

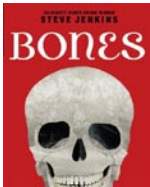
## Books Mentioned at the First Grade Transition Breakfast April 11, 2011

597.95 B



Bishop, Nic, 1955-. Nic Bishop Lizards.  
Full color photographs and easy-to-follow text profile different types of lizards, with information about their habitat, physical characteristics, diet, and survival skills.

612 J



Jenkins, Steve, 1952-. Bones : Skeletons and How They Work.  
Explores the details of human and animal bones, comparing the differences between the skeletal structure of various species, with several gatefolds that display the skeletons of many creatures.

811 A



Aylesworth, Jim. This Book is Called the Burger and the Hot Dog.  
An illustrated collection of silly poems in which items of food are the main characters.

811.08 H



Amazing Faces : Poems.  
An illustrated collection of sixteen poems based on the theme of the universal emotions shared by people around the world.

B FITZGERALD



Orgill, Roxane. Skit-Scat Raggedy Cat : Ella Fitzgerald.  
A picture biography of singer Ella Fitzgerald, following her from her youth on Waverly Street in New York, to fame in the nightclubs of Harlem in the 1930s.

E FRENCH



French, Vivian. Yucky Worms.  
While helping Grandma in the garden, a child learns about the important role of the earthworm in helping plants grow.

E GAIMAN

Gaiman, Neil. The Day I Swapped My Dad for Two Goldfish.



Presents a children's story and accompanying CD about a boy and his little sister who trade their father for two goldfish and then go about town trying to get him back.

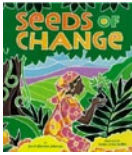
E HILL



Hill, Laban Carrick. Dave the Potter : Artist, Poet, Slave.

Chronicles the life of Dave, a nineteenth-century slave who went on to become an influential poet, artist, and potter.

E JOHNSON



Johnson, Jen Cullerton. Seeds of Change : Planting a Path to Peace.

Examines the life of Kenyan Nobel Peace Prize-winner and environmentalist Wangari Maathai, who made a stand in the face of opposition to women's rights and started an effort to restore Kenya's ecosystem.

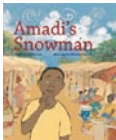
E RANIA



Rania, Queen, consort of Abdullah II, King of Jordan, 1970-. The Sandwich Swap.

Best friends Lily and Salma disagree over their preferred foods, but after trading sandwiches to see how they taste, the girls change their minds.

E SAINT-LOT



Saint-Lot, Katia Novet, 1963-. Amadi's Snowman.

As a young Igbo man, Amadi does not understand why his mother insists he learn to read, since he already knows his numbers and will be a businessman one day, but an older boy teaches him the value of learning about the world through books.

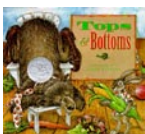
E STEIN



Stein, David Ezra. Interrupting Chicken.

Little Red Chicken wants Papa to read her a bedtime story, but interrupts him almost as soon as he begins each tale.

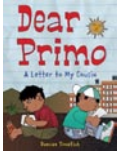
E STEVENS



Stevens, Janet. Tops & Bottoms.

Hare turns his bad luck around by striking a clever deal with the rich and lazy bear down the road.

E TONATIUH



Tonatiuh, Duncan. Dear Primo : A Letter to My Cousin.

Two cousins, one in Mexico and one in New York City, write to each other and learn that even though their daily lives differ, the boys are very similar at heart.

F BROCK



Brock, Betty. No Flying in the House.

Everyone at school thinks Annabel Tippens is a nice, ordinary little girl. But Annabele is anything but ordinary. She doesn't have any parents and instead of a human gaurdian, she's taken care of by a tiny white dog, named Gloria, who happens to be able to talk. Annabel has always been curious about why she is different. But when she learns that she might be half-fairy Annabel is determined to find out the truth about who, or what, she really is.

F JONELL



Jonell, Lynne. Hamster Magic.

When the Willows move into a new house, Celia, the youngest of four children, traps an enchanted hamster, who reluctantly agrees to grant the children one wish in exchange for his freedom.