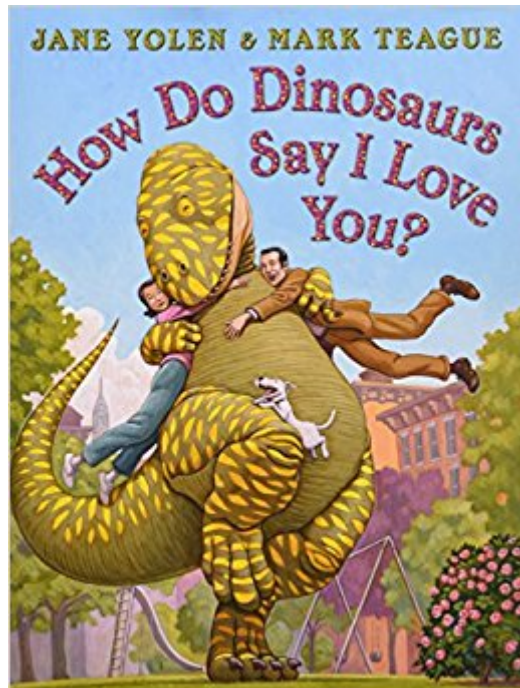


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How Do Dinosaurs Say I Love You?



Synopsis

Parents and children can never have enough ways to say "I love you"--and now, America's favorite dinosaurs are giving families a funny book, perfect for bedtime, storytime, anytime. Even when little dinosaurs are naughty, it's important to remind them that no matter what they do, they are always loved. In this book, readers will laugh aloud as parents cope with the typical antics of childhood, but in the end, hugs and kisses show your little one how much you care.

Book Information

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Age Range: 3 and up

Grade Level: Preschool and up

Customer Reviews

PreSchool-Grade 1 [Parental Guidance Suggested](#) • In this ninth outing in the series, the naughty behaviors of young dinosaurs are followed by an endearing act that reminds their human parents why they love their offspring. The situations are familiar: "Out in the sandbox/you threw lots of sand./You ran from the slide,/after slapping my hand." Fans can follow the 10 dinosaurs by starting with their names and pictures on the endpapers. Expressions are expertly painted for humorous effect, including the defiant Tsintaosaurus letting water overflow onto the floor and the rollicking Pachycephalosaurus kicking the seat while mother is driving the car. The large, colorful spreads and rhyming text that is still a joy to listen to after repeated readings make this a successful storytime selection.

Well-designed pictures and skillfully arranged words will entice newly independent readers, who will be challenged to find the dinosaur name hand-lettered in the illustration where the creature is introduced. The familiar format will produce laughs, kisses, and cuddles during or after an exhausting day of many of the same events. --Debbie S. Hoskins, Grand Rapids Public Library, MI END

The ninth dinosaur title in the best-selling series follows the previous books' winning formula, zeroing in this time on the anxiety little kids feel when they mess up and their subsequent relief when they realize that they are loved no matter what they do. Here, though, it's the children (or dinos) who offer active gestures of love to the parents, rather than the other way around, providing an interesting twist. As in the other series titles, the huge, bumbling, childlike dinos are a comic delight, and kids will see themselves in the familiar scenarios and emotions. Preschool-Kindergarten. --Gillian Engberg

My 2 year old son could read How Do Dinosaurs books all day every day. He's massively into dinosaurs and loves the illustrations and the story line of all these books. They're really well written and some of my all time favorites to read over and over and over.

Gah! My son and I love reading these books and this one is no exception! The story goes through different parts of a "dinosaur's" (aka your child) day and the things that they did that upset their parents. And after each thing it tells something sweet that the "dinosaur" did that made its parents happy and showed love. This book is so sweet and always brings a smile to my face. My son, who doesn't quite get the symbolism, loves the dinosaurs and that each picture tells you what type of dinosaur it is. I guess there is something in it for both of us!

My 4 yr old son loves the How Do Dinosaurs... series. We have some of the board books like "How Do Dinosaurs Count To Ten?", and some of the other hardcovers, such as "How Do Dinosaurs Say Goodnight?" and "How Do Dinosaurs Eat Their Food?". "How Do Dinosaurs Say I Love You?" explains to children that their parents love them all the time, even when they are naughty or moody. Usually the books in this series contrast bad behavior with good behavior, and end on a positive note. Not only are they entertaining, but if you look closely at the illustrations, the names of the dinosaurs are included on each page, adding to the educational value of each book. I added this one to my son's collection because I wanted him to realize that a good parent loves their

child unconditionally, no one is perfect, and everyone has had a bad day. He also has a huge interest in anything to do with dinosaurs. If your child loves these books, and would like something a little more serious, check out [DK First Dinosaur Encyclopedia](#).

Although this is not my favorite book in the "How Do Dinosaurs...?" series, over all I think these books are adorable and would definitely recommend for a fun reading experience.

My Dino grandson can't get enough of these books. He's 2, and he wants one of them read to him every night (as well as all day). He studies the pictures, as they are infinitely interesting.

In a day and age where some children do not always have the advantage of being taught etiquette, I find these books to be such a positive way to teach children kindness and manners. They have a sense of humor that both adults and children can enjoy and learn a positive message about so many different things. You cannot buy manners, you either have them or you don't. Kindness, respect, please and thank you can mean so much for any little thing in life and enrich your life at the same time. I love to give these books as presents because they provide a positive message on sometimes difficult things to express to any one at any age.

Love this book! The pictures are colorful, the message is great. My grandson is not quite 2 years old and wants this book read to him several times a day. Highly recommend.

My two year old twin daughters love this book and so do I. They love the dinosaur pictures and I like the very relatable story. The dinosaurs can be very naughty but also very sweet and their parents love them no matter what. My favorite picture is the Dad on the playground after the dinosaur slaps his hand. The author nailed the father's expression. I know I often wear that same look on my face. It makes me giggle every time I read it.

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