Imagine Your Story

Suggested Books and Authors for 1st Graders

**PICTURE BOOKS**

Beaty, Andrea
Ada Twist, Scientist
She is curious.

de Regil, Tania
A New Home
Moving to Mexico City. Moving to New York City.

Dias, Hannah Carmona
Dazzling Travis: A Story About Being Confident & Original
Travis is unique.

Guidroz, Rukhsanna
Leila in Saffron
She learns to feel proud of herself.

Howarth, Naomi
The Night Dragon
Can a dragon’s dream come true?

Kelkar, Supriya
The Many Colors of Harpreet Singh
He finds a new friend and wears colorful patkas.

López, Rafael
We’ve Got the Whole World in Our Hands
Explore our amazing world!

Parr, Todd
Be Who You Are!
You are special!

Saeed, Aisha
Bilal Cooks Daal
Bilal introduces his friends to his favorite food.

Zhang, Kat
Amy Wu and the Perfect Bao
She finds her own way to make dumplings.

**BEGINNER**

Adler, David A.
Mo books
Mo loves sports.

Arnold, Todd
Fly Guy books
Buzz has a super pet.

Carbone, Courtney
Dealing with Feelings books
Silly, sad, jealous, angry, scared or happy?

Dean, James
Pete the Kitty and Pete the Cat books
Pete’s adventures as a kitten and a cat.

Feuti, Norman
Hello, Hedgehog! books
Hedgehog and his pal Harry.

Hooks, Gwendolyn
The Garden
Friends help in the community garden.

Long, Ethan
I Like to Read books
All kinds of animals in all kinds of places.

McCully, Emily Arnold
Min Makes a Machine
Can Min fill the pool?

O’Connor, Jane
Fancy Nancy Sees Stars
Trip to planetarium doesn’t go as planned.

Sateren, Shelley Swanson
Max and Zoe books
Best friends inside and outside of school.

Yoon, Salina
Duck, Duck, Porcupine! books
Their friend is a porcupine.

**EASY JUVENILE FICTION**

Butler, Dori Hillestad
King & Kayla books
Kayla and her dog solve mysteries.

Meisel, Peter
Stinky Spike the Pirate Dog
Can a dog become a pirate?

**NON FICTION**

J 177.7 World
A World of Kindness

J 331.7 Paul
Whose Hands Are These?: A Community Helper Guessing Book

J 590 Davidson
Odd Animals (National Geographic Kids Readers books)

J 641.3 Rotner
Grow! Raise! Catch!: How We Get Our Food

J 811.54 Herrera
Imagine
What will you be when you grow up?

J 811.6 Alexander
Animal Ark: Celebrating our Wild World in Poetry and Pictures

J B Fairbanks
Ice Breaker: How Mabel Fairbanks Changed Figure Skating

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