

CHILDREN'S ROOM HOURS

Monday	9 - 8
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Wednesday	10 - 8
Thursday	9 - 8
Friday	9 - 8
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A Bryant Library Bibliography for Children

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THE OLDER SCHOOL EXPERIENCE

The Berenstain Bears Go Back to School E Berenstain

Follow Brother and Sister Bear as they enjoy their first day back to school, entering third and first grade.

Jack's Talent E Cocca-Leffler

On the first day of school, as the children in his class introduce themselves and name their special talent, Jack is concerned that he does not have one, but is ultimately reassured.

Get Ready for Second Grade, Amber Brown [Easy Read] E* Danziger

Amber is worried about starting second grade with a new teacher.

Brand-New Pencils, Brand-New Books E deGroat

Gilbert worries that his first grade teacher will be mean and that his classmates will be unfriendly. When he gets to school, he is pleasantly surprised.

Miss Malarkey Doesn't Live in Room 10 E Finchler

A first grader is shocked and pleased to find out that his teacher does not live in the classroom. Enjoy all the Miss Malarkey books!

Miss Mingo and the First Day of School E Harper

Miss Mingo, a flamingo, helps her animal students overcome their nervousness by having them share special fun facts about their species' characteristics.

Lunch Bunnies E Lasky

Clyde is worried he is not ready to handle lunch for the first time in the school cafeteria.

Lissy's Friends E Lin

Lissy has trouble making friends in a new school; she makes origami friends to keep her company until they help her make real friends.

Sumi's First Day of School Ever E Pak

Sumi is pleasantly surprised when she goes to an American school for the first time and has a good experience.

My Name is Yoon E Recorvits

A young Korean girl starts school in America and each day becomes more comfortable with her new school and English.

David Goes to School E Shannon

David's activities in school include chewing gum, talking out of turn, and a food fight, causing his teacher to say over and over, "No, David!"

Moving Up from Kindergarten to First Grade J 372.241 S

A colorful photo essay about the transition from kindergarten through a typical day of first grade, as seen through the eyes of a child.

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL



Biscuit Goes to School

Biscuit, the little yellow puppy, is very excited about going to school.

[Easy Read]
E* Capucilli

I Am Too Absolutely Small for School E Child

Lola is sure she is too small for school, but her brother Charlie convinces her that there is much to learn at school and she has nothing to worry about.

Mr. Ouchy's First Day of School E Hennessy

Mr. Ouchy is both nervous and excited about the first day of school.

Spot Goes to School [Board Bk] E Hill

Spot is a bit apprehensive about his first day of school. During the day he warms up, making friends and enjoying himself.

Little Rabbit Goes to School E Horse

Little Rabbit takes his favorite toy to school.

First Day E Mackall

After having fun on the first day of school, a little girl looks forward to going back.

Take a Kiss to School E McAllister

On the second day of school when Digby is worried he won't remember what to do, his mother helps by sending him to school with a pocket full of kisses.

Panda Goes to School E Morrow

Panda is anxious about his first day of school, but his mother and teacher help him to adjust and enjoy the experience.

It Happens to Everyone E Myers

Both Michael and his new teacher nervously get ready for their first day of school.

Wow! School! E Neubecker

Large, brightly colored graphics and minimal text introduce the basics of the busy school day experience.

Otto Goes to School E Parr

Follow Otto as he gets ready for school and enjoys learning new things on his first day.

Timothy Goes to School E Wells

Timothy thinks he cannot do everything as well as Claude can, until he feels accepted by a real friend.

PRESCHOOL

- D.W.'s Guide to Preschool** E Brown
Arthur's little sister D.W. shares what it's like to be in preschool.
- Will I Have a Friend?** E Cohen
Jim is worried that he will not make a friend at school, despite his father's assurance that he will.
- Sometimes You Get What You Want** E Gary
A brother and sister spend a day in preschool learning that sometimes you can get what you want and other times you cannot.
- Christopher Counting** E Gorbachev
Christopher Rabbit learns to count in school and loves it. He then continues to count everything in sight.
- I Can Do It!** E Hunter
Little Guinea Pig proves he can be busy, strong, quiet, noisy and much more at nursery school.
- When an Elephant Comes to School** E Ormerod
When an elephant goes to school, he makes new friends and has fun learning.
- My Preschool** E Rockwell
Follow a happy little boy through a day of preschool.
- I Love You All Day Long** E Rusackas
Owen is anxious about being separated from his mother while he is at school, but she reassures him.
- Minerva Louise at School** E Stoeke
Minerva Louise wanders into a red schoolhouse on her walk and thinks it is a big, fancy barn!
- How Do Dinosaurs Go to School?** E Yolen
Does a dinosaur do what he's supposed to at school? Of course! Enjoy all the books in the series.
- Harry and the Dinosaurs Go to School** E Whybrow
Harry bravely leaves his dinosaurs outside the classroom door on his first day of school, but when he is looking to make a new friend, they 'Raaahh' their way into the classroom.

KINDERGARTEN

- Berenstain Bears Go to School** E Berenstain
As the older bear children grow restless at summer's end, little sister begins to worry about starting kindergarten. She begins her first day with a friendly bus ride and goes on to have a wonderful day.
- Kindergarten Rocks!** E Davis
Dexter Duncan and his stuffed dog Rufus go to kindergarten.
- The Other Emily** [Parent] E Davis
Emily can't wait to wear her new "The One and Only Emily" t-shirt to school. On the first day she discovers another Emily, as well as a good friend.
- Kindergarten Countdown** E Hays
A little girl shares her excitement about starting kindergarten by counting down to the big day.
- On the Way to Kindergarten** E Kroll
Mama bear talks about all of little bear's accomplishments as he prepares for kindergarten.
- The Kissing Hand** E Penn
Chester, a raccoon, is reluctant to start school until his mother teaches him a secret way to carry her love with him.
- Welcome to Kindergarten** E Rockwell
A young child's classroom-to-be seems large at first, but after his first visit, it seems to be just the right size.
- Miss Bindergarten Gets Ready for Kindergarten** E Slate
There is an alphabet of activity as the animal classmates and Miss Bindergarten excitedly prepare for kindergarten. Read and enjoy all the Miss Bindergarten books!
- Mama, Don't Go!** [Easy Read] E* Wells
Yoko, a cat, is excited and happy to start school, but doesn't want her mother to leave. By the end of the first week, with the help of a new friend, she is ready to separate from her mother, because she realizes that moms always return! Enjoy all the Yoko & Friends School Days books.
- When You Go to Kindergarten** [Parent] J 372.2 H
Photos and text describe what kindergarten is all about - going to a new place, making friends, having fun, and learning.

