

# BEGINNING READERS

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- E Cal *All Wrapped Up* (Rookie Reader) by Thera S. Callahan

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- E Dou *Dip the Chip* (SandCastle: First Rhymes) by Kelly  
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E Dou *I Feel Happy* (SandCastle: How Do I Feel) by Kelly Doud  
 E Dou *I'll Use Information for My Explanation* (SandCastle: Science Made Simple) by Kelly Doudna  
 E Dou *It's A Date, Let's Investigate!* (SandCastle: Science Made Simple) by Kelly Doudna  
 E Dou *It's an Event When We Experiment!* (SandCastle: Science Made Simple) by Kelly Doudna  
 E Dou *We Have the Nerve, Now Let's Observe!* (SandCastle: Science Made Simple) by Kelly Doudna  
 E Fig *Washington is Burning* (On My Own History) by Marty Figley  
 E Faw *Dwight Howard* (NBA Reader) by John Fawaz  
 E For *Don't Hit Me!* (Just for You!) by Bernett G. Ford

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 E Fre *A Visit to the Dentist* (Little Bill) by Eleanor Fremont  
 E Gar *All Kinds of Kids* (Rookie Reader) by Christina Mia Gar  
 E Gik *The Big Game* (My First Reader) by Louise Gikow  
 E Gio *The Girls in the Circle* (Just for You!) by Nikki Giovanni

E Gre *Hi, Clouds 0* (Rookie Reader) by Carol Greene  
 E Gre *Please, Wind?* (Rookie Reader) by Carol Greene  
 E Gri *A Day with Daddy* (Just for You!) by Nikki Grimes  
 E Gri *Wild, Wild Hair* (Hello Reader) by Nikki Grimes  
 E Hal *Ballerina Girl* (My First Reader) by Kirsten Hall

E Hal *Grandma's House* (My First Reader) by Kirsten Hall  
 E Hay *A Day in the Life of a Builder* (DK Readers) by Linda Hayward  
 E Hay *A Day in the Life of a Police Officer* (DK Readers) by Linda Hayward  
 E Hoo *Three's A Crowd* (Just for You!) by Gwendolyn Hooks  
 E Hoo *The Mystery of the Missing Dog* (Just for You!) by Gwendolyn Hooks

E Hud *The Two Tyrones* (Just for You!) by Cheryl Willis Hudson  
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 E Joh *Wait, Skates!* (Rookie Reader) by Mildred D. Johnson  
 E Jon *John Henry* (Read It Readers: Tall Tales) by Christina C. Jones  
 E Kit *Cuando Sea Grande* (Rookie Reader Espanol) by Jo S. Kittinger

E Kit *A Lunch with Punch* (Rookie Reader) by Jo S. Kittinger  
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 E Kle *Max and Buddy Go to the Vet* (Life of Max) by Adria F. Klein  
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 E Kli *Firefly Friend* (Rookie Reader) by Kimberly Wagner Klier  
 E Kli *What Do I Bring? : The Sound of BR* (Wonder Books) by Cynthia Klingel  
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 E Kom *I Can Divide, I need No Guide!* (SandCastle: Math Made Fun) by Tracy Kompelien  
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 E Kom *Let's All Assume, We Can Measure Volume!* (SandCastle: Math Made Fun) by Tracy Kompelien  
 E Kom *Let's Sort, It's a Real Sport!* (SandCastle: Math Made Fun) by Tracy Kompelien  
 E Kul *Escape North! : the Story of Harriet Tubman* (Step into Reading) by Monica Kulling  
 E Leo *My Pal Al* (Real Kids Readers) by Marcia Leonars  
 E Les *Rosa Parks: A Life of Courage* (Blastoff Readers: People of Character) by Tonya Leslie  
  
 E Lun *A Whisper Is Quiet* (Rookie Reader) by Carolyn Lunn  
 E Man *I Am Not Afraid: Based on a Masai Tale* (Bank Street Ready-to-Read) by Kenny Mann  
 E Mar *The Oprah Winfrey Story* (We Both Read) by Lisa Maria  
 E Mar *Shanna's Animal Riddles* (Shanna's First Reader) by Jean Marzollo  
 E Mar *Shanna's Lost Shoe* (Shanna's First Reader) by Jean Marzollo  
  
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 E Mck *Rules of the Net* by Jennifer McKerley  
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 E McK *Messy Bessey* (Rookie Reader) by Pat McKissack  
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 E Med *Singing for Dr. King* (Just for You!) by Angela Shelf Medearis  
 E Med *We Play One Rainy Day* by Angela Shelf Medearis  
 E Mei *Me Fascinan Los Arboles* (Rookie Reader Espanol) by Cari Meister  
  
 E Mil *Sand* (Rookie Reader) by Pam Miller  
 E Mos *I Am an Explorer* (Rookie Reader) by Amy Moses  
 E Nel *Ways Things Move* by Robin Nelson  
 E Pit *Milly, Molly and Aunt Maude* (Milly Molly Books) by Gil Pittar  
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 E Ran *Rescue on the Outer Banks* (On My Own History) by Candice F. Ransom  
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E Sat *Max and Zoe at Soccer Practice* (Max and Zoe) by Shelley Swanson Sateren  
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 E Sat *Max and Zoe Celebrate Mother's Day* (Max and Zoe) by Shelley Swanson Sateren

E Sat *Max and Zoe: the School Concert* (Max and Zoe) by Shelley Swanson Sateren  
 E Sex *Jackie Robinson: A Life of Determination* (Blastoff Readers: People of Character) by Colleen A. Sexton

E Sma *I Can't Take a Bath!* (Just for You!) by Irene Smalls-Hector  
 E Tay *A Mom Like No Other* by (Just for You!) by Christine Taylor-Butler  
 E Tay *No Boys Allowed!* (Just for You!) by Christine Taylor-Butler

E Tay *Water Everywhere* (Rookie Reader) by Christine Taylor-Butler  
 E Tom *Harry's Hat* by Ann Tompert  
 E Tru *Earth Day* by Trudi Strain Trueit  
 E Whi *Green Foods* (Heinemann Read and Learn) by Patricia Whitehouse  
 E Whi *Red Foods* (Heinemann Read and Learn) by Patricia Whitehouse

E Whi *Yellow Foods* (Heinemann Read and Learn) by Patricia Whitehouse  
 E Wor *Max Celebrates Chinese New Year* (Life of Max) by Adrian F. Worsham  
 E Wor *Max Celebrates Cinco de Mayo* (Life of Max) by Adrian F. Worsham  
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 E Wor *Max Celebrates Martin Luther King Jr. Day* (Life of Max) by Adrian F. Worsham

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