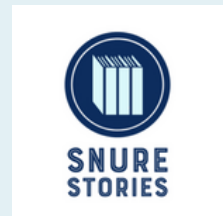


SNURE'S STACK OF STORIES: 10 BOOKS EVERY RELUCTANT READER SHOULD HAVE ON THEIR BOOKSHELF (AGE 3-7)



1. KINDNESS IS MY SUPER POWER

Author: Alicia Ortego

Genre: Bullying

Format/Style: Children's book (38 pages)

Tropes: Social emotional learning, feelings

Ages: 2-6

2. THESE ARE THE AVENGERS LEVEL 1 READER

Author: Disney Book Group and Thomas Macri

Genre: Superhero

Format/Style: Early reader book (32 pages)

Tropes: Learning about superheroes

Ages: 4-8

3. DIARY OF A WIMPY KID

Author: Jeff Kinney

Genre: Middle grade fiction

Format/Style: Cartoons (217 pages)

Tropes: Middle school drama, toilet humor, annoying younger sibling

Ages: 7-12

4. JUST ONE GOAL

Author: Robert Munsch

Genre: Sports

Format/style: Children's book (32 pages)

Tropes: Hockey, enjoying the outdoors, problem solving, teamwork

Ages: 3-8

5. MY FIRST BOOK OF BASEBALL: A ROOKIE BOOK

Author: Sports Illustrated Kids

Genre: Sports, Baseball

Format/style: How-to with pictures (50 pages)

Tropes: Baseball, how-to, rules of the game

Ages: 5-7

6. HOW TO CATCH A DINOSAUR

Author: Andy Wallace

Genre: Dinosaurs, Adventure, Science

Format/style: children's book with pictures (40 pictures)

Tropes: How-to, dinosaurs are real

Ages: 4-10 years

7. LITTLE CRITTERS: MONSTER TRUCK

Author: Mercer Meyer

Genre: Children's book

Format/style: children's book with pictures (32 pages)

Tropes: Big trucks, learning about jobs/careers

Ages: 2-6 years

8. THIS BOOK IS PERFECT!

Author: Ron Keres

Genre: Interactive children's book

Format/style: children's book with pictures (32 pages)

Tropes: animals, overcoming perfectionism, meta

Ages: 3-6 years

9. BE BRAVE LIKE BATMAN

Author: Laura Hitchcock and Ethan Beavers

Genre: Superhero

Format/Style: Standalone children's book (40 pages)

Tropes: Overcoming fears, superheroes as friends

Ages: 3-7 years

10. I'VE GOT THIS!

Author: Melissa Torres

Genre: Sports/gymnastics

Format/style: Early reader chapter book (84 pages)

Tropes: hard work pays off, school friendships, teamwork is everything

Ages: 7-11 years

SNURE'S STACK OF STORIES: 5 BOOKS EVERY RELUCTANT READER SHOULD HAVE ON THEIR BOOKSHELF (AGES 8-14)

1. THE JEWELS OF FATE BY TYLER SNURE

Genre: Fantasy

Format/Style: 1st book in a trilogy

Ages: 8-14

Tropes: Found family, heir to the throne, ancient secrets

2. THE LIGHTNING THIEF (PERCY JACKSON SERIES) BY RICK RIORDAN

Genre: Mythological Fantasy

Format/Style: 1st book in a series

Ages: 10-14

Tropes: Found family, mythological creatures, The Chosen One,

3. DIARY OF A WIMPY KID BY JEFF KINNEY

Genre: Middle grade fiction

Format/Style: Cartoons

Ages: 8-12

Tropes: Middle school drama, toilet humor, annoying younger sibling

4. ONE OF US IS LYING BY KAREN M MCMANUS

Genre: Teen mystery

Format/style: 1st book in a trilogy

Ages: 13-14

Tropes: High school drama, forbidden relationships, queen bee

5. MAZE OF BONES (39 CLUES SERIES) BY RICK RIORDAN

Genre: Historical mystery

Format/style: 1st book in a series

Ages: 8-12

Tropes: Family inheritance, travelling the world, sibling rivalry