

Picture Books

For Preschoolers



Worm Weather

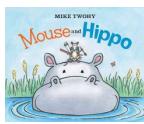
by Jean Taft

Little children splash through puddles on a rainy day while marveling at a little worm who has come out to play in weather he loves.

Accident

by Andrea Tsurumi

When a clumsy armadillo named Lola knocks over a glass pitcher, she sets off a silly chain of mishaps, including a stoat snarled in spaghetti, an airborne sheep and a bull who has broken a whole shop's worth of china.



Mouse and Hippo

by Mike Twohy

Painting a portrait of his hippo best friend that does not quite fit on the canvas but delights his friend anyway, Mouse receives an unexpected favor in return, in a giggle-inducing story.

How to Be a Lion

by Ed Vere

When the lion and his friend are confronted by a pack of lion bullies, they find a creative way to stand up for themselves.



A Dog Named Doug

by Karma Wilson

Egged on by a ground squirrel, a dog named Doug digs miles underground--taking a detour through the White House--until he returns home.

Pet This Book

by Jessica Young

Illustrations and simple, rhyming text invite the reader to join in a day of pet care.



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The Wall in the Middle of the Book

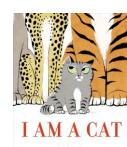
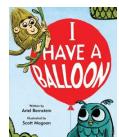
by Jon Agee

A knight who feels secure on his side of the wall that divides his book discovers that his side is not as safe as he thought.

I Have a Balloon

by Ariel Bernstein

Very much wanting a shiny red balloon that belongs to Owl, Monkey tries pleading and offering to trade, before capturing Owl's interest with an intriguing sock.



I Am a Cat

by Galia Bernstein

Encountering a sequence of bigger cats, Simon the housecat disagrees with their assessment that he does not measure up and endeavors to prove that he is just as much of a cat as they are, only smaller.



Carmela Full of Wishes

by Matt de la Peña

Carmela, finally old enough to run errands with her brother, tries to think of the perfect wish, while his wish seems to be that she stayed home.



Just Add Glitter

by Angela DiTerlizzi

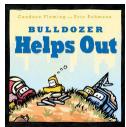
Illustrations and simple, rhyming text encourage the reader to add glitter to everything in sight.



Firefighter Duckies!

by Frank W. Dorner

A quack-out-loud nonsense story about little duckies of all dispositions features a flock of brave and strong Firefighter Duckies who rescue imperiled animals.



Bulldozer Helps Out

by Candace Fleming

A follow-up to Bulldozer's Big Day finds Little Bulldozer tackling a debris-clearing job only to discover a litter of newborn kittens who prove more difficult to care for than anticipated.

When's My Birthday?

by Julie Fogliano

Children excitedly discuss the details of their upcoming birthdays.



Singing in the Rain

by Arthur Freed

A picture book adaptation of the song "Singing in the rain," which celebrates the glory of clouds and rain.

A Good Day for a Hat

by T. Nat Fuller

Mr. Brown loves wearing hats, so he decides to wear them all.



Stack the Cats

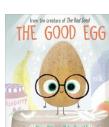
by Susie Ghahremani

A story about how kitties engage in various activities and might briefly cooperate if organized into groups invites toddlers to practice counting forward and backward.

Puddle

by Richard Jackson

The authors present the story of a lonely puddle that is dimpled by rain and others before it makes friends with the bright sun.



The Good Egg

by Jory John

A good egg striving to do everything right while the other eggs in his carton prove themselves rather bad.



The Fog

by Kyo Maclear

A human-watching little bird becomes dismayed when a deep fog rolls in and obstructs his view, a largely ignored dilemma that compels the bird to seek out others who notice it.

Jinx and the Doom Fight Crime!

by Lisa Mantchev

A relatable celebration and imagination of siblings.



Fear the Bunny

by Richard T. Morris

An adaptation of William Blake's classic poem depicts an indignant tiger who believes that he is decidedly more ferocious than the bunnies of his woodland home.



One Snowy Day

by Diana Murray

An early concept counting story depicts an energetic puppy and two children who share a fun-filled snow day playing with friends, sledding, throwing snowballs and more.



There Are No Bears in This Bakery

by Julia Sarcone-Roach

When Muffin, a cat, hears a suspicious noise at the Little Bear Bakery, his investigation reveals a hungry bear cub.



The Party and Other Stories

by Sergio Ruzzier

Fox and Chick are unlikely friends, but somehow they seem to get along together.



Kitten and the Night Watchman

by John Sullivan

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