

Activity Calendar

Animal Superstars: And More True Stories of Amazing Animal Talents by Aline Alexander Newman. National Geographic Children's Books, 2013.

Balloons over Broadway: The True Story of the Puppeteer of Macy's Parade by Melissa Sweet. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2011.

Coming Home by Greg Ruth. Feiwel and Friends, 2014.

Gordon Parks: How the Photographer Captured Black and White America by Carole Boston Weatherford, illustrated by Jamey Christoph. Albert Whitman, 2015.

hello! hello! by Matthew Cordell. Disney-Hyperion, 2012.

Peanut Butter & Cupcake by Terry Border. Philomel Books, 2014.

Red Butterfly by A.L. Sonnichsen, illustrated by Amy June Bates. Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, 2015.

Should You Be a River: A Poem about Love by Ed Young. Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, 2015.

Terrible Typhoid Mary: A True Story of the Deadliest Cook in America by Susan Campbell Bartoletti. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2015.

Viva Frida by Yuyi Morales, photographs by Tim O'Meara. Roaring Brook, 2014.

Where Is Mount Rushmore? by True Kelley, illustrated by John Hinderliter. Grosset & Dunlap, 2015.

Wolfie the Bunny by Ame Dyckman, illustrated by Zachariah OHora. Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, 2015.

A Wrinkle in Time by Madeleine L'Engle. Square Fish, 2007.

The Year of the Baby by Andrea Cheng, illustrated by Patrice Barton. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2014.

Core Focus

Emma Dilemma: Big Sister Poems by Kristine O'Connell George, illustrated by Nancy Carpenter. Clarion Books, 2011.

Gone Fishing: A Novel in Verse by Tamera Will Wissinger, illustrated by Matthew Cordell. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2013.

Words with Wings by Nikki Grimes. WordSong, 2013.

Curriculum Connections

Publishers' Series

BakéGyamon by Mitsuhsa Tamura and Kazuhiro Fujita. Perfect Square.

Eye-Look Picture Games by Kristen McCurry. Capstone.

Fact or Fib? by Kathy Furgang. Sterling Children's Books.

Magical Math by Lynette Long. John Wiley.

Shockzone: Games and Gamers by Arie Kaplan. Lerner.

Books

101 Improv Games for Children and Adults by Bob Bedore. Hunter House, 2004.

Card Games by Dana Meachen Rau, illustrated by Jaime Martens. Compass Point Books, 2004.

Chess for Kids by Michael Basman. DK Children, 2006.

Chess! I Love It! I Love It! I Love It! by Jamie Gilson, illustrated by Amy Wummer. Clarion Books, 2008.

Deadly Pink by Vivian Vande Velde. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2013.

Double Play! Monkeying Around with Addition by Betsy Franco, illustrated by Doug Cushman. Tricycle Press, 2011.

The Egypt Game by Zilpha Keatley Snyder, illustrated by Alton Raible. Atheneum Books for Young Readers, 2009.

Einstein the Class Hamster by Janet Tashjian, illustrated by Jake Tashjian. Henry Holt, 2013.

The Electrifying, Action-Packed, Unusual History of Video Games by Thomas James Maltman. Capstone, 2010.

Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library by Chris Grabenstein. Yearling, 2014.

Everyone Wins! Cooperative Games and Activities by Josette Luvmour and Sambhava Luvmour. New Society, 2007.

Fun and Games: A Spot-It Challenge by Jennifer L. Marks. Capstone, 2009.

Game On! by D.J. Steinberg. Grosset & Dunlap, 2009.

The Games Book: How to Play the Games of Yesterday by Huw Davies. Michael O'Mara, 2008.

Gaming Safely by Allyson Valentine Schrier. Capstone, 2013.

Great Games! Old and New, Indoor/Outdoor, Travel, Board, Ball and Word by Sam Taggar and Susan Williamson, illustrated by Michael Kline. Williamson, 2003.

How Animals Play by Betty Tatham. Children's Press, 2004.

Native American Games and Stories by James Bruchac and Joseph Bruchac, illustrated by Kayeri Akweks. Fulcrum, 2000.

Opening Moves: The Making of a Young Chess Champion: Michael Thaler by Barry Berg, illustrated by David Hautzig. Little, Brown, 2000.

Probability with Fun and Games by Linda Bussell. Weekly Reader Early Learning, 2008.

The Shape Game by Anthony Browne. Farrar, Straus and Giroux, 2003.

Splat the Cat: The Name of the Game by Rob Scotton. HarperCollins, 2012.

Staying Safe on the Playground by Lucia Raatma. Capstone, 2011.

A Stick Is an Excellent Thing: Poems Celebrating Outdoor Play by Marilyn Singer, illustrated by LeUyen Pham. Clarion Books, 2012.

This Is the Rope: A Story from the Great Migration by Jacqueline Woodson, illustrated by James E. Ransome. Nancy Paulsen Books, 2013.

The Travel Game by John Grandits, illustrated by R.W. Alley. Clarion Books, 2009.

The Tyrannosaurus Game by Steven Kroll, illustrated by S.D. Schindler. Two Lions, 2010.

Video Game Developer by Chris Jozefowicz. Gareth Stevens, 2009.

Violence in Video Games by Diane Marczy Gimpel. Core Library, 2013.

The Wildlife Games by Bindi Irwin. Random House Australia, 2012.

Fiction/Nonfiction

Astonishing Bodies by Charlie Samuels. Crabtree, 2013.

The Belly Book by Fran Manushkin. Feiwel and Friends, 2011.

Big Bouffant by Kate Hosford. Carolrhoda Books, 2011.

Dalia's Wondrous Hair/El cabello maravilloso de Dalia by Laura Lacámara. Arte Público, 2014.

Frank Was a Monster Who Wanted to Dance by Keith Graves. Chronicle Books, 1999.

Hiccup! by Mike Herrod. Blue Apple Books, 2012.

How Do You Burp in Space? And Other Tips Every Space Tourist Needs to Know by Susan E. Goodman. Bloomsbury, 2013.

It's Spit-acular! The Secrets of Saliva by Melissa Stewart. Marshall Cavendish Benchmark, 2010.

The Magic School Bus: Inside the Human Body by Joanna Cole. Scholastic, 1989.

More Parts by Tedd Arnold. Dial Books for Young Readers, 2001.

My Itchy Body by Liza Fromer. Tundra Books, 2012.

Parts by Tedd Arnold. Puffin, 2000.

Random Body Parts: Gross Anatomy Riddles in Verse by Leslie Bulion. Peachtree, 2015.

Sneeze! by Alexandra Siy. Charlesbridge, 2007.

Sniffles, Sneezes, Hiccups, and Coughs by Penny Durant. DK, 2005.

Stephanie's Ponytail by Robert Munsch. Annick, 2006.

The Tushy Book by Fran Manushkin. Feiwel and Friends, 2009.

What Body Part Is That? by Andy Griffiths. Square Fish/Feiwel and Friends, 2013.

Where's My Tushy? by Deborah Aronson. Carolrhoda Books, 2014.

Why Feet Smell and Other Gross Facts about Your Body by Jody Sullivan Rake. Capstone, 2012.

Why I Sneeze, Shiver, Hiccup, and Yawn by Melvin Berger. HarperCollins, 2000.

You Are Weird: Your Body's Peculiar Parts and Funny Functions by Diane Swanson. Kids Can Press, 2009.

You Blink Twelve Times a Minute: And Other Freaky Facts about the Human Body by Barbara Seuling. Picture Window Books, 2009.

Gaining STEAM

Mountain Dog by Margarita Engle. Square Fish, 2014.

My Life as a Gamer by Janet Tashjian. Henry Holt, 2015.

The Potato Chip Puzzles: The Puzzling World of Winston Breen by Eric Berlin. Puffin Books, 2010.

Save Rafe! by James Patterson and Chris Tebbets. Little, Brown, 2014.

The View from Saturday by E.L. Konigsburg. Atheneum Books for Young Readers, 1998.

Wild River by P.J. Petersen. Delacorte Books for Young Readers, 2009.

Keep 'Em Reading

Advanced Yo-Yo Tricks by Bruce Weber. Scholastic, 1999.

Attack! Boss! Cheat Code! A Gamer's Alphabet by Chris Barton. POW!, 2014.

C D B! by William Steig. Aladdin, 2003.

Crazy Eights and Other Card Games by Joanna Cole and Stephanie Calmenson. William Morrow, 1994.

"Don't Bother Me Mom—I'm Learning!" by Marc Prensky. Paragon House, 2006.

Double Dutch: A Celebration of Jump Rope, Rhyme, and Sisterhood by Veronica Chambers. Jump at the Sun, 2002.

Game Design by Greg Austin. Cherry Lake, 2013.

Gamers . . . in the Library?! The Why, What, and How of Videogame Tournaments for All Ages by Eli Neiburger. American Library Association, 2009.

Games People Play! Italy by Miles Harvey. Children's Press, 1996.

Get Out! Outdoor Activities Kids Can Enjoy Anywhere (Except Indoors) by Hallie Warshaw. Sterling, 2001.

Go Out and Play! Favorite Outdoor Games from KaBOOM! by KaBOOM! Candlewick, 2012.

Hot Jobs in Video Games by Joe Funk. Scholastic, 2010.

Indoor Games! by Lisa Regan. QED, 2011.

Lucky 13: Solitaire Games for Kids by Michael Street. Chronicle Books, 2001.

Madam and Nun and 1001: What Is a Palindrome? by Brian P. Cleary. Millbrook, 2012.

Marbles: 101 Ways to Play by Joanna Cole and Stephanie Calmenson. HarperCollins, 1998.

Palindromania! by Jon Agee. Square Fish, 2009.

Parlour Games: Indoor Fun for the Whole Family! by Katie Hewett. Collins and Brown, 2012.

Wumbers by Amy Krouse Rosenthal. Chronicle Books, 2015.

Library Lessons

I Don't Want to Be a Frog by Dev Petty, illustrated by Mike Boldt. Doubleday Books for Young Readers, 2015.

The Little Engine That Could by Watty Piper. Grosset & Dunlap, 2012.

Red: A Crayon's Story by Michael Hall. Greenwillow Books, 2015.

Thomas Jefferson Builds a Library by Barb Rosenstock, illustrated by John O'Brien. Calkins Creek, 2013.

Meet the Author

Aunt Flossie's Hats (and Crab Cakes Later) by Elizabeth Fitzgerald Howard, illustrated by James E. Ransome. HMH Books for Young Readers, 1995.

The Creation by James Weldon Johnson, illustrated by James E. Ransome. Holiday House, 1994.

Do Like Kyla by Angela Johnson, illustrated by James E. Ransome. Scholastic, 1993.

Freedom's School by Lesa Cline-Ransome, illustrated by James E. Ransome. Jump at the Sun, 2015.

Light in the Darkness: A Story about How Slaves Learned in Secret by Lesa Cline-Ransome, illustrated by James E. Ransome. Jump at the Sun, 2013.

Major Taylor, Champion Cyclist by Lesa Cline-Ransome, illustrated by James E. Ransome. Atheneum Books for Young Readers, 2004.

The Patchwork Quilt by Valerie Flourney, illustrated by Jerry Pinkney. FBAPowersetup, 1985.

Satchel Paige by Lesa Cline-Ransome, illustrated by James E. Ransome. Aladdin, 2003.

Sky Boys: How They Built the Empire State Building by Deborah Hopkinson, illustrated by James E. Ransome. Dragonfly Books, 2012.

The Snowy Day by Ezra Jack Keats. Puffin Books, 1976.

Sweet Clara and the Freedom Quilt by Deborah Hopkinson, illustrated by James E. Ransome. Alfred A. Knopf, 1997.

Uncle Jed's Barbershop by Margaree King Mitchell, illustrated by James E. Ransome. Aladdin Paperbacks, 1998.

Under the Quilt of Night by Deborah Hopkinson, illustrated by James E. Ransome. Aladdin, 2005.

Young Pelé: Soccer's First Star by Lesa Cline-Ransome, illustrated by James E. Ransome. Dragonfly Books, 2011.

Play to the Top

10 Days in the USA by Alan R. Moon and Aaron Weissblum. Out of the Box Games, 2003.

Cardline: Animals by Frédéric Henry.
Asmodee, 2012.

Incan Gold: Quest for Riches in the Ruins
by Alan R. Moon and Bruno Faidutti.
Gryphon Games, 2006.

Max by Jim Deacove. Family Pastimes, 1986.

Maus van Klecks by Thilo Hutzler. HABA, 2013.

Once Upon a Time: The Storytelling Card Game
by Richard Lambert, Andrew Rilstone, and
James Wallis. Atlas Games, 1994.

Secret Code 13+4 by Jürgen P. Grunau. HABA, 2012.

So Many Books

Henry Holton Takes the Ice by Sandra Bradley.
Dial Books, 2015.

Hoppelpopp and the Best Bunny by Mira Lobe.
Holiday House, 2015.

My Three Best Friends and Me, Zulay by Cari Best.
Farrar, Straus and Giroux, 2015.

Nuts to You by Lynne Rae Perkins.
Greenwillow, 2014.

Roller Girl by Victoria Jamieson. Dial Books, 2015.

Walk on the Wild Side by Nicholas Oldland.
Kids Can Press, 2015.

Storytime

The Adventures of Beekle: The Unimaginary Friend
by Dan Santat. Little, Brown Books for Young
Readers, 2014.

Can You Make a Scary Face? by Jan Thomas.
Beach Lane Books, 2009.

Let's Do Nothing! by Tony Fucile. Candlewick, 2012.

Mix It Up! by Hervé Tullet. Chronicle Books, 2014.

Not a Box by Antoinette Portis.
HarperCollins, 2006.

This Book Just Ate My Dog! by Richard Byrne.
Henry Holt, 2014.

The Watermelon Seed by Greg Pizzoli.
Disney-Hyperion, 2013.