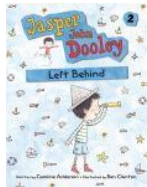


## GRADE TWO

### Chapter Books

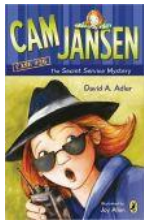
Not every second grader is ready for chapter books, but some are. Some children can read well enough to read chapter books, but aren't quite ready to read a book that seems so thick. This is okay! Wait until they are interested. If you push too soon, they might want to stop reading. If your child is ready, here are some series to try.



#### **Jasper John Dooley series**

Caroline Adderson

Jasper John Dooley is an only child who can turn the ordinary into the extraordinary.



#### **Cam Jansen series**

David Adler

Cam Jansen is a detective with a special skill—a photographic memory. She remembers everything she sees! Join Cam to see how she solves crimes with her special skill.



#### **Flat Stanley**

Jeff Brown

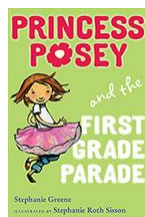
Stanley started out like any other boy, but now he has a problem—he's only an inch thick!



#### **Heidi Heckelbeck series**

Wanda Coven

Join Heidi as she begins to negotiate the world of school and friendships.



#### **Princess Posey series**

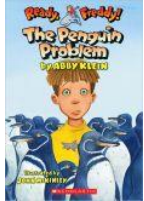
Stephanie Greene

Posey is a first grader getting used to being a big kid: getting dropped off at school, being brave in the dark, and being a good friend.



**Boris series**  
Andrew Joyner

Boris lives with his mom and his dad and is always looking for the next adventure. Cartoon-style.



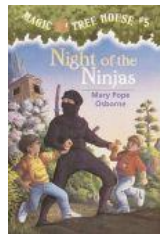
**Ready, Freddy!**  
Abby Klein

Follow the adventures of Freddy Thresher and his first grade class.



**Horrible Harry**  
Suzie Klein

Horrible Harry is the world's best second grade detective—at least, he thinks so!



**Magic Tree House series**  
Mary Pope Osborne

Jack (age 8) and his sister Annie (age 7) discovered a magic book-filled tree house in the woods. When they open a book and point to a picture, they travel to that time and place and have an adventure!



**Junie B. Jones series**  
Barbara Park

Junie B. Jones is a spirited kindergartener/first grader (depending on which title you choose). Join her as she negotiates the world of school and friendships. Humorous.



### **Jigsaw Jones series**

James Preller

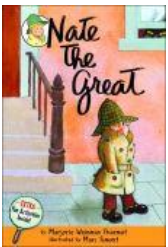
Jigsaw Jones solves all the mysteries in his neighborhood.



### **A to Z Mysteries**

Ron Roy

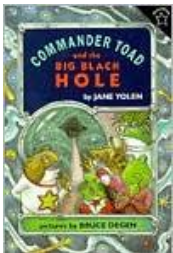
Meet Josh, Dink, and Ruth Rose, best friends and detectives. They work together to solve mysteries in their hometown. There is one mystery for each letter of the alphabet, as well as some spin-off titles.



### **Nate the Great**

Marjorie Weinman Sharmat

Meet Nate the Great, his dog Sludge, and his neighbors Oliver and Rosamond, as Nate solves the many mysteries that crop up around town.



### **Commander Toad**

Jane Yolen

Join Commander Toad as he pilots his ship through space, battling space pirates and visiting black holes.