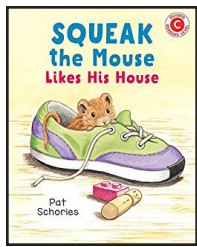


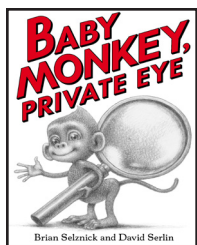
Milgrim, David Series: *The Adventures of Otto*
See Pip Flap
 With help from his friend Otto the robot, Pip the mouse tries to fly.



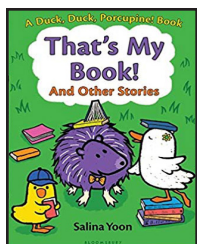
Schories, Pat
Squeak the Mouse Likes His House
 To a tiny creature like Squeak, a sneaker can become a bed, a toy can become a vehicle, and a few crumbs can become a meal.



Scotton, Rob Series: *Splat the Cat*
Splat the Cat Gets a Job!
 Splat the Cat gets a job as a newspaper cat, but getting up early, keeping track of all the papers, and delivering them to all the houses is not easy.



Selznick, Brian
Baby Monkey, Private Eye
 Baby Monkey, Private Eye, will investigate stolen jewels, missing pizzas, and other mysteries — if he can manage to figure out how to put his pants on.



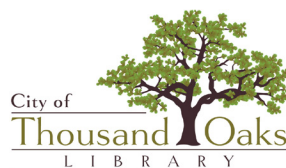
Yoon, Salina Series: *Duck, Duck, Porcupine!*
That's My Book! And Other Stories
 Little Duck, Big Duck and Porcupine discover new ways to use books, put together a talent show, and play doctor.

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JJ Fiction

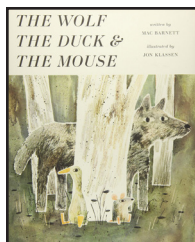
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Barnett, Mac

Triangle

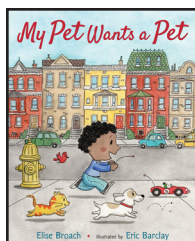
Meet Triangle. He is going to play a sneaky trick on his friend, Square. Or so Triangle thinks.



Barnett, Mac

The Wolf, the Duck & the Mouse

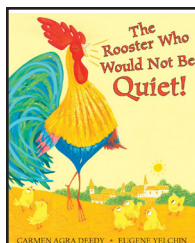
When a mouse is swallowed by a wolf, he learns that a duck devoured earlier has set up a table to enjoy the food that the gluttonous predator eats. (2018 *The E.B. White Read Aloud Award*)



Broach, Elise

My Pet Wants a Pet

A boy's mother, reluctant to allow him even one pet, is increasingly unhappy as each pet wants a pet of its own.



Deedy, Carmen Agra

The Rooster Who Would Not Be Quiet!

The mayor of the noisy city of La Paz institutes new laws forbidding all singing, but a brave little rooster decides he must sing, despite the severe punishment he received for crowing.



de la Peña, Matt

Love

A heartfelt celebration of love depicts how people from all walks of life share a universal bond that supports and connects us in the face of fear and hardship.



Kügler, Tina

Snail & Worm, Again

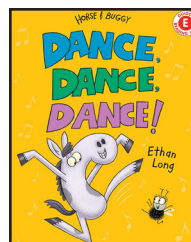
In this silly sequel, Snail and Worm discuss Snail's new wings, discover a mirror, and examine why Snail is sad.



Lehrhaupt, Adam

Chicken on Vacation

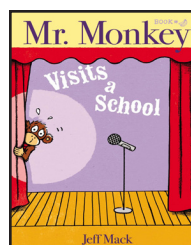
Zoey the chicken decides to use her imagination to have a beach day, and she brings her friends along to find buried treasure.



Long, Ethan Series: *Horse & Buggy*

Dance, Dance, Dance!

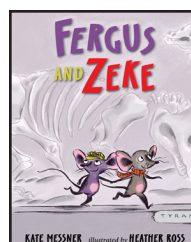
Horse and Buggy are best friends, but Horse likes to dance and Buggy doesn't—until Horse shows him how to get down!



Mack, Jeff Series: *Mr. Monkey*

Mr. Monkey Visits a School

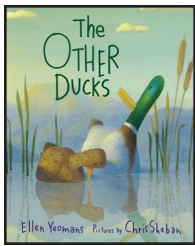
Mr. Monkey is invited to visit a school to perform a trick that he just learned, but nothing goes as planned.



Messner, Kate Series: *Fergus and Zeke*

Fergus and Zeke

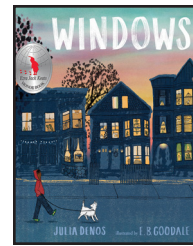
Fergus, the pet mouse in Miss Maxwell's classroom, stows away in a backpack on a field trip to the museum. He makes a new friend, Zeke, another mouse, who shows Fergus many interesting exhibits, but now he wonders how to get back to school.



Yeomans, Ellen

The Other Ducks

When This Duck expresses a wish for Other Ducks so that they could waddle along in line together, a confused That Duck accompanies This Duck to the swimming puddle, where the Other Ducks they meet never seem to come out of the water.



Denos, Julia

Windows

Walking his dog at dusk, one boy catches glimpses of the lives around him in this lovely ode to autumn evenings, exploring your neighborhood and coming home. (2018 Ezra Jack Keats Book Award)

Early Readers - JJ Fiction [ER]

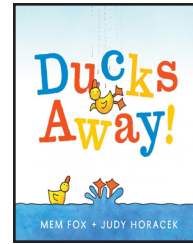
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Adler, David A.

Pass the Ball, Mo!

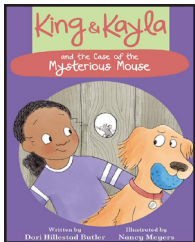
With the big game coming up, Mo Jackson, the shortest member of the basketball team, is determined to learn how to pass the ball in time to help his team win.



Fox, Mem

Ducks Away!

One by one five little ducklings tumble off the bridge into the river below—and mother duck follows them.



Butler, Dori Hillestad Series: King & Kayla

King and Kayla and the Case of the Mysterious Mouse

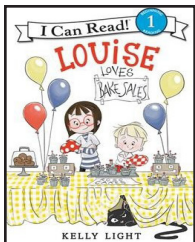
When King's favorite blue ball goes missing, he and Kayla must put together clues to figure out where it went.



Grant, Jacob

Bear's Scare

Bear is a tidy creature who likes keeping his home just so. Every day he and his best pal, Ursa, straighten together. But one day, something is amiss. Bear discovers a book lying on the floor and attached to it, a sticky spider web.



Driscoll, Laura

Louise Loves Bake Sales

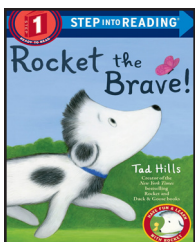
With the first-grade bake sale coming up, art-loving Louise and her little brother make cupcakes.



Greig, Louise

The Night Box

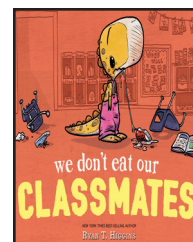
A little boy discovers what happens between sunset and sunrise when he opens the Night Box and darkness swoops out to cavort and explore, caring for all its creates until morning comes.



Hills, Tad

Rocket the Brave!

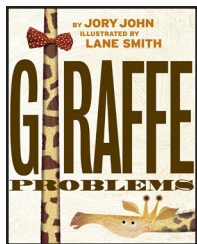
Rocket loves chasing butterflies, but when one flies into the dark forest, will Rocket follow?



Higgins, Ryan

We Don't Eat Our Classmates!

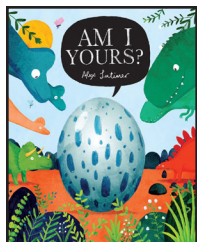
It's the first day of school for Penelope Rex, and she can't wait to meet her classmates. But it's hard to make human friends when they're so darn delicious! That is, until Penelope gets a taste of her own medicine.



John, Jory

Giraffe Problems

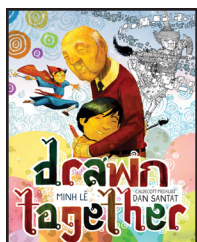
When Cyrus the giraffe feels self-conscious about his neck, a turtle helps him understand its purpose.



Latimer, Alex

Am I Yours?

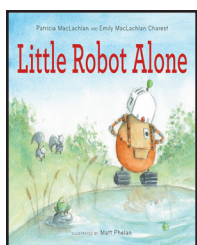
Some friendly dinosaurs help a lost egg after it's blown out of its nest. But if they are to reunite the little egg with its true parents, they must first discover what kind of dinosaur lies inside.



Lê, Minh

Drawn Together

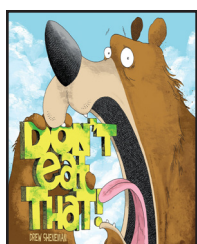
A boy and his grandfather cross a language and cultural barrier using their shared love of art, storytelling, and fantasy.



MacLachlan, Patricia

Little Robot Alone

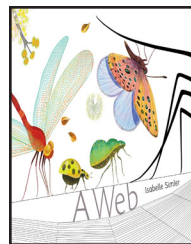
When Little Robot finds a creative solution to his loneliness he gets straight to work on shaping the perfect companion out of metal.



Sheneman, Drew

Don't Eat That!

Gertie is trying to earn a merit badge when she encounters a hungry bear who has no idea what he should eat, but helping the bear is harder than her guidebook makes it seem.



Simler, Isabelle

A Web

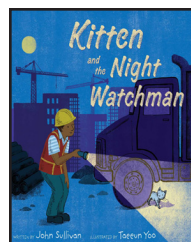
Follow a spider as it collects items to decorate its web from a landscape filled with insects, leaves, flowers, feathers, and seeds, all labeled for identification.



Slater, Dashka

The Antlered Ship

An inquisitive fox named Marco and a bored flock of pigeons join the crew of deer Captain Sylvia, setting sail in her antlered ship in search of a wonderful island and finding friendship on the way.



Sullivan, John

Kitten and the Night Watchman

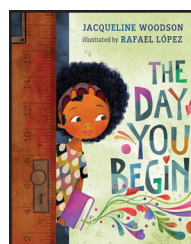
As he makes his rounds, a night watchman hears birds calling, insects buzzing, and vehicles roaring by, while a stray kitten keeps him company.



Todd-Stanton, Joe

The Secret of Black Rock

Erin is fascinated by the legend of Black Rock, a huge, dark and spiky mass that is said to destroy any boats that come near it! But are the tales really true? One day Erin sneaks on board her mother's fishing boat to find out.



Woodson, Jacqueline

The Day You Begin

Other students laugh when Rigoberto, an immigrant from Venezuela, introduces himself, but then he meets Angelina and discovers that he is not the only one who feels like an outsider.