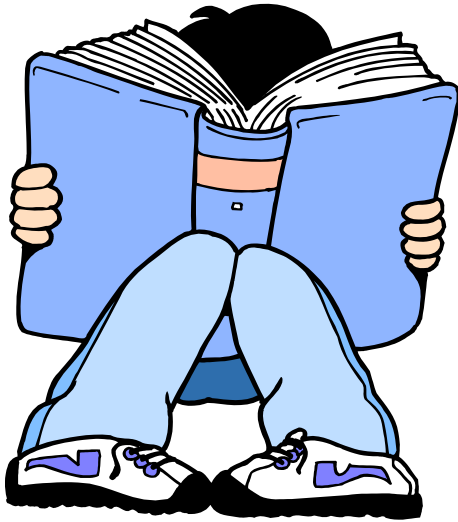


Early Chapter Books



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Adventure Fiction

Little Horse Betsy Byars

Ghost on Saturday Night Sid Fleischman

Pirate School series Brian James

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Lulu and the Brontosaurus Judith Viorst

Fantasy Fiction & Science Fiction

Secrets of Droon series Tony Abbott

The BFG Roald Dahl

The Witches Roald Dahl

Davey's Blue-Eyed Frog Patricia Harrison Easton

Ghosthunters series Cornelia Funke

My Father's Dragon Ruth Stiles Gannett

Katie Kazoo, Switcheroo series Nancy E. Krulik

Catwings Ursula K. LeGuin

Pet Fairies series Daisy Meadows

Magic Treehouse series Mary Pope Osborne

The Werewolf Club series Daniel Pinkwater

Time Warp Trio series Jon Scieszka

The Houdini Box Brian Selznick

Binky the Space Cat Ashley Spires

Fairy Chronicles series J.H. Sweet

Historical Fiction

The Catlady Dick King-Smith

Tippy Lemmey Patricia C. McKissack

The Drinking Gourd F.N. Monjo

American Girl series:

- Kaya, 1764 Janet Beeler Shaw
- Felicity, 1774 Valerie Tripp
- Josefina, 1824 Valerie Tripp
- Kirsten, 1854 Janet Beeler Shaw
- Addy, 1864 Connie Rose Porter
- Samantha, 1904 Valerie Tripp
- Rebecca, 1914 Jacqueline Dembar Greene
- Kit, 1934 Valerie Tripp
- Molly, 1944 Valerie Tripp
- Julie, 1974 Megan McDonald

Humorous Fiction

Roscoe Riley Rules series Katherine Applegate

Mr. Popper's Penguins Richard Atwater
Freckle Juice Judy Blume
Ramona series Beverly Cleary
The Legend of Spud Murphy Eoin Colfer
Mercy Watson series Kate DiCamillo
Moxy Maxwell series Peggy Elizabeth Gifford
Andy Shane series Jennifer Richard Jacobson
Alvin Ho: Allergic to Girls, School, and Other Scary Things Lenore Look
Down Girl and Sit: On the Road Lucy A. Nolan
Junie B. Jones series Barbara Park
Clementine series Sara Pennypacker
Captain Underpants series Dav Pilkey
Marvin Redpost series Louis Sachar
Horrid Henry series Francesca Simon
Little Wolf's Book of Badness Ian Whybrow

Mysteries

Cam Jansen series David A. Adler
Bunnicula series James Howe
Nancy Drew Notebooks series Carolyn Keene
Jigsaw Jones series James Preller
The A to Z Mysteries series Ron Roy
Capital Mysteries series Ron Roy
Nate the Great series Marjorie Weinman Sharmat
Encyclopedia Brown series Donald J. Sobol
Boxcar Children series Gertrude Chandler Warner

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Ivy + Bean series Annie Barrows
The Secret Lunch Special Peter Catalanotto
Amber Brown Is Not a Crayon Paula Danziger
Nikki & Deja Karen English
The Hundred Dresses Eleanor Estes
The Trouble With Cats Martha Freeman
Owen Foote series Stephanie Greene
Princess Posey and the First Grade Parade Stephanie Greene
Lavender Karen Hesse
Sable Karen Hesse
Truly Winnie Jennifer Richard Jacobson

The Tornado Watches: An Ike & Mem Story Patrick Jennings

I Am Angela Holly Keller

Alice's Birthday Pig Tim Kennemore

Ruby Lu, Brave and True Lenore Look

Amelia's Notebook series Marissa Moss

Dear Whiskers Anne Whitehead Nagda

Twin Surprises Susan Beth Pfeffer

The Cobble Street Cousins series Cynthia Rylant

Two Girls in Sister Dresses Jean Van Leeuwen

Stories About Animals

Mr. Popper's Penguins Richard Atwater

A Bear Called Paddington Michael Bond

Mercy Watson series Kate DiCamillo

Sable Karen Hesse

Bunnicula series James Howe

Catwings Ursula K. LeGuin

The Catlady Dick King-Smith

Lady Lollipop Dick King-Smith

A Mouse Called Wolf Dick King-Smith

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Abel's Island William Steig

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Stories About School

The SOS File Betsy Byars

Make Way for Dyamonde Daniel Nikki Grimes

My Weird School series Dan Gutman

Horrible Harry series Suzy Kline

Gooney Bird series Lois Lowry

Sideways Stories From Wayside School Louis Sachar

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