

3rd grade

Recommended Reading List

Looking for some good books to read, but don't know where to begin? These books are recommended reads by our staff of librarians. Books listed are a combination of books to read together and books for reading at level. Many of the authors listed below have other great books for this age group. Read and enjoy!

Title	Author	Where to Find It	Lexile Level	AR Level	Guided Reading Level	Audio Book
1. Sam and Dave Dig a Hole	Mac Barnett	Picture Books—BAR	310L	1.9	K	
2. Henry and the Buccaneer Bunnies	Carolyn Crimi	Picture Books—CRI	AD910L	3.4	Q	CD
3. Miss Smith's Incredible Storybook*	Michael Garland	Picture Books Themes—GAR	AD680	3.8	M	
4. Do Unto Otters : A Book About Manners	Laurie Keller	Picture Books-KEL	AD460L	2.7	M	Hoopla
5. Frederick	Leo Lionni	Picture Books-LIO	590	3.1	M	
6. One Morning in Maine	Robert McCloskey	Picture Books-MCC	AD830L	4.4	—	
7. Nouns and Verbs Have a Field Day*	Robin Pulver	Picture Books-PUL	AD450	2.7	O	
8. Math Curse	Jon Scieszka	Picture Books-SCI	560L	3.7	N	CD Hoopla
9. Yertle the Turtle and Other Stories	Dr. Seuss	Picture Books-SEU	520	3.3	—	CD
10. The Bad Guys*	Aaron Blabey	E Fiction Level 2—BLA	530	2.4	P	
11. Paddington Plays On*	Michael Bond	E Fiction Level 2—BON	490	2.3	K	Hoopla
12. Flat Stanley at Bat*	Jeff Brown	E Fiction Level 2-BRO	490L	2.3	K	
13. Super Rabbit Boy: Game Over, Super Rabbit Boy!*	Thomas Flintham	E Fiction Level 2—FLI	530	2.9	M	
14. Calendar Mysteries: January Joker*	Ron Roy	E Fiction Level 2-ROY	550	2.9	N	CD
15. Henry and Mudge : The First Book of	Cynthia Rylant	E Fiction Level 2-RYL	470	2.7	J	CD Overdrive
16. Mermaid Tale Trouble at Trident Academy *	Debbie Dadey	E Fiction Level 3-DAD	640	4.1	P	
17. Eerie Elementary: The School is Alive!	Jack Chabert	E Fiction Level 3-CHA	460	3.4	O	
18. Zoey and Sassafras: Dragons and Marshmallows*	Asia Citro	E Fiction Level 3-CIT	580	3.8	O	
19. Notebook of Doom Rise of the	Troy Cummings	E Fiction Level 3-CUM	460L	3.4	O	
20. Judy Moody *	Megan McDonald	E Fiction Level 3-MCD	530	3.5	M	CD

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Title	Author	Where to Find It	Lexile Level	AR Level	Guided Reading Level	Audio Book
21. Princess Pink & the Land of Fake Believe: Moldylocks & the Three Beards	Noah Jones	E Fiction Level 3-JON	570L	3.1	O	
22. Shredderman: Secret Identity*	Wendelin Van Draanen	E Fiction Level 3-VAN	650	4.2	O	
23. Here's Hank: Bookmarks Are People Too! *	Henry Winkler & Lin Oliver	E Fiction Level 3-WIN	570L	3.9	O	
24. Rosie Revere and the Raucous Riveters*	Andrea Beaty	J Fiction-BEA	520	3.8	—	Hoopla
25. Fantastic Mr. Fox	Roald Dahl	J Fiction –DAH	600L	4.1	P	Overdrive CD
26. Mrs. Piggle- Wiggle*	Betty Bard MacDonald	J Fiction –MAC	1070L	5.2	O	Overdrive CD
27. The Mouse with the Question Mark Tail	Richard Peck	J Fiction –PEC	680L	5.0	S	Overdrive CD
28. Lulu and the Brontosaurus*	Judith Viorst	J Fiction –VIO	910L	4.8	—	
29. Dog Man*	Dav Pilkey	Graphic Novels-DOG	390	2.6	P	
30. Fangbone! Third Grade Barbarian*	Michael Rex	Graphic Novels-FAN	490	2.2	Q	
31. The Great Pet Escape*	Victoria Jamieson	Graphic Novels-PET	400	2.8	O	
32. Squish: Super Amoeba*	Jennifer Holm	Graphic Novels-SQU	520	2.2	R	
33. Tiger vs. Nightmare	Emily Tetri	Graphic Novels-TIG	500	2.1		
34. A Picture Book ...*	David A. Adler	Biography	AD880L	5.1		
35. Ben Franklin Thinks Big	Sheila Keenan	Biography –FRA	—	3.6	—	
36. Who Was...Series	Various	Biography	960L	4.5	R	CD Overdrive
37. The Three Little Fish and the Big Bad Shark	Ken Geist	398.2 Three Little Pigs/Geist	AD640	3.0	K	
38. I'm Trying to Love Spiders	Bethany Barton	595.44 BAR	AD510L	2.5	N	
39. Wild Reptiles: Snakes, Crocodiles, Lizards and Turtles! *	Martin and Chris Kratt	597.9 KRA	570	2.7	—	
40. Panda Kindergarten	Joanne Ryder	599.789 RYD	830	4.7	L	
41. Magic Tree House Research Guide-Space	Mary Pope Osborne	520 OSB	760L	5.1	Q	
42. Magic Tree House Research Guide-Snakes and Other Reptiles	Mary Pope Osborne	597.9 OSB	800L	5.2	S	
43. Magic Tree House Research Guide-Penguins and Antarctica	Mary Pope Osborne	598.47 OSB	700L	4.6	P	
44. Magic Tree House Research Guild-Dolphins and Sharks	Mary Pope Osborne	599.53 OSB	730L	5.1	M	