



The 2018 Bell Awards Shortlists

READ

The Library Book, by Tom Chapin and Michael Mark; illustrated by Chuck Goenink

Chicken Storytime, by Sandy Asher; illustrated by Mark Fearing

Give Me Back My Book! by Travis Foster; illustrated by Ethan Long

You Can Read, by Helaine Becker; illustrated by Mark Hoffman

Everywhere, Wonder, by Matthew Swanson; illustrated by Robbi Behr

WRITE

Little Plane Learns to Write, by Stephen Savage

The Carpenter, by Bruna Barros

Away, by Emil Sher; illustrated by Qin Leng

Niko Draws a Feeling, by Bob Raczka; illustrated by Simone Shin

Sam & Eva, by Debbie Ridpath Ohi

SING

Twinkle, Twinkle, ABC: A Mixed-up, Mashed-up Melody, by Barney Saltzberg; illustrated by Fred Benaglia

Motor Goose: Rhymes that Go! by Rebecca Colby; illustrated by Jef Kaminsky

Bumpety, Dunkety, Thumpety-Thump! by K.L. Going; illustrated by Simone Shin

Singing in the Rain, illustrated by Tim Hopgood

Spunky Little Monkey, by Bill Martin Jr and Michael Sampson; illustrated by Brian Won

TALK

Say Zoop! by Herve Tullet

Different? Same! by Heather Tekavec; illustrated by Pippa Curnick

Love You Too, by Alastair Heim; illustrated by Alisa Coburn

You Know What? by Carol Gordon Ekster; illustrated by Nynke Talsma

City Moon, by Rachael Cole; illustrated by Blanca Gomez

PLAY

Things to Do with Dad, by Sam Zuppardi

There's a Bug on My Book! by John Himmelman

When the Snow Falls, by Linda Booth Sweeney; illustrated by Jana Christy

Sam Sorts, by Marthe Jocelyn

Fort Building Time, by Megan Wagner Lloyd; illustrated by Abigail Halpin

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