

Books to Check Out—things to do, interests, jobs

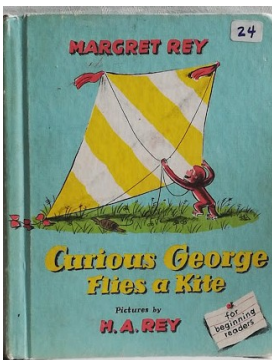
Adventures

Interests

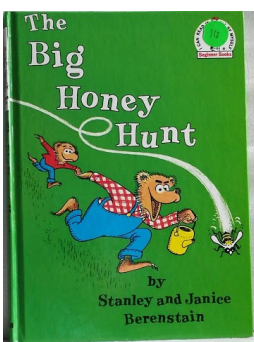
Jobs

Community Helpers

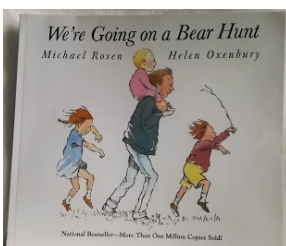
Dream Jobs



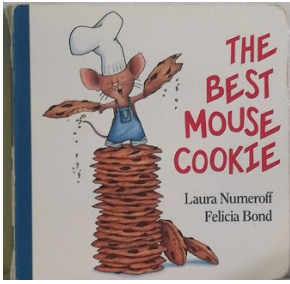
Curious George is great one for adventures . . . delightful for the kid in all of us. DRA reading level 24: 3rd grader can read to younger children.



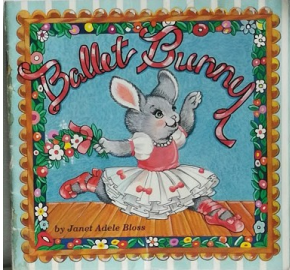
Papa bear leads a great adventure—learning curve. Humor, simple, rhyming, repetitive text. Would you come to the same conclusion? DRA reading level 16, 2nd grade. But too fun to wait until then to read together.



Going on an adventure. Beautiful artwork illustrating the song of the same name. Fun words as they can't go under or over, but must go through obstacles in the journey. Great for theatrical read-aloud and audience participation, and discussions . . .



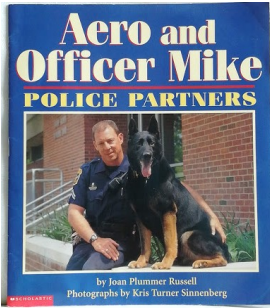
Board Book—Engaging simple text and story. Mouse makes cookies, and gets past disaster to try again, makes a lot, and finds the best cookie is the one you share.



Bunny tries to find something she can be good at. Read aloud for children with an attention span.



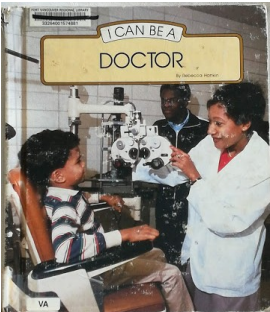
Cloth book from a print. Covers police officer and car, firefighter and truck, police dog, fire dog, "Be kind and helpful" and "Look for traffic signs", "Have fun safely", and "Call for help". Good conversation catalyst.



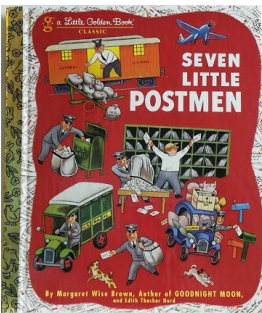
Browsing book for early learners—summarize text. Plenty of nice photos.



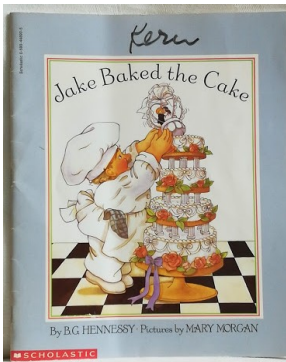
An oldie goldie from the 1950s. Historic. Children playing. Boys don't want to play nursing with Nancy until they have a little emergency she helps them, and then they join her game and all have fun.



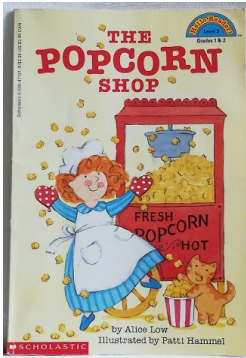
Dated (1985), but gives a lot of good information about doctors, their work, and environment in simple explanation. Part of a series: other career titles listed on back cover: Astronaut, Baseball player, computer operator, fire fighter, football player, musician, police officer, president, teacher, truck driver, TV camera operator.



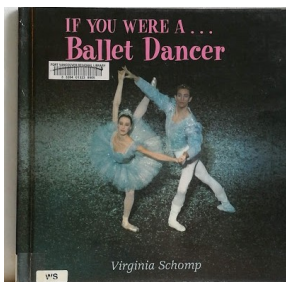
Follows the journey of a letter from a little boy in the city to his grandma living far away in the country, and the postmen who have a part in that journey. Told in rhyme. Originally published in 1952, but kind of a timeless story, and informative about the travels of the mail. Includes trucks, a plane, and a train.



Preparations for a wedding, with Jake holding the story together as he is baking the cake. Simple story simply told, in rhyme, one sentence at a time. Delightfully illustrated.



Popcorn Nell has a popcorn shop, and makes it on a wood stove, until she gets a popcorn machine. It breaks down, and the fix-it man repairs it with a warning not to let it overheat. It happens that popcorn invades every business in town ... until it explodes. So Nell goes into pizza . . . Just a fun story, told in rhyme. A leveled reader rated for grades 1 & 2 (levels given on back cover, other titles inside back cover).



A browsing/conversation book for early learners, with nice photos, text best to be summarized by the reader.