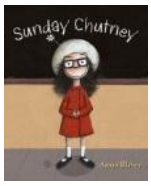
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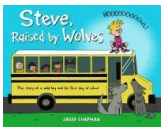
## Easy Books



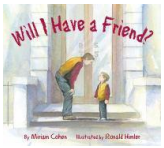

***Mae's First Day of School***
by Kate Berube **E BER**
As Mae's first day of school approaches she decides she is not going. School is scary! But then she meets Rosie and Ms. Pearl. Will making new friends show her that they can conquer their fears together?




***Sunday Chutney*** by Aaron Blabey **E BLA**
Sunday Chutney's family moves often to different countries, so she has found imaginative ways to cope with being the new girl at school



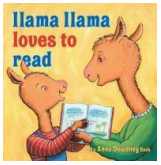

***Steve, Raised by Wolves*** by Jared Chapman **E CHA**
When Steve, who was raised by wolves, goes to school for the First time, he must find a balance between getting along with others and being himself.



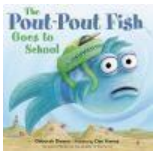

***Will I Have a Friend?*** by Miriam Cohen **E COH**
Jim's anxieties on his first day of school are happily forgotten when he makes a new friend.



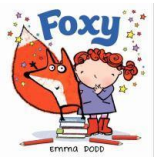

***Click, Clack, Quack to School*** by Doreen Cronin **E CRO**
When Farmer Brown and the animals are invited to Farm Day at school, he instructs them to be on their best behavior, forgetting that school can be like a barnyard.



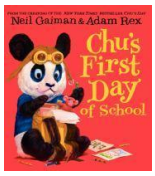

***Llama, Llama Loves to Read*** by Anna Dewdney **E DEW**
Llama Llama is learning to read! Throughout the school day, the teacher helps Llama Llama and the other children practice their letters, shows word cards, reads stories, and takes them to the library. Llama Llama can't wait to show Mama Llama that he's becoming a reader!




***The Pout-Pout Fish Goes to School*** by Deborah Diesen **E DIE**
Fish is nervous about his first day of school, and he frets about not knowing how to write his name, how to draw shapes, and how to do math—until he's reassured that school is the perfect place to learn how to master all of these new skills.



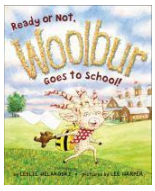

***Foxy*** by Emma Dodd **E DOD**
Emily is worried about starting school for the first time, but Foxy waves his magic tail to provide what she needs to be ready – after a few mistakes along the way.



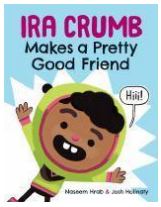

***Chu's First Day of School*** by Neil Gaiman **E GAI**
On the first day of school, a young panda learns about the special things his animal classmates can do.



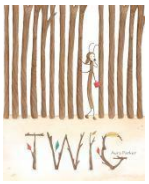

***Seven Rules You Absolutely Must Not Break if You Want to Survive the Cafeteria*** by John Grandits **E GRA**
Humorously explains the rules a kid must follow to survive the perilous world of the lunchroom.



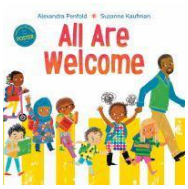

***Ready or Not, Woolbur Goes to School*** by Leslie Helakoski **E HEL**
The free-spirited, fluffy, one-of-a-kind sheep Woolbur is on his way to school, and he's MORE than ready. This is the perfect book for children who march to the beat of their own drum.




***Ira Crumb Makes a Pretty Good Friend*** by Naseem Hrab **E HRA**
Meet Ira Crumb. He's the new kid in town. He knows what that means: when the new school year starts, he'll play alone at recess, eat alone at lunch, and walk home alone at the end of the day. So Ira launches a campaign to befriend neighborhood kids before the first day.




***Twig*** by Aura Parker **E PAR**
Heidi is a stick insect, tall and long like the twig of a tree. It's her first day at a busy bug school, where she hopes to learn and make new friends. But finding friends isn't easy when no one can find you.

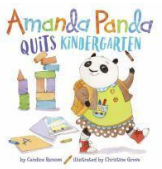



***All are Welcome*** by Alexandra Penfold **E PEN**
Follow a group of children through a day in their school, where everyone

is welcomed with open arms. *All Are Welcome* lets young children know that no matter what, they have a place, they have a space, they are welcome in their school.



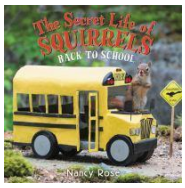

***On the First Day of First Grade*** by Tish Rabe **E RAB**
This engaging, vibrant adaptation of “The Twelve Days of Christmas” helps show parents and children alike that there is no place cooler than a first-grade classroom.



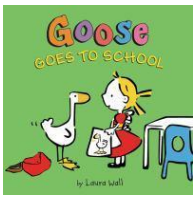

***Amanda Panda Quits Kindergarten*** by Candice F. Ransom **E RAN**
When Amanda Panda's first day of kindergarten does not go according to plan, she decides to quit and join her older brother in the second grade.




***School’s First Day of School*** by Adam Rex **E REX**
It's the first day of school at Frederick Douglass Elementary and everyone's just a little bit nervous, especially the school itself.




***The Secret Life of Squirrels: Back to School*** by Nancy Rose **E ROS**
As summer comes to an end, Mr. Peanuts helps his friend, Rosie, prepare her classroom and the school for the students' return.




***Goose Goes to School*** by Laura Wall **E WAL**
Everyone knows geese don’t go to school. So when Sophie hears flappy footsteps in class, it can’t be Goose, can it? HONK! It *is* Goose! There’s nothing better than a surprise visit from a friend, especially at school.

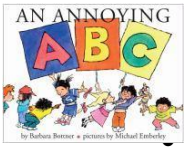



***The Pigeon HAS to Go to School!*** By Mo Willems **E WIL**
The pigeon must go to school, but frets about math, learning the alphabet, heavy backpacks, and what the teacher and other birds will think of him.



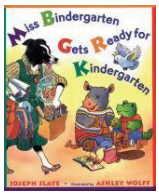

***Mom, It’s My First Day of Kindergarten!*** by Hyewon Yum **E YUM**
A five-year-old boy, ready and eager on his first day at "the big kids' school," must calm his very worried mother.

## ABC BOOKS




***An Annoying ABC*** by Barbara Bottner **E BOT**

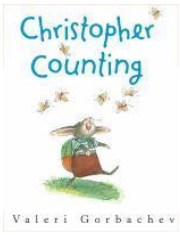
When Adelaide annoys Bailey, their entire preschool class gets upset, one child after another, until Zelda zaps Adelaide and a round of apologies begins.




***Miss Bindergarten Gets Ready for Kindergarten*** by Joseph Slate **E SLA**

This rhyming, brightly illustrated book introduces the letters of the alphabet as Miss Bindergarten and her students get ready for kindergarten.

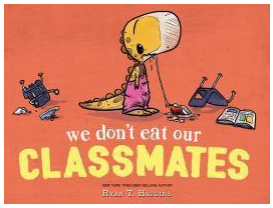
## 123 BOOKS




***Christopher Counting*** by Valerie Gorbachev **E GOR**

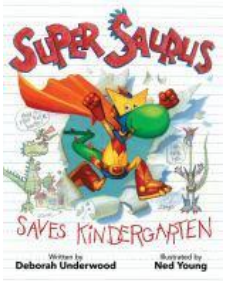
When Christopher Rabbit learns to count in school, he enjoys it so much that he counts everything in sight.

## DINOSAUR BOOKS




***We Don't Eat Our Classmates*** by Ryan T. Higgins **E HIG** (Dinosaurs)

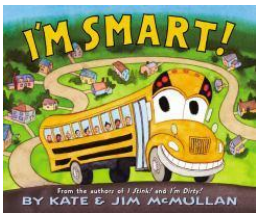
When the class pet bites the finger of Penelope, a tyrannosaurus rex, she finally understands why she should not eat her classmates, no matter how tasty they are.




**Super Saurus Saves Kindergarten** by Deborah Underwood **E UND** (Dinosaurs)

Arnold, who's nervous about his first day of kindergarten, transforms himself into Super Saurus to face what turns out to be not so frightening, after all.

## WHEEL BOOKS

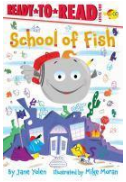
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***I'm Smart*** by Kate McMullan **E MCM** (WHEELS)
hardworking and smart school bus describes how he is responsible for safely transporting children to school.

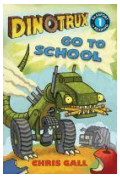
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***It's Your First Day of School, Busy Bus!*** **E SHA**
Jody Jensen Shaffer (WHEELS)
Today is the very first day of school! Busy Bus is excited, but he also has some first-day jitters. Luckily, bus driver Ben knows just what
to do to make sure that the school year gets off to a great start.

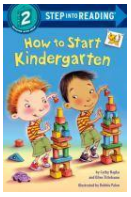
## READERS



***School of Fish*** **by Jane Yolen** **R YOL (Red)**
A young fish confidently begins his first day of school, but soon faces fear, anger, and other emotions by counting to ten, thinking of calm seas, and making a new friend.



***Dinotrux Go to School*** by Chris Gall **R GAL (Blue)**
Prehistoric part-dinosaur part-truck machines help each other get ready for their first day of school.



***How to Start Kindergarten*** by Cathy Hapka **R HAP** (Blue)
David is the new kid at school. Steve shows him around--but David starts to copy him. What will Steve do?

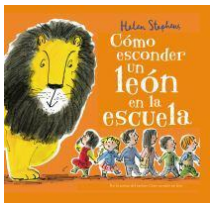


***Peanut Butter's First Day of School*** by Terry Border **R BOR (Yellow)**
Peanut Butter is nervous about going to school.

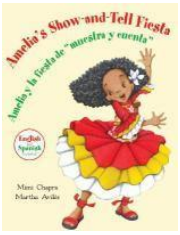
## SPANISH EASY BOOKS




***3, 2, 1 Vamos!:Contemos Hacia Atrás Usando*** **el Transporte** **J SPA E SCH**
by Sarah L. Schuette (3, 2, 1, Go!: A Transportation Countdown)
Cuente hacia atrás de diez a uno comenzando con diez autobuses escolares y terminando con un autobús de la ciudad, tanto en inglés como en español. *Count backward from ten to one starting with ten school buses and ending with one city bus--in both English and Spanish*




***Cómo Esconder un León en la Escuela*** by Helen Stephens **J SPA E STE**
El León e Iris están acostumbrados a estar siempre juntos.
Pero cuando Iris tiene que ir a la escuela, el león debe entender que allí los leones no son bienvenidos. *Lions aren't allowed at school, but Iris's lion doesn't want to be left behind.*




**Amelia y la Fiesta de "Muestra y Cuenta"** by Mimi Chapra **J SPA E CHA**
(Amelia's Show-and-Tell Fiesta)
Amelia trae su vestido especial fiesta de Cuba para su primer muestra-y-cuenta.

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