

2021-2022 Mentor Texts

K - Mentor Text	1st Grade Mentor Text	2nd Grade Mentor Text
<p>The Beetle Alphabet Book Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See? by Bill Martin The Carrot Seed by Ruth Krauss Can You See The Eggs? by Jenny Giles Dragonflies by Margaret Hall Gossie by Olivier Dunrea Honey Bees by Martha E. H.Rustad Honey for Baby Bear by Beverly Randell In the Garden by Rigby Mouse Has Fun by Phyllis Root Mrs. Wishy-Washy by Joy Cowley My Bug Box by Pat Blanchard & Joanne Sur Not Norman by Kelly Bennett So Much! by Trish Cooke The Three Billy Goats Gruff by Paul Galdone Wake Up Dad! by Beverly Randell</p> <p>Kindergarten Booksource Collections</p> <p>Level B Nonfiction Habitat Collection Level B Nonfiction Animal Collection Level B Nonfiction Bestsellers Level A Nonfiction Animals Traditional Literature A-D Social Studies A-D Science A-D Fantasy & Science Fiction A-D Informational Math A-D Poetry & Rhyme A-D Level D Nonfiction Animals and Habitats Collection On-Level Reading Kindergarten A-D Level B Nonfiction Habitats Collection Level C Nonfiction Animals and Habitats Collection New Leveled Reads A-D Level D Nonfiction Physical Science Level D Nonfiction Self Concept Level D Nonfiction Geography and Maps Collection Level D Nonfiction Life Science Level D Nonfiction Math Collection Level D Nonfiction Community Level D Nonfiction Earth Science</p>	<p>Dinosaur Chase by Hugh Price Frog And Toad Are Friends by Arnold Lobel Gossie And Gertie by Olivier Dunrea Hang On, Monkey! by Susan B. Neuman Iris And Walter And The Field Trip by Elissa Haden Guest Ish by Peter Reynolds Kazam's Birds by Amy Ehrlich Mr. Putter & Tabby Drop the Ball by Cynthia Rylant Ollie The Stomper by Olivier Dunrea One More Time by James Marshall Owls by Mary R. Dunn The Runaways by Laura M. Kvasnosky Super Storms by Seymour Simon Tumbleweed Stew by Susan Stevens Crummel Upstairs Mouse, Downstairs Mole by Wong Herbert Yee Earth's Landforms and Bodies of Water by Natalie Hyde Eruption! The Story of Volcanoes by Anita Ganeri Fireflies! by Julie Brinckloe From Empty Lot to Building by Meg Greve From Wax to Crayon by Robin Nelson Handa's Hen by Eileen Browne Harry the Dirty Dog by Gene Zion Henry and Mudge by Cynthia Rylant Hi, Fly Guy! by Tedd Arnold Houndsley and Catina by James Howe Little Beauty by Anthony Browne Mercy Watson Fights Crime by Kate DiCamillo Mercy Watson Thinks like a Pig by Kate DiCamillo Mercy Watson to the Rescue by Kate DiCamillo Mercy Watson: Something Wonky by Kate DiCamillo Peter's Chair by Ezra Jack Keats Planets by Layla Coelho Rain Forest Animal Adaptations by Lisa J. Amstutz</p>	<p><i>The Gingerbread Man</i> retold by Jim Aylesworth <i>The Gingerbread Boy</i> by Richard Egielski</p> <p><i>WATER National Geographic Kids expository text</i> by Melissa Stewart Water is Water: A Book About the Water Cycle written by Miranda Paul and illustrated by Jason Chin Changing Matter (Science Readers) by Karen Larson use this for Properties of Matter (physical/chemical) Seeds and Fruits (Plant parts) by Melanie Waldron Flip, Float, Fly: Seeds on the Move by Joanne Early Macken Up in the Garden and Down in the Dirt by Kate Messner Amazing Animals: Tigers by Valerie Bodden Tigers by Laura Marsh "Lullaby" by Kristine O'Connell</p>

<p>Level D Nonfiction Animals and Habitats Collection</p> <p>Level C Nonfiction Animals and Habitats Collection</p> <p>Level D Nonfiction Animals and Habitats Collection</p> <p>Level B Nonfiction Family, Friends, and Community Collection</p> <p>Level B Nonfiction Habitats Collection</p> <p>Level B Nonfiction Animals Collection</p> <p>Level B Nonfiction Best Sellers</p> <p>Level A Nonfiction Animals Collection</p>	<p>Ricky Ricotta's Mighty Robot by Dav Pilkey</p> <p>Ricky Ricotta's Mighty Robot Vs. the Jurassic Jackrabbits from Jupiter by Dav Pilkey</p> <p>Rocks and Minerals by Kathleen Weidner Zoehfeld</p> <p>Sea Otters by Laura F Marsh</p> <p>Seed to Plant by Kristin Baird Rattini</p> <p>Sharks! by Anne Schreiber</p> <p>Slither, Snake! by Shelby Alinsky</p> <p>The Boy who Cried Ninja by Alex Latimer</p> <p>The Boy who Wanted to be Someone by Elizabeth Best</p> <p>The Princess in Black by Dean and Shannon Hale</p> <p>The Relatives Came by Cynthia Rylant</p> <p>The Shape of Things by Dayle Ann Dodds</p> <p>The Snowy Day by Ezra Jack Keats</p> <p>The Three Billy Goats Gruff by Paul Galdone</p> <p>Those Shoes by Maribeth Boelts</p> <p>Volcanoes! by Anne Schreiber</p> <p>Weathering and Erosion by Maloof Torrey</p> <p>What can Live in a Lake? by Anderson Sheila</p> <p>Where Animals Live by Bobbie Kalman</p> <p>Animals in Danger by Pam Holden</p> <p>A Bath by Bobbie Kalman</p> <p>Blue Animals by Melissa Stewart</p> <p>Brian Wildsmith's Amazing Animal Alphabet by Brian Wildsmith</p> <p>From Eggs by Pam Holden</p> <p>Green Animals by Melissa Stewart</p> <p>It Looks like a Dog by Bobbie Kalman</p> <p>The Life of a Dolphin by Branca Tani</p> <p>The Life of a Giraffe by Katie Smythe</p> <p>Look After Pets by Pam Holden</p> <p>Sea Life by Pam Holden</p> <p>When is this a Home? by Philip Moore</p> <p>Who has Stripes? by Pam Holden</p>	
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3rd Grade Mentor Text

ELA Mentor Text sets (Heinemann)

Stone Fox (Mentor Text)

Because of Winn Dixie

Make Way For Dyamonde Daniel

Muggie Maggie

Salt in His Shoes

Chrysanthemum

The Relatives Came

Spaghetti in a Hotdog Bun

Zero, One, and Two

Ira Sleeps Over

Jabari Jumps (5)

Enemy Pie

Patricia Polacco books

Reading A-Z The Absent Author

The Whodunit series: Mystery of the Missing Diamond

Cam Jansen

Jigsaw Jones

A-Z Mysteries

Calendar Mysteries

The New Nancy Drew series

The New Hardy Boy Series

Lenape Books

LenapeLifeways.org

Narrative Nonfiction:

The True Story Of Ruby Bridges

Henry Box Brown

Rough Faced Girl By Rafe Martin and David Shannon

Anansi the Spider

Why Mosquitoes Buzz in People's Ears

The Legend of the Indian Paintbrush

The Legend of Bluebonnet

Rainbow Crow

Cape May Diamond

Frogs! By Elizabeth Carney

Frogs and Toads by Bobbie Kalman

Gorillas by Lori McManus

The Life Cycle of An Emperor Penguin

The Life Cycle of Frog

Make Way for Dyamonde Daniel

The Penguin, A funny Bird by Beatrice Fontanel

Penguins by Bobbie Kalman

Poetry Authors:

4th Grade Mentor Text

The Tiger Rising (Mentor Text)

The Lemonade War Series

Scarlet Stockings Spy (Mentor Text)

Pink and Say (Mentor Text)

Orange Shoes (Mentor Text)

Peppe the Lamplighter (Mentor Text)

Andrew Clements books (Report Card,

Frindle, *Jake Drake Bully Buster*, *Jake*

Drake Class Clown, *Trouble Maker*) Book Clubs

Chris Van Allsburg Picture Books

Stray (short story)

Fox (Mentor Text)

Those Shoes (Mentor Text)

Roses for Gita (Literary Essay)

Chair for My Mother (Literary Essay)

Fly Away Home (Literary Essay)

The Otherside (Literary Essay)

Freedom Summer (Literary Essay)

Orphan Of Ellis Island

Historical Fiction book club - Hannah of

Fairfield, *I Survived The Battle of*

Gettysburg, *George Washington Socks*,

Civil War on Sunday, *Twister on Tuesday*,

Revolutionary War on Wednesday, *A*

Lion to Guard Us, *The Cat Who Escaped*

from Steerage,

Fireflies (Mentor Text)

Scholastic Guided Reading Short Reads:

Fiction Levels M and L and Nonfiction

Level O

Booksource Classroom Favorites Levels

J-M, L

Dancing in the Wings

The Chocolate Touch

Jumanji

The Widow's Broom

Zathura

The Mysteries of Harris Burdick

The Stranger

The Garden of Abdul Gasazi

5th Grade Mentor Text

The Tiger Rising (B.R.L./Character-Anchor Text)

Chew on This (NF- Anchor Text)

Number the Stars (HF-Anchor Text)

Dancing in the Wings

(Character-Anchor)

Freedom Summer (HF/Social Issues)

Front Desk (Social Issues)

The Mummy's Curse (NF)

Love that Dog-poetry-anchor text)

Hate that Cat (poetry-anchor text)

Every Living Thing- "Shells"

Baseball in April (Character)

Each Kindness (Social Issues- Anchor)

Eleven (Lit. Essay)

Bobsledder's Jacket (Lit. Essay)

The Miraculous Journey of Edward

Tulane (Kate DiCamillo)

The Spill! (NF)

Rose Blanche (HF)

Lightning Thief (Fantasy)

Save Me a Seat (Charcter Unit)

<p><i>Shel Silverstein</i> <i>Jack Prelutsky</i></p> <p>6th Grade Mentor Text</p> <p>Buckle Down Series Drums, Girls, & Dangerous Pie After Ever After Walk Two Moons Cages Tangerine Dark Hills Divide Everlost Poppy Mrs. Frisby the Rats of NIMH Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone Surviving the Applewhites Restart by Gordon Korman The Change Lings by Christina Soontornvat Charmed by Jen Calonita Erogon by Christopher Paolini Flunked by Jen Calonita The Girl Who Drank the Moon by Kelly Barnhill Gregor The Overlander by Suzanne Collins Half Magic by Edward Eager Loki Wolves by KL Armstrong and MA Marr Red the True Story of Red Riding Hood by Liesl Shurtliff The Thief of Always by Clive Barker First French Kiss: and Other Traumas by Adam Bagdasarian "My Side of the Story" "Inside Out" The Circuit Here's Hank Series by Henry Winkler and Lin Oliver</p>	<p>7th Grade Mentor Text</p> <p>Novels: A Wrinkle in Time Among the Hidden Uglies City of Ember Divergent Ender's Game Ender's Shadow Fahrenheit 451 Five People You Meet in Heaven Gathering Blue Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy Hope Was Here House of the Scorpion Hunger Games Interstellar Pig Jurassic Park Lord of Opium, Among the Hidden Among the Imposters, and others in the series Matched Mazurunner Schooled Sphere Taken The Boy Who Reversed Himself The Dark Side of Nowhere The Giver The House of the Scorpion The Last Book in the Universe The Martian The Selection The Supernaturalist The Time Hackers</p> <p>Short Stories: A Secret for Two A Sound of Thunder All American Slurp All Summer in a Day Charles Eleven Fish Cheeks Fly Away Home Freckles & Flower Cream Gift of the Magi Grandmother's Hair Harrison Bergeron Hum Humans are Different Lamb to Slaughter Monsters are Due on Maple Street Old Glory</p>	<p>8th Grade Mentor Text</p> <p>To Kill a Mockingbird Dances with Wolves Red Umbrella Ashes of Roses The Watsons Go to Birmingham Thin Wood Walls Tuesdays with Morrie Night Romeo & Juliet Sonnet 130 Sonnet 18 Sonnet 116 Sonnet 73 Sonnet 43 Sonnet 71 "Eleven" "Jean Little" "American Childhood" "The Chase" "How I Found True Love in an Arranged Marriage" "Oranges" "Popularity" "Seventh Grade" Excerpt from Black Boy "Black Men in Public Space" Excerpt from Glass Castle Excerpt from Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass Excerpt from Story of My Life "How to Eat a Guava" "Tropics of New York" "The Monkey Garden" Excerpt from Marley and Me Excerpt from Soul Surfer "Tickits" "Snickers" "Living Life" "Candy Corn" "Conversation Hearts" "Ice Cream" "Jelly Belly Jellybeans" "Nonpareils" "And So It Goes" "China" "Winter" "Was I Right or Wrong"</p>
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	Priscilla and the Wimps Seventh Grade Stray Tell-Tale Heart Thank You, Ma'am The Dragon Movie The Drive-In Movies The Fun We Had The Hypnotist The Landlady by Roald Dahl The Lottery The Most Powerful Tailor The Party The Ransom of Red Chief The Scholarship Jacket The Third Wish The Veldt The Zoo To Serve Man Two Thanksgiving Day Gentlemen Wounded Wolf	
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5th Grade Math Picture Books

Book Title/Author	Topics
Sir Cumference and the Isle of Immeter (Math Adventures) by Cindy Neuschwander	Perimeter and area
A Remainder of One by Elinor J Pinczes and Bonnie MacKain	Division
Millions to Measure by David M. Schwartz and Steven Kellogg	Measurement
It's Probably Penny By Loren Leedy	Data Analysis and Probability
Pigs at Odds : Fun with Math and Games by Amy Axelrod and Sharon McGinley-Nally	Data Analysis and Probability
Piece = Part = Portion by Scott Gifford and Shmuel Thaler	Fractions, Decimals, Percents
Mystery Math: A First Book of Algebra by David A Adler and Edward Miller	Patterns and Algebraic Thinking
Math-terpieces: The Art of Problem-Solving by Greg Tang and Greg Paprocki	Patterns and Algebraic Thinking
Anno's Mysterious Multiplying Jar by Masaichiro Anno and Mitsumasa Anno	Multiplication and Division
One Grain Of Rice: A Mathematical Folktale by Demi	Multiplication and Division
Do You Wanna Bet? By Jean Cushman	Probability
Only One by Marc Harshman	Number sense
One Hundred Hungry Ants by Elinor Pinczes	Division
Jim and the Beanstalk by Raymond Briggs	Measurement
Math Talk (poems) By Theoni Pappas	All mathematical concepts
Actual Size by Steve Jenkins	Actual size versus scale drawings
The Greedy Triangle by Marilyn Burns	Geometry
Mummy Math: An Adventure in Geometry By Cindy Neuschwander, Bryan Langdo	Geometry
A Very Improbable Story: A Math Adventure by Edward Einhorn	Probability

