

Recommended Summer Book List for Kindergarten

Kindergarten children will enjoy having the following books read to them. If your child can read, let them read along with you. You can get many of these books for free! Take this list to a public library and they will either find the books or order them from another library for you. Also, "Step Into Reading" books can be found in book and department stores and are great easy readers.

~Priscilla Drouin ~ Reading Specialist

POETRY

First Mother Goose Nursery Rhymes retold by Rosemary Wells

Read-Aloud Rhymes for the Very Young by Jack Prelutsky

Little Dog Poems by Kristine O'Connell George

FICTION

Sheep in a Jeep or Sheep in a Shop by Nancy Shaw

Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See? by Bill Martin, Jr.

If You Give a Mouse a Cookie by L. J. Numeroff

If You Give a Moose a Muffin by Laura Numeroff

Bedtime for Monsters by Ed Vere

Green Eggs and Ham by Dr. Seuss

The Cat in the Hat by Dr. Seuss

The Napping House by Audrey Woods

Hop on Pop by Dr. Seuss

Mice on Ice by Rebecca & Ed Emberley

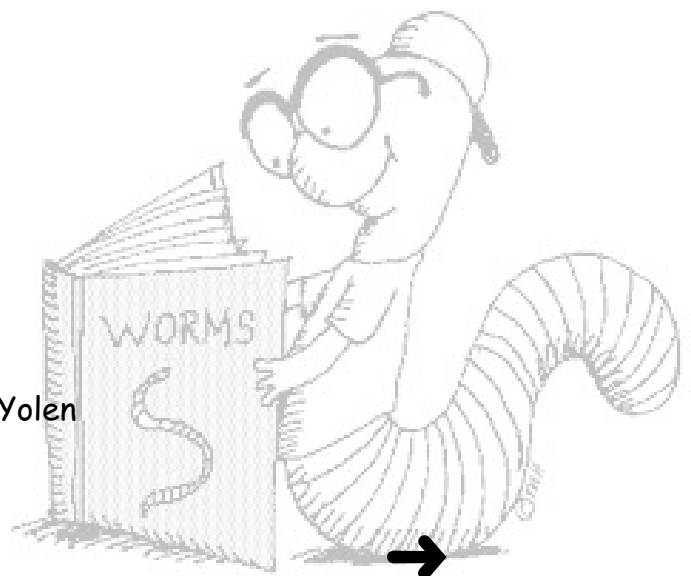
Interrupting Chicken by David Ezra Stein

Franklin in the Dark by Paulette Bourgeois

How Do Dinosaurs Say Good Night? by Jane Yolen

Parent Tip:

Reading books to your child is one of the best ways to help your child learn vocabulary and story structure



Llama Llama Time to Share by Anna Dewdney
Goldilocks and the Three Dinosaurs by Mo Willems
The Little Engine That Could by Piper
Where the Wild Things Are by Maurice Sendak

Are You My Mother? by P. D. Eastman
Biscuit Series by Alyssa Capucilli
Giggle, Giggle, Quack by Doreen Cronin
Jamberry by Bruce Degan

The Three Bears by Paul Galdone
The Three Little Pigs by Paul Galdone
Bunny Cakes by Rosemary Wells

Big Mean Mike by Michelle Knudsen
Giggle, Giggle, Quack by Doreen Cronin
Jamberry by Bruce Degan

Parent Tip:

Talking to your child about the story during a read-aloud will help your child become a better reader

Parent Tip:

When reading a rhyming book, have your child predict some of the rhyming words

NONFICTION

The Airplane Alphabet Book by Jerry Pallotta
Little Dog Lost: The True Story by Monica Carnesi
Is a Blue Whale the Biggest Thing There Is? by Robert Wells
The Moon Book by Gail Gibbons
Cats, Dogs, or Trucks by Gail Gibbons
Panda Kindergarten by Joanne Ryder

Have a Great Summer!