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The Reading is FUNdamental program is funded by the Ford Foundation and sponsored by the Smithsonian Institution. It is designed to motivate children to read through experiencing the joy and pride of owning books of their own choice. Its purpose is to help develop and give technical assistance to a variety of model projects throughout the country. This supplement to the RIF Guide to Book Selection is prepared to assist RIF projects and other similar programs to select and purchase inexpensive books, mainly paper backs, at the elementary level. Approximately 1,350 titles are included in this listing under a general list and sections for black, Indian, and Spanish-speaking elementary students. Books are listed alphabetically under the publisher. Each entry also includes information on suggested reading and interest levels, price, and a brief descriptive annotation. (AW)





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The pilot project for RIF was begun in Washington, D. C. in 1966. A number of additional projects are now in operation throughout the country not only in urban centers but also in rural areas and on Indian reservations. RIF is an action program to make books a way of life for all of America's children.

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# Introduction

Reading Is Fundamental has grown since the first Book Guide was published early in 1970 from eight projects to thirty projects located in urban and rural areas throughout the country. A public-service advertising campaign for RIF was launched in September and October, 1971. Its theme is "If America is to grow up thinking, Reading Is Fundamental".

RIF's goal in this campaign is to move individuals and organizations to establish RIF projects in their own communities and to win business support. Within the coming months we anticipate a large increase in the number of RIF projects.

Supplement No. 2 to the RIF GUIDE TO BOOK SELECTION has been prepared primarily to assist not only RIF projects but also other similar programs throughout the country in the purchase of inexpensive books, mainly paperbacks, at the elementary level. This is the age group RIF is primarily interested in reaching. If children have not learned to enjoy books at the elementary age level it is highly probable they may never find joy in reading.

Approximately 1350 titles are included in this supplement. The graded ranges for reading and interest have been provided only as guides. Very often a book will be interesting and enjoyable for readers of other grades as well. In the final analysis, the judgment will depend on the booklist user and his familiarity with the children his program is serving.

RIF has already received several thousand requests for the Book Guide. These have come from every state and from several foreign countries. Orders for the Guide have come from: public and private schools, public libraries, libraries of colleges and universities, corporations, business and civic associations, churches, publishers, government agencies, foundations, individuals and miscellaneous organizations and groups.

In order to encourage the publication of many more elementary level titles in paperback, RIF met with officers of the Association of American Publishers, Inc., and with representatives of several publishing companies. A special plea was made for more paperbacks for minority group children.

Last spring three publishing houses launched their first juvenile paperback book lines. Since then several more companies have moved into the juvenile field. Although the prices are higher than we would like, we are cheered by this trend.

RIF has also met with officers of BIPAD, a national book distributing organization. At RIF's request, they prepared a RIF manual of operations for the wholesalers. This, along with a number of RIF materials, is being mailed to their membership of book distributors. We feel confident this action will contribute toward facilitating the purchase of books by local RIF projects and other similar programs.

In addition to distributing and lending books, several RIF projects have experimented with the sale of books. One project, from April 1 to June 24 of this year, sold over 20,000 paperback books.

RIF is cooperating with the U.S. Office of Education's Right to Read Program and the National Reading Center, in an attempt to stimulate a national interest in reading and books.

From the beginning of the Pilot Project in Washington, D.C., in 1966, to date RIF has collected a vast amount of evidence that leads to an important conclusion: To stimulate the habit of reading spontaneously for fun, books must be made readily available at all times—in the classroom and in the home. It is our hope that schools and libraries will face up to this responsibility by making paperback books increasingly available in both the classroom and the community.

It is also our hope that publishers will do their part by adding a great many new titles to the number of children's paperbacks now in circulation, with special emphasis on books for minority group children.



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# **General List of Paperbacks**

# (And Other Inexpensive Books for the Elementary Grades)

ABINGDON PRESS

**ACT IT OUT** 

Carlson, Bernice W.

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest) Simple dramatics for children and puppet performances.

Paper \$1.60

AIRMONT PUBLISHING COMPANY, INC.

ADVENTURES OF PINOCCHIO

Collodi, Carlo

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Illustrated tale of the saucy little puppet whose nose grows longer each time he tells lies.

APOLLO EDITIONS, INC.

AND NOW MIGUEL

Krumgold, Joseph

Gr. 6-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper \$1.65

Describes a young New Mexican sheepherder's growing pains and adventures.

**AVON BOOKS** 

BREAD-AND-BUTTER INDIAN (Camelot)

Colver, Anne

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

in western Pennsylvania's pioneer days, Barbara makes friends with a hungry Indian.

BY THE GREAT HORN SPOON! (Camelot)

Fleischman, Sid

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Zany adventures in the history of the Old West.

GOLDEN EAGLE (Camelot)

Murphy, Robert

Gr. 6-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Story of birth, life and tragic death of Kira, a magnificent golden eagle.

THE HAUNTED BOOKSHOP (Camelot)

Morley, Christopher

Gr. 6-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Brooklyn bookshop is haunted by the ghosts of great writers.

I'LL TRADE YOU AN ELK

Goodrum, Charles

Gr. 6-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Adventures in trading animals to build up the zoo in Wichita, Kansas.

JUST SO STORIES (Camelot)

Kipling, Rudyard

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Stories to be read aloud that tell how camel got his hump, how elephant got his trunk, etc.

THE MAN WHO WAS DON QUIXOTE (Camelot)

Busoni, Rafaello

Gr. 6-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Biography of the mad knight of La Mancha who strove to lead a

MENAGERIE MANOR (Camelot)

Durrell, Gerald

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Childhood dream to have a zoo of his own comes true for author with animals collected on travels around the world.

PEREGRINE FALCON (Camelot)

Murphy, Robert

Gr. 6-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Story of the traveling falcon during the first year of life.

SCIENTISTS BEHIND THE INVENTORS (Camelot)

Burlingame, Roger

Gr. 6-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Sketches of famous scientists and their world-shaking discoveries.

BANTAM BOOKS, INC.

BIRD BEHAVIOR

Sparks, John

Gr. 6-12 (Reading and Interest)

Paper \$1.45

This book tells something of the private life and world of a great many different birds.

INCREDIBLE IOURNEY

Burnford, Sheila

Gr. 6-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Three pets—a siamese cat, a labrador retriever and a bull terrier -travel 250 miles across Canada to home.

ON CITY STREETS

Larrick, Nancy

Gr. 5-12 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

A collection of poems and photographs about the city and its people.

SELF-DEFENSE FOR GIRLS AND WOMEN

Tegner, Bruce and McGrath, Alice

Gr. 5-12 (Reading and Interest)

A practical method of self-defense for boys as well as girls that can be learned at home.

**CHILDRENS PRESS** 

THE FIRST STEP-A B C

Friskey, Margaret

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest) This is an alphabet activity book that is fun to color and gives a child an eight-word reading vocabulary through picture stories.



THE FIRST STEP-1 23

Friskey, Margaret

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 25¢

This is a number activity book that is fun to color and read. It also gives a feeling of groups and sets.

#### I WANT TO BE BOOKS

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Set of 36 titles \$19.80

The I Want To Be books are illustrated picture books with simple text designed to encourage independent reading on beginner levels:

! Want to Be a Space Pilot

I Want to Be an Airline Hostess

I Want to Be a Pilot

I Want to Be a Ship Captain

I Want to Be a Train Engineer

I Want to Be a Bus Driver

I Want to Be a Telephone Operator

I Want to Be a News Reporter

I Want to Be a Nurse

I Want to Be a Scientist

I Want to Be a Doctor

I Want to Be a Dectist

I Want to Be a Teacher

I Want to Be a Librarian

I Want to Be an Anima! Doctor

i Want to Be a Policeman

I Want to Be a Fireman

I Want to Be a Postman

I Want to Be a Zoo-Keeper

I Want to Be a Dairy Farmer

I Want to Be a Farmer

I Want to Be a Fisherman

I Want to Be an Orange Grower

I Want to Be a Cowboy

I Want to Be a Carpenter

I Want to Be a Coal Miner

I Want to Be a Mechanic

I Want to Be a Road Builder

I Want to Be a Storekeeper

I Want to Be a Restaurant Owner

I Want to Be a Baker

I Want to Be a Homemaker

I Want to Be a Baseball Player

I Want to Be a Musician

I Want to Be a Ballet Dancer

I Want to Be a Truck Driver

#### THE ROAD FROM WEST VIRGINIA (Open Door) Hardin, Gail

#### Gr. 5 (Reading), Gr. 5-12 (Interest)

Paper 75¢

This is the life story of a poor white Southern girl, Gail Hardin, who became a factory worker.

# SOME FROGS HAVE THEIR OWN ROCKS

Wrist, Robert and Clair

#### Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

This book, with an economy of line drawings and a minimum of text, brings a humorous glimpse of the life of a frog. Book can also be used for coloring.

# WHAT I'M ABOUT IS PEOPLE (Open Door)

Geary, Charles

#### Gr. 5 (Reading), Gr. 5-12 (Interest)

Paper 75¢

This is the life story of Charles Geary, a poor white boy from Jugville, Kentucky, who became a courageous social worker.

# A WORLD OF BOOKS (Open Door)

Chaffin, Lillie D.

## Gr. 5 (Reading), Gr. 5-12 (Interest)

Paper 75€

This is the story of Lillie Chaffin, a poor white girl, who grew up in Pike County, Kentucky, and overcame odds to become an author and a librarian.

#### CITATION PRESS

POEMS CHILDREN WILL SIT STILL FOR

de Regniers, Beatrice S., Moore, Eva, and White, Mary M. (Eds.)

Gr. 3-6 (Reading), Gr. K-6 (Interest)

Paper \$1.65

The poems are grouped in ten categories and cover an extensive range of primary grade children's interests and experiences.

#### **COLLIER BOOKS**

ASK MR. BEAR

Flack, Marjorie

#### Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

A little boy searching for a birthday present for his mother asks the animals for advice.

#### **BILLY AND BLAZE**

Anderson, C. W.

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

The story cf a little boy who gets a pony for his birthday.

#### CADDIE WOODLAWN

Brink, Carol R.

#### Gr. 5-7 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

This story tells of the escapades of Caddie and her six brothers and sisters and of the pranks they played.

#### THE FLIGHT OF THE DOVES

Macken, Walter

#### Gr. 5-7 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

The story of the orphaned Dove children, who find life unbearable with their cruel uncle and run away.

#### THE HORSE AND HIS BOY

Lewis, C. S.

#### Gr. 5-7 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

An excursion into the magical lands of Narnia.

#### KEY TO THE TREASURE

Parish, Peggy

#### Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

Three children spending the summer at their grandparents' farm solve the puzzle of an old family legend of authentic Indian relics.

#### THE LAST BATTLE

Lewis, C. S.

#### Gr. 5-7 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

An excursion into the magical lands of Narnia.

#### THE LION, THE WITCH AND THE WARDROBE Lewis, C. S.

#### Gr. 5-7 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

An excursion into the magical lands of Namia.

#### THE LITTLE LEFTOVER WITCH

Laughlin, Florence

# Gr. 2-5 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

The little witch, Felina, crash-lands on the Coons' doorstep and reluctantly becomes a member of the family.

#### THE LITTLE WOODEN FARMER

Dagliesh, Alice

#### Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

The story of how the little wooden farmer found animals for his farm.

#### THE LOTUS CAVES

Christopher, John

#### Gr. 5-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

A tale of adventure on the moon in the 21st century.



THE MAGICIAN'S NEPHEW Lewis, C. S.

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

Travels and experiences of two children with talking beasts and

THE ONLY EARTH WE HAVE

Pringle, Laurence

Gr. 5-10 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

Pollution is concisely covered in this book.

THE ROOSTER CROWS

Petersham, Maud & Miska

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

An American Mother Goose abridged.

ROSIE'S WALK

Hutchins, Pat

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

A dumb hen eludes a sly fox in this picture book.

THE SILVER CHAIR

Lewis, C. S.

Gr. 5-7 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

An excursion into the magical lands of Narnia.

THE SPACE SHIP UNDER THE APPLE TREE

Slobodkin, Louis

Gr. 4-7 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

A story of Eddie's adventure with a tourist from outer space.

WILL I HAVE A FRIEND?

Cohen, Miriam

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

This book tells the story of a typical first day at school.

DELL PUBLISHING COMPANY, INC.

ALI BABA AND THE FORTY THIEVES AND OTHER STORIES FROM THE ARABIAN NIGHTS (Yearling Books)

Hoopes, Ned E. (Ed.)

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Introduction tells the origin of the stories and the history of their popularity.

AMELIA EARHART (Yearling Books)

Parlin, John

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 50¢

One of the first women fliers, world famous for her successful solo flight over the Atlantic in 1932.

AROUND THE WORLD IN EIGHTY DAYS (Laurel-Leaf Books) Verne, Jules

Gr. 5-9 (Reading and Interest)

The adventures of Phineas Fogg and his valet, Passepartout, on a trip around the world-made in 80 days to settle a wager.

THE BEECH TREE AND JONNY JACK AND HIS BEGINNINGS (Yearling Books)

Buck, Pearl S.

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 65¢

Two stories—one about a girl's relationship with her grandfather, the other about being born.

BLACK HEARTS IN BATTERSEA (Yearling Books)

Aiken, Joan

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

A young hero, a mythical king and an imaginary dukedom are the ingredients of this tale.

A BROTHER FOR THE ORPHELINES (Yearling Books) Carlson, Natalie S.

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

When the Orphelines find a baby boy on their doorstep, they must find a way to keep their new brother.

CAPTURED BY THE MOHAWKS (Yearling Books) North, Sterling

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Story of explorer, Pierre Esprit Radisson, who was captured at age 16 and adopted by the Mohawk Indians.

CHILD OF THE SILENT NIGHT (Yearling Jooks)

Hunter, Edith F.

Gr. 3-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75∉

The biography of Laura Bridgman, deaf and blind from an illness in childhood, who learned through her hands to see and hear.

COYOTE FOR KEEPS (Yearling Books)

Johnson, Burdetta

Gr. 3-7 (Reading and Interest)

While Bob and Marie are at their grandparents' ranch in the Arizona desert, they have adventures taming an orphan coyote pup.

THE CRICKET IN TIMES SQUARE (Yearling Books)

Selden, George

Gr. 3-7 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Chester the Cricket, who lives in a Times Square newsstand owned by the Bellini family, has three special friends: Tucker the Broadway mouse, Harry the Cat, and Mario, the Billini's son.

ELLEN GRAE (Yearling Books)

Cleaver, Vera and Bill

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 65¢

Eleven-year-old Ellen with a reputation for telling tall stories runs into a problem with a true story.

FAR AND FEW (Yearling Books)

McCord, David

All Ages (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75€

These 60 poems offer a great variety of rhythms and ideas, with humor and sometimes a touch of sadness.

THE FURIOUS FLYCYCLE (Yearling Books)

Wahl, Jan

Gr. 3-7 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75∉

Melvin Spitznagle, dedicated boy inventor and mechanical genius, is off on his "Furious Flycycle" to rescue his aunt, uncle and dimwitted cousins.

THE GRASS PIPE (Yearling Books)

Coles, Robert

Gr. 5-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75€

Paul, Charlie, and Tom, all in their early teens, were best friends who shared everything-including marijuana. Their reactions, doubts and fears are in this novel about the dangers of involvement with marijuana and drugs.

THE HAPPY ORPHELINE (Yearling Books)

Carlson, Natalie S.

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75€

When Brigitte is lost, she uses her imagination to find her way back home with her fellow orphans.

THE HOUND OF THE BASKERVILLES (Laurel-Leaf Books) Doyle, Arthur Conan

Gr. 5-12 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 45¢

In this mystery, Sherlock Holmes' most famous case, Henry Baskerville-newly come to the title and estate of the Baskerville family-finds himself threatened by the avenging hound of an ancient family curse.



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HUGO AND JOSEPHINE (Yearling Books) Gripe, Maria

Gr. 3-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

All the boys and girls in Josephine's first grade class bullied and teased her before she met Hugo, a wild, carefree boy who is more can a match for the school bulies.

IN A MIRROR (Laurel-Leaf Books)

Stolz, Mary

Gr. 5-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 50¢

Fat because of food: food because of fat. That's Bessie's description of herself at the start of the journal recording her efforts to slim down.

IN SPITE OF ALL TERROR (Yearling Books)

Burton, Hester

Gr. 6-12 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

Lonely Liz Hawtin, an English girl, was a fifteen-year-old school girl when the Battle of Britain began in World War II.

ISLAND OF THE BLUE DOLPHINS

O'Dell, Scott

Gr. 5-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

Karana, the Indian girl, lived alone for years on the Island of the Blue Dolphin in the Pacific.

JOHNY TREMAIN (Yearling Books)

Forbes, Esther

Gr. 6-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

Involvement of a handicapped young apprentice in the American Revolutionary struggle.

A JOURNEY OF POEMS (Laurel-Leaf Books)

Niebling, Richard F. (Ed.)

Gr. 5-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 50¢

This collection of 85 poems is arranged in thematic groups to reflect the preoccupations of the poet.

THE JUNGLE BOOKS (Laurel-Leaf Books)

Kipling, Rudyard

Gr. 5-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 50¢

In this collection of animal tales, the Indian boy Mowgli, lost in the jungle, finds refuge with a family of wolves and learns the lore of the jungle from various animals.

MY FRIEND FLICKA (Laurel-Leaf Books)

O'Hara, Mary

Gr. 5-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Set against the panoramic beauty of the Wyoming green-grass country, this novel introduces us to Ken McLaughlin, his family, and the stormy wild-tempered filly he named Flicka.

NIGHTBIRDS ON NANTUCKET (Yearling Books)

Aiken, Joan

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Two Victorian girls defy their wicked governess.

ORPHANS OF THE WIND (Yearling Books)

Haugaard, Erik C.

Gr. 5-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Jim, a 12-year-old deck boy, tells the story of life aboard an English brig during the American Civil War.

PETER AND VERONICA (Yearling Books)

Sachs, Marilyn

Gr. 3-6 (Reading and Interest)

This is a story about two children who won't let their parents' disapproval of their friendship on grounds of prejudice get in their way.

Paper 75¢

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Gr. 5-9 (Reading and Interest)

POETRY FESTIVAL (Laurel-Leaf Books)

PIPING DOWN THE VALLEYS WILD (Yearling Books)

Paper 60¢ This collection contains over 150 popular poems in our language.

Peter Graves, a rambunctious teenager, plans a hazardous game of follow the leader and winds up destroying the home of an old

This collection of poems is designed to spark children's interest

ROLLER SKATES (Yearling Books)

Bettenbender, John (Ed.)

PETER GRAVES (Yearling Books)

Gr. 5-9 (Reading and Interest)

Gr. 5-9 (Reading and Interest)

du Bois, William P.

Sawyer, Ruth

Larrick, Nancy

in poetry.

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Paper 75¢

Paper 95€

Ten-year-old Lucinda Wyman explores New York on roller skates.

SECRETS OF TUTANKHAMEN'S TOMB (Mayflower Books) Cottrell, Leonard

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 50¢

Story of King Tut and the mysteries of one of the most dramatic archaeological finds.

THE STORY OF DOCTOR DOLITTLE (Yearling Books)

Lofting, Hugh

Gr. 3-7 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Doctor Dolittle-a little old doctor who has so many animal pets all over his house that his patients won't visit him-becomes the animals' own doctor, able to speak their languages and cure their sufferings.

TEN SHORT PLAYS (Laurel-Leaf Books)

Weiss, M. Jerry (Ed.)

Gr. 6-12 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

This book contains 10 short plays of modern times.

TIME OF TRIAL (Yearling Books)

Burton, Hester

Gr. 6-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Courageous bookseller and his daughter are involved in crusade for freedom of speech in early 19th century London.

TREASURE ISLAND (Laurel-Leaf Books)

Stevenson, Robert Louis

Gr. 5-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 50¢

This story of Jim's discovery of a treasure map and his subsequent voyage to Captain Kidd's former hideout presents a host of characters.

TWIN SPELL (Yearling Books)

Lunn, Janet

Gr. 4-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Jane and Elizabeth were drawn to the antique store where they bought the old doll. Afterwards nothing was the same.

THE WOLVES OF WILLOUGHBY CHASE (Yearling Books) Aiken, Joan

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Wicked wolves without and a grim governess within: the great English country house proves sore trials for three children.

WONDERFUL WORLD OF HORSES

Hoopes, Ned E. (Ed.)

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 50¢

Stories about horses of all kinds by Saroyan, Steinbeck, Seton,

WREN

Killilea, Marie

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 65¢

Tells of author's family and loving atmosphere which pervades parents, children and pets.

DO BABY BEARS SIT IN CHAIRS? (Zephyr Books)

Kessler, Ethel and Leonard

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest) Paper 95¢

An illustrated children's book comparing things a little boy can do and animals can do.

THE FRIENDLY BEAR (Zephyr Books)

Bright, Robert

Gr. 3-4 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

One day Matt went to visit his Wise Grampa but the Friendly Bear was there instead of Grampa.

LAURA'S LUCK (Zephyr Books)

Sachs, Marilyn

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

How Laura, the bookworm, survived at summer camp among a bunch of silly, giggling girls.

NOISY NANCY NORRIS (Zephyr Books)

Gaeddert, Lou Ann

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Nancy Norris was a very noisy girl until one day she changed.

ROOM 10 (Zephyr Books)

McCarthy, Agnes

Gr. 3-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Wacky things happen in Classroom 10.

THE UPSIDE-DOWN MAN (Zephyr Books)

Ellentuck, Shan

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75d

In this picture book, the new man in town is very nice to everyone but he is upside down.

DOVER PUBLICATIONS, INC.

COUNTING OUT RHYMES

Withers, Carl (Ed.)

Gr. K-4 (Reading and Interest)

Paper \$1.00

One hundred rhymes and game-formulas recorded from children at play.

GROSSET & DUNLAP, INC.

ANDY BUCKRAM'S TIN MEN (Tempo Books)

Brink, Carol R.

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Four robots built by Andy come to life through a freak accident.

DANGER AT MORMON CROSSING (Tempo Books)

Barlow, Roger

Gr. 6-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 50¢

Paper 50¢

Two young boys on hunting expedition in Idaho bag a ferocious mountain lion.

LIFE UNDER THE PHAROAHS

Cottrell, Leonard

Gr. 6-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Re-creation of life in Egypt in 1500 B.C.

MY SIDE OF THE MOUNTAIN (Tempo Books)

George, Jean

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Account of a boy's experiment in self-sufficiency and living by himself off the land in a remote area of the Catskills.

HARCOURT BRACE JOVANOVICH, INC.

"B" IS FOR BETSY (Voyager Books)

Haywood, Carolyn

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Experiences of a six-year-old on the first day of school,

HALF MAGIC (Voyager Books)

Eager, Edward

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Paper 75¢

Fantasy in which an ancient coin provides a series of magical adventures for four children.

HERE'S A PENNY (Voyager Books)

Haywood, Carolyn

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Adventures of a six-year-old at home and at school.

LITTLE PEAR (Voyager Books)

Lattimore, Eleanor F.

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

From author's own childhood about life of a five-year-old in a Chinese village.

THE MOFFATS (Voyager Books)

Estes Eleanor

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75€

Adventures of four Connecticut children, their family and friends.

PLAIN GIRL (Voyager Books)

Sorensen, Virginia

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Story of young Amish girl's understanding of her people and their religion.

RIVER AT GREEN KNOWE (Voyager Books) Boston, L. M.

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Creepy things happen in this thriller.

MYSTERY OF BLACK FRIDAY MINE Sherer, Mary H. Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest) Paper 40¢ Larry was determined to find out what was going on in his gold mine. MYSTERY OF GRINNING IDOL Nixon, Joan L. Paper 50¢ Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest) Eileen solves the mystery of the grinning Mexican god of death. MYSTERY OF HARD LUCK HOUSE Martini, Teri Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest) Paper 45¢ Pam finds out that the abandoned "Hard Luck House" is aptly named. MYSTERY OF HURRICANE CASTLE Nixon, Joan L. Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest) Paper 55¢ Two girls are trapped in a musty castle during a raging hurricane. NEW BOY ON THE SIDEWALK

Craig, M. Jean
Gr. 1-3 (Reading and Interest)
Joey dislikes his just-moved-in neighbor—at first.

NOGGIN AND THE MOON MOUSE

Postgate, Oliver and Firmin, Peter
Gr. 3-5 (Reading and Interest)
A lunar mouse gets stranded in the land of Nog.
Paper 50¢

NOGGIN AND THE WHALE

Postgate, Oliver and Firmin, Peter

Gr. 3-5 (Reading and Interest)

A whale blocks the harbor channel on King Noggin's birthday.

ONE DAY EVERYTHING WENT WRONG

Vreeken, Elizabeth

Gr. 1-3 (Reading and Interest)

A problem day in a young boy's life.

ONE SILVER SPUR

Burt, Katharine N

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Toby's adventures include a strange encounter!

Manners, William

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

A physical fitness handbook outlined with charts, tests, exercises and diagrams.

PHOTOGRAPHY: A MANUAL FOR SHUTTERBUGS
Kohn, Eugene
Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)
Paper 60¢

A basic manual for the camera bug.
PIONEERS

Folsom, Franklin

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Twelve stories about the pioneers who settled America's Old West.

THE PRINCESS AND THE PEA

Gr. 1-3 (Reading and Interest)

Tale of the princess who has to prove her royalty.

PUZZLES AND RIDDLES

Beard, Isobel

Gr. 3-4 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Word and picture puzzles along with mazes and other pencil games.

PUZZLES FOR PLEASURE

Beard, Isobel

Gr. 2-4 (Reading and Interest)

Word and picture puzzles along with mazes and other pencil games.

PUZZLERS FOR YOUNG DETECTIVES

Franken, K.

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Detective puzzle stories with solutions at the end of the book.

RELUCTANT JANE

Ceder, Georgiana D.

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Tomboy Jane shares the burden of a fatherless family.

THE RIDDLE BOOK

Weigle, Oscar

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest) Paper 55¢

This selection includes some real challengers.

RIDDLES, RHYMES, JOKES #1

Ott, Winn and Phyllis

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

An activity book.

Paper 60¢

RIDDLES, RHYMES, JOKES #2
Ott, Winn and Phyllis
Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)
An activity book.

Paper 60¢

ROGER ELLIS-KNOW-IT-ALL
Grafton, Ann
Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)
A generation gap story.

Paper 60¢

RUMPELSTILTSKIN

Gr. 1-3 (Reading and Interest)

A simplified version of the classic fairy tale.

Paper 60¢

SCARECROW

Drueger, Louise

Gr. 1-3 (Reading and Interest)

A farmer solves the problem of pesky crows.

SECRET OF COOKIES, CANDIES, CAKES

Fletcher, Helen J.

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Sweets recipes that are easy to follow and create.

Paper 55¢

SECRET OF THE SEA WITCH
Cunningham, Mary
Gr. 5-6 (Reading and Interest)
Having a new stepbrother doesn't please Pam and Jennifer.

THE SHY KANGAROO

Steiner, Charlotte

Gr. 1-2 (Reading and Interest)

Ken the kangaroo is afraid to leave Mama's warm pouch.

SIMPLY FUN
Razzi, James
Gr. 1-3 (Reading and Interest)
A collection of games to play and toys to make.

SKI THE NEW WAY

Kramer, Franz

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Techniques for beginning and intermediate skiers.

Paper 60¢



1-2-3 GO1

SMARTY

Burt, Katharine N.

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Gee, Maurine

Paper 60¢

Reading about a runaway horse and a ranch feud.

SQUARE BEAR AND COUSIN BEAR

Steiner, Charlotte

Gr. 1-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢ Gr. 3-5 (Re

Two amiable bears disagree on how to build a house in the country.

STORY OF DINOSAURS

Brown, Stanley B. and Barbara M.

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Account of the Age of the Dinosaur. Pronunciation dictionary included.

STORY OF ELECTRICITY-MAGNETISM

Seeman, Bernard

Gr. 5-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 55¢

Experiments for the young scientist.

STRANGE LIZARDS

Earle, Olive L.

Gr. 3-5 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 55¢

Interesting facts and illustrations about present-day lizards.

TELEVISION AND HOW IT WORKS

David, Eugene

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

The how's and why's of this machine.

THOMAS AND THE WARLOCK

Hunter, Mollie

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

A boy accidentally becomes involved with uncanny forces.

THREE-IN-ONE CAR

Sankey, Alice

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Gary learns about the problems a beat-up jalopy can bring.

TIMOTHY AND THE SNAKES

Gee, Maurine H.

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Tim faces desert dangers!

TURTLES

Darling, Lois and Louis

Gr. 3-5 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 50¢

Paper 50¢

A presentation of facts about these pets.

TWO TRAGIC DEATHS

Allen, Harold C.

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

The lives of John and Robert Kennedy.

THE WEIGHTLESS MOTHER

Bell, Norman

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

The adventures of Mrs. Flippin, "the flying mother".

WHAT'S IN MY TREE?

Winter, Ginny L.

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 50¢

A tale of the changing seasons.

WHAT'S YOUR SPORTS SCORE?

Arthur, Howard

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Quiz questions on football, basketball, baseball and other popular sports. Answer section included.

WHAT WILL THE WEATHER BE?

Barr, J. and Chapin, C.

Gr. 2-4 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 50∉

What makes tornadoes, floods, snow, wind, etc.

WITCH, CAT, BASEBALL BAT

Hoff, Syd

Gr. 1-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

A baseball-hating witch makes a bat with an invisible hole.



# Introduction to Special Booklist for Ethnic Groups

Of the approximately 1350 titles included in Supplement No. 2, nearly 800 appear in the Special Booklist for Ethnic Groups. Because there are still relatively few paperbacks for black, Spanish-speaking or American Indian children, we have also listed hardbound books. We are hopeful that the modest increase in paperbacks for minority group children indicates a trend in the publishing industry.

Supplement 2 has 108 paperbacks for black children; the first Book Guide had 80. Forty of these titles were listed as hardbound books in the original Book Guide. For Spanish-speaking children, Supplement 2 has 78 paperbacks; the first Book Guide had 22. Fifty paperbacks are listed in Supplement 2 for Indian children; the first Book Guide had 22. The total number of paperbacks for minority group children in all three Book Guides is 401.

We hope there will be a substantial increase in the number of paperback books that relate to the lives and experiences of many of the children the RIF program aims to serve. Literature plays an important role in contributing to a child's self-image. For Mexican-American, Puerto Rican, American Indian, Appalachian, and Black urban and rural children there are still far too few inexpensive books published to serve this vitally important role.

Although a number of Spanish-language books are listed in the Guide, they are limited mainly to books published in this country. A few Spanish-language bibliographies that contain titles published by both U.S. and foreign publishers are included under our List of Sources Used.

For those persons interested in the purchase of Spanish-language books for children, many of which are published in other countries, write:

Martha V. Tomé, Director Proyecto Leer Organization of American States Washington, D.C. 20006

Two objectives of the above organization are: one, to evaluate and list material in Spanish for K to 12th Grade reading levels; two, to help make those books available through distributors in this country.

A few distributors have been recommended to us by Spanish-language programs, including the RIF project being conducted with the Los Angeles public schools. Catalogues are available from the following:

Heffernan Supply Co., Inc. P. O. Box 5309 San Antonio, Texas 78201 Latin American Productions P. O. Box 41017 Los Angeles, California 90041 Hispanic American Publications, Inc. 252 East 51st Street New York, N.Y. 10022

A RIF study is being made of the availability of relevant materials for the Spanish-speaking population. The study is also seeking to determine the accessibility and the extent of use of available materials. It is being conducted for RIF by Leveo Sanchez of Development Associates, Inc., Washington, D.C., through a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities. This study is scheduled to be completed in November and the copies of the findings will be available from the National RIF office.



# Special Book List For Ethnic Groups

# **BLACK ELEMENTARY**

#### ABELARD-SCHUMAN LIMITED

BERNADINE AND THE WATER BUCKET Olsen, Aileen

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$2.95

The adventures of an island child, as she goes alone for the first time to fetch water in the village.

BY SAIL AND WIND

Bothwell, Jean

Gr. 6-9 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$3.50

A discursive history and travel book about the Bahama Islands.

GREAT DAY IN GHANA: KWASI GOES TO TOWN Kay, Geraldine

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$2.50

On Independence Day, Kwasi visits his grandmother in Accra, dances in the streets, goes boat racing, and sees a fireworks display to end the memorable day,

#### ABINGDON PRESS

I CAN SEE WHAT GOD DOES

Wolcott, Carolyn M.

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

This book tells the story of a little black girl's discovery that she can see the things God does even if she can't see God.

WHEN SHOES EAT SOCKS

Klimowicz, Barbara

Gr. 2-4 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$3.50

The shoes of Barnaby, a little black boy, never were tied and when his socks got torn he claimed that his shoes ate his socks.

## ADDISON-WESLEY PUBLISHING COMPANY, INC.

AS TALL AS A SPEAR

Bond, Leon

Gr. 4-7 (Reading and Interest)

One year on the grasslands of the African Sudan, when the dry land yielded only thorns, Jany's father and the other warriors of the Nuer tribe set off to raid the villages of the Dinkas.

A picture book in which Johnie comes to understand the mean-

FREE AS A FROG

Hodges, Elizabeth J.

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

This book contains seven stories, two of which are about black

ing of freedom. THE MOON PONY

Pomerantz, Charlotte

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$4.35

This is the story of a black child's dream, with its delicate balance between the reality of life and the fantasy of wishes.

SEVEN BLACK AMERICAN SCIENTISTS

Hayden, Robert C.

Gr. 5-9 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$4.75

The life stories of these men span two centuries of American

#### AMÉRICAN BOOK COMPANY

HAM THE ASTROCHIMP

Georgiou, Constantine

Gr. 2-5 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

This is an illustrated story that tells how a chimpanzee was trained in Project Mercury to operate a rocket in outer space.

THE ANSWER

Gr. 3-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper \$1.04

The theme in the seven stories in this book is-What is happiness?

I'LL TRY

Gr. 2-4 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 88∉

The theme in the seven stories in this book is-Do you care about the things you do?

Manolakes, George and Dordick, Margaret and Scian, Marie J.

Gr. K-2 (Reading and Interest)

This is a simple story of a little black girl who never can find anything and wants a place of her own in which to keep things.

Hitte, Kathryn and Hayes, William D.

Gr. K-2 (Reading and Interest)

This is a simple story with pictures and brief text of how man learned to fly from his earliest attempts to modern times.

MY STORY

Gr. 3-6 (Reading and Interest)

There are five stories and two poems in this book, also a brief biography of Jackie Robinson.

PLAYING ALONE

Gr. 1-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 88¢

children. The last story is a very brief and simple biography of Roy Campanella.

SAD CLYDE THE COWBOY

Whitman, Tom

Gr. 2-4 (Reading and Interest)

Clyde who was the saddest cowboy that ever lived, made everyone else sad too-till Tommy Tunes came to visit. The text is brief and the illustrations are colorful.





#### SEVEN SLEEPERS

Coatsworth, Elizabeth

Gr. 2-4 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

The story of a house mouse who is deserted and can't find a crumb to eat. She learns from the field mice how to live off the land.

SOMEDAY

Gr. 1-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 88¢

This book contains seven stories, three of which are about black children. The theme in all is—What are you going to be when you grow up?

SPECIAL PEOPLE

Gr. 3-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper \$1.04

The theme in the eight stories in this book is-What is a friend?

**TEAMMATES** 

Gr. 4-7 (Reading and Interest)

Paper \$1.04

The seven stories in this book include one about Mrs. Rosa Parks, who wouldn't move to the back of the bus, causing the black people of Montgomery, Alabama, to walk to work. There is also a story about Marian Anderson and a brief biography of Malcolm X.

WHERE WILL WE GO?

Hitte, Kathryn

Gr. K-2 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 44¢

This is a little story about a black family that has to move because their old house is being torn down.

WHO IS IT?

Ely, Margot

Gr. 2-4 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

This book tells of games boys and girls like to play in Ghana, Brazil, Turkey and the U.S.

WHO WAS THE STRONGEST? and THE MONKEY AND THE ALLIGATOR

Georgiou, Constantine

Gr. 2-4 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Two short illustrated animal stories.

YOU'VE GOT TO CARE

Gr. 2-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 88¢

The theme of the six stories in this book is—Are you happy you're you? Included also is a poem by Langston Hughes.

APOLLO EDITIONS, INC.

JIM BECKWOURTH, NEGRO MOUNTAIN MAN Felton, Harold W.

Gr. 6-9 (Reading and Interest)

Paper \$1.75

Based on Beckwourth's autobiography about his life spent fighting Indians, hunting buffalo and horses and exploring new territories.

A SPECIAL BRAVERY

Johnston, Johanna

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper \$1.7

Achievements presented in poetic prose of 15 outstanding black Americans from Crispus Attucks to Martin Luther King, Jr.

THE ASSOCIATED PUBLISHERS, INC.

AFRICAN HEROES AND HEROINES

Woodson, Carter G.

Gr. 6-9 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$2.65

An account of some outstanding people in Africa's past in the fields of government, religion, customs, etc.

AFRICAN MYTHS

Woodson, Carter G.

Gr. 3-6 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$2.55

Simply written myths and proverbs of Africa.

NEGRO MAKERS OF HISTORY

Woodson, Carter G.

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$4.50

An account of the black man from his African origin to the present.

THE PICTURE-POETRY BOOK

McBrown, Gertrude

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$1.95

Simple verses illustrated by the black artist, Lois Jones.

TALKING ANIMALS

Hambly, Wilfred

Gr. 3-6 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$4.00

Animal folk tales from Africa.

ATHENEUM PUBLISHERS

THE ALMOST YEAR

Randall, Florence E.

Gr. 6-12 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$5.95

A black girl with a dead mother and no father was sent off to spend a year with a white family in a wealthy suburb. This creates tension and problems for the family.

ARMS AND ARMOR IN AFRICA

Nickel, Helmut

Gr. 4-12 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$5.25

The text photographs and drawings presented here show arms and armor from the various natural geographic zones of Africa.

A CRACK IN THE PAVEMENT

Howell, Ruth R.

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$3.7

Set in Harlem. A guide for the young child in his search for the many things that grow in the city.

"I SAW YOU FROM AFAR": A VISIT TO THE BUSHMEN OF THE KALAHARI DESERT

Perkins, Carol M. and Marlin

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$3.25

Abundant photographs supplement the text about the daily life of the Bushmen of the Kalahari Desert.

ORISHA, THE GODS OF YORUBALAND

Gleason, Judith

Gr. 6-12 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$5.25

These stories tell the beliefs of the Yoruha people of Nigeria.

A STORY A STORY

Haley, Gail E. (Retold by)

Gr. 2-6 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$5.95

This book tells how the African stories of Ananse the Spider Man came to be—with colorful illustrations.

A TRAINFUL OF STRANGERS

Hull, Eleanor

Gr. 3-6 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$3.95

Eight children who meet on a stalled subway train are subtly influenced by each other.

**ZOMO THE RABBIT** 

Sturton, Hugh

Gr. 3-6 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$3.95

Tales of Zoma teach the ways in which the little fellow uses his wits to get along with the more powerful members of his community and keep the forest animals at peace.

#### BANTAM BOOKS, INC.

THE BLACK AMERICANS

Lincoln, Eric

Gr. 6-12 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 60¢

Revised and abridged version of the Negro Pilgrimage in America.

BUSHBABY

Stevenson, William

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

Swahili headman risks his life when he accompanies the daughter of a game warden on a journey to return her pet bushbaby to its native home.

ON CITY STREETS

Larrick, Nancy

Gr. 5-12 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 75¢

A collection of poems and photographs about the city and its people.

**BEACON PRESS** 

THE KUNG OF THE KALAHARI

Bateman, Walter L.

Gr. 6-9 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$5.95

A presentation of the lore and culture of these Bushmen.

BENEFIC PRESS

TIP OFF

Lunemann, Evelyn

Gr. 3-6 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$2.20

The star of the basketball team hopes to win a scholarship until an accident takes him off the team.

THE BOBBS-MERRILL COMPANY, INC.

ANIMALS MOURN FOR DA LEOPARD AND OTHER WEST **AFRICAN TALES** 

Dorliae, Peter G.

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$4.50

A simple re-telling of authentic folktales by a contemporary Liberian chief.

BENJIE REAM

Hodges, Carl G.

Gr. 3-6 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$3.50

A young boy experiences the slave's longing for freedom when he becomes a bound boy after his father's death.

CHILDREN OF THE KALAHARI

Mertens, Alice

Gr. 2-4 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$4.50

This book presents the daily life, play and family life of Bushmen children.

THE HOT DOG MAN

Lynch, Lorenzo

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$5.00

A typical day in the life of a hot dog vendor.

MARY McLEOD BETHUNE, GIRL DEVOTED TO HER PEOPLE Burt, Olive W.

Gr. 3-6 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$2.50

An easy to read biography of the distinguished educator.

VOICES IN THE NIGHT

Bacmeister, Rhoc'a

Gr. 3-6 (Reading and Interest)

A new girl in the fifth grade is afraid she will not get any valentines from her white classmates.

YEAR OF THE CAFETERIA

Walker, Mary A.

Gr. 6-10, (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$4.95

This is a story of the relationship of a black girl and her grandmother, bridging the old world and the new.

BOWMAR

DO YOU KNOW WHAT . . . ?

Jaynes, Ruth

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$3.25

Very brief text and color photographs enswer a small child's

FATHER IS BIG

Radlauer, Ruth and Ed

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$3.25

The relationship between a little boy and his father is explored.

MOONBEAM AT THE ROCKET PORT

Wasserman, Selma and Jack

Gr. 2-5 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$2,32

A space fantasy about a monkey in a scientific program. Illustrations show both black and white scientists.

WATCH ME INDOORS

Jaynes, Ruth

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$3.25

When her mother visits her at nursery school, Kathy shows her all the things she can do.

GEORGE BRAZILLER, INC.

THE HURRICANE

Gudmundson, Shirley M.

Hard \$3.50

Gr. 3-6 (Reading and Interest) This is a story that has present-day children of the West Indies as its central characters. It is a sequel to The Turtle Net.

THE TURTLE NET

Gudmundson, Shirley M.

Gr. 4-6 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$3.95

A seventeen-year-old West Indian girl returns to her native Grenada and unravels a mystery.

CAMBRIDGE BOOK COMPANY, INC.

**EXPERIENCING (ENCOUNTERS)** 

Gr. 2-6 (Reading and Interest)

The text of this book was developed from the recorded comments of children as they were being photographed on a trip to a space center and to Watts Towers and at play in their own neighborhoods. The photographs are of children of many ethnic groups and the language is their own.

**EXPLORING (ENCOUNTERS)** 

Gr. 2-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper \$2.00

The text of this book was developed from the recorded comments of children as they were being photographed playing all kinds of games. The photographs are of both black and white children and the language is their own.

SEARCHNG (ENCOUNTERS)

Gr. 2-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper \$2.00

The text of this book was developed from the recorded comments of children as they were being photographed at work in school, on a trip to a museum and at play after school. The photographs are of both black and white children and the language is their own.



#### VENTURING (ENCOUNTERS)

Gr. 2-6 (Reading and Interest)

Paper \$2.00

The text of this book was developed from the recorded comments of children as they were being photographed playing with all kinds of animals and doing daring things. The photographs are of both black and white children and the language is their own.

#### **CHILDRENS PRESS**

ENTERPRISE (Open Door Books)

Williams, Joe

Gr. 5 (Reading), Gr. 5-12 (Interest)

Paper 75¢

This is the life story of Joe Williams, a black man, who overcame odds to become the owner of an industrial commercial laundry.

LOOK TO THE LIGHT SIDE (Open Door Books)

Stallworth, Dave

Gr. 5 (Reading), Gr. 5-12 (Interest)

Paper 75¢

This is the story of Dave Stallworth, a black pro-basketball player, who had to quit the game after a heart attack but through courage and conviction made a successful return to pro-basketball.

THE LORD IS MY SHEPHERD (Open Door Books)

Gibson, Truman

Gr. 5 (Reading), Gr. 5-12 (Interest)

Paper 75¢

This is the life story of Truman Gibson, a black man, who overcame odds to become executive of a black insurance company.

SO MANY DETOURS (Open Door Books)

Jones, Mallory

Gr. 5 (Reading), Gr. 5-12 (Interest)

Paper 75¢

This is the life story of Mallory Jones, a poor black boy from East St. Louis, Missouri, who has become the successful owner of a McDonald franchise.

#### **COLLIER BOOKS**

GOGGLES

Keats, Ezra

Gr. K-3 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

Peter and his friend Archie find motorcycle goggles; bigger boys try to take them away.

ZEELV

Hamilton, Virginia

Gr. 4-7 (Reading and Interest)

Paper 95¢

A black girls learns to distinguish between fantasy and reality when she finally meets the majestic woman she has imagined to be a Watusi princess.

#### COWARD, McCANN & GEOGHEGAN, INC.

CHANGING OF THE GUARD: THE NEW BLACK POLITICAL BREED Duckett, Alfred

Gr. 6-12 (Reading and Interest)

Hard \$3.40

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