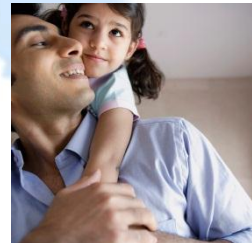




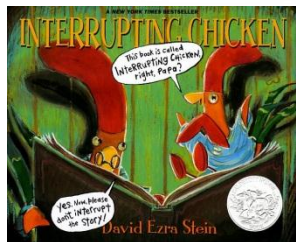
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## Celebrate Dads and Grandpas: Picture Books

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

Click on each title below to see the library's catalog record. Then click on the title in the record for details, current availability, or to place a hold. For additional books and items on this theme, ask your librarian or search the library's online catalog.



\*=toddler time

[Abuelo](#) by Arthur Dorros

[The Apple Pie that Papa Baked](#) by Lauren Thompson

[Are the Dinosaurs Dead, Dad?](#) by Julie Middleton

[The Bear's Song](#) by Benjamin Chaud

[Catch that Baby!](#) by Nancy Coffelt\*

[Creak! Said the Bed](#) by Phyllis Root

[Crouching Tiger](#) by Ying Chang Compestine

[Daddies](#) by Lila Prap\*

[Daddy Hugs](#) by Nancy Tafuri\*

[Daddy Hugs 123](#) by Karen Katz \*

[Daddy's Zigzagging Bedtime](#) Story by Alan Sitomer

[Down the Back of the Chair](#) by Margaret Mahy

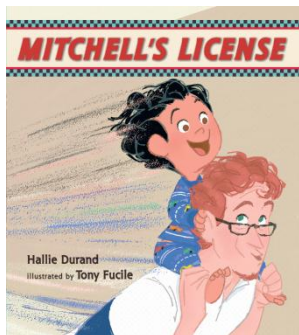
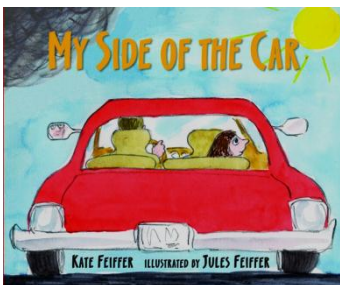
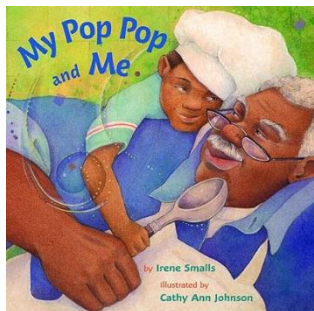
[Druthers](#) by Matt Phelan

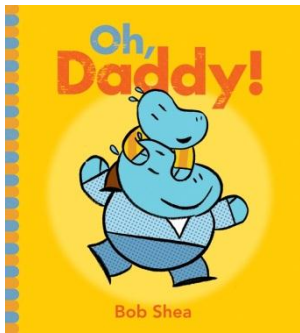
[Enemy Pie](#) by Derek Munson

*The narrator of this story, a boy of 7 or 8, needs his dad's help in dealing with an "enemy." A new kid, Jeremy Ross, has moved in next door and never invites him over and is a bad sport during baseball games. Luckily, our main character's trustworthy dad has a top-secret recipe for "enemy pie." Unfortunately, part of the recipe involves spending the entire day with the enemy before inviting him over for a slice. The narrator realizes, after spending the day with Jeremy, that his enemy is actually not that bad. What's inside Dad's enemy pie? The surprising answer proves that the dad in this book is both wise and cool. Kindergartners-3<sup>rd</sup> graders are the ideal audience for this easy-going character education tale.*

[Every Friday](#) by Dan Yaccarino

[Faster, Faster!](#) by Leslie Patricelli\*





[Following Papa's Song](#) by Gianna Marino

[Giddy-Up, Daddy!](#) by Troy Cummings

[Go-Go Gorillas](#) by Julie Durango

[The Grandpa Book](#) by Todd Parr

[Grandpa Green](#) by Lane Smith

[Grandpa's Overalls](#) by Tony Crunk

[Has Anyone Seen My Emily Greene?](#) by Norma Fox Mazer

[The Hello, Goodbye Window](#) by Norman Juster

[Hero Dad](#) by Melinda Hardin

[How to Babysit a Grandpa](#) by Jean Reagan

[How to Cheer Up Dad](#) by Fred Koehler

[How to Surprise a Dad](#) by Jean Reagan

[The Haunted Hamburger and Other Ghostly Stories](#) by David LaRochelle

[Hug a Bull: An Ode to Animal Dads](#) by Aaron Zenz\*

[I Love My Pirate Papa](#) by Laura Leuck

[Interrupting Chicken](#) by David Ezra Stein

*Papa chicken attempts to read some bedtime stories to his exuberant daughter, but she is the interrupting type. Little Chicken knows the endings to all the fairytales and she doesn't care for them, so she likes to warn her favorite characters of the dangers ahead. Perfect for children who like to insert themselves into their favorite stories, and the patient storytellers who love them!*

[Jitterbug Jam](#) by Barbara Jean Hicks

[Just Like My Papa](#) by Toni Buzzeo

[La Luna](#) by Kiki Thorpe

[Kevin and His Dad](#) by Irene Smalls

[Knuffle Bunny](#) (series) by Mo Willems

[Lola Loves Stories](#) by Anna McQuinn

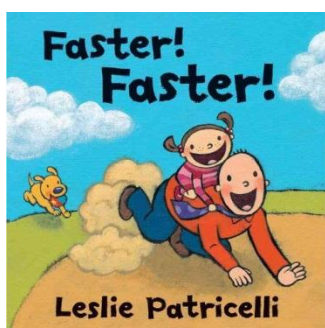
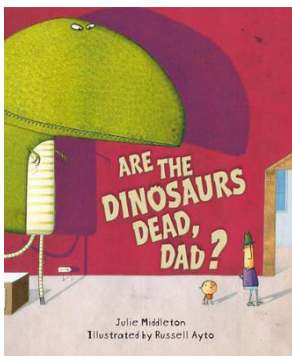
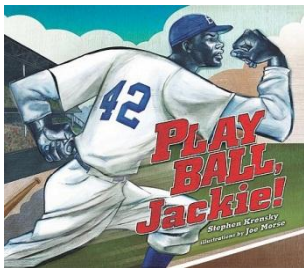
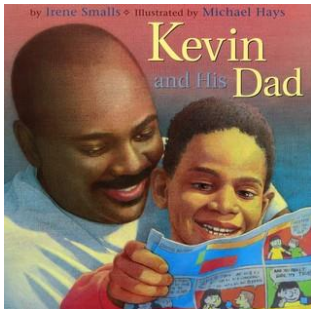
[A Lullaby for Little One](#) by Dawn Casey

[The Magic Brush](#) by Kat Yeh

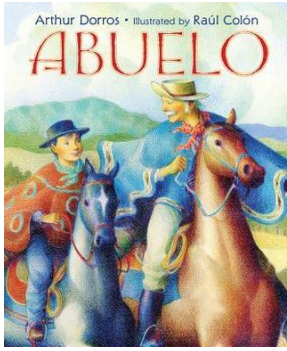
[The Matatu](#) by Eric Walter

[The Matchbox Diary](#) by Paul Fleischman ages 6+

[Mighty Dads](#) by Joan Holub\*







[Milk and Cookies / Sand Cake](#) by Frank Asch

[Mitchell's License](#) by Hallie Durand

*Four-year-old Mitchell has found a human race car in his dad. While Mitchell steers his "car" by sitting on Dad's shoulders and tugging dad's hair, dad gamely makes race car noises for an authentic experience. As this exuberant play session continues, Mitchell is consistently ecstatic while dad gets more and more bedraggled. When Mitchell demands a stop at the "gas station," actually the cookie jar, his car morphs back into a bedtime enforcing dad. A great look at creative play and a must for young transportation buffs, this picture book celebrates the dedicated and spirited type of dad.*

[Mister Seahorse](#) by Eric Carle

[Monday is One Day](#) by Arthur Levine

["More More More" Said the Baby](#) by Vera Williams

[My Dad Thinks He's Funny](#) by Katrina Germein

[My Daddy is a Giant](#) by Carl Norac

[My Father Knows the Name of Things](#) by Jane Yolen

[My Grandpa](#) by Marta Altes

[My Pop Pop and Me](#) by Irene Smalls\*

[My Side of the Car](#) by Kate Feiffer

[Nelly Gnu and Daddy Too](#) by Anna Dewdney\*

[Noodle Magic](#) by Roseanne Thong

[Oh, Daddy!](#) by Bob Shea\*

[Old Bear and his Cub](#) by Oliver Dunrea

[Papa, Please Get the Moon for Me](#) by Eric Carle

[Papa's Mechanical Fish](#) by Candace Fleming ages 6+

[Peter's Chair](#) by Ezra Jack Keats

[Pink Me Up](#) by Charise Mericle Harper

[Pirates Don't Change Diapers](#) by Melinda Long

[Play Ball, Jackie!](#) by Stephen Krensky

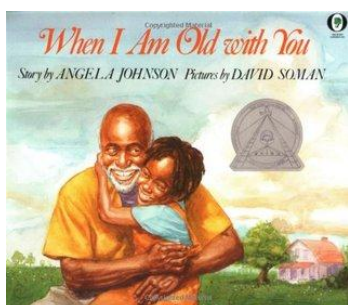
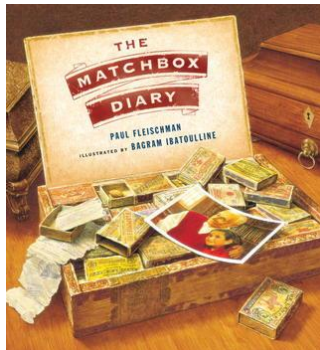
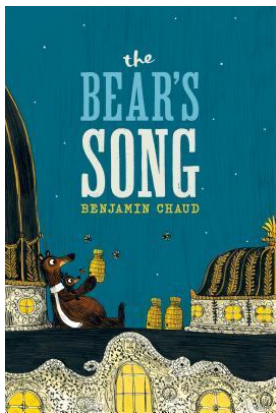
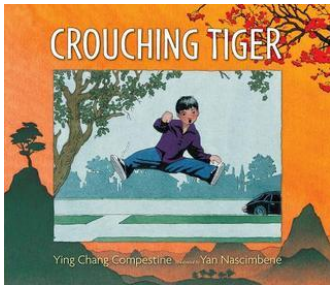
[Sam and his Dad](#) by Serge Bloch

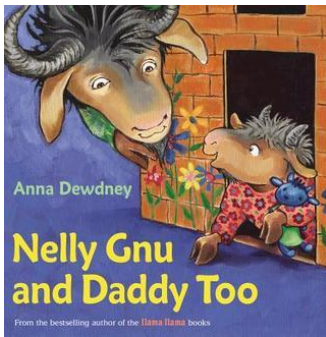
[Send for a Superhero](#) by Michael Rosen

[Take Me out to the Yakyu](#) by Aaron Meshon

[Tea with Grandpa](#) by Barney Saltzberg

[There, There](#) by Sam McBratney





[This is the Van that Dad Cleaned](#) by Lisa Ernst Campbell

[Too Much Glue](#) by Jason Lefebvre

[The Top Job](#) by Elizabeth Cody Kimmel

[When a Dad says "I Love You"](#) by Douglas Wood

[When Charley Met Grampa](#) by Amy Hest

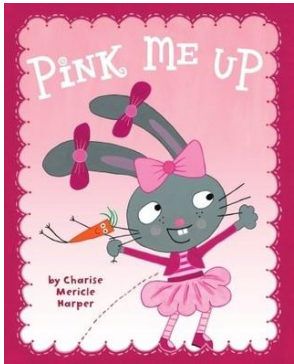
[When Dads Don't Grow Up](#) by Marjorie Parker

[When I am Old with You](#) by Angela Johnson

[William's Doll](#) by Charlotte Zolotow

[Zachary's Ball](#) by Ned Tavares

[Zoomer](#) by Ned Young



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