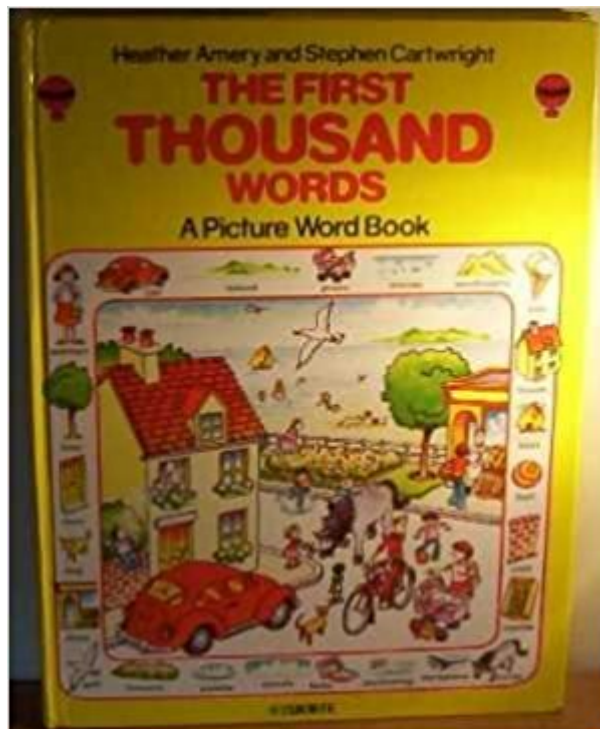




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# The First Thousand Words: A Picture Word Book (Usborne First 1000 Words)



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## Customer Reviews

This is a fun little picture dictionary. My whole family has had a great time looking at the pictures and finding the yellow duck, as well as playing with the Latin.

This is my go-to book for answering student questions. They want to know the words for everyday things in Latin, and my knowledge does not extend very far past words found in Latin literature.

This is a great book to teach first words...the illustrations are wonderful.. I owned it about 20 years ago for my granddaughter. She enjoyed searching for the duck. Now that I have a great grandson I had to have it for him! Love it

Highly recommended! The Latinity is pure and taken from the literary sources (not made-up Latin!)

A neat book that is handy to have in a writing center.

Fun way to teach Latin, especially if you know very little yourself.

If you have ever sat on your couch with your children looking for the thimble or rabbit in an I Spy book, this is the same kind of fun you can have with this book but in Latin. The book is in a large format with vividly colored and engaging cartoon drawings just like the one on the cover. As the cover illustration also shows, around the margins of the picture are the individual drawings of the objects in the main illustration with the Latin word beneath. There are many locations illustrated, e.g. a doctor's office, grocery store, an amusement park, etc. each covering a double page spread. There are also pages in the back with illustrations of actions, emotions, opposites, weather, colors, numbers and more. This could be the start of an excellent Latin vocabulary. Many first year Latin classes only aim for a vocabulary of 500 to 700 words. For those who are interested in speaking Latin, there are many vocabulary words (like toothpaste) that will help you know how to tell your little Latinistas, "Agedum, abi et in balneum dentes purga pasta dentaria." [Get going, go the bathroom and brush your teeth with toothpaste.] With some knowledge of Latin, one can spend many fun hours playing Invenio or I Spy. There is even a little anaticula flava or yellow duck hidden on each page. Use your imagination. Play "Ubi est/Ibi est" or "Where is x/There is x". Have fun.

The words chosen are very good, but the illustration and book design make it an absolute first choice for all language teaching objectives. The attention holder, for any wiggly kid is tiny cute duckie found on every page! I've been using this book, and so has every other teacher I've shared it with for over 25 years!

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