Adult Fiction

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R. F. Kuang

1828. Robin Swift, orphaned by cholera in Canton, is brought to London by the mysterious Professor Lovell. There, he trains for years in Latin, Ancient Greek, and Chinese, all in preparation for the day he’ll enroll in Oxford University’s prestigious Royal Institute of Translation.

Subjects: Translating and interpreting, Magic, Imperialism
Page count: 560

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The Poisonwood Bible

Barbara Kingsolver
The family of a Baptist missionary begins to unravel after they embark on a 1959 mission to the Belgian Congo, where they find their lives transformed over the course of three decades.
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Tom Felton
From the magical moments on set as Draco Malfoy to the challenges of growing up in the spotlight, get a backstage pass into Tom Felton’s life on and off the big screen.

Subjects: Autobiographies, Actors, Harry Potter films
Page count: 288

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Spare
Prince Harry, Duke of Sussex
With its raw, unflinching honesty, Spare is a landmark publication full of insight, revelation, self-examination, and hard-won wisdom about the eternal power of love over grief.

Subjects: House of Windsor, Princes, Autobiographies
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The Summer I Turned Pretty
Jenny Han
Belly measures her life in summers. Everything good, everything magical happens between the months of June and August. But one summer, one wonderful and terrible summer, the more everything changes, the more it all ends up just the way it should have been all along.

Subjects: Interpersonal relations, Beaches, Summer
Page count: 276

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A Court of Frost and Starlight
Sarah J. Maas
As Feyre navigates her first Winter Solstice as High Lady, she finds that those dearest to her have more wounds than she anticipated—scars that will have far-reaching impact on the future of their Court.

Subjects: Tam Lin, Imaginary wars and battles, Courts and courtiers
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The Full House and the Empty House
L.K. James
The Full House and the Empty House are very good friends—when they dance they admire in each other the qualities they lack within themselves. Even though the houses are different on the inside, it doesn’t reflect how they feel on the outside.

Page count: 44

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Bink & Gollie, Two for One

Kate DiCamillo
The state fair is in town, and now Bink and Gollie—utter opposites and best friends extraordinaire—must use teamwork and their gray matter while navigating its many wonders.

Page count: 75
Lexile: 450
AR/ATOS: 2.2

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The School for Good and Evil

Supriya Kelkar
Two best friends have been chosen to be students at the fabled School for Good and Evil, where ordinary boys and girls are trained to be fairy-tale heroes and villains. One will train for Good; one will become Evil’s new hope.

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AR/ATOS: 5.2

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