Going into 2nd Grade

Summer Reading Suggestions 2023



King and Kayla and the case of the Gold Ring. by Dory Hillestad Butler

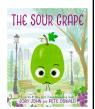
"King, Kayla, Mason, and Asia are playing in the snow. Later, Asia discovers her new gold ring is missing. **What** happened to it? Detective team King & Kayla are on the case!"

This is part of a great series to introduce chapters and use curiosity to build the reader's endurance.



The Bad Guys by Aaron Blabey

The **Bad Guys**, Mr. Wolf, Mr. Shark, Mr. Snake, and Mr. Piranha, want to be heroes, and they decide that the way to do it is free the 200 dogs in the city dog pound--but their plan soon goes awry.



The Sour Grape by Jory John.

The Sour Grape holds grudges for any reason. But when a friend holds a grudge against the Sour Grape without listening to an explanation, the Sour Grape realizes how unfair grudges can be. Could forgiveness turn a sour grape sweet? From the creators of The Good Egg and The Bad Seed.



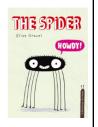
Cat Kid Comic Club by Dav Pilkey

Join Li'l Petey, Flippy, and Molly as they introduce comic making to twenty-one funny, rambunctious, and talented frogs. Can the trio help the class unleash their own creativity?



What if you had animal teeth? By Sandra Markle

What if an animal's teeth grew into the space where you lost your two front teeth? Describes the characteristics of different animals' teeth, including beavers, camels, Bengal tigers, and narwhals. It also provides readers with a reminder to take care of their teeth. Fun photographs and illustrations add information and entertainment.



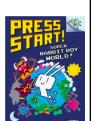
The Spider by Elise Gravel

Part of a series of hilarious non-fiction about disgusting creatures, this book looks at the spider. It covers such topics as the spider's habitats and the silk it spins. Although silly and off-the-wall, *The Spider* contains factual information that will both amuse and teach at the same time.



Dear Beast: The Pet Parade by Dory Hillestad Butler

Through a series of letters, Simon, a grumpy and jealous cat, and good-natured Baxter, his boy's dog, discuss the upcoming parade in which Baxter will participate for the first time.



Press Start: Super Rabbit Boy World! By Thomas Flintham

King Viking is doing a lot of evil plans at the same time so, with the help of Moon Girl and others, Super Rabbit comes up with a plan to stop the supervillain's attacks. This is the latest in the series that captures readers imaginations with a mix of text and illustrations that is action packed!



Ocean! Waves for all. By Stacy McAulty - part of the Our Universe Series

Dude. Ocean is incredible. Atlantic, Pacific, Artic, Indian, Southern—it's all excellent Ocean! Not part of any nation, his waves are for all. And under those waves, man, he holds so many secrets. With characteristic humor and charm, Stacy McAnulty channels the voice of Ocean in this next "autobiography" in the Our Universe series. Rich with kid-friendly facts and beautifully illustrations.



Dory Fantasmagory by Abby Hanlon

Dory, the youngest in her family, is a girl with a very active imagination, and she spends the summer playing with her imaginary friend, pretending to be a dog, battling monsters, and generally driving her family nuts.