

Kate DiCamillo: A Multnomah County Library Teacher Resource Guide

<http://www.multcolib.org/kids/lecture/dicamilloguide.pdf>

Kate DiCamillo Bibliography: Materials available at the Multnomah County Library

Note: All titles are by Kate DiCamillo. Links will take you to the record for each item in the online library catalog.

Juvenile novels

[Because of Winn-Dixie](#). Cambridge, Mass. : Candlewick Press, 2000. [j]

Ten-year-old India Opal Buloni describes her first summer in the town of Naomi, Florida, and all the good things that happen to her because of her big ugly dog Winn-Dixie. 2001 Newbery Honor book.

[The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane](#). Cambridge, Mass. : Candlewick Press, 2006.

[On order – will be published Feb. 14, 2006]

Once, in a house on Egypt Street, there lived a china rabbit named Edward Tulane. He was owned by a girl named Abilene, who treated him with the utmost care and adored him completely. And then, one day, he was lost.

[The tale of Despereaux : being the story of a mouse, a princess, some soup, and a spool of thread](#). Cambridge, MA : Candlewick Press, 2003. [j DICAMILLO]

The adventures of Despereaux Tilling, a small mouse of unusual talents, the princess that he loves, the servant girl who longs to be a princess, and a devious rat determined to bring them all to ruin. 2004 Newbery Award book.

[The tiger rising](#). Cambridge, Mass. : Candlewick Press, 2001. [j]

Rob, who passes the time in his rural Florida community by wood carving, is drawn by his spunky but angry friend Sistine into a plan to free a caged tiger.

Spanish language

[Because of Winn-Dixie / Gracias a Winn-Dixie](#). Barcelona : Noguer y Caralt Editores, 2003. [S-jD545g]

Ten-year-old India Opal Buloni describes her first summer in the town of Naomi, Florida, and all the good things that happen to her because of her big ugly dog Winn-Dixie. 2001 Newbery Honor book.

[The tale of Despereaux / Despereaux : es la historia de un raton, una princesa, un cucharada de sopa y un carrete de hilo.](#) Barcelona : Noguer y Caralt Editores, 2004. [S-jD545d]

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Large-type

[Because of Winn-Dixie.](#) Waterville, Me. : Thorndike Press, 2002. [LGE-TYPE j]

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Beginning Readers

[Mercy Watson to the rescue.](#) Cambridge, Mass. : Candlewick Press, 2005. [jE Reader DICAMILLO]

After Mercy the pig snuggles to sleep with the Watsons, all three awaken with the bed teetering on the edge of a big hole in the floor.

Audio

[Because of Winn-Dixie.](#) New York : Listening Library, 2001. [CASSETTE Children DICAMILLO]

Ten-year-old India Opal Buloni describes her first summer in the town of Naomi, Florida, and all the good things that happen to her because of her big ugly dog Winn-Dixie. 2001 Newbery Honor book.

[The tale of Despereaux.](#) New York : Random House/Listening Library, 2003. [CASSETTE Children DICAMILLO]

The adventures of Despereaux Tilling, a small mouse of unusual talents, the princess that he loves, the servant girl who longs to be a princess, and a devious rat determined to bring them all to ruin. 2004 Newbery Award book.

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DVD

[Because of Winn-Dixie.](#) Beverly Hills, Calif. : 20th Century Fox Home Entertainment, 2005. [DVD Children BECAUSE]

Ten-year-old India Opal Buloni describes her first summer in the town of Naomi, Florida, and all the good things that happen to her because of her big ugly dog Winn-Dixie. Based on the 2001 Newbery Honor book.

Kate DiCamillo Webliography

General Sites

Kate DiCamillo

<http://www.katedicamillo.com/>

Kate DiCamillo's official website: biographical information, online journal, books, FAQ.

Kate DiCamillo @Web English Teacher

<http://www.webenglishteacher.com/dicamillo.html>

Lessons plans for *Because of Winn-Dixie*, *The Tale of Despereaux*, and *The Tiger Rising*.

Candlewick Press – Authors & Illustrators

<http://www.candlewick.com/authill.asp?b=Author&m=bio&id=1989&pix=n>

Biography of Kate DiCamillo, with link to her books.

Reading is Fundamental: Reading Planet: Meet the Authors and Illustrators

http://www.rif.org/readingplanet/bookzone/content/kate_dicamillo.msp

Great interview with links to her books and kids' reviews.

BookPage Interview September 2003: Kate DiCamillo

http://www.bookpage.com/0309bp/kate_dicamillo.html

More in-depth biography, focusing on how she began to write books for children.

Kate DiCamillo – Walker Books

<http://www.walkerbooks.co.uk/Kate-DiCamillo>

Biographical information includes "Things You Didn't Know about Kate DiCamillo."

Because of Winn-Dixie

***Because of Winn-Dixie* - Talk It Up! Book Discussion Groups for Kids**

<http://www.multcolib.org/talk/guides-because.html>

Discussion guide with summary, booktalk, snacks, and suggested reading.

Speaking with Kate DiCamillo about *Because of Winn-Dixie*

http://www.candlewick.com/book_files/0763607762.art.1.pdf

Conversation with Kate DiCamillo about writing *Because of Winn-Dixie*.

***Because of Winn-Dixie* – Candlewick Press**

<http://www.candlewick.com/cat.asp?mode=book&isbn=0763607762&browse=title>

Teacher's guide, readers' guide with discussion questions, links to audio files, and more.

Mercy Watson to the Rescue

***Mercy Watson to the Rescue* – Candlewick Press**

<http://www.candlewick.com/cat.asp?mode=book&isbn=0763622702&browse=title>

Teacher's guide, chapter sample, view of an inside spread.

The Tale of Despereaux

***The Tale of Despereaux* - Talk It Up! Book Discussion Groups for Kids**

<http://www.multcolib.org/talk/guides-desperaux.html>

Discussion guide with summary, booktalk, snacks, and suggested reading.

***The Tale of Despereaux* – Candlewick Press**

<http://www.candlewick.com/cat.asp?browse=title&mode=book&isbn=0763617229>

Teacher's guide, readers' guide with discussion questions, links to audio files, and more.

The Tiger Rising

***The Tiger Rising* – Candlewick Press**

<http://www.candlewick.com/cat.asp?mode=book&isbn=0763609110&browse=title>

Teacher's guide, readers' guide with discussion questions, links to audio files, and more.

Kate DiCamillo Webcast (Library of Congress)

http://www.loc.gov/today/cyberlc/feature_wdesc.php?rec=3477

Kate DiCamillo reads from *The Tiger Rising* at National Bookfest 2002 (large file).

Kate DiCamillo Unleashes *The Tiger Rising*

http://www.candlewick.com/book_files/0763609110.art.1.pdf

Conversation with Kate DiCamillo about writing *The Tiger Rising*.

How to Find Articles about Kate DiCamillo in Multnomah County Library Databases

To find articles in the MasterFILE Premier database:

- Go to the Multnomah County Library Homework Center (www.multcolib.org/homework/).
- Click on the Databases A-Z on the right-hand side of the page.
- Scroll down to the -M- section and click on the purple library card icon next to the words MasterFILE Premier.
- Type in your entire Multnomah County Library card number when prompted.
- At the search screen, click on the Subjects button near the top.
- Type **DiCamillo, Kate** in the “Browse for:” box.
- Click on the Browse button.
- Articles are divided by type: academic journal, newspaper, periodical, etc. Click on a type to see individual citations.
- Look for the words “HTML Full Text” or “PDF Full Text” at the end of each citation. Click on either of these to read the article on your screen.

To find information in the Literature Resource Center database:

- Go to the Multnomah County Library Homework Center (www.multcolib.org/homework/).
- Click on the Databases A-Z on the right-hand side of the page.
- Scroll down to the -H-L- section and click on the purple library card icon next to the words Literature Resource Center.
- Type in your entire Multnomah County Library card number when prompted.
- In the Author Search box, type **DiCamillo, Kate**.
- Click on the Search button.
- At the next screen, choose one of the tabs to view the type of article you need (biography, literary criticism, bibliography).