Describes the mystery, cool characteristics, and allure of mermaids, including historical and contemporary examples.

**LILLY AND FIN: A MERMAID TALE**
By Cornelia Funke
JFIC Funke
Two merpups named Lilly and Fin must escape from the clutches of the humans who want to add them to their collection of rare aquatic creatures.

**THE LITTLE MERMAID**
EARLY Disney
The sea princess Ariel, longing to be human, trades her mermaid's tail for legs to win the love of a prince.

**MAGICAL MERMAIDS**
EARLY Step
Shimmer and Shine visit a mermaid kingdom. Can they fix their mistakes?

**MERMAID MYTHS**
By Cynthia O'Brien
JNF Tales
Discusses the myths and legends about mermaids.

**MERMAID SCHOOL**
By JoAnne Wetzel
PIC Wetzel
Molly enjoys her first day at Mermaid School, where she makes new friends, learns new things, and hears a story about children with no tails.

**MERMAID QUEEN**
By Shana Corey
JNF Biography Kellerman
As a child growing up in Australia, Annette Kellerman was a frail ugly duckling who dreamed of becoming a graceful ballerina. With pluck and courage, she confronted a crippling illness -- and countless naysayers -- to become an internationally known record-setting athlete who revolutionized the sport of swimming for women, a movie star who invented water ballet, and a fashion revolutionary who modernized the swimsuit.

**MERMAIDS AND MERMEN**
By Shannon Knudsen
JNF Tales
Discusses the fantastical creatures that are half human and half fish, including tales about taking human visitors to underwater cities and singing to sailors.

**NO KIDDING, MERMAIDS ARE A JOKE!: THE STORY OF THE LITTLE MERMAID AS TOLD BY THE PRINCE**
By Nancy Loewen
PICNF Tales Fairy
OF COURSE you think I was a lousy, no good guy for breaking the Little Mermaid's heart. You don't know the
other side of the story. Well, let me tell you. This fractured fairy tale provides a fresh perspective on a well-known tale.

PEARL
By Molly Idle
PIC Idle
When young Pearl, a mermaid, becomes caretaker of a single grain of sand, she discovers that performing even the smallest task well can transform the world.

SEALED WITH A KISS
EARLY Disney
Ariel loves playing hide-and-seek with her little seal friend. But when the princess can’t find him anywhere she begins to worry. After a long search through the ocean, Ariel finally finds him. The happy princess gives the seal a huge hug--and seals it with a kiss!

SINK OR SWIM
By Sarah Mlynowski
JFIC Mlynowski
Once again Abby and her brother Jonah go through the magic mirror in their basement, and this time they find themselves interfering in the Little Mermaid story--and needing to set things right and make sure everyone has a happy ending.

STORIES OF MERMAIDS
By Russell Punter
EARLY Punter
Dive into the undersea world of mermaids and join in their amazing adventures. Harmony braves the spooky Pirate's Graveyard. Marina takes on her rivals in the Great Seahorse Race.

THIRD GRADE MERMAID
By Peter Raymundo
JFIC Raymundo
Cora the mermaid is having trouble with spelling, but if she wants to stay on the swim team she has get an A on her next test--so her mother gives her a “magic” diary that compels her to practice writing, while her friends explain to her the concept of studying.

TO CATCH A MERMAID
By Suzanne Selfors
JFIC Selfors
When Boom Brooms mother is swept away by a twister, he doesn’t think his life can get any worse. But when he and his sister Mertyle find a baby mermaid who grants unlimited wishes, he thinks his luck has turned--until his sister is hit by the curse of the merfolk.