



Book Recommendation List

Picture Books

- The Gardener *by Sarah Stewart*
- Bread and Jam for Frances
by Russell Hoban
- The Imperfect Garden
by Mellisa Assalay
- Bring Me Some Apples and I'll Make
You a Pie *by Robin Gourley*
- One Morning in Maine
by Robert McCloskey
- How Groundhog's Garden Grew
by Lynne Cherry
- Saffron Ice Cream *by Rashin Kheiriyeh*
- Now We Can Have a Wedding
by Judy Cox
- Some Pig!
by E.B. White and Maggie Kneen
- Seed, Soil, Sun: Earth's Recipe for Food
by Cris Peterson
- Wiggling Worms at Work
by Wendy Pfeffer
- What's On Your Plate?
by Whitney Stewart
- Too Many Tamales *by Gary Soto*
- Grow! Raise! Catch! How We Get Our Food
by Shelly Rotner
- Compost Stew: An A-Z Recipe for the Earth
by Mary McKenna Siddals

- Uncle Willy and the Soup Kitchen
by Dyanne DiSalvo-Ryan
- Miss Rumphius *by Barbara Cooney*
- Weslandia *by Paul Fleischman*
- Everybody Cooks Rice
by Norah Dooley
- Lily's Garden *by Deborah Kogan Ray*
- Who is In The Garden?
by Vera Rosenberry
- Magic Ramen *by Andrea Wang*
- Apple Pie Fourth of July
by Janet S. Wong
- How To Make An Apple Pie and See
the World *by Marjorie Priceman*
- The Reason For a Flower *by Ruth Heller*
- Up In The Garden & Down in the Dirt
by Kate Messner
- Creepy Carrots! *by Aaron Reynolds*
- Strega Nona *by Tomie dePaola*
- Bilal Cooks Daal *by Aisha Saeed*
- It's Our Garden *by George Ancona*
- Mystery Vine *by Cathryn Falwell*
- From Seed To Plant *by Gail Gibbons*

What Do These Mean?



growing food



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cooking



community

Read Aloud

- 🌱 Rah, Rah Radishes! A Vegetable Garden Chant *by April Pulley Sayre*
- 🍪 Who Put Cookies in the Cookie Jar? *by George Shannon*
- 🍷 Little Nino's Pizzeria *by Karen Barbour*
- 🌱 Seed, Sprout, Pumpkin Pie *by Jill Esbaum*
- 🐉 Herb The Vegetarian Dragon *by Jules Bass & Debbie Harter*
- 🍷 Home in the Woods *by Eliza Wheeler*
- 🍪 Fry Bread *by Kevin Noble Maillard*
- 🍷 Here We Are *by Oliver Jeffers*
- 🐉 Nerp! *by Sarah Lynne Reul*
- 🍪 🍷 Thank You, Omu! *by Oge Mora*
- 🐉 Charlotte's Web - E.B. White

Older Readers

- 🍷 American as Paneer Pie *by Supriya Kelkar*
- 🍷 Free Lunch *by Rex Ogle*
- 🐉 Farmer Boy - Laura Ingalls Wilder

Graphic Novels

- 🌱 🐉 Chef Yasmina and the Potato Panic *by Wauter Mannaert*
- 🍪 Cook Korean *by Robin Ha*
- 🍪 🍷 Measuring Up *by Lily LaMotte and Ann Xu*

For Parents

- The Stop: How the Fight for Good Food Transformed a Community and Inspired a Movement *by Nick Saul & Andrea Curtis*
- Reinventing Food Banks and Pantries: New Tools to End Hunger *by Katie S. Martin*
- Big Hunger: Why the Richest Nation on Earth Still Struggles with Food Insecurity *by Andrew Fisher & Saru Jayaraman*
- Closing the Food Gap *by Mark Winne*
- Animal, Vegetable, Miracle *by Barbara Kingsolver*
- The Seed Keeper *by Diane Wilson*

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