

Books to Read to Your First Grader

Picture Books

Miss Nelson Is Missing - Allard
Tangerines and Tea - Gritz
Happy Adoption Day - McCutcheon
Diary of a Worm - Cronin *
Miss Smith's Incredible Storybook - Garland
Abuela - Dorros
Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus - Willems *
Stella, Fairy of the Forest - Gay
Rainbow Fish - Pfeiffer *
Whoever You Are - Fox
Rosie's Wish - Dewar
Q Is for Duck - Elting
Is Your Mama a Llama? - Guarino
House Is a House for Me - Hoberman
Pete's a Pizza - Steig *
One Lighthouse One Moon - Lobel
Patchwork Quilt - Flourney

Popular Series

Cat in the Hat - Seuss *
Science Play - Cobb (non-fiction)
Frog and Toad - Lobel *
Little Bear - Minarik
Fox Outfoxed (and other titles) - Marshall *
Poppleton - Rylant *
Arthur - Brown

Non-Fiction Suggestions

Is There Life in Outer Space? – Branley

The Littlest Dinosaurs – Most

Biggest, Strongest, Fastest – Jenkins *

Dinosaur Bones – Barner

I Am a Rock – Marzollo *

Let's Go Home – Rylant

Ant City – Dorros

Popular authors

Kevin Henkes *

Leo Lionni

Todd Parr *

Mercer Mayer *

Paul Galdone

Rosemary Wells *

David Shannon

Maurice Sendak

Laurence Pringle *

Anne Rockwell (many non-fiction titles)

New and Notable

Chester – Watt

Dog and Bear – Seeger

How Many Seeds in a Pumpkin? – McNamara

Library Mouse – Kirk

* student recommended