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Books for 2nd Grade

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FICTION

All fiction titles are shelved by the author's name in the Picture Book, Reader, Fiction, or Graphic Novel section
When available, Leveled Book level [J],[K], etc. has been indicated.

Picture Books

Agee, J.	**Lion Lessons**	*Learning to be a lion takes some serious lessons*
Brown, M.	**Arthur's Teacher Moves In**	*Also available in Spanish*: **La visita del señor Rataquemada** [K]
Cronin, D.	**Diary of a Spider**	*There's a lot to learn to being a spider* [K]
Cunnane, K.	**For You are a Kenyan Child**	*Through the day a boy plays and visits neighbors* [K]
Hall, M.	**Red: A Crayon's Story**	*Red's label says he is red, but he cannot seem to color anything right* [L]
Khan, R.	**Big Red Lollipop**	*Rubina is invited to a party, but must take her younger sister along* [M]
Lin, G.	**Ugly Vegetables**	*A girl discovers the good things about Chinese vegetables* [L]
London, J.	**Froggy Goes to the Library**	*Froggy is excited to visit the library* [K]
Myers, C.	**My Pen**	*A young artist celebrates the things he can do with a simple pen*
Nelson, K.	**He's Got the Whole World in His Hands**	*An illustrated version of the traditional song* [H]
Numeroff, L.	**If You Give a Pig a Pancake**	*Also available in Spanish*: **Si le das un panqueque a una cerdita** [K]
Park, L.	**Yaks Yak: Animal Word Pairs**	*From hogging hogs to slugging slugs*
Reynolds, A.	**Creepy Carrots**	*Jasper Rabbit notices that carrots are following him everywhere* [L]
Santat, D.	**Adventures of Beekle, the Unimaginary Friend**	*An imaginary friend find his perfect match* [K]
Wenzel, B.	**They All Saw a Cat**	*All the creatures see the cat from their own perspective* [H]

Readers *look for other titles in series*

Adler, D.	**Young Cam Jansen and the Circus Mystery**	*Cam's photographic memory solves a mystery* [J]
Arnold, T.	**Fly Guy vs. the Flyswatter!**	*Buzz and Fly Guy go on a funny field trip* [I]
Bell, C.	**Rabbit and Robot**	*Two friends enjoy a sleepover* [L]
Berenstain, S.	**Berenstain Bears Clean House**	*The Bear family finds that it is difficult to get rid of things* [K]
Cammuso, F.	**Otto's Backwards Day**	*Otto lands in a palindrome-speaking world* [M]
Coerr, E.	**The Big Balloon Race**	*A woman races in a hot-air balloon* [L]
Dungey, T.	**Missing Cupcake Mystery**	*No dessert until the missing cupcake is found*
Egan, T.	**Dodsworth in New York**	*A silly duck stows away on an around-the-world trip*
Guest, E.	**Iris and Walter**	*Iris misses the city but she makes a new friend named Walter* [J]
Hale, B.	**Clark the Shark: Tooth Trouble**	*Clark needs to visit the dentist but can he find a way to stay cool?* [K]
Henkes, K.	**Penny and Her Marble**	*Penny finds a marble, but does it really belong to her?*
Hoban, L.	**Arthur's Loose Tooth**	*Arthur the chimp is a little worried about losing his tooth* [K]
Hopkinson, D.	**From Slave to Soldier: Based on a True Civil War Story**	*A boy joins the Union Army*
Hsu Lin, A.	**Splat the Cat Takes the Cake**	*Splat enters a cake-baking contest but it's not as easy as it looks* [I]
McCloskey, K .	**The Real Poop on Pigeons!**	*A funny, yet instructional, guide to all things pigeon* [N]
Nolen, J.	**Backyard Camp-Out** [Bradford Street Buddies]	*Friends pitch a tent and but hear scary noises*
Parish, H.	**Amelia Bedelia, Bookworm**	*The literal-minded housekeeper causes chaos at her local library* [L]
Rylant, C.	**Henry and Mudge and the Great Grandpas**	*A visit to a home with lots of other grandpas* [J]
Sharmat, M.	**Nate the Great: San Francisco Detective**	*Nate solves a mystery in the city by the bay* [K]
Silverman, E.	**Cowgirl Kate and Cocoa**	*Cocoa, the cowhorse, helps Kate count cows, share a story, and more* [K]
Van Leeuwen	**Amanda Pig and the Really Hot Day**	*Amanda tries to find different ways to beat the heat* [L]
Willems, M.	**The Thank You Book**	*Revisit all of Piggie and Gerald's friends from the other books in the series!* [H]

Fiction* *most titles in a series*

Applegate, K.	**Never Glue Your Friends to Chairs**	*Roscoe Riley learns a lesson*
Brown, M.	**Lola Levine is Not Mean**	*Lola accidentally hurts a classmate during a soccer game* [M]
DiCamillo, K.	**Bink and Gollie**	*Two roller-skating best friends share three comical adventures* [M]
Flintham, T.	**Game Over, Super Rabbit Boy!**	*Super Rabbit Boy, Sunny and his video game console must save the day*
Haas, J.	**Bramble and Maggie**	*Bramble, the horse, goes to live with a girl named Maggie*

Fiction (continued)

Hale, S. **Princess in Black** *Magnolia has a secret identity as a monster-fighting superhero* [L]
Jones, N. **Moldylocks and the Three Beards** *A girl finds a mixed-up fairy tale world [N]*
Krulik, N. **Be Careful What You Sniff For [*Magic Bone*]** *A bone takes a dog on adventures around the world*
Landry, L. **Grin and Bear It** *Will stage fright prevent Bear from becoming a stand-up comedian?* [L]
Marko, C. **Let's Get Cracking! [*Kung Pow Chicken*]** *Gordon must save Fowladelphia from Granny Goosebumps*[M]
McDonald, M. **Amy Namey in Ace Reporter [*Judy Moody and Friends]*** *Amy and Judy search for news* [O]
O'Neal, S. **Little Shaq** *7-year-old Shaquille O'Neal works with his cousin to earn money* [M]
Osborne, M. **Dinosaurs Before Dark [*Magic Tree House*]** *Jack and Annie travel through time* [M]
Pilkey, D. **Ricky Ricotta's Mighty Robot** *Ricky the mouse finds a new robot friend* [M]
Roland, T. **Monkey Me and the Golden Monkey** *A boy turns into a monkey whenever he gets excited* [O]
Sachar, L. **Marvin Redpost, Kidnapped at Birth?** *Marvin is certain he is really the lost prince of Shampoon* [M]

Graphic Novels

Cohn, A. **The Zoo Box** *A mysterious box contains a whole zoo!*
Dillard, S. **Extraordinary Warren** *An ordinary chicken discovers what makes him super inside and out*
Kochalka, J. **Johnny Boo Zooms to the Moon** *Johnny meets a girl ghost with BOOM power*
Lechner, S. **Sticky Burr : Adventures in Burrwood Forest** *A village of plant burrs lives in harmony* [Q]
Naujokaitis, P. **Dinosaurs in Space** *Dinosaurs have settled on Planet Lettuce and Planet Meatball*
Yoon, S. **Duck Duck Porcupine** *Big Duck likes to boss around her younger brother, Little Duck*

NON-FICTION

All titles in the non-fiction section are arranged by call number (subject)

Folklore

398.2 Ay44m **The Mitten** / Aylesworth, J. *A lost mitten becomes a warm place for more and more animals* [M]
398.2 C867j **Jack and the Beanstalk** / Crews, N. *A boy gets magic beans and finds a fortune*
398.2 K882b **Bokuden and the Bully : a Japanese Folktale** *A samurai shows the true meaning of strength* [M]
398.2 M143r **Raven: A Trickster Tale from the Pacific Northwest** / McDermott, G. *Raven brings light to the world* [K]
398.2 M145g2 **Go to Sleep, Gecko! : A Balinese Folktale** / MacDonald, M. *Gecko wants the mosquitos gone*
398.2 Pinkney **Three Billy Goats Gruff** / Pinkney, J. *Three goats are challenged by the troll under the bridge*
398.2 So82f **Foxy!** / Souhami, J. *Foxy outwits everyone to get a bigger and better meal*

Science, Social Science and Technology

388.34 Dru **Pedal Power: How One Community Became the Bicycle Capital of the World** / Drummond, A.
525 B734 1986 **What Makes Day and Night?** / Branley, F. [N]
551.22 B326e **Earthquake!** / Bauer, M.
591.46 As86e **An Egg is Quiet** / Aston, D. [N]
591.5 F333s **Strangest Animals** / Feldman, T.
595.7 Arnold **Fly Guy Presents: Insects** / Arnold T. [L]
599.769 W483s **Sea Otters** [Backyard Wildlife] / Wendorff, A.
612.8 Sh82s 1997 **Sleep is for Everyone** / Showers, P. [L]
621.4 B224m **My Light** / Bang, M. *The sun narrates an explanation of light and energy* [N]
629.133 M128j **Jet Plane: How it Works** / Macaulay, D.

Arts, Poetry, Entertainment, and Sports

796.334 G352m **My Soccer Book** / Gibbons, G. [N]
811 G882t **Thanks a Million** /Grimes, N. *Poems about being thankful* [N]
811 H653y5 **You Read to Me, I'll Read to You: Very Short Fables to Read Together** / Hoberman, M. [M]
818 M2681w **What Do You Hear When Cows Sing? : And Other Silly Riddles** / Maestro, M. [J]

History and Biography

759.97 K121w **Frida** / Winter, J. (also SPA 759.97 K121w) [K]
920 L638b3 **Abe Lincoln's Hat** / Brenner, M. [M]