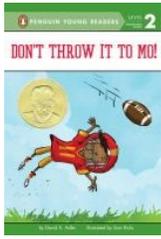
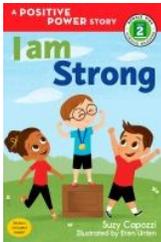


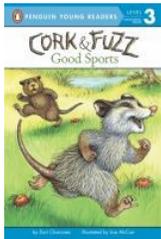
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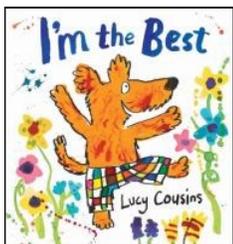
Adler, D. Don't Throw It to Mo! Mo is the youngest kid on the Robins football team. The kids on the rival team tease him for being a 'butterfingers' who's too tiny to catch the ball. But Mo's coach has a plan up his sleeve to turn Mo's little size into a big win for the Robins jE Adler



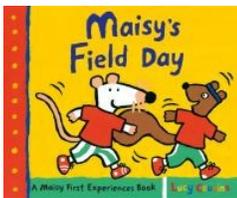
Capozzi, S. I Am Strong. This leveled reader follows a young boy on a fun-filled day as he learns what it means to be strong. Despite his small size, he surprises his teammates and himself when he demonstrates mental, emotional, and physical strength to become the Field Day champion. jE Capozzi



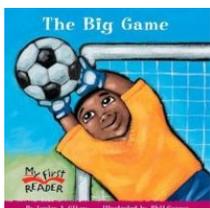
Chaconas, D. Cork & Fuzz: Good Sports. Cork is a short muskrat who likes to win at games. Fuzz is a tall possum who also likes to win at games. Two best friends. Both like to win. What will happen when they play games against each other? Will their friendship be more important than winning? jE Chaconas



Cousins, L. I'm the Best. "I win! I'm the best!" Dog boasts. He can run faster than Mole, dig better than Goose, swim faster than Donkey, and he's much bigger than Ladybug. He wins! Unfortunately, Dog's nonstop bragging is starting to make his friends feel kind of sad. But what would happen if they mixed things up and gave Dog a taste of his own medicine? jP Cousins

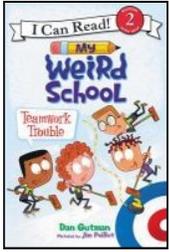


Cousins, L. Maisy's Field Day. Join Maisy and her pals for Field Day! First is the egg-and-spoon race (oops, Eddie's egg is a little too wobbly). No problem, there are lots more games to play — a wheelbarrow race, a three-legged race, and even a get-dressed-up-silly race. When it's time to play ring toss, Eddie's trunk comes in handy, and in the relay race, Maisy and Charley run as fast as they can. Last of all comes a great big game of tug-of-war, where both teams fall down laughing at the end! jP Cousins



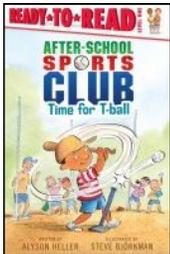
Gikow, L. The Big Game. A child who has trouble with some of the soccer skills finds an important role as goalie. jE Gikow

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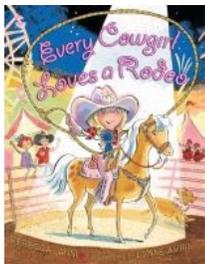
Gutman, D. Teamwork Trouble. Join the gang from Ella Mentry School in this hilarious, hijinks-filled sports story. With help from Coach Deen, Ryan wants to form a sports team with A.J. and Andrea, but it's for one of the weirdest sports there is: curling! Will the sweepers be able to get the stones to the house, or will trouble among the teammates end in one weird mess?

jE Gutman



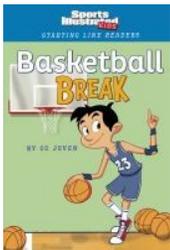
Heller, A. After-School Sports Club: Time for T-Ball. The kids in the After-School Sports Club learn all about T-ball...and the game brings out a competitive side in Caleb. Can he learn to be a good sport and team player? Find out in the latest adventure of this Ready-to-Read series that motivates reluctant readers with fun sport themes.

jE Heller



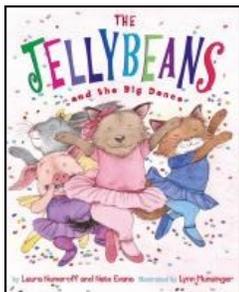
Janni, R. Every Cowgirl Loves a Rodeo. Nellie Sue is taking her cowgirl flair to the county fair. There are games to play, animals to pet, and rides to go on. But of course, Nellie Sue is really looking forward to the Bike Rodeo. She hopes that practicing will make her and her two-wheeled horse good enough to win against the reigning champion and her friend, A. J. Pickett. But when a nearby goat gets loose and threatens to ruin A.J.'s ride, Nellie Sue knows that it's her job as an honest cowgirl to step in--even if it means coming in second place.

jP Janni



Joven, C. Basketball Break. Lucas loves basketball, but he is a ball hog and keeps taking shots that are either too far away or from a bad spot. Now the whole team is mad at him...can Lucas learn to pass the ball?

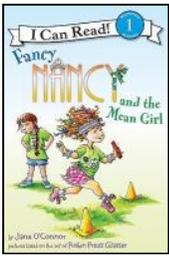
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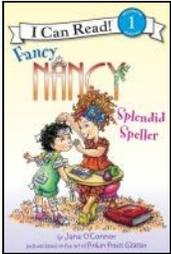
Numeroff, L. The Jellybeans and the Big Dance. Emily loves to dance and can't wait to meet the other girls in her class, who are sure to be just like her. But instead she meets Nicole, a tomboy who would rather be playing soccer; Bitsy, who loves arts and crafts; and Anna, a shy bookworm who has no interest at all in dancing. Realizing that they have to work together to make their dance recital a success, the girls learn to love each other's differences and strengths as they band together and name their group the Jellybeans!

jP Numeroff

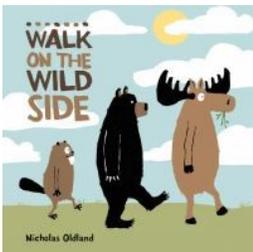
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O'Connor, J. Fancy Nancy and the Mean Girl. Much to her dismay, Nancy has been chosen for the relay team in this year's Field Day at school. Despite her many natural talents, Nancy isn't much of a runner. She's afraid of letting her team down—especially after finding out that a mean girl in her class is on the team too. With a little help from her dad, Nancy tries her best, stands up for herself, and makes a new friend. jE O'Connor

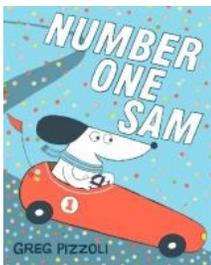


O'Connor, J. Fancy Nancy: Splendid Speller. Nancy loves spelling. She can spell fun words like "happy" and French words like chien (that means "dog") and even long words like "splendid." But when Ms. Glass's spelling test is harder than Nancy anticipated, the self-professed spelling prodigy faces a tough decision that pits her pride against her principles. jE O'Connor



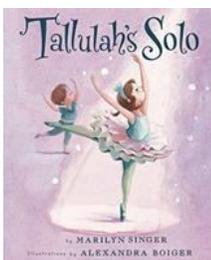
Oldland, N. Walk On the Wild Side. One day, the three friends, a bear, a moose and a beaver, who loved adventure set off to climb a mountain together. But on the way there, they decide to make it more exciting by turning the climb into a race to the top. It's only after being sidelined by a series of mishaps -- a boulder tumbling down the path, the moose hanging off the side of the cliff, the bear hanging off the moose hanging off the side of the cliff -- that the three friends realize competitions don't always make for a good time

jP Oldland



Pizzoli, G. Number One Sam. They're off! Sam is the best race-car driver in history—he is number one at every race! But when his best friend, Maggie, shows that she has racing talent of her own, Sam doesn't know how to handle coming in second place. Will he learn what it truly means to be a winner?

jP Pizzolo



Singer, M. Tallulah's Solo. Tallulah is certain she will have a solo in her dance school's upcoming performance of The Frog Prince. After all, she is now an excellent ballerina. And she's proud that her little brother, Beckett, has started taking ballet too, even though he spends most of his time goofing off. But then Tallulah gets an unexpected surprise . . . Ballet and sibling rivalry meet head-on in this fabulous follow-up to Tallulah's Tutu. jP Singer

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Tabor, C. Fox and The Jumping Contest. Fox really, really wants to win the jumping contest. He knows just where he'll put that first-place trophy. The only problem? Fox is not a very good jumper. But he is a very good schemer. . . .The irrepressible fox (sort of) wins and (sort of) gets his comeuppance in this hilarious tale. jP Tabor

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