Family Listening

Got a trip on the horizon? We have lots of audiobooks that will please the whole family!

Series and Popular Authors

**The Chronicles of Narnia** by C. S. Lewis

**Alvin Ho** by Lenore Look
Alvin has a lot of fears, but his bravery and sense of humor make for a fun listen. Ages 6+

**His Dark Materials Trilogy** by Philip Pullman
The action-packed cerebral fantasy series, starting with *The Golden Compass*, is told by the author and a full cast. Ages 10+

**Harry Potter** by J. K. Rowling
All books are narrated by master performer Jim Dale. Audio is a great way to introduce young kids to the series. Ages 7+

**Judy Blume**
Blume narrates all of her Fudge books. Ages 7+

**Beverly Cleary**
Many of Cleary’s classic works are available, read by the likes of Stockard Channing, B. D. Wong, and Neil Patrick Harris. Ages 7+

**Roald Dahl**
Want to hear Monty Python’s Eric Idle as Willy Wonka? *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory* is one of many of Dahl’s works available. Ages 5+

**A Bear Called Paddington** by Michael Bond
Stephen Fry narrates the story of a small bear finding a family. Ages 6+

**Alice’s Adventures in Wonderland** by Lewis Carroll
Beloved narrator Jim Dale reads this classic tale of fantasy and nonsense. Ages 8+

**Chitty Chitty Bang Bang** by Ian Fleming
The 007 author penned this story about a magical car—perfect for a road trip. Ages 8+

**Grimm’s Fairy Tales** by the Brothers Grimm
Released May 2016, featuring classic tales voiced by award-winning narrators. Ages 5+

**The Jungle Book** by Rudyard Kipling
This recording of Kipling’s jungle adventure stories was released April 2016. Ages 5+

**The Collected Stories of Winnie-the-Pooh** by A. A. Milne
A full cast including Stephen Fry and Judi Dench is sure to be a crowd pleaser. Ages 4+

**The 101 Dalmations** by Dodie Smith
Anglophiles young and old will love the tale of Cruella De Vil and all those dogs. Ages 5+

**Charlotte’s Web** by E. B. White
White narrates his tale of friendship. Ages 7+
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An orphan in 12th century Korea dreams of becoming a master potter. Ages 10+ | **The Strange Case of Origami Yoda** by Tom Angleberger  
Is origami Yoda finger puppet magic? Or is it just Dwight? Ages 8+ | **Peter and the Starcatchers** by Dave Barry and Ridley Pearson  
Dave Barry’s humor, Peter Pan’s magic, swashbuckling adventure, and Jim Dale’s narration make for a great listen. Ages 10+ |
| **The Madman of Piney Woods** by Christopher Paul Curtis  
In 1901, residents of two Canadian towns still feel the impact of slavery, the U.S. Civil War, and the Irish potato famine. Ages 8+ | **The Worst Class Trip Ever** by Dave Barry  
An 8th grade field trip brims with intrigue, awkward romance, and hilarity. Ages 10+ | **Flunked** by Jen Calonita  
After Gilly gets caught stealing for her family, she is sent to Fairy Tale Reform School, where all the teachers are villains. Ages 9+ |
| **One Crazy Summer** by Rita Williams-Garcia  
Three sisters reunite with their mother to learn about civil rights and the Black Panthers. Ages 9+ | **Walk Two Moons** by Sharon Creech  
On a road trip with grandparents, Sal thinks about her mother and why she left. Ages 9+ | **The Tale of Despereaux** by Kate DiCamillo  
One little mouse longs for adventure, heroism, and a feeling he belongs. Ages 7+ |
| **Under the Egg** by Laura Marx Fitzgerald  
A grandfather’s dying words set in motion a search for treasure and an art mystery with links to WWII. Ages 8+ | **Wonder** by R. J. Palacio  
In this heartwarming story, Auggie proves that his facial deformity does not define him. Ages 8+ | **A Snicker of Magic** by Natalie Lloyd  
Midnight Gulch once had magic, and Felicity is sure she can bring the magic back. Ages 10+ |
| **Nooks and Crannies** by Jessica Lawson  
Tabitha Crum and her trusty mouse Pemberley tackle the mysteries surrounding a countess and her odd mansion. Ages 9+ | **Clementine** by Sara Pennypacker  
Clementine has a talent for hairstyles, pigeons, and trouble. Ages 5+ | **The Great Pyramid** by Rick Riordan  
When their Egyptologist father disappears, Carter and Sadie discover the magic of ancient Egypt is alive and well. Ages 10+ |
| **The Great Cake Mystery** by Alexander McCall Smith  
Before Precious becomes the first female private detective in Botswana, she solves a mystery of stolen school snacks. Ages 7+ | **The Lightning Queen** by Laura Resau  
Teo’s quiet life in rural Mexico is charged with excitement when he befriends the Gypsy Queen of Lightning. Ages 10+ | **Leviathan** by Scott Westerfeld  
Alan Cumming narrates this steampunk reimagining of WWI with massive machines and genetically engineered beasts. Ages 12+ |