

## Suggested Reading for Students Entering Grade 2

These are some books you might enjoy this summer!  
Have fun and read, read, read! Try and keep a list of all the books  
you read!



### Books That Celebrate Diversity

*Amazing Grace* Mary Hoffman  
*Bippity Bop Barbershopby* Natasha Anastasia Tarpley  
*Juna's Jar* Jane Bahk  
*Abuela* Arthur Dorros  
*The Hula-Hoopin' Queen* Thelma Lynne Godin  
*Mango, Abuela, and Me* Meg Medina  
*New Shoes* Susan Lynn Meyer  
*Lola Levine is Not Mean!* Monica Brown  
*A Boy Like You* Frank Murphy  
*A Big Mooncake for Little Star* Grace Lin  
*Finding Kindness* Deborah Underwood

### Fiction

*There Are No Bears in This Bakery* Julia Sarcone-Roach  
*Sleepover at the Museum* Karen LeFrak  
*The Sad Little Fact* Jonah Winter  
*Peanut Butter & Santa Claus: A Zombie Culinary Tale* Joe McGee  
*My Teacher Is a Robot* Jeffrey Brown  
*I Am Love: A Book of Compassion* Susan Verde  
*The Good Egg* Jory John  
*Goldilocks for Dinner: A Funny Book About Manners* Susan Montanari  
*Fly Guy* by Tedd Arnold  
*Tea Time With Sophia Grace & Rosie* by Sophia Grace Brownlee  
*Clifford (series)* by Norman Bridwell  
*Benjamin Bear (series)* by Phillippe Coudray

*Emeraldicious* by Victoria Kann  
*This is Not My Hat* by Jon Klassen  
*Frog and Toad (series)* by Arnold Lobel  
*Pete the Cat (series)* by Eric Litwin  
*Little Critter (series)* by Mercer Mayer  
*If You Give a ... (series)* Laura Numeroff  
*Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site* by Sherri Duskey Rinker  
*Nate the Great* Marjorie Weinman Sharmat  
*Press Here* by Herve Tullet

### **Non-Fiction**

*Animal Show and Tell Series*  
*Gail Gibbons books*  
*Guess Who...Series (Jumps, Stings, Swims, etc)*  
*Let's Read and Find Out Science Series*  
*True Books*

### **More...**

*All Paws on Deck* (Haggis and Tank Unleashed #1) by Jessica Young  
*Moldylocks and the Three Beards* by Norah Z. Jones  
*Kung Pow Chicken: Let's Get Cracking!* by Cyndi Marko  
*Owl Diaries: Eva's Treetop Festival* by Rebecca Elliott  
*Olive & Beatrix The Super Smelly Moldy Blob* by Amy Marie Stadelmann  
*Press Start! Game Over, Super Rabbit Boy!* by Thomas Flintham  
  
*Missy's Super Duper Royal Deluxe* by Susan Nees  
*Boris Gets a Lizard* by Andrew Joyner  
*Narwhal, Unicorn of the Sea* by Ben Clanton (series)  
*Ricky Ricotta's Mighty Robot The Voodoo Vultures from Venus* by Dav Pilkey  
*Pinch and Dash and the Terrible Couch* by Michael J. Daley  
*Meet Mo and Jo: The Boulder Brothers* by Sarah Lynn  
*Bink & Gollie Best Friends Forever* by Kate DiCamillo and Alison McGhee

### **You might also enjoy...**

If you're looking for **SILLY** books, read:

*My Toothbrush is Missing* by Jan Thomas

*What is Chasing Duck?* by Jan Thomas  
*We Are in a Book* by Mo Willems (all Elephant and Piggie books are fantastic!)  
*The Big Fat Cow That Goes Kapow* by Andy Griffiths

If you like stories about **real life and friendship**, try:

*Who Is That, Cat the Cat?* by Mo Willems  
*We Are Growing* by Laurie Keller  
*Big Cat* by Ethan Long  
*The Cookie Fiasco* by Dan Santat  
*Baby Monkey, Private Eye* by Brian Selznick and David Serlin  
*Lazy Bear, Crazy Bear* by Kevin Bolger  
*Trucktown* by Jon Scieszka

If you like **animal stories**, try reading:

*Slow, Slow Sloths* by Bonnie Bader  
*Little Big Horse* by Dave Horowitz  
*We Dig Worms* by Kevin McCloskey

# Happy Reading!