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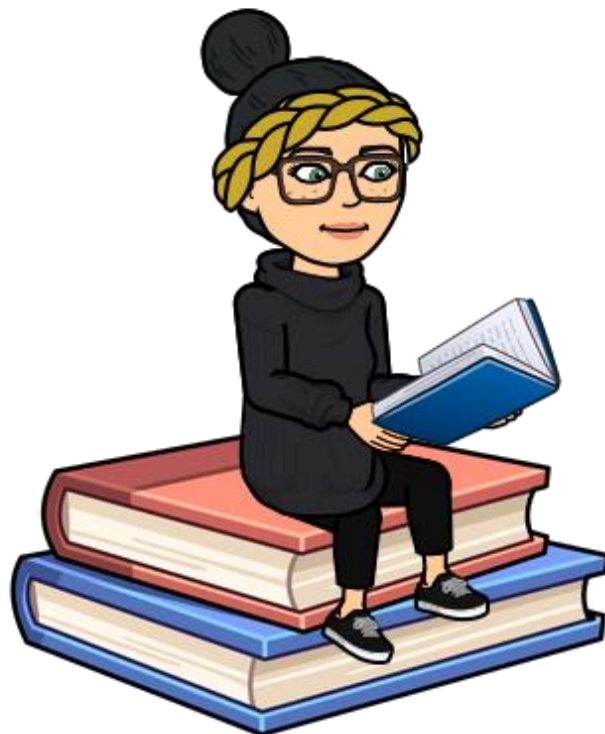
helping families **advocate**, **belong**, and **connect**



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# Miss Laina's Library



The list below contains some of Miss Laina’s favorite books to read! Each book has been sorted into a theme on the far right to help you find the book you’re looking for. Want to add *your* favorite story to the list? Send Miss Laina an email!

<b>Session 1 - Social &amp; Emotional Learning (SEL)</b>		
<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>	<b>Theme</b>
<i>I Like Myself</i>	Karen Baeumont	All About Me
<i>All About Me!</i>	Dawn Sirett	All About Me
<i>All of Baby Nose to Toes</i>	Victoria Adler	All About Me
<i>My Body</i>	Jill McDonald	All About Me
<i>On the Day You Were Born</i>	Debra Frasier	All About Me
<i>The Little Old Lady Who Was Not Afraid Of Anything</i>	Linda Williams	Bravery
<i>Andrew, Drew, and Drew</i>	Barney Saltzberg	Creativity
<i>It's Okay To Be Different</i>	Todd Parr	Diversity
<i>You be You</i>	Linda Kranz	Diversity
<i>The Skin You Live In</i>	Michael Tyler	Diversity
<i>All Are Welcome</i>	Alfred A. Knopf	Diversity
<i>The Family Book</i>	Todd Parr	Family
<i>My Grandpa and I</i>	P.K. Hallinan	Family
<i>Are You My Mother?</i>	P.D. Eastman	Family
<i>Just Me and My Dad</i>	Mercer Mayer	Family
<i>A Week at Grandma's</i>	Mary Ashwood	Family
<i>The Trip to Grandma's</i>	Cass Hollander	Family
<i>My Happy Day</i>	Julia Giachetti	Feelings
<i>I Was So Mad</i>	Jessica Pippin	Feelings
<i>Just A Bad Day</i>	Gina and Mercer Mayer	Feelings
<i>When Sophie Gets Angry - Really, Really Angry...</i>	Molly Bang	Feelings
<i>The Color Monster</i>	Anna Llenas	Feelings
<i>It's Mine</i>	Leo Linonni	Friendship
<i>Stick and Stone</i>	Beth Ferry & Tom Lichtenheld	Friendship
<i>How To Catch A Star</i>	Oliver Jeffers	Friendship
<i>Puppy Mudge Finds a Friend</i>	Cynthia Rylant	Friendship
<i>Bear At Home</i>	Stella Blackstone & Debbie Harter	Home
<i>Be Honest, Jess</i>	Molly Smith	Honesty
<i>The New Sweater</i>	Oliver Jeffers	Individuality
<i>Swimmy</i>	Leo Linonni	Individuality
<i>Be Who You Are</i>	Todd Parr	Individuality
<i>Rosie's Pool</i>	Kana Riley	Kindness
<i>The Kindness Book</i>	Todd Parr	Kindness
<i>Big Black Bear</i>	Wong Herbert Woo	Manners
<i>I Am Peace</i>	Susan Verde	Mindfulness
<i>Waiting Is Not Easy!</i>	Mo Willems	Patience

<i>It's Okay to Make Mistakes</i>	Todd Parr	Resilience
<i>Charlie Is Responsible</i>	Ellen Garcia	Responsibility
<i>I Am Responsible</i>	David Parker	Responsibility
<i>Just For You</i>	Mercer Mayer	Responsibility
<i>The Little Red Hen</i>	Paul Galdone	Responsibility
<i>The Duckling Gets A Cookie!?</i>	Mo Willems	Responsibility
<i>Don't Let The Pigeon Drive the Bus</i>	Mo Willems	Responsibility
<i>Don't Let The Pigeon Stay Up Late</i>	Mo Willems	Responsibility
<i>Thanks for Sharing, Tommy</i>	Julia Giachetti	Sharing
<i>Llama Llama Time To Share</i>	Anna Dewdney	Sharing

## Session 2 - Pre-K Readiness

<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>	<b>Theme</b>
<i>Kippers Book of Colors</i>	Mike Inkpen	Colors
<i>A Color Of His Own</i>	Leo Lionni	Colors
<i>Colors</i>	John J. Reiss	Colors
<i>Mouse Paint</i>	Ellen Stoll Walsh	Colors
<i>Freight Train</i>	Donald Crews	Colors
<i>Lift-the-Flap Colors</i>	Felicity Brooks	Colors
<i>Chicka Chicka Boom Boom</i>	Bill Martin Jr. & John Archambault	Letters
<i>My "p" Book</i>	Jane Belk Moncure	Letters
<i>My "t" Book</i>	Jane Belk Moncure	Letters
<i>Alphabears</i>	Kathleen Hague	Letters
<i>On Market Street</i>	Arnold Lobel	Letters
<i>Doggies</i>	Sandra Boynton	Numbers & Counting
<i>Duck &amp; Goose 123</i>	Tad Hills	Numbers & Counting
<i>Ten Little Garden Snails</i>	Beverley Randell	Numbers & Counting
<i>10 Little Rubber Ducks</i>	Eric Carle	Numbers & Counting
<i>Numbers</i>	John J. Reiss	Numbers & Counting
<i>Ten Black Dots</i>	Donald Crews	Numbers & Counting
<i>1, 2, 3</i>	Sarah Powell	Numbers & Counting
<i>Counting Our Way To Maine</i>	Maggie Smith	Numbers & Counting
<i>Feast for 10</i>	Cathryn Falwell	Numbers & Counting
<i>The Icky Bug Counting Book</i>	Jerry Pallotta & Ralph Masiello	Numbers & Counting
<i>Shapes</i>	John J. Reiss	Shapes
<i>Shapes Are Everywhere</i>	Charles Ghigna	Shapes
<i>Mouse Shapes</i>	Ellen Stoll Walsh	Shapes
<i>Color Zoo</i>	Lois Elhert	Shapes
<i>Color Farm</i>	Lois Elhert	Shapes
<i>Shape by Shape</i>	Suse MacDonald	Shapes

## Session 3 - STEM

Title	Author	Theme
<i>If I Were...</i>	Dr. Suess	Animals
<i>Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?</i>	Bill Martin Jr. & Eric Carle	Animals
<i>Panda Bear, Panda Bear, What Do You See?</i>	Bill Martin Jr. & Eric Carle	Animals
<i>Polar Bear, Polar Bear What Do You Hear?</i>	Bill Martin Jr. & Eric Carle	Animals
<i>Goognight Ocean</i>	Mark Jasper & Adam Gamble	Animals
<i>Rainforest Animals</i>	Jill McDonald	Animals
<i>Artic Animals</i>	Jill McDonald	Animals
<i>Pets</i>	Jill McDonald	Animals
<i>Dinosaurs</i>	Jill McDonald	Animals
<i>Olivia Becomes A Vet</i>	Alex Harvey	Animals
<i>Bella Lost Her Moo</i>	Judith Zorfass	Animals
<i>Rip's Secret Spot</i>	Kristi T. Butler	Animals
<i>The Cow That Went Oink</i>	Bernard Most	Animals
<i>Quick As A Cricket</i>	Audrey Wood	Animals
<i>Dancing Feet</i>	Lindsey Craig	Animals
<i>Elephant</i>	Lucy Freegard	Animals
<i>Where Does The Brown Bear Go</i>	Nicki Weiss	Animals
<i>Click, Clack, Moo Cows That Type</i>	Doreen Cronin	Animals
<i>Chickens Aren't The Only Ones</i>	Ruth Heller	Animals
<i>Strictly No Elephants</i>	Lisa Mantchev	Animals
<i>In The Small, Small Pond</i>	Denise Fleming	Animals
<i>What Do you Do With A Tail Like This?</i>	Steve Jenkins & Robin Page	Animals
<i>Actual Size</i>	Steve Jenkins	Animals
<i>From Head To Toe</i>	Eric Carle	Animals
<i>Sally Goes To The Mountain</i>	Stephan Huneck	Animals
<i>Magnets Push, Magnets Pull</i>	David A. Adler	Magnets
<i>The Very Hungry Caterpillar</i>	Eric Carle	Nature
<i>Little Seeds</i>	Charles Ghinga	Nature
<i>The Reason For A Flower</i>	Ruth Heller	Nature
<i>Inch By Inch</i>	David Mallett	Nature
<i>Leaf Man</i>	Lois Elhert	Nature
<i>Tickle Time</i>	Sandra Boynton	Opposites
<i>Quiet Loud</i>	Leslie Patricelli	Opposites
<i>No No Yes Yes</i>	Leslie Patricelli	Opposites
<i>Big Little</i>	Leslie Patricelli	Opposites
<i>Big &amp; Little</i>	Steve Jenkins	Opposites
<i>Who Sank The Boat</i>	Pamela Allen	Predications & Reactions

<i>If You Give A Mouse A Cookie</i>	Laura Joffe Numeroff	Predicions & Reactions
<i>If You Give A Pig A Pancake</i>	Laura Joffe Numeroff	Predicions & Reactions
<i>If You Give A Dog A Donut</i>	Laura Joffe Numeroff	Predicions & Reactions
<i>If You Give A Pig A Party</i>	Laura Joffe Numeroff	Predicions & Reactions
<i>Just A Little Bit</i>	Ann Tompert	Predicions & Reactions
<i>Press Here</i>	Herve Tullet	Predicions & Reactions
<i>Mix It Up</i>	Herve Tullet	Predicions & Reactions
<i>And Then It's Spring</i>	Julie Fogliano	Seasons
<i>Skip Through the Seasons</i>	Stella Blackstone	Seasons
<i>Sorting Through Spring</i>	Lizann Flatt	Seasons
<i>Sizing Up Winter</i>	Lizann Flatt	Seasons
<i>Shaping Up Summer</i>	Lizann Flatt	Seasons
<i>Things That Float and Things That Don't</i>	David A. Adler	Sink or Float
<i>Rain</i>	Carol Thompson	Weather
<i>Sun</i>	Carol Thompson	Weather
<i>Wind</i>	Carol Thompson	Weather
<i>All About Weather</i>	Huda Harajili	Weather
<i>The Wind Blew</i>	Pat Hutchins	Weather
<i>The Snowy Day</i>	Ezra Jack Keats	Weather

## Session 4 - K-Transitions

Title	Author	Theme
<i>Look Out Kindergarten, Here I Come!</i>	Nacy Carlson	K-Transitions
<i>Countdown to Kindergarten</i>	Alison McGhee	K-Transitions
<i>On The First Day of Kindergarten</i>	Tish Rabe	K-Transitions
<i>Kindergarten Is Cool!</i>	Linda Elovitz Marshall	K-Transitions
<i>Welcome to Kindergarten</i>	Anne Rockwell	K-Transitions
<i>Off to Kindergarten</i>	Tony Johnston	K-Transitions
<i>Kindergarten Rocks!</i>	Katie Davis	K-Transitions
<i>Monkey Not Ready for Kindergarten</i>	Marc Brown	K-Transitions
<i>Kindergarte, Here I Come!</i>	D.J. Steinberg	K-Transitions
<i>The Night Before Kindergarten</i>	Natasha Wing	K-Transitions
<i>It's Hard to be Five</i>	Jamie Lee Curtis & Laura Cornell	K-Transitions
<i>Rawr</i>	Todd H. Doodler	K-Transitions