First Grade

Gifts for a 6-Year-Old or 7-Year-Old

From toys that stand the test of time to board games that are anything but boring, we found the best first grade products for a six-year-old or seven-year-old. Our list of loot is kid-tested, teacher approved, and full of options for any family, so get wrappin’!

Under $10

**Thumball**  under $10

A silly, hands-on way to practice key skills, and have a ball doing it.

http://www.education.com/gift-guide/item/thumball/

**Jungle Toss ‘n’ Catch**  under $10

Crocodile and hippo want to play. And these cute puppets can do more than put on a show: they can catch, too!


**Make Your Own Sticker Fun: Things that Go**  under $10

Forget store-bought stickers, here’s a way to make your own! This handy sticker book provides everything a sticker-lover dreams of.

http://www.education.com/gift-guide/item/sticker-fun-things-that-go/

**Animal Hands Tattoos**  under $10

With the help of these easy-to-apply temporary tattoos, hands can become one of eight animals, from a giraffe to a bumblebee.

http://www.education.com/gift-guide/item/animal-hands-tattoos/

**Cars Building Set**  under $10

This set of 139 pieces gives kids enough to build a little filling station, two cute cars, and a squeegee for washing visiting windshields.

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$11-$50

Theater Stage
Puppets are classic kid entertainment, and this plush, easy-to-store finger puppet theater is packed with pretend play potential.

http://www.education.com/gift-guide/item/theater-stage/

Fliffix Catch
This colorful toss-and-catch set is fail-proof, gross-motor fun!

http://www.education.com/gift-guide/item/catch/

Eco-Aquarium
African dwarf frogs are easy to maintain, adorable, and fun to watch, making them great beginner pets for kids.


Order’s Up
This fun food game will have the whole family laughing and playing together as you race to see who can fill their guest check first.

http://www.education.com/gift-guide/item/orders-up/

The Best Candy in the Whole World
You can’t beat a darn good story, and award-winning performance artist Bill Harley delivers in this collection of stories and songs.

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**Rabbit Stage Puppet**
Puppets come in all shapes and sizes, but this furry friend is in a class of his own.

http://www.education.com/gift-guide/item/rabbit-puppet/

**Jazz Playground**
If you’ve ever wanted a kid-friendly CD featuring musicians with genuine talent, then slap "Jazz Playground" in your stereo.

http://www.education.com/gift-guide/item/jazz-playground/

**Courtside Portable Basketball System**
Chalk off three hours to set this hoop up, and prepare for lots of swish in your kid’s future.

http://www.education.com/gift-guide/item/basketball-system/

**Speckle the Spider**
This tap dancing spider dreams of the big time. And kids will get a big kick out of joining his adventures as they get hands-on with the goodies packed inside this book!

http://www.education.com/gift-guide/item/speckle-spider/

**Frankly, Frannie**
Frannie Miller, otherwise known as Frankly, wants a job badly. But it’s not as easy as one might think to get hired.

http://www.education.com/gift-guide/item/frankly-frannie/

**Splurge**

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Cat Wings

We’re not quite sure how this classic escaped becoming a household name, but if your child is not yet familiar with it, he’s in for a true treat.

http://www.education.com/gift-guide/item/cat-wings/