

Find Your Adventure

Recommendations for Children Grades K - 3



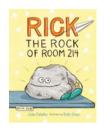


If Kids Ruled the World

Linda Bailey

What would life look like if kids were put in charge...No bedtime? Dessert for dinner? Unlimited time to play? There's all that and more in this invitation to imagination.

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Rick the Rock of Room 214

Julie Falatko

Rick the Rock yearns to find adventure beyond the confines of his classroom's shelf, but he might get more than he bargained for when he finally breaks free.

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<u>What About X?</u> <u>An Alphabet Adventure</u>

Anne Marie Houppert

All the letters of the alphabet are determined to bring something perfect on the big camping trip. But what can poor letter X bring?

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The Midnight Club

Shane Goth

When the clock strikes twelve the members of the Midnight Club tiptoe through the house in this celebration of the special bond between siblings.

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On Account of the Gum

Adam Rex

When a kid wakes up with gum stuck in his hair, everyone in the family has a suggestion for how to get it out with increasingly disastrous results. Rex's fantastic illustrations add to the hilarity.

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Firefighter Duckies!

Frank W. Dormer

The firefighter duckies demonstrate their courage and helpfulness as they respond to "emergencies" involving whales, monsters and centipedes.

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The Rise (and Falls) of Jackie Chan

Kristen Mai Giang

This picture book biography of international martial artist and movie star Jackie Chan is full of ups and downs and action, of course!

XP 92 CHAN J



Expedition Backyard: Exploring Nature from Country to City

Rosemary Mosco

Mole and Vole love to explore the countryside together. They learn to appreciate urban wildlife in this fact-filled graphic novel.

XP 741.5973 EXPEDITION



Look What I Found at the Beach

Moira Butterfield

The beach is a feast for the senses. Learn about all of its wonders in this enlightening beach book perfect for younger readers.

XP 551.457 BUT



Go for the Moon: A Rocket, a Boy, and the First Moon Landing

Chris Gall

A young boy conducts science experiments on Earth while the Apollo 11 crew prepares to undertake mankind's first moon landing.

XP 629,454 GAL



Waffles and Pancake: Planetary-Yum

Drew Brockington

Kittens, Waffles, and Pancake are excited to visit the science museum. They encounter an unexpected challenge when they are separated from Dad Cat in this graphic novel preguel to "CatStronauts".

XP 741.5973 WAFFLES VOL. 1



A World of Animals: Learn to Draw More than 175 Animals from the Seven Continents!

Paul Calver

Explore the animals of our world through drawing in this informative step-by-step guide.

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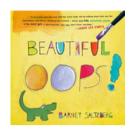




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Beautiful Oops!

Barney Saltzberg

What if a mistake wasn't the end of the world but an opportunity to create something new and unexpected? This book celebrates the power of "oops" moments.

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<u>l Like This, You Like</u> That

Linda Ashman

Being yourself and being a good friend aren't mutually exclusive in this picture book about expressing your own tastes while still getting along.

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<u>The Most Magnificent</u> Idea

Ashley Spires

A creative girl with a wild imagination is suddenly out of ideas. Will she ever get her creative juices flowing again?

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The Word Collector

Peter H. Reynolds

Some people collect rocks or shells, but Jerome collects words. Young readers may be inspired to start their own collection after reading this ode to vocabulary.

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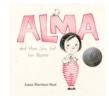


<u>Amy Wu and the Warm</u> Welcome

Kat Zhang

Amy is excited to welcome the newest member of her class, but a language gap makes things difficult. Luckily her family has a few ideas.

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Alma and How She Got Her Name

Juana Martinez-Neal

Alma Sofia Esperanza José Pura Candela wishes her name were shorter until she learns the stories that make each part of her name special.

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How to Read a Book

Kwame Alexander

Alexander makes the act of reading an adventure and encourages young readers to find their own way to read in this vibrant picture book.

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Look! I Wrote a Book! (And You Can Too!)

Sally Lloyd-Jones

This how-to guide to writing a book makes it look easy and fun. Plus, it is laugh-out-loud funny to boot.

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No Voice Too Small: Fourteen Young Americans Making History

A collection of poems about real young people bringing real change to their communities.

XP 811.608

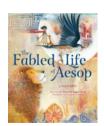


Into the Blue: How to Draw

Nicola Davies

Learn to appreciate the vast world just beneath the waves while developing drawing skills for better self-expression.

XP 743.6 DAV



The Fabled Life of Aesop

lan Lendler

This combination biography and folktale collection presents Aesop's rise from slavery to renowned storyteller. It includes several of his most famous fables.

XP 92 AESOP



A Is for Bee: An Alphabet Book In Translation

Ellen Heck

Bee starts with "B" in the English language but there's a whole world of languages out there waiting to be explored in this alphabet book.

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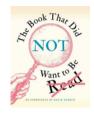




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The Book That Did Not Want to Be Read

David Sundin

What happens when a book does everything it can think of to get the reader to give up and stop reading? Find out in this interactive picture book.

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A Monster Is Eating This Book!

Karen Kilpatrick

You'll have to read this book stealthily to avoid waking the word-hungry monster hiding inside!

XFICP KILPATRICK K



Play This Book

Jessica Young

A book can be many different instruments in this introduction to music and rhythmn.

XFICP YOUNG J



<u>Don't Wake Up</u> the Tiger

Britta Teckentrup

Can you help all the other animals get past the sleeping tiger without waking it up?

XFICP TECKENTRUP B



There's an Alien in Your Book

Tom Fletcher

Help the little alien get back to outer space by shaking, wiggling and clapping...unless you decide perhaps he's too cute to send away?

XFICP FLETCHER T



A Squiggly Story

Andrew Larsen

"Writing" a book doesn't mean spelling words and creating full sentences in this unique story about learning how to express ideas with whatever tools you have at hand.

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Spunky Little Monkey

Bill Martin

Get the rhythm in your head, hands, hips and feet in this energy-boosting, wake up book.

XFICP MARTIN B



Yoga Animals: A Wild Introduction to Kid-Friendly Poses

Paige Towler

Learn simple yoga poses inspired by animals. Each pose includes an image of the real animal and a poem.

XP 613.7046 TOW



There's a Bug on My Book!

John Himmelman

This bug book is meant to be read outside in the grass.
Where better to learn about insects and how they move as you tip, tap and shake your way through each page?

XP 595.7 HIM



Things That Go: With 100 Questions and 70 Lift-Flaps!

Heather Alexander

If it goes on land, under the sea or through the air, it's in this book. Test your vehicle knowledge with this fact and flap-filled book.

XP 388 ALE



365 Days of Play: Activities for Every Day of the Year

Megan Hewes Butler

A full year of games, crafts, recipes, activities, science experiments, challenges and many more solutions for kids that say, "I'm bored."

XP 790 BUT



Here We Go Digging for Dinosaur Bones

Susan Lendroth

Sing along with four young paleontologists as they dig for dinosaurs.

XP 567.9 LEN







