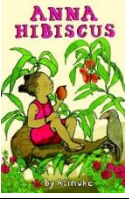


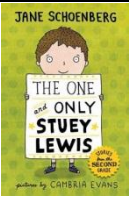
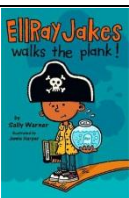


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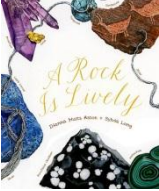

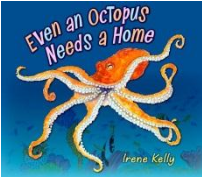
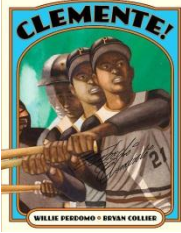
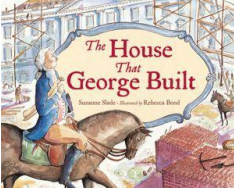
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	Atinuke	<i>Anna Hibiscus</i>	K-3	3.6	670L	Fiction	Anna Hibiscus loves her life in Africa where she lives in a wonderful house with her entire family, but longs to see snow.
	Hartnett, Sonya	<i>Sadie and Ratz</i>	K-3	2.6	530L	Fiction	Hannah and her hands, named Sadie and Ratz, regularly get into trouble, especially when younger brother Baby Boy is around.
	Look, Lenore	<i>Ruby Lu, Star of the Show</i>	K-3	3.9	620L	Fiction	Ruby Lu's father loses his job on her first day of third grade, which causes many things in her life to change. She is willing to do a lot to help out, but giving up some things seems impossible.
	Schoenberg, Jane	<i>The One and Only Stuey Lewis: Stories from the Second Grade</i>	K-3	2.9	410L	Fiction	Stuey Lewis faces many challenges in the second grade, but while he struggles with reading, Stuey manages to pull off a great Halloween caper and joins the soccer team.
	Warner, Sally	<i>EilRay Jakes Walks the Plank!</i>	K-3	4.8		Fiction	Third-grader EilRay is becoming famous for messing up, and when his little sister accidentally kills EilRay's class goldfish, and then he forgets his teacher's read-aloud book at home, it only makes matters worse.

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GRADES 2-3 NONFICTION

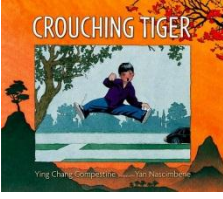


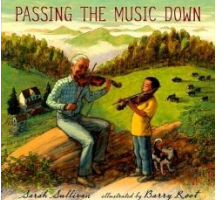
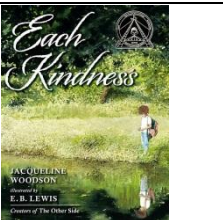
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	Aston, Dianna Hutts	<i>A Rock Is Lively</i>	K-3	4.7	1110L	Non-fiction	A gorgeous and informative introduction to the fascinating world of rocks.
	Bishop, Nic	<i>Nic Bishop: Lizards</i>	K-3	4.9	880L	Non-fiction	A fascinating close-up look at the wonders of the natural world from Sibert Honor photographer Nic Bishop.
	Kelly, Irene	<i>Even An Octopus Needs a Home</i>	K-3	2.8	940L	Non-fiction	Looks at how different animals build their homes, including chimpanzees, monk parakeets, termites, beavers, bats, and others.
	Perdomo, Willie	<i>Clemente!</i>	K-3	3.9		Non-fiction	A little boy named Clemente is proud to learn about the life, career, and charitable work of his namesake, baseball great Roberto Clemente, the first Latin American player inducted into the Hall of Fame.
	Slade, Suzanne	<i>The House that George Built</i>	K-3	3.7	890L	Non-fiction	Describes George Washington's role in the designing, planning, and building of the White House.

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GRADES 2 – 3 STORIES TO SHARE

Cover	Author	Title	Interest Level	Grade Level	Lexile	Genre	Synopsis*
	Compestine, Ying Chang	<i>Crouching Tiger</i>	3-6	3.5		Fiction	When Ming Da's Chinese grandpa comes to visit, he overcomes his initial embarrassment at his grandfather's traditions and begins to appreciate him.
	Look, Lenore	<i>Polka Dot Penguin Pottery</i>	K-3	3.6		Easy Fiction	A visit to a pottery shop and the encouragement of family and friends not only provide Aspen the opportunity to paint something beautiful, they also help her get past her writer's block.
	Stewart, Sarah	<i>The Quiet Place</i>	K-3	3.2	620L	Easy Fiction	A little girl moves to the United States from Mexico with her family and writes letters to her aunt in Mexico about her new life.
	Sullivan, Sarah	<i>Passing the Music Down</i>	K-3	2.7	800L	Easy Fiction	A boy and his family befriend a country fiddler, who teaches the boy all about playing the old tunes, which the boy promises to help keep alive.
	Woodson, Jacqueline	<i>Each Kindness</i>	K-3	2.8	640L	Easy Fiction	When Ms. Albert teaches a lesson on kindness, Chloe realizes that she and her friends have been wrong in making fun of new student Maya's shabby clothes and refusing to play with her.

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