
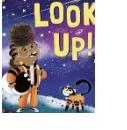

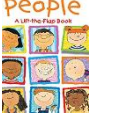
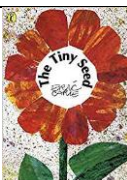






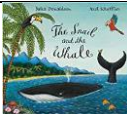
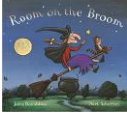


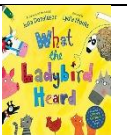
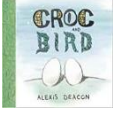

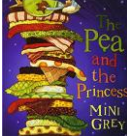
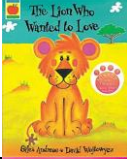

40 Recommended Reading Books for EYFS

Dear Parents,


We have carefully selected books that will hopefully capture your child's imagination. This list contains books you can read together, with a description of the book so that you and your child are able to choose your favourites according to your child's interests.

Title	Image	Author	ISBN	Overview	Book Band	Date Read
One Snowy Night		Nick Butterworth	978-0007146932	Percy the Park Keeper helps his animal friends in this popular story from highly-regarded, best-selling author-illustrator Nick Butterworth.	Read together	
Look Up		Nathan Bryon	0241345847	Meet the hilarious, science-mad chatterbox, Rocket – she's going to be the greatest astronaut, star-catcher, space-traveller that has ever lived! But....can she convince her bit brother to stop looking down at this phone and start LOOKING UP at the stars?	Read together	
Come to School too, Blue Kangaroo		Emma Chichester Clark	978-0007258680	Lily and Blue Kangaroo - a friendship forever! The eighth title in this hugely popular series featuring Lily and her loveable soft toy sees the inseparable duo starting at a new school with surprising results.	Read together	
All Kinds of People		Emma Damon	1608871606	People come in all different shapes and sizes and have different interests and hobbies. Whether a child has straight hair or curly, freckles or pimples, is thin or overweight—this book offers a celebratory romp through what makes all of us unique and special.	Read together	
The Tiny Seed		Eric Carle	978-0140557138	When the tiny seed is blown away from its parent plant, it travels a very long way - overseas, deserts and mountains.	Read together	
The Very Hungry Caterpillar		Eric Carle	978-0140569322	The classic edition of the bestselling story written for the very young. A newly hatched caterpillar eats his way through all kinds of food.	Read together	
Man on the Moon, A Day in the Life of Bob		Simon Bartram	978-1840113693	The everyday story of an ordinary man? Well, sort of, Bob is the man on the moon, and he has a very special job, looking after the moon, cleaning it up, showing visitors around and selling souvenirs.	Read together	
We're Going on a Bear Hunt		Michael Rosen	978-0744523232	Follow and join in the family's excitement as they wade through the grass, splash through the river and squelch through the mud in search of a bear.	Read together	

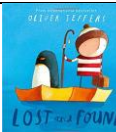

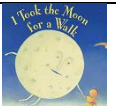



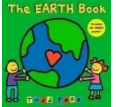
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Meet the Parents		Peter Bently	978-0857075826	You may think your parents just boss you around and tell you what to do. And there's no getting away from it - they do have to do quite a lot of that!	Read together	
The Snail and the Whale		Julia Donaldson	978-0333982242	One tiny snail longs to see the world and hitches a lift on the tail of a whale.	Read together	
Room on the Broom		Julia Donaldson	978-0333903384	The witch and her cat fly happily over forests, rivers and mountains on their broomstick until a stormy wind blows away the witch's hat, bow and wand.	Read together	
The Gruffalo		Julia Donaldson	978-0333710937	Walk further into the deep dark wood, and discover what happens when the quick-thinking mouse comes face to face with an owl, a snake and a hungry gruffalo . . .	Read together	
It's okay to be different		Todd Parr	9780316043472	In this non-fiction book we learn to celebrate our differences. Why would you want to be the same as anyone else? Being yourself is what is best for you.	Read together	
What the Ladybird Heard		Julia Donaldson	978-0230706507	With all the MOOing and HISSing and BAAing and CLUCKing, the farmyard is full of noise.	Read together	
Croc and Bird		Alexis Deacon	978-0091893323	Side by side on the sand sat two eggs. With a crack and a rip, the brothers hatch, and out comes a bird and a ... crocodile! But they can't be brothers - can they?	Read together	
The Selfish Crocodile		Faustin Charles & Mike Terry	978-0747541936	Every morning a very large and very snappy crocodile shouts this selfish message: 'Stay away from my river! It's MY river! If you come in my river, I'll eat you all!'	Read together	
The Princess and the Pea		Hans Christian Andersen (Mini Grey)	978-0099432333	Once upon a time there was an enchanting fairy-tale about a prince who was looking for a real princess to be his bride.	Read together	
The Lion Who Wanted to Love		Giles Andreae	978-1860399138	Leo isn't like other lion cubs. Instead of chasing zebras and antelopes, he wants to make friends and hug them.	Read together	
Princess Smartypants		Babette Cole	978-0140555264	Princess Smartypants does not want to get married. She enjoys being a Ms.	Read together	

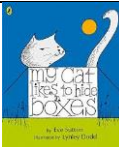
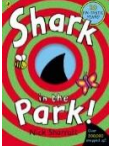
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The Rainbow Fish		Marcus Pfister	978-1558580091	The award-winning book about a beautiful fish who finds friendship and happiness when he learns to share.	Read together	
Owl Babies		Martin Waddell and Patrick Benson	978-0744531671	A gentle tale of three baby owls reassures young children that Mummy will always come home.	Read together	
Freddie and the Fairy		Julia Donaldson	9780330511186	Freddie is desperate for a pet, so when he rescues Bessie-Belle and she offers to grant his wishes he knows just what to ask for. The only problem is that Bessie-Belle can't hear very well, and Freddie tends to mumble. Whatever can they do? Luckily the Fairy Queen is on hand to explain...	Read together	
We completely must go to London		Lauren Child	978-0141342924	Charlie has this little sister Lola. Today they are visiting London on a school trip. Lola says, "London is extremely huge and very BUSY...I can't wait!"	Read together	
My Two Grannies		Floella Benjamin	978-1847800343	Alvina has two grannies who she loves with all her heart.	Read together	
Stomp, Chomp, Big Roars! Here come the Dinosaurs		Kaye Umansky	978-0140569353	This is the way we stomp our feet, Stomp! Stomp! Stomp!	Read together	
Maisie's Scrapbook		Samuel Narh	1911373579	As the seasons turn, Maisie rides her bull in and out of Dada's tall tales. Her Mama wears linen and plays the viola. Her Dada wears kente cloth and plays the marimba. They come from different places, but they hug her in the same way. And most of all, they love her just the same.	Read together	
Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?		Bill Martin Jr, Eric Carle	9780140502961	Exuberantly coloured artwork and favourite animals make this rhythmic story the perfect introduction to looking and learning about colours.	Read together	
Not Now Bernard		David McKee	978-1783442904	Bernard's got a problem. He's found a monster in the back garden but his mum and dad are just too busy to notice.	Read together	
Handa's Surprise		Eileen Browne	978-0744536348	A modern classic named one of the best culturally diverse picture books in the UK, this is the story of Handa, who's part of the Luo tribe in south-west Kenya.	Read together	

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Rosie's Walk		Pat Hutchins	978-1862308060	Rosie's walk around the farmyard, pursued by the hungry but clumsy fox, has become a beacon in the world of children's picture books.	Read together	
Lost and Found		Oliver Jeffers	978-0007150366	There once was a boy... and one day a penguin arrives on his doorstep.	Read together	
Dinosaur Dig!		Penny Dale	978-0857630940	Dinosaur Dig! has everything that gets small boys excited - diggers, dinosaurs and dirt plus a bit of counting thrown in for good measure.	Read together	
Shu Lin's Grandpa		Matt Goodfellow	1913074021	Shu Lin has just started at a new school. She stands alone in the playground and at lunchtime she eats by herself from little boxes of brightly coloured food. What's up with her? says Barney. But when Shu Lin's grandpa comes to school and shows the class his amazing Chinese paintings, everything changes.	Read together	
I took the moon for a walk		Carolyn Curtis	978-1846862007	Embark on a dreamy, night-time jaunt with a young boy and the moon. Overcoming a fear of the dark and discovering the world at night lives at the heart of this poetic tale. Includes notes about the moon and plants and animals that thrive in the wee hour	Read together	
Where the Wild Things Are		Maurice Sendak	0099408392	One night Max puts on his wolf suit and makes mischief of one kind and another, so his mother calls him 'Wild Thing' and sends him to bed without his supper.	Read together	
Hansel and Gretel		Ladybird First Favourite Tales	978-0723270690	A perfect introduction to the classic story <i>Hansel and Gretel</i> . Find out what happens when the brother and sister get lost in the woods!	Read together	
Oi Frog		Kes Gray, Jim Field	9781444910865	Cats sit on mats, hares sit on chairs, mules sit on stools and gophers sit on sofas. But Frog does <i>not</i> want to sit on a log. Jam-packed with animals and silliness, this original rhyming story is guaranteed to get children giggling!	Read together	
The Earth Book		Todd Parr	9780316042659	I take care of the earth because I know I can do little things every day to make a BIG difference..."With his signature blend of playfulness and sensitivity, Todd Parr explores the important, timely subject of environmental protection and conservation in this eco-friendly picture book	Read together	

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My Cat likes to hide in boxes		Eve Sutton, Lynley Dodd	978014 050242 8	Lots of cats all around the world do exciting things like fly aeroplanes or play the violin - but my cat, an ordinary round-the-house cat, likes to hide in boxes.	Read together	
Shark in the Park		Nick Sharrat	978055 254977 6	Timothy Pope, Timothy Pope, what can you see through your telescope? Is there a really a shark in the park? Go on, be brave, open the book and see! Timothy Pope has a brand new telescope and he's testing it out at the park.	Read together	

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