



We Need Diverse Books

Suggested Diverse & Favorites Books List

Books for Babies & Pre-Readers

All Kinds of Families by Simon

Chocolate Me by Diggs

The Color of Us by Katz

Keisha Ann Can by Kirk

Lenny in the Garden by Wilson-Max

Anna Hibiscus series by Atinuke

Picnic in the Park by Griffiths

Pete the Cat series by Litwin and Dean

Last Stop on Market Street by de la Pena

Pigeon series by Willems

Chato series by Soto

Supertruck by Savage

Billy Bloo Is Stuck in Goo by Hamburg

Homemade Love by Hooks

City Shapes by Murray

Thunder Boy Jr. by Alexie

Viva Frida! by Morales

Crown by Barnes

Mama Africa! By Erskine

First 100 Words by Sirett

Black White by Hoban

Peek-A-Boo Zoo! By Cabrera

Up!: How Families Around the World Carry Their Little Ones by Hughes

Getting Ready by Child's Play

Making Faces: A First Book of Emotions by Abrams Appleseed

Books for Grades 1-3

Ballet Cat series by Shea
Baby Bear, Baby Bear, What Do You See? by Martin
Pete Won't Eat by McCully (I Like to Read series)
Charlie & Mouse by Snyder
Music Time by Hooks
Adventures of Caveboy by Bardhan-Quallen
Barkus by Maclachlan
Mo Jackson series by Adler
Pete the Cat series by Litwin and Dean
Elephant & Piggie series by Willems
It's Shoe Time by Collier
King & Kayla series by Butler
Fly Guy series by Arnold
Infamous Ratsos series by LaReau
Trombone Shorty by Andrews
Dog Man by Pilkey
Jabari Jumps by Cornwall
Bad Guys series by Blabey
Ada Twist, Scientist by Beaty
Bad Kitty by Bruel
Blue Sky White Stars by Naberhaus
Jada Jones series by Lyons
Quickest Kid in Clarksville by Miller
Marvelous Cornelius by Bildner
Little Shag by O'Neill
Most Valuable Players series by Kelly
The water princess by Verde

Books for Grades 4-6

STAT series by Stoudemire
Nikki & Deja series by English
Carver Chronicles by English
Sofia Martinez series by Jules
Locomotion series by Woodson
Out of Wonder by Alexander
First Rule of Punk by Perez
Losers Club by Clements
Finding Mighty by Chari
50 Wacky Things Animals Do by Wagner

Ahimsa by Kelkar
Battle of the Bands series by Reed
Dara Palmer's Major Drama by Shevah
A Dash of Trouble series by Meriano
EllRay Jakes series by Warner
Full Cicada Moon by Hilton
Gone to Drift by McCaulay
Inside Out & Back Again by Lai
Karma Khullar's Mustache by Wientge
The Last Kids on Earth series by Brallier
Girls Who Code series by Whittemore
The Night Diary by Hiranandani
The Only Girl in School by Standiford
Planet Jupiter by Kurtz
Ruby Lee & Me by Hitchcock
Major Eights series by Reed
Star Scouts series by Lawrence
Stella Diaz has Something to Say by Dominguez
Storm Cliff Stables series by Mullarkey
Rip And Red series by Bildner
The Sweetest Sound by Winston
Twintuition series by Mowry
Wonder by Palacio
Gabby Garcia's series by Palmer
Wishtree by Applegate
Escape from Aleppo by Senzai
Insignificant events in the life of a cactus by Bowling

Books for Grades 7 & up

8th Grade Superzero by Rhuday-Perkovich
Miracle's Boys by Woodson
The Hate U Give by Thomas
The 57 Bus by Slater
A Sky Full of Stars by Jackson
After the Shot Drops by Ribay
Awkward by Chmakova
Ban This Book by Gratz
Batman Nightwalker by Lu
Between the Lines by Grimes
The Belles by Clayton
Black Panther : the young prince by Smith
Brave by Chmakova

Calling My Name by Tamani
Children of Blood and Bone by Adeyemi
Dear Martin by Stone
Dread Nation by Ireland
Ghost by Reynolds
Ghost Boys by Rhodes
For Every One by Reynolds
Long Way Down by Reynolds
Love, Hate & Other Filters by Ahmed
March. Book one by Lewis
March. Book two by Lewis
March. Book three by Lewis
Midnight without Moon by Jackson
Miles Morales: Spider-Man by Reynolds
Miles Morales by Bendis
Ms. Marvel. 1 by Wilson
Ms. Marvel. 2 by Wilson
Nothing Can Possibly Go Wrong by Shen
Pashmina by Chanani
Patina by Reynolds
Planet Middle School by Grimes
The Porcupine of Truth by Konigsberg
Rebound by Alexander
Simon vs. the Homo Sapien by Albertalli
The Stars Beneath Our Feet by Moore
The Sun Is Also a Star by Yoon
Sold by McCormick
Sunny by Reynolds
The Poet X by Acevedo
A Time to Dance by Venkatrama
Turtles All the Way Down by Green
Tyrell by Booth
Tyler Johnson Was Here by Coles
Well, That Was Awkward by Vail
A Wrinkle In Time : the GN by Larson
I Am the Weapon by Zadoff