

## Primary School Library Juniors (Junior Infants, Senior Infants, 1st & 2nd classes)

These books have been selected from a list compiled by Children's Books Ireland, with preference placed on Irish authors or Irish published books and with consideration to a spread of topics including emotional well-being, starting school, rainbow reads, celebrating families, body image, body positivity and diversity, relationships with others, understanding feelings and emotions, refugees, celebrating difference and dyslexia friendly books, all with a view to inspiring reading for fun and empowering reading for skill.

### Early Starts

Title	Author	Publisher	ISBN
A Day with The Animal Doctors	Sharon Rentta	Scholastic	9781407116440
Love Makes a Family	Sophie Beer	Little Tiger Group	9781838910679
My Hair	Danielle Murrell Cox	HarperCollins Children's Books	9780062897657
My First Book of GAA	Joe Butler	The O'Brien Press	9781788490634
Charlie And Lola: I Am Too Absolutely Small for School	Lauren Child	Orchard Books	9781408351550

### Picture books

Title	Author	Publisher	ISBN
Julian Is a Mermaid	Jessica Love	Walker Books	9781406386424
All The Ways to Be Smart	Davina Bell	Scribble UK	9781911617877
Don't Worry, Little Crab	Chris Haughton	Walker Books	9781406392869
Mum's Jumper	Jayde Perkin	Book Island	9781911496137
Bear Shaped	Dawn Coulter Cruttenden	Oxford University Press	9780192772114
Meesha Makes Friends	Tom Percival	Bloomsbury Children's Books	9781526612953
Today I'm Strong	Nadiya Hussain	Hodder Children's Books	9781444946468
Willy And The Cloud	Anthony Browne	Walker Books	9781406373837
Gringer The Whinger	Jane Landy	Golden Key	9780955329890

Mindfully Me: Where Is Happy?	Louise Shanagher	Lilliput Press	9781843517290
It's Always There	Louise Shanagher	Lilliput Press	9781843517252
Ruby's Worry	Tom Percival	Bloomsbury Children's Books	9781408892152

Mouse's Big Day	Lydia Monks	Macmillan Children's Books	9781509828432
The Worrysaurus	Rachel Bright	Orchard Books	9781408356128
Luna Loves Library Day	Joseph Coelho	Andersen Press	9781783445950
It's A No-Money Day	Kate Milner	Barrington Stoke	9781781128817
The Tide	Clare Helen Welsh	Little Tiger Press	9781788810869
My Grandma and Me	Mina Javaherbin	Walker Books	9781406390834
The Lost Homework	Richard O'Neill	Child's Play	9781786283450
Big Dance	Aoife Greenham	Child's Play	9781786285683
Binny's Diwali	Thrity Umrigar	Scholastic	9781338364484
I Am Brown	Ashok Banker	Lantana Publishing	9781911373940
In My Mosque	M.O. Yuksel	Farshore	9780755502608
Molly Rogers, Pirate Girl	Cornelia Funke	Barrington Stoke	9781781126929
Nimesh The Adventurer	Ranjit Singh	Lantana Publishing	9781911373247
Not In That Dress, Princess!	Wendy Meddour	Otter-Barry Books	9781913074012
Nowhere To Call Home	Kate Milner	Barrington Stoke	9781781129579
On A Magical Do-Nothing Day	Beatrice Alemagna	Thames & Hudson	9780500651797
Seahorses Are Sold Out	Constanze Spengler	Gecko Press	9781776573868
Shu Lin's Grandpa	Matt Goodfellow	Otter-Barry Books	9781913074029
Sofia Valdez, Future Prez	Andrea Beatty	Abrams Books for Young Readers	9781419737046
Talking Is Not My Thing!	Rose Robbins	Scallywag Press	9781912650590
The Rapping Princess	Allen Fatimaharan	Faber & Faber	9780571361151
The Fate of Fausto	Oliver Jeffers	HarperCollins Children's Books	9780008357917

The Night Gardener	The Fan Brothers	Frances Lincoln Children's Books	9781847809391
The New Kid	Marie-Louise Fitzpatrick	Hodder Children's Books	9781444908183
The Children of Lir	Laura Ruth Maher	The O'Brien Press	9781788491068

The Great Race: The Story of The Chinese Zodiac	Christopher Corr	Frances Lincoln Children's Books	9781786037312
Lily And the Polar Bears	Jion Sheibani	Faber & Faber	9780571337767
Goodbye Mog	Judith Kerr	HarperCollins Children's Books	9780007149698
Eva And the Perfect Rain	Tatyana Feeney	The O'Brien Press	9781847179784
Zeki Gets a Check Up	Anna McQuinn	Alanna Max Books	9781907825200
Lulu's First Day	Anna McQuinn	Alanna Max Books	9781907825217
Kiki And Bobo's Sunny Day	Yasmeen Ismail	Walker Books	9781406378870
Take Five	Niall Breslin	Gill Books	9780717185535
Would You Like a Banana?	Yasmeen Ismail	Walker Books	9781406375848
The Girl with Two Dads	Mel Elliott	Egmont Publishing	9781405292436
Felix's New Skirt	Kerstin Brichzin	Minedition	9789888341580
The Match	Russell Ayto	Bloomsbury Publishing	9781408893456
Secret Agent Elephant	Eoin McLaughlin	Orchard Books	9781408354261
Super Rabbit	Stephanie Blake	Gecko Press	9781877579578
My Name Is Not Refugee	Kate Milner	Barrington Stoke	9781911370062
Wisp: A Story of Hope	Zana Fraillon	Orchard Books	9781408350119

### Early Readers

Title	Author	Publisher	ISBN
Sophie Takes to The Sky	Katherine Woodfine	Barrington Stoke	9781781128718
Rabbit And Bear: The Pest in The Nest	Julian Gough	Hodder Children's Books	9781444921717
Mariella, Queen of The Skies	Eoin Colfer	Barrington Stoke	9781781127704
You're Amazing, Anna Hibiscus!	Atinuke	Walker Books	9781406349139
Rose's Dress of Dreams	Katherine Woodfine	Barrington Stoke	9781781127681
Billy Button, Telegram Boy	Sally Nicholls	Barrington Stoke	9781781125328
Superdad's Day Off	Phil Earle	Barrington Stoke	9781781126844
Mint Choc Chip at The Market Café	Jonathan Meres	Barrington Stoke	9781781127568

The Magic of the Ballet: Seven Classic Stories	Vivian French	Walker Books Ltd	9781406398762
Julian at the wedding	Jessica Love		
Little Black Fish	Samad Behrangi		
The Stardust That Made Us : A Visual Exploration of Chemistry, Atoms, Elements and the Universe	Colin Stuart	Templar Publishing	9781787416420
Will It Be Ok?	Crescent Dragonwagon	Cameron & Company Inc	9781951836504

### Independent Readers

Title	Author	Publisher	ISBN
Boot: Small Robot Big Adventure	Shane Hegarty	Hodder Children's Books	978144949360

### Comics & Graphic Novels

Title	Author	Publisher	ISBN
The Adventures of Team Pom: Squid Happens	Isabel Roxas	Flying Eye Books	9781912497256
The 13-Storey Treehouse	Andy Griffiths	Macmillan Children's Books	9781447279785

### Non-Fiction

Title	Author	Publisher	ISBN
Shooting For the Stars: My Journey to Become Ireland's First Astronaut	Norah Patten	The O'Brien Press	9781788491006
Making A Baby: An Inclusive Guide to How Every Family Begins	Rachel Greener	Nosy Crow	9781788008013
A Planet Full of Plastic	Neal Layton	Wren & Rook	9781526361769
Look Inside a Hospital	Katie Daynes And Dr Zoe Fritz	Usborne Publishing	9781474948166

### Wordless Books

<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>	<b>Publisher</b>	<b>ISBN</b>
That's Nice Love	Owen Gent	Book Island Limited	9781911496267
Would You Rather?	John Burningham		9780099200413
Knock! Knock!	Kaori Takahashi		
If : A Mind-Bending Way of Looking at Big Ideas and Numbers	David Smith	Hachette Children's Group	9780750293846
Lifesize Baby Animals	Sophy Henn		9781405299497
Lifesize Deadly Animals	Sophy Henn		9780008534301
The Visible Sounds	Yin Jianling		9781912979790
Atoms	John Devolle		9781782693437
The Promise	Nicola Davies	Walker Books Ltd	9781406355598
Rhythm of the Rain	Grahame Baker Smith	Templar Publishing	9781787410152
Sector 7	David Wiesner	Houghton Mifflin	9780395746561
Chalk			
Tuesday	David Wiesner		9781849394475
Little Eli	Laura Bellini	Tiny Owl Publishing Ltd	9781910328279

Flotsam	David Wiesner	Andersen Press Ltd	9781849394499
Window	Jeannie Baker	Walker Books Ltd	9780744594867
Dog on a Digger	Kate Prendergast	Candlewick Press,U.S.	9781536200416
The Arrival	Shaun Tan	Hachette Australia	9780734415868
Dog	Shaun Tan		9781406397147
The Rabbits	Shaun Tan	Hachette Australia	9780734411365
Lost & Found: Three (Lost Thing,RedTree,Rabbits)	Shaun Tan	Scholastic US	9780545229241
Eric	Shaun Tan	Templar Publishing	9781848775879
Journey	Aaron Becker		9781406355345
Question	Aaron Becker	Walker Books Ltd	9781406360813

Return	Aaron Becker	Walker Books Ltd	9781406373295
Professional Crocodile	Giovanna Zoboli	Chronicle Books	9781452165066

### Autism & Diversity

Title	Author	Publisher	ISBN
Listening to My Body: A guide to helping kids understand the connection between their sensations (what the heck are those?) and feelings so that they can get better at figuring out what they need	Gabi Garcia	Skinned Knee Publishing	978-0998958019
Just Right for You: A Story about Autism	Melanie Heyworth	Green Hill Publishing	978-1922629388
Do You Want to Play?: Making Friends with an Autistic Kid	Daniel Share Strom	ISBN Canada	978-1777263805
Why Johnny Doesn't Flap: NT is OK!	Clay Morton and Gail Morton	Jessica Kingsley Publishers	9781849057219
United We Play	Faye Hayden		979-8683519582
United We Play Volume 2	Faye Hayden		