

Choosing Books for Babies

For Babies 0-6 Months

Books with simple, large pictures or designs with bright colors.
Stiff cardboard, "chunky" books.
Cloth and soft vinyl books with simple pictures of people or familiar objects that can go in the bath or get washed.

For Babies 6-12 Months

Board books with photos of other babies.
Brightly colored "chunky" board books to touch and taste!
Books with photos of familiar objects.
Books with sturdy pages that can be propped up or spread out.
Plastic/vinyl books for bath time.
Washable cloth books to cuddle.

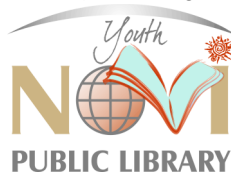
For Young Toddlers 12-24 Months

Sturdy board books that they can carry.
Books with photos of children doing familiar things like sleeping or playing.
Goodnight books for bed time.
Books about saying good-bye and hello.
Books with only a few words on each page.
Books with brightly colored, engaging illustrations.
Books with simple rhymes.
Touch-and-feel books.
Animal books of all sizes and shapes.

For Older Toddlers 24-36 Months

Books that tell simple stories.
Simple rhyming books they can memorize.
Bed time books.
Books about counting, the alphabet, shapes or sizes.
Animal books, vehicle books, books about playtime.
Pop-up books, pull-the-tab books, touch-and-feel book.

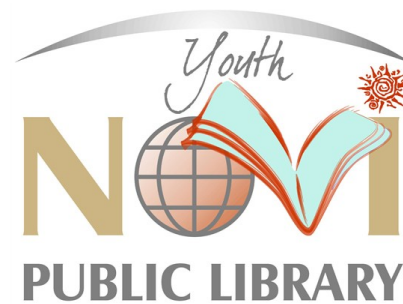
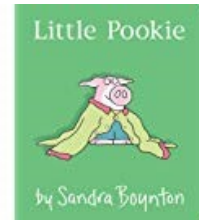
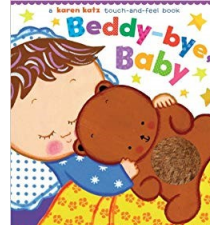
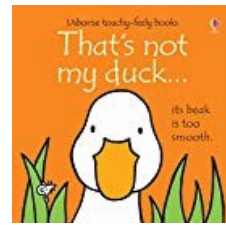
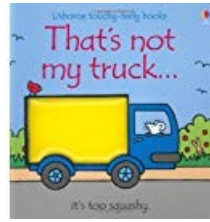
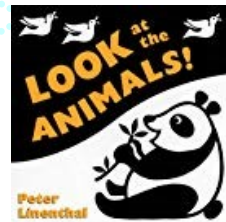
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BOARD BOOKS FOR BABIES AND TODDLERS

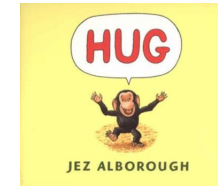


All of Baby, Nose to Toes

Adler, Victoria

HUG

Alborough, Jez

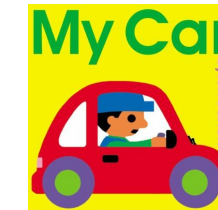


Bedtime Rhymes

Beaton, Clare

My Car

Barton, Byron



Toes Ears & Nose

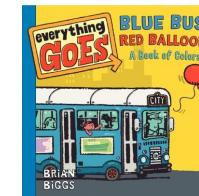
Bauer, Marion Dane

Blue Bus, Red Balloon

Good Night, Trucks

1 2 3 Beep Beep Beep

Biggs, Brian



Belly Button Book

Doggies

The Going to Bed Book

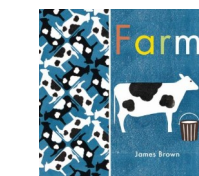
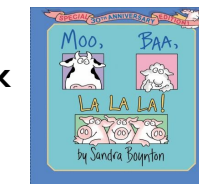
Little Pookie

Moo Baa La la la!

Snuggle Puppy A Little

Love Song

Boynton, Sandra



Farm

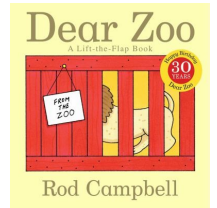
Brown, James

Goodnight Moon

Brown, Margaret
Wise

Dear Zoo

Campbell, Rod



Five Little Monkeys Jumping on the Bed

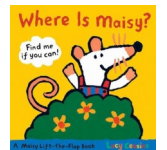
Christelow, Eileen

Eco Babies Wear Green (part of the Babies Wear series)

Colman, Michelle Sinclair

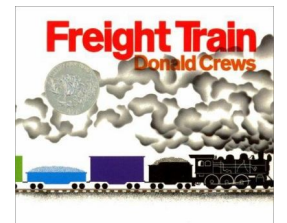
Where is Maisy?

Cousins, Lucy



Freight Train

Crews, Donald

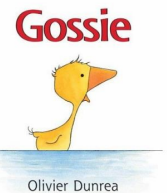


Llama Llama, Nighty Night

Dewdney, Anna

Gossie

Dunrea, Olivier

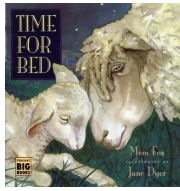


Color Zoo

Ehlert, Lois

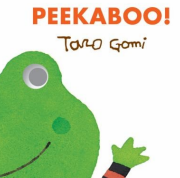
Time for Bed

Fox, Mem



Peekaboo!

Gomi, Taro



Daddy Kisses

Gutman, Anne

Spot Loves His Mommy

Hill, Eric

Duck & Goose

Hills, Tad

Black On White

Hoban, Tana

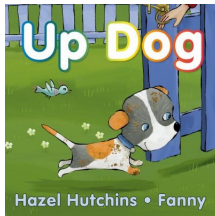


Hip, Hop

Hnatov, Catherine

Beep Beep

Horacek, Petr



Up Dog

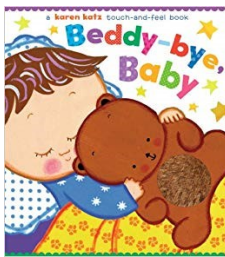
Hutchins, Hazel

Beddy Bye Baby

Where is Baby's

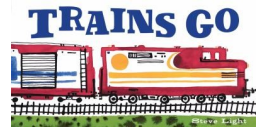
Belly Button

Katz, Karen



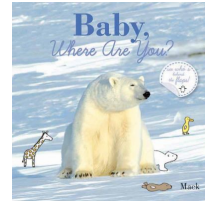
**Car Go
Diggers Go
Trains Go**

Light, Steve



Look, Look Outside!

Linenthal, Peter



Baby, Where Are You?

Mack

**Brown Bear, Brown Bear,
What do you See?**

Martin, Bill

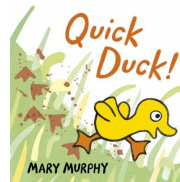
Bella Loves Bunny

McPhail, David



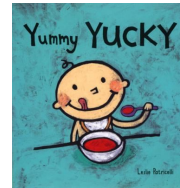
Quick Duck

Murphy, Mary



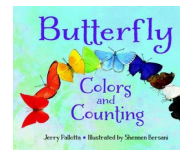
Yummy Yucky

Patricelli, Leslie



**Butterfly Colors &
Counting**

Pollotta, Jerry



Dig In!

Prince, April Jones

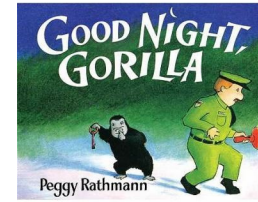


Baby Beluga

Raffi

Good Night, Gorilla

Rathmann, Peggy

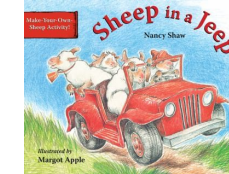


One Duck Stuck

Root, Phyllis

Sheep in a Jeep

Shaw, Nancy



I Like Fruit

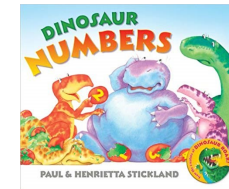
Siminovich, Lorena

Baby Faces Peekaboo!

Sirett, Dawn

Dinosaur Numbers

Stickland, Paul



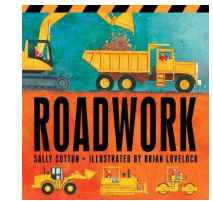
Hush-a-bye Bunny

Surplice, Holly



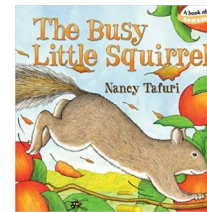
Roadwork

Sutton, Sally



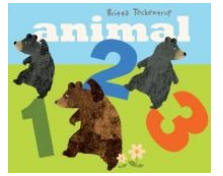
The Busy Little Squirrel

Tafari, Nancy



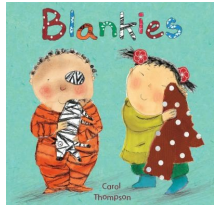
**Animal 1 2 3
Animal Spots &
Stripes**

Teckentrup, Britta



Blankies

Thompson, Carol



Ten Little Owls

Treml, Renee

Where is Frog?

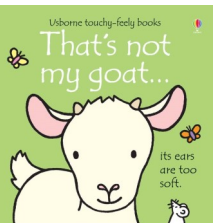
Velthuijs, Max

Bedtime 123

Walters, Eric

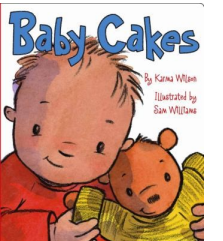
**That's not my...
(series)**

Watt, Fiona



**Bear Counts
Baby Cakes**

Wilson, Karma



**Do Crocs Kiss?
Do Cows Meow?**

Yoon, Salina

Stormy Night

Yoon, Salina

