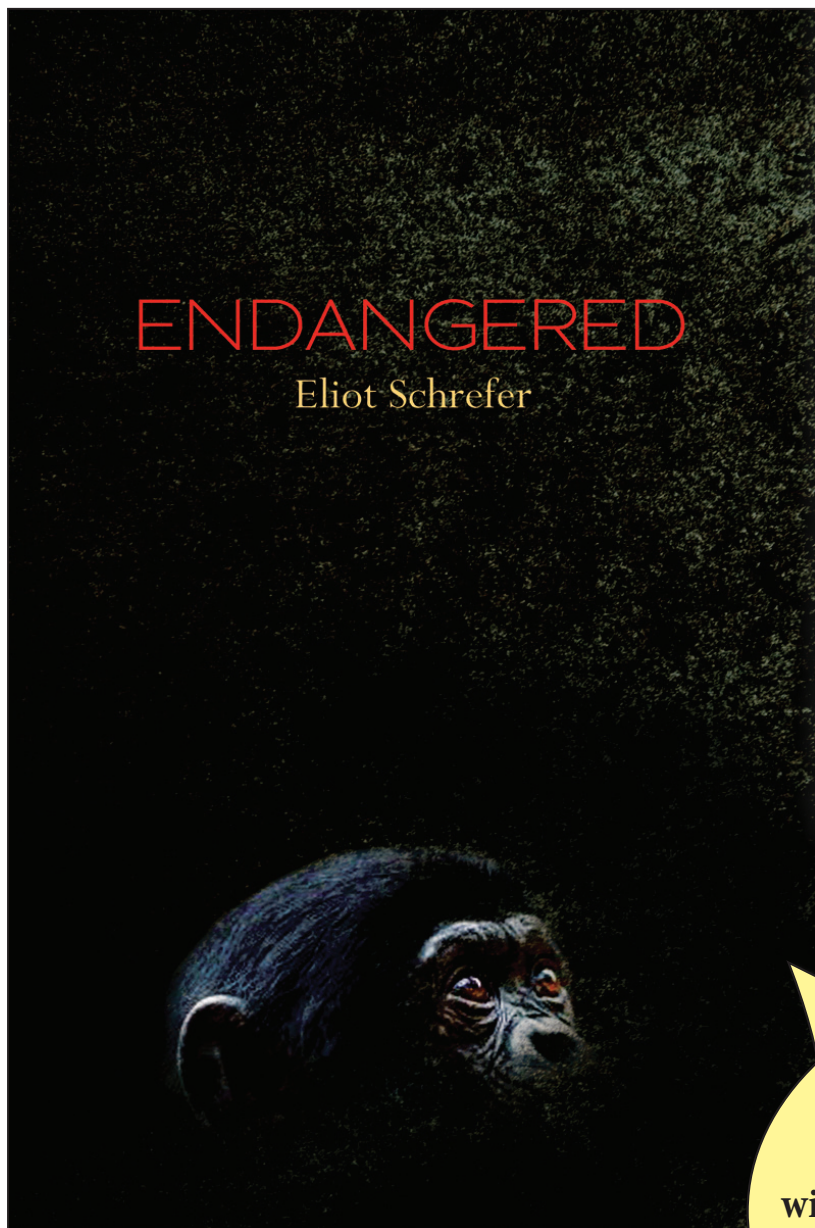




Book Talk

Books We Love This Month



Endangered

By Eliot Schrefer

Sophie lives with her father in America but spends summers with her mom in Congo, where she has a sanctuary for bonobo monkeys. On her way there, she rescues a young bonobo, Otto, and he becomes her constant companion. The Congo is a dangerous place, even for people who are trying to do good. When revolution breaks out and their sanctuary is attacked, Sophie must rescue the bonobos and hide in the jungle, where they struggle to eat, keep safe, and survive.

Ages 12 & up

“I loved this book because of the vivid characters, including the bonobo monkeys (I fell in love with them), the harrowing adventure, and because it made me think that dystopian isn’t just in the future — for some people it is right now.” — Janet

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