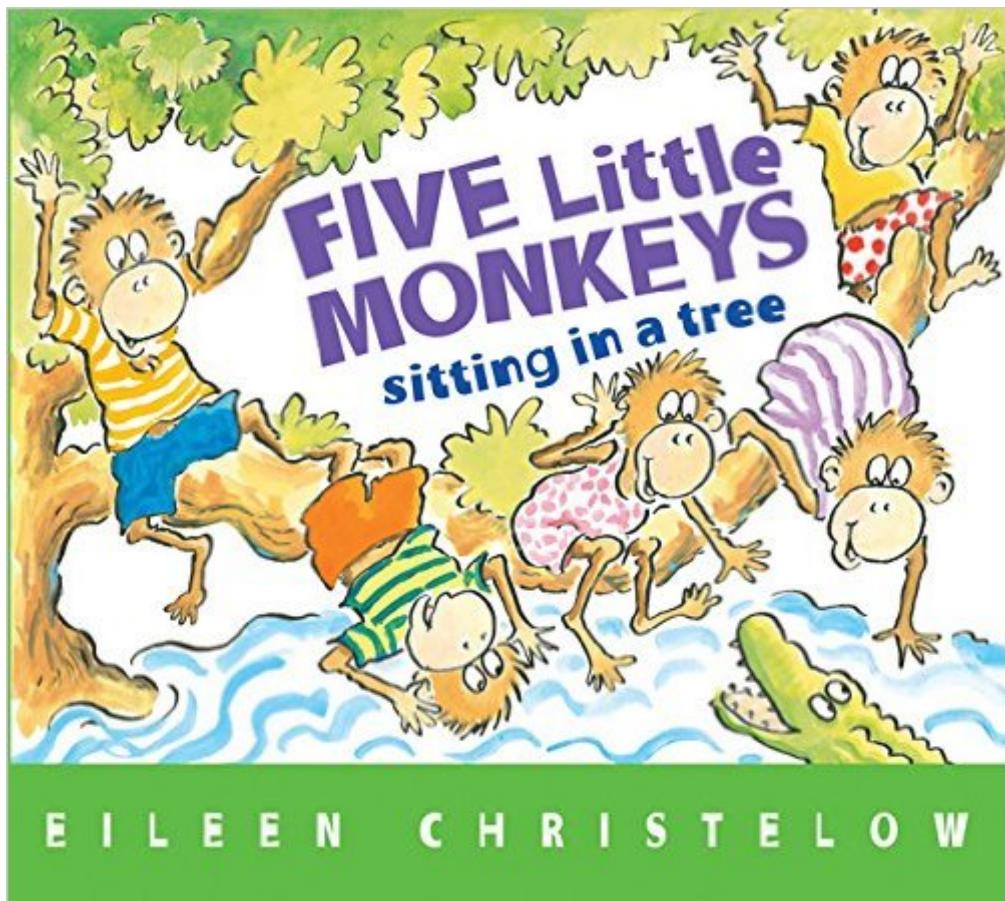


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Five Little Monkeys Sitting In A Tree (A Five Little Monkeys Story)



Synopsis

While their mother takes a nap, five mischievous monkeys discover that it is unwise to tease Mr. Crocodile.

Book Information

Series: A Five Little Monkeys Story

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Customer Reviews

The engaging pictures, surprise ending and repeated phrases in this book are the perfect way to get young children excited about subtraction! As a family of five monkeys goes on a picnic, they begin teasing an alligator. One by one, the monkeys disappear as the crocodile snaps its teeth. Children can count the monkeys that are left, after each time the alligator snaps and join in on the "Can't catch me" line that is repeated. It seems to be a predictable book, slowly loosing one monkey each time the alligator comes. However, the ending is surprising, and some children are able to find clues in the pictures that lead to finding out the surprise ending. This book is a great way for parents or teachers to introduce subtraction in a meaningful way! I highly recommend it. :)

My two year old had inherited this book from his older brothers so it was a little beat up. He loves the crocodile and says snap with the book. I ordered this one for Christmas. I was pleasantly surprised that it was a larger than the typical board book. I am thrilled with the size at the price!

We purchased this book because of the similarity between this and the little song our son sings at daycare. He'll often yell "SNAP" loudly and anticipates the page with the alligator on it! Very

entertaining book for little ones!

My granddaughter and I absolutely love these five monkeys!! She read this story to me and we both enjoyed it!! Eileen Christelow really hit a homerun with these little characters!! We laugh and laugh at these antics!!

My little granddaughter loves the 5 Little Monkeys Jumping on the Bed so we bought this for her. We love reading this to her as much as she loves us reading 5 Little Monkeys Sitting In A Tree getting into trouble again. This is a really fun book to read with the crocodile ...SNAP.

Christelow adds another rhythmic, repetitive troublemaking adventure as the Five Little Monkeys climb into a tree and tease a crocodile, while Mama trustfully naps by the bank. This book, like some others in the series, can be either read aloud or sung, and there's a finger play for this one too (unfortunately hard to do while you hold a book, but oh well). In Christelow's version, instead of having the alligator actually eat the monkeys, they leap into the tree branches, to be revealed in the end for a happy picnic. The funny characters are lively and lovable, and the predictable plot is a perfect choice for the preschooler who isn't quite ready for complicated stories. Of course, the behavior of the monkeys is dangerous, but even the smallest children ought to know better than to copy the monkeys' actions -- if anything, it serves as a rather funny cautionary tale.

We picked this book up from our local library. Here we are again jumping into the adventures of the monkeys. When momma monkey decides to take them on a picnic dinner I don't think she planned on her monkeys teasing a crocodile. Don't these monkeys know that teasing a crocodile is not fun! They like to SNAP! We had a good time reading this book along with every time the crocodile would SNAP! We would yell it out, and then try to find the monkey afterwards. Perfect book for all ages. I think they would all get a kick out of it.

My son is 18th months old and I am so pleased that he loves books! He seems to want to read books more than play with his other toys, though he does love his trucks and cars! I purchased this after the "jumping on the bed" one and he loved that one, but once his Daddy started reading this one with gusto, it is now his favorite book. He wants it read to him atleast 5-7 times a day! His favorite parts are the "SNAP!" and he even does a cute little arm motion when he knows that is coming! Based on his love of these two books, I purchased the rest of them and I have to say this

one and the "jumping on the bed" are the best ones. The others rhyme but in a much more complicated way than these, they are too wordy and hard to follow, whereas these are simple and fun to read. Definitely perfect for a very young toddler, I suspect the other ones that follow are for older boys and girls who read these two.

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