

# MO WILLEMS-AUTHOR SPOTLIGHT

*Everyone can be a reader and writer*

*Readers use strategies to make sense of what they read, hear, and view.*

*We grow as readers when we read books that interest us and talk about what we read.*

## ALL BOOKS ARE FOR EVERYONE

SHORT BOOKS



LONG BOOKS



BOOKS WITH  
PICTURES



BOOKS WITHOUT  
PICTURES



PINK  
BOOKS



BLUE BOOKS



COMIC BOOKS



BOOKS ABOUT  
DINOSAURS



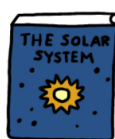
BOOKS ABOUT  
PRINCESSES



SILLY BOOKS



SERIOUS BOOKS



YOU'VE FOUND  
A BOOK  
YOU LIKE?  
LUCKY YOU!  
HAVE FUN  
READING IT!

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## READ EVERYDAY!

Remember to find a quiet spot and choose a book (or more) to read EVERYDAY from the online Resource link, from the public library or borrow from family and friends.

Continue to build your daily reading time and share what you're reading with others. They might have a recommendation for you, too!

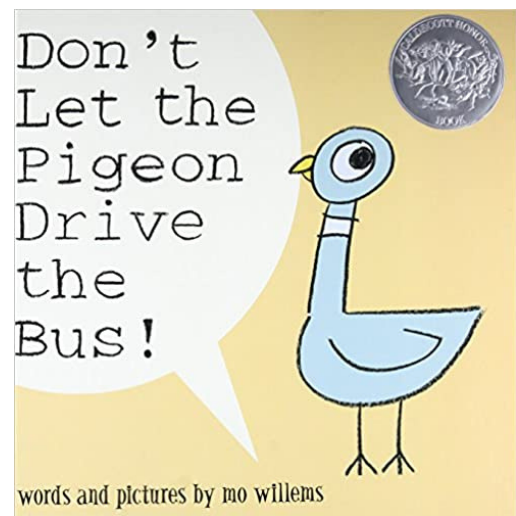
## GATHER MATERIALS

- Your Reader's Notebook
- A writing tool

## READ, THINK, RESPOND

Read along with Mo Willems books and think about your connections. Does the character or the story remind you of someone or of a time in your life?

- Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus!
- Don't Let the Pigeon Stay Up Late!
- Readers **make connections** as they read. Think about a time when you tried to convince your parents into letting you do something. Write about this connection in your Reader's notebook.



## GO BEYOND

Read along with other Mo Willems books featuring Pigeon:

- The Pigeon Needs a Bath
- The Pigeon Finds a Hotdog
- The Pigeon Has To Go To School
- Think about what other Pigeon books you might create.
- Learn how to draw Pigeon [here](#).