

**Top 100 Picture Books for the 21st Century**  
*(Compiled by School Library Journal)*

#	Title	Author			
		Last Name	G	E	I
1	Where the Wild Things Are	Sendak			
2	The Very Hungry Caterpillar	Carle			
3	Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bu	Willems			
4	Goodnight Moon	Brown			
5	The Snowy Day	Keats			
6	Make Way for Ducklings	McCloskey			
7	Knuffle Bunny: A Cautionary Tal	Willems			
8	Alexander and the Terrible, Horri	Viorst			
9	Bark, George	Feiffer			
10	The Monster at the End of this Bo	Stone			
11	Lilly's Purple Plastic Purse	Henkes			
12	Green Eggs and Ham	Seuss			
13	Miss Rumphius	Cooney			
14	Caps for Sale	Slobodkina			
15	Frog and Toad are Friends	Lobel			
16	Harold and the Purple Crayon	Johnson			
17	The Story of Ferdinand	Leaf			
18	A Sick Day for Amos McGee	Stead			
19	The Tale of Peter Rabbit	Potter			
20	Pete the Cat: I Love My White Sh	Litwin			
21	Millions of Cats	Gag			
22	Corduroy	Freeman			
23	Chicka Chicka Boom Boom	Martin, Jr.			
24	Tuesday	Weisner			
25	Kitten's First Full Moon	Henkes			
26	We Are in a Book	Willems			
27	Bread and Jam for Frances	Hoban			
28	Go, Dog, Go!	Eastman			
29	Miss Nelson is Missing!	Allard			
30	Owl Moon	Yolen			
31	Blueberries for Sal	McCloskey			
32	The Little House	Burton			
33	The Lorax	Seuss			
34	Strega Nona	de Paola			
35	The True Story of the Three Little	Scieszka			
36	The Cat in the Hat	Seuss			
37	The Lion and the Mouse	Pinkney			
38	Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What I	Martin, Jr.			
39	Click, Clack, Moo: Cows That Ty	Cronin			
40	Good Night, Gorilla	Rathmann			
41	Curious George	Rey			
42	Freight Train	Crews			
43	Harry the Dirty Dog	Zion, III			
44	The Little Mouse, the Red Ripe S	Wood			
45	Are You My Mother?	Eastman			
46	Grandfather's Journey	Say			
47	Madeline	Bemelmans			
48	George and Martha	Marshall			
49	Press Here	Tullet			
50	The Mysteries of Harris Burdick	Van Allsburg			

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51	The Library	Stewart			
52	Zen Shorts	Muth			
53	Thank You, Mr. Falker	Polacco			
54	Olivia	Falconer			
55	Sylvester and the Magic Pebble	Steig			
56	The Polar Express	Van Allsburg			
57	Doctor De Soto	Steig			
58	Scaredy Squirrel	Watt			
59	Officer Buckle and Gloria	Rathmann			
60	There Is a Bird on Your Head	Willems			
61	How the Grinch Stole Christmas	Seuss			
62	Go Away, Big Green Monster!	Emberley			
63	The Sneetches and Other Stories	Seuss			
64	King Bidgood's in the Bathtub	Wood			
65	The Arrival	Tan			
66	Chrysanthemum	Henkes			
67	Bedtime for Frances	Hoban			
68	The Three Pigs	Wiesner			
69	Moo Baa La La La	Boynton			
70	Rhyiming Dust Bunnies	Thomas			
71	Stellaluna	Cannon			
72	But Not the Hippopotamus	Boynton			
73	May I Bring A Friend?	de Regniers			
74	I Want My Hat Back	Klassen			
75	Cloudy With a Chance of Meatba	Barrett			
76	Eloise	Thompson			
77	Flotsam	Weisner			
78	Zoom at Sea	Wynne-Jones			
79	Pierre	Sendak			
80	Madeline's Rescue	Bemelmans			
81	Fortunately	Charlip			
82	A Visitor for Bear	Becker			
83	Bear Snores On	Wilson			
84	Not A Box	Portis			
85	The Giving Tree	Silverstein			
86	The Paper Bag Princess	Munsch			
87	My Lucky Day	Kasza			
88	No, David!	Shannon			
89	Tikki Tikki Tembo	Mosel			
90	Arnie the Doughnut	Keller			
91	The Stinky Cheese Man and Othe	Scieszka			
92	The Gardener	Steward			
93	Traction Man is Here!	Grey			
94	The Mitten	Brett			
95	The Kissing Hand	Penn			
96	Ira Sleeps Over	Waber			
97	Where Is the Green Sheep?	Fox			
98	Duck On a Bike	Shannon			
99	The Maggie B	Haas			
100	The Carrot Seed	Krauss			