

Foreword Review PICTURE BOOKS

Brand New Readers: Summer Fun!

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In this unique and interactive set, teachers and parents alike will find an enjoyable and effective approach to teaching the fundamental skills of reading. Included are ten illustrated picture books, that each tell a short, fun story with an ironic twist at the end. An introduction at the beginning of each book gives adults a few tips to better guide a child through the first steps of reading. Young readers will stay motivated with an incentive chart they work to complete, adding stickers for each book they successfully read. Children will receive a *Brand New Readers* certificate upon completion of the chart. In a nice touch, certified readers are able to create their own picture book in the provided blank template. For ages four to eight.

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