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Picture Books

Ahiyya, Vera ***KINDergarten: Where Kindness Matters Every Day*** ✓

Illus. by Joey Chou unpub. Random House Studio (Penguin Random House) 2022 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-593-48462-3

Barnes, Derrick ***THE QUEEN OF KINDERGARTEN***

Illus. by Vanessa Brantley-Newton unpub. Nancy Paulsen Books (Penguin Random House) 2022 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-593-11142-0

Bartolj, Marta ***EVERY LITTLE KINDNESS***

Unpub. Chronicle Books 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-7972-0792-6

Bennett, Robin ***GO BE THE LIGHT!***

Illus. by Juan Diaz unpub. Mascot Books 2021 \$15.95 ISBN 978-1-64543-736-9

Chan, Ruth ***THANK YOU, NEIGHBOR!***

Unpub. HarperCollins 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-06-290953-4

Dankert, Christina ***THE KINDNESS MACHINE*** ✓

Illus. by Chad Dankert unpub. Purple Butterfly Press (Kat Biggie Press) 2022 \$21.99 ISBN 978-1-955119-08-5; \$10.95 (pbk) ISBN 978-1-955119-09-2

Donovan, Mary Lee ***A HUNDRED THOUSAND WELCOMES***

Illus. by Lian Cho unpub. Greenwillow Bks (HarperCollins) 2021 \$18.99 ISBN 978-0-06-287772-7

Erskine, Kathryn ***ALL OF US***

Illus. by Alexander Boiger unp. Philomel (Penguin Random House) 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-593-20469-6

Faruqi, Reem ***I CAN HELP***

Illus. by Mukela Prevost unp. Eerdmans Books 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-8028-5504-6

Figueroa, Michelle ***A GOOD THING HAPPENED TODAY***

Illus. by Ramona Kaulitzki unp. HarperCollins 2022 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-06-314231-2

Hische, Jessica ***TOMORROW I'LL BE KIND***

Unp. Penguin Workshop 2020 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1524787042

Hood, Susan ***WE ARE ONE: How the World Adds Up***

Illus. by Linda Yan unp. Candlewick Press 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-5362-0114-7

John, Jory ***THE SOUR GRAPE*** ✓

Illus. by Pete Oswald unp. HarperCollins 2022 \$19.99 ISBN 978-0-06-304541-5

Kenyon, Rachel Tawil ***YOU KNOW HOW TO LOVE*** ✓

Illus. by Mary Lundquist unp. Philomel (Penguin Random House) 2020 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-593-11457-5

Khan, Naaz ***ROOM FOR EVERYONE***

Illus. by Mercè López unp. Atheneum (Simon & Schuster) 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-5344-3139-3

Klein, Cheryl B. ***HAMSTERS MAKE TERRIBLE ROOMMATES***

Illus. by Abhi Alwar unp. Dial Books (Penguin Random House) 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-593-32423-3

Latham, Irene & Charles Waters ***BE A BRIDGE*** ✓

Illus. By Nabila Adani unp. Carolrhoda Books 2022 \$19.99 ISBN 978-1728423388

Ludwig, Trudy ***BRAVE EVERY DAY***

Illus. by Patrice Barton unp. Alfred A. Knopf (Penguin Random House) \$18.99 ISBN 978-0-593-30637-6

Mayper, Monica **NIGHT ON THE SAND**

Illus. by Jaime Kim unp. Clarion Books (HarperCollins) 2022 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-328-88418-3

Medina, Meg **I WILL!: A Book of Promises**

Unp. Houghton Mifflin Harcourt 2021 \$14.99 ISBN 978-0-358-55559-9

Moahloli, Refiloe **I AM YOU: A Book About Ubuntu**

Illus. by Zinelda McDonald unp. Amazon Crossing Kids Can Press 2022 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-542035668

Neubecker, Robert **ALL HANDS ON DECK**

Unp. Alfred A. Knopf (Penguin Random House) 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-593-17689-4

Pixon, Amy (creator) **LET'S BE KIND**

Illus. by Ekaterina Trukhan unp. (10pgs.) Indestructibles (Workman Pub. Co.) 2020 \$5.95 ISBN 978-1-5235-0987-4

Preston-Gannon, Frann **THE BAD DAY**

Unp. templar books (Candlewick Press) 2022 \$18.99 ISBN 978-1-5362-2378-1 ✓

Reedy, Jean **GROUP HUG**

Illus. by Joey Chou unp. Godwin Books (Henry Holt & Co.) 2021 \$18.99 ISBN 978-1-250-12710-5

Rinker, Sherry Duskey **ROTO AND ROY, HELICOPTER HEROES**

Illus. by Don Tate unp. Little, Brown & Co, 2022 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-316-53496-3

Smith, Monique Gray **WHEN WE ARE KIND**

Illus. by Nicole Neidhardt unp. Orca Book Publishers 2020 \$19.95 ISBN 978-1-4598-2753-0

Subisak, Tracy **JENNY MEI IS SAD**

Unp. Little, Brown & Co. 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-316-53771-1

Tarnowska,, Wafa' **NOUR'S SECRET LIBRARY**

Illus. by Vali Mintzi unp. Barefoot Books 2022 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-64686-291-7; \$9.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-1-64686-292-4

Tekavec, Heather **ARNOLD THE SUPER-ISH HERO**

Illus. by Guillaume Perreault unp. Kids Can Press 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-5253-0309-8

Tuiasoa, Shar ***PUNKY ALOHA***

Unp. HarperCollins 2022 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-06-307923-6

Underwood, Deborah ***FINDING KINDNESS***

Illus. by Irene Chan unp. Godwin Books (Henry Holt & Co.) 2019 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-250-23789-7

Wells, Rosemary ***THE WELCOME CHAIR***

Illus. by Jerry Pinkney unp. Simon & Schuster 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-5344-2977-2

Nonfiction Picture Books

Bryant, Jen ***FALL DOWN SEVEN TIMES, STAND UP EIGHT: Patsy Takemoto Mink and the Fight for Title IX*** Illus. by Toshiki Nakamura unp. Quill Tree Books (HarperCollins) 2022 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-06-295722-1

Churnin, Nancy ***DEAR MR. DICKENS***

Illus. by Bethany Stancliffe 32p. Albert Whitman & Co. \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-807515303

Hughes, Susan ***WALKING FOR WATER: How One Boy Stood Up for Gender Equality***

Illus. by Nicole Miles 32p. Citizen Kid (Kids Can Press) 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-5253-0249-7

Meltzer, Brad ***I AM MALALA YOUSAFZAI***

Illus. by Christopher Eliopoulos unp. Dial Books (Penguin Random House) 2022 \$15.99 ISBN 978-0-593-40588-8

Yuksel, M. O. ***ONE WISH: Fatima al-Fihri and the World's Oldest University***

Illus. by Mariam Quraishi unp. HarperCollins 2022 \$18.99 ISBN 978-0-06-303291-0

Beginning Readers

Hale, Bruce ***CLARK THE SHARK: FRIENDS FOREVER***

Illus. by Guy Francis 32p. HarperCollins 2022 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-06-291259-6

John, Jory ***THE GOOD EGG AND THE TALENT SHOW***

Illus. by Pete Oswald 32p. HarperCollins 2022 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-06-295459-6; \$4.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-06-295458-9

Raúl the Third **TEAM UP** (El Toro & Friends series) ✓
48p. VERSIFY (HarperCollins) 2022 \$9.99 KISBN 978-0-358-39471-6

Early Chapter Books

Atkinson, Cale **SUPER DETECTIVES!** (Simon and Chester, #1)
64p. Tundra Books (Penguin Random House) 2021 \$12.99 ISBN 978-0-7352-6742-8

Cordell, Matthew **CORNBREAD & POPPY**
80p. Little, Brown & Co. 2022 \$15.99 ISBN 978-0-7595-5487-0; \$6.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-7595-5486-3

Delahaye, Rachel **LITTLE OWL RESCUE**
Illus. by JoAnne Davies 121p. Tiger Tales 2022 \$5.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-1-6643-4011-4

Esposito, Nick **KIND LIKE FRED ROGERS** (The Good Guys Agency, 1) ✓
Illus. by Ricardo Tokumoto 85p. Bushl & Peck Books 2022 \$14.99 ISBN 978-1-63819-079-0

Magaziner, Lauren **MARINA AND THE KRAKEN** (The Mythics series, Bk 1)
Illus. by Mirelle Ortega 132p. Katherine Tegen Books (HarperCollins) 2022 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-06-305888-0

Tabor, Corey R. **SIR LADYBUG** ✓
68p. Balzer + Bray (HarperCollins) 2022 \$12.99 ISBN 978-0-06-306906-0

Tabor, Corey R. **SIR LADYBUG AND THE QUEEN BEE** ✓
62p. Balzer + Bray (HarperCollins) 2022 \$12.99 ISBN 978-0-06-306909-1

Tabor, Corey R. **SIR LADYBUG AND THE BOOKWORMS** ✓
60p. Balzer + Bray (HarperCollins) 2022 \$12.99 ISBN 978-0-06-306912-1

Winston, Sherri **CATASTROPHE**
Illus. by Gladys Jose 89p. HarperCollins 2022 \$15.99 ISBN 978-0-06-297601-7; \$5.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-06-297599-7

Winston, Sherri **NEW PUP ON THE BLOCK**
Illus. by Gladys Jose 87p. HarperCollins 2022 \$15.99 ISBN 978-0-06-297607-9; \$5.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-06-297606-2

Fiction for Grades 2-5 (or so)

Anderson, John David *STOWAWAY*

368p. Walden Pond Press (HarperCollins) 2021 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-06-298594-1; \$7.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-06-298595-8

Dee, Barbara *HAVEN JACOBS SAVES THE PLANET* ✓

283p. Simon & Schuster 2022 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-5344-8983-7

Freeman, Ruth *HOW TO SAVE A SUPERHERO*

264p. Holiday House 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-8234-4762-6

Hay, Sam *HAPPILY EVER AFTER RESCUE TEAM*

Illus. by Genevieve Kote 227p. Feiwel and Friends (Macmillan) 2022 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-250-79829-9

Johnson, Daisy May *HOW TO BE BRAVE*

280p. Godwin Books (Henry Holt & Co.) (Macmillan) 2021 \$16.99 ISBN 978-1-250-79608-0

Johnson, Terry Lynn *RESCUE AT LAKE WILD*

181p. Houghton Mifflin Harcourt 2021 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-358-33485-9

Nguyen, Trang *SAVING SORYA: Chang and the Sun Bear*

Illus. by Jeet Zdung 115p. Dial (Penguin Random House) 2021 \$23.99 ISBN 978-0-593-35363-9; \$13.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-593-35362-2

Rex, Michael *YOUR PAL FRED*

257p. Viking (Penguin Random House) 2022 \$22.99 ISBN 978-0-593-20632-4; \$12.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-593-20633-1

Reynolds, Jason *STUNTBOY, IN THE MEANTIME*

Illus. by Raúl the Third 261p. Atheneum Books (Simon & Schuster) 2021 \$13.99 ISBN 978-1-5344-1816-5

Schrefer, Eliot *CASE FILE: LITTLE CLAWS*

Illus. by Daniel Duncan 159p. Katherine Tegen Books (HarperCollins) 2021 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-06-298233-9; \$6.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-06-298234-6

Schrefer, Eliot ***CASE FILE: PANGOLIN POP STAR***

Illus. by Daniel Duncan 173p. Katherine Tegen Books (HarperCollins) 2022 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-06-298236-0

Warner, Gertrude Chandler ***THE BIG SPILL*** (The Boxcar Children Endangered Animals series, # 1)

Illus. by Craig Orback 128p. Albert Whitman & Co. 2022 \$12.99 ISBN 978-0-8075-1016-2

Nonfiction for Grades 2-5 (or so)

Fitzpatrick, Insha ***WHO SPARKED THE MONTGOMERY BUS BOYCOTT? ROSA PARKS***

Illus. by Abelle Hayford 64p. Penguin Workshop (Penguin Random House) 2021 \$12.99 ISBN 978-0-593-22447-2; \$7.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-593-22446-5

Henderson, Leah ***TOGETHER WE MARCH***

Illus. by Tyler Feder unp. Atheneum (Simon & Schuster) 2021 \$18.99 ISBN 978-1-5344-4270-2

Mason, Adrienne ***WHALES TO THE RESCUE: How Whales Help Engineer the Planet*** ✓

Illus. by Kim Smith 39p. Kids Can Press 2022 \$18.99 ISBN 978-1-5253-0537-5

Miller-Lachmann, Lyn ***TEMPLE GRANDIN*** (She Persisted series) ✓

Illus. by Gillian Flint 57p. Philomel Books (Penguin Random House) 2022 \$14.99 ISBN 978-0-593-35353-0; \$5.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-593-35355-4

Pinkney, Andrea Davis ***HARRIET TUBMAN*** (She Persisted series)

Illus. by Gillian Flint 59p. Philomel Books (Penguin Random House) 2021 \$14.99 ISBN 978-0-593-11565-7; \$5.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-593-11566-4

Saeed, Aisha ***MALALA YOUSAFZAI*** (She Persisted series)

Illus. by Gillian Flint 54p. Philomel Books (Penguin Random House) 2022 \$14.99 ISBN 978-0-593-40291-7; \$5.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-593-40293-1

Sedgwick, Marcus ***BE THE CHANGE: BE KIND: Rise Up and Make a Difference in the World*** ✓

Illus. by Thomas Taylor 141p. Vie Books (Octopus Pub. Group LTD.) 2022 \$14.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-1-80007-411-8

Teen Titles

Fiction for Younger Teens

Hart, Melissa *DAISY WOODWORM CHANGES THE WORLD* ✓
281p. North Star Editions 2022 \$14.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-1631636370

Horne, Maggie *HAZEL HILL IS GONNA WIN THIS ONE* ✓
215p. Clarion Books (HarperCollins) 2022 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-35-866470-3

Saeed, Aisha *OMAR RISING* ✓
212p. Nancy Paulsen Books (Penguin Random House) 2022 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-593-10858-1

Nonfiction for Teens

Calvert, Jennifer *TEEN TRAILBLAZERS: 30 Daring Boys Whose Dreams Changed the World*
Illus. by Vesna Asanovic 122p. Castle Point Books 2022 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-250-28161-6

Knight, Brenda *BE A GOOD IN THE WORLD: 365 Days of Good Deeds, Inspired Ideas, and Acts of Kindness* 270p. Viva Editions 2015 \$15.95 ISBN 978-1-63228-004-6

Fiction for Older Teens

Fernandez, Cristina *HOW TO DATE A SUPERHERO (And Not Die Trying)*
403p. Katherine Tegen Books (HarperCollins) 2022 \$18.99 ISBN 978-0-06-311430-2

Series Books &/or Older Titles

Picture Books

Lizzio, Samantha *PEPPA IS KIND*
Unp. Scholastic 2020 \$4.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-1-338-58468-4

Miller, Pat Zietlow *BE KIND*
Illus. by Jen Hill unp. Roaring Brook Press 2018 \$18.99 ISBN 978-162672-321-4

Rosenthal, Amy Krouse *I WISH YOU MORE*
Illus. by Tom Lichtenheld unp. Chronicle Books 2015 \$14.99 ISBN 978-1-4521-2699-9

Abbreviations Notes:

(pbk) – paperback edition

(PLB) – public library binding edition

✓ means the title was added to the list since the NLA conference



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