Suggested Picture Books for Math Storytimes

**Number Sense**

*Over in the Meadow* by Jane Cabrera
*Big Fat Hen* by Keith Baker
*The Very Hungry Caterpillar* by Eric Carle
*Fish Eyes* by Lois Ehlert
*Up to Ten and Down Again* by Lisa Campbell Ernst
*Count!* by Denise Fleming
*Ten in the Bed* by Penny Dale
*Let’s Count* by Tana Hoban
*Uno, Dos, Tres/One, Two, Three* by Pat Mora
*One Duck Stuck* by Phyllis Root
*Mouse Count* by Ellen Stoll Walsh
*Ten, Nine, Eight* by Molly Bang
*Anno’s Counting Book* by Mitsumasa Anno
*Five Little Monkey’s Jumping on the Bed* by Eileen Christelow
*Hippos Go Berserk!* by Sandra Boynton
*Eric Carle’s 123* by Eric Carle
*Ten Black Dots* by Donald Crews
*10, 9, 8 Polar Animals!* by Rebecca Davis
*More, Fewer, Less* by Tana Hoban
*Five Creatures* by Emily Jenkins
*The Relatives Came* by Cynthia Rylant
*Quack and Count* by Keith Baker
*The Doorbell Rang* by Pat Hutchins
*Splash!* by Ann Jonas

Beautiful counting books are being published all the time; and your library will have lots more great books to add to this list.

**Shapes & Space (Geometry)**

*Where’s Spot?* by Eric Hill
*Over, Under and Through* by Tana Hoban
*Rosie’s Walk* by Pat Hutchins
*Not a Box* by Antoinette Portis
*We’re Going on a Bear Hunt* by Michael Rosen
*Shapes, Shapes, Shapes* by Tana Hoban
*So Many Circles, So Many Squares* by Tana Hoban
*My Very First Book of Shapes* by Eric Carle
*The Shape of Things* by Dayle Ann Dodds
*Color Farm* and *Color Zoo* by Lois Ehlert
*Look! Look! Look!* by Nancy Elizabeth Wallace
*Jack the Builder* by Stuart Murphy

**Measurement**

*The Water Hole* by Graeme Base
*Actual Size* by Steve Jenkins
*Guess How Much I Love You* by Sam McBratney
*If You Hopped Like a Frog* by David Schwartz
*Just a Little Big* by Ann Tompert
*Twelve Snails to One Lizard : A Tale of Mischief and Measurement* by Susan Hightower
*Who Sank the Boat?* by Pamela Allen
*Exactly the Opposite* by Tana Hoban
*One, Some, Many* by Marthe Jocelyn
*Big and Little* by Margaret Miller
*The Best Bug Parade* by Stuart Murphy
*10 Minutes Till Bedtime* by Peggy Rathmann
*Dinosaur Roar!* by Paul Stickland
*The Grouchy Ladybug* by Eric Carle
*Inch by Inch* by Leo Leonni
Patterns (Algebra)
Caps for Sale by Esphyr Slobodkina
Pattern Fish and Pattern Bugs by Trudy Harris
Jump, Frog, Jump! By Robert Kalan
Over in the Meadow by various authors
Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See? by Bill Martin
There Was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly by Simms Taback
Lots and Lots of Zebra Stripes: Patterns in Nature by Stephen Swinburne
Bear Snores On by Karma Wilson
Counting Crocodiles by Judy Sierra
Eight Hands Round: A Patchwork Alphabet by Ann Whitford Paul
The Game of Patterns by Herve Tullet
A Pair of Socks by Stuart Murphy

Matching, Sorting, Classifying, Graphing (Working with Data)

Is It Red? Is It Yellow? Is It Blue? An Adventure in Color by Tana Hoban
The Button Box by Margarette Reid
Five Creatures by Emily Jenkins
Bread, Bread, Bread by Ann Morris (and others)
Tiger Math: Learning to Graph from a Baby Tiger by Ann Whitehead Nagda
Lemons are Not Red by Laura Vaccaro Seeger
Hannah’s Collections by Marthe Jocelyn