

## Activity Calendar

*The Camping Trip That Changed America: Theodore Roosevelt, John Muir, and Our National Parks* by Barb Rosenstock, illustrated by Mordicai Gerstein. Dial Books, 2012.

*Children's Book-a-Day Almanac* by Anita Silvey. Roaring Brook Press, 2012.

*Finding Winnie: The True Story of the World's Most Famous Bear* by Lindsay Mattick, illustrated by Sophie Blackall. Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, 2015.

*Flora and Ulysses: The Illuminated Adventures* by Kate DiCamillo, illustrated by K.G. Campbell. Candlewick, 2013.

*I Have a Dream* by Martin Luther King Jr., with paintings by Kadir Nelson. Schwartz & Wade, 2012.

*If I Built a Car* by Chris Van Dusen. Dutton Books for Young Readers, 2005.

*The Junkyard Wonders* by Patricia Polacco. Philomel Books, 2010.

*Oh, No!* by Candace Fleming, illustrated by Eric Rohmann. Schwartz & Wade, 2012.

*Open Wide: Tooth School Inside* by Laurie Keller. Henry Holt and Co., 2000.

*Sick Simon* by Dan Krall. Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, 2015.

*Special Delivery* by Philip C. Stead, illustrated by Matthew Cordell. Roaring Brook Press, 2015.

*Thank You, Mr. Falker* by Patricia Polacco. Scholastic, 1998.

## Connected Librarian

*Encounter* by Jane Yolen. HMH Books for Young Readers, 1996.

## Core Focus

*Brown Girl Dreaming* by Jacqueline Woodson. Nancy Paulsen Books, 2014.

*Caribou Song/Athiko nikamon* by Tomson Highway, illustrated by John Rombough. Fifth House, 2013.

*Joseph Had a Little Overcoat* by Simms Taback. Viking Books for Young Readers, 1999.

*Malcolm Little: The Boy Who Grew Up to Become Malcolm X* by Ilyasah Shabazz. Atheneum Books for Young Readers, 2014.

*The Mitten*, retold by Jim Aylesworth, illustrated by Barbara McClintock. Scholastic Press, 2009.

*My Grandfather's Coat*, retold by Jim Aylesworth, illustrated by Barbara McClintock. Scholastic Press, 2014.

## Curriculum Connections

### Publishers' Series

*Biodiversity* by Greg Pyers. Benchmark Books.

*Everybody...*, by Norah Dooley. Carolrhoda.

*MI Strategies for Kids* by Ellen Arnold. Chicago Review Press.

*Our Multicultural World* by Bobbie Kalman. Crabtree.

*Talking About My Faith* by Cath Senker. Franklin Watts Ltd.

*World Vision Early Readers* by Marla Stewart Konrad. Tundra Books.

### Books

*Amazing Faces*, selected by Lee Bennett Hopkins. Lee & Low Books, 2011.

*And Tango Makes Three* by Justin Richardson. Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, 2005.

*A Butterfly Is Patient* by Dianna Hutts Aston. Chronicle Books, 2011.

*The Case for Loving: The Fight for Interracial Marriage* by Selina Alko. Arthur A. Levine Books, 2015.

*The Colors of Us* by Karen Katz. Square Fish, 2002.

*Doing Time Online* by Jan Siebold. Albert Whitman & Company, 2002.

*A Faith Like Mine: A Celebration of the World's Religions through the Eyes of Children* by Laura Buller. DK Children, 2005.

*The Great Big Book of Families* by Mary Hoffman. Dial, 2011.

*Happy Families* by Tanita S. Davis. Knopf Books for Young Readers, 2012.

*Heather Has Two Mommies* by Leslea Newman. Candlewick, 2015.

*Henry and the Kite Dragon* by Bruce Edward Hall. Penguin Group, 2004.

*How Are We the Same and Different?* by Bobbie Kalman. Crabtree, 2009.

*How to Clean a Hippopotamus: A Look at Unusual Animal Partnerships* by Steve Jenkins and Robin Page. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2013.

*How We Are Smart* by W. Nikola-Lisa, illustrated by Sean Qualls. Lee & Low Books, 2002.

*The Junkyard Wonders* by Patricia Polacco. Philomel, 2010.

*Let's Talk About Race* by Julius Lester. Amistad Reprint, 2008.

*The Misfits* by James Howe. Atheneum Books for Young Readers, 2003.

*My Mixed-up Berry Blue Summer* by Jennifer Gennari. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2012.

*My School in the Rain Forest: How Children Attend School Around the World* by Margaret Ruurs. Boyds Mills Press, 2009.

*Nokum Is My Teacher* by David Bouchard. Red Deer Press, 2006. (Kit)

*Planet Ark: Preserving Earth's Biodiversity* by Adrienne Mason. Kids Can Press, 2013.

*Racism (Talking About)* by Bruce Sanders and Sarah Levette. Franklin Watts, 2007.

*Shu-Li and Tamara* by Paul Yee. Tradewind Books, 2008.

*Smoky Night* by Eve Bunting, illustrated by David Diaz. HMH Books for Young Readers, 1999.

*We* by Alice Schertle. Lee & Low Books, 2013.

*What a Party!* by Ana Maria Machado. Groundwood, 2013.

*World Playground: Multicultural Activity Kit* by various artists. Putamayo World Music, 1999. (Music CD and activity guide)

*Yes! We Are Latinos* by Alma Flor Ada and Isobel Campoy. Charlesbridge, 2013.

*You're Smarter than You Think: A Kid's Guide to Multiple Intelligences* by Thomas Armstrong. Free Spirit, 2014.

*Zoe's Extraordinary Holiday Adventures* by Christina Minaki. Second Story Press, 2007.

### Digital Storytimes

*Boys Who Rocked the World: Heroes from King Tut to Bruce Lee* by Michelle Roehm McCann, illustrated by David Hahn. Aladdin/Beyond Words, 2012.

*Dear Malala, We Stand with You* by Rosemary McCarney. Crown Books for Young Readers, 2014.

*Drum, Chavi, Drum!/¡Toca, Chavi, toca!* by Mayra L. Dole, illustrated by Tonel. Children's Book Press, 2003.

*Drum Dream Girl: How One Girl's Courage Changed Music* by Margarita Engle, illustrated by Rafael López. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2015.

*Drummer Boy of John John* by Mark Greenwood, illustrated by Frané Lessac. Lee & Low Books, 2006.

*Girls Who Rocked the World: Heroines from Joan of Arc to Mother Teresa* by Michelle Roehm McCann and Amelie Weldon, illustrated by David Hahn. Aladdin/Beyond Words, 2012.

*I Have the Right to Be a Child* by Alain Serres, illustrated by Aurelia Fronty. Groundwood Books, 2012.

*I Lost My Tooth in Africa* by Penda Diakité, illustrated by Baba Wagué Diakité. Scholastic Press, 2006.

*Let's Talk about Race* by Julius Lester, illustrated by Karen Barbour. Amistad, 2008.

*Maximilian and the Mystery of the Guardian Angel: A Bilingual Lucha Libre Thriller* by Xavier Garza. Cinco Puntos Press, 2011.

*Ms. Marvel, Vol. 1: No Normal* by G. Willow Wilson, illustrated by Adrian Alphona. Marvel, 2014.

*My Librarian Is a Camel: How Books Are Brought to Children around the World* by Margriet Ruurs. Boyds Mills Press, 2005.

*No Girls Allowed: Tales of Daring Women Dressed as Men for Love, Freedom, and Adventure* by Susan Hughes, illustrated by Willow Dawson. Kids Can Press, 2008.

*Off to Class: Incredible and Unusual Schools around the World* by Susan Hughes. Owlkids Books, 2011.

*Same, Same but Different* by Jenny Sue Kostecki-Shaw. Henry Holt and Co., 2011.

*The Shadow Hero* by Gene Luen Yang, illustrated by Sonny Liew. First Second, 2014.

*Sumo* by Thien Pham. First Second, 2012.

*Ten Oni Drummers* by Matthew Gollub, illustrated by Kazuko G. Stone. Lee & Low Books, 2013.

*This Child, Every Child: A Book about the World's Children* by David J. Smith, illustrated by Shelagh Armstrong. Kids Can Press, 2011.

*Throw Your Tooth on the Roof: Tooth Traditions from Around the World* by Selby Beeler, illustrated by G. Brian Karas. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2001.

*Tito Puente, Mambo King/Tito Puente, rey del mambo* by Monica Brown, illustrated by Rafael López. Rayo, 2013.

*The Tooth Fairy Meets El Ratón Pérez* by René Colato Laínez, illustrated by Tom Lintern. Tricycle Press, 2010.

**Fiction/Nonfiction**

- Be a Better Biker* by Annie Buckley. The Child's World, 2007.
- Ben Rides On* by Matt Davies. Neal Porter Book: Roaring Brook Press, 2013.
- The Best Bike Ride Ever* by James Proimos. Dial Books for Young Readers, 2012.
- Bicycle Basics: Let It Roll!* by Lisa Amstutz. Capstone, 2014.
- Bicycle Book* by Gail Gibbons. Holiday House, 1995.
- Bicycle Safety* by Lisa M. Herrington. Children's Press, 2013.
- Bike Safety: A Crash Course* by Lisa Amstutz. Capstone, 2014.
- Bikes for Rent!* by Isaac Olaleye. Orchard Books, 2001.
- BMX* by John Hamilton. Abdo Publishing, 2014.
- Everyone Can Learn to Ride a Bicycle* by Chris Raschka. Schwartz & Wade Books, 2013.
- How to Bicycle to the Moon to Plant Sunflowers: A Simple but Brilliant Plan in 24 Easy Steps* by Mordicai Gerstein. Roaring Book Press, 2013.
- Little Big Horse: Where's My Bike?* by Dave Horowitz. Scholastic, 2014.
- Major Taylor: Champion Cyclist* by Lesa Cline-Ransome. Atheneum Books for Young Readers, 2004.
- Me and My Bike* by Ander. Heryin Books, 2008.
- My Rows and Piles of Coins* by Tololwa M. Mollel. Clarion, 1999.
- New Red Bike!* by James E. Ransome. Holiday House, 2011.
- Pedal It! How Bicycles Are Changing the World* by Michelle Mulder. Orca Book Publishers, 2013.
- Sally Jean, the Bicycle Queen* by Cari Best. Melanie Kroupa Books: Farrar, Straus and Giroux, 2006.
- Tillie the Terrible Swede: How One Woman, a Sewing Needle, and a Bicycle Changed History* by Sue Stauffacher. Alfred A. Knopf, 2011.
- Yuki's Ride Home* by Manya Tessler. Bloomsbury Children's Books, 2008.

**Freebies, Doodads, & Helpful Hints**

- Chocolate Me!* by Taye Diggs, illustrated by Shane W. Evans. Feiwel & Friends, 2011.
- Colors of Us* by Karen Katz. Henry Holt and Co., 1999.

- I'm Your Peanut Butter Big Brother* by Selina Alko. Knopf Books for Young Readers, 2009.
- London Eye Mystery* by Siobhan Dowd. Yearling, 2009.
- Rain Reign* by Ann M. Martin. Feiwel & Friends, 2014.
- Rules* by Cynthia Lord. Scholastic Press, 2006.

**Gaining STEAM**

- Brilliant African-American Scientists: 9 Exceptional Lives* by Jeff C. Young. Enslow, 2009.
- Lives of the Scientists: Experiments, Explosions (and What the Neighbors Thought)* by Kathleen Krull. Harcourt Children's Books, 2013.
- Portraits of Hispanic American Heroes*, by Juan Felipe Herrera. Dial, 2014.
- Women Scientists Who Changed the World*, by Kelly Di Domenico. Rosen, 2012.

**Keep 'Em Reading**

- Adelita* by Tomie dePaola. Puffin, 2002.
- Africa Is My Home* by Monica Edinger. Candlewick, 2013.
- Apple Pie 4th of July* by Janet Wong. Harcourt, 2002
- Bessie Smith and the Night Riders* by Sue Stauffacher. Putnam's Sons, 2006.
- Beyond the Great Mountains: A Visual Poem About China* by Ed Young. Chronicle Books, 2005.
- Cookies: Bite-Size Life Lessons* by Amy Rosenthal. HarperCollins, 2006.
- Cultures around the World*, by Kelly Doudna. Abdo, 2004.
- Divide and Ride* by Stuart Murphy. HarperCollins, 1997.
- Erika-San* by Allen Say. Houghton Mifflin, 2009.
- Family Gatherings* by L.L. Owens. ABDO, 2011.
- Fly High, Katie!* by Fran Manushkin. Picture Window Books, 2014.
- Fractions, Decimals, and Percents* by David Adler. Holiday House, 2010.
- Golden Domes and Silver Lanterns: A Muslim Book of Colors* by Hena Khan. Chronicle, 2012.
- The Great Big Book of Families* by Mary Hoffman. Penquin, 2011.
- Green Is a Chile Pepper* by Roseanne Thong, Chronicle, 2014.

*Halloween Night on Shivermore Street*  
by Pam Pollack. Chronicle, 2004.

*Harvey Moon, Museum Boy* by Pat Cummings.  
HarperCollins, 2008.

*Jalapeño Bagels* by Natasha Wing.  
Antheneum Books, 1996.

*Nasreddine* by Odile Weulersse.  
Eerdmans Books, 2005.

*Nation of Immigrants* by Paul Walker.  
Kingfisher, 2012.

*One Is a Drummer* by Roseanne Thong.  
Chronicle, 2004.

*One Thousand One Inventions and Awesome Facts  
from Muslim Civilization.* National Geographic,  
2012.

*Priscilla and the Hollyhocks* by Anne Broyles.  
Charlesbridge, 2008.

*Redwoods* by Jason Chin. Roaring Brook Press,  
2009.

*Return of Skeleton Man* by Joseph Bruchac.  
HarperCollins, 2006.

*The Same Moment around the World* by  
Clotilde Perrin. Chronicle, 2014.

*Science, Medicine, and Math in the Early Islamic  
World* by Trudee Romanek. Crabtree Publishing,  
2012.

*A Second is a Hiccup* by Hazel Hutchins.  
Arthur A. Levine Books, 2004.

*Shades of People* by Shelley Rotner.  
Holiday House, 2009.

*Shelter in Our Car* by Monica Gunning.  
Children's Book Press, 2004.

*Soup Day* by Melissa Iwai. Holt, 2010.

*Tea Cakes for Tosh* by Kelly Lyons.  
Putnam's Sons, 2012.

*Ten, Nine, Eight* by Molly Bang. Greenwillow, 1983.

*Ten Valentine Friends* by Janet Schulman.  
Alfred Knopf, 2011.

*These Rocks Count* by Alison Formento, Whitman,  
2014.

*Wabi Sabi* by Mark Reibstein. Little Brown & Co.  
2008.

*What Can You Do with a Paleta?* by  
Carmen Tafolla. Tricycle Press, 2009.

*What Can You Do with a Rebozo?* by  
Carmen Tafolla. Tricycle Press, 2008.

### Library Lessons

*The Dark* by Lemony Snicket. Little, Brown Books  
for Young Readers, 2013.

*My Country, 'Tis of Thee: How One Song Reveals  
the History of Civil Rights* by Claire Rudolf Murphy.  
Henry Holt and Co., 2014.

*A Night in Terror Tower* by R.L. Stine.  
Scholastic Paperbacks, 2004.

*Rotten School* by R.L. Stine. HarperCollins. (series)

*That Is Not a Good Idea!* by Mo Willems.  
Balzer + Bray, 2013.

### Seeing Ourselves

*Astronaut Academy: Zero Gravity* by Dave Roman.  
First Second, 2011.

*Akissi* by Marguerite Abouet.  
Flying Eye Books, 2013.

*Comics Squad: Recess!* by Jennifer Holm et al.  
Random House Books for Young Readers, 2014.

*Dinosaurs in Space* by Pranas T. Naujokaitis.  
Balloon Toons, 2012.

*El Deafo* by Cece Bell. Abrams Books, 2014.

*Hereville: How Mirka Got Her Sword* by  
Barry Deutsch. Abrams Books, 2010.

*Little White Duck: A Childhood in China* by Na Liu  
and Andres Vera Martinez. Graphic Universe, 2012.

*Lowriders in Space* by Cathy Camper, illustrated  
by Raul the Third. Chronicle Books, 2014.

*Luke on the Loose* by Harry Bliss. Toon Books, 2010.

*Luz Makes a Splash* by Claudia Avila. Kids Can Press,  
2012.

*Nathan Hale's Hazardous Tales* by Nathan Hale.  
Harry N. Abrams. (series)

*Odd Duck* by Cecil Castellucci, illustrated  
by Sara Varon. First Second, 2013.

*The Shark King* by R. Kikuo Johnson.  
Toon Books, 2012.

*The Stratford Zoo Midnight Revue Presents Macbeth*  
by Ian Lendler, illustrated by Zack Giallongo.  
First Second, 2014.

*Trickster: Native American Tales*, edited by  
Matt Dembicki. Fulcrum Publishing, 2010.

*Understanding Comics: The Invisible Art* by Scott  
McLeod. William Morrow Paperbacks, 1994.

### So Many Books

*Gone Crazy in Alabama* by Rita Williams-Garcia. Amistad/HarperCollins, 2015.

*Hana Hashimoto, Sixth Violin* by Chieri Uegacki. Kids Can Press, 2014.

*Last Stop on Market Street* by Matt de la Peña. Putnam, 2015.

*Rain Reign* by Ann M. Martin. Feiwel and Friends, 2014.

*Tiger Boy* by Mitali Perkins. Charlesbridge, 2015.

### Storytime

*Bee-Bim Bop* by Linda Sue Park. Clarion Books, 2005.

*Flower Garden* by Eve Bunting. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2000.

*How Do Dinosaurs Say Goodnight* by Jane Yolen. Blue Sky Press, 2000.

*I Got the Rhythm* by Connie Schofield-Morrison. Bloomsbury USA Childrens, 2014.

*It's Okay to Be Different* by Todd Parr. Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, 2001.

*Jazz Baby* by Lisa Wheeler. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2007.

*Little Humans* by Brandon Stanton. Farrar, Straus and Giroux, 2014.

*Mice and Beans* by Pam Muñoz Ryan. Scholastic Press, 2001.

*My Pop Pop and Me* by Irene Smalls. Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, 2006.

*Please, Puppy, Please* by Spike Lee. Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, 2005.

*Smelling Sunshine* by Constance Anderson. Star Bright Books, 2013.