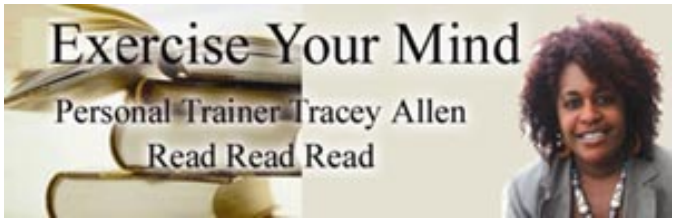

Books for young and reluctant readers

Recommended Children Books:

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Little Chicken Big Day by Katie Davis and Jerry Davis

This is a cute colorful picture book that helps with dramatic role playing for your Pre-K or early toddlers. Great for when they are out with their parents, little ones can recall this fun book regarding listening and following directions.

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Books for that Reluctant Reader:

Lockdown by Walter Dean Myers

Reese is a rebellious teenager who finds himself doing hard time in the Juvenile Correctional Facility. On the street, he is tough, hard, a bully type of teen. While incarcerated, Reese learns a very hard lesson from a person he least expects.

Basic Anatomy for the Manga Artist: Everything you need to start drawing authentic manga characters by Christopher Hart

So you like to draw? Not sure where to start? This is an awesome book that explains, in details, how to draw those exciting manga characters. Dragon Ball Z, Voltron, Last Airbender, just to name a few, can come to life thru YOUR hands. Most Reluctant readers have an affinity toward the arts. This book will sure to hold their attention while providing an elevation of self esteem.

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