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The Jungle Book

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Join Shere Khan the tiger, Baloo the bear, and Akela the wolf in this literature and animal primer that uses Rudyard Kipling's *The Jungle Book* as a foundation for encouraging a love of books from an early age. The bold and playful illustrations pair with quotes from the classic book to incite curiosity in toddlers, evoking the personalities of several animals including a peacock, "all long tail and loud talk," and monkeys, "vain, foolish, and chattering." Perfect for the literature-loving parent. Ages birth to five.

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