Champions of Character Book List

Below are character books for youth (Ages 7-12).

**Integrity**

- **Horton Hatches the Egg** By Dr. Seuss

- **Tadpole’s Promise** By Jeane Willis

- **The Principal’s New Clothes** By Stephanie Calmenson

- **Martin Bridge Ready for Takeoff!** By Jessica Scott

- **Thank You, Mr. Falker** By Patricia Polacco

- **Silent to The Bone** By E.L. Konigburg

- **I Did It, I’m Sorry** By Caralyn Buehner

- **Being Fair: A Book about Fairness** By Mary Small
The Golden Rule By Ilene Cooper

Do Unto Otters: A Book About Manners By Laurie Keller

The Boy Who Cried Ninja By Alex Latimer

Scapegoat: The Story of a Goat Named Oat and a Chewed-Up Coat By Dean Hale

Should I Share My Ice Cream? By Mo Willems

The Berenstain Bears and the Double Dare

The Big Tee Ball Game By Larry Dane Brimmer

A Perfectly Messed-up Story By McDonnell
Respect

Being Respectful By Mary Small

Swish! By Bill Martin Jr. and Michael Sampson

Small Fry By Jaime Adoff

I Like Myself! By Karen Beaumont

Better Than You By Trudy Ludwig

Big Feats By Jeff Botch

Respect and Take Care of Things By Cheri Meiners

Superduper Teddy By Johanna Hurwitz
Meet M and M By Pat Ross
The Happy Lion By Louise Fatio
A Special Trade By Sally Wittman
Everyone Matters: A First Look at Respect for Others By Pat Thomas
Arthur’s Eyes By Marc Brown
The Berenstain Bears Forget Their Manners By Stan & Jan Berenstain
The Sandwich Shop By Queen Rania of Jordan Al Abdullah
Squid and Pickles By Jeff Dinardo
Responsibility
The Saturday Escape By Daniel Mahoney

Who Spilled the Milk? By Harriet Ziefert

The Blame Game By Stan Berenstain

Katy and The Big Snow By Virginia Lee Burton

It's Not My Fault By Nancy Carlson

I Just Forgot By Mercer Mayer

Alone in His Teacher's House

Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile By Bernard Waber
The Family Under the Bridge By Natalie Savage Carlson

All Alone By Claire Huchet Bishop

The Moffats By Eleanor Estes

If You Had to Choose, What Would You Do? By Sandra McLead Humphrey

Froggy Gets a Doggy By Jonathan London

What If Everybody Did That?

Do I Have To?: Kids Talk About Responsibility By Nancy Loewen

It Wasn’t My Fault By Helen Lester
Sportsmanship

Fancy Nancy and the Mean Girl by Jane O'Connor

Olympig! by Victoria Jamieson

Howard B. Wigglebottom Learns About Sportsmanship: Winning Isn't Everything by Howard Binkow

It's a Good Game, Dear Dragon by Margaret Hillert

Time for T-Ball by Alyson Heller

The Ball Hogs by Rich Wallace

Brendan and Belinda and the Slam Dunk by Anne Rockwell

After School Sports Club Soccer Day by Alyson Heller
After School Sports Club Touchdown! By Alyson Heller

After School Sports Club Let’s Go Skating! By Alyson Heller

Franklin Plays The Game By Paulette Bourgeois

Pete the Cat: Play Ball! By James Dean

The Berenstain Bears Play a Good Game By Jan Berenstain

A Children’s Book About Being a Bad Sport By Joy wilt Berry

Bat’s Gig Game By Margaret Read McDonald

Katie Catz Makes a Splash By Anne Rockwell
Servant Leadership

Stand Tall Molly Lou Melon By Patti Lovell

Tacky the Penguin By Helen Lester

Click Clack Moo By Doreen Cronin

You Forgot Your Skirt Amelia Bloomer By Shana Corey

Last Stop on Market Street By Matt de la Pena

Sisters in Strength By Yona McDonough

Sweet Clara and the Freedom Quilt By Deborah Hopkinson

Little Blue Truck By Alice Schertle
Saving the Team By Alex Morgan