



## Books for Your Rising Kindergartner



### ***The Night Before Kindergarten***

by Natasha Wing

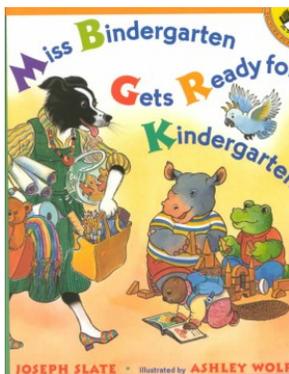
No more teddies and blankets—it's time for backpacks and pencils as children lay out their clothing and gather their school supplies the night before Kindergarten starts, but once everyone is in the classroom, will it be the children or the parents who have more trouble saying good-bye, in this colorful takeoff on the classic Clement C. Moore Christmas poem.



### ***Planet Kindergarten***

by Sue Ganz-Schmitt

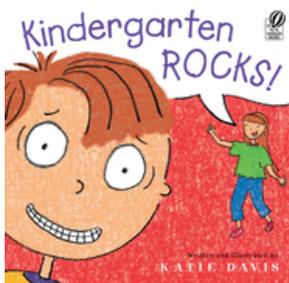
A daring young hero navigates the unknown reaches of Planet Kindergarten, inviting youngsters to join him as he launches into a strange new world of alien inhabitants, unfamiliar gear and astounding experiences.



### ***Miss Bindergarten Gets Ready for Kindergarten***

by Joseph Slate

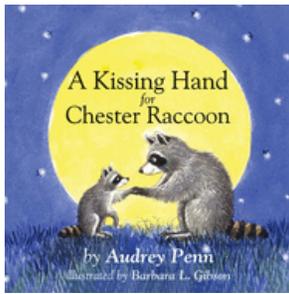
Miss Bindergarten, the Kindergarten teacher, organizes her classroom, stacking the shelves and hanging the charts, in preparation for the exciting upcoming first day of school.



### ***I'm Telling You, Dex, Kindergarten Rocks!***

by Katie Davis

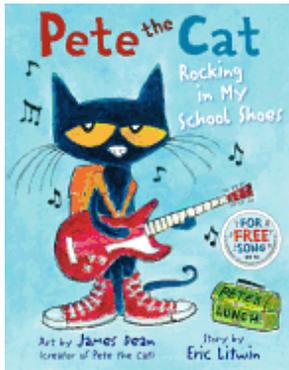
Dexter knows everything there is to know about kindergarten and is not at all scared about his first day there, but his stuffed dog, Buster, is very nervous.



### **A Kissing Hand for Chester Raccoon**

by Audrey Penn

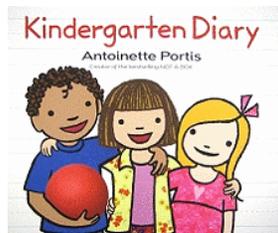
When Chester the raccoon is worried to be apart from his mother, she teaches him a secret way to carry her love with him.



### **Rocking in My School Shoes**

by Eric Litwin

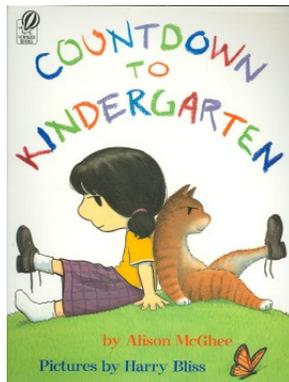
Pete the cat wears his school shoes when visiting the library, the lunchroom, the playground, and more while singing his special song.



### **Kindergarten Diary**

by Antoinette Portis

Annalina's diary entries reflect her up-and-down feelings and experiences as she goes from being afraid to go to kindergarten to loving it during her first month of school. By the creator of the Theodore Seuss Geisel Honor Book, Not a Box.



### **Countdown to Kindergarten**

by Alison McGhee

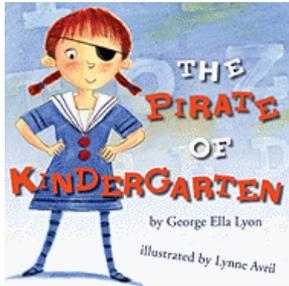
After hearing about all the horrors of school from a first grader, a little girl decides that school is not for her and has to find a way out as the first day of school draws ever closer.



### **Adventure Annie Goes to Kindergarten**

by Toni Buzzeo

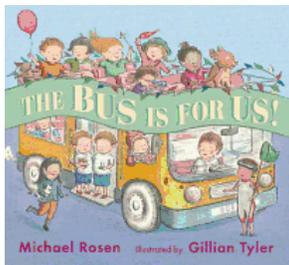
Wearing her super-hero cape to the first day of kindergarten, where she searches for adventure in every moment and puts her own spin on the teacher's rules, Annie finds a way to use her exuberance to help two lost classmates.



### **The Pirate of Kindergarten**

by George Ella Lyon

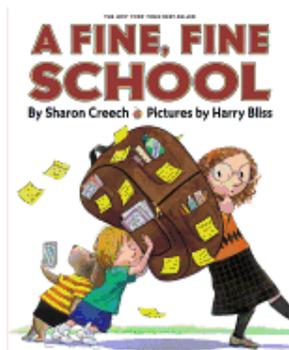
Struggling in school when her double vision makes it hard for her to figure out which image she sees is real, kindergartener Ginny receives an eye patch to help correct her sight and enjoys imagining herself to be a pirate who now performs activities with double ease.



### **The Bus Is for Us!**

by Michael Rosen

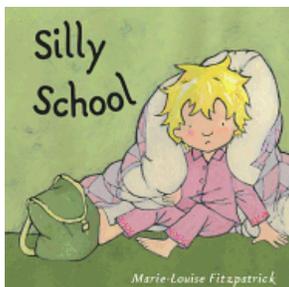
A playful, rhyming story for small children who love things that go features an exuberant cast of kids who joyfully ride a bus that is designed for everyone to share. By the award-winning author of We're Going on a Bear Hunt.



### **A Fine, Fine School**

by Sharon Creech

When a principal loves his school so much that he wants the children to attend classes every day of the year, it is up to his students to show him free time is a good thing, too.



### **Silly School**

by Marie-Louise Fitzpatrick

Beth doesn't want to go to silly school! She doesn't want to go for storytime, or painting, or singing. So what does she want to do?

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