



Early Reading at the Kingston Public Library

Four Sections:

Level 1—Blue dot on book

Level 2—Silver dot on book

Level 3—Gold dot on book

Early Chapter—Light Blue Sticker on spine

Picture Books—Shelved in the “E” area

Level 1: A couple to several words per page up to one or two simple sentences.

Level 1 Titles (Author) :

- Biscuit (Capucilli)
- Pedro's Burro (Capucilli)
- Chicken Said Cluck (Grant)
- Axel the Truck (Riley)
- Too Many Cats (Houran)
- Andy & Sandy (dePaola)
- Otter (Garton)
- Honey (Godwin)
- I'm Going to Boston to visit the Ducks (Toitman)
- Viking Readers (Turtle and Snake)
- Robin Hill School (McNamara)
- I Spy Early Readers (Marzollo)
- Compass Point Books (Rau)
- Disney Books (Various Authors)
- Paw Patrol (Various Authors)

Level 2: One to three sentences per page.

Level 2 Titles/Series (Author):

- Henry and Mudge (Rylant)
- Annie and Snowball (Rylant)
- Clifford Readers (Bridwell)
- Katie Woo (Manushkin)
- We Both Read (Various)
- Fancy Nancy Readers (O'Connor)
- Danny and the Dinosaur (Hoff)
- Minnie & Moo (Cazet)

- Pearl & Wagner (McMullan)
- Scooby Doo Readers (Various)

Level 3: One or two paragraphs per page. Sometimes a few chapters.

Level 3 Title/Series (Author)

- Ling and Ting (Lin)
- Nate the Great (Sharmat)
- Amelia Bedelia (Parrish)
- Harry and Emily Adventures (Ruelle)
- Mr. Putter and Tabby (Rylant)
- Poppleton (Rylant)
- Cowgirl Kate (Silverman)
- Star Wars Readers (Various)
- We Both Read (Various)

Early Chapter Books—Light Blue Stickers

- Animal Ark Adventures (Baglio)
- Puppy Place (Miles)
- Horrible Harry (Kline)
- A to Z Mysteries (Roy)
- Calendar Mysteries (Roy)
- Ballpark Mysteries (Roy)
- Rainbow Fairies (Meadows)
- Black Lagoon (Thaler)
- Judy Moody and Stink (MacDonald)
- Cam Jansen (Adler)
- Gym Shorts (Hickey)
- Junie B. Jones (Park)
- Magic Tree House (Osborne)

Early Reader Non-fiction (Orange stickers) are not-leveled but are shelved by subject, not by Dewey. For instance, a book about Elephants is cataloged and shelved under Animals.

Picture Books for Early Readers are shelved under E and have no specific sticker— Popular early reader authors are Dr. Seuss, Doreen Cronin, Mo Willems, Laura Numeroff and Alexandra Day. We get new picture books weekly, and those books are featured in a new book area towards the front of room.