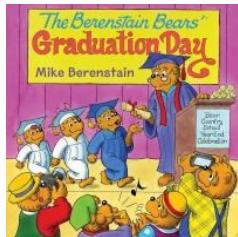
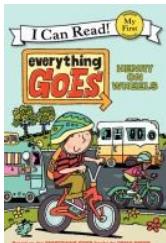


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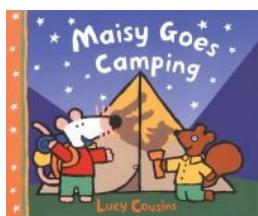
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Berenstain, M. The Berenstain Bears' Graduation Day. It's the end of the school year and Bear Country School is holding a graduation ceremony for all the students. This year, Brother and Sister will get to wear a cap and gown—and get a diploma. But what about Honey Bear? Will she be able to join in on the fun? Read along as the Berenstain Bears learn about the true meaning of the end of the school year. jP Berensatin

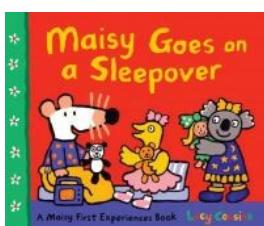


Biggs, B. Henry on Wheels. Henry can't wait to take his first solo bike ride. When Mom says he may go only around his block, Henry discovers that there are lots of fascinating things to see close to home--from a hot dog truck to cement mixers. jE Biggs

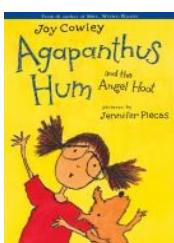


Cousins, L. Maisy goes Camping. When Maisy sets off to go camping in the country, it's only natural that all her friends come along, too. But they soon find that pitching a tent is not an easy thing to do. Even if they do manage to keep the tent up, there's the matter of fitting them all in — Maisy, Charley, Cyril, Tallulah, and finally, the huge elephant, Eddie. What a squeezy squish-squash! Good night, campers! Uh-oh-what's that popping sound?

jP Cousins



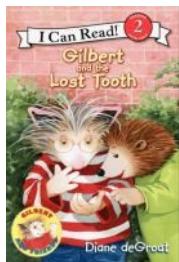
Cousins, L. Maisy Goes on a Sleepover. Tallulah is having a sleepover, and Maisy is invited. So is Tallulah's new friend, Ella. This is Maisy's first sleepover and she is feeling shy. As she and her friends talk, dance, giggle, play games, and eat a tasty supper her shyness disappears. With this anything-but-sleepy storybook, children new to sleepovers and seasoned pros alike can enjoy an overnight visit with Maisy and her pals. jP Cousins



Cowley, J. Agapanthus Hum and the Angel Hoot. When she loses her first tooth, Agapanthus discovers her new talent of being able to hoot through the space in her teeth and so, with the accompaniment of her dog, Major Bark, she sets forth to show everyone her new skill. jE Cowley

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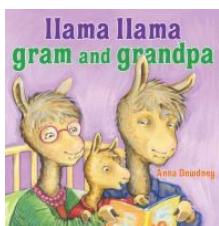


deGroat, D. Gilbert and the Lost Tooth. Gilbert's loose tooth comes out on the playground during a kickball game. He thinks it is safely tucked into his pocket and looks forward to his visit from the tooth fairy. Unfortunately, there's a hole in his pocket. While getting ready for bed, Gilbert makes the heartbreaking discovery and Mom suggests writing a note to the tooth fairy.

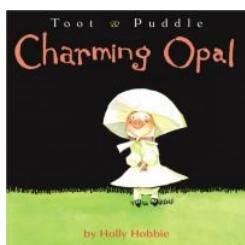
jE deGroat



deGroat, D. Good Night, Sleep Tight, Don't Let the Bedbugs Bite! Gilbert's day camp is going on an overnight trip, and Gilbert expects nothing but fun. But when loudmouthed Lewis tells him about the Camp Hi-Dee-Ho ghost, he can't help but feel a little nervous. He doesn't want his friends to think he's a scaredy-cat, but some spooky noises in the middle of the night might just put him face-to-face with his fears! jP deGroat

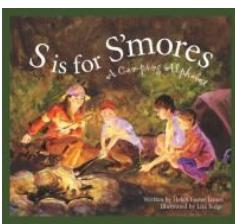


Dewdney, A. Llama Llama Gram and Grandpa. It's an exciting day for Llama Llama; he's visiting Gram and Grandpa Llama, and will be spending his first night away from home. There are so many fun things to do with Gram and Grandpa that it's not until he gets ready for bed that he realizes that he's forgotten Fuzzy Llama. Fortunately, Grandpa Llama has a wonderful solution and soon Llama Llama is having sweet dreams. jP Dewdney



Hobbie, H. Toot & Puddle: Charming Opal. It's summertime, and Toot and Puddle's little cousin, Opal, is visiting Woodcock Pocket when she discovers that she has a loose tooth. Opal carefully places it under her pillow and hopes the tooth fairy will bring her a shiny quarter. Worried that the tooth fairy might get lost on the way, Puddle puts on a special costume so that Opal won't be disappointed. But will the real tooth fairy show up after all?

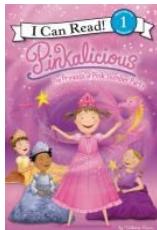
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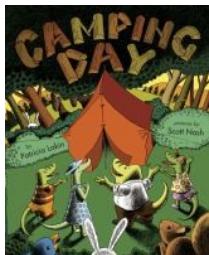
James, H. S is for Smores: A Camping Alphabet. From what to pack, where to go, and what to do when you get there, *S is for Smores* takes readers on an A-Z trail exploring this outdoor pastime. Whether your idea of "roughing it" is a blanket in your own backyard or the subarctic ecosystem of Alaska's Denali National Park, this is a fun and informative guide that is sure to help campers of all ages make the most of their adventures. j 796.54 James

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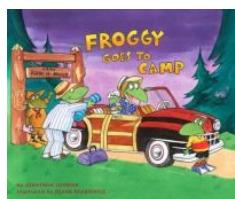
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Kann, V. Pinkalicious: The Princess of Pink Slumber Party. Pinkie works to brighten everyone's spirits when one of her princess sleepover party guests becomes homesick. jE Kann

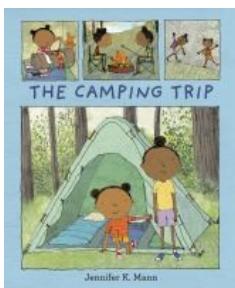


Lakin, P. Camping Day. Sam, Pam, Will and Jill are crocodile friends with a camping plan but not much know-how. They get lost on their way to the campsite, attacked by a swarm of bees, all mixed up while trying to assemble their tent, and then so frightened by nighttime shadows that their campout is in danger of fizzing out! But all ends well, as it always does for this happy-go-lucky crew. jP Lakin



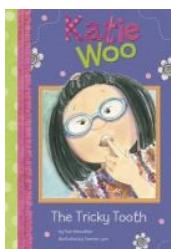
London, J. Froggy Goes to Camp. It's an exciting time for Froggy - his parents are taking him to summer camp! There, he'll swim, practice archery, and make many new friends. He'll also get into a little bit of swampy mischief.

jP London



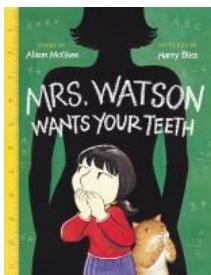
Mann, J. The Camping Trip. Ernestine's aunt Jackie has invited her to go camping for the weekend with her and cousin Samantha. Ernestine has never been camping before, but she's sure it will be lots of fun . . . won't it? An endearing story about a girl's first experience with the great outdoors.

JP Mann



Manushkin, F. The Tricky Tooth. Everyone in Katie Woo's class has lost a tooth, except her! She tries everything she can think of to make her wiggly tooth fall out, but nothing works. Will she ever lose her tricky tooth?

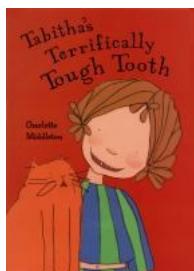
jE Manushkin



McGhee, A. Mrs. Watson Wants Your Teeth. Sure, first-grade teacher Mrs. Watson may look human, but it is a known and proven fact that she is actually a three-hundred-year-old alien who steals baby teeth from her students. Thank goodness for a second grader's warning, because this little first grader has a secret: She has a loose tooth! Her first! How will she make it through an entire year without opening her mouth?. jP McGhee

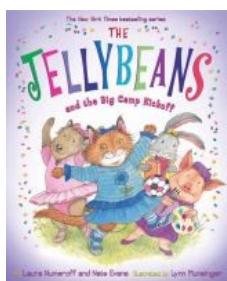
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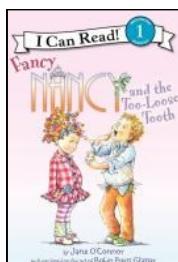
Middleton, C. Tabitha's Terrifically Tough Tooth. Tabitha has a loose tooth. Her dad says that soon she'll get a visit from the Tooth Fairy, but there's just one problem. Her tooth won't budge any farther. She has tried everything to make it come out, from bouncing on a trampoline to putting on music and dancing around the room. But it seems that nothing will dislodge her terrifically tough tooth. This is a warm and witty story that will make children smile a big toothy (or toothless!) grin as they identify with this familiar rite of passage.

jP Middleton



Numeroff, L. The Jellybeans and the Big Camp Kickoff. The Jellybeans are off to summer camp to enjoy stories around the campfire, roasting marshmallows, and swimming in the lake. Emily, Bitsy and Anna each find their own favorite activity, but Nicole can't find anything that's just right for her. So she decides to start a soccer team and teach her friends her favorite game. Will the Jellybeans be able to win the big match against a neighboring camp? Once again, the girls use their different strengths and talents to work together and have the best summer ever.

jP Numeroff



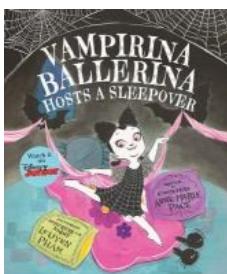
O'Connor, J. Fancy Nancy and the Too-Loose Tooth. Nancy absolutely must have her first tooth fall out at school. That way she will be sure to receive the special tooth-holder necklace from the school nurse. But when Nancy's tooth starts wiggling at home, she is worried she might lose it before class. How can Nancy make sure her loose tooth falls out at school?

jE O'Connor



O'Connor, J. Ready, Set, Skip! This little girl can leap, creep, twirl, skate, burp, slurp, and do all the other things kids love to do—except skip! But with the help of a clever suggestion from her mom, she soon finds herself skipping all the way to school.

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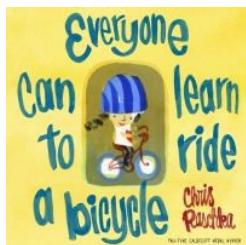


Pace, A. Vampirina Ballerina Hosts a Sleepover. This entertaining tale of an exciting night in a vampire's home instructs readers on how to be a considerate hostess. In order to help her guests feel comfortable, Vampirina decorates her home with pink to downplay all the black, deep purple, and gray; the black cat wears a pink bow, and the suit of armor sports a tutu. Following a dinner of their choice-pizza or octopus stew—the girls explore Vampirina's room, play makeovers, and go on an exhilarating scavenger hunt. A bout of homesickness is alleviated by the hostess's thoughtfulness and the party is a success.

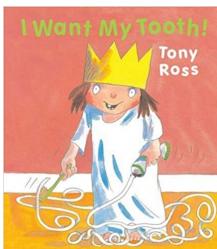
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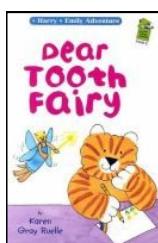
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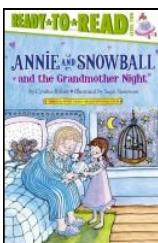
Raschka, C. Everyone Can Learn to Ride a Bicycle. For many children, learning to ride a bike is one of the most daunting milestones of childhood. In this deceptively simple story a father takes his daughter through all the steps in the process—from choosing the perfect bicycle to that triumphant first successful ride. Using very few words and lots of expressive pictures, this is a picture book that not only shows kids how to learn to ride, but captures what it feels like to fall . . . get up . . . fall again . . . and finally "by luck, grace, and determination" ride a bicycle! jP Raschka



Ross, T. I Want My Tooth. "Haven't I got wonderful teeth?" said the Little Princess. "ROYAL teeth!" said the King. The Little Princess has got wonderful teeth, all twenty of them! But when one of them starts to wobble, and wobble and wobble, and then eventually disappears, the hunt is on to find it! the Little Princess wants her tooth and she wants it NOW! jP Ross

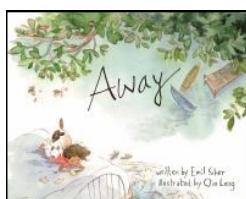


Ruelle, K. Dear Tooth Fairy. Emily has her first loose tooth. She wants to make sure the Tooth fairy knows about it. She writes to the Tooth Fairy everyday, giving updates on the looseness of her tooth and dropping hints about what kind of treasure she might like to find under her pillow. But as the days go by, Emily's tooth still hasn't fallen out Will she ever get a visit from the Tooth Fairy? jE Ruelle



Rylant, C. Annie and Snowball and the Grandmother Night. Annie is spending the night at her grandmother's house. So is her pet bunny, Snowball. Grandmother nights are full of fun things like baking cookies, braiding hair, and telling bedtime stories that always give them sweet dreams. Annie can't wait to see what surprises Grandmother has planned for tonight!

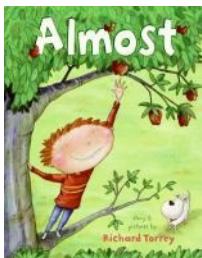
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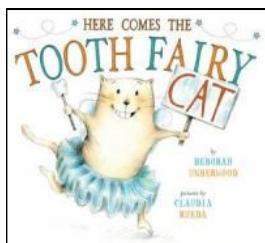
Sher, E. Away. Skip is heading to summer camp soon, but despite her mom's reassurance, she's certain that she'll have a terrible time. Unusually—and effectively—the story is told entirely through notes that the mother and daughter leave for each other. Both Skip's and Mom's voices are conveyed adroitly; Mom is patient yet firm ("You won't be gone forever. Just two weeks."), while Skip is relatably insecure and nervous ("I'm not packing. NOT EVER!"). Skip leaves for camp and soon writes that she has two new friends, lots of insects, and she thinks that next year's goodbye will be easier. Readers will relate to the sometimes perplexing issue of leaving home for camp (or elsewhere) and should enjoy Skip's scrappy character and her predicament. jP Sher

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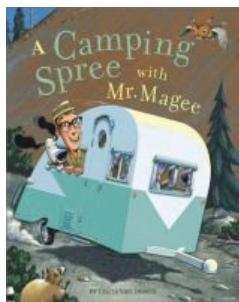
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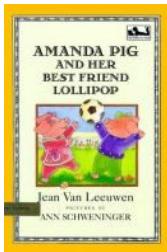
Torrey, R. Almost. Meet Jack. He's almost six years old. And that's almost grown up. After all, he can almost ride a big bike just like his older brother. And he almost never gets scared. This spunky little almost-six-year-old is ready to take on the world. Well, almost. jP Torrey



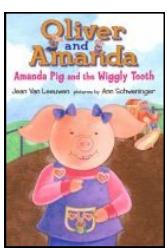
Underwood, D. Here Comes the Tooth Fairy Cat. When Cat loses a tooth, the Tooth Fairy delivers a wholly unwanted sidekick: a mouse. Together, Cat and Mouse are tasked with running a few Tooth Fairy-related errands—a challenge, since Mouse is just as competitive and mischievous and hilariously self-involved as Cat. The stakes rise and so does the deadpan humor, culminating in a satisfying surprise that will leave readers eager for yet another delightfully devious Cat adventure. jP Underwood



Van Dusen, C. A Camping Spree with Mr. Magee. Mr. Magee and his trusty dog, Dee, are enjoying a peaceful camping trip when along comes a lumbering, marshmallow-loving bear and the excitement begins. The next thing the two campers know, they are plunging down a mountain, racing down a river, and teetering on the edge of a waterfall! How will Mr. Magee and Dee find their way out of this slippery situation? jP Van Dusen



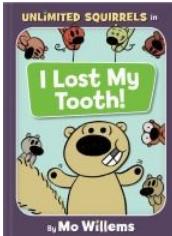
Van Leeuwen, J. Amanda Pig and Her Best Friend Lollipop. Amanda and Lollipop love playing make-believe at Amanda's house, but Amanda would rather go over to Lollipop's. Except when Amanda finally gets to sleep over at her best friend's house, she realizes that maybe she really does like her own home best. jE Van Leeuwen



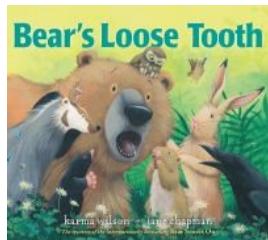
Van Leeuwen, J. Amanda Pig and the Wiggly Tooth. Amanda Pig has her first ever wiggly tooth and she can not wait for the Tooth Fairy to come. But her loose tooth will not fall out. Father offers to pull it out for her, but Amanda thinks that might hurt too much. Instead, she decides to ignore it and one day discovers that her tooth has fallen out on its own. But where is it. Will the Tooth Fairy still come if Amanda has lost her tooth? jE Van Leeuwen

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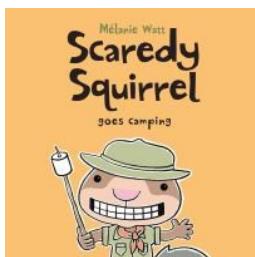


Willems, M. I Lost My Tooth! Zoom Squirrel has lost his front tooth. The Squirrels leap to the rescue to find the lost tooth. When they discover it is a baby tooth that is lost, the stakes are even higher. What will become of the poor, lost, sad, hungry, baby tooth!? jE Willems

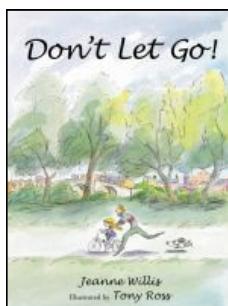


Wilson, K. Bear's Loose Tooth. Bear and his friends are munching on their lunch when all of sudden... Bear feels something wiggling and wobbling in his mouth. Oh no! What can it be? It's Bear's first loose tooth! In this sweet story, Bear's friends ease his concerns about his wiggly, wobbly tooth and help him understand that losing a baby tooth is perfectly natural.

jP Wilson



Watt, M. Scaredy Squirrel Goes Camping. Scaredy Squirrel is not too comfortable with the idea of camping; unless it's on his couch! There will be no mosquitoes, skunks or zippers to worry about when he watches a show about the joys of camping on his brand-new TV. But first Scaredy must find an electrical outlet, and that means going into the woods! Will the nutty worry-wart's plans prepare him for the great outdoors, or will his adventure end up as a scary story told around the campfire? jP Watt



Willis, J. Don't Let Go! Learning to ride a two-wheeled bike is the first step on the path to independence. Dad spends time with Megan in the park, supporting her with encouraging words and steady hands until she finally takes off on her own. Parallel emotions and concerns of father and daughter are expressed in the rhyming text as the theme of letting go is brought out in Megan's anxiety versus Dad's apprehensive uncertainty of the independence that bike-riding will provide. jP Willis

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