

Children's
Books

BEST
BOOKS
of **2022**



Joella's Books

A Darkening of Dragons	S.A. Patrick	JF
The Star That Always Stays	Anna Rose Johnson	JF
Falling Short	Ernesto Cisneros	JF
Thirst	Varsha Bajaj	JF
Maizy Chen's Last Chance	Lisa Yee	JF
The Patron Thief of Bread	Lindsay Eager	JF
Freewater	Amina Luqman-Dawson	JNEWBERY
The First Cat in Space Ate Pizza	Mac Barnett	JCOMICS
Freestyle	Gale Galligan	JCOMICS
The Flamingo	Guojing	JCOMICS
Isla to Island	Alexis Castellanos	JCOMICS
Happy Sloth Day	April Pulley Sayre	JNF
Pizza!: A Slice of History	Greg Pizzoli	JNF
Luminous: Living Things That Light Up the Night	Julia Kuo	JNF
A Seed Grows	Antoinette Portis	JNF
Owl and Penguin	Vikram Madan	JE
Gigi and Ojiji	Melissa Iwai	JE
Five Hiding Ostriches	Barbara Barbieri McGrath	JP
Parfait, Not Parfait	Scott Rothman	JP
Counting to Bananas	Carrie Tillotson	JP
I'm a Unicorn	Helen Yoon	JP
I Am a Baby	Bob Shea	JP
The Sun is Late and So is the Farmer	Philip C. Stead	JP
The Three Billy Goats Gruff	Mac Barnett	JP

Emily's Books	Frizzy	Claribel Ortega	JCOMICS
	Little Monarchs	Jonathan Case	JCOMICS
	Lemon Bird Can Help	Paulina Ganuchea	JCOMICS
	The Last Mapmaker	Christina Soontornvat	JF
	Wildoak	C.C. Harrington	JF
	Marshmallow Clouds	Ted Kooser	JNF
	Maya's Song	Renee Watson	JBIO
	Cornbread and Poppy	Matthew Cordell	JE
	Hot Dog	Doug Salati	JCAL
	Farmhouse	Sophie Blackall	JP
	Brave Miss Muffet	Dori Graham	JP
	Out of a Jar	Deborah Marcero	JP
	Apple and Magnolia	Laura Gehl	JP
	I Can't Draw	Stephen W. Martin	JP
Knight Owl	Christopher Denise	JP	
Caroline's Books	Wingbearer	Marjorie Liu	JCOMICS
	The Tryout	Christina Soontornvat	JCOMICS
	Swim Team	Johnnie Christmas	JCOMICS
	Invisible	Christina Diaz Gonzalez	JCOMICS
	The Door of No Return	Kwame Alexander	JF
	Jennifer Chan is Not Alone	Tae Keller	JF
	Iveliz Explains it All	Andrea Beatriz Arango	JF
	Three Strike Summer	Skyler Schrempp	JF
	Honestly Elliott	Gillian McDunn	JF
	The Clackity	Lora Senf	JF
	Rory and the Magical Mix-Ups	Kallie George	JJ
	Marya Khan and the Incredible Henna Party	Saadia Faruqi	JJ
	Seen and Unseen....	Elizabeth Partridge	JNF
	Choosing Brave: How Mamie Till-Mobley...	Angela Joy	JNF
	Action!: How Movies Began	Meghan McCarthy	JNF
	Somewhere in the Bayou	Jarrett Pumphrey	JP
	Poopsie Gets Lost	Hannah Harrison	JP
	A Spoonful of Frogs	Casey Lyall	JP
	Ear Worm!	Jo Knowles	JP
Berry Song	Michaela Goade	JP	