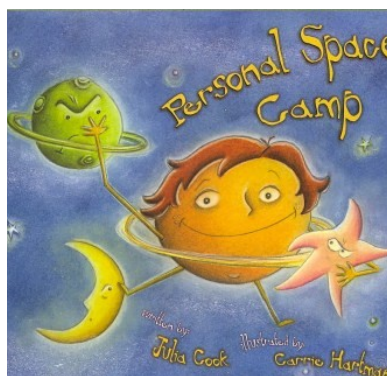


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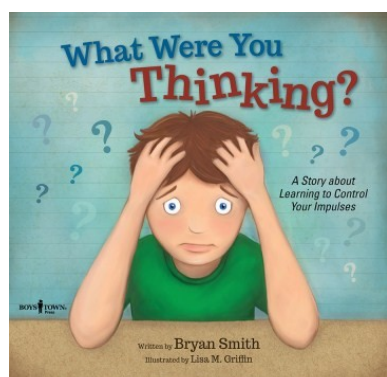
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## Personal Space Camp

by Julia Cook, c2007 (IL: K-3, RL: 3.0)

"When he is invited to the school principal's office for personal space camp, self-proclaimed space expert Louis thinks he is going to learn about the planets, but instead finds out he has been getting too close to his schoolmates." - Follett

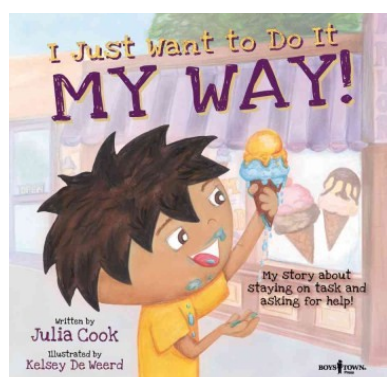


## What Were You Thinking?

Series: *Executive FUNction*

by Bryan Smith, c2016 (IL: K-3, RL: 4.0)

"Third-grader Braden loves to be the center of attention. His comic genius, as he sees it, causes his friends to look at him in awe. But when his ill-timed jokes and actions result in interrupting class or hurting others, it's time for a lesson about impulse control." - Pub.



## I Just Want to Do It My Way

Series: *Best Me I can Be!*

by Julia Cook, c2013 (IL: K-3, RL: 2.7)

"RJ's way of doing things isn't working out for him, especially in math class. His teacher is upset because so many of his assignments are missing or incomplete...With support from his mom and dad, RJ learns how to ask for help and stay on task. By learning how to do things the right way the first time, RJ discovers he no longer has to do his work over and over and over again." - Pub.



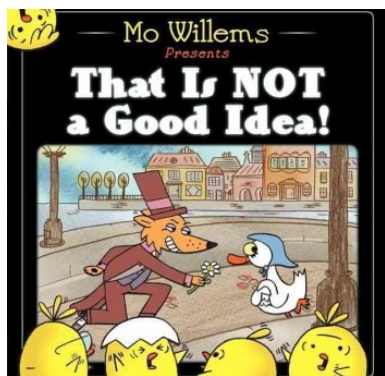
## Why Do We Have to Listen to People We Disagree With?

by Michael Salaka, c2019 (IL: K-3, RL: 4.5)

"It isn't always easy to deal with people we disagree with, but knowing how to listen to other points of view is a critical life skill. In this book, students will learn why respectfully listening to other people's opinions is important for the common good." - Follett

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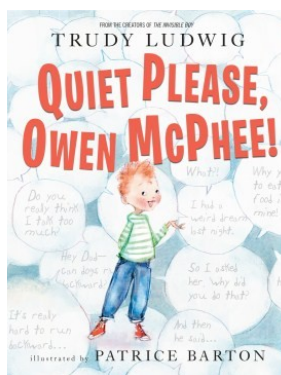
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## That is NOT a Good Idea!

by Mo Willems, c2013 (IL: K-3, RL: 1.4)

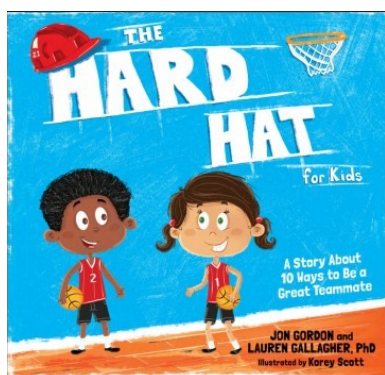
"Illustrations that resemble a silent film tell the story of a plump mama goose who is invited to dinner by a hungry fox while her babies try to warn her that it is a bad idea." - Follett



## Quiet Please, Owen McPhee!

by Trudy Ludwig, c2018 (IL: K-3, RL: 1.8)

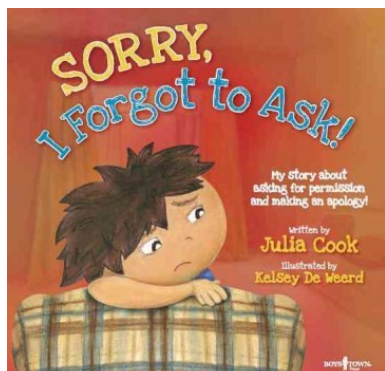
"Owen McPhee doesn't just like to talk, he LOVES to talk. He spends every waking minute chattering away at his teachers, his classmates, his parents, his dog, and even *himself*. But all that talking can get in the way of listening. And when Owen wakes up with a bad case of laryngitis, it gives him a much-needed opportunity to hear what others have to say." - Pub.



## The Hard Hat for Kids: A Story About 10 Ways to Be a Great Teammate

by John Gordon, c2019 (IL: K-3, RL: 3.1)

"Mickey is a spunky talented basketball lover who has always dreamed about playing on her school's team. On the first day of practice, she learns of a special award given to the best teammate—and soon discovers that there is a big difference between being the best player and being the best teammate. What follows is a...story about selflessness, hard work, and compassion, and a clear lesson on putting the team first." - Follett



## Sorry, I Forgot to Ask

Series: *Best Me I can Be!*

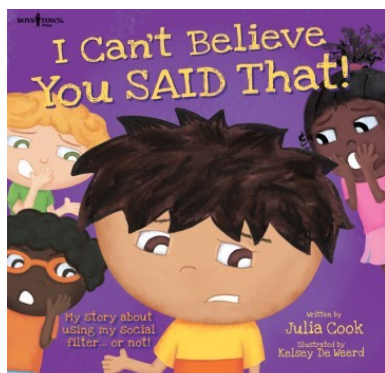
by Julia cook, c2012 (IL: K-3, RL: 2.9)

"R.J. is making a lot of trips to his time-out chair Dad helps him learn how to do a better job of asking for permission, and R.J. feels a lot happier when he says he's sorry." - Pub.



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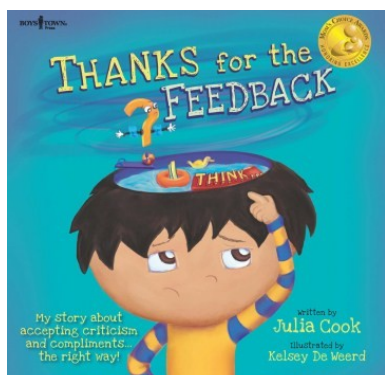


## **I Can't Believe You Said That!**

Series: *Best Me I can Be!*

by Julia Cook, c2014 (IL: K-3, RL: 3.5)

"RJ says what he thinks...no matter how it sounds or makes others feel. It's time RJ starts using a social filter when he speaks. With help from his parents, he learns he doesn't have to verbalize every thought that pops into his head. In fact, sometimes the less said the better." - Pub.

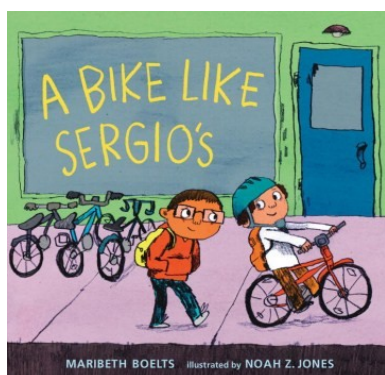


## **Thanks for the Feedback, I Think**

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by Julia Cook, c2013 (IL: K-3, RL: 2.3)

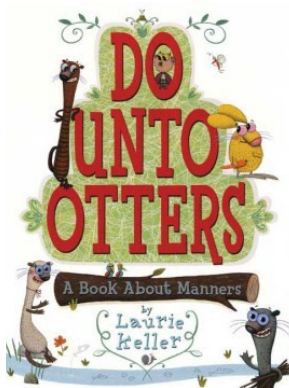
"RJ learns what it means to receive positive and negative feedback, and how to respond appropriately, learning to accept and grow from criticism and compliments at home, school and with friends." - Follett



## **A Bike Like Sergio's**

by Maribeth Boelts, c2016 (IL: K-3, RL: 2.3)

"Finders keepers, right? When Ruben picks up someone's lost money, he finds out how hard it can be to do the right thing. Ruben feels like he is the only kid without a bike...So when Ruben sees a dollar bill fall out of someone's purse, he picks it up and puts it in his pocket. But when he gets home, he discovers it's not one dollar or even five or ten-it's a hundred-dollar bill, more than enough for a new bike just like Sergio's! But what about the crossed-off groceries? And what about the woman who lost her money?" - Pub.



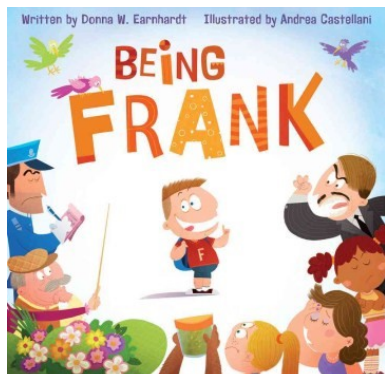
## **Do Unto Otters: A book About Manners**

by Laurie Keller, c2007 (IL: K-3, RL: 2.7)

"Mr. Rabbit worries about getting along with his new neighbors, who are otters, until he is reminded of the Golden Rule." - Follett

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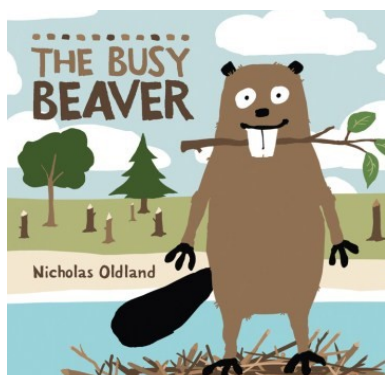
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## **Being Frank**

by Donna Earnhardt, c2012 (IL: K-3, RL: 2.5)

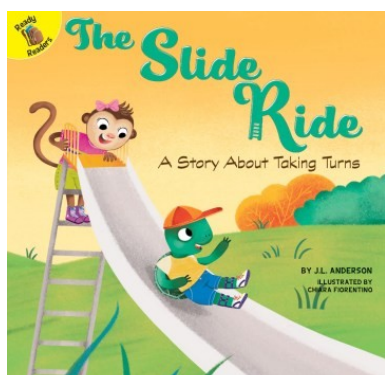
"Frank is proud of his honesty but finds he is upsetting the people around him, and after a visit to Grandpa Ernest, Frank learns the value of both being honest and considering other people's feelings." - Follett



## **The Busy Beaver**

by Nicholas Oldland, c2011 (IL: K-3, RL: 3.8)

"The busy but careless beaver spends his days following random impulses, rarely thinking things through and leaving in his wake a devastated forest filled with stumps, half-nibbled trees and injured, homeless animals...After reflecting on his behavior, he decides to make some changes. Soon, the now wiser and gentler beaver is getting down to the business of making things right, much to the delighted surprise of his forest friends." - Pub.



## **The Slide Ride**

By Jessica Anderson, c2019 (IL: K-3, RL: 1.3)

"Things go downhill at the park when Monkey skips over Turtle on the slide. Monkey and Turtle have much more fun together when they take turns."  
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## **Kids Can Make Manners Count: Taking Turns!**

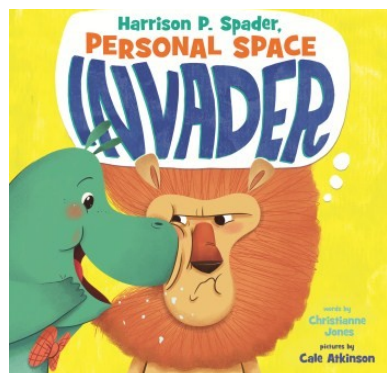
Series: 21st Century Basic Skills Library

by Katie Marisco, c2013 (IL: K-3, RL: 2.2)

"Simple text and photographs explain how taking turns and sharing is a fair thing to do." - Follett

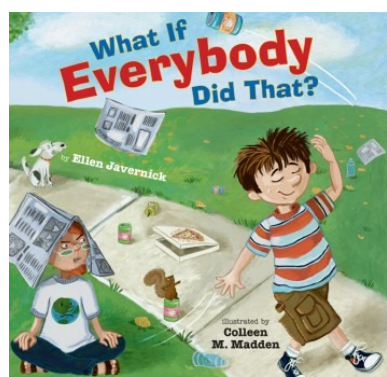
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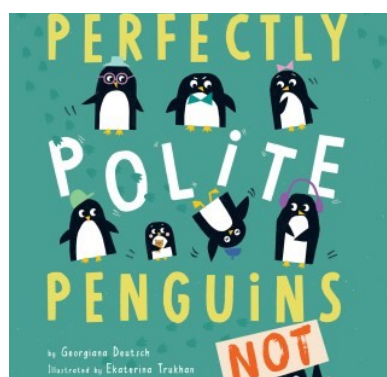
## Harrison P. Spader, Personal Space Invader by Christianne Jones, c2018 (IL: K-3, RL: 2.0)

"Harrison is a boy who loves life and likes to share with others, but as he grows older the people around him are finding that he stands too close and maybe hugs a little too much—until his father teaches him the Space Saver rhyme, a method for determining just the right amount of space to leave between himself and others." - OCLC.



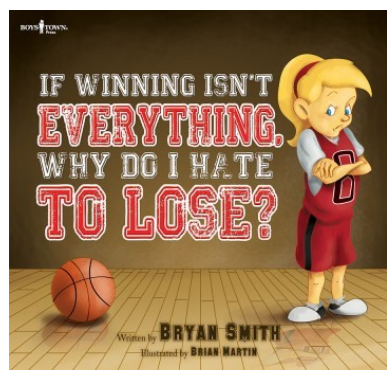
## What If Everybody Did That? by Ellen Javernick, c2010 (IL: K-3, RL: 2.5)

"A child learns that there are consequences for thoughtless behavior, from feeding popcorn to a bear at the zoo to dropping an empty can out of a car window." - Follett



## Perfectly Polite Penguins by Georgiana Deutsch, c2019 (IL: K-3, RL: 2.5)

"Penguins are always polite. They say 'please' and 'thank you,' they wait their turn patiently, and they always help to clean up when playtime is over. But one day, Polly Penguin decides that being polite is boring. So she interrupts when others are talking, refuses to clean up, and makes a mess at the dinner table. Soon, all of the penguins copy Polly and lose their good manners, too! Can Polly help make things right again?" - Pub.



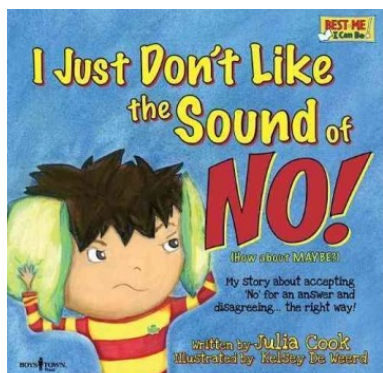
## If Winning Isn't Everything, Why Do I Hate to Lose? by Bryan Smith, c2015 (IL: K-3, RL: 2.3)

"A story featuring fourth-grader Kelsey and how she discovers good sportsmanship." - Follett



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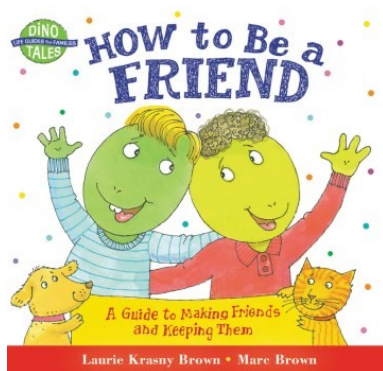


## I Just Don't Like the Sound of No!

Series: *Best Me I can Be!*

by Julia Cook, c2011 (IL: K-3, RL: 2.1)

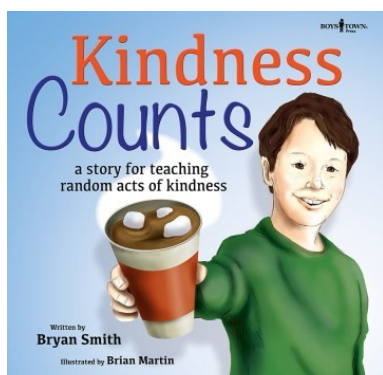
"'No' is RJ's least favourite word... and he tries his best to convince his dad, his mom, and his teacher to turn 'No' into 'Maybe' or 'We'll see' or 'Later' or 'I'll think about it.'... RJ keeps arguing until his teacher suggests that he try to join her classroom's Say YES to NO Club...RJ finds that lots of praise and some rewards come his way when he uses these skills the right way!" - Pub.



## How to Be a Friend: A Guide to Making Friends and Keeping Them

by Laurene Brown, c1998 (IL: K-3, RL: 3.5)

"Dinosaur characters illustrate the value of friends, how to make friends, and how to be and not to be a good friend." - Follett



## Kindness Counts

by Bryan Smith, c2016 (IL: K-3, RL: 3.0)

"When Cade's and his family find out their ice cream order was paid for by another patron, they continue paying it forward, and so starts the discussion of random acts of kindness." - Pub.



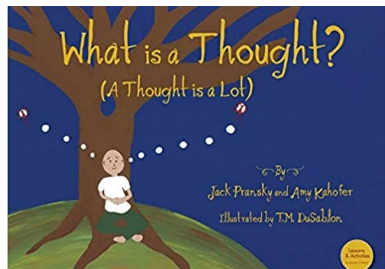
## Interrupting Chicken

by Ezra David Stein, c2018 (IL: K-3, RL: 2.8)

"It's homework time for the little red chicken, who has just learned about something every good story should have: an elephant of surprise. Or could it be an *element* of surprise (as her amused papa explains)?...something unexpected awaits Papa in every story, but a surprise may be in store for the little red chicken as well." - Pub.

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## What is a Thought? (A Thought is a Lot) by Jack Pransky, c2011

"The book introduces children to the amazing, creative power with-in us all, called thought. It is not a book about changing thoughts or changing behaviors, but rather a story to help children (and adults!) see how their own thinking creates their lives, moment to moment, day to day." - Amazon.ca