

Best Books for Kids

Babies and Toddlers



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The books on this list for [babies and toddlers](#) were recommended by at least 3 of the following sources:

1. [1001 Children's Books You Must Read Before You Grow Up](#) by Julia Eccleshare
2. [100 Best Books for Children](#) by Anita Silvey
3. [The Read-Aloud Handbook](#) by Jim Trelease
4. [Babies Need Books](#) by Dorothy Butler
5. [Valerie and Walter's Best Books for Children](#) by Valerie V. Lewis and Walter M. Mayes
6. [What to Read When](#) by Pam Allyn
7. [Best Books for Boys: A Resource for Educators](#) by Matthew Zbaracki
8. [The New York Times Parents' Guide to the Best Books for Children](#) by Eden Ross Lipson

Author	Title	Sources	Read?
Bemelmans	Madeline	7	
Brown	Goodnight Moon	6	
Carle	The Very Hungry Caterpillar	6	
Hill	Where's Spot?	6	
Martin Jr.	Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?	6	
Burningham	Mr. Gumpy's Outing	5	
Crews	Freight Train	5	
Martin Jr.	Chicka Chicka Boom Boom	5	
Rosen	We're Going on a Bear Hunt	5	
Ahlberg	Each Peach Pear Plum	4	
Hutchins	Rosie's Walk	4	
Kunhardt	Pat the Bunny	4	
Williams	"More More More" Said the Baby	4	
Bang	Ten, Nine, Eight	3	
Campbell	Dear Zoo	3	
Fleming	The Everything Book	3	
McBratney	Guess How Much I Love You	3	
Opie	My Very First Mother Goose	3	
Waddell	Owl Babies	3	
Wood	The Napping House	3	