

Theme: Community | Recommended Book List



Reading Is Fundamental has curated a list of books to help children further explore the theme of community. Use this recommended book list to help your students/children continue their discovery about this topic in school and at home. For additional activities for the books listed, please visit RIF.org/Literacy-Central/Collections/Rally-Read-Community-Collection. View read-alouds of titles in blue on RallytoRead.org this month.



Maxine Gets a Job

Authors: Alexandra Garvn & Bryan Reisberg *Illustrator:* Susan Batori Grades: PK-2



The Dog Walker

Author: Lynette Evans *Illustrator:* Kay Widdowson

Grades: PK-2



Manfish: A Story of Jacques Cousteau

Author: Jennifer Berne Illustrator: Éric Puvbaret

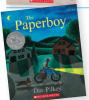
Grades: 1-4



Fly Guy Presents Firefighters

Author & Illustrator: Tedd Arnold

Grades: K-2



The Paperboy

Author & Illustrator: Dav Pilkey

Grades: K-3



What Does It Mean To Be An Entrepreneur?

Authors: Rana DiOrio & Emma D. Dryden

Illustrator: Ken Min

Grades: 2-4



The World in My Neighborhood

Author: Dona Herweck Rice

Grades: K-5



Leaders in the Community

Author: Salima Alikhan

Grades: 1-5



All Through the Night: Important **Jobs That Get Done at Night**

Author: Polly Faber

Illustrator: Harriet Hobday

Grades: PK-1



Paletero Man/ ¡Qué Paletero tan Cool!

Author: Lucky Diaz

Illustrator: Micah Player

Grades: PK-3



BARNES & NOBLE

Storytime Pick



Built to Last

Author: Minh Lê

Illustrator: Dan Santat

Grades: PK-2

Discussion questions for any recommend book listed above:

- 1. What are some of the community helpers shown in the books about Community?
- 2. What is similar from job to job for the community helpers? What is different?
- 3. Is there any information listed about educational requirements or technical training for the community jobs? If so, what was listed?
- 4. What are some other community jobs that were not part of those explored by the books?
- 5. What community jobs in this book make you more curious about learning more?