

SUGGESTED READING LISTS FOR PRIMARY AND LOWER SCHOOLS

At Viewpoint, we are frequently asked to recommend books for our youngest students, who are eager to supplement their reading outside the extensive selections of the classroom and libraries. We believe that children should be encouraged to read books that are age appropriate, that inspire their interest and enthusiasm, and that challenge them. Besides those on this list, there are many other fine books available in your local libraries and bookstores. This is a suggested list only.

PRIMARY SCHOOL: GRADES ONE AND TWO

Aardema, Verna	<i>Borreguita and the Coyote</i>
Ahlberg, Janet and Allan	<i>Why Mosquitoes Buzz in People's Ears</i>
Aliki	<i>Each Peach Pear Plum</i>
Alexander, Lloyd	<i>Feelings</i>
Allard, Harry	<i>The Fortune-Tellers</i>
Andrews-Goebel, Nancy	<i>Miss Nelson is Missing</i>
Anno, Mitsumasa	<i>The Pot That Juan Built</i>
Aylesworth, Jim	<i>Anno's Magic Seeds</i>
Barrett, Judi	<i>The Full Belly Bowl</i>
Baylor, Byrd	<i>Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs</i>
Bemelmans, Ludwig	<i>Hawk, I'm Your Brother</i>
Bildner, Phil	<i>Madeline (series)</i>
Blake, Robert J.	<i>Shoeless Joe & Black Betsy</i>
Blood, Charles	<i>Togo</i>
Brett, Jan	<i>The Goat in the Rug</i>
Brown, Marcia	<i>Daisy Comes Home</i>
Brown, Margaret Wise	<i>Shadows</i>
Browne, Anthony	<i>Runaway Bunny</i>
Burgess, Thornton W.	<i>Wait Till the Moon is Full</i>
Burton, Virginia Lee	<i>The Wheel on the Chimney</i>
Cole, Joanna	<i>Piggybook</i>
Cooney, Barbara	<i>Old Mother West Wind (series)</i>
Conrad, Pam	<i>Mike Mulligan and his Steam Shovel</i>
Cushman, Doug	<i>The Magic School Bus (series)</i>
de Brunhoff, Jean	<i>Hattie and the Wild Waves</i>
de Paola, Tomie	<i>The Tub People</i>
Emberley, Barbara	<i>Aunt Eater Loves a Mystery</i>
Erickson, Russell	<i>The Story of Babar</i>
Feelings, Muriel	<i>Strega Nona</i>
	<i>Drummer Hoff</i>
	<i>A Toad for Tuesday</i>
	<i>Moja Means One: Swahili Counting Book</i>

Fleischman, Paul
Frazee, Marla
Freeman, Don
Frost, Robert

Gag, Wanda
Galdone, Paul
Gantos, Jack
George, William T.
Goble, Paul
Greenberg, Jan
Gray, Libba Moore
Grifalconi, Ann
Handforth, Thomas
Haley, G.E.
Hirst, Robin
Hankes, Kevin
Hoban, Lillian
Hoban, Russell
Hoff, Syd
Hoffman, Mary
Hogrogian, Nonny
Huck, Charlotte
Hurwitz, Johanna
Jacobs, Francine
Johansen, Hanna
Johnson, Crockett
Joyce, William
Keats, Ezra Jack

Kellogg, Steven
Kimmel, Eric A.
Kipling, Rudyard
Kroll, Steven
Kuskin, Karla
Langstaff, John
Laden, Nina
Lansky, Bruce
Lattimore, Eleanor
Leaf, Munro
Leedy, Loreen
Leodas, Sorche Nic
Levine, Ellen
Lionni, Leo

Lipkind, William

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Time Train
A Couple of Boys Have the Best Week Ever
Dandelion
Stopping By Woods on a Snowy Evening
and Other Poems
Millions of Cats
The Little Red Hen
Rotten Ralph
Box Turtle at Long Pond
The Girl Who Loved Wild Horses
Action Jackson
My Mama Had a Dancing Heart
The Village of Round and Square Houses
Mei Li
Story a Story
My Place in Space
Chrysanthemum
Arthur's Pen Pal
A Baby Sister for Frances (series)
Danny and the Dinosaur
Amazing Grace
One Fine Day
Princess Furball
Russell Sprouts (series)
Sam the Sea Cow
Henrietta and the Golden Egg
Harold and the Purple Crayon
Bentley & Egg
Whistle for Willie
Goggles!
The Snowy Day
Can I Keep Him?
The Chanukkah Guest
Just So Stories
One Tough Turkey: A Thanksgiving Story
The Philharmonic Gets Dressed
Frog Went A-Courtin'
The Night I Followed the Dog
A Bad Case of the Giggles
Little Pear
The Story of Ferdinand
Messages in the Mailbox: How to Write a Letter
Always Room for One More
Henry's Freedom Box
Alexander and the Wind-Up Mouse
Inch by Inch
Finders Keepers

Lobel, Arnold	<i>Frog and Toad</i> (series) <i>Mouse Tales</i>
Locker, Thomas	<i>Water Dance</i> <i>Where the River Begins</i> <i>Gooney Bird Greene</i>
Lowry, Lois	<i>Angelo</i>
Macaulay, David	<i>Three by the Sea</i>
Marshall, Edward	<i>Rats on the Roof and Other Stories</i>
Marshall, James	<i>I Pledge Allegiance</i>
Martin, Bill	<i>Soccer Sam</i>
Marzollo, Jean	<i>Blueberries for Sal</i>
McCloskey, Robert	<i>Burt Dow Deep-Water Man</i> <i>Make Way for Ducklings</i> <i>Time of Wonder</i>
McCully, Emily Arnold	<i>Mirette on the High Wire</i>
McDermott, Gerald	<i>Arrow to the Sun: A Pueblo Indian Tale</i>
Milton, Joyce	<i>Wild, Wild Wolves</i>
Minarik, Else Holmelund	<i>Father Bear Comes Home</i> <i>No Fighting, No Biting!</i>
Mollel, Tololwa Marti	<i>My Rows and Piles of Coins</i>
Montes, Marisa	<i>Juan Bobo Goes to Work</i>
Moorman, Margaret	<i>Light the Lights!</i>
Mosel, Arlene	<i>Funny Little Woman</i>
Muth, Jon J.	<i>Zen Shorts</i>
Parish, Peggy	<i>Amelia Bedelia</i> (series)
Paterson, Katherine	<i>The Tale of the Mandarin Ducks</i>
Paxton, Tom	<i>Belling the Cat</i>
Peeet, Bill	<i>Farewell to Shady Glade</i> (series)
Perrault, Charles	<i>French Fairy Tales</i>
Petersham, Maud and Miska	<i>The Rooster Crows: A Book of American Rhymes and Jingles</i>
Plume, Ilse (retold from Grimm)	<i>The Bremen Town Musicians</i>
Polacco, Patricia	<i>The Keeping Quilt</i> <i>Picnic at Mudsock Meadow</i> <i>Thunder Cake</i>
Provenson, Alice	<i>The Glorious Flight Across the Channel</i>
Ransome, Arthur	<i>The Fool of the World and the Flying Ship</i>
Rey, H.A.	<i>Curious George</i> (series)
Ringgold Faith	<i>Tar Beach</i>
Robbins, Ruth	<i>Baboushka and the Three Kings</i>
Rosen, Michael	<i>We're Going on a Bear Hunt</i>
Rylant, Cynthia	<i>Henry and Mudge</i> (series) <i>Appalachia: The Voices of Sleeping Birds</i> <i>When I Was Young in the Mountains</i>
Say, Allen	<i>Tree of Cranes</i>
Scheer, Julian	<i>Rain Makes Applesauce</i>

Sendak, Maurice	<i>In the Night Kitchen</i>
	<i>Outside Over There</i>
	<i>Where the Wild Things Are</i>
Sharmat, Marjorie W.	<i>Nate the Great</i> (series)
Shulevitz, Uri	<i>Dawn</i>
	<i>How I Learned Geography</i>
Singer, Isaac Bashevis	<i>Zlateh the Goat and Other Stories</i>
Smith, Janice Lee	<i>The Show and Tell War</i>
Spier, Peter	<i>Noah's Ark</i>
Steig, William	<i>The Amazing Bone</i>
	<i>Dr. De Soto</i>
	<i>Sylvester and the Magic Pebble</i>
	<i>Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters</i>
Steptoe, John	<i>Go Fish</i>
Stolz, Mary	<i>Many Moons</i>
Thurber, James	<i>Thy Friend Obadiah</i>
Turkle, Brinton	<i>The Widow's Broom</i>
Van Allsburg, Chris	<i>Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile</i>
Waber, Bernard	<i>The Boxcar Children</i>
Warner, Gertrude Chandler	<i>The House in the Mail</i>
Wells, Rosemary	<i>Max's Dragon Shirt</i>
	<i>Morris's Disappearing Bag: A Christmas Story</i>
	<i>Wingwalker</i>
Wiesner, David	<i>Flotsam</i>
	<i>The Three Pigs</i>
	<i>Tuesday</i>
Williams, Margery	<i>The Velveteen Rabbit</i>
Williams, Vera B.	<i>A Chair for My Mother</i>
Willey, Margaret	<i>Clever Beatrice</i>
Wolcott, Patty	<i>Pickle Pickle Pickle Juice</i>
Wood, Audrey	<i>The Bunyans</i>
Yearling/Dell Biographies	<i>Abraham Lincoln</i>
	<i>Amelia Earhart</i>
	<i>Buffalo Bill</i>
	<i>George Washington and other presidents</i>
	<i>Helen Keller</i>
Young, Ed	<i>Lon Po Po: A Red-Riding Hood Story from China</i>
	<i>Seven Blind Mice</i>
Zemach, Harve	<i>Duffy and the Devil</i>
Zemach, Margot	<i>The Three Wishes: An Old Story</i>