

Second Grade Independent Reading Ideas for Parents

AUTHORS / SERIES:

Adler, David
Young Cam Jansen

Bonsall, Crosby
Case of the Hungry Stranger

Brown, Marc
Arthur-chapter books

Betsy Byars
Hooray for the Golly Sisters

Cameron, Ann
Julian books

Cleary, Beverly
Ramona books

DiCamillo, Kate
Mercy Watson books

Fleischman, Sid
McBroom books

Giff, Patricia Reilly
Polk Street

Goble, Paul
Iktomi

Havill, Juanita Havill
Jamaica

Hoban, Russell
Frances books

Hoffman, Mary
Amazing Grace

Howe, James Howe
Horace and Morris

Kline, Suzy Kline
Horrible Harry

Lobel, Arnold
Frog and Toad books

MacDonald, Betty
Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle books

Marshcall, Edward Marshall
Fox books

Marshall, James
Rats on the Roof
Retold Fairytales

Minarik, Else Minarik
Little Bear

Osbourne, Mary Pope
Magic Tree House

Parrish, Peggy
Amelia Bedelia

Park, Barbara
Junie B. Jones

Peet, Bill

Palacco, Patricia

Roy, Ron
A-Z Mystery

Rylant, Cynthia
Mr. Putter and Tabby
High Rise Investigators
Henry and Mudge

Sharmat, Marjorie
Nate the Great

Smith, Janice Lee
Adam Joshua books

Spinner, Stephanie Spinner
Gerbilitis (Weebie Zone books)

Viorst, Judith
Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible,
No Good Very Bad Day

Wiseman, Bernard
Morris and Boris

Yolen, Jane
Commander Toad in Space

PICTURE BOOKS:

Brett, J. Daisy Comes Home

Fleischman, P. Weslandia

Fox, M. Magic Hat

Henkes, K. Kitten's First Full Moon

Johnston, T. Cowboy and the Black-Eyed
Pea

Kvasnosky, L. Zelda and Ivy

Lewis, R. I Love You Like Crazy
Cakes

Lithgow, J. The Remarkable Farkle
McBride

McKissack, P. Flossie and The Fox

McKissack, P. Mirandy and Brother Wind

Ringgold, F. Tar Beach

Sandin, J. Long Way to a New Land

Sandin, J. Long Way Westward

Small, D. Imogene's Antlers

Small, D. Rudy Mae Has Something to
Say

Soto, G. Too Many Tamales

Stanley, D. Raising Sweetness

Teague, M. Dear Mrs. La Rue: Letters
Obedience School

Teague, M. Pigsty

Van Allsburg, C. Jumanji

Vans Allsburg, C. The Garden of Abdul
Gasazi

Wiesner, D. Flotsam
Wiesner, D. Tuesday
Wiesner, D. The Three Pigs

NONFICTION:

Clements, A. Pets to the Rescue
Cole, J. Magic School Bus
 series
DePaola, T. Strega Noona
Kalman, M. Fireboat
Leedy, L. There's a Frog in my
 Throat
Lester, J. John Henry
Nature's Children (publisher)
Osbourne, M. Kate and the
 Beanstalk
Prelutsky, J. New Kid on the Block
Silverstein, S Runny Babbit

BIOGRAPHY:

Adler, D. Picture Book of
 (series)
Rappaport, D. Martin's Big Words
Roop, P. Keep the Lights Burning,
 Abbie

FICTION:

Abbott, T. Secret of Droon (series)
Blume, J. Freckle Juice
Brown, J. Flat Stanley
Giff, P. Ballet Slippers
MacDonald, M. Judy Moody (series)
Nolan, L. Down Girl and Sit
Yolen, J. Sleeping Ugly

CLASSICS:

Burton, V. The Little House
Milne, A. A. Winnie the Pooh
Gannett, R. My Father's Dragon
Seuss, Dr. Horton Hatches the Egg
Williams, M.. Velveteen Rabbit