

Animal Stories



Chapter Books for Young Readers

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The Amazing Trail of Seymour Snail by Lynn Hazen

Seymour longs to be a great artist, but first he must overcome his shyness.

Baxter by Ellen Miles

Lizzie tries to help Baxter, a young Portuguese water dog adjust to his new foster home.
(The Puppy Place Series.)

The Best Horse Ever by Alice DeLaCroix

Abby is thrilled to finally have her own horse, but soon discovers that her best friend is afraid of her horse.

Bramble and Maggie: Horse Meets Girl

by Jessie Haas

When Bramble the horse grows tired of giving riding lessons, his owner wants to sell or give him away. Maggie arrives and decides that Bramble is the perfect horse for her.

Callie by Ellen Miles

While walking home from their after school program, Mia and Michael discover a kitten near a dumpster and hope to persuade their parents to let them keep it.
(The Kitty Corner Series.)

Cat Diaries: Secret Writings of the MEOW Society by Betsy Byars

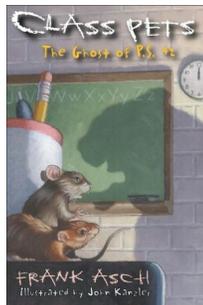
Each year the MEOW Society (Memories Expressed in Our Writing) get together and shares stories from their diaries.

The Cat on the Mat is Flat by Andy Griffiths

Presents a humorous series of rhyming stories about a cat, a dog, and many other animals.

Class Pets: The Ghost of P.S. 42 by Frank Asch

Two young mice leave their family's crowded home in the deli and find a new home at the local elementary school.



Daisy Dawson is On Her Way by Steve Voake

Daisy is given a special gift by a butterfly – the ability to communicate with animals, which helps her understand a stray dog in need of help.

Dog Diaries: Secret Writings of the WOOF Society by Betsy Byars

The WOOF Society presents a variety of stories from the canine kingdom around the world.

8 Class Pets + One Squirrel [Divided by] One Dog = Chaos by Vivian Vande Velde

The class pets in an elementary school try to help a squirrel named Twitch who accidentally gets a tour of the inside of the building when the school principal's dog chases him one day.

Elska by Cathy Hapka (find under Horse)

A horse named Elska is born in the year 1000 BC and tells about her life in Iceland.
(Horse Diaries series.)

Emmaline and the Bunny by Katherine Hannigan

Emmaline longs for a bunny, but is told that they are too messy for her tidy town of Neatasapin.

Fantastic Mr. Fox by Roald Dahl

Clever Mr. Fox attempts to save the animals from three mean and nasty farmers.

Labracadabra by Jessie Nelson

After longing for a dog for years, Zach is surprised by his parents with an older rescue dog with an unusually long and possibly magical tail.

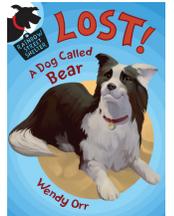
Little Horse by Betsy Byars

When Little Horse stumbles into a river and is separated from his mother, he is whisked away on an adventure journey to a fantasy land.

Lost!: A Dog Called Bear

by Wendy Orr

Logan and his Mom are moving from their farm to the city when his dog is lost. Hannah, a girl who longs for a dog, finds the dog, but her parents convince her to take him to the Rainbow Street Shelter.



Martha on the Case by Jamie White

(Find under Martha)

Martha the talking dog uses her sleuthing skills to solve the case of the missing birthday cake and the jewel thief mystery.
(Martha Speaks Chapter Book Series)

Mercy Watson to the Rescue by Kate DiCamillo

When Mercy the pig sleeps in the same bed with Mr. and Mrs. Watson, it leads to a series of amusing events.

The Perfect Cat-Sitter by Ann Whitehead Nagda

When her friend Rana is on a trip to India, Susan volunteers to take care of her cat, but finds it a lot more difficult than she initially expected.

The Secret Chicken Society by Judy Cox

Daniel adopts a chick when his third grade class raises chicks for a school science project.

The Silver Horse Switch by Alison Lester

In this story set in Australia, two best friend girls share a love of horses. (Horse Crazy Series)

Spunky Tells All by Ann Cameron

A curious dog named Spunky has his life turned upside down when his family adopts a mischievous cat.

Welcome to the Bed and Biscuit by Joan Carris

The animals at the Bed and Biscuit Animal Shelter are suspicious of a new puppy that comes home with Grandpa Bender and they feel jealous of all the attention the pup receives.

The Winner's Walk by Nancy Ruth Patterson

While trying to find his special talent, Case discovers a lost dog and soon discovers that the dog has special talents, too.

The World According to Humphrey

by Betty Birney

A hamster named Humphrey livens up the school day for the children at Longfellow School when he is adopted for Room 26 by the substitute teacher.