Unit 1, The Classroom Community (Fiction, Nonfiction, and Poetry)

Chicka Chicka Boom Boom* by Bill Martin Jr and John Archambault

The Alphabet* by Monique Felix

Kipper’s A to Z: An Alphabet Adventure by Mick Inkpen

I Went Walking* by Sue Williams

A Child’s Day: An Alphabet of Play by Ida Pearle

Hands Can* by Cheryl Willis Hudson

Unit 2, Focus on Making Connections (Fiction and Poetry)

When Sophie Gets Angry—Really, Really Angry… by Molly Bang

Say Hello by Jack and Michael Foreman

The Big Umbrella* by Amy June Bates and Juniper Bates

*Big book
Unit 2, Focus on Making Connections (Fiction and Poetry) (continued)

Josie’s Lost Tooth
by Jennifer K. Mann

Katie Woo: Katie Saves the Earth
(For reteaching lesson)
by Fran Manushkin

Unit 3, Focus on Retelling (Fiction and Poetry)

Gossie*
by Olivier Dunrea

Whistle for Willie
by Ezra Jack Keats

Sam and Jump
by Jennifer K. Mann

Bird, Balloon, Bear
(For reteaching lesson)
by Il Sung Na

*Big book
Unit 4, Focus on Visualizing (Poetry and Fiction)

- Cat’s Colors* by Jane Cabrera
- Red Sled by Lita Judge
- Rainbow Stew (For reteaching lesson) by Cathryn Falwell

Unit 5, Focus on Wondering (Fiction and Poetry)

- Found by Jeff Newman
- Going Places by Peter and Paul Reynolds
- Walking Through the Jungle* by Julie Lacome

- A Big Mooncake for Little Star by Grace Lin
- Jabari Jumps (For reteaching lesson) by Gaia Cornwall

*Big book
Unit 6, Focus on Making Connections (Nonfiction and Poetry)

*My Home, Your Home*
by Lisa Bullard

*Back to School*
by Maya Ajmera and John D. Ivanko

*I Love Our Earth*
by Bill Martin Jr. and Michael Sampson

*A Library Field Trip*
by Isabel Martin

*A Visit to the Library*
by Rosalyn Clark

*A Visit to the Fire Station*
by Blake A. Hoena

*What Is Round?*
by Rebecca Kai Dotlich

*A Visit to the Nature Center*  
(For reteaching lesson)  
by Rosalyn Clark

*Big book*
Unit 7, Focus on Wondering (Nonfiction, Poetry, and Fiction)

A Baby Penguin Story
by Martha E. H. Rustad

A Baby Duck Story
by Martha E. H. Rustad

Baby Zebras
by Megan Borgert-Spaniol

Tiny Little Fly*
by Michael Rosen

Baby Hippos
by Megan Borgert-Spaniol

Five Little Ducks*
illustrated by Penny Ives

Baby Raccoons
(For reteaching lesson)
by Megan Borgert-Spaniol

*Big book
Unit 8, Focus on Using Text Features (Nonfiction and Poetry)

- **Trains**
  by Matt Doeden

- **The Moon**
  by Martha E. H. Rustad

- **The Sun**
  by Charlotte Guillain

- **I Love Bugs!**
  by Philemon Sturges

- **Dolphins**
  by Kate Riggs

- **Thank You, Omu!**
  by Oge Mora

- **Deserts**
  (For reteaching lesson)
  by Quinn M. Arnold

*Big book*
Additional Texts and Videos

“Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star” by Jane Taylor
“I’m a Little Teapot” by George Harold Sanders and Clarence Z. Kelley
“Under a Button” edited by Alma Flor Ada and F. Isabel Campoy
“A-Hunting We Will Go” adapted from the song by Thomas Arne
“The Itsy Bitsy Spider” author unknown
“The Train Is Coming” author unknown
“Where Is Thumbkin?” author unknown
“The Ants Go Marching” author unknown
“The More We Get Together” author unknown
“One, Two, Three, Four, Five” author unknown
“Way Down South” author unknown
“Just Three” by William Wise

“Way Down Deep” by Mary Ann Hoberman
“Cats” by Eleanor Farjeon
“It Fell in the City” by Eve Merriam
“Umbrellas” by Lilian Moore
“Hello, Rain” by Mary Ann Hoberman
“Windshield Wipers” by Mary Ann Hoberman
“Some One” by Walter de la Mare
“I’m a Yellow-bill Duck” by Jack Prelutsky
“From Rags to River Horse: Why Fiona the Star Hippo Had a Rough Start” (video) from Cincinnati Zoo and Botanical Garden
“I Love to Ride on a Train” by Jenny Heitler-Klevans
“Night” by Mary Ann Hoberman

Additional Digital Resources

“Alphabet Song” (recording)
“Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star” (recording)
“I’m a Little Teapot” (recording)
“A-Hunting We Will Go” (recording)
“The Itsy Bitsy Spider” (recording)
“Where Is Thumbkin?” (recording)
“The Ants Go Marching” (recording)
“The More We Get Together” (video)

“Images for Crowded and Uncrowded”
“Images for Drenched”
“The Sauce Squirter” (video)
“Newborn Elephant” (video)
“Images for ‘Blend In’”
“I Love to Ride on a Train” (recording)
“Phases of the Moon” (video)
Unit 1, The Writing Community

I Love School!
by Philemon Sturges

Titch
by Pat Hutchins

When I Get Bigger
by Mercer Mayer

Unit 2, Getting Ideas

City Signs
by Zoran Milich

Red Is a Dragon
by Roseanne Thong

Round Is a Mooncake
by Roseanne Thong

I Love My Hair!
by Natasha Anastasia Tarpley

Freight Train*
by Donald Crews

I Went Walking*
by Sue Williams

*Big book
Unit 2, Getting Ideas (continued)

- **Lunch** by Denise Fleming
- **My Friends** by Taro Gomi
- **My Favorite Bear** by Andrea Gabriel
- **I Have Feelings** by Bobbie Kalman

Unit 3, Telling More

- **Cookie’s Week** by Cindy Ward
- **When Sophie Gets Angry—Really, Really Angry...** by Molly Bang
Unit 4, Just the Facts

*What Happens at an Airport*?  
by Amy Hutchings

*I Want to Be a Chef*  
by Dan Liebman

*Vegetables*  
by Nancy Dickmann

Unit 5, Exploring Words Through Poetry

*Read-Aloud Rhymes for the Very Young*  
selected by Jack Prelutsky

Additional Texts

Poems

“Alligators Are Unfriendly” by Jack Prelutsky

“Blowing Bubbles” by Margaret Hillert

“Chums” by Arthur Guiterman

“Crunch and Lick” by Dorothy Aldis

“Fish” by Mary Ann Hoberman

“The Frog on the Log” by Ilo Orleans

“Just Watch” by Myra Cohn Livingston

“The Meal” by Karla Kuskin

“Mice” by Rose Fyleman

“Shore” by Mary Britton Miller

“Somersaults” by Jack Prelutsky

“The Squirrel” anonymous

“Toaster Time” by Eve Merriam

“Wide Awake” by Myra Cohn Livingston

“Yellow Butter” by Mary Ann Hoberman
Unit 1, The Classroom Community (Fiction, Nonfiction, and Poetry)

This Is the Way We Go to School: A Book About Children Around the World*  
by Edith Baer

Alma and How She Got Her Name  
by Juana Martinez-Neal

Places in My Neighborhood  
by Shelly Lyons

Flower Garden*  
by Eve Bunting

It’s Mine!  
by Leo Lionni

Seven Blind Mice*  
by Ed Young

Unit 2, Focus on Making Connections (Fiction and Poetry)

Matthew and Tilly  
by Rebecca C. Jones

McDuff and the Baby  
by Rosemary Wells

Over in the Meadow: A Counting Rhyme*  
illustrated by Louise Voce

*Big book
Unit 2, Focus on Making Connections (Fiction and Poetry) (continued)

Chrysanthemum by Kevin Henkes
Goldfish and Chrysanthemums (For reteaching lesson) by Andrea Cheng

Unit 3, Focus on Retelling (Fiction)

The Stray Dog by Marc Simont
An Extraordinary Egg by Leo Lionni

Fritz and the Beautiful Horses by Jan Brett
Pedro Goes Buggy (For reteaching lesson) by Fran Manushkin
Unit 4, Focus on Visualizing (Poetry and Fiction)

Sheep Out to Eat
by Nancy Shaw

When Winter Comes
by Nancy Van Laan

Did You See What I Saw?
Poems About School
by Kay Winters

The Snowy Day
by Ezra Jack Keats

Full, Full, Full of Love
(For reteaching lesson)
by Trish Cooke

Unit 5, Focus on Wondering (Fiction and Nonfiction)

The Frog Who Wanted to See the Sea
by Guy Billout

One Duck Stuck
by Phyllis Root

The Story of Jumping Mouse
retold by John Steptoe

*Big book
Unit 5, Focus on Wondering (Fiction and Nonfiction) (continued)

Biblioburro: A True Story from Colombia
by Jeannette Winter

Emmanuel’s Dream: The True Story of Emmanuel Ofosu Yeboah
by Laurie Ann Thompson

No Two Alike*
by Keith Baker

Mother to Tigers
(For reteaching lesson)
by George Ella Lyon

Unit 6, Focus on Making Connections (Nonfiction and Fiction)

Doctor’s Help
by Dee Ready

A Day in the Life of a Garbage Collector
by Nate LeBoutillier

People Who Help
by Rachelle Kreisman

*Big book
Unit 6, Focus on Making Connections (Nonfiction and Fiction) (continued)

Construction Workers Help
by Tami Deedrick

Dentists Help
(For reteaching lesson)
by Dee Ready

Unit 7, Focus on Wondering (Nonfiction and Poetry)

A House Spider’s Life
by John Himmelman

Bugs for Lunch*
by Margery Facklam

A Butterfly’s Life Cycle
by Mary R. Dunn

An Elephant Grows Up
by Anastasia Suen

*Big book
Unit 7, Focus on Wondering (Nonfiction and Poetry) (continued)

A Pig Is Big*  
by Douglas Florian

A Turtle’s Life Cycle  
by Mary R. Dunn

Life Cycle of a Ladybug  
(For reteaching lesson)  
by Karen Latchana Kenney

Unit 8, Focus on Using Text Features (Nonfiction, Fiction, and Poetry)

Seeds  
by Vijaya Khisty Bodach

Up, Down, and Around*  
by Katherine Ayres

Throw Your Tooth on the Roof  
by Selby B. Beeler

The Napping House*  
by Audrey Wood

Julius  
by Angela Johnson

Avalanches  
(For reteaching lesson)  
by Vanessa Black  
*Big book
Being a Reader, Second Edition

Additional Texts and Videos

“New Friends” by Patricia Hubbell
“Willaby Wallaby Woo” adapted from “Willoughby Wallaby Woo” by Dennis Lee
“The Train is Coming” author unknown
“Where Is Thumbkin?” author unknown
“Make New Friends” based on a poem by Joseph Parry, composer unknown
“Bippity Boppity Bumblebee” author unknown
“Kitty Caught a Caterpillar” by Jack Prelutsky
“My Dog’s First Poem” by Wes Magee
“Hippopotamus Stew” by Joan Horton
“In a Winter Meadow” by Jack Prelutsky
“Listen” by Margaret Hillert
“Mice” by Rose Fyleman
“When You Can Read” by Bobbi Katz
“Bulldozer” by Hope Vestergaard
“From Egg to Butterfly” (video) by Echinoman Productions
“Caterpillars” by Aileen Fisher
“The Little Turtle” by Vachel Lindsay
“My Loose Tooth” by Ruth Kanarek

Additional Digital Resources

“Where Is Thumbkin?” (recording)
“Make New Friends” (recording)
“Snowshoe Hare” (video)
“Hummingbirds” (video)
“Wilting Roses” (video)
“Images for Remote”
“Emmanuel’s Ride” (video)
“Image for Landfill”
“Images for Architect”
“Images for Excavate”
“Bulldozer” (video)
“Hummingbirds” (video)
“Images for Plant Life Cycle”
“Images for Hover”
Unit 1, The Writing Community

**Things I Like**  
by Anthony Browne

**Farmer Duck**  
by Martin Waddell

**All by Myself**  
by Mercer Mayer

**When I Grow Up...**  
by Peter Horn

**When I Was Five**  
by Arthur Howard

Unit 2, Getting Ideas

**I Love Animals**  
by Flora McDonnell

**Chinatown**  
by William Low

**Daddy Calls Me Man**  
by Angela Johnson

*Big book
Unit 2, Getting Ideas (continued)

Growing Vegetable Soup* by Lois Ehlert

Knuffle Bunny: A Cautionary Tale by Mo Willems

Mouse Views: What the Class Pet Saw by Bruce McMillan

Unit 3, Telling More

Wait and See by Robert Munsch

Sheep on a Ship by Nancy Shaw

Unit 4, Writing Stories About Me

The Snowy Day by Ezra Jack Keats

Chrysanthemum by Kevin Henkes

Best Friends Sleep Over by Jacqueline Rogers

*Big book
Unit 4, Writing Stories About Me (continued)

Down the Road
by Alice Schertle

Unit 5, Writing Nonfiction

Bee
by Karen Hartley and
Chris Macro

Meet My Neighbor, the Dentist
by Marc Crabtree

Fire Trucks
by Valerie Bodden

Unit 6, Exploring Words Through Poetry

Honey I Love, and Other Poems
by Eloise Greenfield
Unit 7, Opinion Writing

Reading Makes You Feel Good
by Todd Parr

Additional Texts

Poems

“Cat” by Mary Britton Miller
“Ears Hear” by Lucia Hymes and James L. Hymes, Jr.
“First Snow” by Marie Louise Allen
“Hide-and-Seek Shadow” by Margaret Hillert
“Jump or Jiggle” by Evelyn Beyer
“Lessie” by Eloise Greenfield
“The March Wind” anonymous
“My Puppy” by Aileen Fisher
“Our Washing Machine” by Patricia Hubbell

“Riding on the Train” by Eloise Greenfield
“Rope Rhyme” by Eloise Greenfield
“Showers” by Marchette Chute
“Sleeping Bag” by Kristine O’Connell George
“Swimming” by Alice Higgins
“Swinging” by Kay Winters
“To Walk in Warm Rain” by David McCord
“Umbrellas” by Barbara Juster Esbensen
“Vegetables” by Meish Goldish
Unit 1, The Classroom Community (Fiction and Nonfiction)

- *McDuff Moves In* by Rosemary Wells
- *Sometimes I Feel Like a Fox* by Danielle Daniel
- *There's an Ant in Anthony* by Bernard Most
- *Sheila Rae, the Brave* by Kevin Henkes
- *Girl Wonder: A Baseball Story in Nine Innings* by Deborah Hopkinson

Unit 2, Focus on Making Connections (Fiction)

- *Jamaica Tag-Along* by Juanita Havill
- *The Invisible Boy* by Trudy Ludwig
- *The Three Little Pigs* retold by James Marshall
Unit 2, Focus on Making Connections (Fiction) (continued)

*The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig*  
by Eugene Trivizas

*The Three Billy Goats Gruff*  
(For reteaching lesson)  
retold by Jerry Pinkney

Unit 3, Focus on Visualizing (Nonfiction, Poetry, and Fiction)

*The Things That I LOVE About Trees*  
by Chris Butterworth

*Amy’s Light*  
by Robert Nutt

*If You Find a Rock*  
(For reteaching lesson)  
by Peggy Christian

Unit 4, Focus on Making Inferences (Fiction)

*Erandi’s Braids*  
by Antonio Hernández Madrigal

*Benji, the Bad Day, and Me*  
by Sally J. Pla

*AlphaOops! The Day Z Went First*  
by Alethea Kontis
Unit 4, Focus on Making Inferences (Fiction) (continued)

Chester’s Way
by Kevin Henkes

Mango, Abuela, and Me
(For reteaching lesson)
by Meg Medina

Unit 5, Focus on Wondering (Fiction and Nonfiction)

Across the Bay
by Carlos Aponte

Ruby’s Wish
by Shirin Yim Bridges

The Tale of Peter Rabbit
by Beatrix Potter

Beatrix Potter
by Alexandra Wallner

Octopus Stew
(For reteaching lesson)
by Eric Velasquez
Unit 6, Focus on Making Connections (Nonfiction)

- **The Doctor with an Eye for Eyes: The Story of Dr. Patricia Bath** by Julia Finley Mosca
- **Farmer Will Allen and the Growing Table** by Jacqueline Briggs Martin
- **Spring After Spring: How Rachel Carson Inspired the Environmental Movement** by Stephanie Roth Sisson
- **Manjhi Moves a Mountain** (For reteaching lesson) by Nancy Churnin

Unit 7, Focus on Wondering (Nonfiction)

- **City Hawk: The Story of Pale Male** by Meghan McCarthy
- **Life in a Coral Reef** by Wendy Pfeffer
- **How High in the Rainforest?: Rainforest Animal Habitats** by Monika Davies
Unit 7, Focus on Wondering (Nonfiction) (continued)

A Day and Night in the Desert
(For reteaching lesson)
by Caroline Arnold

Unit 8, Focus on Using Text Features (Nonfiction)

Discover Mars
by Georgia Beth

Astronaut in Training
(For reteaching lesson)
by Kathryn Clay

Unit 9, Focus on Determining Important Ideas and Events (Nonfiction and Fiction)

My Two Blankets
by Irena Kobald

Big Al
by Andrew Clements

The Manic Panic
by Richa Jha
Unit 9, Focus on Determining Important Ideas and Events (Nonfiction and Fiction) (continued)

Max’s Words by Kate Banks
The Empty Pot (For reteaching lesson) by Demi

Additional Texts and Videos

“Bees, Bothered by Bold Bears, Behave Badly” by Walter R. Brooks
“Raccoon” by Mary Ann Hoberman
“Jungle Life” from TIME for Kids
“What is Mars?” from NASA Knows! (Grades K–4) Series
“Make a Balloon Rocket!” from Sciencebob.com
“What Is a Rocket?” from NASA Knows! (Grades K–4) Series
“Blast Off!” by Collaborative Classroom
“The Perils of Plastic” by Collaborative Classroom
“Coral Reefs at Risk” by Brigit Katz/Smithsonian.com
“Meet Anna Du” by Rachael Lallensack/Smithsonian.com
“Zoos Are Good for Animals” by Collaborative Classroom
“Zoos Are Not Good for Animals” by Collaborative Classroom

Additional Digital Resources

“A Tree in Four Seasons” (video)
“Images for Evergreen”
“Firefly Experience” (video)
“The Water Hose” (video)
“Images for Environment”
“The Flying Airplane” (video)
“Images for Camouflage”
“Curiosity at Martian Scenic Overlook” (video)
“Bringing Mars Back to Earth” (video)
“Liftoff of MAVEN (Atlas V Rocket)” (video)
“Space Shuttle Launch and Landing” (video)
“Challenges of Getting to Mars: Launching Curiosity” (video)
“Images for Liquid and Solid”
“The Problems with Plastics” (video)
“Kids Against Plastic” (video)
“Images for Marine”
Unit 1, The Writing Community

Bigmama’s by Donald Crews

Shortcut by Donald Crews

Night in the Country by Cynthia Rylant

Miss Tizzy by Libba Moore Gray

Dogs Don’t Wear Sneakers by Laura Numeroff

Click, Clack, Moo: Cows That Type by Doreen Cronin

My Little Sister Ate One Hare by Bill Grossman

Harry and the Terrible Whatzit by Dick Gackenbach

The Little Old Lady Who Was Not Afraid of Anything by Linda Williams
Unit 2, Telling More

I Will Never NOT EVER Eat a Tomato
by Lauren Child

“Let’s Get a Pup!” Said Kate
by Bob Graham

Sheila Rae, the Brave
by Kevin Henkes

Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day
by Judith Viorst
Unit 3, Fiction

**Dogzilla**
by Dav Pilkey

**Brave Charlotte**
by Anu Stohner

**HONK! The Story of a Prima Swanerina**
by Pamela Duncan Edwards

**Beardream**
by Will Hobbs

**Ducky**
by Eve Bunting
Unit 4, Nonfiction

Kate & Pippin: An Unlikely Love Story
by Martin Springett

How to Be a Friend
by Laurie Krasny Brown and Marc Brown

Paper
by Chris Oxlade

Polar Lands
by Margaret Hynes

Polar Regions
by Melanie Waldron

Polar Animals
by Deborah Hodge

Unit 5, Letter Writing

First Year Letters
by Julie Danneberg

Dear Baby: Letters from Your Big Brother
by Sarah Sullivan

Love, Lizzie: Letters to a Military Mom
by Lisa Tucker McElroy
Unit 7, Opinion Writing

Additional Texts

Articles
“Q&A with Isobel Springett: The Photographer of Kate & Pippin: An Unlikely Love Story” by Collaborative Classroom

Poems
“Boa Constrictor” by Shel Silverstein
“Buses” by Maxine Kumin
“Clouds” by Christina G. Rossetti
“The Coyote” by Douglas Florian
“Fish” by Mary Ann Hoberman
“Knoxville, Tennessee” by Nikki Giovanni
“Lettuce” by Alma Flor Ada
“My Baby Brother” by Mary Ann Hoberman
“Peaches” by Alma Flor Ada
“Rain Poem” by Elizabeth Coatsworth
“The Tiger” by Douglas Florian
“Tree House” by Shel Silverstein
“Weather” by Aileen Fisher
“Wind Song” by Lilian Moore

Functional Texts
“Suck It Up!” unknown author
“Which Is Stronger?” adapted from “Corrugated Paper” in Super Science Experiments by Muriel Mandell Sterling

Editorials
“An Argument Against Pets: Animals Should Be Free” by Roshanda Harris and Franklin Sherman
“An Argument Against Pets: Pets Cost Too Much” by BreAunna Gladmon
“An Argument for Pets: Good for the Animals” by Amanda Abel and Elizabeth Dunaway
“An Argument for Pets: We Can Learn from Pets” by Blane Williamson and Orin Fussell

Excerpts
“About Donald Crews from The Big Book of Picture-Book Authors & Illustrators” by James Preller
“Writing Habits of Professional Authors” various authors
Set 1

- **We Can Read**
  by Amy Bauman

- **We Can’t See!**
  by Amy Bauman

- **Nan and Sam**
  by Kenni Alden

- **It Can Sit!**
  by Amy Helfer

- **Nat the Rat**
  by Elizabeth Johnson

- **Go Down, Fat Fish**
  by Corinn Kintz

- **Where Is My Hat?**
  by Valerie Fraser

- **Can You See My Fish?**
  by Corinn Kintz

- **My Cat Dot**
  by Elizabeth Johnson

- **The Kick**
  by Elizabeth Johnson

- **Kat and Rick Get a Rock**
  by Elizabeth Johnson
Rub-a-dub-dub by Erica J. Green

We Have Homes by Amy Helfer

Sled Dogs by Valerie Fraser

We Have Fish by Valerie Fraser

Pat and Pam by Valerie Fraser

Gus by Amy Helfer

Fish for Max by Amy Helfer

On the Job by Amy Helfer

The Pet by Elizabeth Johnson

Wag by Amy Helfer

What Vets Do by Lucy Bledsoe

A Bad Fox by Amy Helfer
**The Spelling Test**  
by Rob Arego

**Winter Fun**  
by Rob Arego

**The Clowns**  
by Rob Arego
Set 4

A Hike by the Lake
by Corinn Kintz

Life in a Plains Tribe: Part 1
by Corinn Kintz

Life in a Plains Tribe: Part 2
by Corinn Kintz

Snakes!
by Amy Helfer

A Cold Ride
by Amy Helfer

Get Out and Get Fit
by Amy Helfer

Out My Window
by Amy Bauman

What Little Deer Eat
by Amy Bauman

A Good Team
by Kenni Alden and Margaret Goldberg
**Set 4**

*Bird School*
by Amy Helfer

*Fox Spills the Stars*
retold by Amy Helfer

*Sharks!*
by Amy Helfer
Set 5

Fun Forts
by Lucy Bledsoe

Ann’s Book Club
by Lucy Bledsoe

Ants, Moths, and Wasps
by Lucy Bledsoe

Have You Ever?
by Margaret Goldberg

Spring on the Farm
by Rob Arego

Animal Homes
by Rob Arego

A Play Day with My Brother Ray
by Lucy Bledsoe

Cook Food on a Campfire
by Lucy Bledsoe

Sailboats
by Lucy Bledsoe

Ball Games
by Erica J. Green

Dance!
by Valerie Fraser

New School
by Kenni Alden
Set 5

Sunny Days, Starry Nights
by Corinn Kintz

Scout’s Puppies
by Kenni Alden

Night Skies
by Kenni Alden

The Desert
by Rob Arego

The Silver Coins
by Rob Arego

The Four Seasons
by Rob Arego

Grizzly Bears
by Lucy Bledsoe

Glaciers
by Kenni Alden

Glaciers and the Earth
by Kenni Alden
Small-Group Reading Texts for Set 7 for Being a Reader, 2e

Set 7

Chameleon!
by Joy Cowley

Cowgirl Kate and Cocoa: Horse in the House
by Erica Silverman

Jellyfish
by Ann Herriges

Elephant
by Wendy Perkins

Puffin Peter
by Petr Horáček

Aggie Gets Lost
by Lori Ries

Iris and Walter and Cousin Howie
by Elissa Haden Guest

What’s It Like to Be . . . an Ant?
by Jinny Johnson

Leon and Bob
by Simon James

Jellies: The Life of Jellyfish
by Twig C. George

Houndsley and Catina: Plink and Plunk
by James Howe
Set 7

Additional Texts

“The Greatest Invention” by Douglas Florian
“The Vacuum Cleaner’s Revenge” by Patricia Hubbell
“Staying Overnight” by Aileen Fisher
The Great Gracie Chase: Stop that Dog!  
by Cynthia Rylant

Lightning  
by Ann Herriges

The Polar Bear Son: An Inuit Tale  
retold by Lydia Dabcovich

Ruby Bridges Goes to School: My True Story  
by Ruby Bridges

Koalas  
by Valerie Bodden

Jamaica’s Find  
by Juanita Havill

Mice  
by Kate Riggs

Temple Cat  
by Andrew Clements

Additional Texts

“Under the Ground” by Rhoda W. Bacmeister

“Accidentally” by Maxine W. Kumin

“I Wouldn’t” by John Ciardi

“Wonderful Wheels” from *Click* magazine

“Without Wheels” from *Click* magazine
Set 10

**Set 10**

**Bink & Gollie**
by Kate DiCamillo and Alison McGhee

**To Be an Artist**
by Maya Ajmera and John D. Ivanko

**I Love Guinea Pigs**
by Dick King-Smith

**The Beckoning Cat**
by Koko Nishizuka

**Helen Keller**
by Margaret Davidson

**Additional Texts**

“Old Tortoise” by Madeleine Comora

“Every Time I Climb a Tree” by David McCord
The Tree Lady
by H. Joseph Hopkins

My Name is María Isabel
by Alma Flor Ada

Ice Bear: In the Steps of the Polar Bear
by Nicola Davies

The Key Collection
by Andrea Cheng

The Babe & I
by David A. Adler

Additional Text
“Story” by Eloise Greenfield
Huge, magnificent, and solitary, a polar bear moves through the frozen Arctic. Powerful hunter, tireless swimmer, tender mother, gentle playmate — she is superbly adapted for surviving, even thriving, in this harsh and icy climate. As the people of the land, the Inuit, have watched and learned from this amazing creature for generations, we invite you to witness the majesty of Ice Bear.

Nicola Davies
illustrated by Gary Blythe

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Shark Lady: True Adventures of Eugenie Clark
by Ann McGovern

Bee
by Kate Riggs

Fly Away Home
by Eve Bunting

Family Reminders
by Julie Danneberg

Pop's Bridge
by Eve Bunting

The Tree Lady
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Authentic literature is at the heart of our literacy programs. Children's books are deeply interwoven into every lesson, either in a read-aloud or as part of individual student work. Rich, multicultural fiction and nonfiction bring the full range of human experience and knowledge into the classroom, reinforce students’ sense of belonging within it, and connect the classroom to the wider world.

Engaged teachers facilitate the exchange of student ideas in collaborative classrooms. These conversations spark curiosity and a desire to participate in the learning process that reap benefits far beyond the immediate goals of learning to read and write. Combining quality curricula and great literature enriches the educational experience for all students and teachers.

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