

# Fountas & Pinnell Classroom Independent Reading Book List, Kindergarten

The following is a list of books in the Kindergarten Independent Reading collection of Fountas & Pinnell Classroom.

*Cautions and recommendations: A Level is a teacher's tool, but should not be used as a label for students. A book's Level of difficulty is a resource for you; use the levels identified below for independent reading and book club titles to help guide student choice. Fountas and Pinnell do not advocate labeling the classroom library.*

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| <p><b>IR</b> <i>Airplanes</i><br/>Author: Doman, Mary Kate<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level D</p>                              | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Big Dog and Little Dog: Wearing Sweaters</i><br/>Author: Pilkey, Dav<br/>FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level D</p> | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Dentists</i><br/>Author: Meister, Cari<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level E</p>                             |
| <p><b>IR</b> <i>Amanda Pig, Schoolgirl</i><br/>Author: Van Leeuwen, Jean<br/>FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level K</p>               | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Big Egg</i><br/>Author: Cox, Molly<br/>FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level E</p>                                   | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Dr. Green</i><br/>Author: Carelli, Dawn<br/>FICTION/REALISTIC, Level G</p>                                |
| <p><b>IR</b> <i>Around Town: Shapes</i><br/>Author: Anderson, James D<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level E</p>                   | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Big or Little?</i><br/>Author: Miller, Fonda Bell<br/>NONFICTION/NARRATIVE, Level B</p>                      | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Dragonflies</i><br/>Author: Nelson, Robin<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level F</p>                          |
| <p><b>IR</b> <i>At the Park</i><br/>Author: Nayer, Judy<br/>NONFICTION/NARRATIVE, Level C</p>                                  | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Big Trucks</i><br/>Author: Doman, Mary Kate<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level C</p>                           | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Drop It, Rocket!</i><br/>Author: Hills, Tad<br/>FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level F</p>                       |
| <p><b>IR</b> <i>At the Zoo</i><br/>Author: Peters, Catherine<br/>FICTION/REALISTIC, Level B</p>                                | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Bus Drivers</i><br/>Author: Pettiford, Rebecca<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level E</p>                        | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Dump Trucks on the Move</i><br/>Author: Jango-Cohen, Judith<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level K</p>        |
| <p><b>IR</b> <i>Baby Backyard Animals</i><br/>Author: Katirgis, Jane<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level C</p>                    | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Can I Have a Pet?</i><br/>Author: Hooks, Gwendolyn<br/>FICTION/REALISTIC, Level A</p>                        | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Earthmovers and Diggers</i><br/>Author: Doman, Mary Kate<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level D</p>           |
| <p><b>IR</b> <i>Baby Zoo Animals</i><br/>Author: Katirgis, Jane<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level B</p>                         | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Can You Eat a Rainbow?</i><br/>Author: Suen, Anastasia<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level A</p>                | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Eggs, Eggs, Eggs</i><br/>Author: Bermiss, Aamir Lee<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level A</p>                |
| <p><b>IR</b> <i>Ballerina Girl</i><br/>Author: Hall, Kirsten<br/>FICTION/REALISTIC, Level D</p>                                | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Can You See Me?</i><br/>Author: Lewin, Ted<br/>NONFICTION/NARRATIVE, Level D</p>                             | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Elephants at the Zoo</i><br/>Author: Ward, Finn<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level E</p>                    |
| <p><b>IR</b> <i>Bath Time</i><br/>Author: Malka, Lucy<br/>FICTION/REALISTIC, Level B</p>                                       | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Carl and the Puppies</i><br/>Author: Day, Alexandra<br/>FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level H</p>                  | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Feet</i><br/>Author: Mitchell, Melanie<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level B</p>                             |
| <p><b>IR</b> <i>Best Friends</i><br/>Author: Athaide, Tina<br/>NONFICTION/NARRATIVE, Level B</p>                               | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Cat Got a Lot</i><br/>Author: Henry, Steve<br/>FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level C</p>                           | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Firefighters Help Us</i><br/>Author: Murray, Aaron<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level D</p>                 |
| <p><b>IR</b> <i>Best Shoes, The</i><br/>Author: Hooks, Gwendolyn<br/>FICTION/REALISTIC, Level B</p>                            | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Chicken Pox!</i><br/>Author: McDuff, Dona<br/>FICTION/REALISTIC, Level H</p>                                 | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Fly Flew In, The</i><br/>Author: Catrow, David<br/>FICTION/REALISTIC, Level D</p>                         |
| <p><b>IR</b> <i>Big Cat</i><br/>Author: Long, Ethan<br/>FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level B</p>                                    | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Class Play, The</i><br/>Author: Newell, Robert<br/>FICTION/REALISTIC, Level J</p>                            | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Frog and Toad Are Friends</i><br/>Author: Lobel, Arnold<br/>FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level K</p>           |
| <p><b>IR</b> <i>Big Cats, Little Cats</i><br/>Author: Ford, Bernette<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level A</p>                    | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Cool Cars</i><br/>Author: Doman, Mary Kate<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level B</p>                            | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Frog Prince, The</i><br/>Author: Tarcov, Edith<br/>FICTION/FAIRY TALE, Level K</p>                        |
| <p><b>IR</b> <i>Big Dog and Little Dog</i><br/>Author: Pilkey, Dav<br/>FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level D</p>                     | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Crocodiles</i><br/>Author: Ryndak, Rob<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level E</p>                                | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Frogs</i><br/>Author: Mitchell, Melanie<br/>NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level F</p>                            |
| <p><b>IR</b> <i>Big Dog and Little Dog: Getting in Trouble</i><br/>Author: Pilkey, Dav<br/>FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level E</p> | <p><b>IR</b> <i>Dad</i><br/>Author: Peters, Catherine<br/>FICTION/REALISTIC, Level B</p>                                     | <p><b>IR</b> <i>George and Martha: Rise and Shine</i><br/>Author: Marshall, James<br/>FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level L</p> |

- IR** *George and Martha: Round and Round*  
Author: Marshall, James  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level L
- IR** *George and Martha: Two Great Friends*  
Author: Marshall, James  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level L
- IR** *Gingerbread Man, The*  
Author: Rose, Rita  
FICTION/FABLE, Level I
- IR** *Giraffes at the Zoo*  
Author: Ward, Finn  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level E
- IR** *Golden Dragon Parade*  
Author: Suen, Anastasia  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level B
- IR** *Good Night, Gorilla*  
Author: Rathmann, Peggy  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level C
- IR** *Grandpa's Cookies*  
Author: Robinson, Fay  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level F
- IR** *Green*  
Author: Mitchell, Melanie  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level B
- IR** *Green, Green*  
Author: Riley, Kana  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level D
- IR** *Hand-Me-Downs, The*  
Author: Durkee, Andrew  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level G
- IR** *Happy and Honey*  
Author: Godwin, Laura  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level F
- IR** *Happy Cat*  
Author: Henry, Steve  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level C
- IR** *Hats*  
Author: Peters, Catherine  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level C
- IR** *Herman Henry's Dog*  
Author: Evelyn, Ada  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level I
- IR** *How Do Plants Grow?*  
Author: Lundgren, Julie K.  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level F
- IR** *How to Ride a Giraffe*  
Author: Cary, Alice  
FICTION/FANTASY, Level I
- IR** *I Can*  
Author: Peters, Catherine  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level B
- IR** *I Can Be a Ballerina*  
Author: Appleby, Alex  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level E
- IR** *I Can Be a Football Player*  
Author: Appleby, Alex  
NONFICTION/NARRATIVE, Level E
- IR** *I Can Do It Myself!*  
Author: Adams, Diane  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level H
- IR** *I Like Stars*  
Author: Brown, Margaret Wise  
NONFICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level E
- IR** *I Make Clay Pots*  
Author: Johnson, Leslie  
NONFICTION/PROCEDURAL, Level C
- IR** *I See a Chipmunk*  
Author: Appleby, Alex  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level E
- IR** *I See and See*  
Author: Lewin, Ted  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level B
- IR** *I Will Try*  
Author: Janovitz, Marilyn  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level E
- IR** *Jamaica and the Substitute Teacher*  
Author: Havill, Juanita  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level K
- IR** *Jumping Kangaroos*  
Author: Levine, Michelle  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level K
- IR** *Koalas and Joeys*  
Author: Hendrix, Emilia  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level E
- IR** *Late Nate In a Race*  
Author: McCully, Emily Arnold  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level D
- IR** *Little Ducks Go*  
Author: McCully, Emily Arnold  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level E
- IR** *Living in Urban Communities*  
Author: Sterling, Kristin  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level I
- IR** *Living!*  
Author: Austen, Elizabeth  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level B
- IR** *Lola Loves Stories*  
Author: McQuinn, Anna  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level J
- IR** *Look Out, Mouse!*  
Author: Bjorkman, Steve  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level D
- IR** *Look!*  
Author: Lewin, Ted  
NONFICTION/NARRATIVE, Level D
- IR** *Max Finds an Egg*  
Author: Blevins, Wiley  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level D
- IR** *Max Goes to School*  
Author: Klein, Adria F.  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level D
- IR** *Max Goes to the Barber*  
Author: Klein, Adria F.  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level D
- IR** *Measuring Cup*  
Author: Rivera, Sheila  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level C
- IR** *Messy Bessey's Garden*  
Author: McKissack, Patricia & Fredrick  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level I
- IR** *Milk to Ice Cream*  
Author: Herrington, Lisa M.  
NONFICTION/PROCEDURAL, Level K
- IR** *Mixing*  
Author: Rivera, Sheila  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level C
- IR** *Monkeys*  
Author: Ryndak, Rob  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level E
- IR** *Moose Is Loose, A*  
Author: Riley, Kana  
FICTION/FANTASY, Level F
- IR** *More Tales of Amanda Pig*  
Author: Van Leeuwen, Jean  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level L
- IR** *Mosquito Buzzed, A*  
Author: Riley, Kana  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level E
- IR** *Mouse and the Elephant, The*  
Author: Cisco, Cheyenne  
FICTION/FOLKTALE, Level J
- IR** *Moving Day*  
Author: Brandon, Anthony G.  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level E
- IR** *My Big Rock*  
Author: Perry, Phyllis J.  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level B
- IR** *My Family*  
Author: Hjemboe, Karen  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level B
- IR** *My Feet*  
Author: Aliki  
NONFICTION/NARRATIVE, Level J
- IR** *My Horse*  
Author: Hjemboe, Karen  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level A

- IR** *My Pet, Bobby*  
Author: Stelson, Caren  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level E
- IR** *Noses*  
Author: Mitchell, Melanie  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level B
- IR** *On the School Bus*  
Author: Peters, Catherine  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level F
- IR** *Ostriches at the Zoo*  
Author: Ward, Finn  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level E
- IR** *Otis's Busy Day*  
Author: Long, Loren  
FICTION/FANTASY, Level D
- IR** *Oval*  
Author: Kishel, Ann-Marie  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level C
- IR** *Peaches the Pig*  
Author: Riley, Kana  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level D
- IR** *Peep!*  
Author: Luthardt, Kevin  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level E
- IR** *Penguins at the Zoo*  
Author: Ward, Finn  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level E
- IR** *Pie for Chuck*  
Author: Schories, Pat  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level C
- IR** *Pig and Pug*  
Author: Marchesani, Laura & Zenaides A. Medina Jr.  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level G
- IR** *Plants Feed Me*  
Author: Rockwell, Lizzy  
NONFICTION/NARRATIVE, Level H
- IR** *Pug*  
Author: Long, Ethan  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level C
- IR** *Puppy Mudge Finds a Friend*  
Author: Rylant, Cynthia  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level E
- IR** *Puppy Mudge Has a Snack*  
Author: Rylant, Cynthia  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level D
- IR** *Puppy Mudge Loves His Blanket*  
Author: Rylant, Cynthia  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level D
- IR** *Purple*  
Author: Mitchell, Melanie  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level B
- IR** *Rabbit and Turtle Go to School*  
Author: Floyd, Lucy  
FICTION/FABLE, Level E
- IR** *Rabbits*  
Author: Mitchell, Melanie  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level F
- IR** *Road Work Ahead*  
Author: Newell, Robert  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level I
- IR** *Run, Swim, Fly*  
Author: Lundgren, Julie K.  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level C
- IR** *Salad Feast, A*  
Author: Peters, Catherine  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level D
- IR** *Sam and the Bag*  
Author: Jeffries, Alison  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level B
- IR** *Scale*  
Author: Rivera, Sheila  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level C
- IR** *Scaredy Squirrel*  
Author: Watt, Melanie  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level L
- IR** *Scaredy Squirrel at Night*  
Author: Watt, Melanie  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level L
- IR** *Sleepy Dog*  
Author: Ziefert, Harriet  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level D
- IR** *Smile, Baby!*  
Author: Eaton, Deborah  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level F
- IR** *Special Day, A*  
Author: O'Brien, Anne Sibley  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level C
- IR** *Splash!*  
Author: Johnson, Dinah  
NONFICTION/NARRATIVE, Level A
- IR** *Tapping Tale, The*  
Author: Giglio, Judy  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level E
- IR** *This Is My Home*  
Author: Reynolds, Jan  
NONFICTION/NARRATIVE, Level B
- IR** *Three Little Pigs, The*  
Author: Van Lille, Katrin  
FICTION/FABLE, Level G
- IR** *Time for Tacos*  
Author: Golembe, Carla  
NONFICTION/PROCEDURAL, Level B
- IR** *Triangle*  
Author: Nelson, Robin  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level B
- IR** *Turtles and Hatchlings*  
Author: Kishel, Ann-Marie  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level B
- IR** *Very Fairy Princess, The: Teacher's Pet*  
Author: Andrews, Julie & Walton Hamilton, Emma  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level K
- IR** *Veterinarians*  
Author: Meister, Cari  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level E
- IR** *Watch Your Step, Mr. Rabbit!*  
Author: Scarry, Richard  
FICTION/ANIMAL FANTASY, Level E
- IR** *We Eat Rice*  
Author: Hong, Min  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level C
- IR** *Whales*  
Author: Nagelhout, Ryan  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level F
- IR** *What Am I? Where Am I?*  
Author: Lewin, Ted  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level D
- IR** *What Can Fly?*  
Author: Figueredo, D. H.  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level A
- IR** *What Do Living Things Need?*  
Author: Austen, Elizabeth  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level C
- IR** *What Do You See at the Pond?*  
Author: Suen, Anastasia  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level A
- IR** *What Does Otis See?*  
Author: Long, Loren  
FICTION/FANTASY, Level C
- IR** *What I See*  
Author: Keller, Holly  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level A
- IR** *What Time Is It?*  
Author: Taylor-Butler, Christine  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level B
- IR** *Wheels*  
Author: Cobb, Annie  
NONFICTION/EXPOSITORY, Level H
- IR** *Who Ate the Broccoli?*  
Author: Riley, Kana  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level E
- IR** *Yard Sale, The*  
Author: McCloskey, Susan  
FICTION/REALISTIC, Level I
- IR** *Zoom, Zoom, Zoom*  
Author: Hall, Kirsten  
FICTION/FANTASY, Level C