

SALGUERO, ANDRÉS**Hello, Friend /
Hola, amigo****Illus. by Sara Palacios**
SCHOLASTIC, 2020
9781338343687

Now in a bilingual board book, 123 Andrés's award-winning song encourages friendship and welcoming no matter where someone is from or what language they speak.
(Bilingual)

SAMMURTOK, NADIA**In My Anaana's
Amautik****Illus. by Lenny Lishchenko**
INHABIT MEDIA, 2020
9781772272529

This board book is told from the perspective of a young Indigenous child who is nestled in his mother's amautik, a pouch to carry a child. While in the amautik, the child describes the sensations and senses that surround him.

SPIRO, RUTH**¡Al bebé le encanta
codificar! / Baby
Loves Coding!****Illus. by Irene Chan**
CHARLESBRIDGE, 2019
9781623541149

This board book presents concepts connected to coding, like logic, sequence, and patterns, in an age-friendly way. Text in Spanish and English.
(Bilingual)

SRIRAM, MEERA**A Gift for Amma
Market Day in India****Illus. by Mariona Cabassa**
BAREFOOT BOOKS, 2020
9781646860623

A young girl goes to the market to find a gift for her mother. However, she has a hard time choosing what to get her because there are so many amazing choices! This vibrant picture book shows readers what the markets look like in India and even includes back matter and real photos.

WILSON-MAX, KEN**Astro Girl****Illus. by the author**
CANDLEWICK, 2019
9781536209464

A little girl who wants to be an astronaut talks with her father about what it takes to live in space, before greeting her mother as she returns from her work—as an astronaut.

YEE, SENNAH**My Day with Gong
Gong****Illus. by Elaine Chen**
ANNICK PRESS, 2020
9781773214290

May doesn't speak Chinese, and Gong Gong doesn't speak English. Spending a whole day with her grandfather doesn't sound fun to May at all, but she might be surprised to find out that Gong Gong understands more than she thinks.

ZHANG, KAT**Amy Wu and the
Perfect Bao****Illus. by Charlene Chua**
ALADDIN, 2019
9781534411333

It's difficult to make a perfect dumpling! With the help of her family, young Amy Wu keeps trying until she gets it right.

Día

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El día de los libros
(Children's Day/Book Day)**

is a celebration of children and wonderful books. Día honors the cultures and languages of all children.

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ANG, GISELLE

Let's Say I Love You

Illus. by Erica Sirotych
HARPERCOLLINS, 2020
9780062978684

Little ones learn to say “I love you” in twelve different languages, including Hausa, Spanish, and Chinese.

BARNES, DERRICK

I Am Every Good Thing

Illus. by Gordon C. James
NANCY PAULSEN, 2020
9780525518778

In this picture-book celebration of Black boys, boys declare that they are whoever they want to be—from an explorer to a polite grandson to something like a superhero.

BUSH, GAIL

Our World Is Whole

Illus. by Jennie Poh
SLEEPING BEAR, 2020
9781534410274

A young girl understands that connections between people are what make our world whole. Follow her as she chats with different people, celebrating our interconnectedness and the way we support one another.

CABRERA, COZBI A.

Me & Mama

Illus. by the author
SIMON & SCHUSTER, 2020
9781534454274

A young girl wants to be everywhere her mama is, and she enjoys the rainy day they spend together.

CHARLES, TAMI

All Because You Matter

Illus. by Bryan Collier
ORCHARD, 2020
9781338574852

A love letter to young Black and brown readers, this ode to self-worth and wonder is powerful for all.

CHEN, VINCENT

Hot Pot Night!

Illus. by the author
CHARLESBRIDGE, 2020
9781623541200

A child brings together his neighbors to cook a delicious meal to share.

COY, JOHN

Dads

Illus. by Wing Young Huie
CAROLRHODA, 2020
9781541578395

This picture book is filled with beautiful images of dads from all over the world. The sparse text highlights all the amazing things that dads do, from fixing things to loving their child. The beautiful photographs show the differences and similarities that all dads share across the globe.

DOYON, SAMARA COLE

Magnificent Hometown Brown A Celebration

Illus. by Kaylani Juanita
TILBURY HOUSE, 2020
9780884487975

Joyful girls leap into piles of leaves, rollerblade, hike, and more in this celebration of loving yourself.

ELYA, SUSAN MIDDLETON

The Three Billy Goats Buenos

Illus. by Miguel Ordóñez
PUTNAM, 2020
9780399547393

Three cabritos plan how to get past a grumpy troll. Why is the gigante so grumpy anyway? The billy goats discover the reason and find a new friend in this humorous and rhyming retelling with Spanish words sprinkled throughout and a dose of kindness, too.

EWING, CHANA GINELLE

An ABC of Equality

Illus. by Paulina Morgan
FRANCES LINCOLN, 2020
9780711262140

A simple and engaging picture book that highlights the alphabet and teaches children about diversity and equity.

FOGLIANO, JULIE

My Best Friend

Illus. by Jillian Tamaki
ATHENEUM, 2020
9781534427228

Two young girls learn that they are kindred spirits and best friends, all before learning each other's name.

GRIMES, NIKKI

Bedtime for Sweet Creatures

Illus. by Elizabeth Zunon
SOURCEBOOKS/JABBERWOCKY, 2020
9781492638322

A parade of animals rendered in the style of Senufo textile art accompanies a young child to bed.

JARAMILLO, SUSIE

All the Colors / De colores

ENCANTOS, 2020
9781945635274

This adorable book will help teach your child colors in both English and Spanish. With colorful illustrations, it will grab your child's attention! *(Bilingual)*

JAYAWARDHANA, RAY

Child of the Universe

Illus. by Raúl Colón
RANDOM HOUSE, 2020
9781524717544

Astronomer Jayawardhana writes a father's good-night message to his daughter, connecting her to the planets and stars.

KENDI, IBRAM X.

Antiracist Baby

Illus. by Ashley Lukashovsky
KOKILA, 2020
9780593110416

Baby explores nine steps for furthering justice and equity in our world.

KHAN, HENA

Like the Moon Loves the Sky

Illus. by Saffa Khan
CHRONICLE, 2020
9781452180199

This lullaby focuses on a mother's love for her child. The book lays out the wishes the mother has for her young child with the repeated refrain of “inshallah.”

MACLACHLAN, PATRICIA

My Friend Earth

Illus. by Francesca Sanna
CHRONICLE, 2020
9780811879101

The earth does so much for us, and we can do so much in return to care for her. With interactive die-cut pages, this lovely book celebrates our earth and all its creatures.

**NEAL, TRINITY, AND
DESHANNA NEAL**

My Rainbow

Illus. by Art Twink
KOKILA, 2020
9781984814609

Transgendered child Trinity says she needs long hair. With the help of her mother and older brother, Trinity gets exactly what she hoped for.

OROZCO, JOSÉ-LUIS

Sing with Me / Canta conmigo

Illus. by Sara Palacios
SCHOLASTIC, 2020
9781338121186

Enjoy six well-known preschool songs in Spanish and English. *(Bilingual)*

**PUMPHREY, JARRETT,
AND JEROME PUMPHREY**

The Old Truck

Illus. by the authors
NORTON, 2020
9781324005193

As a young farm girl grows up, her family's red pickup truck goes from being a valued piece of machinery to a vehicle for dreams and all the way back again.

RIVERA, ALEX

Bronxshapes

Illus. by the author
KOKILA, 2020
9780593110812

This bilingual board book celebrates the Bronx while introducing various shapes through photographs of real-world objects resembling certain two-dimensional shapes. Text in both English and Spanish. *(Bilingual)*

ROBINSON, CHRISTIAN

You Matter

Illus. by the author
ATHENEUM, 2020
9781534421691

This whimsical picture book shows perspectives of children from all over the world, how we are all connected, and why everyone matters.

**RODRIGUEZ, PATTY, AND
ARIANA STEIN**

Vámonos: San Salvador

Illus. by Ana Godínez
LIL' LIBROS, 2020
9781947971431

This board book is part of a series introducing young children to Latin American destinations around the world. Other cities in the series include Oaxaca, Havana, Lima, and San Juan. *(Bilingual)*

