

Dear Friends of Dawn Publications,

Nature bursts with fresh energy in the Spring, and so do our new books! Two new authors and illustrators have joined the Dawn family, and their books are filled with humor, beauty, and a special kind of charm.

Written by Ann Ingalls, the rhyming verses of *Why Should I Walk? I Can Fly!* describe an amazing springtime event that happens all over the country — baby birds taking their first flight! The main character, a robin fledgling, discovers that flying is a lot harder than it looks. Rebecca Evans' lively watercolor illustrations capture the little bird's turmoil and eventual triumph. Along the way, children receive a gentle message about the importance of perseverance.

Scampers Thinks Like a Scientist, written by Mike Allegra and illustrated by Elizabeth Zechel, is a delightful tale about a curious and creative little mouse who cleverly uses science to figure out what's really happening in the garden. With a light-hearted touch, *Scampers* models the process that real scientists use, and her enthusiasm will inspire children to ask their own questions and conduct their own experiments. Thinking like a scientist is fun!

Creative nonfiction is at its best in these books. Engaging storylines capture a child's imagination and are supplemented with nonfiction information and photos in the back of the book. STEM activities are provided for parents and teachers, helping them extend the learning.

Thank you for taking time to look through our catalog. We trust you'll find a book with just the right message for a child in your life.

Naturally Yours, Carol Malnor



L to R: Tera, Richard, Carol, Bruce, Muffy, Glenn



From *Why Should I Walk? I Can Fly!*

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A Moon of My Own
Octopus Escapes Again!
If You Love Honey: Nature's Connections
The Prairie That Nature Built
Nature's Patchwork Quilt: Understanding Habitats
Over in the Jungle: A Rainforest Rhyme
Grandma's Feather Bed
Sunshine On My Shoulders
Over in the Ocean: In a Coral Reef
Girls Who Looked Under Rocks

CBC/NSTA Outstanding Science Trade Book

Tall, Tall Tree
Nature's Patchwork Quilt: Understanding Habitats
In the Trees, Honey Bees
Earth Heroes: Champions of Wild Animals
Earth Heroes: Champions of the Wilderness
Salmon Stream
Girls Who Looked Under Rocks

Family Choice Awards

I Am the Rain
Wonderful Nature, Wonderful You
Over on the Farm
Green Bean! Green Bean!
The Prairie That Nature Built

ForeWord Magazine Book of the Year Award

Wonderful Nature, Wonderful You
The Prairie That Nature Built (Finalist)
Over in a River: Flowing Out to the Sea (Finalist)
Noisy Bug Sing-Along (Finalist)
What's in the Garden (Finalist)
Nature's Patchwork Quilt: Understanding Habitats (Finalist)
Earth Heroes: Champions of the Ocean (Finalist)
Earth Heroes: Champions of Wild Animals (Finalist)

Gelett Burgess Book Award

The Dandelion Seed's Big Dream
Noisy Bug Sing-Along
What's in the Garden
Over in the Forest: Come and Take a Peek
Going Home: The Mystery of Animal Migration

Greenbook Festival

Paddle Perch Climb: Bird Feet are Neat
Octopus Escapes Again! (Winner)
Wonderful Nature, Wonderful You (Honorable Mention)
A Moon of My Own (Honorable Mention)
Wild Ones: Observing City Critters (Winner)
The Dandelion Seed's Big Dream (Finalist)
Pitter and Patter (Finalist)
Over on a Mountain: Somewhere in the World (Finalist)
Noisy Bird Sing-Along (1st)
The Mouse and the Meadow (Honorable Mention)
On Kiki's Reef (Honorable Mention)
Noisy Bug Sing-Along (Honorable Mention)
Earth Heroes: Champions of the Ocean (Honorable Mention)

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Daytime Nighttime, All Through the Year
There's a Bug on My Book
Tall, Tall Tree
A Moon of My Own (Finalist)
Over in the Grasslands (Finalist)
Octopus Escapes Again! (Finalist)
Over on the Farm (Finalist)
Wild Ones: Observing City Critters (Finalist)
The Prairie That Nature Built (1st)
Over on a Mountain: Somewhere in the World (1st)
Noisy Bird Sing-Along (1st)
The Dandelion Seed's Big Dream (Finalist)
Pitter and Patter (Finalist)
Granny's Clan: A Tale of Wild Orcas (Finalist)

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Over on the Farm

Izaak Walton League Book of the Year

Nature's Patchwork Quilt: Understanding Habitats
Granny's Clan: A Tale of Wild Orcas
Jo MacDonald Saw a Pond
Over in the Forest: Come and Take a Peek
Going Home: The Mystery of Animal Migration
In the Trees, Honey Bees

Under One Rock: Bugs, Slugs and Other Ughs!
Forest Bright, Forest Night
Near One Cattail: Turtles, Logs and Leaping Frogs

Learning Magazine Teachers' Choice Award

I Am the Rain
There's a Bug on My Book
What's in the Garden
Over in Australia
Over in the Ocean: In a Coral Reef
Forest Bright, Forest Night
Born With a Bang
Seashells by the Seashore
Salmon Stream

Under One Rock: Bugs, Slugs and Other Ughs

Moonbeam Children's Book Award

Over on a Desert: Somewhere in the World (Gold)
Paddle Perch Climb: Bird Feet Are Neat (Gold)
He's Your Daddy: Ducklings, Joeys, Kits, and More (Silver)
Baby on Board: How Animals Carry Their Young (Gold)
Wild Ones: Observing City Critters (Gold)
The Prairie That Nature Built (Gold)
The Swamp Where Gator Hides (Silver)
On Kiki's Reef (Bronze)
What's in the Garden (Gold)
Over in the Forest: Come and Take a Peek (Silver)
Over in Australia: Amazing Animals Down Under (Gold)
Earth Heroes: Champions of the Wilderness (Bronze)
In the Trees, Honey Bees (Silver)

Mom's Choice Awards

Over on a Desert: Somewhere in the World (Gold)
He's Your Daddy: Ducklings, Joeys, Kits, and More (Gold)
Paddle Perch Climb: Bird Feet Are Neat (Gold)
Baby on Board: How Animals Carry Their Young (Gold)
A Moon of My Own (Gold)
Over in the Grasslands (Gold)
Mighty Mole and Super Soil (Gold)
If You Love Honey: Nature's Connections (Gold)
Pitter and Patter (Gold)
The Dandelion Seed's Big Dream (Gold)
The Prairie That Nature Built (Gold)
Over on a Mountain (Gold)

National Parenting Publications Award (NAPPA)

The Mouse and the Meadow (Silver)
Noisy Bug Sing-Along (Gold)
Over in the Forest: Come and Take a Peek (Honor)
Jo MacDonald Saw a Pond (Gold)
Take Me Home, Country Roads (Honor)
Over in the Ocean: In a Coral Reef (Gold)

Nautilus Book Award

Daytime Nighttime, All Through the Year (Silver)
Tall, Tall Tree (Silver)
If You Love Honey: Nature's Connections (Gold)
Earth Heroes: Champions of Wild Animals (Silver)
Earth Heroes: Champions of the Wilderness (Gold)
How We Know...About Our Changing Climate (Silver)

Newton Marasco Foundation Green Earth Book Award

How We Know...About Our Changing Climate (Honors)
Near One Cattail: Turtles, Logs and Leaping Frogs

Purple Dragonfly Book Award

Green Bean! Green Bean! (Honorable Mention)
Over on the Farm (Honorable Mention)
Wild Ones (Honorable Mention)
The Dandelion Seed's Big Dream (1st)
Over on a Mountain: Somewhere in the World (Honorable Mention)
The Swamp Where Gator Hides (1st)
On Kiki's Reef (Honorable Mention)
The Mouse and the Meadow (Honorable Mention)
Granny's Clan: A Tale of Wild Orcas (1st)

Skipping Stones Honor Award

Wonderful Nature, Wonderful You
If You Love Honey: Nature's Connections
The Prairie That Nature Built

On Kiki's Reef

What's in the Garden

Over in a River: Flowing Out to the Sea

Over in Australia: Amazing Animals Down Under

In the Trees, Honey Bees

Pass the Energy, Please!

Young Voices Foundation

What's in the Garden (Silver)
Over in the Forest: Come and Take a Peek (Gold)
Over in Australia: Amazing Animals Down Under (Gold)



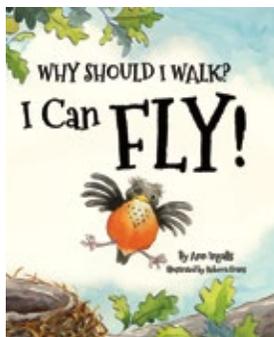
Why Should I Walk? I Can Fly!

Ann Ingalls • Illustrated by Rebecca Evans

Curriculum Components

Birds

Rhyming Verse
Growth Mindset
Perseverance



A little bird, a big sky, and the first time out of the nest! A fledgling robin's first flight is a gentle reminder about what we can accomplish if we just keep trying. Author Ann Ingalls sums it up this way, "All young creatures take risks, which is one of the reasons I think this story holds appeal for children—they take risks every day." Rebecca Evans' delightful illustrations capture the little bird's struggles that ultimately lead to a joyful success. "Explore More" sections include additional information for kids, while teachers and parents will appreciate

tips for fostering a growth mindset and read-aloud suggestions. STEM activities also included.

WHY-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-639-1 • EBOOK also

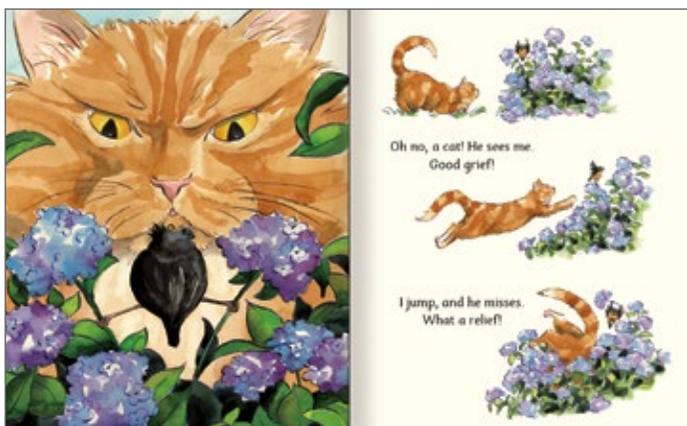
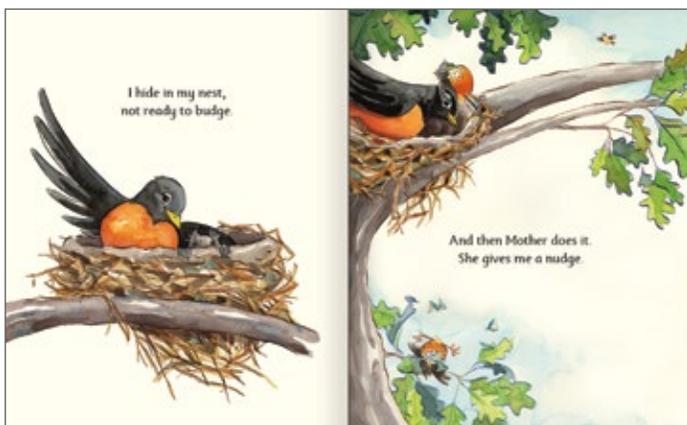
WHY-H • Hard \$16.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-638-4

Ages 3 to 8 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • Reading level: TBA

Children (and parents!) experiencing the many firsts of growing up will relate to this lively story of a young robin learning to fly. The playful rhyming text and winsome water color illustrations give readers a birds' eye view of the baby bird's emotions and adventures on its way to solo flight. — Sue Lowell Gallion, author of children's picture books including Pug Meets Pig and Pug & Pig: Trick or Treat

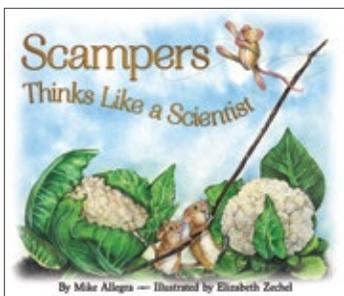
Hang in there, little robin! We all know what it feels like to fail, especially when we're striving to accomplish a new skill. But if it's something you really want to do, it's worth the effort. — Rudy Darling, President Sierra Foothills Audubon Society

When a fledgling robin decides that it's time to fly, he discovers that it's harder than it looks. Written in jaunty rhyme and illustrated in springtime colors, Why Should I Walk? I Can Fly! is perfect for bird-lovers of all ages. Includes back matter about birds and flight. — Jody Jensen Shaffer, author of children's picture books including Prudence the Part-Time Cow.



Scampers Thinks Like a Scientist

Mike Allegra • Illustrated by Elizabeth Zechel



Curriculum Components
Scientific and Engineering
Practices
Conducting Experiments
Predator/Prey

Scampers is no ordinary mouse. She's curious. She asks questions. She investigates.

In short—she thinks like a scientist! And her infectious experimental spirit will have young readers eager to think like scientists too. Mike Allegra's jaunty dialogue swiftly moves the action along, as it depicts the close relationship between Scampers (an eager scientist) and her friend Nibbles (a reluctant skeptic). The story's

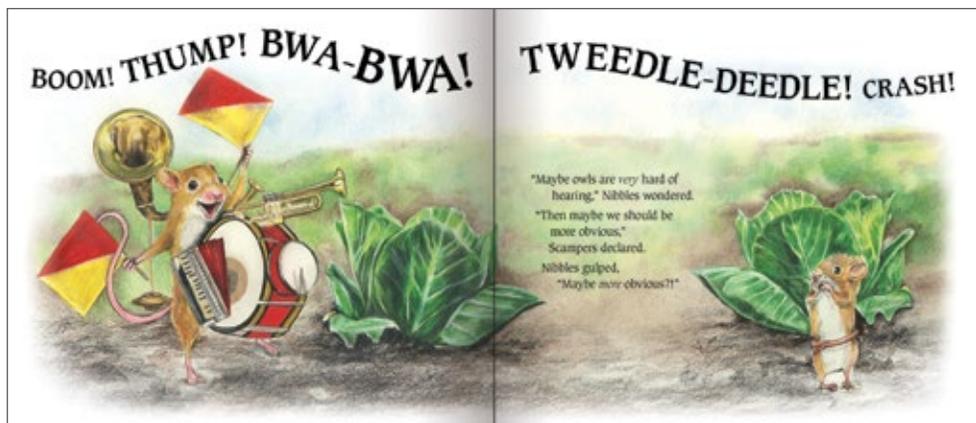
humor is highlighted by Elizabeth Zechel's colored-pencil illustrations—the look on Nibble's face when Scampers creates an eggapult is priceless! "Explore More for Kids" includes photos and nonfiction information, while "Explore More for Teachers and Parents" provides STEM activities, read-aloud suggestions, and a quick summary of Science and Engineering Practices.

SCAMP-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-643-8 • EBOOK also

SCAMP-H • Hard \$16.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-642-1

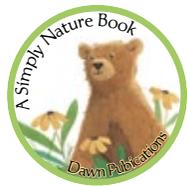
Ages 3 to 8 • 32 pages • 10 1/2" x 9" • Reading level: TBA

This charming tale will delight kids, teachers, and parents alike! The fun begins as an inquisitive little mouse uses science to solve a mystery. A clever twist at the end will no doubt inspire discussions with children about the value of creativity and perseverance. — Karen Ansberry, author of the Picture-Perfect Science series of books, including Picture-Perfect STEM Science Lessons, K-2 and 3-5.

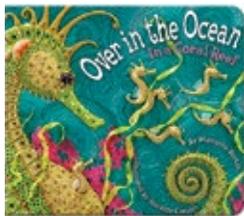


Simply Nature Board Books

Young children have a magnetic affinity for animals, and appreciate quality illustrations. Most of our board books have been adapted from our picture books, sometimes simplifying text and omitting supplementary information, as is appropriate for the very young.



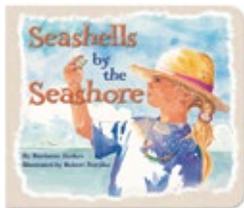
Over in the Ocean: In a Coral Reef



This playful counting book introduces children to creatures of the coral reef as they clap to the rhythm of “Over in the Meadow.”

BOVER • Board • \$7.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-082-5
26 pages • Fully illustrated • 7 ¾" x 6 ¾"

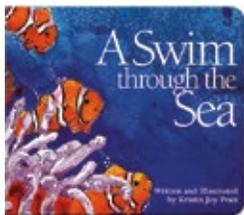
Seashells by the Seashore



Discover natural treasures at the beach! This book introduces young children to ten common shells.

BSHELL • Board \$7.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-489-2
26 pages • Fully illustrated • 7 ¾" x 6 ¾"

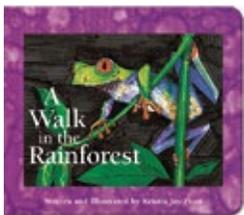
A Swim through the Sea



Kids love animals, and sea creatures are no exception! Here is an alphabetical “tour” of ocean animals led by Seamore the seahorse with a selected species

highlighted on each page.

BSWIM • Board • \$7.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-080-1
26 pages • Fully illustrated • 7 ¾" x 6 ¾"

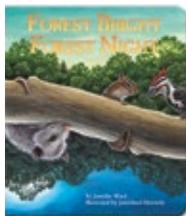


A Walk in the Rainforest

Walk through the alphabet with XYZ the ant! See the amazing anteater . . . a gentle gorilla . . . and a super-slow sloth in this colorful “tour” of exotic animals and plants of the rainforest.

BRF • Board • \$7.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-088-7
26 pages • Fully illustrated • 7 ¾" x 6 ¾"

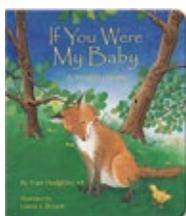
Forest Bright, Forest Night



Count the animals in the forest from one to ten! See who is awake in the day and sleeps at night, and who is awake all night, and sleeps during the day!

BFORST • Board • \$7.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-089-4
26 pages • Fully illustrated • 6 ¾" x 7 ¾"

If You Were My Baby: A Wildlife Lullaby



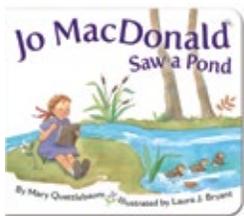
A sweet-dream bedtime book for nature lovers! The children in your life will learn about animals in nature, and fall asleep knowing that they, along with animal babies, are

loved and secure.

BBABY • Board • \$7.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-090-0
26 pages • Fully illustrated • 6 ¾" x 7 ¾"

Moonbeam Children's Book Award (Gold: Board Book)

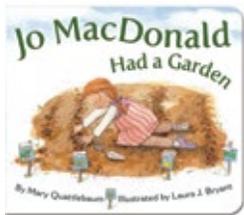
Jo MacDonald Saw a Pond



Old MacDonald had a . . . pond? Yes! Come along with Jo, Old MacDonald's granddaughter, you'll find fish, frogs, ducks and other surprises.

BMACP • Board • \$7.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-224-9
26 pages • Fully illustrated • 7¾" x 6¾"

Jo MacDonald Had a Garden

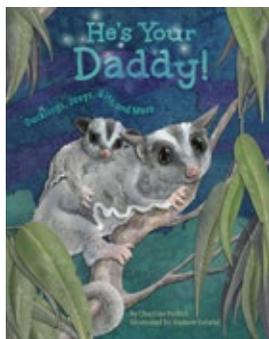


Old MacDonald had a . . . garden? Yes! Sing along with young Jo MacDonald as she grows healthy food for people and wild creatures. E-I-E-I-O!

BMACG • Board • \$7.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-225-6
26 pages • Fully illustrated • 7¾" x 6¾"

He's Your Daddy: Ducklings, Joeys, Kits, and More

Charline Profiri • Illustrated by Andrea Gabriel



“If you were an animal—wild or tame—would you know your daddy’s name?” Every page answers this question with a rhyme, introducing children to adorable animal babies and their dads. From kittens to cats, to calves and giraffes, children discover the diversity of animal families. Andrea Gabriel’s illustrations highlight the characteristics of the animals and the various habitats where they live, making every page a teachable moment. Additional animal information and a matching game in the back of the book

extends the learning and the fun!

DADDY-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-626-1 • EBOOK also

DADDY-H • Hard \$16.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-625-4

Ages 3 to 8 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • Lexile AD 830L

Mom’s Choice Award (Gold)

Moonbeam Children’s Book Award (Silver)

“With rhyming sentences on every two-page spread, this inspiring volume allows children — alone or with their parents, caregivers, and/or educators — to become familiar with a dozen baby/daddy animal-name dyad. . . . The rhythmical writing, alongside the soft humor it encompasses, allows for the new information to be effortlessly internalized and committed to memory. . . . The book is complemented with useful and well-thought-out enhancements: a narrative to spark conversation, further information on all animals mentioned in the previous pages, a matching game, and tips for reading. A clever, multispecies celebration of the father-child bond.” — Kirkus Review

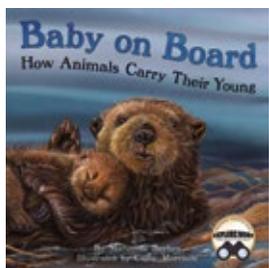


Curriculum Components

Animal Families
Rhyming Verse
Relationships

Baby On Board: How Animals Carry Their Young

By Marianne Berkes • Illustrated by Cathy Morrison



As a baby, how were you carried from place to place? Usually, quite carefully! The same is true for animals and their offspring. Tucked in pouches, gripped in teeth, propped on backs or underneath—these are just some of the clever ways animals carry their babies. Once again, children’s author Marianne Berkes has created a heartwarming—and informative—picture book for budding animal lovers, complete with endearing and realistic artwork by Cathy Morrison.

The “Explore More” sections in the back of the book feature creative activities for parents and teachers.

BOB-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-593-6 • EBOOK also

BOB-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-592-9

Ages 3 to 8 • 32 pages • 9.75" x 9.75" • Lexile AD 880

Creative Child Magazine Book of the Year

Best Book Award (Winner)

Moonbeam Children’s Book Award (Gold)

Mom’s Choice Award (Gold)

“Realistic color portraits of many different species of animals carrying their young cover the pages, along with a rhyming narrative full of exciting descriptions and information about the animal’s habits and habitat. . . . Other learning activity suggestions include a read aloud section, some language arts questions, math study questions, and questions in other categories, including science, engineering, movement, and resources.”

— Midwest Book Review

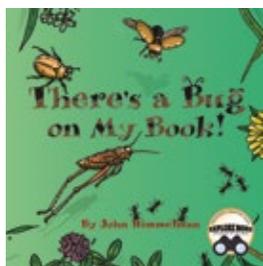


Curriculum Components

Animal Families
Habitats
Rhyming Verse

There's a Bug on My Book

Written and Illustrated by John Himmelman



Take this book to a nice grassy spot outside, plop down and open it. In short order, all sorts of curious creatures will hop, fly, wiggle, and slide to join you. You're invited to tilt, tap, or jiggle the book to discover the fascinating way each animal moves. Author-illustrator John Himmelman knows a lot about bugs, as well as the other critters, which he has accurately illustrated to size and proportion. "Explore More" sections are chock full of fun activities, including "engineering an insect" and creating a "mini-beast hotel."

TAB-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-588-2 • EBOOK also

TAB-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-587-5

Ages 3 to 8 • 32 pages • 9" x 9" • Lexile AD 460

Learning Magazine Teacher's Choice Award

"Several small animals commonly considered bugs, as well as a snake and a frog, supposedly land on this book and then leave—for a variety of reasons—each using its own special method of locomotion. This simple, interactive book about the appearances and movements of things that creep and crawl is elevated by its insistence that all creatures deserve to be respected and handled with care." — Kirkus Review "Starred"



Curriculum Components

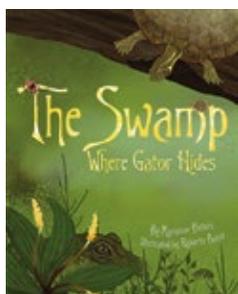
Insects

Observation Skills

Animal Movement

The Swamp Where Gator Hides

Marianne Berkes • Illustrated by Roberta Baird



Under the algae that carpets the swamp, near the duck who paddles in ooze, close to the turtle who takes a snooze . . . hides a gator! Still as a log, only his watchful eyes can be seen. What happens to the duck, the turtle, the egret, the deer, and the many other critters of the swamp when gator makes his move? Berkes offers tips on how to engage young children actively in the topic, and Baird — who has gators in her backyard in Texas — offers insights into how she created the images digitally.

Downloadable activities available at www.dawnpub.com.

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Indie Book Award

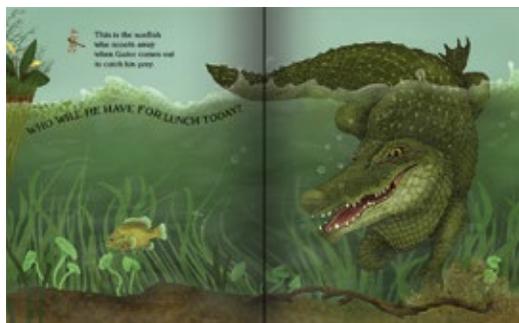
Greenbook Festival

Purple Dragonfly Award

FPA Presidents Book Award

Moonbeam Children's Book Award (Silver)

"Children will enjoy spotting the alligator hiding in each page spread and learning more about the swamp and its inhabitants through the notes that follow the story. A pleasing introduction to the swamp appropriate for individual exploration or sharing with a group or class." — Kirkus Reviews



Curriculum Components

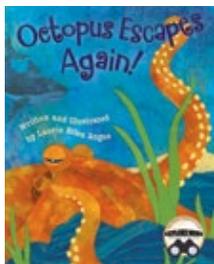
Swamp Habitat

Alligators

Observation Skills

Octopus Escapes Again!

Written and Illustrated by Laurie Ellen Angus



Swim along with Octopus as she leaves the safety of her den to search for food. Will she eat? Or will she be eaten? She outwits dangerous enemies by using a dazzling display of defenses—clouds of ink, jet propulsion, camouflage, and more. Supplementary material includes information on the many creatures Octopus meets in the story, an introduction to the animal's remarkable biology, and stories which tend to demonstrate the remarkable intelligence of these animals. The author/illustrator also tells of how she was inspired to create this book by an encounter with an octopus in her local aquarium near her home in Long Island, New York.

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OCTO-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-577-6

Ages 4 to 10 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • Lexile AD 650

Benjamin Franklin (Silver)

Indie Book Awards

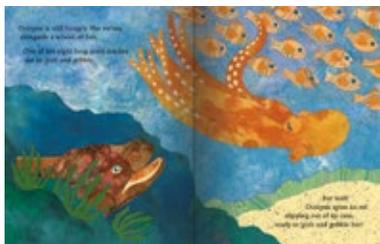
Green Book Festival (Winner)

"This book is sure to get kids interested in marine life." — NSTA Recommends

"With octopus escape-artist abilities recently in the news, this is a timely title about a perennially appealing sea creature."
— Kirkus Reviews

"Budding marine biologists will enjoy the vivid, collage-style illustrations, while teachers and parents will be satisfied with the back matter." — School Library Journal

"Octopus Escapes Again! is an interesting look at a day in the life of an octopus as it searches for food and tries to avoid becoming food itself. The amazing and numerous defense mechanisms the octopus utilizes are highlighted. Sumptuous, colorful collage illustrations capture the underwater world of the octopus and other animals it encounters." — ForeWord Reviews



Granny's Clan: A Tale of Wild Orcas

Dr. Sally Hodson • Illustrated by Ann Jones



Just imagine — you are a young orca whale. Your special friends are two cousins and your 100 year-old great grandmother, the clan leader. Based on actual orca, or killer whale, research, this book combines science with the real story of how family, friendship, and a grandmother's love are helping this magnificent but endangered orca clan to survive. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

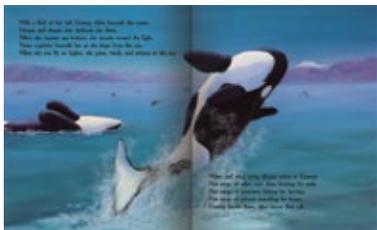
GRANNY-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-172-3 • EBOOK also

Ages 4 to 10 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 4.4

Purple Dragonfly Book Award (1st)

Indie Book Award

Izaak Walton League Book of the Year



"The graceful pastel illustrations extend the information about orcas and their ecosystem, and although this is a fact-filled nonfiction title, Hodson's storytelling is skillful and far from dry. A solid research choice for the early grades, this picture book also offers an evocative experience for readers." — ALA Booklist

"Certain to get children interested in learning more about this endangered and very social species." — Kirkus Reviews

"As my late father, Jacques Cousteau, used to say, 'people protect what they love.' After reading this story you will fall in love with orcas." — Jean-Michel Cousteau, filmmaker and founder, Ocean Futures Society

Curriculum Components

Animal Adaptations

Ocean Food Chain

Cut Paper Art

Curriculum Components

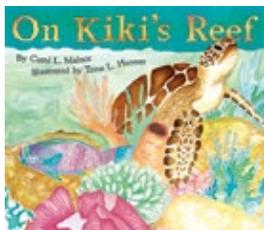
Ocean Habitat

Marine Food Web

Animal Social Relations

On Kiki's Reef

Carol L. Malnor • Illustrated by Trina L. Hunner



A tiny baby sea turtle scrambles across the sandy beach and into the sea. Floating far out in the ocean, Kiki is becoming a gentle giant. She swims to shallower water where she adopts the busy coral reef...lots of surprises! There's lots of teamwork going on too, including a gang of tangs that clean up the algae growing on her shell. But something calls her back to the beach . . . and the cycle of life continues. In the back matter Malnor offers a concise

beginner's guide to sea turtles and coral reefs, plus a variety of "teaching treasures" for further learning. Downloadable activities available at www.dawnpub.com.

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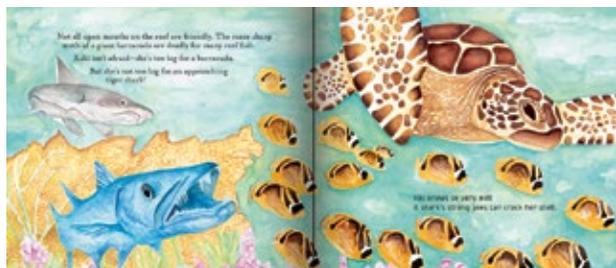
KIKI-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-476-2

Ages 4 to 10 • 32 pages • 10 ½" x 9" • (ATOS) 3.5

Award: Mom's Choice Award (Gold)
Greenbook Festival
Purple Dragonfly Book Award
Moonbeam's Children Book Award (Bronze)

"Readers and listeners will come away with an appreciation for the complexity and interdependence of the coral reef world. Kiki's Reef is the place to be." — Kirkus Reviews

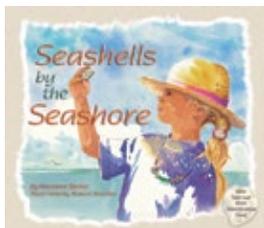
Indie Book Award
Skipping Stones Honor Award



Curriculum Components
Marine/Coral Reef Habitat
Interdependence
Rhyming

Seashells by the Seashore

Marianne Berkes • Illustrated by Robert Noreika



Little sea creatures build their shell homes in a wonderful variety of shapes and colors. In this lovely lilting rhyme, children walk the beach, counting, naming, and appreciating forever the Kitten Paws and other beautiful shells, and the creatures that lived in them. In the back of the paperback is a tear-out shell identification card.

SHELL-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-034-4 • EBOOK also

Ages 4 to 10 • 32 pages • 10 ½" x 9" • (ATOS) 2.2

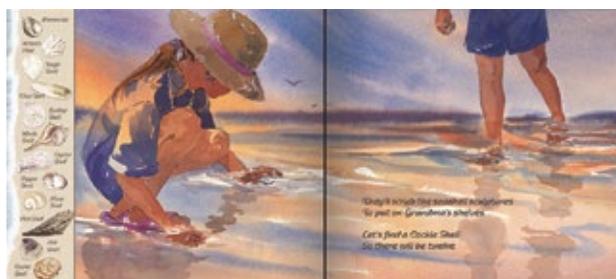
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Curriculum Components
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Interdependence
Ecology/Habitat
Counting Book



"An instructive shell hunt that children will enjoy even if they can't feel the sun on their backs and sand between their toes." — ALA Booklist



Tear-out Identification Cards come with paperback

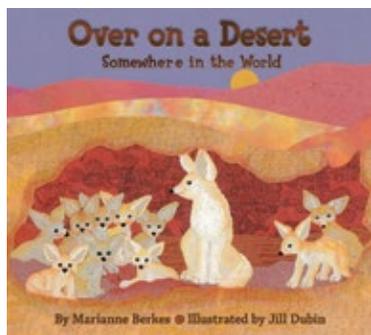
"Berkes offers ample facts in her rhymes, and gives a short paragraph of information on each type of shell. Noreika's detailed, realistic shell studies gracefully contrast with the misty landscapes that capture a range of unique seaside hues." — School Library Journal

Over on a Desert: Somewhere in the World

Curriculum Components

Desert Habitat
Early Literacy
Counting

Marianne Berkes • Illustrated by Jill Dubin



Are deserts empty? Nope! Deserts are filled with surprises—life, color, and lots of action! Children won't be able to resist joining the desert critters as they jump like jerboas, hide like tortoises, and coo like roadrunners. Jill Dubin's cut paper collages pair perfectly with Marianne Berkes' rhyming verses, to capture the subtle beauty of the desert and the critters that live there. Fascinating animal facts, a world map, and tips from the author give parents and teachers all they need to make

learning fun, including creating a cactus garden. Fans, as well as newcomers to the "Over" series, will be enchanted as they count their way across the continents.

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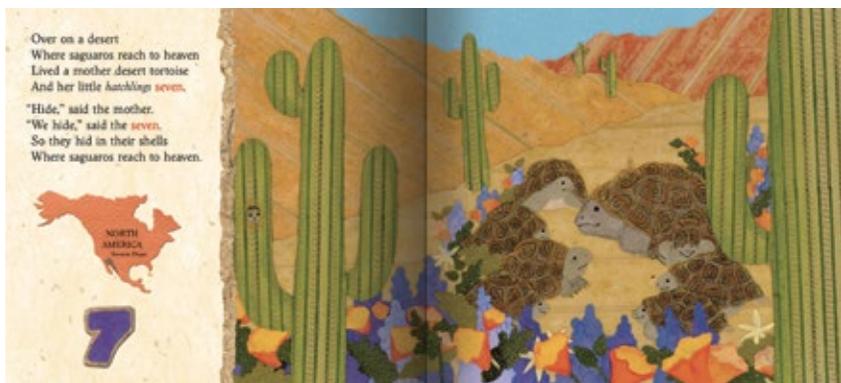
Ages 3 to 8 • 32 pages • 10" x 9" • Lexile AD 540L

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)

Moonbean Children's Book Award (Gold)

"Using her proven formula, Berkes introduces readers to 10 desert animals (nine mothers and one father), what the babies are called, and one activity that the species engages in. . . . The textured papers in Dubin's collages give life to the animals and their surroundings. Other species include camels, meerkats, dingoes, armadillos, javelinas, desert tortoises, jerboas, roadrunners, and fennec foxes. Backmatter includes a "Fact or Fiction" section, details about both the featured animals and a hidden animal found in each scene, and suggestions for movements/activities to go with the song. The series continues to engage and inform." — Kirkus Reviews

"Haunting, beautiful desert illustrations filled with authentic details cover each page of "Over on a Desert," while additional learning activities are suggested by the author, including Act It Out, Fun with Words, Construct an Attribute Chart, A Closer Look at Deserts Around the World, Design a Desert Animal, Create a Cacti Garden, and Discover More About Deserts. . . . From desert hedgehogs to Gobi jerboas, the many species of desert animals in "Over on a Desert: Somewhere in the World" combine to tell a true story of life as it is found in the deserts of the world." — Midwest Book Review



Over in the Grasslands: On an African Savanna

Marianne Berkes • Illustrated by Jill Dubin



Come along on a safari! You'll meet lions and rhinos and hippos—oh, my! You'll also find elephants that squirt, giraffes that slurp, and hornbills that toot. Africa's savanna is home to a delightful diversity of animals. Kids will love to sing about them—and count them, too! Cut paper illustrations add to the discovery, highlighting some animals and hiding others. Safaris are fun! Information about the animals, a map of Africa, and tips from both the author and the illustrator on how to use this book with children round out a very helpful package.

GRASS-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-568-4 • EBOOK also

GRASS-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-567-7

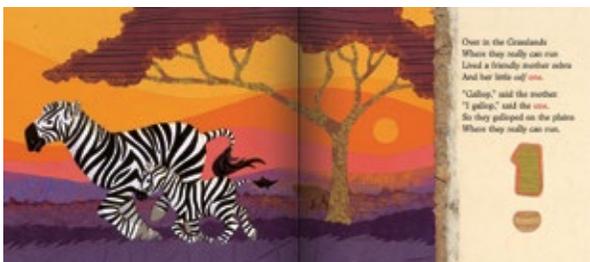
Ages 3 to 8 • 32 pages • 10" x 9" • Lexile AD 640

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)

Florida Book Festival

Indie Book Awards (Finalist)

"Berkes and Dubin tackle another habitat in their series of variations on "Over in the Meadow," this time visiting the African savanna. . . . Some brilliant and unusual color choices, along with marvelously textured and patterned papers, make the cut-paper collage illustrations pop. (Informational picture book. 3-7)" — Kirkus Reviews

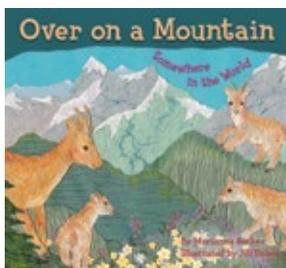


Curriculum Components

African Animals
Early Literacy
Counting

Over on a Mountain: Somewhere in the World

Marianne Berkes • Illustrated by Jill Dubin



Discover twenty cool animals, ten great mountain ranges, and seven continents all in one story! And do it in the age-old style of children the world over — by clapping, counting, singing, and acting like . . . well, animals! What fun! Following the main story, this book is chock full of resources about the featured animals and mountains, including a world map. Additional free downloadable activities can be found at www.dawnpub.com.

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Ages 3 to 8 • 32 pages • 10" x 9" • (ATOS) 3.1

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)

Greenbook Festival

Indie Book Awards (1st)

Purple Dragonfly Award

USA Book News

"Berkes continues her 'Over in the Meadow' — based series with this look at animals that live in the mountains. This diverse habitat can be found on every continent, and Berkes does a nice job of including at least one mountain range from each and identifying and mapping it on details that accompany the illustrations as well as on a large world map in the backmatter." — Kirkus Reviews

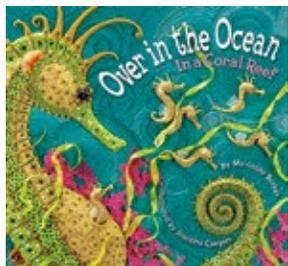


Curriculum Components

Geography
Mountain Habitat
Animal Families
Counting

Over in the Ocean: In a Coral Reef

Marianne Berkes • Illustrated by Jeanette Canyon



The coral reef in this book is like a marine nursery, teeming with mamas and babies! In the age-old way of kids and fish, children will count and clap to the rhythm of “Over in the Meadow” while pufferfish “puff,” gruntfish “grunt” and seahorses “flutter.” The colorful art is fresh and fun—constructed entirely from polymer clay. As a former teacher and children’s theater director Marianne knows how to open kids’ eyes to the magic found in the natural world. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

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OVER-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-063-4
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Learning Magazine Teacher’s Choice Award



“Eye-popping artwork is the star of the show in Berkes’s lively, oceanic counting book. . . .”
— Kirkus Reviews

“Fresh lyrics using sea life are applied to the children’s tune ‘Over in the Meadow’ on these stunningly illustrated pages.” — Horn Book

Over in the Jungle: A Rainforest Rhyme

Marianne Berkes • Illustrated by Jeanette Canyon



Sing, clap, move and count your way among enchanting rainforest animals to the rhythm of the whimsical favorite, “Over in the Meadow.” This rainforest is teeming with monkeys that hoot, ocelots that pounce, parrots that squawk, and boas that squeeze! Soon your child will be joyfully hooting and squawking too. And the illustrations—all done in polymer clay—vividly convey the abundant energy of a rainforest. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

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“This is a handsome book on an important subject, and it can serve as recreational reading as well as an introduction to a basic unit on the rain forest.”
— School Library Journal

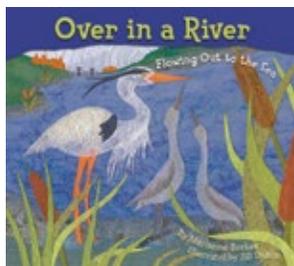


Curriculum Components

Rainforest Habitat
Animal Families
Counting
Clay Art

Over in a River: Flowing Out to the Sea

Marianne Berkes • Illustrated by Jill Dubin



Rivers are teeming with life! Children will learn the geography of North American rivers and to appreciate the animals that live there while they count the baby otters or dragonflies. Their learning will be reinforced as they “squeal” like muskrats and “hop” like frogs. All of this fun learning activity is set to the rhythm of the classical tune of “Over in the Meadow.” Back matter explains important concepts about rivers and their watersheds, including maps. And Marianne Berkes, as usual, offers lots of tips to help adults expand the material in engaging ways. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

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Bank Street 2014 Best Children's Books
ForeWord Magazine Book of the Year (Finalist)

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)
Mathical Award

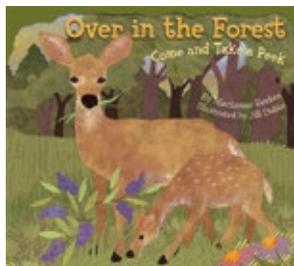
Florida Book Award (Bronze)
Skipping Stones Honor Award

“From one manatee calf paddling in Florida’s St. Johns River to 10 otter pups sliding in the Mississippi, Berkes adapts the familiar counting rhyme to introduce river animals, their “baby” names, their actions and some U.S. geography.” — Kirkus Reviews



Over in the Forest: Come and Take a Peek

Marianne Berkes • Illustrated by Jill Dubin



Follow the tracks of ten woodland animals but . . . uh-oh . . . watch out for the skunk! Children learn the ways of forest animals to the rhythm of “Over in the Meadow” as they leap like a squirrel, dunk like a raccoon, and pounce like a fox. They will also count the babies and search for ten hidden forest animals. Cut paper illustrations add to the fun in this delightful introduction to a woodland habitat. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

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Bank Street 2013 Best Children's Books
Purple Dragonfly Award (1st)
Izaak Walton League Book of the Year

FPA Presidents Book Award (Gold)
Moonbeam Children's Book Award (Silver)

National Parenting Publications Award (Honor)

Mom's Choice Award (Gold),
Gelett Burgess Book Award
Children's Literary Classics
Young Voices Foundation (Gold) Indie Book Award (Finalist)

“Beautiful cut-paper collages, embellished with pencil, pastels, and ink, are filled with soothing, woody colors and many textures. This book would be a great read-aloud, followed with a call-and-response song-the music is provided at the end.” — School Library Journal

“The verses flow smoothly, observing 10 animal parents as they instruct their little ones: squirrels learn to leap, skunks to spray, and so on. The attractive collage illustrations offer plenty of opportunities for counting as well as observing woodland animals. The extensive back matter includes tips for using the book, notes on the animals, and music for the song.” — ALA Booklist

Curriculum Components

Riparian Habitat

North American Geography

Counting

Curriculum Components

Forest Habitat

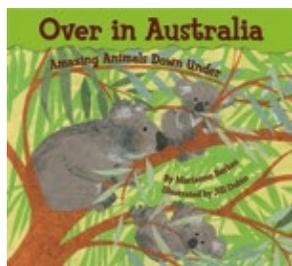
Animal Families

Cut Paper Art

Counting

Over in Australia: Amazing Animals Down Under

Marianne Berkes • Illustrated by Jill Dubin



In the “Down Under” continent, baby wallabies learn to hop, brolgas learn to dance, and emus learn to zig-zag — and children will want to hop, dance, and zig-zag too. As with all of Marianne Berkes’ award-winning “Over” books, children will want to sing, clap and count to the rhythm of “Over in the Meadow” as they learn about wallabies, koalas, wombats, and more. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

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Learning Magazine Teachers’ Choice Award

Mom’s Choice Award (Gold)

Indie Book Awards (Next Generation)

FPA 2011 President’s Book Award (Gold)

Skipping Stones Honor Award

Moonbeam Children’s Book Award (Gold)

Young Voices Foundation (Gold)

Purple Dragonfly Book Award (1st Place)

Florida Book Award (Silver)

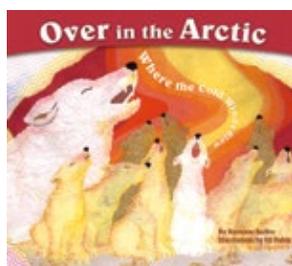
“Berkes recasts the song to introduce readers to counting, Australian animals. . . . Add musical notation for the song as well as detailed information about the 10 featured animals and it’s a remarkably layered and entertaining trip to the land of Oz.”
— Publishers Weekly

“A great choice for classroom units on Australia.” — ALA Booklist



Over in the Arctic: Where the Cold Winds Blow

Marianne Berkes • Illustrated by Jill Dubin



Arctic animals have learned to live where it is very cold and the nights are very long! Children can learn about these marvelous creatures while they count, clap and sing to the rhythm of “Over in the Meadow.” Also hidden on each page are other species for children to find. Jill Dubin’s illustrations show

Curriculum Components

Habitat

Animal Families

Counting

Cut Paper Art

how fun and creative art can be using cut paper. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

ARCTIC-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-110-5 • EBOOK also
Ages 3 to 8 • 32 pages • 10" x 9" • (ATOS) 3

2009 ForeWord Magazine Book of the Year (Finalist)

iParenting Media Award

Mom’s Choice Award (Gold)

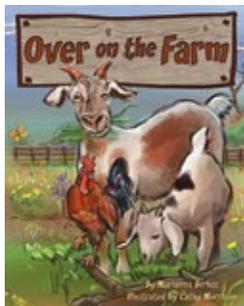
“Modeled after the traditional song ‘Over in the Meadow,’ this . . . easily chanted rhyme introduces a variety of land and sea animals and birds found in the tundra.” — Kirkus Reviews

“This counting book, cleverly illustrated by Jill Dubin, features Berkes’ charming counting rhyme filled with interesting facts about animals of the Arctic.” — Children’s Literature



Over on the Farm

Marianne Berkes • Illustrated by Cathy Morrison



Welcome to the farm, where pigs roll, goats nibble, horses gallop, hens peck, and turkeys strut! Count, clap, and sing along to the classic tune of “Over in the Meadow” while learning about life on a classic farm. This book is one of Marianne’s own favorites, and is a delight for children and adults alike. Cathy’s illustrations are charming. Plus there are free downloadable lesson plans aligned to Common Core and Next Generation Science standards.

Curriculum Components

Farm Habitat
Counting
Animal Families

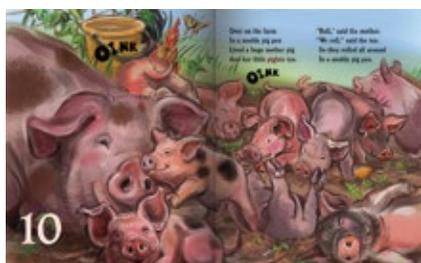
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Purple Dragonfly Award
Indie Book Award

Family Choice Award

ILA Teacher’s Choices Reading List

“Over On the Farm is an old-fashioned joy to read to young children with multiple sensory educational game possibilities imbedded in its narrative context. A counting verse, with colorful illustrations of all the farm animal families, Over On the Farm is also a musical song which can be sung to the tune, ‘Over in the Meadow’.”
— Midwest Book Review



Wild Ones: Observing City Critters

Carol L. Malnor • Illustrated by Cathy Morrison



Wild ones are moving into the city! Follow the adorable, curious dog Scooter as he travels through an urban landscape, seeing many wild animals and not seeing even more. Cathy’s charming illustrations draw upon real-life city scenes from across the United States. Supplementary material contains information about the wild species now often living in cities and how they have adapted. This book is a wonderful aid for children to become aware of the presence of wild animals and understand why they have taken to living in cities. Standards-aligned lesson plans available online.

Curriculum Components

Animal Adaptation
Urban Habitat
People & Wildlife

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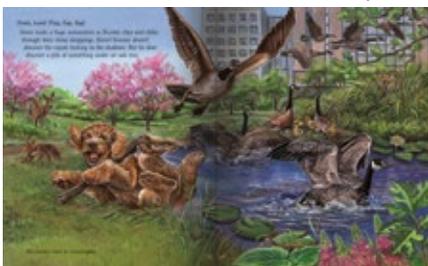
Purple Dragonfly Award

Indie Book Award (Finalist)
Moonbeam’s Children Book Award (Gold)

Greenbook Festival

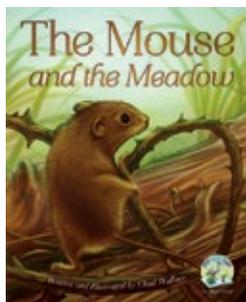
“A new children’s picture book called Wild Ones, Observing City Critters offers readers a tour of wildlife that can thrive in urban areas. The main character is Scooter, a dog who wanders away from home. Readers are invited to follow Scooter’s neighborhood travels and use their senses to discover city wildlife. Scooter uses his eyes, ears, and nose to help detect the wildlife around him.” — The Branch, Project Learning Tree e-newsletter

“It’s never too early to foster a love of nature in your kids and help teach young readers respect for nature and the wildlife surrounding them. Wild Ones: Observing City Critters follows an adorable, curious dog through a city, noticing all the urban wildlife he sees as well as a lot that he doesn’t notice.” — E The Environmental Magazine



The Mouse and the Meadow

Written and illustrated by Chad Wallace



A curious young mouse boldly ventures into the meadow for the first time. There he is given a crash course on life—from creatures both friendly and not so friendly. He witnesses a caterpillar becoming a chrysalis. He marvels that fireflies can glow. Science and story blend seamlessly in this entertaining coming of age tale. Thoughtful back matter explores the phenomenon of animal altruism and what we are learning of animal communication, and delves deeper into the lives of meadow mice and the wonders of a meadow.

MOUSE-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-482-3 • EBOOK also

MOUSE-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-481-6

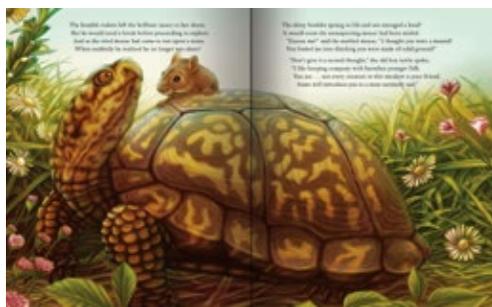
Ages 4 to 10 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 5.0

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)
Greenbook Festival, 2014

NAPPA (Silver)
International Book Award

Indie Book Award (Gold)
Purple Dragonfly Book Award

"An inquisitive field mouse ventures from his nest for the first time and encounters various creatures—big and small, friend and foe—all while learning and teaching readers about the habitat of a meadow." — Kirkus Reviews

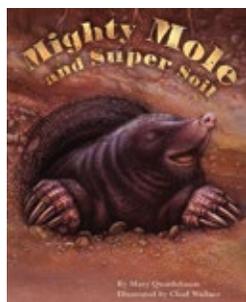


Curriculum Components

Soil
Interdependence
Life cycles

Mighty Mole and Super Soil

Mary Quattlebaum • Illustrated by Chad Wallace



Below your feet, Mighty Mole is on the move. Like a swimmer in dirt, she strokes through the soil. Her tunnels are everywhere! She finds food, eludes a predator, has a family, and helps to make Super Soil. Moles live almost everywhere yet are rarely seen. Similarly, soil is a largely invisible ecosystem and yet is vital to the health of the world. Further activities are available at www.dawnpub.com.

MOLE-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-539-4 • EBOOK also

MOLE-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-538-7

Ages 4 to 9 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 3.7

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)
2015 Eureka! Honor Award

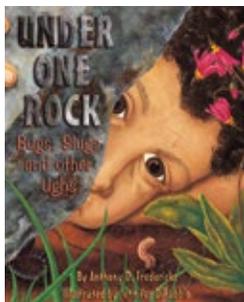
"This introduction to the underground ecosystem starring Mighty Mole also mentions other soil dwellers and visitors. . . . There are few books available for young readers about these important soil-improvers, so this fills a niche."

— Kirkus Review



Under One Rock: Bugs, Slugs and other Ughs

Anthony D. Fredericks • Illustrated by Jennifer DiRubbio



Have you ever peeked under a rock? A whole community of creatures lives there! One of the world's most fascinating habitats is right at your feet. No child will be able to resist looking under a rock after reading

Fredericks's rhythmic, engaging story, and seeing DiRubbio's vivid close-up illustrations. "Field notes" and "fantastic facts" will inspire endless exploration. This book in Dr. Fredericks' series on animal communities will surely send kids outdoors to explore. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

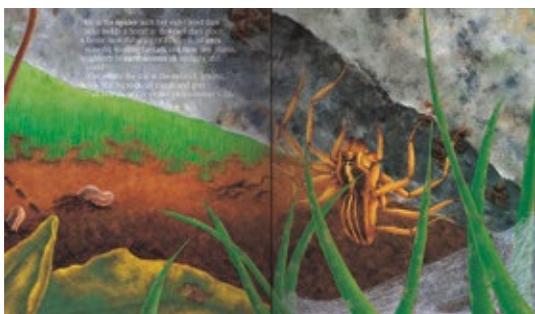
ROCK-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-027-6 • EBOOK also
Ages 4 to 10 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 4

OVER 75,000 SOLD!

Izaak Walton League Book of the Year
Learning Magazine
Teachers' Choice Award
Skipping Stones Honor Award

"This book is informative, yet rhythmic and engaging . . . Come discover this hidden habitat with your budding ecologist."

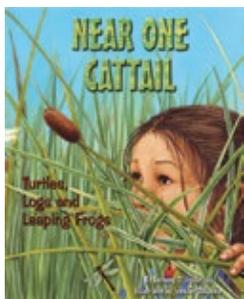
— National Wildlife Federation



Curriculum Components
Rhyming Cumulative Verse
Interdependence
Ecology/Habitat

Near One Cattail: Turtles, Logs and Leaping Frogs

Anthony D. Fredericks • Illustrated by Jennifer DiRubbio



What creatures live in a soggy-boggy place? From zip-zipping dragonflies to hip-hopping frogs, here's a medley of critters who swim, soar or crawl in a wetlands home that protects one and all. This engaging book is the fourth natural neighborhood to be portrayed by this dynamic author-illustrator duo. Tony Fredericks is Professor of Education at York College in Pennsylvania, and a prolific writer of children's books. Jennifer DiRubbio, of New York, is a passionate artist and conservationist. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

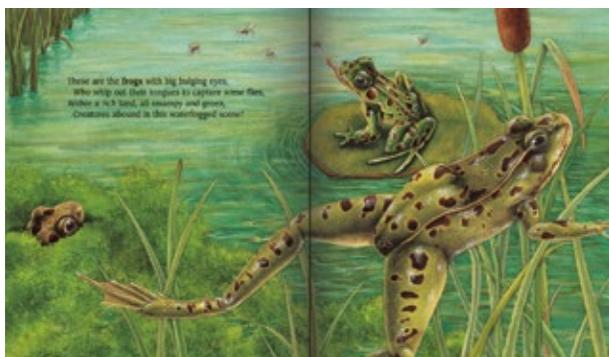
CATTL-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-071-9 • EBOOK also
Ages 4 to 10 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 5.5

Izaak Walton League Book of the Year

Green Earth Book Award

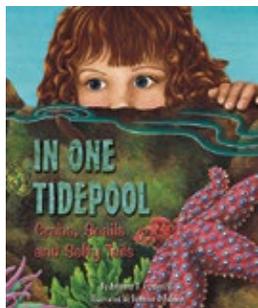
Skipping Stones Honor Award

"This exquisite picture book shows the beauty of our vanishing wetlands." — Skipping Stones



In One Tidepool: Crabs, Snails and Salty Tails

Anthony D. Fredericks • Illustrated by Jennifer DiRubbio



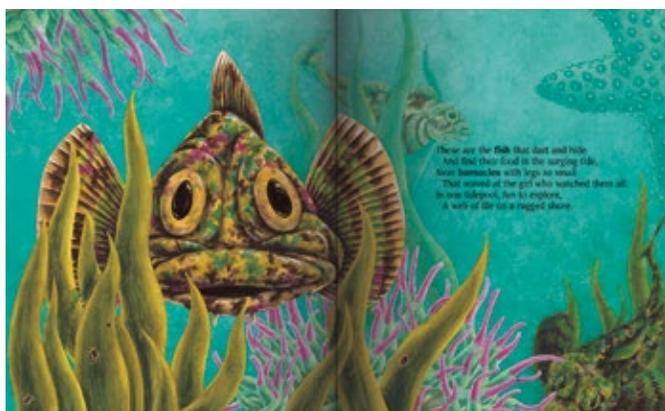
Have you ever ventured to the edge of the sea and peered into a tidepool? A whole community of creatures lives there! This salty, splashy habitat is unique and colorful. Vivid close-up art and amusing text make this both fun and educational for children. “Field Notes” in the back offer intriguing glimpses of these creatures, from snails to sponges. After reading this book, children will peer into tide pools with new eyes. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

TIDE-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-038-2 • EBOOK also
Ages 4 to 10 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 5.3

Missouri State Teacher's Association Recommended Reading List

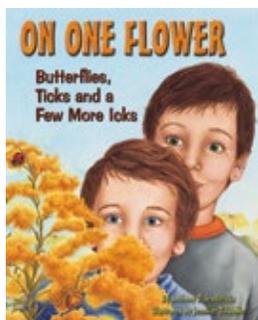
Curriculum Components

Rhyming Cumulative Verse
Interdependence
Ecology/Habitat



On One Flower: Butterflies, Ticks and a Few More Icks

Anthony D. Fredericks • Illustrated by Jennifer DiRubbio

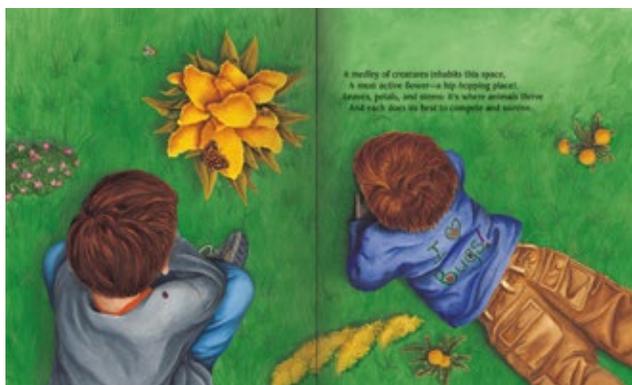


A goldenrod flower is a “minibeast park,” have you noticed? Take a closer look . . . a butterfly sipping nectar . . . a ladybug snacking on aphids — oh ladybug, look out for the ambushbug! Once again, Dr. Fredericks focuses on the whole plant-and-animal community inhabiting a single flower. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

FLOWR-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-086-3
Ages 4 to 10 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 4.9

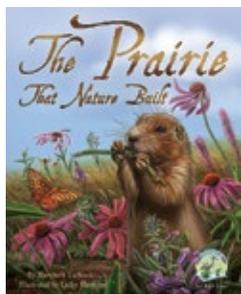
NYSRA Charlotte Award

“The light-hearted way that the story is told makes this an excellent read-aloud and fosters a desire for young children to learn more about insects. Recommended.” — Library Media Connection



The Prairie that Nature Built

Marybeth Lorbiecki • Illustrated by Cathy Morrison



There's nothing boring about a prairie—at least after taking a picture-book romp through the great grasslands of North America. This book takes the reader above, below, and all around this beautiful and exciting habitat. A multitude of species live here, in tune with the forces of nature. The grazers, the predators, and the cycles of fire, rain, and quick new growth each have their role in this dynamic habitat. The author, from Wisconsin, and the illustrator, from Colorado, both live on the prairie.

PRAIR-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-492-2 • EBOOK also

PRAIR-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-491-5

Ages 4 to 9 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 5.1

Benjamin Franklin (Silver)

Family Choice Award (Gold)

Skipping Stones Honor Award

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)

Indie Book Awards (1st)

Growing Good Kid's Award

Curriculum Components

Prairie habitat

Interdependence

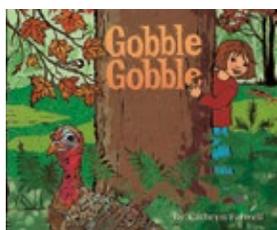
Life cycles

"Vibrant and dynamic two-page spreads burst with life, exuberance, and authenticity in this gorgeous overview of a prairie ecosystem. The vivid word choice of the verse — constructed with deft use of repetition and rhyme — is loaded with rich imagery. That this beautiful book manages to be simple and complex simultaneously is extraordinary." — ForeWord Reviews



Gobble, Gobble

Written and illustrated by Cathryn Falwell



Arrow-shaped footprints lead a young backyard naturalist to a flock of funny-looking birds with big strong feet: Wild Turkeys! Once nearly extinct, these comical critters now gobble their way across North America. Follow Jenny through a year of enchantment as she shares her discovery of these wonderful birds. Gobble, gobble! The unique illustrations are block prints over collages. Falwell also offers tips for children to make their own cut-paper pictures and how to keep a nature journal. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

GOBBL-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-149-5 • EBOOK also

GOBBL-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-148-8

Ages 3 to 8 • 32 pages • 10" x 9" • (ATOS) 3.4

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)

Purple Dragonfly Book Award (Honorable Mention)

Curriculum Components

Life Cycle of Wild Turkeys

Woodlands Habitat

Observation Skills

Seasons

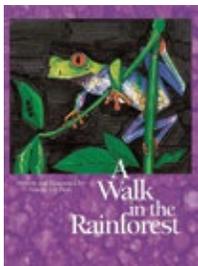
"Not just for Thanksgiving, this should be a welcome addition to nature shelves all year round." — Kirkus Reviews

"Gorgeous wild turkey scenes come to life by interaction with Jenny, her playmates, and dog, Max. Deer, birds, butterflies, and the trees that change with each season provide a backdrop for the story of the wild creatures." — ForeWord Magazine



A Walk in the Rainforest

Written and Illustrated by Kristin Joy Pratt



A Walk in the Rainforest provides a colorful, stimulating way of learning about the exotic animals and plants of the rainforest, presented in an alphabet style format. Kristin wrote and illustrated this book when she was 15 years old and *A Swim through the Sea* when she was 17. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

RF-P • Paper \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-87826-553-1 • EBOOK also
RF-H • Hard \$16.95 • ISBN 978-1-87826-599-9

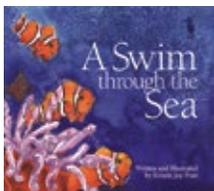
Ages 4 to 12 • 32 pages • 9" x 12" • (ATOS) 6

OVER 165,000 SOLD!

“Written and illustrated by a high school student, this environmental ABC presents ecological information for young audiences . . . The full-color illustrations done in watercolors, felt markers, and colored pencil show talent and concern.” — School Library Journal

A Swim through the Sea

Written and Illustrated by Kristin Joy Pratt



In this illustrated tour of the plants and animals of the undersea kingdom, Kristin highlights a selected species on each page with a full-color illustration and a paragraph of fascinating facts. The alliterative storyline and alphabet book format provide parents and teachers with an engaging way of sharing this special ecosystem with their children. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

SWIM-P • Paper \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-88322-004-4 • EBOOK also

Ages 4 to 12 • 44 pages • 10 ½" x 9" • (ATOS) 6.5

OVER 210,000 SOLD!

CBC/NSTA Outstanding Science Trade Book
Learning Magazine Teachers' Choice Award

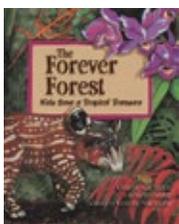
“. . . an inspiration for all young environmentalists.” — Jacques Cousteau

“At age 17, Kristin Joy Pratt is gaining international recognition with her work in educating children about our environment . . . beautiful watercolor illustrations done by this very talented young author.” — NAPRA Review



The Forever Forest

Kristin Joy Pratt-Serafini and Rachel Crandell • Illustrated by Kristin Joy Pratt-Serafini



The Children's Eternal Rainforest in Costa Rica is a great place to hear howler monkeys, see algae-covered sloths, and discover that strangler figs make great hideouts! Join young Peter on a hike through this inspiring forest.

FOREV-P • Paper \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-102-0

FOREV-H • Hard \$16.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-101-3

Ages 5-10 • 32 pages • 9" X 11"

A Teacher's Guide to A Walk in the Rainforest (Ebook only)
A Teacher's Guide to A Swim through the Sea (Paper \$7.95 and Ebook)

Grades 3 to 6 48 pages 8 ½" x 11"

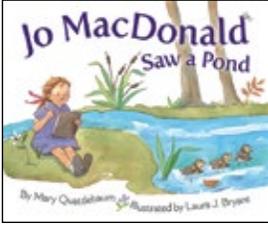
Curriculum Components

Habitats
ABCs
Alliteration
Biodiversity



Jo MacDonald Saw a Pond

Mary Quattlebaum • Illustrated by Laura J. Bryant



Old MacDonald had a . . . pond? Yes! Come along with Jo MacDonald and learn about the wild creatures at the farm pond. You'll find fish, frogs, ducks—and a few surprises. This delightful riff on “Old MacDonald Had a Farm” playfully introduces youngsters to the concept of ecosystems. A resource section in the back is sure to

Curriculum Components

Habitats

**Sing-along/Read-along
Observation Skills**

encourage young naturalists at home and school. Downloadable activities for all these books are at www.dawnpub.com.

MACP-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-151-8 • EBOOK also

MACP-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-150-1

Ages 3 to 8 • 32 pages • 11" x 9" • Lexile AD 620

National Parenting Publications Award (Gold)

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)

Purple Dragonfly Award (1st)

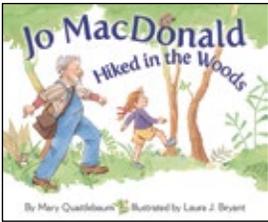
SIBA Book Award (Finalist)

Izaak Walton League Book of the Year

“Sure to inspire a rousing storytime, this is also likely to encourage readers to explore the world around them.” — Kirkus Reviews

Jo MacDonald Hiked in the Woods

Mary Quattlebaum • Illustrated by Laura J. Bryant



Old MacDonald had a . . . woods? Yes! The woods on Old MacDonald's farm was a favorite place for grandpa and his granddaughter Jo to take a hike. What a fun place to be! E – I – E – I – O. Back matter introduces the plants and animals of the woodland habitat, different types of forests, explains how plants make their own food, and offers indoor activities.

MACW-P • Paper • \$8.95

ISBN: 978-1-58469-335-2

EBOOK also

MACW-H • Hard • \$16.95

ISBN: 978-1-58469-334-5

Ages 3 to 8 • 32 pages • 11" x 9"

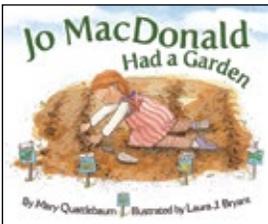
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Mom's Choice Award (Gold)



Jo MacDonald Had a Garden

Mary Quattlebaum • Illustrated by Laura J. Bryant



Old MacDonald had a . . . garden? Yes! Sing along with young Jo MacDonald as she grows healthy food for people and wild creatures. E-I-E-I-O! Find out how butterflies, bumblebees, and birds help a garden to thrive—and how you can help them too. Youngsters learn about garden ecosystems and stewardship.

MACG-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-165-5 • EBOOK also

MACG-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-164-8

Ages 3 to 8 • 32 pages • 11" x 9" • Lexile AD 550

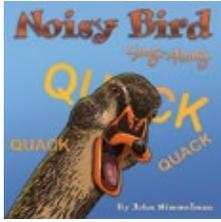
Indie Book Awards (Finalist)

Purple Dragonfly Award (1st)

“Pretty to look at, easy to sing along to, and a nice introduction to wildlife-habitat creation.” — School Library Journal

Noisy Bird Sing-Along

Written and Illustrated by John Himmelman



Every kind of bird has their very own kind of sound! Cheerful sounds, mournful sounds, sweet sounds, weird sounds. You can tell who they are without even opening your eyes. And what fun to sing along! John Himmelman knows those sounds well and loves to share his enthusiasm for birds. He gives tips on how to attract birds by feeding them, how to make your list of birds, and more. The sounds and free downloadable activities can be found at www.dawnpub.com.

NBIRD-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-514-1 • EBOOK also

NBIRD-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-513-4

Ages 4 to 9 • 32 pages • 9.5" x 9.5" • (ATOS) 2.9

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)

Greenbook Festival (1st)

Indie Book Awards (1st)

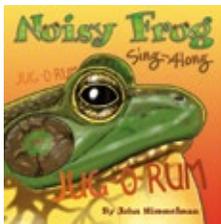
Purple Dragonfly Award (1st)

USA Book News

"For fostering nature awareness, this is a welcome companion to the author's previous titles about noisy bugs and noisy frogs." — Kirkus Reviews

Noisy Frog Sing-Along

Written and Illustrated by John Himmelman



Frogs make all kinds of weird and wonderful sounds, often very loudly, without ever opening their mouths! Allow yourself, and your children, to be beguiled by these amazing amphibians — and be sure to sing along! John Himmelman has enjoyed listening to the “noisy” frogs all his life. Wherever he travels, he seeks out a local pond to see who’s hopping. You can hear what the frogs actually sound like on our web site, www.dawnpub.com.

FROG-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-340-6 • EBOOK also

FROG-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-339-0

Ages 4 to 9 • 32 pages • 9.5" x 9.5" • Lexile AD 570L

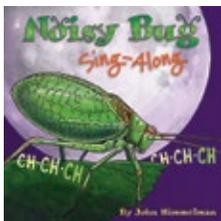
Mom's Choice Award (Gold)

Bank Street 2014 Best Children's Book

"Himmelman wows with large-scale, realistic paintings of various frogs and toads in their natural habitats. . . . Many children will enjoy mimicking the diverse noises, and budding biologists will savor the illustrations." — School Library Journal

Noisy Bug Sing-Along

Written and Illustrated by John Himmelman



Open your ears to the wonderful concert happening every warm day and night in our yards, fields, and woods nearby. Who are making those sounds? Can you sing along?

There's a lot going on out there, and this book is a wonderful bridge to a whole noisy, busy world of insects. You can hear what the insects actually sound like on our web site, www.dawnpub.com.

BUG-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-192-1 • EBOOK also

Ages 4 to 9 • 32 pages • 9.5" x 9.5" • (ATOS) 1.7

ForeWord Magazine Book of the Year (Finalist)

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)

Greenbook Festival

Gelett Burgess Book Award

NAPPA (Gold)

Purple Dragonfly Award

Children's Literary Classics

Bank Street 2014 Best Children's Book

"Insects can be noisy. That's the clear message of this natural history story for young readers. . . . Though this is only a brief introduction to the subject, the author makes it a memorable one." — The Bloomsbury Review

Curriculum Components

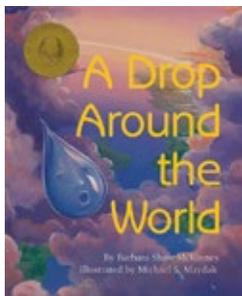
Observation Skills

Ecology & Habitat

Birds, Amphibians, or Insects

A Drop Around the World

Barbara Shaw McKinney • Illustrated by Michael S. Maydak



A drop of rain is a drop of life—from steam to snow, from polluted to purified, from stratus cloud to subterranean crack—water links the world in a living flow. Traveling with Drop, readers will see the world, inside and out, from solid, liquid and vaporous viewpoints. The everlasting, ever-changing Drop earns our respect for water and its unique role on Earth. Barbara Shaw McKinney is a teacher, as well as a curriculum developer, who promotes quality education through workshops for teachers. Downloadable activities

for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

DROP-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-88322-072-3 • EBOOK also
Ages 5 to 12 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 5.1

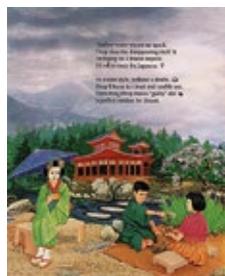
OVER 115,000 SOLD!

Benjamin Franklin Silver Award for Best Science/Environment Book

"In *A Drop Around the World*, storyteller Barbara Shaw McKinney and illustrator Michael S. Maydak collaborate to take young readers ages 5 to 12 on a wondrous journey from Maine to Mumbai following just one raindrop as it touches plant, animal and human life all around the world. Imaginative and informative." — Midwest Book Review

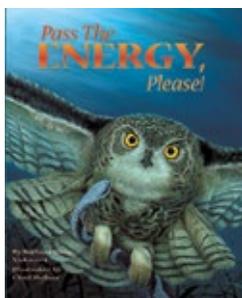
Curriculum Components

Water Cycle
Water Science
Multicultural Awareness
Geography



Pass the Energy, Please!

Barbara Shaw McKinney • Illustrated by Chad Wallace



Everyone is somebody's lunch. Each of nature's creatures "passes the energy" in its own unique way. In this upbeat rhyming story, the food chain connects herbivores, carnivores, insects and plants together in a fascinating circle of players. And all beings on Earth—from the anchovy to the zooplankton—depend upon the green plant, which is the hero of this story. Barbara McKinney's special talent shines again (*A Drop Around the World*) for being able to present the science curriculum so concisely, creatively, and cleverly. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

ENERG-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-002-3 • EBOOK also
Ages 6 to 12 • 32 pages • 9 1/2" x 12" • (ATOS) 5.4

OVER 50,000 SOLD!

Skipping Stones Honor Award

"Full of beautiful, full-color pictures, every child will enjoy reading or hearing this story read to them. [Sure to instruct your child(ren) in nature's way of handling overpopulation, food for all creatures and life on planet earth." — Education Clearing House

Curriculum Components

Food chains
Rhyming Verse
Animal/Plant Life
Ecology

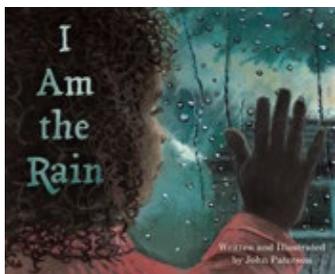


A Teacher's Guide to A Drop Around The World
A Teacher's Guide to Nature's Food Chains

Grades 3 to 6 • 48 pages • 8 1/2" x 11" • Available only as Ebooks

I Am the Rain

Written and Illustrated by John Paterson



Water is always changing—from rain to rivers, fog to thunderheads, and snowflakes to ocean waves. John Paterson's lyrical verses present water in its many colors, shapes, and forms as it follows its natural cycle through the seasons. John's evocative illustrations highlight water's many moods. Teachers and parents will appreciate "The Science Behind the Poetry," STEM activities, water

conservation tips, and more.

RAIN-P • Paper \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-616-2 • EBOOK also

RAIN-H • Hard \$16.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-615-5

Ages 3 to 8 • 32 pages • 10" x 8" • Lexile AD 470

Learning Magazine Teachers' Choice Award 2018 Family Choice Award

"A lyrical and educational look at the water cycle." – Kirkus Reviews

"This cross-curricular gem is a beautiful tribute to the many colors, shapes, and fluid forms of water, striking artwork and rhyming verses tell the story of the shifting, flowing, frozen, molten, misty matter."

— Starred Foreword Reviews

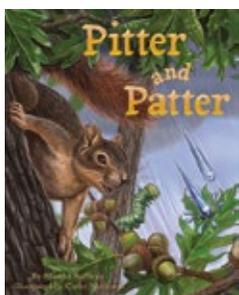
"The water cycle is often a source of fascination for young readers.

Here, Paterson crafts a poetic, visually affecting ode to the work of water, narrated by water itself."— Publisher's Weekly



Pitter and Patter

Martha Sullivan • Illustrated by Cathy Morrison



Take a ride with Pitter on a water cycle! Tumble from the sky, careen off a leaf, plunge into a stream as you travel through a watershed. Then take a ride with Patter—even through an underground cave. A water drop is a wonderfully adventurous thing to be! Following the main story is a large, attractive schematic showing both the parts of the water cycle and how each drop took different paths through the watershed. An "Explore More" section for teachers and parents offers a very clear presentation of states of matter, the water cycle, the watershed, and water's role in habitats and humans.

PITER-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-509-7

EBOOK also

PITER-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-508-0

Ages 4 to 10 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 1.8

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)

Indie Book Awards

Greenbook Festival

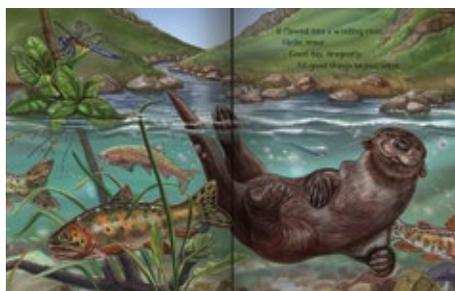
NABE Pinnacle Book Achievement

USA Book News

Grand Canyon Reader (Finalist)

Children's Literary Classic Seal of Approval

"Startlingly realistic artwork takes readers through the water cycle. . . . Four pages of backmatter explain the water cycle in more detail, using solid science vocabulary and labeled diagrams. But what most stands out is Morrison's gorgeous artwork.... An unusually striking glance at the water cycle." — Kirkus Reviews



Curriculum Components

Water Cycle

States of Matter

Seasons

Poetry

Curriculum Components

Water Cycle

Watersheds

Water Science

Tall Tall Tree

By Anthony D. Fredericks • Illustrated by Chad Wallace



There's a world teeming with life that very few people ever see. Take a peek at some of the animals that make their home in a Tall Tall Tree—a magnificent coast redwood. Count the critters, one through ten—chipmunks chattering, bats roosting, slugs sliding, and many more. Tony Frederick's playful rhyme makes this a book young children will want to look at and listen to again and again, while early readers will enjoy reading it on their own. The turn of every page reveals a unique perspective on the redwood's many moods, illustrated with Chad Wallace's stunning colors. Enriching STEAM activities complement the content. Come discover and explore this wild and magic world!

TALL-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-602-5 • EBOOK also

TALL-H Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-601-8

Ages 3 to 8 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • Lexile AD620L

Benjamin Franklin (Gold)
Indie Book Award

Nautilus Award (Silver)

CBC/NSTA Outstanding Science Trade Book

"From a publisher devoted to connecting children and nature, a worthwhile exploration of a fascinating aerial habitat." — Kirkus Reviews

"The gentle artwork of Chad Wallace and the diverse counting prompts that reveal the teeming life that can be found in and around the world's tallest trees makes Tall Tall Tree as fun as it is informative. Very highly recommended, especially for family, daycare center, Kindergarten, and community library picture book collections."
— Midwest Book Review



Curriculum Components

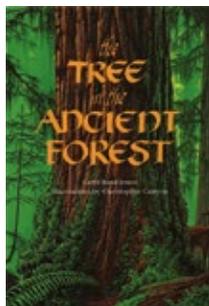
Life Science

Counting and Rhyming

Interdependence

The Tree in the Ancient Forest

Carol Reed-Jones • Illustrated by Christopher Canyon



The remarkable web of plants and animals living around a single old fir tree takes on a life of its own. Carol Reed-Jones portrays the amazing ways in which the inhabitants of the forest depend upon one another for survival. Complete with a guide to the forest creatures and their interrelationships. Also, downloadable activities for the book are at www.dawnpub.com.

TREE-P • Paper \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-88322-031-0 • EBOOK also

Ages 4 to 10 • 32 pages • 8" x 11¼" • (ATOS) 5.5

OVER 105,000 SOLD!

Benjamin Franklin Gold Award

2007 Washington State Reads Selection

"Reed-Jones' cumulative verse technique, which very effectively illustrates the ecological concept, will make this book a lively story-time read aloud . . ." — ALA Booklist

"The Tree in the Ancient Forest is the children's book of the year for the ecologically minded parent." — Northwest Conservation Magazine



Curriculum Components

Forest Ecology/Habitat

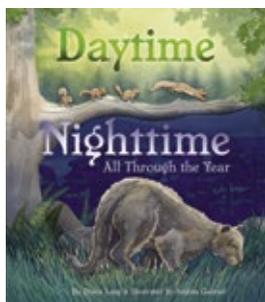
Interdependence

Conservation

Cumulative Verse

Daytime Nighttime, All Through the Year

By Diane Lang • Illustrated by Andrea Gabriel



Rhyming verses introduce young children to three science concepts—the seasons of the year, animal behavior, and nocturnal animals. The diverse lives of two animals are depicted for each month of the year—one animal that's active during the day and another active at night, for a total of 24 fascinating critters. Andrea Gabriel's water color paintings get a stylized flair with her unique digital technique. Additional information and activity suggestions give kids, parents, and teachers ways to explore more about daily rhythms and yearly cycles.

Curriculum Components

Animal Behaviors
Nocturnal/Diurnal
Seasons and Cycles
Rhyme

DAY-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-607-0 • EBOOK also

DAY-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-606-3

Ages 4 to 9 • 32 pages • 10" x 11" • Lexile AD970L

Nautilus Award (Silver)

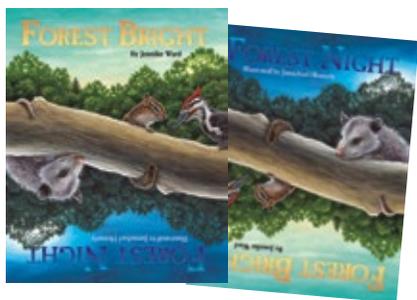
Indie Book Award

"Animals are so busy! In daytime eagles dive for fish, lizards gobble insects, and tortoises dine on cactus flowers. When night falls, bats catch moths, crickets sing, and cougars prowl. Engaging rhymes describe the action through the cycle of every day and night, as well as through each month of the year. Informatively engaging, impressively informative, while thoroughly entertaining from cover to cover."
— Midwest Book Review



Forest Bright, Forest Night

Jennifer Ward • Illustrated by Jamichael Henterly



Some animals are alert in daytime and sleep at night. Others are alert at night, and are sleepyheads during the day. You can FLIP THIS BOOK to flip from day to night—and back again! And when you do, be sure to count all the baby animals you see and find the hidden numbers on each page. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

Curriculum Components

Animal Life
Counting & Rhyming
Nocturnal/Diurnal

FORST-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-067-2 • EBOOK also

Ages 3 to 8 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • Lexile 700

2009 Giverny Book Award

Learning Magazine Teacher's Choice Award

Izaak Walton League Book of the Year

ABA Book Sense Children's Pick

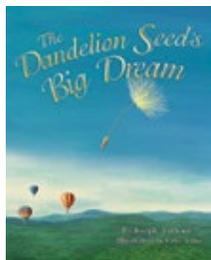
"The strong artwork will hold children's interest as they search for all of the hidden animals. A fun introduction to nature."
— School Library Journal

"Forest Bright Forest Night is a beautifully illustrated book that is ideal for reading aloud to kindergarteners studying cycles or communities of organisms." — NSTA Recommends



The Dandelion Seed's Big Dream

Joseph Anthony • Illustrated by Cris Arbo



After 17 years and over 150,000 copies sold, a dandelion seed that sailed into the hearts of so many children has returned, with a twist. The Virginia author-illustrator husband-and-wife team have produced a simple tale of a tiny seed that encounters all sorts of obstacles and opportunities—this time of the urban kind. The illustrations, which are based on actual locations in Charlottesville, VA, conclude the story with a scene of harmony and diversity.

DREAM-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-497-7 • EBOOK also

DREAM-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-496-0

Ages 4 to 9 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • Lexile AD 370L

Gelett Burgess Book Award
Indie Book Awards

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)
Purple Dragonfly Award (1st)

Greenbook Festival

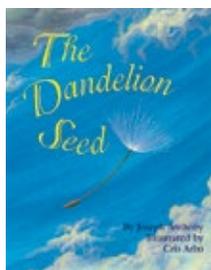
"Together with the original, this book should stimulate discussions of themes, such as patience, beauty, and courage, as well as a debate about a dandelion's status as flower or weed." — School Library Journal

"This follow-up to The Dandelion Seed, also exquisitely illustrated by Cris Arbo, further exemplifies how well this husband and wife team combines words and pictures to convey simple yet vital nature stories. While capturing the life cycle of a seed, it helps children dream about what they may one day become. The end result is a powerful and fulfilling story." — Green Teacher



The Dandelion Seed

Joseph Anthony • Illustrated by Cris Arbo



The humble dandelion. By roadside or mountainside, it flowers every month of the year throughout the world, a fitting symbol of life. Its journey is our journey, filled with challenge, wonder and beauty. Joseph Anthony and Cris Arbo are a husband and wife who live with their four girls in Buckingham, VA. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

SEED-P • Paper \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-88322-067-9 • EBOOK also

Ages 3 to 10 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 2.4

OVER 175,000 SOLD!

Benjamin Franklin Silver Award for Children's Picture Book

"Anthony makes magic with his pen and Arbo brings life to his words." — NBC-TV

"This is a 'spread your wings and fly' story with nature again serving as the great metaphor for life. Fabulous detail-oriented illustrations make this a must have." — Children's Literature

"You'll never look at a dandelion in quite the same way after reading The Dandelion Seed. Sensitive and beautifully detailed paintings enhance the simple but often poetic text." — Medina County Gazette



Curriculum Components

Life Cycles

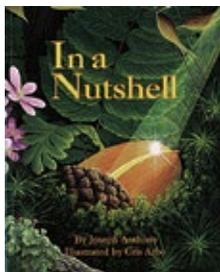
Trust

Nature Awareness

Growth Mindset

In a Nutshell

Joseph Anthony • Illustrated by Cris Arbo



Who we are. Why we are here. Where we come from and where we go. Here, in a nutshell, is a tale about life. Cris Arbo has also illustrated *The Dandelion Seed*, *In the Trees Honey Bees*, *All Around Me I See*, and *Earth Heroes: Champions of the Ocean*. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

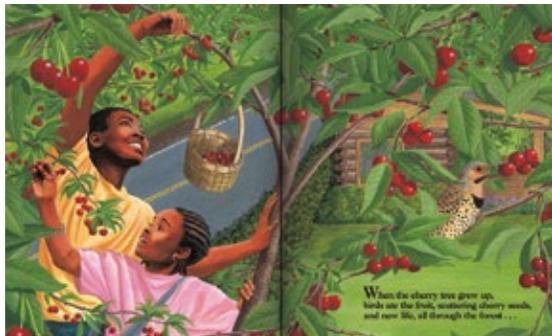
NUT-P • Paper \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-88322-098-3 • EBOOK also
Ages 3 to 10 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 3.2

Parent Council Ltd. Outstanding Selection

Virginia State Reading Assoc. Children's Choice Selection

"Beautifully illustrated, this is the story of a little acorn and how it grew." — Childrens' Literature

"Books such as In a Nutshell and The Dandelion Seed mesmerize children with their thrilling account from nature, and their breathtaking illustrations." — Hearthside Books

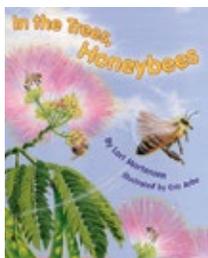


Curriculum Components

Plant Growth
Life Cycles
Ecosystems
Historical Perspective

In the Trees, Honey Bees

Lori Mortensen • Illustrated by Cris Arbo



This inside-the-hive view of a wild colony of honey bees offers close-up views of the queen, the cells, even bee eggs. Simple verse will engage a young child, while sidebars with fascinating information satisfy the somewhat older child. Parents, teachers, and interested children will enjoy much more information about both wild and domestic hives in the back of the book. The artist's detailed style shimmers with life, highlighting each hair or grain of pollen on the bees. Downloadable

activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

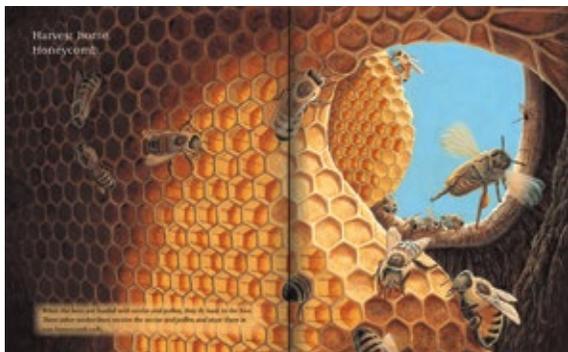
BEES-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-115-0 • EBOOK also
Ages 4 to 10 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 4.4

CBC/NSTA Outstanding Science Trade Book
2009 Izaak Walton League Book of the Year
Moonbeam Children's Book Award (Silver)

Curriculum Components

Insects
Life Cycle of the Honey Bee
Animal Families

Skipping Stones Honor Award
iParenting Media
Mom's Choice Award (Gold)



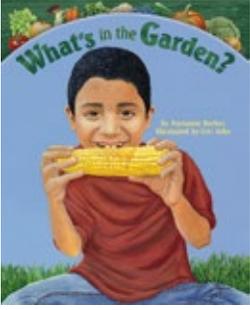
"Simple rhymes and striking full-bleed illustrations introduce the daily lives of honey bees to very young readers and listeners." — Kirkus Reviews

"A wonderful choice for sharing aloud, Mortensen's finely crafted book makes a solid addition." — School Library Journal

"Vibrant colors, lyrical rhyming couplets, and accurate science all make this NSTA/CBC Outstanding Science Trade Book for 2010 ideal to share with younger students." — NSTA Recommends

What's in the Garden?

Marianne Berkes • Illustrated by Cris Arbo



Good food doesn't begin on a store shelf with a box. It comes from a garden bursting with life! Healthy food becomes much more interesting when children know where they come from. So what's in the garden? Kids will find a variety fruits and vegetables, and a tasty, kid-friendly recipe for each one to start a lifetime of good eating. Author Marianne Berkes consulted with nutritionists and made every recipe in the book. Free recipes and downloadable activities are available at www.dawnpub.com.

GARDN-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-190-7 • EBOOK also

GARDN-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-189-1

Ages 4 to 9 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • Lexile AD 710

Moonbeam Children's Book Award (Gold)
Learning Magazine Teachers' Choice Award
NABE Pinnacle Book Achievement
Children's Literary Classics
ForeWord Magazine Book of the Year (Finalist)

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)
Gellet Burgess Book Award
Living Now Book Award
Young Voices Foundation (Silver)
Bank Street 2014 Best Children's Books

Indie Book Award (Gold)
Greenbook Festival
Purple Dragonfly Book Award
2014 Growing Good Kids
Skipping Stones Honors Award

"Berkes presents readers with a rhyming challenge to name what is growing, providing textual clues as well as gorgeously detailed and realistic illustrations." — Kirkus Reviews

"Very, very close-up, realistic illustrations show children thoroughly enjoying the garden's bounty. There's a recipe for each fruit or vegetable." — School Library Journal

Green Bean! Green Bean!

Patricia Thomas • Illustrated by Trina L. Hunner



A freckled-faced young gardener opens a packet of seeds. And the magic begins! Crisp verses take the reader through the growing season—from a sprout peeking out, to a curlicue catching dew, to a vine twining on a line, until finally . . . GREEN BEANS! Along the way the young gardener discovers a nook to read a book in the shade of growing beans. Trina's watercolors match the mood of a garden, and in the backmatter Patricia provides life cycle science and related vocabulary, instructions on growing your own green beans, and a variety of fun things for children to do. This book is sure to encourage young gardeners to put their toes in the soil and perhaps even read a book in a garden nook. Educators can find free downloadable lesson plans aligned to Common Core and Next Generation Science standards.

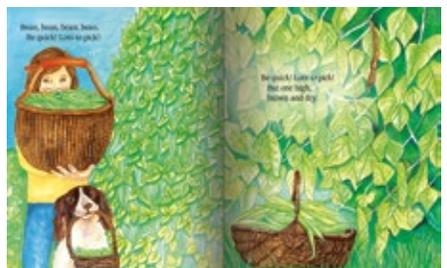
BEAN-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-544-8 • EBOOK also

BEAN-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-543-1

Ages 4 to 10 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 1.4

Purple Dragonfly Award
Family Choice Award

"Green Bean! Green Bean! is a delightful nature education poem to the joy of growing tending, harvesting, and eating a magical green bean! Appealing to kids age 3-7, Green Bean! Green Bean! is a triumph and a tribute to the adaptability and the versatility of the common green bean." — Midwest Book Review



Curriculum Components

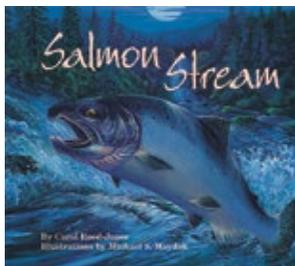
Plants & Gardening
Fruits & Vegetables
Nutrition

Curriculum Components

Plant Life Cycle
Plant Parts
Seasonal Cycles

Salmon Stream

Carol Reed-Jones • Illustrated by Michael S. Maydak



Carol Reed-Jones follows the life cycle of salmon in cumulative verse, similar to her best-selling *The Tree in the Ancient Forest*. Against staggering odds the eggs hatch and grow, travel to the ocean, and eventually struggle upstream to their birthplace again, to spawn a new generation. *Salmon Stream* is also packed with information and resources for people of all ages who want to learn more about salmon and how to help them survive. Also, downloadable activities for the book are at www.dawnpub.com.

SALMN-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-013-9 • EBOOK also
Ages 6 to 12 • 32 pages • 10 ½" x 9" • (ATOS) 5.6

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Learning Magazine Teachers' Choice Award

CBC/NSTA Outstanding Science Trade Book

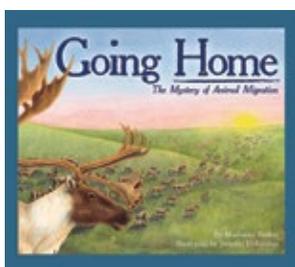
"The salmon is not only an important species for ocean food webs but also is a key indicator of the quality of river and shore environments. The effects of human development — dams, pollution, and channeling — all affect its survival. This NSTA/CBC Outstanding Science Trade Book provides a poetic yet accurate description of the life cycle of this important species for elementary students." — NSTA Recommends

"The rhythm and rhyme make for more interesting reading aloud, but it is the drama of the cycle of nature, surviving against all odds, that carries the story. Maydak's naturalistic paintings take us beneath the surface to illuminate the cycle as well as giving us glimpses of what is above; we see the predators in the water and air as well as the dams and fish ladders." — Children's Literature



Going Home: The Mystery of Animal Migration

Marianne Berkes • Illustrated by Jennifer DiRubbio

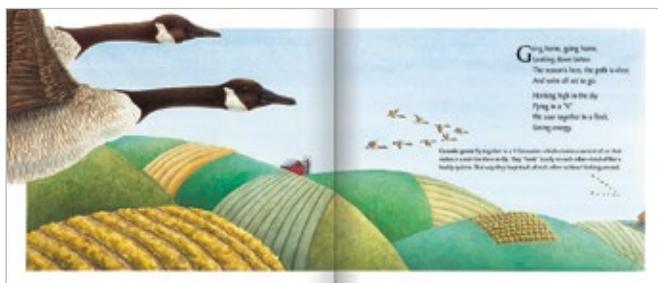


By foot, fin, and wing, many animals migrate "home," sometimes over very long distances. They have no maps. They may skip many meals. Why do they do it? How do they find their way? For the migrating animals, their story is one of determination and accomplishment. For us, their story is one of mystery and admiration. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

HOME-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-127-3 • EBOOK also
Ages 4 to 10 • 32 pages • 10½" x 9" • (ATOS) 5.3

Moonbeam Children's Book Award (Gold) FL Reading Assoc Picture Book Award Izaak Walton League Book of the Year
Greenbook Festival, 2010 (Honorable Mention) Mom's Choice Award (Gold) Gelett Burgess Book Award

"A solid introductory look at animal migration in a form that the youngest readers will appreciate."
— Kirkus Reviews



"Poetry on each double-page spread of graphic art makes this beautiful book one you will want to share aloud."

— NSTA Recommends

"Teachers especially will welcome this poetic look at animal migration patterns."

— School Library Journal

Curriculum Components

Animal Migration
Reading & Poetry
Creative Writing
Geography

Curriculum Components

Salmon Life Cycle
Cumulative Verse
Interdependence

A Moon of My Own

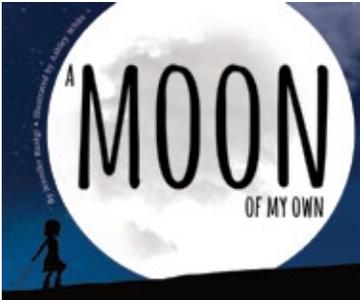
By Jennifer Rustgi • Illustrated by Ashley White

Curriculum Components

Earth and Space

Moon Phases

Geography



An adventurous young girl journeys around the world, if only in her dreams. She discovers both natural beauty and manmade wonders. And all along the way she's accompanied by her faithful companion—the Moon. Always changing, yet always with her, the Moon remains her magical friend and loyal guide. The silhouette art suggests the wonderful places the girl travels in her fertile imagination—places on every continent. In the “Explore More—For Kids” section, a map offers a simple introduction to world geography, along with an introduction to understanding the phases of the Moon. The “Explore More—For Teachers and Parents” section features additional information about the Moon, modeling the Moon, Moon art, and much more.

MOON-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-573-8 • EBOOK also
Ages 4 to 10 • 32 pages • 11" x 9" • Lexile AD 370

Benjamin Franklin (Silver)

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)

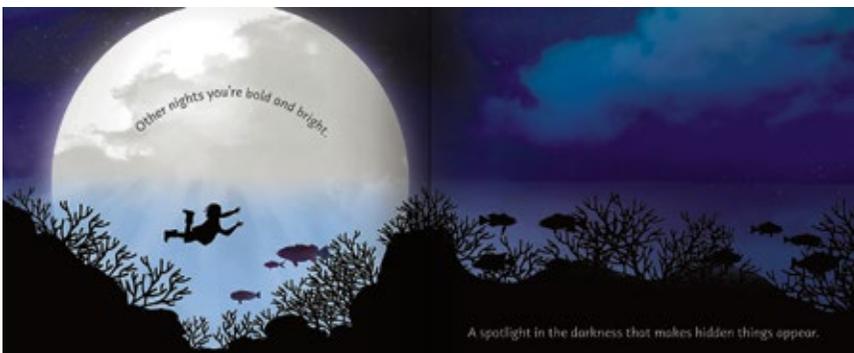
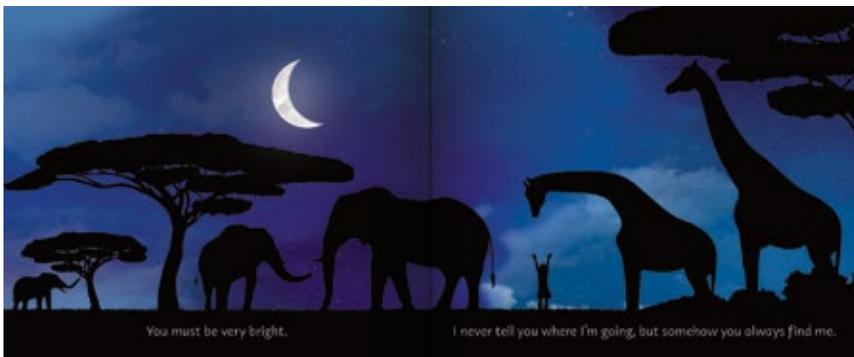
Best Book Award (Finalist)

Green Book Festival (Honorable Mention)

Indie Book Awards (Finalist)

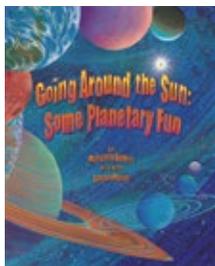
“Readers are brought along on a young girl's imaginative nighttime adventure around the world. The moon is both a source of wonder for the girl and a companion that is always there. In the first-person narration, the girl addresses the moon directly: “Hey there, Moon. There you are again. / I wonder, why do you follow me?” Subtly, the author addresses some of the questions and observations kids make about this celestial body. “Each night you seem a little different from the night before. / But I always know it's you.” These queries are answered in the backmatter. This just may encourage young readers to look up to the night sky and gain a new friend of their own.” — Kirkus Reviews

“In the new release, A Moon of My Own, a little girl journeys across the seven continents wondering aloud about the always-changing, yet ever-present moon. As the story and her travels progress, the moon also phases among its various forms: waxing crescent in Africa, full moon in Asia, etc. This story perfectly illustrates the cultivation of empathy in early childhood as the girl explores a natural phenomenon and her personal relationship within its orb. The book explores nature connections alongside factual science which we strive to achieve in all of our programming, whether formal or informal.” — EEAI Newsletter



Going Around the Sun: Some Planetary Fun

Marianne Berkes • Illustrated by Janeen Mason



Our Earth is part of a fascinating planetary family—eight planets and an odd bunch of solar system “cousins”—that spin, roll, tilt, blow and whirl around the Sun. Here, to the tune of “Over in the Meadow,” young ones can get a glimpse of our remarkable neighborhood. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

Curriculum Components

Astronomy
Solar System
Planets

GOING-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-100-6 • EBOOK also

GOING-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-099-3

Ages 4 to 9 • 32 pages • 9" X 11" • (ATOS) 4.8

iParenting Media Award

Moonbeam Children's Book Award (Bronze: Non-fiction Picture Book)

Mom's Choice Award (Gold: Nature & Weather)

2011 Florida Reading Assn. Nomination

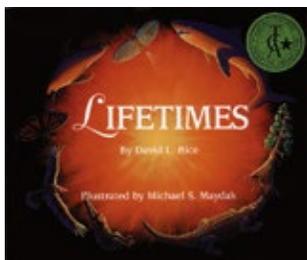


“Modeled on “Over in the Meadow,” Berkes’s rhymed tour of the solar system is framed as a dialogue between Mother Sun and her satellites.” — School Library Journal

“This book’s title gives readers a hint of the lyrical, literary method used to explain the roll, tilt, blow, spin, sparkle, and whirl of the objects found in our solar system.” — NSTA Recommends

Lifetimes

David L. Rice • Illustrated by Michael S. Maydak



The Universe is our school, nature our teacher, and every species has a lesson for us. “A lifetime for a mayfly is about one day. . .

A lifetime for an elephant is about 65

years . . . A lifetime for a dinosaur is never again!!” Lifetimes introduces some of nature’s longest, shortest and most unusual lifetimes. The “tell about it, think about it” questions

for each lifetime are perfect for engaging a young person in a stimulating conversation. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

LIFE-P • Paper \$ 8.95 • ISBN 978-1-88322-059-4 • EBOOK also

Ages 4 to 12 • 32 pages • 10 ½" x 9" • (ATOS) 5.3



Curriculum Components

Time-line Comparisons
Life Cycles
Animal/Plant Life
Social/Emotional Skills

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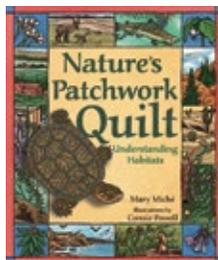
Learning Magazine
“Teacher’s Choice” Award

A Teacher's Guide to Lifetimes

Grades 3 to 6 • 48 pages • 8 1/2" x 11" • EBOOK only

Nature's Patchwork Quilt: Understanding Habitats

Mary Miché • Illustrated by Consie Powell



Just imagine all of nature—mountains, prairies, oceans, and all—lying on your bed as a patchwork quilt! Take flora and fauna in their unique habitats, fold them up and you have a book, this book. Earth's major habitats are spread before you, ready to be examined. Here in this beautiful package are revealed the key concepts of natural science.

Curriculum Components

Habitats
Adaptation
Biodiversity
Food Chain

QUILT-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-170-9 • EBOOK also

Ages 4 to 12 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 4.7

CBC/NSTA Outstanding Science Trade Book

Children's Literary Classics

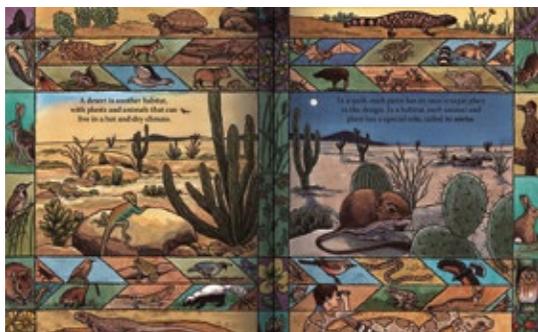
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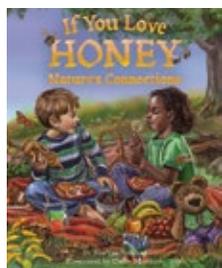
Izaak Walton League Book of the Year



"Earth's major habitats are beautifully woven in and illustrated within every page of this book. Concepts of biodiversity, adaptations, and respect for our ecosystems are presented through simple language and images that are displayed in various patchwork quilt designs. The content is developmentally appropriate and easy to match to the Next Generation Science Standards and almost all state guidelines for that level."
— NSTA Recommends

If You Love Honey: Nature's Connections

Martha Sullivan • Illustrated by Cathy Morrison



Honey is a sweet gift from nature—ALL of nature, actually. Honey is linked in a very real way to dandelions, earthworms, mushrooms, the old oak tree and even the blue jays squawking in its branches. If you love nature's honey, you are sure to love nature too. The author fell in love with bees as an amateur beekeeper, and then learned to appreciate flowering plants as an important nectar source. And then she realized how the plants were connected to insects and soil. A simple but accurate diagram in the back matter explains how bees make honey and also pollinate plants, as well as the role of beneficial insects and decomposers. Further activities are available at www.dawnpub.com.

Curriculum Components

Insects
Pollination
Interdependence

HONEY-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-534-9 • EBOOK also

HONEY-H • Hard • \$16.95 • ISBN: 978-1-58469-533-2

Ages 4 to 9 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 4.5

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)

Nautilus Book Award

2015 Eureka! Honor Award

Benjamin Franklin (Silver) 2015

Living Now (Gold)

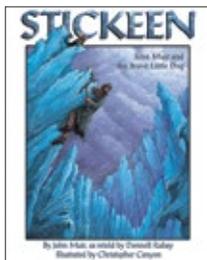
Skipping Stones Honor Award

USA Booknews

"A cycle of logical syllogisms takes readers from the title stipulation through a series of conclusions that ends at the beginning. . . . A neat look at connections many children can see in action." — Kirkus Reviews

Stickeen: John Muir and the Brave Little Dog

John Muir, as retold by Donnell Rubay • Illustrated by Christopher Canyon



The great explorer and environmentalist, John Muir, first met the little dog Stickeen while exploring in Alaska. This is the true story of their challenging and memorable adventure climbing the glaciers of the north country, as re-told by former teacher and lawyer, Donnell Rubay, and illustrated by award-winning illustrator Christopher Canyon.

Curriculum Components

Human & Animal Relationships
Natural History
Biography

STKN-P • Paper \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-88322-078-5 • EBOOK also
Ages 4 to 12 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 4.4

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Benjamin Franklin Gold award for Best Nature Book
After School Kidzlit Selection

Parent Council Ltd. Outstanding Selection

"Canyon's illustrations capture all the drama and desolation of the Alaskan landscape, conveying in breathtaking imagery the tremendous courage and ingenuity required of the twosome confronted by the powerful forces of nature." — Bloomsbury Review

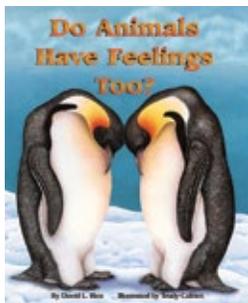
"Snuggle in with your child and this thrilling book, and you'll enjoy the magical effect only the marriage of perfect story and pictures can bring." — Hearthsides Books

"This is a captivating introduction to the life and values of John Muir. The text is adapted from Muir's original account and the grand illustrations evoke the glacial wilderness of southeastern Alaska in hauntingly windswept icy blues." — Center for Environmental Education



Do Animals Have Feelings Too?

David L. Rice • Illustrated by Trudy Calvert



Do animals have feelings? Until recently most scientists didn't think so. Many scientists are now changing their minds. Close observation of animals is tending to show that animals may have feelings quite similar to human feelings. This collection of true animal behavior, witnessed by naturalists and others, is both heartwarming and thought-provoking.

Curriculum Components

Animal Studies
Emotional Intelligence
Character Education

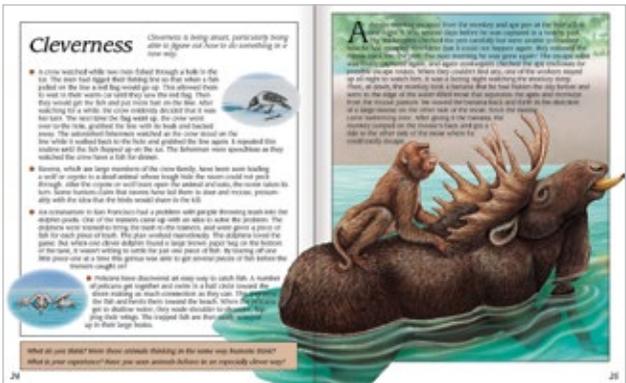
FEEL-P • Paper \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-004-7 • EBOOK also
Ages 4 to 12 • 32 pages • 9" x 11" • (ATOS) 5.8

American Booksellers Association Pick of the Lists

Skiping Stones Honor Award

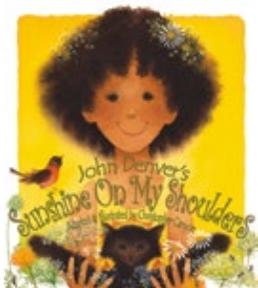
"This book explores recent scientific observations that says animals have feelings quite similar to human feelings. The book provides many often heartwarming examples of animal behavior that kids can relate to." — Clearing Magazine

"Each page is jammed full of fascinating animal anecdotes that will tickle the fancy of readers of all ages." — California Kids



Sunshine On My Shoulders

John Denver • Illustrated by Christopher Canyon



This heartwarming book—an adaptation of one of John Denver’s best-loved songs—is a lovely reminder of the good, pure things in life. *Sunshine On My Shoulders* celebrates friendship, sunshine and simple joy. Children and adults alike will love Christopher Canyon’s whimsical and humorous illustrations that capture the innocence of childhood. The hardback edition includes a CD of John singing *The Music Is You* and *Sunshine On My Shoulders*. Both editions include the musical score of Sunshine.

SUN-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-050-4 • EBOOK also
SUN-CD • Hard • \$19.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-048-1 (includes CD)
All Ages • 32 pages • Fully illustrated • 9 ½" x 10 ¾"

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National Parenting Publication Honors Award
ABA Book Sense Selection

Benjamin Franklin gold award

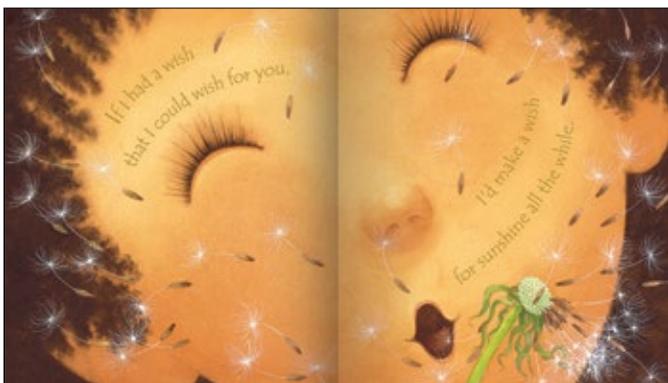
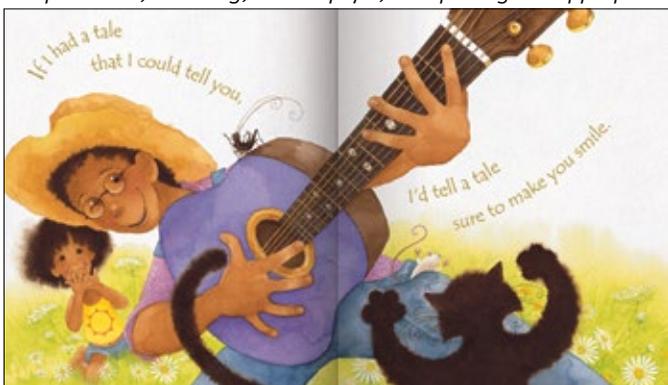
“It just makes sense—John Denver and kids!” — Vince Gill

“Each page is brimming over with warmth and the dazzling brightness of a summer’s day; there’s enough sun to cure even the toughest case of winter doldrums.” — ABA Book Sense 76 Selection

“The charming story presents the adventures of a young girl enjoying the outside world and the thrill of life. A rapturous experience meant to be shared between young and old, John Denver’s Sunshine On My Shoulders is a inventive and charming tribute to a fondly memorable tune.” — Midwest Book Review

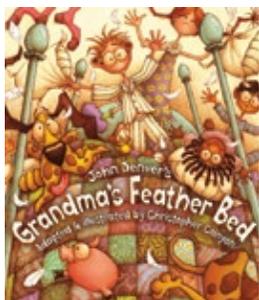
“The usual selling of stewardship and its responsibilities is cloaked with the sheer wonder and enjoyment of the sunshine. Its call is to be shared, read, sung, outside. It will carry the strong message of respect and awe for the whole of creation.” — Catholic Library World

“Canyon’s interpretation sets a mood of joyful introspection, and the characters he draws are engaging as they immerse themselves in their own little drama. Children will enjoy telling their versions of the tale based on Canyon’s portrayal. Inspirational, soothing, and hopeful, this package is appropriate as a bedtime story or simply for sharing time. Cuddle up!”
— Dirty Linen



Grandma's Feather Bed

John Denver • Adapted & Illustrated by Christopher Canyon



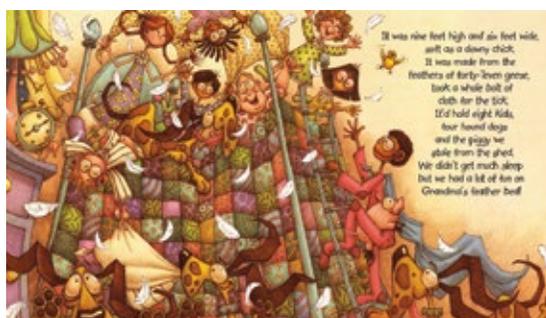
Upbeat, funny and irresistibly singable, John Denver's rendition of "Grandma's Feather Bed" is a delight for everyone in the family, young and old alike. And for this book, illustrator Christopher Canyon perfectly captures the wild exuberance of a childhood visit to Grandma's—and special fun on her great big bed! This is the fourth in Dawn Publications' highly acclaimed John Denver & Kids picture book series. The hardback edition comes with a CD of John singing this fun-filled song. Join in!

FB-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-096-2 • EBOOK also
FB-CD • Hard • \$19.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-095-5 (includes CD)
All ages • 32 pages • Fully illustrated • 9 1/2" x 10 3/4"

Benjamin Franklin Gold Award
Parenting Media Award

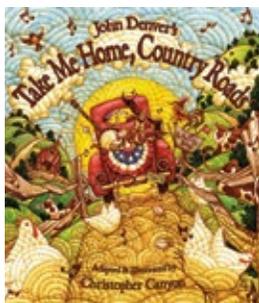
Moonbeam Children's Book Award (Bronze: Book with Music)
Mom's Choice Award

"Grandma's Feather Bed" was "adopted" by John Denver, having been written by a long-time friend and banjo player Jim Connor. Jim wrote the song in honor of his Grandma Florence Setzer of Birmingham, Alabama. In this 1964 photo, at age 86, Grandma is singing Appalachian ballads accompanied by her grandson.



Take Me Home, Country Roads

John Denver • Adapted & Illustrated by Christopher Canyon



Did you know that John Denver's famous song, "Take Me Home, Country Roads" was originally inspired by a drive to a family reunion? In this picture book, illustrator Christopher Canyon brilliantly builds on that theme, portraying members of a family all heading for Grandma and Grandpa's old farm to "the place I belong." Canyon created the artwork to imitate a quilt—a classic American folk art form that's especially popular in the Appalachian regions.

CR-P • Paper • \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-073-3 • EBOOK also
CR-CD • Hard • \$19.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-072-6 (includes CD)
All Ages • 36 pages • Fully illustrated • 9 1/2" x 10 3/4"

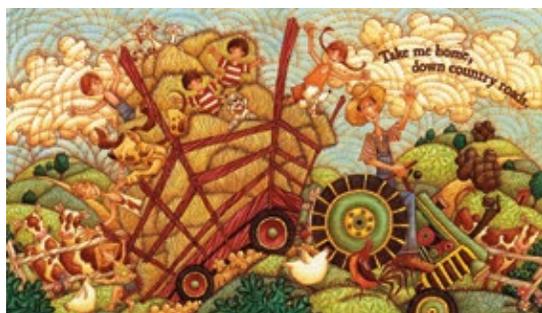
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National Parenting Publications Award (NAPPA)

ABA Book Sense Selection

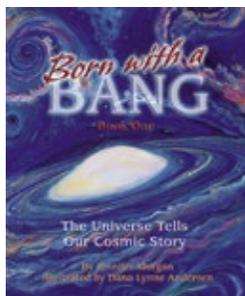
"Jaunty artwork with the busy color and texture of a patchwork quilt add to the listen-while-you-look fun." — Publishers Weekly

"A cast of wonderfully expressive characters journey day and night toward a reunion. Canyon's portrayal of the song's West Virginia mountains and countryside as a quilt is inspired . . ." — Kirkus Reviews



Born with a Bang: The Universe Tells Our Cosmic Story

Jennifer Morgan • Illustrated by Dana Lynne Andersen



Here is the “autobiography” of the universe—early history of the universe narrated by the universe itself. Beginning with the Big Bang and ending with the formation of Earth, Book One of the trilogy is a thrilling story of chaos and creativity. Particles become galaxies. Mother stars explode in supernovas, creating elements, the building blocks of life. It is a story of surprise after surprise. Each book has an extensive section explaining the science behind the story, and offering resources for further study.

Curriculum Components

Interdependence

Storytelling

Evolution

Jennifer Morgan studied at Princeton University and also holds a degree in theology from the University of San Francisco.

UNIV1-P • Paper • \$9.95 • ISBN 1-58469-032-1 • EBOOK also

Ages 7 through adult • 48 pages • 9 ¾" x 11 ½" • (ATOS) 4.6

Learning Magazine Teacher's Choice Award

North American Publishing Co. Gold Ink Award (Silver)

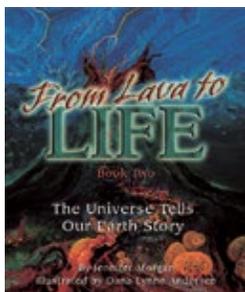
NAPRA Nautilus Award (finalist)

“Children like stories; science can be a harder sell. But Jennifer Morgan of Princeton has combined “once upon a time” with subjects like the relationship of energy and matter, black holes in space and the formation of elements . . .” — New York Times

“Born With a Bang hooks you from the very first page Scientifically correct illustrations are enhanced with actual photographs where appropriate. This book is highly recommended for readers of ages 8 to 80 and beyond!” — Science Books and Films

“When returning from the Moon, I experienced directly and emotionally the personal connection to the Universe described by Jennifer Morgan. We are the way the Universe knows itself. We are it and it is us. All together we are wonderful and amazing.” — Edgar Mitchell, Sc D., Apollo 14

From Lava to Life: The Universe Tells Our Earth Story

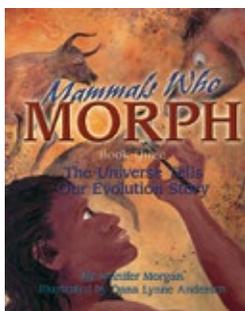


Settle in with your favorite pillow while the Universe tells the thrilling story of Earth. It’s a story about the beginning of life, and how Earth triumphs over crisis to become bacteria . . . jellyfish . . . flowers . . . dinosaurs! It’s a science story that is your story too, the story of your living Earth and the unbroken chain that connects you to the very first life that began to twitch in the sea four billion years ago.

UNIV2-P • Paper • \$9.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-042-9 • EBOOK also

Ages 7 through adult • 48 pages • 9¾" x 11½" • (ATOS) 4.9

Mammals Who Morph: The Universe Tells Our Evolution Story



This remarkable evolution series, narrated by the Universe itself, concludes with Book Three, the amazing story of mammals. It picks up with the extinction of dinosaurs, and tells how tiny mammals survived and morphed into lots of new Earthlings . . . horses, whales and a kind of mammal with a powerful imagination—you. It’s a story of chaos, creativity and heroes—the greatest adventure on Earth!

UNIV3-P • Paper • \$9.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-085-6 • EBOOK also

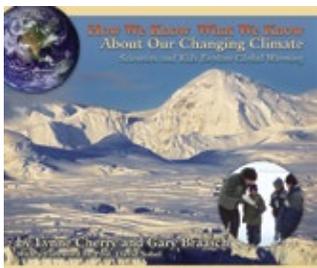
UNIV3-H • Hard • \$19.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-084-9

Ages 7 through adult • 48 pages • 9¾" x 11½" • (ATOS) 4.7

“Mammals Who Morph is a fantastic journey through time . . . It is a must for every school library—and I shall give it to my grandchildren and my sister’s grandchildren and my godchildren.” — Dr. Jane Goodall, DBE, Founder of Jane Goodall Institute

How We Know What We Know About Our Changing Climate: Scientists and Kids Explore Global Warming

Lynne Cherry & Gary Braasch • Photographs by Gary Braasch



When the weather changes daily, how do we really know that Earth's climate is changing? Here is the science behind the headlines—evidence from flowers, butterflies, birds, frogs, trees, glaciers and much more, gathered by scientists from all over the world, sometimes with assistance from young “citizen-scientists.” And here is what



young people, and their families and teachers, can do to learn about climate change and take action. Kids can make a difference!

This book combines the talents of two uniquely qualified authors: Lynne Cherry, the leading children's environmental writer/illustrator and Gary Braasch, award-winning photo-journalist and author of *Earth Under Fire: How Global Warming is Changing the World*. Downloadable activities for this book are at www.dawnpub.com.

CLIMT-P • Paper \$11.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-130-3 (Available again in paperback)
Ages 10 to 14 • 66 pages • color photographs • 11" X 9" • (ATOS) 8.4

AAA/Subaru/SB&F Excellence in Science Books

John Burroughs List of Nature Books for Young Readers

Izaak Walton League Book of the Year

2009 Nautilus Award (Silver)

ForeWord Magazine Book of the Year (Gold)

Greenbook Festival, 2009 (Honorable Mention)

Mom's Choice Award (Gold)

National Parenting Publications Award (Gold)

National Best Books 2008 Awards (Winner: YA Educational)

Skipping Stones Honor Award

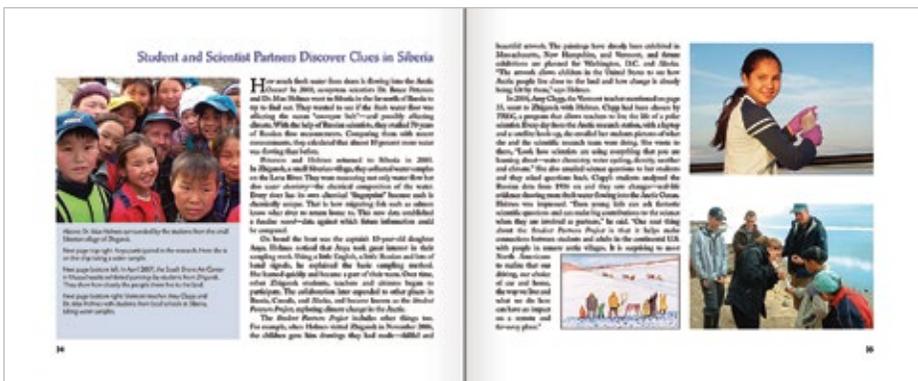
New York Book Festival, 2009 (Honorable Mention)

Nashville Book Festival, 2009

2010 Amer. Meteorological Soc. Louise Batton Award

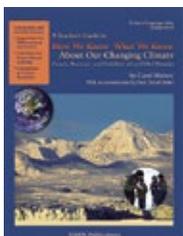
Purple Dragonfly Book Award (2nd Place)

“The book’s wide-ranging exploration of scientific studies and the encouragement to people of every age to become citizen scientists and active participants for change make this a valuable purchase.”
—School Library Journal (starred review)



A Teacher's Guide to How We Know What We Know About Our Changing Climate: Lessons, Resources, and Guidelines for Teaching about Global Warming

Carol L. Malnor

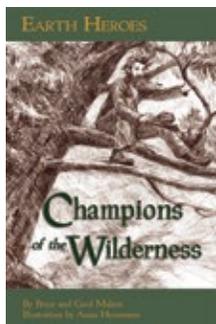


Using the book *How We Know What We Know About Our Changing Climate*, this guide helps teachers explore global warming through engaging lessons and classroom activities. Suggestions are provided to differentiate instruction and conduct project-based learning. Lessons and activities are correlated to science standards for grades 5-8.

CLIMT-TG • Available only as an Ebook
Grades 5 to 8

Earth Heroes: Champions of the Wilderness

Bruce and Carol Malnor • Illustrated by Anisa Claire Hovemann



Earth Heroes: Champions of the Wilderness is the first in a series of meticulously researched books that introduces influential people involved in the preservation of wild places to upper elementary and middle school children. Their lives show how they shared their scientific skills and knowledge with the public to make lasting contributions to the world. This volume includes eight historic and contemporary greats. They are **Henry David Thoreau, John Muir, Theodore Roosevelt, Aldo Leopold, Richard St. Barbe Baker, Margaret Murie, David Suzuki** and **Wangari Maathai**.

Curriculum Components

Biographies
Scientists
Environmentalists
Environmental History

EHWNS • Paper • \$11.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-116-7 • EBOOK also

Ages 10 to 14 • 144 pages • Photos and B&W illustrations • 6" x 9" • (ATOS) 7.2

CBC/NSTA Outstanding Science Trade Book
Moonbeam Children's Book Award (Bronze)

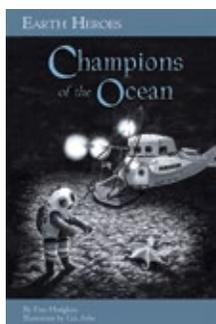
Smithsonian Mag. Notable Book
iParenting Media Award

Nautilus Book Award (Gold)
Mom's Choice Award (Gold)

"This collection of biographies was named an NSTA/CBC Outstanding Science Trade Book for 2010 because of its high-quality, diverse selection of scientists and understandable text." — NSTA Reviews

Earth Heroes: Champions of the Ocean

Fran Hodgkins • Illustrated by Cris Arbo



This second book in this series introduces great conservationists who explored the oceans and worked to save otters, whales, sharks, sunfish, and other inhabitants of the deep. They are **William Beebe, Archie Carr, Jacques Cousteau, Margaret Wentworth Owings, Eugenie Clark, Roger Payne, Sylvia Earle,** and **Tierney Thys**.

EHOC • Paper • \$11.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-119-8 • EBOOK also
Ages 10 to 14 • 144 pages • Photos and B&W illustrations • 6" x 9"
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Mom's Choice Award (Gold)

Greenbook Festival, 2010 (Honorable Mention)

iParenting Media Award

Smithsonian Magazine Notable Book

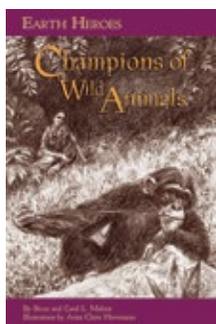
ForeWord Magazine Book of the Year Award (finalist)

Nashville Book Festival, 2009 (Honorable Mention)

New England Book Festival, 2009 (Honorable Mention)

Earth Heroes: Champions of Wild Animals

Bruce and Carol Malnor • Illustrated by Anisa Claire Hovemann



This final volume in the Earth Heroes series features some of the greatest naturalists who studied and played a role in saving entire species of wild animals. The people featured in the book include: **William Hornaday**, a hunter who campaigned to save bison from extinction; **J.N. "Ding" Darling**, famous cartoonist and "the duck's best friend"; **Rachel Carson**, the scientist who wouldn't be silent; **Roger Tory Peterson**, the world's foremost birder; **R.D. Lawrence**, the man who dispelled myths about wolves; **E.O. Wilson**, "Lord of the Ants"; **Jane Goodall**, an ambassador for both chimpanzees and world peace; and the **Douglas-Hamilton** family, tireless workers on behalf of elephants.

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Ages 10 to 14 • 144 pages • Photos and B&W illustrations • 6" x 9" • (ATOS) 7.7

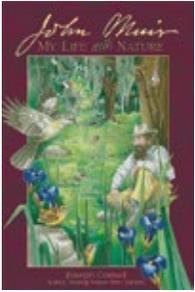
ForeWord Magazine Book of the Year (finalist)
Mom's Choice Award (Gold)

Nautilus Award (Silver)

CBC/NSTA Outstanding Science Trade Book
Smithsonian Magazine Notable Book
Purple Dragonfly Book Award (2nd Place)

John Muir: My Life with Nature

Joseph Cornell



This unique “autobiography” of John Muir is told in his own words, brimming with his spirit and his adventures.

The text was selected and retold by naturalist Joseph Cornell, author of *Sharing Nature with Children*, who is well loved for his ability to help others experience the joyous quality of nature. The result is a book with an aliveness, a presence of goodness, adventure, enthusiasm, and sensitive love of each animal and plant that will give young adults an

experience of a true hero unlike any found today.

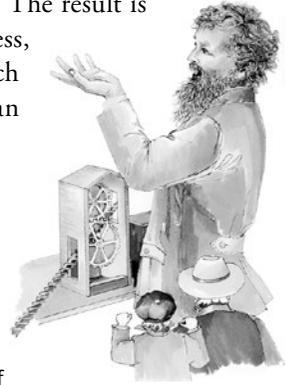
MUIR • Paper • \$9.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-009-2 • EBOOK also
Ages 10 to 16 • 80 pages • 34 photos/illustrations • 6" x 9" • (ATOS) 6.4

The ASPCA Henry Bergh Children's Book Award
Dept. of Environment–South Korea Environmental Dept, Excellent Books for 2007

“This is THE BEST John Muir biography for children. It is informative, engaging, and succinctly written . . . Teachers, parents and nature lovers are going to love it, right along with children.” — Jill Harcke, Co-producer of the John Muir Tribute CD

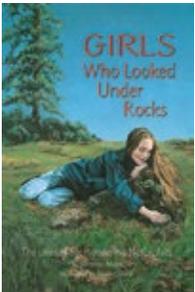
Curriculum Components

Biography
Natural History
Nature Appreciation



Girls Who Looked Under Rocks

Jeannine Atkins • Illustrated by Paula Conner



The six women portrayed in this book—Maria Merian (b.1647), Anna Comstock (b.1854), Frances Hamerstrom (b.1907), Rachel Carson (b.1907), Miriam Rothschild (b.1908) and Jane Goodall (b.1934)—all grew up to become award-winning scientists, writers and artists, as comfortable with a pen as with a magnifying glass. They all started out as girls who didn't run from spiders or snakes, but crouched down to take a closer look. Often they were discouraged from getting dirty, much less pursuing careers in science. But they all became enthusiastic teachers, energetic writers, and passionate scientists.

GIRLS • Paper \$8.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-011-5 • EBOOK also
Ages 10 to 16 • 64 pages • 21 B&W illustrations • 6" x 9" • (ATOS) 6.4

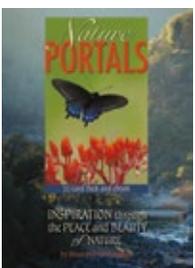
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Benjamin Franklin Silver for Young Adult Non-Fiction
ASPC Henry Bergh Children's Book Award (Finalist)

CBC/NSTA Outstanding Science Trade Book

“Not all girls run from insects and scream when they see snakes. Some get nose to nose with nature, to paint what they see, to write about what they learn, and to remind girls everywhere that rotten logs and mud puddles hide wonders.” — Learning Magazine

Nature Portals Card Deck

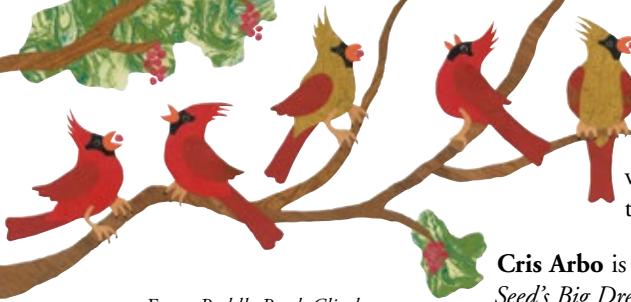


Allow yourself to be gently led to a greater connection with nature. The 52 cards in the *Nature Portals* card deck combine nature photos with uplifting words to expand your awareness of nature's gifts and bring balance and renewal into your life. Take the cards with you on a nature outing and chose one to deepen your experience. Or when you're unable to get outside, look at the photos and feel yourself immersed in the natural world.

CARDS • \$15.95 • ISBN 978-1-58469-475-5
Adult • 52 cards • Photographs • 4" x 6"

Curriculum Components

Biography
Women's Studies
Natural History



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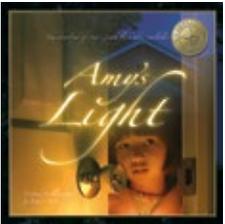
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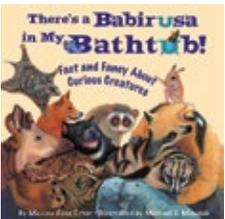


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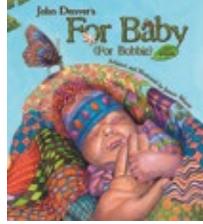
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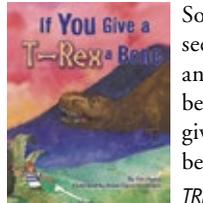


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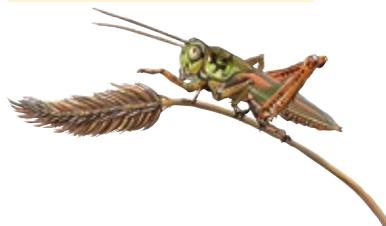
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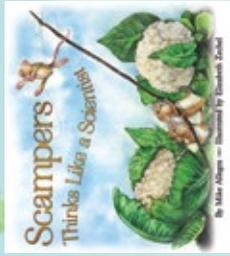
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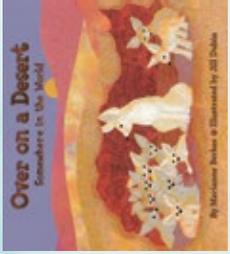
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