

50 OF THE BEST BOOKS FOR 5 YEAR OLDS

FICTION PICTURE BOOKS

- *We Don't Eat Our Classmates* by Ryan T. Higgins
- *The Rainbow Fish* by Marcus Pfister
- *The Little Engine That Could* by Watty Piper
- *Click, Clack, Moo, Cows that Type* by Doreen Cronin
- *How I Became a Pirate* by Melinda Long
- *The Berenstain Bears and the Spooky Old Tree* by Stan and Jan Berenstain
- *Giraffes Can't Dance* by Giles Andreae
- *Curious George Goes to a Chocolate Factory* by Margret and H.A. Rey
- *Franklin's Bad Day* by Paulette Bourgeois
- *Stick and Stone* by Beth Ferry
- *Can I Be Your Dog?* By Troy Cummings
- *How Do Dinosaurs Learn to Read?* By Jane Yolen
- *The King of Kindergarten* by Derrick Barnes and Vanessa Brantley-Newton
- *Me and My Dragon* by David Biedrzycki

- *The Tale of Peter Rabbit* by Beatrix Potter
- *Strictly No Elephants* by Lisa Mantchev
- *Chicka Chicka Boom Boom* by Bill Martin Jr and John Archambault
- *Truman* by Jean Reidy
- *The Bath Monster* by Colin Boyd
- *The Kissing Hand* by Audrey Penn
- *Love You Forever* by Robert Munsch
- *The Box Turtle* by Vanessa Roeder
- *Troll and the Oliver* by Adam Stower
- *The Snail and the Whale* by Julia Donaldson
- *The Wonky Donkey* by Craig Smith
- *The Story of Ferdinand* by Munroe Leaf

BOOKS SERIES

- *Pete the Cat Set* by Eric Litwin
- *Henry and Mudge, The First Book* by Cynthia Rylant
- *If You Give a Mouse a Cookie* by Laura Numeroff
- *There Was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly* by Lucille Colandro

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BOOKS FOR GIRLS

- *Never Let a Unicorn Wear a Tutu* by Diane Alber
- *I am a Super Girl!* by Kelly Greenawalt
- *How to Catch a Mermaid* by Adam Wallace
- *Fancy Nancy and the Quest for the Unicorn*

BOOKS FOR BOYS

- *Dear Boy,; A Celebration of Cool, Clever, Compassionate You!* By Paris Rosenthal
- *Jurassic Park Little Golden Book* by Arie Kaplan and Josh Holtsclaw
- *Attack of the Underwear Dragon* by Scott Rothman
- *The Boy with Big, Big Feelings* by Britney Winn Lee

NON-FICTION

- *My Encyclopedia of Very Important Things* by DK
- National Geographic Readers, Level 1
- *Mighty Machines in Action, Dump Trucks* by Emily Rose Oachs
- *Invisible String* by Patrice Karst
- *Kindness Makes Me Stronger: Children's Book about Magic of Kindness, Empathy and Respect*
- *National Geographic Little Kids First Big Book of Why* by Amy Shields

LEARNING TO READ

- *Step into Reading: Big Shark, Little Shark* by Anna Membrino
- *Bob Books, Set 1: 5 Year Old Books Beginning Readers*
- *May I Please Have a Cookie?* By Jennifer E. Morris
- *Step into Reading: Ice Cream Soup* by Ann Ingalls
- *I Can Read: Penny and Her Marble* by Kevin Henkes
- *Waiting Is Not Easy!* by Mo Willems

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