

**2026 RI CHILDREN'S BOOK AWARD
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- ___ *Jupiter Nettle and the Seven Schools of Magic: A Graphic Novel* by Sangu Mandanna
- ___ *The Kids in Mrs. Z's Class: Emma McKenna, Full Out* by Kate Messner
- ___ *Legendarios #1: Wrath of the Rain God* by Karla Arenas Valenti
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