

FUN WITH NONFICTION (continued)

Kathy Darling. *Seashore Babies*

Jennifer Dewey. *Can You Find Me? A Book About Camouflage*

Margery Flacklam. *Creepy, Crawly Caterpillars*

Russell Freedman. *The Adventures of Marco Polo*

Jean Fritz. *What's the Big Idea, Ben Franklin?*

Susan E. Goodman. *All in Just One Cookie*

Hirschl, Ron. *Lions, Tigers, and Bears: Why Are Big Predators So Rare?*

Joan Holub. *Yankee Doodle Riddles: American History Fun*

Lee Bennett Hopkins. *Spectacular Science: A Book of Poems*

Emma Jackson. *A Home for Dixie: The True Story of a Rescued Puppy*

Steve Jenkins. *Slap, Squeak, & Scatter: How Animals Communicate*

Therese Kauchak. *Good Sports: Winning, Losing, and Everything in Between*

Patricia Lauber. *True or False Book of Dogs*

Loreen Leedy. *Follow the Money*

Tom Lichtenheld. *Everything I Know About Pirates*

Jacqueline Briggs Martin. *Snowflake Bentley*

Faith McNulty. *How to Dig a Hole to the Other Side of the World*

Madeline Moser. *Ever Heard of an Aardwolf? A Miscellany of Uncommon Animals*

Jack Prelutsky. *My Dog May be a Genius: Poems*

David M. Schwartz. *On Beyond a Million: An Amazing Math Journey*

Seymour Simon. *The Solar System*

Judith Williams. *Exploring the Rain Forest Treetops With a Scientist*

RECOMMENDED BOOKS FOR PARENTS

Louise Bates Ames. *Your Seven-Year-Old*

Louise Bates Ames. *Your Eight-Year-Old*

Bruno Bettelheim. *The Uses of Enchantment: The Meaning and Importance of Fairy Tales*

Catherine Blakemore. *Faraway Places: Your Source for Picture Books that Fly Children to 82 Countries*

Esme Raji Codell. *How to Get Your Child to Love Reading*

Mem Fox. *Reading Magic: Why Reading Aloud to Our Children Will Change Their Lives Forever*

Michael Gurian. *What Stories Does My Son Need? A Guide to Books and Movies that Build Character in Boys*

Lee Bennett Hopkins. *Pass the Poetry, Please!*

Margaret Mary Kimmell and Elizabeth Segel. *For Reading Out Loud! A Guide to Sharing Books with Children*

Eden Ross Lipson, ed. *The New York Times Parent's Guide to the Best Books for Children, 3rd ed.*

Kathleen Odean. *Great Books About Things Kids Love: More Than 750 Recommended books For Children 3-14*

Kathleen Odean. *Great Books for Girls*

Fred Rogers. *Mister Rogers Talks with Parents*

William F. Russell. *Classics to Read Aloud to Your Children*

Anita Silvey. *100 Best Books for Children*

Jim Trelease. *The Read-Aloud Handbook*

Chip Wood. *Time to Teach, Time to Learn*

READINGS ON THE WEB

About Children's Books:

<http://childrensbooks.about.com/>

- Includes authors online, award lists and children's choice lists, stories online, and more.

KidsLit: Books and More for Kids and Teens

<http://kidslit.menashalibrary.org/aboutme.html>

- Updated and informative children's literature blog written by Tasha Saecker, director of the Menasha Public Library.

Kids Read:

www.kidsreads.com

- Reviews of new titles, interviews with the coolest authors, trivia games, and other special features on great books.



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PICTURE BOOKS

John Agee. *Nothing*.
Kate Banks. *Max's Words*
Gaaeme Base. *Uno's Garden*
Lynne Bertrand. *Granite Baby*
Meredith Bebeaux Brucker. *Anklet for a Princess: A Cinderella Story from India*
Janell Cannon. *Stellaluna*
Lynne Cherry. *The Great Kapok Tree*
Andrew Clements. *Double Trouble in Walla-Walla*
Crescent Dragonwagon. *Bat in the Dining Room*
Tim Egan. *Roasted Peanuts*
Candace Fleming. *A Big Cheese for the Whitehouse: The True Story of a Tremendous Cheddar*
Ina R. Friedman. *How My Parents Learned to Eat*
Dakari Hru. *Joshua's Masai Mask*
Ellen Jackson. *Cinder Edna*
Maira Kalman. *Smartypants (Pete in School)*
Laurie Keller. *Do Unto Otters: A Book About Manners*
Nina Laden. *Roberto: The Insect Architect*
Julius Lester. *Sam and the Tigers*
Ellen Levine. *Henry's Freedom Box*
Elizabeth Levy. *Something Queer in Outer Space*
Amanda Lumry. *Safari in South Africa*
Peter Maloney. *The Magic Hockey Stick*
Emily Arnold McCully. *Mirette on the High Wire*
Lynn Rossiter McFarland. *Widget*
Patricia McKissack. *The Honest-to-Goodness Truth*

Patricia Polacco. *Ginger and Petunia*
Margie Palanti. *Piggie Pie*
Helen Recorvits. *My Name is Yoon*
Charles Santore. *The Silk Princess*
Allen Say. *Grandfather's Journey*
Judy Sierra. *Mind Your Manners B.B. Wolf*
Lane Smith. *John, Paul, George and Ben*
Mark Teague. *Deazr Mrs. LaRue, Tales from Obedience School*
Jeff Weigel. *Atomic Ace (He's Just My Dad)*
Lisa Wheeler. *Castaway Cats*
David Wiesner. *Flotsam*

I CAN READ BOOKS

Harry Allard. *The Tutti-Frutti Case*
Bottner, Barbara. *Pish and Posh Wish for Fairy Wings*
A. E. Cannon. *On the Go with Pirate Pete and Pirate Joe!*
Denys Cazet. *Minnie and Moo* (series)
Ellen Conford. *Annabel the Actress Starring in Camping It Up*
Tony DiTerlizzi. *Jimmy Zangwow's Out-of-this World, Moon Pie Adventure*
Cathy East Dubowski. *Pirate School*
Tony Johnston. *Alien and Possum* (series)
Laura Kvasnosky. *Zelda and Ivy* (series)
James Marshall. *Three Up a Tree*
Doris Orgel. *Button Soup*
Barbara Park. *Junie B. Jones* (series)
Lori Ries. *Aggie and Ben: Three Stories*
Cynthia Rylant. *Henry and Mudge* (series)
Cynthia Rylant. *Annie and Snowball and the Dress-up Birthday*
Bob Shea. *Big Plans*

Karen Taha. *Hotdog on TV*
Shelly Moore Thomas. *Happy Birthday Good Knight*
Wong Herbert Yee. *Abracadabra! Magic with Mouse and Mole*
Ann Turner. *Dust for Dinner*

I CAN READ LONGER BOOKS

David A. Adler. *Cam Jansen* (series)
Richard & Florence Atwater. *Mr. Popper's Penguins*
Judy Blume. *Freckle Juice*
Fred Bowman. *Full Court Fever*
Khephra Burns. *Mansa Musa: The Lion of Mali*
Ann Cameron. *Gloria's Way*
Beverly Cleary. *Beezus and Ramona*
Ellen Conford. *Jenny Archer, Author*
Paula Danziger. *Amber Brown* (series)
Tomie dePaola. *26 Fairmount Avenue*
Kate DiCamillo. *Mercy Watson Thinks Like a Pig*
Russel E. Erickson. *A Toad for Tuesday*
Paul Fleischman. *The Animal Hedge*
Patricia Reilly Giff. *Purple Climbing Days*
Rumor Godden. *A Kindle of Kittens*
Stephanie Greene. *Owen Foote, Soccer Star*
Jessie Haas. *Birthday Pony*
Joan Holub. *Abby Cadabra, Super Speller*
Deborah Hopkinson. *Birdie's Lighthouse*
Johanna Hurwitz. *Ever-Clever Elisa*
Barbara Joosse. *Ghost Trap: A Wild Willie Mystery*
Dick King-Smith. *The Twin Giants*
Suzy Kline. *Song Lee in Room 2B*
Ursula K. LeGuin. *Catwings*

Megan McDonald. *Stink and the Incredible Super-Galactic Jawbreaker*
Megan McDonald. *Judy Moody* (series)
Betty McDonald. *Mrs. Piggie-Wiggle*
Sara Swan Miller. *Three Stories You Can Read to Your Cat*
Susan Beth Pfeffer. *Twin Troubles*
Barbara Park. *Junie B. Jones* (series)
Daniel Pinkwater. *The Lunchroom of Doom*
Barbara Ann Porte. *Harry's Pony*
Colby F. Rodowsky. *Not My Dog*
Marjorie Weinman Sharmat. *Nate the Great* (series)
George Edward Stanley. *Adam Shark: Swimming with Sharks*
Janice Lee Smith. *Serious Science*
Susan Wojciechowski. *Beanie and the Meanie*

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David A. Adler. *A Picture Book of Jackie Robinson*
Mitsumasa Anno. *Anno's Math Games*
Caroline Arnold. *African Animals*
Gene Baretta. *Now and Ben: The Modern Inventions of Ben Franklin*
Melvin Berger. *Fish Sleep But Don't Shut Their Eyes and Other Amazing Facts About Ocean Creatures*
Doe Boyle. *Otter on His Own: The Story of the Sea Otter*
Louise Borden. *Fly High! The Story of Bessie Coleman*
Franklyn Branley. *The Moon Seems to Change*
Horacio Cardo. *The Story of Chess*
Debbie Dadey. *Shooting Star: Annie Oakley, the Legend*