

## Sharing – Fiction (JJF unless otherwise indicated)

- Bedford, David. **It's My Turn!** 2001. Oscar and Tilly discover that the playground is much more fun if they play together.
- Berenstain, Stan. **Berenstain Bears Learn to Share.** 1992. **JER-2 Berenstain**
- Berger, Samantha. **Martha Doesn't Share.** 2010. Martha the otter learns there are unpleasant consequences for refusing to share with her baby brother.
- Bridwell, Norman. **The Cat and the Bird in the Hat.** 2000. After quarreling over ownership of a hat, Spats the Cat and Bird find that by sharing it they create a wonderful friendship. **JER-2 Bridwell**
- Brimner, Larry. **Everybody's Best Friend.** 2002. The Corner Kids remember how Gabby and Alex helped Three J pick out Jake at the animal shelter and how the three of them came to share a dog. **JER-2 Brimner**
- Carmi, Giora. **A Circle of Friends.** 2003. When a boy anonymously shares his snack with a homeless man, he begins a cycle of good will.
- Cote, Nancy. **Jackson's Blanket.** 2008. A little boy is not ready to give up his beloved blanket until he finds a tiny kitten who needs it more than he does.
- Crum, Shutta. **Mine!** 2011. A young child does not want to share his toys with his baby sibling, but an encounter with the family dog teaches everyone the importance of sharing.
- DeGroat, Diane. **Last One in is a Rotten Egg!** 2007. When Gilbert and Lola's cousin Wally comes to visit for Easter, he learns a lesson about being greedy during the annual Easter egg hunt. **JJF deGroat (Holiday)**
- Dunbar, Joyce. **The Bowl of Fruit.** 1999. While Gander patiently picks out and sets aside all of the seeds from a pomegranate, Panda eats all of the other fruits and then wants a share of Gander's seeds as well. **JER-3 Dunbar**
- Hall, Kirsten. **My Brother the Brat.** 1995. Two brothers discover that it can be fun to share their toys with each other. **JER-1 Hall**
- Kittinger, Jo. **A Lunch With Punch.** 2003. A boy packs his lunch with delicious items and then shares it with a friend who has forgotten his own lunch at school. **JER-1 Kittinger**
- Lionni, Leo. **It's Mine.** 1996. Three selfish frogs quarrel over who owns their pond and island, until a storm makes them value the benefits of sharing.
- MacDonald, Maryann. **Rosie and the Poor Rabbits.** 1994. Rosie's reluctance to give some of her clothes and toys to other rabbits (who are not so well off as she) changes after a revealing dream.
- Parent, Nancy. **The Day Nobody Shared.** 2003. Good Luck Bear learns that sharing makes everyone happier. **JJF Care**

- Parenteau, Shirley. **Bears on Chairs.** 2009. Only four chairs for five bears, but they figure out a way to share.
- Pearson, Mary. **Generous Me.** 2002. An older sister lists all the things she would willingly share with her younger sister, such as broccoli and her chores. **JER-2 Pearson**
- Ransome, James. **New Red Bike!** 2011. Tom enjoys the thrill of riding his brand new bicycle, and then shares it with a friend.
- Rayner, Catherine. **The Bear Who Shared.** 2011. Norris the bear has been patiently waiting for the last ripe fruit to fall from the tree, and when it does he decides to share it with his two new friends.
- Rosen, Michael. **This is Our House.** 1996. George won't let any of the other children in his cardboard house, but when the tables are turned, he finds out how it feels to be excluded.
- Rosenthal, Amy. **Plant a Kiss.** 2012. One small act of love blooms into something bigger and more dazzling than little Miss could have ever imagined.
- Savadier, Elivia. **Will Sheila Share?** 2008. Nana helps teach her toddler granddaughter to share.  
**JJF (Toddler)**
- Stein, Mathilde. **Mine!** 2007. Charlotte finds a very rude ghost at their house, but after she teaches him how to share, he is a delightful character.
- Sullivan, Sarah. **Root Beer and Banana.** 2005. Molly can't decide between two popsicle flavors one hot summer day, but with some quiet help from Granddaddy, Molly makes just the right choice and ends up with something even better than two popsicles.
- Tripp, Valerie. **The Fair-Share Pair.** 2005. Connor and Logan have no troubles sharing a red toy car during recess until Logan decides to play with it in the mud and neat Connor determines to hide the vehicle from his messy classmate. **JER-3 Tripp**
- Vere, Ed. **Banana!** 2010. In a book about sharing and manners, two monkeys have a dilemma when there is only one banana to share.
- Willems, Mo. **The Pigeon Finds a Hot Dog.** 2004. Pigeon learns about sharing when a curious duckling keeps asking questions about the hot dog Pigeon has found.
- Wolff, Ferida. **The Story Blanket.** 2008. With no wool to be found in the village, Babba Zarrah, the storyteller, starts unraveling her story blanket bit by bit, to secretly supply the needs of the community, and when the villagers realize what is happening, they return the favor.
- Ziefert, Harriet. **Rabbit and Hare Divide an Apple.** 1998. Because both Rabbit and Hare insist on having the larger piece of mushroom, they lose the whole thing to a sly skunk. This teaches them an important lesson when it comes time to share an apple. **JER-2 Ziefert**