

BOOKS TO SHARE AND READ ALOUD K-1

ARE WE THERE YET?

By Dan Santat

PICTURE SANTAT



“Are we there yet?” Every parent has heard this classic kid question on a long car ride--and after reading this astonishingly inventive new book (that even turns upside down for several pages!), you'll never look at being bored the same way again!

I'M MY OWN DOG

By David Ezra Stein

PICTURE STEIN



A dog without a human companion fetches his own slippers and curls up at his own feet but cannot reach a certain itchy spot in the middle of his back, compelling him to leash a poor lonely human who will loyally offer a helpful scratch.

LEONARDO THE TERRIBLE MONSTER

By Mo Willems

PICTURE WILLEMS



Leonardo is a terrible monster -- he can't seem to frighten anyone. When he discovers the perfect nervous little boy, will he scare the lunch out of him? Or will he think of something better?

THAT IS NOT A GOOD IDEA!

By Mo Willems

PICTURE WILLEMS



A surprising lesson about the importance of listening to one's inner gosling ensues when a very hungry fox issues a dinner invitation to a very plump goose.



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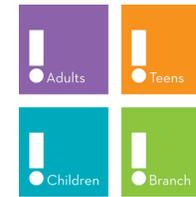
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BOOKS TO SHARE & READ ALOUD GRADES K-1

THE SODA BOTTLE SCHOOL

By Suzanne Slade

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A tiny town in Guatemala faced two huge problems: they had too much trash, and they had too small a school. Where others might have given up, they didn't--thanks to one crazy idea. That idea not only solved both problems, but also inspired others. Never underestimate the power of an idea!

SAM & DAVE DIG A HOLE

By Mac Barnett

PICTURE BARNETT



Sam and Dave are sure they will discover something exciting if they just keep digging their hole.

COCK-A-DOODLE-DOO-BOP!

By Michael Ian Black

PICTURE BLACK



When Mel the rooster gets tired of his boring old cock-a-doodle-doo he decides to shake things up with something brand new--the cock-a-doodle-doo-bop! But not everyone in the barnyard is a fan of the new tune.

THE VERY CRANKY BEAR

By Nick Bland

PICTURE BLAND



On a cold, rainy day in the jungle, four animal friends hide in a cave to play, but unexpectedly meet a very cranky bear trying to nap.

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CHILDREN MAKE TERRIBLE PETS

By Peter Brown

PICTURE BROWN

Lucy, a young brown bear, meets an adorable little boy in the forest one day. She takes him home, excitedly shows him to her mother, and begs, “Can I keep him, PLEASE?”



DYLAN THE VILLAIN

By K.G. Campbell

PICTURE CAMPBELL

Dylan’s parents have always boasted that he is the “very best and cleverest super-villain in the whole wide world,” but when he meets Addison Van Malice, his powers are put to the test.



LOVE IS MY FAVORITE THING

By Emma Clark

PICTURE CLARK

Plum the dog loves everything, and his enthusiasm knows no bounds--sometimes getting him in trouble.



THE LEGEND OF ROCK PAPER SCISSORS

By Drew Daywalt

PICTURE DAYWALT

From acclaimed, bestselling creators Drew Daywalt, author of *The Day the Crayons Quit* and *The Day the Crayons Came Home*, and Adam Rex, author-illustrator of *Frankenstein Makes a Sandwich*, comes a laugh-out-loud hilarious picture book about an epic tale.



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PETE THE CAT AND HIS FOUR GROOVY BUTTONS

By James Dean

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Pete the Cat is wearing his favorite shirt—the one with the four totally groovy buttons. But when one falls off, does Pete cry? Goodness, no! He just keeps on singing his song—after all, three groovy buttons are just as good.



JACK

By Tomie DePaola

PICTURE DEPAOLA

Young Jack meets a host of animals on his way to ask the king for a house.



WAITING

By Kevin Henkes

PICTURE HENKES

An owl, puppy, bear, bunny, and pig wait for marvelous things to happen.



STAND TALL MOLLY LOU MELON

By Patty Lovell

PICTURE LOVELL

Even when the class bully at her new school makes fun of her, Molly remembers what her grandmother told her and she feels good about herself.



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COCKATOO, TOO

By Bethanie Deeney Murguia

PICTURE MURGUIA

Who can can-can? Find out in this hilarious book that features cockatoos, two more cockatoos, and tutu-ed toucans too!



I DON'T WANT TO BE A FROG

By Dave Petty

PICTURE PETTY

A frog who yearns to be any animal that’s cute and warm discovers that being wet, slimy, and full of bugs has its advantages.



CREEPY CARROTS

By Aaron Reynolds

PICTURE REYNOLDS

The carrots that grow in Crackenhopper Field are the fattest and crispiest around and Jasper Rabbit cannot resist pulling some to eat each time he passes by, until he begins hearing and seeing creepy carrots wherever he goes.



A BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO BEAR SPOTTING

By Michelle Robinson

PICTURE ROBINSON

Take a walk in woods with a junior bear spotter and learn to spot a variety of bears... and hopefully don't get eaten! This hilarious cautionary tale will delight children and adults.

