Great Reads for
SECOND GRADE

Accelerated Reader
ATOS Book Level
(BL) 2.0 – 3.0
Lexile Range
350—550

Horrible Harry & the Dragon War
by Suzy Kline

Junie B Jones series by Barbara Park

Jigsaw Jones series by James Preller

Magic Tree House series
by Mary Pope Osborne

Scooby-Doo series Scoobydoo

YOUTH NONFICTION

Ruby Bridges Goes to School
YOUTH BIOGRAPHY BRIDGES

Abe Lincoln’s Hat by Martha Brenner
YOUTH BIOGRAPHY LINCOLN

Firefighters by Katie Daynes
YOUTH 363.37 DAYNES

Starry, Starry Night by Wade Cooper
YOUTH 520 COOPER

Koalas by Laura Marsh
YOUTH 599.2 MARSH

Dolphins by Valerie Weber
YOUTH 599.53 WEBER

Orangutan by Anita Ganeri
YOUTH 599.88 GANERI

Cats Meow by Pam Scheunemann
YOUTH 636.8 SCHEUNEMANN

From Peanut to Peanut Butter
by Robin Nelson
YOUTH 641.3 NELSON

From Wax to Crayon by Robin Nelson
YOUTH 741.23 NELSON

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PICTURE BOOKS

**Shelved by the first two letters of the authors last name**

Miss Nelson is Missing by Harry Allard
Princess Peepers Picks a Pet by Pam Calvert
Slippers Loves to Run by Andrew Clements
Duck for President by Doreen Cronin
The Dancing Tiger by Malachy Doyle
Olivia by Ian Falconer (Caldecott)
Bad Dog Marley by John Grogan
You Read to Me, I’ll Read to You: Very Short Stories to Read Together by Mary Ann Hoberman
Bailey the Bear Cub by Nannie Kuiper
How I Became a Pirate by Melinda Long
Zen Shorts by Jon Muth (Caldecott)

Bandit by Karen Rostoker-Gruber
Mr. Happy & Miss Grimm by Antonie Schneider
Duck on a Bike by David Shannon
Little Neighbors on Sunnyside Street by Jessica Spanyol
Bug in a Vacuum by Melanie Watt

YOUTH READER

**Shelved by authors last name OR series name**

Young Cam Jansen series by David Adler
Dinosaur Hunter by Elaine Alphin
Alison’s Wings by Marion Dane Bauer
Really Riding! by Catherine Hapka
Big Surprise in the Bug Tank by Ruth Horowitz
Perfectly Poppy Snowy Blast by Michele Jakubowski
Pinkalicious series by Victoria Kann
Best Seat in Second Grade by Katharine Kenah
Ling & Ting Twice as Silly by Grace Lin
Emma’s Strange Pet by Jean Little
Owl at Home by Arnold Lobel
Fergus and Zeke by Kate Messner
Gus & Grandpa series by Claudia Mills
Amelia Bedelia series by Peggy Parish
Pigeon Hero! by Shirley-Raye Redmond

YOUTH FICTION

**Shelved by authors last name OR series name**

Henry & Mudge series by Cynthia Rylant
Ready to Play by Victoria Saxon
Tales for Very Picky Eaters by Josh Schneider
Nate the Great series by Marjorie Sharmat
Cowgirl Kate & Cocoa series by Erica Silverman
Charlie & Mouse by Laurel Snyder
Dust for Dinner by Ann Turner

The Bad Buys series by Aaron Blabey
Get Ready for Second Grade Amber Brown by Paula Danziger
Bink & Gollie by Kate DiCamillo
Mercy Watson to the Rescue by Kate DiCamillo
Dude Where’s My Spaceship? Weird Planet series by Dan Greenburg
Zack Files series by Dan Greenburg
Princess Posey and the Next Door Dog by Stephanie Greene