

Currency Exchange

- Axelrod, Amy **Pigs Will Be Pigs** Four Winds Press, 1994
The hungry Pig family learns about money and buying power as they turn the house upside down looking for enough money to buy dinner at the local restaurant.
- Berenstain, Stan **The Berenstain Bears' Trouble With Money** Random House, 1983
Brother and sister Bear learn some important lessons about earning and spending money.
- Doudna, Kelly **Let's Add Bills** Abdo, 2003
Shows how to use addition to find out how many dollars one needs to pay for various items and looks at different denominations of dollar bills, from one to one hundred.
- Doudna, Kelly **Let's Subtract Bills** Abdo, 2003
Shows how to use subtraction to find out how many dollars one has left after paying for various items and looks at different denominations of dollar bills, from one to one hundred.
- Gill, Shelley The Big Buck Adventure Charlesbridge, 2000
Rhyming account of a little girl's quandary as she tries to decide what she can get with her dollar in a candy shop, toy store, deli and pet department.
- Leedy, Loreen **Follow the Money!** Holiday House, 2002
A quarter describes all the ways it is used from the time it is minted until it is taken back to the bank.
- Loewen, Nancy **Cash, Credit Cards, or Checks: a book about payment methods.** Picture Window, 2005
Kyle and Amy go school shopping and learn about different payment methods.
- Marks, Jennifer **Sorting Money** Capstone, 2007
Simple text and color photographs introduced basic concepts of sorting money.
- Mollel, Tololwa **My Rows and Piles of Coins** Clarion, 1999
A Tanzanian boy saves his coins to buy a bicycle so that he can help his parents carry goods to market, but then he discovers that in spite of all he has saved, he still does not have enough money.
- Sadler, Marilyn **Money, Money, Honey Bunny!** Random, 2006
Honey Bunny Funnybunny likes to save her money, but also enjoys spending some on herself and being generous with her friends.
- Stevens, Jan Romero **Carlos and the Carnival** Rising Moon, 1999
(Bilingual Spanish) Carlos ignores his father's advice about being careful how he spends his money at the carnival, and soon his pockets are empty.
- Wells, Rosemary **Bunny Money** Viking, 2002
Max and Ruby spend so much on emergencies while shopping for Grandma's birthday presents, that they just barely have enough money left for gifts.
- Williams, Vera **A Chair for My Mother** Greenwillow, 1982
A young girl and her mother save coins in a jar to replace a chair lost in a fire.
- Ziefert, Harriet **You Can't Buy a Dinosaur With a Dime: problem- solving in dollars and cents.** Blue Apple Books, 2003
Pete uses the money he has saved to buy a toy dinosaur, then must earn and save more before making his next purchase.