

# Picture Books on Friendship



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The following titles can be found in the Picture Book section:

**Beaumont, K. Being Friends**

Two very different girls find that the joy of being friends enables them to share their various likes and dislikes.

**Benjamin, A. Mouse, Mole, and the Falling Star**

The pursuit of a falling star and its fabulous reward almost breaks up the good friendship between Mole and Mouse.

**Blabey, A. Pearl Barley and Charlie Parsley**

Pearl and Charlie are best friends, although they seem to be different in every way.

**Brown, A. Little Beauty**

When a gorilla who knows sign language tells his keepers that he is lonely, they bring him a very special friend.

**Bruel, R. Bob and Otto**

Otto the worm is shocked to discover that his best friend Bob is actually a caterpillar who emerges one day as a butterfly.

**Chichester, E. Will and Squill**

Young Will and Squill the squirrel manage to stay best friends despite a few tests to the strength of their friendship.

**Choldenko, G. How to Make Friends with a Giant**

The other second-graders make fun of the new boy because he is so tall, but his short classmate Jake helps him fit in.

**Cote, G. Me and You**

Two very different friends explore what it would be like to be each other...and discover that they are both works of art just the way they are.

**DePaola, T. Four Friends in Autumn**

Four friends, Missy Cat, Mistress Pig, Master Dog, and Mister Frog, enjoy an autumn dinner party together.

**Foreman, J. Say Hello**

Written when the author was ten years old, tells of a dog and a boy who are both lonely until they are included by others.

**Harper, C. Mimi and Lulu**

Two good friends have mild disagreements but always find a way to work their problems out.

**Henkes, K. Chester's Way**

Chester and Wilson share the same exact way of doing things, until Lilly moves into the neighborhood and shows them that new ways can be just as good.

**Komaiko, L. Annie Bananie**

Sad because her best friend, Annie Bananie, is moving away, a little girl remembers all the fun they had together.

**Krosoczka, J. My Buddy Slug**

When Alex hurts his best friend's feelings, he learns that sometimes staying friends means apologizing.

**Lionni, L. Little Blue and Little Yellow**

A story of two colors who were such close friends they each turned green.

**Marshall, J. George and Martha**

Relates several episodes in the friendship of two hippopotamuses.

**McAllister, A. Just Like Sisters**

When Nancy and her accident-prone pen pal Ally meet for the first time, the unlikely duo discover that they are more like sisters than just good friends.

**Monson, A. Wanted: Best Friend**

Cat advertises for a new playmate when his best friend Mouse refused to play checkers.

**Howe, J. Horace and Morris but Mostly Dolores**

Three mice friends learn that the best clubs include everyone.

**Oh, J. Cat & Mouse: a delicious tale**

A cookbook makes Cat think about what a delicious meal Mouse would make, but she dismisses the idea because he is such a good friend.

**Pomerantz, C. You're Not My Best Friend Anymore**

Molly and Ben are best friends and share everything until they have a fight.

**Rania The Sandwich Swap**

Best friends Lily and Salma disagree over their preferred foods, but after trading sandwiches to see how they taste, the girls change their minds. And learn a lesson about tolerance.

**Raschka, C. Yo! Yes?**

Two lonely characters, one black and one white, meet on the street and become friends.

**Rosenthal, M. Archie and the Pirates**

When Archie the monkey finds himself on a strange island, he makes a multitude of new friends who help him defend their home from intruding pirates.

**Walton, R. The Remarkable Friendship of Mr. Cat and Mr. Rat**

Mr. Cat and Mr. Rat enjoy playing tricks on one another, but they discover true friendship after one receives a tasty gift that he believes is from the other. Mr. Cat and Mr. Rat live together in mutual dislike.

**Ziefert, H. 39 Uses for a Friend**

Brief text and illustrations describe how a friend can be an alarm clock, back scratcher, comedian, worm handler, listener, and more.

**Zolotow, C. The Three Funny Friends**

A story about finding a true friend in new surroundings.