



Animal Fantasy

Easy Readers

Bauer, Marion. [Bear's Hiccups.](#)

On a hot summer day, while Bear and Frog are arguing about who owns the cool, wet pond, Frog disappears and Bear develops a sudden case of hiccups.

Grades K-2 (BAU)

Bauer, Marion. [Turtle Dreams.](#)

Turtle talks to different animals about the coming winter, trying to find a dream that will fit her and prepare her for the long cold season of darkness.

Grades 2-3 (BAU)

Brown, Marc. [Arthur's Fire Drill.](#)

Arthur helps ease D.W.'s fire fears by practicing fire drills at home.

Grades 1-3 (STE)

Cazet, Denys. [Minnie and Moo Meet Frankenswine.](#)

During a thunderstorm, the farm animals are frightened out of the barn by a monster, and only cow friends Minnie and Moo are brave enough to investigate.

Grades K-3 (CAZ)

Hautzig, Deborah. [Little Witch's Bad Dream.](#)

Little Witch tries to be nice to her guest Cousin Bossy, but everything she does is wrong because witches are supposed to be bad and mean. Grades 1-3 (STE)

Inches, Alison. [Corduroy's Garden.](#)

When the beans that Lisa has planted are dug up by a dog, Corduroy reseeds the garden that he was supposed to be watching, but he and Lisa are in for a surprise when the "beans" finally appear on the vines. Grades K-2 (VIK)

Jordan, Apple. [TinkerBell.](#) Not so sure that she wants to be a tinker fairy, Tinker Bell asks her friends to help her find a new talent, with disastrous results.

Grades 1-3 (STE)

Kettner, Christine. [Oliver Cat on Planet B.](#) Oliver Cat plays a game. Oliver Cat loses a button. Oliver Cat goes fishing. Grades K-2 (KET)



Lobel, Arnold. [Days with Frog and Toad.](#) Frog and Toad spend their days together, but find sometimes it's nice to be alone. Grades 1-3 (LOB)

McMullan, Kate. [Fluffy and the Firefighters.](#) After firefighters visit Ms. Day's classroom, Fluffy gets a chance to see what they do firsthand. Grades 1-2 (HEL)

Fiction

Brown, Jeff. [Invisible Stanley.](#)

One morning, after a terrible storm, Stanley Lambchop is nowhere to be found. His family can hear him, and there is a lump under his covers, but no one can find him! Just where is that boy? Grades 2-3 (J BRO)

Burnard, Damon. [Pork and Beef's Great Adventure.](#)

One very hot summer, a cow and a pig coat themselves with frosting and feathers and fly to the moon. Grades 2-4 (J BUR)

Cleary, Beverly. [The Mouse and the Motorcycle.](#)

A reckless young mouse named Ralph makes friends with a boy in room 215 of the Mountain View Inn and discovers the joys of motorcycling. Grades 3-5 (J CLE)

Coville, Bruce. [Into the Land of the Unicorns.](#)

Having jumped into the fantasy land of Luster, Cara joins Lightfoot the unicorn in the search for Queen Arabella Skydancer. Grades 4-6 (J COV)

Delaney, Michael. [Obi, Gerbil on the Loose.](#)

Obi the gerbil must fend for herself in a dangerous household, consisting of a dog, three cats, a parrot, and a mouse hidden in the attic, when the Armstrongs go on vacation and instructions for taking care of Obi get lost. Grades 3-5 (J DEL)

Grahame, Kenneth. [The Wind in the Willows.](#)

This reissue of the classic animal story featuring friends Toad, Mole, Rat, and Badger celebrates the book's seventy-fifth anniversary. Grades 4-6 (J GRA)



Hass, Jessie. [Runaway Radish.](#)

When Radish the pony becomes too small for the girls who own him, he goes to live at a horse camp where there are always new children for him to train.

Grades 2-4 (J HAA)

Howe, Deborah. [Bunnacula: A Rabbit Tale of Mystery.](#)

Though scoffed at by Harold the dog, Chester the cat tries to warn his human family that their foundling baby bunny must be a vampire. Grades 3-6 (J HOW)

Howe, James. [Howliday Inn.](#)

While their family is away, Harold and Chester, a dog and a cat, are boarded at Chateau Bow-Wow where Chester becomes increasingly alarmed by the strange behavior of his fellow guests and the sudden disappearance of one of them.

Grades 4-6 (J HOW)

Howe, Peter. [Waggit Forever.](#)

When a shortage of food and too many humans make it impossible for Waggit and his friends to survive in the city park, they make a dangerous journey, guided by a team of street dogs, in search of a new place to live. Grades 4-6 (J HOW)

Lasky, Kathryn. [The Capture.](#)

When Soren is pushed from his family's nest by his older brother, he is rescued from certain death on the forest floor by agents from a mysterious school for orphaned owls, St. Aggie's. When Soren arrives at St. Aggie's, he suspects there is more to the school than meets the eye. He and his new friend, the clever and scrappy Gylfie, find out that St. Aggie's is actually a training camp where the school's leader can groom young owls to help achieve her goal. Grades 4-6 (J LAS)

Le Guin, Ursula. [Catwings.](#)

Four young cats with wings leave the city slums in search of a safe place to live, finally meeting two children with kind hands.

Grades 2-4 (J LEG)

Oppel, Kenneth. [Silverwing.](#)

When a newborn bat named Shade but sometimes called "Runt" becomes separated from his colony during migration, he grows in ways that prepare him for even greater journeys. Grades 4-6 (J OPP)



Peterson, John. [The Littles.](#)

The Littles, a family of six-inch high people who live in the walls of an old house, begin to worry when the new residents bring a cat. Grades 2-4 (J PET)

Selden, George. [A Cricket in Times Square.](#)

After Chester, a cricket, arrives in the Times Square subway station via a picnic basket from his native Connecticut, he takes up residence in the Bellinis' newsstand. Grades 4-6 (J SEL)

Spratt, R.A. [The Adventures of Nanny Piggins.](#)

When Mr. Green, a stingy widower with three children he cannot be bothered with, decides to find a nanny for his children, he winds up hiring a glamorous ex-circus pig who knows nothing about children but a lot about chocolate. Grades 4-6 (J SPR)

Thompson, Colin. [The Floods. Good Neighbors.](#)

A family of wizards and witches living in an ordinary neighborhood in an ordinary town decides that they have had enough of the noisy family living next-door and makes them disappear. Grades 3-5 (J THO)

West, Colin. [Monty, the Dog Who Wore Glasses.](#)

Adventures of Monty, the dog who wears glasses to remind himself to stay out of trouble. Grades 2-4 (J WES)

White, E.B. [Charlotte's Web.](#)

Wilbur, the pig, is desolate when he discovers that he is destined to be the farmer's Christmas dinner until his spider friend, Charlotte, decides to help him. Grades 4-6. (J WHI)

White, E.B. [Stuart Little.](#)

The adventures of the debonair mouse Stuart Little as he sets out in the world to seek out his dearest friend, a little bird who stayed a few days in his family's garden. Grades 4-6 (J WHI)



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