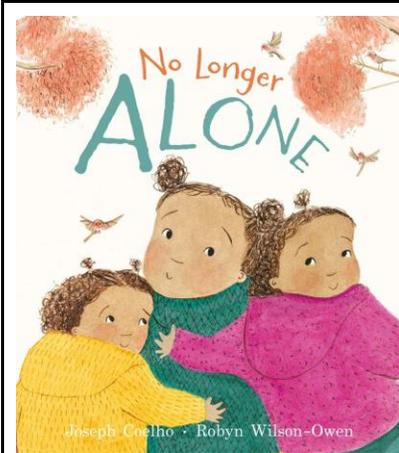




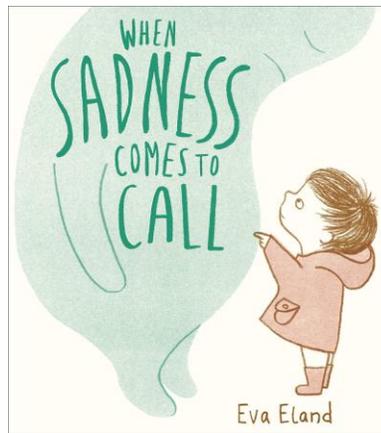
A restorative reading list for a curriculum in need

<p>A tale about loss. When something terrible happens, Taylor doesn't know where to turn. All the animals are sure they have the answer. The chicken wants to talk it out, but Taylor doesn't feel like chatting. The bear thinks Taylor should get angry, but that is not quite right either. One by one the animals try to tell Taylor how to process this loss, and one by one they fail. Then the rabbit arrives. All the rabbit does is listen, which is just what Taylor needs.</p>	<p>Once there was a girl whose life was filled with wonder at the world around her... Then one day something happened that made the girl take her heart and put it in a safe place. However, after that it seemed that the world was emptier than before. But would she know how to get her heart back? In this deeply moving story, Oliver Jeffers deals with the weighty themes of love and loss with an extraordinary lightness of touch and shows us, ultimately, that there is always hope.</p>	<p>Everyone knows that when Humpty Dumpty sat on a wall, Humpty Dumpty had a great fall. But what happened after? This tale follows Humpty Dumpty, an avid bird watcher whose favourite place to be is high up in the city wall - that is until after his famous fall. Now terrified of heights, Humpty can no longer do many of the things he loves most.</p> <p>Will he summon the courage to face his fear? After the fall is a masterful picture book that will remind readers of all ages that Life begins when you get back up.</p>

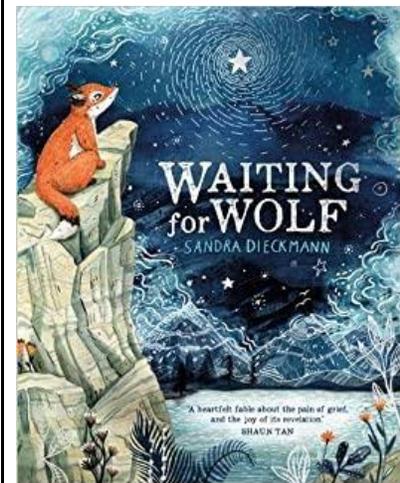


This book subtly deals with big emotions such as loss, with an uplifting and hopeful message about being yourself and the importance of family and talking about worries.

Told through the voice of a little girl who is labeled as quiet and shy, No longer alone follows her tumult of emotions as she navigates the world around her. But when she finally shares her feelings and tells her Dad all the things that are worrying her, she no longer feels so alone.



When Sadness arrives, try not to be afraid: give it a name, listen to it and spend some time together. Maybe all she wants is to know that it's welcome. The beautiful debut by a new author - illustrator talent Eva Eland takes a poignant but uplifting look at dealing with uncomfortable emotions.

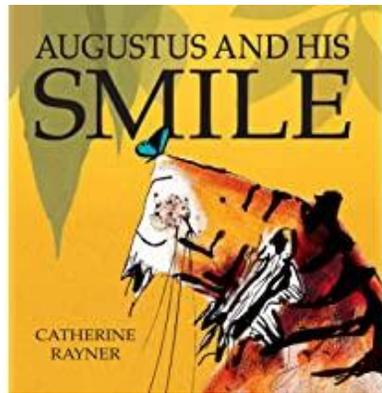


A beautiful and heartfelt picture book bringing comfort to children when a loved one dies.

Fox and Wolf spend all their perfect days together - talking and laughing for hours, swimming together in the big blue lake, and watching the stars come out, one by one.

Until one day, Wolf is gone.

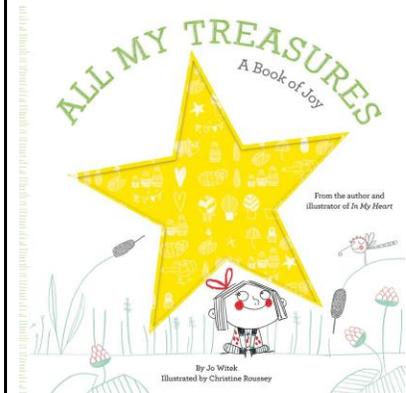
A beautiful and moving picture book about learning to carry on after the death of a loved one.



Augustus the tiger was sad. He had lost his smile. So he did a huge tigery stretch, and set off to find it. In this book, the author and illustrator Catherine Rayner celebrates the beauty of the world and simple happiness it brings us when we open the eyes to it.



In this book children will learn how important it is to extend a generous hand to those in need, whether neighbours in crisis, a friend with a problem, or a family immigrating to a new country. It's a timely, vital, and comforting story that will elicit useful conversations about caring, charity and empathy.



When a girl receives a beautiful porcelain box from her grandmother, she immediately wants something special to put inside it. But what could it be? What does she love best? She loves jumping on puddles on rainy days, blowing bubbles in the park and watching her little sister's first steps. As it turns out, life's most precious treasures cannot be contained in a box! With a gentle message about the immateriality of happiness, this story reminds us to take pleasure in everyday moments.