

# Site Update

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# Raising Readers

## Books Help Children Deal with New Experiences

### Updated Topics Brochure Now Available

Exploring books is a great way to help children learn about their world. Reading about a character dealing with a similar situation can help ease a child's fear and prepare her for new experiences.

Children's books are available on a variety of topics from adoption to starting school to the loss of a pet. We've collected some of our favorites in our newly updated Topics Brochure.

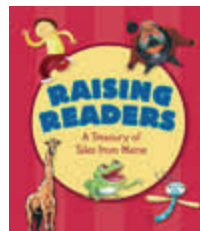


It's a list that parents can trust—the books are doctor reviewed and recommended by our clinical advisors.

We'll send copies of the new brochure to all sites in early April. Order additional copies using the supply stock-up form in that mailing. Or visit our [web-site](#) to download individual topic pages from the brochure.

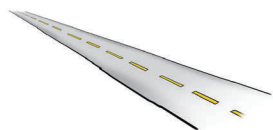
## Create Your Own Story @ Your Library®

Build on the personal library of Raising Readers books that kids have at home by encouraging families to visit their local library April 10—16 during [National Library Week](#). Kids can continue their reading adventures at their local library by borrowing books or attending story hour.



As we do every year, we'll be sending our new anthology to each public library in Maine. The anthology will start shipping to sites in the next couple of months.

## On the Road: Site Visits 2011



We're on the road visiting sites throughout the year and will see many of you in the upcoming months. If you need help with reporting and ordering, managing your book inventory or simply have questions now—give us a call and we'll schedule you in.

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