A mouse has a normal day but it's his birthday! Young readers will enjoy these funny and simple introductions to reading. Each page has one or two sentences. Birthday Books for the Toddler Crowd. Happy Birthday Little Pookie by Sandra Boynton. We gave this book to my oldest son when he turned two because he loved Sandra Boynton books. He insisted that my husband make him a piggy pancake every Saturday just like Pookie’s dad in the story! They are awesome read-alouds including A Birthday for Cow. Pig and Mouse are planning a party but Duck keeps yelling about turnips. Turns out that Duck is on to something. Scaredy Squirrel Has a Birthday by Melanie Watt.