



Recommended Reading List

Grade 2

Title	Author	Reading Level
<i>Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good...</i>	Viorst, Judith	3.7
<i>Amelia Bedelia*</i>	Parish, Peggy	1.8 - 4.5
<i>Andy and the Lion</i>	Daugherty, James	3.6
<i>Beady Bear</i>	Freeman, Don	3.0
<i>Bear Called Paddington, A</i>	Bond, Michael	4.7
<i>Bear on Hemlock Mountain, The</i>	Dalgliesh, Alice	3.5
<i>Because of Winn-Dixie</i>	DiCamillo, Kate	3.9
<i>Big Snow, The</i>	Hader, Berta	4.3
<i>Biggest Bear, The</i>	Ward, Lynd	3.9
<i>Billy and Blaze*</i>	Anderson, Clarence	3.2 – 4.1
<i>Blueberries for Sal</i>	McCloskey, Robert	4.1
<i>Boxcar Children*</i>	Warner, Gertude Chandler	2.3 – 4.4
<i>Charlotte’s Web</i>	White, E.B.	4.4
<i>Chrysanthemum</i>	Henkes, Kevin	3.3
<i>Courage of Sarah Noble</i>	Dalgliesh, Alice	3.9
<i>Curious George*</i>	Rey, H. A.	1.3 - 4.1
<i>Dandelion</i>	Freeman, Don	3.7
<i>Dr. DeSoto</i>	Steig, William	4.1
<i>Dr. DeSoto Goes to Africa</i>	Steig, William	4.1
<i>Henry and Beezus</i>	Cleary, Beverly	4.6
<i>Henry and the Clubhouse</i>	Clearly, Beverly	5.1
<i>Horton Hatches the Egg</i>	Seuss, Dr.	3.1
<i>Horton Hears a Who</i>	Seuss, Dr.	3.3
<i>Little House, The</i>	Burton, Virginia Lee	4.2
<i>Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile*</i>	Waber, Bernard	3.5 - 4.6
<i>Madeline*</i>	Bemelmans, Ludwig	3.1 – 5.2
<i>Make Way for Ducklings</i>	McCloskey, Robert	4.1
<i>Magic Tree House, The*</i> (Parents should vet individual titles)	Osborne, Mary Pope	2.6 – 5.2
<i>Mercy Watson *</i>	DiCamillo, Kate	2.6 – 3.2
<i>Mike Mulligan and His Steam Shovel</i>	Burton, Virginia Lee	4.4
<i>Miss Rumphius</i>	Cooney, Barbara	3.8
<i>Mrs. Piggle Wiggle*</i>	McDonald, Betty	4.9 – 5.5
<i>Nate the Great*</i>	Sharmat, Marjorie Weinman	2.0 - 3.2
<i>Owl Moon</i>	Yolen, Jane	3.2
<i>Petunia</i>	Duvoisin, Roger	3.1
<i>Petunia, Beware!</i>	Duvoisin, Roger	3.3
<i>Ramona the Brave</i>	Cleary, Beverly	4.9
<i>Sarah, Plain and Tall</i>	MacLachlan, Patricia	3.4
<i>Skylark</i>	MacLachlan, Patricia	3.2
<i>Story of Babar</i>	Brunhoff, Jean de	3.9
<i>Story of Ferdinand, The</i>	Leaf, Munro	3.7

<i>Sylvester and the Magic Pebble</i>	Steig, William	4.0
<i>Two Bad Ants</i>	Van Allsburg, Chris	4.7
<i>When I Was Young in the Moutains</i>	Rylant, Cynthia	3.6
<i>White Stallion, The</i>	Shub, Elizabeth	3.0