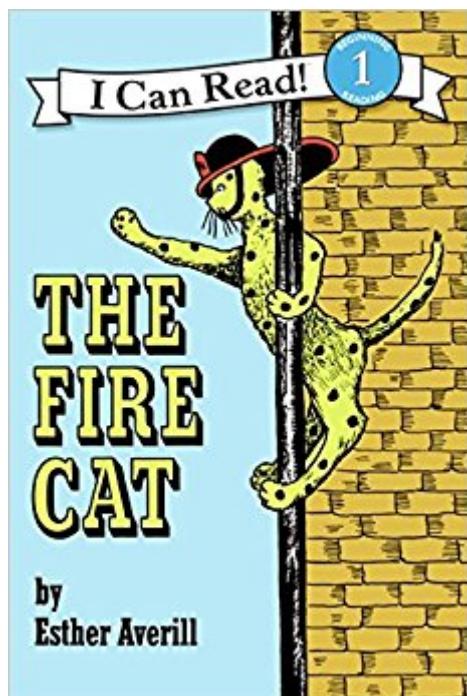


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The Fire Cat (I Can Read Level 1)



Synopsis

Pickles the fire cat to the rescue! Pickles is a young cat with big paws who wishes to do big things with them! When he's adopted by the local firehouse, Pickles works hard to be a good fire cat. He learns to jump on a fire truck. He learns to help put out a fire, and he even helps out in a rescue. Beginning readers will cheer as Pickles gets his wish and finds something big to do with his paws. With sweet illustrations from author-illustrator Esther Averill, this Level One I Can Read book is perfect for children learning to sound out words and sentences. Â Â

Book Information

Lexile Measure: 400L (What's this?)

Series: I Can Read Level 1

Paperback: 64 pages

Publisher: HarperCollins; 1 edition (September 7, 1983)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0064440389

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Product Dimensions: 6 x 0.2 x 9 inches

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Age Range: 4 - 8 years

Grade Level: Kindergarten - 3

Customer Reviews

"Quiet, captivating text...precise, beautiful watercolor illustrations...a lovely story with lots of child appeal." -- School Library Journal --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

Pickles is a young cat with big paws and big plans. But all he can find to do is chase other cats, until he is adopted by the local firehouse. Knowing that this is his chance to do big things, Pickles works hard to be a good fire cat. He learns to jump on a fire truck. He learns to help put out a fire, and he

even helps out in a rescue! Beginning readers will cheer when Pickle's dream finally comes true.

I had purchased several "I Can Read" books when my boys were young, "(Pickles) The Fire Cat" was their favorite, I don't know why, but I started thinking about the book and looked it up, I purchased two copies to send to a grandson and to two of my great-grandchildren. Not only is this book easy to read, but it has a message that young ones pick up on. It is a great book that should be in every young child's library. It is a 'take to bed' book!

What a cute book. This book is about a stray cat named Pickles that used to be a jerk, but betters himself. It is a long book, but reads at a beginner level. My 6 year old was able to get through this without issue, it just takes a bit due to it is a lot longer than other "I Can Read Level 1" books. The pictures are great, the book is funny, and it's cute. Great for all ages.

One of my treasured and favorite books as a child. I always regretted losing touch with this book. Then all of a sudden I see it for sale on What the? How awesome and unexpected for a book that is over (40+) years old. These beautifully illustrated older books are simple and always tell a needed life lesson. They are characters you never forget. And they are not completely morphed super crazy cartoon characters. The cat looks like a cat. And the firemen look like men. Crazy huh? This was a newer reprinted edition. Can't wait to share this story with the Grandkids!

My son LOVES all things fireman and firetruck related, so he loved this book. It talks about good and bad choices about how to treat others and teaches how everyone has a place in this world if they can just find it. My 6th year old first grade son who is in advanced reading (just the very beginning of the school year though, so keep that in mind) struggled to read it, but was able to sound out many of the words. He loved the story and is eager to learn how to read it on his own. We'll likely practice with this book for a couple of years.

I have always loved this book. It is a great book to read to your second graders when they struggle with things. It shows them that they can do other things.

The Fire Cat was one of my favorites while growing up, and I am so thankful that I am able to share it now with my children! As an ornery kid, the idea of actions not being the whole of who I am was such a welcome idea. Love this book, and this copy is excellent. Well made, and for a paperback

book it is surprisingly sturdy. Highly recommended!

This was my son's favorite book when he was a child. I'm so glad I found it now that he's having a child of his own. If you love cats you will love this book.

I read this book to my sons 20 years ago and always remembered it fondly. I thought about it recently and wondered if it was still available for my grand daughter. To my delight, I found it. It is a great story with a profound message. This "street" cat that couldn't make it on the domestic scene, took the love and attention it received from Mrs. Goodkind, and found its niche in the firehouse. We are all different. We are all a little good and a little bad. There is a place for us some where, at least for Pickles. He found his joy.

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