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- They All Saw a Cat by Brendan Wenzel
- The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle
- The Wheels on the Bus by Raffi

**Bedtime Stories**

- Goodnight Moon by Margaret Wise Brown
- Hush! A Thai Lullaby by Minfong Ho
- In the Small, Small Pond by Denise Fleming
- Llama Llama Red Pajama by Anna Dewdney
- The Napping House by Audrey Wood
Classic Fairy Tales
- Cinderella by Barbara McClintock
- The Emperor’s New Clothes by Hans Christian Andersen
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- The Tortoise and the Hare: A Tale About Determination by Joanne Barkan
- Thumbelina by Amy Ehrlich

Rhyme/Poetry
- But Not the Hippopotamus by Sandra Boynton
- The Gruffalo by Julia Donaldson
- Hey, Little Ant by Phillip and Hannah Hoose
- The Lorax by Dr. Seuss
- The Real Mother Goose by Blanche Fisher Wright
- Red House Tree House Little Bitty Brown Mouse by Jane Godwin
- Where the Sidewalk Ends by Shel Silverstein

Books on Family
- Alma and How She Got Her Name by Juana Martinez-Neal
- Ask Mr. Bear by Marjorie Flack
- A Big Mooncake for Little Star by Grace Lin
- The Big Snow by Berta Hader
- Bread and Jam for Frances by Russell Hoban
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- Ada Twist, Scientist by Andrea Beaty
- An Egg Is Quiet by Dianna Hutts Aston
- Anna’s Counting Book by Anno
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- Caps for Sale by Esphyr Slobodkina
- Hello Lighthouse by Sophie Blackall
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- The Polar Express by Chris Van Allsburg
- Stone Soup by Marcia Brown
- Strega Nona by Tomie dePaola
- Tales of Uncle Remus: the Adventures of Brer Rabbit by Julius Lester
- Where the Wild Things Are by Maurice Sendak
Animal Books

- Animals Should Definitely Not Wear Clothing by Judi Barrett
- Berenstain Bears (any from series) by Jan, Mike, and Stan Berenstain
- Click, Clack, Moo: Cows that Type by Doreen Cronin
- Curious George by H.A. Rey
- Doctor De Soto by William Steig
- Don’t Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus! by Mo Willems
- Frog and Toad Are Friends by Arnold Lobel
- George and Martha by James Marshall
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- Pigs Aplenty, Pigs Galore by David McPhail
- Seven Blind Mice by Ed Young
- Sylvester and the Magic Pebble by William Steig
- The Tale of Peter Rabbit by Beatrix Potter
- Tops & Bottoms by Janet Stevens
- The Velveteen Rabbit by Margery Williams
- Winnie the Pooh by A.A. Milne

Books on Fitting in

- A Bad Case of Stripes by David Shannon
- Elmer by David McKee
- The Girl Who Loved Wild Horses by Paul Goble
- Hooway for Wodney Wat by Helen Lester
- Imogene’s Antlers by David Small
- Mike Mulligan and His Steam Shovel by Virginia Lee Burton
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