

2023-2024 New List of Recommended Picture Books

This list of recommended picture books features PK-5 titles with strong economic content.

Picture Book	Title & Author	Publisher/Copyright	Notes
	Cookie Queen by Kathleen King and Lowey Bundy Sichol	Publisher: Random House Copyright Date: 2023	Reading Level: 1.0 Interest Level: K-3
	The Fabulous Fannie Farmer: Kitchen Scientist and America's Cook by Emma Bland Smith	Publisher: Boyds Mills Press Copyright Date: 2024	Reading Level: 3.0 Interest Level: 2-5 Author Intro [2 minutes]: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=olZ1Xqmx5Q
	Josephine and Her Dishwashing Machine by Kate Hannigan	Publisher: Boyds Mills Press Copyright Date: 2023	Reading Level: 2.3 Interest Level: 2-5
	Pa, Me, and Our Sidewalk Pantry by Toni Buzzeo	Publisher: Harry N. Abrams Copyright Date: 2023	Reading Level: 1.0 Interest Level: K-3 Themes Include: Diversity, Philanthropy, STEM (engineering)
	A Penny's Worth by Kimberly Wilson	Publisher: St. Martin's Press Copyright Date: 2023	Reading Level: 2.0 Interest Level: K-3 Read Aloud [5 minutes]: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3Ju9HWldE
	Wants vs. Needs vs. Robots by Michael Rex	Publisher: Penguin Copyright Date: 2023	Reading Level: 1.0 Interest Level: PK-3
	Water Day by Margarita Engle	Publisher: Simon & Schuster Copyright Date: 2023	Reading Level: 1.0 Interest Level: PK-3 Read Aloud: [5 minutes] https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ds9XjeTjgrU