



100 Books to Read in Kindergarten



Classics

- ❑ **The Runaway Bunny** by Margaret Wise Brown
- ❑ **Mike Mulligan and His Steam Shovel** by Virginia Lee Burton
- ❑ **Corduroy** by Don Freeman
- ❑ **Madeline** by Ludwig Bemelmans
- ❑ **The Snowy Day** by Ezra Jack Keats
- ❑ **The Story of Ferdinand** by Munro Leaf
- ❑ **Swimmy** by Leo Lionni
- ❑ **Make Way for Ducklings** by Robert McCloskey
- ❑ **Curious George** by H.A. Rey
- ❑ **Doctor De Soto** by William Steig
- ❑ **Where the Wild Things Are** by Maurice Sendak
- ❑ **Caps for Sale** by Esphyr Slobodkina
- ❑ **Freight Train** by Donald Crews

Folk and Fairy Tales

- ❑ **The Three Bears** retold by Paul Galdone
- ❑ **The Mitten** by Jan Brett
- ❑ **Chicken Little** by Steven Kellogg
- ❑ **Pretty Salma: A Little Red Riding Hood Story from Africa** by Niki Daly
- ❑ **The Little Red Hen** by Jerry Pinkney
- ❑ **Zomo the Rabbit: A Trickster Tale from West Africa** retold by Gerald McDermott
- ❑ **Tikki Tikki Tembo** retold by Arlene Mosel
- ❑ **The Three Billy Goats Gruff** retold by Paul Galdone
- ❑ **Seven Blind Mice** by Ed Young
- ❑ **Rumpelstiltskin** by Paul Zelinsky
- ❑ **It Could Always Be Worse: A Yiddish Folk Tale** retold by Margot Zemach

Concepts

- ❑ **Mother Goose: Numbers on the Loose** by Leo & Diane Dillon
- ❑ **The Very Hungry Caterpillar** by Eric Carle
- ❑ **Alpha Oops! The Day the Z Went First** by Alethea Kontis
- ❑ **Planting a Rainbow** by Lois Ehlert
- ❑ **SuperHero ABC** by Bob McLeod
- ❑ **Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?** by Bill Martin Jr.
- ❑ **Black? White! Day? Night!: A Book of Opposites** by Laura Vaccaro Seeger
- ❑ **White Is for Blueberry** by George Shannon
- ❑ **Ten Naughty Little Monkeys** by Suzanne Williams
- ❑ **Chicka Chicka Boom Boom** by Bill Martin Jr.

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Stories in Rhyme

- ❑ **Move Over, Rover!** by Karen Beaumont
- ❑ **Old MacDonald Drives a Tractor** by Don Carter
- ❑ **Is Your Mama a Llama?** by Deborah Guarino
- ❑ **Horton Hatches the Egg** by Dr. Seuss
- ❑ **Easy Street** by Rita Gray
- ❑ **Green as a Bean** by Karla Kuskin
- ❑ **How Do Dinosaurs Say Good Night?** by Jane Yolen
- ❑ **Thelonius Monster's Sky-High Fly Pie** by Judy Sierra

Silly Stories

- ❑ **The Baby Beebeebird** by Diane Massie
- ❑ **Down the Back of the Chair** by Margaret Mahy
- ❑ **Click, Clack, Moo: Cows that Type** by Doreen Cronin
- ❑ **Smash! Crash!** by Jon Scieszka
- ❑ **When a Monster Is Born** by Sean Taylor
- ❑ **The Little Red Hen (Makes a Pizza)** by Philemon Sturges
- ❑ **Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus** by Mo Willems
- ❑ **King Bidgood's in the Bathtub** by Audrey Wood

School Stories

- ❑ **Look Out Kindergarten, Here I Come!** by Nancy Carlson
- ❑ **Kindergarten Countdown** by Anna Jane Hays
- ❑ **Officer Buckle and Gloria** by Peggy Rathmann
- ❑ **Annabelle Swift, Kindergartner** by Amy Schwartz
- ❑ **Miss Bindergarten Gets Ready for Kindergarten** by Joseph Slate
- ❑ **The New Girl— and Me** by Jacqui Robbins
- ❑ **If You Take a Mouse to School** by Laura Numeroff
- ❑ **Froggy Goes to School** by Jonathan London
- ❑ **Kids Like Us** by Carole Schaefer
- ❑ **The Twelve Days of Kindergarten** by Deborah Rose
- ❑ **My Kindergarten** by Rosemary Wells

Friends and Families

- ❑ **Olivia** by Ian Falconer
- ❑ **Tar Beach** by Faith Ringgold
- ❑ **A Splendid Friend, Indeed** by Suzanne Bloom
- ❑ **A Chair for My Mother** by Vera B. Williams
- ❑ **My Grandma= Mi Abuelita** by Ginger Foglesong Guy
- ❑ **Guess How Much I Love You** by Sam McBratney
- ❑ **Leo the Late Bloomer** by Robert Kraus
- ❑ **Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day** by Judith Viorst

Animal Stories

- ❑ **Stellaluna** by Janell Cannon
- ❑ **Bark, George** by Jules Feiffer
- ❑ **Mama Cat Has Three Kittens** by Denise Fleming
- ❑ **Tacky the Penguin** by Helen Lester
- ❑ **Kiss Good Night** by Amy Hest
- ❑ **Kitten's First Full Moon** by Kevin Henkes
- ❑ **Widget** by Lyn McFarland
- ❑ **Whistle for Willie** by Ezra Jack Keats
- ❑ **The Stray Dog** retold by Marc Simont
- ❑ **Farmer Duck** by Martin Waddell
- ❑ **Owl Moon** by Jane Yolen

Flights of Fancy

- ❑ **Abuela** by Arthur Dorros
- ❑ **The Gingerbread Boy** retold by Richard Egelski
- ❑ **There's a Nightmare in My Closet** by Mercer Mayer
- ❑ **The Magic Hat** by Mem Fox
- ❑ **It Looked Like Spilt Milk** by Charles Green Shaw
- ❑ **Sylvester and the Magic Pebble** by William Steig
- ❑ **Piggie Pie** by Margie Palatini
- ❑ **Duck on a Bike** by David Shannon
- ❑ **The Three Pigs** by David Wiesner
- ❑ **The Little Old Lady Who Was Not Afraid of Anything** by Linda Williams
- ❑ **Dino Pets** by Lynn Plourde
- ❑ **Tiger, Tiger** by Dee Lillgard

Cumulative

- ❑ **Jack's House** by Karen Beil
- ❑ **Mr. Gumpy's Outing** by John Burningham
- ❑ **Mushroom in the Rain** retold by Mirra Ginsburg
- ❑ **The Jacket I Wear in the Snow** by Shirley Neitzel
- ❑ **If You Give a Mouse a Cookie** by Laura Numeroff
- ❑ **The Great Gracie Chase** by Cynthia Rylant
- ❑ **The Rose in My Garden** by Arnold Lobel
- ❑ **Jump, Frog, Jump!** by Robert Kalan

My favorite books are:

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