

## **REACH OUT AND READ WISCONSIN**

## **Book Suggestions for Amish Families**

## Guidelines for picking books for Amish children

Books for Amish children should reflect Amish culture and values. Some suggestions of themes include nature and farming. Like many parents, Amish parents appreciate when books teach children positive life lessons. For example, a book that encourages telling the truth.

## Books should NOT contain:

- Topics of fantasy
- Ghosts, evil spirits, etc.
- Anthropomorphic animals
  - o Animals that talk
  - Animals wearing clothing
- Dinosaurs, fossils, evolution
- Pictures of people
  - Drawings of people in the distance are okay
- Airplanes

Title	Age Range	Where to Order	Link	Price		
Farm						
by Charles Reasoner						
BLACKEWHITE						
FARM	0-1 years	Books 4 School	http://www.books4school.com/farm-b	\$2.00		
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Data	Description: Simp	le board book filled with fa	arm animais.			
Pets						
by Charles Reasoner						
BLACKSWHITE						
PETS				\$2.00		
	0-1 years	Books 4 School	http://www.books4school.com/pets-bl	\$2.00		
By Chiefes Reaction	<b>Description:</b> Simple board book filled with animals.					
Listen to the Birds						
by Mrs. Silas Bowman						
Listen						
to the	1-5 years	Pathway Publishers	http://pathway-publishers.com/pathwa	\$2.45		
Birds	,	•		•		
	Description: A rhyming poem about birds.					

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Listen to the Farm	1						
by Mrs. Silas Bowman							
Listen to the Farm	1-5 years  Description: A rhy	Pathway Publishers ming poem about farm life	http://pathway-publishers.com/pathwa	\$2.45			
My Outdoor Friends							
by Mrs. Silas Bowman							
My Outdoor Friends	1-5 years  Description: A rhy	Pathway Publishers  ming poem about the outo	http://pathway-publishers.com/pathwa	\$2.35			
Oink! Oink!	•						
by Chuck Reasoner							
OINK! OINK!	1-3 years <b>Description:</b> Oink	Books 4 School ! Celebrate the sound of pi	http://www.books4school.com/oink-oi	\$2.15			
On the Farm You Might See							
by Lisa M. Gardiner							
Or the Farm Va stad on	2-4 years <b>Description:</b> Cute	Books 4 School illustrations of the differer	http://www.books4school.com/on-the	\$2.00			
River Discoveries	•						
by Ginger Wadsworth							
River Discoveries	5-8 years	Amazon	http://www.books4school.com/river-di	\$1.65			
Ginger Wadsworth • Bissoured by Paul Kratter	Description: Learn						
Woodchuck at Blackberry Road							
by C. Drew Lamm	5-8 years	Books 4 School	http://www.books4school.com/woodc	\$1.65			
<b>Description:</b> A mother woodchuck teaches her babies how to be safe.							