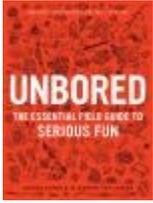


NON-FICTION:



Unbored: The Essential Field Guide to Serious Fun

By Joshua Glenn & Elizabeth Foy Larsen
J 790 UNB

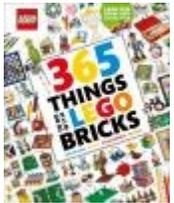
This book is jam-packed with information, ideas, and activities for children and their parents to share together. Vibrantly designed and illustrated, it's crammed with activities that are not only fun and doable, but get kids engaged in the wider world – and provides information to expand their worldviews, too, inspiring them to learn more.



Sports

By Dan Gutman
J 796 GUT

Join the gang from My Weird School as they present Fast Facts about various sports.



365 Things To Do With LEGO Bricks

By Simon Hugo
J 688.72 HUG

This interactive book features imaginative play and building ideas, from LEGO projects that take just a few minutes and require a handful of bricks to inspirational build ideas and activities to keep you occupied for hours.



Real or Fake?

By Emily Krieger; illus. by Tom Nick Cocotos
J 081 KRI

Offers suspicious stories, fishy facts, and dubious lists, encouraging readers to determine which facts are true and which are false.



The Long, Long Journey

By Sandra Markle; illus. by Mia Posada
J 598.33 MAR

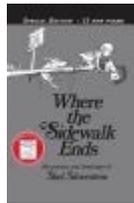
A godwit hatches, evades predators, and learns to hunt and fly. Then, she sets off on her first migration – 7,200 nonstop miles from Alaska to New Zealand.



The Secret Life of the Red Fox

By Laurence Pringle; illus. by Kate Garchinsky
J 599.775 PRI

This book follows a year in the life of a red fox. Readers learn facts about red foxes, their habitats, and their habits.



Where the Sidewalk Ends

By Shel Silverstein
J 811.54 SIL

A boy who turns into a TV set and a girl who eats a whale are only two of the characters in a collection of humorous poetry illustrated with the author's own drawings.



Beastly Verse

Illus. by JooHee Yoon
J 808.819 YOO

This is an anthology of 16 animal poems for children by authors ranging from Lewis Carroll to D. H. Lawrence to Anonymous.

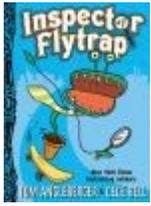


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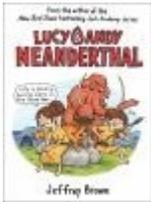
FICTION:



Inspector Flytrap

By Tom Angleberger; illus. by Cece Bell
J FIC ANGLEBERGER

Hoping to become the greatest detective that ever grew, Inspector Flytrap, a Venus Flytrap, and his assistant, Nina the Goat, investigate "big deal" mysteries at an art museum, a cookie shop, and a garden.



Lucy & Andy Neanderthal

By Jeffrey Brown
J GN BROWN

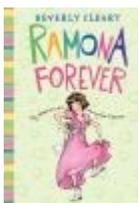
Lucy and her goofball brother Andy, two Neanderthal siblings living 40,000 years ago, take on a wandering baby sibling, bossy teens, cave paintings, and a mammoth hunt. But what will happen when they encounter a group of humans?



Bad Kitty Takes the Test

By Nick Bruel
J FIC BRUEL

Because of a recent string of embarrassing behavior, Kitty's cat license has been revoked and she must take a test to get it back so she can still be a cat.



Ramona Forever

By Beverly Cleary
J FIC CLEARY

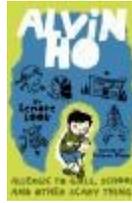
Ramona's year in third grade is highlighted by the arrival of Howie's rich uncle, a change in her after-school situation, a surprise wedding, a death and a new arrival in the family, and her father's getting a job.



Olga and the Smelly Thing From Nowhere

By Elise Gravel
J FIC GRAVEL

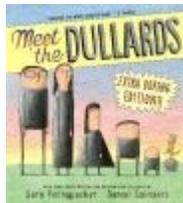
Discovering a smelly creature in her garbage can that she names after herself, Olga befriends and studies the eccentric Olgamus using the scientific method, the practices of Jane Goodall, and other scientific concepts.



Alvin Ho Allergic to Girls, School, and Other Scary Things

By Lenore Look; illus. by LeUyen Pham
J FIC LOOK

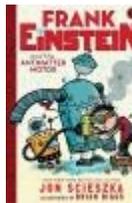
A young boy in Concord, Massachusetts, who loves superheroes and comes from a long line of brave Chinese farmer-warrior, wants to make friends, but first he must overcome his fear of everything.



Meet the Dullards

By Sara Pennypacker; illus. by Daniel Salmieri
J E PENNYPACKER

Mr. and Mrs. Dullard move their family to a boring town to avoid any excitement in their lives.



Frank Einstein and the Antimatter Motor

By Jon Scieszka; illus. by Brian Biggs
J FIC SCIESZKA

Child genius Frank Einstein tries to invent a robot that can learn on its own, and after an accident brings Klink and Klank to life, they set about helping Frank perfect his Antimatter Motor until his arch-nemesis, T. Edison, steals the robots for his doomsday plan.



Third Grade Angels

By Jerry Spinelli; illus. by Jennifer A. Bell
J FIC SPINELLI

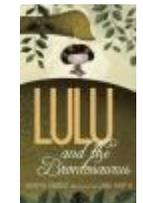
George "Suds" Morton competes with his third-grade classmates to earn the first "halo" of the year for good behavior, but being good turns out to be more stressful than he anticipated.



Giant Trouble

By Ursula Vernon
J FIC VERNON

When Princess Harriet climbs an enormous beanstalk, she finds an even bigger surprise--a giant rabbit is keeping a goose and a girl who is half-harp-half-hamster are prisoner, and it's up to Harriet to save the day.



Lulu and the Brontosaurus

By Judith Viorst; illus. by Lane Smith
J FIC VIORST

Lulu's parents refuse to give in when she demands a brontosaurus for her birthday and so she sets out to find her own, but while the brontosaurus she finally meets approves of pets, he does not intend to be Lulu's.



Rise of the Earth Dragon

By Tracey West
J FIC WEST

Eight-year-old Drake is snatched up by the King's soldiers and taken to the castle where he is told by the wizard Griffith that he has been chosen to be a Dragon Master like Ana, Rori, and Bo--and his first task will be to discover whether his dragon, Worm, has any special powers.