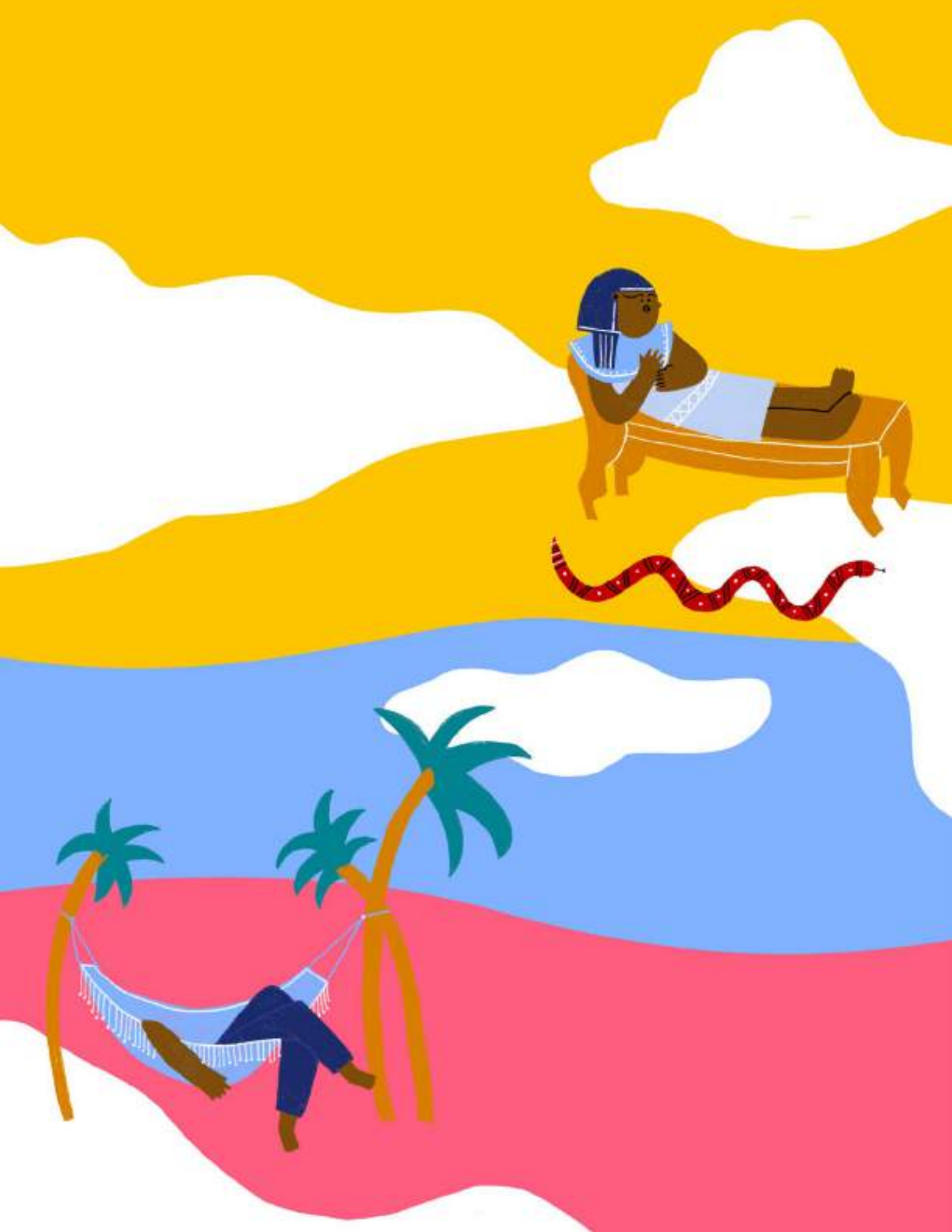




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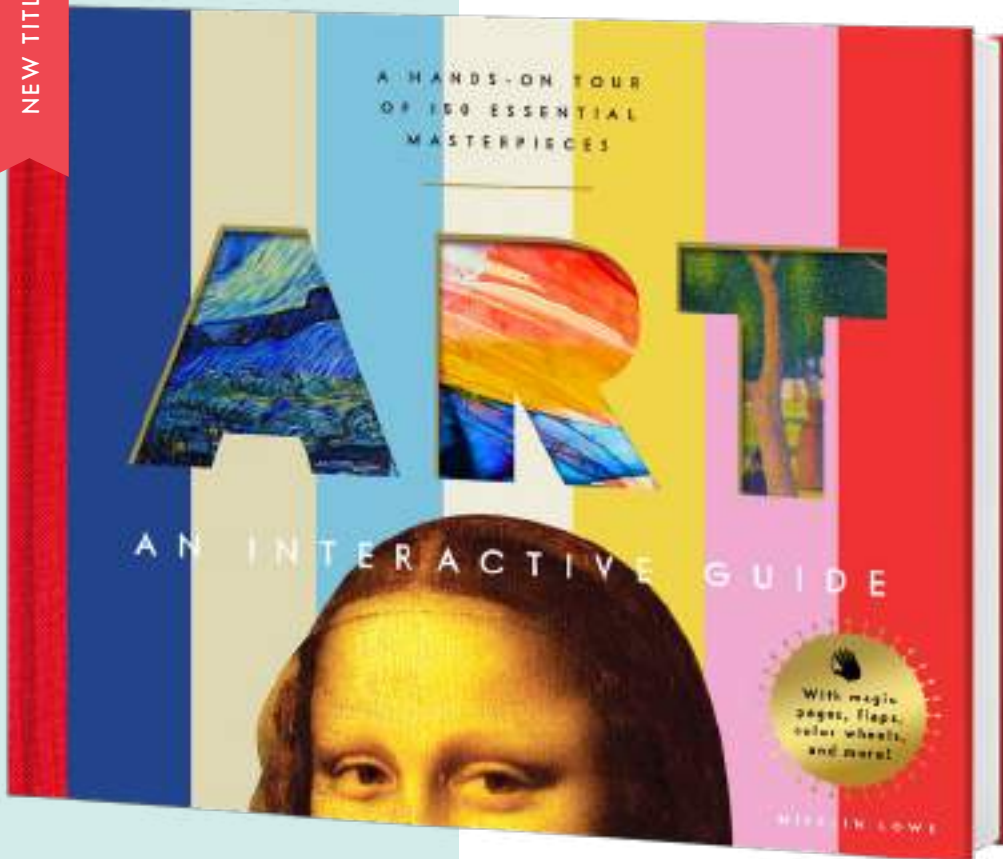
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KEY POINTS

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ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Bestselling author, singer, songwriter, and musician Mifflin Lowe has had nine books published, selling over 300,000 copies in six languages. His books include a children's poetry book, *Beasts By The Bunches* (Doubleday), and three humor books for adults: *The Cheapskate's Handbook*, *I Hate Fun*, and *How To Be A Celebrity* (Price/Stern/Sloan.)

Art: An Interactive Guide

A HANDS-ON TOUR OF 150 ESSENTIAL MASTERPIECES: WITH MAGIC PAGES, FLAPS, COLOR WHEELS, AND MORE!

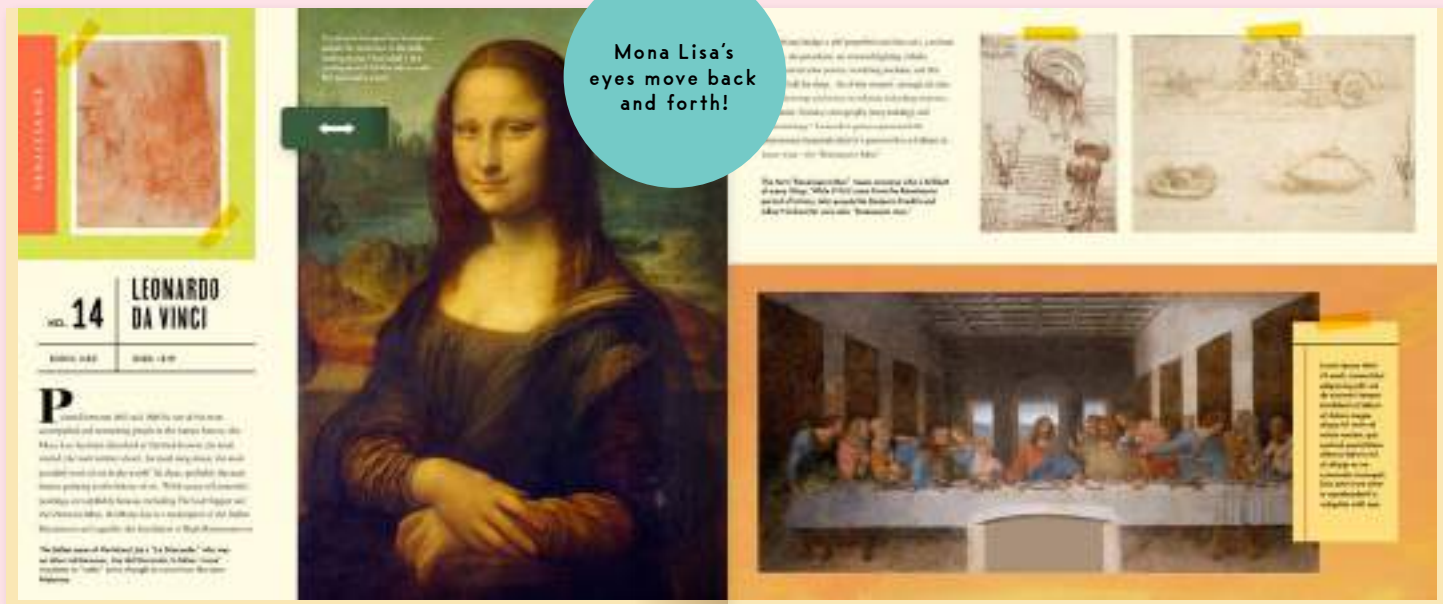
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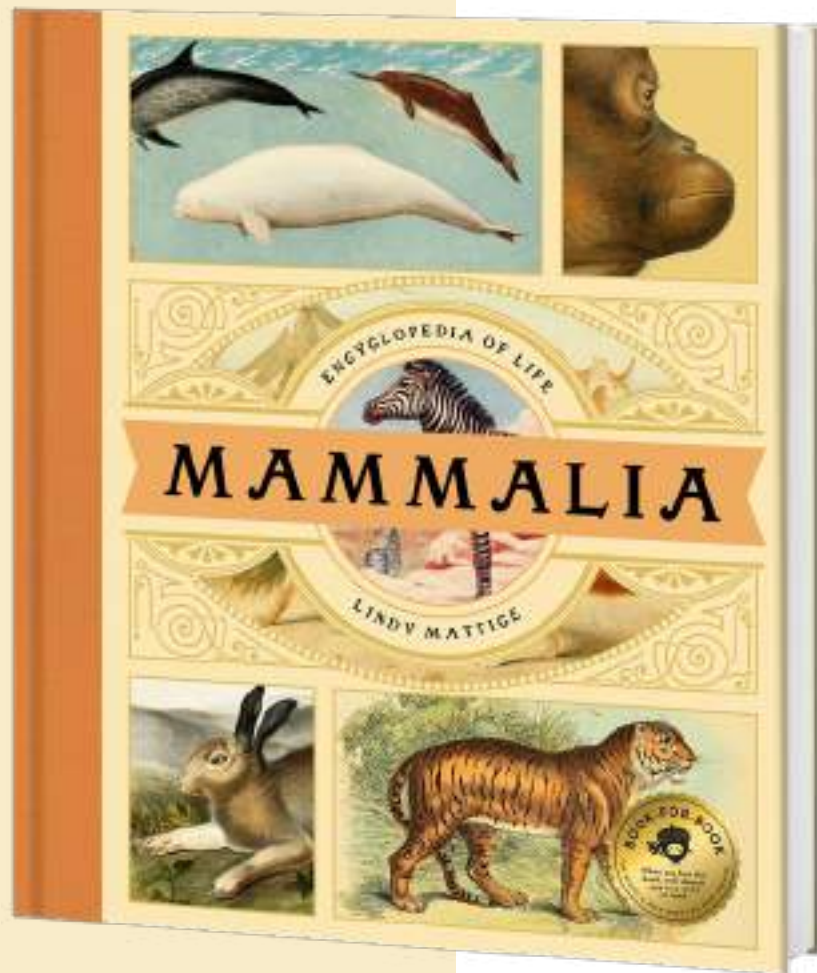
In museums, we're often told "look with your eyes" at famous paintings adorning the walls. But what if a child could follow their impulse, reach out, and touch a masterpiece! This thrilling, interactive book allows kids of all ages to go beyond the world of sight, exploring art like never before— interacting with Mona Lisa, Van Gogh and other artists with lift flaps, folding booklets, secret pockets and other hidden treasures! Come along on this 3-D journey and discover the secrets of the masters, the paintings, the techniques, and why these works of art are still studied, revered and cherished to this day.

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SAMPLE SPREAD





Mammalia Sample

AN ILLUSTRATED GUIDE TO MAMMALS

Lindy Mattice

Take a breathtaking journey through the fascinating world of mammals! Breathtaking art, expansive facts, and stunning visuals deliver a one-of-a-kind encyclopedia of over 100 species and the taxonomic classes, orders, and families that they call home. Exterior cover includes gorgeous embossing and varnished details.

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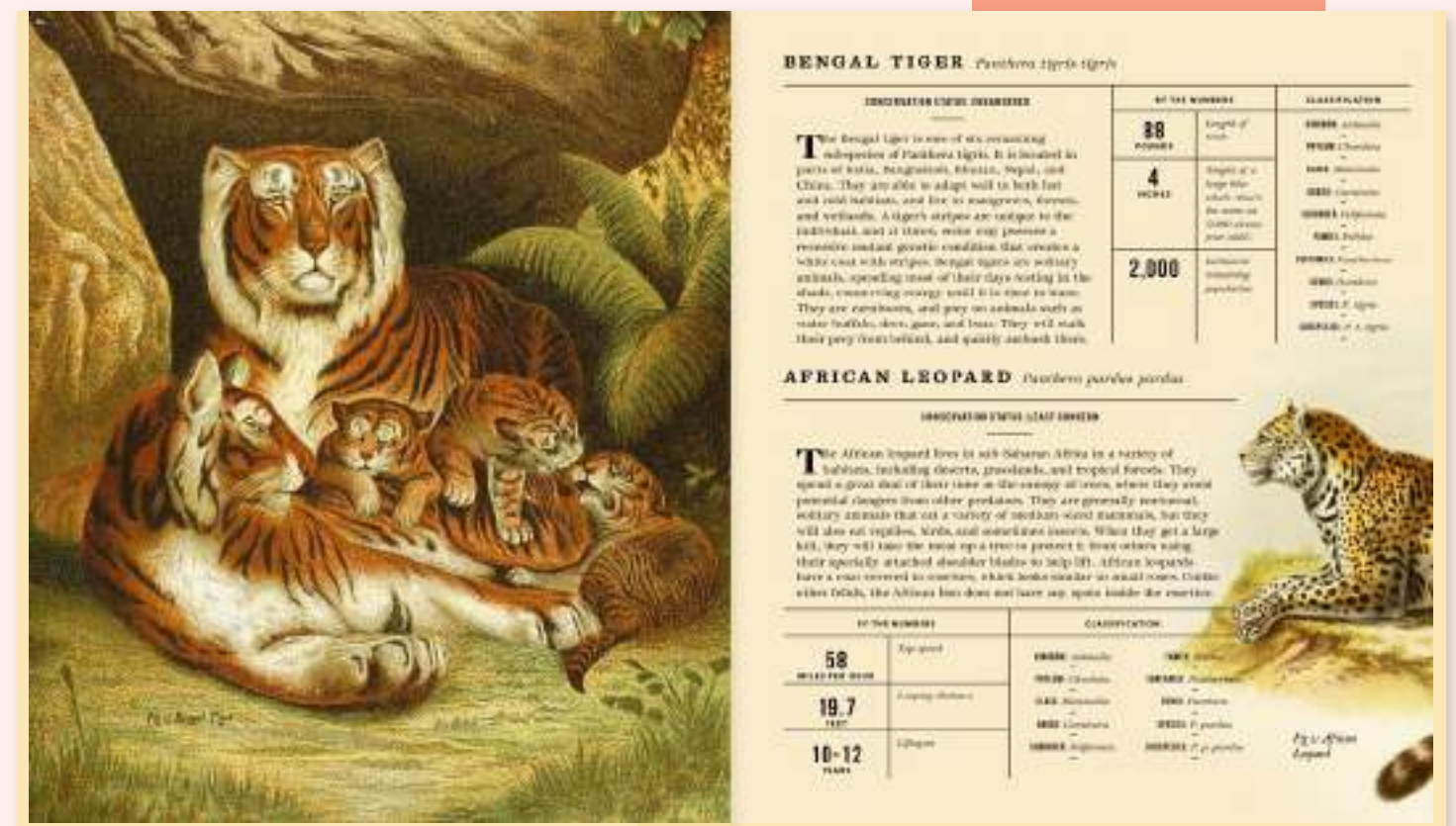
KEY POINTS

- A stunning guide to mammal life
- Gorgeous, vintage illustrations plus handy facts, illustrated charts, and more!
- Features over 100 species

ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Lindy has always had a deep love for animals. When she was just seven years old, her family joined a wildlife rehabilitation organization where Lindy spent countless hours caring for young, orphaned animals who were eventually released back into the wild. She also worked with a local group as a pet detective helping train dogs to search for lost pets. She was a member of the FFA (Future Farmers of America) organization where she competed on the horse judging team and showed sheep. Lindy received her Bachelor of Science Degree in Agriculture Science from Cal Poly. She currently resides in Bakersfield, California, with her husband and three children. She loves their family's two dogs and cat and her weekly horseback riding lessons.

SAMPLE SPREAD



BENGAL TIGER *Panthera tigris tigris*

DESCRIPTION OF THE SPECIES

The Bengal tiger lives in one of six remaining subpopulations of *Panthera tigris*. It is located in parts of India, Bangladesh, China, Nepal, and China. They are able to adapt well to both hot and cold habitats, and live in mangroves, forests, and wetlands. A tiger's stripes are unique to the individual, and it often, when only possessing a remnant of its genetic condition, that creates a white coat with stripes. Bengal tigers are solitary animals, spending most of their days resting in the shade, emerging every night to hunt for food. They are carnivorous, and prey on animals such as water buffalo, deer, gazel, and boar. They will stalk their prey from behind, and quietly ambush them.

BY THE NUMBERS		CLASSIFICATION
38	Length of body	
4	Height of a large tiger (adult males) (at the shoulder) (in meters)	
2,000	Estimated remaining population	

AFRICAN LEOPARD *Panthera pardus pardus*

DESCRIPTION OF THE SPECIES

The African leopard lives in sub-Saharan Africa in a variety of habitats, including deserts, grasslands, and tropical forests. They spend a great deal of their time on the canopy of trees, where they avoid potential dangers from other predators. They are generally territorial, solitary animals that eat a variety of medium-sized mammals, but they will also eat reptiles, birds, and small fish. When they get a large kill, they will use the meat up to a tree to prevent it from others using their specially attached shoulder blades to help lift. African leopards have a coat covered in rosettes, which looks similar to small roses. Unlike other felids, the African leopard does not have any spots inside the mouth.

BY THE NUMBERS		CLASSIFICATION	
58	Top speed	KINGDOM: Animalia	PHYLUM: Chordata
19.7	Length of body	CLASS: Mammalia	ORDER: Carnivora
10-12	Lifespan	ORDER: Carnivora	FAMILY: Felidae
		GENUS: <i>Panthera</i>	SPECIES: <i>pardus</i>

BLUE WHALE *Balaenoptera musculus*

The blue whale is the largest whale of all. In fact, it's one of the biggest animals ever—over bigger than dinosaurs! (You could fit ten T-Rexes in a whale, and they still wouldn't weigh as much as a single blue whale.) Blue whales feed almost exclusively on krill. These are shrimp-like organisms (see page 95). Blue spend their summers in icy polar waters grazing on krill, then migrate thousands of miles to warm waters for winter. Interestingly, the largest blue whale is an endangered species.

BY THE NUMBERS		CLASSIFICATION
10,000	Number of species of the whale (as of 2023)	
200	Height of a large blue whale (adult) (in meters)	
1,000	Blue whale can hear sounds a mile away	

Fig. 1. Blue whale

Fig. 2. Blue whale

Fig. 3. Blue whale

HUMPBACK WHALE *Megaptera americana*

The humpback whale is one of nature's great performers. Breaching, thrashing, and flapping are just some of the acts of the program. Breaching is when a whale slams out of the water and slams down with a crash and a splash. Flapping and flapping are some leaping and splashing, only using the tail flippers, not the body, or a flipper. After breaching a humpback, you can see its eyes and blowholes. When the water splashes back onto the whale's face, it looks like a splash of water which we can see. This is her whale spout. It's just like seeing your friend's head in a cold winter day. That's the whale, breaching!

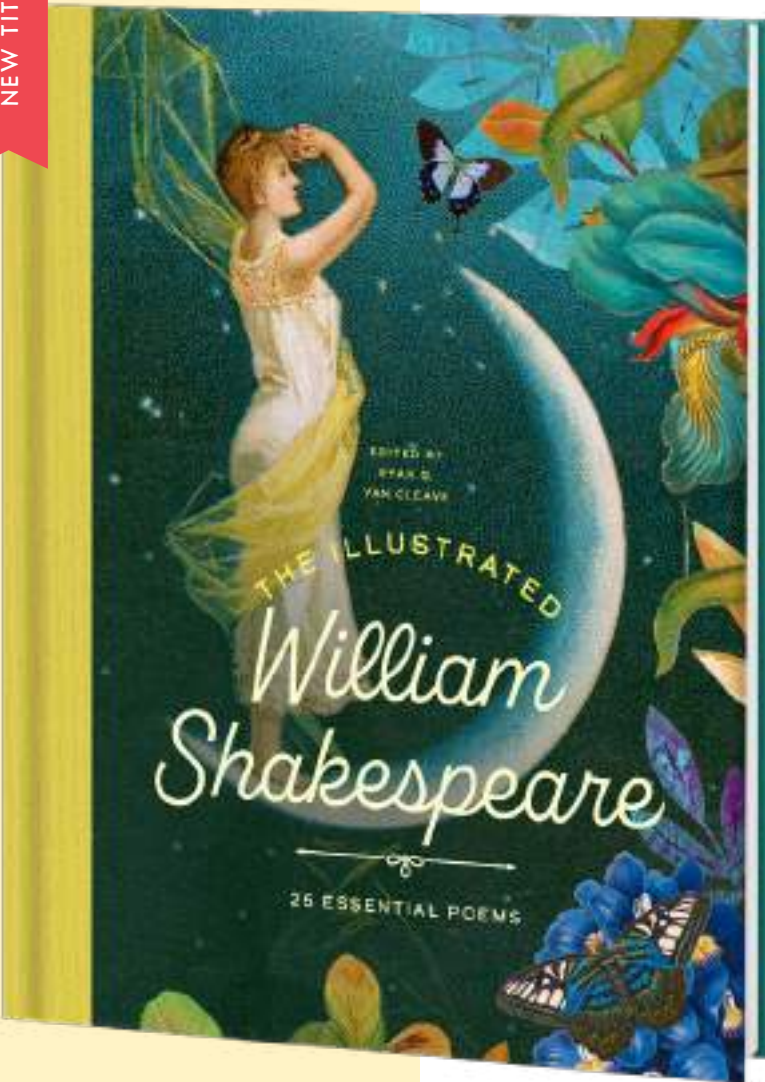
BY THE NUMBERS		CLASSIFICATION
10	Height of a humpback whale (in feet)	
15	Length of a humpback whale (in feet)	
1970	Year of the first humpback whale (in feet)	

Fig. 1. Humpback whale

Fig. 2. Humpback whale

Fig. 3. Humpback whale

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ABOUT THE AUTHOR

With over 1,000 published works and a PhD in poetry, Ryan VanCleave is the director of the creative writing program at the prestigious Ringling College of Art and Design.

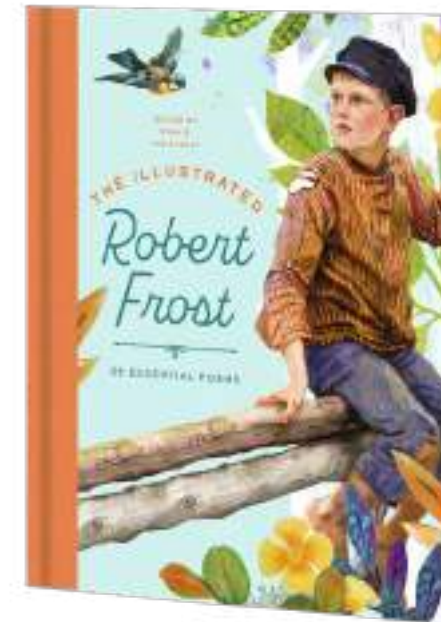
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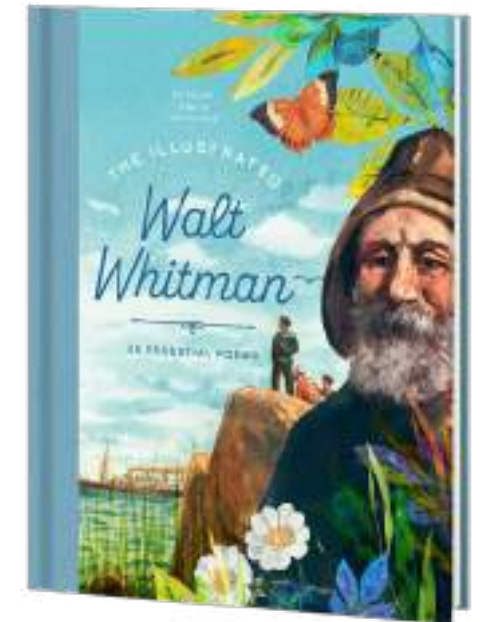
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Includes definitions and critical thinking questions

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A gorgeous introduction to the world's greatest poets.



Birds: An Alphabet

Ryan G. Van Cleave

Featuring hundreds of gorgeous vintage prints and explosive collages, B Is for Birds is a journey through the wild, the whimsical, and the sublime in full-color splendor. Take to the skies and discover the hundreds of birds that share our home.

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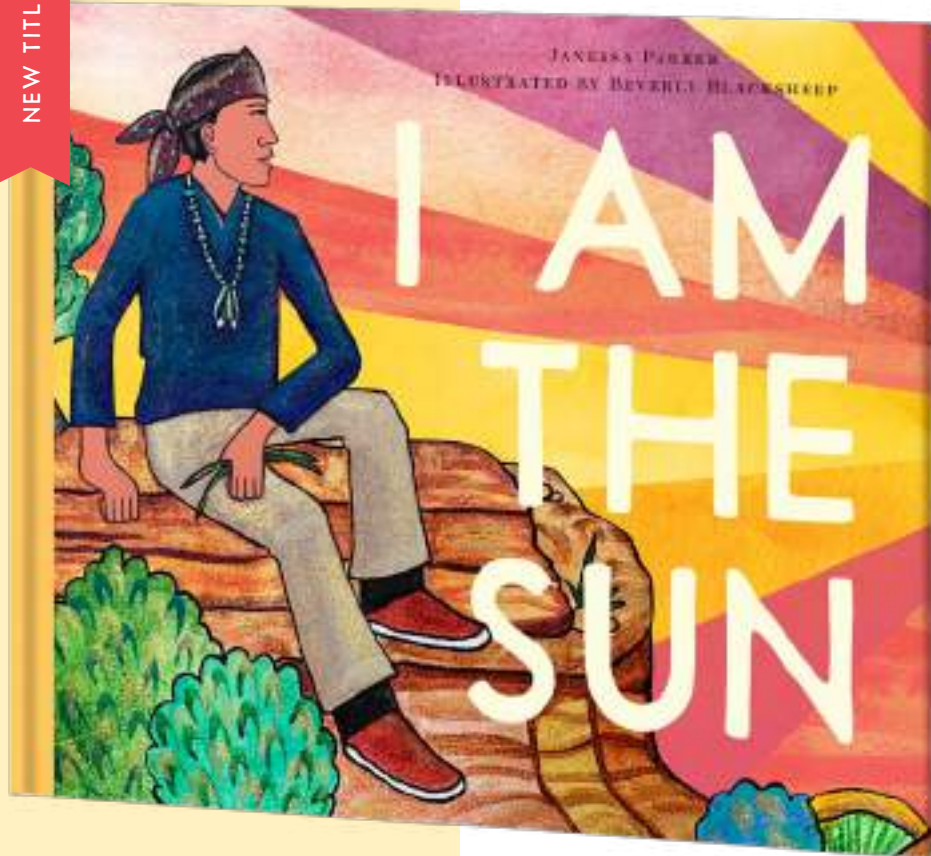
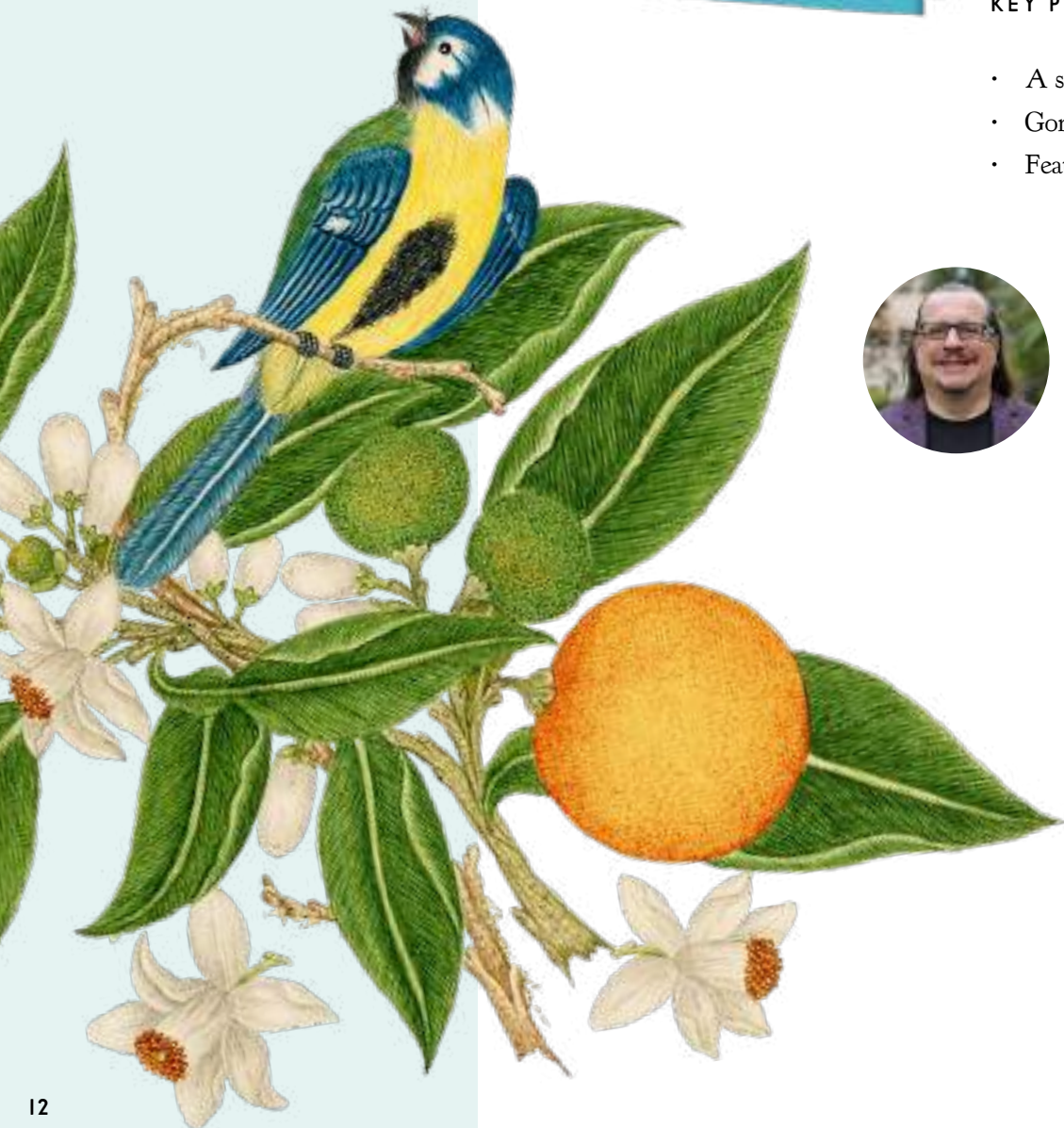
- A stunning guide to birds
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- Features over 250 species



ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Ryan G. Van Cleave wrote his first poem at age five, and he's been writing, reading, and loving poetry ever since. He earned a Ph.D. in American Literature with an emphasis in poetry and has taught at numerous colleges and universities. Currently, he runs the creative writing major at Ringling College of Art and Design. As The Picture Book Whisperer, he helps celebrities and high-profile clients write picture books and kidlit projects.

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I Am the Sun

Janessa Parker, Illustrated by Beverly Blacksheep

In this moving tale about modern-day life for many Native Americans, breathtaking art and poignant prose tell of the hardships, the triumphs, and the resilience of a mighty people: the Diné (the Navajo). Written by Janessa Parker, whose Navajo father grew up on the reservation, and illustrated by Navajo illustrator Beverly Blacksheep, I Am the Sun is a groundbreaking book to bring about understanding and harmony between all people.

KEY POINTS

- By Navajo author Janessa Parker and Navajo illustrator Beverly Blacksheep

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A groundbreaking book on modern-day Native American life



ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Janessa Parker graduated from The University of Utah, with a BS in Speech Communications. The inspiration for I am the Sun came from a deep desire to connect with her Diné (Navajo) culture and shine a light on her late father's life. She resides in Salt Lake City, Utah and is the mother of three and loves to storytell through her photography. I am the Sun is her first children's book.



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KEY POINTS

- An interactive STEM board book series!
- Future titles include *Anatomy*, *Volcano*, *Cell*, *Engineering*, and more!

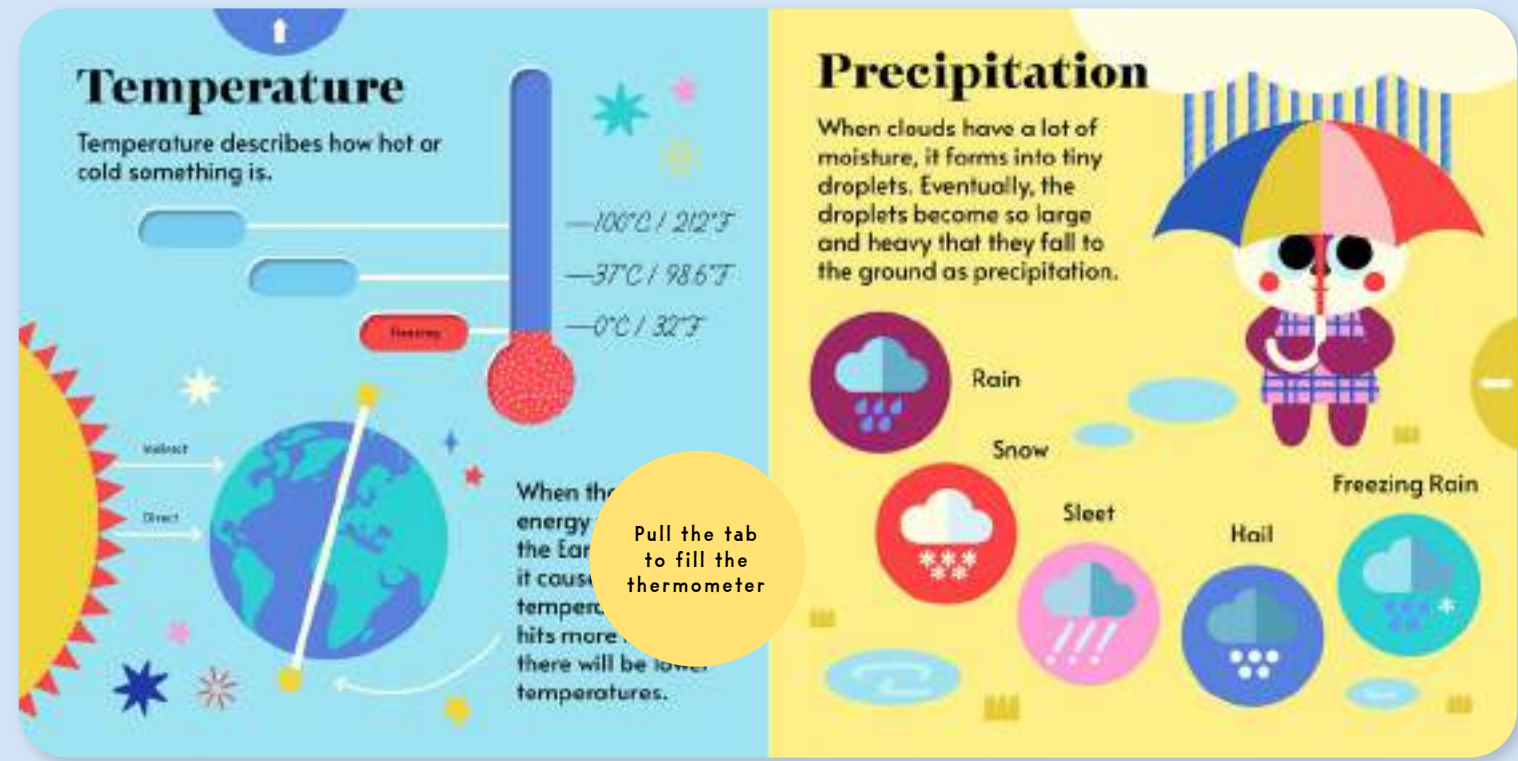


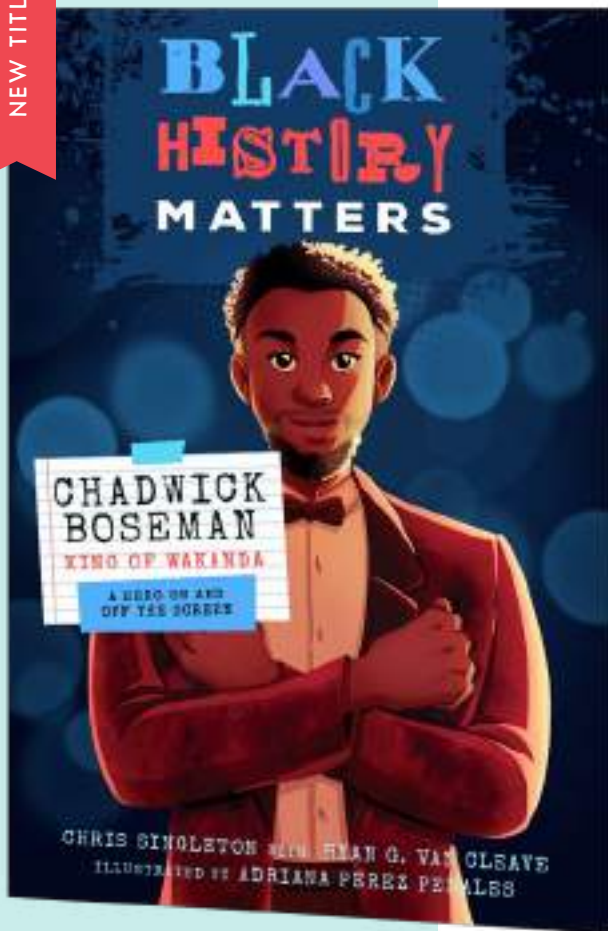
ABOUT THE AUTHOR

David is an award-winning and bestselling author and illustrator of over 40 books, including *Book*, *The Interactive Constitution*, *Allegro*, *Unicorn and Horse*, and other titles. He has worked as a designer, illustrator, and creative director, and he now runs *Bushel & Peck Books* with his wife, Stephanie. He's been named a *CYBILS* Award Finalist, *Publishers Weekly* Star Watch Nominee, *Trvst* Changemaker, *New York Book Show* Award Winner, and *Bill Fisher* Award Finalist, among other accolades. He lives in Fresno, California, with his family.



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Black History Matters

Chris Singleton, Ryan G. Van Cleave, Illustrated by Adriana Pérez Perales

Black History Matters shares the lives and inspirations of black men and women who changed the world, yesterday, today, and for tomorrow.

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CHADWICK BOSEMAN: KING OF WAKANDA

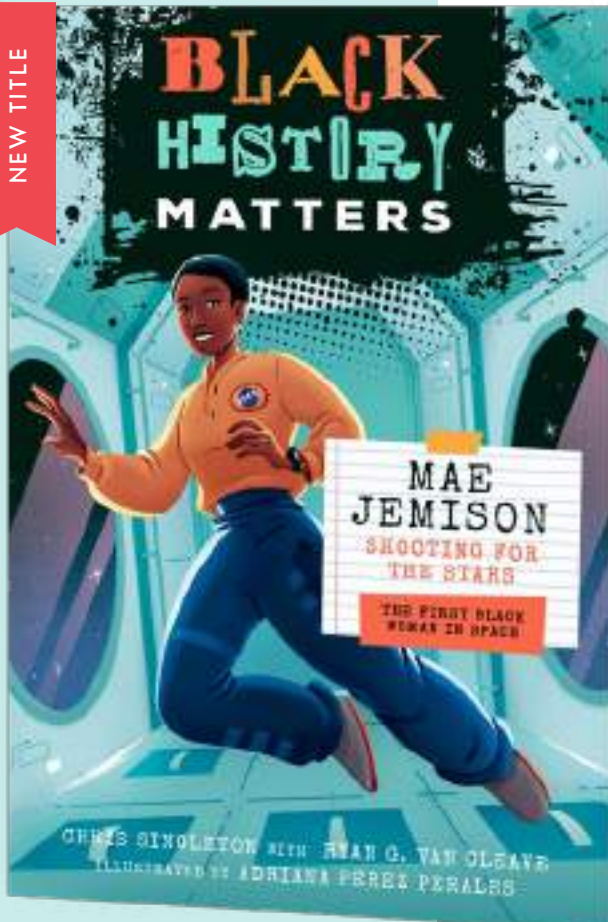
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From Howard University to the red carpet at the Academy Awards, from James Brown to the Black Panther, Chadwick Boseman was a talented and multi-award winning actor and performer. Prior to his death to colon cancer in 2020, Boseman's rise to fame might have seemed overnight to some, but decades of hard work and dedication to his craft brought him to the highest levels an actor can achieve.

MAE JEMISON: SHOOTING FOR THE STARS

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From Stanford and Cornell to the Peace Corps and from a trip on the space shuttle to an appearance on Start Trek, Mae Jemison's life continues to feature the hard work and dedication to science, healthcare, and care for others that brought her to the highest levels of a career in science.



THE BATTLE OF GETTYSBURG

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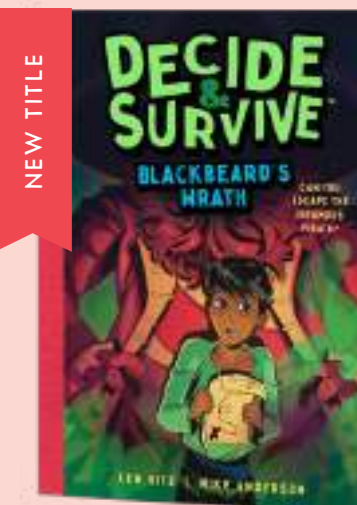
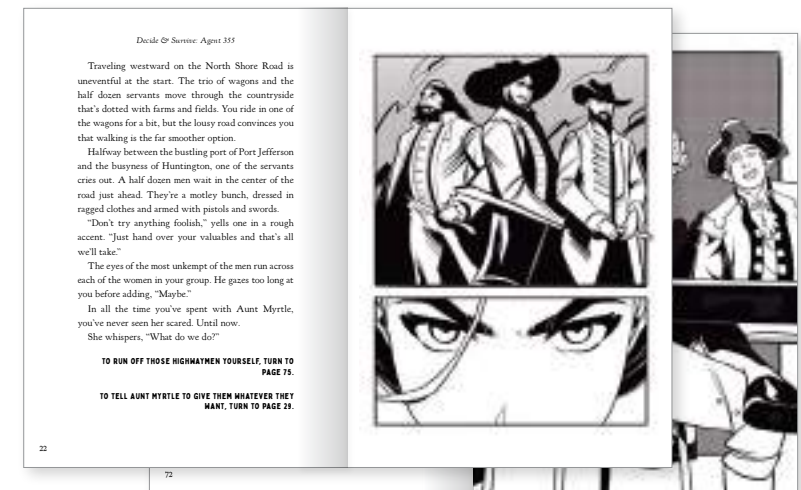
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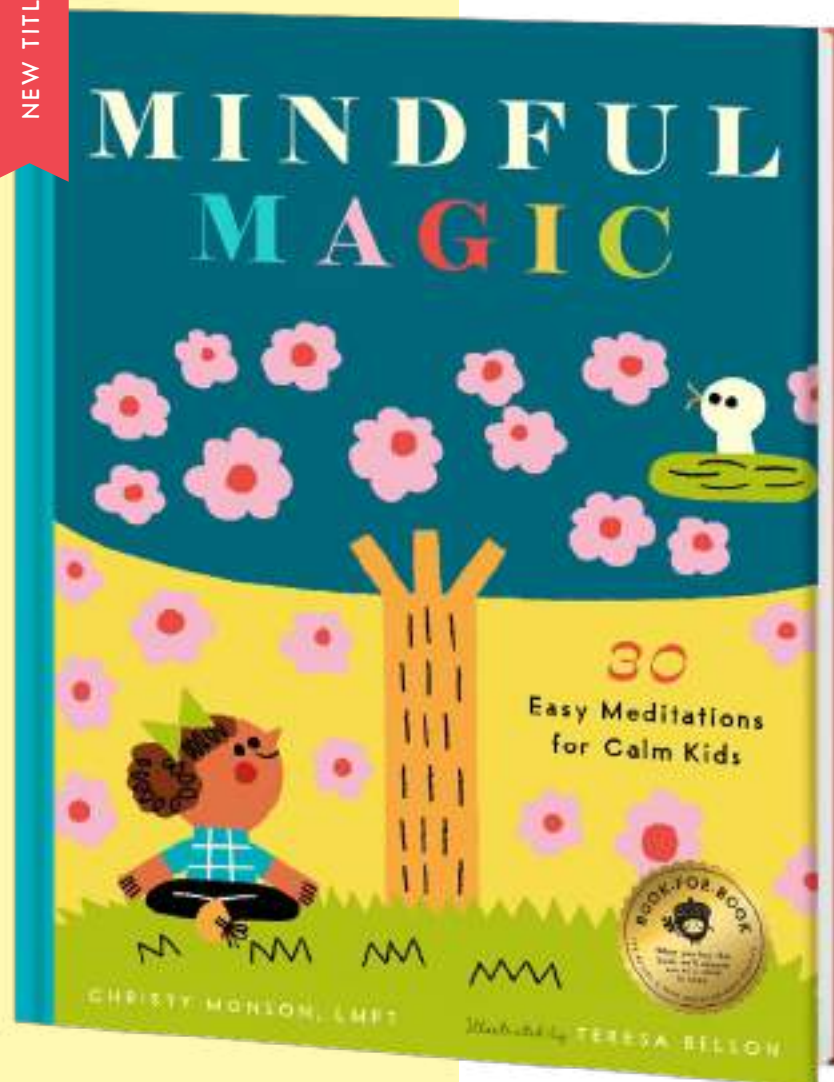
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KEY POINTS

- Includes 30 guided meditations to help kids breathe, relax, and connect with the present moment
- Meditation topics range from nature to color, art, and even relationships
- By a retired marriage and family therapist

Mindful Magic

Christy Monson, LMFT, Illustrated by Teresa Bellon

In *Mindful Magic*, parents, caregivers, and teachers will find thirty simple meditations that kids can use to feel more calm, more loved, more grateful, and more at peace. Written by therapist Christy Monson, each meditation takes only a few minutes and includes deep breathing, relaxation, and positive affirmations.

ABOUT THE AUTHOR

As a marriage and family therapist, Christy Monson spent years helping clients heal and reframe their lives in Las Vegas and Salt Lake City. She received her B.A degree from Utah State University and a M.S. from University of Nevada at Las Vegas. The mother of six children and the grandmother to many grandchildren, Christy is now retired and lives in Northern Utah. She is the author of several books including *Love, Hugs, and Hope: When Scary Things Happen (Familius)*, *Family Talk (Familius)*, and *Becoming Free (Familius)*.



Blow a Feather

Imagine cradling a soft downy feather in your hand. Hold it carefully between your thumb and finger. Take a deep breath in and breathe out gently. Blow out lightly enough just to wave the plumes. Make the plumes wiggle, but don't blow the feather away. Take a deep breath in and breathe out gently.

Apple Blossom Snow

You are sitting under an apple tree with blossoms falling all around you. The petals of each blossom are white with pink edges. Notice the yellow stamens in the middle. The petals float to the ground like snow. Take a deep breath in and breathe out gently. Scoop up the blossoms near you and let them flutter to the ground. You're making magical springtime snow. Take a deep breath in and breathe out gently.

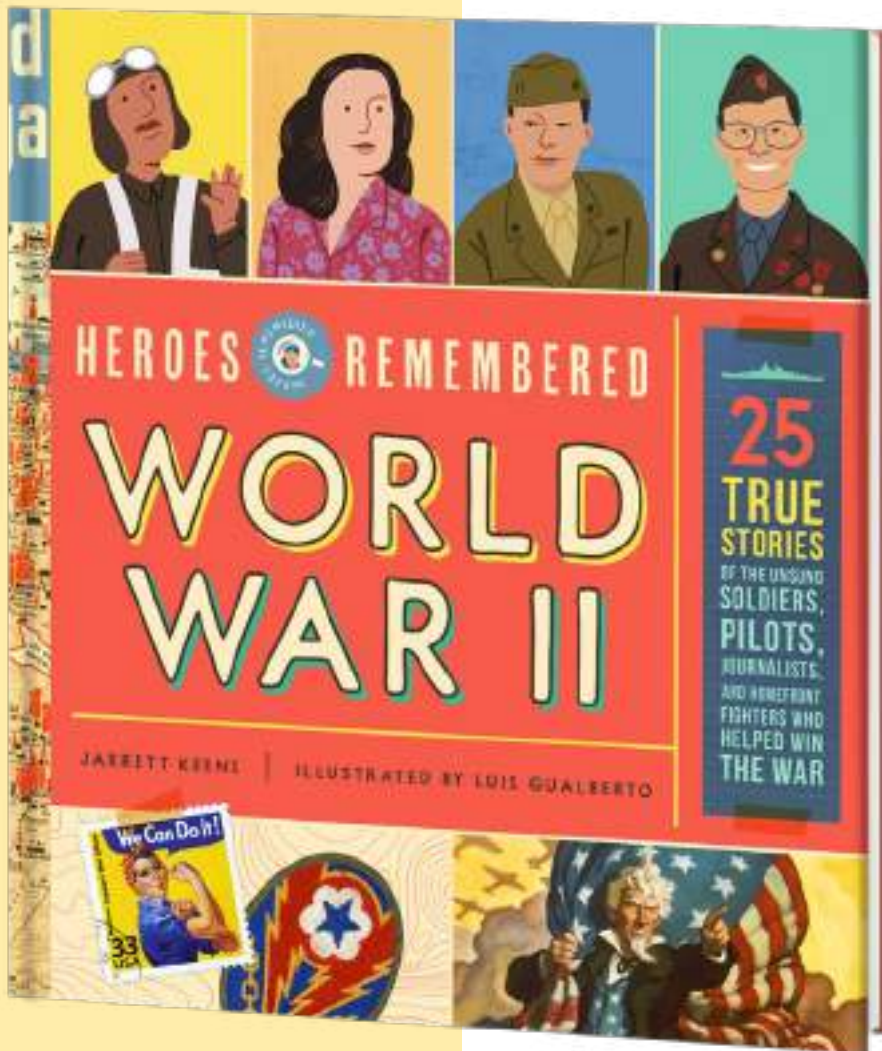


Flower Power

Wrap yourself in fields of lavender. Smell the flowers as you breathe in through your nose and out through your mouth. The soft fragrance fills your nose. Take a deep breath in and breathe out gently. Feel the scent travel through your entire body. Lavender relaxes and calms. Take a deep breath in and breathe out gently.

Watching the Waves

Imagine the ocean waves lapping the shore. Watch the water rush in and out. Take a deep breath in and breathe out gently. Swell the ocean. Feel the mist in the air. Wiggle your toes in the soft mushy sand. Listen to the rustling water. Watch the white foam on each wave fizzie away. Take a deep breath in and breathe out gently.



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KEY POINTS

- Includes 25 true stories of unsung heroes from World War II from multiple countries
- Full-color illustrations and tons of sidebars and fun facts

Heroes of World War II

Jarret Keene, Illustrated by Ricardo Gualberto

They've been called the Greatest Generation, and now their stories are being passed on to kids in Heroes Remembered: The Heroes of World War II. From soldiers to pilots, nurses to factory workers, moms and dads to brothers and sisters, the stories in Heroes of World War II are timeless examples of courage, sacrifice, and selflessness in the face of an unprecedented world conflict. Kids will meet Martha Gellhorn, one of the first female war journalists on the frontline; Rosalind P. Walter, the real-life inspiration for "Rosie the Riveter"; Guy Stern, one of the original "Ritchie Boys" who worked to gather intelligence on the front lines; Corporal Ira Hayes, Akimel O'dham Native American who was one of the six Marines to raise the flag on Iwo Jima; plus Navajo code talkers, Tuskegee airmen, and many, many more.

ABOUT THE AUTHOR



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WITH PRIDE

Viollette Szabo didn't even make it to a WW2 book and she was a 1988 British film called *Code Name: White Tiger*. In 1941, she was posthumously awarded the George Cross for bravery. The medal was given to her daughter, who was just four at the time.

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VIOLETTE SZABO

BORN: 1921, PARIS, FRANCE
DIED: 1959, KATZENBRÜCK, GERMANY

Spy Extraordinaire

There wasn't a braver, more beautiful agent of espionage than Violette Szabo. Four years before she died at age 24 in a concentration camp, she was a young perfume girl in London. It was at a Bastille Day parade that Violette met dashing Etienne Szabo, an officer in the French Foreign Legion. They fell madly in love and married. But Etienne was soon dispatched to North Africa to fight the notorious Panzer tanks commanded by German General Rommel in the sands of Egypt. Violette's husband was killed in action, posthumously receiving the Croix de Guerre, the highest French military award for bravery. He never saw his daughter, born to Violette in London in the weeks before his death.

Heartbroken by her loss, Violette worked in an aircraft factory. She happened to meet a recruiter from British Special Operations. He discerned that she was ideal spy material: a French-speaking, and raised by a family comfortable around guns. She signed up for spy training and became an expert markswoman. Her parents would care for her daughter when she was in the field.

In 1944, after parachute and cryptography training, Violette was sent into France. Her mission: sabotage German weapons factories. She was successful and excited to be making a difference. She was again parachuted into France, this time just after D-Day to disrupt enemy communications. Paired with another spy, she encountered a roadblock and was forced to flee on foot. She recharged her rifle, providing a distraction so that her partner could escape.

Captured by Nazis, Violette was imprisoned at Ravensbrück, a women's concentration camp, where many died. Violette was one of 40,000 victims, a hero to the end.

They've been called the Greatest Generation, and now their stories are being passed on.

DUDDY

A duddy is an aerial fight between aircraft of close range. Duddying was a big part of every war until the early 1970s, when high-tech radar made conventional combat maneuvering obsolete. Above: Soldiers watch the 1944 dogfight during the Battle of the Philippine Sea.

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JOE FOSS

BORN: 1916, SIOUX FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA
DIED: 2003, SCOTTSDALE, ARIZONA

Ace of Aces

He aspired to be a fighter pilot, but he was 27 years old—an old man in air-combat years. So Joe learned to be an aerial photographer. Still, he never completely gave up on his dream. Finally his request to join a fighter-pilot qualification program was honored. He was assigned to a training squadron to fly the Grumman F4F Wildcat. After spending 50 hours in the air, he joined a Marine fighter squadron. He entered the Pacific theater in October 1942 and fought in the Battle of Guadalcanal.

He shot down a Japanese Zero on his very first mission. However, his Wildcat took damage. He was forced to crash-land into a grove of palm trees. But his reputation was established: He had a knack for close-up, aggressive gunnery skills. In the months that followed, he shot down 26 enemy fighters. Joe was named the first "Ace of Aces" of WWII and is listed as being among the best fighter pilots of the 20th century. He earned the Congressional Medal of Honor for his aerial victories.

When the war ended, Joe was appointed a lieutenant colonel in the South Dakota Air National Guard. When the Korean War kicked off, Joe was promoted from colonel to the rank of brigadier general. He was elected the youngest governor (at age 39) of South Dakota in 1955. He went on to serve as the first commissioner of the American Football League, and as the president of the National Rifle Association.

SAMPLE SPREAD



The Good Guys Agency Series PDF

Nick Esposito, Illustrated by Ricardo Tokumoto

Boys need better role models, and in The Good Guys Agency series, friends Lucky, Rudy, and Red take matters into their own hands! Time travel adventures, historic heroes, comic book panels, laughs, jokes, and more deliver a winning combination of fun, education, and values to inspire a new generation of honorable men. Perfect for fans of *Captain Underpants* and *Dog Man*!

RIGHTS SOLD: All languages available

KEY POINTS

- An exciting new series to inspire a new generation of good men!
- Each book is based on a different hero and virtue
- With humor, comic-book pages, and more, it's perfect for fans of *Captain Underpants* and *Dog Man*

THINK LIKE KATHERINE JOHNSON

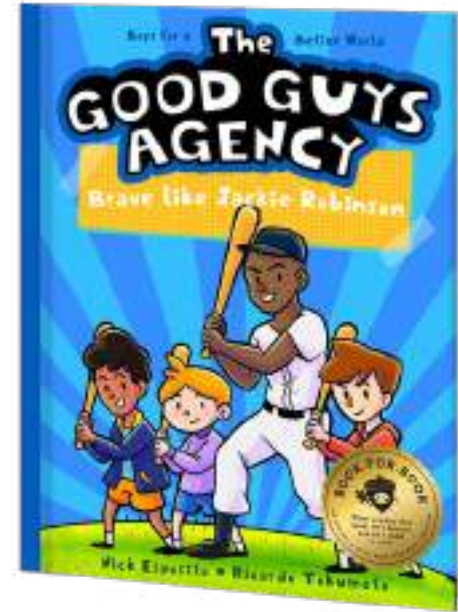
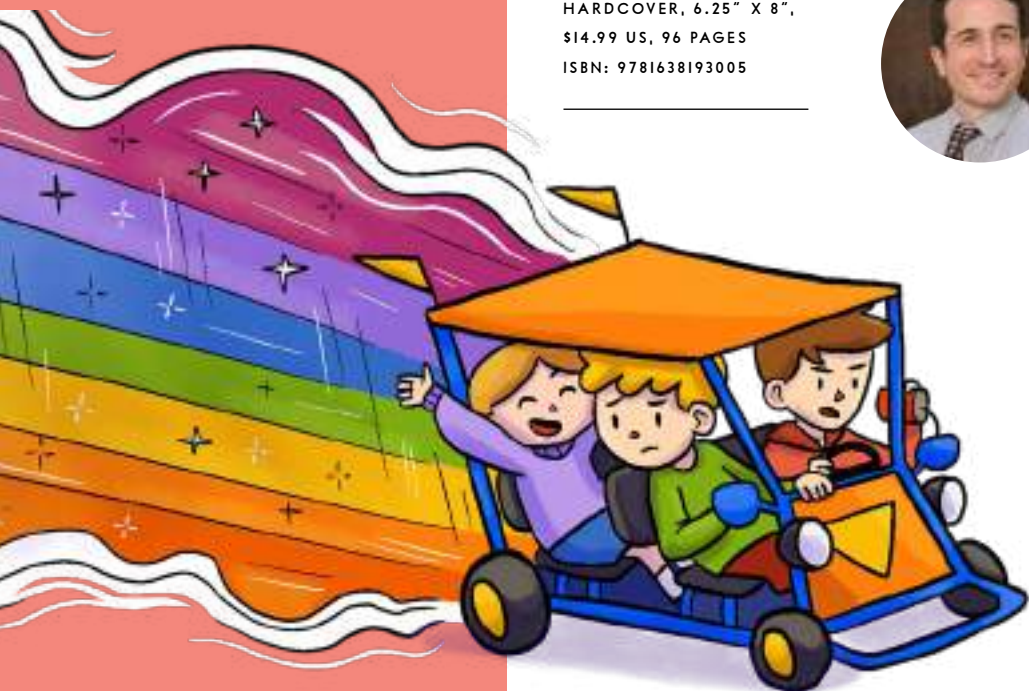
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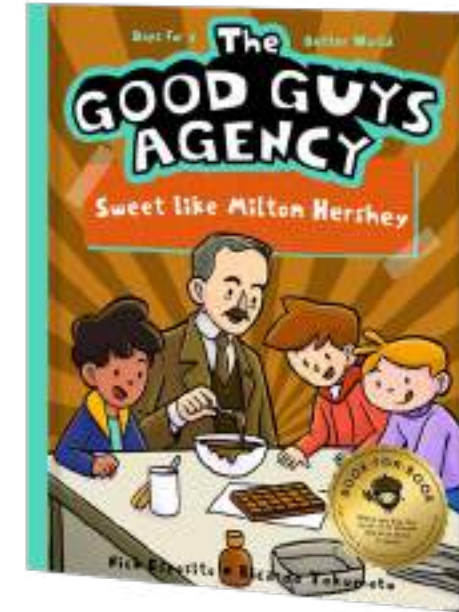
Nick Esposito is an award-winning teacher and education consultant with a passion for bringing best practices of service learning into the classroom. Nick has travelled around the world serving with different organizations for different cultures and peoples. Nick has degrees from Villanova University (Journalism, Sociology, Peace & Justice), Johns Hopkins (Masters in Urban Education) and the University of Pennsylvania (Masters in Education Entrepreneurship). Nick is the ecstatic husband of the love of his life and 'Habitat Crush', Cynthia.

For a better world, these boys take matters into their own hands.



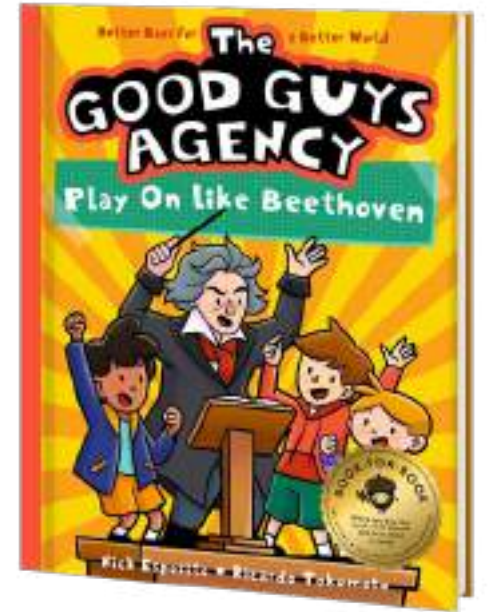
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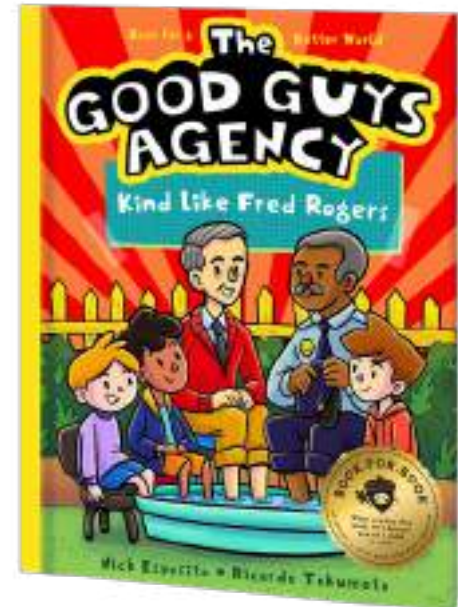
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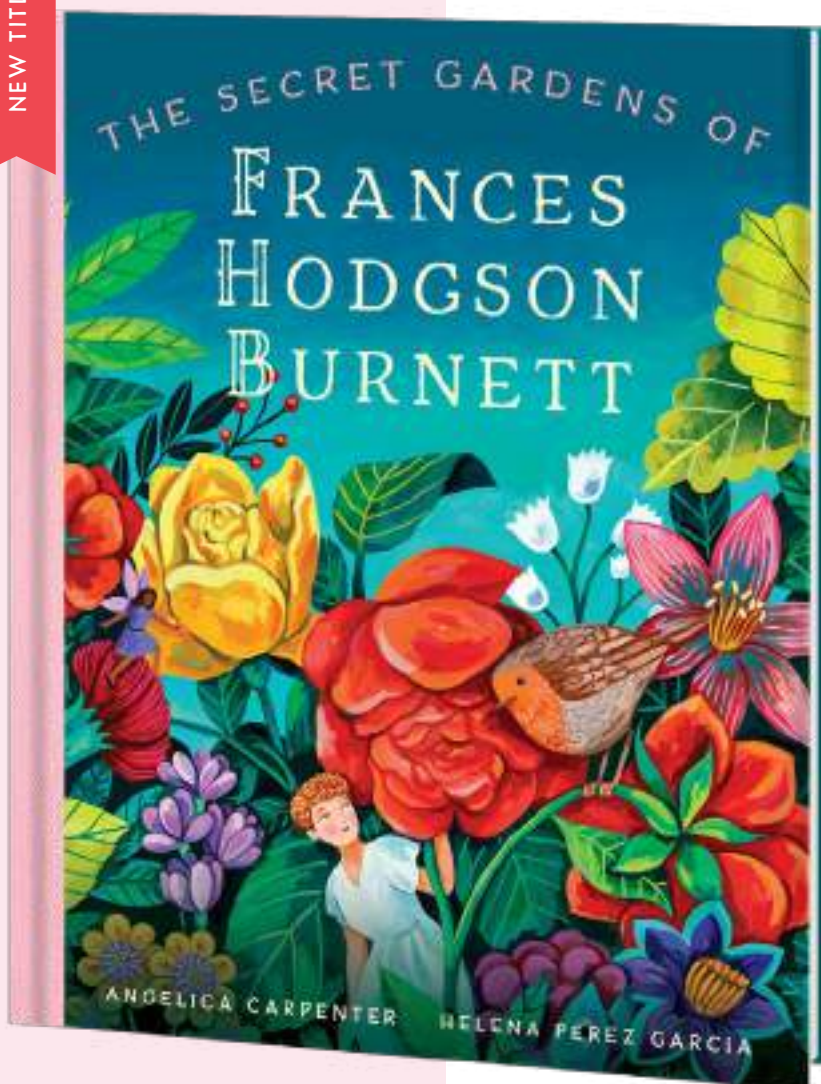
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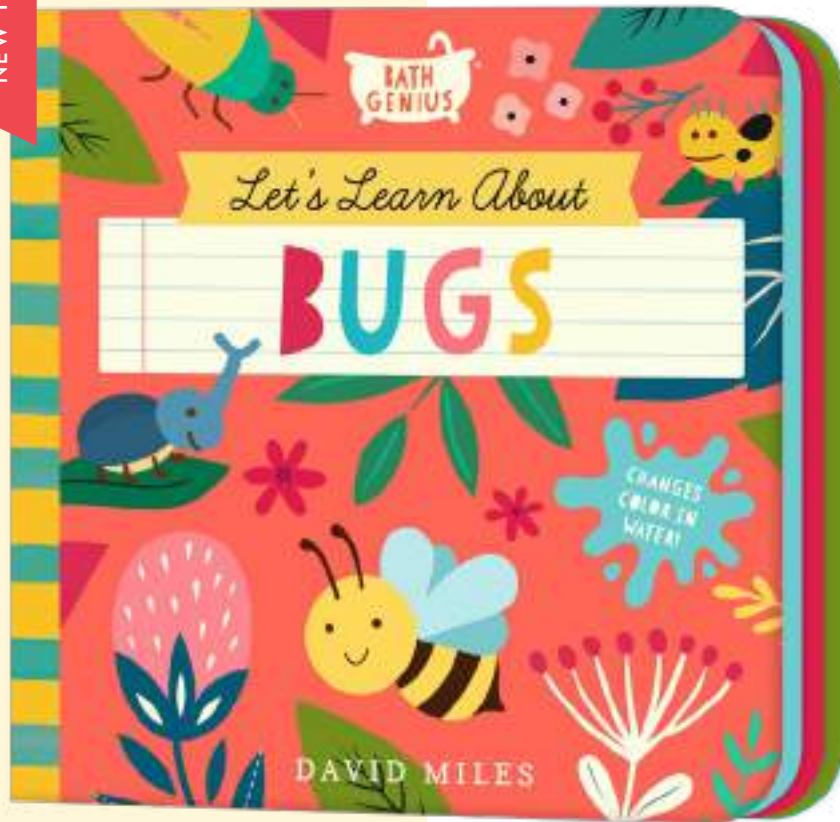
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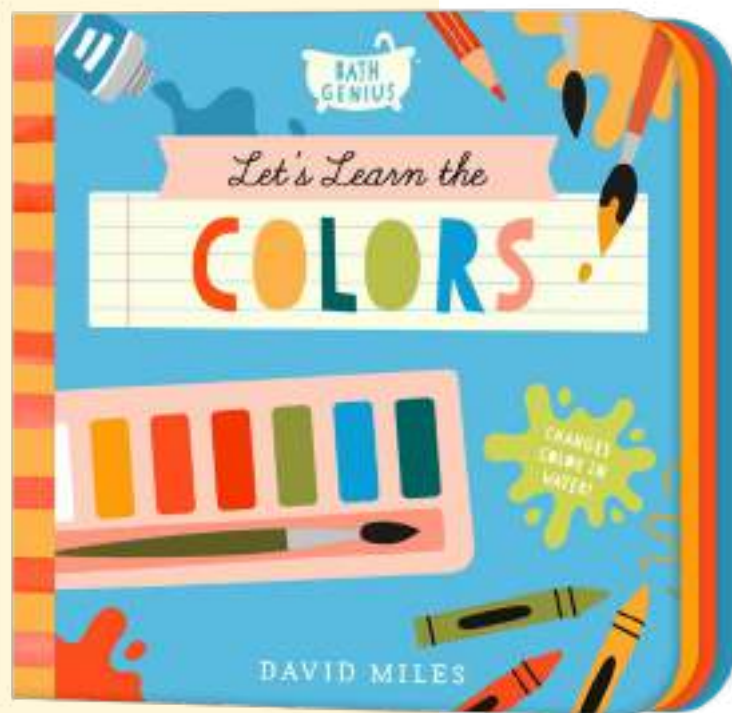
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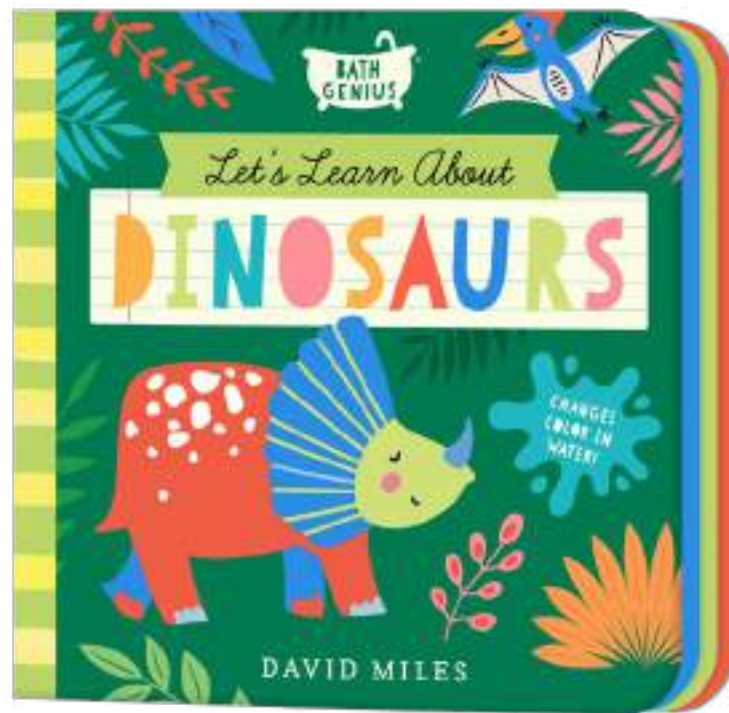
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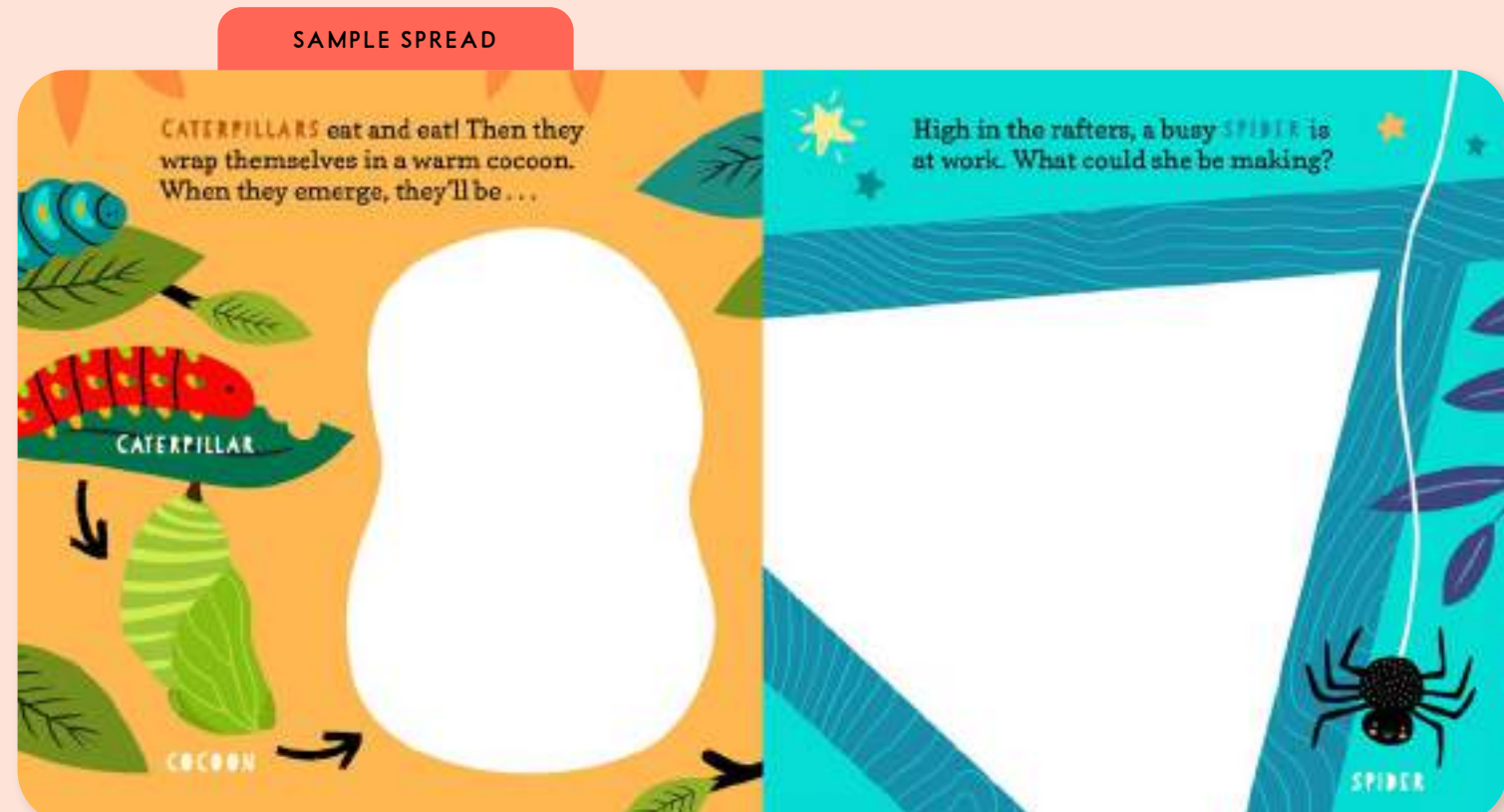
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