

Glen Ridge Elementary School

At the primary level in Glen Ridge, our philosophy for literacy development is that children develop at their own pace. The following reading lists were designed to support various levels of reading.

Encouraging reading can develop the literacy process. Students should be reading at a comfortable level and being read to at a level(s) above. Please peruse our suggested summer reading list to locate books at your child's reading development level.

Do not forget to visit the local library and consult with the librarian in the children's section. For added information, click on the link from American Library Association For Children (A division of the American Library Association) for Caldecott Medal winners and honorees. The Caldecott Medal is awarded to the illustrator of the year's most distinguished children's picture book.

<http://www.ala.org/ala/alsc/awardsscholarships/literaryawds/caldecottmedal/caldecotthonors/caldecottmedal.htm>

Pre-K Picture Book Reading List

<u>Author</u>	<u>Title</u>
Ahlberg, Janet and Allen	<i>Each Peach Pear Plum</i>
Appelt, Kathi	<i>Bat Jamboree</i>
Asbjfrnsen, P.C. and J.E. Moe	<i>The Three Billy Goats Gruff</i>
Asch, Frank	<i>Happy Birthday, Moon</i>
Asch, Frank	<i>Moon Dance</i>
Aylesworth, Jim	<i>Old Black Fly</i>
Belpre, Pura	<i>Perez and Martina</i>
Bemelmans, Ludwig	<i>Madeline</i>
Berger, Barbara	<i>Grandfather Twilight</i>
Brown, Marcia	<i>Stone Soup</i>

Brown, Margaret Wise	<i>Goodnight Moon</i>
Burningham, John	<i>Mr. Grumpy's Outing</i>
Burton, Virginia L.	<i>Mike Mulligan and his Steam Shovel</i>
Campbell, Rod	<i>Dear Zoo</i>
Carle, Eric	<i>A House for Hermit Crab</i>
Carle, Eric	<i>The Grouchy Ladybug</i>
Carle, Eric	<i>Papa, Please Get the Moon for Me</i>
Carle, Eric	<i>The Very Hungry Caterpillar</i>
Carlstrom, Nancy	<i>Jesse Bear, What Will You Wear?</i>
Cousins, Lucy	<i>Maisie Goes Swimming</i>
Crews, Donald	<i>Freight Train</i>
DeBrunhoff, Jean	<i>The Story of Babar, the Little Elephant</i>
DePaola, Tomie	<i>Strega Nona</i>
Edwards, Pamela Duncan	<i>Some Smug Slug</i>
Emberley, Ed	<i>Go Away, Big Green Monster</i>
Feiffer, Jules	<i>The Daddy Mountain</i>
Fleming, Denise	<i>Lunch</i>
Gag, Wanda	<i>Millions of Cats</i>
Galdone, Paul	<i>Henny Penny</i>
Galdone, Paul	<i>Little Red Riding Hood</i>
Ginsburg, Mirra	<i>Mushroom in the Rain</i>
Guarino, Deborah	<i>Is your Mama a Llama?</i>
Henkes, Kevin	<i>Chrysanthemum</i>

Henkes, Kevin	<i>Owen</i>
Hill, Eric	<i>Where's Spot?</i>
Hoban, Russell	<i>Bread and Jam for Frances</i>
Hoban, Tara	<i>Is it Red? Is it Yellow? Is it Blue? An Adventure in Color</i>
Holabird, Katharine	<i>Angelina's Birthday Surprise</i>
Hong, Lily Toy	<i>Two of Everything: A Chinese Folktale</i>
Hooper, Meredith	<i>A Cow, a Bee, a Cookie, and Me</i>
Hutchins, Pat	<i>Rosie's Walk</i>
Hutchins, Pat	<i>Shrinking Mouse</i>
Isadora, Rachel	<i>Ben's Trumpet</i>
Johnson, Angela	<i>Julius</i>
Johnson, Crockett	<i>Harold and the Purple Crayon</i>
Jonas, Ann	<i>Round Trip</i>
Keates, Ezra Jack	<i>The Snowy Day</i>
Keates, Ezra Jack	<i>Whistle for Willie</i>
Kellogg, Steven	<i>Can I Keep Him?</i>
Kraus, Robert	<i>Leo the Late Bloomer</i>
Langstaff, John	<i>Over in the Meadow</i>
Leaf, Munro	<i>The Story of Ferdinand</i>
Lester, Julius	<i>John Henry</i>
Lionni, Leo	<i>Little Blue and Little Yellow</i>
Lobel, Arnold	<i>Frog & Toad Stories</i>

Marshall, James	<i>George and Martha</i>
Martin Jr., Bill	<i>Brown Bear, Brown Bear What Do You See?</i>
Martin Jr., Bill and John Archambault	<i>Chicka Chicka Boom Boom</i>
Mayer, Mercer	<i>There's a Nightmare in My Closet</i>
McCloskey, Robert	<i>Blueberries for Sal</i>
McCloskey, Robert	<i>Lentil</i>
McCloskey, Robert	<i>Make Way for Ducklings</i>
McDermott, Gerald	<i>Zomo the Rabbit: A Trickster Tale from West Africa</i>
Meddaugh, Susan	<i>Martha Calling</i>
Mosel, Arlene	<i>Tikki Tikki Tembo</i>
Nobel, Trinka Hakes	<i>The Day Jimmy's Boa Ate the Wash</i>
Numeroff, Laura J.	<i>If You Give a Mouse a Cookie</i>
Pelletier, David	<i>The Graphic Alphabet</i>
Pfister, Marcus	<i>Rainbow Fish</i>
Potter, Beatrix	<i>The Tale of Peter Rabbit</i>
Pulley, April	<i>One Is a Snail, Ten Is a Crab</i>
Rathmann, Peggy	<i>Good Night, Gorilla</i>
Rathmann, Peggy	<i>Officer Buckle and Gloria</i>
Rey, H.A.	<i>Curious George</i>
Rosen, Michael	<i>We're Going on a Bear Hunt</i>
Rounds, Glen	<i>I Know an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly</i>
Rylant, Cynthia	<i>When I Was Young in the Mountains</i>

Say, Allen	<i>Grandfather's Journey</i>
Scieszka, John	<i>The True Story of the Three Little Pigs by A. Wolf</i>
Sendak, Maurice	<i>Pierre: A Cautionary Tale</i>
Sendak, Maurice	<i>Where the Wild Things Are</i>
Seuss, Dr.	<i>Horton Hatches the Egg</i>
Sis, Peter	<i>Komodo!</i>
Slobodkina, Esphyr	<i>Caps for Sale: A Tale of a Peddler, Some Monkeys And Their Monkey Buisness</i>
Steig, William	<i>Doctor De Soto</i>
Stoeke, Janet Morgan	<i>Minerva Louise at School</i>
Step toe, John	<i>Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters: An African Tale</i>
Ungerer, Tomi	<i>The Three Robbers</i>
Vaccaro, Laura	<i>The Hidden Alphabet</i>
Waber, Bernard	<i>Lyle, Lyle Crocodile</i>
Waddell, Martin	<i>Farmer Duck</i>
Waddell, Martin	<i>Owl Babies</i>
Walsh, Ellen S.	<i>Mouse Paint</i>
Weisner, David	<i>Tuesday</i>
Wells, Rosemary	<i>Morris' Disappearing Bag</i>
Willems, Mo	<i>Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus!</i>
Willems, Mo	<i>The Pigeon Finds a Hot Dog</i>
Williams, Vera	<i>A Chair for My Mother</i>
Young, Ed	<i>Seven Blind Mice</i>

Zelinsky, Paul O.

Rumpelstiltskin

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The Wheels on the Bus

Zemach, Margot

It Could Always be Worse: A Yiddish Folktale

Zion, Gene

Harry the Dirty Dog