

Wordless Picture Books (and books with limited text)

Here is a list of just some of our favourite wordless picture books. From collage and layering, to intricate pencil-drawn images, from watercolour to block colour, these books show the range and possibility of wordless texts and demonstrate why we don't always need words to say what we mean...

Text	Author
The Arrival	Shaun Tan
Unspoken	Henry Cole
The Mysteries of Harris Burdick	Chris Van Allsburg
Tuesday	David Wiesner
Flotsam	David Wiesner
Free Fall	David Wiesner
Journey/Quest/Return	Aaron Becker
Chalk	Bill Thomson
Fossil	Bill Thomson
Wave	Suzy Lee
Shadow	Suzy Lee
The Conductor	Laëtitia Devernay
Window	Jeannie Baker
Mirror	Jeannie Baker
The Lion and the Mouse	Jerry Pinkney
Zoom	Istvan Banyai
The Other Side	Istvan Banyai
Bluebird	Bob Staake
Robot Dreams	Sarah Varnay
The Red Book	Barbara Lehman
Rainstorm	Barbara Lehman
The Secret Box	Barbara Lehman
A Boy, a Dog and a Frog	Mercer Mayer
The Chicken Thief	Béatrice Rodriguez
The Umbrella	Ingrid Schubert