

Informational Books

This is a list of fantastic children's books that has been collected from children, parents, and teachers. Books can be obtained at your local public library, your child's school library, or bookstore. Books are also available for purchase through our website: www.BusterReading.com.

Buster Activities can be used with any book your child selects. This book list is simply a guide. Encourage your child to pick a book they find interesting and then enjoy the special time as you read together.

Title	Author	Publisher
* A Fawn in the Grass	Ryder, Joanne	Holt
A Taste of Honey	Wallace, Nancy Elizabeth	Winslow Press
* A Tree is a Plant	Bulla, Clyde Robert	Harper Collins
A Voice From the Wilderness	Brown, Don	Houghton
* Air Show	Suen, Anastasia	Holt
An Octopus is Amazing	Lauber, Patricia	Harper Collins Publishers
* Animal Tails	Kawata, Ken	Kane/Miller
Animals in Flight	Jenkins, Steve & Robin Page	Houghton
** Animals Nobody Loves	Simon, Seymour	SeaStar Books
** Apples	Gibbons, Gail	Holiday House
** Armadillo From Amarillo	Cherry, Lynne	1st Voyager
* Bat Loves the Night	Davies, Nicola	Candlewick
* Bear in Sunshine	Blackstone, Shelia	Barefoot
** Bedtime	Swain, Ruth Freeman	Holiday House
Betty Doll	Polacco, Patricia	Philomel
** Big Blue Whale	Davies, Nicola	Candlewick Press
Birds	Doherty, Gillian	Usborne
** Blizzards	Burby, Liza N.	Rosen Publishing
** Bridges Are to Cross	Sturges, Philemon	G. Putnam's Sons
Buffalo Hunt	Freedman, Russell	Holiday House
Bugs Are Insects	Rockwall, Anne	Harper Collins
Castles, Caves, and Honeycombs	Ashman, Linda	Harcourt
Children Around the World	Montanari, Donata	Kids Can Press
** Chirping Crickets	Berger, Melvin	Harper Collins Publishers
Crocodile Listens	Sayre, April Pulley	Greenwillow
Crocodile: Disappearing Dragon	London, Jonathan	Candlewick
* Dappled Apples	Carr, Jan	Holiday
** Day in the Life of a Firefighter	Adamson, Heather	Capstone Press
** Day in the Life of a ZooKeeper	LeBoutillier, Nate	Capstone Press
Dig, Wait, Listen: A Desert Toad's Tale	Sayre, April Pulley	Greenwillow
** Do Bears Sleep All Winter?	Berger, Melvin and Gilda	Scholastic
** Do Lions Live on Lilly Pads?	Walsh, Melanie	Houghton Mifflin
** Do Stars Have Points?	Berger, Melvin	Scholastic
** Do Tornadoes Really Twist?	Berger, Melvin and Gilda	Scholastic
** Do Whales Have BellyButtons?	Berger, Melvin	Scholastic
Ducks	Gibbons, Gail	Holiday
Eleanor Roosevelt: A Life of Discovery	Freedman, Russell	Clarion Books
* Ernie Dances to the Didgeridoo	Lester, Alison	Houghton
** Everglades	George, Jean Craighead	HarperCollins Publishers
* Fred's Bed	Singer, Mary	Harper Collins
From Pictures to Words	Stevens, Janet	Holiday House
** From Seed to Plant	Gibbons, Gail	Holiday House
* Galileo's Treasure Box	Brighton, Catherine	Walker
* Good Thing You're Not an Octopus	Markes, Julie	Harper Collins

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** Great Kapok Tree	Cherry, Lynne	Harcourt Brace
** Growing Like Me	Rockwall, Anne	Silver Whistle
Growing Up Wild	Markle, Sandra	Atheneum
** Have You Noticed the Clothes We Wear?	Hewitt, Sally & Jane Rowe	Raintree Steck-Vaughan Pub.
* Hear Your Heart	Showers, Paul	Harper Collins
** Home Depot's Big Book of Tools	Weinberger, Kimberly	Scholastic Cartwheel Books
** Home Run!	Burleigh, Robert	Harcourt Brace
** HoneyMakers	Gibbons, Gail	Morrow Junior Books
** I am a Dolphin: The Life of a Bottlenose Dolphin	Stille, Darlene R.	Picture Window Books
** I am a Sea Turtle: The Life of a Green Sea Turtle	Stille, Darlene R.	Picture Window Books
** I am a Seal: The Life of an Elephant Seal	Stille, Darlene R.	Picture Window Books
** I am a Whale: The Life of a Humpback Whale	Stille, Darlene R.	Picture Window Books
** I Face the Wind	Cobb, Vicki	HarperCollins
I Live in Toyko	Takabayashi, Mari	Houghton
* I Saw the Sea and the Sea Saw Me	Cash, Megan Montague	Viking
* If You Had a Nose Like an Elephant's Trunk	Bauer, Marion Dane	Holiday
* I'm Growing	Aliki	Harper Collins
Immigrant Kids	Freedman, Russell	Dutton
** Into the Sea	Guiberson, Brenda Z.	Holt
** Is a Blue Whale the Biggest Thing There Is?	Wells, Robert E.	A. Whitman
Joining the Boston Tea Party	Stanley, Diane	Harper Collins
Jubela	Kessler, Cristina	Simon and Schuster Books
Just Like You and Me	Miller, Daniel	Dial
* Leon, the Chameleon	Watt, Melanie	Kids Can Press
Leonardo's Horse	Fritz, Jean	Putnam
** Look, Listen, Taste, Touch, Smell	Nettleton, Pamela Hill	Picture Window Books
Lots and Lots of Zebra Stripes: Patterns in Nature	Swinburne, Stephen R.	Boyd's Mills Press
Megatooth	O'Brien, Patrick	Holt
** Monarch Butterfly	Gibbons, Gail	Holiday House
** Mush!	Seibert, Patricia	Millbrook Press
* My Feet	Aliki	Harper Collins
* My Mother is Mine	Bauer, Marion Dane	Simon and Schuster Books
New Road	Gibbons, Gail	Crowell
Nutik, the Wolf Pup	George, Jean Craighead	Harper Collins
Ocean	Gray, Samantha	DK
One Day at Wood Green Animal Shelter	Casey, Patricia	Candlewick
** One Small Fish	Ryder, Joanne	Morrow Junior Books
One Tiny Turtle	Davies, Nicola	Candlewick
One Whole Day: Wolves	Arnosky, Jim	National Geographic
** Penguin: A Funny Bird	Fontanel, Beatrice	Charlesbridge
** Polar Bears	Gibbons, Gail	Holiday
Rain Forest	Greenwood, Elinor	DK
* Reptiles Are My Life	McDonald, Megan	Orchard
* Robin's Home	Atkins, Jeannine	Farrar
** Sea Elf	Ryder, Joanne	Morrow
** Seal Pup Grows Up	Zoehfeld, Kathleen Weidner	Soundprints
Sharks	Sheikh-Miller, Jonathan	Usborne
** Shoeless Joe and Black Betsy	Bildner, Phil	Simon & Schuster Books
Silver Seeds	Paolilli, Paul and Dan Brewer	Viking
Slap, Squeak, and Scatter	Jenkins, Steve	Houghton

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** Sleepy Book	Zolotow, Charlotte	Harper Collins
Snow Comes to the Farm	Tripp, Nathaniel	Candlewick
** Soaring with Wind: the Bald Eagle	Gibbons, Gail	Morrow Junior Books
Spiders and Their Webs Sites	Facklam, Margery	Little
** Spiders: Biggest and Littlest	Markle, Sandra	Boyd's Mills Press
* Spring Song	Seuling, Barbara	Harcourt
* Stop, Drop, and Roll	Cuylar, Margery	Simon and Schuster Books
* Supermom	Manning, Mick	Whitman
* Tabitha's Terrifically Tough Tooth	Middleton, Charlotte	Fogelman
* Ten Seeds	Brown, Ruth	Knopf
Terrible Tyrannosaurs	Zoehfeld, Kathleen Weidner	Harper Collins
The Dinosaurs of Waterhouse Hawkins	Kerley, Barbara	Scholastic
* The Dirty Little Boy	Brown, Margaret Wise	Winslow Press
** The Emperor Lays an Egg	Guiberson, Brenda	Holt
The Inside-Outside Book of Texas	Munro, Roxie	SeaStar
The Moon's Lullaby	Nobisso, Josephine	Orchard
The Pledge of Allegiance	Clack, Barbar	Bright Sky Press
* The Stray Dog	Simont, Marc	Harper Collins
The Waterfall's Gift	Ryder, Joanne	Sierra Club
* The Wind's Garden	Roberts, Bethany	Holt
This Boat	Collicutt	Farrar
This is the Ocean	Hamilton, Kersten	Boyd's Mills
This is the Rain	Schaefer, Lola M.	Greenwillow
** Those Amazing Ants	Demuth, Patricia Brennan	Simon & Schuster Books
Tool Book	Gibbons, Gail	Holiday House
** Tornadoes	Burby, Liza N.	Rosen Publishing
Tough Beginnings	Singer, Mary	Holt
Volcano	Prager, Ellen J.	National Geographic
** Waiting For Wings	Ehlert, Lois	Harcourt
* Wash, Scrub, Brush!	Manning, Mick	Whitman
** What Makes a Shadow?	Bulla, Clyde Robert	HarperCollins
** What You Never Knew About Beds, Bedrooms, ...	Lauber, Patricia	Simon and Schuster Books
When Esther Morris Headed West	Wooldridge, Connie Nordhielm	Holiday
** Where Butterflies Grow	Ryder, Joanne	Lodestar Books
* Who is in the Garden	Rosenberry, Vera	Holiday
** Why I Sneeze, Hiccup, and Yawn	Berger, Melvin	Harper Collins

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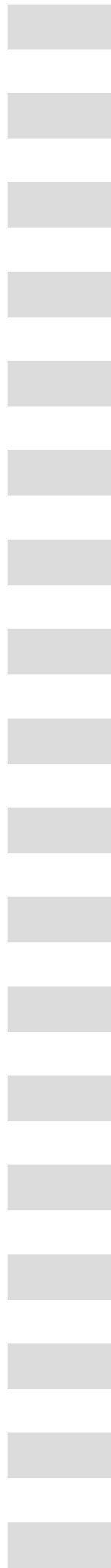
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