

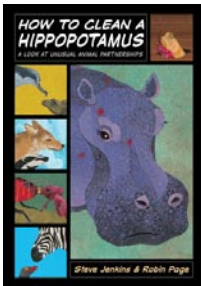
Books Mentioned at the Kindergarten Transition Breakfast March 14, 2011

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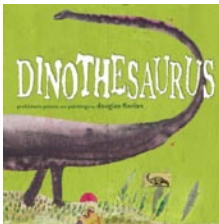
Deedy, Carmen Agra. Martina the Beautiful Cockroach : a Cuban Folktale.
A humorous retelling of a Cuban folktale in which a cockroach interviews her suitors in order to decide whom to marry.

591.7 J



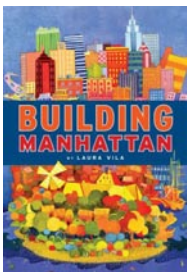
Jenkins, Steve, 1952-. How to Clean a Hippopotamus : A Look at Unusual Animal Partnerships.
A series of illustrations describing some of the most unusual relationships between various animals in the wild.

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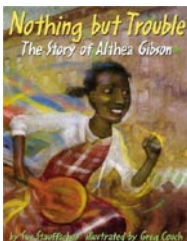
Florian, Douglas. Dinothesaurus : Prehistoric Poems and Paintings.
Presents illustrated verse about various carnivorous and herbivorous dinosaurs, including the Iguanodon, Spinosaurus, and long-necked plesiosaurs.

974.7 V



Vila, Laura. Building Manhattan.
Simple text and colorful illustrations describe how Manhattan went from being a remote island to a city full of buildings and people.

B GIBSON



Stauffacher, Sue, 1961-. Nothing But Trouble : The Story of Althea Gibson.
Explores the life and achievements of Althea Gibson, the first African-American woman to win the Wimbledon Cup.

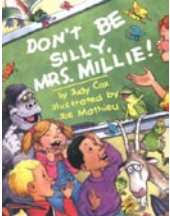
E BROWN



Brown, Peter, 1979-. Chowder.

Chowder the bulldog has never fit in with the other neighborhood canines, but he sees a chance to make friends with the animals at the local petting zoo.

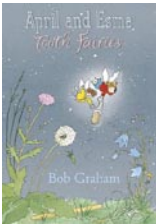
E COX



Cox, Judy. Don't Be Silly, Mrs. Millie!

Mrs. Millie makes her students laugh when she mixes up words, saying "goats" instead of "coats" and "poodles" when she means "puddles."

E GRAHAM



Graham, Bob, 1942-. April and Esme, Tooth Fairies.

On their first assignment, two young tooth fairy sisters journey by night into the huge world of humans to collect Daniel Dangerfield's tooth and fly it safely home.

E HILLS



Hills, Tad. How Rocket Learned to Read.

A little yellow bird teaches Rocket the dog how to read by first introducing him to the alphabet.

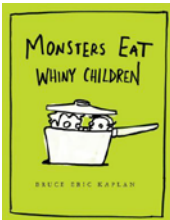
E HOWARD



Howard, Elizabeth Fitzgerald. Aunt Flossie's Hats (and Crab Cakes Later).

Sara and Susan share tea, cookies, crab cakes, and stories about hats when they visit their favorite relative, Aunt Flossie.

E KAPLAN

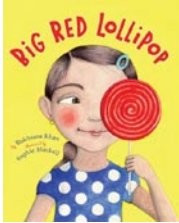


Kaplan, Bruce Eric. Monsters Eat Whiny Children.

Henry and Eve, having ignored their father's warning, are kidnapped by monsters who eat whiney children, but while increasing numbers of monsters argue over how to prepare them, the siblings begin to play

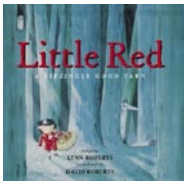
nicely. Includes a recipe for cucumber sandwiches.

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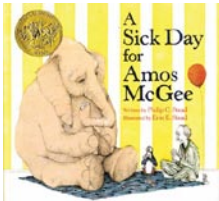
Khan, Rukhsana, 1962-. Big Red Lollipop. Having to take her younger sister along the first time she is invited to a birthday party spoils Rubina's fun, and later when that sister is asked to a party and baby sister wants to come, Rubina must decide whether to help.

E ROBERTS



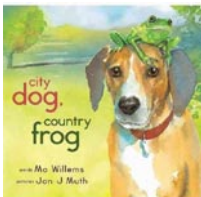
Roberts, Lynn (Lynn M.). Little Red : A Fizzingly Good Yarn. In this version of the Grimm fairy tale, Thomas--who is called Little Red--discovers a wolf in disguise at his grandmother's house and ingeniously uses ginger ale to save the day.

E STEAD



Stead, Philip Christian. A Sick Day for Amos McGee. Zookeeper Amos McGee, who is adored by all the animals, gets some unexpected guests while home sick one day.

E WILLEMS



Willems, Mo. City Dog, Country Frog. When City Dog comes to the country, he meets Country Frog for the first time, and every season afterward, the two have a fun time playing together.

E WINTER



Winter, Jonah, 1962-. Here Comes the Garbage Barge! In the spring of 1987, the town of Islip, New York, with no place for its 3,168 tons of garbage, loads it on a barge that sets out on a 162-day journey along the east coast, around the Gulf of Mexico, down to Belize, and back again, in search of a place willing to accept and dispose of its very smelly

cargo.

E WOODSON



Woodson, Jacqueline. Pecan Pie Baby.

When Mama's pregnancy draws attention away from Gia, she worries that the special bond they share will disappear forever once the baby is born.

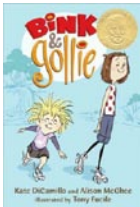
F CAMERON



Cameron, Ann, 1943-. The Stories Julian Tells.

Relates episodes in seven-year-old Julian's life which include getting into trouble with his younger brother Huey, planting a garden, what he did to try to grow taller, losing a tooth, and finding a new friend.

F DICAMILLO



DiCamillo, Kate. Bink & Gollie.

Two roller-skating best friends--one tiny, one tall--share three comical adventures involving outrageously bright socks, an impromptu trek to the Andes, and a most unlikely marvelous companion.

F GANNETT



Gannett, Ruth Stiles. My Father's Dragon;

A young boy determines to rescue a poor baby dragon who is being used by a group of lazy wild animals to ferry them across the river on Wild Island.