### Comics with Female Lead Characters

**Younger Readers (up to about 8 yrs old)**
- *Babymouse*, Jenn and Matt Holm
- *Cleopatra in Space*, Mike Maihack
- *Giants Beware*, Aguirre & Rosado
- *Glister*, Andi Watson
- *Hello Kitty*, Jacob Chabot
- *Magic Trixie*, Jill Thompson
- *Princess at Midnight*, Andi Watson
- *Salem Hyde*, Frank Cammusso
- *Scary Godmother*, Jill Thompson
- *Supergirl Adventures in the 8th Grade*, Landry Walker & Eric Jones
- *To Dance*, Siegel
- *Zita the Spacegirl*, Ben Hatke

**Middle Grades (8+)
- *Amelia Rules!* Jimmy Gownley
- *Courtney Crumrin, Polly and the Pirates, Princess Ugg*, all by Ted Naifeh
- *Delilah Dirk and the Turkish Lieutenant*, Tony Cliff
- *Lumberjanes*
- *My Little Pony* series
- *Oddly Normal*, Otis Frampton
- *Pix*, Gregg Schigiel
- *Powerpuff Girls*
- *Primates*, Ottaviani
- *Princeless*, Jeremy Whitley
- *Rapunzel’s Revenge*, by all the Hales
- *Secret Science Alliance*, Eleanor Davis
- *Smile and Sisters; Babysitter’s Club*, Raina Telgemeir

### Comics Everybody Will Like

**Younger Readers (up to about 8 yrs old)**
- Anything by Toon Books
- *Bird and Squirrel*, James Burks
- *Explorer* series, Kibuishi
- *Fairy Tale Comics & Nursery Rhyme Comics*, First Second
- *Guinea Pig, Petshop Private Eye*
- *Jellaby*, Kean Soo
- *Monster on the Hill*, Rob Harrell
- *Odd Duck*, Varon & Castelluci
- *Owly*, Andy Runton
- *Power Pack* series (Gurihiru)
- *Squish* series, Jenn and Matt Holm
- *Sticky Burr*, Lechner
- *Superman Family Adventures*, Tiny Titans, Art & Franco

**Middle Grades (8+)
- *A Wrinkle in Time*, Hope Larson
- *Adventure Time* and related series
- *Amulet* series, Kazu Kibuishi
- Anything Oz by Erik Shanower
- *Astronaut Academy*, Dave Roman
- *Batman Lil’ Gotham*, Dustin Nguyen
- *Bone*, Smith
- *Goosebumps* series, Scholastic
- *Howtoons*, Nick Dragotta
- *Mouse Guard*, David Peterson
- *Nathan Hale’s Hazardous Tales* series, Nathan Hale
- *Olympians* series, George O’Connor
- *Salt Water Taffy* series, Matt Loux