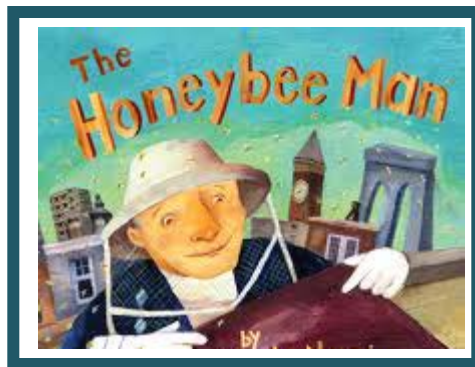


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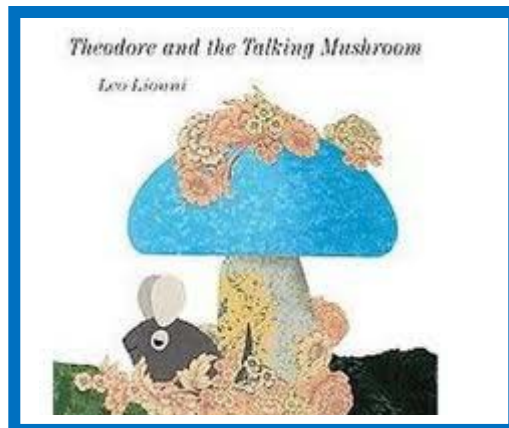
September - The Honeybee Man, by Lela Nargi and Kyrsten Brooker

The story of an urban beekeeper and the magic of making honey; In honor of National Honey Month.



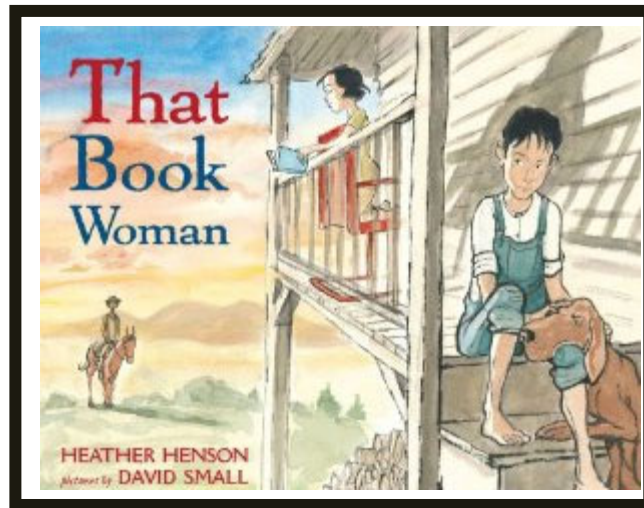
October - Theodore and the Talking Mushroom, by Leo Lionni.

A fable about the consequences of lying.



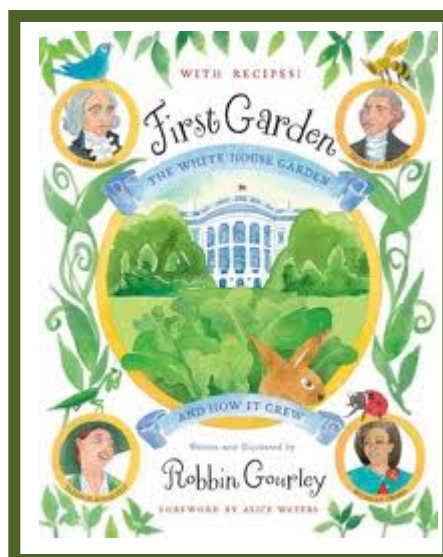
November - That Book Woman, by Heather Henson

A tale which honors the librarians who helped children become lifetime readers.



December - First Garden, by Robbin Gourley

The book combines history with the story of home, community, gardening and cooking with local produce.



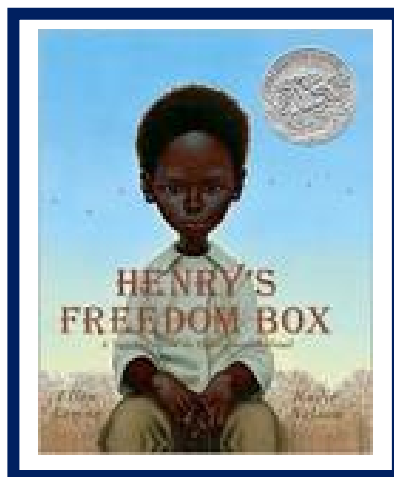
January - The Lion and the Mouse, by Jerry Pinkney

In this wordless picture book, and the winner of the 2010 Caldecott Medal, is a fable that tells how determination, hard work and no act of kindness is ever wasted and that even small creatures are capable of great deeds.



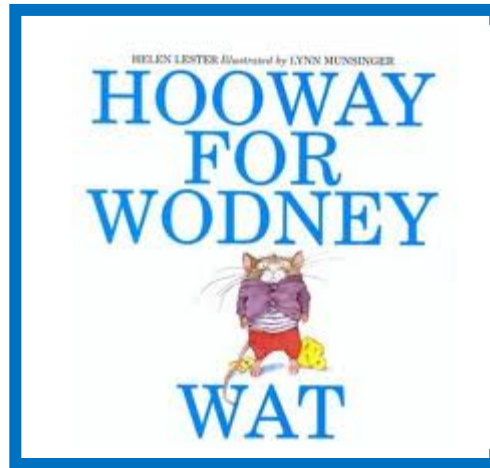
February - Henry's Freedom Box, by Ellen Levine

A story about a daring escape from slavery; in honor of Black History Month,



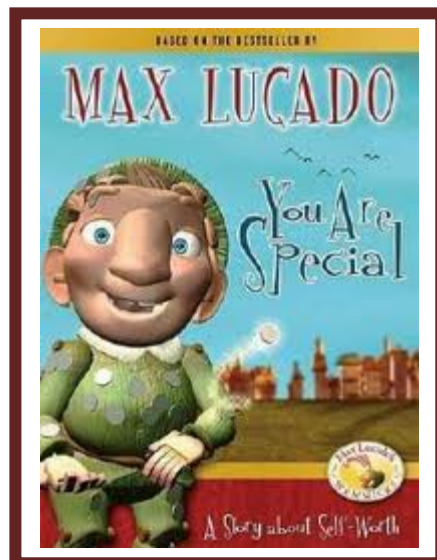
March - Hooway for Wodney Wat, by Helen Lester

An inspirational story about triumph and standing up to bullies.



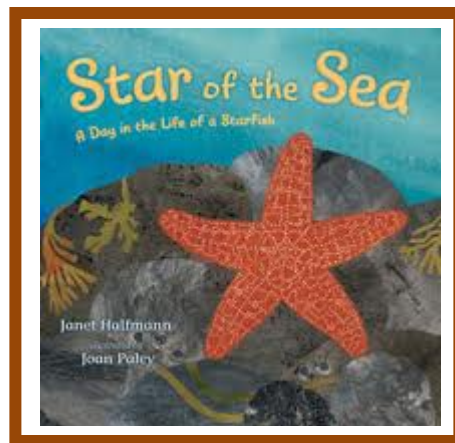
April - You Are Special by Max Lucado

A tender story of self esteem.



May – Star of the Sea, by Janet Halfmann

Through inspiring words and stunning pictures the fascinating, natural world of a small but mighty sea creature is brought to life in this story.



June – Velma Gratch & the Way Cool Butterfly by Alan Madison

A story about butterflies and a timid first grader who undergoes a metamorphosis of her own.

