Clean Getaway
by Nic Stone
With Scoob in trouble at school and home, he is thrilled when G'ma asks him to take a road trip. G'ma’s stories make him realize how different things used to be for someone who was Black. And why is G'ma dodging his dad’s phone calls and changing license plates on the RV?

Cog
by Greg Van Eekhout
Cog is just like any other twelve-year-old boy—except his brain and body were created by a kind scientist who built him to learn. When his scientist caretaker goes missing, Cog embarks on a mission to find her and learns more than he expected along the way.

Emmy in the Key of Code
by Aimee Lucido
Emmy, 12, already feels out of place having been born to highly musical parents, while she struggles with stage fright. When Emmy connects with computer class and starts to learn coding she thinks she is finally finding her place in the world—but is it really as easy as do-re-mi?

Harbor Me
by Jacqueline Woodson
In a world full of differences, Haley, Eustein, Tiago, Holly, Amari, and Ashton find common bonds in the A.R.T.T. room (A Room To Talk). Every Friday at 2:00 they tell their stories and connect with each other for an hour without a teacher. What they say in the room, stays in the room.

Planet Earth is Blue
by Nicole Panteleakos
Nova thinks deeply about many things, especially outer space, but only her sister Bridget knows. Nova is on the autism spectrum, living with a foster family, and Bridget has disappeared. She promised to be back in time for the 1986 Space Shuttle Challenger launch, so Nova counts down the days until the Shuttle launches and she can be with Bridget again.

The Remarkable Journey of Coyote Sunrise
by Dan Gemeinhart
Coyote Sunrise has an unusual life. She’s home schooled in a bus while she travels all over the country with her dad. Coyote is content with her lot in life, but when she realizes that the park near her old home holding special memories is about to be destroyed, she strategizes a way to get there before it’s too late.

Sal & Gabi Break the Universe
by Carlos Hernandez
Sal Vidon is new to school and has made an impression. He’s been in the principal’s office, and made enemies of both Gabi and Yasmany. Sal’s magic isn’t always appreciated. If the ability to reach through space and time can’t make middle school smooth for Sal, maybe friendship could.

Sanity & Tallulah
by Molly Brooks
Sanity Jones and Tallulah Vega are best friends living on board the Wilnick Station. Tallulah’s mom finds Sanity’s secret and unauthorized science experiment, a three-headed kitten named Princess Sparkle, Destroyer of Worlds. When Princess Sparkle goes missing and the space station begins experiencing technical problems, the girls try to find Princess Sparkle before it’s too late.

Wink
by Rob Harrell
Ross is diagnosed with a rare eye cancer in the summer before middle school. After surgery, radiation, a mandatory hat, and really sticky eye cream, can Ross find a way to fit in at school?

You Don’t Know Everything Jilly P!
by Alex Gino
When Jilly’s baby sister is born deaf, Jilly connects with a deaf gamer in her online gaming community and discovers that the world does not always treat people the same way. She is hearing and White, her sister is deaf and White, and her new friend is deaf and Black.
The Benefits of Being an Octopus  
by Ann Braden
Seventh-grader Zoey wishes she had eight arms to assist with all of her responsibilities. When she reluctantly joins the debate club, she learns that speaking up for herself and the people she loves creates a power she never knew she had.

Charlie Thorne and the Last Equation  
by Stuart Gibbs
Albert Einstein created a code that could help - or destroy - the world. Decades later, an enemy organization is searching for this code, and the CIA needs the help of a genius to find it and solve its mystery. Enter Charlie Thorne. Too young to get a driver's license, Charlie is on the hunt for clues to unravel one of the world's greatest mysteries...before time runs out.

The First Rule of Punk  
by Celia C. Pérez
Following the First Rule of Punk can be hard when being yourself is not “normal” at your new school. When the chance to try out for the school annual talent show comes up, she finds a few like-minded misfits to form a rock band. What could really go wrong? What happens when you don’t fit in? You make the show your own.

Genesis Begins Again  
by Alicia D. Williams
Thirteen-year-old Genesis has a lot of things she’d like to fix in her life. Most of all, Genesis believes that if she can just change the color of her skin, everything would be better. When her own family believes her dark skin puts her at a disadvantage, how can Genesis possibly learn to love herself?

Good Enough  
by Jen Petro-Roy
Riley is sick. She has been put in a treatment center for kids who suffer from eating disorders. Faced with a roommate who breaks the rules and an estranged family who don’t fully understand her sickness, Riley has to work to be able to see herself as more than just a number on a scale.

Insignificant Events in the Life of a Cactus  
by Dusti Bowling
Born without arms, thirteen-year-old Aven Green has been raised to believe that she can do anything. She becomes determined to show her new friend Connor that his Tourette's Syndrome shouldn't keep him from living his best life. Between helping out Connor and solving a mystery at her parents' new western theme park she certainly has her plate full.

Marcus Vega Doesn't Speak Spanish  
by Pablo Cartaya
Eighth-grader Marcus Vega is having a hard time. After being suspended, he and his family take a trip to Puerto Rico to try and rebuild. Marcus meets some interesting people during this time and along the way he learns the true meaning of family.

Pet  by Akwaeke Emezi
Jam was always told that monsters are no more. After she accidentally brings a creature to life from a painting, she learns that everything is not as it seems. She must keep her wits about her to be able to clearly see the difference between lies and reality. Will Jam be able to find the monster and stand up for herself?

Snapdragon  by Kat Leyh
When outcast Snapdragon befriends rumoured town "witch" Jacks, she learns about her own powers and inner strength. In this coming-of-age magical realism graphic novel, we discover that those that are unfairly judged hold their own magical stories and ofestimes we find connections, love and family in the most unusual places.

Tristan Strong Punches a Hole in the Sky  
by Kwame Mbalia
Seventh-grader Tristan Strong is struggling with the death of his best friend, whose journal of stories has become Tristan's prize possession. One night, a creature steals it from him. In a struggle to reclaim it, Tristan punches a hole into the MidPass. This puts him face to face with battling African gods and legends. Can he outwit Anansi the spider to seal the hole and find his way home?