Humorous Picture Books

The following list is a sample of books that will get your little ones giggling. Titles are shelved in the picture book section by the first three letters of the author's last name unless otherwise noted. Need help? Ask a librarian!



Bingham, Kelly. Z is for Moose. (E BIN)

Moose is terribly eager to play his part in the alphabet book his friend Zebra is putting together, then is awfully disappointed when his letter passes. He behaves rather badly until Zebra finds a spot for him.

Brown, Peter. Children Make Terrible Pets. (E BRO)

When Lucy, a young bear, discovers a boy lost in the woods, she asks her mother if she can have him as a pet, only to find him impossible to train.



Each time a waiter returns with a new bowl of soup to satisfy a customer's complaint, a different animal appears in the soup.



Daywalt, Drew. The Day the Crayons Quit. (E DAY)

When Duncan arrives at school one morning, he finds a stack of letters, one from each of his crayons, complaining about how he uses them.

Heos, Bridget. Mustache Baby Meets his Match. (E HEO)

A play date goes awry when Baby Billy and his mustache meet Beard Baby.

Himmelman, John. Pigs to the Rescue. (E HIM)

All week long the pigs help out around the farm in unexpected ways.

John, Jory. I Love You Already! (E JOH)

All Bear wants is to spend a pleasant day alone, but Duck really wants to hang out.



Klassen, Jon. We Found a Hat. (E KLA)

Hold on to your hats for the conclusion of the celebrated hat trilogy.

Litwin, Eric. The Nuts: Bedtime at the Nut House. (E LIT)

Mama Nut says it's bedtime, but Hazel Nut and Wally Nut just aren't quite ready to stop the fun and go to bed.



Jimmy's boa constrictor wreaks havoc on the class trip to a farm.



In this book with no pictures, the reader has to say every silly word, no matter what



Palatini, Margie. **Boo-hoo Moo.** (E PAL)

When Hilda Mae Heifer's trademark "moo" starts sounding even worse, the other animals decide she is lonely and hold auditions to find her some singing partners.

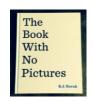
Parish, Herman S. Amelia Bedelia 4 Mayor. (E PAR)

A series of misunderstandings leads the literal-minded Amelia Bedelia to run for mayor.

Portis, Antoinette. Best Frints in the Whole Universe. (E POR)

Yelfred and Omek of planet Boborp are best frints, even when they have disagreements.







Rathmann, Peggy. Officer Buckle and Gloria. (E RAT)

The children at Napville Elementary School always ignore Officer Buckle's safety tips, until a police dog named Gloria accompanies him when he gives his safety speeches.



Redeker, Kent. **Don't Squish the Sasquatch!** (E RED)

Mr. Blobule provides an unusual remedy when Senor Sasquatch gets squished on a crowded bus.

Robinson, Michelle. What to do if an Elephant Stands on Your Foot. (E ROB)

Advises the reader on how to handle encounters with various animals in the jungle, where a mistake while avoiding one can attract the attention of another.



With gentle prodding from the narrator and help from the reader, four monsters are led to face their greatest fear--bubbles.

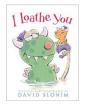


Scieszka, Jon & Mac Barnett & Alex. Battle Bunny. (E SCI)

Alex hijacks a story about Birthday Bunny on his special day and turns it into a battle between a supervillain and his enemies in the forest--who, in the original story, are simply planning a surprise party.

Shea, Bob. Kid Sheriff and the Terrible Toads. (E SHE)

The Toad brothers are wreaking havoc in Drywater Gulch when a boy with no experience but immense knowledge of dinosaurs rides into town on his tortoise and declares himself the new sheriff.



Slonim, David. <u>I Loathe You.</u> (E SLO)

Unconditional loathing is monsterly love in this sweetly humorous picture book. Just how much does Big Monster loathe Little Monster? Let it count the ways....

Small, David. Imogene's Antlers. (E SMA)

One Thursday Imogene wakes up with a pair of antlers growing out of her head and causes a sensation wherever she goes.



When Pete feels miserable because rain makes it impossible to play ball outdoors, his father finds a fun indoor game to play with his son.



Stevens, Janet and Susan Stevens Crummel. The Great Fuzz Frenzy. (E STE)

When a tennis ball lands in a prairie dog town, the residents find that their newfound frenzy for fuzz creates a fiasco.

Thomas, Jan. Is That Wise, Pig? (E THO)

Mouse and Cow are making soup, but Pig keeps trying to add strange ingredients.



Wilcox, Leah. Falling for Rapunzel. (E WIL)

To rescue Rapunzel from her tower, a prince yells for her to throw down her hair; but being too far away to hear clearly, she tosses out various items from her room, including her maid.

Willems, Mo. I Broke My Trunk. (E WIL)

Gerald the elephant tells his best friend Piggie a long, crazy story about how he broke his trunk.

