
EARLY READERS: Continued

PEARL AND WAGNER: ONE FUNNY DAY

McMullan, Kate

April Fools' Day is not a happy one for Wagner the mouse because his best friend, Pearl the rabbit, and other children and adults at school keep tricking him.



FANCY NANCY: POISON IVY EXPERT

O'Connor, Jane

Though Nancy considers herself a poison ivy expert, she learns a valuable (and itchy) lesson about the plant after picking a bouquet of wildflowers.

PUPPY MUDGE FINDS A FRIEND

Rylant, Cynthia

Puppy Mudge and Fluffy the cat prove that cats and dogs really can be friends. Look for more Puppy Mudge stories by Cynthia Rylant.

SPLAT THE CAT AND THE DUCK WITH NO QUACK

Scotton, Rob

Splat the cat's bicycle bumps and jumps over the bumpy track on his way to school, until he takes a tumble off of his bike and finds himself nose to beak with a duck. When the duck does not make a sound, Splat packs the duck in his backpack and heads off to Cat School.

I LOVE MY NEW TOY!

Willems, Mo

When Elephant accidentally breaks Piggie's new toy, they both realize the importance of friendship. Look for more Elephant and Piggie stories by Mo Willems.



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GOOD BOOKS FOR KINDERGARTEN - 1st GRADE

PICTURE BOOKS: These books are shelved by the author's last name and are meant to be read together with a parent or older reader.

LITTLE BEAR'S BIG SWEATER

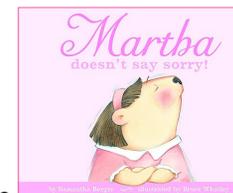
Bedford, David

When big bear hands down his favorite sweater and little bear soils it, the bears work to overcome their differences.

MARTHA DOESN'T SAY SORRY

Berger, Samantha

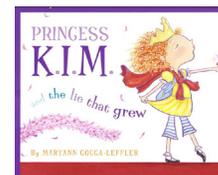
Martha is ready for just about everything, except to say those three little words: I am sorry, until she learns the rewarding feeling that comes with saying them.



THE CURIOUS GARDEN

Brown, Peter

Liam discovers a hidden garden and with careful tending spreads color throughout the gray city.



PRINCESS K.I.M. AND THE LIE THAT GREW

Cocca-Leffler, Maryann

After new girl Kim tells her classmates she is from a royal family, her lie grows and grows.

MISS RUMPHIUS

Cooney, Barbara

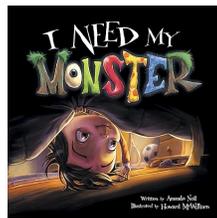
Great-aunt Alice fulfills her childhood wish to do something to make the world more beautiful.



BIG BUG SURPRISE

Gran, Julia

Prunella knows a lot about insects, which comes in handy when her classroom fills with bees. It's up to her to save the day.



I NEED MY MONSTER

Noll, Amanda

Ethan can't sleep because the monster that lives under his bed is on vacation, so he searches for a substitute.

Boutique Bins: These books are located in the bins near the Picture Book area and are meant to be read with a parent or older reader.

THE THREE BILLY GOATS' STUFF

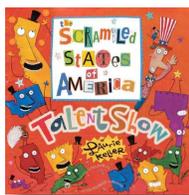
Hartman, Bob

Goat starts at a new school where he quickly finds out about Troll, the school bully, but Troll hasn't heard about Goat's older brothers.

THE SCRAMBLED STATES OF AMERICA TALENT SHOW

Keller, Laurie

The states get together to put on a show featuring their unique talents.



AMELIA BEDELIA'S FIRST VALENTINE

Parish, Herman

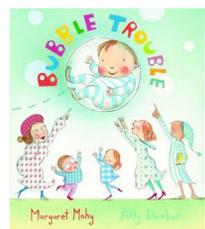
Literal-minded even as a child, Amelia Bedelia muddles through Valentine's Day with her heart on her sleeve, trying to make sense of strange greetings at school and home, and ever on the look-out for the arrows of Cupid. This title is also shelved in the Valentine's Day Holiday collection.

I'M BIG

Dinosaur Boutique Bin (McMullan, Kate)

A young sauropod encounters friends and foes while searching for his pack, who left while he was oversleeping.

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BUBBLE TROUBLE

Mahy, Margaret

Mabel blows a bubble that captures baby and takes him away, resulting in a rescue that involves the whole neighborhood.

A TREE FOR EMMY

Rodman, Mary Ann

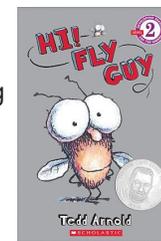
Emmy loves the Mimosa tree in her grandmother's yard and asks for one for her birthday only to find out that the wild tree can't be bought in a store.



HI! FLY GUY

Arnold, Tedd

Buzz wants to enter The Amazing Pet Show, and uses a fly to do it. The judges and his parents tell him that a fly cannot be a pet, but Fly Guy proves them wrong.



CHASING DEGAS

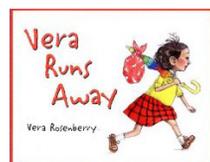
Montanari, Eva

At the time of the Impressionists, a young ballet dancer races around Paris searching for Monsieur Degas, who accidentally took her bag—and the tutu she needs for the recital in which she is to perform that night.

VERA RUNS AWAY

Rosenberry, Vera

Vera's family is too busy to notice her great report card, so she decides to find another place to live.



THE BERENSTAIN BEARS: ALL ABOARD!

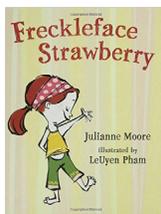
Berenstain, Jan and Stan

The Bears are on a steam train trip across Bear country. Mama and Papa enjoy the scenery but the cubs want to learn about the train. With luck, Grizzly Jones might let them blow the train whistle.

FRECKLEFACE STRAWBERRY

Moore, Julianne

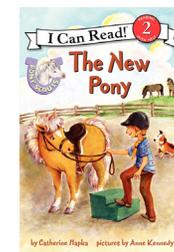
When Freckleface Strawberry tries to hide what makes her different, she learns about true friendship and accepting yourself just as you are.



THE SUNFLOWER SWORD

Sperring, Mark

In a land marked by endless fighting between knights and dragons, a mother gives her eager little boy a sunflower rather than the sword he requests, and when he wields it against a real dragon, new understanding begins.



THE NEW PONY, A PONY SCOUTS BOOK

Hapka, Catherine
Just when the pony scouts think they've seen it all, a new horse arrives on Jill's farm—one who hasn't been ridden before! With a little patience and a lot of love, Jill and the Pony Scouts will make Taffy a member of the family.

ALEXANDER AND THE TERRIBLE, HORRIBLE, NO GOOD VERY BAD DAY

Viorst, Judith

Alexander wakes up to a bad day and things get so bad he thinks he may have to move to Australia.