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- E BEA Beaumont, Karen. I ain't gonna paint no more! Orlando, Fla : Harcourt, c2005.
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- E CAR Carlson, Nancy L. My family is forever. New York : Scholastic Inc, 2007.
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A young girl describes wash day, her favorite day of the week, when Miss Ett the washerwoman comes with her grandson Sherman and Grandpa tells stories and teaches Sherman to play music.
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- E COW Cowell, Cressida. Claydon was a clingy child. Pbk. ed. London : Hodder Children's Books, 2002, c2001.
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- E CUM Cummings, Pat. Jimmy Lee did it. 1st ed. New York : Lothrop, 1985.
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- E DAL Daly, Niki. Jamela's dress. Sunburst ed. New York : Farrar, Straus and Giroux, 2004, c1999.

Jamela gets in trouble when she takes the expensive material intended for a new dress for Mama, parades it in the street, and allows it to become dirty and torn.

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While visiting her father's family in Mali, a young girl loses a tooth, places it under a calabash, and receives a hen and a rooster from the African Tooth Fairy.
- E DIO Diouf, Sylviane A. (Sylviane Anna), 1952-. Bintou's braids. 1st pbk. ed. San Francisco : Chronicle Books, 2004, c2001.
When Bintou, a little girl living in West Africa, finally gets her wish for braids, she discovers that what she dreamed for has been hers all along.
- E DON Donaldson, Julia. The Smartest Giant in Town. London : Macmillan, 2002.
George wishes he wasn't so scruffy. When he sees a new shop selling giant-size clothes, he decides it is time for a new look. With smart trousers, a smart shirt, stripy tie and shiny shoes, George is a new stylish looking giant. But, on his way home, he meets various animals who desperately need his help.
- E EGA Egan, Tim. Metropolitan cow. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, c1996.
Although his parents, very cosmopolitan cows, are uncomfortable with the idea, Bennett becomes good friends with Webster, a young pig who moves in next door.
- E FAL Falconer, Ian. Olivia and the missing toy. 1st ed. New York : Atheneum Books for Young Readers, c2003.
When her best toy mysteriously disappears, Olivia the feisty pig is determined to find out who is responsible.
- E FEI Feiffer, Jules. I lost my bear. [New York] : HarperCollins, c1998.
When she cannot find her favorite stuffed toy, a young girl asks her mother, father, and older sister for help.
- E FRI Friedman, Ina R. How my parents learned to eat. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, c1984.
An American sailor courts a Japanese girl and each tries, in secret, to learn the other's way of eating.
- E HAM Hamanaka, Sheila. All the colors of the Earth. New York : Morrow Junior Bks, c1994.
A celebration and exploration of human diversity shows life's exuberance as young people dance through a peaceful and accepting world.
- E HEN Henkes, Kevin. Chrysanthemum. 1st ed. New York : Greenwillow, c1991.
Chrysanthemum loves her name, until she starts going to school and the other children make fun of it.
- E HOF Hoffman, Mary, 1945-. Amazing Grace. New York : Dial Books for Young Readers, 1991.
Although a classmate says that she cannot play Peter Pan in the school play

because she is African-American, Grace discovers that she can do anything she sets her mind to do.

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South African children gather to welcome home their fathers who have been away for several months working in the mines.
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Two friends learn an important lesson about telling and keeping secrets.
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When one of his goats gives birth, Muhamad spends the night alone in the desert and thus becomes a man in the eyes of his family.
- E KRO Kroll, Virginia L. Masai and I. 1st Aladdin Paperbacks ed. New York : Aladdin Paperbacks, 1997, c1992.
Linda, a little girl who lives in the city, learns about East Africa and the Masai in school, and imagines what her life might be like if she were Masai.
- E LEA Leaney, Cindy. Field trip : a story about sharing. Vero Beach, Fla. : Rourke Pub., c2004.
Matt and his classmates share their lunches with the new student, Ashley, because she has forgotten hers.
- E LES Lester, Helen. Me first. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, c1992.
Pinkerton the pig always manages to be first until he rushes for a sandwich and it turns out to be not the edible kind.
- E LIP Lipniacka, Ewa. Who shares? New York : Scholastic Inc, 2003.
A brother and sister share everything... including the chicken pox!
- E LUC Lucado, Max. If only I had a green nose. Wheaton, Ill : Crossway Books, c2002.
Punchinello learns that it can be difficult, foolish, and even dangerous to try to keep up with the latest fads and that Eli, his maker, gave each Wemmick different characteristics on purpose.
- E LUC Lucado, Max. You are mine. New York : Scholastic Inc, c2001.
When Punchinello tries to prove his worth by getting more boxes and balls than the other Wemmicks, he learns that his maker, Eli, loves him because of who he is and not what he possesses.
- E LUC Lucado, Max. You are special. Wheaton, Ill : Crossway Books, c1997.
Punchinello's opinion of himself changes after talking to his creator.
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Molly is upset when her mom tells her to make her bed and gets sent to her room where she gets so involved looking for lost toys that she decides cleaning up is a good idea.
- E MAY Mayer, Mercer, 1943-. Me too! Racine, Wis : Western Pub. Co, c1983.
Sharing with one's little sister can be an awful bother, but it has its rewards too.
- E MCN McNaughton, Colin. Once upon an ordinary school day. 1st American ed. New York : Farrar Straus Giroux, 2005, c2004.
An ordinary boy is having an ordinary day, until a new teacher, Mr. Gee, challenges all the children to use their imaginations.
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Through the powers of a magical kente, a black snowman comes to life and helps young Jacob discover the beauty of his African American heritage as well as his own self-worth.

- E MOO Moon, Nicola. Lucy's picture. London : Orchard Books, 1988.
A young girl creates a special picture that her blind grandfather can "see" with his hands.
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A boy discovers and takes pride in the customs of his people when he visits his family's village.
- E PAR Parent, Nancy. Caring contest. New York : Scholastic, c2002.
The Care Bears compete to win Cheer Bear's first annual Care-a-lot caring contest.
- E PAR Parr, Todd. The feel good book. 1st pbk. ed. New York : Little, Brown, 2009, c2002.
Relates things that make people feel good, from rubbing noses to taking bubble baths.
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Illustrations and brief text describe all kinds of differences that are "okay," such as being a different color, needing some help, being adopted, and having a different nose.
- E PAR Parr, Todd. The peace book. 1st pbk. ed. New York : Little, Brown, 2009, c2004.
Describes peace as making new friends, sharing a meal, feeling good about yourself, and more.
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Best friends Lily and Salma disagree over their preferred foods, but after trading sandwiches to see how they taste, the girls change their minds.
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Ruthie loves tiny things and when she finds a tiny camera on the playground she is very happy, but after she lies and says the camera belongs to her, nothing seems to go right.
- E REY Reynolds, Peter. Ish. Candlewick Press, 2004.
Ramon loves to draw, but becomes discouraged when his brother makes fun of his drawings. Focuses on creativity and the artistic process.
- E REY Reynolds, Peter, 1961-. The dot. 1st ed. Cambridge, MA : Candlewick Press, 2003.
Vashti believes that she cannot draw, but her art teacher's encouragement leads her to change her mind.
- E SHA Sharmat, Marjorie Weinman. A big fat enormous lie. 1st Unicorn ed. New York : Puffin Books, 1986, c1978.
A little boy tells a lie to his parents and then is bothered by the big fat lie monster who keeps growing and won't leave him alone.
- E SPI Spinelli, Eileen. The best story. New York : Dial Books for Young Readers, c2008.
When a contest at the local library offers a prize for the best story, a girl tries to write one using her family's suggestions, but her story does not seem right until she listens to her heart.
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Four classmates have different ideas about what to put on a fire safety poster, but they are determined to work together, and soon find a good way to compromise.
- E WIL Williams, Karen Lynn. Galimoto. 1st ed. New York : Lothrop, Lee & Shepard

Books, c1990.

Walking through his village, a young African boy finds the materials to make a special toy.

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The Super Readers help Red Riding Hood work out a problem with her friends who do not want to help her pick apples by reading "The Little Red Hen."
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Francine and Muffy are good friends until Muffy lets Francine take the blame for cheating on a test.
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Lola disobeys her brother Charlie and breaks the rocket that he just made, and then she must decide whether or not to tell him the truth about what happened.
- ER DAY Daynes, Katie. The enormous turnip. London : Usborne, 2006.
A turnip planted by a farmer grows so enormous that he can only pull it from the ground with the help of everyone in his family--plus others.
- ER KOD Koda-Callan, Elizabeth. The silver slippers. New York : Workman, c2004.
Presents a children's book for early readers about a little girl's dream to become the star ballerina in her school's recital and the special present her mother gave her in order to achieve her goal.
- ER TOL Tolstoy, Aleksey Konstantinovich, 1817-1875 graf. The enormous turnip. 1st Green Light Readers ed. Orlando : Harcourt, c2003.
A cumulative tale in which the turnip planted by an old man grows so enormous that everyone must help to pull it up.
- J 158 MAY Mayer, Cassie. Being a leader. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2008.
What is a leader? -- Ways to be a good leader -- Activity. Defines what it means to be a leader and provides examples of ways children show leadership.
- J 158.2 MCC McCloud, Carol. Have you filled a bucket today? : a guide to daily happiness for kids. Northville, MI : Ferne Press, c2006.
Uses the metaphor of filling a bucket to encourage children to practice kind and considerate behavior and teach them the benefits of positive relationships.
- J 177 GUN Guntly, Jenette Donovan. I can accept others. North American ed. Milwaukee, WI : Gareth Stevens Pub, 2005.
Introduces children to the importance of social values by teaching them about acceptance, getting along with others, and working out disagreements.
- J 177 MAT Mattern, Joanne, 1963-. Do you share? Pleasantville, NY : Weekly Reader, 2008.
Looks at different ways to share and explains that while it is sometimes hard to share, it is always worth the effort.
- J 177 MAY Mayer, Cassie. Being helpful. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2008.
What does being helpful mean? -- Ways to be helpful -- Activity. Defines what it means to be helpful and provides examples of ways children help.
- J 177 MAY Mayer, Cassie. Making friends. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2008.
What is a friend? -- Ways to make friends -- Ways to be a good friend -- Activity -- Picture glossary. Introduces children to the importance of making friends and what it takes to be a good friend to others.
- J 179 MAY Mayer, Cassie. Being fair. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2008.
What does being fair mean? -- Ways to be fair -- Activity. Defines what it means to be fair and provides examples of ways children act fairly.

- J 179 MAY Mayer, Cassie. Being honest. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2008.
Defines what it means to be honest and provides examples of ways children are honest.
- J 179 MAY Mayer, Cassie. Being responsible. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2008.
What does being responsible mean? -- Ways to be responsible -- Activity. Defines what it means to be responsible and provides examples of ways children act responsibly.
- J 179 MAY Mayer, Cassie. Following rules. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2008.
What does following the rules mean? -- Ways to follow the rules -- Activity -- Picture glossary -- Index. Defines what it means to follow the rules and provides examples of ways children act obediently.
- J 179 MEI Meiners, Cheri J., 1957-. Accept and value each person. Minneapolis, MN : Free Spirit Pub., c2006.
A young girl learns to recognize and appreciate the uniqueness qualities of the world's different people.
- J 179 PAR Parker, David. I accept you as you are! New York : Scholastic, c2004.
Trying to embrace each others differences without losing our own sense of self is an essential concept addressed in this book.
- J 179 PAR Parker, David. I can cooperate! New York : Scholastic, c2004.
This book aims to help children understand that they have responsibilities and it is up to them to perform them.
- J 179 PAR Parker, David. I show respect! New York : Scholastic, c2004.
Through repetition, this book teaches, reviews and reinforces some of the behaviors of respect.
- J 179.9 MEI Meiners, Cheri J, 1957-. Respect and take care of things. Minneapolis, MN : Free Spirit, c2004.
A young girl discovers the values of respect, responsibility, and stewardship as she learns to take care of herself and the things around her, put things in their place, and respect other peoples' belongings.
- J 305.4 PAR Parker, David. I am creative! New York : Scholastic, c2005.
Creativity shows our uniqueness. Each child has a creative potential that should be recognized and nurtured.
- J 306.3 MAR Martin, Elena. Working together. Bloomington, Minn : Red Brick Learning, c2004.
Simple text and photographs introduce the benefits of working together to get jobs done.
- J 306.4 ONY Onyefulu, Ifeoma. Chidi only likes blue. 1st pbk. ed. New York : Frances Lincoln Children's Books, 2006, c1997.
Chidi has a favorite color, blue. He says it is the best color in the world. His older sister, Nneka, decides to teach him about other colors seen in their village.
- J 398.2 RHI Rhinos and Raspberries : Tolerance tales for the early grades. USA : Teaching tolerance, 2006.
The clever boy and the terrible, dangerous animal : An Afghan tale of fear -- The price and the rhinoceros: an Indian tale of speaking kindly -- The blind man and the elephant: A West-African tale of learning from your mistakes -- Supriya's bowl : A Buddhist tale of giving -- Papalotzin and the monarchs: A bilingual tale of breaking down walls -- Rabbit foot: An Iroquois tale of peacemaking -- The fiery tail: A chinese tale of true beauty -- The Emerald lizard: A Guatemalan tale of helping others -- Old Joe and the carpenter: An Appalachian tale of building bridges -- The stonecutter: A multicultural tale of being yourself -- Crocodile and ghost bat have a hullabaloo: An Australian tale of name-calling. A collection of stories from around the world teaching

young children about tolerance.

- J 646.7 SCH Scheunemann, Pam, 1955-. Working together. Edina, Minn : ABDO, c2004.
Describes everyday actions, such as helping with homework, sharing chores, and playing on a team, that demonstrate the benefits of cooperation.
- J 782.42 WIN Winans, CeCe. Colorful world. 1st ed. Oak Park Heights, MN : Maren Green Pub, 2007.
Colorful illustrations, simple rhyming text, and audio CD celebrates diversity all around the world.
- J DVD E BER The Berenstain Bears. [Standard format]. Culver City, CA : Sony Pictures Home Entertainment, 2009.
Voice: Michael Cera. Join the Berenstain Bears, Papa, Mama, Brother and Sister, as they embark on many adventures. Brother and Sister learn simple life lessons and family values.
- J DVD E COR Corduroy : --and more stories about caring. [Weston, Conn.] : Distributed by Weston Woods Studios ;, 2008.
Corduroy (live action) -- The happy lion / by Louise Fatio ; illustrated by Roger Duvoisin -- Mike Mulligan and his steam shovel / written and illustrated by Virginia Lee Burton -- I love you like crazy cakes / by Rose Lewis ; illustrated by Jane Dyer -- Smile for Auntie / written and illustrated by Diane Paterson -- The happy owls / written and illustrated by Celestino Piatti -- Goose / written and illustrated by Molly Bang. Narrators, David de Vries, Mia Farrow, Laura Dern. Corduroy longs for someone to take him home, but he searches for his missing button around the department store first. When the zookeeper leaves the door open, the happy lion decides to walk through town to visit his friends. Big diesel engines threaten to run Mike Mulligan and his old steam shovel, Mary Anne, out of business. A mother's love and a baby's smile bond the two together. Silly Auntie will try anything to get Baby to smile. Two owls discover the secret to peace and happiness. A baby goose feels like an outcast until she discovers that she can fly.
- J CD 780 FAR Farrell, John. Building bridges of Peace and Hope. Bridges of Peace and Hope. A collection of 18 songs promoting respect, understanding, cooperation, communication, responsibility, global awareness, empathy, gratitude, appreciating nature and many more.
- J DVD 303.3 HOW How we're different & alike. El Dorado Hills, CA : 100% Educational Videos, c1994.
Narrator, Nancy Sellers. Compare and contrast the way people are different and alike--from body shapes to likes and dislikes and even mental and artistic differences. Also shows that while many differences exist, people are also very much alike.
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Provides instructions and activity sheets for librarians and caregivers to use in developing literary programs for babies and toddlers, through use of stories, songs, rhymes, and finger games.
- PRO 303 STA Starting small : teaching tolerance in preschool and the early grades. Montgomery, Ala. : Teaching Tolerance, c1997.
Provides strategies and recommended resources to teach tolerance to young children.
- PRO 371.3 WIL Wilmes, Liz. Everyday circle times. Elgin, Ill : Building Blocks, c1983.
Provides early education teachers with a variety of Circle Time ideas based on forty-eight different themes, each accompanied by an opening activity, language and active games, fingerplays, stories, recipes, books, and more.