

### Kindergarten Reading List 2025

1. **Papilio** by Ben Clanton, Corey R. Tabor and Andy Chou Musser  
An engaging story about a caterpillar's journey to become a butterfly.
2. **Nellie's Big Splash** by Corrie Doerrfeld  
The story of a scared sea turtle who discovers how brave she really is when it's time to swim in the ocean.
3. **The First Week of School** by Drew Beckmeyer  
A funny tale about all the characters a child will meet during the first week of school, from the teacher to the class pet! The American Library Association recommends this book.
4. **Punky Aloha** by Shar Tuiasoa  
A story about a young, shy Hawaiian girl who uses her bravery, and her grandma's magic sunglasses, to make her way to get butter for her grandma's famous banana bread, and show the spirit of being "aloha" – helpful and friendly to others – along the way.
5. **This Land** by Ashley Fairbanks  
A picture book about our beautiful country and the indigenous people who lived and still live in America. This story includes beautiful drawings of landmarks like the Golden Gate Bridge and Mount Rushmore. The American Library Association recommends this book.