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THE PENDERWICKS

BY JEANNE BIRDSALL

This "summer tale of four sisters, two rabbits, and a very interesting boy" is the first in the Penderwick series. It introduces a widowed professor and his family of adventurous girls who rent a summer cottage and befriend the son of their disapproving landlady. On eAudiobook and CD.

THE WILD ROBOT

BY JEFF BROWN

A robot gains consciousness and finds itself on an animal-filled island with no recollection of how it got there in this actionpacked adventure that may inspire discussion about the role of technology in our world. On eAudiobook and CD.

BECAUSE OF WINN-DIXIE

BY KATE DICAMILLO

A clumsy dog named after the southern supermarket chain changes the lives of a girl, her father and many of the unique characters in their small town. On eAudiobook and CD.

ONCE UPON A TIM

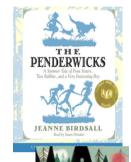
BY STUART GIBBS

Peasant Tim seeks to improve his lot in life by helping a cowardly prince and an inept wizard rescue a princess in this slapstick romp featuring both potty-humor AND vocabularybuilding. Quite a feat! On eAudiobook and CD.

THE PHANTOM TOLLBOOTH

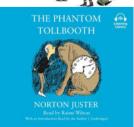
BY NORTON JUSTER

Actor Rainn Wilson narrates this 2019 edition of Juster's classic about a bored boy who finds himself in "The Kingdom of Knowledge" where a battle is raging between capital cities Digitopolis and Dictionopolis. On eAudiobook and CD.















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THE PARKER INHERITANCE

BY VARIAN JOHNSON

Candice's grandmother lost her city-manager job for digging up the town's tennis courts. When Candice herself finds a letter in her grandmother's house that alludes to treasure, she picks up where her grandma left off. On eAudiobook and CD.

WEDGIE & GIZMO

BY SUZANNE SELFORS

A happy go lucky dog is so excited to have a new pet to protect while the new pet, an evil genius guinea pig, immediately commits to destroying his canine arch-nemesis. On eAudiobook and CD.

LIVING GHOSTS & MISCHIEVOUS MONSTERS: **CHILLING AMERICAN INDIAN STORIES**

BY DAN C. JONES

For families that don't mind scaru stuff, this collection of 32 tales from Native Americans across North America has everything from deer women to hungry ghosts to dolls that walk, selected and written by Dan SaSuWeh Jones of the Ponca nation. On CD. XCD 398.20897 JON

KID ATHLETES: TRUE TALES OF CHILDHOOD FROM SPORTS LEGENDS

BY DAVID STABLER

Sports stars started out just like everyone, as kids. Childhood gaffes and humiliations abound. On eAudiobook and CD. XCD 796.0922 STA

GONE TO THE WOODS BY GARY PAULSEN

The author of survival classic "Hatchet" tells the story of his own experience surviving neglect in childhood in this unvarnished but ultimately uplifting story. A great choice for older children and the adults in their lives. On eAudiobook and CD. XCD 92 PAULSEN





