

Wonderful Words: What's New in 2008 Pre-K to Grade 2?

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ABC and 123

Johnson, Stephen T. *A is for Art*. Simon & Schuster.

Mayer, Bill. *All Aboard!: A Traveling Alphabet*. McElderry.

Seeger, Laura Vaccaro. *One Boy*. Porter/Roaring Brook.

Overcoming Life's Challenges

Ahlberg, Allan. *The Pencil*. Illus. Bruce Ingman. Candlewick.

Cottin, Menena. *The Black Book of Colors*. Illus. Rosana Faria. Trans. Elisa Amado. Greenwood.

Gravett, Emily. *Little Mouse's Big Book of Fears*. Simon & Schuster.

Grey, Mini. *Traction Man Meets TurboDog*. Alfred A. Knopf.

Kohara, Kazuno. *Ghosts in the House!* Roaring Book Press.

Lindgren, Barbro. *Oink, Oink Benny*. R&S Books.

Napp, Daniel. *Professor Bumble and the Monster of the Deep*. Abrams Books for Young Readers.

Ravishankar, Anushka. *Elephants Never Forget!* Houghton.

Shea, Bob. *Dinosaur vs. Bedtime*. Hyperion.

Spiegelman, Art. *Jack and the Box*. Toon Books/RAW Junior.

Stein, Mathilde. *The Child Cruncher*. Lemniscaat.

Yamamura, Anji. *Hannah Duck*. Kane/Miller.

Friendship

Becker, Bonny. *A Visitor for Bear*. Illus. K.M. Denton. Candlewick.

Cecil, Randy. *Duck*. Candlewick.

Clark, Emma Chichester. *Melrose and Croc: An Adventure to Remember*. Walker.

Cuyler, Margery. *Monster Mess!* Illus. S.D. Schindler. Simon & Schuster.

Gravett, Emily. *Monkey and Me*. Simon & Schuster.

Lithgow, John. *I Got Two Dogs*. Illus. R. Neubecker. Simon & Schuster.

Lucas, David. *The Robot and the Bluebird*. Farrar, Straus, & Giroux.

Lyon, George Ella. *My Friend, the Starfinder*. Illus. Stephen Gammell. Jackson. Atheneum.

Seeger, Laura Vaccaro. *Dog and Bear: Two's Company*. Porter/Roaring Brook.
Stewart, Joel. *Addis Berner Bear Forgets*. Farrar, Straus, & Giroux.
Warnes, Tim. *Chalk & Cheese*. Simon & Schuster.
Watt, Melanie. *Chester's Back!*. Kids Can Press.
Willems, Mo. *I Love My New Toy!* Hyperion.
Willems, Mo. *I Will Surprise My Friend!* Hyperion.
Wilson, Karma. *Bear Feels Scared*. Illus. Jane Chapman. Simon & Schuster.

People and Places

Bablin, Claire. *Gus is a Fish*. Enchanted Lion Books.
Cline-Ransome, Lesa. *Helen Keller: The World in her Heart*. Illus. James Ransome.
HarperCollins.
Cohan, George. *You're a Grand Old Flag*. Illus. Norman Rockwell. Simon & Schuster.
Hoffman, Mary. *Princess Grace*. Illus. Cornelius Van Wright. Dial.
Kerley, Barbara. *What to Do about Alice?: How Alice Roosevelt Broke the Rules, Charmed the World, and Drove her Father Teddy Crazy!* Illus. Edmin Fotheringham. Scholastic.
Klier, Kimberly Wagner. *You Can't do That, Amelia!* Illus. Kathleen Kemly. Boyds Mills.
McCarthy, Meghan. *Astronaut Handbook*. Knopf.
Parker, Robert Andrew. *Piano Starts Here: The Young Art Tatum*. Schwartz & Wade.
Rappaport, Doreen. *Abe's Honest Words: The Life of Abraham Lincoln*. Illus. Kadir Nelson.
Hyperion.
Rappaport, Doreen. *Lady Liberty: A Biography*. Illus. Matt Tavares. Candlewick.
Rosenstiehl, Agnes. *Silly Lilly and the Four Seasons*. RAW Junior.
Rumford, James. *Silent Music: A Story of Bagdad*. Porter/Roaring Brook.
Scieszka, John. *Knucklehead: Tall Tales & Mostly True Stories About Growing Up Scieska*.
Viking.
Stone, Tanya Lee. *Elizabeth Leads the Way: Elizabeth Cady Stanton and the Right To Vote*. Illus.
Rebecca Gibbon. Holt.
Thomson, Sarah. *What Lincoln Said*. Illus. James Ransome. HarperCollins.

Family

Choung, Eun-hee. *Mijni's Salon*. Kane/Miller.

Fenton, Joe. *What's Under the Bed?* Simon & Schuster.

Ferguson, Sarah. *Tea for Ruby*. Illus. Robin Preiss Glasser. Simon & Schuster.

Fleischman, Paul. *The Birthday Tree*. Illus. Barry Root. Candlewick.

Fox, Mem. *Ten Little Fingers and Ten Little Toes*. Illus. Helen Oxenbury. Harcourt.

Hole, Stian. *Garmann's Summer*. Eerdmans Books for Young Readers.

Holmberg, Bo. R. *A Day with Dad*. Illus. Eva Eriksson. Candlewick.

O'Callaghan, Elena. *What's Going On?* Kane/Miller.

Pullen, Zachary. *Friday My Radio Flyer Flew*. Simon & Schuster.

Thomas, Patricia. *Red Sled*. Illus. Chris L. Demarest. Boyds Mills.

Folk and Fairy Tales

Alley, Zoë B. *There's a Wolf at the Door: Five Classic Tales*. Illus. R.W. Alley. Porter/Roaring Books.

Demi. *The Girl Who Drew a Phoenix*. Simon & Schuster.

Giovanni, Nikki. *The Grasshopper's Song: An Aesop's Fable Revisited*. Illus. Chris Raschka. Candlewick.

Hennessy, B.G. *The Boy Who Cried Wolf*. Illus. Boris Kulikov. Simon & Schuster.

McDonald, Megan. *The Hinky-Pinky: An Old Tale*. Illus. Brian Floca. Atheneum.

Rinck, M, & M. van der Linden. *I Feel a Foot!* Honesdale, PA: Boyds Mills.

Rylant, Cynthia. *Hansel and Gretel*. Illus. Jen Corace. Hyperion.

Critters

Anderson, Peggy Perry. *Chuck's Band*. Lorraine/Houghton.

Andreae, Giles and Russell Ayto. *Captain Flinn and the Pirate Dinosaurs' Missing Treasure!* Simon & Schuster.

Arnosky, Jim. *The Brook Book: Exploring the Smallest Streams*. Dutton.

Billingsley, Franny. *Big Bad Bunny*. Illus. G. Brian Karas. Jackson/Atheneum.

Bishop, Nick. *Frogs*. Scholastic.

Elliott, David. *On the Farm*. Illus. Holly Meade. Candlewick.

Geisert, Arthur. *Hogwash*. Lorraine.Houghton.

Helman, Andrea. *Hide and Seek: Nature's Best Vanishing Acts*. Photos by Gavriel Jecan. Walker.
Henkes, Kevin. *Old Bear*. Greenwillow.
McMullan, Kate. *I'm Bad!* Illus. Jim McMullan. Cotler/HarperCollins.
Sherry, Kevin. *I'm the Best Artist in the Ocean*. Dial.
Schulman, Janet. *Pale Male: Citizen Hawk of New York City*. Illus. Meilo So. Knopf.

Vrrrooom!

Nakagawa, Chihiro. *Who Made This Cake?* Illus. Junji Koyose. Front Street.
Schertle, Alice. *Little Blue Truck*. Illus. Jill McElmurry. Harcourt.
Scieszka, John. *Melvin Might?* Illus. David Shannon, Loren Long, David Gordon. Simon &
Schuster.
Sutton, Sally. *Roadwork*. Illus. Brian Lovelock. Candlewick.

Perfect for Us

Henson, Heather. *That Book Woman*. Illus. David Small. Simon & Schuster.