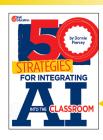






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Reviews



50 Strategies for Integrating Al into the Classroom by Donnie Piercey 9798765947104

"Provides a comprehensive guide for educators looking to harness the cotential of AI in the classroom, offering a wide range of practical strategies and insights to enhance the learning experience for students."

— MiddleWeb

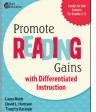
Decodable Books: Read & Succeed Level 1

"Recommended. This visually attractive series offers plenty of decodable reading practice, engaging topics, and stimulating child-adult engagement."

—School Library Journal

Rice Farms Plans

Unreservedly recommended."
—Library Bookwatch, Midwest Book Review



Awards

2023 National Parenting Product Awards Winners:

- The Big Pig (9798765923795) by Dona Herweck Rice
- This Cat (9798765923788) by Dona Herweck Rice
- What Is the Word? (9798765923986) by Dona Herweck Rice
- Yay! You Failed! (9781631987199) by Shannon Anderson
- Simple Acts (9781631986260) by Natalie Silverstein

How to Bird (9798885540346) by Rasha Hamid was Bookstagang's Best of 2023 Award Winner, Most Innovative Non-Fiction Books





Blurbs/Endorsements

Praise for the We Find Feelings Clues series (I Know Happy, 9798885540582; I Know Mad, 9798885540551)

"When kids can name what they feel, they are better able to navigate their emotions. We Find Feelings Clues is a lovely series that helps kids become 'feelings detectives,' looking at clues to help them figure out what they are feeling and why. Each book offers multiple opportunities for kids and adults to pause and talk about their own feelings—making space for vital conversations that will help kids grow."—Deborah Farmer Kris, parent educator, author, and founder of Parenthood365

Praise for I Love Harriet Kippley (9798765922507)

"I Love Harriet Kippley encourages confidence and celebrates self-love. A wonderful choice for classroom storytime and discussion, this sweet picture book will inspire young readers to honor their differences and feel proud to be themselves."—A. J. Irving, critically acclaimed author of Dance Like a Leaf and The Wishing Flower

Praise for *How to Train Your Amygdala* (9798885543736)

"This creative, beautifully illustrated, engaging book is a delightful resource to help children and their grown-ups understand the mind-body connection. Absolutely love the Amygdala character, who shares the power of mindfulness strategies to help calm our minds and bodies when having big feelings."—Rosemarie T. Truglio, Ph.D., SVP, Curriculum & Content, Sesame Workshop

"The world would be a better place if every child and adult knew the word amygdala and even better—how to train it! This book does just that and is filled with powerful messages and illustrations that can help nurture children's emotional well-being in fun, gentle, and reassuring ways."—Jane Park, educational content expert, mom, and Senior Content Strategist at Google Kids & Families

Praise for **Quiet Violet Finds Her Voice** (9798765924839)

"Gabrielle Nidus's delightful story illustrates how baking combines math, chemistry, and community. As a professional baker I love watching all the elements in the kitchen come together through teamwork. And as a mom of three I adore how Violet's story teaches kids to use their voices and share them with intelligence and kindness."—Elisa Strauss, owner of Confetti Cakes and author of *The Confetti Cakes Cookbook* and *Confetti Cakes for Kids*







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Updates & Highlights

Deborah Farmer Kris, author of the *All the Time* series (*I Love You All the Time*, 9781631985065; *You Have Feelings All the Time*, 9781631985096; *You Wonder All the Time*, 9781631986987; *You Are Growing All the Time*, 9781631987090) and forthcoming *I See You* board book series (*I See You Smile*, 9798885540735; *I See You Try*, 9798885540735), is <u>working as the SEL advisor on PBS Kids' newest series</u>, Carl the Collector.

How to Bird (9798885540346) is one of New York Public Library's Best Books for Kids 2023.

The Weird series (Weird!, 9781575424378; Dare!, 9781575424392; Tough!, 9781575424385) was recommended in the nationally syndicated Ask Amy column as a good resource for children who are targets of bullying behaviors. (November 30)

Features & Articles

Erik Talkin, author of the Food Justice Books for Kids series (Lulu and the Hunger Monster™, 9781631985461; Jesse and the Snack Food Genie, 9781631987403; Frankie versus the Food Phantom, 9781631987434), was featured in Food Bank News. (November 3)

Wiggly Time (9798885540063) by Elizabeth Verdick was included in the St. Paul Pioneer Press's roundup of books by Minnesota authors and illustrators. (November 5)

School Library Journal praised the **Decodable Books Read and Succeed Level 1** nonfiction books in their article about <u>early readers series</u>, saying, "The engaging 'Decodable Books Read and Succeed Level 1' series (TCM) offers an appealing blend of nonfiction stories and rich phonemic-skills practice." (November 17)

I Think I Think a Lot (9798885540087) was included in 2023 The Kid Should See This gift guide. (November 20)

Events

Connie Bergstein Dow has events planned Tap and Rap, Move and Groove (9798885540520):

- · Storytime and dance party at Main Branch, Cincinnati, OH, December 23
- Justin Ashley has events planned for Blaze Your Own Trail (9781631987281):
- · Book talk and reading, Jewish Community Center, Charlotte, NC, January 14, 2024

James "The Fresh Professor" Miles has events planned for Gotta Stay Fresh (9781631988769)

· Book reading & panel presentation, Town Hall Seattle, Seattle, WA, January 25, 2024

Available Now & Coming Soon

Picture Books



Dear Dad: Love, Nelson (Hard Cover) 9781631986819



Food Justice Books for Kids Complete 3-Book Set (Hard Covers) 9798885543958 October 2023



Frankie versus the Food Phantom (Hard Cover) 9781631987434 October 2023



How to Bird (Hard Cover) 9798885540346 October 2023



How to Train Your Amygdala (Hard Cover) 9798885543736 February 2024



Blaze Your Own Trail: Ideas for Teens to Find and Pursue Your Purpose 9781631987281



Kids & Teens Books

Dominique's Thrifted Treasures 9798765924860 February 2024



I Know Happy (Hard Cover) 9798885540582 February 2024



I Know Sad (Hard Cover) 9798885540551 February 2024



I Love Harriet Kippley (Hard Cover) 9798765922507 April 2024



Jesse and the Snack Food Genie (Hard Cover) 9781631987403



Molly Finds a Way (Hard Cover) 9798885540315 January 2024



Going Blue, 2nd Ed 9781631987465 September 2023



Make a Splash! 2nd Ed 9781631987496 September 2023



Molly's Great Discovery (Hard Cover) 9798885540254 January 2024



Molly Tells the World (Hard Cover) 9798885540285 January 2023



Quiet Violet Finds Her Voice (Hard Cover) 9798765924839 March 2024



Tap and Rap, Move and Groove (Hard Cover) 9798885540520 October 2023



You Made Fun of My Sandwich (Hard Cover) 9798765922538 January 2023



Wiggly Time (Board book) 9798885540063 October 2023











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Learning-to-Read Books

July-September 2023



Learning-to-Read: Phonics Books 90 Titles

July-September 2023



Decodable Books 15-Book Sets 6 Sets for Grades PK-2

Professional Books



50 Strategies for Integrating Al into the Classroom 9798765947104 August 2023



Build Reading Fluency: Practice and Performance with Reader's Theater and More 9798765903216 August 2023



50 Strategies for Teaching STEAM Skills 9798885543392



Gotta Stay Fresh: Why We Need Hip-Hop in Schools 9781631988769 December 2023



50 Strategies for Motivating Reluctant Readers 9798885543408



Help Anxious Kids in a Stressful World: 25 Classroom Strategies 9798885543262 November 2023



Promote Reading Gains with Differentiated Instruction: Ready-to-Use Lessons for Grades 3-5 9798765903421



Literacy Strategies for Early Childhood 9781087696720 October 2023

Student Activity Books



Catch-Up Math

Grade 3	9798765971550
Grade 4	9798765970133
Grade 5	9798765970140
Grade 6	9798765970157



180 Days of Reading, 2nd Edition

Kindergarten	9798765918029
First Grade	9798765918036
Second Grade	9798765918043
Third Grade	9798765918050
Fourth Grade	9798765918067
Fifth Grade	9798765918074
Sixth Grade	9798765918081
Seventh Grade	9798765922620
Eighth Grade	9798765922637



180 Days of Math, 2nd Edition

Kindergarten	9798765952719
First Grade	9798765952726
Second Grade	9798765952733
Third Grade	9798765952740
Fourth Grade	9798765952757
Fifth Grade	9798765952764
Sixth Grade	9798765952771
Seventh Grade	9798765952788
Eighth Grade	9798765952795