

BOOKS FOR AGES 2 AND 3

As your child grows, so too do their interests and reading capabilities. Below are some books to help you explore all that toddler literature has to offer. These books are available through the Westchester Library System! To put these books on hold, you can use the "Search the Catalog" box at dobbsferrylibrary.org, call (914) 693-6615, or email dobchildrefewlsmail.org.

Animals

- *Pig the Pug* series by Aaron Blabey. Scholastic, 2016.
- *Boing!* by Nick Bruel. Roaring Books Press, 2004.
- *Whose Nose and Toes?* by John Butler. Viking, 2004.
- *The Very Hungry Caterpillar* and other titles by Eric Carle. Philomel Books, 1969.
- *Hooray for Fish!* by Lucy Cousin. Candlewick Press, 2005.
- *Bark, Georgel!* by Jules Feiffer. HarperCollins, 1999.
- *Kitten's First Full Moon* and other titles by Kevin Henkes. Greenwillow Books, 2004.
- *Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?* by Bill Martin Jr. Henry Holt, 1983.
- *Packs: Strength in Numbers* by Hannah Salyer. Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, 2019.
- *The Doghouse* and other titles by Jan Thomas. Harcourt, 2008.
- *Found* and other titles by Salina Yoon. Walker & Co., 2014.

Concepts

- *Bat Jamboree* by Kathi Appelt. HarperCollins, 1998.
- *The Black Book of Colors* by Menena Cottin. Groundwood Books, 2008. (this book contains Braille)
- *Ten Red Apples* by Pat Hutchins. Greenwillow Books, 2000.
- *Bigger Than You* by Hyewon Kyung. Greenwillow Books, 2018.

- *Chicka Chicka Boom Boom* by Bill Martin Jr. Little Simon, 2010.
- *Winnie-the-Pooh's Opposites* by A.A. Milne. Dutton's Children's Books, 1995.
- *P is for Poppadoms* by Kabir Sehgal. Beach Lane Books, 2019.
- *Opposnakes* by Salina Yoon. Little Simon, 2009.

Family & Friendship

- *I Really Want to See You, Grandma* by Taro Gomi. Chronicle Books, 2018.
- *A Tale of Two Daddies* and *A Tale of Two Mommies* by Vanita Oelschlager. Vanita Books, 2010.
- *The Family Book* by Todd Parr. Little Brown, 2003.
- *Oh, David!* by David Shannon. Blue Sky Press, 2005.

Everyday Activities

- *Maisy* books by Lucy Cousins. Penguin Random House, 1999-2021.
- *Llama Llama* books by Anna Dewdney. 2005-2016.
- *Off to See the Sea* and other titles by Nikki Grimes. Sourcebooks Jabberwocky, 2021.
- *Whose Shoes?* by Anna Grossnickle Hines. Harcourt, 2001.
- *Goldilocks and the Just Right Potty* by Leah Hodgkinson. Nosy Crow, 2017.
- *Flip's Day* by Petr Horáček. Candlewick Press, 2002.
- *The Prince and the Potty* by Wendy Cheyette Lewinson. Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, 2006.

- *Lola Loves Stories* by Anna McQuinn. Charlesbridge, 2010.
- *How Do Dinosaurs Say Good Night?* and other titles by Jane Yolen. Blue Sky, 2000.

Feelings

- *Wemberly Worried* by Kevin Henkes. Greenwillow Books, 2000.
- *Duck & Goose, How Are You Feeling?* by Tad Hills. Schwartz & Wade Books, 2009.
- *Big Feelings* by Alexandra Penfold. Knopf Books for Young Readers, 2021.
- *Lots of Feelings* by Shelley Rotner. Millbrook Press, 2003.
- *Grumpy Bird* and other titles by Jeremy Tankard. Scholastic, 2007.

Interactive Books

- *Go Away, Big Green Monster* by Ed Emberley. Little, Brown, 1992.
- *In the Driver's Seat* by Max Haynes. Doubleday Books for Young Readers, 1997.
- *The Monster at the End of this Book* by John Stone. Golden Books, 1996.
- *Press Here* and other titles by Hervé Tullet. Chronicle Books, 2011.
- *Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus!* and other books by Mo Willems. Hyperion Books for Children, 2003.

Rhymes and Songs

- *The Library Book* by Tom Chaplin. Atheneum Books for Young readers, 2017.
- *Pete the Cat: I Love My White Shoes* and other books by James Dean and Eric Litwin. HarperCollins, 2010.
- *Miss Mary Mack* by Mary Ann Hoberman. Little, Brown, 1998.
- *Old MacDonald Had a Baby* by Emily Snape. Feiwel and Friends, 2019.

Things That Go

- *This Car* and *This Truck* by Paul Collicutt. Farrar Straus Giroux, 2002.

- *Trains Run!* by George Ella Lyon. Atheneum Books for Young Readers, 2019.
- *Where Do Diggers Sleep at Night?* by Brianna Caplan Sayres. Random House, 2012.
- *Richard Scarry's Cars and Trucks and Things That Go* by Richard Scarry. Golden Book, 1974.
- *Construction Kitties* by Judy Sue Goodwin Sturges. Henry Holt, 2013.

Miscellaneous

- *Thomas and Friends: First Look and Find* by Wilbert Awdry. Publications International, 2011.
- *Flashlight* by Lizi Boyd. Chronicle Books, 2014. (if you like this, ask your librarian for more wordless picture books!)
- *The Gruffalo* by Julia Donaldson. Dial Books for Young Readers, 1999.
- *Cityblock* by Christopher Franceschelli. Abrams Appleseed, 2016.
- *Stuck* and other titles by Oliver Jeffers. Philomel, 2011.
- *This is Not My Hat* and other titles by Jon Klassen. Candlewick Press, 2012.
- *The Baby Goes Beep* by Rebecca O'Connell. Roaring Book Press, 2003.
- *Bee-bim Bop!* by Linda Sue Park. Clarion Books, 2005.
- *It's Okay to Be Different* and other titles by Todd Parr. Little, Brown, 2009.
- *Not a Box* by Antoinette Portis. Scholastic, 2006.
- *Flora and the Flamingo* by Molly Schaar Idle. Chronicle Books, 2013.
- *Dinosaur vs. Bedtime* and other titles by Bob Shea. Hyperion, 2008.
- *Five Little Pumpkins* by Iris van Rynbach. Boyd Mills Press, 1995.
- *Do You See a Mouse?* and other titles by Bernard Waber. Houghton Mifflin Company, 1995.