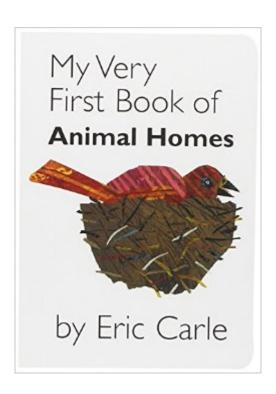
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My Very First Book Of Animal Homes





Synopsis

Here are two new split-page board books in the popular series from Eric Carle. In the brilliantly colorful My Very First Book of Animal Homes, children can match each animal with the home it lives in. Where do the bees live? Where does the bird live? In My Very First Book of Animal Sounds, children can match each animal with the sound it makes. Which animal barks? Which animal roars? Only you can match them. Full of vibrant animals, these books are loads of fun for young children.

Book Information

Age Range: 1 - 3 years

Board book: 20 pages

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Customer Reviews

This is a darling book. The pictures are just darling. However, it was rated for baby/preschooler. My baby is 11 months, and while this book is gorgeous, my daughter can not match up the pictures. There are words next to the "house" picture, like barn, burrow, cave, etc. But there are none next to the animals. So at first, I was thinking that the squirrel or the bird could live in the tree. But then I realized that the animal matches it house. (The turtle is green/the shell is green; the fish is blue/the water is bird.) Over all, it is a nice book, and I am glad we got it. My four year old enjoyed it a lot more than the baby did. Even my older kids had fun matching up the pictures.

I really like this series of matching books by Eric Carle. The pictures are bright and attention getting, and my kid loves to help me flip through and find the match. I purchased this book to use in a co-op class of 2-4 year olds about habitats. To introduce the idea of different homes, I read this book at

the beginning and they helped me to find the matching animal to each home. The burrow, hive and cave were especial favorites and not every student had seen them before. One thing to note however - one of the animal "homes" is a turtle and his shell. I wasn't crazy about this because it isn't accurate at all and I didn't want to accidentally cause the students to think that a turtle can leave its shell. I just purposefully skipped that page while we were reading. Other than that the book worked perfectly and was a great start to our session. This was a personal purchase at current retail price, with no promise of review.

Preschoolers really enjoying this book. It is small, but that makes it easier for them to handle.

Although we are steering away from board books in our preschool. This format is best for this type of book, that will get a great deal of back and forth page turning.

Another of Carle's beautiful collage renderings of animals and their homes, this one is a flip-book. Each page is split into an upper and lower panel, and the reader finds the home (top) that matches the animal (bottom). Unlike other manipulative board books, this type doesn't depend on glue or sliding panels, and is unlikely to come apart (at least not quicker than regular board books). Because of its "puzzle" aspect, it could be good for adult-moderated problem-solving skills in younger children, and self-entertainment in older ones. It's a matching game, not a story, but it's worth acquiring if you can find it for a good price.

I purchased this for my sister as a gift. I absolutely love Eric Carle and I felt that this book, "Animal Homes," has many different ways and uses to be able to teach and engage your child. The book is much like a matching game, thus the pages are split and this may initially feel awkward, but I believe overtime you will grow accustom to this. I think this book is a must for any child's library.

it's my fault - i didn't realize that when i bought it, that it was a 'flip book' - the child has to match the animal with its home... still a good book

My favorite children's author is Eric Carle. I bought this as well as a few other Eric Carle books for my classroom library and my kindergartners love all his books too.

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