

# Baby Kate Loves Books!

## Pre-reading

### Questions:

- Why do babies like books?
- What kinds of books do babies like?

### Definitions:

- Bright – strong in color
- Dull – boring, not lively
- Wordless – without words
- Purse – a bag used by women for carrying money, keys, and other items



## Reading

14 Baby Kate loves when mom reads to her. Kate loves books! She likes  
29 books with big pictures. Small pictures are hard to see. She likes books  
35 with bright colors. Dull colors are hard to see.  
50 Babies like books with only a few words on the page. Wordless books  
64 are great. Kate likes picture books best. She likes pictures of babies.  
78 They look like her!  
81 She likes pictures of animals. She likes cows, dogs, and cats. She likes  
96 birds, bears, and frogs.  
112 Kate has many books! There are books in her house. There are books  
119 in the car. Her mom even has books in her purse! Mom knows babies learn  
a lot from books. She reads to Kate every day.

**Level 1.5**

## Understanding

Does Kate like big or small pictures? Why? \_\_\_\_\_

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What kind of colors does Kate like to see in books? \_\_\_\_\_

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What are wordless books? \_\_\_\_\_

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Where does Kate's mom keep books? \_\_\_\_\_

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How often does mom read to baby Kate? \_\_\_\_\_

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## Writing

What did you learn about books and babies?

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