Reading Recommendations

0-3 Years

My First Brain Quest: Shapes
Introduces essential early learning concepts using bright images and engaging questions.
(T) Brain

M is for Music
Greg Paprocki
Presents the world of music with rich cultural elements from each instrument.
(T) Paprocki

Shady Baby Feels
Gabrielle Union
Inspires kids to discuss their multitude of feelings from excitement to boredom.
(T) Union-Wade

Peekaboo Rex!
Sandra Boynton
Follow two dinosaur friends as they play peekaboo throughout the day.
(T) Boynton

Baby Boy, You Are a Star!
Andrea Davis Pinkney
A joyful poetic celebration of all bright baby boys.
(T) Pinkney

Wildflowers Grow
Amber Hendricks
An active journey of seeds growing into blooming flowers.
(T) Hendricks

Splash!
Leslie Patricelli
Invites little ones to enjoy a beach day, reveling in the sun, sand, and water with friends.
(T) Patricelli

ABC Bedtime
Erica Harrison
Explore a bedtime routine from Awake to catching some Zzzs.
(T) Harrison

How to Dress a Dinosaur
Robin Currie
Getting dressed becomes a game of stomping and clawing like a dinosaur.
(T) Currie

Me and the Family Tree
Carole Boston Weatherford
A girl notices how she is similar to family members and how she is unique.
(T) Weatherford

Baby Shower
Lisa Wheeler
A playful celebration of babies as they bounce, crawl, snuggle, and babble.
(P) Wheeler

10 Things I Love About You!
Danielle McLean
Depicts a child’s love for their parents while introducing the numbers 1 through 10.
(T) McLean

Drums
Rekha S. Rajan
Children are encouraged to find drums of their own in the world around them.
(T) Rajan

Rumble, Rumble, Dinosaur
Katrina Charman
Follows various dinosaurs as they roar their way from morning to bedtime.
(T) Charman

Brush! Brush! Brush!
Douglas Florian
Shows toddlers the basics of tooth brushing in this bouncy read-aloud.
(T) Florian

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**The Big Scream**
Kirsti Call
Little ones facing a bad day learn to pause, breathe, and calm down.
(T) Call

**This Pup is Stuck!**
Bob Shea
When Dig Doug digs a bit too deep, his friends must figure out a plan to save him.
(T) Shea

**The Very Hungry Caterpillar Eats Dinner**
Eric Carle
Introduces the concept of shapes through different types of food.
(T) Carle

**A Summer Stroll in the City**
Cathy Goldberg Fishman
Sights, sounds, colors, and smells of summer holidays.
(T) Fishman

**1 2 3 Zoom**
Chiêu Anh Urban
Invites readers to zoom on a variety of things that go!
(T) Urban

**I Feel!**
Juana Medina
Focuses on helping kids build emotional literacy and affirm their emotions.
(P) Medina

**Book of Opposites**
Oliver Jeffers
A celebration of all shapes and sizes and the beauty of our Earth.
(T) Jeffers

**My First Learn-to-Talk Book**
Stephanie Cohen
Designed to help master the skills needed when learning to talk.
(T) Cohen

**Dinos Driving**
Lynn Leitch
Dinosaurs search for the perfect way to get around in a wide variety of vehicles.
(P) Leitch

**Give Me a Snickle!**
Alisha Sevigny
A silly romp through fabricated words of affection.
(T) Sevigny

**Bear Has a Belly**
Jane Whittingham
Celebrates the body parts that humans and animals have in common.
(P) Whittingham

**Baby Says**
Babies make hilarious faces as they express their different emotions.
(T) Baby

**Busy Baby Animals**
Suzi Eszterhas
Meet baby animals climbing, dining, cruising, and grooving with their families.
(T) Eszterhas

**How Many?**
Guido van Genechten
Are your hands full with one stuffed animal, or do you need ten?
(T) Genechten

**Baby's Here!**
Jessica Young
Each page encourages little ones to cradle, rock, and play with babies.
(T) Young

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