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**The Class Trip From the Black Lagoon**  
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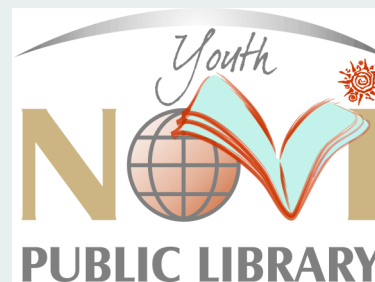
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600	3.3
625	3.5
650	3.7
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**Velma Gratch and the Way Cool Butterfly** by Alan Madison

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