

Adventure Starts Here

Suggested Books and Authors for 2nd Graders

PICTURE BOOKS

P BUZ

Buzzeo, Toni

Pa, Me, and Our Sidewalk Pantry

A boy and his grandpa build a sidewalk pantry next to their sidewalk library.

P CEP

Cepeda, Joe

Rafa Counts on Papá

How much does Papá love Rafa? Let's measure it!

P CRO

Crowe, Caroline

Our Incredible Library Book: And the Wonderful Journeys it Took

One great book has many adventures meeting new readers.

P HOU

Houts, Michelle

Hopefully the Scarecrow

Every day a girl reads her favorite books to a scarecrow in her garden.

P JAI

Jain, Mahak

The Only Astronaut

A little astronaut learns to compromise while looking for an assistant.

P LAR

LaRocca, Rajani

Summer is for Cousins

For Ravi, summer is being with his extended family and eating ice cream!

P OFF

Offsay, Charlotte

The Big Beach Cleanup

Cora is excited about the sandcastle contest, but the beach cleanup comes first.

P REX

Rex, Adam

Oh No, the Aunts Are Here

Too many aunts come to visit!

P SAV

Savage, Chloe

The Search for the Giant Arctic Jellyfish

Dr. Morley and her crew search for a creature that nobody has ever seen.

P SMI

Smith, Nikkolos

The Artist

A young boy is an artist and an activist.

P TUI

Tuiasoa, Shar

Punky Aloha

Punky is brave now, but she was not always that way.

P WAN

Wang, Andrea

Luli and the Language of Tea

Children from around the world enjoy a tea party.

BEGINNER

P APP

Applegate, Katherine

Doggo and Pupper Search for Cozy (Doggo and Pupper)

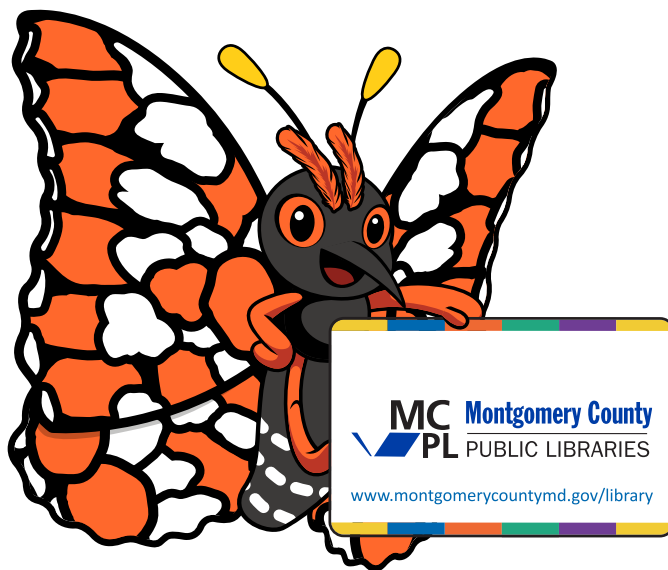
Doggo and Pupper help their friend Cat search for cozy things.

P DRI

Driscoll, Laura

I Want to Be a Scientist (I Can Read) (My Community)

At the North Pole you will meet many different scientists!



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P MAD

Madan, Vikram

Owl and Penguin: Best Day Ever (I Like to Read Comics)

They may be very different, but they are best friends.

P MIC

Michalak, Jamie

The Stinky Feet Monster (Frank and Bean)

Will Frank and Bean find the Stinky Feet Monster, or will they be its next meal?

P RAU

Raúl the Third

Team Up (El Toro & Friends)

El Toro and his friends became famous luchadores by working as a team!

P TOD

Todd, Brandon

Treasure Map (Adventure Friends)

New neighbors Clarke and Miguel share a love for adventure.

P WIN

Windness, Kaz

Worm and Caterpillar are Friends (Ready-to-Read Graphics)

Can they stay friends when one makes a dramatic change?

EASY JUVENILE FICTION

JF COR

Cordell, Matthew

Evergreen

Evergreen must face her fears and bring soup to her sick Granny.

JF KAD

Kadariusman, Michelle

Room for More

When the bush fires start, Dig and Scratch welcome other animals in their wombat burrow.

GRAPHIC NOVELS

JF FRO

Frost, Maddie

Wombats! Go Camping (Wombats!)

Albert and Pickles have different ideas about wilderness camping.

JF KUR

Kurilla, Renée

The Flower Garden

Anna and Tess have magical adventures when they shrink to the size of little garden gnomes.

JF SUR

Lai, Remy

Star the Elephant (Surviving the Wild)

Star must find his family again after being separated.

JF MOS

Mosco, Rosemary

Expedition Backyard: Exploring Nature from Country to City

Mole and Vole miss the country but find new friends and adventures in the city.

JF ROT

Roth, Jonathan

Splash Down (Rover and Speck)

Rover and Speck are ready for a dangerous mission to a mysterious, watery planet.

JF SIR

Tabor, Corey R.

Sir Ladybug (Sir Ladybug)

Sir Ladybug and his friends never shy away from an epic quest, but he'd rather bake a cake.

NON-FICTION

J 508.2 FER

Ferraro-Fanning, Angela

A Summer Treasury of Recipes, Crafts, and Wisdom (Little Homesteader)

J 551.44 BEC

Beckerman, Nell Cross

Caves

J 572.46 ALA

Alary, Laura

Sun in My Tummy

J 591.47 KAN

Kaner, Etta

Do Fire Ants Fight Fires?

How Animals Work in the Wild

J B KARIKO

Dadey, Debbie

Never Give Up: Dr. Kati Karikó and the Race for the Future of Vaccines

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