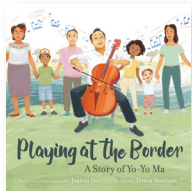


Reading Is Fundamental has curated a list of books to help students/children further explore the theme of Compassion. Use this recommended book list to help your students/children continue their discovery about this topic in school and at home. For additional resources to support these titles, visit www.RIF.org/Literacy-Central/Collections/Compassion.



**Playing at the Border:
A Story of Yo-Yo Ma**

Author: Joanna Ho
Illustrator: Teresa Martinez
Grades: PK-3



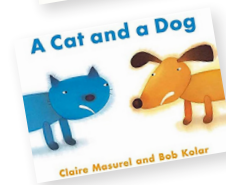
The Rabbit Listened

Author & Illustrator: Cori Doerrfeld
Grades: PK-1



Boy + Bot

Author: Ame Dyckman
Illustrator: Dan Yaccarino
Grades: PK-K



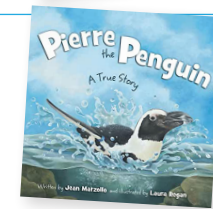
A Cat and a Dog

Author: Claire Masurel
Illustrator: Bob Kolar
Grades: PK-3



Little Owl Lost

Author & Illustrator: Chris Haughton
Grades: PK-K



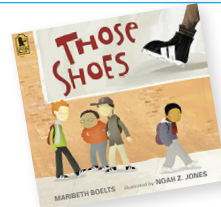
Pierre the Penguin

Author: Jean Marzollo
Illustrator: Laura Regan
Grades: PK-3



Be Kind

Author: Pat Zietlow Miller
Illustrator: Jen Hill
Grades: PK-1



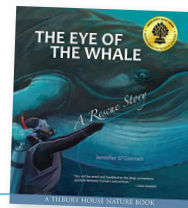
Those Shoes

Author: Maribeth Boelts
Illustrator: Noah Z. Jones
Grades: K-3



Pass It On!

Author: Marylyn Sadler
Illustrator: Michael Slack
Grades: PK-1



The Eye of the Whale

Author & Illustrator:
Jennifer O'Connell
Grades: 2-6

Discussion questions for any recommended book listed above:

1. What was the most compassionate action taken in the book you read?
2. What are some very big ways people show compassion?
3. What are some very small ways people show compassion?
4. Can you remember a time you felt compassion for someone else? How did it feel? What did you do, if anything?
5. What is the most compassionate thing anyone has ever done for you? How did it feel?