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|  |  | **Books To Strengthen Your Child’s Developmental Assets**  **REFERENCE LIST**  **FROM YOUR PAGE HILLTOP GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT** | | |
|  |  | Below is a list of books/authors by theme which you may be interested in purchasing from your favorite bookstore or online venue, or borrowing from your local library. | | |
|  |  | *Do you have one to add? Email or call us and let us know what book you treasure that fits in any of these themes.* | | |
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|  |  | **Theme: Self-Confidence/Self-Knowledge** | | |
|  |  | *Book* | *Author* | |
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|  |  | A Bad Case of the Stripes | David Shannon | |
|  |  | A Porcupine Named Fluffy | Helen Lester | |
|  |  | ABC I Like Me! | Nancy Carlson | |
|  |  | Annie’s Gifts | Angela Shelf Medearis | |
|  |  | Believe in Yourself | Emily Hutton | |
|  |  | Big Ears | Amanda Harvey | |
|  |  | Charlie the Caterpillar | Dom DeLuise | |
|  |  | Chrysanthemum | Kevin Henkes | |
|  |  | Ed Emberly’s Great Thumbprint Drawing Book | Ed Emberly | |
|  |  | Edward the Emu | Sheena Knowles | |
|  |  | Eggbert, the Slightly Cracked Egg | Tom Ross and Rex Barron | |
|  |  | Elmer | David McKee | |
|  |  | Everyone is Special | Nancy Parent | |
|  |  | Finklehopper Frog | Irene Livingston | |
|  |  | Grasper | Paul Owen Lewis | |
|  |  | How Are You Peeling? | Saxton Freymann | |
|  |  | I Can!  Can You? | Carol Adorjan | |
|  |  | I Like Me! | Nancy Carlson | |
|  |  | I’m a Girl | Lila Jukes | |
|  |  | I’m Glad to Be Me | P.K. Hallinan | |
|  |  | Incredible Me! | Kathi Appelt | |
|  |  | I Want Your Moo | Marcella Bakur Weiner and Jill Neimark | |
|  |  | Jackalope | Janet Stevens | |
|  |  | Just Because I Am | Lauren Murphy Payne | |
|  |  | Leo the Late Bloomer | Robert Kraus | |
|  |  | Like is Fun! | Nancy Carlson | |
|  |  | Michael’s New Haircut | Karen G. Frandsen | |
|  |  | Ruby, the Copycat | Peggy Rathman | |
|  |  | Sassafras | Audrey Penn | |
|  |  | Shapesville | Andy Mills and Becky Osborn | |
|  |  | Something Else | Cathryn Cave | |
|  |  | Sometimes I Feel Like a Storm Cloud | Lezlie Evans | |
|  |  | Stellaluna | Janell Cannon | |
|  |  | Tacky the Penguin | Helen Lester | |
|  |  | The Biggest Nose | Kathy Caple | |
|  |  | The Brave Little Tailor | Jacob and Wilhelm Grimms | |
|  |  | The Coat of Many Colors | Dolly Parton | |
|  |  | The Hyena Who Lost her Laugh | Jessica Lamb-Shapiro | |
|  |  | The Legend of Spookley the Square Pumpkin | Joe Troiano | |
|  |  | The Lonely Scarecrow | Tim Preston | |
|  |  | The Magic Coloring Book of Feelings | Robert Bowman | |
|  |  | The Pinkish, Purplish, Bluish Egg | Bill Peet | |
|  |  | The Rainbow Fish | Marcus Pfister | |
|  |  | The Ugly Duckling | Hans Christian Anderson | |
|  |  | Today I Feel Silly | Jamie Lee Curtis | |
|  |  | What Mary Jo Shared | Janice May Udry | |
|  |  | When I Grow Up, I Want to be Me | Sandra Magsamen | |
|  |  | Whoever You Are | Mem Fox | |
|  |  | Why am I Different? | Norma Simon | |
|  |  | Wimberly Worried | Kevin Henkes | |
|  |  | You are Special | Max Lucado | |
|  |  | You Look Ridiculous | Benard Waber | |
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|  |  | **Theme: Communication Skills** | | |
|  |  | *Book* | | *Author* |
|  |  |  | |  |
|  |  | Felicia The Critic | | Ellen Conrad |
|  |  | Hey There, Owlface | | Betty Bates |
|  |  | Hooray for Wodney Wat | | Helen Lester |
|  |  | The Grouchy Ladybug | | Eric Carle |
|  |  | Mr. Peabody’s Apples | | Madonna |
|  |  | Gerald Boing Boing | | Seuss |
|  |  | Lily’s Purple, Plastic Purse | | Henkes |
|  |  | A Bad Case of Stripes | | David Shannon |
|  |  | Simon’s Hook | | Karen Burnett |
|  |  | Andrew’s Angry Words | | Dorothea Lachner |
|  |  | Snail Started It! | | Katja Reider |
|  |  | The Bandaid Chicken | | Becky Rangel Henton |
|  |  | Friends | | Helme Heine |
|  |  | The Hating Book | | Charlotte Zolotow |
|  |  | The Quareling Book | | Charlotte Zolotow |
|  |  | Rosie & Micharel | | Judith Voirst |
|  |  | Heart Prints | | PK Hallinan |
|  |  | Pinky Sulks | | William Steig |
|  |  | Glad Monster, Sad Monster | | Ed and Miranda Emberly |
|  |  | Dear Bear | | Joanna Harrison |
|  |  | A to Z Do You Ever Feel Like Me? | | Bonnie,Fellman, and Sandi Hausman |
|  |  | Sometimes I Feel Like a Mouse | | Jeanne Modesitt |
|  |  | Jafta | | Lewis Hugh |
|  |  | More Parts | | Tedd Arnold |
|  |  | How Are You Peeling: Foods With Moods | | Saxton Freymann and Joost Elfers |
|  |  | Listen Buddy | | Helen Lester |
|  |  | Listen Up T igger | | Sheyl Berk |
|  |  | Yo!Yes? | | Chris Raschka |
|  |  | The Big Bad Rumor | | Jonathan Meres |
|  |  | Armadillo Tattletale | | Helen Ketteman |
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|  |  | **Theme: Motivation to Achieve** | | |
|  |  | *Book* | | *Author* |
|  |  | Anybody Can Bake a Cake | | Hennie Shore |
|  |  | Franklin Goes to School | | Baulette Bourgeois & Brenda Clark |
|  |  | How To Do Homework Without Throwing up | | Trevor Romain |
|  |  | Listen Buddy | | Helen Lester |
|  |  | Oh, The Places You will Go | | Dr. Seuss |
|  |  | Salt in His Shoes | | Delores Jordan |
|  |  | The Little Engine That Could | | Watty Piper |
|  |  | Tops and Bottoms | | Janet Stevens |
|  |  | Try, Try, Again | | Nancy Parent |
|  |  | When I’m Big | | Tim Drury |
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|  |  | **Theme: Responsible Behavior** | | |
|  |  | *Book* | | *Author* |
|  |  | No, David | | David Shannon |
|  |  | Tattlin Madeline | | Carol Cummings |
|  |  | Strega Nona | | Tomie de Paola |
|  |  | Finders Keepers | | Elizabeth Crary |
|  |  | Arthur’s Pet Business | | Marc Brown |
|  |  | Always Tell The Truth | | Catherine McCafferty |
|  |  | Use Your Words | | Sheryl Beck |
|  |  | Hands Are Not for Hitting | | Martine Agassi, Ph.D |
|  |  | The Book of Bad Ideas | | Laura Huliska-Beith |
|  |  | The Thingumajig Book of Manners | | Irene Keller |
|  |  | Win or Lose by How You Choose | | Judge Judy Sheindlin |
|  |  | Mr. Peabody’s Apples | | Madonna |
|  |  | It’s A Spoon Not A Shovel | | Caralyn Buehner |
|  |  | I Did It, I’m Sorry | | Caralyn Buehner |
|  |  | The Empty Pot | | Demi |
|  |  | Sometimes I’m Bombaloo | | Rachel Vail |
|  |  | If Everybody Did | | Jo Ann Stover |
|  |  | A Chair For MY Mother | | Vera B. Williams |
|  |  | Horton Hatches the Egg | | Dr. Suess |
|  |  | Tacky the Penguin | | Helen Lester |
|  |  | The Brand New Kid | | Katie Couric |
|  |  | Oliver Button is a Sissy | | Tomie de Paola |
|  |  | When Sophie Get Angry-Really Really Angry | | Mollie Bang |
|  |  | Mary Louise Loses Her Manners | | Diane Cuneo |
|  |  | King of the Playground | | Phyliss Naylor |
|  |  | You Are Special | | Max Lucado |
|  |  | That’s Mine, Horace | | Horace Keller |
|  |  | Never Fear, Snake My Dear! | | Rolf Siegenthaler |
|  |  | Armadillo Tattletale | | Helen Ketteman |
|  |  | What Do YOU Know About Bullying | | Pete Sanders |
|  |  | Why Can’t You Stay Home With Me? | | Barbara Hazen-Shook |
|  |  | Rough, Tough, Rowdy | | William Hooks |
|  |  | Simon’s Hook | | Karen Gedig Burnett |
|  |  | Lilly’s Purple Plastic Purse | | Kevin Henkes |
|  |  | David Gets in Trouble | | David Shannon |
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|  |  | **Theme: Interpersonal Effectiveness** | | |
|  |  | *Book* | | *Author* |
|  |  | A Bad Case Of Stripes | | David Shannon |
|  |  | A Friend Like You | | Roger Pare |
|  |  | A Very Special Friend | | Dorthy Hoffman Levi |
|  |  | A Welcome for Annie | | Helen Craig |
|  |  | Andrew's Angry Words | | Dorothea Lanchner |
|  |  | Armadillo Tattletale | | Helen Ketteman |
|  |  | Arthur's Pet Business | | Marc Brown |
|  |  | Carnival in Paris | | Natalie Carlson |
|  |  | Elmer and the Kangaroo | | David McKee |
|  |  | Enemy Pie | | Derek Munson |
|  |  | Feeling Left Out | | Kate Petty & Charlotte Firmin |
|  |  | Franklin's Valentine | | Paulette Bourgeois & Brenda Clark |
|  |  | Friends | | Helme Heine |
|  |  | Friendship Day | | Nancy Parent |
|  |  | Heart Prints | | PK Hallinan |
|  |  | He's My Brother | | Joe Lasker |
|  |  | Horace and Morris but Mostly Dolores | | James Howe |
|  |  | How Do I Feel About Making Friends? | | Sarah Levete |
|  |  | How To Be A Friend | | Laurie & Marc Brown |
|  |  | How To Lose All Your Friends | | Nancy Carlson |
|  |  | I Like the Way You Are | | Eve Bunting |
|  |  | I Miss Franklin P. Shuckles | | Ulana Snihura |
|  |  | I'm Not Oscar's Friend Anymore | | Marjorie W. Sharmat |
|  |  | In The Great Meadow | | Skid Crease |
|  |  | It's Mine | | Leo Lionni |
|  |  | Jeremiah and Mrs. Ming | | Sharon Jennings |
|  |  | Kid's Random Acts of Kindness | | Conari Press |
|  |  | Let's Talk About Being Selfish | | Joy Berry |
|  |  | Lilly's Purple Plastic Purse | | Kevin Henkes |
|  |  | Making Friends | | Kate Petty & Charlotte Firmin |
|  |  | Mary Louise Loses Her Manners | | Diane Cuneo |
|  |  | Miss Maggie | | Cynthia Rylant |
|  |  | Nobody Knew What To Do A Story About Bullying | | Becky Ray McCain |
|  |  | Ordinary Mary's Extraordinary Deed | | Emily Pearson |
|  |  | Roses Are Pink, Your Feet really Stink | | Diane DeGroat |
|  |  | Rosie and Michael | | Judith Viorst |
|  |  | Simon's Hook | | Karen Gedig Burnett |
|  |  | Sleep Tight, Mrs. Ming | | Sharon Jennings |
|  |  | Snail Started It! | | Katja Reider |
|  |  | The Bandaid Chicken | | Beth Rangel Henton |
|  |  | The Best Friends Book | | Arlene Erlbach |
|  |  | The Boy Who Wouldn't Speak | | Steve Berry |
|  |  | The Cardboard Crow | | Clude Robert Baulla |
|  |  | The Giving Tree | | Shel Silverstein |
|  |  | The Hating Book | | Ben Schecter |
|  |  | The Hundred Dresses | | Ealeanor Estes |
|  |  | The Paper Bag Princess | | Robert Munsch |
|  |  | The Pin Balls | | Betsy Byars |
|  |  | The Quarreling Book | | Charlotte Zolotow |
|  |  | The Toad Sleeps Over | | John Bianchi |
|  |  | Thingamajig | | Irene Keller |
|  |  | Tina Gogo | | Judie Angell |
|  |  | When Jeremiah Found  Mrs. Ming | | Sharon Jennings |
|  |  | Why Are You Fighting Davy | | Brigitte Tharlet & Eve Weninger |
|  |  | Wilfred Gorden McDonald Partridge | | Mem Fox |
|  |  | Yo! Yess? | | Chris Raschka |
|  |  | You Can't Judge a Book by It's Cover | | Judge Judy Sheindlin |
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|  |  | **Theme: Decision-Making, Problem Solving, Goal Setting** | | |
|  |  | *Book* | | *Author* |
|  |  | "I Can't" Said the Ant | | Polly Cameron |
|  |  | Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day | | Judith Viorst |
|  |  | Charlotte's Web | | E.B. White |
|  |  | Don't Pop Your Cork on Mondays! | | Dr. Adolph Moser |
|  |  | Elbert's Bad Word | | Audrey and Don Woods |
|  |  | Enemy Pie | | Derek Munson |
|  |  | Finders Keepers | | Elizabeth Crary |
|  |  | Harriet's Halloween Candy | | Nancy Carlson |
|  |  | Heather Hits a Home Run | | Ted Plantos |
|  |  | How Humans Make Friends | | Loreen Leedy |
|  |  | Joseph Had a Little Overcoat | | Simms Taback |
|  |  | King of the Playground | | Phyllis Naylor |
|  |  | Matthew and Tilly | | Rebecca C. Jones |
|  |  | My Dog is Lost | | Ezra Jack Keats |
|  |  | Play Time | | Roger Pare |
|  |  | Stephanie's Ponytail | | Robert Munsch |
|  |  | Strega Nona | | Tomie de Paola |
|  |  | Testing Miss Malarky | | Judy Finchler |
|  |  | That's Exactly the Way It Wasn't | | James Stevenson |
|  |  | The Bathwater Gang | | Jerry Spinelli |
|  |  | The Hotshot | | Alfred Slote |
|  |  | The Little Engine That Could | | Watty Piper |
|  |  | The Quarreling Book | | Charlotte Zolotow |
|  |  | The Twins | | John Wallace |
|  |  | The Worry Stone | | Marianna Dengler |
|  |  | Try, Try, Again | | Nancy Parent |
|  |  | We Dream Of a World | | GT Students/Pershing Accelerated School/University City, MO. |
|  |  | Wemberly Worried | | Kevin Henkes |
|  |  | When Emily Woke Up Angry | | Riana Duncan |
|  |  | When Sophie Gets Angry - Really, Really Angry | | Mollie Bang |
|  |  | You Don't Always Get What You Hope For | | Rick Walton |
|  |  | Your Move | | Eve Bunting |
|  |  | You're Not My Best Friend Anymore | | Charlotte Pomerantz |
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|  |  | **Theme: Cross-Cultural Effectiveness** | | |
|  |  | *Book* | | *Author* |
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|  |  | Drummond Makes a Difference | | Stephen R. Covey |
|  |  | The Lotus Seed | | Kiuchi Tatsuro |
|  |  | Amazing Grace | | Mary and Binch Hoffman |
|  |  | If the World Were Blind | | Karen Gedig Burnett |
|  |  | Gila Monsters Meet You at the Airport | | Marjorie W. Sharmat |
|  |  | The Crayon Box That Talked | | Shane DeRolf |
|  |  | You Are Special | | Max Lucado |
|  |  | The Upside Down Boy | | Juan F. Herrera |
|  |  | Liliana’s Grandmothers | | Leyla Toress |
|  |  | The Best Bug to Be | | Dolores Johnson |
|  |  | All Kinds of Children | | Norma Simon |
|  |  | The Colors of Us | | Karen Katz |
|  |  | Why Am I Different? | | Norma Simon |
|  |  | Whoever You Are | | Mem Fox |
|  |  | Dealing With Racism | | Jen Green |
|  |  | Pumpkin Soup | | Helen Cooper |
|  |  | The Sneetches | | Dr. Seuss |
|  |  | How Do I Feel About Dealing with Racism | | Jen Green |
|  |  | I’m A Girl! | | Lila Jukes |
|  |  | The Land of Many Colors | | The Klamath County YMCA Family PreSchool |
|  |  | The Butter Battle Book | | Dr. Seuss |
|  |  | Pink and Say | | Patricia Polacco |
|  |  | The Sissy Duckling | | Harvey Fierstein |
|  |  | I Miss Franklin P. Shuckles | | Snihura |
|  |  | Buddy | | Berube |
|  |  | It’s Okay to be Different | | Todd Parr |
|  |  | Mr. Fine, Porcupine | | Fanny Jolly |
|  |  | One Light, One Sun | | Eugenie Fernandes |
|  |  | A Porcupine Named Fluffy | | Helen Lester |
|  |  | People | | Peter Spier |
|  |  | Something Else | | Cathryn Cave |
|  |  | Feathers and Fur | | Audrey Penn |
|  |  | Not Better, Not Worse, Just Different | | Sharon Scott |
|  |  | Bein’ With You This Way | | W. Nikola Lisa |
|  |  | Hopscotch Around the World | | Mary D. Lankford |
|  |  | Going Home | | Eve Bunting |
|  |  | Smoky Night | | Eve Bunting |
|  |  | Mrs. Katz and Tush | | Patricia Polacco |
|  |  | The Other Side | | Jacqueline Woodson |
|  |  | Dear Willie Rudd | | Libba More Gray |
|  |  | So Far From The Sea | | Eve Bunting |
|  |  | Different Just Like Me | | Lori Mitchell |
|  |  | I’m Like You, You’re Like Me | | Cindy Gainer |
|  |  | Spookly, The Square Pumpkin | | Joe Troiano |
|  |  | All Kinds of Kids | | Christina Mia Gardeski |
|  |  | Bright Eyes, Brown Eyes | | Cheryl Willis Hudson & Bernettte G. Ford |
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|  |  | **Theme: Career** | | |
|  |  | *Book* | | *Author* |
|  |  |  | |  |
|  |  | What Do You Want To Be? | | Ron Ellsworth |
|  |  | When You Grow Up | | Lennie Goodings |
|  |  | Career Day | | Anne Rockwall |
|  |  | ABC of Jobs- The People That Make America Work | | Roger Priddy |
|  |  | Community Helpers from A to Z | | Bobbie Kalman |
|  |  | Jobs People Do | | Christopher Maynard |
|  |  | How I Became a Pirate | | Melinda Long |
|  |  | Lily and the Purple Plastic Purse | | Kevin Henkes |
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|  |  | **Theme: Seasonal Books** | | |
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|  |  |  | |  |
|  |  | Red Headed Robbie’s Christmas Story | | Bill Luttrell (Self-Confidence/Esteem) |
|  |  | Snowflake Bentley | | Jacqueline Briggs Martin |
|  |  | What the Little Fir Tree Wore to the Christmas Party | | Satomi Ichikawa |
|  |  | A Wish to Be a Christmas Tree | | Colleen Monroe (Self-Confidence) |
|  |  | Merry Christmas Matty Mouse | | Nancy Walker-Guye |
|  |  | The Tiny Snowflake | | Arthur Ginolfi (Self-Confidence) |
|  |  | Stranger in the Woods | | Carl R. Sams II & Jean Stoick |
|  |  | The Little Scarecrow | | Tim Preston (Self-Confidence) |
|  |  | The Legend of Spookly The Square Pumpkin | | (Cross Cultural, Self-Confidence, Interpersonal Effectiveness) |
|  |  | Roses are Pink, Your Feet Stink | | Diane Groat (Interpersonal) |
|  |  | The Puppy That Wanted a Boy | | (Self-Confidence) |
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