



# Building Connections

A Book Collection Curated by Free Spirit Publishing  
Grades Pre-K-3



## Build Literacy and Life Skills!

Improve student comprehension, cooperation, and communication through books focused on essential life skills and the whole child.

- Activate students' love of reading through beautifully **illustrated stories that focus on shared experiences**.
- Teach **important life skills** such as self-awareness, self-management, social awareness, relationship skills, and responsible decision-making.
- Integrate life skills concepts with collaborative listening and speaking activities to **maximize learning time**.
- Promote critical and creative thinking through **easy-to-implement, teacher-led literacy activities** that help students form meaningful connections to the texts.
- Make teaching more effective with the **research-based approach to literacy and cooperative learning strategies** outlined in the Teacher's Guide.
- Enhance learning with **digital resources** that make planning and instruction more flexible.

Grade	Complete Kit	Add-On Pack*
PreK	9798765910443	9798765910528
Grade K	9798765910450	9798765910535
Grade 1	9798765910467	9798765910542
Grade 2	9798765910474	9798765910559
Grade 3	9798765910481	9798765910566

\*Add-On Pack includes 1 copy of each book per grade; 12 books total

### Each Complete Kit includes:

- ✓ **12 captivating and beautifully illustrated picture books**
- ✓ **Teacher's Guide** that offers best practices for read-aloud experiences, partnering strategies, and thought-provoking activities
- ✓ **Digital Resources** that include all kit components in digital format, plus read-along ebooks, audio files, family engagement letters, and fillable PDFs of student activity pages.

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