



## A Select List of **Brown County Library Children's Books** (Toddler – Early Elementary)

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\* = great for toddlers

### Feeling Angry/Grumpy

[Angry Is...](#) by Connie Colwell Miller

[Cool Down and Work Through Anger](#) by Cheri Meiners

[Emily's Tiger](#) by Miriam Latimer\*

[Feet are not for Kicking](#) (board book) by Elizabeth Verdick\*

[Grumpy Bird](#) by Jeremy Tankard\*

[Hands are not for Hitting](#) (board book & non-fiction editions) by Martine Agassi\*

[I Was So Mad](#) by Mercer Mayer

[Llama, Llama Mad at Mama](#) by Anna Dewdney\*

[Mean Soup](#) by Betsy Everitt

[Mouse was Mad](#) by Linda Urban

[Nobody Notices Minerva](#) by Wednesday Kirwan

[Pete's a Pizza](#) by William Steig\*

[Sometimes I'm Bombaloo](#) by Rachel Vail

[When Sophie Gets Angry...Really, Really Angry](#) by Molly Bang

### Feeling Sad/Frustrated/Jealous

[Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day](#) by Judith Viorst

[Flabbersmashed about You](#) by Rachel Vail

[Leonardo the Terrible Monster](#) by Mo Willems

[Llama, Llama Misses Mama](#) by Anna Dewdney\*

[Miracle Melts Down](#) by Rosemary Wells

[One of those Days](#) by Amy Krouse Rosenthal

[Stuck with the Blooz](#) by Caron Levis

[What about Bear?](#) By Suzanne Bloom\*

[What's Wrong, Little Pookie?](#) (board book) by Sandra Boynton\*

### Feeling Scared/Worried

[Absolutely Not](#) by Matthew McElligott

[Dinosaur Thunder](#) by Marion Dane Bauer\*

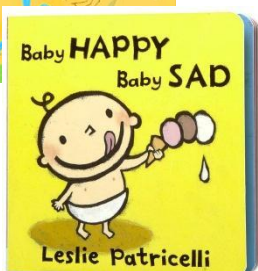
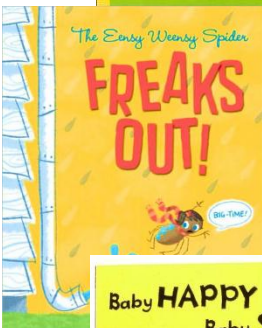
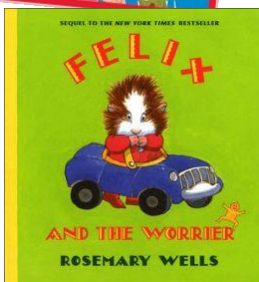
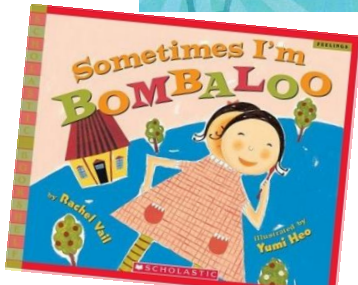
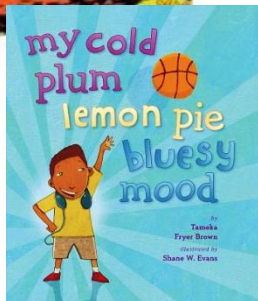
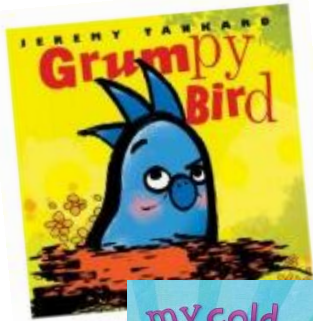
[The Eensy Weensy Spider Freaks Out!](#) by Troy Cummings

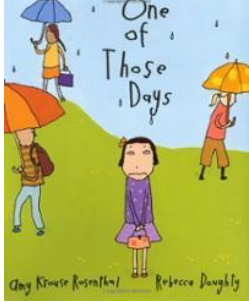
[Felix and the Worrier](#) by Rosemary Wells\*

[I'm a Shark!](#) by Bob Shea

*Big bold shark's favorite hobby is listing the myriad things he is not afraid of. In fact, our amusing friend is downright pompous. However, behind that overconfident exterior, Shark hides a secret that will soon be revealed; there **is** something he is afraid of, something very small and very unlikely...*

*Children ages 3 to 6 will be amused and reassured by shark's false bravado.*





*After all, if the King of the Sea is sometimes scared, then having a fear or two is totally normal.*

[Little Mouse's Big Book of Fears](#) by Emily Gravett

[Llama, Llama Red Pajama](#) by Anna Dewdney

[Ready for Anything](#) by Keiko Kasza\*

[Sam is Never Scared](#) by Thierry Robberecht

[Scared Is...](#) by Cheyenne Nichols

[Scaredy Squirrel \(series\)](#) by Melanie Watt

[Silly Billy](#) by Anthony Browne

[Something Might Happen](#) by Helen Lester

[Sophie's Fish](#) by A.E. Cannon

[There's a Nightmare in My Closet](#) by Mercer Mayer

[Wemberly Worried](#) by Kevin Henkes

[Willoughby and the Moon](#) by Craig Foley

### **Feeling Shy/Lonely**

[The Boys](#) by Jeff Newman

[David's Drawings](#) by Cathryn Falwell

[Louder, Lili](#) by Jennifer Chodlenko

[Poindexter Makes a Friend](#) by Mike Twohy

[Say Hello](#) by Jack Foreman

[Shrinking Violet](#) by Cari Best

[The Quiet Place](#) by Sarah Stewart

[A Very Big Bunny](#) by Marisabina Russo

[When No One is Watching](#) by Eileen Spinelli

[Willow's Whispers](#) by Lana Button

### **Feeling Silly/Happy**

[Ducks Don't Wear Socks](#) by John Nedwidek

[The Feel Good Book](#) by Todd Parr

*Todd Parr's trademark ultra-bright, ultra-bold illustrations fuse seamlessly with kid-delighting, often hilarious text. Parr's morale-boosting tips range from the kind (showing a new kid the ropes), to the invigorating (snow on the tongue), to the silly (taking a nap with a giant stuffed animal) and even the unexpected (letting yourself cry if you need to). This take-charge guide to contentment is a must read for ages 3-7.*

[Get Happy](#) by Malachy Doyle\*

[Happy Is...](#) by Connie Miller

[Happy to You!](#) by Caron Cohen\*

[Pete the Cat and his Four Groovy Buttons](#) by Pete Litwin

[Polly Molly Woof Woof](#) by Lloyd David

[Silly \(How I Feel series\)](#) by Marcia Leonard

[Taking a Bath with the Dog and Other Things that Make Me Happy](#) by Scott Melchin

### **Lots of Feelings**

[About a Bear](#) by Holly Surplice\*

[Algunas Veces](#) (beginning reader in Spanish) by Keith Baker

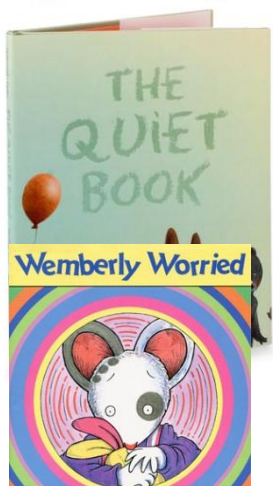
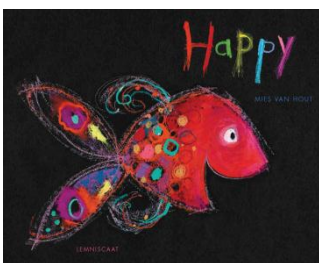
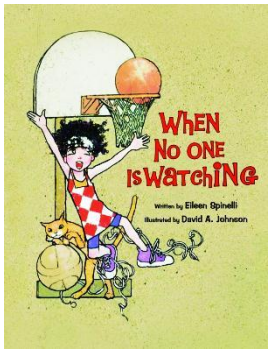
[Baby Giggles](#) (board book) by Rachael Hale

[Baby Happy, Baby Sad](#) (board book) by Leslie Patricelli

[The Feelings Book](#) by Todd Parr\*

[Feelings to Share from A to Z](#) by Todd Snow

[Glad Monster, Sad Monster: A Book of Feelings](#) by Ed Emberley\*





[Happy](#) by Mies van Hout\*

[Happy Hippo, Angry Duck: A Book of Moods](#) (board book) by Sandra Boynton\*

[How Do You Feel?](#) by Anthony Browne\*

[Lots of Feelings](#) by Shelley Rotner\*

[The Loud Book/The Quiet Book](#) by Deborah Underwood

[My Cold Plum Lemon Pie Bluesy Mood](#) by Tameka Fryer Brown

*Jamie, a boy of 6 or 7, describes the emotional ups and downs of a typical day using colors to describe his moods. Although linking colors with emotions is a typical move, the fresh and vivid metaphors Jamie describes are somehow both intriguing and relatable. From the pride of drawing a picture that impresses his devoted little sister, to the frustration and hurt of being teased by his big brothers, Jamie is an appealing narrator. The final scene depicts a warm and lively dinner time scene which restores Jamie to a "first bite of a juicy cold plum" state of contentment. For ages 4-7.*

[My Many Colored Days](#) by Dr. Seuss

[Shy Spaghetti and Excited Eggs](#) by Mark Nemiroff

[Sourpuss and Sweetie Pie](#) by Norman Juster

[Today I Feel Silly and Other Moods that Make My Day](#) by Jamie Lee Curtis

[Walter was Worried](#) by Laura Vaccaro Seeger

[The Way I Feel/Asi es Como Mi Siento](#) by Janan Cain

## Helpful Books for Parents

[Ain't Misbehavin': Tactics for Tantrums, Meltdowns, Bedtime Blues and other Perfectly Normal Kid Behaviors](#) by Alyson Schaefer

[Building Emotional Intelligence: Techniques to Cultivate Inner Strength in Children](#) by Linda Lantieri

[Growing Up Brave: Expert Strategies for Helping Your Child Overcome Fear, Stress, and Anxiety](#) by Donna Pincus

[Freeing your Child from Negative Thinking](#) by Tamar Chansky

[Helping Your Anxious Child: A Step-by-Step Guide for Parents](#) by Ronald Rapee

[The Highly Sensitive Child](#) by Elaine Aron

[Parenting a Child who has Intense Emotions](#) by Pat Harvey

[Parenting without Power Struggles](#) by Susan Stiffelman

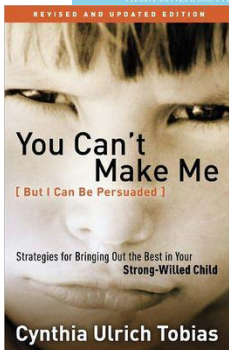
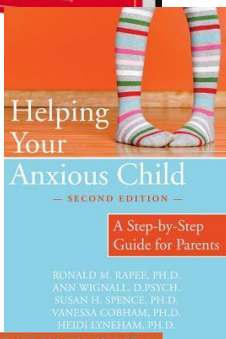
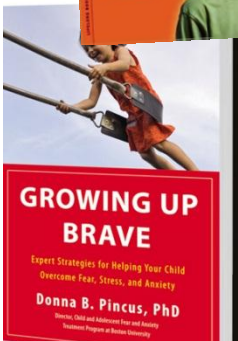
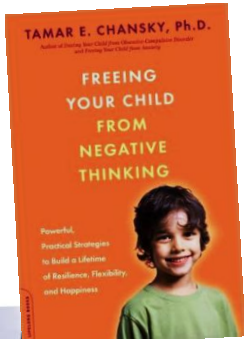
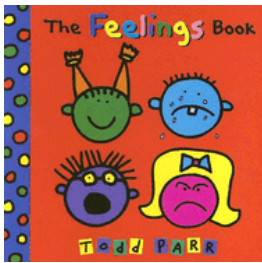
[The Resilient Child](#) by George Everly

[The Shyness Breakthrough](#) by Bernardo Carducci

[What to Do when You Grumble Too Much: A Kid's Guide to Overcoming Negativity](#) by Dawn Huebner

[What to Do when Your Temper Flares: A Kid's Guide to Overcoming Problems with Anger](#) by Dawn Huebner

[You Can't Make Me \(But I Can Be Persuaded\): Strategies for Bringing out the Best in Your Strong-Willed Child](#) by Cynthia Ulrich Tobias



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