

# WELCOME to the Las Brisas Library / Media Center



My name is Mrs. Colton



# What is a Media Center?

It is a quiet but fun place to.....

- Check out and return books.
- Read quietly or hear Mrs. Colton read to your class.
- Do homework or research.
- Use a computer for quizzes and class work.
- Play quiet games at lunch on a pass.
- Visit the Book Fair in the Fall and Spring !!



# 2. Please walk and be Quiet!!



**Talking loudly, running and jumping are outside activities. Please be respectful!**



Not following the rules could result in not checking out a book.



# 3. Always use a stick to mark your spot



- Before you remove the book you wish to look at.....put a shelf marker in the spot to mark it.
- Put book back in same spot, with the spine facing out.

**Now it's back in the right  
place !!**





If visiting on a pass,  
Always sign in.



You will need to write your name, your teacher's name and the time that you were here. You need to do this every single time you come to the library without your whole class.

# Checkout Limits

**K and 1<sup>st</sup> grade:**



**2<sup>nd</sup> grade:**



**3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> grade:**



**\*\*\*\* If you have overdue books , checkout is zero**

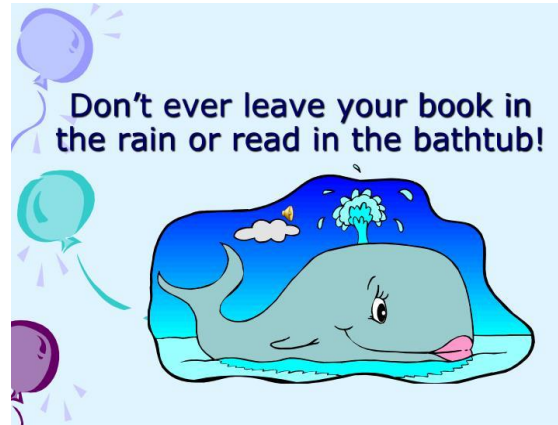


# Due Date

- Kindergarten and First grade books are due every week. All other books are due in 2 weeks.
- If you need more time to finish a book, you may renew it once for another 1 or 2 weeks.



# Please be careful with our books.....



Eating , swimming, taking a bath or going in the sandbox with your books is never a good idea. Dogs and baby's like to eat and rip books. Little kids like to scribble in books!! Please do not leave your books lying around, especially outside when it rains.

**SORRY!**



**\*\*\* ALWAYS KEEP YOUR BOOKS SAFE IN YOUR BACKPACK !! IT'S THE BEST WAY TO NOT LOSE, FORGET or DAMAGE THEM 😊**



# How to Care for the books



Use a bookmark to mark your page.  
**DO NOT** fold the pages.



Keep books dry



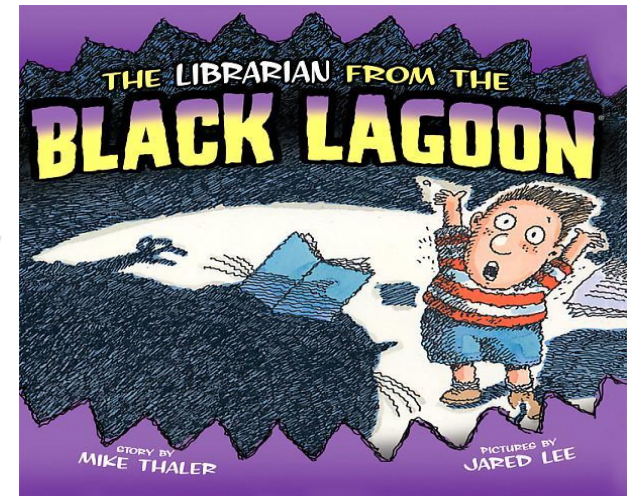
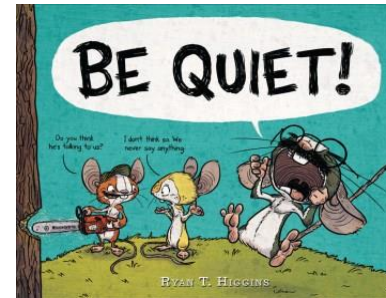
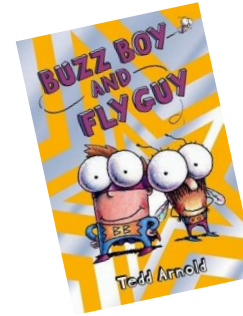
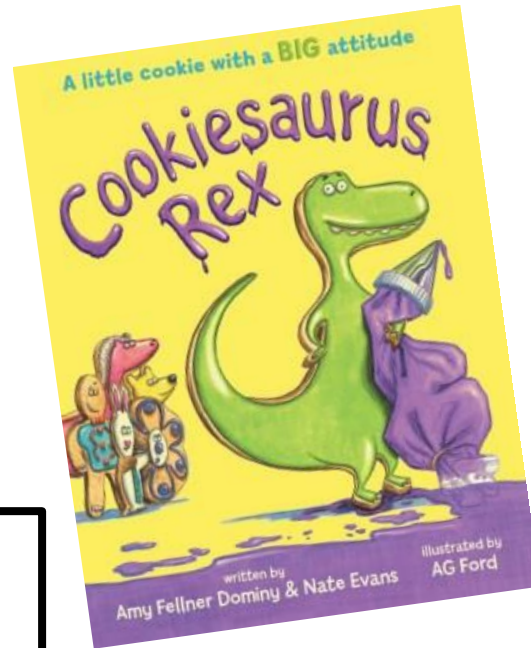
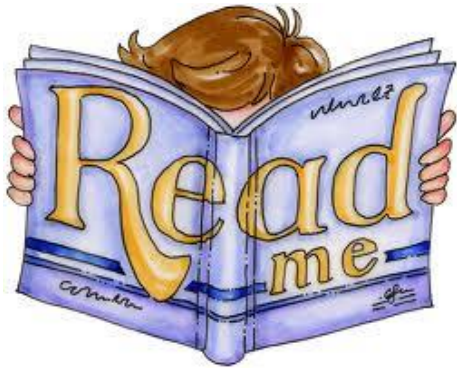
Make sure your hands are clean before handling the book.



After you've read your book..... always put it back into your backpack , it's the smartest thing to do !!



# Everybody Books !! (picture books)



E is for Everyone  
Books are shelved alphabetically  
by author's last name

1<sup>st</sup> 3 letters of author's last name

E  
THA

Author Mike Thaler

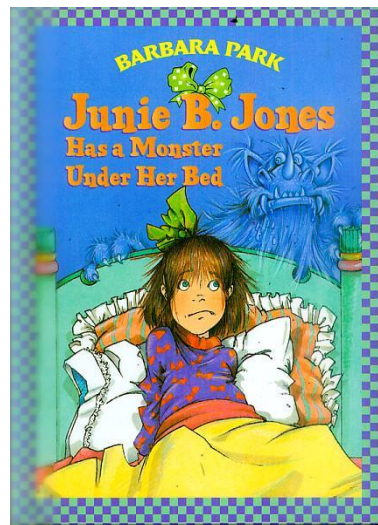
# Beginning Chapter Books

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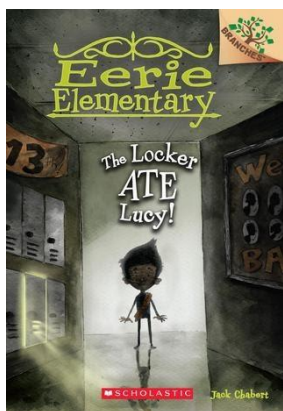
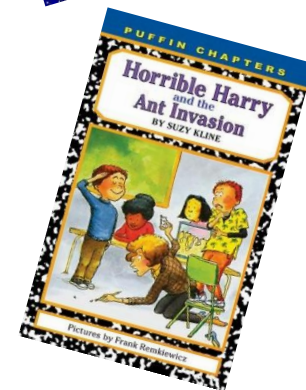
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Chapter  
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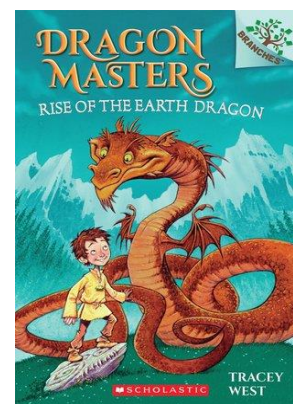
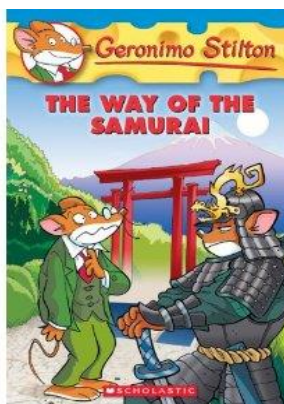
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Author Barbara Park



- Junie B. Jones
- Geronimo Stilton
- Dragon Masters
- Horrible Harry
- The Haunted Library
- Magic Tree house
- Eerie Elementary

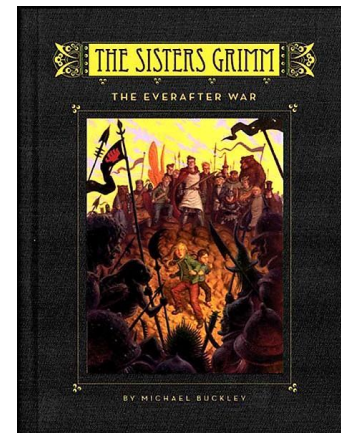
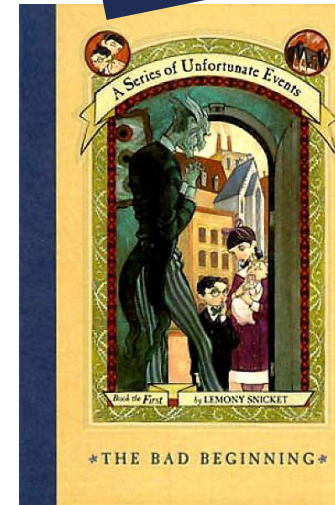
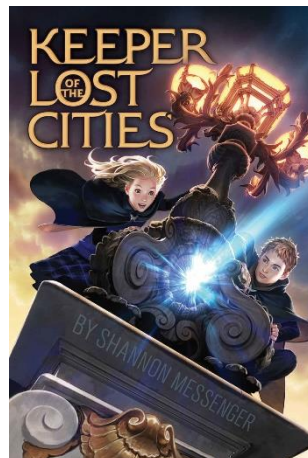
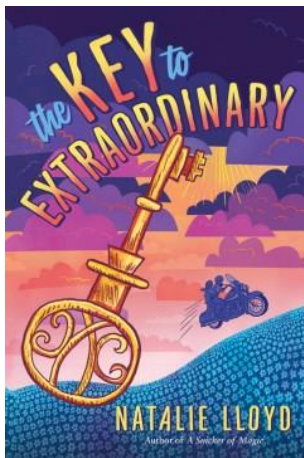
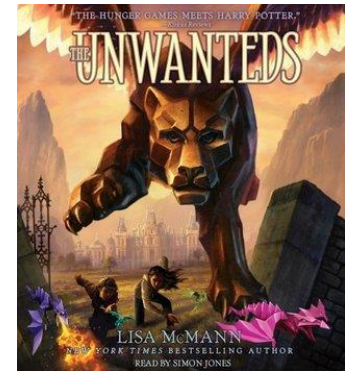
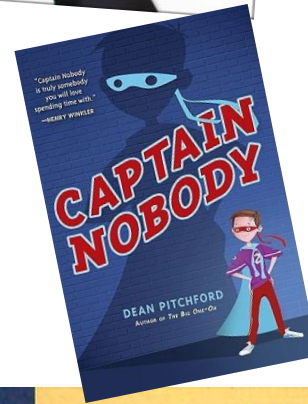
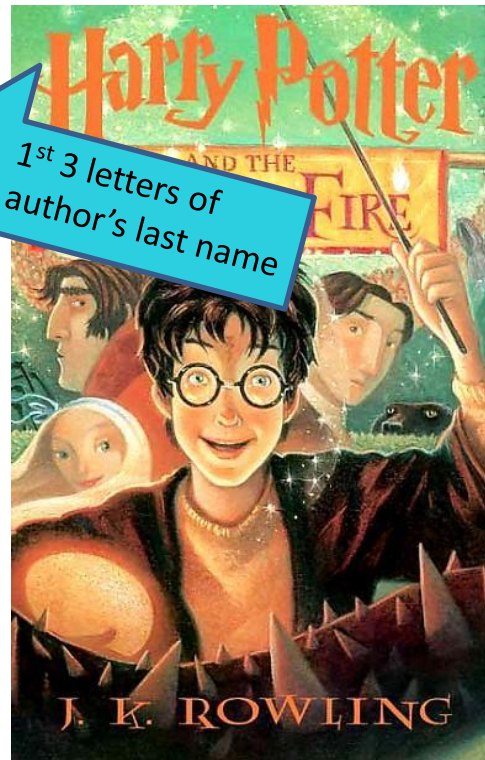
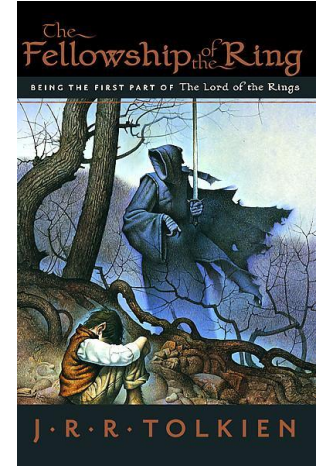
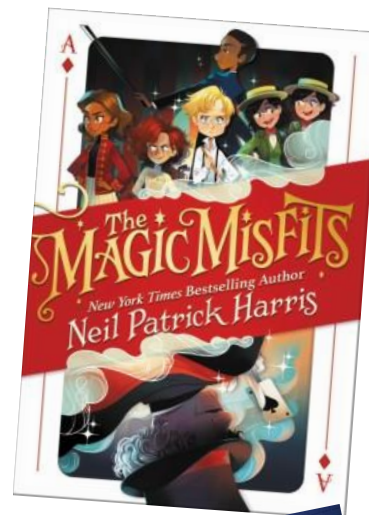


# Fiction Books

FIC  
ROW

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alphabetically  
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author's last name



Author J.K. Rowling

# Reference Books

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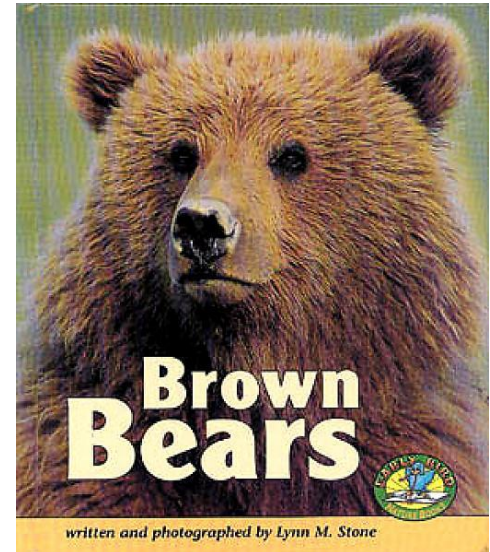
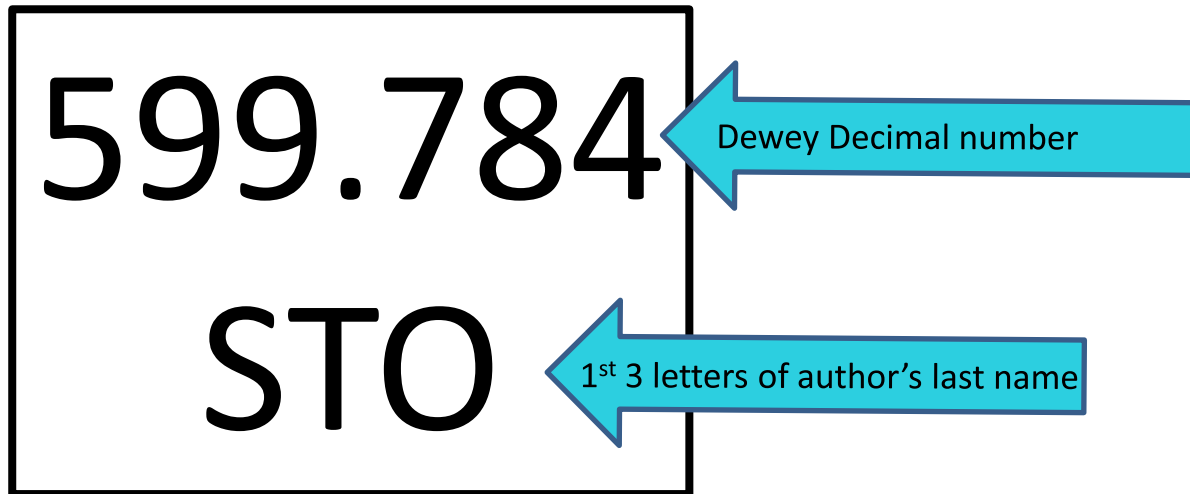
- Dictionaries
- Thesauri
- Encyclopedias
- Almanacs
- Atlases
- Student Works



# Non-Fiction Books

Non-fiction books contain informational text.

Books are shelved by Dewey Decimal order,  
then alphabetically by author's last name



Author Lynn M. Stone



**We also have an “E” Non-Fiction section for easier reading.**

The Dewey Decimal is exactly the same in the “E” Non Fiction section as the other Non-Fiction section.

# Dewey Decimal Classification

The Dewey Decimal System is a system of organizing books by subject, that was created by Melvil Dewey, a Librarian, who also founded the American Library Association in 1876. Books are categorized into 10 main categories, then subdivided into smaller categories.

For example, let's find a book about **lions**.

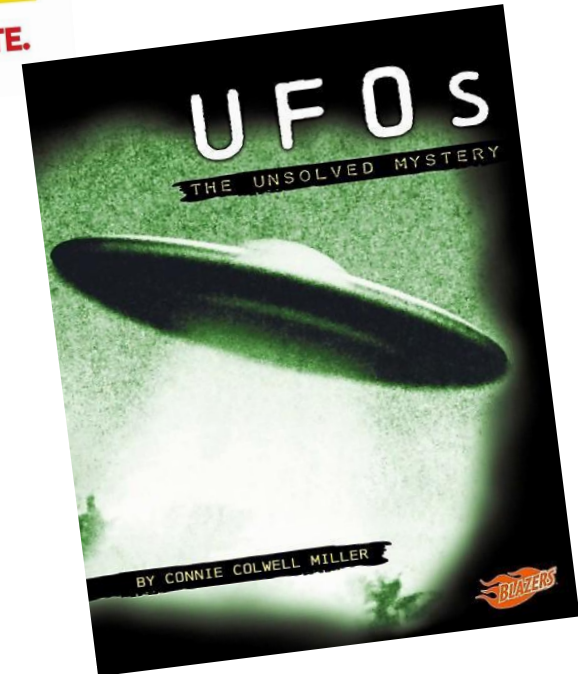
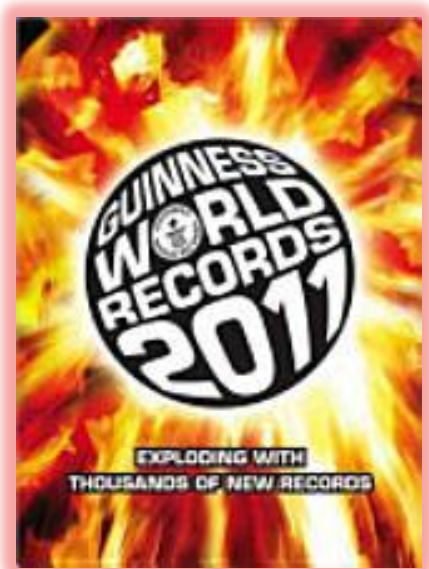
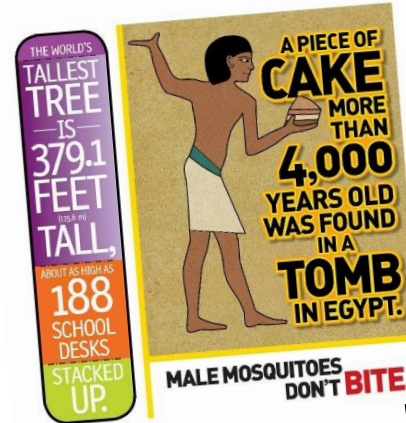
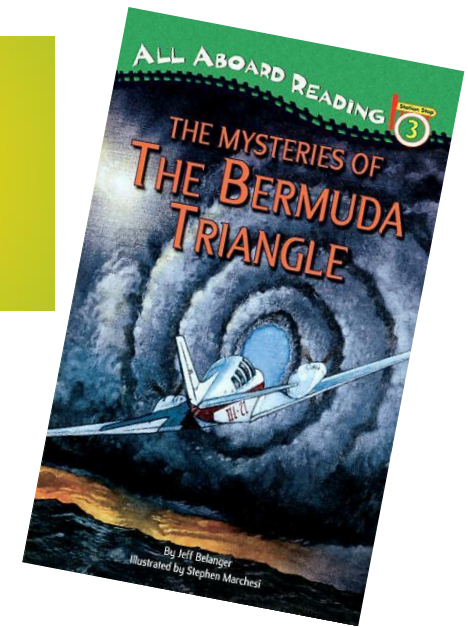
- Books about the natural world are found in the **500 section** (Natural Sciences & Mathematics)
- Books about animals are found in the **590-599 section** (Zoological Sciences)
- Books about mammals are found in the **599 section** (Mammalia)
- Books about lions are found in the **599.75 section** (Big Cats)



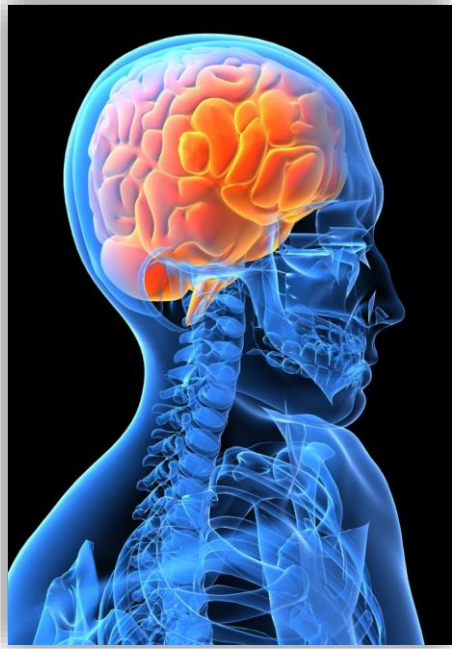
# 000 Generalities



- 010 Bibliographies & catalogs
- 020 Library & information sciences
- 030 General encyclopedic works
- 040 Unassigned
- 050 General serials & their indexes
- 060 General organizations & museology
- 070 News media, journalism, publishing
- 080 General collections
- 090 Manuscripts & rare books







# 100 Philosophy & Psychology

110 Metaphysics

120 Epistemology, causation, humankind

130 Paranormal phenomena

140 Specific philosophical schools

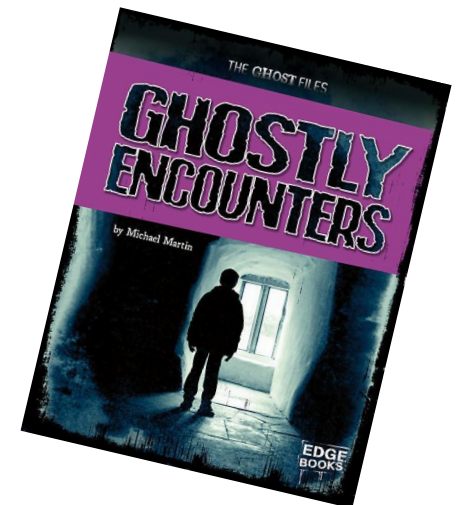
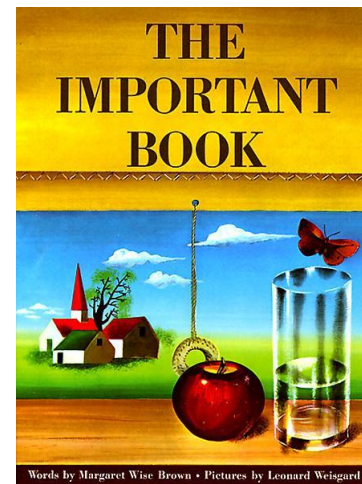
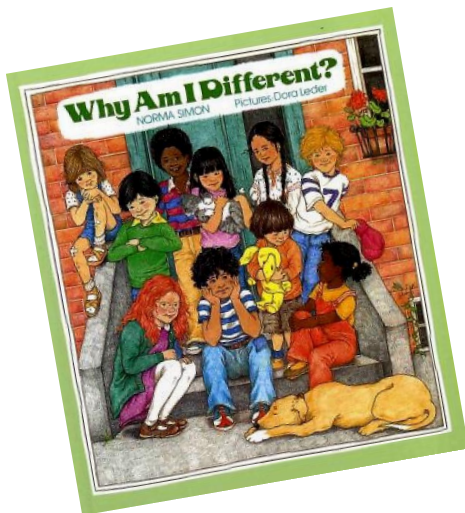
150 Psychology

160 Logic

170 Ethics (Moral philosophy)

180 Ancient, medieval, Oriental philosophy

190 Modern Western philosophy



# 200 Religion

210 Natural theology

220 Bible

230 Christian Theology

240 Christian moral & devotional theology

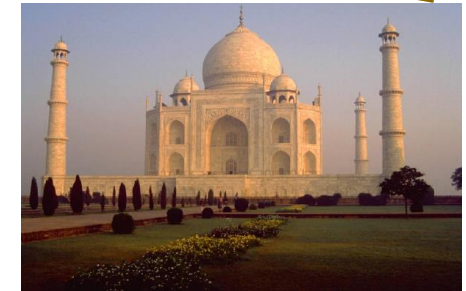
250 Christian orders & local churches

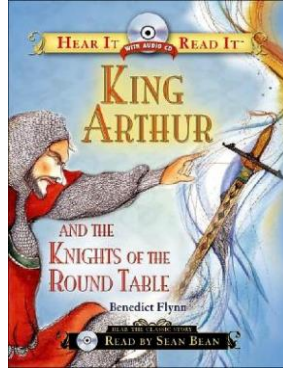
260 Christian social theology

270 Christian church history

280 Christian denominations & sects

290 Other and comparative religions





# 300 Social Sciences

310 General statistics

320 Political science

330 Economics

340 Law

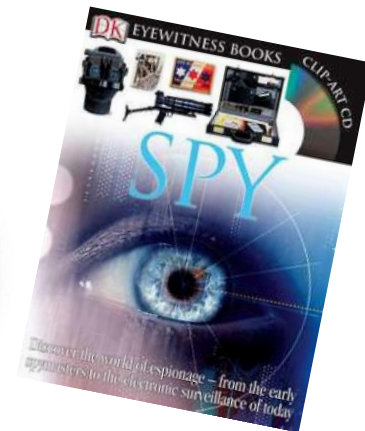
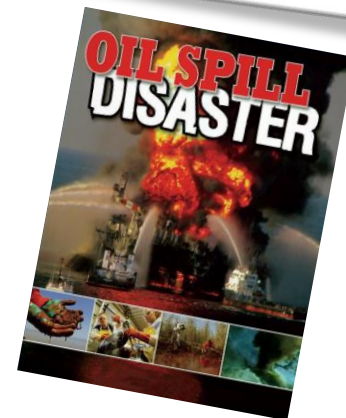
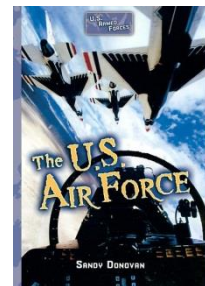
350 Public administration

360 Social services; associations

370 Education

380 Commerce, communications, transport

390 Customs, etiquette, folklore



# 400 Language

410 Linguistics

420 English & Old English

430 Germanic languages, i.e., German

440 Romance languages, i.e., French

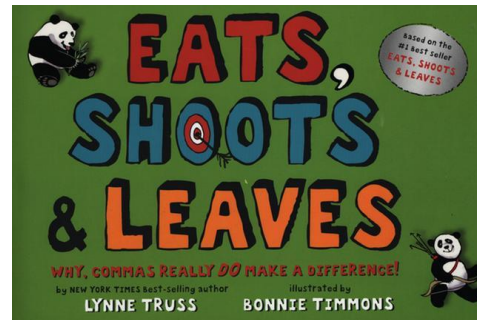
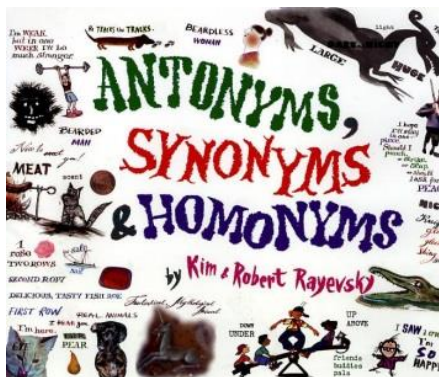
450 Italian, Romanian, Rhaeto-Romanic languages

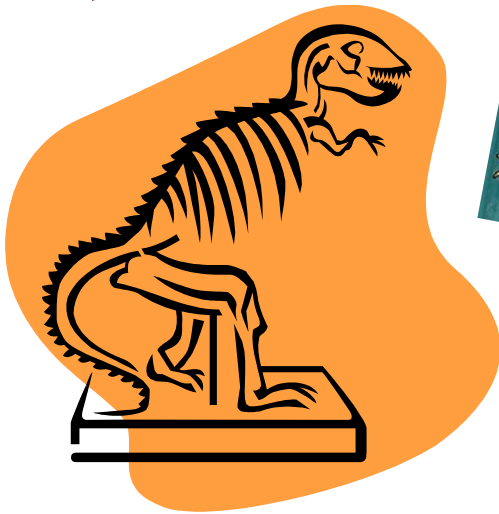
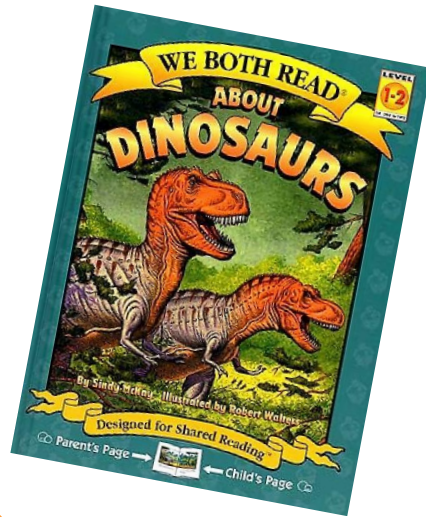
460 Spanish & Portuguese languages

470 Italic languages, i.e., Latin

480 Hellenic languages, i.e., Classical Greek

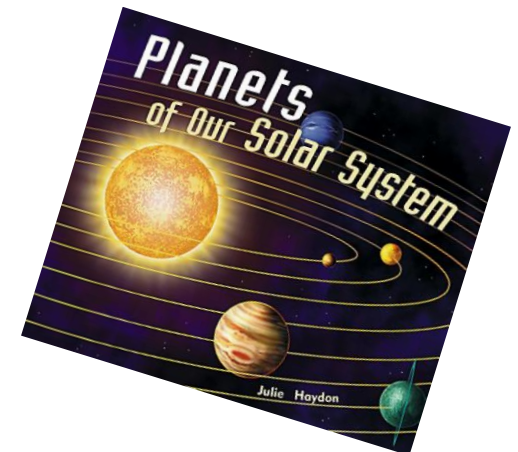
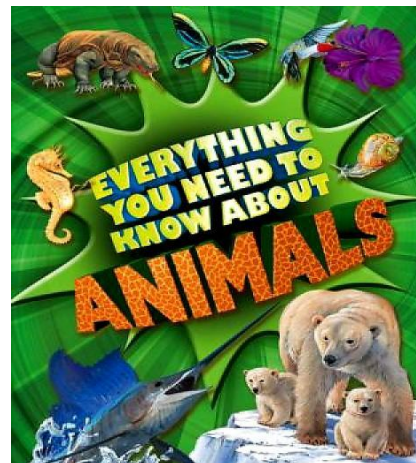
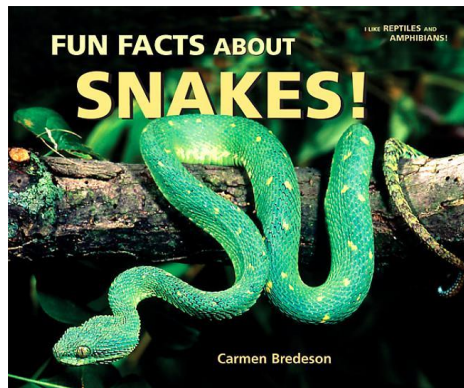
490 Other languages

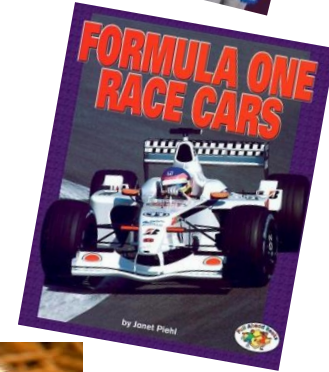
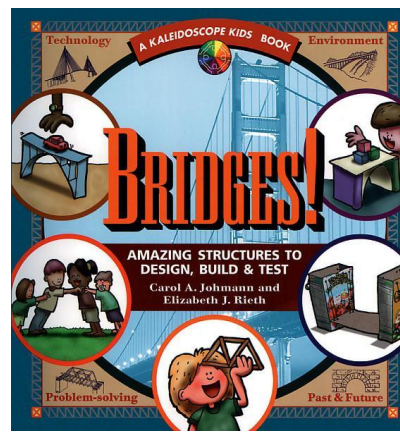




# 500 Natural Sciences & Mathematics

- 510 Mathematics
- 520 Astronomy & allied sciences
- 530 Physics
- 540 Chemistry & allied sciences
- 550 Earth sciences
- 560 Paleontology, Paleozoology
- 570 Life Sciences
- 580 Botanical sciences
- 590 Zoological sciences





# 600 Technology (Applied Sciences)

610 Medical sciences

620 Engineering & allied sciences

630 Agriculture

650 Management & auxiliary services

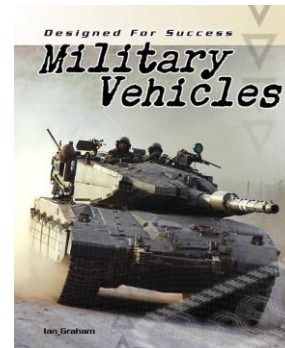
660 Chemical engineering

640 Home economics & family living

670 Manufacturing

680 Manufacture for specific uses

690 Buildings

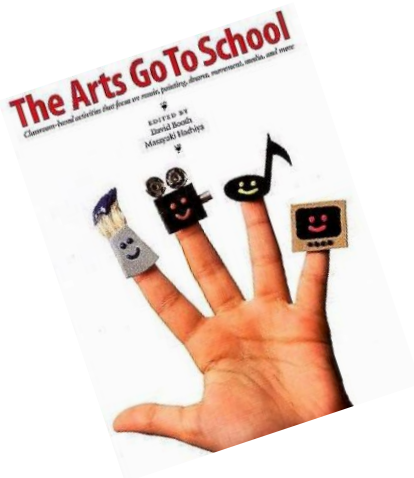
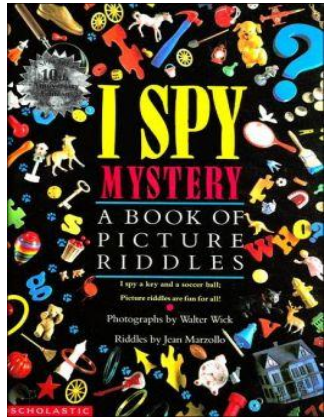




1 2 3 I Can Draw!



Irene Luxbacher



## 700 The Arts

710 Civic & landscape art

720 Architecture

730 Plastic arts

740 Drawing & decorative arts

750 Painting & paintings

760 Graphic arts

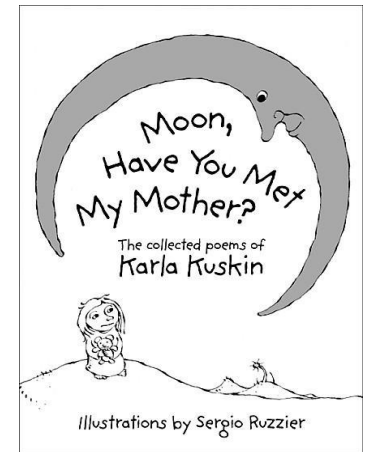
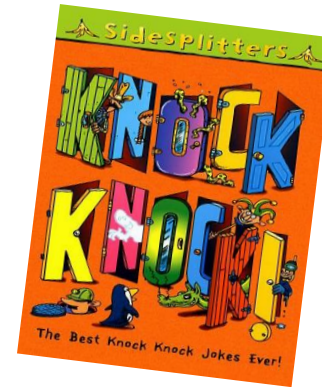
780 Music

770 Photography & photographs

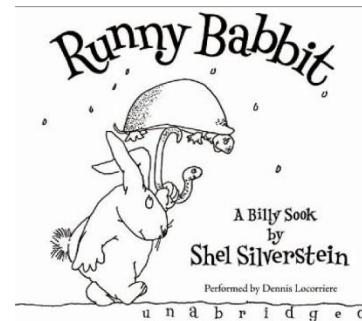
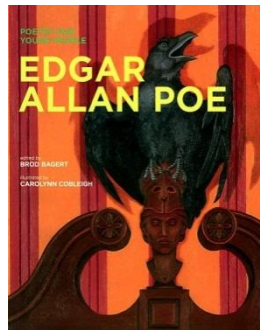
790 Recreational & performing arts

# 800 Literature & Rhetoric

- 810 American literature in English
- 820 English and Old English literature
- 830 Literatures of Germanic languages
- 840 Literatures of Romance languages
- 850 Italian, Romanian, Rhaeto-Romanic
- 860 Spanish & Portuguese literatures



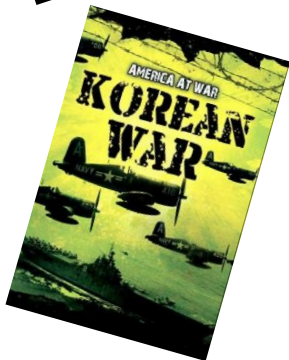
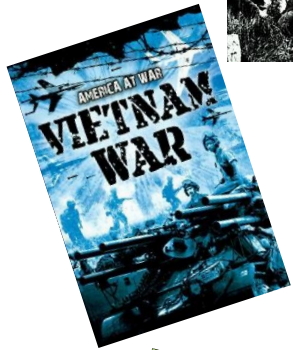
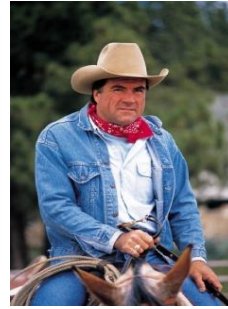
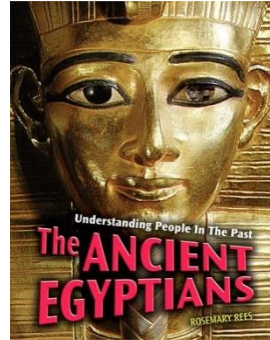
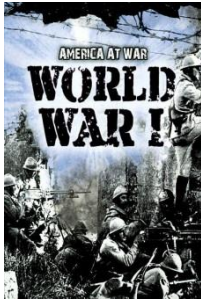
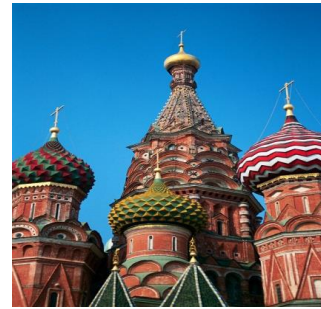
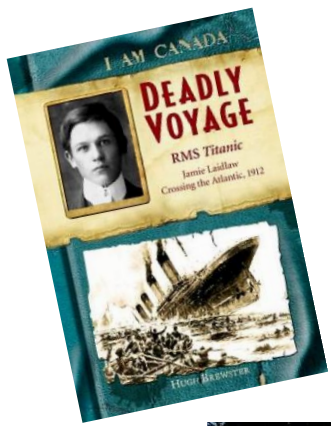
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Jokes: 818







# 900 Geography & History

910 Geography & travel

920 Biography, genealogy, insignias

930 History of the ancient world

940 General history of Europe

950 General history of Asia & Far East

960 General history of Africa

970 General history of North America

980 General history of South America

990 General history of other



Dream Big  
**READ!**



**Thank you for watching !!**

