



# Children's Booklist 2023: Books for Babies

Stories for Children 0-18 Months



#### Peekaboo Rex!

by Sandra Boynton
Two lovable dinosaurs play peekaboo
throughout the day, in this fun-filled board
book that showcases every toddler's favorite
hide-and-seek activity.



### **Woodland Dance!**

by Sandra Boynton

Woodland animals heed the call of the fox's bugle to join the woodland dance, dancing to the music of the Woodland Dance Trio. As the animals wander off to bed, the Trio plays one last piece to welcome the sun.



# It Had to Be You : A Love Poem Your Baby Can See

by Loryn Brantz

The first in a new black-and-white board book series tells about the journey parents take that leads them to their perfect little one.



# Nom Nom Nom : A Yummy Book With Flaps

by Jeffrey Burton

With a menu on the left page and a hungry animal on the right, little ones will love "feeding" the characters using the gatefold

flaps on each spread, allowing the characters to "eat" and say, "NOM NOM NOM"!



# My Family, Your Family!

by Kathryn Cole

This book includes a diverse array of characters and celebrates gay parents, single parents, blended families, and other family groups rarely seen in board books.



#### I Love You, Baby Burrito

by Angela Dominguez

This sweet celebration of the arrival of a new baby depicts the love and care that goes into gently swaddling a newborn to keep them warm and cozy, like"a baby burrito."



# City Baby

by Laurie Elmquist

Celebrates the sights of the city that baby can see riding in a stroller, including bustling streets, crowded restaurants, and quiet parks.



#### You are New

by Lucy Knisley

When you are a brand new baby there are many things you can do in the world--and when you get bigger there are even more new experiences!

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## How Do You Go to Sleep?

by Kate McMullan

This educational board book, a perfect nighttime read-aloud, follows three children as they learn about the bedtime routines of different animals, including squirrels, parrots,

meerkats and dolphins.



#### Chirp

by Mary Murphy

In this ode to individuality and a celebration of the joy of sound, each bird wakes up to a new day and gives voice to its own song.



#### Julia

by Andrea Posner-Sanchez Meet your favorite Sesame Street friends in this board book starring Julia, a muppet with autism!



#### **Tails**

by Surya Sajnani

In this interactive touch-and-feel book, meet seven cute animals who all feature terrific tails!



# The Rice in the Pot Goes Round and Round

by Wendy Wan Long Shang A culturally inspired celebration of the food, laughter and love of a multigenerational family meal depicts busy relatives who

gather to prepare food, slurp noodles, press tofu and tap chopsticks to the tune of "The Wheels on the Bus."



#### My Heart Beats

by Rina Singh

A photographic board book reveals the onomatopoeic words for heartbeats in different cultures while exploring the heartbeat's universal message of life and

love.



# Hide-and-Seek Peekaboo : Beginning Baby

by Nicola Slater

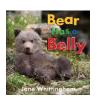
In this fun lift-the-flap book, play a game of hide-and-seek while you share in storytime together. There are so many places to hide!



#### Love in the Wild

by Katy Tanis

Love is love wherever it's found. This fun and inclusive book celebrates all forms of love found within the animal kingdom.



# **Bear Has a Belly**

by Jane Whittingham

Do you have a nose like Fox, cheeks like Squirrel, and a tongue like Frog does? In rhythmic text perfect for an energetic readaloud, Bear Has a Belly points out Moose's

legs, Otter's back, and Duck's feet, inviting little ones to chime in with every body part they share in common. Bright photographs of the animal friends are paired with images of real children of diverse backgrounds and abilities who are joyfully engaging with that body part.



## One Big Day

by Anne Wynter

With simple, rhyming text, this lively board book celebration of baby's first birthday is perfect for reading over and over again.



### We Say Goodnight

by Salina Yoon

Teaches young readers how to say good night in seven different languages, including English, Mandarin, Spanish, Hindi, Tagalog, Arabic, and French.



#### Baby's Here!

by Jessica Young

The adorable interactive board book invites little ones to cradle, rock and play with the babies on each page, and is the perfect gift for toddlers and children celebrating the

arrival of a new baby.



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