

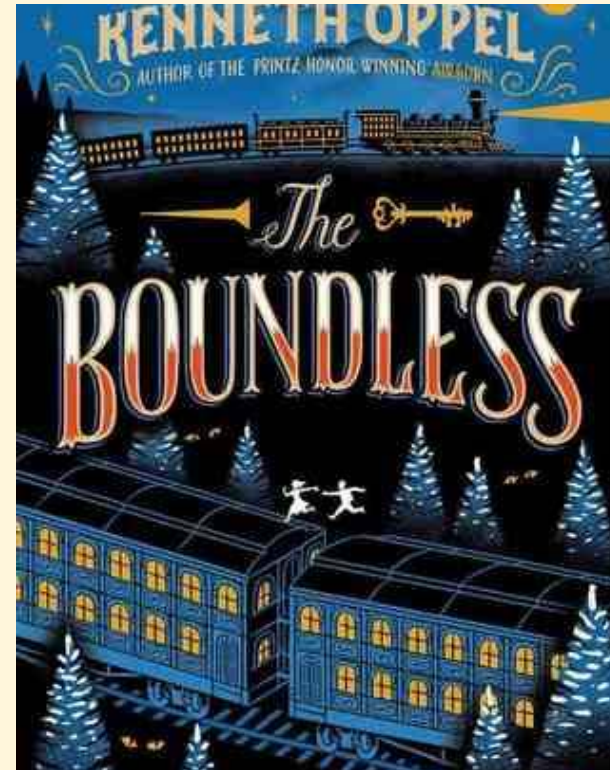
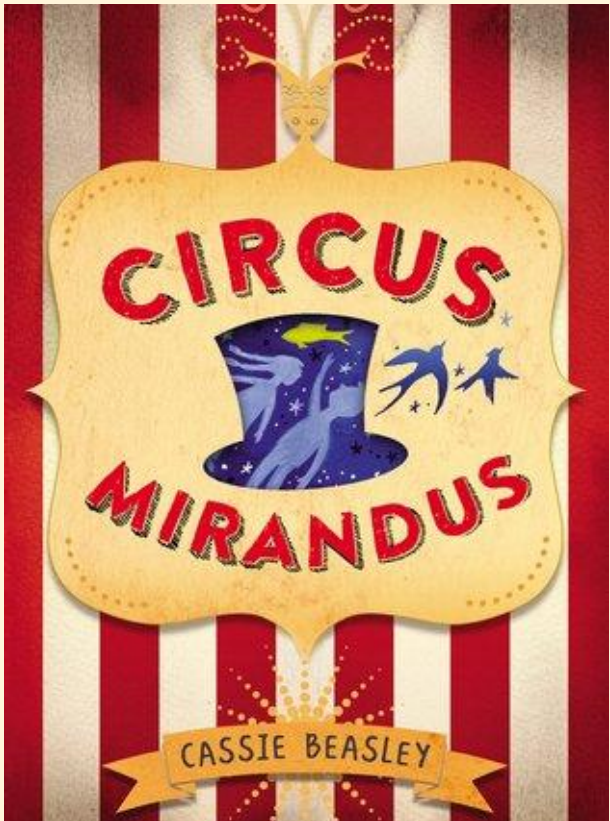
# CIRCUSES

## CHILDREN'S FICTION

### Circus Mirandus

Cassie Beasley

When he realizes that his grandfather's stories of an enchanted circus are true, Micah Tuttle sets out to find the mysterious Circus Mirandus--and to use its magic to save his grandfather's life



### The Boundless

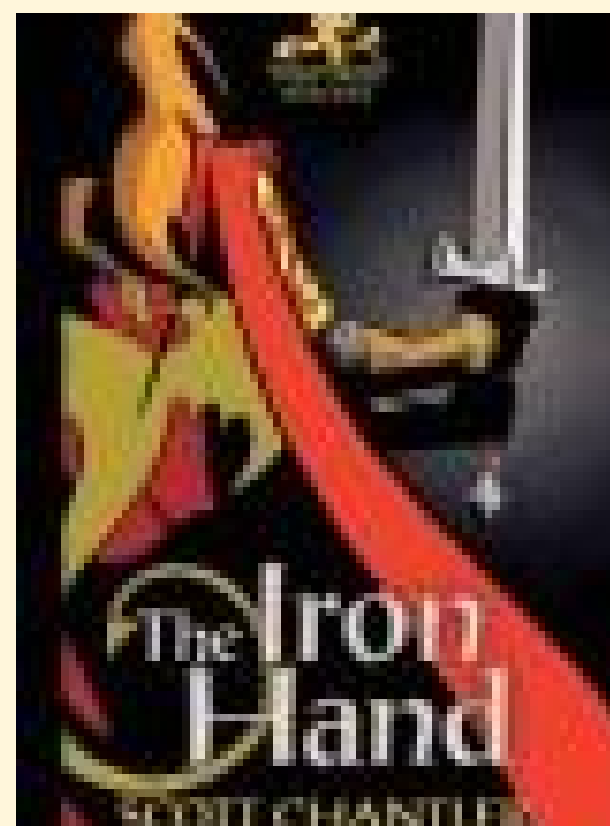
Kenneth Oppel

Aboard "The Boundless," the greatest train ever built, on its maiden voyage across Canada, teenaged Will enlists the aid of a traveling circus to save the train from villains.

### The Boy Who Swam With Piranhas

David Almond

Stanley Potts's uncle Ernie has developed an over-the-top fascination with canning fish in the house But when Uncle Ernie's obsession takes an unexpectedly cruel turn, Stan has no choice but to leave. As he journeys away from the life he's always known, he mingles with a carnival full of eccentric characters and meets the legendary Pancho Pirelli, the man who swims in a tank full of perilous piranhas. Will Stan be bold enough to dive in the churning waters himself and choose his own destiny?



### Three Thieves [graphic novel]

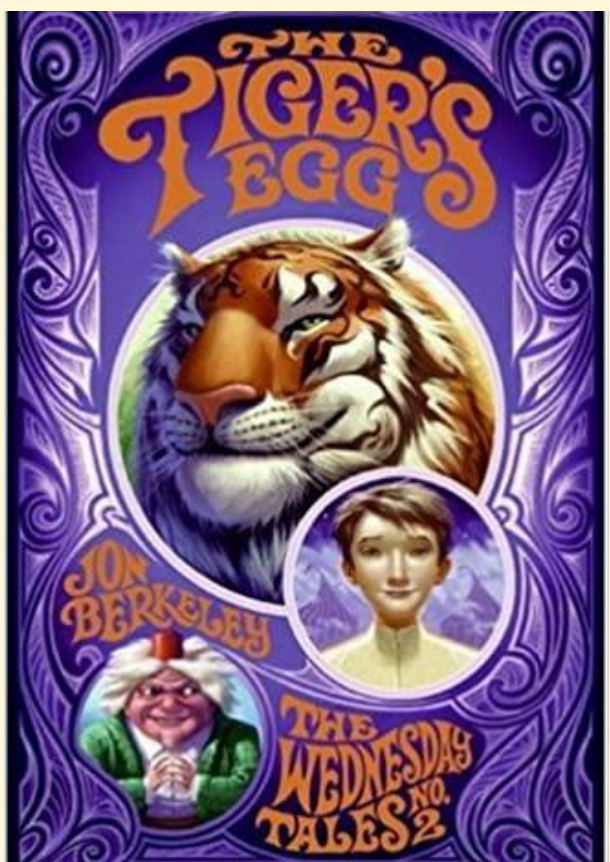
Scott Chantler

As an acrobat in a circus, 14-year-old Dessa Redd feels hope when her troupe pulls into the city of Kingsbridge. Maybe here in the royal city she will finally find her twin brother--or the mysterious man who snatched him away.

### The Tiger's Egg

Jon Berkeley

While working for the newly revamped circus, orphaned eleven-year-old Miles gains information about his past and sets off with his angel companion, Little, on a quest to find a mystical tiger's egg before it falls into the hands of their nemesis, Cortado.



### My Best Friend and Other Illusions

Suri Rosen

What if your imaginary friend from childhood suddenly reappeared . . . except this time he's no figment of your imagination, but an actual living person. For thirteen-year-old Charlotte "Charlie" Dickson, the shocking arrival of her imaginary friend, Rudy, seems to be the answer to all her problems--until his presence starts unleashing a storm of mayhem.



### Carnival at Candlelight

Mary Pope Osborne

While on a mission to prove to Merlin that they can use magic wisely, Jack and Annie travel to seventeenth-century Venice, Italy, to save the city from disaster.

