



# Examples of Classroom Literacy Materials

This is a list of literacy materials that may be found in the classroom, but not a required list of items. Many of the materials listed are free or low in cost. The expectation is that this list will be used to identify the literacy materials a teacher may already have available in the classroom. It is not to be used as a checklist or shopping list.

## Examples of Reading Materials

Books	Catalogs	Junk Mail	Children's Dictionary
Magazines	Pamphlets	Recipes	Phone Book
Maps	Newspapers	Store Fliers	Daily Schedule
Grocery List	Cookbooks	Calendars	Sign-In Sheets
Job Chart	Alphabet Posters	Labels	Sign-Up Sheets
Coupons	Library cards	Take-Our Menus	Nursery Rhyme Posters
Class News			

## Examples of Writing Materials (Utensils & Surfaces)

Pencils	Markers	Crayons	Paint Brushes
Dry-Erase Markers	Chalk	Letter Stamps	Letter Sponges
Letter Stencils	Ink pads	Easel	Pavement
Variety of Paper	Dry-erase board	Chalkboard	Envelopes
Clipboards	Index cards	Notebooks	

## Other Materials To Support Literacy Learning in the Classroom

Tape/CD Players	Headphones
Music and Books on Tape/CD	Computers with Keyboards

## Props To Support Literacy Activities

Felt Board with Flannel Story Pieces	Paper Clips
Magnetic Letters	Brass Paper Fasteners
Modeling Clay or Play Dough	Hole Punch
Alphabet Blocks	Scissors
Dolls	Glue/Paste
Puppets	Shoe Boxes
Dress-Up Clothes/Costumes	Stickers
Tape	Rulers
Stapler and Staples	Mailbox
Empty containers with labels/logos (cereal boxes, laundry bottles, etc.)	