

## Fiction for Reading Aloud

Ahlberg, Allan **Bert** (series)  
Bang, Molly **Little Rat Sets Sail** (series)  
Base, Graeme **Jungle Drums**  
Beck, Andrea **Elliot Bakes a Cake**  
Brimner, Larry **The Littlest Wolf**  
Buehner, Caralyn **Superdog**  
Caple, Kathy **Worm Gets a Job**  
Child, Lauren **I Will Not Ever Never Eat a Tomato**  
Crews, Nina **One Hot Summer Day**  
Edwards, Pamela Duncan **Roar!**  
Falconer, Ian **Olivia Saves the Circus** (series)  
Faller, Regis **Polo - The Runaway Book**  
Glaser, Linda **It's Summer!**  
Harris, Rubie **Don't Forget to Come Back!**  
Heine, Helme **The Pigs' Wedding**  
Henkes, Kevin **Lilly's Big Day** (series)  
James, Simon **Little One Step**  
Johnson, Angela **Julius**  
Kalman, Maira **What Pete Ate from A to Z**  
Koller, Jackie **One Monkey Too Many**  
Kraus, Robert **Mort the Sport**  
Krauss, Ruth **The Carrot Seed**  
Kushkin, Karla **I Am Me**  
Kroll, Virginia **Butterfly Boy**  
Kurtz, Jane **Water Hole Waiting**  
Lakin, Patricia **Beach Day!**  
Lewin, Betsy **Giggle, Giggle, Quack**  
Martin, Bill, Jr. **Knots on a Counting Rope**  
Martin, Bill, Jr. **Chicka Chicka Boom Boom**  
McClintock, Barbara **Dahlia**  
McCloskey, Robert **Blueberries for Sal**  
McMullan, Kate **I Stink!**  
McPhail, David **Lost**  
Mitton, Tony **Down by the Cool of the Pool**  
Moon, Naomi **My Most Favorite Thing**  
Newman, Marjorie **Mole and the Baby Bird**  
Pfister, Marcus **Rainbow Fish** (series)  
Portis, Antoinette **Not a Box**  
Robertson, M. P. **The Dragon Snatcher**  
Rockwell, Anne **Welcome to Kindergarten**  
Seuss, Dr. **Horton Hears a Who!** (& others)  
Shannon, David **Alice the Fairy**  
Siegel, Bernie **Smudge Bunny**  
Simon, James **Baby Brains - The Smartest Baby ...**  
Steen, Sandra **Car Wash**  
Steig, William **Shrek!**  
Stoeke, J. **A Friend for Minerva Louise** (series)  
Stojic, Many **Rain**  
Waber, Bernard . **Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile** (series)  
Willems, Mo **Knuffle Bunny : a Cautionary Tale**  
Wood, Audrey **The Red Racer**  
Woodruff, Elvira **The Wing Shop**  
Yolen, Jane **How Do Dinosaurs Eat Their Food?**

## Non-Fiction for Reading Aloud

Aronsky, Jim **Beachcombing: Exploring the Seashore**  
Aston, Dianna **An Egg is Quiet**  
Bradley, Kimberle **Pop! A Book About Bubbles**  
Calmenson, Stephanie **Kindergarten Kids**  
Cohen, Izhar **A-B-C Discovery**  
Clements, Andrew **Workshop**  
Crews, Donald **School Bus**  
Davies, Nicola **Surprising Sharks**  
DePalma, Mary Newell **Grand Old Tree**  
Ehlert, Lois **Color Zoo**  
French, Vivian **Growing Frogs**  
Freymann, Saxton **How Are You Peeling?**  
Guiberson, Brenda **The Emperor Lays an Egg**  
Guiberson, Brenda **Rain, Rain, Rain Forest**  
Hoban, Tana **All About Where**  
Hoberman, Mary Ann **The Cozy Book**  
Jenkins, Steve **Move!**  
Lear, Edward **The Owl and the Pussycat**  
(Jan Brett or James Marshall illustrated versions)  
Lillegard, Dee **Wake Up, House!**  
Lindbergh, Reeve **A Circle of Days**  
Micklethwait, Lucy **I Spy – an Alphabet in Art**  
Nelson, Kadir **He's Got the Whole World in His Hands**  
Rose, Deborah **One Nighttime Sea**  
Schwartz, David **Look Once, Look Again** (series)  
Steiner, Joan **Look-Alikes**  
Tatham, Betty **Baby Sea Otter**  
Yolen, Jane **Welcome to the Green House**  
Zoehfeld, Kathleen **Dinosaur Babies**  
Zolotow, Charlotte **Sleepy Book**

Dear Parents,

This list of suggestions will guide you as you make your reading selections. This is only a starting point! The librarian at your local public library may recommend other excellent resources, as well.

We hope reading this summer will be enjoyable for all. When reading aloud you are demonstrating the fun of reading, and thus motivating your child to learn to read independently. As you read, take time to enjoy the illustrations. A slow look at a page can reveal many surprises and expand comprehension of story themes.

Wishing you many memorable reading adventures,

Sincerely, Your Librarians

**For this reading list & other recommended reading lists, follow the link below:**

[www.episcopalacademy.org](http://www.episcopalacademy.org)

**>Quick Links>Libraries>Reading Lists**

## Folk Literature

Aylesworth **Goldilocks & the Three Bears**  
Brothers Grimm **The Rabbit's Bride**  
Carle, Eric **Eric Carle's Treasury of Classic Stories for Children**  
Crews, Nina **Neighborhood Mother Goose**  
Cummings, Pat **Ananse and the Lizard**  
DeRegniers, Beatrice **Jack the Giant-Killer**  
Demi **The Empty Pot**  
Ehrlich, Amy **Cinderella**  
Ernest, Lisa **Little Red Riding Hood ...**  
Galdone, Paul **The Little Red Hen**  
Galdone, Paul **Three Billy Goats Gruff**  
Grand, Carmen **Juan Bobo - Four Folktales from Puerto Rico**  
Hamilton, Virginia **When Birds Could Talk and Bats Could Sing**  
Hiawyn, Oram **Baba Yaga and the Wise Doll**  
Hodge, Margaret **The Boy Who Drew Cats**  
Hoffman, Mary **A Twist in the Tail: Animal Stories From Around the World**  
Jeffers, Susan **Hansel and Gretel**  
Kimmel, Eric **Sirko and the Wolf**  
MacDonald, Margaret **Fat Cat**  
McDermott, Gerald **Zomo the Rabbit**  
Morales, Yuyi **Just a Minute : a Trickster Tale**  
Moreton, Daniel **La Cucaracha Martina**  
Moser, Barry **The Three Little Pigs**  
Moses, Will **Will Moses Mother Goose**  
Parkinson, Kathy **The Enormous Turnip**  
Paye, Won-Ldy ... **Head, Body, Legs**  
Perrault, Charles **Puss in Boots**  
Rascol, Sabina **The Impudent Rooster**  
Sanderson, R. **12 Dancing Princesses**  
San Souci, R. **The Secret of the Stones**  
San Souci, R. **Six Foolish Fishermen**  
Seeger, Pete **Abiyoyo**  
Sierra, Judy **Silly & Sillier- Read Aloud Tales from Around the World**  
Stevens, Janet **Tops and Bottoms**  
Van Laan, Nancy **So Say the Little Monkeys**  
Ward, Helen **The Hare and the Tortoise**  
Wattenberg, Jane **Henny-Penny**  
Weisner, David & Kahng **The Loathsome Dragon**  
Yolen, Jane **The Sleeping Beauty**  
Young, Ed **Monkey King**  
Zelinsky, Paul **Rapunzel**

**And the many other Fairy Tale and Nursery Rhyme books at your public library!**

There are many other stories and a variety of versions from which to choose. Share your favorites!

### Anthologies

Cohn, Amy *From Sea to Shining Sea*  
deRegniers, Beatrice *Sing a Song of  
Popcorn*

Dyer, Jane *Animal Crackers : a Delectable  
Collection of Pictures, Poems, and Lullabies*

Hoberman, Mary Ann *Fathers,  
Mothers, Sisters, Brothers: a  
Collection of Family Poems*

Hoffman, Mary *A Twist in the Tail: Animal  
Stories from Around the World*

Nicholls, Judith *Someone I Like:  
Poems about People*

Opie, Iona and Peter *Here Comes  
Mother Goose*

### Selected Caldecott Medal Winners

(ALA Award for Best Illustrations)

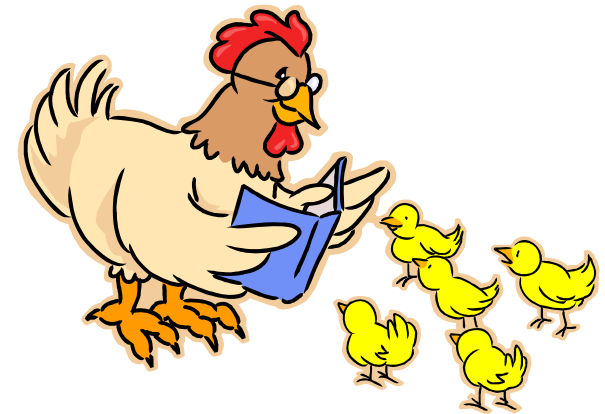
- 2009 *The House in the Night*  
Susan Marie Swanson
- 2007 *Flotsam*  
Wiesner, David
- 2006 *The Hello, Goodbye Window*  
Juster, Norton
- 2005 *Kitten's First Full Moon*  
Henkes, Kevin
- 2003 *My Friend Rabbit*  
Rohmann, Eric
- 2002 *The Three Pigs*  
Wiesner, David
- 2001 *So You Want to Be President*  
St. George, Judith
- 2000 *Joseph Had a Little Overcoat*  
Taback, Simms
- 1999 *Snowflake Bentley* Martin, J.
- 1998 *Rapunzel* Zelinsky, Paul
- 1996 *Officer Buckle and Gloria*  
Rathman, Peggy
- 1994 *Grandfather's Journey*  
Say, Allen

### Selected Picture Book Authors

Aardema, Verna  
Arnold, Tedd  
Asch, Frank  
Ahlberg, Allan  
Brett, Jan  
Brown, Marc  
Brown, Margaret Wise  
Brown, Ruth  
Browne, Anthony  
Calhoun, Mary  
Carle, Eric  
Carrick, Donald  
Cazet, Dennis  
Cohen, Miriam  
Crews, Donald  
Cronin, Doreen  
DePaola, Tomie  
Devlin, Wende  
Dunrea, Olivier  
Egelski, Richard  
Ehlert, Lois  
Ernst, Lisa Campbell  
Freeman, Don  
Gibbons, Gail  
Ginsburg, Mirra  
Hoban, Lillian or Russell  
Hutchins, Pat  
Jonas, Ann  
Keats, Ezra Jack  
Kellogg, Steven  
Lionni, Leo  
Locker, Thomas  
McCloskey, Robert  
Numeroff, Laura  
Palatini, Margie  
Pfister, Marcus  
Pilkey, Dav  
Rockwell, Anne  
Schachner, Judith Byron  
Seuss, Dr.  
Spier, Peter  
Tafuri, Nancy  
Wells, Rosemary  
Wiesner, David  
Willems, Mo  
Wood, Audrey and Don  
Ziefert, Harriet  
Zolotow, Charlotte

**The Episcopal Academy  
Newtown Square, PA**

**For students entering  
Pre-Kindergarten  
and  
Kindergarten**



**Recommended  
Reading  
2009 - 2010**