

Summer Reading List for the Threes

Bus for Us, by Suzanne Bloom

Each wonderfully illustrated page shows part of a vehicle. The children have to guess what vehicle will be shown on the next page. This is a great book for picture recognition!

Good Egg, by Barney Saltzberg

Egg is a likable little guy. He does whatever he is asked to do! The children will get a kick out of looking at this interactive book. The end will make them giggle and ask you to read it again!

The Daddy Mountain, by Jules Feiffer

Climbing the Daddy Mountain takes much courage and hard work. After reading this with your children see if they can climb their very own Daddy Mountain! Will Mommy react the same way as the Mommy did in the story?

Higher! Higher!, by Leslie Patricelli

Daddy pushes his little girl on a swing. She imagines all kinds of things that she can see as her swing goes higher into the sky. The swing and the girl's imagination go higher and higher. It ends with the familiar "AGAIN"!

Llama Llama Misses Mama, by Anna Dewdney

Little Llama starts her very first day of school. She is more than a little sad to say goodbye to her Mama. This book will ring true for all Mamas and Daddies when sending their little ones off to school for the first time!

Papa, Please Get the Moon for Me, by Eric Carle

A little girl gazes at the moon from her window. Her fondest wish is for her Papa to get the moon for her. Being a good Papa - he takes off on an adventure to get this gift for his child. The illustrations and story capture the hearts of every child!

Shh! Everyone's Sleeping, by Julie Markes

Each page shows a person in bed sleeping. A farmer is covered with a cow blanket and animals are in the background. A teacher is sleeping with shelves behind her filled with blocks and the ABC's. The children love trying to guess who is sleeping on each page of this book!

Swing, by Rufus Seder

This is a scranimation book - a book that shows things in motion. We see children participating in many sports that will be very familiar. Your children will be fascinated by this book and want to see it with you again and again!

Ten Little Fingers and Ten Little Toes, by Mem Fox

Mem Fox has been writing outstanding children's books for many years. This is a story about diversity among babies and young children. The rhyming words make it fun for children to learn this important concept. The babies come from all over the world but they all have ten little fingers and ten little toes!!!

Three Little Kittens and Other Nursery Rhymes, by Tony Ross

This is a classical book of nursery rhymes. It is filled with a great sense of humor. This will definitely be a "keeper" in your storybook collection!

Yummy - Eight Favorite Fairy Tales, by Lucy Cousins

The vibrant illustrations will immediately catch your eyes!! Cousins has taken some favorite fairy tales and made them thrilling, scary and totally enthralling. This is a must for your fairy tale collection!!

Reading a good book with your child is a wonderful bedtime ritual! It is a great way to spend time together!

Have a great summer!!!!

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