

Easy Peasy All-in-One Homeschool READING LISTS

ENGLISH	Books	Poetry and Short Stories
Level 1	<i>The Tale of Jolly Robin</i> , Bailey <i>The Tale of Solomon Owl</i> , Bailey <i>The Tale of Reddy Woodpecker</i> , Bailey <i>The Adventures of Danny Meadow Mouse</i> , Burgess <i>Buster Bear</i> , Burgess	<i>Abroad</i> , Crane McGuffey Second Reader Beatrix Potter stories a variety of other short stories and poems
Level 2	<i>The Adventures of Jimmy Skunk</i> , Thornton W. Burgess <i>The Adventures of Old Mr. Toad</i> , Thornton W. Burgess <i>The Bobbsey Twins at Snow Lodge</i> , Hope	Poetry by Walter De La Mare, James Riley, Christina Rossetti Short stories: Beatrix Potter stories, Fifty Famous Stories, and a variety of other short stories
Level 3	<i>Heidi</i> , Spry <i>The Bears of Blue River</i> , Major <i>Five Little Peppers and How They Grew</i> , Sidney	Poetry by William Blake, Sara Teasdale, Hilda Conkling, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow Short stories: Aesop's Fables (selection), as well as a variety of other short stories and plays
Level 4	<i>McGuffey Third Reader</i> , McGuffey <i>Swiss Family Robinson</i> , unabridged, Wyss <i>The Railway Children</i> , Nesbit <i>The Peterkin Papers</i> , Hale <i>A Little Princess</i> , Burnett <i>The Storybook of Science</i> , Fabre (nonfiction)	
Level 5	<i>Treasure Seeker</i> , Nesbit <i>Alice's Adventures in Wonderland</i> , Carroll <i>Little Men</i> , Alcott <i>Pollyanna</i> , Porter	Poems: Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, John Greenleaf Whittier, Christina Rossetti, E. E. Cummings, Paul Dunbar Short Stories: selection of Aesop's Fables, Balderdash by Giles, McGuffey's 4th Reader—including short stories by Nathaniel Hawthorne and Charles Dickens as well as famous stories such as The Pied Piper of Hamelin

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Level 6	<p><i>The Jungle Book</i>, Kipling <i>Gulliver's Travels</i>, Swift <i>Penrod</i>, Tarkington <i>Black Beauty</i>, Sewell <i>Jack and Jill</i>, Alcott <i>The Fairy-Land of Science</i>, Buckley</p>	Poetry: Carl Sandburg, Robert Frost
Level 7	<p><i>The Spy</i>, James Fennimore Cooper <i>Penrod and Sam</i>, Tarkington <i>The Call of the Wild</i>, London <i>Treasure Island</i>, Stevenson <i>The Talisman</i>, Sir Walter Scott <i>The King Will Make a Way</i>, Giles</p>	Poetry: Emily Dickinson, Keats, and others; <i>Idylls of the King</i> , Tennyson
Level 8	<p><i>Grammar Land</i>, Nesbit historic autobiography of your choosing <i>Pilgrim's Progress</i>, Bunyan <i>Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea</i>, Verne</p>	<p>Plays: <i>The Tempest</i>, Shakespeare <i>The Importance of Being Earnest</i>, Wilde</p> <p>Short stories: The Gift of the Magi, The Ransom of Red Chief, O'Henry; The Cask of Amontillado (partial), Poe; The Necklace, Maupassant; other excerpts</p> <p>Poetry: The Odyssey, Homer; Emily Dickinson and others</p>

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HISTORY	Level L: 1st - 4th	Level M: 5th - 8th
Year 1: Ancient History through the Middle Ages		<i>The Story of the Greeks</i> , Guerber
Year 2: Early American	<i>The True Story of Christopher Columbus</i> , Brooks <i>Pilgrim Stories</i> , Pumphrey <i>The Bird-Woman of the Lewis and Clark Expedition</i> , Chandler <i>Uncle Tom's Cabin Young Folk's Edition</i> , Stowe	<i>Discoverers and Explorers</i> , Shaw <i>Letters of a Woman Homesteader</i> , Stewart <i>This Country of ours</i> , Marshall (selection) <i>Uncle Tom's Cabin Juvenile Edition</i> , Stowe, Crowe
Year 3:		
Year 4: Modern American	<i>Helen Keller's The Story of My Life</i> , Keller <i>A Lifetime of Memories</i> , Giles	<i>The Boy's Life of Edison</i> , Meadowcroft <i>Facing Death</i> , Henty <i>The Little Book of the War</i> , Tappan <i>Animal Farm</i> , Orwell <i>A Lifetime of Memories</i> , Giles

SCIENCE	Level L: 1st - 4th	Level M: 5th - 8th
Year 1: Biology	<i>The First Book of Plants</i> , Dickinson <i>Elementary Life Science</i> , The Lab of Mr. Q	<i>Real Things in Nature</i> , Holden <i>Life Science for Middle School</i> , Wilkin
Year 2: Zoology	<i>First Book of Bees</i> (selections), Tibbets	<i>Handbook of Nature Study</i> (selections), Comstock <i>The Life of a Spider</i> (selections), Fabre <i>What Really Happened to the Dinosaurs</i> , Ham
Year 3:		
Year 4: Chemistry and Physics		