EARLY LITERACY TIP

These butterfly books have many beautiful illustrations and pictures. Talk about the pictures. Talk about what you think the book will be about by looking at the pictures on the cover. Talk to your child about how the pictures help tell the story. Tell them they can use the pictures to “read” even if they can not read the words.

BOOKS TO READ ON HOOPLA:

- **Butterflies** by Martha E. H. Rustad
- **Elmer And Butterfly** by David McKee
- **Monarch Butterfly** by Gail Gibbons
- **Waiting For Wings** by Lois Ehlert
- **Pete The Cat And The Cool Caterpillar** by James Dean
- **A Butterfly Called Hope** by Mary Alice Monroe
- **Pinkalicious And The Little Butterfly** by Victoria Kann
- **Bonjour, Butterfly** by Jane O’Connor
- **A Butterfly Is Patient** by Dianna Hutts Aston
- **Butterfly Counting** by Jerry Pallotta

Not Available on Hoopla:

- **The Very Hungry Caterpillar** by Eric Carle
- **Butterfly, Butterfly** by Petr Horacek
- **Ten Little Caterpillars** by Bill Martin Jr.
Edible Butterfly Life Cycle Activity
Spring is not only the perfect time to explore butterflies, but it is also the perfect...
Little Bins for Little Hands / Mar 20

The Very Hungry Caterpillar Preschool Alphabet Activity
Easy and Fun Alphabet Activity For Kids
Inspired by Eric Carle's The Very Hungry...
Simply Today Life / Mar 26, 2019

SONGS AND RHYMES:

My Friend Caterpillar
My friendly caterpillar (fingers crawl up arm)
Made its cocoon one day (close hands together)
It turned into a butterfly (open hands with thumbs hooked)
And quickly flew away (flap hands)

The Life of a Butterfly (to the tune of: "Skip to My Lou")
I'm a caterpillar, wiggle with me
I'm a caterpillar, wiggle with me
I'm a caterpillar, wiggle with me
What'll I be my darlin'? (Additional Verses: A chrysalis, now sleep with me / A butterfly, come fly with me)