

Book Lists for Parents and Grandparents

If your student is a parent or grandparent, the following list of books is a good example of wordless books which can be used to “tell” stories together with your student.

Bibliography of Wordless Picture books

Author	Title
Briggs	The Snowman
Carle	Do You Want to Be My Friend?
Hutchins	Rosie’s Walk
Mayer	Ah-Choo!
Mayer	Frog Goes to Dinner
Spier	Dreams

Poetry Books

Author	Title
Giovanni	Spin a Soft Black Song
Greenfield	Honey, I Love
Moss	The Butterfly Jar
Prelutsky	The New Kid on the Block
Silverstein	Where the Sidewalk Ends
Viorst	If I Were In Charge of the World

If your student is a parent or grandparent the following books are good choices for beginning readers. Many of them have patterned, predictable language or rhyming words which make them easy for beginning readers to follow. This list of books ranges from those with very few words on a page to a few sentences. Remember to choose books for your student carefully based on their reading level. Keep in mind that success is the key and appropriate materials will ensure success.

Books for Beginning Readers

Author	Title
Ahlberg	Each Peach, Pear, Plum
Aliki	Overnight at Mary Bloom’s
Aliki	Hush Little Baby
Allen	Who Sank the Boat?
Aruego	Look What I Can Do
Asch	The Last Puppy
Berenstain	The Berenstain Bears and the Spooky Old Tree
Berenstain	Bears in the Night

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Author	Title
Browne	I LikeBooks
Browne	Things I Like
Butler	My Brown Bear Barney
Carle	Have You Seen My Cat?
Carle	The Very Hungry Caterpillar
Crews	Flying
Crews	School Bus
Demarest	No Peas for Nellie
Eastman	Are You My Mother?
Fox	Hattie and the Fox
Gelman	More Spaghetti I Say
Ginsburg	The Chick and the Duckling
Gomi	My Friends
Guarino	Is Your Mama a Llama?
Hoban	Count and See
Hoff	Barney's Horse
Hudson & Ford	Bright Eyes, Brown Skin
Hutchins	Goodnight Owl
Hutchins	1 Hunter
Hutchins	Rosie's Walk
Hutchins	Don't Forget the Bacon
Joyce	George Shrinks
Kalan	Rain
Kalan	Jump, Frog, Jump!
Kraus	Come Out and Play Little Mouse
Kraus	Whose Mouse Are You?
Krauss	The Carrot Seed
Martin	Brown Bear, Brown Bear
Martin	Polar Bear, Polar Bear
Peek	Mary Wore Her Red Dress
Raschka	Yo! Yes?
Shaw	It Looked Like Spilt Milk
Shaw	Sheep in a Jeep
Shulevitz	One Monday Morning
Stephens	I Love Mud and Mud Loves Me
Tafari	Spots, Feathers, and Curly Tails
Ward	Cookie's Week
Weiss	Where Does the Brown Bear Go?
Wells	Noisy Nora
Wildsmith	Cat on the Mat
Williams	I Went Walking
Wood	The Napping House