

92 Bentley

Martin, Jacqueline Briggs. Snowflake Bentley. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, c1998. A biography of a self-taught scientist who photographed thousands of individual snowflakes in order to study their unique formations.

92 CLE

Cleary, Beverly. A girl from Yamhill : a memoir. New York : Morrow Junior Books, c1988.

92 Washington

Thomas, Peggy. Farmer George plants a nation. 1st ed. Honesdale, Pa. : Calkins Creek, c2008. Describes how George Washington built his farm at Mount Vernon, discussing his experiments with seeds, fertilizers, and tools and presenting related letters and diary entries.

327.67 Dee

Deedy, Carmen Agra. 14 cows for America. 1st ed. Atlanta : Peachtree, c2009. Presents an illustrated tale of a gift of fourteen cows given by the Maasai people of Kenya to the U.S. as a gesture of comfort and friendship in the wake of the attacks of September 11, 2001.

393 MAR

Markle, Sandra. Outside and inside mummies. New York : [S.l.] : Walker ; Distributed to the trade by Holtzbrinck Publishers, 2005. Describes the technology that is used in uncover the many secrets of mummies including how they died, their age, and their diet.

421 HEP

Hepworth, Catherine. Antics! : an alphabetical anthology. New York : Putnam, c1992. Alphabet entries from A to Z all have an 'ant' somewhere in the word, such as E for Enchanter, P for Pantaloons, S for Santa Claus, and Y for Your Ant Yetta.

516 SWI

Swinburne, Stephen R. Lots and lots of zebra stripes : patterns in nature. 1st Boyds Mills Press pbk. ed. Honesdale, Pa. : Boyds Mills Press, 2001, c1998. A photo-essay featuring patterns that appear in nature from animal colorings to physical phenomena.

546 Wic

Wick, Walter. A drop of water : a book of science and wonder. New York : Scholastic, 1997. Describes the origins, characteristics, and uses of water.

551.5 KRA

Kramer, Stephen P. Lightning. Minneapolis : Carolrhoda Books,

c1992. Covers a variety of facts on lightning, including how it is formed, the different types of lightning, what thunder is and its relationship to lightning, safety measures, etc.

552 BAY

Baylor, Byrd. Everybody needs a rock. New York : Scribner, [1974]. Describes the qualities to consider in selecting

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the perfect rock for play and pleasure.

583 BAS

Bash, Barbara. Tree of life : the world of the African baobab. 1st ed. San Francisco : Sierra Club Books, c1989. Text and pictures document the life cycle of this amazing tree of the African savannah, and portrays the animals and people it helps to support.

591 JEN

Jenkins, Steve, 1952-. Biggest, strongest, fastest. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, c1995. Presents 14 animals that are record holders in such areas as size, strength, speed, and age.

591.4 Jen

Jenkins, Steve, 1952-. Actual size. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, 2004. Discusses and gives examples of the size and weight of various animals and parts of animals.

591.56 Col

Collard, Sneed B. Animal dads. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, c1997. Illustrations and simple text describe how the males of different species help take care of their young.

595.3 TOK

Tokuda, Yukihiisa, 1940-. I'm a pill bug. 1st American ed. La Jolla, CA : Kane/Miller Book Publishers, c2006. Simple text and illustrations describe the life cycle of pill bugs, where they live, what they eat, and how they protect themselves.

597.8 Bis

Bishop, Nic, 1955-. Nic Bishop frogs. New York : Scholastic Nonfiction, c2008. Collection of close-up photographs capturing an array of diverse frogs in their natural habitat, including bullfrogs and dart frogs.

599.4 Lun

Lunde, Darrin P. Hello, bumblebee bat. Watertown, MA : Charlesbridge, c2007. Colorful illustrations and simple text describe the characteristics, habitat, and habits of the Bumblebee Bat.

599.4 Mar

Markle, Sandra. Little lost bat. Watertown, MA : Charlesbridge, c2006. Chronicles the early life of an orphaned Mexican free-tailed bat, from its birth to its adoption by a new mother.

600 MAC

Macaulay, David. The new way things work. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, c1998. Includes MAGLEV vehicles, body scanners, microchips, computers, GPS, virtual reality, seat belts, pumps, hydraulics,. Text and numerous detailed illustrations introduce and explain the scientific principles and workings of hundreds of machines. Includes new material about digital technology.

609 Bar

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Barretta, Gene. Now & Ben : the modern inventions of Benjamin Franklin. 1st ed. New York : Henry Holt, 2006. Simple text describes some of the many inventions made by Benjamin Franklin that have endured to this day such as illustrations in newspapers, eyeglasses, and the use of electricity.

628.1 Col

Cole, Joanna. The magic school bus at the waterworks. New York : Scholastic Inc., c1986. When Ms. Frizzle, the strangest teacher in school, takes her class on a field trip to the waterworks, everyone ends up experiencing the water purification system from the inside.

628.9 Dem

Demarest, Chris L. Firefighters A to Z. 1st ed. New York : M. K. McElderry, c2000. An alphabetic look at a firefighter's day.

910 Jen

Jenkins, Steve,. Hottest, coldest, highest, deepest. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, 1998.

E ALL

Allard, Harry. Miss Nelson is back. Boston : Houghton Mifflin Co., c1982. When their teacher has to go away for a week, the kids in room 207 plan to "really act up."

E Bem

Marciano, John Bemelmans. Madeline and the cats of Rome. New York : Viking, c2008. The orphan Madeline catches a thief and makes a friend in Rome.

E BRI

Brinckloe, Julie. Fireflies! 1st Aladdin ed. New York :

Aladdin Books, 1986, c1985. A young boy is proud of having caught a jar full of fireflies, which seems to him like owning a piece of moonlight, but as the light begins to dim he realizes he must set the insects free or they will die.

E Bun

Bunting, Eve, 1928-. *Hurry! Hurry!* 1st ed. Orlando : Harcourt, c2007. All the animals of the barnyard community hurry to greet their newest member, who is just pecking his way out of an egg.

E Cof

Coffelt, Nancy. *Fred stays with me.* 1st ed. New York : Little, Brown, 2007. A child describes how she lives sometimes with her mother and sometimes with her father, but her dog is her constant companion.

E COO

Cooney, Barbara, 1917-. *Miss Rumphius.* New York : Viking Press, 1982. After making her girlhood dreams of world travel and living by the sea come true, a retired librarian follows her grandfather's old advice of doing something to make the world more beautiful, and then passes that wisdom on to her grandniece.

E DRA - PBOR Shelf

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Dragonwagon, Crescent. *Home place.* 1st ed. New York : Macmillan, c1990. While out hiking, a family comes upon the site of an old house and finds some clues about the people that once lived there.

E Fra

Franco, Betsy. *Birdsongs.* 1st ed. New York : Margaret K. McElderry Books, c2007. Throughout the day and into the night various birds sing their songs, beginning with the woodpecker who taps a pole ten times and counting down to the hummingbird who calls once.

E Fra

Frazer, Marla. *Roller coaster.* 1st ed. San Diego : Harcourt, c2003. Twelve people set aside their fears and ride a roller coaster, including one who has never done so before.

E Gra

Graham, Bob, 1942-. *How to heal a broken wing.* 1st U.S. ed. Cambridge, Mass. : Candlewick Press, c2008. When Will finds a bird with a broken wing, he takes it home and cares for it, hoping in time it will be able to return to the sky.

E Gre

Grey, Mini. *Traction Man meets Turbodog.* 1st American ed. New

York : Knopf, c2008. Traction Man, an action figure, teams up with the high-tech but not-so-bright Turbodog to rescue Scrubbing Brush, his missing sidekick, from the terrible underworld of the bin.

E JOH

Johnson, Stephen, 1964-. Alphabet city. New York : Viking, 1995. Illustrations of objects in an urban setting present the letters of the alphabet.

E Jus

Juster, Norton, 1929-. The hello, goodbye window. 1st ed. New York : Michael Di Capua Books/Hyperion Books for Children, 2005. A little girl tells about the special kitchen window at her beloved Nanny and Poppy's house from which a person can see anyone or anything coming and going.

E Kel

Keller, Laurie. The scrambled states of America : talent show. 1st ed. New York : Henry Holt, 2008. The states decide to get together and put on a show featuring their particular talents. Also includes facts about the history and geography of the states.

E Kle

Kleven, Elisa. The apple doll. 1st ed. New York : Farrar Straus Giroux, c2007. Lizzy is scared to start school, so she makes a doll out of an apple from her favorite tree to take with her on the first day and keep her company.

E Kus

Kuskin, Karla. Green as a bean. 1st ed. New York : Laura Geringer Books, c2007. Questions in verse about the many things you could be if you were square or soft or loud or red or small or fat or fierce or dark.

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E LaR

LaRochelle, David. The end. 1st ed. New York : Arthur A. Levine Books, 2007. When a princess makes some lemonade, she starts a chain of events involving a fire-breathing dragon, one hundred rabbits, a hungry giant, and a handsome knight.

E Lee

Lee, Suzy. Wave. San Francisco, Calif. : Chronicle Books, c2008. A wordless picture book that shows a little girl's first experiences at the beach, as she goes from being afraid of the roaring waves to playing on the shore while gulls soar overhead.

E Leh

Lehman, Barbara. Trainstop. New York : Houghton Mifflin, c2008.
In this wordless picture book, a young girl takes a train
and makes a stop at a most unusual place where she has an
important task to perform.

E Lio

Lionni, Leo, 1910-. Little blue and little yellow : a story for
Pippo and Ann and other children. [New York] :
HarperCollins, [1994], c1959. A little blue spot and a
little yellow spot are best friends, and when they hug each
other they become green.

E MAC

MacLachlan, Patricia. All the places to love. New York :
HarperCollins, c1994. A young boy describes the favorite
places that he shares with his family on his grandparent's
farm and in the nearby countryside.

E MAR

Marzollo, Jean. I spy extreme challenger! : a book of picture
riddles. New York : Scholastic, c2000. A
brightly-illustrated collection of picture puzzles.

E MAT

Mathers, Petra. Sophie and Lou. 1st ed. New York :
HarperCollins Publishers, c1991. Shy Sophie, enticed by the
dancing that she sees in the studio across the street, sets
out to learn on her own.

E MCK

McKissack, Pat, 1944-. Mirandy and Brother Wind. New York :
Knopf : Distributed by Random House, c1988. To win first
prize in the junior cakewalk, Mirandy tries to capture the
wind for her partner.

E MCL

McLerran, Alice, 1933-. Roxaboxen. New York : Lothrop, Lee &
Shepard, 1990. A hill covered with rocks and wooden boxes
becomes an imaginary town for Marian, her sisters, and their
friends.

E Med

Meddaugh, Susan. Hog-eye / lit circle. Boston : Houghton
Mifflin, c1995. A young pig uses her ability to read to

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outwit an illiterate wolf that intends to eat her.

E NYE

Nye, Naomi Shihab. Sitti's secrets. 1st ed. New York : Four
Winds Press, c1994. A young girl describes a visit to see
her grandmother in a Palestinian village on the West Bank.

E OBE

Oberman, Sheldon. The always prayer shawl. 1st ed. Honesdale, Pa. : Boyds Mills Press, 1994. A prayer shawl is handed down from grandfather to grandson in this story of Jewish tradition and the passage of generations.

E Pal

Palatini, Margie. The perfect pet. 1st ed. [New York] : HarperCollinsPublishers, c2003. After Elizabeth's parents do not agree with her various suggestions for the perfect pet, she discovers a solution.

E Pal

Palatini, Margie. The cheese. 1st ed. New York : Katherine Tegen Books, 2007. After they all agree to ignore the story of "The Farmer in the Dell," the rat, cat, dog, child, farmer, and his wife have a party featuring the tempting hunk of cheese.

E PAU

Paulsen, Gary. Worksong. 1st Voyager Books ed. San Diego : Voyager Books, 2000, c1997. Illustrations and rhyming text depict people doing all kinds of work.

E Pol - PBOR Shelf

Polacco, Patricia. Ginger and Petunia. New York : Philomel Books, c2007. When her beloved Ginger, a piano-playing socialite and very snappy dresser, makes a last-minute trip to London not knowing her housesitter has cancelled, Petunia the pig does more than fend for herself, she becomes Ginger.

E RIN - PBOR Shelf

Ringgold, Faith. Aunt Harriet's Underground Railroad in the sky. 1st ed. New York : Crown, c1992. With Harriet Tubman as her guide, Cassie retraces the steps escaping slaves took on the Underground Railroad in order to reunite with her younger brother.

E SCH

Schroeder, Alan. Ragtime Tumpie. 1st ed. Boston : Joy Street Books, c1989. Tumpie, a young black girl who will later become famous as the dancer Josephine Baker, longs to find the opportunity to dance amid the poverty and vivacious street life of St. Louis in the early 1900s.

E SEN

Sendak, Maurice. Where the wild things are. [New York] : Harper & Row, c1963. A naughty little boy, sent to bed without his supper, sails to the land of the wild things where he becomes their king.

E SEN

Sendak, Maurice. Where the wild things are. 25th anniversary

ed. [New York] : HarperCollins, 1984, c1963. After he is sent to bed without supper for behaving like a wild thing, Max dreams of a voyage to the island where the wild things are.

E SHA

Shaw, Nancy (Nancy E.). Sheep out to eat. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, c1992. Five hungry sheep discover that a teashop may not be the best place for them to eat.

E SHA

Shannon, George. Tomorrow's alphabet. 1st ed. New York : Greenwillow Books, c1996. Introduces items that eventually become things that start with each letter of the alphabet, such as O is for acorn, which becomes tomorrow's oak tree.

E Sie

Sierra, Judy. Mind your manners, B.B. Wolf. 1st ed. New York : Knopf, 2007. When B.B. Wolf, who now lives in the Villain Villa Retirement Residence, is invited to the library for a storybook tea, he is careful to follow the advice of his crocodile friend and impresses everyone with how polite he can be.

E Smi

Smith, Charles R., 1969-. I am America. New York : Scholastic, c2003. Contains photographs of American children in a wide variety of poses along with rhyming text.

E Taf

Tafolla, Carmen, 1951-. What can you do with a rebozo? Berkeley, Calif. : Tricycle Press, c2008. A spunky, young Mexican American girl explains the many uses of her mother's red rebozo, or long scarf.

E VAN

Van Allsburg, Chris. The Polar Express. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, c1985. A magical train ride on Christmas Eve takes a boy to the North Pole to receive a special gift from Santa Claus.

E Wal

Walker, Sally M. The Vowel family : a tale of lost letters. Minneapolis : Carolrhoda Books, c2008. The members of the Vowel family have a hard time talking until their children, Alan, Ellen, Iris, Otto, and Ursula, are born, and when one of them gets lost one day, it takes their Aunt Cyndy to fix the problem.

E Whe

Wheeler, Lisa, 1963-. Jazz baby. 1st ed. Orlando, Fla. : Harcourt, c2007. Baby and his family make some jazzy music.

E WIE

Wiesner, David. Tuesday. New York : Clarion Books, c1991.

Frogs rise on their lily pads, float through the air, and explore the nearby houses while their inhabitants sleep.

E Wil

Willis, Jeanne. Cottonball Colin. Grand Rapids, MI : Eerdmans

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Books for Young Readers, 2008. A mother mouse has her smallest child sit quietly indoors so he won't get hurt, until his grandmother suggests wrapping him in cotton wool so he can play outdoors, which has an unexpected result.

E Won

Wong, Janet S. The dumpster diver. 1st ed. Cambridge, Mass. : Candlewick Press, 2007. Once a month--every week in the summer--Steve the electrician dons special gear and, with the help of youngsters who live in his building, dives into a dumpster seeking useful objects that they can transform into imaginative new ones.

E Yol

Yolen, Jane. How do dinosaurs go to school? New York : Blue Sky Press, c2007. Ten dinosaurs show that while they have the potential to create mischief at school, they know how to control themselves.

F BAY - PBOR Shelf

Baylor, Byrd. I'm in charge of celebrations. New York : Scribner's, c1986. A dweller in the desert celebrates a triple rainbow, a chance encounter with a coyote, and other wonders of the wilderness.

F Dow

Dowd, Siobhan. The London Eye mystery. 1st American ed. Oxford ; New York : David Fickling Books, [2008], c2007. When Ted and Kat's cousin Salim disappears from the London Eye ferris wheel, the two siblings must work together--Ted with his brain that is "wired differently" and impatient Kat--to try to solve the mystery of what happened to Salim.

F GAI

Gaiman, Neil. The graveyard book. 1st ed. New York : HarperCollins, c2008. The orphan Bod, short for Nobody, is taken in by the inhabitants of a graveyard as a child of eighteen months and raised lovingly and carefully to the age of eighteen years by the community of ghosts and otherworldly creatures.

F Lob - PBOR Shelf

Lobel, Arnold. Fables. [New York] : HarperCollins, c1980. Twenty original fables about an array of animal characters from crocodile to ostrich.

F MOS

Moss, Marissa. Amelia's notebook. 1st ed. Berkeley, Calif. : Tricycle Press, 1995. The hand-lettered contents of a nine-year-old girl's notebook, in which she records her thoughts and feelings about moving, starting school, and dealing with her older sister, as well as keeping her old best friend and making a new one.

F MOS

Moss, Marissa. Rachel's journal : the story of a pioneer girl. 1st Silver Whistle pbk. ed. San Diego : Harcourt, 2001, c1998. In her journal, Rachel chronicles her family's adventures traveling by covered wagon on the Oregon Trail in 1850.

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F O'DE

O'Dell, Scott, 1898-1989. My name is not Angelica. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, 1989. Relates the experiences of a young Senegalese girl brought as a slave to the Danish-owned Caribbean island of St. John as she participates in the slave revolt of 1733-1734.

F ROW

Rowling, J. K. Harry Potter and the sorcerer's stone. 1st American ed. New York : A.A. Levine Books, 1998. Rescued from the outrageous neglect of his aunt and uncle, a young boy with a great destiny proves his worth while attending Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry.

F VAN - PBOR Shelf

Van Allsburg, Chris. Jumanji. Boston : Houghton Mifflin Co., c1981. Left on their own for an afternoon, two bored and restless children find more excitement than they bargained for in a mysterious and mystical jungle adventure board game.

Kit E Kis

Penn, Audrey. The kissing hand. [New York, N.Y.] : Scholastic, p1998. Jane Gabbert, narrator. When Chester the raccoon is reluctant to go to kindergarten for the first time, his mother teaches him a secret way to carry her love with him.

Kit E Whe

Sendak, Maurice. Where the wild things are. [New York, N.Y.] : Scholastic, p1989. A naughty little boy, sent to bed without his supper, sails to the land of the wild things where he becomes their king.