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Baby Loves Political Science Congress!

Ruth Spiro

Illustrated by
Greg Paprocki

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Who makes the rules?

Baby loves going to daycare. When he's there, he has to follow the rules. Grown-ups have rules to follow, too. Those rules are called "laws." Who makes the laws? Congress!

This buoyant, empowering entry in the Baby Loves Political Science series takes the mystery out of representative government and legislation.

See page two for *Baby Loves Political Science: The Presidency!*

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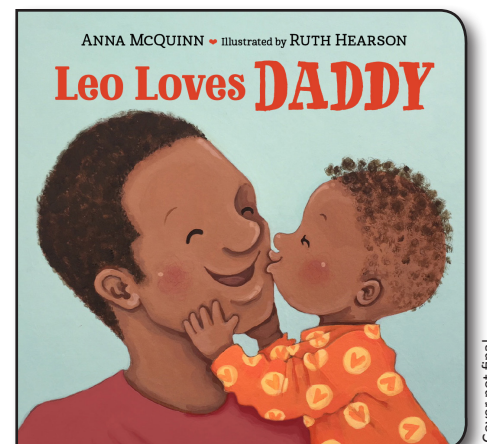
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Who runs the country?

Baby loves going to work with Papa. Papa has a big job at the food pantry, but his team helps everything run smoothly. Running the country is a big job, too. The president has a team called the Cabinet that helps them do their job.

This buoyant, empowering entry in the Baby Loves Political Science series takes the mystery out of the executive branch of government.



Every day is fun with Leo and Daddy!

Perfect for Father's Day or every day, this sweet spin-off of the best-selling Lola Reads series celebrates the love between young children and their dad. Leo's daddy is an expert pancake chef, dancer, bath-time assistant, and boo-boo medic. And when it's time to go to sleep, Daddy's hugs are the snuggliest!

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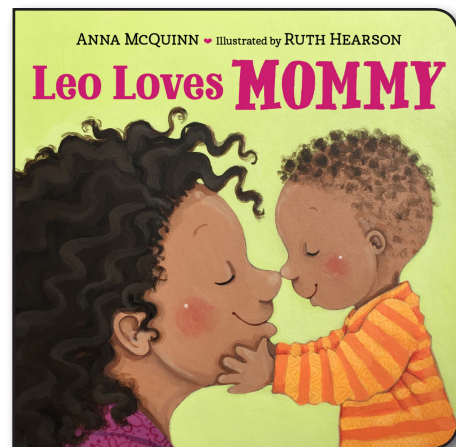
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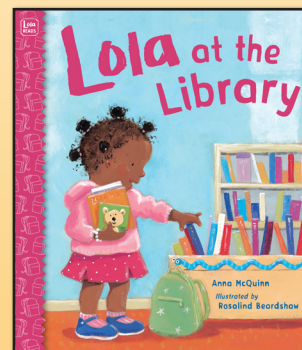
Perfect for Mother's Day or every day, this sweet spin-off of the best-selling Lola Reads series is sure to delight. Leo loves to spend time with Mommy. She's the best at building forts, doing yoga, and making splashy art together! And at the end of the day, Mommy's hugs are the comfiest.

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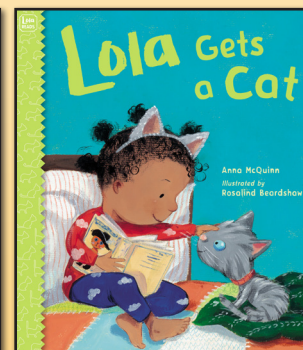


Lola loves reading! Join her as she explores her world through books with the help of her mom, her dad, and her baby brother, Leo.

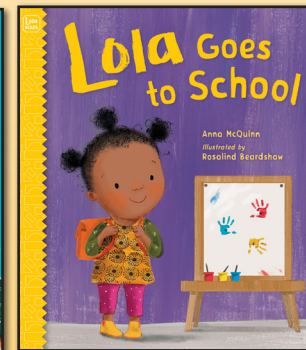
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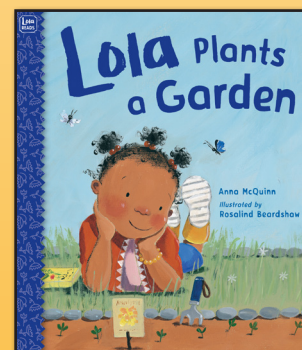
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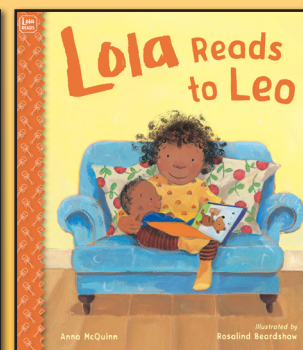
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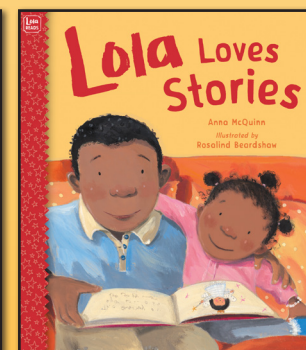
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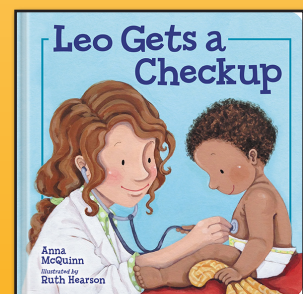
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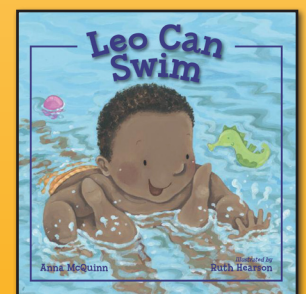
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by Ruth Spiro, illustrated by Irene Chan



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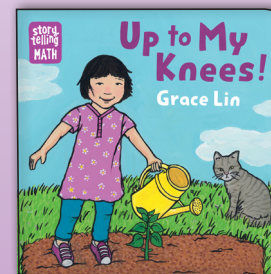


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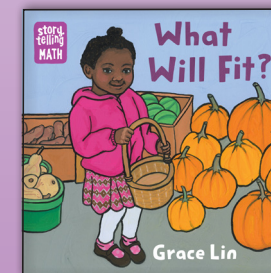
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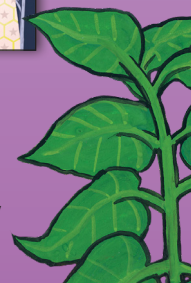


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Storytelling Math Bracelets for Bina's Brothers

Rajani LaRocca
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Chaaya Prabhat

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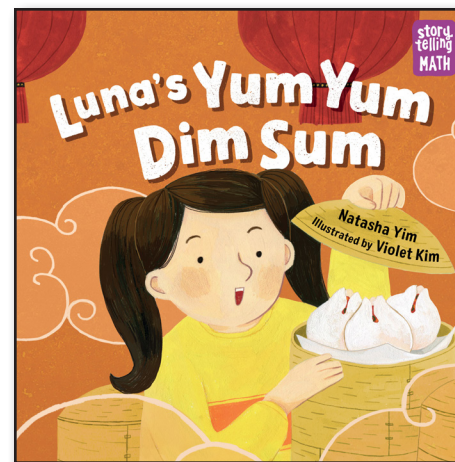
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I can do it myself!

For the Hindu holiday of Raksha Bandhan, Bina is determined to make beaded bracelets for her brothers all by herself. She finds out which colors her brothers like and dislike and sets to work. Working with her every-other-one beading pattern causes Bina to discover something new about patterns—and her brothers.

This installation in the Storytelling Math series celebrates the magic of pattern-making, the beauty of holiday celebrations, and the bond between siblings.



But I'm the birthday girl!

It's Luna's birthday, and that means the whole family gets to go out for dim sum—Luna's favorite. But when a *whoosh-splat* leaves three siblings with five pork buns, how can they share fairly? Should some siblings get more than others? Or should they cut the buns into smaller and smaller pieces so everyone gets the same amount?

This installation in the Storytelling Math series brings together fractions, number sense, and fair ways to resolve sibling arguments in one delicious story.

Storytelling Math Luna's Yum Yum Dim Sum

Natasha Yim
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13 Ways to Eat a Fly

Sue Heavenrich

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SUE HEAVENRICH has eaten flies—small ones, mostly by accident. After earning her MS in biology and teaching high-school science, Sue began writing about science and nature in magazines, newspapers, and blogs. She is the author of several books, including *Diet for a Changing Planet: Food for Thought*, a book for teens about how to save the world by eating bugs, weeds, and invasive species. Sue lives in upstate New York.

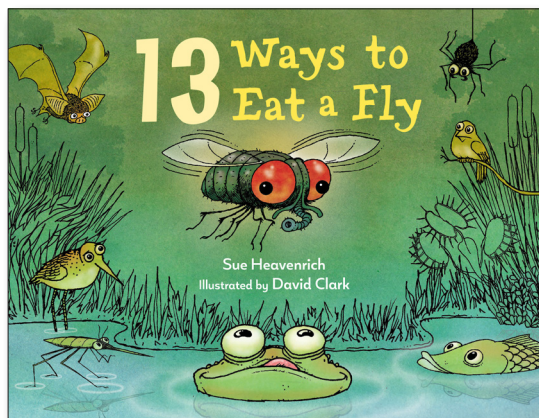
DAVID CLARK is the illustrator of many books for children, including *Never Insult a Killer Zucchini*; *What's for Dinner? Quirky, Squirmly Poems from the Animal World*; and the Just Like Us! series. He is also the illustrator and co-creator of the syndicated comic strip *Barney & Clyde*. David lives in Virginia.

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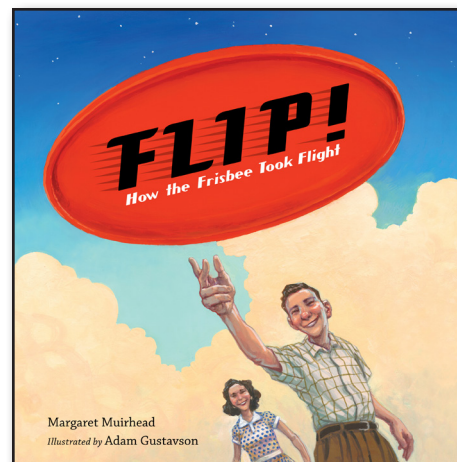
After the Kill
Five Flying Penguins



And then there were none.

Science meets subtraction in this fresh and funny STEM picture book about predation. A swarm of thirteen flies buzzes along, losing one member to each predator along the way. Whether the unfortunate insects are zapped or wrapped, liquefied or zombified, the science is real—thrillingly chilling and laugh-out-loud gross.

Back matter includes a guide to eating bugs, complete with nutritional information for a single serving of flies.



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The origin story of this classic toy soars with unexpected twists and turns.

Fred Morrison is credited as the inventor of the Frisbee, but for centuries folks have been flipping for flying discs. Ancient Greeks flicked discs, and beginning in the 1920s, college kids at Yale University were tossing pie tins.

Fred lived in California and had no idea about ancient Greeks or East Coast college kids. His invention quest began in 1932 after tossing a tin popcorn lid around the backyard. For more than twenty years, Fred and his wife, Lu, tried and failed to perfect a flying-disc concept. Eventually they created what we know today as the Frisbee. Their story is full of good old-fashioned perseverance, success, and fun!

Flip!

How the Frisbee Took Flight

Margaret Muirhead

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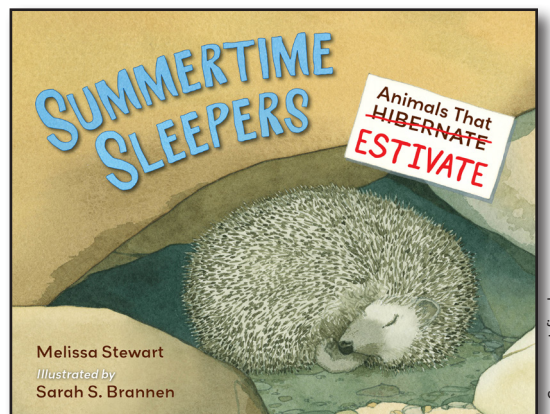
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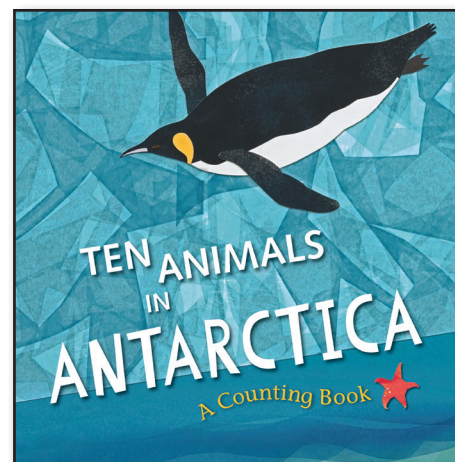


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Here comes summer: time to take a break!

What do mourning cloak butterflies have in common with pixie frogs and yellow-bellied marmots? They all estivate, or sleep through summer.

Everyone knows about hibernation, but this book by award-winning author Melissa Stewart offers young readers a lyrical look at its fascinating warm-weather counterpart—estivation. Beautiful watercolor illustrations by Sarah S. Brannen reveal a wealth of details about each animal. Discover how some creatures survive by snoozing through the hottest days of the year.



Dive into the coolest counting book ever!

This is no empty frozen snowscape. It's time to meet ten land and sea animals that live in Antarctica! From sailing leopard seals to haunting icefish, young readers will love discovering the many unique animals of our chilliest continent in this beautiful, lyrical counting book.

Ten Animals in Antarctica

A Counting Book

Moira Court

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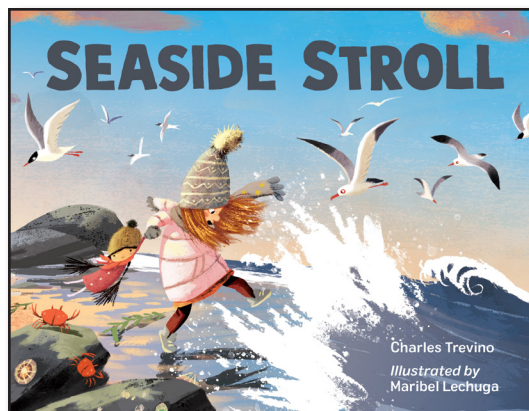
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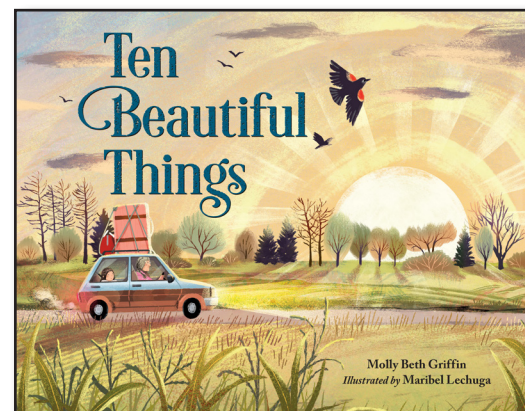
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*Step, step, sidestep . . . snow.
Slow steps—shuffle, straddle,
saunter . . . sand.*

This beautifully crafted jewel of a story follows a girl and her mom as they bundle up for a wintertime stroll on the beach. Snow and sand go together perfectly in a narrative where every word begins with the letter “s.” When the girl drops her doll in a tide pool, what else can it do but *sink*? A hasty rescue leaves everyone *soaked* but *saved*, ready for a nice warm bath, dinner, and *sleep*.

Opportunities abound for young readers to discover grammar and visual storytelling, as well as the year-round ecosystem of the shoreline. Perfect for beach enthusiasts no matter the time of year, for word nerds no matter the weather, and for parents and kids in love with everything about the outdoors.



There's nothing beautiful here.

Lily doesn't want to live in Iowa with Gran. Iowa is a long car ride away, and Lily feels terrible, all empty inside. Even Gran's favorite car game—name ten beautiful things—is useless. There's nothing beautiful in the April slush and cloudy sky.

But beauty is hiding where Lily least expects it: the smell of spring mud, a cloud shaped like a swan, a dilapidated barn. After a furious rainstorm, Lily discovers the tenth and most beautiful thing of all: Gran and her love for each other.

This heartfelt journey through the heartland captures the struggle to navigate change and loss, and the comfort found in mindful attention to the present.

Ten Beautiful Things

Molly Beth Griffin
Illustrated by
Maribel Lechuga

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A Thousand White Butterflies

Jessica Betancourt-Perez
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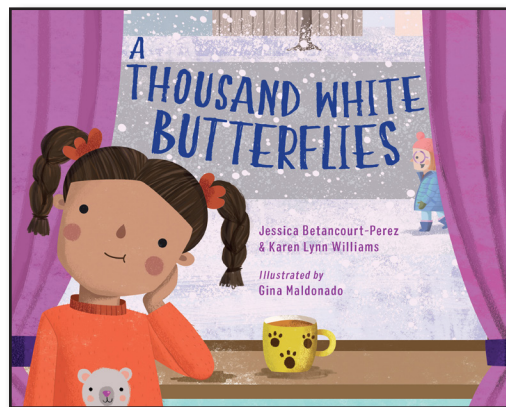
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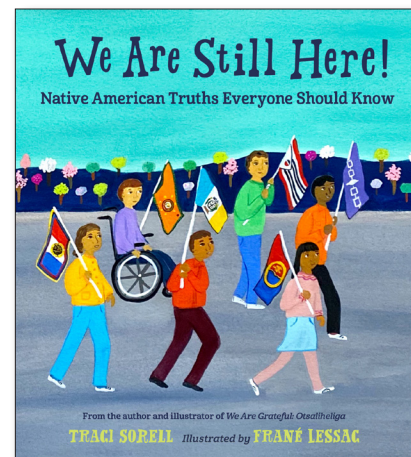
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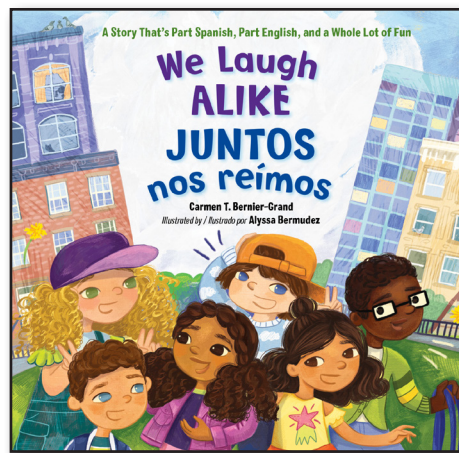
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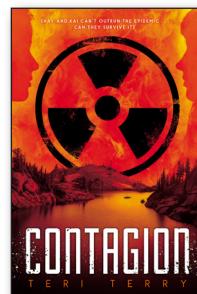
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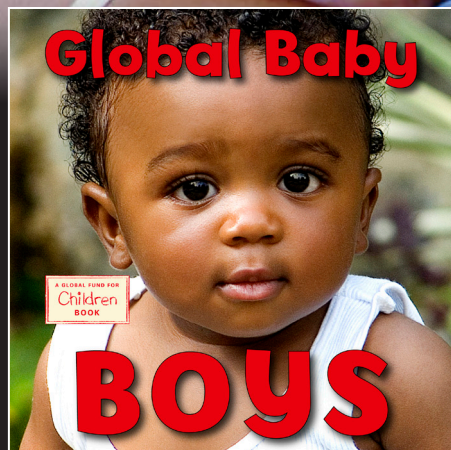
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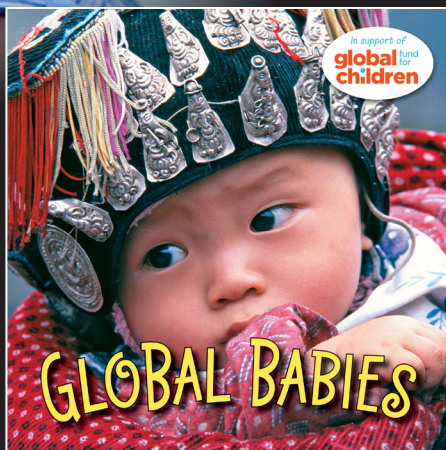
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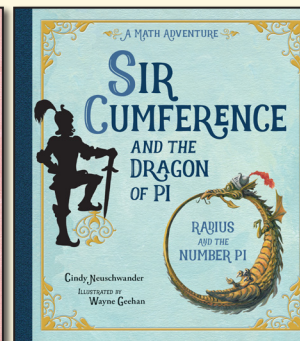
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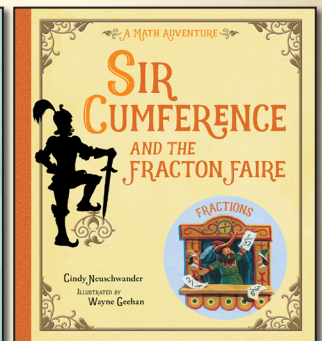
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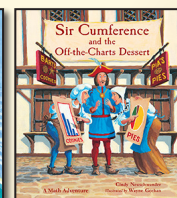
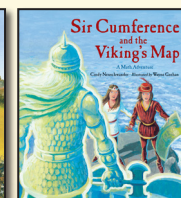
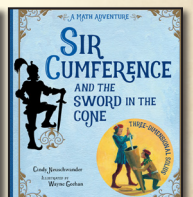
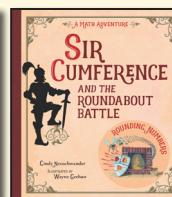
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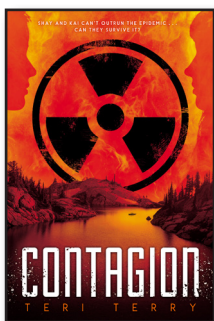
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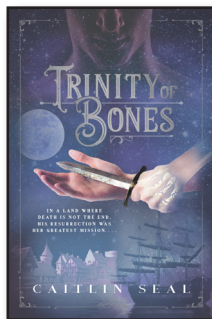
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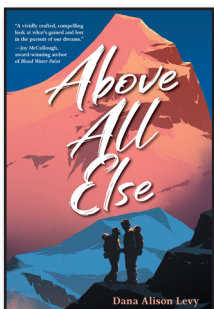
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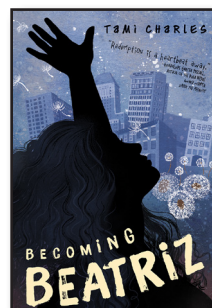
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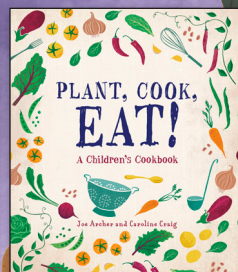
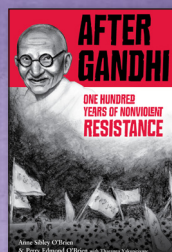
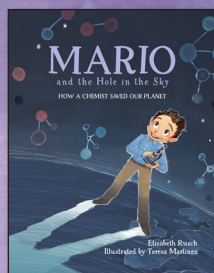
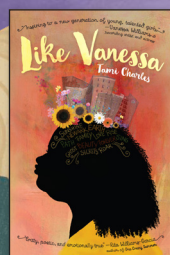
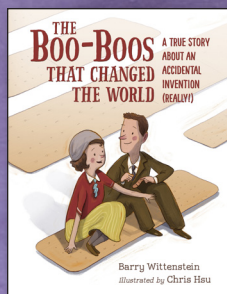
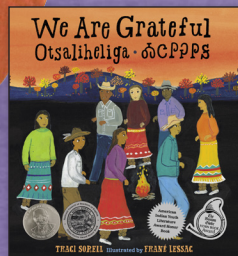
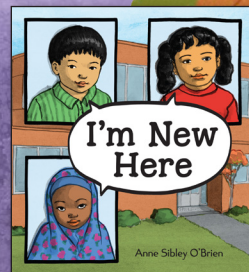
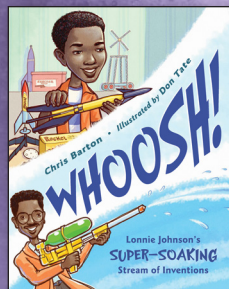
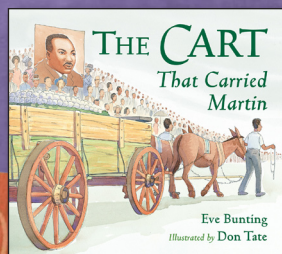
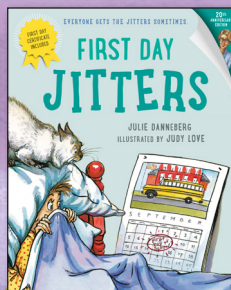
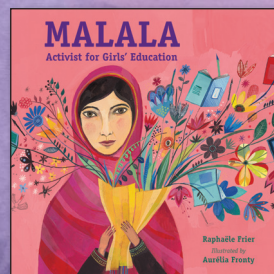
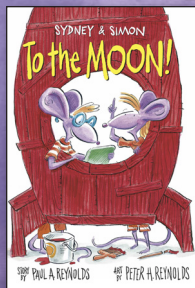
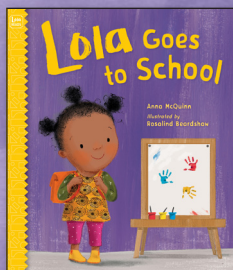
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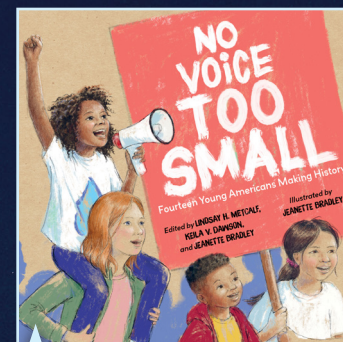


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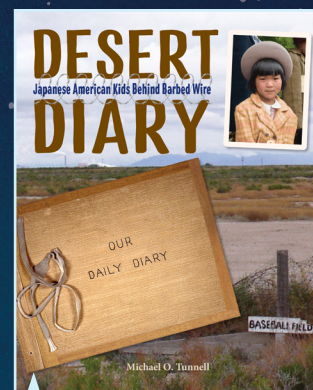
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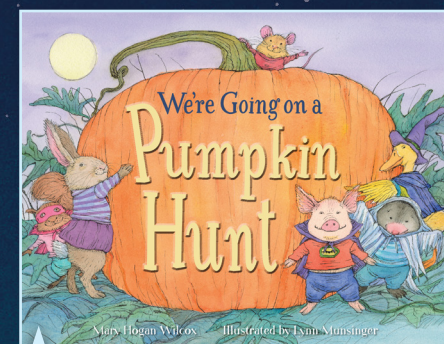
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