

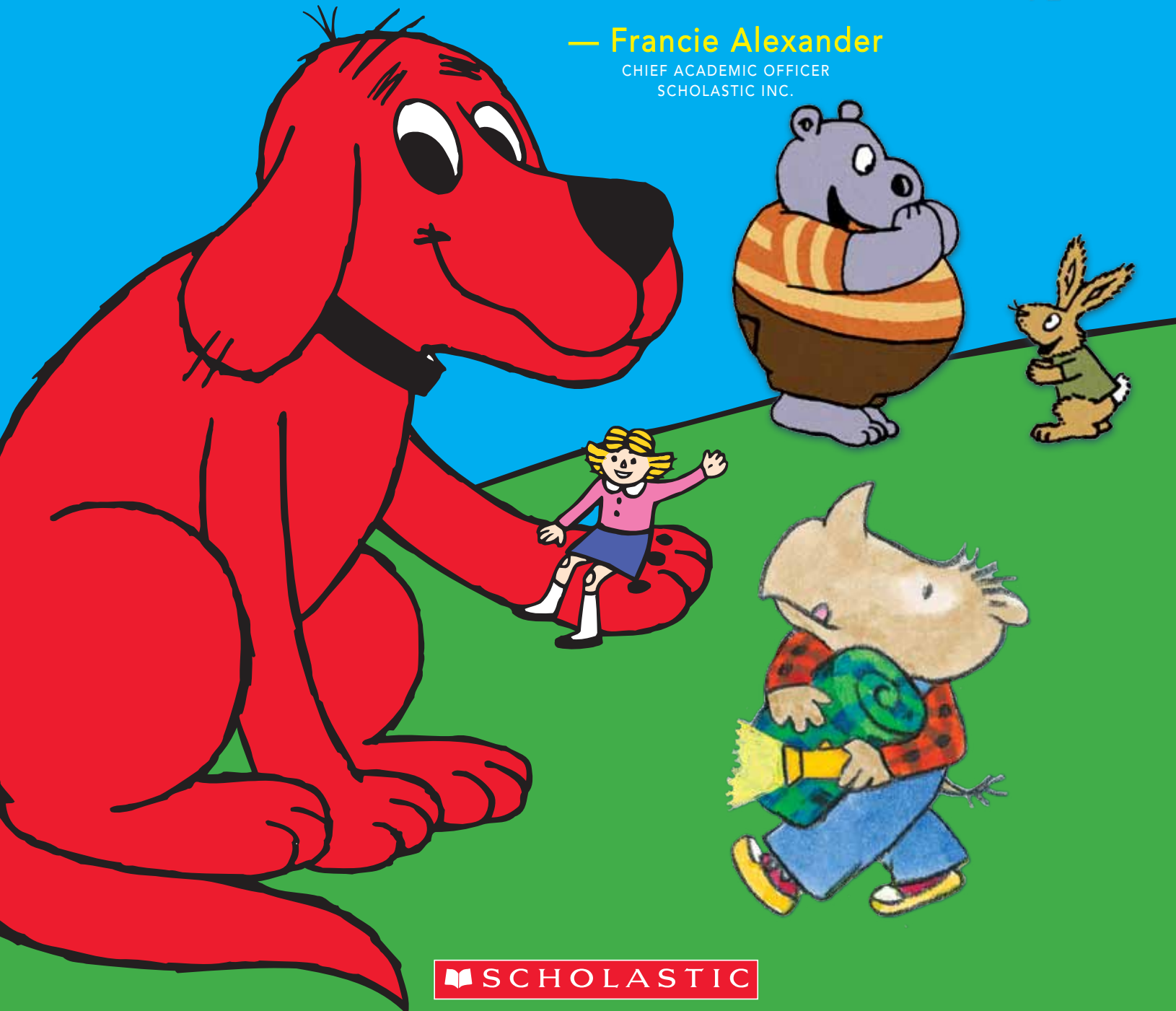
A GUIDE TO SCHOLASTIC READERS



"Scholastic Readers are designed to support your child's efforts to learn how to read at every age and every stage. Enjoy helping your child learn to read and love to read."

— Francie Alexander

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Why Scholastic Readers?

The Most Trusted Name In Learning®, Scholastic has 90 years of experience working with teachers, parents, and children.



Who is Francie Alexander and why does she read ALL of Scholastic's Readers before they go to print?

FRANCIE ALEXANDER is the **Senior Vice President of Scholastic Education and Chief Academic Officer of Scholastic Inc.** A distinguished thought leader in education research and policy, Francie oversees the Scholastic Education research and evaluation team, ensuring the qualitative validation of all of the company's educational products and programs. She currently serves on two PBS Advisory Boards and the Steering Committee for the School Management Program at UCLA.

She is a former member of the National Assessment Governing Board, which oversees the National Assessment of Educational Progress, widely known as "The Nation's Report Card." She also represented business and industry on the steering committee for the NAEP Reading Framework 2009. She recently advised the Institute for Museum and Library Science (IMLS) on the Youth Action Initiative. Prior to her time at Scholastic, Francie held key positions in both state and federal education agencies, including serving

as Deputy Assistant Secretary for the U.S. Department of Education, where she led department-sponsored standards efforts, ran campaigns in support of libraries and the arts, and developed a series of guides to help parents help their children learn.

Francie's work is grounded in the classroom, and she has taught students from kindergarten to college. **Francie reads every Reader and is responsible for leveling each of them.**

Four Easy-to-Understand Levels

Scholastic Readers use innovative approaches to support each child's efforts to learn how to read at every age and every stage. With exciting nonfiction, and favorite authors, illustrators, and characters, Scholastic Readers are designed to fit each child's interests and skills.

FIRST READER
PRE 1
LEVEL 1
30-100 WORDS
ABC's & first words.

BEGINNING READER
1
LEVEL 1
50-250 WORDS
Sight words, words to sound out & simple sentences.

DEVELOPING READER
2
LEVEL 2
250-750 WORDS
New vocabulary & longer sentences.

GROWING READER
3
LEVEL 3
700-1500 WORDS
Reading for inspiration & information.

Based on the best research about how children learn to read, **Scholastic Readers** are developed under the supervision of reading experts and are educator approved.

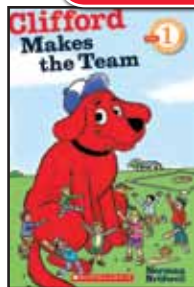
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Pre Level 1	Pre-K	A-D	BR-100L	30-100
Level 1	1	A-I	BR-400L	50-250
Level 2	1-2	A-N	BR-600L	250-750
Level 3	1-3	A-Q	750L	700-1500

Scholastic's Bestselling Readers

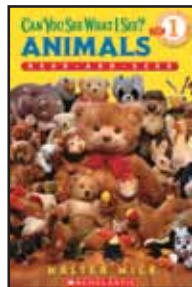
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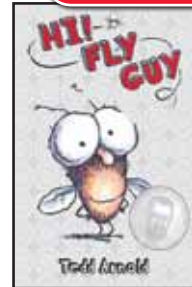
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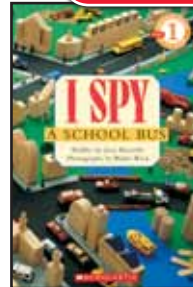
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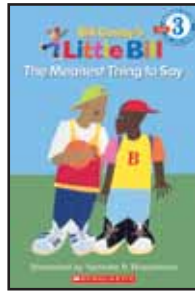


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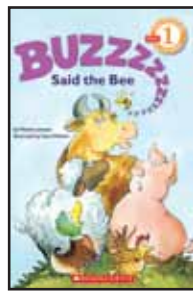
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I Spy books in print

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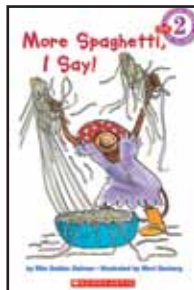
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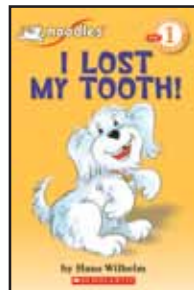
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FIRST READER
PRE 1
LEVEL 1
30-100 WORDS

- ABC's & first words.
- Simple storylines.



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LEVEL 1
50-250 WORDS

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- Familiar situations and topics.



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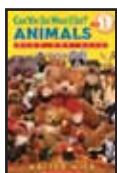
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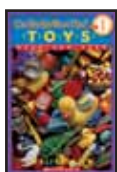
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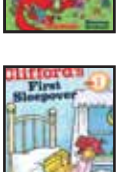
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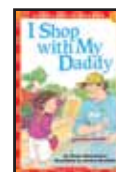
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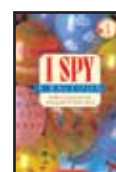
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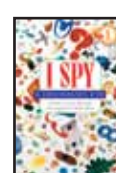
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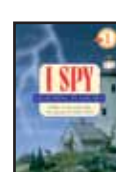
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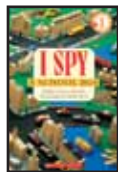
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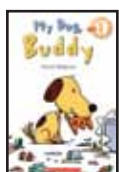
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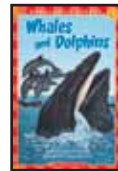
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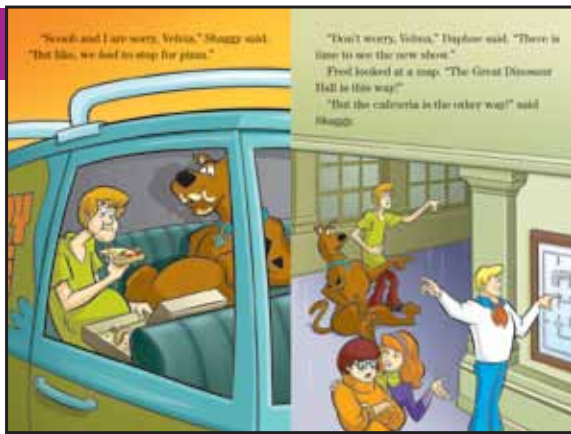


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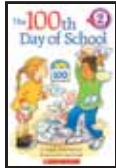
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LEVEL 2
 250-750 WORDS

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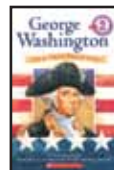
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LEVEL 3
700-1500 WORDS

- Reading for inspiration & information.
- Stories with multiple episodes and chapters.



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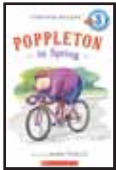
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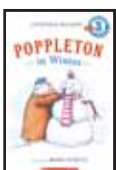
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