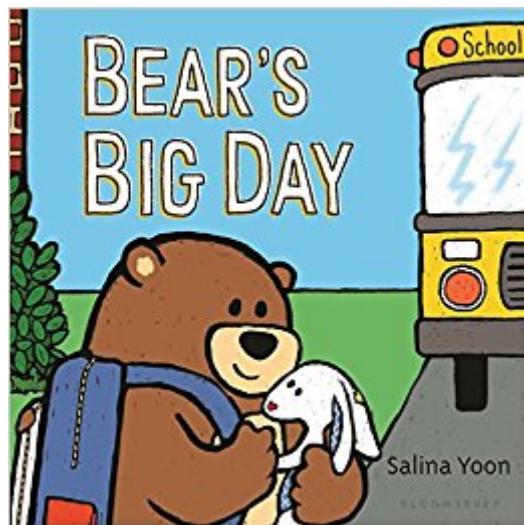


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## Bear's Big Day



## Synopsis

It's Bear's very first day of school! He wants to be grown up, so he leaves his stuffed bunny Floppy at home along with all his familiar things. But being away from his best friend is hard--and the first day doesn't turn out quite how Bear wanted it to. Bear learns that the first day of school might not always be perfect, and being grown up doesn't have to mean giving up the things he loves. This third book in the Bear and Floppy series from beloved, bestselling author-illustrator Salina Yoon tackles big themes like starting school and being independent, even in scary new situations. And Bear is sure to find even more fans in board--the format is the perfect fit for Salina's sweet art and simple text. *Awards for Salina Yoon* [A Winter 2015-2016 Kids' Indie Next Pick \(Be a Friend\)](#) [A Scholastic Teachers Top 10 Picture Book \(Penguin's Big Adventure\)](#) [An NPR Best Book \(Found\)](#) [Winner of the 2014 SCIBA Book Award for Best Picture Book \(Found\)](#)

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## Customer Reviews

PreS "Bear is very excited about going to school, and these pages will prepare readers for what will surely be a grand adventure. Bear can cut his own pancakes. He has a backpack full of supplies. But as he gives his precious Floppy a goodbye hug, it takes no more than Yoon's deft alteration of the little bear's mouth for viewers to know that things may not turn out as he had hoped. Indeed, missing Floppy practically ruins his day. Luckily, Bear's perceptive teacher helps him make a little pocket on his backpack so that the two can continue on their adventures. Preschoolers will have noticed that some of the other students depend on their own "special friends" during the

school day, too, and can easily connect with the notion that "being big doesn't mean you have to do everything by yourself." Yoon's trademark digital black-outlined illustrations provide a vivid background for this tight little tale aimed at the youngest students. **VERDICT** A great read-aloud for the beginning of preschool and perfect for one-on-one sharing.â "Lisa Lehmueller, Paul Cuffee Maritime Charter School, Providence, RI --This text refers to the Hardcover edition.

â œYoonâ ™s confident storytelling and appealingly chunky artwork create an emotionally resonant tale with some well-handled moments of levity.â • - Publishers Weeklyâ œYoon's digital illustrations use bold black lines, simple shapes, and bright colors to focus attention on the characters, and Bear's feelings are evident â | Going to school doesn't mean leaving childhood behind; stuffed lovies have a place still.â • - Kirkus Reviewsâ œThese pages will prepare readers for what will surely be a grand adventure â | A great read-aloud for the beginning of preschool and perfect for one-on-one sharing.â • - School Library Journalâ œThis comforting story successfully addresses the common fear of storms for a young audience . . . This stormâ ™s impact has no lasting power against a familyâ ™s love.â • - School Library Journal on *STORMY NIGHT*â œReaders will appreciate the graduating reassurances that range from self-soothing to group hugs . . . Youngsters will empathize with Bear and derive comfort from the loving togetherness his family displays while keeping the storm at bay.â • - Kirkus Reviews on *STORMY NIGHT*â œYoonâ ™s bright colors and big shapes make this scary storm story feel thoroughly cozy, and readers will be tickled to see Bear adeptly comfort his panicky parents.â • - Publishers Weekly on *STORMY NIGHT*â œA terrific combination for preschoolers and early readers who will sympathize with Bearâ ™s competing desires.â • - The New York Times Book Review on *FOUND*â œA thoughtful, flawlessly executed exploration of theory of mind and emotional intelligence.â • - starred review, Publishers Weekly on *FOUND*â œA winning tale about finding new friends.â • - Kirkus Reviews on *FOUND*â œCharm and warmth suffuse every page of this book, and the message that itâ ™s important to do the right thing even when itâ ™s hard is one that everyone needs to hear.â • - Library Media Connection on *FOUND*â œA touching, satisfying story that models healthy love between people and their toys.â • - School Library Journal on *FOUND*

This is such a sweet, simple story about a first day of school. Perfect for the incoming preschooler or Early Elementary student. Yoon has a wonderful way of tackling the "struggles" of being a kid in a simple way, that leaves the reader reassured that all will end well for Bear and his beloved Floppy. Readers will find the little "easter eggs" Yoon often places throughout the colorful illustrations,

reminding readers of her other books and characters.

A delightful book perfect for a 3 year old - especially one starting pre-school. Our daughter has us read it every night! We can't wait for more stories about Bear and Floppy.

my son loves this mini-series of books. good quality and arrived quickly!

Very sweet book. We also have Found and I reckoned that one as well.

One of my son's favorite books. Mine too.

The first day of school is daunting for most children and for Bear, when he leaves his BFF behind at home it's even harder. How is he going to get through the school year? No one knows what Bear is going through right? Well, maybe someone does! Written and illustrated by Salina Yoon, published by Bloomsbury Books. #Pb #kindergarten #FirstDayOfSchool #emotions

I had a big day today like bear did. I have been ashamed of my winter body and so I have been afraid to step out into the sun. But today I put on my bikini and went outdoors. I didn't care who saw me with my many folds and wrinkles and pale skin. I was like bear! And my cat did not even laugh. I love bear and I love my body. For all of those reasons, you should check out this book.

In this adorable book, we meet up again with Bear, the sweet main character from FOUND. This time, Bear is going through the big milestone of school, and he discovers that he doesn't have to face big challenges alone even though he is not so little now. Ms. Yoon's charming art adds to the sweetness of the story.

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