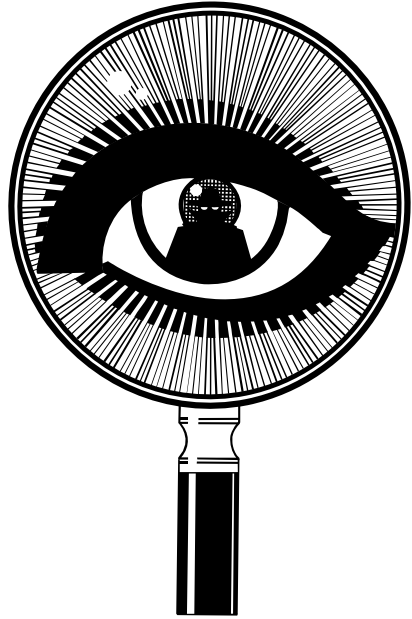


# Clue into Reading!



## Mystery Novels

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Abbot, Tony

### **The Postcard**

While in St. Petersburg, Florida, to help clean out his recently-deceased grandmother's house, thirteen-year-old Jason finds an old postcard which leads him on an adventure that blends figures from an old, unfinished detective story with his family's past.

### **Allison, Jennifer**

**Gilda Joyce: The Ladies of the Lake**  
Having earned a scholarship to a private girls' high school, self-proclaimed psychic investigator Gilda Joyce investigates the circumstances surrounding the drowning death of a student whose ghost supposedly haunts the campus.

### **Anderson, M.T.**

**The Clue of the Linoleum Lederhosen**  
Looking forward to a vacation, Katie, Lily, and Jasper attach their flying Gyroscopic Sky Suite to the Moose Tongue Lodge and Resort, where they mingle with other child heroes found in books, and where they become embroiled in a mystery involving lederhosen-clothed quintuplets and a screaming ventriloquist.

### **Avi**

#### **The Traitors' Gate**

When his father is arrested as a debtor in 1849 London, fourteen-year-old John Huffman must take on unexpected responsibilities, from asking a distant

relative for help determining why people are spying on him and his family.

### **Baccalario, Pierdomenico**

#### **The long-lost map**

Eleven-year-old twins Jason and Julia, along with their friend Rick, find themselves in ancient Egypt in search of an important map after going through a magical door in their old English mansion.

### **Balliet, Blue**

#### **The Calder Game**

When seventh-grader Calder Pillay disappears from a remote English village--along with an Alexander Calder sculpture to which he has felt strangely drawn--his friends Petra and Tommy fly from Chicago to help his father find him.

### **Buckley, Michael**

#### **The Sisters Grimm: Once Upon a Crime**

The fourth book in this bestselling series finds Sabrina and Daphne Grimm, fairy-tale detectives extraordinaire, in New York City where they stumble upon a murder, face betrayal by a friend, and discover an amazing secret about their mother.

### **Cavendish, Grace**

#### **Exile**

(*The Lady Grace Mysteries* series)

Thirteen-year-old Lady Grace Cavendish, maid of honour to Queen Elizabeth I, describes in her diary how

she tries to discover who stole a magical ruby belonging to the visiting princess of Sharakand.

### **Colfer, Eoin**

#### **Half-Moon Investigations**

Twelve-year-old private investigator Fletcher Moon, nicknamed "Half Moon" because of his shortness, must track down a conspiracy or be framed for a crime he did not commit.

### **Curtis, Christopher Paul**

#### **Mr. Chickee's Messy Mission**

When Russell's dog, Rodney Rodent, jumps into a mural to chase a demonic-looking gnome and disappears, the Flint Future Detectives are on the case. With the secret password (Bow-wow-wow yippee yo yippee yay!) Steven, Richelle, and Russell enter the mural too, only to find the mysterious Mr. Chickee on the other side. To find a way out, the detectives must complete a mission - finding Rodney Rodent. And that means they're in some wild adventure!

### **Hoobler, Dorothy**

#### **A Samurai Never Fears Death**

Returning home to investigate the possible connection of his family's tea shop with smugglers, Seikei, now a samurai in eighteenth-century Japan, becomes involved in murder at a local puppet theater and saving the life of his sister's accused boyfriend.

**Hautman, Pete  
Snatched**

Too curious for her own good, Roni, crime reporter for her high school newspaper, teams up with Brian, freshman science geek, to investigate the beating and kidnapping of a classmate.

**Hoeye, Michael  
Time Stops for No Mouse: A Hermux  
Tantamoq Adventure**

When Linka Perflinger, a jaunty mouse, brings a watch into his shop to be repaired and then disappears, Hermux Tantamoq is caught up in a world of dangerous search for eternal youth as he tries to find out what happened to her.

**Johns, Linda  
Hannah West on Millionaire's Row: A  
Mystery**

Pre-teen sleuth Hannah West gets caught up in a mystery involving feng shui and missing antiques while house-sitting in a mansion on Seattle's famed Millionaire's Row.

**Lalicki, Tom  
Shots at Sea: A Houdini & Nate  
Mystery**

While traveling to England with his mother and great-aunt on the ocean liner Lusitania in 1911, thirteen-year-old Nate, delighted to find that the Houdinis are also on board, finds himself involved in another dangerous adventure as he and Houdini try to find the man responsible

for attempting to assassinate another passenger--President Theodore Roosevelt.

**Lawrence, Caroline  
The Roman Mystery series**

Join four young detectives, Flavia, Jonathan, Nubia and Lupus, on their many adventures set in ancient Rome.

**Lobdell, Scott  
The Hardy Boys Undercover Brothers**  
Enjoy the Hardy Boys in a new graphic  
novel series!

**Muller, Rachel Dunstan  
When the Curtain Rises**

Chloe confronts her own fears when she investigates the strange history of her great-grandfather, a magician who disappeared at the height of his popularity.

**Peacock, Shane  
Eye of the Crow  
(The Boy Sherlock Holmes series)**

Danger runs high as a young Sherlock Holmes tries to clear the name of a man who is falsely accused of a murder.

**Petrucha, Stefan  
Nancy Drew Girl Detective Graphic  
Novel series**

A new graphic novel series based on our favourite girl detective – Nancy Drew!

**Pierce, Tamora  
Terrier**

When sixteen-year-old Beka becomes "Puppy" to a pair of "Dogs," as the Provost's Guards are called, she uses her police training, natural abilities, and a touch of magic to help them solve the case of a murdered baby in Tortall's Lower City.

**Selznick, Brian  
The Invention of Hugo Cabret: A  
Novel in Words and Pictures**

When twelve-year-old Hugo, an orphan living and repairing clocks within the walls of a Paris train station in 1931, meets a mysterious toy seller and his goddaughter, his undercover life and his biggest secret are jeopardized.

**Skurzynski, Gloria  
Night of the Black Bear: A Mystery in  
Great Smoky Mountains National  
Park**

While their mother investigates a series of bear attacks in and near Gatlinburg, Tennessee, Jack and Ashley learn about country music and Cherokee people from two new friends, one of whom is keeping a secret.

**Strickland, Brad  
The House Where Nobody Lived**  
Twelve-year-old Lewis and his best  
friend Rose Rita investigate a strange old  
house in their home town and discover

that they may be dealing with powerful ancient Hawaiian spirits.

**Trembath, Don  
Emville Confidential**

Twelve-year-old Baron Colfax is anything but the hard-boiled detective he dreams of being, and when a client appears at their backyard detective agency, he finds himself at odds with his partner and best friend, Myles.

**Van Draanen, Wendelin  
Sammy Keyes and the Wild Things**  
While on her first hiking and camping  
trip, thirteen-year-old Sammy tries to  
solve a mystery involving endangered  
condors while avoiding scorpions, ticks,  
and embarrassment.

**Wright, Betty Ren  
Princess for a Week**

When a confident girl named Princess arrives to spend a week at Roddy's house, she encourages him to help her investigate the suspicious activities happening at a supposedly haunted house.

**Other Series:  
Bailey, Linda  
Stevie Diamond Mystery series**

**Heneghan, James  
O'Brien Detective Agency series**

**MacGregor, Roy  
The Screech Owl series**