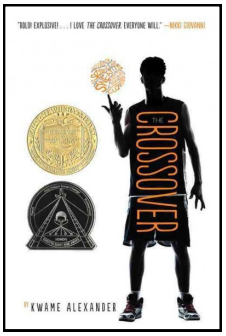
NOVELS IN VERSE

for middle grade readers

Novels written in poetic verse are quick reads yet often with higher level content and emotions

***The Crossover* series**
by Kwame Alexander (JF ALE)



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by Katherine Applegate
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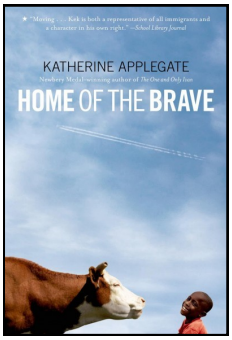
Finding Wonders: Three Girls Who Changed Science
by Jeannine Atkins (JF ATK)



Little Dog, Lost
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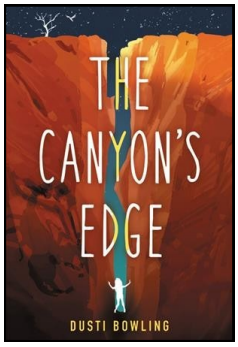
The Canyon's Edge
by Dusti Bowling (JF BOW NEW)

Unbound: A Novel In Verse
by Ann E. Burg (JF BUR)



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Hate That Cat
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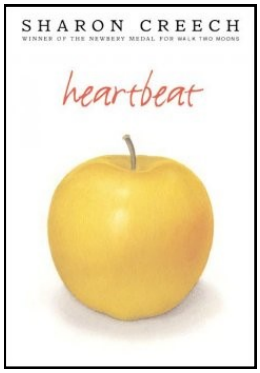

Somewhere Among
by Annie Donwerth-Chikamatsu (JF DON)

Mountain Dog
by Margarita Engle (JF ENG)

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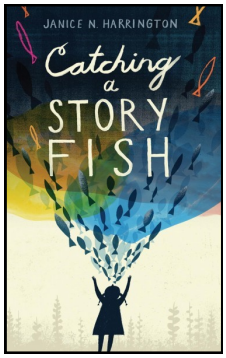
Alone
by Megan E. Freeman (JF FRE NEW)

Applesauce Weather
by Helen Frost (JF FRO)

Salt: A Story of Friendship in a Time of War
by Helen Frost (JF FRO)

When My Sister Started Kissing
by Helen Frost (JF FRO)



Missing Mike
by Shari Green (JF GRE)

Garvey's Choice
by Nikki Grimes (JF GRI)

Catching a Storyfish
by Janice N. Harrington (JF HAR)

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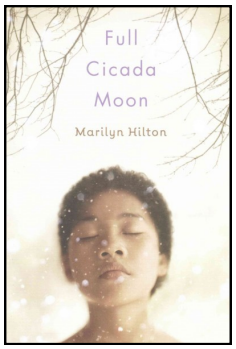
by Karen Hesse (JF HES)



Full Cicada Moon
by Marilyn Hilton (JF HIL)

Lifeboat 12: Based on a True Story
by Susan Hood (JF HOO)

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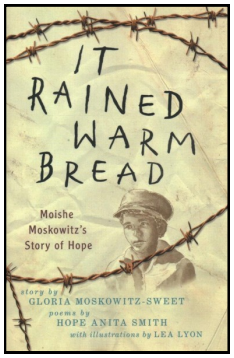


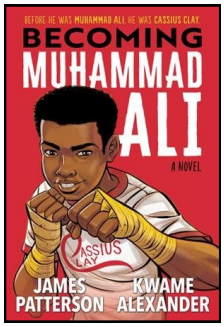
T4: A Novel in Verse
by Ann Clare LeZotte (JF LEZ)

Emmy in the Key of Code
by Aimee Lucido (JF LUC)

It Rained Warm Bread: Moishe Moskowitz's Story of Hope
by Gloria Moskowitz-Sweet (JF MOS Still New to You)

Toppling
by Sally Murphy (JF MUR)

Becoming Muhammad Ali
by James Patterson
and Kwame Alexander (JF PAT NEW)



The Red Pencil
by Andrea Davis Pinkney (JF PIN)

Birdie
by Eileen Spinelli (JF SPI)

Like Pickle Juice on a Cookie
by Julie Sternberg (JF STE)

Forget Me Not
by Ellie Terry (JF TER)

The Colors of the Rain
by R. L. Toalson (JF TOA)

Other Words for Home
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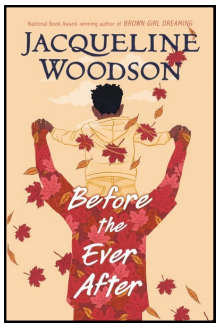
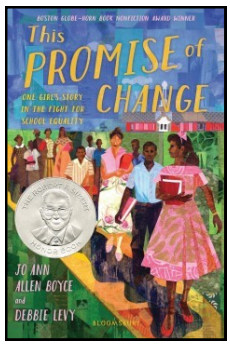


Before the Ever After
by Jacqueline Woodson (JF WOO NEW)

This Promise of Change:
One Girl's Story in the Fight
for School Equality
by Jo Ann Allen Boyce (J379.2 BOY)

Etched In Clay: The Life of Dave,
Enslaved Potter and Poet
by Andrea Cheng (J92 DAVE)



Brown Girl Dreaming
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