

Odyssey Charter School  
Read Aloud Program  
Book List #1  
Pre-Kindergarten – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade

Picture Books:

1. *The Adventures of Paddy Pork* by John S. Goodall
2. *Aladdin* retold by Andrew Lang
3. *Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day* by Judith Viorst
4. *Amelia Bedelia* by Peggy Parish
5. *The Animal* by Lorna Balian
6. *Babushka* retold and illustrated by Charles Mikolaycak
7. *Bea and Mr. Jones* by Amy Schwartz
8. *Bennett Cerf's Book of Animal Riddles* by Bennett Serf
9. *The Bicycle Man* by Allen Say
10. *The Big Orange Splot* by Daniel Manus Pinkwater
11. *The Big Red Barn* by Eve Bunting
12. *The Biggest Bear* by Lynd Ward
13. *Blueberries for Sal* by Robert McCloskey
14. *The Book of Giant Stories* by David Harrison
15. *Brian Wildsmith's ABC* by Brian Wildsmith
16. *Broderick* by Edward Ormondroyd
17. *Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?* By Bill Martin, Jr.
18. *The Carp in the Bathtub* by Barbara Cohen
19. *The Carrot Seed* by Ruth Krauss
20. *A Chair for my Mother* by Vera B. Williams
21. *Cinderella* retold by John Fowles
22. *Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs* by Judi Barrett
23. *The Complete Adventures of Peter Rabbit* by Beatrix Potter
24. *The Contests at Cowlick* by Richard Kennedy
25. *Corduroy* by Don Freeman
26. *The Country bunny and the Little Gold Shoes* by DuBose Heyward
27. *Cranberry Thanksgiving* by Wende and Harry Devlin
28. *Crow Boy* by Taro Yashima
29. *Curious George* by H. A. Rey
30. *Dawn* by Molly Bang
31. *Deep in the Forest* by Brinton Turkle
32. *Doctor DeSoto* by William Steig
33. *Don't Forget the Bacon* by Pat Hutchins
34. *Do you Love Me?* By Dick Gackenbach
35. *East of the Sun and West of the Moon* by Mercer Mayer
36. *An Evening at Alfie's* by Shirley Hughes
37. *Fables* by Arnold Lobel
38. *Fair is Fair* by Leon Garfield
39. *Family* by Helen Oxenbury
40. *The Foundling Fox* by Irina Korschunow
41. *Frederick* by Leo Lionni
42. *Frog and Toad are Friends* by Arnold Lobel
43. *The Giving Tree* by Shel Silverstein
44. *Goodnight Moon* by Margaret Wise Brown
45. *The Great Green Turkey Creek Monster* by James Flora
46. *Harry and the Terrible Watzit* by Dick Gackenback
47. *Harry the Dirty Dog* by Gene Zion
48. *Henry Bear's Park* by David McPhail
49. *Henry the Explorer* by Mark Taylor
50. *The Hole in the Dike* retold by Norma Green
51. *A Hole is to Dig* by Ruth Krauss
52. *The House on East 88<sup>th</sup> Street* by Bernard Waber
53. *How I Hunted the Little Fellows* by Boris Zhitkov
54. *How Tom Beat Captain Najork and his Hired Sportsmen* by Russel Hoban
55. *I Can – Can You?* by Peggy Parish
56. *If I Ran the Zoo* by Dr. Seuss
57. *Ira Sleeps Over* by Bernard Waber
58. *The Island of the Skog* by Steven Kellogg
59. *Katy and the Big Snow* by Virginia Lee Burton
60. *The Legend of the Bluebonnet* retold by Tomie DePaola
61. *Little Bear* by Else Holmelund Minarik
62. *The Little Engine that Could* by Watty Piper
63. *The Little House* by Virginia Burton
64. *Little Tim and the Brave Sea Captain* by Edward Ardizzone
65. *Little Toot* by Hardie Gramatky
66. *Liza Lou and the Yeller Belly Swap* by Mercer Mayer
67. *Madeline* by Ludwig Bemelmans
68. *The Maggie B.* by Irene Haas
69. *Make Way for Ducklings* by Robert McCloskey
70. *Max's First Word* by Rosemary Wells
71. *Mike Mulligan and his Steam Shovel* by Virginia Lee Burton

72. *Millions of Cats* by Wanda Gag
73. *Miss Nelson is Missing* by Harry Allard
74. *Miss Rumphius* by Barbara Cooney
75. *Moonlight* by Jan Ormerod
76. *Mother Goose, A Treasury of Best Loved Rhymes* by Watty Piper
77. *My Old Grandad* by Wolf Harranth
78. *The Mysterious Tadpole* by Steven Kellogg
79. *Nadia the Willful* by Sue Alexander
80. *The Napping House* by Audrey Wood
81. *Nice Little Girls* by Elizabeth Levy
82. *No Bath Tonight* by Jane Yolen
83. *Old Mother Witch* by Carol and Donald Carrick
84. *Pat the Bunny* by Dorothy Kunhardt
85. *Peter Spier's Rain* by Peter Spier
86. *The Poky Little Puppy* by Janette S. Lowrey
87. *The Red Balloon* by A. Lamorisse
88. *Regards to the Man in the Moon* by Ezra Jack Keats
89. *The Sailor Dog* by Margaret Wise Brown
90. *Sam's Cookie* by Barbro Lindgren
91. *Sarah's Unicorn* by Bruce and Katherine Coville
92. *The Secret Birthday Message* by Eric Carle
93. *The Shrinking of Treehorn* by Florence Parry Heide
94. *The Silver Pony* by Lynd Ward
95. *Sleep Out* by Carol Carrick
96. *Snuffy* by Dick Bruna
97. *A Special Trick* by Mercer Mayer
98. *The Story of Ferdinand* by Munro Leaf
99. *The Stupids Step Out* by Harry Allard
100. *Summer Business* by Charles Martin
101. *Sylvester and the Magic Pebble* by William Steig
102. *The Tenth Good Thing about Barney* by Judith Viorst
103. *The Three Little Pigs* by Paul Galdone
104. *Thy Friend, Obadiah* by Brinton Turkle
105. *Tikki Tikki Tembo* by Arlene Mosel
106. *Tintin in Tibet* by Herge
107. *The Tomorrow Book* by Doris Schwerin
108. *Too Many Books* by Caroline Feller Bauer
109. *The Very Hungry Caterpillar* by Eric Carle
110. *What's Under My Bed?* by James Stevenson
111. *When the New Baby Comes I'm Moving Out* by Martha Alexander
112. *Where the Buffaloes Begin* by Olaf Baker
113. *Where's Spot?* by Eric Hill

114. *Where the Wild Things Are* by Maurice Sendak
115. *Wilfred the Rat* by James Stevenson
116. *William's Doll* by Charlotte Zolotow
117. *The Whingdingdilly* by Bill Peet
118. *Wolf! Wolf!* by Elizabeth and Gerald Rose
119. *The Wreck of the Zephyr* by Chris Van Allsburg

### Collections:

1. Hans Christian Andersen – His Classic Fairy Tales
  - a. *The Emperor's New Clothes*
  - b. *The Fir Tree*
  - c. *The Little Match Girl*
  - d. *The Little Mermaid*
  - e. *The Nightingale*
  - f. *The Snow Queen*
  - g. *The Steadfast Tin Soldier*
  - h. *Thumbelina*
  - i. *The Ugly Duckling*
  - j. *The Wild Swans*
2. Brothers Grimm – Household Stories
  - a. *The Elves and the Shoemaker*
  - b. *Hansel and Gretel*
  - c. *King Grisly-Beard*
  - d. *Little Red Riding Hood*
  - e. *Rapunzel*
  - f. *Sleeping Beauty*
  - g. *Snow White*

### Novels:

1. *Charlotte's Web* by E.B. White
2. *The Chocolate Touch* by Patrick Skene Catling
3. *A Dog Called Kitty* by Bill Wallace
4. *Helen Keller: From Tragedy to Triumph* by Katharine Wilkie
5. *Homer Price* by Robert McCloskey
6. *Hurry Home, Candy* by Meindert DeJong
7. *In the Year of the Boar and Jackie Robinson* by Bette Bao Lord
8. *James and the Giant Peach* by Roald Dahl
9. *The Lone Hunt* by William O. Steele
10. *Mr. Popper's Penguins* by Richard and Florence Atwater
11. *Pearl's Promise* by Frank Asch
12. *Ramona the Pest* by Beverly Cleary
13. *The (Wonderful) Wizard of Oz* by L. Frank Baum