

Tiny T. Rex and the First-Day Oopsies

Jonathan Stutzman • *Picture Book Stu*

Tiny the T. Rex prepares for his first day of school but soon learns that it is okay to make mistakes and learn when trying new things.

Mouse's First Day of School

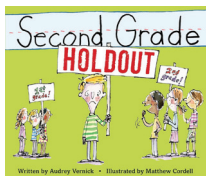
Lauren Thompson • *Picture Book Tho*

Mouse finds a world of new objects and new friends when he goes to school.

Ally-saurus & the First Day of School

Rich Torrey • *Picture Book Tor*

When Ally roars off to her first day at school, she hopes she'll meet lots of other dinosaur-mad kids in class. Instead, she's the only one chomping her food with fierce dino teeth and drawing dinosaurs on her nameplate.



Second Grade Holdout

Audrey Vernick • *Picture Book Ver*

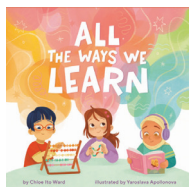
Missing the familiarity of first grade and imagining the impossible tasks

assigned by his next teacher, a boy refuses to start second grade.

What Do We Do in Preschool?

Kathryn Wanless • *Picture Book Wan*

A reassuring introduction for those precious first days of school, highlighting the important work educators do preparing children to transition into the next phase of their education.



All the Ways We Learn

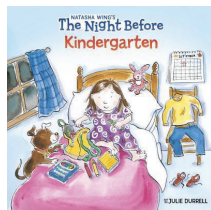
Chloe Ito Ward • *Picture Book War*

A celebration of the many brilliant and beautiful ways kids take in the world, helping them feel seen, supported, and loved.

The Pigeon Has to Go to School!

Mo Willems • *Picture Book Wil*

The pigeon must go to school, but frets about math, learning the alphabet, heavy backpacks, and what the teacher and other birds will think of him.



The Night Before Kindergarten

Natasha Wing • *Picture Book Win*

It's the first day of school! Join the kids as they prepare for kindergarten, packing school supplies, posing for pictures, and the hardest part of all—saying good-bye to Mom and Dad. It won't be hard once they discover how fun kindergarten is!

Bitsy Bat, School Star

Kaz Windness • *Picture Book Win*

The only bat at her new school, Bitsy does not feel like she fits in, but after some encouragement, Bitsy learns that everyone shines differently.

Mom, It's My First Day of Kindergarten!

Hyewon Yum • *Picture Book Yum*

A five-year-old boy, ready and eager on his first day at "the big kids' school," must calm his very worried mother.



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Ready, Set, Kindergarten!

Paula Ayer • *Picture Book Aye*

Follow one girl through the everyday activities that help her prepare for the first day of kindergarten.

The First Week of School

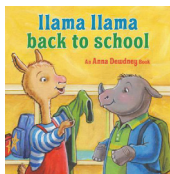
Drew Beckmeyer • *Picture Book Bec*

An ensemble cast of characters in one classroom experience the first week of school, including one unexpected visitor.

Kindergarten Gets Ready

Naomi Danis • *Picture Book Dan*

Join kindergarten teacher Mr. Bee as he gets ready for the new school year.



Llama Llama Back to School

Reed Duncan • *Picture Book Dew*

Wishing summer could go on forever, Llama Llama is anxious about his first day back at school. But maybe, with some help from his friends and Mama Llama, going back to school will be fun after all!



Kitty vs. Kindergarten

Martha Freeman • *Picture Book Fre*

Kitty fights tooth and claw against any kind of change, but when he goes to

kindergarten, he finds that new experiences can be a positive thing.

Wemberly Worried

Kevin Henkes • *Picture Book Hen*

A mouse named Wemberly, who worries about everything, finds that she has a whole list of things to worry about when she faces the first day of nursery school.

Rules in Class

Dwayne Hicks • *Picture Book Hic*

It's the first day of school! Abby is excited to meet her new teacher, Mr. Bauer, and learn all about her new classroom. The first day is a big day to learn the rules of the classroom.

We Don't Eat Our Classmates!

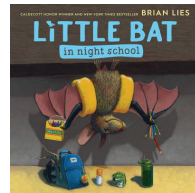
Ryan T. Higgins • *Picture Book Hig*

When the class pet bites the finger of Penelope, a tyrannosaurus rex, she finally understands why she should not eat her classmates, no matter how tasty they are.

Off to Kindergarten

Tony Johnston • *Picture Book Joh*

A young boy lists all the things he will have to take with him on his first day in kindergarten.



Little Bat in Night School

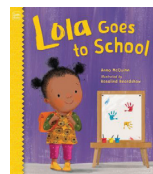
Brian Lies • *Picture Book Lie*

Little Bat is excited about his first night in school! He is excited about everything: his new school supplies, learning amazing things, and making new friends. But when he finally arrives, his world turns upside down.

Kindergarten is Cool

Linda Elovitz Marshall • *Picture Book Mar*

Rhyming text describes the activities a child experiences on the first day of kindergarten.



Lola Goes to School

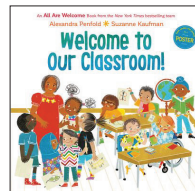
Anna McQuinn • *Picture Book McQ*

Lola meets new friends and tries many new things on her fun but exhausting first day of school.

Amelia Bedelia's First Day of School

Herman Parish • *Picture Book Par*

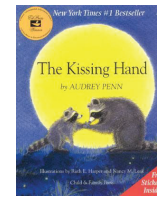
A literal-minded first grader's first day of school is filled with confusing adventures, much to her delight.



Welcome to Our Classroom!

Alexandra Penfold • *Picture Book Pen*

A teacher welcomes a new group of students as they prepare for an exciting and collaborative year ahead in this uplifting ode to educators from the bestselling creators of *All Are Welcome*.



The Kissing Hand

Audrey Penn • *Picture Book Pen*

When Chester the raccoon is reluctant to go to kindergarten for the first time, his mother teaches him a secret way to carry her love with him.

Fish Don't Go to School

Deb Pilutti • *Picture Book Pil*

On the first day of school, Henry faces his fears and makes new friends, all while staying true to himself.

A Pirate's Guide to First Grade

James Preller • *Picture Book Pre*

A young pirate and his crew embark on a grand adventure when they board the bus for the first day of first grade.

School's First Day of School

Adam Rex • *Picture Book Rex*

It's the first day of school at Frederick Douglass Elementary and everyone's just a little bit nervous, especially the school itself. What will the children do once they come? Will they like the school? Will they be nice to him?

First Day of School

Anne Rockwell • *Picture Book Roc*

Mrs. Madoff's students compare notes about getting ready for their first day of school after vacation.

The Secret Life of Squirrels: Back to School!

Nancy Rose • *Picture Book Ros*

As summer comes to an end, Mr. Peanuts helps his friend, Rosie, prepare her classroom and the school for the students' return.

Choo-choo School

Amy Krouse Rosenthal • *Picture Book Ros*

All aboard the train-car pool! A new lineup of students is off and rolling to Choo-Choo School. After reciting their classroom rules -- Work hard, play fair, be kind!