

Social Emotional Learning Books

Books about **fear/worrying**:

There Might Be Lobsters

*Jabari Jumps

Don't Think About Purple Elephants

Too Shy For Show and Tell

*The Koala Who Could

*Wemberly Worried

A Huge Bag of Worries

It's Okay to be Different

*The Don't Worry Book

*What Do You Do With a Problem?

*Jack's Worry

*Little Mouse's Big Book of Fears

*Scaredy Squirrel

The Thing Lou Couldn't Do

Carolyn Crimi

Gaia Cornwall

Susanne Merritt

Beth Brackin

Rachel Bright

Kevin Henkes

Virginia Ironside

Todd Parr

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Kobi Yamada

Sam Zuppardi

Emily Gravett

Melanie Watt

Ashley Spires

Books about **risk taking/making mistakes**:

*The Book of Mistakes

Everyone Can Learn to Ride a Bicycle

*The Girl Who Never Made Mistakes

*The Dot

*The Most Magnificent Thing

*It's Okay to Make Mistakes

*The Confidence Code for Girls

*Ish

Corinna Luyken

Chris Raschka

Mark Pett

Peter H. Reynolds

Ashley Spires

Todd Parr

Katty Kay

Peter Reynolds

Books about **friendship**:

*Enemy Pie

*A Sick Day for Amos McGee

*The Invisible Boy

*Stick and Stone

*Rescue and Jessica: A Life Changing Friendship

*Be a Friend

*The Recess Queen

*Big Al

*Wilfrid Gordon McDonald Partridge

*Leonardo the Terrible Monster

*Horrible Bear

*My Friend is Sad

*One

*Two

Derek Munson

Philip C. Stead

Trudy Ludwig

Beth Ferry

Jessica Kensky

Salina Yoo

Alexis O'Neill

Andrew Clements

Mem Fox

Mo Willems

Ame Dyckman

Mo Willems

Katherine Otoshi

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Books about **identity**:

I'm a Girl!

*Last Stop on Market Street

*Those Shoes

*Drum Dream Girl

My Very Own Space

*The Crayon Box That Talked

Extraordinary Jane

*Julian Is a Mermaid

*Be Who You Are

*Red: A Crayon's Story

*Eraser

*Who Says Women Can't Be Doctors?

*Drawn Together

*Alma and How She Got Her Name

*Old Hat

*Normal Norman

Yasmine Ismail

Matt de la Pena

Marybeth Boelts

Margarita Engle

Pippa Goodhart

Shane Derolf

Hannah Harrison

Jessica Love

Todd Parr

Michael Hall

Anna Kang

Tanya Lee Stone

Minh Le

Juana Martinez-Neal

Emily Gravett

Tara Lazar

Books about **courage/overcoming challenges**:

*Emmanuel's Dream

Nadia: the Girl Who Couldn't Sit Still

*Life

*Twenty Two Cents

*When Sophie Thinks She Can't...

*The Story of Ruby Bridges

*The Librarian of Basra

*Sheila Rae the Brave

*Brave Irene

*Thunder Cake

*Henry's Freedom Box

Laurie Ann Thompson

Karlin Gray

Cynthia Rylant

Paula Yoo

Molly Bang

Robert Coles

Jeanette Winter

Kevin Henkes

William Steig

Patricia Polacco

Ellen Levine

Books about **kindness**:

*Ordinary Mary's Extraordinary Deed

*Because Amelia Smiled

Pass It On

*We're All Wonders

*I Walk With Vanessa

*Have You Filled a Bucket Today?

*What Does It Mean To Be Kind?

*The Jelly Donut Difference

*Each Kindness

*Be Kind

Emily Pearson

David Ezra Stein

Sophy Henn

R.J. Palacio

Kerascoet

Carol McCloud

Rana DiOrio

Maria Dismody

Jacqueline Woodson

Pat Miller

Books about **grief/sadness:**

Missing Mommy	Rebecca Cobb
The Heart and the Bottle	Oliver Jeffers
*The Memory String	Eve Bunting
The Big Tree is Sick: A Book to Help Children Cope With The Serious Illness of a Loved One	Nathalie Sloss
*A Dog Like Jack	DyAnne Disalvo-Ryan
*The Tenth Good Thing About Barnie	Judith Viorst
*The Rabbit Listened	Cori Doerrfeld
*City Dog, Country Frog	Mo Willems

Books about **feelings:**

*When Sophie Gets Angry-Really, Really Angry	Molly Bang
Crabby Pants	Julie Gassman
The Way I Feel	Janan Cain
*I'm Sad	Michael Ian Black
Grumpy Monkey	Suzanne Lang
Ira Crumb Feels the Feelings	Naseem Hrab
*Today I Feel Silly	Jamie Lee Curtis
*My Many Colored Day	Dr. Seuss
In My Heart	Jo Witek
Feelings to Share from A to Z	Todd Snow
*Glad Monster, Sad Monster	Ed Emberley
*The Feelings Book: The Care and Keeping of Your Emotions	Lynda Madison

Books about **lying:**

Lying Up A Storm	Julia Cook
Ruthie and the (Not So) Teeny, Tiny Lie	Laura Rankin
*The Honest-to-goodness Truth	Patricia McKissack
*The Empty Pot	Demi

Books about **self-control:**

*Lily's Purple Plastic Purse	Kevin Henkes
*David Gets in Trouble	David Shannon
My Mouth is a Volcano	Julia Cook
Lacey Walker, Nonstop Talker	Christianne C. Jones
You Will Be My Friend!	Peter Brown
Cool Down and Work Through Anger	Cheri Meiners

Books about **resilience/persistence**:

- *Giraffes Can't Dance
- *She's Got This
- *Stand Tall, Molly Lou Melon
- *The Name Jar
- *The Paperbag Princess
- *Strictly No Elephants
- *Come With Me

Giles Andreae
Laurie Hernandez
Patty Lovell
Yangsook Choi
Robert Munsch
Lisa Mantchev
Holly McGhee

Books about **inclusion/fitting in/being who you are**:

- *All Are Welcome
- *The Big Umbrella
- *Nothing Rhymes With Orange
- *Can I Play Too?
- *The Day You Begin
- *Spaghetti on a Hot Dog Bun
- *Zero
- *I'm New Here

Alexandra Penfold
Amy June Bates
Adam Rex
Mo Willems
Jacqueline Woodson
Maria Dismondy
Katherine Otoshi
Anne Sibley O'Brien

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