

Nonfiction

Families | Shelley Rotner & Sheila M. Kelley
OS J306.85 ROTN,S

A factual picture book featuring many different kinds of families, illustrated with photographs.

I Am Jazz | Jessica Herthel & Jazz Jennings
J306.76 JENN,J

A picture book by Jazz Jennings, a transgender girl. She writes about knowing she was a girl when no one else did, what “transgender” means, and about her family’s efforts to understand and help her.

*Pride: Celebrating Diversity and Community** | Robin Stevenson
J306.76 STEV,R

A nonfiction book for middle grade readers exploring the history and meaning of LGBTQ Pride and Pride events.



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* Stonewall Honor Book

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Board Books & Picture Books

I Love My Family! (series) * | Lesléa Newman
BB P

A pair of board books, each about a toddler spending the day with their parents. One book features two dads, the other two moms.

Morris Micklewhite and the Tangerine Dress * | Christine Baldacchino
P BALD,C

Morris Micklewhite loves dress-up at school. But some classmates don't think boys should wear dresses!

One Family | George Shannon
P SHAN,G

Does your family have one member? Two? Three? More? The families in this colorful counting book are diverse, and many family configurations are represented.

Red: A Crayon's Story | Michael Hall
P HALL,M

This crayon's label clearly says "red," but Red can only color blue! Red's family and friends try to get Red to change, until a new friend helps Red show their true colors.

Stella Brings the Family | Miriam B. Schiffer
P SCHI,M

It's time for a Mother's Day party at school, but Stella has two dads! What are Papa, Daddy, and Stella to do?

Worm Loves Worm | J.J. Austrian
P AUST,J

Two worms fall in love and decide to get married. Their friends are all ready for the wedding! But who will be the bride and who will be the groom?

Chapter Books

Felix Yz | Lisa Bunker
J BUNK,L

Felix chronicles the days leading up to an experimental surgery to separate him from the fourth-dimensional being who shares his body, blogging about life, his crush Hector, and the Procedure.

George †‡ | Alex Gino
J GINO,A and JCD F GINO,A

Everyone around George thinks she's a boy, but she knows she's actually a girl. With the school play coming up and the lead role on the line, George and her friend come up with a plan.

Hurricane Child | Kheryn Callender
J CALL,K

Caroline is unlucky. Born during a hurricane, she is bullied at school, she sees ghosts, and her Ma is gone. The only good thing is Caroline's new friend Kalinda. But where is Ma? Who is the dark spirit stalking her? And can two girls ever be more than just friends?

The Misadventures of the Family Fletcher (series) | Dana Alison Levy
J LEVY,D and JCD F LEVY,D

The four Fletcher brothers and their two dads deal with new schools, vacation blues, grumpy neighbors, and at least one skunk in this hilarious series.

Star Crossed | Barbara Dee
J DEE,B

Mattie, cast as Romeo in her school play, is confused to find herself attracted to Gemma, who plays Juliet. After all, she already has a crush... on a boy! Can Mattie cut through all the drama and find her own happy ending in time for opening night?

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† Stonewall/Morgan and Romans Award Winner

‡ Lambda Literary Award Winner