
Chinese Book List for Ages 0-12+

Chinese Teaching Resources-Book List

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Chinese Book List

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*****All books listed here are referring to their CHINESE edition.***

Kids ages 0-5+

- Goodnight Moon by Margaret Wise Brown
- Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See? by Eric Carle
- The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle
- Where's Spot? by Eric Hill
- Dear Zoo by Rod Campbell
- Good Night, Gorilla by Peggy Rathmann
- Five Little Monkeys by Ms Sharon Lawrence
- Guess How Much I Love You by Sam KcBratney
- Clifford the Big Red Dog by Norman Bird Vail
- The Runaway Bunny by Margaret Wise Brown
- No, David! by David Shannon
- Elephant and Piggie series by Mo Willems

Please Note:

-The age groups are suggestions.

-Books with age indicated are for parents, caregivers, or educators to read aloud to kids.

-Always read every book first to ensure it is appropriate for your listeners.

-Always read each book yourself to make sure it's in the range of your listeners' proficiency level.

Kids ages 6-8+

- Love You Forever by Robert Munsch
- The Giving Tree by Shel Silverstein
- If You Give A Mouse A Cookie by Laura Numeroff
- Curious George series by Margaret H.A. thunder
- The Cat in the Hat by Dr. Seuss
- The Snowy Day by Ezra J. Keats
- Corduroy by Don Freeman
- Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus by Mo Willem

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Kids ages 6-8+

- The Wheels on the Bus by Annie Kubler
- Does Kangaroo have a mother, too by Eric Carle
- Mei Ling's Hiccups by Mills David and Derek Brazell
- Where The Wild Things Are by Maurice Sendak
- If You Give A Mouse A Cookie by Laura Numeroff
- Curious George series by Margaret H.A. thunder
- Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs by Judi & Ron Barrett
- Frog and Toad All Year
- Where The Wild Things Are by Maurice Sendak
- Rainbow Fish Series by Marcus Pfister and J Alison James
- Oh, the Places You'll Go! by Dr. Seuss
- When Sophie Gets Angry - Really, Really, Angry by Molly Bang
- The Berenstain Bears series by Stan Berenstain

Kids ages 9-12+

- Anna Mei Banfa!: A Short Novel by Terry Waltz
- The Magic School Bus series by Joanna Cole
- Magic Tree House series by Mary Pope Osborne
- Diary of a whimpy kid by Jeff Kinny
- Monkey King series by Jeff Pepper
- Fantastic Mr. Fox by Roald Dohl
- Harry Potter series by J.K. Rowling

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Chinese-English Bilingual Books

- The Pet Dragon: A Story about Adventure, Friendship, and Chinese Characters by Christoph Niemann
- Chinese and English Nursery Rhyme by Faye-Lynn Wu
- Gordon & Lili learn Animals in Mandarin by Michele Wong McSween
- My Fun Chinese Book: Animals by Andrea Chen Lin
- Brandon Makes Jiao Zi by Eugenia Chu
- Bilingual Mother Goose Nursery Rhymes by Slow Rabbit
- My First Book of Chinese Words by Faye-Lynn Wu
- First Words in Chinese books for children by Jane Thai
- Spring Is Here by Amanda Hsiung-Blodgett, Miss Panda
- Happy Mother's Day by Amanda Hsiung-Blodgett
- Dragon Boat Festival by Amanda Hsiung-Blodgett
- The Mid Autumn Festival: A Poem by Amanda Hsiung-Blodgett
- What Does the Little Ghost Eat by Amanda Hsiung-Blodgett
- Happy Halloween: A Trick-or-Treat story by Amanda Hsiung-Blodgett
- Merry Christmas by Amanda Hsiung-Blodgett
- Chinese Festival series by Dr. Wise
- The Little Monkey King's Journey by Li Jian
- Cang Jie, the inventor of Chinese characters by Li Jian
- Ming's Adventure in the Forbidden City by Li Jian
- Because Dragons Love Milk by Marie Chow
- A Nest in Springtime by Belle Yang

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Chinese Culture Books and More in English

- The Nian Monster by Andrea Wang
- Dim Sum for Everyone! by Grace Lin
- All About China by Allison Branscombe
- Chinese Children's Favorite Stories by Mingmei Yip
- Ruby's Wish by Shirin Yim and Sophie Blackall
- The Emperor's Silent Army Terracotta Warriors by Jame O'Connor
- Mei-Mei's Lucky Birthday Noodles by Shan-Shan Chen
- Alvin Ho: Allergic to the Great Wall... by Lenore Look
- Celebrating Chinese New Year An Activity Book by Hingman Chan
- Confucius: Great Teacher of China by Demi
- The Boy Who Painted Dragons by Demi
- Cilla Lee-Jenkins Future Author Extraordinaire by Susan Tan
- The Great Wall of Lucy Wu by Wendy Wan-Long Shang
- The Dragon Lover and other Chinese proverbs by Yong-Sheng Xuan
- Chinese History Stories, stories from the Zhou Dynasty by Renee Ting
- American Born Chinese by Gene Luen Yang
- China Empere Of Living Symbols
- It's All Chinese to Me, An Overview of Culture & Etiquette in China by Pierre Ostrowski & Gwen Penner
- Feeding The Dragon, a culinary travelogue through China with recipes by Mary Kate Tate & Nate Tate
- The Food of Taiwan, Recipes from the Beautiful Island by Cathy Erway
- Kate Chin's Everyday Chinese Cookbook by Kate Chin
- Oracle Bones: A Journey Through Time in China by Peter Hessler

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Middle School & High School Novice Mid-Intermediate

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- Zhongwen Bu Mafan! series by Dr. Terry Waltz
- Panda book series by Terry Waltz
- Mavis bu Gaoxing! by Terry Waltz
- Josh Duyiwuer by Terry Waltz
- I am Beibei series by Haiyun Lu
- Feifei's Field Trip by Haiyun Lu
- Ben Dover Wants to Have a Pet by Pu-Mei Leng
- Do You Have A Pizza by Pu-Mei Leng
- Reading materials from Beijing Language and Culture University Press
- Edu.Chinese-Stories by Chinese Stories 中文故事 (App)
- Chinese Picture Book Reader by AllSet Learning (App)
- Tinman Arts 中国神话故事 (App)
- RyeBooks series (App)

Note:

-ACTFL Proficiency Scale has four main levels: Novice, Intermediate, Advanced, Superior.
-The first three levels are each subdivided into three sublevel (Low, Mid, and High).

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