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| <i>How to Eat Fried Worms</i> | Jeff Brown | 550L |
| <i>Freckle Juice</i> | Thomas Rockwell | 560L |
| <i>Alvin Ho</i> | Judy Blume | 570L |
| <i>The Trouble with Chickens</i> | Lenore Look | 570L |
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| <i>Flashback Four: The Lincoln Project</i> | Marcia Wells | 690L |
| <i>From the Mixed-up Files of Basil. E. Frankweiler</i> | Dan Gutman | 700L |
| <i>Dragon's Gate</i> | E.L. Konigsburg | 700L |
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| <i>The Giver</i> | Sally Warner/ Shearry Malone | 750L |
| <i>The Chocolate Touch</i> | Lois Lowry | 760L |
| <i>Indian in the Cupboard</i> | Patrick Skene | 770L |
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