

Read a book

Words and music by Mary Potter

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Musical notation for the first system, measures 1-4. The system consists of a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The piano part features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand.

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Musical notation for the second system, measures 5-8. The system includes a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment. The piano part continues with a consistent rhythmic pattern.

Read a book with your mum and dad, — Read a book, is it happy or sad? —

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Musical notation for the third system, measures 9-12. The system includes a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment. The piano part features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand.

Read a book, share it with a friend, Read a book, from be-ginn-ing to

Last time to coda

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Musical notation for the fourth system, measures 13-16. The system includes a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment. The piano part features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand.

end.

1. You can curl up on the so - fa with a book or
2. It may take you up a moun - tain, fly you like a
3. When you find you're in a mud - dle, don't know what to

two, bird, do, May be one that mum read when she was young like Show you some-thing mar - vell-ous or strange or just ab - Books can solve your prob - lems, Show you a way

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* or name of any character from a book

* or wise book of your choice

you, You may find a friend to play with El - mer's* there in - surd, It may glide you through the u - ni-verse, make you quiver and through, and the Bi - ble's* full of wis - dom, Some you need to

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side, Have a great ad - ven - ture, with hor - ses and quake, Slide you to the Arc - tic, Where you will know, Read the stor - ies writ - ten, Two thous - and

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1, 2, 3

Coda

drag - ons to ride. end. shiv - er and shake: years a - go:

Read a book

*Read a book with your mum and dad,
 Read a book, is it happy or sad?
 Read a book, share it with a friend,
 Read a book, from beginning to end.*

1.

You can curl up on the sofa with a book or two,
 May be one that mum read when she was young like you,
 You may find a friend to play with Elmer's* there inside,
 Have a great adventure, with horses and dragons to ride:

2.

It may take you up a mountain, fly you like a bird,
 Show you something marvellous or strange or just absurd,
 It may glide you through the universe, make you quiver and quake,
 Slide you to the Arctic, where you will shiver and shake:

3.

When you find you're in a muddle, don't know what to do,
 Books can solve your problems, show you a way through,
 And the Bible's** full of wisdom, some you need to know,
 Read the stories written, two thousand years ago:

* substitute a favourite character from a book

** name a book of wisdom of your choice