

# ALPHABET

## Concept Books

Concept books help to foster visual literacy and language development in young children through the recognition of letters, numbers, colors, shapes and abstract ideas.

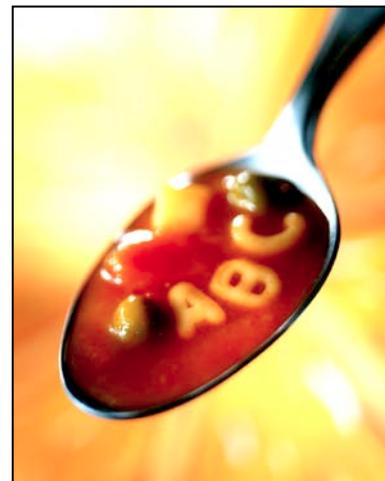


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There is a lot more to alphabet books than what you may think. Most of us expect that an ABC book is intended to teach the alphabet. Rather it is a literary device which uses a child's earliest accomplished knowledge of these 26 sequential letters as a jumping off point to develop additional important pre-reading skills like:

- conversation, dialogue, oral language and vocabulary
- awareness of sounds
- making connections, prediction, anticipation, sequencing and drawing conclusions
- identifying story elements and structure
- recognizing point of view
- visualizing setting, time, place and atmosphere
- comprehension
- integrating multiple themes and disciplines



E Aga	Calypso Alphabet by John Agard
E Age	Z Goes Home by Jon Agee
E Alb	Elmo's ABC Book by Sarah Albee
E Ale	A You're Adorable by Martha G. Alexander
E Ann	Anno's Alphabet
E Arn	Mouse Letters: A Very First Alphabet Book by Jim Arnosky
E Ash	M Is for Mischief: An A to Z of Naughty Children by Linda Ashman
E Aza	A Gardener's Alphabet by Mary Azarian
E Bai	ABC Animals: A Bedtime Story by Darcie Bailer
E Bak	Black & White Rabbit's ABC by Alan Baker
E Bak	LMNO Peas by Keigh Baker
E Bak	The Animal ABC by Leslie A. Baker
E Bas	Animalia by Graeme Base
E Bas	ABC Kids by Simon Basher
E Ben	The A to Z Beastly Jamboree by Robert Bender
E Bin	Z is for Moose by Kelly L. Bingham
E Bla	Alligator Alphabet by Stella Blackstone
E Bla	Cleo's Alphabet Book by Stella Blackstone
E Bon	Accidental Alphabet by Dianna Bonder
E Bot	An Annoying ABC by Barbara Bottner
E Bow	Antler, Bear, Canoe: A Northwoods Alphabet Year by Betsy Bowen
E Bro	Goodnight Moon ABC: An Alphabet Book by Margaret Wise Brown
E Bro	African Animal ABC by Philippa-Alys Browne
E Bur	A, My Name is Andrew by Mary McManus Burke
E But	F Is for Firefighting by Dori Hillestad Butler
E Cam	Campbell Kids Alphabet Soup
E Car	ABC I Like Me by Nancy Carlson
E Cat	Matthew A.B.C. by Peter Catalanotto
E Cav	W is for World: A Round-the-world ABC by Kathryn Cave
E Chi	The Children's Book of Alphabets
E Chr	Edible Alphabet by Bonnie Christensen
E Cli	Quilt Alphabet by Lesa Cline-Ransome
E Com	ABC: A Family Alphabet Book by Bobbie Combs
E Cra	P Is for Pilgrim: A Thanksgiving Alphabet by Carol Crane

E Cra S Is for Sunshine: a Florida Alphabet by Carol Crane  
 E Cro Arches to Zigzags: an Architecture ABC by Michael J. Crosbie  
 E Dar ABC Dogs by Kathy Darling  
 E DeG Birds A to Z by Terri DeGezelle  
 E DeG Bugs A to Z by Terri DeGezelle  
 E Del Aa, A Was An Apple Pie: An English Nursery Rhyme by Etienne Delessert  
 E Dem All Abopard!: A Traveling Alphabet by Chris Demarest  
 E Dem Cowboy ABC by Chris Demarest  
 E DiT G Is for One Gzonk: An Alpha-number-bet book by Tony DiTerlizzi  
 E Dod Dog's ABC: A Silly Story about The Alphabet by Emma Dodd  
 E Dod Minister's Cat ABC by Lynel Dodd  
 E Dog The Dog from Arf! Arf! to Zzzzzz  
 E Dor A Is for Artist: an Alphabet by Ella Doran  
 E Dug ABC NYC: a Book About Seeing New York City by Joanne Dugan  
 E Ehl Eating the Alphabet by Lois Ehler  
 E Elt Q Is for Duck: An Alphabet Guessing Game by Mary Elting  
 E Ely F Is for Fiesta by Susan Middleton Elya  
 E Ern The Letters Are Lost by Lisa Campbell Ernst  
 E Ern the Turn-around Upside-down Alphabet Book by Lisa Campbell, Ernst  
 E Eye Eyelike Letters: The Alphabet in the Natural World  
 E Fee Jambo Means Hello: Swahili Alphabet Book by Muriel Feelings  
 E Fis Ellsworth's Extraordinary Electric Ears and Other Amazing Alphabet Anecdotes  
 by Valorie Fisher.  
 E Fis Everything I Need to Know Before I'm Five by Valorie Fisher.  
 E Fle Alphabet Under Construction by Denise Fleming  
 E Fle Shout! Shout It Out! By Denise Fleming  
 E Flo The Racecar Alphabet by Brain Floca  
 E Gab The Alphabet Soup by Mirko Gabler  
 E Gei Country Road ABC: An Illustrated Journey through America's Framland  
 by Arthur Geisert  
 E Gir ABC For You and Me by Meg Gurnis  
 E Gla The Alphazeds by Shirley Glaser  
 E Gol A Is for Aloha: A Hawaii Alphabet by U'ilani Goldsberry  
 E Gri C Is for City by Nikki Grimes  
 E Haa Appaloosa Zebra by Jessie Haas  
 E Hel Goblins in Green by Nicholas Heller  
 E Hel Ogres! Ogres! Ogres! A Feasting Frenzy from A to Z by Nicholas Heller  
 E Hep Antics: An Alphabetical Anthology by Cathi Hepworth  
 E Her H Is for Home Run: A Baseball Alphabet by Brad Herzog  
 E Her K Is for Kick: A Soccer Alphabet by Brad Herzog  
 E Her R is for Race: A Stock Car Alphabet by Brad Herzog  
 E Her S Is for Save the Planet: A Hot-to-be Green Alphabet by Brad Herzog  
 E Her T Is for Touchdown: A Football Alphabet by Brad Herzog  
 E Hob Toot & Puddle: Puddle's ABC by Holly Hobbie  
 E How Zooflakes ABC by Will Howell  
 E Hud Welcome to My Neighborhood!: a Barrio ABC by Quiara Alegria Hudes  
 E Ink Kipper's A to Z: An Alphabet Adventure by Mick Inkpen  
 E Isa On Your Toes: A Ballet ABC by Rachel Isadora  
 E Jar The Artful Alphabet by Martina Jirankova-Limbrick  
 E Jar ABC USA by Martin Jarrie  
 E Jay ABD: A Child's First Alphabet by Allison Jay  
 E Joc ABC x 3: English, Español, Français by Marthe Jocelyn  
 E Joh A Is for Art: An Abstract Alphabet by Stephen Johnson  
 E Joh Alphabet City by Stephen T. Johnson  
 E Kal What Pete Ate from A-Z by Maria Kalman  
 E Kan The Human Alphabet by John Kane

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 E Kit Animal Alphabet by Bert Kitchen  
 E Kru M is for Music by Kathleen Krull  
 E Lay T Is for Teachrs: A School Alphabet by Steven L Layne  
 E Leo K Is for Kitten by Nikia Speliakos Clark Leopold  
 E Leu Jeeperws Creepers: A Monstrous ABC by Laura Leuck  
 E Les A Is for Salad by Mike Lester  
 E Lic E-mergency by Tom Lichtenheld  
 E Lin The Awful Aardvarks Go to School by Reeve Lindberg  
 E Liv B is for Baby: an Alphabet of Verses by Myra Cohn Livingston  
 E Lob Animal Antics: A to Z by Anita Lobel  
 E Lob On Market Street by Arnold Lobel  
 E Lob Alison's Zinnia by Anita Lobel  
 E Lob Animal Antics A to Z by Anita Lobel  
 E Lon do Your ABC's, Little Brown Bear by Jonathan London  
 E Mac Operation Alphabet by Al MacCuish  
 E Mac Achool! Bang! Crash!: The Noisy Alphabet by Ross MacDonald  
 E Mac Alphabatics by Suse MacDonald  
 E Mag All Aboard ABC by Doug MaGee and Robert Newman  
 E Man The Queen's Progress: An Alizabethan Alphabet by Celeste Davidson Mannis  
 E Mar Zoopa: An Animal Alphabet by Gianna Marino  
 E Mar Chicka Chicka Boom Boom by Bill Martin  
 E Mar The Alphabet from A to Y with Bonus Letter, Z! by Steve Martin  
 E Mau A to Z of All of Me by Tracy Maurer  
 E McG A Tallgrass Prairie Alphabet by Claudia McGehee  
 E McL Storybook ABCs by Meg McLaughlin  
 E McL SuperHero ABC by Bob McLeod  
 E McL Gone Wild: An Endangered Animal Alphabet by David McLimans  
 E Mer Goodnight to Annie: an Alphabet Lullaby by Eve Merriam  
 E Mer Halloween ABC by Eve Merriam  
 E Met Museum ABC by Metropolitan Museum of Art  
 E Mil The City ABC Book by Zoran Milich  
 E Mor Just in Case: A Trickster Aale and Spanish Alphabet Book by Yuyi Morales  
 E Mox ABCD: An Alphabet book of Cats and Dogs by Sheila Moxley  
 E Mun Bruno Munari's ABC by Bruno Munari  
 E Mur The Alphabet Keeper by Mary Murphy  
 E Mur Apple Pie ABC by Alison Murray  
 E Nap Z Is for Zamboni: A Hockey Alphabet by Matt Napier  
 E Oco Danny Is Done with Diapers: A Potty ABC by Rebecca O'Connell  
 E Ong The Little Engine That Could: ABC Time by Cristina Ong  
 E Pal Airplane Alphabet Book by Jerry Pallotta  
 E Pal The Construction Alphabet Book by Jerry Pallotta  
 E Pal Frog Alphabet Book by Jerry Pallotta  
 E Par 26 Big Things Samll Hands Do by Colleen Paratore  
 E Par Paddling of Ducks: Animals in Groups from A to Z by Marjorie Blain Parker  
 E Pau Everything to Spend the Night—From A to Z by Anne Whitford Paul  
 E Pea Alphabeep: A Zipping, Zooming ABC by Debora Pearson  
 E Pen Ian Penney's ABC by Ian Penney  
 E Per ABC of America by Per-Henrik Gurth  
 E Pfi Rainbow Fish ABC by Marcus Pfister  
 E Ran The Handmade Alphabet by Laura Rankin  
 E Ras Agent A to Agent Z by Andy Rash  
 E Ras Talk to Me about the Alphabet by Chris Raschka  
 E Rey Curious George Learns the Alphabet by H.A. Rey  
 E Rob The Alphabet War: A Story About Dyslezia by Diane Burton Robb  
 E Rog Museum ABC by Robbie Rogge

E Ros Into the A, B, Sea by Deborah Lee Rose  
 E Ros A Big and Little Alphabet by Liz Rosenberg  
 E Ruu A Mountain Alphabet by Margriet Ruurs  
 E Ruu A Pacific Alphabet by Margriet Ruurs  
 E San D Is for Drinking Gourd: An African American Alphabet by nancy I. Sanders  
 E Sca Richard Scarry's Find Your ABC's by Richard Scarry  
 E Sch Homes ABC by Lola M. Schaefer  
 E Sch Winter: An Alphabet Acrostic by Steven Schnur  
 E See The Hidden Alphabet by Laura Vaccaro Seeger  
 E See Book of Shadow Boxes: A Story of the ABC's by Laura L. Seeley  
 E Seu Reader Dr. Seuss's ABC by Dr. Seuss  
 E Sha S Is for School by P. J. Shaw  
 E Shi Found Alphabet by Ramon Shindler  
 E Shu A Is for Zebra by Mark Shulman  
 E Sie Sleepy Little Alphabet: A Bedtime Story from Alphabet Town by Judy Sierra  
 E Sie There's a Zoo in Room 22 by Judy Sierra  
 E Sla Miss Bindergarten Has a Wild Day in Kindergarten by Joseph Slate  
 E Smi W Is for Waves: An Ocean Alphabet by Marie Smith  
 E Sob B Is for Bulldozer: A Construction ABC by June Sobel  
 E Sob Shiver Me Letters: A Pirate ABC by June Sobel  
 E Sze Toby's Alphabet Walk by Cyndy Szekeres  
 E Tar An Easter Alphabet by Nora Tarlow  
 E Tay Big Thoughts for Little People: ABC's to Help You Grow by Kenneth Taylor  
 E Ted Teddy Bear ABC  
 E Tho Thomas's ABC Book  
 E Tho The Wildlife ABC & 123: A Nature Alphabet & Counting book by jan Thornhill  
 E Tra Caveman: a B.C. Story by Janee Trasler  
 E Tud A IS for Annabelle: A Doll's Alphabet by Tasha Tudor  
 E Ulm H is for Horse: An Equestrian Alphabet by Michael Ulmer  
 E Ulm M Is for Maple: A Canadian Alphabet by Michael Ulmer  
 E Wal Alphabeasts by Wallace Edwards  
 E Wal Alphabet House by Nancy Elizabeth Wallace  
 E War M Is for Melody: a Music Alphabet by Kathy-Jo Wargin  
 E Wat Applebet: an ABC by Clyde Watson  
 E Wet Touchdown Mars! An ABC Adventure by Peggy Wethered  
 E Wel Letters and Sounds by Rosemary Wells  
 E Wel Max's ABC by Rosemary Wells  
 E Wil The Disappearing Alphabet by Richard Wilbur  
 E Wil My Little House ABC by Laura Ingalls Wilder  
 E Wil ABC Kids by Laura Ellen Williams  
 E Wil A Book of Letters by Ken Wilson-Max  
 E Win Winnie-the-Pooh's ABC  
 E Woo Alphabet Adventure by Audrey Wood  
 E Woo Alphabet Mystery by Audrey Wood  
 E Woo Alphabet Rescue by Audrey Wood  
 E Yol Elfabet: An ABC of Elves by Jane Yolen  
 E Zea A Zeal of Zebfas: An Alphabet of Colective Nouns  
 E Zie Me, Me, ABC! By Harriet Ziefert