Third Grade Reading List

Reading Level 3.0-3.9

Book Series:

Fiction

The I Can Read series by Harper Collins

The Step Into Reading series by Random House

The Hello Reader series by Scholastic

Stepping Stone series

The I Can Read It All By Myself Beginner Books series by Random House

Rookie Reader series

Puffin Easy to Read books (level 3)

Non-Fiction

Rookie Biographies

Let's Read and find out Science Series (Stage 3)

Chapter Books:

The Lighthouse Series by Cynthia Rylant

The Storm

The Turtle

The Eagle

The Octobus

The Whale

The Magic Tree house Series by Mary Pope Osborne

Adventures in Odyssey: Imagination Stations series by Marian Heiring and Marshal Younger

Voyage of the Vikings

Attack at the Arena

Peril in the Palace

Revenge of the Red Knight

Showdown with the Shepherd

Problems in Plymouth

Secret of the Prince's Tomb

The Boxcar Children Series by Gertrude Chandler Warner

Cul de Sac Kids by Beverly Lewis

Adventures in the Northwoods series by Lois Walfrid Johnson

____The Disappearing Stranger

Arthur series by Stephen Krensky & Marc Tolon Brown

Winnie-the-Pooh by A.A. Milne
The Littles series by John Lawrence Peterson
How to Eat Fried Worms by Thomas Rockwell

Books by Author:

Books by Beatrix Potter

The Tale of Peter Rabbit

The Tale of Benjamin Bunny

The Tale of Jemima Puddle-Duck

The Tale of Mr. Jeremy Fisher

The Tale of Squirrel Nutkin

The Tale of Tom Kitten

Caps for Sale by Esphyr Slobodkina
Katy and the Big Snow by Virginia Lee Burton
Mike Mulligan and His Steam Shovel

Blueberries for Sal by Robert McCloskey

_____Make Way for Ducklings

____One Morning in Maine

Lentil

Lucky Chuck by Beverly Cleary

Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs by Judi Barrett

____Pickles to Pittsburgh

The Enormous Crocodile by Roald Dahl

____The Magic Finger

_____The Giraffe, the Pelly, and Me

James and the Giant Peach by Karey Kirkpatrick

Spring Moon by Jean Craighead George

How to talk to your Dog

The Snowy Day by Ezra Keats

Buttons for General Washington by Peter Roop

The Little Red Lighthouse and the Grey Bridge by Hildegarde Hoyt Swift

The Bears on Hemlock Mountain by Alice Dalgliesh

Secret Agents Four by Donald Sobol

The Outdoor Adventure Series by Jean Craighead George with the following titles:

Boating, Camping, Climbing, Fishing, Hiking, Hunting, and Firestorm

Books by Bill Peet, especially the following titles:

The Caboose Who Got Loose

The Ant and the Elephant

Smokey

The Wump World

Merle the High Flying Squirrel

Eli

No Such Things

Big Bad Bruce

| Billy and Blaze by C.W. Anderson |
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| Blaze and the Forest Fire |
| Blaze and the Gray Spotted Pony |
| Blaze and the Mountain Lion |
| Blaze and Thuderbolt |
| Blaze Shows the Way |

Dr. Seuss, especially the following titles:

The boy on Fairfield Street: how Ted Geisel grew up to become Dr. Seuss

Did I ever tell you how lucky you are?

Hooray for Diffendoofer Day

The 500 Hats of Bartholomew Cubbins

And to Think I saw it on Mulberry Street

Bartholomew and the oobleck

The Bippolo Seed and other lost stories

The Butter Battle Book

Daisy-head Maizy

Happy Birthday to You

Horton hatches the egg

If I ran the zoo

The Lorax

Oh, the places you'll go

On Beyond Zebra

Scrambled Eggs Super

The Sneetches: and other stories

Yertle the turtle and other stories

Abridged Classics:

Junior Classics for Young Readers by Dalmation Press, especially the following titles:

Fables for Children by Aesop

The Story of Doctor Dolittle by Hugh Lofting

The Jungle Book by Rudyard Kipling

Huckleberry Finn by Mark Twain

Tom Sawyer by Mark Twain

Treasure Island by Robert Louis Stevenson

The Wind in the Willows by Kenneth Graham

The Classic Starts Series

Reading Level 4.0-4.9

Book Series:

Fiction

The I Can Read series by Harper Collins
The Step Into Reading series by Random House
The Hello Reader series by Scholastic
Stepping Stone series
Classic Starts series (The Classic Books on a 2-3 graded reading level)
Rookie Reader series
Puffin Easy to Read books (level 4)

Non-Fiction

Rookie Biographies

Let's Read and find out Science Series (Stage 4)

In Their Own Words series by George Sullivan (American Biographies)

Getting to Know the World's Greatest Artists by Mike Venezia

Getting to Know the World's Greatest Composers by Mike Venezia

If You...series (most of the titles being with, "If you lived during"...or "If you live when"...)

Childhood of Famous Americans Series

Who Was...? Series (Biographies)

Books by Jean Fritz (Historical)

Chapter Books:

| The Velveteen Rabbit |
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| Encyclopedia Brown series by Donald Sobol |
| Animal Ark Series by Ben Baglio |
| Freddy the Pig series by Walter R. Brooks |
| Mrs. Piggle Wiggle by Betty MacDonald |
| Hello Mrs. Piggle Wiggle |
| Mrs. Piggle Wiggle's Magic |
| Mrs. Piggle Wiggle's Farm |
| Mrs. Piggle Wiggle's Won't Pick up Toys Cure |
| Heidi by Johanna Spyri |
| My Father's Dragon by Ruth Stiles Gannett |
| Elmer and the Dragon |
| The Dragons of Blueland |
| Fantastic Mr. Fox by Roald Dahl |
| The Giraffe and the Pelly and Me |
| Super Fudge by Judy Blume |
| Fudge-a-Mania |
| Double Fudge |
| Blubber |

| The Littles series by John Lawrence Peterson |
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| Books by Beverly Cleary |
| Farmer Boy by Laura Ingalls Wilder |
| The Long Winter |
| Charlotte's Web by E.B.White |
| Stuart Little |
| The Wright Brothers at Kitty Hawk by Donald Sobol |
| Books by Gordon Korman |
| Guardians of Ga'Hoole series by Kathryn Lasky |
| Leon and The Champion Chip by Allen Kurzweil |
| The Moffats by Eleanor Estes |
| The Middle Moffat |
| The Moffat Museum |
| Lassie Come Home by Rosemary Wells |
| The Reluctant Dragon by Kenneth Grahame |
| The Happy Hollisters by Jerry West |
| The Happy Hollisters and the Indian Treasure |
| The Happy Hollisters and the Monster Mystery |
| The Happy Hollisters and the Secret of the Lucky Coins |
| The Happy Hollisters and the Sea Turtle Mystery |
| The Sugar Creek Gang Series by Paul Hutchens |
| Travelers through Time series by Beatrice Gormley |
| Santa Paws by Nicholas Edwards |
| Santa Paws to the rescue |
| A Dog's Life: The Autobiography of a Stray byAnn M. Martin |
| The Swiss Family Robinson by Johann David Wyss |
| Time Warp Trio by John Scieszka |
| Winnie the Pooh by A. A. Milne |
| The House at Pooh Corner |
| Paddle to the Sea by Holling Clancy Holling |
| Seabird |
| Child of the Wolves by Elizabeth Hall |
| Danger Along the Ohio by Patricia Willis |
| Nim's Island by Wendy Orr |
| The Mayor of Central Park by Avi |
| The White Elephant by Sid Fleischman |
| Arrowhawk by Lola M. Schaefer |
| Mr. Popper's Penguins by Richard Atwater |
| Bridge to Terabithia by Katherine Paterson |
| On Christmas Eve by Ann M. Martin |
| Castaways in Lilliput by Henry Winterfield |
| Books by Alice Dalgliesh |
| America Travels |
| The Courage of Sarah Noble |
| Ben and Me by Robert Lawson |
| Snow Treasure by Marie McSwigan |