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**BOOKS**  
**for**  
**Young**  
**Readers**



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## Common Core Curriculum Standards

As schools make the shift to the Common Core, Charlesbridge has updated our curriculum connections to include all appropriate CCSS correlations. Many Common Core Standards include new abbreviations and formatting. Below is a key which should be useful.

*All Common Core Standards listed adhere to the following format:*

Anchor Standard. Grade Level. Standard addressed

RL.3-6.1

Reading Literature. Grades 3 to 6. Standard 1.

*All abbreviations listed translate as follows:*

CC: Counting and Cardinality

CCSS: Common Core State Standards

ELA: English Language Arts

G: Geometry

M: Mathematics

MD: Measurement and Data

NBT: Numbers and Operations in Base Ten

NF: Numbers and Operations—Fractions

OA: Operations and Algebraic Thinking

RF: Reading Foundational Skills

RH: Literacy in History/Social Studies

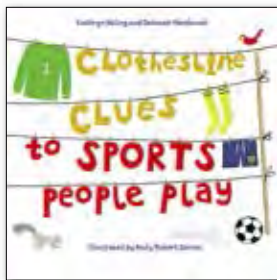
RI: Reading Informational

RL: Reading Literature

SL: Speaking and Listening

For additional CCSS resources, please visit our website or contact us at [trademarketing@charlesbridge.com](mailto:trademarketing@charlesbridge.com).





## Clothesline Clues to Sports People Play

Kathryn Heling & Deborah Hembrook  
*illustrated by Andy Robert Davies*

Catchy rhymes and visual cues introduce young readers to sports in this companion to *Clothesline Clues to Jobs People Do*. The clues in each lively verse can be spotted hanging from the clotheslines. What athlete wears those items? Turn the page to discover the sport—and the athlete in full gear! From baseball and soccer, to fencing and archery, there's something for everyone—including a surprise ending.

9 x 9 • 40 pages • Ages 3–7 • Full-color illustrations • LC 2014010490  
 Carton QTY: HC 34

**On-sale date: August 4**  
 978-1-58089-602-3  
 \$14.95, HC / \$16.95 CAN



*Also available as an ebook*

**CCSS Correlation:**  
 CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.K.1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10  
 CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.1.1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 10



## Poppy's Best Paper

Susan Eaddy  
*illustrated by Rosalinde Bonnet*

More than anything, Poppy wants to be a *verrrry* famous writer. She's sure Mrs. Rose will pick her paper to read to the whole class! Trouble is, she has tall ambitions but is short on effort, and her envy takes over when her best friend's paper is chosen instead. In the end, Poppy discovers that she has to get out of her own way if her big dreams are going to come true.

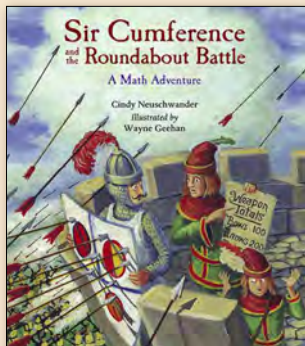
8 x 10 • 40 pages • Ages 5–8 • Full-color illustrations • LC 2014010498  
 Carton QTY: HC 36

**On-sale date: July 7**  
 978-1-58089-614-6  
 \$15.95, HC / \$17.95 CAN



*Also available as an ebook*

**CCSS Correlation:**  
 CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.1.1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 10  
 CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.2.1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 10



## Sir Cumference and the Roundabout Battle

Cindy Neuschwander  
*illustrated by Wayne Geehan*

Despite having to learn how to make accurate counts of the castle's stores of food, supplies, and weaponry, Rounds II decides to investigate a group of strangers camped nearby. When he reports back that an enemy is lying in wait, everyone moves quickly to defend the castle. But wait! Will Rounds II be able to figure out how many bows and arrows they have to create an appropriate battle plan? Using rounding techniques to figure out the totals more quickly, Rounds II is just in time to help stave off a potentially disastrous attack.

*Also available:*

- Sir Cumference and All the King's Tens
- Sir Cumference and the Dragon of Pi
- Sir Cumference and the First Round Table
- Sir Cumference and the Great Knight of Angleland
- Sir Cumference and the Isle of Immeter
- Sir Cumference and the Off-the-Charts Dessert
- Sir Cumference and the Sword in the Cone
- Sir Cumference and the Viking's Map
- Round Table Geometry

*(See page 56)*

8½ x 9½ • 32 pages • Ages 8–12 • Full-color illustrations  
 LC 2014010499 • Carton QTY: TR 80, HC 36

**On-sale date: August 4**  
 978-1-57091-766-0  
 \$7.95, TR / \$8.95 CAN



*Also available as an ebook*

**CCSS Correlation:**  
 CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.4.1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 10  
 CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.5.1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10  
 CCSS.Math.Content.4.NBT.A.1, 3

978-1-57091-765-3  
 \$16.95, HC / \$18.95 CAN





## Old King Cole

Iza Trapani

Best-selling author-illustrator Iza Trapani revisits the classic Old King Cole nursery rhyme with a fanciful retelling for a new generation.

Old King Cole has worked hard planning his annual Cole Ball, to which all the usual suspects are invited: Little Bo Peep, Baa Baa Black Sheep, the Girl with a Curl, Humpty Dumpty, and more. But he's so tired after all that work, he falls asleep as the ball begins and nobody can wake him. Will he wake up in time to enjoy his own party?

8½ x 9½ • 32 pages • Ages 2–5 • Full-color illustrations • LC 2014010497  
Carton QTY: HC 36

**On-sale date: August 4**

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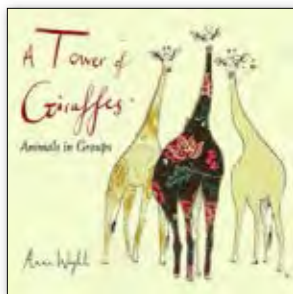


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*Also available as an ebook*

**CCSS Correlation:**

CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.K.1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10



## A Tower of Giraffes

Animals in Groups

Anna Wright

A dove of pigs, a romp of otters, an ostentation of peacocks, and a tower of giraffes. . . . We use collective nouns to refer to animals in a group. The ink, water-color, and fabric collage art is brightly colored and uniquely sets this fun book apart from the crowd. Each page presents information about an animal and its group behavior, such as how geese fly in a V-shape and honk to encourage the leaders, and that sometimes tens of thousands of flamingos meet up in one location.

9½ x 9½ • 32 pages • Ages 3–7 • Full-color illustrations • LC 2014029098  
Carton QTY: HC 30

**On-sale date: September 8**

978-1-58089-707-5

\$17.95, HC / \$19.95 CAN



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*Also available as an ebook*

**CCSS Correlation:**

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CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.1.1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 10



## I'm New Here

Anne Sibley O'Brien

Maria is from Spain, Jin is from Korea, and Fatima is from Somalia. All three are new to their American elementary school, and each has trouble speaking, writing, and sharing ideas in English. Through self-determination and with encouragement from their peers and teachers, the students learn to feel confident and comfortable in their new school without losing a sense of their home country, language, and identity.

8½ x 9½ • 32 pages • Ages 5–8 • Full-color illustrations • LC 2013049031  
Carton QTY: HC 36

**On-sale date: August 4**

978-1-58089-612-2 • \$16.95, HC / \$18.95 CAN



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**CCSS Correlation:**

CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.1.1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 10  
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.2.1, 3, 5, 7, 10



## Spit & Sticks

A Chimney Full of Swifts

Marilyn Grohoske Evans

*illustrated by*  
Nicole Gsell

A family of chimney swifts arrives on a Texas farm, build their nest, lay eggs, ready fledglings for flight, and eventually prepare to migrate back to South America. In a parallel, wordless story, a young family watches the birds through the summer and fall, as they ready for their new baby. As they enjoy baby's first months, they celebrate the fledglings' first flight and bid the birds good-bye until next year.

9½ x 10½ • 32 pages • Ages 3–7 • Full-color illustrations • LC 2014010500  
Carton QTY: HC 24

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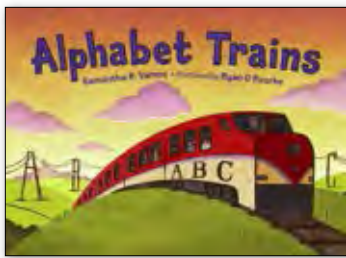


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CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.1.1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 10



## Alphabet Trains

Samantha R. Vamos  
illustrated by  
Ryan O'Rourke

All aboard for a train ride through the alphabet! There is a train for every letter—some familiar and some unusual. Whether chug-chug-chugging up a mountainside in an incline train or zipping at super speed in a bullet train, trains will get you where you need to be—A to Z!

A companion to the Children's Book Award nominated *Alphabet Trucks*.

10 x 7 • 32 pages • Ages 3–7 • Full-color illustrations • LC 2014010487  
Carton QTY: HC 40

**On-sale date: September 8**

978-1-58089-592-7 • \$14.95, HC / \$16.95 CAN

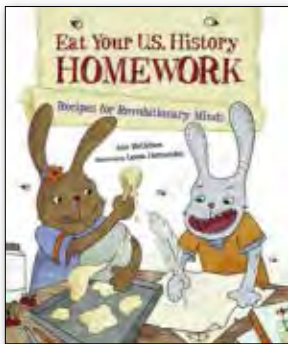


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CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.1.1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 10



## Eat Your U.S. History Homework

Recipes for  
Revolutionary Minds

Ann McCallum  
illustrated by Leeza Hernandez

Examine the birth of America through the delicious lens of food! These history-themed dishes will fill you up with lip-smacking history facts that reveal what cuisine was like for people between the 1600s and the 1800s, during the birth of America. Budding chefs will devour time-period inspired recipes for healthy entrees and snacks, as well as desserts, including Thanksgiving Succotash, Revolutionary Honey-Jumble Cookies, and more. History buffs will appreciate the diverse experiences represented, from Native Americans and the pilgrims, to slaves and plantation owners.

8 x 10 • 48 pages • Ages 7–10 • Full-color illustrations • LC 2014010492  
Carton QTY: TR 60, HC 30

**On-sale date: October 13**

978-1-57091-924-4  
\$7.95, TR / \$8.95 CAN



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**CCSS Correlation:**

CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.3.1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 10  
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.4.1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 10



## The Inventor's Secret

What Thomas Edison Told Henry Ford

Suzanne Slade  
illustrated by  
Jennifer Black Reinhardt

Both Thomas Edison and Henry Ford started as curious tinkerers. That curiosity led them to become inventors—with very different results. As Edison invented hit after hit, gaining fame and fortune, Henry struggled to make his idea of an affordable car work. Witnessing Thomas's glorious career, a frustrated Henry wondered about the secret to his success. What secret did Thomas reveal?

8 x 10 • 48 pages • Ages 6–9 • Full-color illustrations • LC 2014010494  
Carton QTY: HC 32

**On-sale date: September 8**

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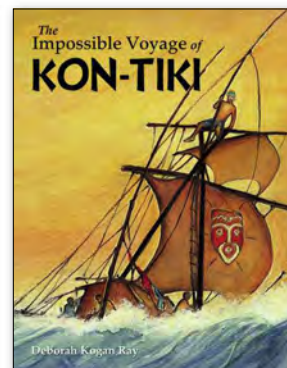


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CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.3.1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 10



## The Impossible Voyage of KON-TIKI

Deborah Kogan Ray

Norwegian anthropologist Thor Heyerdahl's world-famous Kon-Tiki expedition will thrill young readers. Convinced that ancient Peruvians arrived in the South Pacific via raft, he re-created the exciting and dangerous 5,000-mile voyage from the coast of South America to the islands of the South Pacific.

8½ x 11 • 40 pages • Ages 7–10 • Full-color illustrations • LC 2014010495  
Carton QTY: HC 30

**On-sale date: October 13**

978-1-58089-620-7  
\$16.95, HC / \$18.95 CAN



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Also available as an ebook

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CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.3.1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 10  
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.4.1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 10





## Sydney & Simon GO GREEN!

Paul A. Reynolds

illustrated by  
Peter H. Reynolds

**New York Times best-selling  
illustrator Peter H. Reynolds  
teams up with his twin brother,  
Paul A. Reynolds, in this  
celebration of STEAM thinking.  
Science, Technology,  
Engineering, Arts, and Math  
make wondering wonderful!**



The creative duo, Sydney and Simon, team up again to consider how trash affects the environment. Once Sydney's favorite nature show reveals how garbage can get into the ocean and harm sea life, she won't rest until she and her twin brother, Simon, reduce waste at home and at school. Together they encourage friends and family to recycle, reuse, and even to sing and play instruments made from repurposed trash.

Second in a series that celebrates the STEAM approach (exploration through science, technology, engineering, arts, and math). Also available *Sydney & Simon: Full STEAM Ahead.*

6 x 9 • 48 pages • Ages 6–9 • Full-color illustrations  
LC 2014036260 • Carton QTY: HC 44

**On-sale date: October 13**

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\$12.95, HC / \$14.95 CAN



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**CCSS Correlation:**

ELA-Literacy.RL.2.1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 10

ELA-Literacy.RL.3.1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 10



## Me and My Dragon Christmas Spirit

David Biedrzycki

Christmas is coming, and our young hero wants to buy his best friend, Dragon, the perfect present. He and Dragon take job after hilarious job, earning enough to buy a deluxe Knight Boy action set—but they eventually realize that the best part of Christmas is sharing what you have with those in need.

In the third book of David Biedrzycki's series about a boy and his pet dragon, readers learn the true meaning of Christmas.

11 x 8½ • 40 pages • Ages 4–8 • Full-color illustrations • LC 2014010496  
Carton QTY: HC 30

**On-sale date: October 13**

978-1-58089-622-1

\$17.95, HC / \$19.95 CAN



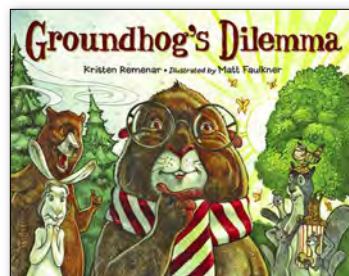
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**CCSS Correlation:**

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CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.1.1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 10



## Groundhog's Dilemma

Kristen Remenar

illustrated by  
Matt Faulkner

After Groundhog announces six more weeks of winter, half his animal friends are disappointed, while the other half are excited. Each animal asks Groundhog to make his prediction in their favor the following year. Rather than being truthful about the fact that he just "calls it like he sees it," he leads them to believe he can control the weather, accepting their gifts of food and favor. On the next Groundhog Day, he admits he made promises he couldn't keep because he was trying to please everyone and makes amends.

11 x 8½ • 32 pages • Ages 3-7 • Full-color illustrations • LC 2014010493  
Carton QTY: HC 32

**On-sale date: December 1**

978-1-58089-600-9

\$16.95, HC / \$18.95 CAN



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CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.K.1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10

CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.1.1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 10



## Every Breath We Take

Maya Ajmera and  
Dominique Browning

This joyful and empowering book is a celebration of clean air, with a subtle message about how air can be dirtied—and how it can be cleaned up. Photographs of children, animals, and plants from around the world underscore the importance of clean air to all life on earth.

Moms Clean Air Force is a national movement of more than one hundred thousand moms—and dads—who are protecting the right of every child to breathe clean air.

8½ x 9½ • 32 pages • Ages 4–8 • Full-color photographs  
LC 2014010489 • Carton QTY: HC 38

**On-sale date: October 13**

978-1-58089-616-0

\$16.95, HC / \$18.95 CAN



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**CCSS Correlation:**

CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.K.1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10

CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.1.1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 10

**“If I told you that everybody in all the world shares ONE invisible thing that keeps us ALL alive, would you believe me?”**

—From the foreword by Julianne Moore  
actor, children’s book author, and spokesperson for



## Global Baby Bedtimes

The Global Fund  
for Children

Also available in the Global Babies series:



Shhhh. The babies are sleeping. In this adorable board book, the fifth in the Global Babies series, babies around the world share a nap time. The pure innocence of sleeping infants is celebrated from the USA to Afghanistan, and many points in between. Goodnight, global babies.

6 x 6 • 16 pages • Ages 0–3

Full-color photographs • LC 2014022993

Carton QTY: BR 78

**On-sale date: August 4**

978-1-58089-708-2 • \$6.95, BR / \$7.95 CAN





## Currents

Jane Petrlik Smolik

Old Mistress doesn't make Bones's life easy. When Bones finds her real name in the plantation owner's slave registry, she tears it out and sets it free, afloat in a bottle on the James River. The bottle drifts across the Atlantic and is found by young Lady Bess Kent. As her conniving stepmother pilfers their estate piece by piece, Bess saves her mother's pearl-encrusted cross. She seals it in the bottle with Bones's name, and the ocean currents carry it back to America. There the bottle makes its way into the hands of Mary Margaret Casey who keeps the items safe until she and her family figure out a way for the precious heirloom to change all of their lives.

5½ x 8¼ • 336 pages • Ages 9–12 • LC 2014010491  
Carton QTY: HC 12

**On-sale date: September 8**

978-1-58089-648-1

\$16.95, HC / \$18.95 CAN

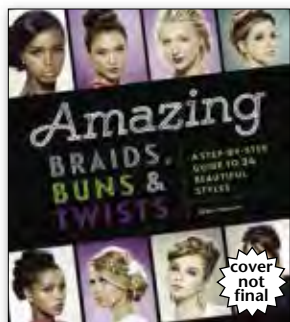


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**CCSS Correlation:**

CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.5. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10

CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.6. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10



## Amazing Braids, Buns & Twists

**A Step-by-Step Guide to 34 Beautiful Styles**

Eric Mayost

8 x 10 • 144 pages • Ages 10+ • Full-color photographs • LC 2014033871  
Carton QTY: TR 24

**On-sale date: September 8**

978-1-62354-066-1

\$14.95, TR / \$16.95 CAN

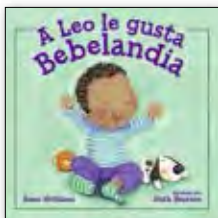


Also available as an ebook

Reaching the edge of the river, Bones crouched down and crept out onto the same finger of land where she had gathered up water for the field slaves earlier in the day. The moon shot glittery streaks, radiating along the surface of the James River. She remembered the map of Virginia on Liza's wall and imagined the river's cool, deep waters rolling along for miles before emptying into the Chesapeake Bay and then pouring out into the Atlantic Ocean. It seemed to her a fine place to set her name free. She allowed herself a long moment to imagine where it might go. Her name and her heart. If only she could squeeze herself and her Mama and Granny into the bottle—they could all float away. They can own me and beat me and sell me, but a part of me will forever be free, she thought, the thrill of the idea racing through her. I'll live forever knowing that.

Whether it's wavy, straight or curly, long hair allows for so many incredible possibilities. It can look stylish, cool, playful, or ready for the school dance—or be curled, swirled, braided, wrapped, twisted, or tied. In short, the list of options is as long as your hair . . . if not longer! Fortunately, creating a stunning, salon-quality hairstyle doesn't have to be complicated; in fact, you can do it yourself, right at home. All you need are a few simple tools, a little practice, and this fashion-savvy guide by one of the world's great stylists. It's filled with a gallery of enticing possibilities, along with helpful photos that show how to make every part, place every clip, and add every accessory—even extensions. Choose from a Summertime Swirl, pretty Princess Plaits, and Rippling Rapunzel, to really show off your lovely hair. A classic top knot is wildly dramatic, yet easy for anyone who can master a simple twist and tie. Plus, there are ponytails and fishtails, ringlets and braids, and superstar-worthy waves. Every style is so perfect for the mood you are in, you'll want to try a new one every day!





## A Leo le gusta Bebelandia

Anna McQuinn  
illustrated by  
Ruth Hearson

In this Spanish translation of *Leo Loves Baby Time*, Leo loves to go to Baby Time with his mommy on Wednesdays. They sing songs. They play peekaboo. They share a cuddle and a story. At Baby Time, Mom-mies, daddies, and babies learn new skills, make new friends, and have a lot of fun.

“... a buoyant and bouncy delight.”  
—*Kirkus Reviews*

8 x 8 • 24 pages • Ages 0–3  
Full-color illustrations • LC 2014010502  
Carton QTY: HA 40

**On-sale date: August 4**  
978-1-58089-704-4 • \$9.95, HA / \$10.95 CAN



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## Bad Girls

**Sirens, Jezebels, Murderesses, Thieves & Other Female Villains**

Jane Yolen and  
Heidi E. Y. Stemple  
illustrated by  
Rebecca Guay

Meet twenty-six of history’s most notorious women, each with a rotten reputation. But authors Jane Yolen and Heidi Stemple remind us that there are two sides to every story.

★ “... attractive. . . enjoyable. . .”  
—*Booklist*, starred review

6 x 9 • 172 pages • Ages 9–12  
Full-color illustrations • LC 2012000783  
Carton QTY: TR 28

**On-sale date: September 8**  
978-1-58089-186-8  
\$9.95, TR / \$10.95 CAN



Also available as an ebook



## White House Kids

**The Perks, Pleasures, Problems, and Pratfalls of the Presidents’ Children**

Joe Rhatigan  
illustrated by Jay Shin

Living in America’s most famous residence might seem glamorous at first—it’s the most fun place any kid could live! Filled with wacky, weird, wonderful stories, and fascinating photos, see what it’s like to call the president Dad (or Granddad or Uncle).

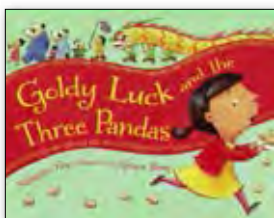
“A fascinating and entertaining insider’s intimate view of the White House...” —*Kirkus Reviews*

9 x 10 • 96 pages • Ages 8–12  
Full-color illustrations • LC 2011045090  
Carton QTY: TR 32

**On-sale date: October 13**  
978-1-62354-070-8  
\$9.95, TR / \$10.95 CAN



Also available as an ebook



## Goldy Luck and the Three Pandas

Natasha Yim  
illustrated by Grace Zong

One Chinese New Year, Goldy Luck’s mother asks her to take a plate of turnip cakes to the neighbors. The Chans aren’t home, but that doesn’t stop Goldy from trying out their rice porridge, their chairs, and their beds—with disastrous results.

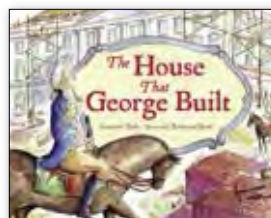
“A welcome Chinese addition to the fairy-tale shelf.”  
—*Kirkus Reviews*

32 pages • 11 x 8½ • Ages 4–7 • Full-color illustrations • LC 2012038702  
Carton QTY: TR 76

**On-sale date: December 1**  
978-1-58089-653-5  
\$7.95, TR / \$8.95 CAN



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## The House That George Built

Suzanne Slade  
illustrated by Rebecca Bond

As the first president of a new country, George Washington was busy. But despite all the laws he needed to pass, and the important people that he needed to meet, George had a special idea: he wanted to build a house where all the future presidents could live.

“... appealing. . . unique. . .”  
—*School Library Journal*

32 pages • 11 x 9 • Ages 6–9 • Full-color illustrations • LC 2011025781  
Carton QTY: TR 70

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Also available as an ebook



Megan Dowd Lambert and her son Stevie

## The Whole Book Approach

- a new interactive alternative to traditional storytime
- asks children to talk about what they hear and see
- celebrates the picture book as a visual art form
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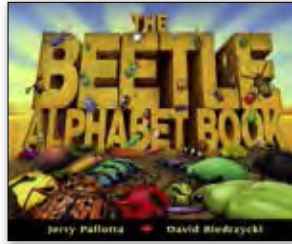
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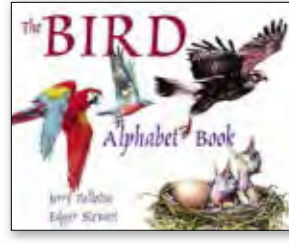


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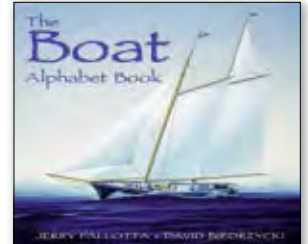


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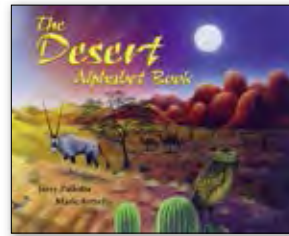


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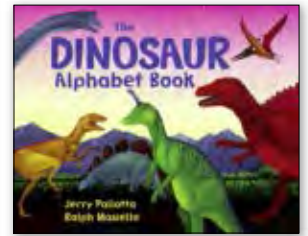
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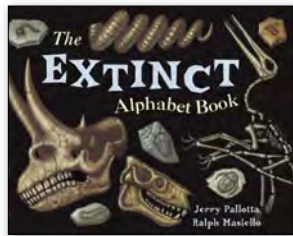
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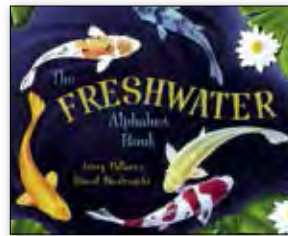


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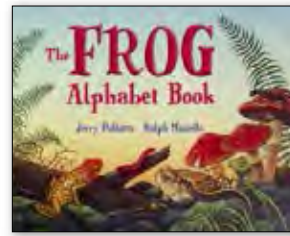


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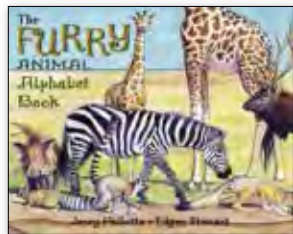
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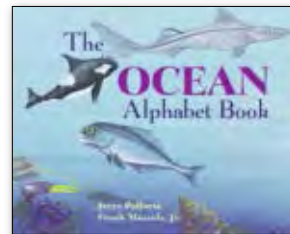


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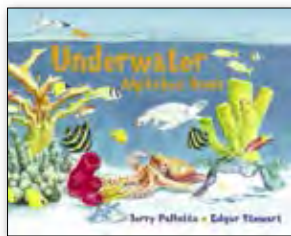
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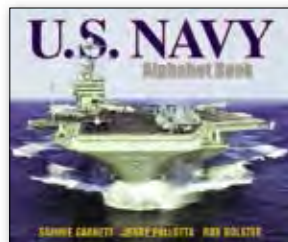
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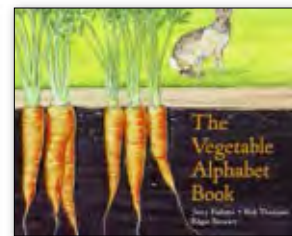
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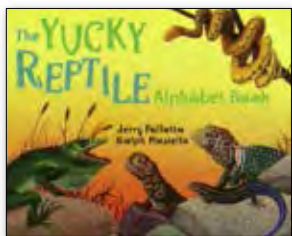
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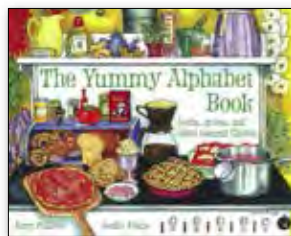
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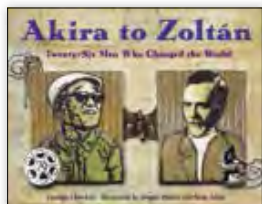
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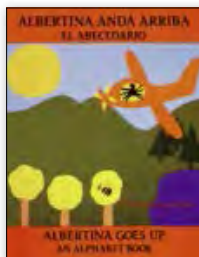
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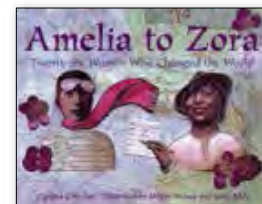
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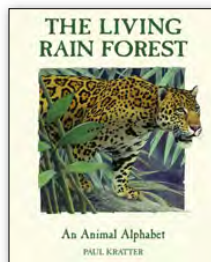


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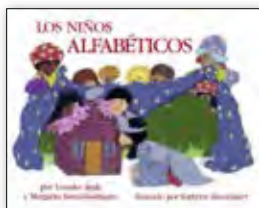


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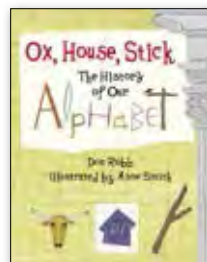
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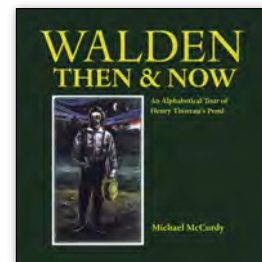
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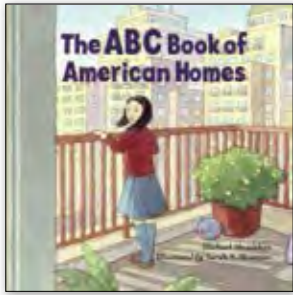
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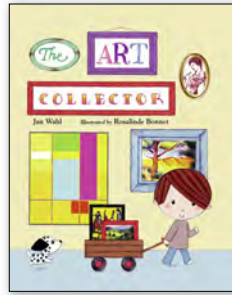
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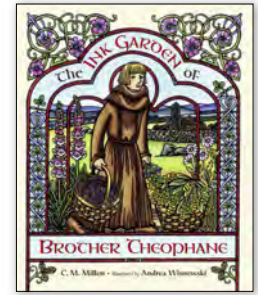
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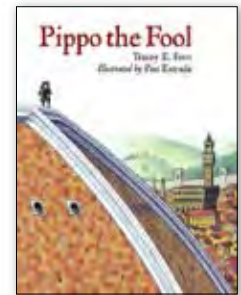
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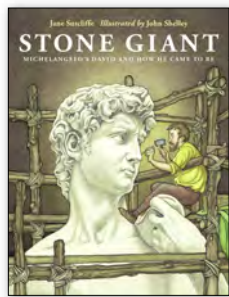
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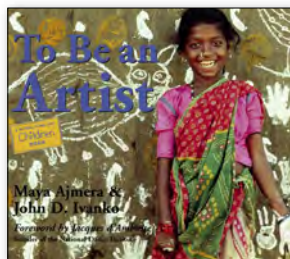
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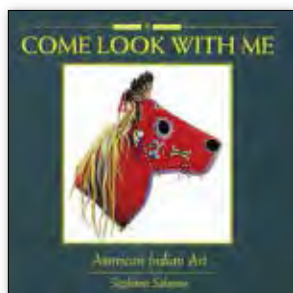
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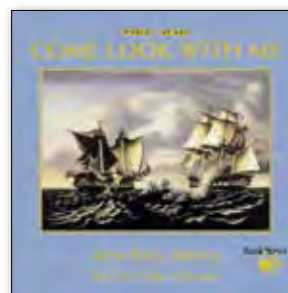
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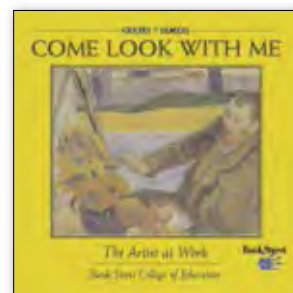
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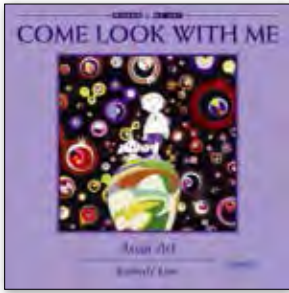
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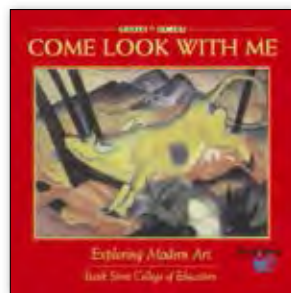
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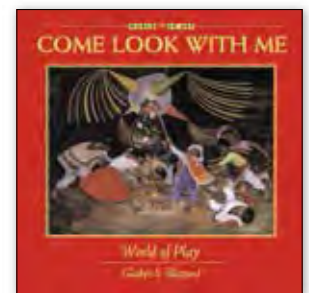
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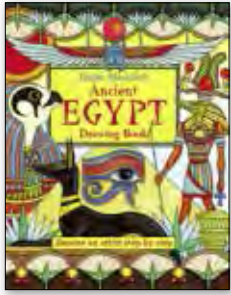
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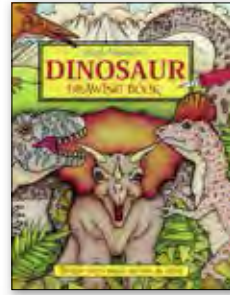
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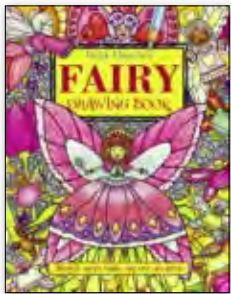
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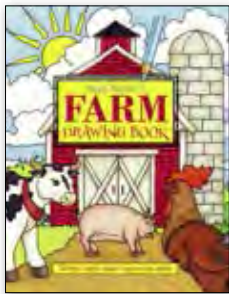
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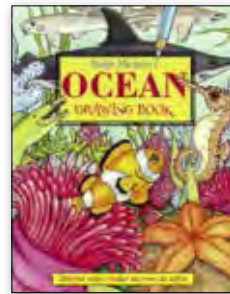
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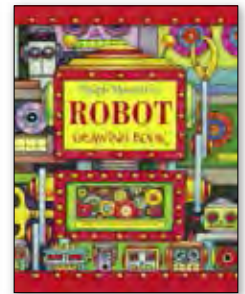
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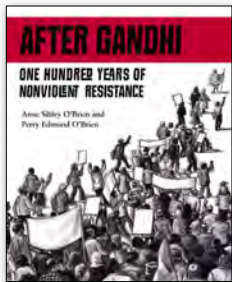
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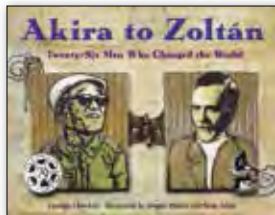
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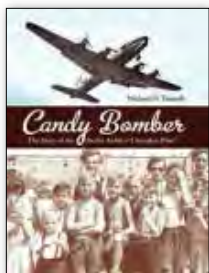
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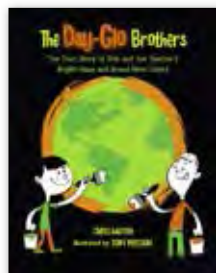


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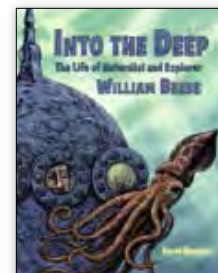
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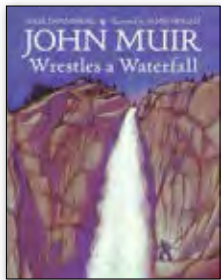
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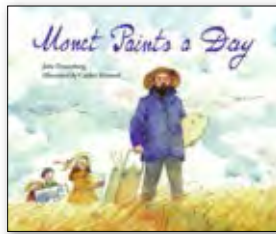
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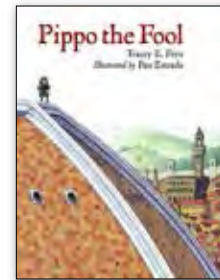
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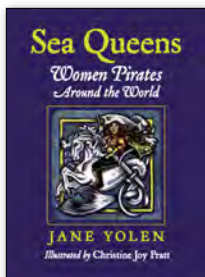
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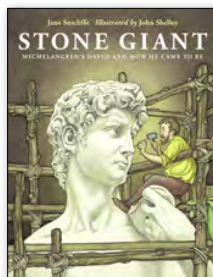
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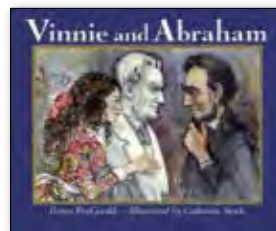


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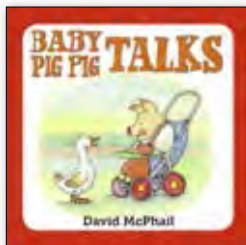
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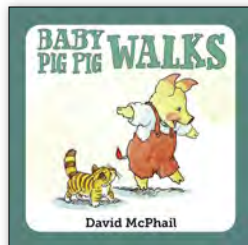
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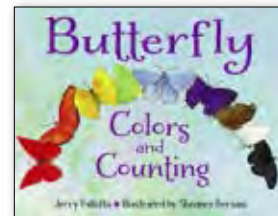
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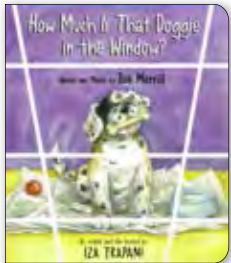
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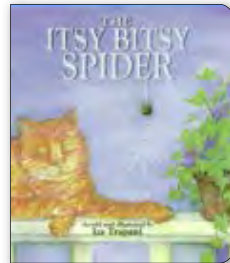
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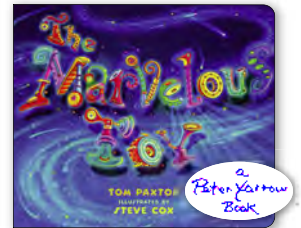
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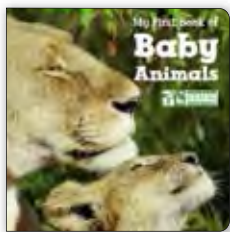
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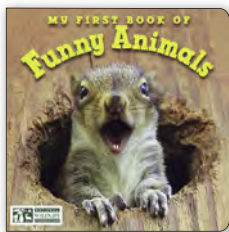
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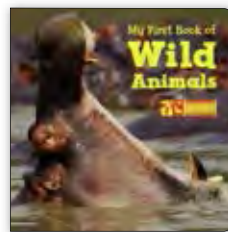
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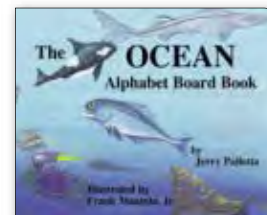
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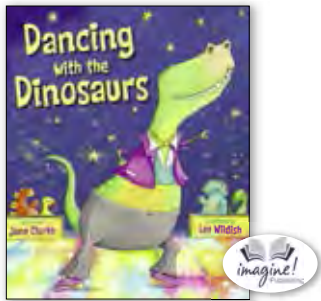
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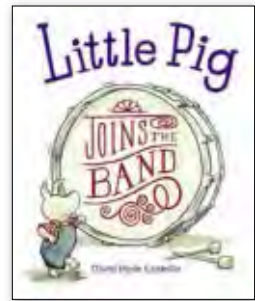
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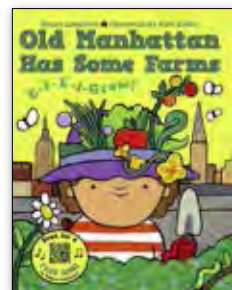
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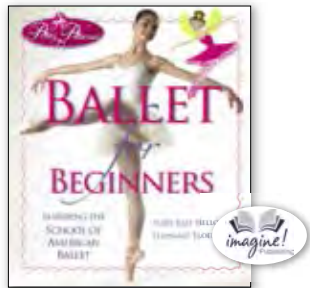
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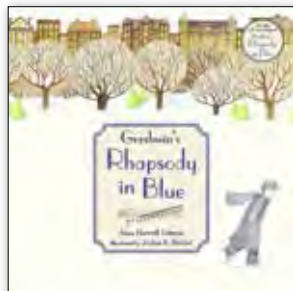
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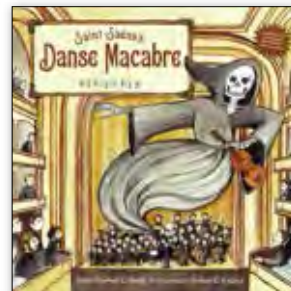
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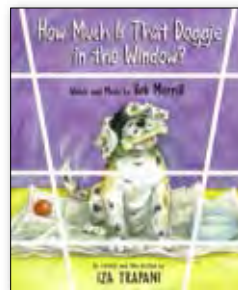
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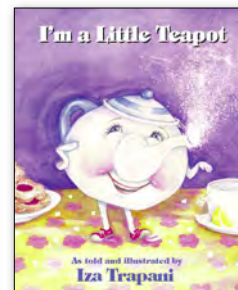
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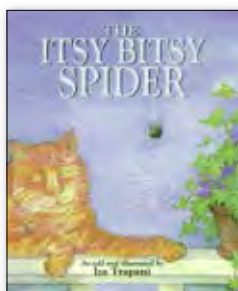
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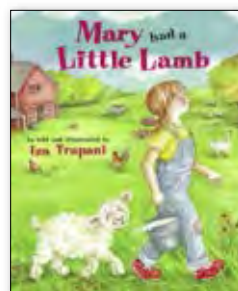
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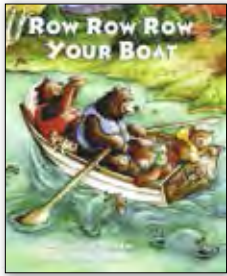
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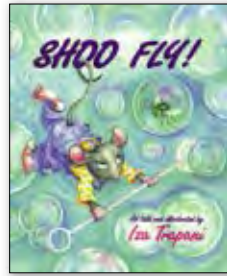
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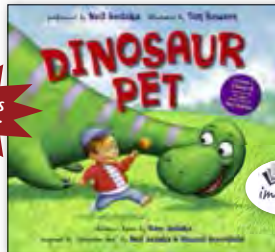
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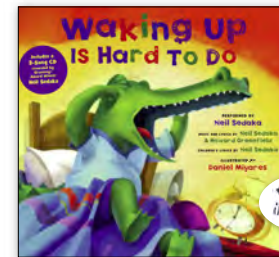
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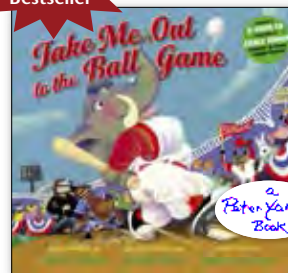
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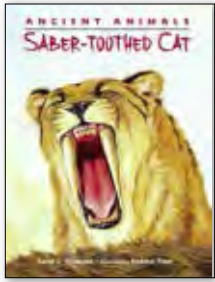
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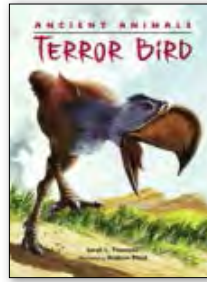
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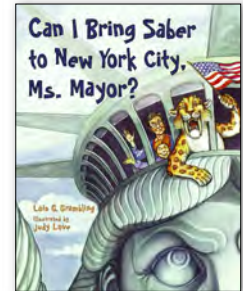
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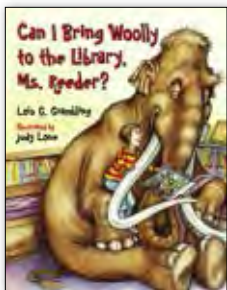
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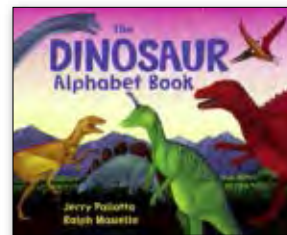
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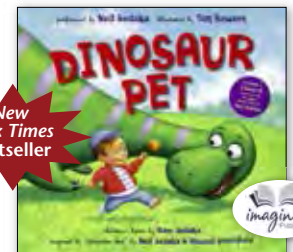
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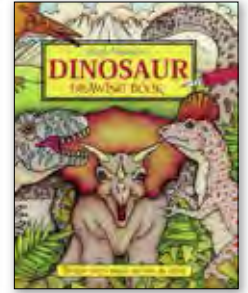
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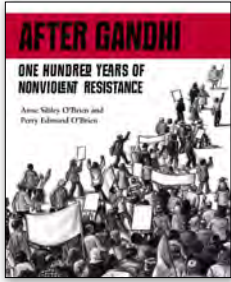
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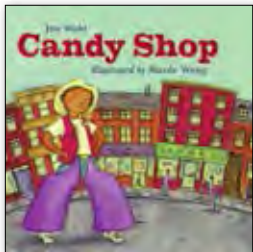
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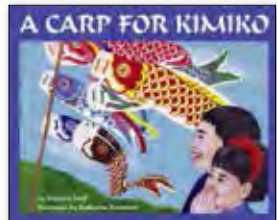
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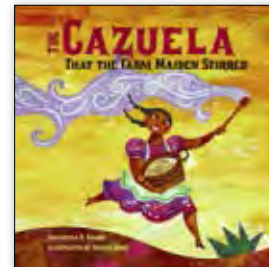
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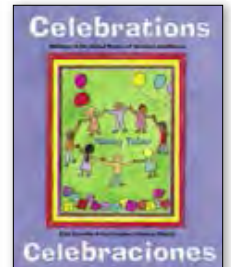
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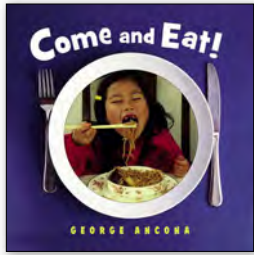
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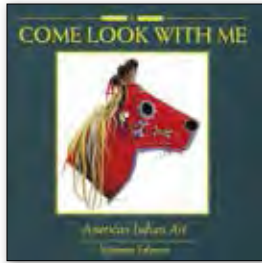


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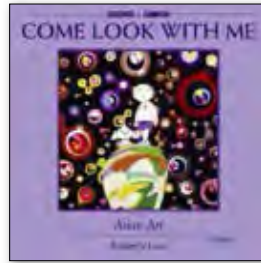
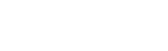
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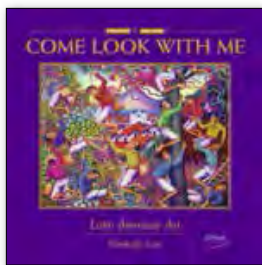
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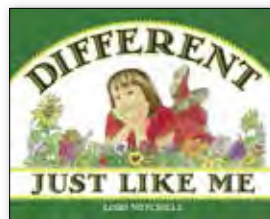
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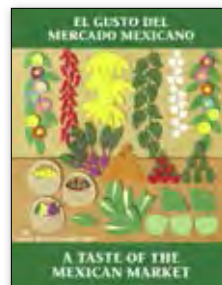


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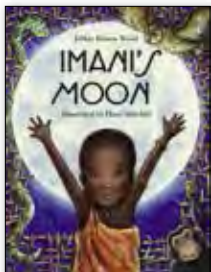
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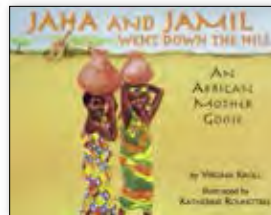
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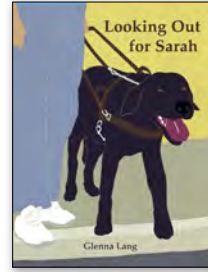
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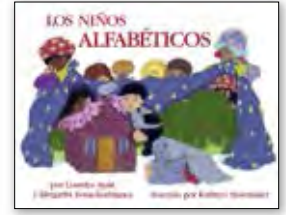
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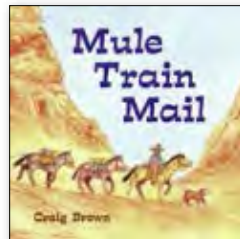
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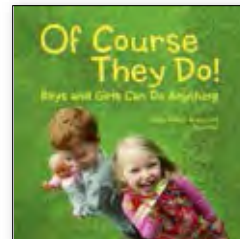
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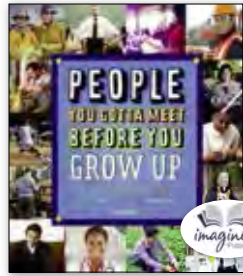
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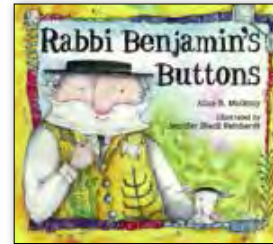
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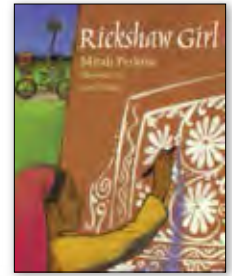
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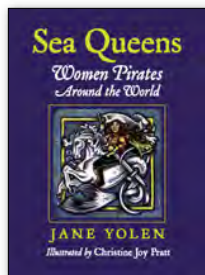
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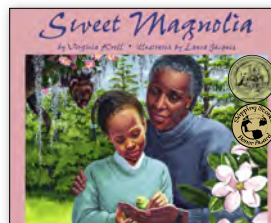


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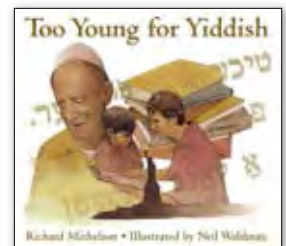
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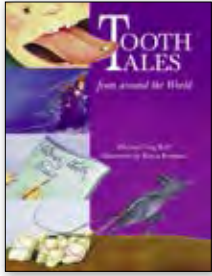
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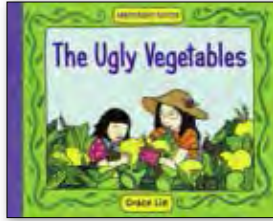
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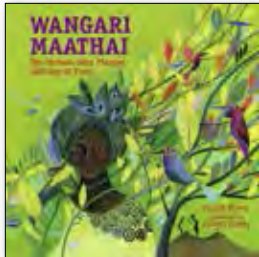
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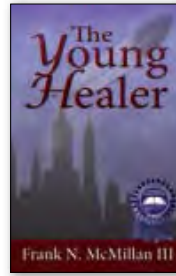
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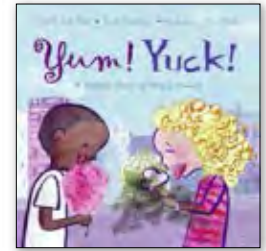
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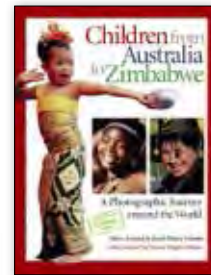
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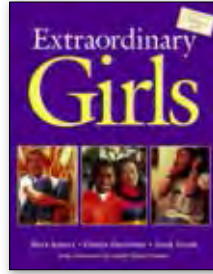
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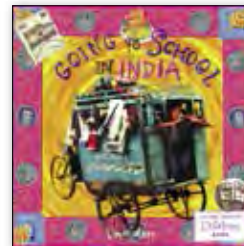
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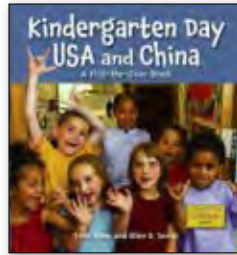
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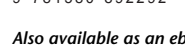
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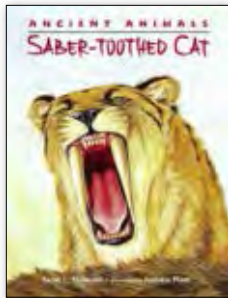
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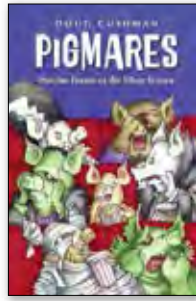
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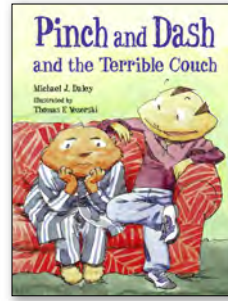
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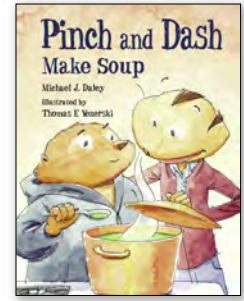
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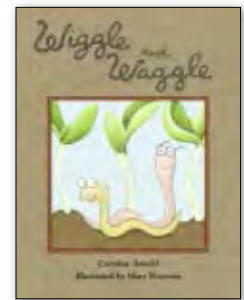
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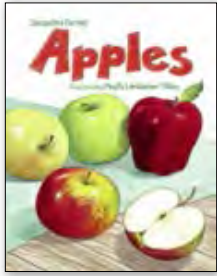
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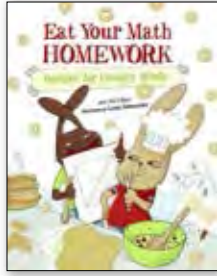
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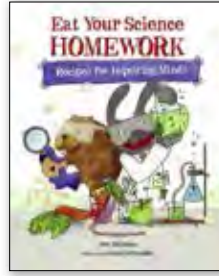
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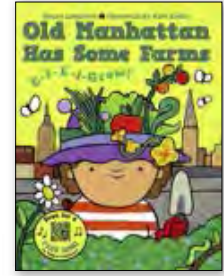
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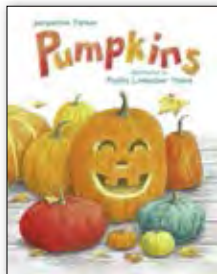
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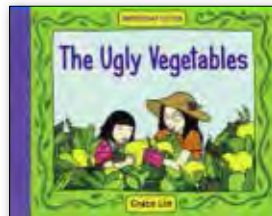
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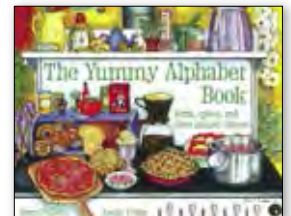
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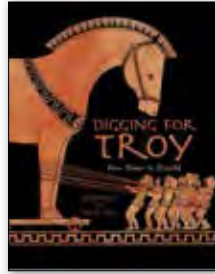
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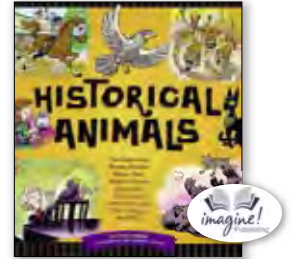
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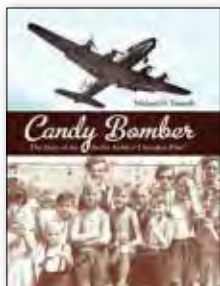
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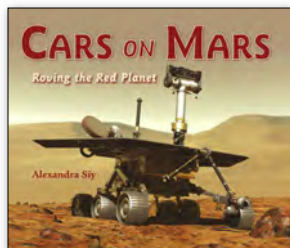
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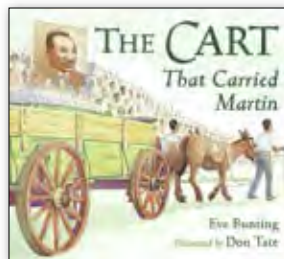
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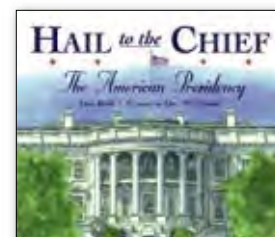
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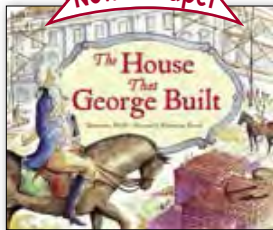


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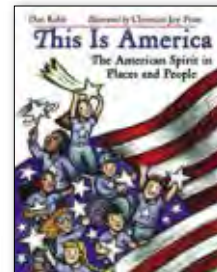
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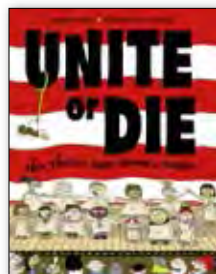
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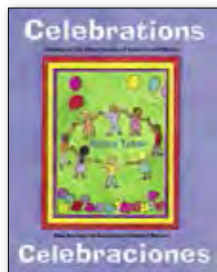
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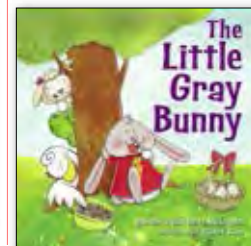
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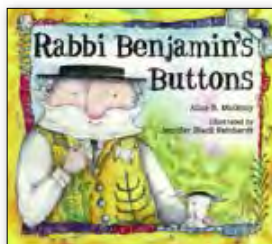
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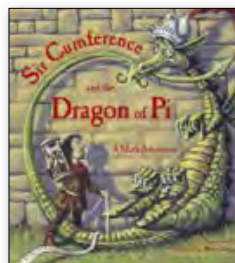
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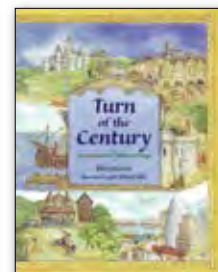
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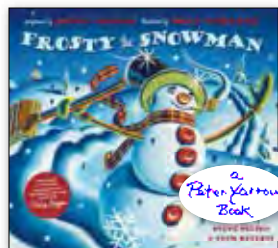
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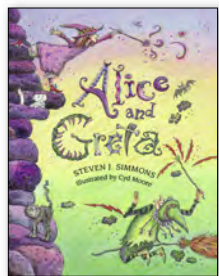


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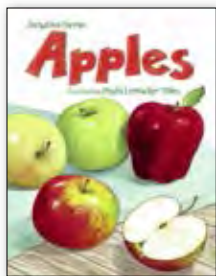
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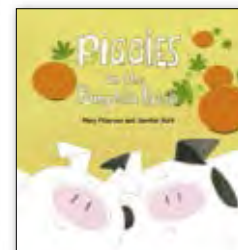


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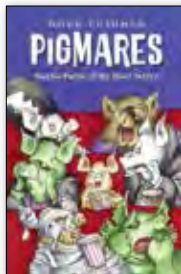
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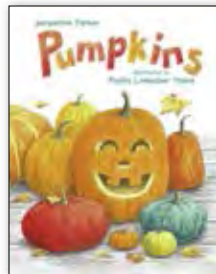
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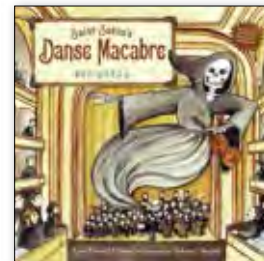
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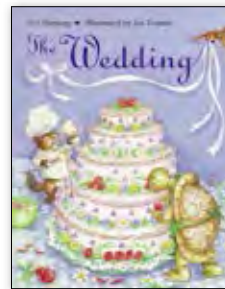
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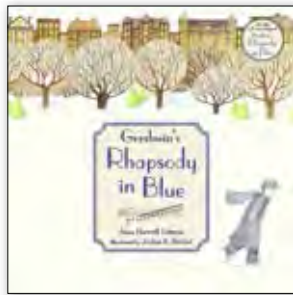
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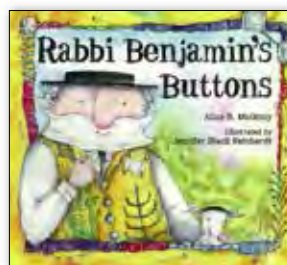
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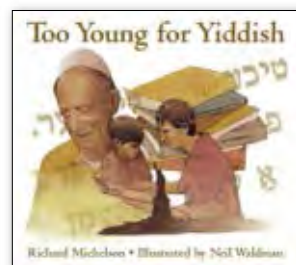
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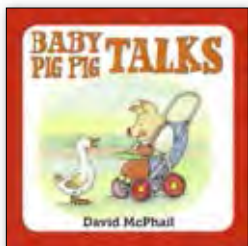
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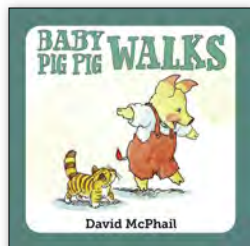
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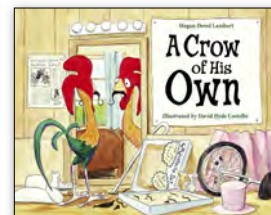
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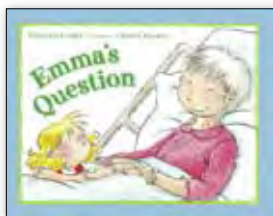
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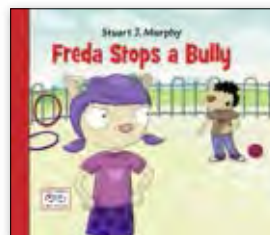


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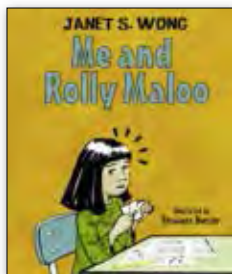
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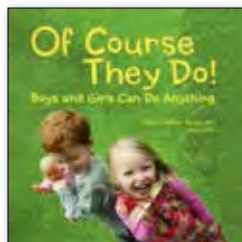
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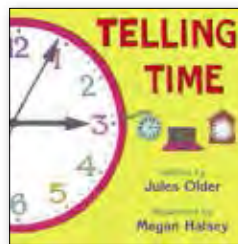
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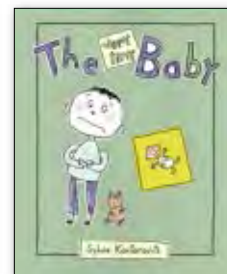
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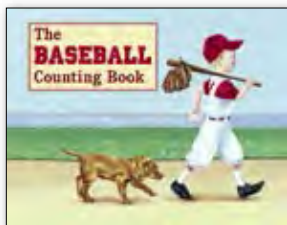


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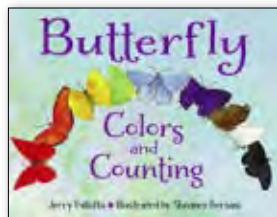
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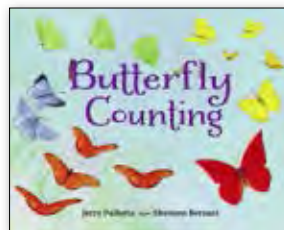
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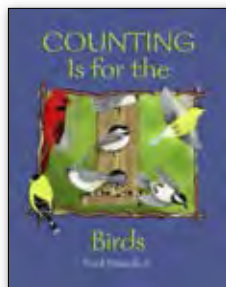


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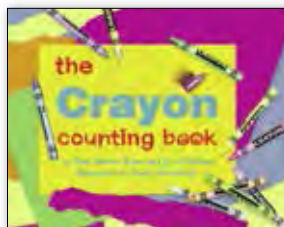
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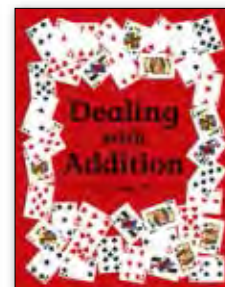
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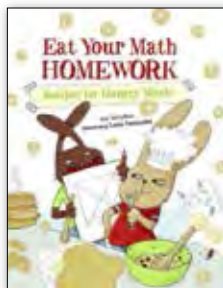
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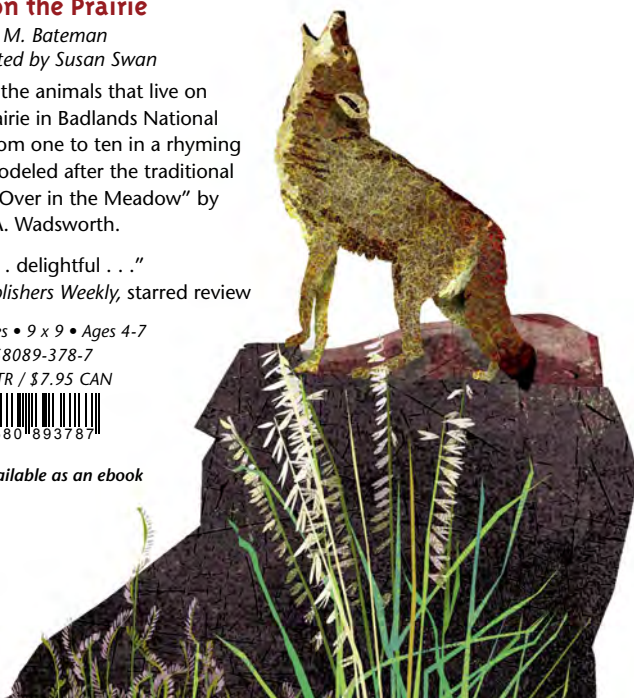
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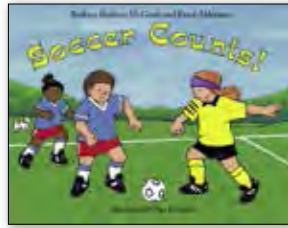
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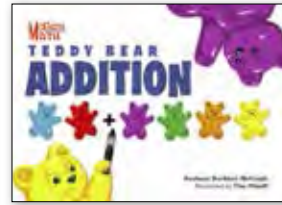
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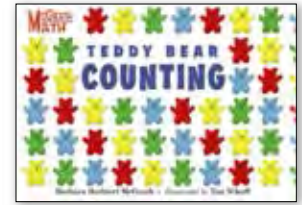
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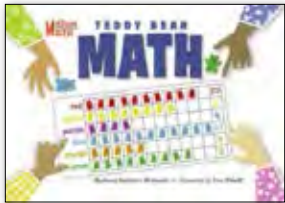
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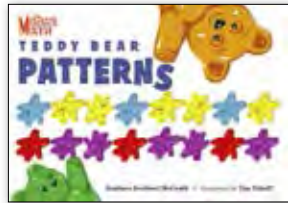
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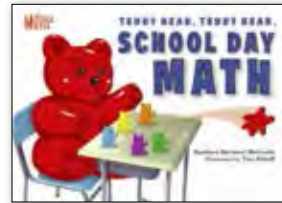
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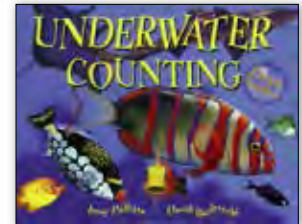
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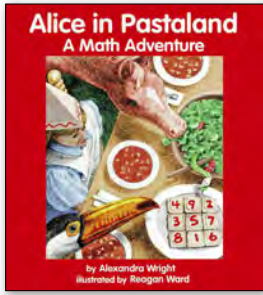
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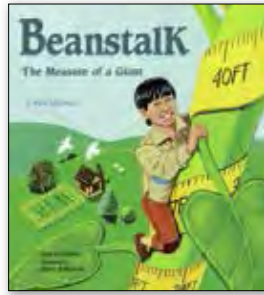
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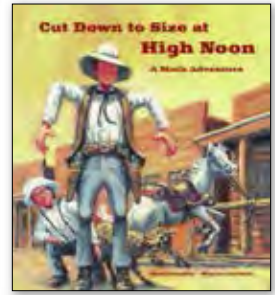
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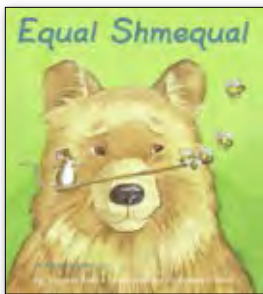
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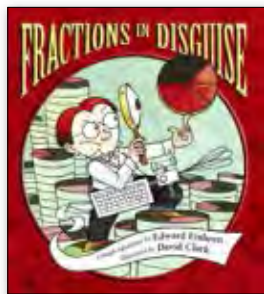
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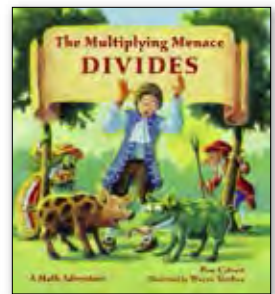
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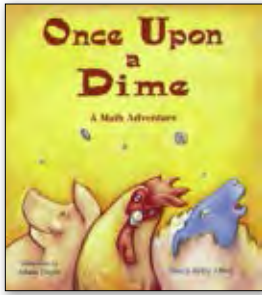
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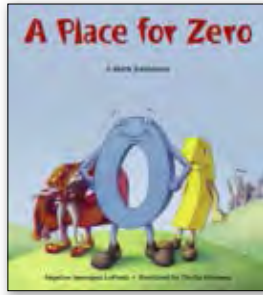
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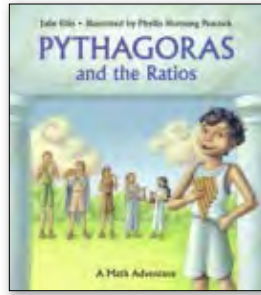
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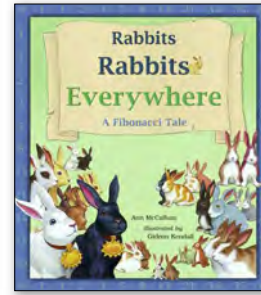
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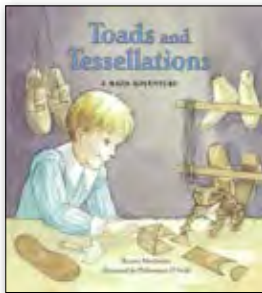
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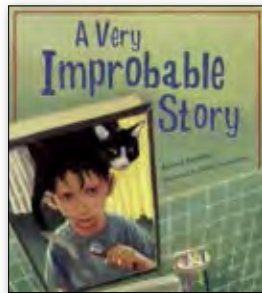
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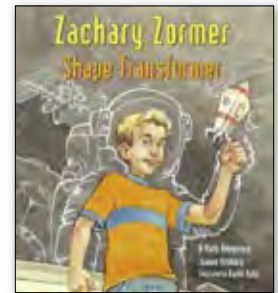
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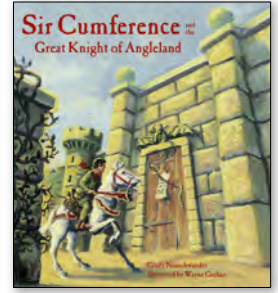
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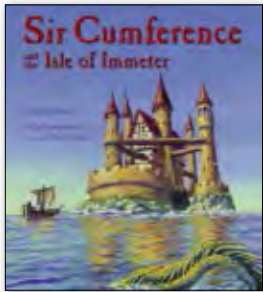
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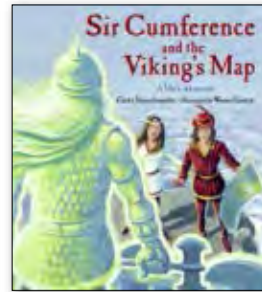
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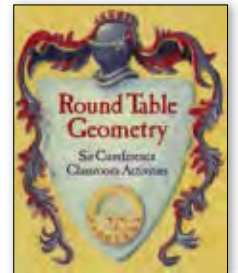
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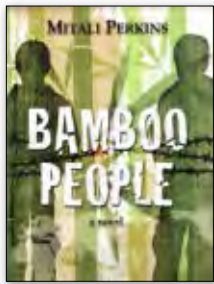
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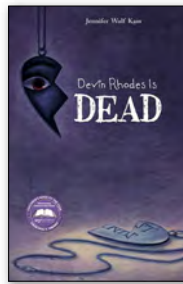
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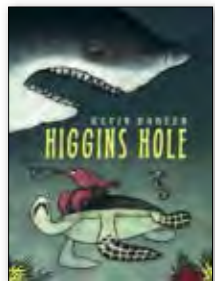
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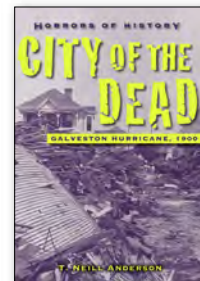
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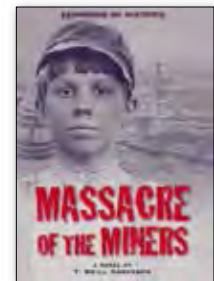
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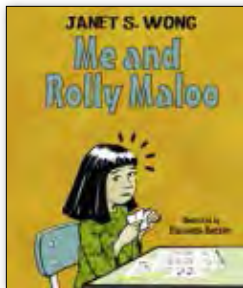
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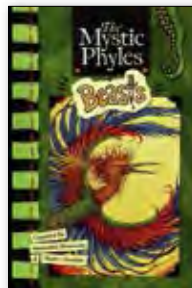
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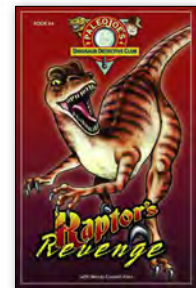
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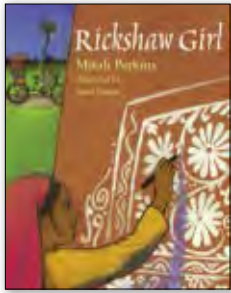
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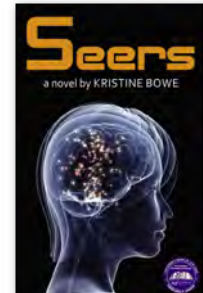
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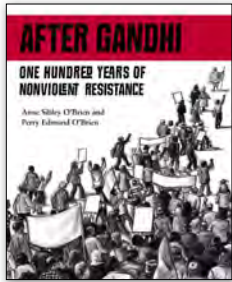
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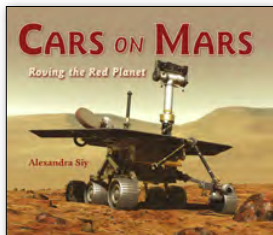
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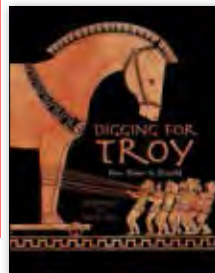
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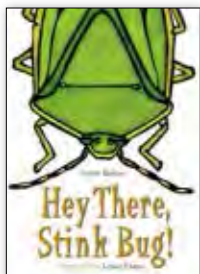
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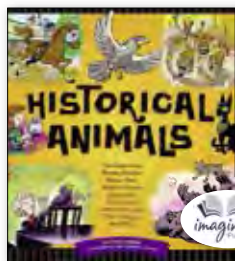
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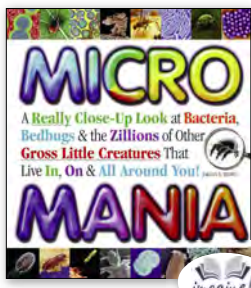
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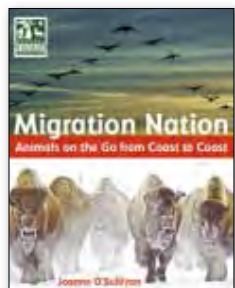
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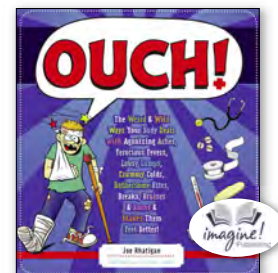


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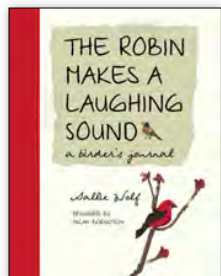
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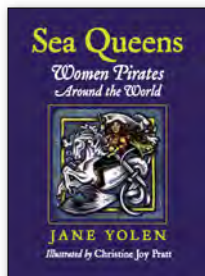
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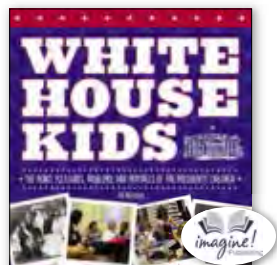
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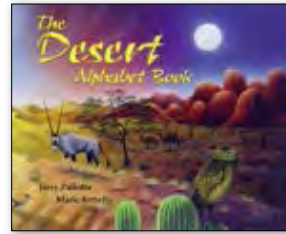
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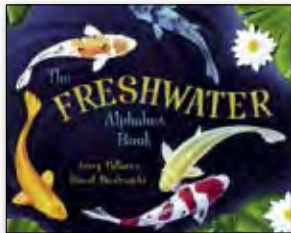
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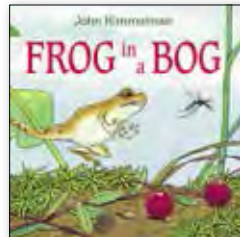


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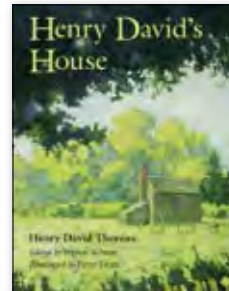
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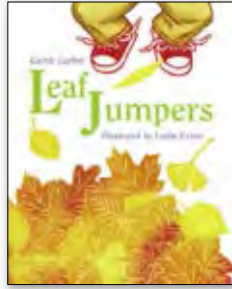
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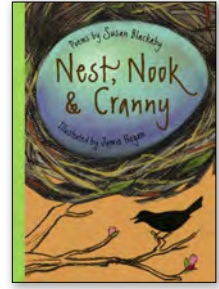
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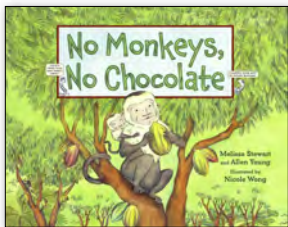
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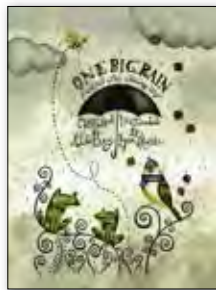
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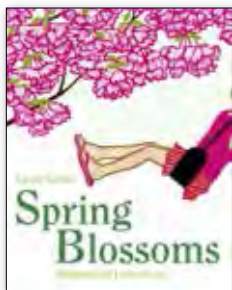
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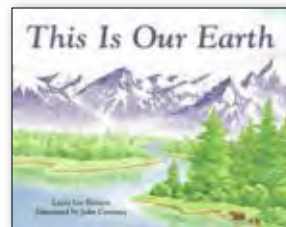
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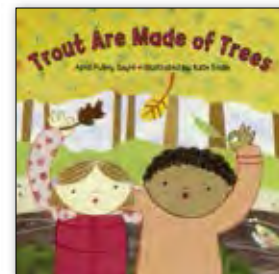
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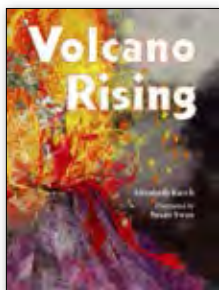
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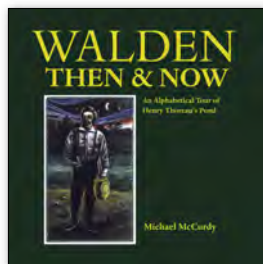
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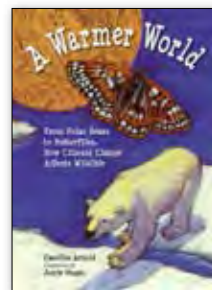
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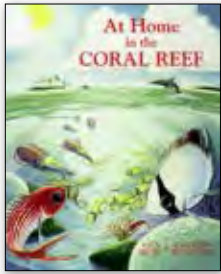
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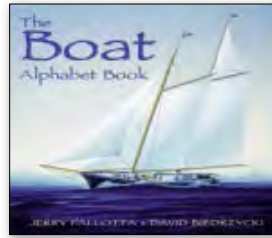
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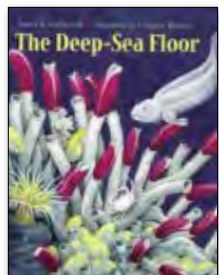


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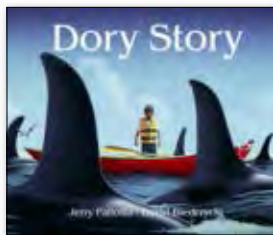
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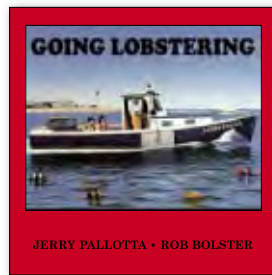
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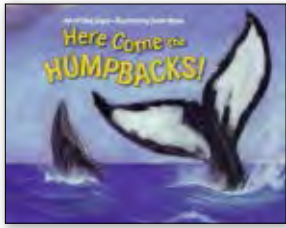


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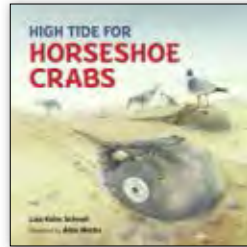
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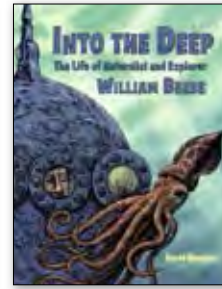
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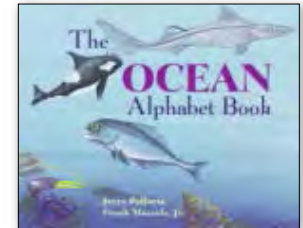
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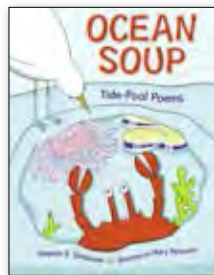
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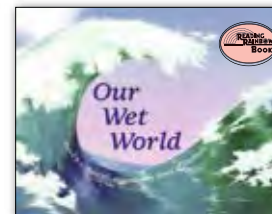
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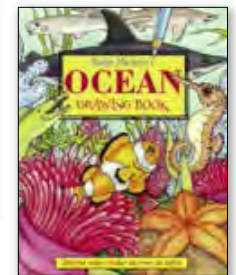
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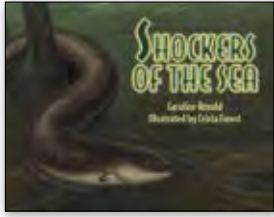
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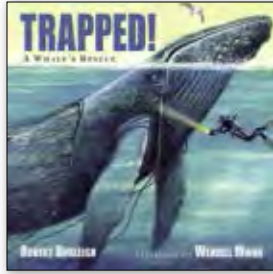
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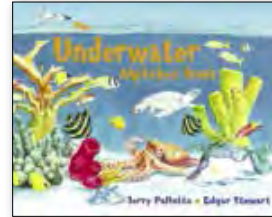
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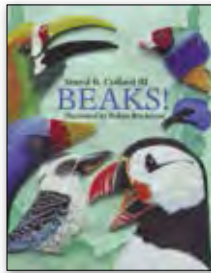
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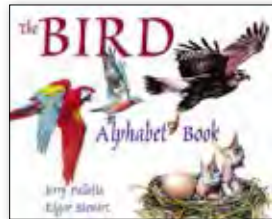
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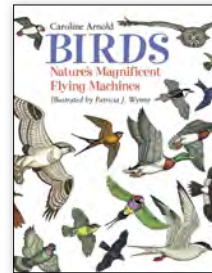
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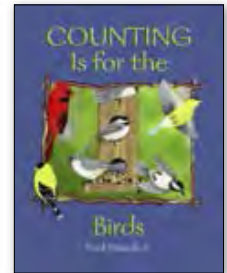
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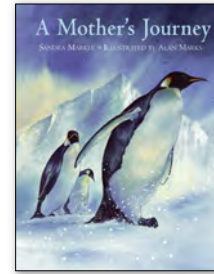
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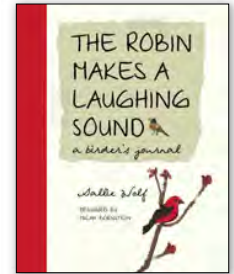
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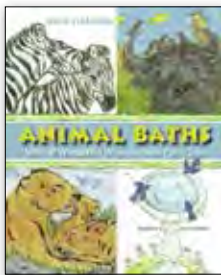
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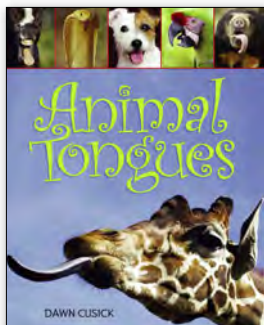
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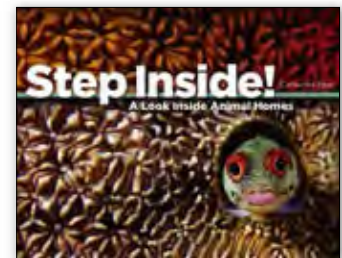
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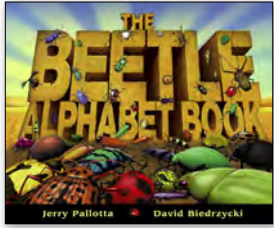
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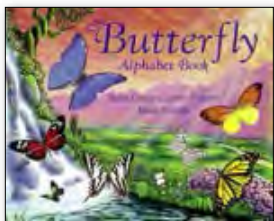
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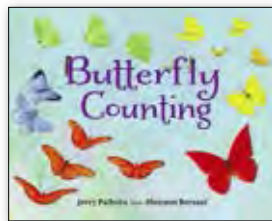
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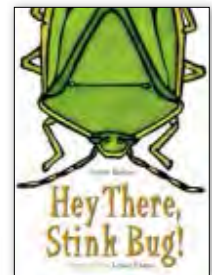
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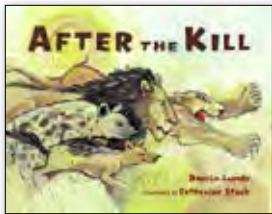


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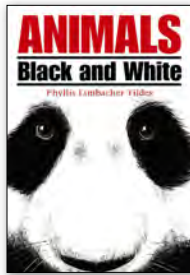
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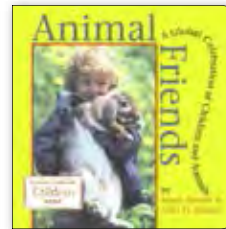
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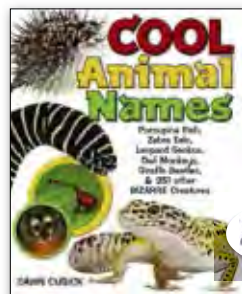
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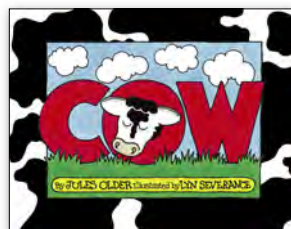
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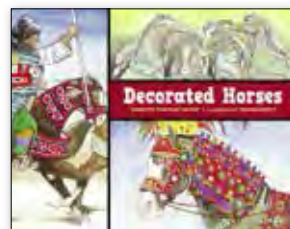
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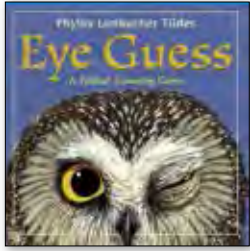
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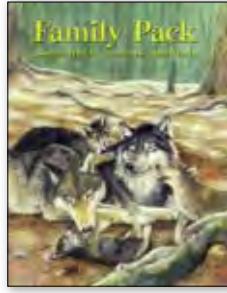
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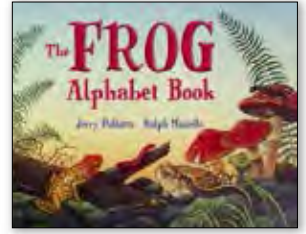
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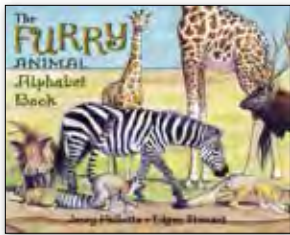
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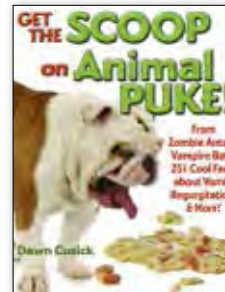
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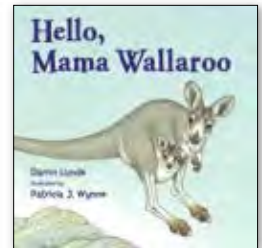
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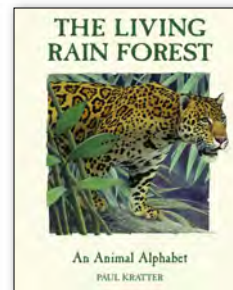
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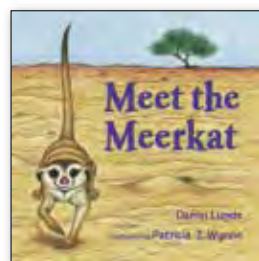
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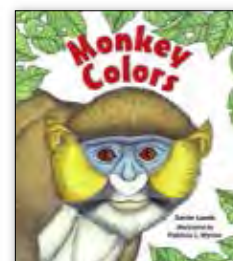
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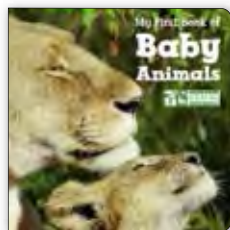
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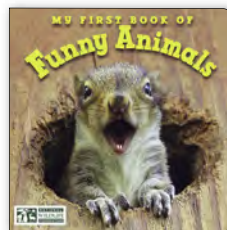
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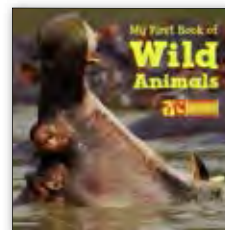
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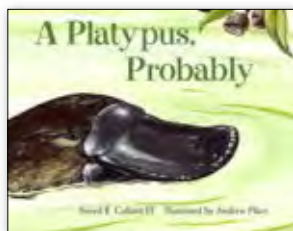
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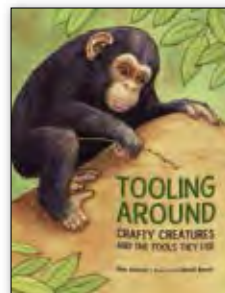
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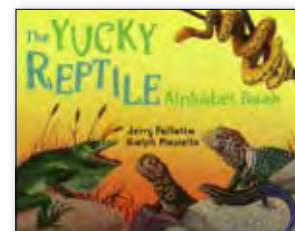
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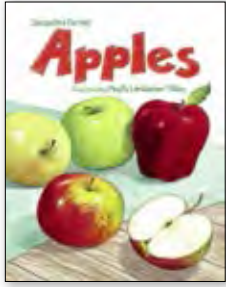


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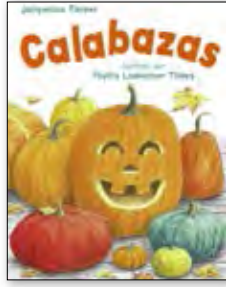
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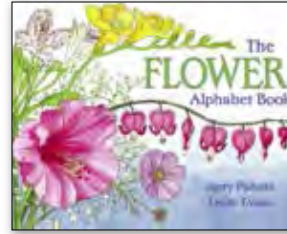
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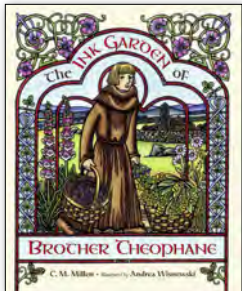
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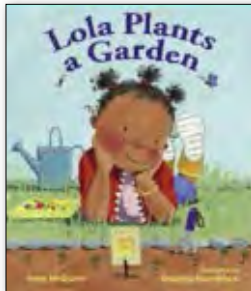
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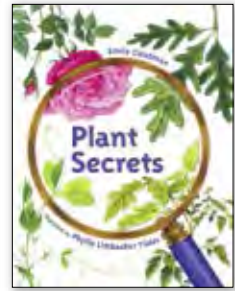
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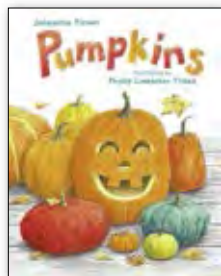
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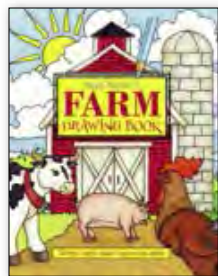
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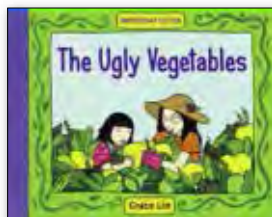
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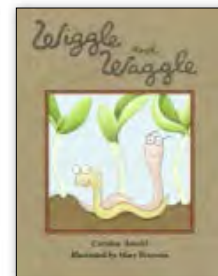
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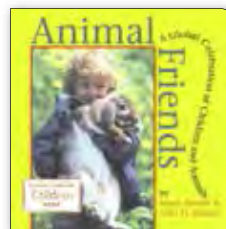
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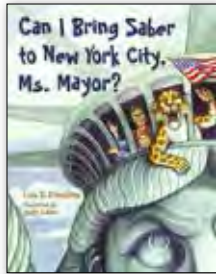
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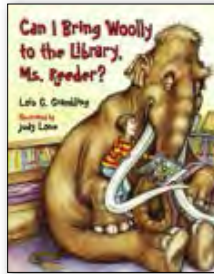
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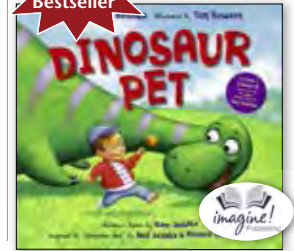
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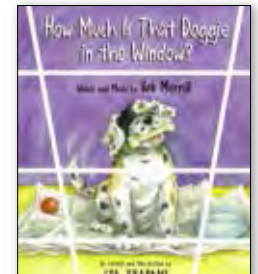
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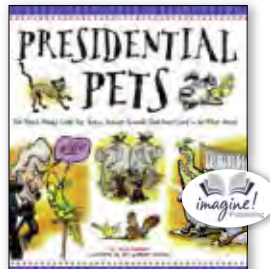
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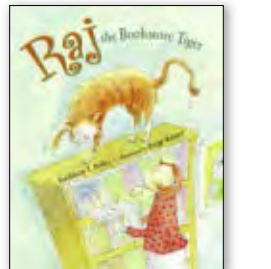
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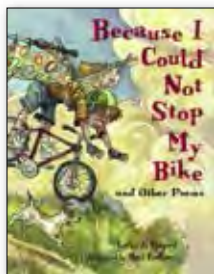
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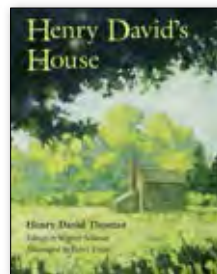
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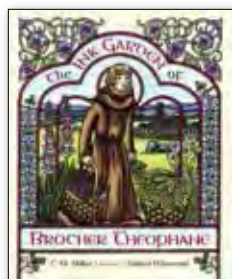
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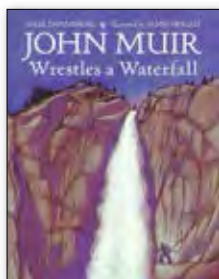
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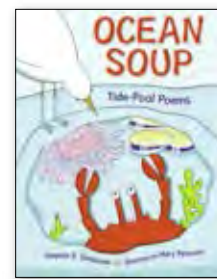
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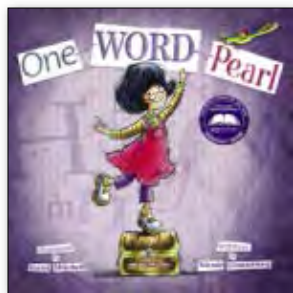
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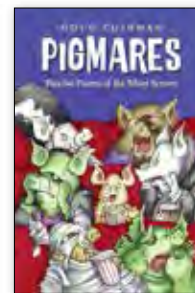
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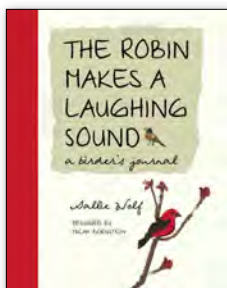
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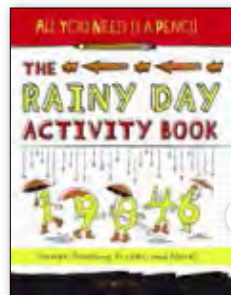


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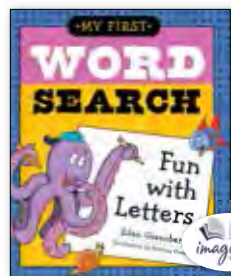
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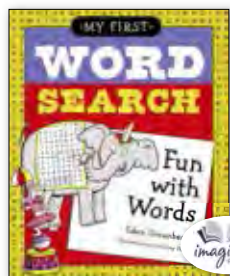
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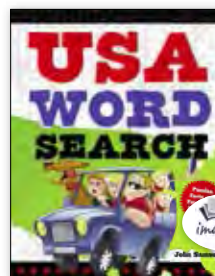
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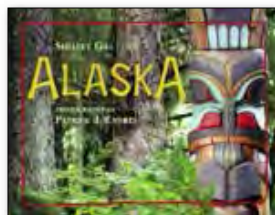
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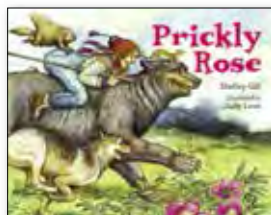
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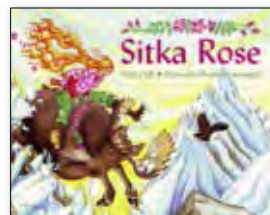
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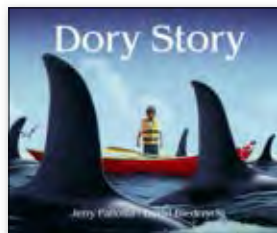
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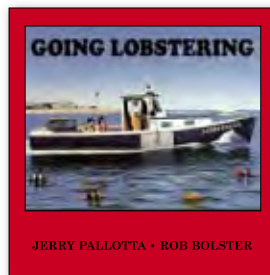
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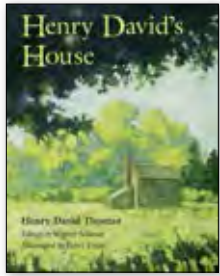


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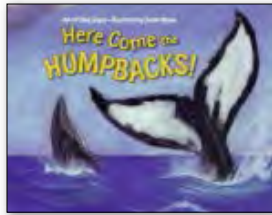


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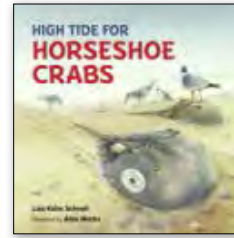
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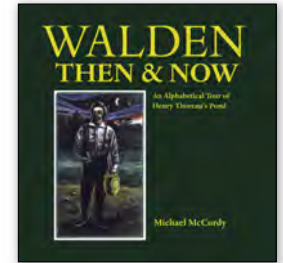
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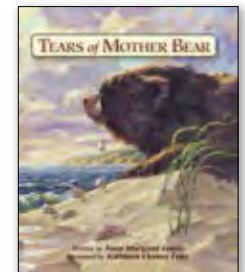


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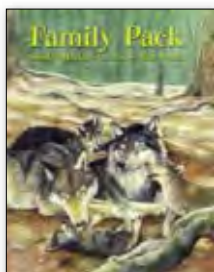
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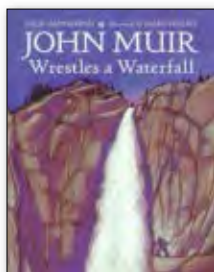
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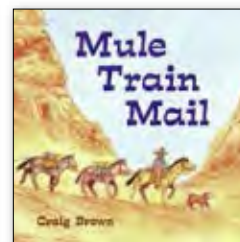
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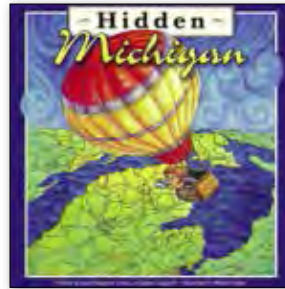
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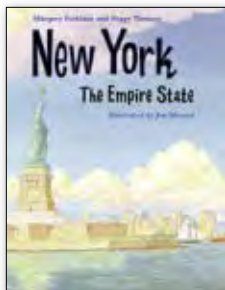
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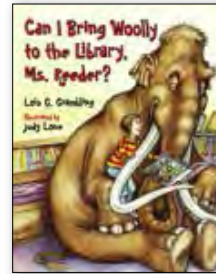
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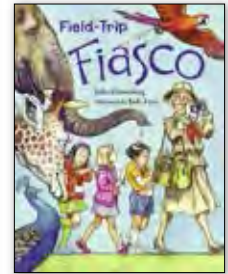
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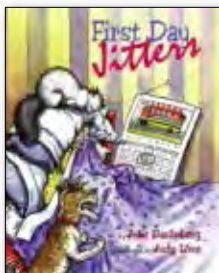
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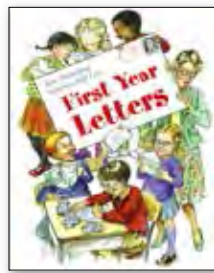
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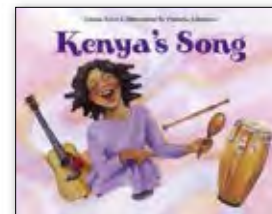
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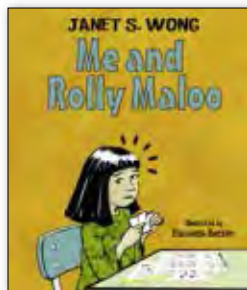
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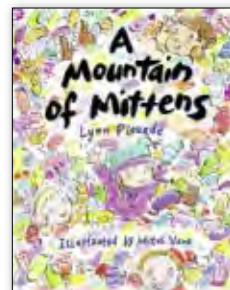
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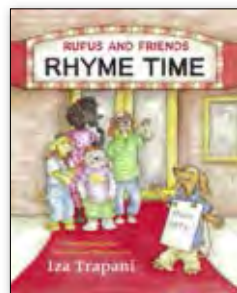
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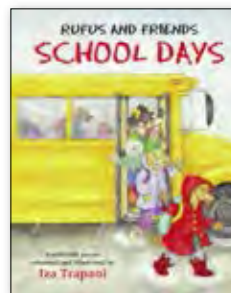
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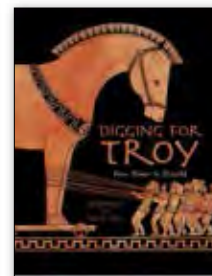
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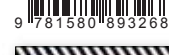
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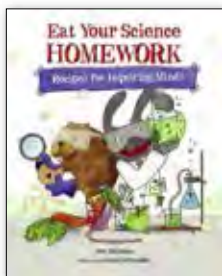
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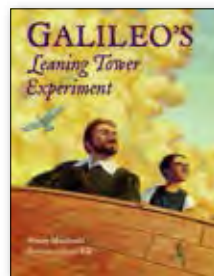
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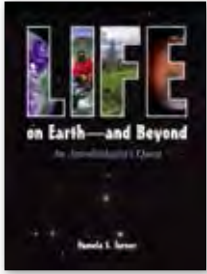
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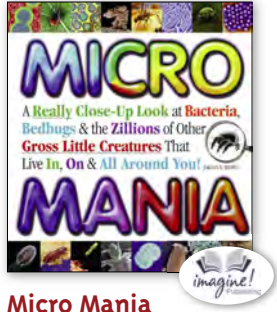
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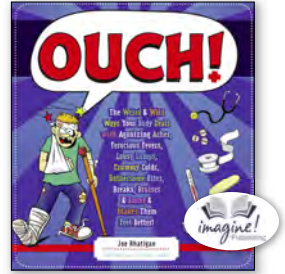
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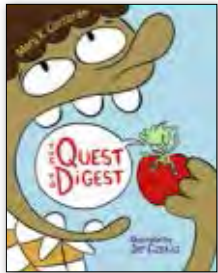
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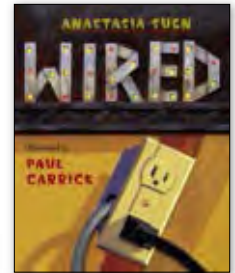
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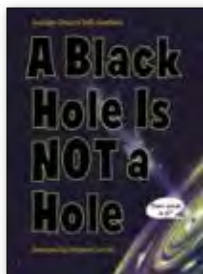
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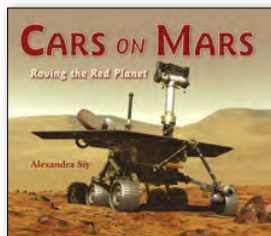
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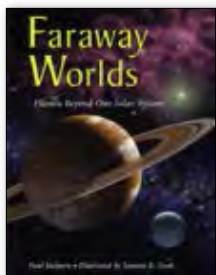
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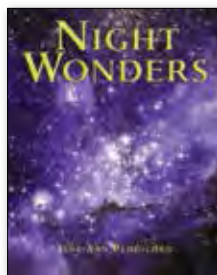
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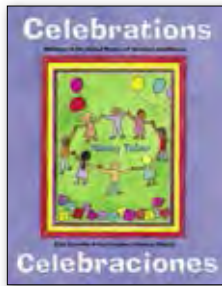
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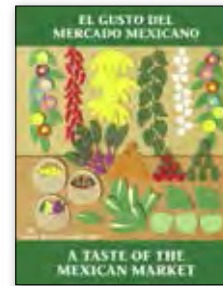
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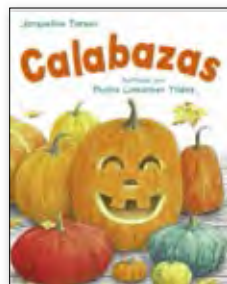


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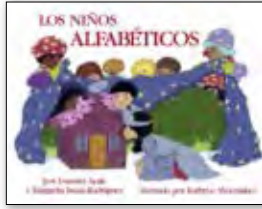


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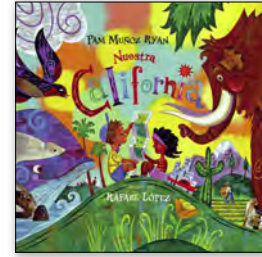
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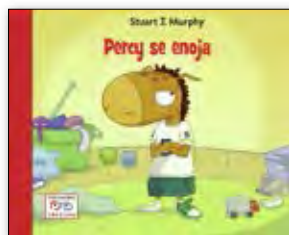
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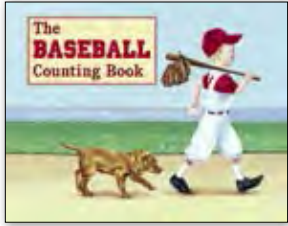
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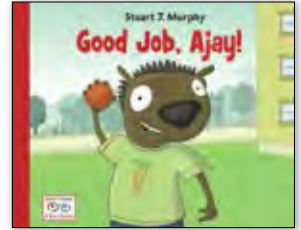
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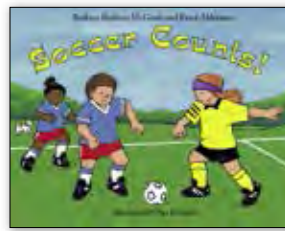
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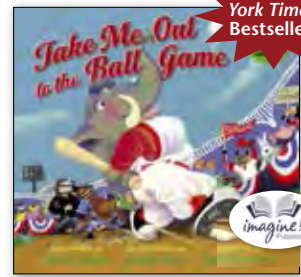
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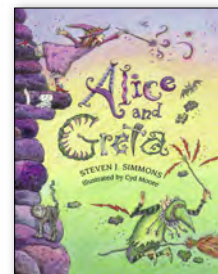
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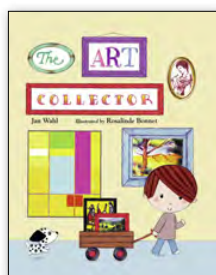
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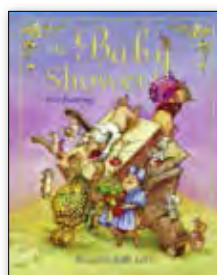
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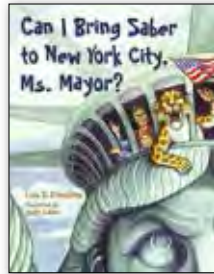
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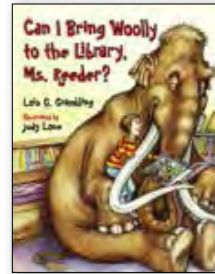
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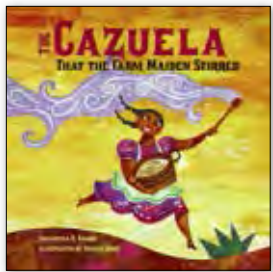
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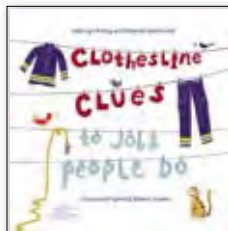
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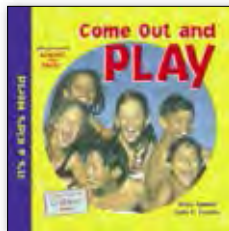
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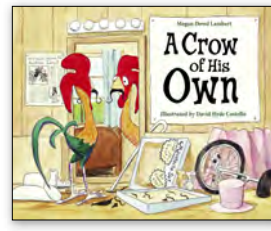
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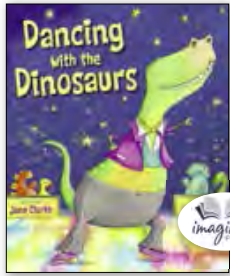
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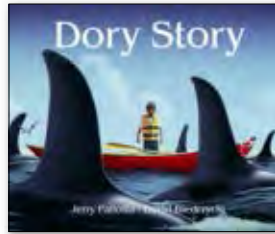
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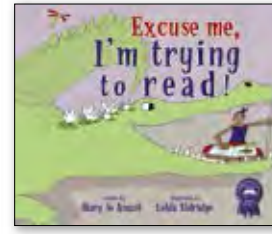
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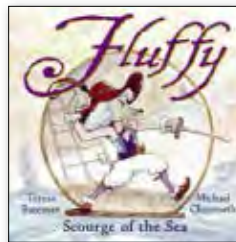
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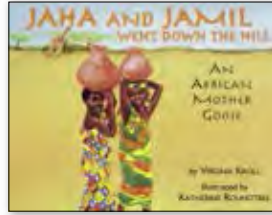
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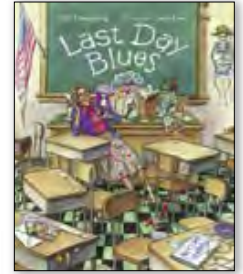
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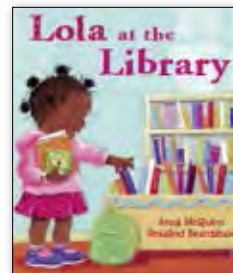
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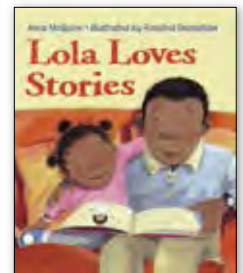
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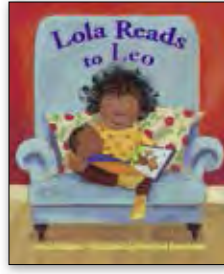
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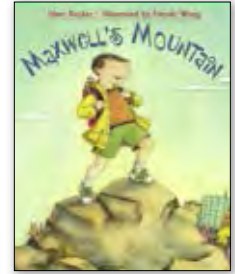
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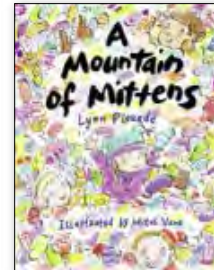
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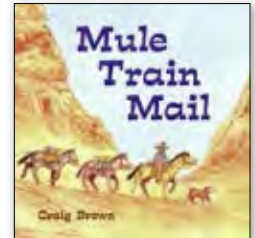
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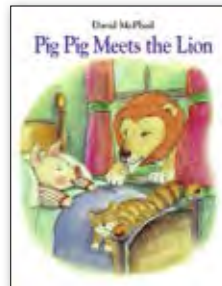
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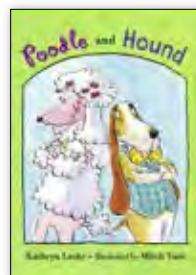


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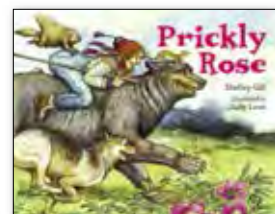
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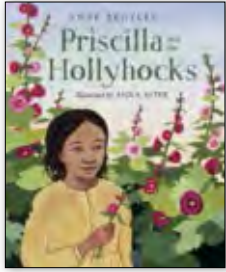
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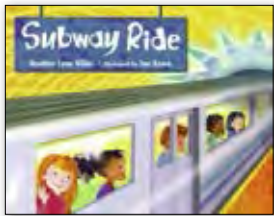
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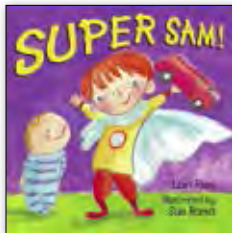
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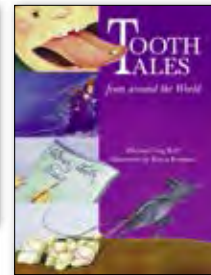
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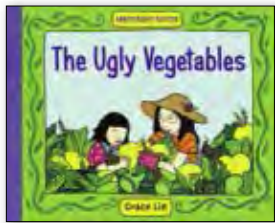
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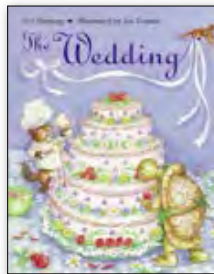
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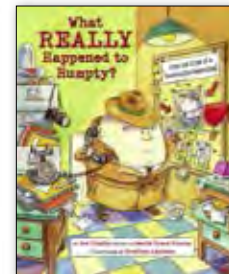
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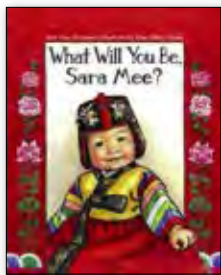
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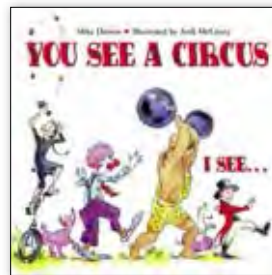
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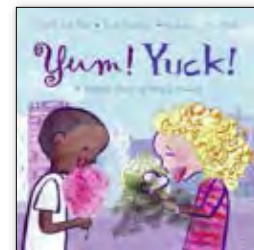
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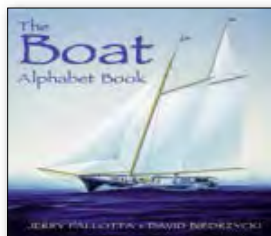
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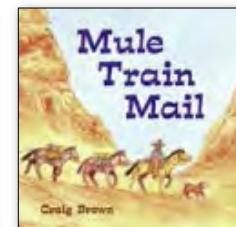
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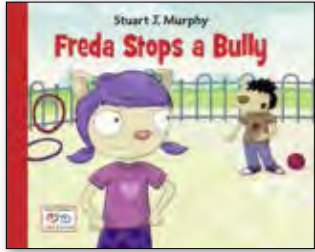
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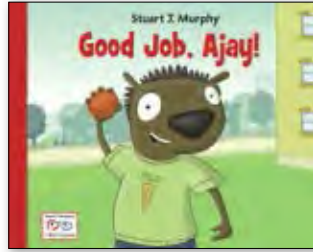
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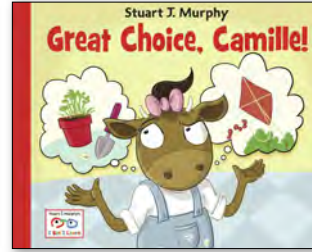
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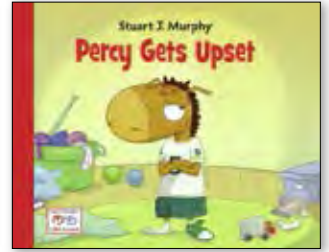
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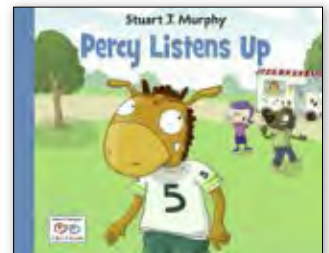
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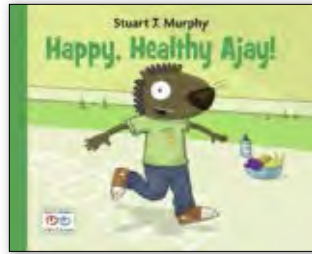
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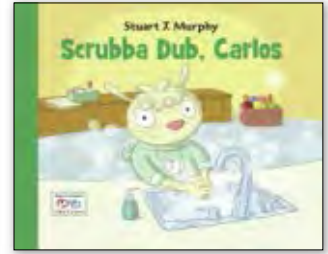
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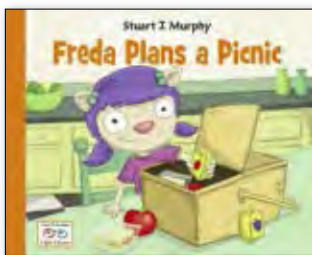
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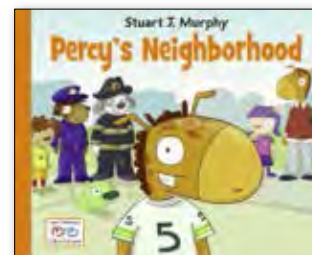
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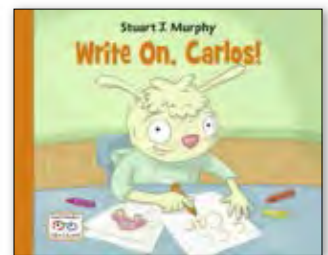
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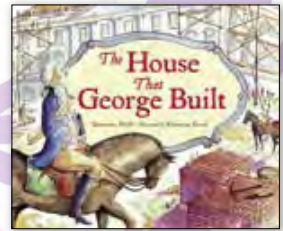
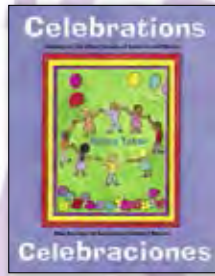
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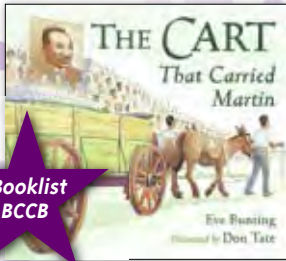
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