

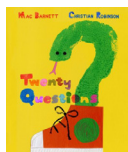
# Preschool Picks



## ***The Nature Journal: A Backyard Adventure***

by Savannah Allen

Tim loves exploring the natural world— solo or with Dad, outside or in his imagination.



## ***Twenty Questions***

by Mac Barnett

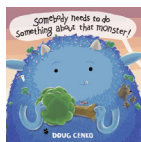
The 20 questions featured here each have endless answers! This thought-provoking book encourages conversation and creativity.



## ***If I Was a Horse***

by Sophie Blackall

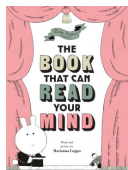
If you were a horse, what would you do? Gallop through this beautifully illustrated story that will surely spark imaginations.



## ***Somebody Needs to Do Something about That Monster***

by Doug Cenko

Merv wants to help after overhearing villagers complain about "that monster," unaware that they are griping about him.



## ***The Book That Can Read Your Mind***

by Marianna Coppo

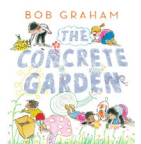
Rabbit aims to impress with a magic trick in this pick-your-path book perfect for reading over and over again.



## ***Ready to Soar***

by Cori Doerrfeld

Birds of all feathers give advice to Riley about flying a paper airplane, but what does the child really need?



## ***The Concrete Garden***

by Bob Graham

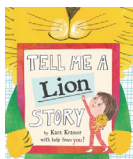
On every inch of the pavement outside, children draw pictures of flowers and trees, mushrooms and snails, and a few very unexpected things. It's a concrete garden.



## ***Big***

by Vashti Harrison

Taking a journey of self-love and body positivity, this book's main character learns what it means to be "big" in a world that celebrates "small."



### **Tell Me a Lion Story**

by Kara Kramer

In this interactive book, readers are invited to help a family tell an adventurous tale about a lion by filling in the blanks!



### **Bing! Bang! Chugga! Beep!**

by Bill Martin Jr.

You can sing the words to this story while you follow a colorful car as it bounces here, there, and everywhere!



### **The Quiet Forest**

by Charlotte Offsay

A mischievous mouse sets off a cascade of noise and hilarity in this cumulative tale of a once-quiet forest.



### **Mister Kitty Is Lost!**

by Greg Pizzoli

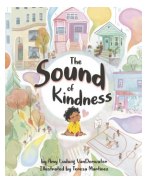
Mister Kitty is missing! Join the hunt as you encounter a surprise with every page turn.



### **How to Count to One**

by Caspar Salmon

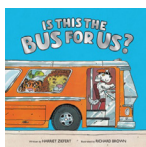
This clever book's colorful pages are filled with things to count, but the rule is that you can only count to ONE. See if you can resist the urge to count more!



### **The Sound of Kindness**

by Amy Ludwig VanDerwater

As an adult and child explore their neighborhood, they hear countless ways to be kind. Words of generosity, support, and love are all around us each day.



### **Is This the Bus for Us?**

by Harriet Ziefert

Waiting is hard, but when there's a new surprise on every bus, it's a lot easier to be patient! Will the right bus arrive for Leo and his family?

## **Looking for Other Outstanding Authors?**

- Andrea Beaty
- Kevin Henkes
- David LaRochelle
- LeUyen Pham
- Yuyi Morales
- Eileen Spinelli
- Christian Robinson
- Adam Rubin
- Traci Sorell
- Andrea Wang
- David Wiesner
- Mo Willems
- Karma Wilson
- Jacqueline Woodson

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