

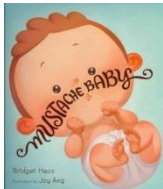
Utah Beehive Book Award Winners

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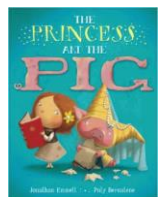
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MUSTACHE BABY (2015)

By Bridget Heos, illustrated by Joy Ang

Call #: JP Heos

A picture book about baby Billy, who is born with a mustache, and his parents, who must figure out if it's a Good-Guy mustache, or a Bad-Guy mustache.



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THE PRINCESS AND THE PIG (2014)

By Jonathan Emmett

Call #: JP Emmett

When a new baby princess accidentally changes places with a piglet, both of their lives are forever changed.



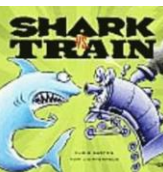
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PRESS HERE (2013)

By Herve Tullet

Call #: JP Tullet

Press, shake, and turn the page for the best interactive reading experience.



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SHARK VS. TRAIN (2012)

By Chris Barton

Call #: JP Barton

A shark and a train compete in a series of contests to see who is best.



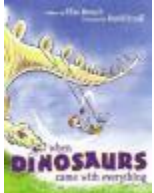
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DUCK! RABBIT! (2011)

By Amy Krouse Rosenthal

Call #: JP Rosenthal

Is it a duck or a rabbit? Depends on how you look at it! There's also a subtle lesson for kids who don't know when to let go of an argument.



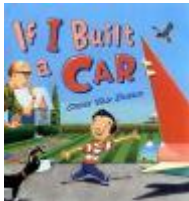
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WHEN DINOSAURS CAME WITH EVERYTHING (2010)

By Elise Broach

Call #: JP Broach

Although his mother is a little worried, a young boy is delighted to discover that every shop in town is giving away real dinosaurs to their customers.



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IF I BUILT A CAR (2009)

By Chris Van Dusen

Call #: JP VanDusen

Jack describes the kind of car he would build—one with amazing accessories and with the capability of traveling on land, in the air, and on and under the sea.



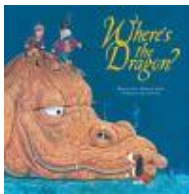
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MOMMY? (2008)

By Maurice Sendak

Call #: JP Sendak

Lift the flaps to help the little boy find his mommy in a house where monsters live.



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WHERE'S THE DRAGON? (2007)

By Jason Hook

Call #: JP Hook

Can you see and touch the dragon? Can you find lots and lots of dragons? They're everywhere!



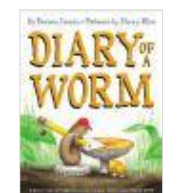
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SOME DOGS DO (2006)

By Jez Alborough

Call #: JP Alborough

When Sid tries to convince his doggy classmates that he flew to school, they do not believe him.



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DIARY OF A WORM (2005)

By Doreen Cronin

Call #: JP Cronin

A young worm discovers, day by day, that there are some very good and some not so good things about being a worm in this great big world.





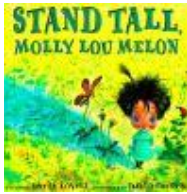
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BERTIE WAS A WATCHDOG (2004)

By Rick Walton

Call #: JP Walton

Bertie, a dog as small as a watch, outsmarts an overconfident robber.



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STAND TALL, MOLLY LOU MELON (2003)

By Patty Lovell

Call #: JP Lovell

Even when the class bully at her new school makes fun of her, Molly remembers what her grandmother told her and she feels good about herself.



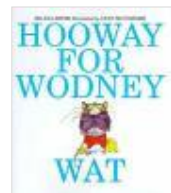
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SITTING DUCKS (2002)

By Michael Bedard

Call #: JP Bedard

A sympathetic alligator befriends a lonely duck and becomes alienated from the rest of the town's alligators who think of ducks only as food.



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HOOWAY FOR WODNEY WAT (2001)

By Helen Lester

Call #: JP Lester

All his classmates make fun of Rodney because he can't pronounce his name, but it is Rodney's speech impediment that drives away the class bully.



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A BAD CASE OF STRIPES (2000)

By David Shannon

Call #: JP Shannon

In order to ensure her popularity, Camilla Cream always does what is expected, until the day arrives when she no longer recognizes herself.



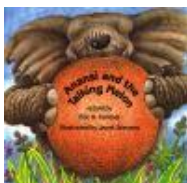
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WATCH OUT! BIG BRO'S COMING! (1999)

By Jez Alborough

Call #: JP Alborough

Terror spreads through the jungle as animals hear the news that rough, tough Big Bro is coming.



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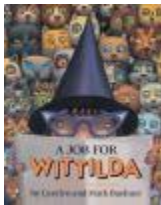
ANANSI AND THE TALKING MELON (1998)

By Eric A. Kimmel

Call #: J398.245 Kim

A clever spider tricks Elephant and some other animals into thinking the melon in which he is hiding can talk.





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A JOB FOR WITTILDA (1997)

By Caralyn and Mark Buehner

Call #: JP Buehner

When Wittilda the witch is forced to look for a job, she finds her broom-flying ability comes in handy in applying for a job delivering pizzas.



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TWO OF EVERYTHING (1996)

By Lily Toy Hong

Call #: J398.209 Hon

A poor old Chinese farmer finds a magic brass pot that doubles or duplicates whatever is placed inside it, but his efforts to make himself wealthy lead to unexpected complications.

CHILDREN’S FICTION



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HURRICANE KATRINA, 2005 (I SURVIVED Series) (2015)

By Lauren Tarshis

Call #: JF Tarshis

Barry and his family are forced to stay home and wait for Katrina and his world is torn apart when he is swept away from his family.



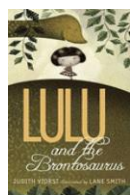
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WONDER (2014)

By R.J. Palacio

Call #: JF Palacio

Ten-year-old Auggie wants to be just another student at a private middle school in New York in spite of his facial deformity.



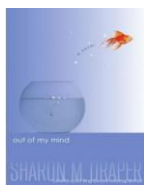
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LULU AND THE BRONTOSAURUS (2013)

By Judith Viorst

Call #: JF Viorst

You do not always get what you want, or it may turn out that you don't always want what you thought.



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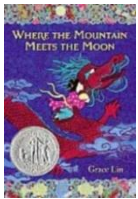
OUT OF MY MIND (2012)

By Sharon M. Draper

Call #: JF Draper

Melody discovers something that will allow her to speak for the first time ever but finds that not everyone is ready to hear what she has to say.





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WHERE THE MOUNTAIN MEETS THE MOON (2011)



By Grace Lin

Call #: JF Lin

When Minli buys a talking goldfish, she begins an adventure to find the Old Man of the Mountain and change her family's fortunes.



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THE MAGIC THIEF (2010)



By Sarah Prineas

Call #: JF Prineas

A young thief is drawn into a life of magic and adventure after picking the pocket of the powerful wizard Nevery Flinglas, who has returned from exile to attempt to reverse the troubling decline of magic in Wellmet City.



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THE CANDY SHOP WAR (2009)



By Brandon Mull

Call #: JF Mull

When 5th graders Nate, Summer, Trevor, and Pigeon meet the owner of the new candy store in town and are given a magical candy that endows them with super powers, they find that along with its benefits there are also dangerous consequences.



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THE MIRACULOUS JOURNEY OF EDWARD TULANE (2008)



By Kate DiCamillo

Call #: JF DiCamillo

Edward Tulane, a cold-hearted and proud toy rabbit, loves only himself until he is separated from the little girl who adores him and travels across the country, acquiring new owners and listening to their hopes, dreams, and histories.



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PRINCESS ACADEMY (2007)



By Shannon Hale

Call #: YF Hale

While attending a strict academy for potential princesses, 14-year-old Miri discovers unexpected talents and connections to her homeland.



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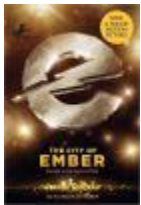
DRAGON RIDER (2006)



By Cornelia Funke

Call #: JF Funke

After learning that humans are headed toward his hidden home, Firedrake, a silver dragon, is joined by a brownie and an orphan boy in a quest to find the legendary valley known as the Rim of Heaven.



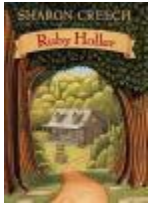
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THE CITY OF EMBER (2005)

By Jeanne DuPrau

Call #: JF DuPrau

In the year 241, 12-year-old Lina trades jobs on Assignment Day to be a Messenger to run to new places in her decaying but beloved city, perhaps even to glimpse Unknown Regions.



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RUBY HOLLER (2004)

By Sharon Creech

Call #: JF Creech

Fraternal twins Dallas and Florida have grown up in a terrible orphanage but their lives change forever when an eccentric but sweet older couple invites them each on an adventure, beginning in an almost magical place called Ruby Holler.



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THE TWO PRINCESSES OF BAMARRE (2003)

By Gail Carson Levine

Call #: YF Levine

With her adventurous sister, Meryl, suffering from the Grey death meek and timid Princess Addie sets out to find a cure.



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MIDNIGHT MAGIC (2002)

By Avi

Call #: JF Avi

In Italy in 1491, Mangus the magician and his apprentice are summoned to the castle of Duke Claudio to determine if his daughter is indeed being haunted by a ghost.



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THE SECRET OF PLATFORM 13 (2001)

By Eva Ibbotson

Call #: JF Ibbotson

Edge Gribble, a young hag, accompanies an old wizard, a gentle fey, and a giant ogre on their mission through a magical tunnel from their Island to London to rescue their King and Queen's son who had been stolen as an infant.



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FRINDLE (2000)

By Andrew Clements

Call #: JF Clements

When he decides to turn his 5th grade teacher's love of the dictionary around on her, clever Nick Allen invents a new word and begins a chain of events that quickly moves beyond his control.



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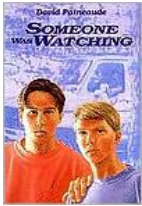
EARTHQUAKE TERROR (1999)

By Peg Kehret

Call #: JF Kehret

When an earthquake hits the isolated island in northern California where his family had been camping, 12-year-old Jonathan Palmer must find a way to keep himself, his partially paralyzed younger sister, and their dog alive until help arrives.





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SOMEONE WAS WATCHING (1998)

By David Patneau



Call #: YF Patneau

When his little sister disappears from the river near their summer home, 8th grader Chris won't believe that she has drowned, especially when his video of that day contains evidence that something entirely different has happened to her.



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WATCHDOG AND THE COYOTES (1997)

By Bill Wallace

Call #: JF Wallace

Sweetie, the great dane will end up in the pound if he bites or barks again, but he has to find a way to save his friends from the coyotes.



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TIME FOR ANDREW (1996)

By Mary Downing Hahn

Call #: JF Hahn

When he goes to spend the summer with his great-aunt in the family's old house, 11-year-old Drew is drawn eighty years into the past to trade places with his great-great-uncle who is dying of diphtheria.



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THE GHOSTS OF MERCY MANOR (1995)

By Betty Ren Wright

Call #: JF Wright

Gwen, an orphan who comes to live with the Mercy family, discovers that the house is haunted by the ghost of a sad-looking young girl and is determined to solve the mystery behind her appearances.



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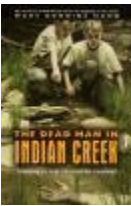
JEREMY THATCHER, DRAGON HATCHER (1994)

By Bruce Coville



Call #: JF Coville

Small for his age but artistically talented, 12-year-old Jeremy Thatcher unknowingly buys a dragon's egg.



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THE DEAD MAN IN INDIAN CREEK (1993)

By Mary Downing Hahn

Call #: JF Hahn

When Matt and Parker learn the body they found in Indian Creek is a drug-related death, they fear Parker's mother may be involved.



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THERE'S A BOY IN THE GIRLS' BATHROOM (1992)

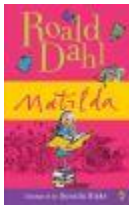
By Louis Sachar



Call #: JF Sachar

An unmanageable, but lovable, 11-year-old misfit learns to believe in himself when he gets to know the new school counselor, who is a sort of misfit too.





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MATILDA (1991)

By Roald Dahl

Call #: JF Dahl

Matilda applies her untapped mental powers to rid the school of the evil, child-hating headmistress, Miss Trunchbull, and restore her nice teacher, Miss Honey, to financial security.



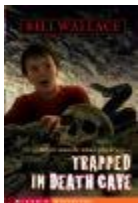
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THIS ISLAND ISN'T BIG ENOUGH FOR THE FOUR OF US! (1990)

By Gery Greer

Call #: JF Greer

Peter and Scott excitedly plan a camping trip to a deserted island, only to arrive and discover that two girls with zany senses of humor are already in residence.



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TRAPPED IN DEATH CAVE (1989)

By Bill Wallace

Call #: JF Wallace

A posthumous letter referring to buried treasure convinces Gary that his grandfather did not die a natural death and, with his friend Brian, he sets out to find both the treasure and his grandfather's killer.



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WAIT TILL HELEN COMES (1988)

By Mary Downing Hahn

Call #: JF Hahn

When the family moves to the country, Heather starts talking to a ghost named Helen. Heather's strange behavior concerns her siblings, but when Helen the ghost actually appears, concern diminishes into fear.



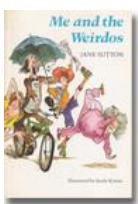
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SKINNYBONES (1987)

By Barbara Park

Call #: JF Park

Alex "Skinnybones" Frankovich finds himself in a pitching competition with the best baseball player in the school after bragging about his pitching skills.

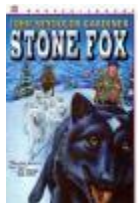


ME AND THE WEIRDOS (1986)

By Jane Sutton

(Not Available)

Ten-year-old Cindy, constantly embarrassed by her "weird" parents, finally learns to accept and appreciate their uniqueness.



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STONE FOX (1985)

By John Reynolds Gardiner

Call #: JF Gardiner

Little Willie hopes to pay the back taxes on his grandfather's farm with the purse from a dog sled race he enters.





LOST IN THE DEVIL'S DESERT (1984)

By Gloria Skurzynski

(Not Available)

Kevin finds himself alone and lost in the Utah desert, with only his wits to help him survive.



THE CHOCOLATE TOUCH (1983)

By Patrick Skene Catling

Call #: JF Catling

A boy acquires a magical gift that turns everything his lips touch into chocolate.



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SUPERFUDGE (1982)

By Judy Blume

Call #: JF Blume

Peter describes the highs and lows of life with his younger brother Fudge.



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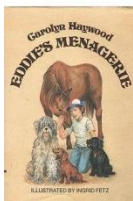
THE LETTER, THE WITCH, AND THE RING (1981)

By John Bellairs

Call #: JF Bellairs

Following clues in a mysterious deathbed letter, Rose Rita and a friendly witch, Mrs. Zimmerman, are lured into the sinister world of the occult.

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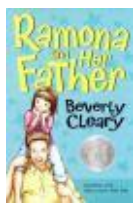


EDDIE'S MENAGERIE (1981)

By Carolyn Haywood

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Eddie gets a job at a pet store.



RAMONA AND HER FATHER (1980)

By Beverly Cleary

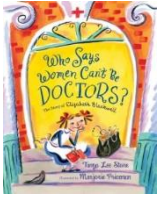
Call #: JF Cleary

The family routine is upset during Ramona's year in 2nd grade when her father unexpectedly loses his job.



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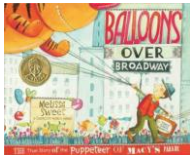
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WHO SAYS WOMEN CAN'T BE DOCTORS? : The story of Elizabeth Blackwell (2015)

By Tanya Lee Stone, illustrated by Marjorie Priceman

Call #: J Biography Blackwell

An introduction to the life and achievements of the first American female doctor describes the limited career prospects available to women, the opposition Blackwell faced while pursuing a medical degree, and her pioneering career that opened doors for future generations of women.



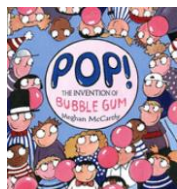
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BALLOONS OVER BROADWAY (2014)

By Melissa Sweet

Call #: J791.53 Swe

Meet the extraordinary puppeteer that invented the puppets we see in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade.



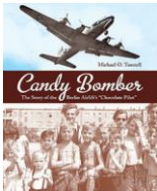
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POP! THE INVENTION OF BUBBLE GUM (2013)

By Meghan McCarthy

Call #: J664.6 McC

Learn about this favorite treat, invented by an accountant!



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CANDY BOMBER (2012)

By Michael O. Tunnell

Call #: J943.155 Tun

Following WWII, U.S. Air Force pilot, Gail Halvorsen, dropped candy packages to bring joy to the children of the ruined city of Berlin.



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FROGS (2011)

By Nic Bishop

Call #: J597.89 Bis

Photographs show all different kinds of frogs, big ones, very tiny ones, frogs with beautiful colors of skin, and one frog you can see inside of.



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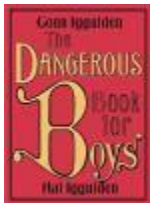
HOW BIG IS IT? (2010)

By Ben Hillman

Call #: J153.752 Hil

Computer-altered photos show just how big some things are by placing them with real-life references, such as a polar bear looming over a basketball hoop.





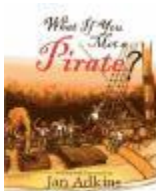
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THE DANGEROUS BOOK FOR BOYS (2009)

By Conn and Hal Iggulden

Call #: J031.02 Igg

For boys 8 to 80. Covers essential boyhood skills from building a tree house, learning how to fish, finding true north, how to make go-carts, tie knots, skip stones, and even the age old question of what the big deal is about girls.



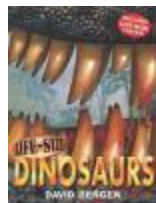
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WHAT IF YOU MET A PIRATE? (2008)

By Jan Adkins

Call #: J364.164 Adk

Pirates and piracy, buried treasure, and life on the high seas are brought to life in this colorful book.



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LIFE-SIZE DINOSAURS (2007)

By David Bergen

Call #: J567.9 Ber

Life size facts about dinosaurs.



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ACTUAL SIZE (2006)

By Steve Jenkins

Call #: J591.41 Jen

Discusses and gives examples of the size and weight of various animals and parts of animals.



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HOW ANGEL PETERSON GOT HIS NAME (2005)

By Gary Paulsen

Call #: J813.54 Pau

Author Gary Paulsen relates tales from his youth in a small town in Minnesota in the late '40s/early '50s, such as skiing behind a souped-up car and imitating daredevil Evel Knievel.



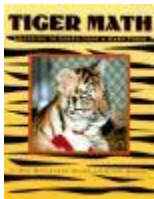
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LEONARDO'S HORSE (2004)

By Jan Fritz

Call #: J730.92 Fri

Offers the story of Leonardo da Vinci's plan to make a great sculptured bronze horse statue to stand before a palace in Milan and the American man who made the master's dream realized 500 years later.



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TIGER MATH (2003)

By Ann Whitehead Nagda

Call #: J511.5 Nag

Describes the growth of an orphan Siberian tiger cub, by means of words and graphs.



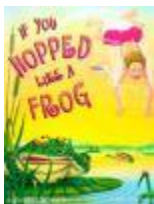
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THE SNAKE SCIENTIST (2002)

By Sy Montgomery

Call #: J597.96 Mon

Discusses the work of Bob Mason and his efforts to study and protect snakes, particularly red-sided garter snakes.



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IF YOU HOPPED LIKE A FROG (2001)

By David Schwartz

Call #: J513.24 Sch

Introduces the concept of ratio by comparing what humans would be able to do if they had bodies like different animals.



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A DROP OF WATER (2000)

By Walter Wick

Call #: J546.22 Wic

Describes the origins, characteristics, and uses of water.



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PASSAGE TO FREEDOM (1999)

By Ken Mochizuki

Call #: J940.531 Moc

A Japanese diplomat saves thousands of Jewish refugees by defying government orders and issuing them visas.



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IT'S A SPOON, NOT A SHOVEL (1998)

By Caralyn Buehner

Call #: J395.122 Bue

Each page has fun quizzes to test if your manners are monstrous or marvelous.



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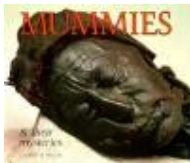
NEVER TAKE A PIG TO LUNCH (1997)

By Nadine Bernard Westcott

Call #: J811.008 Nev

A collection of poems and traditional rhymes about food and eating.





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MUMMIES AND THEIR MYSTERIES (1996)

By Charlotte Wilcox

Call #: J393.3 Wil

Discusses mummies found around the world, including Peru, Denmark, and the Italian Alps, and explains how studying them provides clues to past ways of life.



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SADAKO (1995)

By Eleanor Coerr

Call #: JP Coerr

Hospitalized with the dreaded atom bomb disease, leukemia, a child in Hiroshima races against time to fold one thousand paper cranes to verify the legend that by doing so a sick person will become healthy.



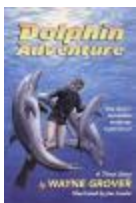
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STEPHEN BIESTY'S INCREDIBLE CROSS-SECTIONS (1994)

By Stephen Biesty

Call #: Y741.642 Bie

Cross-sectional illustrations present an inside view of such structures as a medieval castle, factory, and subway station.



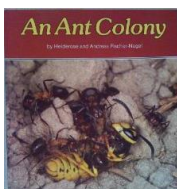
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DOLPHIN ADVENTURE: A TRUE STORY (1993)

By Wayne Grover

Call #: J599.53 Gro

A diver describes how he encounters and gains the trust of a family of dolphins and saves the life of their baby.



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AN ANT COLONY (1992)

By Heiderose Fischer-Nagel

Call #: J595.796 Fis

Describes the life cycle and community life of ants.



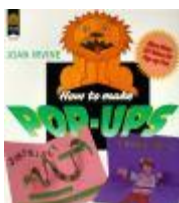
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BILL PEET: AN AUTOBIOGRAPHY (1991)

By Bill Peet

Call #: J92 Peet

The well-known author and illustrator relates the story of his life and work.



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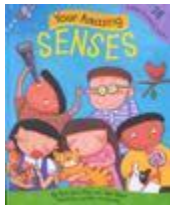
HOW TO MAKE POP-UPS (1990)

By Joan Irvine

Call #: J745.54 Irv

Offers step-by-step instructions for making pop-up cards, books, sculptures, and other objects out of materials found at home.



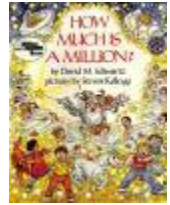


YOUR AMAZING SENSES (1989)

By Ron and Atie van der Meer

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This book has dozens of tricks, games, and activities to explore the senses, mostly sight and touch.



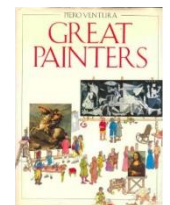
HOW MUCH IS A MILLION? (1988)

By David M. Schwartz

Call #: JP Schwartz

Text and pictures try to make possible the conceptualization of a million, a billion, and a trillion.

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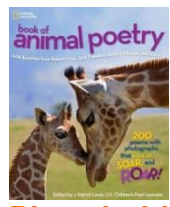
GREAT PAINTERS (1986)

By Piero Ventura

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Traces the development of European painting from the late 1200s through World War I by examining the lives and works of such artists as Giotto, Delacroix, Gauguin, and Picasso.

POETRY BOOKS



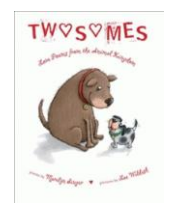
NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC BOOK OF ANIMAL POETRY: 200 Poems with Photographs that Squeak, Soar, and Roar! (2015)

Edited by J. Patrick Lewis

Call #: J808.819 Nat

Combines photography with lyrical text celebrating the animal world, in a compilation of poems from various poets, both new and well-known.

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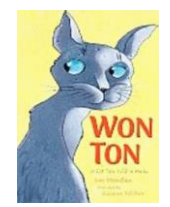
TWOSOMES: LOVE POEMS FROM THE ANIMAL KINGDOM (2014)

By Marilyn Singer

Call #: J811.54 Sin

Imagine how some animals declare their love, affection, or friendship any day of the year.

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WON TON: A CAT TALE TOLD IN HAIKU (2013)

By Lee Wardlaw

Call #: JP Wardlaw

A cat arrives at a shelter, arranges to go home with a good family, and settles in with them, all the while letting them know who is boss and, finally, sharing his real name.

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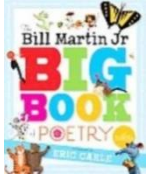
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THE DANCING PANCAKE (2012)

By Eileen Spinelli

Call #: JF Spinelli

In this story told entirely in verse, Bindi tries to figure out how to be a new version of herself, one pancake and silly elephant joke at a time.



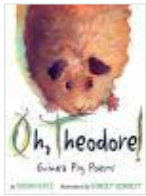
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THE BILL MARTIN JR. BIG BOOK OF POETRY (2011)

By Bill Martin Jr., Ed.

Call #: J811.54 Bil

The definitive anthology of children's poetry with beautiful illustrations.



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OH, THEODORE!: GUINEA PIG POEMS (2010)

By Susan Katz

Call #: J811.54 Kat

A collection of poems about Theodore, an adorable guinea pig.



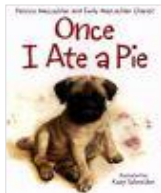
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DOGKU (2009)

By Andrew Clements

Call #: JP Clements

A haiku poem about a loveable dog.



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ONCE I ATE A PIE (2008)

By Patricia MacLachlan

Call #: J811.54 Mac

A collection of poems about dogs and what they do.



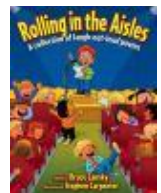
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HOTEL DEEP (2007)

By Kurt Cyrus

Call #: J811.6 Cyr

Twenty-one poems tell the story of a lone sardine separated from his school within a huge coral reef and the creatures he meets as he searches for the way back.



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ROLLING IN THE AISLES (2006)

By Bruce Lansky

Call #: J811.07 Rol

Silly poems about friends, pets, brothers and sisters, school, being sick, and other topics.





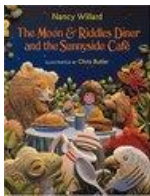
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GIANT CHILDREN (2005)

By Brod Bagert

Call #: J811.54 Bag

Poems about the crazy world of school-age children.



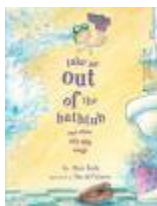
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THE MOON & RIDDLES DINER AND THE SUNNYSIDE CAFÉ (2004)

By Nancy Willard

Call #: J811.54 Wil

Strange and wonderful things happen at the Moon & Riddles Diner and the Sunnyside Café. You'll meet an unexpected cast of characters doing unusual things.



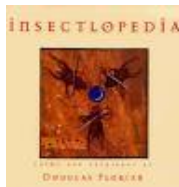
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TAKE ME OUT OF THE BATHTUB AND OTHER SILLY DILLY SONGS (2003)

By Alan Katz

Call #: J782.421 Kat

Well-known songs are presented with new silly words and titles.



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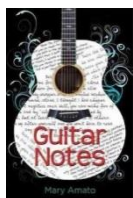
INSECTLOPEDIA (2002)

By Douglas Florian

Call #: J811.54 Flo

Presents twenty-one short poems about such insects as the inchworm, termite, cricket, and ladybug.

YOUNG ADULT BOOKS



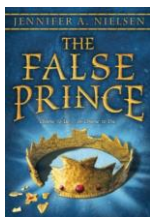
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GUITAR NOTES (2015)

By Mary Amato

Call #: YF Amato

Tripp, who plays guitar only for himself, and Lyla, a cellist whose talent has already made her famous but not happy, form an unlikely friendship when they are forced to share a practice room at their high school.



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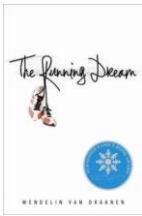
THE FALSE PRINCE (2014)

By Jennifer A. Nielsen

Call #: YF Nielsen

Sage, an orphan, learns he is to be passed off as the kingdom's long lost prince in order to avoid a civil war.





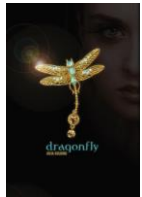
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THE RUNNING DREAM (2013)

By Wendelin Van Draanen

Call #: YF Van Draanen

When an accident leaves 16-year-old Jessica an amputee, she returns to school with a prosthetic limb and her track team finds a wonderful way to help rekindle her dream of running again.



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DRAGONFLY (2012)

By Julia Golding

Call #: YF Golding

Princess Taoshira and Prince Ramil of Gerfal hate each other on sight and their impending marriage looks doomed until the pair is kidnapped. They must put aside their differences to save both kingdoms.



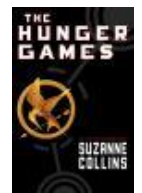
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PRINCESS OF THE MIDNIGHT BALL (2011)

By Jessica Day George

Call #: YF George

Every night the 12 princesses wear out their dancing shoes, but never do they leave their room. The mystery intrigues Galen, who has fallen in love with Princess Rose.



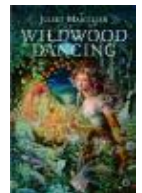
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THE HUNGER GAMES (2010)

By Suzanne Collins

Call #: YF Collins

In a future North America, an annual televised survival competition pits young people against each other. Will Katniss's skills help her survive?



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WILDWOOD DANCING (2009)

By Juliet Marillier

Call #: YF Marillier

Five sisters who live with their merchant father in Transylvania use a hidden portal in their home to cross over into a magical world, the Wildwood.



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BAD KITTY (2008)

By Michele Jaffe

Call #: YF Jaffe

While vacationing with her family in Las Vegas, 17-year-old Jasmine stumbles upon a murder mystery that she attempts to solve with the help of her friends, recently arrived from California.





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THE LIGHTNING THIEF (2007)

By Rick Riordan

Call #: YF Riordan

Twelve-year-old Percy Jackson learns he is a demigod, the son of a mortal woman and Poseidon, god of the sea. His mother sends him to a summer camp for demigods where he and his new friends set out on a quest to prevent a war between the gods.



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AIRBORN (2006)

By Kenneth Oppel

Call #: YF Oppel

Matt, a young cabin boy aboard an airship, and Kate, a wealthy young girl traveling with her chaperone, team up to search for the existence of mysterious winged creatures reportedly living hundreds of feet above the Earth's surface.



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ERAGON (2005)

By Christopher Paolini

Call #: YF Paolini

In Aagaesia, a 15-year-old boy of unknown lineage called Eragon finds a mysterious stone that weaves his life into an intricate tapestry of destiny, magic, and power, peopled with dragons, elves, and monsters.



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STORMBREAKER (2004)

By Anthony Horowitz

Call #: YF Horowitz

After the death of the uncle who had been his guardian, 14-year-old Alex Rider is coerced to continue his uncle's dangerous work for Britain's intelligence agency, MI6.



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TOUCHING SPIRIT BEAR (2003)

By Ben Mikaelson

Call #: YF Mikaelson

Cole avoids going to prison by agreeing to participate in a sentencing alternative based on the native American Circle Justice. He is sent to a remote Alaskan Island where an encounter with a huge Spirit Bear changes his life.



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DOWNSIDERS (2002)

By Neal Shusterman

Call #: YF Shusterman

When Lindsay meets Talon, who lives in the secret Downsider community that evolved in the subterranean passages of the subway built in New York in 1867, she and her new friend try to bridge the differences between their two cultures.



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A LONG WAY FROM CHICAGO (2001)

By Richard Peck

Call #: JF Peck

A boy recounts his annual summer trips to rural Illinois with his sister during the Great Depression to visit their larger-than-life grandmother.





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LITTLE SISTER (2000)

By Kara Dalkey

Call #: YF Dalkey

Fujiwara no Mitsuko, daughter of a noble family in Japan, enlists the help of a shape-shifter and other figures from Japanese mythology in her efforts to save her older sister's life.



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SOS TITANIC (1999)

By Eve Bunting

Call #: YF Bunting

Fifteen-year-old Barry O'Neill, traveling from Ireland to America on the maiden voyage of the Titanic, finds his life endangered when the ship hits an iceberg and begins to sink.



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THE MERLIN EFFECT (1998)

By T.A. Barron

Call #: YF Barron

When she joins her father and several others investigating a strange whirlpool and possible sunken treasure ship off the coast of Baja California, 13-year-old Kate is drawn into a centuries-old conflict between Merlin and the evil Vagar.



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IN MY FATHER'S HOUSE (1997)

By Ann Rinaldi

Call #: YF Rinaldi

For two sisters growing up surrounded by the Civil War, there is conflict both outside and inside their house.



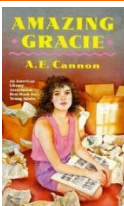
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NOTHING TO FEAR (1996)

By Jackie French Koller

Call #: JF Koller

When his father moves away to find work and his mother becomes ill, Danny struggles to help his family during the Great Depression.



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AMAZING GRACIE (1995)

By A.E. Cannon

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Gracie deals with her mother's depression, remarriage, a move, and having to care for her new stepbrother. Gracie is amazing in dealing with all this.



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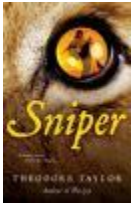
THE TRUE CONFESSIONS OF CHARLOTTE DOYLE (1994)

By Avi

Call #: YF Avi

Charlotte is the only passenger, and only female, on a transatlantic voyage in 1832, where she finds herself caught between a murderous captain and a mutinous crew.





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SNIPER (1993)

By Theodore Taylor

Call #: YF Taylor

Fifteen-year-old Ben must cope alone when a mysterious sniper begins shooting the big cats in his family's private zoological preserve.



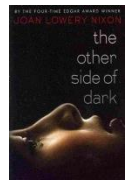
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DON'T LOOK BEHIND YOU (1992)

By Lois Duncan

Call #: YF Duncan

Seventeen-year-old April finds her comfortable life changed forever when death threats to her father, a witness in a federal case, force her family to go into hiding under assumed names and flee the pursuit of a hired killer.



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THE OTHER SIDE OF DARK (1991)

By Joan Lowery Nixon

Call #: YF Nixon

Seventeen-year-old Stacy awakens from a four-year coma ready to identify, locate, and prosecute the young man who murdered her mother and wounded her.

