

Grade 2

Favorite Picture Books

(E PIC unless otherwise noted)

Barton, Chris	<i>Fire Truck vs. Dragon</i>
Beaty, Andrea	<i>Ada Twist, Scientist</i>
Garza, Cynthia	<i>Lucia the Luchadora</i>
Heder, Thyra	<i>Alfie (The Turtle that Disappeared)</i>
Kostecki-Shaw, Jenny Sue	<i>Same, Same, but Different</i>
Medina, Meg	<i>Tía Isa Wants a Car</i>
Ortega, Mirelle	<i>Magic: Once Upon a Faraway Land</i>
Santat, Dan	<i>After the Fall: How Humpty Dumpty Got Back Up Again</i>
Selasi, Taiye	<i>Anansi and the Golden Pot</i>
J BEG Star Wars	<i>BB-8 On the Run</i>
Steig, William	<i>Sylvester and the Magic Pebble</i>
Watts, Jeri Hanel	<i>Piece of Home</i>

Beginning Readers

(E BEG unless otherwise noted)

Brallier, Max	<i>A Walk in the Dark and Other Scary Stories</i>
Davies, Jacqueline	<i>Sydney & Taylor Explore the Whole Wide World</i>
DiCamillo, Kate	<i>Mercy Watson: Princess in Disguise</i>
Egan, Tim	<i>Dodsworth in Tokyo</i>
Hayes, Geoffrey	<i>Benny and Penny (series)</i>
Joyner, Andrew	<i>Boris on the Move</i>
Kessler, Liz	<i>Poppy the Pirate Dog & the Missing Treasure</i>
Kvasnosky, Laura McGee	<i>Zelda and Ivy: The Big Picture</i>
J BEG LaReau, Kara	<i>The Infamous Ratsos Live! In Concert!</i>
Manushkin, Fran	<i>Pedro, First Grade Hero</i>
Quackenbush, Robert	<i>Henry's Important Date</i>
J BEG Snicket, Lemony	<i>The Dark</i>
Waldo, Steph	<i>Tiny Tales (series)</i>

Early Chapter Books

(J BEG unless otherwise noted)

Adler, David A.	<i>Cam Jansen</i>
Angleberger, Tom	<i>Inspector Flytrap</i>
Barrows, Annie	<i>Ivy + Bean (series)</i>
Beaty, Andrea	<i>The Why Files: Bug Bonanza</i>
Blume, Judy	<i>Friend or Fiend? With the Pain & the Great One</i>
Carr, Jan	<i>Buddy and Bea (series)</i>
Chabert, Jack	<i>Eerie Elementary (series)</i>
Charman, Katrina	<i>Last Firehawk (series)</i>
Citro, Asia	<i>Zoey and Sassafras</i>
Cummings, Troy	<i>Notebook of Doom</i>
Faruqi, Saadia	<i>Meet Yasmin!</i>
Goodner, David	<i>Kondo & Kezumi Visit Giant Island</i>
Hale, Shannon and Dean	<i>Princess in Black</i>
Hanlon, Abby	<i>Dory Fantasmagory</i>
Keller, Laurie	<i>The Adventures of Arnie the Doughnut</i>
Kirby, Stan	<i>Captain Awesome</i>
Lyons, Kelly Starling	<i>Miles Lewis: Whiz Kid</i>
Lowry, Lois	<i>The Gooney Bird Collection</i>
McDonald, Andrew	<i>Real Pigeons Fight Crime</i>
McDonald, Megan	<i>Stink, Superhero Superfan</i>
Medina, Juana	<i>Juana & Lucas</i>
Messinger, Jonathan	<i>Alien Adventures of Finn Caspian</i>
Milway, Alex	<i>Pigsticks and Harold and the Incredible Journey</i>
Novales, Keka	<i>Hola Lola! (series)</i>
Osborne, Mary Pope	<i>The Magic Treehouse (series)</i>
Quigley, Dawn	<i>Jo Jo Makoons (series)</i>
Wallace, Rich	<i>Kickers (series)</i>

Folktales

E 398.2 B Bryan, Ashley	<i>Can't Scare Me!</i>
E 398.2 FIN DePaola, Tomie	<i>Fin M'Coul: The Giant of Knockmany Hill</i>
E 398.2 D Divakaruni, Chitra Banerjee	<i>Grandma and the Great Gourd: A Bengali Folktale</i>

E 398.2 K Kimmel, Eric A.	<i>Joha Makes a Wish: A Middle Eastern Tale</i>
E 398.2 GINGER Kimmel, Eric	<i>The Runaway Tortilla</i>
E 398.2 M MacDonald, Margaret Read	<i>Mabela the Clever</i>
E 398.2 M MacDonald, Margaret Read	<i>Go to Sleep, Gecko!: A Balinese Folktale</i>
J BEG Noble, Trina Hakes	<i>The Legend of the Jersey Devil</i>
E 398.2 RED Pinkney, Jerry	<i>Little Red Riding Hood</i>
J BEG PIC Scieszka, Jon	<i>Squids Will Be Squids</i>
J 398.2 T Thomas, Joyce Carol	<i>What's the Hurry, Fox?: And Other Animal Stories</i>
E 398.2 W Wade, Mary Dodson	<i>No Year of the Cat</i>

Poetry

J 808.1 C Coelho, Joseph	<i>Poetry Prompts: All Sorts of Ways to Start a Poem</i>
J 821 Florian, Douglas	<i>Poem Runs: Baseball Poems and Paintings</i>
E 821 G Giovanni, Nikki	<i>I Am Loved</i>
J 821.08 H Hoberman, Mary Ann	<i>Forget-Me-Nots: Poems to Learn by Heart</i>

Informational Books

E 572.435 B Beck, W.H.	<i>Glow: Animals with Their Own Night-Lights</i>
E 741.23 B Biebow, Natascha	<i>The Crayon Man: The True Story of the Invention of Crayola Crayons</i>
J SPA 782.4 B Brown, Monica	<i>My Name is Celia/Me Llamo Celia: The Life of Celia Cruz/La Vida de Celia Cruz</i>
EB BRAILLE Bryant, Jennifer	<i>Six Dots: A Story of Young Louis Braille</i>
E 595.79 C Chrustowski, Rick	<i>Bee Dance</i>
E 579 D Davies, Nicola	<i>Tiny Creatures: The World of Microbes</i>
J 363.728 F Flynn, Sarah Wassner	<i>This Book Stinks!: Gross Garbage, Rotten Rubbish, and the Science of Trash</i>
E 598.942 G George, Jean Craighead	<i>The Eagles are Back</i>
E 791.33 G Gerstein, Mordicai	<i>The Man Who Walked Between the Towers</i>
E 932.014 H Hartland, Jessie	<i>How the Sphinx Got to the Museum</i>
J 510.92 H Heiligman, Deborah	<i>The Boy Who Loved Math: The Improbable Life of Paul Erdos</i>
E 551.48 H Hodgson, Rob	<i>When Cloud Became a Cloud</i>
E 292 K Karas, G. Brian	<i>Young Zeus</i>
E 599.943 L Levine, Sara	<i>Tooth by Tooth: Comparing Fangs, Tusks, and Chompers</i>

E 523.2 M Manley, Curtis	<i>Just Right: Searching for the Goldilocks Planet</i>
E 599.785 M Mattick, Lindsay	<i>Finding Winnie: The True Story of the World's Most Famous Bear</i>
E 664.6 M McCarthy, Meghan	<i>Pop!: The Invention of Bubble Gum</i>
E 598.71 R Roth, Susan L.	<i>Parrots Over Puerto Rico</i>
J 709.011 S Salyer, Hannah	<i>Ancestry</i>
J 612.2 S Siy, Alexandra	<i>Sneeze!</i>
E 571.786 S Stewart, Melissa	<i>Summertime Sleepers: Animals that Estivate</i>
E 786.8 S Stocker, Shannon	<i>Listen: How Evelyn Glennie, A Deaf Girl, Changed Percussion</i>
E 641.822 W Wang, Andrea	<i>Magical Ramen: The Story of Momofuku Ando</i>
E 597.3 W Williams, Lily	<i>If Sharks Disappeared</i>
EB HADID Winter, Jeanette	<i>The World is Not a Rectangle: A Portrait of Architect Zaha Hadid</i>
E 617.13 W Wittenstein, Barry	<i>The Boo-Boos that Changed the World</i>

Graphic Novels

(J COMIC unless otherwise noted)

Blabey, Aaron	<i>The Bad Guys</i>
Burks, James	<i>Bird and Squirrel on Ice</i>
Cody, Matthew	<i>Cat Ninja</i>
Ferry, Beth	<i>Fox and Rabbit</i>
Goldman, Todd Harris	<i>Hound Heroes: Beware the Claw</i>
Hatke, Ben	<i>Zita the Spacegirl</i>
Jamieson, Victoria	<i>The Great Pet Escape</i>
Kibuishi, Kazu	<i>Amulet (series)</i>
Pilkey, Dav	<i>Dog Man (series)</i>
Pizzoli, Greg	<i>Baloney and Friends Going Up!</i>
Sell, Chad	<i>The Cardboard Kingdom (series)</i>
Shaskan, Stephen	<i>Pizza and Taco (series)</i>
Venable, Colleen AF	<i>Guinea Pig, Pet Shop Private Eye</i>
Viva, Frank	<i>Gotta Go!</i>
Winick, Judd	<i>Hilo The Boy Who Crashed to Earth (series)</i>