

## Juvenile Read Aloud Chapter Books

\* for more read aloud fiction please see the list “Juvenile Classics”

Alvin Ho: Allergic to Girls, School and Other Scary Things (Alvin Ho series; book 1) Look, Lenore

A young boy in Concord, Massachusetts, who loves superheroes and comes from a long line of brave Chinese farmer-warriors, wants to make friends, but first he must overcome his fear of everything. [Check library catalog.](#)

Clementine (Clementine series; book 1) Pennypacker, Sara

While sorting through difficulties in her friendship with her neighbor Margaret, eight-year-old Clementine gains several unique hairstyles while also helping her father in his efforts to banish pigeons from the front of their apartment building. [Check library catalog.](#)

Fantastic Mr. Fox Dahl, Roald

Mr. Fox is surrounded, and he's going to have to come up with a truly fantastic plan to dig himself out of trouble this time. [Check library catalog.](#)

The Field Guide (The Spiderwick Chronicles; book 1) DiTerlizzi, Tony

When the Grace children go to stay at their Great Aunt Lucinda's worn Victorian house, they discover a field guide to fairies and other creatures and begin to have some unusual experiences. [Check library catalog.](#)

Flat Stanley (Flat Stanley series; book 1) Brown, Jeff

Meet Stanley Lambchop. He's an ordinary boy with an extraordinary problem. He's four feet tall, about a foot wide . . . oh, and half an inch thick. At first being flat is fine. But it's not always easy being different, and soon Stanley wishes he could be just like everybody else. Will he ever be normal again? [Check library catalog.](#)

Gooney Bird Greene (Gooney Bird series; book 1) Lowry, Lois

A most unusual new student who loves to be the center of attention entertains her teacher and fellow second graders by telling absolutely true stories about herself, including how she got her name. [Check library catalog.](#)

Homer Price (companion Centerburg Tales) McCloskey, Robert.

Welcome to Centerburg! Where you can win a hundred dollars by eating all the doughnuts you want; where houses are built in a day; and where a boy named Homer Price can foil four slick bandits using nothing but his wits and pet skunk. [Check library catalog.](#)

Jack Plank Tells Tales Babbitt, Natalie

Pirate Jack Plank is unable to get a job and he spends his evenings telling stories to the other boarders at Mrs. DeFresno boarding house. [Check library catalog.](#)

Judy Moody (Judy Moody series; book 1) McDonald, Megan

Third grader Judy Moody is in a first day of school bad mood until she gets an assignment to create a collage all about herself and begins creating her masterpiece, the Me collage. [Check library catalog.](#)

Matilda Dahl, Roald

Matilda applies her untapped mental powers to rid the school of the evil, child-hating headmistress, Miss Trunchbull, and restore her nice teacher, Miss Honey, to financial security. [Check library catalog.](#)

The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane DiCamillo, Kate

Edward Tulane, a cold-hearted and proud toy rabbit, loves only himself until he is separated from the little girl who adores him and travels across the country, acquiring new owners and listening to their hopes, dreams, and histories. [Check library catalog.](#)

The Moffats Estes, Eleanor

Relates the adventures and misadventures of the four Moffat children living with their widowed mother in a yellow house on New Dollar Street in the small town of Cranbury, Connecticut. [Check library catalog.](#)

Moxy Maxwell Does Not Love Stuart Little (Moxy Maxwell series; book 1) Gifford, Peggy

With summer coming to an end, about-to-be-fourth-grader Moxy Maxwell does a hundred different things to avoid reading her assigned summer reading book. [Check library catalog.](#)

The Mouse and the Motorcycle (Ralph S. Mouse series; book 1) Cleary, Beverly

A reckless young mouse named Ralph makes friends with a boy in room 215 of the Mountain View Inn and discovers the joys of motorcycling. [Check library catalog.](#)

Ruby Lu, Brave and True (sequel Ruby Lu, Empress of Everything) Look, Lenore

Almost-eight-year-old" Ruby Lu spends time with her baby brother, goes to

Chinese school, performs magic tricks and learns to drive, and has adventures with both old and new friends. [Check library catalog.](#)

The Seven Wonders of Sassafras Springs Birney, Betty G.

Eben McAllister longs to see the world outside of his small farming community. He might get a chance IF he meets Pa's challenge to find Seven Wonders right there in Sassafras Springs. With his faithful dog, Sal, at his side, Eben begins his quest full of doubts. Little does he know that the Wonders he'll discover among his neighbors, friends and family will give him the adventure of a lifetime ... without his ever leaving home. [Check library catalog.](#)

Stink: The Incredible Shrinking Kid (Stink series; book 1)

The shortest kid in the second grade, James Moody, also known as Stink, learns all about the shortest president of the United States, James Madison, when they celebrate Presidents' Day at school. [Check library catalog.](#)

The Tale of Despereaux DiCamillo, Kate

The adventures of Despereaux Tilling, a small mouse of unusual talents, the princess that he loves, the servant girl who longs to be a princess, and a devious rat determined to bring them all to ruin. [Check library catalog.](#)

Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing (Fudge series; book 1) Blume, Judy

Fourth grader Peter Hatcher has a terrible problem – his little brother Fudge! The first in a very funny five book series. [Check library catalog.](#)

The Trumpet of the Swan White, E.B.

Knowing how to read and write is not enough for Louis, a voiceless Trumpeter Swan; his determination to learn to play a stolen trumpet takes him far from his wilderness home. [Check library catalog.](#)

The Willoughbys Lowry, Lois

The four Willoughby children set about to become "deserving orphans" after their neglectful parents embark on a treacherous around-the-world adventure, leaving them in the care of an odious nanny. [Check library catalog.](#)

The World According to Humphrey (Humphrey series; book 1) Birney, Betty G.

Humphrey, pet hamster at Longfellow School, learns that he has an important role to play in helping his classmates and teacher. [Check library catalog.](#)