

101 BOOKS TO READ ALOUD

Need ideas for books to read to your class? Well here is a list of 100. They're divided into age groups, but that's just a suggestion to give you ideas. Many of these books are enjoyed by all ages.

I've listed several for some authors who have many more good books besides. Look for more books by the same author and generally you'll have a good book on your hands.

Some are from Christian publishers while many others are not, so you a bit of discretion may be needed while reading.

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There are so many good books available! Send me an email of more that your students have enjoyed and we'll add to the list.

GRADE 1-3 (AGE 6-9)

1. The Courage of Sarah Noble - Alice Dalgliesh
2. In Grandma's Attic - Arleta Richardson
3. More Stories From Grandma's Attic - Arleta Richardson
4. Emily's Run Away Imagination - Beverly Cleary
5. Caddie Woodlawn - Carol Ryrie Brink
6. Squanto, Friend of Pilgrims - Clyde Robert Bulla
7. Charlotte's Web - E.B. White
8. Stuart Little - E.B. White
9. Trumpet of the Swan - E.B. White
10. Pollyanna - Eleanor H. Porter
11. The Secret Garden - Frances Hodgson Burnett
12. Jessica's First Prayer - Hesba Stretton
13. Ducktails - Janette Oke
14. The Belonging Place - Jean Little
15. Heidi - Joanna Spyri
16. Little House in the Big Woods - Laura Ingalls Wilder
17. Little House on the Prairie - Laura Ingalls Wilder
18. Farmer Boy - Laura Ingalls Wilder
19. Indian Captive - Lois Lenski
20. Helen Keller - Margaret Davidson
21. Louis Braille: The Boy Who Invented Books for the Blind - Margaret Davidson
22. Misty of Chincoteague - Marguerite Henry
23. Stormy, Misty's Foal - Marguerite Henry
24. Sea Star: Orphan of Chincoteague - Marguerite Henry
25. Snow Treasure - Marie McSwigan
26. Mary Jones and Her Bible - Mary Emily Ropes
27. Christie's Old Organ - Mrs. O.F. Walton
28. Star of Light - Patricia St. John
29. Treasure in the Snow - Patricia St. John
30. What Katy Did - Susan Coolidge
31. The Adventures of Grandfather Frog - Thornton W. Burgess
32. The Adventures of Paddy the Beaver - Thornton W. Burgess
33. The Adventures of Reddy Fox - Thornton W. Burgess
34. Lightfoot the Deer - Thornton W. Burgess

GRADE 4-6 (AGE 10-12)

1. When the Dikes Broke - Alta Halverson Seymour
2. Incredible Jumbo - Barbara Smucker
3. Underground to Canada - Barbara Smucker
4. The Secret Valley - Clyde Robert Bulla
5. Defeat of the Ghost Riders: Introducing Mary McLeod Bethune - Dave & Neta Jackson
6. Escape from the Slave Traders: Introducing David Livingstone - Dave & Neta Jackson
7. Listen for the Whippoorwill: Introducing Harriet Tubman - Dave & Neta Jackson
8. The Hidden Jewel: Introducing Amy Carmichael - Dave & Neta Jackson
9. Attack in the Rye Grass: Introducing Marcus and Narcissa Whitman - Dave & Neta Jackson
10. Spy for the Night Riders: Introducing Martin Luther - Dave & Neta Jackson
11. The Railway Children - E. Nesbit
12. Little Princess - Frances Hodgson Burnett
13. The Bishop's Shadow - I.T. Thurston
14. Theo the Big Brother - I.T. Thurston
15. Tip Lewis and His Lamp - Isabella Alden
16. Follow My Leader - James B. Garfield
17. From Anna - Jean Little
18. Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm - Kate Douglas Wiggin
19. The Wolf Dog - Ken Anderson
20. Amee-nah: Zuni Boy Runs the Race of His Life - Kenneth Thomasma
21. Doe Sia: Bannock Girl and the Handcart Pioneers - Kenneth Thomasma
22. Naya Nuki: Shoshoni Girl who Ran - Kenneth Thomasma
23. Om-kas-toe: Blackfoot Twin Captures an Elkdog - Kenneth Thomasma
24. Pathki Nana: Kootenai Girl Solves a Mystery - Kenneth Thomasma
25. Anne of Green Gables L.M. Montgomery
26. Number the Stars - Lois Lowry
27. He Went With Christopher Columbus - Louise Andrews Kent
28. The Five Little Peppers and How They Grew - Margaret Sydney
29. Brighty of the Grand Canyon - Marguerite Henry
30. White Stallion of Lipizza - Marguerite Henry
31. Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry - Mildred D. Taylor
32. A Peep Behind the Scenes - O.F. Walton
33. Saved at Sea - O.F. Walton

GRADE 7+ (AGE 13+)

1. The Heart Mender - Andy Andrews
2. The White Gypsy - Annette Lyster
3. The Shining Sword - Charles G. Coleman
4. Song of the Trumpet - Charles G. Coleman
5. The Warriors Shield - Charles G. Coleman
6. For One Moment - Christmas Carol Kauffman
7. Not Regina - Christmas Carol Kauffman
8. Under a Silent Sky - Claudia Lehman
9. The Hiding Place - Corrie Ten Boom
10. Owls in the Family - Farley Mowat
11. Old Yeller - Fred Gipson
12. Frozen Fire - James Houston
13. Banner in the Sky - James Ramsey Ullman
14. Smokejumper - Jason A. Ramos
15. Big Red - Jim Kjelgaard
16. Irish Red: Son of Big Red - Jim Kjelgaard
17. Lion Hound - Jim Kjelgaard
18. Snow Dog - Jim Kjelgaard
19. Around the World in Eighty Days - Jules Verne
20. Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea - Jules Verne
21. For Freedom: The Story of a French Spy - Kimberly Brubacher Bradley
22. Black Gold - Marguerite Henry
23. Born to Trot - Marguerite Henry
24. King of the Wind - Marguerite Henry
25. Twice Freed - Patricia St. John
26. Graveyard of the Sea - Penny Draper
27. Peril at Pier Nine - Penny Draper
28. Terror at Turtle Mountain - Penny Draper
29. A Terrible Roar of Water - Penny Draper
30. Little Britches - Ralph Moody
31. The Incredible Journey - Sheila Branford
32. Rascal - Sterling North
33. Where the Red Fern Grows - Wilson Rawls
34. Summer of the Monkeys - Wilson Rawls