

PICTURE BOOKS TO READ IN KINDERGARTEN



Old Macdonald's Things That Go by Jane Clarke
Old MacDonald and his farm animal friends introduce the numerous vehicles that are on the farm, from bicycles and tractors to buses, boats, and airplanes.



Share Big Bear, Share by Maureen Wright
Big Bear's little animal friends wish he would share some of his berries, but every time the old oak tree tells him to share, he does something different.



My Family Tree and Me, My Father's Side: My Family Tree and Me, My Mother's Side
by Dušan Petričić

Come explore a boy's family tree one side at a time, starting from the front of his photo album and then starting from the back--and see how they come together in the middle!



Little Elliot, Big Family by Mike Curato

At Mouse's house, Elliot the elephant finds more than a friend--he finds a family.



The Very Cold, Freezing, No Number Day
by Ashley Sorenson

All the numbers have frozen! Children must trace, blow on, and count the numbers to unfreeze them, and in the process, they will learn colors, seasons, patterns, and numbers.



ABC Pasta: An Entertaining Alphabet
by Juana Medina

Combining images and terms for different kinds of pastas and varying circus performers, this book will teach young ones those concepts along with highlighting the alphabet.



Triangle by Mac Barnett

After Triangle plays a trick on Square, Square plans to reciprocate but runs into trouble when he tries to enter the triangular doorway of Triangle's home.



LMNO Pea-Quel by Keith Baker

Busy little peas introduce more of their favorite occupations and activities, from actor to zipper on a zip line.



What's Your Favorite Color by Eric Carle

Fifteen children's book artists, including Lauren Castillo, Frann Preston-Gannon, and Melissa Sweet, share their favorite colors and explain why they love them.



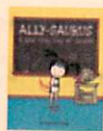
School's First Day of School by Adam Rex

It's the first day of school at Frederick Douglass Elementary and everyone's just a little bit nervous, especially the school itself.



The Class by Boni Ashburn

Twenty young students, some eager, some nervous, some grumpy, prepare for their very first day of kindergarten.



Ally-saurus and the First Day of School

by Rich Torrey

Setting off for her first day at school, Ally, a little girl with a dinosaur's spirit, hopes she'll meet other dinosaur-mad children in class, but instead, she discovers her classmates have their own vivid imaginations and strong personalities.



Beauty and the Beast

by Cynthia Rylant

Through her great capacity to love, a kind and beautiful maid releases a handsome prince from the spell which has made him an ugly beast.



Snow Queen

by H.C. Andersen

The strength of a little girl's love enables her to overcome many obstacles and free a boy from the Snow Queen's spell.



If You Give a Mouse a Cookie

by Laura Numeroff

Relating the cycle of requests a mouse is likely to make after you give him a cookie takes the reader through a young boy's day.



The Kissing Hand

by Audrey Penn

When Chester the raccoon is worried to be apart from his mother, she teaches him a secret way to carry her love with him.



Have a Look Says Book

by Richard Jackson

Through illustrations and simple, rhyming text, a book invites its reader to explore fluffy, furry, or squishy objects and creatures, both real and imaginary, that are found within its pages.



Hap-pea All Year

by Keith Baker

In rhyming text, a group of happy green peas celebrates the special holidays of each month, and the passing seasons.



The Wonderful Things You Will Be

by Emily Martin

Illustrations and simple, rhyming text reveal a parent's musings about what a child will become, knowing that the child's kindness, cleverness, and boldness will shine through no matter what, as will the love they share.



Mighty, Mighty Construction Site

by Sherri Rinker

Told in rhyming text, Excavator, Bulldozer, Crane Truck, Dump Truck, and Cement Mixer will all need to work together as they tackle their biggest job yet--a massive building.



Book! Book! Book!

by Deborah Bruss

When the children go back to school, the animals on the farm are bored, so they go into the library in town trying to find something to do.



The Pigeon Needs a Bath!

by Mo Willems

The Pigeon is dirty and he needs a bath, but he won't go willingly.

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