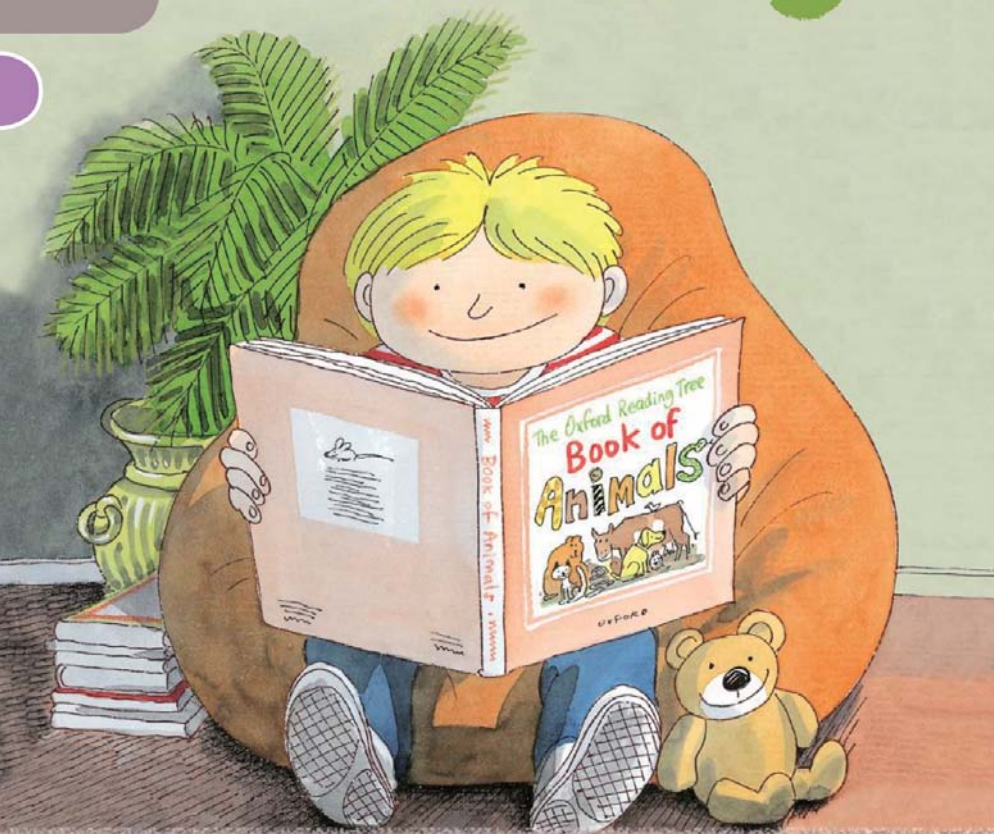


The Library



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BEFORE READING

Talk together

- Look at the picture on pages 4 to 5 to see what a library looks like. Explain that you are allowed to borrow books to take home, but you must take them back after a week or two.
- Ask your child to tell you about one of their favourite books.
- Look through the book and talk about the pictures.

About the words in this book

- Ask your child to look out for words in the pictures as you enjoy the story together. Read these words for them:

Cover: The Library

Page 3: Children's Corner

DURING READING

Enjoy the story together and encourage your child to respond to the pictures.

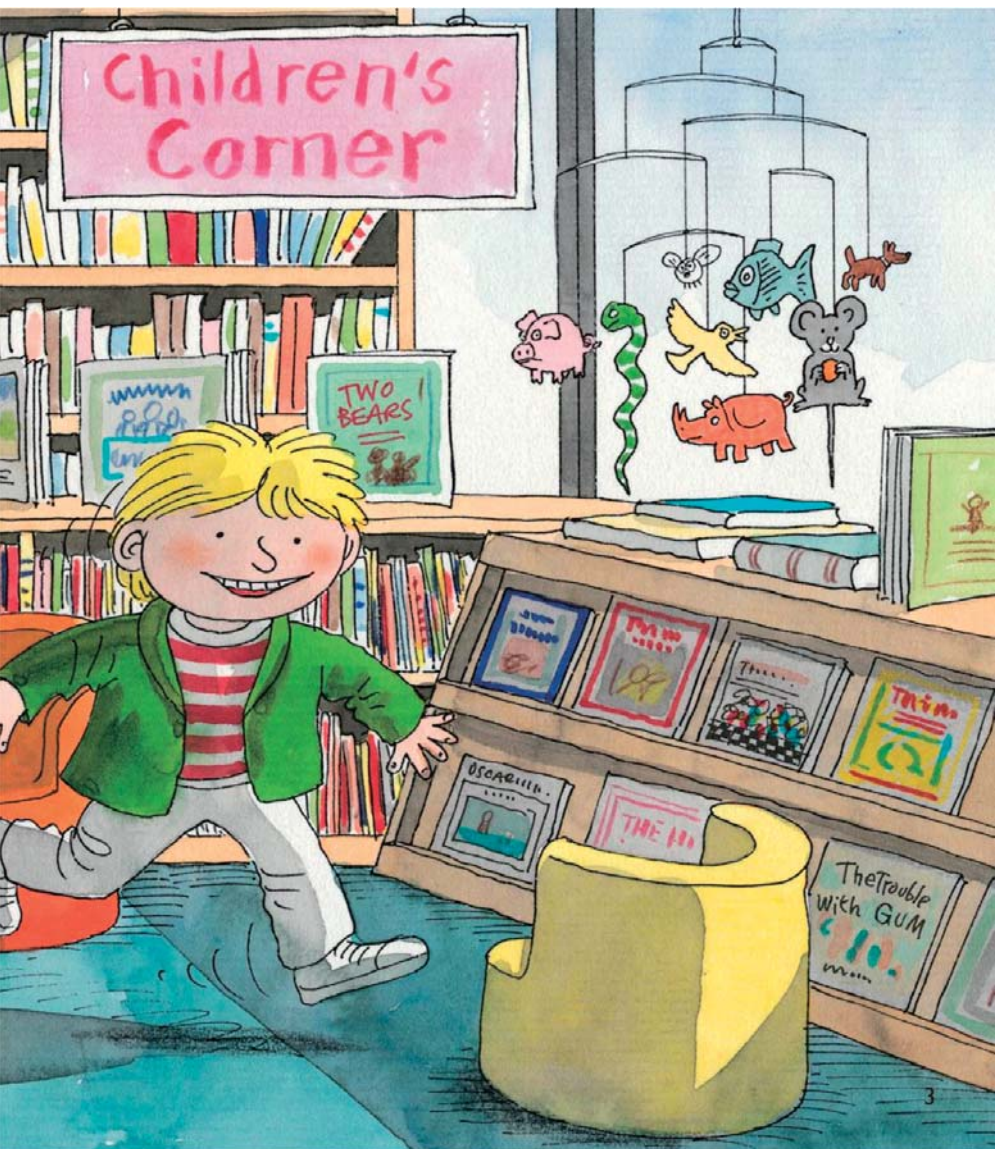
- Ask your child to tell you what is happening in each picture.
- Talk about what might happen next, before you turn over each page.
- Discuss anything that the story reminds your child about.



See the inside back cover
for more ideas.

















AFTER READING

- Talk about what happened in the story, encouraging your child to re-tell some of it.
- Look at the librarian on the last page. Ask your child to suggest why he looks a bit cross.
- Count how many books Kipper took home in the end.
- Explain that in the library we need to talk quietly so we don't disturb people. Encourage your child to whisper their name as quietly as possible.

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