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STAR STUFF : CARL SAGAN AND THE MYSTERIES OF THE COSMOS

By Stephanie Roth Sisson
JB SAGAN



A biography of Carl Sagan focusing on his childhood and culminating in the Voyager mission and the Golden Record.

WATER IS WATER

By Miranda Paul
PICTURE PAUL



A spare, poetic picture book exploring the different phases of the water cycle in surprising and engaging ways.

ONE DAY ON OUR BLUE PLANET . . . IN THE ANTARCTIC

By Ella Bailey
PICTURE BAILEY



In the latest volume of Ella Bailey's picture book exploration of the daily lives of baby animals, we head to the ice shelf to meet a young penguin chick. What does she and her family eat? How many brothers and sisters does she have? What do they do for fun?

FINDING WINNIE

By Lindsay Mattick
J FICTION PICTURE MATTICK



A woman tells her young son the true story of how his great-great-grandfather, Captain Harry Colebourn, rescued a bear cub in 1914 as he was on his way to take care of soldiers' horses during World War I, and how the bear became the inspiration for A.A. Milne's Winnie-the-Pooh.



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NATURE'S DAY

By Kay Maguire
J508 M



This first book of nature helps young readers to discover the world of wildlife on their doorstep. Beginning in spring, this book revisits nine different places, including the farm, the back yard, and the woods, during each of the four seasons and explores the changing scenery and animal life found there.

FULL SPEED AHEAD!: HOW FAST THINGS GO

By Cruschiform
J531.1 C



Animals and objects are grouped together by their speed, from slowest to fastest, including such things as elephants, hares, tanks, biplanes, and tennis balls.

DINOSAURS!?

By Lila Prap
J567.9 P



Chickens consider the possibility that their ancestors were dinosaurs.

A TOWER OF GIRAFFES: ANIMALS IN GROUPS

By Anna Wright
J590.14 W



Provides the group names for a variety of animals, including a parcel of penguins, a troop of monkeys, and a romp of otters.

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MOST AMAZING CREATURE IN THE SEA

By Brenda Guiberson

J591.77 G

Fascinating facts and spectacular illustrations will inspire young readers to choose their own favorite sea creatures.



TRAVELING BUTTERFLIES

By Susumu Shingū

J595.78 S

How do monarchs manage to fly some 2,500 miles from Canada and the northern United States south to Mexico? How do they trace a route they've never flown and reach the same destination their ancestors once found?



NEIGHBORHOOD SHARKS

By Katherine Roy

J597.3 R

An up close look at the ocean's most fearsome and famous predator and the scientists who study them--just twenty-six miles from the Golden Gate Bridge.



A FRIEND FOR LAKOTA

By Jim Dutcher

J599.773 D

The sweet tale of Lakota, the shy wolf pup, is sure to touch the heart of any animal lover. Readers will marvel at Lakota's strength growing up as the lowest-ranking and frequently picked-on member of a wolf pack until he finally finds that supportive and nurturing friend he's always wanted.



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IVAN: THE REMARKABLE TRUE STORY OF THE SHOPPING MALL GORILLA

By Katherine Applegate

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The true story of Ivan, known as the Shopping Mall Gorilla, who lived alone in a small cage for almost 30 years before being relocated to the gorilla habitat at ZooAtlanta.



OUT OF THE WOODS : A TRUE STORY OF AN UNFORGETTABLE EVENT

By Rebecca Bond

J971.3 B

Inspired by the author's grandfather's experiences living in a lodge in the woods, a story of how people and animals survive a forest fire in a small Canadian town.



FREEDOM IN CONGO SQUARE

By Carole Boston Weatherford

J976.3 W

As slaves relentlessly toiled in 19th century Louisiana, they all counted down the days until Sunday, when they were able to congregate in Congo Square in New Orleans where they could sing, dance, and play music. They were free to forget their cares, their struggles, and their oppression. This story chronicles slaves' duties, from chopping logs to baking bread to plucking hens on Saturday, and builds to the freedom of Sundays and the special experience of an afternoon spent in Congo Square.



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CLOTH LULLABY : THE WOVEN LIFE OF LOUISE BOURGEOIS

By Amy Novesky

JB BOURGEOIS

A beautifully nuanced and poetic story, Cloth Lullaby stunningly captures the life of Louise Bourgeois and tells the story of a relationship between a mother and daughter, the birth of an artist, and how memory is stitched into us all.



MISS MARY REPORTING : THE TRUE STORY OF SPORTSWRITER MARY GARBER

By Sue Macy

JB GARBER

Examines the career of Mary Garber, who was a sportswriter for fifty-six years and was the first woman to receive the Associated Press Sports Editors Red Smith Award, presented for major contributions in sports journalism.



EARMUFFS FOR EVERYONE

By Meghan McCarthy

JB GREENWOOD

This picture-book biography of Chester Greenwood explores the invention of the earmuffs and the patenting process.



DOROTHEA'S EYES : DOROTHEA LANGE PHOTOGRAPHS THE TRUTH

By Barb Rosenstock

JB LANGE

In this powerful and inspiring book, Barb Rosenstock and Gérard DuBois reveal the story of Dorothea Lange's remarkable life and illuminate how her photographs continue to tell the world the truth.



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