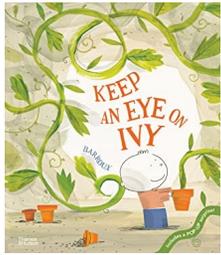


## Days of the Week

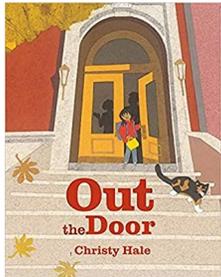


**Keep an Eye on Ivy**  
By Barroux

J E BARROUX  
Ages 4 to 8

Ivy is an exotic plant that needs care, day after day, and grows bigger, while the family disappears one by one.

## Directions



**Out the Door**  
By Christy Hale

J E HALE  
Ages 3 to 6

Follow a girl through her day in a busy city, and learn directional concepts like over, under, and through.

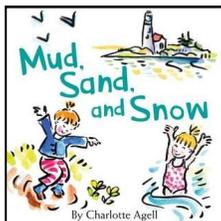
## Seasons



**Goodbye Winter, Hello Spring**  
By Kenard Pak

J E PAK  
Ages 4 to 8

A young boy watches how nature changes from winter into spring.  
(Look for other books in this series)



**Mud, Sand, and Snow**  
By Charlotte Agell

BOARD BOOK AGELL  
Ages 4 to 6

A joyous celebration of the four seasons.

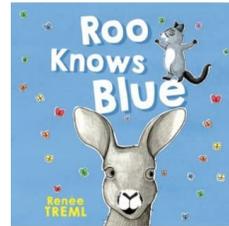
## Colors



**Crayola Spring Colors**  
By Jodie Shepherd

J 535.6 SHE  
Ages 4 to 9

Explore color in the world around you.  
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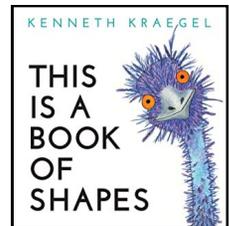


**Roo Knows Blue**  
By Renee Trembl

J E TREML  
Ages 0 to 3

Roo knows and loves the color blue, but does he know other colors, too? Sing along with Roo and Possum as they practice their colors.

## Shapes

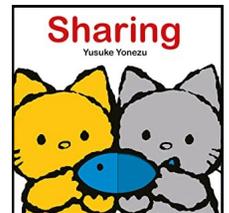


**This is a Book of Shapes**  
By Kenneth Kraegel

BOARD BOOK KRAEGEL  
Ages 2 to 5

What begins as a concept book about everyday shapes soon defies expectations with a series of funny and imaginative twists.

## Sharing



**Sharing**  
By Yusuke Yonezu

BOARD BOOK YONEZU  
Ages 2 to 4

Adorable animal characters learn the importance of sharing food and time.  
(Look for other books in this series)

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# Concept Books

Letters, Numbers, and More!



## The Basics And Beyond!

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**Concept Books** are illustrated books for children that help kids learn basic principles. Alphabet and counting books are the most popular, but concept books may also present shapes, colors, opposites, days of the week, the seasons, animals, and much more.

Concept books range in sophistication from simple board books for toddlers to more complicated picture book stories for older children.

**This guide features a small sampling. Ask your librarian for more concept books.**

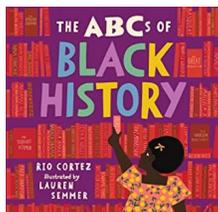
## The Alphabet/Letters



**ABC Animals**  
By Christopher Evans

J E EVANS  
Ages 3 to 8

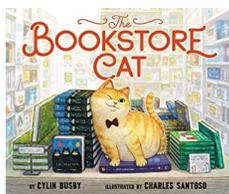
Take a tour of the alphabet and the animal world via bold and intricate digital woodcut illustrations.



**The ABCs of Black History**  
By Rio Cortez and Lauren Semmer

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Ages 5 and up

Letter by letter, readers will celebrate a story that spans continents and centuries, triumph and heartbreak, creativity and joy.

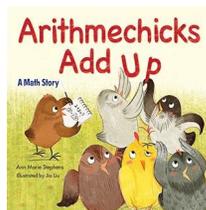


**The Bookstore Cat**  
By Cylin Busby and Charles Santoso

J E BUSBY  
Ages 4 to 8

Follow the bookstore cat's antics from A to Z through a day in his bustling, book-filled shop.

## Counting/Numbers



**Arithmechicks Add Up**  
By Ann Marie Stephens and Jia Liu

J E STEPHENS  
Ages 4 to 8

Provides a playful introduction to basic math, through the antics of ten little chicks and their tiny mouse friend.

**(Look for other books in this series)**



**One is A Lot**  
By Mượn Thị Văn and Pierre Pratt

J E VAN  
Ages 3 to 7

Readers view the smallest numbers, 0, 1 and 2, in a new way.



**Snoozapalooza**  
By Kimberlee Gard

J E GARD  
Ages 5 to 8

Count to ten with these cuddly forest creatures as they settle down and hibernate for the winter.

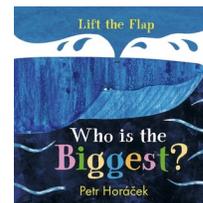


**Ten Ways to Hear Snow**  
By Cathy Camper and Kenard Pak

J E CAMPER  
Ages 4 to 8

As Lina walks to her grandmother's house to help make the family recipe for warak enab, she discovers many ways to hear snow, from the scrape of a shovel on a sidewalk to the quiet pats of snowman-building.

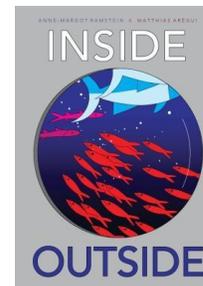
## Opposites



**Who is the Biggest**  
By Petr Horáček

BOARD BOOK HORACEK  
Ages 0 to 3

Opposites abound in a colorful book of animals, inviting readers to celebrate each creature for its differences.

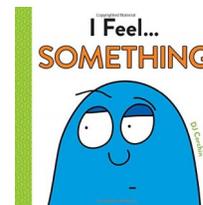


**Inside Outside**  
By Anne-Margot Ramstein and Matthias Arégui

J E RAMSTEIN  
Ages 4 to 8

With clever examples, this book takes a unique approach to the concept of inside vs. outside.

## Feelings

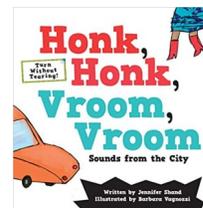


**I Feel... Something**  
By DJ Corchin

J 152.4 COR  
Ages 4-8

Discover your feelings, learn how to express yourself, and have fun. **(Look for other books in this series)**

## Sounds



**Honk, Honk, Vroom, Vroom**  
By Jennifer Shand and Barbara Vagnozzi

J E SHAND  
Ages 3 to 6

Listen for cars, people, dogs, and more in this book about the sounds you can hear all around the city! **(Look for other books in this series)**