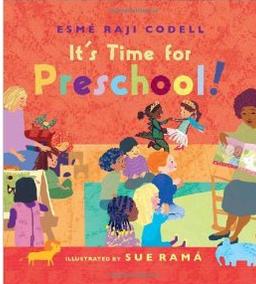


Back To School titles [kids]

JE Picture Books:

- **Codel, Esme Raji** : ***It's Time for Pre-School!*** : Introduces typical activities a child might encounter at preschool, with bright eye-catching pictures.



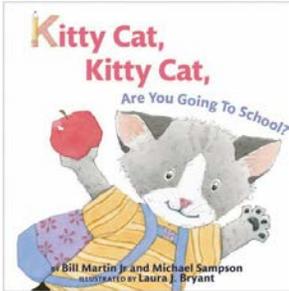
- **Ganz-Schmidt, Sue** : ***Planet Kindergarten*** : This clever picture book will prepare young explorers to boldly go where they have never gone before: Planet Kindergarten. Suit up for a daring adventure as our hero navigates the unknown reaches and alien inhabitants of this strange new world.



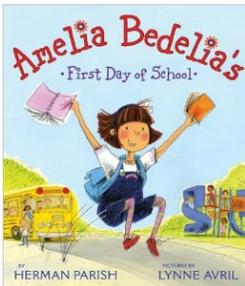
- **Buzzeo, Toni** : ***Adventure Annie Goes to Kindergarten*** : Even though there are rules to follow, a little girl who loves adventure has an exciting first day of kindergarten.



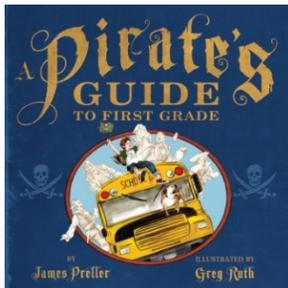
- **Martin, Bill** : ***Kitty Cat, Kitty Cat Are You Going to School?*** : On the first day of school, Kitty Cat discovers that there are lots of things to enjoy. He plays, he enjoys a snack, he paints, he sings, he listens to a story, and he shares something special during show-and-tell.



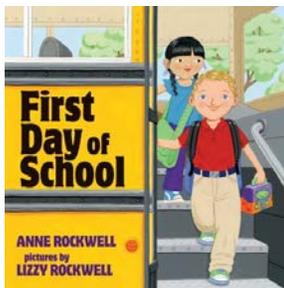
- **Parish, Herman** : ***Amelia Bedelia's First Day of School*** : A literal-minded first-grader's first day of school is filled with confusing adventures, much to her [and our] delight.



- **Preller, James** : ***A Pirate's Guide to First Grade*** : Arr! It's the first day of first grade, and it's all hands on deck for a young pirate and his crew. How much trouble can they get into? What will they do at recess? And, most important, what treasure awaits them at school?

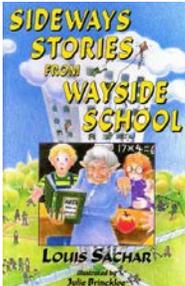


- **Rockwell, Anne F.** : ***First Day of School*** : The kids from Mrs. Madoff's classroom--"a charmed place" (Kirkus Reviews)--are preparing for a brand-new school year! The first day of school is full of new things. New is exciting! But it can also be scary. What will school be like this year?

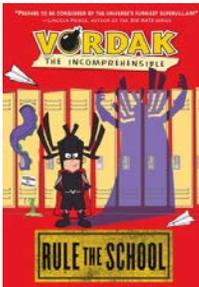


Older kids (J Fiction)

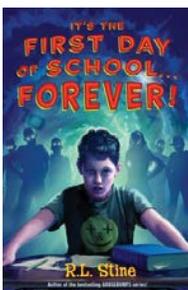
- **Sachar, Louis** : ***Sideways Stories from Wayside School*** : Humorously kooky episodes from the classroom on the thirtieth floor of Wayside School, which was accidentally built sideways with one classroom on each story.



- **Seegert, Scott** : ***Rule the School*** : When one of his experiments makes supervillain Vordak the Incomprehensible younger, he comes out of retirement to launch his latest attempt to defeat Commander Virtue and rule the world, starting with Farding Junior High School.



Stine, R. L. : ***It's the First Day of School.. Forever!*** : Everything goes wrong for eleven-year-old Artie on his first day at Ardmore Middle School, from the moment his alarm goes off until the next morning, when everything is repeated exactly the same way.



Middle School Survival Handbook series

- **Meyer, Terry Teague** : ***Navigating a New School*** [nonfiction TEEN373.23]: The first day of school in a new middle school can be overwhelming and bewildering - the maze of hallways, the hundreds of identical lockers, the locker combinations and sticky locks, the far-flung classrooms, the many teachers, the lunchroom full of unfamiliar faces. Anxiety over the strangeness and

newness of all this can be running high, and making the transition from scared new student to supremely confident and self-assured middle schooler can take some time. Reduce the stress and ease and shorten the difficult transition. Useful tips regarding orientation, locker organization, time management, choosing a lunch table, and adapting to new situations like increased homework, changing for gym in the locker rooms, and getting from class-to-class between periods, this book will turn even the most trepidatious new student into a seasoned middle school pro in no time.

