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Supporting children aged 3-5 in the Early Years Foundation Stage

2019 Book Selection

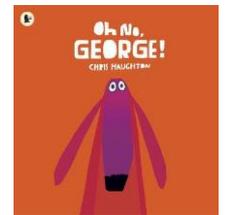
Off to the Park, Stephen Cheetham (*Child's Play*) ISBN 9781846435027

Come with us to the park! Which way shall we go? What shall we do? What will we find? A stunning interactive book, with a delightful surprise at the end. Containing tactile features, Braille-style numbering, play elements, high-contrast images and a rhythmic rhyming text, this book is designed to create as sensory and involved experience as possible out of a familiar and well-loved journey.



Oh No, George! Chris Haughton (*Walker*) ISBN 9781406344769

It is hard work being good all the time - and it's especially hard for a dog like George! In this hilarious read-aloud story, Harris is off to do some shopping. "Will you be good, George?" he asks his dog. George hopes he can. He really wants to but chocolate cake is just so very delicious and he does love to chase cat... Chris Haughton's distinctive artwork perfectly accompanies the innocent charm of affable George, a dog trying to be good - with hilarious results!



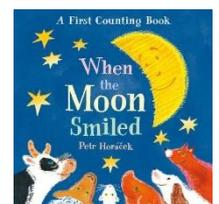
Fox's Socks, Julia Donaldson (*Macmillan*) ISBN 9781447273400

Poor old Fox has lost his socks - can you help him find them? Are they in the kitchen or under the stairs? Are they inside the clock or hidden in a chest? Lift the flaps and find out! With sturdy flaps on every spread and rhyming stories that are a joy to read aloud, the Tales From Acorn Wood have been delighting both parents and toddlers for over fifteen years. A beautifully produced board book with a gorgeous shiny-foiled cover look.



When the Moon Smiled, Petr Horacek (*Walker*) ISBN 9781406382419

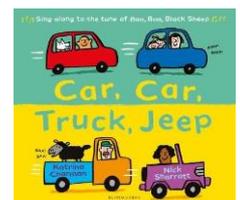
A charming farmyard counting book from the award-winning illustrator Petr Horacek, perfect for reading bedtime. It's night on the farm, but the animals are topsy-turvy. The moon will only smile when things are put right. He must now light the stars, one by one. Can you count them all?



Car, Car, Truck, Jeep, Katrina Charman & Nick Sharratt (*Bloomsbury*)

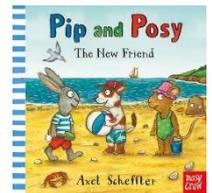
ISBN 9781408864968

This book is bursting with cars, buses, planes, trains, trucks, diggers and many more things that go. Add to that a text that is read aloud to the tune of 'Baa, Baa, Black Sheep' and... What a combination! Car, car, truck, jeep, have you any fuel? Yes, sir, yes, sir, three tanks full. One for the red bus, one for the train, and one for the pilot in her jumbo jet plane. With bold, colourful illustrations by the instantly recognisable Nick Sharratt and text by Katrina Charman, children will never want to put this book down.



Pip and Posy: The New Friend, Axel Scheffler (Nosy Crow) ISBN 9781788002516

Pip and Posy are having a lovely day at the seaside, collecting shells and digging the sand. But when Posy has a nap, Pip makes friends with a boy called Zac. Zac is very cool: he has lots of fun toys and beach gear, AND he's really good at handstands. So, to her dismay, when Posy wakes up, she finds that Pip is more interested in playing with Zac than her. A funny and dramatic story about working out that two's company and three's a... party!



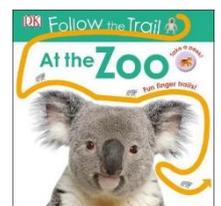
Big Stickers for Tiny Hands: Things That Go (Hachette) ISBN 9781526380210

This book is full of exciting scenes and activities. The big ready-cut stickers are easy for little fingers to find, peel off and stick, putting an end to the frustration of fiddly stickers that are tricky to remove and easy to tear. It's crammed with different scenes to decorate, from the high street to the airport, from the building site to the motorway. Words and sounds that match the scenes help build vocabulary and a huge fold-out picture to decorate will keep children entertained.



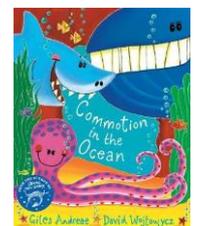
Follow the Trail: At the Zoo (Dorling Kindersley) ISBN 9780241281499

Children will love using their fingers to follow the glittery, bumpy shiny trails to develop pre-writing skills. This is a tactile board book, packed with colourful illustrations to help encourage early learning. This series is perfect for hands-on learning, every page of this board book has a bright, bold finger trail with a special sparkly, bumpy finish. Packed with photos of lovable zoo animals like giraffes and koalas and peepholes that show you which creature is coming next.



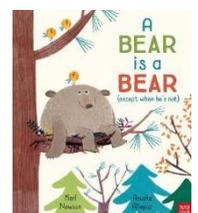
Commotion in the Ocean, Giles Andreae & David Wojtowycz (Hachette) ISBN 9781841211015

Dive into the ocean for a noisy, rhyming animal adventure in this colourful read-aloud picture book! Children will love looking at all the colourful pictures and joining in with all the rhymes, as they discover lots of amazing sea creatures. Including blue whales, sea turtles, jellyfish, dolphins and more!



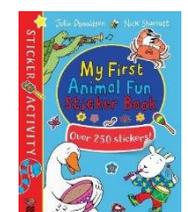
A Bear is a Bear, Karl Newson & Anuska Allepuz (Nosy Crow) ISBN 9781788000994

When one sleepy bear wakes up early from his winter sleep, he's confused. Is he a bird? Or a moose? A fox perhaps? Or even a squirrel? No! He's definitely a bear, and it's time this bear went back to sleep...



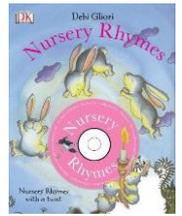
My First Animal Fun Sticker Book (Macmillan) ISBN 9781509816224

Help Goose go through the maze to find his chocolate mousse, use your stickers to fill Mole's garden with flowers and butterflies, and play search-and-find at Goat's playgroup! With loads of animals getting up to all kinds of fun, this is an animal sticker book like no other. Packed with games, activities and hundreds of extra-large stickers that are easy for small hands to use, this book is perfect for birthdays, rainy days and holidays - a great book for any young child.



Nursery Rhymes - Book and CD, Debi Gliori (Dorling Kindersley) ISBN 9781405320153

A treasury of nursery rhymes for children featuring 50 classic and favourite rhymes to be read again and again. Beautifully illustrated and written by Debi Gliori, read and sing along together nursery rhymes including Humpty Dumpty, Incy Wincy Spider, Little Bo-Peep and many more. A perfect children's book, great for sharing or to read at bedtime.



Superkid, Claire Freedman & Sarah McIntyre (Scholastic) ISBN 9781407124063

There's a boy quite ordinary, He looks like me or you, But in secret... he is Superkid - There's nothing he can't do! With x-ray vision, super speed and bravery by the bag-load, Superkid is always on hand to save the day! He can spot bullies trying to steal your bubblegum, he knows just what to do with a plateful of broccoli, and he can make even pirates surrender. An encouraging message about every child's potential to be a hero.

