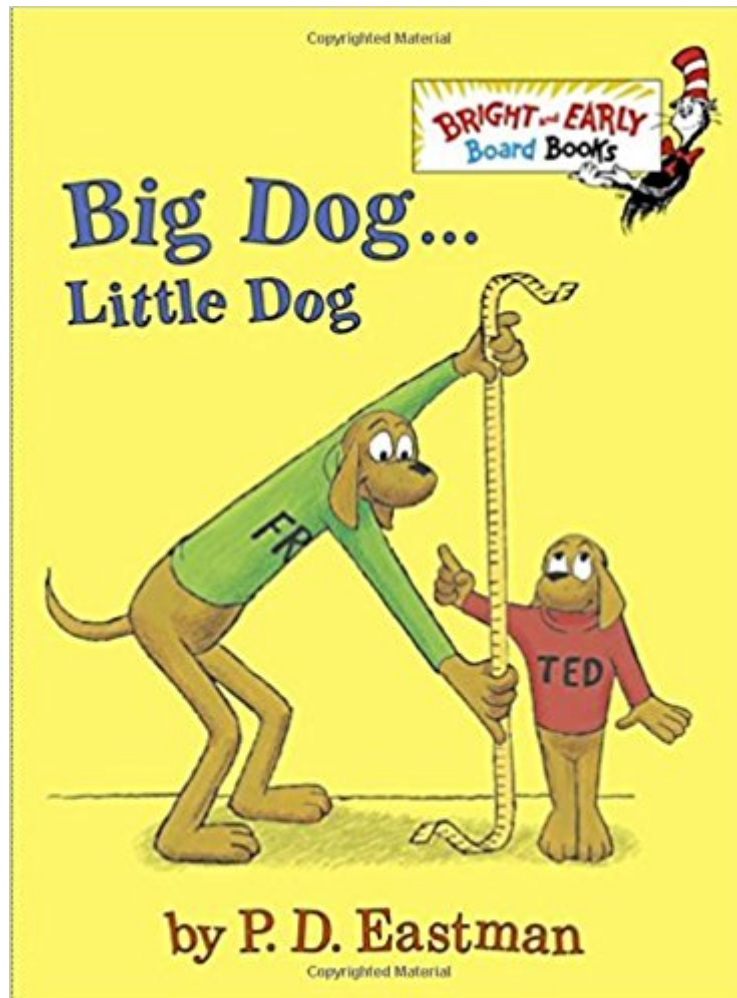




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# Big Dog . . . Little Dog (Bright & Early Board Books(TM))



## Synopsis

A condensed, board-book version of the P. D. Eastman canine classic Big Dog . . . Little Dog, starring Fred and Ted—two mutts who are opposite in every way, but best friends nevertheless.

## Book Information

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Series: Bright & Early Board Books(TM)

Board book: 24 pages

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Age Range: 3 and up

Grade Level: Preschool and up

## Customer Reviews

Big Dog . . . Little Dog has been reformatted into a Beginner Book to join P. D. Eastman's other classics: "Go, Dog. Go!" and "Are You My Mother?" This delightful book chronicles a day in the life of Ted and Fred—two dogs who are different in every way, but also the best of friends. An irreverent introduction to the concepts of size, color, and opposites. --This text refers to the Hardcover edition.

P. D. Eastman was an author-illustrator who created many children's books, including "Are You My Mother?", "Go, Dog. Go!", and "The Best Nest." Trained at the National Academy of Design, he enlisted in the army in 1943 and was assigned to the Signal Corps Film Unit—which was headed by Theodor Geisel, who would eventually become known to the world as Dr. Seuss. After Geisel later approached him to write for his new Beginner Book series at Random House, Eastman published his first book, "Sam and the Firefly." Since then, Random House has sold more than 30 million books by P. D. Eastman, and he has

become one of the most beloved children's book authors in the world.

This was my 31 year old son's favorite book as a child. Now he has a baby daughter, so I was happy to find it now available in a board book for her.

My kids LOVE the 2 "big dog" books, especially this one, the original. It is cute, funny, and a book of total opposites. The kids are thoroughly entertained over and over again, especially when the friends drive their cars opposite--the kids roar every time at the fast car leaving his friend in the dust. Bonus, I find these cute dogs fun also, and the words are rhythmic and easy to read, so I look forward to reading it again when they ask, instead of cringing! The illustrations hold attention, too. They are colorful and cute--these dogs are irresistible!! There is a "little" book edition which is nice, also, but condensed. This original version cannot be improved on--this is the one you'll want!

My kids loved Fred and Ted. Despite having hundreds of other books this is one they chose the most. I believe there are other Fred and Ted books now. There weren't (that I knew of) when my kids were little. Fred and Ted are lovable!

After buying quite a few books for my toddler, a friend recommended "Go, Dog! Go!" It was an immediate hit for my 2YO. Since then I have been interested to see what the other PD Eastman creations would be like. This past month I ordered three, including this one. And as I hoped- my son loves them! He can actually turn the pages and identify with the images and I know for sure that he feels a sense of accomplishment when I commend him for "getting it right". His face lights up with excitement as he turns the pages and tells me what Ted and Fred are doing. I would definitely recommend this as an addition to any Toddler's bookshelf. Also consider: Are you my mother? I'll teach my dog 100 words Go, Dog! Go!

Perfect.

Cute!

Don't really know why, but my 2.5 year old grandson LOVES this book! It is his current favorite!

This is a cracking wee book that my 2.5 yr old daughter just loves. We read it at bedtime nearly

every night since buying it. Very cheap price and easy to read in bed with the kindle fire. Nice feature is when the words for each character increase in size so she can see where the speaker is on the page. Simple process to shuffle through bit by bit. I will buy more like this. Kindle Fire is perfect for reading books with my kid. We can read a couple of short books at bedtime and then easily tap the off button and say night-night. I recommend this book and the kindle fire 100%. Cracking wee book. Cracking piece of hardware.

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