**Fox Versus Winter**
by Corey R. Tabor
JE Tabor
Fox does not like winter. None of his friends are around to play. He is bored and alone. Then Fox has an idea. If he cannot escape winter, he will fight it!

**The Big Cheese**
by Janee Trasler
JE Trasler
Best friends Figgy and Boone learn the true meaning of teamwork as they try to push a big wheel of cheese up the hill to their house.

**Pizza and Taco: Too Cool for School**
by Stephen Shaskan
JGN Pizza
Pizza and Taco get lessons on being cool from watching B.L.T., the new kid, which could lead to trouble for the dynamic duo.

**Shark and Bot: Zombie Doughnut Attack!**
by Brian Yanish
JGN Shark
Nothing prepares dynamic duo Shark and Bot for dozens of zombie doughnuts rolling through the hallways at school, causing a sweet, sticky, and somewhat scary situation.

**Nonfiction**

**Reptiles**
by Jennifer Szymanski
J597.9 Szy
Learn about different reptiles and what they have in common.

**Astronauts Zoom!**
by Deborah Lee Rose
J629.45 Ros
Sharing fun and engaging science facts, a richly photographed alphabet primer pairs letters with the everyday activities of astronauts from different world countries working in the low-Earth orbit environment aboard the International Space Station.

**Beaky Barnes: Egg on the Loose**
by David Ezra Stein
JGN Beaky
Beaky Barnes, a no-nonsense chicken who is determined to save her desirable egg, must outwit a hungry inspector, a desperate chef, and an entrepreneurial woman to make her escape.

**Baloney and Friends: Dream Big!**
by Greg Pizzoli
JGN Baloney
This new collection of mini-tales and three mini-comics has Baloney, Bizz, Peanut, and Krabbit reaching for the stars, but not without some amusing antics along the way.

Books for the first grader who has just learned to read or is learning to read now
**Picture Book**

**Brave as a Mouse**
by Nicolo Carozzi  
JP Carozzi
A heroic little mouse leads three mischievous black cats on a wild and epic chase up and down, over and around, and into the pantry as part of a plan to protect her best friend, a goldfish the cats have been frightening.

**I Cannot Draw a Horse**
by Charise Mericle Harper  
JP Harper
The narrator turns a "nothing shape" into a cat, beaver, bunny, dog, turtle, and bear, but what the cat really wants is a horse.

**The Last Peach**
by Gus Gordon  
JP Gordon
Contemplating eating the last peach of the summer, two indecisive bugs consider if the peach is rotten or juicy, who should be allowed to eat it, and whether or not to share it.

**Baby Squeaks**
by Anne Hunter  
JP Hunter
When Baby Mouse learns how to squeak, he squeaks all day long, chatting with everyone he meets, but when he wanders off, Mama knows just what to do—follow the squeaks!

**Bright Star**
by Yuyi Morales  
JP Morales
Making its way through a border landscape teeming with native flora and fauna, a fawn must overcome its fears when it comes face-to-face with an insurmountable barrier.

**Dark on Light**
by Dianne White  
JP White
While searching for the family dog before bedtime, three siblings discover nature’s nighttime beauty as they become immersed in its luminous colors, shades, and shadows.

**Early Reader**

**Jack Gets Zapped!**
by Mac Barnett  
JE Barnett
Zapped into his favorite video game by a sneaky bolt of lightning, mischievous Jack finds himself racing around game puzzles while outmaneuvering a pounding boss.

**See the Dog**
by David LaRochelle  
JE LaRochelle
Max, a dog, is sick today, but have no fear—Baby Cakes, a cat, is happy to take his place! But when the book tells her to dig a hole, fetch a stick, and guard the sheep, the cat responds in very un-doglike ways.