

screen-free
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2023 Screen-Free Children's Booklist

Get inspired to unplug with these children's books, compiled in celebration of Screen-Free Week and Children's Book Week, May 1-7, 2023!

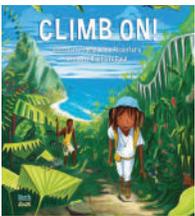
NEW FOR 2023!



Book

by David W. Miles, illus. by Natalie Hoopes (Familius)

In a world dazzled by the latest gadgets and mesmerized by Internet videos, the humble book seems like the most ordinary thing that could be. And perhaps it is...until you learn to look closer... and closer...and closer...and you're suddenly in a world that only you can imagine. **(AGES 4-8)**



Climb On!

by Baptiste Paul, illus. by Jacqueline Alcántara (NorthSouth Books)

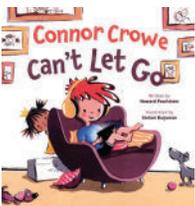
When a young child reminds her dad about the hike they planned, her father is hesitant because he wants to watch futbol (soccer). But as the two climb on, her enthusiasm is contagious. Filled with setbacks, surprises, and stunning views, this warm and humorous story highlights in vivid colors the bonding power of a shared experience. **(AGES 4-8)**



Peacock and Sketch

by Allan Peterkin, MD, illus. by Sandhya Prabhat (APA Books for Children and Teens)

A gorgeous peacock hatches an escape from the zoo in search of fame, only to realize that it's not all that it's cracked up to be! This story is a lighthearted exploration of the fleeting nature of social media stardom and the importance of real-world friendships. **(AGES 4-8)**



Connor Crowe Can't Let Go

by Howard Pearlstein, illus. by Stefani Buijsman (Clavis)

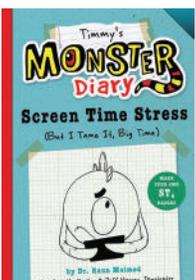
Connor Crowe loves his parents, he loves his dog, he even loves his sister. But, most of all, he loves... his tablet! He plays on it when he wakes up. He plays on it when he gets home. He plays on it before he goes to bed. But one day, he wishes he could just let it go...and can't! **(AGES 5-9)**



Treasure Hunt

by Stephanie Wildman, illus. by Estefania Razo (Lawley Publishing)

Twins Flor and Roberto scamper through their house, hunting for treasures hidden by big brother, Luis. Can these everyday objects really be treasures that offer more fun than video games or TV? **(AGES 5-12)**



Timmy's Monster Diary: Screen Time Stress (But I Tame It, Big Time)

by Dr. Raun Melmed, illus. Jeff Harvey (Familius)

Timmy, a lovable monster who can't get enough of the coolest gadgets and video games, doesn't realize how much time he spends each day in front of a screen—until he learns some new mindfulness techniques! **(AGES 7-11)**

SCREEN-FREE FAVORITES

PICTURE BOOKS

Aunt Chip and the Great Triple Creek Dam Affair by Patricia Polacco
(Philomel Books)

Bad Kitty Does Not Like Video Games by Nick Bruel
(Roaring Brook Press)

Blackout by John Rocco (Little, Brown Books for Young Readers)

Boris and Betty by Lee Harris (Jelly Bean Books)

Bruno Has One Hundred Friends by Francesca Pirrone (Clavis)

Chloe by Peter McCarty (Balzer + Bray)

Couch Potato by Jory John and Pete Oswald (HarperCollins)

Doug Unplugged by Dan Yaccarino (Dragonfly Books)

Goodnight iPad by Ann Droyd (Blue Rider Press)

hello! hello! by Matthew Cordell (Little, Brown Books for Young Readers)

If You Give a Mouse an iPhone by Ann Droyd (Blue Rider Press)

Last Stop on Market Street by Matt de la Peña
(G.P. Putnam's Sons Books for Young Readers)

Mario and the Aliens by Carolina Zanotti (Design Originals)

Me, Myselfie & I: A Cautionary Tale by Jamie Lee Curtis
(Feiwel & Friends)

On a Magical Do-Nothing Day by Beatrice Alemagna (HarperCollins)

Sadie Sees Trouble by Linda Jarkey and Julie Jarkey-Kozlowski
(Linda Jarkey Communications)

Tek: The Modern Cave Boy by Patrick McDonnell
(Little, Brown Books for Young Readers)

The Berenstain Bears and Too Much TV by Stan & Jan Berenstain
(Random House Books for Young Readers)

The Kingdom of Nothing by Ronald Wohlman
(Frances Lincoln Children's Books)

The Liking Tree: An Anti-Social Media Fable by John Allen Wooden
(Sourball Media Inc.)

Unplugged by Steve Antony (Scholastic Press)

Unplugged: Ella Gets Her Family Back by Laura Pederson
(Tilbury House Publishers)

You're Missing It! by Brady Smith and Tiffani Thiessen
(Nancy Paulsen Books)

CHAPTER BOOKS

Braver Stronger Smarter by Vincent Vincent (Sourcebooks Explore)

Katie Friedman Gives Up Texting! by Tommy Greenwald (Square Fish)

Mia and Zola, Adventure One: Up and Out by Connie-Vee Hawkins
(3Hawk Sky)

Queen of Likes by Hillary Homzie (Aladdin)

Unplugged by Donna Freitas (HarperTeen)

Unplugged by Gordon Korman (Balzer + Bray)

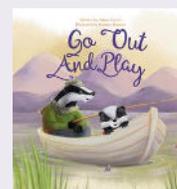
Unplugged and Unpopular by Mat Heagerty (Oni Press)

LAST YEAR'S FAVORITES



The Day the Screens Stood Still

by R. L. Ullman
(But That's Another Story Press)



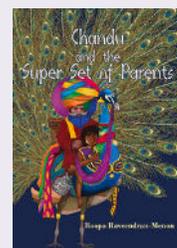
Go Out and Play

by Adam Ciccio
(Clavis)



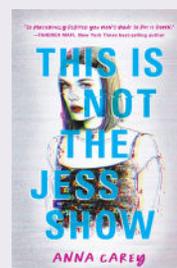
The Manic Panic

by Richa Jha and Mithila Ananth
(Creaton Books)



Chandu and the Super Set of Parents

by Roopa Raveendran-Menon
(Regal House Publishing)



This is Not the Jess Show

by Anna Carey
(Quirk Books)