



Preschool Diversity Booklist

The following preschool book titles have been selected by the Centerville-Washington Diversity Council for their story lines that reflect acceptance and understanding of the many cultures in our world. These books have been donated to area day care centers by the Diversity Council through generous support from Dayton Children's.

Book	Author
<i>A Chance to Shine</i>	<i>Steve Seskin & Allen Shamblin</i>
<i>A Color of His Own</i>	<i>Leo Lionni</i>
<i>A Gift for Sadia</i>	<i>Marie Fritz Perry</i>
<i>A Picnic in October</i>	<i>Eve Bunting</i>
<i>A Place To Grow</i>	<i>Stephanie Bloom</i>
<i>A Walk with Grandpa</i>	<i>Sharon K. Solomon</i>
<i>Adelita</i>	<i>Tomie De Paola</i>
<i>Affirmation Weaver</i>	<i>Lori Lite</i>
<i>All the World</i>	<i>Liz Garton Scanlon</i>
<i>Amazing Grace</i>	<i>Mary Hoffman & Caroline Binch</i>
<i>Am I a Color Too?</i>	<i>Heidi Cole and Nancy Vogl</i>
<i>Amish Horses</i>	<i>Richard Ammon</i>
<i>An Amish Year</i>	<i>Richard Ammon</i>
<i>And Here's To You</i>	<i>David Elliott and Randy Cecil</i>
<i>And To Think That We Thought That...</i>	<i>Mary Ann Hoberman</i>
<i>Anne Frank</i>	<i>Josephine Poole</i>
<i>Back of the Bus</i>	<i>Aaron Reynolds</i>
<i>Barack</i>	<i>Jonah Winter</i>
<i>Beautiful Blackbird</i>	<i>Ashley Bryan</i>
<i>Be Good To Eddie Lee</i>	<i>Virginia Fleming</i>
<i>Be My Neighbor</i>	<i>Maya Ajmera & John D. Ivanko</i>
<i>Ben, King of the River</i>	<i>David Gifaldi</i>
<i>Being Friends</i>	<i>Karen Beaumont</i>
<i>Big Jimmy's Kumkau</i>	<i>Ted Lewin</i>
<i>Big Mama's</i>	<i>Donald Crew</i>
<i>Black, White, Just Right!</i>	<i>Margueite Davol</i>
<i>Blue Chameleon</i>	<i>Emily Gravett</i>
<i>Brother Eagle, Sister Sky</i>	<i>Susan Jeffers</i>

<i>Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?</i>	<i>Bill Martin Jr./Eric Carle</i>
<i>Bullying</i>	<i>Joy Berry</i>
<i>Can You Say Peace?</i>	<i>Karen Katz</i>
<i>Carlo Castlecrusher</i>	<i>Eve Montanari</i>
<i>Chocolate Me!</i>	<i>Taye Diggs</i>
<i>Chopsticks</i>	<i>Jon Berkeley</i>
<i>Cloudette</i>	<i>Tom Lichtenheld</i>
<i>Coming On Home Soon</i>	<i>Jacqueline Woodson</i>
<i>Cookies – Bite-Size Life Lessons</i>	<i>Amy Krouse Rosenthal</i>
<i>Crocodile Smile</i>	<i>Sarah Weeks</i>
<i>Crouching Tiger</i>	<i>Ying Chan Compestine</i>
<i>Courage of the Blue Boy</i>	<i>Robert Neubecker</i>
<i>Crocodile Smile</i>	<i>Sarah Weeks</i>
<i>David’s Drawings</i>	<i>Cathryn Falwell</i>
<i>Dear Mr. Rosewald</i>	<i>Carole Boston Weatherford</i>
<i>DeShawn Days</i>	<i>Tony Medina</i>
<i>Dinosaurs Divorce- A guide for Changing Families</i>	<i>Laurie Krasny Brown</i>
<i>Don’t Let The Peas Touch</i>	<i>Deborah Blumenthal</i>
<i>Elmer</i>	<i>David McKee</i>
<i>Elmer and Rose</i>	<i>David Mckee</i>
<i>Emily’s Art</i>	<i>Peter Catalanotto</i>
<i>Enemy Pie</i>	<i>Derek Munson</i>
<i>Enrico Starts School</i>	<i>Charlotte Middleton</i>
<i>Feeling Angry</i>	<i>Joy Berry</i>
<i>Feeling Disappointed</i>	<i>Joy Berry</i>
<i>Finding Joy</i>	<i>Marion Coste</i>
<i>First Day in Grapes</i>	<i>L. King Perez</i>
<i>Freedom Summer</i>	<i>Deborah Wiles</i>
<i>Friend on Freedom River</i>	<i>Gloria Whelan</i>
<i>Giant John</i>	<i>Arnold Lobel</i>
<i>Give A Little Love</i>	<i>Lizzie Mack</i>
<i>Gleam & Glow</i>	<i>Eve Bunting</i>
<i>Go Away Big Green Monster</i>	<i>Ed Emberley</i>
<i>Goodbye House</i>	<i>Frank Asch</i>
<i>Grandfather’s Journey</i>	<i>Allen Say</i>
<i>Hanukkah Oh Hanukkah</i>	<i>Susan L. Roth</i>
<i>Happy Adoption Day!</i>	<i>John McCutcheon</i>
<i>Happy Feet</i>	<i>Richard Michelson</i>
<i>Have You Filled Bucket Today?</i>	<i>Carol McClous</i>
<i>Helen Keller The World In Her Heart</i>	<i>Lesa Cline-Ransome</i>
<i>Henry’s Freedom Box</i>	<i>Ellen Levine & Kadir Nelson</i>
<i>Herman the Helper</i>	<i>Robert Kraus</i>
<i>Hide, Clyde</i>	<i>Russel Benfanti</i>

<i>Hurray for You!</i>	<i>Marianne Richmond</i>
<i>Hot, Hot Roti</i>	<i>F. Zia</i>
<i>How Do Dinosaurs Say I Love You?</i>	<i>Jane Yolen and Mark Teague</i>
<i>How My Parents Learned to Eat</i>	<i>Ina R. Friedman</i>
<i>How to Bake an American Pie</i>	<i>Karma Wilson</i>
<i>How to Be</i>	<i>Lisa Brown</i>
<i>Hugs and Kisses God</i>	<i>Allia Zobel Nolan</i>
<i>I Am America</i>	<i>Charles Smith, Jr.</i>
<i>I Am a Rainbow</i>	<i>Dolly Parton</i>
<i>I Like Myself</i>	<i>Karen Beaumont</i>
<i>I Like Where I Am</i>	<i>Jessica Harper</i>
<i>I Love My Hair</i>	<i>Natasha Anastasia Tarpley</i>
<i>I Love You Like Crazy Cakes</i>	<i>Rose Lewis</i>
<i>I'm Gonna Like Me</i>	<i>Jamie Lee Curtis</i>
<i>I Miss You</i>	<i>Pat Thomas</i>
<i>Inch by Inch</i>	<i>Leo Lionni</i>
<i>Incredible You</i>	<i>Dr. Wayne W. Dyer with Kristina Tracy</i>
<i>In Jesse's Shoes</i>	<i>Beverly Lewis</i>
<i>In My Heart</i>	<i>Molly Bang</i>
<i>Is There Really a Human Race?</i>	<i>Jamie Lee Curtis & Laura Cornell</i>
<i>I Think I Am</i>	<i>Louise L. Hay & Kristina Tracy</i>
<i>It's Hard To Be Five</i>	<i>Jamie Lee Curtis & Laura Cornell</i>
<i>Its Hard To Share My Teacher</i>	<i>Joan Singleton Prestine</i>
<i>It's My School</i>	<i>Sally Grindley</i>
<i>It's Not Easy Being a Bunny</i>	<i>Marilyn Sadler</i>
<i>It's OK To Be Different</i>	<i>Todd Parr</i>
<i>I Will Never Not Ever Eat a Tomato</i>	<i>Lauren Child</i>
<i>Jazz Baby</i>	<i>Lisa Wheeler & R. Gregory Christie</i>
<i>Jin Woo</i>	<i>Eve Bunting</i>
<i>Juan Bobo Goes to Work</i>	<i>Marisa Montes</i>
<i>Just in Case You Ever Wonder</i>	<i>Max Lucado</i>
<i>Kathy's Hats</i>	<i>Trudy Krisher</i>
<i>Katie's Wish</i>	<i>Barbara Shook Hazen</i>
<i>Kindness Is Cooler, Mrs. Ruler</i>	<i>Margery Cuyler & Sachiko Yoshikawa</i>
<i>King & King</i>	<i>Linda de Haan</i>
<i>Leo the Late Bloomer</i>	<i>Robert Kraus</i>
<i>Little Miss Spider</i>	<i>David Kirk</i>
<i>Listen to the Wind</i>	<i>Greg Mortenson</i>
<i>Llama Llama Misses Mama</i>	<i>Anna Dewdney</i>
<i>Lon Po Po</i>	<i>Ed Young</i>
<i>Mama Does the Mambo</i>	<i>Katherine Leiner</i>
<i>Mama Do You Love Me?</i>	<i>Barbara M. Joosse</i>
<i>Me I Am</i>	<i>Jack Prelutsky</i>

<i>Mei Mei Loves the Morning</i>	<i>Margaret Holloway Tsubakiyama</i>
<i>Michael's Golden Rules</i>	<i>Deloris Jordan with Roslyn M. Jordan</i>
<i>Molly's Family</i>	<i>Nancy Garden</i>
<i>Mom and Mum are Getting Married</i>	<i>Ken Setterington</i>
<i>Mommy Far, Mommy Near</i>	<i>Carol Antoinette Peacock</i>
<i>Mr. Lincoln's Way</i>	<i>Patricia Polacco</i>
<i>Murfaro's Beautiful Daughters</i>	<i>John Steptoe</i>
<i>My America</i>	<i>Jan Spivey Gilchrist</i>
<i>My Best Friends</i>	<i>Anna Nilsen</i>
<i>My Brother</i>	<i>Anthony Browne</i>
<i>My Brother Charlie</i>	<i>Holly Robinson Peete & Ryan Elizabeth Peete</i>
<i>My Chinatown</i>	<i>Kam Mak</i>
<i>My Grandmother Is A Singing Yaya</i>	<i>Karen Scourby D'Arc</i>
<i>My Granny Went to Market</i>	<i>Stella Blackstone and Christopher Corr</i>
<i>My Many Colored Days</i>	<i>Dr. Suess</i>
<i>My Mom's Wedding</i>	<i>Eve Bunting</i>
<i>My Name is not Alexander</i>	<i>Jennifer Fosberry</i>
<i>My Name is not Isabella</i>	<i>Jennifer Fosberry</i>
<i>My Name Is Yoon</i>	<i>Helen Recorvits</i>
<i>My People</i>	<i>Langston Hughes</i>
<i>My Pig Amarillo</i>	<i>Satomi Ichikawa</i>
<i>My Preschool</i>	<i>Anne Rockwell</i>
<i>My Princess Boy</i>	<i>Cheryl Kilodavis</i>
<i>Nathan Blows out the Hanukkah Candles</i>	<i>Tami Lehman-Wilzig</i>
<i>Naughty Little Monkeys</i>	<i>Jim Aylesworth</i>
<i>Nobunny's Perfect</i>	<i>Anna Dewdney</i>
<i>Noelle the Bulldog</i>	<i>Gloria Estefan</i>
<i>Of Thee I Sing</i>	<i>Barack Obama</i>
<i>Off To First Grade</i>	<i>Louise Borden</i>
<i>Oscar's Half Birthday</i>	<i>Bob Graham</i>
<i>Over the Moon</i>	<i>Karen Katz</i>
<i>Owl Babies</i>	<i>Martin Waddell</i>
<i>Papa Do You Love Me?</i>	<i>Barbara M. Joosse</i>
<i>Party Animals</i>	<i>Kathie Lee Gifford</i>
<i>Paul Needs Specs</i>	<i>Bernard Cohen & Geoff Kelly</i>
<i>Peach Heaven</i>	<i>Yangsook Choi</i>
<i>Peekaboo Morning</i>	<i>Rachel Isadora</i>
<i>Pete the Cat- I Love my White Shoes</i>	<i>Eric Litwin</i>
<i>Pink and Say</i>	<i>Patricia Polacco</i>
<i>Rap A Tap Tap</i>	<i>Leo & Diane Dillon</i>
<i>Relative Came</i>	<i>Cynthia Rylant</i>
<i>Red Is a Dragon</i>	<i>Roseanne Thong</i>
<i>Rosa</i>	<i>Nikki Giovanni</i>

<i>Runaway Dreidel</i>	<i>Lesléa Newman</i>
<i>Sadie's Sukkah Breakfast</i>	<i>Jamie Korngold</i>
<i>Sam Tells Stories</i>	<i>Thierry Robberecht</i>
<i>Sequoia</i>	
<i>Seven Blind Mice</i>	<i>Ed Young</i>
<i>Shades of Black</i>	<i>Sandra Pinkney</i>
<i>Show Way</i>	<i>Jacqueline Woodson</i>
<i>Sign Language: My First 100 Words</i>	<i>Scholastic</i>
<i>Slowly, Slowly, Slowly Said the Sloth</i>	<i>Eric Carle</i>
<i>Small Fry</i>	<i>Jamie Adoff</i>
<i>Special Deliveries</i>	<i>Baldwin Rahima</i>
<i>Splat the Cat</i>	<i>Rob Scotton</i>
<i>Special People, Special Ways</i>	<i>Arlene Maguire</i>
<i>Stand Tall, Molly Lou Melon</i>	<i>Patty Lovell</i>
<i>Star of the Week</i>	<i>Darlene Friedman</i>
<i>Susan Laughs</i>	<i>Jeanne Willis</i>
<i>Tar Beach</i>	<i>Faith Ringgold</i>
<i>Tattling</i>	<i>Joy Berry</i>
<i>Tea With Milk</i>	<i>Allen Say</i>
<i>Tell Me Again About the Night I Was Born</i>	<i>Jamie Lee Curtis</i>
<i>Ten Terrible Dinosaurs</i>	<i>Paul Strickland</i>
<i>Ten Things I Can Do To Help My World</i>	<i>Melanie Walsh</i>
<i>Thanking the Moon</i>	<i>Grace Lin</i>
<i>Thank You for Me</i>	<i>Marion Dane Bauer</i>
<i>Thank you, Mr. Falker</i>	<i>Patricia Polacco</i>
<i>That New Animal</i>	<i>Emily Jenkins</i>
<i>That Pesky Rat</i>	<i>Lauren Child</i>
<i>That's When I'm Happy</i>	<i>Beth Shoshan</i>
<i>The Alphabet War</i>	<i>Diane Burton Robb</i>
<i>The Boy Who Wouldn't Share</i>	<i>Mike Reiss</i>
<i>The Brand New Kid</i>	<i>Katie Couric</i>
<i>The Burger and the Hot Dog</i>	<i>Jim Aylesworth</i>
<i>The Color of Home</i>	<i>Mary Hoffman</i>
<i>The Colors of Us (Paperback)</i>	<i>Karen Katz</i>
<i>The Colors of Us (Hardback)</i>	<i>Karen Katz</i>
<i>The Colory Home</i>	
<i>The Crayon Box that Talked</i>	<i>Shane DeRolf</i>
<i>The Earth Book</i>	<i>Todd Parr</i>
<i>The English Roses</i>	<i>Madonna</i>
<i>The Giving Tree</i>	<i>Shel Silverstein</i>
<i>The Graves Family</i>	<i>Patricia Polacco</i>
<i>The Hanukkah Mice</i>	<i>Steven Kroll</i>
<i>The Hard Times Jar</i>	<i>Ethel Footman Smothers</i>

<i>The Important Book</i>	<i>Margaret Wise Brown</i>
<i>The Keeping Quilt</i>	<i>Patricia Polacco</i>
<i>The Kissing Hand</i>	<i>Audrey Penn</i>
<i>The Korean Cinderella</i>	<i>Shirley Climo</i>
<i>The Legend of Blue Jacket</i>	<i>Michael P. Spradlin</i>
<i>The Matzo Ball Boy</i>	<i>Lisa Shulman</i>
<i>The Mouse and the Buddha</i>	<i>Kathryn Price</i>
<i>The New Girl...and Me</i>	<i>Jacqui Robbins</i>
<i>The OK Book</i>	<i>Amy Krouse Rosenthal & Tom Lichtenheld</i>
<i>The Other Side</i>	<i>Jacqueline Woodson</i>
<i>The Painted Chest</i>	<i>Judith Christine Mills</i>
<i>The Patch</i>	<i>Justina Chen Headley</i>
<i>The Peace Book</i>	<i>Todd Parr</i>
<i>The Rag Coat</i>	<i>Lauren A. Mills</i>
<i>The Rainbow Book</i>	<i>Kate Ohrt</i>
<i>The Rainbow Fish</i>	<i>Marcus Pfister</i>
<i>The Red Blanket</i>	<i>Eliza Thomas</i>
<i>The Relatives Came</i>	<i>Cynthia Rylant</i>
<i>The Sandwich Swap</i>	<i>Her Majesty Queen Rania Al Abdullah</i>
<i>The Skin You Live In</i>	<i>Michael Tyler</i>
<i>The Story of Ruby Bridges</i>	<i>Robert Coles</i>
<i>The Trees of the Dancing Goats</i>	<i>Patricia Polacco</i>
<i>The Ugly Duckling</i>	<i>Jerry Pinkney</i>
<i>The Ultimate Guide to Grandmas and Grandpas</i>	<i>Sally Lloyd-Jones</i>
<i>The Village of Round and Square Houses</i>	<i>Ann Grifalconi</i>
<i>The Water Hole</i>	<i>Graeme Base</i>
<i>The Worst Best Friend</i>	<i>Alexis O'Neill</i>
<i>This is How We Become a Family</i>	<i>Wayne Willis</i>
<i>This Little Light of Mine</i>	<i>E. B. Lewis</i>
<i>Today I Feel Silly</i>	<i>Jamie Lee Curtis</i>
<i>Waiting for Papa</i>	<i>Por Rene Colato Lainez</i>
<i>We All Sing with the Same Voice</i>	<i>J. Phillip Miller</i>
<i>We Belong Together</i>	<i>Todd Parr</i>
<i>We'll Paint the Octopus Red</i>	<i>Stephanie Stuve-Bodeen</i>
<i>Weslandia</i>	<i>Paul R. Fleischman</i>
<i>What a Treasure</i>	<i>Jane and Will Hillenbrand</i>
<i>What a Wonderful World</i>	<i>George David Weiss</i>
<i>What are Parents?</i>	<i>Kyme & Susan Fox-Lee</i>
<i>What I Like About Me</i>	<i>Allia Zobel-Nolan</i>
<i>What's in the Egg, Little Pip?</i>	<i>Karma Wilson</i>
<i>What's Wrong with Timmy</i>	<i>Sandra Speidel</i>
<i>When Good-bye is Forever</i>	<i>Lois Rock</i>
<i>When I Was Born</i>	<i>Isabel Martins</i>

<i>When I Was Little</i>	<i>Jamie Lee Curtis</i>
<i>When I Was Young in the Mountains</i>	<i>Cynthia Rylant</i>
<i>When Sophie Gets Angry, Really, Really Angry</i>	<i>Molly Bang</i>
<i>Whistle for Willie</i>	<i>Ezra Jack Keats</i>
<i>Whoever you Are</i>	<i>Mem Fox</i>
<i>Whose Mouse are You</i>	<i>Robert Kraus</i>
<i>Wings</i>	<i>Christopher Myers</i>
<i>Yay, You!</i>	<i>Sandra Boynton</i>
<i>Yoko Writes Her Name</i>	<i>Rosemary Wells</i>
<i>You Are My Wish</i>	<i>Maryann Cusimano Love</i>
<i>You Can't Go To School Naked</i>	<i>Dianne Billstrom</i>
<i>You're Weird</i>	<i>Kevin Luthardt</i>
<i>You're Wonderful</i>	<i>Debbie Clement</i>
<i>Yuvi's Candy Tree</i>	<i>Lesley Simpson</i>
<i>Zen Shorts</i>	<i>John J Muth</i>