

Unit 1**Wonders 1st Grade Classroom Library**

Title	Author	Lexile Level	Genre	About
Go, Go, Go! Kids on the Move	Stephen Swinburne	BR	Nonfiction	Read-Alone action-packed photos show ways children move along with simple sentences
Raising Dragons	Jerdine Nolen	670	Fiction	Read-Aloud story of a farmer's daughter who discovers a dragon egg and decides to raise it
The Busy Body Book	Lizzy Rockwell	680	Nonfiction	Read-Aloud informative look at the human body
*Family Pictures	Carmen Lomas Garza	790	Nonfiction Autobiography	Read-Alone told through short written sketches and detailed paintings

Unit 2

Title	Author	Lexile Level	Genre	About
The Cow That Went OINK	Bernard Most	270	Fiction	Read-Alone story of a cow and a pig who are different
Meet the Meerkat	Darrin Lunde	340	Nonfiction	Read-Alone that uses a question & answer approach to introducing the meerkat
Cactus Hotel	Brenda Z. Guiberson	700	Nonfiction	Read-Aloud that describes the unique relationship of a saguaro cactus and animals of the desert
*Little House in the Big Woods	Laura Ingalls Wilder	930	Historical Fiction	Read-Aloud story of frontier life in the late 1800s.

Unit 3

Title	Author	Lexile Level	Genre	About
Seven Blind Mice	Ed Young	350	Fiction	Read-Alone story of seven blind mice that describe something strange they find by their pond
*Let's Find Out About Ice Cream	Mary Ebeltoft Reid	500	Nonfiction	Read-Aloud book with kid-friendly language & photos
On Earth	G. Brian Karas	660	Nonfiction	Read-Alone that uses colorful illustrations, diagrams, and text to explain how earth moves
*Lon Po Po: A Red-Riding Hood Story from China	Ed Young	670	Fiction	Read-Aloud that retells a Red-Riding Hood tale set in China

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Title	Author	Lexile Level	Genre	About
*Starfish	Edith Thacher Hurd	170	Nonfiction	Read-Alone book that details many kinds of starfish
Super Fly Guy	Tedd Arnold	360	Fiction	Read-Alone humorous story of a boy and his pet fly
*What Do You Do With a Tail Like This?	Steve Jenkins & Robin Page	620	Nonfiction	Read-Aloud that uses playful drawings and text to describe the unique body parts of several animals
Edward the Emu	Sheena Knowles	NP	Fiction	Read-Aloud funny story of an emu named Edward

Unit 5

Title	Author	Lexile Level	Genre	About
*Owl at Home	Arnold Lobel	370	Fiction	Read-Alone about Owl who makes room for visitors & has daily adventures
*A Weed is a Flower: The Life of George Washington Carver	Aliki	690	Nonfiction Biography	Read-Alone book about the life of George Washington Carver
Snowflake Bentley	Jacqueline Briggs Martin	830	Nonfiction Biography	Read-Aloud story of Wilson Bentley who becomes a self-made scientist on a farm in Vermont
The Top Job	Elizabeth Cody Kimmel	880	Fiction	Read-Aloud story of a girl who tells her classmates about her dad's job in a way that shows the value of all tasks

Unit 6

Title	Author	Lexile Level	Genre	About
*Frog and Toad Together	Arnold Lobel	330q	Fiction	Read-Alone book that tells five humorous short tales of friendship
Ling & Ting: Not Exactly the Same!	Grace Lin	390	Fiction	Read-Alone collection of clever stories about twin girls
*How People Learned to Fly	Fran Hodgkins	630	Nonfiction	Read-Aloud that explores the history & science of flight

A Picture Book of George Washington	David A. Adler	750	Nonfiction Biography	Read-Aloud that focuses on Washington’s biggest accomplishments from childhood to presidency
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