

**Kindergarten Curriculum Guide Book Summary**

**Book title: *Little Fur Family***

**Author:** Margaret Wise Brown

**Main characters:** Father, mother and a little fur child

**Other characters:** Grandpa, a fish, a bug and a tiny fur animal

**Executive summary:** A little fur family live happily together in the forest. The fur child is very loved by his parents, and in return he shows love and compassion toward other creatures in the forest.

**Detailed summary:** A father, a mother and a child, who look like little furry bears, live in a snug little house inside of a tree. One day the father puts on his coat and leaves for the day. The mother gives the fur child a bath and sends him outside to play. The child plays outside in the wild forest. Some grass blowing in the wind blowing makes him sneeze. The sneeze wakes his furry grandfather, who lives in a stump. The grandfather says “bless you” to the child who sneezed. Then the Grandfather sneezes too, and the child says “bless you” to his grandfather.

The grandfather goes back into his stump and the fur child continues to play in the wild. He comes to a river full of fish. The fur child catches a fish, but he doesn’t eat it. He throws it back into the river. He catches a bug flying through the air, but he doesn’t squash it. He lets it fly away again. Next he catches a little furry animal. He kisses the tiny animal and lets it go back to its home in the ground. Now it is time for the little fur child to go back to his home. When he gets there, his furry mother hugs him and feeds him, and his furry father carries him upstairs to bed. They hold his furry paw and sing a song about their family until the child falls asleep.