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I'm singing in the rain, just singing in the rain, Oh, what a glorious feeling!

Spring calls in this classic Broadway number, brought to life in a beautiful picture book--perfect for sharing! Jump in puddles, raise umbrellas, and dance with joy through the pages of this visual story. With colorful, springy scenes and the familiar lyrics, this is a beautiful, gift-worthy, feel-good read-aloud.

Singing in the Rain Details

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From Reader Review *Singing in the Rain* for online ebook

Helen Zhang says

Grade Levels = Pre-K, 1-2

Summary:

Kids playing and singing in the rain, while enjoying the puddles and the dark clouds above. They are running through the rain with a smile on their face. They are happy even when the rain may be sad and dark.

Review:

This book is cheerful and is reminding us to smile even when bad things happen. Sometimes we forget to look on the bright side when things are not going our way but the children in the book are enjoying themselves while others run for cover. The song and the book reminds us that rain can be a happy and fun experience.

Possible Lesson Plans:

Teachers can read this book during a rainstorm and ask students what they like to do when it's raining outside. Together the class can create a storybook about their adventures in the rain. This book can also help lift spirits when students are tired. Students can write something/someone that makes them feel happy when they are feeling down. This can be posted on their board for the class to use as inspiration when they don't feel happy.

Maggie Hesseling says

What a wonderful imaginative book. *Singing in the Rain* has been my favorite musical and song since I was seven. I borrowed the VHS from my drama teacher and I watched it five times that weekend and I was loathed to part with it on Monday morning. This song brings so many memories for me. The CD includes a wonderful cover by Doris Day, who is also a favorite of mine.

The illustrations by Tim Hopgood are wonderful. So colorful, and they imitate my feelings when I listen to this song. I can't believe that I now have a book that perfectly emulates my emotions so well. The second track on the CD has the picturebook read perfectly as well.

This is definitely a picture book I will treasure forever.

Jill says

I sang my way through this one - loved it!

Cindy Mitchell *Kiss the Book* says

Singing in the Rain, illustrated by Tim Hopgood. PICTURE BOOK. Henry Holt (Macmillan), 2017. \$18. 978-1250127709

Hopgood's illustrations are as joyful as the original movie and are an apt accompaniment to the lyrics. The problem I have is that as spoken word, the lyrics do not work. You have to sing the song as you are reading the book – otherwise the experience falls flat. So if you are a singing librarian, you will have lots of fun with this. Teach the song to your kids and enjoy the ride.

Pre-K, EL (K-3) – OPTIONAL. Cindy, Library Teacher
<https://kissthebook.blogspot.com/2018...>

Miss Pippi the Librarian says

An illustrated book with the lyrics of the song "Singing in the Rain." You can read it or sing it aloud. The large format of the book is great for sharing in a group.

Reviewed from a library copy.

Edward Sullivan says

Abundantly joyful.

Beverly says

Joyous pictures do justice to this wonderful classic Broadway tune.

Sheri says

Sure to cheer you up on a gloomy day!

Sara says

Beautiful and full of joy. I love this book and can't wait to buy it in October 2017!

Shandra says

A beautiful book, guaranteed to get the song its based on stuck in your head. I am torn about whether to read it at storytime, as I may find myself singing instead of reading...

Heather says

These illustrations are perfect!

Nicole says

Appropriate Grade Levels: Prek-K

Summary- This book is based on the song by Arthur Freed and Nacio Herb Brown and the pictures are by Tim Hopgood. The song singing in the rain is a feel-good song about keeping an upbeat demeanor even when the conditions are less than favorable for example when outside, it raining out. The kids are in solid color raincoats and they parade around in the rain having a good time splashing in puddles, stomping around. Review- I like that each kid is dressed up in a different color of the rainbow. This is symbolic of the rainbow after the rain. Also, the rainbow is a happy icon and the kids are trotting along like a rainbow through the rain making the most of their situation.

2 possible in the class use:

1. Teachers can teach children to be happy in any condition or make the best of it.
 2. It's a really fun song to sing especially on a rainy day. This can also be used to weather site words to build upon vocabulary.
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Barbara says

Like many others, I've always loved this exuberant song and that memorable scene from the film of the same name in which its characters go dancing through the streets in the rain with such abandon. Somehow, this picture book captures that very same feeling. While many may associate rain with depression and consider it something to avoid, it is life-giving, and something to celebrate. I'm so delighted that illustrator Tim Hopgood has done so here with such abandon, relying on watercolors, pencils, and calligraphy ink for his images, which were then collaged and colored with Adobe Photoshop. Honestly, the book will make most readers long for some rain so that they can stomping around the neighborhood in their wet weather gear. I smiled all the way as I read, no, I hummed and then sang, along with the lyrics.

Tori says

The lyrics to the classic song but with gorgeous colorful illustrations. Wow! This is a beautiful book which perfectly captures the joy of a rainy spring day with colorful umbrellas and boots and rain coats. The children in the pictures take a magical trip to the rain forest as well. Would be a great fit for a weather-themed storytime but could potentially be used for colors as well. I look forward to trying it.

Lauren Stoolfire says

I love this song and the movie with this number at the heart is one of my all time favorites. Glorious!
