

# Interest to Book Match Worksheet

## Step 1: Discover Your Child's Interests

Circle or check your child's favorites in each category:

**Animals:** 🐶 Dogs | 🐱 Cats | 🦁 Wild Animals | 🐎 Horses | 🐦 Birds | 🐠 Ocean Life

**Sports:** ⚽ Soccer | 🏀 Basketball | ⚽ Football | 🏊 Swimming | 🎾 Tennis | 🏒 Hockey

**Hobbies:** 🎨 Drawing | 🎮 Gaming | 🎵 Music | 🚀 Space | 🔬 Science Experiments | 🧩 Puzzles

**Genres:** 📖 Fairy Tales | 🕵️ Mysteries | 🌍 Adventure | 🧙 Fantasy | 😄 Funny Stories | 📚 History

## Step 2: Favorite Characters & Media

- My child's favorite movie/TV show is: \_\_\_\_\_
- My child's favorite superhero or character is: \_\_\_\_\_
- A topic my child always talks about is: \_\_\_\_\_

## Step 3: Reading Goals

My child prefers (circle one):

- Short books / Long chapter books
- Lots of pictures / Few or no pictures
- Real-life stories / Made-up stories

## Step 4: Match Interests to Books

Interest/Topic	Suggested Book Title(s)	Library/Bookstore Section

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## Step 5: Reflection

After reading, ask your child:

1. "What did you like most about this book?"
2. "Would you read another story like this?"
3. "What book should we try next?"

## Step 6: Discover More

1. What else do you know about your child?

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2. What makes your child laugh?

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## Parent Tip:

Rotate books regularly and let your child help choose! When children see their interests reflected in stories, reading becomes something they want to do, not just homework.