

ENTERING 3RD GRADE BOOK LIST

<i>Promised Land Diaries</i> (various titles)	Adams, Anne T & Edwards
<i>Animal Ark</i> series	Baglio, Ben M.
<i>The Penderwicks</i>	Birdsall, Jeanne
<i>Paddington</i> series	Bond, Michael
<i>The Chocolate Touch</i>	Catling, Patrick Skene
Biographies	Children's Press
<i>Matt Christopher Sports Series</i>	Christopher, Matt
<i>Henry Huggins/Ramona/ Mouse & Motorcycle</i> series	Cleary, Beverly
<i>Magic School Bus</i> (series-chapter books)	Cole, Joanna
<i>Mercy Watson</i> series	DiCamillo, Kate
❖ <i>The Hardy Boys The Secret Files</i> series	Dixon, Frank
<i>Hank the Cowdog</i> series	Erickson, John R.
❖ <i>The Moffats</i> series	Estes, Eleanor
<i>The Cabin Faced West</i>	Fritz, Jean
<i>Stone Fox</i>	Gardiner, John Reynolds
<i>Thunder at Gettysburg</i>	Gauch, Patricia
<i>The Ox Cart Man</i>	Hall, Donald
<i>Betsy and Billy</i> series	Haywood, Carolyn
❖ <i>Misty of Chincoteague</i> (and others)	Henry, Marguerite
Dog stories, cat stories, other titles	Herriot, James
<i>The Bobbsey Twins</i> series	Hope, Laura Lee
❖ <i>Sugar Creek Gang</i> series	Hutchens, Paul
<i>Nancy Drew Clues Crew</i>	Keene, Carolyn
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<i>Babe: The Gallant Pig</i> (and others)	King-Smith, Dick
❖ <i>Mandie</i> series	Leppard, Lois Gladys
❖ <i>Cul-de-sac Kids</i> series	Lewis, Beverly
❖ <i>Pippi Longstocking</i> series	Lindgren, Astrid
❖ <i>Betsy-Tacy</i> series	Lovelace, Maud Hart
❖ <i>Mrs. Piggle Wiggle</i> series	MacDonald, Betty
<i>Caleb's Story</i>	MacLachlan, Patricia
<i>Skylark</i>	MacLachlan, Patricia
<i>Owls in the Family</i>	Mowat, Farley
<i>Bloodhounds Inc.</i>	Myers, Bill
Any book	Murphy, Elspeth Campbell
❖ <i>Shiloh</i> series	Naylor, Phyllis Reynolds
❖ <i>The Borrowers</i>	Norton, Mary
❖ Children's Books series	Oke, Janette
<i>The Littles</i>	Peterson, John
<i>Little House on the Prairie</i> series (adapted)	Peterson, Melissa
<i>The Magic Treehouse</i> series	Pope, Mary Pope Osborne
<i>Grandma's Attic</i> series	Richardson, Arleta
<i>A to Z Mysteries, Calendar Mysteries</i>	Roy, Ron
<i>Time Warp Trio</i> series	Scieszka, Jon
<i>Encyclopedia Brown</i> series	Sobol, Donald
Any historical biography title	Stanley, Diane
<i>Geronimo Stilton</i> series	Stilton, Geronimo
<i>Boxcar Children</i> series	Warner, Gertrude Chandler
<i>Charlotte's Web/ Wilbur's Adventures</i>	White, E.B.
<i>The Castle in the Attic</i>	Winthrop, Elizabeth
<i>American Girl</i> series	Various authors
<i>A New Coat for Anna</i>	Ziefert, Harriett
❖ Denotes more challenging books	