



Core Library Middle Primary #2



Title	Author	Genre	Themes	Lexile
<i>Adventures of Nanny Piggins</i>	Spratt, Rachel A	Animal fantasy	Unusual relationships with parents and others, humour	880
<i>An Electrifying New Year in the Life of Ozzie Kingsford</i>	Bird, Val	Realistic fiction	Family, friends, holidays, making pocket-money, scientific experiments	750
<i>Are You a Dragon?</i>	Wu, Di	Fiction; Descriptions	Chinese star signs, Chinese New Year	860 RA
<i>Audrey's Big Secret</i>	Harris, Christine	Historical Fiction	Friendship, secrets, the Outback, stolen generation	520
<i>Bodies</i>	Ardach, Philip	Graphic Novel; Explanation	The human body	650 GN
<i>Bush Secrets</i>	Mia, Tjalaminu & Lister, Jessica	Realistic fiction	Keeping secrets, grandparents, Aboriginal culture	720
<i>Can You Whistle, Joanna?</i>	Stark, Ulf	Realistic fiction	Relationships with grandparents and older people	530
<i>Captain Cook: Sailing Off The Map</i>	Scutt, Craig	Biography	Captain Cook's three voyages,	880
<i>Creepy Crawlies</i>	Ardach, Philip	Graphic Novel; Explanation	Creepy-crawlies and other minibeasts	640 GN
<i>Curly and the Fent</i>	Morgan, Sally/Kwaymullina, Ambelin, Blaze & Ezekiel	Imaginative Fiction	Fantasy creatures, friendships, helping friends	480
<i>Dragon Dawn</i>	Wilkinson, Carole	Fantasy	Chinese dragons, dragonkeepers	720
<i>Going for Broke</i>	McKinlay, Meg	Realistic fiction	Setting world records, seeking attention	680
<i>Going Home: An Australian Girl's Art Diary in China</i>	Wu, Lily	Diary	Chinese Australian girl's experiences in China	950
<i>Gorilla Book: Born to be Wild</i>	Litchfield, Carla	Report	Gorillas	890
<i>Great Barrier Reef Book: Solar Powered</i>	Norman, Dr Mark	Report/Explanation	Great Barrier Reef, affect of sun, global warming	790
<i>Great Cold, The</i>	Milroy, Gladys	Dreaming-style story	Sun and Moon arguing, Australian animals saving the world	630
<i>Heart of the Forest</i>	Jonsberg, Barry	Imaginative Fiction	Bushwalking, twins' close relationship, death	410
<i>Hero of Little Street</i>	Rogers, Gregory	Graphic Novel (wordless)	Adventure, bullying, helping others, using imagination	N/A
<i>Holly Joliday</i>	McDonald, Megan	Realistic fiction	Christmas in the Northern hemisphere, school concert, brothers and sisters, snow for Christmas	540
<i>Hot and Cold</i>	McFarlane, Susannah	Spy story	Secret missions, bullying, Antarctica	830
<i>How to Handle a Bully</i>	Richards, Nancy Wilcox	Realistic fiction	Bullying, bike challenge, friendship	420
<i>Inspector Jaques</i>	Odgers, Darryl & Sally	Animal fantasy	Dog-detective story, mystery, adventure	500
<i>Loku and the Shark Attack</i>	Carlyon, Deborah	Adventure	Tribal life in PNG, taking risks, heroism	770
<i>Ripley's Mighty Machines</i>	Graham, Ian	Report/Explanation	Huge machines, methods of transport	780
<i>Ripley's Wild Animals</i>	de la Bedoyere, Camilla	Report/Explanation	Wild animals	770
<i>Robot Riot</i>	Griffiths, Andy	Humorous fiction	Robots, 'new girl' at achool, making friends	640
<i>Rubbish and Recycling Step by Step</i>	Bertolini, Gerard & Delalande, Claire	Explanation/Persuasion	Recycling, environment	870
<i>Running With the Horses</i>	Lester, Alison	Historical Fiction	Horses in wartime, escaping to freedom	720
<i>Sadie and Ratz</i>	Hartnett, Sonya	Adventure	Tribal life, taking risks, heroism	530
<i>Saving Pandas</i>	Litchfield, Carla	Report/Explanation	Pandas	750 NC
<i>Scruffy Old Cat</i>	Mewburn, Kyle	Animal story	Looking after pets, trying to be perfect, real friendships	650
<i>Silence Seeker</i>	Morley, Ben	Picture Book	Asylum seekers	580 RA
<i>Simon's Dream</i>	Schade, Susan	Animal fantasy	Mad scientist, animals ruling the world	510
<i>Singing Sensation</i>	Stilton, Geronimo	Animal fantasy	Singing competition, detectives	570#
<i>Snowidea</i>	Flynn, Pat	Realistic fiction	Family life, exchanging houses, making 'real' friends	620
<i>Something About Water</i>	Matthews, Penny.	Graphic Novel	Water cycle, recycling,	890 GN
<i>Thorpie</i>	Starke, Ruth	Realistic fiction	Siblings, goldfish, pets	390
<i>Top Secret Pass it On</i>	Chapman. Jaqualine	Letters, notes	School friends, passing notes, teachers, letters	810
<i>You Turkeys!</i>	Bauer, Michael Gerard	Realistic fiction	Scrub turkeys, garden pests, living with nature	660
<i>Zac's Freaky Frogs</i>	Larry, H.I.	Spy story	Secret missions, testing gadgets	340