

**Read on Wisconsin
2013-2014
Babies, Toddlers and Preschoolers Books**

Across the Year:

Here's a Little Poem: A Very First Book of Poetry edited by Jane Yolen and Andrew Fusek Peters. Illustrated by Polly Dunbar. U.S. edition: Candlewick Press, 2007.

For each month, the committee has selected one or more poems from this anthology that tie in thematically to the books chosen. Poem titles, authors, and page numbers are cited below.

September:

Dog in Boots by Greg Gormley. Illustrated by Roberta Angaramo. Holiday House, 2011

I'm the Best by Lucy Cousins. U.S. edition: Candlewick Press, 2010

Poems:

“Dressing Too Quickly” by Jill Townsend, p. 14

“My Puppy” by Aileen Fisher, p. 36

October:

Spike, the Mixed-Up Monster by Susan Hood. Illustrated by Melissa Sweet. A Paula Wiseman Book / Simon & Schuster, 2012

Oh, No! by Candace Fleming. Illustrated by Eric Rohmann. Schwartz & Wade, 2012

Alfie Is Not Afraid by Patricia Carlin. Disney / Hyperion, 2012

Poems:

“My Sister” by Margaret Mahy, p. 40

“In Bed with Cuddly Creatures” by Wes Magee, p. 89

“No Need to Light a Night-Light” by Anonymous, p. 100

November:

I Love Saturdays y domingos by Alma Flor Ada. Ill by Elivia Salvadier. Atheneum, 2002

Baby's Day by Michael Blake. Candlewick Press, 2007

Poems:

“Your Birthday Cake” by Rosemary Wells, p. 22;

“Baby Fingers” by Nikki Grimes, p. 20;

“Candles” by Wendy Cope, p. 26

December:

Z is for Moose by Kelly Bingham. Illustrated by Paul O. Zelinsky. Greenwillow / HarperCollins, 2012

Animal 1 2 3 by Britta Teckentrup. Handprint Books, 2012

Poem:

“The NO-NO Bird” by Andrew Fusek Peters, p. 28

January:

I’ll Save You, Bobo! by Eileen Rosenthal. Illustrated by Marc Rosenthal. Atheneum, 2012

Baby, Where Are You? by Mack. U.S. edition: Clavis, 2012

Poem:

“Tide and Seek” by Andrew Fusek Peters, p. 80

February:

Baby Bear Sees Blue by Ashley Wolff. Beach Lane / Simon & Schuster, 2012

Small Bunny’s Blue Blanket by Tayana Feeney. Alfred A. Knopf, 2012

Poems:

“Sleepy Song” by Clare Bevan, p. 92

“Silverly” by Dennis Lee, pp. 94-95

March:

Green by Laura Vaccaro Seeger. A Neal Porter Book / Roaring Brook Press, 2012

Animal Spots and Stripes by Britta Teckentrup. Handprint Books, 2012

Poems:

“Soggy Greens” by John Cunliffe, p. 19

“Recipe for Green” by Jane Yolen, pp. 54-55

April:

Who Likes Rain? By Wong Herbert Yee. Henry Holt, 2007

underGROUND by Denise Fleming. Beach Lane Books / Simon & Schuster, 2012

Poems:

“Rain” by Spike Milligan, pp. 72-3

“April Rain Song” by Langston Hughes, pp. 74-75

“Mud” by Flanders and Swann, pp. 76-77

May:

Mommy, Where Are You? by Mack. U.S. edition: Clavis, 2012

What's Special about Me, Mama? by Kristina Evans. Illustrated by Javaka Steptoe. Jump at the Sun Books / Disney, 2011

Poem:

“Something about Me” by Anonymous, p. 10

Summer:

Baby Goes Beep by Rebecca O'Connell. Illustrated by Ken Wilson-Max. Deborah Brodie Book / Roaring Brook Press, 2003

Poem:

“Baby in a High Chair” by Jack Prelutsky, p. 23

Con me hermano / With My Brother by Eileen Rowe. Illustrated by Robert Casilla. Bradbury, 1991

Poem:

“Brother” by Mary Ann Hoberman, pp. 44-45

Eating the Alphabet by Lois Ehlert. Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, 1989

Poem:

“Berries” by Lilian Moore, pp. 56-57

First the Egg by Laura Vaccaro Seeger. A Neal Porter Book / Roaring Brook Press, 2007

Poem:

“Chicks” by Eric Finney, p. 35