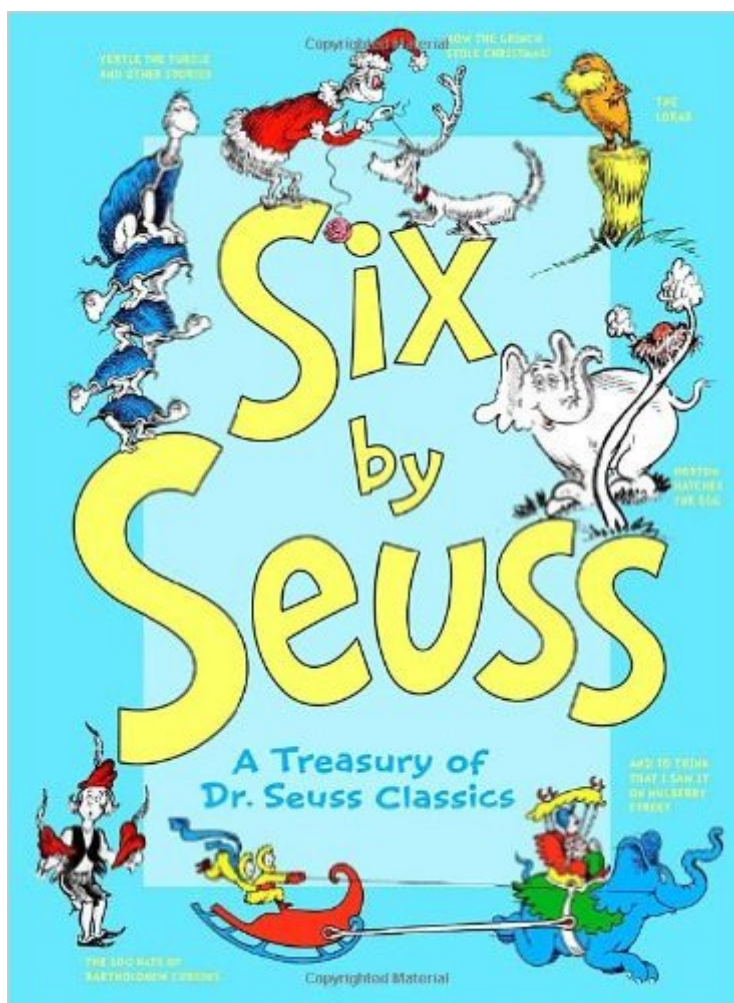


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# Six By Seuss: A Treasury Of Dr. Seuss Classics



## Synopsis

Dr. Seuss's magic elixir may--or may not--prolong life, but it is a fact that it makes you feel a whole lot better! Here in one glorious volume are six of the good doctor's best prescriptions. Not a word or a picture has been omitted or changed. Ranging from his very first book, *And to Think That I Saw It on Mulberry Street*, to his prophetic *The Lorax*, *Six by Seuss* is the perfect collection to share with the entire family and to pass from generation to generation.

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1.) AND TO THINK THAT I SAW IT ON MULBERRY STREET (1937)2.) THE 500 HATS OF BARTHOLOMEW CUBBINS (1938)3.) HORTON HATCHES THE EGG (1940)4.) YERTLE THE TURTLE and OTHER STORIES (1958)5.) HOW THE GRINCH STOLE CHRISTMAS! (1957)6.) THE LORAX (1971)

Dr. Suess has created a legacy that can only be called fantastic. I remember as child loving his stories and the uniquely intimate style of his floppy-looking drawings. Now that I am a father, I get to relive a lot of that when I read to my kids. But I see more now: his books have plenty of wonderful messages, some of them moral, some social, some ecological. It is really brilliant stuff, and instructive. My 6-year old son just can't get enough of the Lorax. Beyond the fact that it is stimulating

for him to read, he is wondering about the messages in it. It makes me happy and gratified to watch his mind develop. There is no better source, I think. But he likes the other stories as well, and has plenty of questions about their themes as well. In a time when a single kids book might cost \$15, this is indeed a good investment. Warmly recommended.

Most "compilation" children's books--books that collect a large number of originals into one volume--are horrible. They typically include only part of the original story, or only some of the pictures, or else they shrink the pictures in order to save space. This one, though, is the real deal--it's six complete Dr. Seuss books, collected under one cover but otherwise exactly the same as if you were buying the six originals. If your children love Dr. Seuss (are there any that don't?) then this will get you through a lot of bedtimes. I should also emphasize one other point that has confused some new parents I have talked to: these are Dr. Seuss "big books", which are only suitable for children four and older (a couple of them won't work until your child is five or six, or didn't for mine). Younger children simply don't have the attention span to appreciate these stories. For them, you should stick to his "Beginner Books" (Green Eggs and Ham, Seven Apples up on Top, The Foot Book, etc.).

"Six by Seuss" was a fantastic buy. I am a teacher, and the stories in this book present a fun way to teach life lessons. "The Lorax" opens up possible discussion about environmental responsibility. "Yertal the Turtle" shows an example of a bad leader, and how far is too far. "Horton and the Egg" teaches faithfulness and sticking to your word. Those are just three of the eight stories (three of them are short stories), but each one shows important principles for children to learn while presented in a fun and creative way! It helps open up discussion, but can also simply be read aloud for rhyming meter and repetitive diction.

This collection was appealing in the store, but after a while, it seemed awkward to heft around this enormous book instead of a slim volume containing a single story. When you've got a squirming toddler at hand, the book gets heavy and inconvenient. I have no complaints with the stories themselves, which are charming and funny. In the end, however, I would have been happier if I had bought the individual volumes.

This is a great book for anyone looking to buy Dr. Seuss books. Why buy 1 book when you get this one for less and it has 6 long stories.

I love that I made the decision to buy this book and that I bought it from this seller. My baby brother hates school, learning, and books especially. But I read one story to him and now he's hooked! And they say there's only six stories, but there are actually eight, eight!! I would recommend this book to anyone with ears!

Bought this because my grand-daughter is learning about rhyming in school. It is big which she likes & she enjoys hearing the stories & the rhyming words. She is just beginning to read so she says every word she is familiar with. Her parents & I hope this will continue to inspire her to enjoy learning so she can enjoy reading as well.

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