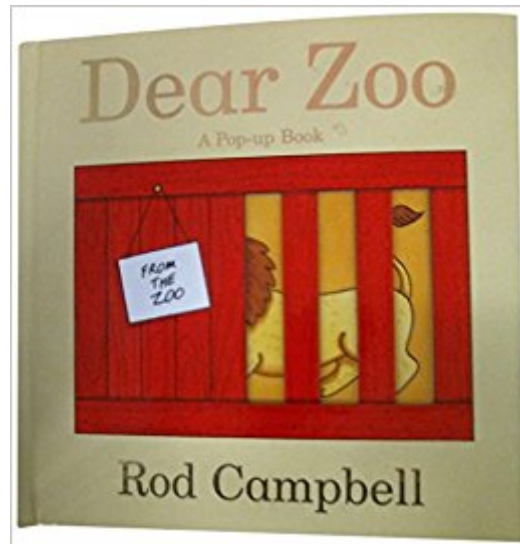




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# Dear Zoo (Dear Zoo & Friends)



## Synopsis

This delightful pop-up edition of the classic storybook about a youngster looking for a perfect pet is available for the first time. Lift the flaps and see each three-dimensional animal the ZOO has sent -- and the special touch-and-feel surprise at the end.

## Book Information

Series: Dear Zoo & Friends

Hardcover: 20 pages

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Language: English

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Product Dimensions: 8.2 x 0.8 x 8.2 inches

Shipping Weight: 11.4 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.8 out of 5 stars 2,342 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #46,451 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #47 in Books > Children's Books > Animals > Zoos #134 in Books > Children's Books > Animals > Pets

Age Range: 2 - 5 years

Grade Level: Preschool - Kindergarten

## Customer Reviews

Rod Campbell makes books for babies and toddlers, the best known being *Dear Zoo*, which has sold over two million copies worldwide. All his books have simple text, often with repeating phrases, ideal for the pre-reader. He uses flaps and touch-and-feel elements when appropriate.

I love this book! It's so creatively written and even makes me giggle. The critters behind the flaps make it even more exciting for my nephew.

Don't know how long the flaps will stay attached but they are quite sturdy. Actually the most sturdiest flaps on a kids book I have ever seen. Simplistic book to make a one year old giggle and smile!

As a parent, the story is dumb - nearly non-existent. But for some reason baby loved it. So, I guess it does its job! Even now that he's a toddler, he'll go through it three or four times a day.

I remember this book as a child. When we received this package, I couldn't wait to open every flap to discover the animals I had long missed. No doubt this will be loved by our daughter as well. A fun and interactive book.

Every page of this horrible little book features an animal that the narrator "sent back" to the zoo because it wasn't quite right: too tall, too grumpy, too naughty, etc. No child, but especially no adopted/foster child needs to hear the message, repeated ad nauseum, that anyone is getting "sent back." It might be a classic but it should stay in the past. Fortunately I auditioned this one before my daughter could really understand. I tore it up and recycled it. You should too.

OMGeeee this is such a funny cute story!! I just wish the end pet was a kitty instead of a puppy! Hee hee hee! I like the quality of the book and it's easy to get the flaps started by just bending them back and then pushing them back in. My 10 y.o. loves to read this book over and over to her baby sister who is almost 15 months. It's really a cute story. Another classic! Very pleased!

15 month old daughter loves pulling the little flaps up to see the animal inside the container. Just enough reading to picture ratio for her age.

The lift a flaps in this book are much sturdier than others (such as the Spot books). Son hasn't been able to rip them off yet. Got this for my 9 month old and he loves it, even now at 12 months. Read just about every day!

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