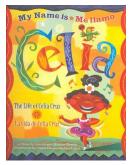


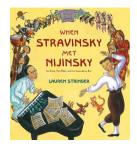
Recommended Books for 3rd and 4th Grades



My Name is Celia : The Life of Celia Cruz = Me Llamo Celia : La Vida de Celia Cruz

by Monica Brown A bilingual portrait of the "Queen of Salsa" describes her childhood in Cuba, her musical career, and her move to the United States, and explains how her music brought her native

Cuba to the world. Call #: JB Cruz, Celia



When Stravinsky Met Nijinsky : Two Artists, Their Ballet, and One Extraordinary Riot

by Lauren Stringer Documents the early 20thcentury collaboration between composer Igor Stravinsky and choreographer Vaslav Nijinsky that introduced a controversial

new ballet form to the art world in Paris, describing the public's polarized reactions and how the production helped promote the growth of modern music and dance. Call #: J781.556 S



The Witch Boy by Molly Ostertag

When a boy goes missing during a night of shapeshifting, thirteen-year-old Astor risks going against family tradition by using his magic to help locate him.







A Crooked Kind of Perfect by Linda Urban

Upset when her dreams of becoming a grand pianist are squashed when her father returns from the store with an old organ, ten-year-old Zoe Elias tries to make the best of it and so practices hard in order to get her moment in the spotlight at the annual Perform-O-Rama organ contest.

Hello, Universe by Erin Entrada Kelly

Two boys and two girls explore respective views about courage and being different in the wake of a prank that traps one of them at the bottom of a well and compels the others to embark on a search-and-rescue mission.

The Composer Is Dead by Lemony Snicket

When a murder takes place, everyone comes under suspicion and soon the Inspector is interrogating everyone, including the violins, the French horn, and every other instrument in order to solve the crime and put the culprit away!



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