REACH OUT AND READ’S
ANNOTATED BOOK LIST
FOR CHILDREN

BABIES: 6-12 MONTHS OLD

Smile! by Roberta Grobel Intrater
Faces of babies fascinate the youngest of readers.

Black on White by Tan Hoban
Black on white silhouettes and white on black images grace the pages.

Baby Animals Black and White by Phyllis Limbacher Tildes
A wordless picture book of contrasting black and white animals—
perfect for babies.

I Like It When... by Mary Murphy
A young penguin rejoices in all the things he likes to do.

I Kissed the Baby! by Mary Murphy
There is a new teeny weeny baby to welcome!

YOUNG TODDLERS: 12-24 MONTHS

Gossie by Olivier Dunrea
A gosling is trying to find her beloved red boots.

Gossie and Gertie by Olivier Dunrea
The best of friends, Gertie goes wherever Gossie does.
Or does she?

Book! by Kristine O’Connell George
A toddler’s exuberant use of his favorite toy: a book!

Peek-A-Who! by Nina Laden
What's on the next page? Guess!

Good Night, Gorilla by Peggy Rathmann
Bedtime at the zoo but the zookeeper is in for a surprise!
**TODDLERS: 24-36 MONTHS**

**Moo Ba La La La** by Sandra Boynton
A barnyard comedy of errors means bedtime reading fun!

**The Going-To-Bed Book** by Sandra Boynton
A book that makes it fun to end the day and an easy to read a thousand times kind of book.

**Over in the Meadow** by Ezra Jacks Keats
An Appalachian counting rhyme and Keat’s illustrations bring a meadow to life.

**Koala Lou** by Mem Fox
A child determined to get her mother’s attention learns a lesson in love.

**Where is the Green Hat?** by Mem Fox
Help the rest of the flock find the green sheep in this rhyming romp.

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**PRESCHOOLERS: 3-5 YEARS**

**Cinder Edna** by Ellen Jackson
Cinderella’s next door neighbor, CinderEdna, doesn’t sit in the ashes waiting for her prince. Edna’s too busy making the most of her life. Is there a prince out there for her?

**What Do You Do With a Kangaroo?** by Mercer Mayer
A bossy kangaroo and other animals intent on mischievousness are dealt with by a resourceful young girl.

**Bugs for Lunch** by Margery Facklam
Rhyming text and factual information about insects for budding entomologist.

**Maybe a Bear Ate It!** by Robie Harris
Love Waves by Rosemary Wells
As Mommy and Daddy go off to work, a small bunny is reassured that they will be together again at the end of the day.

Lola at the Library by Anna McQuinn
The best day of the week is the day Lola and her mother visit the library.

Hello World! by Manya Stojic
Bonjour! Hola! Konnichiwa!
Say hello to new friends around the world.

Sammy and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs by Ian Whynow
Sammy and his dinosaurs go everywhere together until Sammy leaves them behind.

Wolf! by Becky Bloom
A big bad wolf turns over a new leaf once he learns to read.

Book! Book! Book! by Deborah Bruss
A helpful librarian finds just the right books for the farm animals visiting the library.