

Picture Books

The Watermelon Seed.....Pizzoli
Ball.....Sullivan
Up, Tall and High!.....Long
Pete the Cat and his four Groovy Buttons Litwin
Z is for Moose.....Bingham
GreenSeeger
Creepy Carrots!.....Reynolds
Interrupting Chicken.....Stein
Too Tall Houses.....Marino
Black Dog.....Pinfold
Chester.....Watt
The Day the Crayons Quit.....Daywalt
Mr. Tiger Goes Wild.....Brown
The Dark.....Snicket
Steam Train Dream Train.....Rinker
Xander's Panda Party.....Park
Take Me out to the Yakyu.....Meshon
The Mighty Lalouche.....Olshan
Journey.....Becker
That is Not a Good Idea.....Willems
Dino-Wrestling.....Wheeler
Have You Seen My New Blue Socks?Bunting
Sophie's Squash.....Miller
Maple.....Nichols
Betty Bunny Loves Chocolate Cake.....Kaplan
Each Kindness.....Woodson
Otto the Book Bear.....Cleminson
Ralph Tells a Story.....Hanlon
Brothers at Bat.....Vernick
Bear Has a Story to Tell.....Stead
Infinity and Me.....Hosford
Rhyming Dust Bunnies.....Thomas
Battle Bunny.....Sciezcka
The Three Little Pigs and the Somewhat Bad Wolf.....Teague
Unicorn Thinks He's Pretty Great.....Shea

Chu's Day.....Gaiman
! (Exclamation Mark).....Rosenthal
Doug Unplugged.....Yaccarino
Mr. Wuffles.....Weisner
How to Train a Train.....Eaton

Beginning Readers

BiscuitCapucili
Minnie and Moo.....Cazet
Elephant and Piggie.....Willems
Mr Putter and Tabby.....Rylant
Magic Bone.....Kruli
Fly GuyArnold
Fancy Nancy(I Can Read! series).....O'Connor
Pete the Cat (I Can Read! series).....Litwin
Martha (Level 2 series).....Meddaugh
Splat the Cat. (I Can Read! series).....Scotton
Marley (I Can Read! series).....Grogan

Early Chapter Books

Mrs. Noodlekugel (series).....Pinkwater
Anna Hibiscus (series).....Atinuke
Bramble and Maggie.....Haas
PennyHenkes
Wiggle and Waggle.....Arnold
Dodsworth.....Eager
Cobblestreet Cousins.....Rylant
Captain AwesomeKirby
Ling and TingLin
Mercy Watson.....DiCamillo
Ballpark Mysteries.....Kelly
The Buddy Files.....Butler
Heidi Heckelbeck.....Coven
Little Friends.....Tukel
BoneAdler

Rabbit and Robot: The Sleepover.....Bell
Katie Woo.....Manushkin
Iris and Walter.....Guest
Cork & Fuzz.....Chaconas
Mouse and Mole.....Yee
Zelda and Ivy.....Kvasnosky

Nonfiction

Parrots of Puerto Rico.....Roth
Who Would Win?(series).....Pallotta
Fly Guy Presents (Sharks, Dinosaurs, Space)Arnold
Hello Bumblebee Bat.....Lunde
Vulture View.....Sayre
Maps.....Mizielinska
Once I was a Cardboard Box...But Now I am a Book about Polar Bears.....Poitier
Ten Things I Can Do to Help My World.....Walsh
Over and Under the Snow.....Messner
The Long, Long Journey.....Markle
Jet Plane: How it Works.....Macauley
Energy Island.....Drummond
How did that Get in my Lunchbox?; The Story of Food.....Butterworth

Folk Tales

Two of Everything.....Hong
Fandango Stew.....Davis
Tops and Bottoms.....Stevens
Yummy; Eight Favorite Fairy Tales..Cousins
Once Upon a Time, The End; Asleep in 60 Seconds.....Kloske

Biographies

Who Says Women Can't be Doctors? The Story of Elizabeth Blackwell.....Stone
The Noisy Paint Box; The Colors and Sounds of Kandinsky's ArtRosenstock
Brave Girl: Clara and the Shirtwaist Makers' Strike of 1909.....Markel
Martin and Mahalia: His Words, Her Song.....Pinkney
The Tree Lady.....Hopkins
On a Beam of Light; A Story of Albert Einstein.....Berne
A Splash of Red: The Art and Life of Horace Pippin.....Bryant

Graphic Novels

Benny and Penny.....Hayes
Little Mouse Gets Ready.....Smith
Hamster and Cheese.....Venable
Otto's Orange Day.....Lynch
Owly.....Runton

Poetry

Won-Ton; A Cat Tale Told in Haiku.....Wardlaw
Forget-me-nots: Poems to Learn by HeartHoberman
Button Up! Wrinkled Rhymes.....Schertle
Antarctic Antics.....Sierra
Mammalabilia.....Florian
Little Dog Poems.....George

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Suggested Websites

Hennepin County Library Kid Links
<http://www.hclib.org/kids/books/>

GUYS READ
<http://www.guysread.com/>

Book Hive
<http://www.cmlibrary.org/bookhive/books/>

A Book and a Hug
<http://www.abookandahug.com/>

American Library Association Book and Media Awards
<http://www.ala.org/alsc/awardsgrants/bookmedia>

Summer Reading Suggestions 2014

Grades K-2

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