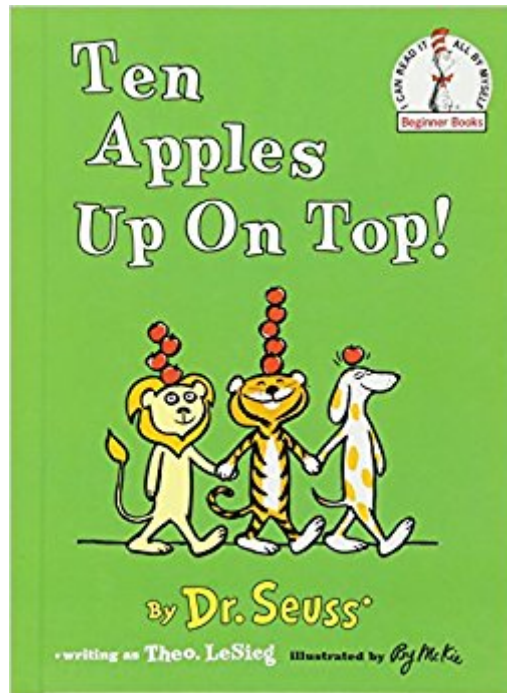




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# Ten Apples Up On Top!



## Synopsis

Three friends balance counting and fun in this silly Beginner Book by Dr. Seuss and illustrated by Roy McKie. When a lion, a dog, and a tiger meet up, they soon discover that they can each do different things while balancing apples on their heads. Whether drinking milk, jumping rope, or roller-skating, they can do a lot with ten apples up on top! But watch out, she has a mop! Sheâ™ll knock those apples from up on top. Seussâ™s apple-balancing characters will have youngsters reading, counting, and giggling! Originally created by Dr. Seuss, Beginner Books encourage children to read all by themselves, with simple words and illustrations that give clues to their meaning. "A hilarious story in rhyme about a number of animals who could carry 10 apples on their heads."--Elementary English.

## Book Information

Lexile Measure: 0200 (What's this?)

Hardcover: 72 pages

Publisher: Beginner Books (1961)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0394800192

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Product Dimensions: 6.8 x 0.4 x 9.3 inches

Shipping Weight: 8.8 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.6 out of 5 stars 160 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #2,380 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #11 in Books > Children's Books > Early Learning > Basic Concepts > Counting #12 in Books > Children's Books > Literature & Fiction > Poetry > Dr. Seuss #27 in Books > Children's Books > Early Learning > Beginner Readers

Age Range: 3 - 7 years

Grade Level: Preschool - 2

## Customer Reviews

Since 1961, Ten Apples up on Top has been helping preschoolers learn to count and read simultaneously. Simple illustrations and even simpler rhymes make this apple-balancing competition between a dog, a tiger, and a lion a fun, easy place to practice sight words and phonics. Siblings can even take turns reading phrases like "Seven apples up on top. I am so good they will not drop." The inevitable tumbling crash is a great climax for busy toddlers to enjoy, and parents will

appreciate the cooperative lesson the last page offers. (Preschool to early reader) --Jill Lightner

"[Dr. Seuss] has...instilled a lifelong love of books, learning and reading [in children]" - The Telegraph  
"Dr. Seuss ignites a child's imagination with his mischievous characters and zany verses" - The Express  
"The magic of Dr. Seuss, with his hilarious rhymes, belongs on the family bookshelf" - Sunday Times Magazine  
"The author... has filled many a childhood with unforgettable characters, stunning illustrations, and of course, glorious rhyme" - The Guardian  
"Dr. Seuss ignites a child's imagination with his mischievous characters and zany verses." - The Express --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

I remember reading this when I was a child, so I bought the board book version for my 2yo. We were happily reading along and then - to me at least - it stopped abruptly. I was disappointed and my son was underwhelmed. So I got this copy for him; THIS is what I remembered loving as a kid! The rhythm is fun, the story is silly, and my son loves to count the apples. Spoiler alert: the board book stops when the lion, tiger, and dog each get 10 apples on their heads, and skips the roller skates. The paper-page version keeps going, and is at least twice as long. In short: buy this, not that.

The children love this book and so do I! They get to count to 10 several times; there's lots of actions, and definitely lots of post-reading activities that go along with this book. I use it with 4 and 5 year olds. You Tube has a nice "movie" to go along with the story. I use Bingo Dots for an art project- children draw themselves and then decide how many apples they can balance on their head, and use the dots and write the numeral. OF course most of them want to do 10 and hey, that's the whole point!! This book appeals to young children with its rhyming verse and crazy pictures.

My son's favorite book right now. We initially had the board book version which ends right after the trio gets 10 apples on their heads, the full book has another 10 pages or so after that. Little guy loves to point out the number of apples on the page and we count together. Super cute illustrations!

This book has such a strong chemical smell (not ink) that we put it away and I tried to air it out. Still smells after putting it outside in the garage open for a few weeks. I have had this happen with books before but not often. Don't know what the smell is (binding glue or plastic?).

My son read this book in preschool and LOVES it so much that we bought it for him.

This is one of my favorite story of Dr. Suess. I teach kdg and kids love this book. It is clean and great color.

my little guy LOVES this book

A great book and a great price.

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