

Keep learning over the summer!



Please have your child complete this packet over the summer and return it to his/her first grade teacher in September.

Write your name and draw a picture of yourself in this box.

Kindergarten Book List



The following books are listed from easy to difficult. Books that are “just right” for your child will be the ones they can read with no more than 3 errors on a page. With lots of reading over the summer, you may notice that your child’s reading abilities are changing, so try more challenging books. Have fun!

In order to build fluency, also have your child read books on an easier level!

Be sure to ask questions about the books your child reads because comprehension is just as important as decoding the words.

HAPPY READING!

Be sure to color and list the books read on the book log.

Reading Readiness – simple, decodable books

TITLE	AUTHOR
<i>Have You Seen My Cat?</i>	Eric Carle
<i>My Cat Muffin</i>	Marjorie Gardner
<i>Mrs. Wishy-Washy's Tub</i>	The Story Book- the Wright Group
<i>Who Lives in a Tree?</i> <i>Who Lives in the Artic?</i> <i>Monkeys</i>	Pamela Chanko & Susan Canizares
<i>Making Mountains</i>	Margaret Ballinger & R. Gossett
<i>What's for Dinner?</i> <i>Astronaut</i> <i>Snow</i> <i>Spaceship</i>	Karen Hoenecke
<i>Cat on the Mat</i>	Brian Wildsmith
<i>Chicken Soup</i>	Pamela Fitros
<i>Good Night, Gorilla</i>	Peggy Rathmann

<i>Hats Around the World</i>	Liza Charlesworth
<i>I like Shapes</i>	Shane Armstrong
<i>Have You Seen My Duckling?</i>	Nancy Tafuri
<i>In the Forest</i>	Melissa Schiller
<i>I'm Hungry</i>	Pamela Fitros
<i>Mother and Me</i>	Nancy Louise Spinelle
<i>All Fall Down</i>	Brian Wildsmith
<i>What's For Lunch?</i>	Eric Carle
<i>Pig Picnic</i>	Patricia Hubbell
<i>Up Went the Goat</i>	Barbara Gregorich
<i>At the Library</i>	Christine Loomis
<i>Baby Says</i>	John Steptoe
<i>Bo and Peter</i>	Betsy Franco
<i>Gregory's Dog</i>	William Stobbs
<i>Is it Time?</i>	J.G. Campbell
<i>Max's Pet</i>	Nancy Leber

<i>One For You and One For Me</i>	Wendy Blaxland
<i>Raindrops</i>	Sandy Gay
<i>What a Tale!</i>	Brain Wildsmith
<i>I Went Walking</i>	Sue Williams
<i>Bathtime for Biscuit</i>	Alyssa Capucilli
<i>Biscuit Visits the Big City</i>	Alyssa Capucilli
<i>Dog's Day</i>	Jane Cabrera
<i>I Love My Shadow</i>	Hans Wilhelm
<i>What's Going On?</i>	Cynthia Benjamin
<i>Mice Squeak, We Speak</i>	Tomi dePaola
<i>See Pip Point</i>	David Milgrim
<i>Rainbow of My Own</i>	Don Freeman
<i>One Windy Wednesday</i>	Phyllis Root
<i>Panda Bear, Panda Bear, What Do You See?</i>	Eric Carle

End of Kindergarten Appropriate Books

TITLE	AUTHOR
<i>Cat Traps</i>	Molly Coxe
<i>Footprints in the Snow</i>	Cynthia Benjamin
<i>Happy Birthday, Danny the Dinosaur</i>	Syd Hoff
<i>Sid and Sam</i>	Nola Buck
<i>Puppy Mudge Takes a Bath</i>	Cynthia Rylant
<i>Puppy Mudge Has a Snack</i>	Cynthia Rylant
<i>How Many Bugs in a Box?</i>	David Carter
<i>I Love Mud and Mud Love Me</i>	Vicki Stephens
<i>I'm Hungry!</i>	Judy Tuer
<i>Say Please</i>	Virginia Austin
<i>School Bus</i>	Donald Crews
<i>Sleepy Dog</i>	Harriet Ziefert

<i>Wheels</i>	Annie Cobb
<i>Winter is Here</i>	Kimberly Weinberger
<i>The Ball Game</i>	David Packard
<i>Bump, Bump, Bump</i>	Leslie Wood
<i>Cat Traps</i>	Molly Coxe
<i>Don't Be Late</i>	Akimi Gibson
<i>Footprints in the Snow</i>	Cynthia Benjamin
<i>Freight Train</i>	Donald Crews
<i>I See, You Saw</i>	Nurit Karlin
<i>We All Fall for Apples</i>	Emmi S. Herman
<i>Bug, a Bear, and a Boy</i>	David McPhail
<i>Clouds</i>	Meredith Costain
<i>A Funny Man</i>	Patricia Jensen
<i>Flying</i>	Donald Crews
<i>Giants</i>	Wendy Blaxland
<i>My Brother, the Brat</i>	Kirsten Hall

<i>Paper Bag Trail</i>	Anne Schreiber and A. Doughty
<i>The Pet That I Want</i>	Mary Packard
<i>Read to Your Bunny</i>	Rosemary Wells
<i>Today is Monday</i>	Eric Carle
<i>Who Am I?</i>	Nancy Christensen
<i>Amy Loves the Snow</i>	Julia Hoban
<i>Amy Love the Sun</i>	Julia Hoban
<i>Are You There, Bear?</i>	Ron Maris
<i>Beep, Beep</i>	Barbara Gregorich
<i>Bread, Bread, Bread</i>	Ann Morris
<i>A Bug, A Bear and a Boy</i>	David McPhail
<i>Calico Cat at the Zoo</i>	Donald Charles
<i>Calico the Cat</i>	Donald Charles
<i>A Dozen Dogs</i>	Harriet Ziefert
<i>Friendly Snowman</i>	William Joyce
<i>Frog's Lunch</i>	Dee Lillgard & J. Zimmerman

<i>Harry Takes a Bath</i>	Harriet Ziefert
<i>Hooray for Snail</i>	John Stadler
<i>Itchy, Itchy Chicken Box</i>	Grace Maccarone
<i>Jog, Frog, Jog</i>	Barbara Gregorich
<i>My Dog's the Best!</i>	Stephanie Calmenson
<i>Soccer Game!</i>	Grace Maccarone
<i>Tiger is a Scaredy Cat</i>	Joan Phillips
<i>Who Will Be My Friends?</i>	Syd Hoff

Challenging books

TITLE	AUTHOR
<i>Biscuit</i>	Alyssa Satin Capucilli
<i>Biscuit Finds A Friend</i>	Alyssa Satin Capucilli
<i>Boats</i>	Anne Rockwell
<i>Boris Bad Enough</i>	Robert Kraus
<i>Buzz Said the Bee</i>	Wendy Lewison

<i>Cat and Dog</i>	Else H. Minarik
<i>The Great Race</i>	David McPhail
<i>How Do You Make a Bubble?</i>	William H. Hooks
<i>Hungry Animals</i>	Little Readers Series
<i>I'm a Caterpillar</i>	Jean Marzollo
<i>Just Enough</i>	Lynn Salem & J. Stewart
<i>More Spaghetti I Say</i>	Rita Gelman
<i>My Friends</i>	Tara Gomi
<i>Nine Men Chase a Hen</i>	Barbara Gregorich
<i>No Mail for Mitchell</i>	Catherine Siracusa
<i>Sheep in a Jeep</i>	Nancy Shaw
<i>Shhhh!</i>	Suzy Kline
<i>Sue Likes Blue</i>	Barbara Gregorich
<i>Teddy Bears for Sale</i>	Gail Herman
<i>That's Not All</i>	Start to Read Series
<i>Three Cheers for Hippo</i>	John Stadler

<i>When You Were a Baby</i>	Ann Jonas
<i>Why Can't I Fly</i>	Rita Gelman
<i>Bee My Valentine!</i>	Miriam Cohen
<i>Building a House</i>	Byron Barton
<i>Buzz, Buzz, Buzz</i>	Byron Barton
<i>The Cake That Mack Ate</i>	Rose Robart & Maryann Kolvalski
<i>Captain Cat</i>	Syd Hoff
<i>A Clean House For Mole and Mouse</i>	Harriet Ziefert
<i>Come Out and Play Little Mouse</i>	Robert Kraus
<i>Danny and the Dinosaur Go to Camp</i>	Syd Hoff
<i>The Giant's Job</i>	J. Stewart & Lynn Salem
<i>Goodnight Moon</i>	Margaret Wise Brown
<i>The Great Big Enormous Turnip</i>	Aleksei Tolstoi & Graff Nikolaevich
<i>If I Had an Alligator</i>	Mercer Mayer
<i>It's George!</i>	Miriam Cohen
<i>Just Me and My Dad</i>	Mercer Mayer

<i>Just Me and My Puppy</i>	Mercer Mayer
<i>A Kiss for Little Bear</i>	Tana Hoban
<i>Put Me in the Zoo</i>	Robert Lopshire
<i>The Rabbit</i>	John Burningham
<i>Quack, Said the Billy Goat</i>	Charles Causley
<i>Tool Box</i>	Anne Rockwell
<i>Two Bear Cubs</i>	Ann Jonas
<i>We are Best Friends</i>	Aliki
<i>Where are You Going, Little Mouse</i>	Robert Kraus
<i>You'll Soon Grow Into Them Titch</i>	Pat Hutchins
<i>Airport</i>	Bryon Barton
<i>Albert the Albatross</i>	Syd Hoff
<i>Angus and the Cat</i>	Marjorie Flack
<i>All Tutus Should Be Pink</i>	Sheri Brownrigg
<i>Are You My Mother?</i>	Phillip D. Eastman
<i>Ben and the Bear</i>	Chris Riddell

<i>Big Bad Rex</i>	Betty Erickson
<i>Big Dog, Little Dog</i>	Philip D. Eastman
<i>Bike Lesson</i>	Stan & Jan Berenstain
<i>Busy Buzzing Bumblebees and Other Tongue Twisters</i>	Alvin Schwartz
<i>Dogs</i>	Pat Hutchins
<i>The Dragon Series:</i> <i>Dragon Gets By</i> <i>Dragon's Fat Cat</i> <i>Dragon's Halloween</i> <i>Dragon's Merry Christmas</i> <i>A Friend For Dragon</i>	Dav Pilkey
<i>Father Bear Comes Home</i>	Else H. Minarik
<i>Fix It</i>	David McPhail
<i>Hiccups for Elephant</i>	James Preller
<i>Just a Mess</i>	Mercer Mayer
<i>Just Grandma and Me</i>	Mercer Mayer
<i>Liar, Liar Pants on Fire</i>	Miriam Cohen

<i>Lost in the Museum</i>	Miriam Cohen
<i>Mice At Bat</i>	Kelly Oechsli
<i>The Napping House</i>	Don & Audrey Wood
<i>Noisy Nora</i>	Rosemary Wells
<i>Spooky Riddles</i>	Marc Brown

My Summer Book Log

Title of the Book	<p>Color 1 sun= This book was ok.</p> <p>Color 2 suns= This book was good.</p> <p>Color 3 suns= This book was great.</p>
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	



