant and wealthy Conrad to escape.

Level: **V**

JFIC Forester

***The Giver*** by Lois Lowry

Part of the Giver quartet. Given his lifetime assignment at the Ceremony of Twelve, Jonas becomes the receiver of memories shared by only one other in his community and discovers the terrible truth about the society in which he lives.

Level: **Y**

JFIC Lowry

***H.I.V.E.: Higher Institute of Villainous Education*** by Mark Walden

Swept away to a hidden academy for training budding evil geniuses, Otto, a brilliant orphan, Wing, a sensitive warrior, Laura, a shy computer specialist, and Shelby, an infamous jewel thief, plot to beat the odds and escape the prison known as H.I.V.E.

Level: **W**

JFIC Walden

***Hunt for the Hydra*** by Jason Fry

Part of the *Jupiter Pirates* series. A family of space privateers becomes embroiled in a solar system-wide conspiracy, while at the same time, three siblings compete to determine who will become the next captain of the ship when their mother steps down.

Level: **V**

JFIC Fry

***Nick and Tesla's High-Voltage Danger Lab: A Mystery with Electromagnets, Burglar Alarms, and Other Gadgets You Can Build Yourself*** by Bob Pflugfelder

Part of the *Nick and Tesla* series. After moving in with their eccentric uncle, Nick and Tesla encounter strange occurrences in their new neighborhood and build gadgets using simple household objects to help them solve the mysteries.

Level: **S**

JFIC Pflugfelder

***Project Alpha*** by D.J. MacHale

Part of the *Voyagers* series. Eight boys and girls compete for a spot on the space voyage that will search for a source to solve Earth's energy crisis.

Level: **U**

JFIC MacHale

***Tesla's Attic*** by Neal Shusterman

With a plot combining science and the supernatural, four kids are caught up in a dangerous plan concocted by the eccentric inventor, Nikola Tesla.

Level: **W**

JFIC Shusterman

***The Unbeatable Squirrel Girl Squirrel Meets World*** by Shannon Hale

After Doreen, uses her extraordinary powers to stop a group of troublemakers she becomes a full-fledged superhero called Squirrel Girl.

Level: **T**

JFIC Hale

***The Unwanteds*** by Lisa McMann

Part of the *Unwanteds* series. In a society that purges thirteen-year-olds who are creative, identical twins Aaron and Alex are separated, one to attend University while the other, supposedly eliminated, finds himself in a place where youths hone their abilities and learn magic.

Level: **V**

JFIC McMann

***A Wrinkle in Time*** by Madeleine L'Engle

Meg Murry and her friends become involved with unearthly strangers and a search for Meg's father, who has disappeared while engaged in secret work for the government.

Level: **W**

JFIC L'Engle

***Randoms*** by David Liss

Part of the *Randoms* series. A twelve-year-old boy is chosen to join a four-person applicant team to work towards membership in the Confederation of United Planets, and stumbles across conspiracies resembling science fiction he's been a fan of his entire life

Level: **W**

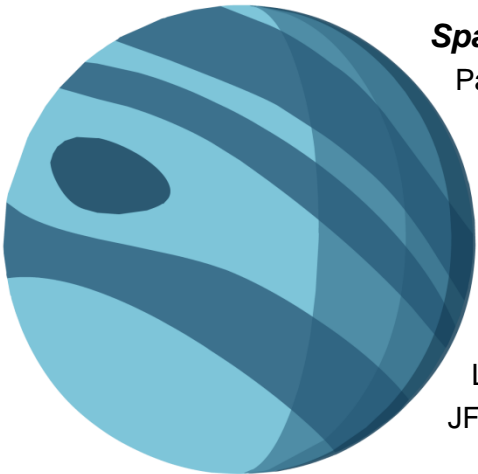
JFIC Liss

***Simon Bloom, the Gravity Keepe*** by Michael Reisman

Nerdy sixth-grader Simon Bloom finds a book that enables him to control the laws of physics, but when two thugs come after him, he needs the formulas in the book to save himself.

Level: **X**

JFIC Reisman



***Spaced Out*** by Stuart Gibbs

Part of the *Moon Base Alpha* series. In 2041 twelve-year-old Dashiell Gibson is a resident of Moon Base Alpha, and at the moment he is faced with a number of problems: coping with the nasty Sjoberg twins, finding out how the commander of the base has managed to disappear from a facility no bigger than a soccer field, and dealing with the alien Zan who communicates with him telepathically from afar--and who is hiding a secret which may threaten the whole Earth.

Level: **T**

JFIC Gibbs

***Time Machine*** by H.G. Wells

At the beginning of the twentieth century, a scientist builds a machine that takes him into the future where he encounters two very different civilizations.

Level: **V**

JFIC Wells

***True Meaning of Smekday*** by Adam Rex

When her mother is abducted by aliens on Christmas Eve (or "Smekday" Eve since the Boov invasion), 11 year-old Tip hops in the family car and heads south to find her and meets an alien Boov mechanic who agrees to help her and save the planet from disaster.

Level: **R**

JFIC Rex

***20,000 Leagues Under the Sea*** by Jules Verne

Adventures of a French professor and his two companions as they sail above and below the world's oceans as prisoners on the fabulous electric submarine of the deranged Captain Nemo.

Level: **Z**

JFIC Verne

## **Graphic Novels**

***Binky to the Rescue*** by Ashley Spires

Part of the *Binky Adventures*. Binky the Space Cat falls out of the bathroom window and is attacked by aliens until he is rescued by his human. Once safe inside, however, Binky realizes that his co-pilot, Ted, is still outside and he is determined to rescue him.

J COMIC Binky

***The Boy who Crashed to Earth*** by Judd Winick

Part of the "*Hilo*" series. When a mysterious boy falls from the sky, friends D.J. and Gina must discover the secrets of his identity and help save the world.

J COMIC Winick

***Fluffy Strikes Back*** by Ashley Spires

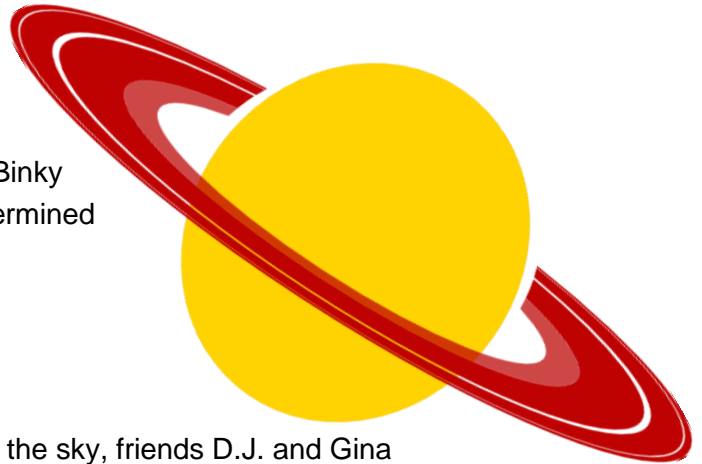
Part of the P.U.R.S.T adventures. Sargeant Fluffy, top cat at P.U.R.S.T., takes his job seriously, keeping all the world safe from alien domination -- a job that he has done from his desk at headquarters for years. Now the aliens have invaded headquarters and hostages have been taken so Fluffy must take action away from his desk!

J COMIC Spires

***The Glorkian Warrior Delivers a Pizza*** by James Kochalka

No mission is too small for an inept intergalactic hero and his talking backpack.

J COMIC Kochalka



***Lowriders in Space*** by Cathy Camper

Part of the *Lowriders* series. Lupe, Flapjack, Elirio customize their car into a low rider for the Universal Car Competition to win the cash prize that will enable them to buy their own garage.

J COMIC Lowriders

***Mission Moon*** by Drew Brockington

Part of the *CatStronauts* series. Alerted to a global energy crisis, the President consults with the World's Best Scientist, who suggests sending a special group of astronauts to turn the Moon into a solar power plant.

J COMIC Brockington

***A New Class*** by Jarrett Krosoczka

Part of the *Jedi Academy* series. Excitedly embarking on his course of training at the Jedi Academy in spite of his older sister's jealousy, Victor Starspeeder struggles with Master Yoda's assignments, which include a requirement to join the drama club to channel his high energy.

J COMIC Star Wars

***One Trick Pony*** by Nathan Hale

In the Earth of the future, Strata and her family must rely on a beautiful and rare robot pony as they struggle to elude, and defeat, electricity-sucking alien invaders.

J COMIC Hale

***Red's Planet*** by Eddie Pittman

Part of the *Red's Planet* series. The story of headstrong 10-year-old foster child Red, who stows away on an alien spaceship and is marooned on a deserted planet with a menagerie of misfit aliens.

J COMIC Pittman

***Secret of the Time Tablets*** by Mike Maihack

Part of the *Cleopatra in Space* series. Cleopatra and her friends journey to the city of Hykosis in search of information about the time tablets that could determine her fate, but the group is separated when Xaius Octavian's fleet attacks their ship.

J COMIC Maihack

***Zero Gravity*** by Dave Roman

Part of the *Astronaut Academy* series. Hakata Soy looks to make a new start at Astronaut Academy, but his past as the leader of a futuristic superhero team catches up to him when a robot doppelganger is sent to kill him.

J COMIC Astronaut

***Zita the Spacegirl Far From Home*** by Ben Hatke

Part of the *Zita the Space Girl* series. When young Zita discovers a device that opens a portal to another planet, and her best friend is abducted, she is compelled to set out on a strange journey from star to star in order to get back home.

J COMIC Zita