



Early Chapter BOOKS FOR KIDS

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ANIMALS

Mercy Watson to the Rescue (ETR E DIC)

First book in the *Mercy Watson* series
by Kate DiCamillo

The Case of the Lost Boy (J BUD V1)

First book in the *Buddy Files* series
by Dori Hillestad Butler

Welcome to the Bed & Biscuit (J CAR)

by Joan Carris

Runaway Radish (J HAA)

by Jessie Haas

Pee Wee's Tale (J HUR)

Lexi's Tale (J HUR)

by Johanna Hurwitz

Shelter Dog Blues (J MAR)

First book in the *Martha Speaks* series
by Jamie White

Gus & Gertie and the Lucky Charms (J NIX)

by Joan Lowery Nixon

Smarter than Squirrels (J NOL)

by Lucy A. Nolan

SPORTS

The Fenway Foul-up (J BAL V1)

First book in the *Ballpark Mysteries* series
by David A. Kelly

The Dog That Called the Pitch (J CHR)

by Matt Christopher

Owen Foote, Soccer Star (J GRE)

Part of the *Owen Foote* series
by Stephanie Greene

Just Like Mike (J HER)

by Gail Herman

A Running Back Can't Always Rush (J VIC V1)

First book in the *Victory School Superstars* series
by Nate LeBoutillier

The Ball Hogs (J WAL)

First book in the *Kickers* series
by Rich Wallace

STORIES ABOUT KIDS

(Like **Junie B. Jones**)

Julian's Glorious Summer (J CAM)

by Ann Cameron

Jake Drake Know-it-All (J CLE, J LP CLE)

by Andrew Clements

Beezus and Ramona (J CLE)

First book in the *Ramona Quimby* series
by Beverly Cleary

Nora and the Texas Terror (J COX)

by Judy Cox

Bink & Gollie (J DIC)

by Kate DiCamillo

Ivy + Bean (J IVY V1)

First book in the *Ivy + Bean* series
by Annie Barrows

Horrible Harry Bugs the Three Bears (J KLI)

by Suzy Kline

Gooney Bird Greene (J LOW)

by Lois Lowry

7 x 9 = Trouble! (J MIL)

by Claudia Mills

Daisy Dawson is on Her Way (J VOA)

by Steve Voake

Beany and the Meany (J WOJ)

by Susan Wojciechowski

MAKE BELIEVE

(Like the **Magic Tree House** series)

The Chocolate Touch (J CAT)

by Patrick Skene Catling

The Dragon of Doom (J COV)

First book in the *Moongobble and Me* series
by Bruce Coville

Lunch Walks Among Us (J FRA V1)

First book in the *Franny K. Stein* series
by Jim Benton

My Father's Dragon (J GAN)

by Ruth Stiles Gannett

Vampire State Building (J LEV)

by Elizabeth Levy

The Littles (J LIT V1)

First book in the *Littles* series
by John Lawrence Peterson

Stuart's Cape (J PEN)
by Sara Pennypacker

Once Upon a Blue Moose (J PIN)
by Daniel Manus Pinkwater

Ruby the Red Fairy (J RAI V1)
First book in the *Rainbow Magic* series
by Daisy Meadows

Deep Space Hijack (J SUP)
First book in the *DC Superheroes- Superman* series
by Scott Sonneborn

Knights of the Kitchen Table (J TIM V1)
First book in the *Time Warp Trio* series
by Jon Scieszka

FUNNY STORIES

The Cat Who Got Carried Away (J AHL)
by Allan Ahlberg

The Legend of Spud Murphy (J COL)
by Eoin Colfer

The Elevator Family (J EVA)
by Douglas Evans

Moxy Maxwell Does Not Love Stuart Little (J GIF)
by Peggy Elizabeth Gifford

Mostly Monty (J HUR)
by Johanna Hurwitz

Stink: The Incredible Shrinking Kid (J STI V1)
First book in the *Stink* series
by Megan McDonald

Miss Daisy is Crazy! (J MY V1)
First book in *My Weird School* series
by Dan Gutman

Marvin Redpost: Kidnapped at Birth? (J MAR V1)
First in the *Marvin Redpost* series
by Louis Sachar

Clementine (J PEN)
by Sara Pennypacker

MYSTERIES **(Like Jigsaw Jones)**

On the Dog (J AND V1)
First in the *Andrew Lost* series
by Judith Greenburg

The Absent Author: A (J AtoZ VA)
First book in the *A to Z Mysteries* series

Who Cloned the President? (J CAP V1)
First book in the *Capital Mysteries* series
by Ron Roy

Cam Jansen and the Mystery of the Stolen Diamonds (J CAM V1)
First book in the *Cam Jansen* series
by David A. Adler

The Trouble with Chickens: A J.J. Tully Mystery (J CRO)
by Doreen Cronin

Lost Treasure of the Emerald Eye (J GER V1)
First book in the *Geronimo Stilton* series
by Geronimo Stilton

Sly the Sleuth and the Code Mysteries (J NAP)
by Donna Jo Napoli

The Slumber Party Secret (J NAN NOT V1)
First book in the *Nancy Drew Notebooks* series
by Carolyn Keene

STORIES OF LONG AGO

Black-Eyed Susan (J ARM)
by Jennifer Armstrong

A Lion to Guard Us (J BUL)
by Clyde Robert Bulla

The Boy Who Saved Cleveland (J GIB)
by James Griblin

Pioneer Summer (J HOP)
First book in the *Prairie Skies* series
by Deborah Hopkinson

The Adventures of Laura and Jack (J LIT CH LAU V1)
First book in *Laura's Little House Chapter Book* series
by Laura Ingalls Wilder

Sarah, Plain and Tall (J MAC)
by Patricia MacLachlan

Hannah's Helping Hands (J VAN)
Part of the *Pioneer Daughters* series
by Jean Van Leeuwen

The Earth Dragon Awakes: The San Francisco Earthquake of 1906 (J YEP)
by Laurence Yep



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