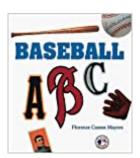


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Synopsis

Young children are introduced to the American pastime of baseball in this book, as well as to the alphabet. Baseball fans of all ages will appreciate the collection of baseball memorabilia, paraphernalia and game shots.

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