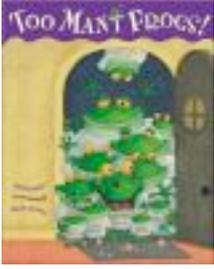


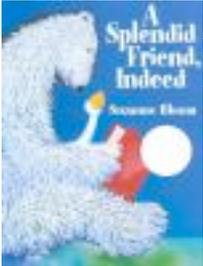
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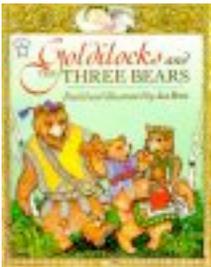
Asher: *Too Many Frogs* c2005 animals, humor
Each night Froggie interrupts Rabbit's cozy home for a read-aloud story.



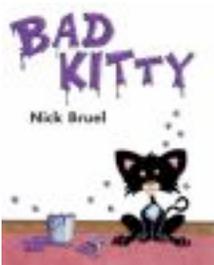
Bailey: *Stanley's Party* c2003 dogs, humor
When a dog's owners leave for the evening, he gets into a lot of mischief.



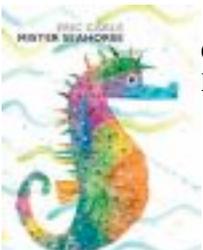
Bloom: *A Splendid Friend, Indeed* c2005 friendship
A polar bear and a goose learn to get along and be friends.



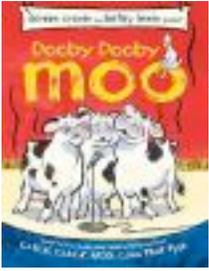
Brett: *Goldilocks and the Three Bears* c1987 fairy tale
This favorite fairy tale features a young girl who enters the home of three bears who are not at home.



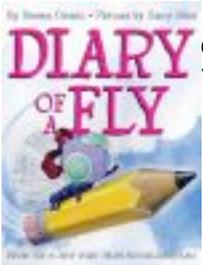
Bruel: *Bad Kitty* c2005 alphabet book
Finding that there is no food in the house, a kitty chooses to be very bad.



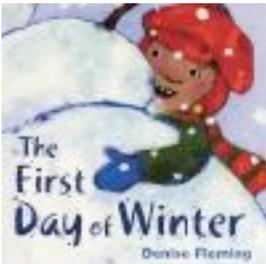
Carle: *Mister Seahorse* c2004 animals, fiction
Mrs. Seahorse lays her eggs, after which Mr. Seahorse carries the eggs through the sea, greeting other fish fathers.



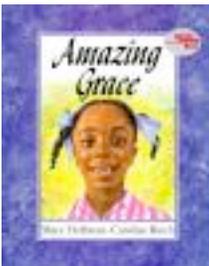
Cronin: *Dooby, Dooby, Moo* c2004 *animal humor*
Duck organizes the farm animals for a talent show at the county fair. The first prize is a trampoline.



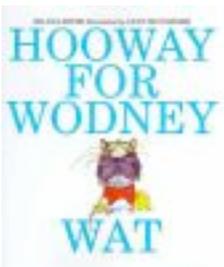
Cronin: *Diary of a Fly* c2005 *insect, humor*
While keeping a diary, the young fly records how hard it is to be an insect.



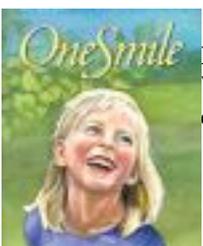
Fleming: *The First Day of Winter* c2005 *counting, rhyming, diversity*
In the first ten days of winter a child brings a snowman to life in a style similar to The Twelve Days of Christmas.



Hoffman: *Amazing Grace* c1991 *ethnic diversity*
Grace is told by a fellow classmate that she can't play Peter Pan in the school play because of her black skin color, but she learns she can do anything she tries to do.



Lester: *Hooway for Wodney Wat* c1999 *fantasy, abilities awareness*
Students in Rodney's class make fun of him, because he can't pronounce his name properly; but it is his speech problem that helps to punish the class bully.



McKinley: *One Smile* c2002 *kindness*
While walking through the park with her mother, a child smiles at a discouraged stranger and sets off a chain of events that spreads kindness and comes full circle.

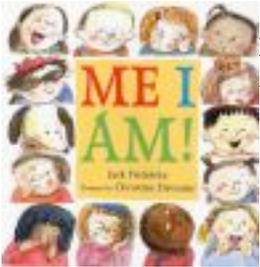
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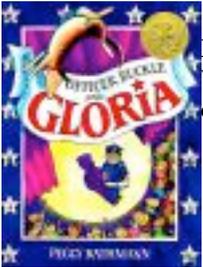
Numeroff: *Beatrice Doesn't Want To* c2004 *realistic fiction, humor*

Beatrice Doesn't Like to Read, but a librarian changes her attitude during a story session in this humorous, well illustrated book.



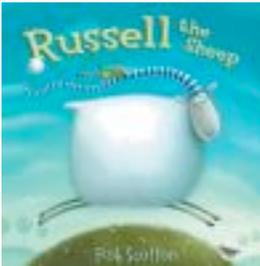
Prelutsky: *Me I Am* c2007 *poetry*

A book of poem for children celebrating being an individual.



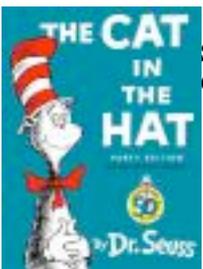
Rathmann: *Officer Buckle and Gloria* c1995 *safety, fiction*

When Officer Buckle delivers safety speeches at a local elementary school, the students don't listen until his police dog Gloria accompanies him.



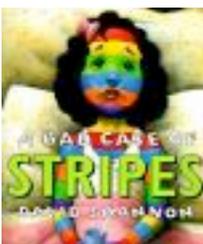
Scotton: *Russell the Sheep* c2005 *animals, fiction*

Russell experiments with many different ways to fall asleep.



Seuss: *The Cat in the Hat* c1957 *classic*

On a rainy day, two children are visited by a cat who shows them games and tricks.



Shannon: *A Bad Case of Stripes* c1998 *individuality, fiction*

A girl who is always concerned about what others think of her wakes up one day to discover she is covered with stripes.



Silverman: *Cowgirl Kate and Cocoa: School Days* c2007 (series chapter book) *fiction*
Kate wants to go to school, but her horse wants to go too!