



Kindergarten Literature List

“Literary experience heals the wound, without undermining the privilege, of individuality... In reading great literature I become a thousand men and yet remain myself. Like the night sky in the Greek poem, I see with a myriad eyes, but it is still I who see. Here, as in worship, in love, in moral action, and in knowing, I transcend myself; and am never more myself than when I do.”

C.S. Lewis, *The Reading Life: The Joy of Seeing New Worlds Through Others' Eyes*

Core Books

ABC
Cat in the Hat
Hop on Pop
One Fish, Two Fish
Green Eggs and Ham
The Elves and the Shoemaker
The Rag Coat
The Tale of Mr. Jeremy Fisher
The Tale of Benjamin Button
A Tale of Two Bad Mice
The Tale of Jemima Puddle-Duck
Dogger
The Ant and the Grasshopper
The Snow Child
The Mitten
The Sleeping Beauty
Thumbelina
The Ugly Duckling
The Little Mermaid
When We Were Very Young
Mother Goose
Mike Mulligan and His Steam Shovel
Paddington Bear
Paddington's Garden
The Valentine Bears
The Egg
Brown Bear, Brown Bear
Little Red Riding Hood
Alexander and the Wind-Up Mouse
An Extraordinary Egg

Core Books

The Story of Ferdinand
Corduroy
Caps for Sale
Chicka Chicka Boom Boom
Clifford the Big Red Dog
Little Bear's Friend
Kiss for Little Bear
Mouse Tails
Small Pig
Uncle Elephant
Where the Wild Things Are

Read Alouds

Trumpet of the Swan
Mrs. Pepperpot
Mrs. Piggie Wiggle
The Littles
The Mouse and the Motorcycle
Pippi Longstocking
All-of-a-Kind-Family
The Family Under the Bridge
Nancy and Plum
Ramona and Pest
Hero Tales
The Secret Garden
Old Mother Westwind