

Color Our World

Suggested Books and Authors for **Grade 1**

PICTURE BOOKS

P ALE

Alexander, Kwame and
Deanna Nikaido

How to Write a Poem

This beautifully illustrated book asks kids to observe their everyday world for inspiration.

P BER

Bernstrom, Daniel

A Bear, a Fish and a Fishy Wish

A very hungry bear tries very hard to catch a delicious little fish.

P BER

Bertman, Jennifer Chambliss

A Good Deed Can Grow

Good deeds can spread and become bigger.

P BUR

Burach, Ross

Make Way for Butterfly (Very Important Caterpillar)

A silly butterfly learns how butterflies help with pollination.

P CHA

Charlton-Trujillo, E.E. and
Pat Zietlow Miller

Lupe Lopez: Reading Rock Star (Lupe Lopez)

Lupe Lopez is finding it hard to read, but the promise of a star helps her keep going.

P FLE

Fleming, Candace

Mine!

Animals wait for an apple to fall from the tree.

P FUN

Funk, Josh

Dear Unicorn

Two pen pals are shocked when they find out who they have been writing to.

P WEN

Wenzel, Brenden

Two Together

A cat and a dog go on an outdoor adventure together.

P WON

Wong, Jack

When You Can Swim

Families and friends have fun in the water.

BEGINNER

P DUB

Dubois, Liz Goulet

I Like This Color! (Duck and Cluck)

Duck and Cluck argue over what is the best color.

P FOX

Fox, Steve

Meet the Astronaut (LEGO City)

Madison and Billy interview astronaut Captain Momentous and learn things about outer space.

P HAR

Harper, Charise Mericle

Pepper & Boo: Paws Up for Joy! (Pepper & Boo)

Pepper, Boo, and Cat finally get to go outside after being stuck inside because of the rain.

P IWA

Iwai, Melissa

Perfect Paper Cranes (Gigi and Ojiji)

Gigi learns to make paper cranes with her grandfather, Ojiji.

P LAK

Lakin, Patricia

The Mambo Rescue (Tow on the Go)

Can Tow Truck Mo's love of the mambo help a stranded truck?

P MCC

McCanna, Tim

Peach and Plum: Double Trouble (Peach and Plum)

Best friends Peach and Plum get into loads of trouble together.

P NEL

Nelson, Vaunda Micheaux

Ready? Set. Rides! (Raymond and Roxy)

Raymond is on the hunt for the fastest ride at the "Wild World Park" amusement park.

P OLI

Oliveira, Jen de

Kid Penguin (Reggie)

Reggie's curious, playful side sometimes gets him into trouble.

P REI

Reid, C.L.

The Big Bike (Emma Every Day)

Learn ASL with Emma.

P STE

Stemple, Heidi E. Y.

Dodo Dodgeball

It's Ducks versus Dodos in a hilarious game of dodgeball.

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EASY JUVENILE FICTION

JF ASH

Ashman, Linda

Wonder Dogs!

A look at all that dogs do for us, as told by a dog on a walk with his owner.

JF BAR

Barrows, Annie

**Stella and Marigold
(Stella and Marigold)**

Two sisters go on real and imagined adventures together.

JF COR

Cordell, Matthew

**Cornbread and Poppy at the
Museum (Cornbread & Poppy)**

Best friends Cornbread and Poppy visit the Moonville Museum.

JF GEO

George, K. (Kallie)

**Ophelia and the Fairy Field Trip
(Bibbidi Bobbidi Academy)**

Ophelia keeps running into distractions on her field trip.

JF LYO

Lyons, Kelly Starling

Track Star (Miles Lewis)

Miles learns what it really means to win.

JF SHU

Shum, Benson

**Anzu the Great Listener
(Anzu the Great Kaiju)**

Anzu loves taking care of his bonsai tree.

JF SMA

Smallman, Steve

**Maggie Sparks and the Truth
Dragon (Maggie Sparks)**

Maggie's lies get her into trouble.

NON-FICTION

J 158.1 OLE

O'Leary, Wendy

**It's OK: Being Kind to Yourself
When Things Feel Hard**

J 508.071 ROT

Rotner, Shelley

Nature Spy Guide

J 551.5 MOO

Moon, Emily Kate

Puff: All About Air

J 591.5 STO

Stockdale, Susan

**Line Up! Animals in
Remarkable Rows**

J 595.44 LAN

Lanan, Jessica

**Jumper: A Day in the Life of a
Backyard Jumping Spider**

J 598.43 YUL

Yuly, Toni

The Pelican Can!

J 598.864 BUT

Butterworth, Chris

Clever Crow

J 640.286 DRU

Drummond, Allan

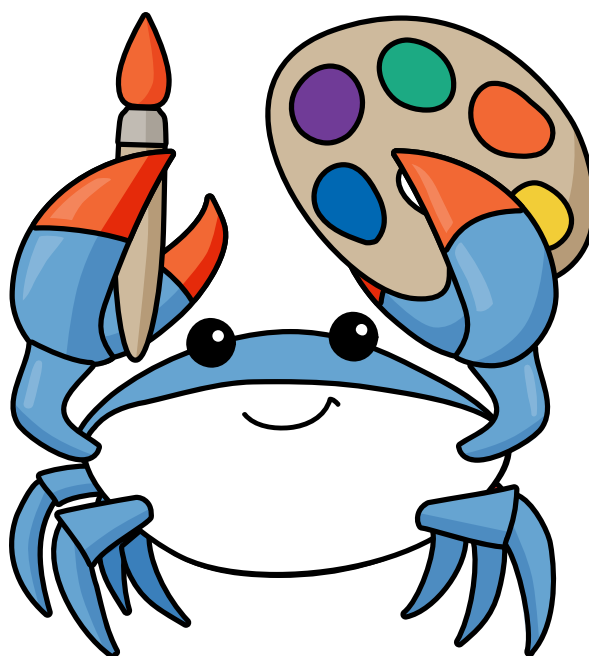
**Zero Waste: How One
Community is Leading a World
Recycling Revolution**

J B O'KEEFE

Robinson, Lisa

**Gifts from Georgia's Garden: How
Georgia O'Keefe Nourished Her Art**

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