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**Books for Second Grade**

**FICTION**

*All fiction titles are shelved by the author's name in the Picture Book, Reader, Fiction, or Graphic Novel section*

**Picture Books**

Agee, J.	<b>It's Only Stanley</b>	<i>Strange noises keep awakening the family</i>
Brown, M.	<b>Arthur's Teacher Moves In</b>	<i>Also available in Spanish: <b>La visita del señor Rataquemada</b></i>
Cronin, D.	<b>Diary of a Spider</b>	<i>There's a lot to learn to being a spider</i>
Cunnane, K.	<b>For You are a Kenyan Child</b>	<i>Through the day a boy plays and visits neighbors</i>
Howe, J.	<b>Brontorina</b>	<i>A dinosaur discovers that even she can become a ballerina</i>
Hurd, T.	<b>Mama Don't Allow</b>	<i>The Swamp Band escapes the alligators' party</i>
Khan, R.	<b>Big Red Lollipop</b>	<i>Rubina is invited to a party, but must take her younger sister along</i>
Lin, G.	<b>Fortune Cookie Fortunes</b>	<i>A family notices the fortunes in their cookies seem to come true</i>
Myers, C.	<b>My Pen</b>	<i>A young artist celebrates the things he can do with a simple pen</i>
Nelson, K.	<b>He's Got the Whole World in His Hands</b>	<i>An illustrated version of the traditional song</i>
Numeroff, L.	<b>If You Give a Pig a Pancake</b>	<i>Also available in Spanish: <b>Si le das un panqueque a una cerdita</b></i>
Reynolds, A.	<b>Creepy Carrots</b>	<i>Jasper Rabbit notices that carrots are following him everywhere</i>
Santat, D.	<b>Adventures of Beekle, the Unimaginary Friend</b>	<i>An imaginary friend find his perfect match</i>

**Readers**

Adler, D.	<b>Young Cam Jansen and the Circus Mystery</b>	<i>Cam's photographic memory solves a mystery</i>
Arnold, T.	<b>Fly Guy vs. the Flyswatter!</b>	<i>Buzz and Fly Guy go on a funny field trip</i>
Bell, C.	<b>Rabbit and Robot</b>	<i>Two friends enjoy a sleepover</i>
Berenstain, S.	<b>Berenstain Bears Clean House</b>	<i>The Bear family finds that it is difficult to get rid of things</i>
Cammuso, F.	<b>Otto's Backwards Day</b>	<i>Otto lands in a palindrome-speaking world</i>
Coerr, E.	<b>The Big Balloon Race</b>	<i>A woman races in a hot-air balloon</i>
Egan, T.	<b>Dodsworth in New York</b>	<i>A silly duck stows away on an around-the-world trip</i>
Guest, E.	<b>Iris and Walter</b>	<i>Iris misses the city but she makes a new friend named Walter</i>
Henkes, K.	<b>Penny and Her Marble</b>	<i>Penny finds a marble, but does it really belong to her?</i>
Hoban, L.	<b>Arthur's Loose Tooth</b>	<i>Arthur the chimp is a little worried about losing his tooth</i>
Hopkinson, D.	<b>From Slave to Soldier: Based on a True Civil War Story</b>	<i>A boy joins the Union Army</i>
Hsu Lin, A.	<b>Splat the Cat Takes the Cake</b>	<i>Splat enters a cake-baking contest but it's not as easy as it looks</i>
Joyner, A.	<b>Boris Gets a Lizard</b>	<i>Boris has a lot of pets, but what he really wants is a Komodo dragon</i>
Parish, H.	<b>Amelia Bedelia, Bookworm</b>	<i>The literal-minded housekeeper causes chaos at her local library</i>
Rylant, C.	<b>Henry and Mudge and the Great Grandpas</b>	<i>A visit to a home with lots of other grandpas</i>
Sharmat, M.	<b>Nate the Great: San Francisco Detective</b>	<i>Nate solves a mystery in the city by the bay</i>
Silverman, E.	<b>Cowgirl Kate and Cocoa</b>	<i>Cocoa, the cowhorse, helps Kate count cows, share a story, and more</i>
Van Leeuwen	<b>Amanda Pig and the Really Hot Day</b>	<i>Amanda tries to find different ways to beat the heat</i>

**Fiction**

Applegate, K.	<b>Never Glue Your Friends to Chairs</b>	<i>Roscoe Riley learns a lesson</i>
DiCamillo, K.	<b>Bink and Gollie</b>	<i>Two roller-skating best friends share three comical adventures</i>
Elliott, R.	<b>Eva's Treetop Festival [Owl Diaries]</b>	<i>Eva, a young owl, discovers it's better to work together</i>
Haas, J.	<b>Bramble and Maggie</b>	<i>Bramble, the horse, goes to live with a girl named Maggie</i>
Hale, S.	<b>Princess in Black</b>	<i>Magnolia has a secret identity as a monster-fighting superhero</i>
Howard, E.	<b>Virgie Goes to School with Us Boys</b>	<i>A young African American girl in the post-Civil War South</i>
Jones, N.	<b>Moldylocks and the Three Beards</b>	<i>A girl finds a mixed-up fairy tale world</i>
Landry, L.	<b>Grin and Bear It</b>	<i>Will stage fright prevent Bear from becoming a stand-up comedian?</i>
Marko, C.	<b>Let's Get Cracking! [Kung Pow Chicken]</b>	<i>Gordon must save Fowladelphia from Granny Goosebumps</i>

## Fiction (continued)

- McDonald, M. **Amy Namey in Ace Reporter [Judy Moody and Friends]** *Amy and Judy search for news*  
O’Ryan, R. **Hello, Nebulon!** *A boy moves with his family to planet Nebulon*  
Osborne, M. **Dinosaurs Before Dark [Magic Tree House]** *Jack and Annie travel through time*  
Pilkey, D. **Ricky Ricotta's Mighty Robot** *Ricky the mouse finds a new robot friend*  
Roland, T. **Monkey Me and the Golden Monkey** *A boy turns into a monkey whenever he gets excited*  
Sachar, L. **Marvin Redpost, Kidnapped at Birth?** *Marvin is certain he is really the lost prince of Shampoo.*

## 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*  
Eaton, M. **The Flying Beaver Brothers and the Fishy Business** *The Fish Stix corporation is cutting down trees*  
Lechner, S. **Sticky Burr : Adventures in Burrwood Forest.** *A village of plant burrs lives in harmony*  
Naujokaitis, P. **Dinosaurs in Space** *Dinosaurs have settled on Planet Lettuce and Planet Meatball*

## 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*  
398.2 M143r **Raven: A Trickster Tale from the Pacific Northwest** / McDermott, G.  
398.2 M145f **Fat Cat: A Danish Folktale** / MacDonald, M.  
398.2 M145g2 **Go to Sleep, Gecko! : A Balinese Folktale** / MacDonald, M.  
398.2 P29h **Head, Body, Legs: A Story from Liberia** / Paye, W.  
398.2 So82f **Foxy!** / Souhami, J. *Foxy outwits everyone to get a bigger and better meal*

### Science and Technology

- 525 B734 **What Makes Day and Night?** / Branley, F.  
551.22 B326e **Earthquake!** / Bauer, M.  
551.5 B734a **Air is All Around You** / Branley, F.  
591.46 As86e **An Egg is Quiet** / Aston, D.  
591.5 F333s **Strangest Animals** / Feldman, T.  
597.3 Ar65f **Fly Guy Presents: Sharks** / Arnold, T.  
598.9 Si35a **About Raptors**/ Sill, C.  
599.769 W483s **Sea Otters [Backyard Wildlife]** / Wendorff, A.  
612.8 Sh82s **Sleep is for Everyone** / Showers, P.  
621.4 B224m **My Light** / Bang, M. *The sun narrates an explanation of light and energy*  
629.133 M128j **Jet Plane: How it Works** / Macaulay, D.

### Arts, Poetry, Entertainment, and Sports

- 736.982 M595o4 **Origami Pets** / Miles, L.  
791.43 St288h3 **Star Wars: Tatooine Adventures** / Hibbert, C.  
796.334 F186L **Let's Talk Soccer** / Falk, L.  
811 G882t **Thanks a Million** /Grimes, N. *Poems about being thankful*  
811 H653y5 **You Read to Me, I'll Read to You: Very Short Fables to Read Together** / Hoberman, M.  
818 H369y2 **Yucky Riddles** / Helmer, M.

### History and Biography

- 759.97 K121w **Frida** / Winter, J. (also SPA 759.97 K121w)  
920 L638b3 **Abe Lincoln's Hat** / Brenner, M.  
979.4 W119s **Survival in the Snow** / Wadsworth, G.