

Prickly Pear Little Free Library



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This book has both print and braille so that children or adults who are blind can read the book too! Braille is not a language. It's a code. There are 6 dots in the braille cell. Different combinations of dots stand for different letters. People who are blind read braille with their fingers. It's no harder than your reading print with your eyes! Here's a copy of the braille alphabet.

**The Braille Alphabet**

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ⠁ | ⠃ | ⠉ | ⠙ | ⠑ | ⠋ | ⠗ | ⠎ | ⠊ | ⠚ |   |
| a | b | c | d | e | f | g | h | i | J |   |
| ⠅ | ⠇ | ⠓ | ⠝ | ⠕ | ⠐ | ⠖ | ⠞ | ⠠ | ⠤ |   |
| k | l | m | n | o | p | q | r | s | t |   |
| ⠠ | ⠡ | ⠢ | ⠣ | ⠤ | ⠥ |   |   | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| u | v | w | x | y | z |   |   |   |   |   |

Besides letters there are short ways to write words called contractions. There is also a way to write numbers and punctuation too. There are braille codes for math and music.

Do you want to learn more about braille? Visit <http://braillebug.afb.org/>

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I'm happy to answer your questions about braille. Ring the doorbell or send me an email to [vfi\\_rosenblum@cox.net](mailto:vfi_rosenblum@cox.net). Thank you for visiting the Prickly Pear Little Free Library.  
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