

## THE KISSING HAND

Pic Penn

When Chester the raccoon is reluctant to go to kindergarten for the first time, his mother teaches him a secret way to carry her love with him.

## BEAR CAME ALONG

Pic Morris

Once there was a river flowing through a forest. The river didn't know it was capable of adventures until a big bear came along. But adventures aren't any fun by yourself, and so enters Froggy, Turtles, Beaver, Racoons, and Duck.

## THE WAY I FEEL

Pic Cain

Helping children identify and express their feelings in a positive manner is important for their social-emotional learning, developing empathy, and building resilience. Feelings are neither good nor bad, they simply are. Kids need words to name their feelings, just as they need words to name all things in their world.

## I LIKE ME

Pic Carson

Meet Nancy Carlson's peppy pig-a character who is full of good feelings about herself. Her story will leave little ones feeling good about themselves, too!

## THE VERY HUNGRY

### CATERPILLAR

Pic Carle

THE all-time classic picture book, from generation to generation, sold somewhere in the world every 30 seconds! Have you shared it with a child or grandchild in your life?

### NOT NORMAN

Pic Bennet

Norman the goldfish isn't what this little boy had in mind. He wanted a different kind of pet -- one that could run and catch, or chase string and climb trees, a soft furry pet to sleep on his bed at night. Definitely not Norman. But when he tries to trade Norman for a "good pet," things don't go as he planned.

### LEO THE LATE BLOOMER

Pic Kraus

This heartwarming story of how a little tiger named Leo bloomed is told by bestselling author Robert Kraus and is accompanied by the wonderfully bold illustrations of Jose Aruego.

### GOOD NIGHT, GORILLA

Pic Rathmann

It's bedtime at the zoo, and all the animals are going to sleep. Or are they? Who's that short, furry guy with the key in his hand and the mischievous grin?

# STORY TIME FAVORITES



## BOBO AND THE NEW BABY

Pic Huang

Meet Bobo. Bobo is a dog who likes his life just the way it is: at the center of his beloved parents' attention.

But a new baby is about to change everything...

## PLOOF

Pic Clanton

Ploof is a puffy cloud who's a little lonely -- but now you're here, and the fun can begin! Can you help Ploof overcome their shyness? Play pretend? Make Ploof laugh with your funny faces, find their hiding spot, give them a high five! Full of imaginative and interactive fun, each page of this perfect book for preschoolers offers a chance to play.

## HOW DO YOU TAKE A BATH

Pic McMullan

How do YOU take a bath?

Follow elephants, pigs, monkeys, hippos, and more in this charming rhyming picture book.

## THE SPRING BOOK

Pic Parr

New York Times bestselling author Todd Parr captures the beauty of spring in this sweet and silly book about the wonders of a season.

## PETE THE CAT: I LOVE MY WHITE SHOES

Pic Litwin

Pete the Cat goes walking down the street wearing his brand-new white shoes. Along the way, his shoes change from white to red to blue to brown to WET as he steps in piles of strawberries, blueberries, and other big messes!

## GATOR, GATOR, GATOR!

Pic Bernstrom

Do you wanna? Wanna see?

Let's go find that gator, gator, gator!

COME WITH ME! Put on your life jacket, hop in the boat, and raise your binoculars--it's time to go on an adventure!

## THE CARS AND TRUCKS BOOK

Pic Parr

Some trucks help on the farm. Some trucks help in the city. Some cars like to drive in the snow. And some cars like to drive to the beach. All cars and trucks LOVE to be on the ROAD!

## THE SNOWY DAY

Pic Keats

The magic and wonder of winter's first snowfall is perfectly captured in Ezra Jack Keat's Caldecott Medal-winning picture book. This celebrated classic has been shared by generations of readers and listeners, a must-have for every child's bookshelf and a perfect gift for the holiday season.

## WEMBERLY WORRIED

Pic Henkes

Wemberly worried about everything. Big things. Little things. And things in between. Then it was time for school to start. And Wemberly worried even more. If you ever worry (or know someone who does), this is the book for you.

## IF YOU TAKE A MOUSE TO SCHOOL

Pic Numeroff

If you take a mouse to school, he'll ask you for your lunch box. When you give him your lunch box, he'll want a sandwich to go in it. Then he'll need a notebook and some pencils. He'll probably want to share your backpack, too.