

Independent Reading Suggestions

(arranged by DRA level with genres listed)

<u>Level DRA 24 Books</u>	<u>Level DRA 28-30 Books</u>	<u>Level DRA 34- 38 Books</u>
<p><i>Bear Shadow</i> by Frank Asch (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Madeline</i> by K. Bemelmans (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Clifford</i> by Norman Bridwell (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Arthur</i> by Lillian Hoban (series) (F)</p> <p><i>A Baby Sister for Frances</i> by Russell Hoban (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Pinky and Rex</i> by James Howe (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Whistle for Willie</i> by Ezra Jack Keats (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Horrible Harry</i> by Suzy Kline (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Frog and Toad</i> by Arnold Lobel (series) (F)</p> <p><i>George and Martha</i> by Marshall (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Fox and his Friends</i> by Marshall (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Little Bear</i> by Minarik (series) (F)</p> <p><i>If You Give a Mouse a Cookie</i> by Laura Numeroff (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Franklin</i> by J. Oppenheim (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Amelia Bedelia</i> by Peggy Parish (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Curious George</i> by Rey (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Henry and Mudge</i> by Cynthia Rylant (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Mr Putter and Tabby</i> by C. Rylant (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Young Cam Janson</i> by C. Rylant (series) (My)</p> <p><i>Where the Wild Things Are</i> by M. Sendak (F)</p> <p><i>Nate the Great</i> by M. Sharmat (series) (My)</p>	<p><i>Cam Janson</i> by David Adler (series) (My)</p> <p><i>Arthur</i> by Marc Brown (series) (F)</p> <p><i>The Chalk Box Kid</i> by Bulla (RF)</p> <p><i>The Stories Julian Tells</i> by A.Cameron (RF)</p> <p><i>Man Out at First</i> by Matt Christopher (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Goblins Don't Play Video Games</i> by Dadey and Jones (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Pee Wee Scouts</i> by Judy Denton (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>The Art Lesson</i> by Tomi dePaola (B)</p> <p><i>Polk Street Kids</i> by P. R. Giff (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Rip Roaring Russell</i> by J. Hurwitz (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Alexander and the Wind-up Mouse</i> by Leo Lionni (look for his other books) (F)</p> <p><i>Blueberries for Sal</i> by Robert McCloskey (RF)</p> <p><i>Make Way for Duckling</i> by Robert McCloskey (F)</p> <p><i>Junie B. Jones</i> by Barbara Parks (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>The Littles</i> by John Peterson (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Magic Tree House</i> by Osborne (series) (HF / F)</p> <p><i>Marvin Redpost</i> by Louis Sachar (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Time Warp Trio</i> by Jon Scieszka (series) (HF / F)</p> <p><i>My Father's Dragon</i> by R.G. Stiles (F)</p> <p><i>A Chair for My Mother</i> by Vera Williams (RF)</p> <p><i>Cherries and Cherry Pits</i> by Vera Williams (RF)</p>	<p><i>Henry Huggins</i> by Beverly Cleary (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Ramona</i> by Beverly Cleary (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Amber Brown</i> by Paula Danziger (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Fantastic Mr. Fox</i> by Roald Dahl (look for his other books) (F)</p> <p><i>Bunnicula</i> by Howe (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Adventures of Ali Baba Bernstein</i> by Joanna Hurwitz (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Aldo Ice Cream</i> by Joanna Hurwitz (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Mrs. Pigglewiggles</i> by John Peterson (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Sideways Stories from Wayside School</i> by Louis Sachar (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Boxcar Children</i> by Warner (series) (My)</p> <p><i>Magic School Bus</i> by Joanna Cole (series) (I)</p>

F = fantasy book
P = poetry

I = Informational book
B = biography

My = Mystery book
HF = historical fiction

RF = realistic fiction
SF = science fiction