**Summer Reads for Kids**
**Rising Grades K–1**

**Little Elliot, big fun**  
by Mike Curato  
Elliot is too frightened to have fun with wet, fast, dizzying and scary attractions but Mouse tries to be a good friend.

**Life on Mars**  
by Jon Agee  
A space explorer is looking for life on Mars, but can't seem to find any.

**Motor Miles**  
by John Burningham  
A dog finds true joy with his human during long car rides.

**A book of bridges : here to there and me to you**  
by Cheryl Keely  
This book looks at the structure of bridges, which come in all forms—from towering suspension bridges to humble stone.

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Go, Otto, go! by David Milgrim
Otto the alien robot misses his family and decides to work, work, work on a spaceship that will take him up, up, up into space so that he can visit his own planet.

Rabbit & Robot and Ribbit by Cece Bell
Rabbit learns to be a friend to Robot and to Robot's new friend, Ribbit.

NanoBots by Chris Gall
The tiny but high-tech NanoBot team performs unique tasks before the town's most awesome robot lands in trouble.

The marvelous thing that came from a spring by Gilbert Ford
When Richard James saw the movements of a coiled spring that fell from his desk, it inspired the creation of the Slinky.

Whoosh! : Lonnie Johnson's super-soaking stream of inventions by Chris Barton
NASA engineer and inventor Lonnie Johnson's problem-solving talents inspired his career and his accidental invention of the Super Soaker.

X-ray machines by Joanne Mattern
This is a simple explanation of how x-ray machines work.

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