

For Babies 0-12 Months

- Board books with real photos of other babies.
- Brightly colored "chunky" board books
- Books with real photos of familiar objects like balls and toys.
- Plastic/vinyl books for bath time.
- Soft Cloth books to cuddle and mouth and can be washed.
- Small plastic photo albums of family and friends.

For Toddlers 12-36 Months (1-2 yrs old)

- Small, sturdy board books that they can carry and easily manipulate.
- Books with real photos of children doing familiar things like sleeping or playing.
- Goodnight books for bed time or other books about daily routines.
- Books about saying good-bye and hello or please and thank you.
- Books with a few words on each page.
- Books with brightly colored, engaging illustrations.
- Books with simple rhymes or predictable text.
- Interactive books - Touch-and-feel & Lift the Flaps.
- Animal books of all sizes and shapes some with real photos.
- Books that tell very simple stories.
- Concept books about counting, the alphabet, shapes/sizes & colors.

For Preschoolers 3-5 Years

- Books about children that look and live like them.
- Simple multicultural books to show different types of children who live very different lives.
- Counting books or other "math concept" books about things like size or time.
- Simple non-fiction "science" books about things and how they work—like garbage trucks, weather, animals, our body, etc.
- Books about holidays & traditions
- Books about things in which the child has a special interest, such as trains, horses, dinosaurs, etc
- Books about friends
- Books about going to school or to the doctor.
- Books about using good manners.
- Books about having brothers or sisters.
- Books with simple text that they can memorize or read!