

New Baby

Picture Books

Appelt, Kathi. **Brand-New Baby Blues.** (PB APPEL)

The arrival of a new little brother has his big sister singing the blues.

Borden, Louise. **Big Brothers Don't Take Naps.** (PB BORDE)

Little brother Nick lists all the wonderful things his big brother does with him, preparing him to greet the new baby in the family.

Bunting, Eve. **Jin Woo.** (PB BUNTI)

Davey is dubious about having a new adopted brother from Korea, but when he finds out that his parents still love him, he decides that having a baby brother will be fine.

Bunting, Eve. **Will It Be a Baby Brother?** (PB BUNTI)

A little boy is certain that his expectant mother will give birth to a baby brother.

Burningham, John. **There's Going to be a Baby.** (PB BURNI)

A young boy imagines what life will be like when his new sibling arrives.

Dempsey, Sheena. **Bye-Bye Baby Brother.** (PB DEMPS)

Tiring of a newborn sibling who demands all her busy mother's attention, Ruby gets bored with endless solo activities and imagines creative ways to make her baby brother disappear, adventures that become so much fun that she decides to tag along.

Henkes, Kevin. **Julius, the Baby of the World.** (PB HENKE)

Lilly is convinced that the arrival of her new baby brother is the worst thing that has happened in their house until Cousin Garland comes to visit.

Feiffer, Kate. **But I Wanted a Baby Brother!** (PB FEIFF)

Oliver Keaton wants a baby brother more than anything but when he gets a baby sister instead, he sets out with his dog Chaplin to trade his sister for the perfect baby brother.

Kantorovitz, Sylvie. **The Very Tiny Baby.** (PB KANTO)

A very young boy tells his teddy bear about his mixed feelings over the premature birth of his new sibling, and his guilty resentment at the adult's preoccupation with the tiny baby.

Lloyd-Jones, Sally. **How to Be a Baby-By Me, the Big Sister.** (PB LLOYD)

An all-knowing big sister gives her baby sibling lessons in being a baby.

Packard, Mary. **The New Baby.** (ER PACKA)

A boy is a little jealous of his new baby brother until mommy gives him a hug and the new baby gives him a smile.

Sheldon, Annette. **Big sister Now : a story about me and our new baby.** (PB SHELD)

A little girl gets used to sharing her parents with her baby brother and realizes there are some benefits to being a big sister now.

Sullivan, Sarah. **Once Upon a Baby Brother.** (PB SULLI)

Lizzie, who loves to tell and write stories, is surprised to discover that much of her storytelling inspiration comes from her messy baby brother.

Witek, Jo. **Hello In There!: a big sister's book of waiting.** (PB WITEK)

A comforting and imaginative book for every sibling-to-be.

Yum, Hyewon. **The Twins' Little Sister.** (PB YUM)

Twin sisters who already compete for their mother's attention have an especially hard time after their baby sister is born.

NonFiction

Barber, Nicola. **A New Baby Arrives.** (JUV 306.875 BARBER)

This photographic book tells the story of the arrival of a new baby into the family, and explores the confusing and often worrying feelings that a child might experience when a younger brother or sister comes along.

Cole, Joanna. **The New Baby at Your House.** (JUV 306.875 COLE)

Describes the activities and changes involved in having a new baby in the house and the feelings experienced by the older brothers and sisters.

Creech, Sharon. **Who's that baby : new-baby songs.** (JUV 811.54 CREEC)

Short poems and songs reflect the life of a newborn baby, as he or she meets various relatives and learns about the world.

Guillain, Charlotte. **A New Brother or Sister.** (JUV 306.8 GUILLAIN)

Read My New Brother or Sister to learn all about what to expect when a new family member is born.

Raum, Elizabeth. **New Brothers and Sisters.** (JUV 306.875 RAUM)

A discussion of how the arrival of a new baby affects children and families, offering advice to older siblings on what they baby will be like, and how to deal with feelings of being left out.