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Wish List

If you would like to dedicate a book for one of the middle school Recognition Assemblies please email or call the librarian, Mrs. Chess, to place an order for one of the following books or stop by the library to make a selection from one of the preordered books.

Reference and Nonfiction List



100 greatest African Americans: a biographical encyclopedia

(#20796M7)

by Asante, Molefi K., 1942- - Prometheus Books, p2002, c2002
920
Int Lvl: YA

Profiles one hundred men and women who have had a significant impact on African-American history from 1619 through the present.

 Publisher's Hardcover **\$48**



100 most popular genre fiction authors: biographical sketches and bibliographies (#36744P6)

by Drew, Bernard A. (Bernard Alger), 1950- p2005, c2005
813
Int Lvl: PF

Presents biographical sketches of one hundred popular fiction authors representing all major genres including science fiction, mysteries, and fantasy, and profiles their careers and literary credentials.

 Publisher's Hardcover **\$75**

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100 spiritual leaders who shaped world history

(#21390S5)

by Crompton, Samuel Willard. - Bluewood Books, p2001, c2001
200
Int Lvl: YA

 Paperback **\$8**

Presents biographical profiles of one hundred spiritual leaders significant to world history, arranged chronologically according to birth year, including Akhenaten, Moses, Jesus Christ, Socrates, Lao-tzu, the Buddha, Confucius, Muhammad, Mohandas Gandhi, Mother Teresa, Martin Luther King Jr., Desmond Tutu, Pope John Paul II, and the Fourteenth Dalai Lama.

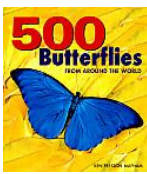


100 words every high school freshman should know

(#36328W8)

 Paperback **\$11**

Defines and provides usage examples for one hundred words likely to be encountered by students in their freshman year of high school, and includes three vocabulary enrichment exercises.



500 butterflies : butterflies from around the world

(#13643U3)

by Preston-Mafham, Ken.

595.78

Interest Level: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$26

Includes bibliographical references (p. 528) and index. Provides information on five hundred species, subspecies, and forms of butterflies, covering their natural history, distribution, habitats, diets, behavior, reproduction, and taxonomy.



1900s

(#02763R9)

by - Eldorado Link, p2005, c2005

909.82

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$26

Chronicles the first decade of the twentieth century in text and photos, describing events and developments in society, politics, science and technology, religion, philosophy, exploration and discovery, the arts, sports, and pop culture around the world.



1910s

(#13113R2)

by - Eldorado Link, p2005, c2005

909.82

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$26

Chronicles the years 1910-19 in text and photos, describing events and developments in society, politics, science and technology, religion, philosophy, exploration and discovery, the arts, sports, and pop culture around the world.



1920s

(#19460R6)

by - Eldorado Link, p2005, c2005

909.82

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$26

Chronicles the 1920s in text and photos, describing events and developments in politics, science and technology, exploration and discovery, religion, philosophy, the arts, sports, society, and pop culture around the world.



1930s

(#20923R2)

by - Eldorado Link, p2005, c2005

909.82

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$26

Chronicles the 1930s in text and photos, describing events and developments in politics, science and technology, exploration and discovery, religion, philosophy, the arts, sports, society, and pop culture around the world.



1940s

(#21283R7)

by - Eldorado Link, p2005, c2005

909.82

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$26

Contains a collection of short biographies of influential men and women and key events of the 1940s including the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor and beginning of World War Two, Adolf Hitler's rise to power, the Doolittle Raid, the Homefront and wartime movies, the atomic bomb, and more.



1950s

(#03950R6)

by - Eldorado Link, p2005, c2005

909.82

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$26

Chronicles the 1950s in text and photos, describing events and developments in politics, science and technology, exploration and discovery, religion, philosophy, the arts, sports, society, and pop culture around the world.



1960s

(#25201RX)

by - Eldorado Link, p2005, c2005

909.82

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$26

Contains a collection of short biographies of influential men and women and key events of the 1960s including John F. Kennedy, the Berlin Wall, Cuban Missile crisis, Civil Rights movement and Martin Luther King, U.S. space flights, the Vietnam War, and more.



1970s

(#02351R6)

by - Eldorado Link, p2005, c2005
909.82

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$26

Chronicles the 1970s in text and photos, describing events and developments in politics, science and technology, religion, philosophy, the arts, sports, society, and pop culture around the world.



1980s

(#25881R3)

by - Eldorado Link, p2005, c2005
909.82

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$26

Contains a collection of short biographies of influential people and key events of the 1980s including the Iran-Iraq War, Ronald Reagan presidency, Star Wars, first space shuttle launch and the Challenger disaster, the collapse of the Berlin Wall and end of Communism, and more.



1990s

(#20104R3)

by - Eldorado Link, p2005, c2005
909.82

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$26

Chronicles the 1990s in text and photos, describing events and developments in areas mentioned in previous decade series.



A to Z of women in science and math

(#24595T4)

by Yount, Lisa. - Facts On File, p2008, c2008
509.2

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$60

Profiles 195 women throughout history to have achieved prominence and success in the fields of math and science including eighteenth-century Italian mathematician Maria Gaetana Agnesi, African-American physicist Shirley Ann Jackson, and British zoologist Valerie Jane Goodall.



African-American writers

(#13657P8)

by Bader, Philip, 1969- - Facts On File, p2004, c2004
810.9

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$45

Presents alphabetized biographical profiles of 150 African-American writers, describing their works and their significance in literary history, and provides a further reading list for each entry, a bibliography, and three reference lists.



All the people

(#26663R9)

by Hakim, Joy. - Oxford University Press, p2005, c2005

973.92

Int Lvl: 5-8

Publisher's Hardcover \$22

Presents an overview of United States history 1945 to 2001, discussing the achievements of political leaders, entertainers, and others.



Amazing Leonardo da Vinci

inventions you can build yourself : learn some hands-on history(#39410X0)

by Anderson, Maxine

709

FollettBound Glued \$20

Interest Level: 5-8

Includes index. Presents step-by-step instructions for making nineteen of Leonardo da Vinci's inventions, including a perspectograph, camera obscura, hydrometer, safety bridge, walk-on-water shoes, and--miniature versions of--his helicopter and tank, and provides background on each.



American government on file

(#14158Q0)

by Tomaselli-Moschovitis, Valerie. - Facts On File, p2004, c2004

320.973

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$185

Contains information about American government in graphic format, including time lines, charts, diagrams, and maps, covering the foundations of government and U.S. democracy, the structure and function of U.S. government, citizenship, civil liberties, civic responsibilities, policy-making, state and local government, and international and economic issues.



American Indian biographies

(#10180R1)

by - Salem Press, p2005, c2005

920

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$70

Presents a collection of essays that profile the lives of over three hundred Native American Indians in history including religious, social, and political leaders, warriors, and reformers, as well as artists, writers, entertainers, athletes, and scientists.



Art: an A-Z guide

(#22958KX)

by Greenway, Shirley. - F. Watts, p2000, c2000

703

Int Lvl: 5-8

Publisher's Hardcover \$24

A dictionary of terms and concepts related to art history and art techniques, including artists and schools of art.



Artists: from Michaelangelo to Maya Lin [multi-volume set]

(#13563L7)

by Galens, Judy, 1968- - UXL , p2002, c2002

709

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$126

Contains alphabetically arranged entries that provide information about the lives of sixty sculptors, painters, architects, photographers, illustrators, and designers whose work has made a significant impact on the art world, and includes portraits, essays discussing a range of art concepts and movements, and lists of resources.



Bartlett's familiar quotations: a collection of passages, phrases, and Proverbs traced to their sources in ancient and modern literature (#10289NX)

by Bartlett, John, 1820-1905. - Little, Brown and Co., p2002, c2002
808.88

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$43

Contains over 25,000 quotations of literary, intellectual, or historical significance, representing 2,500 authors as well as anonymous speakers, arranged chronologically by author's birth date; and includes an author index and a subject/key word index.



Bicycle science projects: physics on wheels (#12005Q2)

by Gardner, Robert, 1929-

Publisher's Hardcover \$20

531

Interest Level: YA

Includes bibliographical references (p. 108) and index.; The emergence of bicycles -- Bikes, gears, and speed -- Using your bicycle to measure distance and speed -- Forces every cyclist must overcome or apply -- Working on your bicycle. Presents a series of science experiments to learn about physics by using a bicycle such as how the gears work, why some bikes need thicker tires than others, and how to use water balloons to measure speed.



Biotechnology and genetic engineering (#13012V2)

by Yount, Lisa. - Facts On File, p2008, c2008

303.48

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$45

Presents an overview of issues surrounding the changing role of biotechnology and genetic engineering, and includes a chronology, brief biographies of significant individuals in the field, a glossary of terms, and a guide to further research.



Body by design: from the digestive system to the skeleton [multi-volume set] (#27884J9)

by Nagel, Rob. - UXL, p1999, c1999
612
Int Lvl: 5-8

Publisher's Hardcover \$126

Presents an illustrated examination of the anatomy and physiology of the human body, looking at the design, workings, ailments, and care of eleven body systems; and includes discussion of the senses of hearing, sight, smell, and taste.



Bone detective: the story of Forensic anthropologist

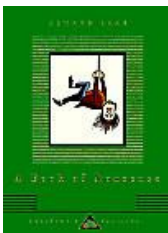
Diane France (#10374R5)
by Hopping, Lorraine Jean.

Publisher's Hardcover \$23

363.25

Interest Level: 5-8

Includes bibliographical references (p. 110-111) and index.; Diane France's brain -- The doctor's daughter -- A choice education -- Matters of the heart -- The pig people : a grave experiment -- Killer secrets, unearthed -- The royal bones -- Casting characters from history -- Disaster is one call away -- Diane France's skull? Presents a look at the life and career of forensic anthropologist Diane France, providing information on her childhood, her education, and her work studying bones from human remains that reveal information about the past.



A book of nonsense

(#10016JX)

by Lear, Edward, 1812-1888.

Publisher's Hardcover \$14

821

Interest Level: 5-8

Notes: A collection of over 100 limericks with the author's original illustrations.



CDs, super glue, and salsa: how everyday products are made [multi-volume set] (#19392H2)

by Rose, Sharon. - UXL, p1995, c1995
670
Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$126

CDs, super glue, and salsa: how everyday products are made



Checks and balances: the three branches of the American government [multi-volume set] (#01988N1)

by Brannen, Daniel E., 1968- - UXL, p2005, c2005
320.473
Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$181

Presents a three-volume set that discusses the inner structure of the three separate branches of the Federal government, and includes a timeline of events and cumulative index along with information on the constitutional role of each branch, how they are run, and the changes that have occurred over the years.



Complete life science resource [multi-volume set] (#25793K1)

by Bruno, Leonard C. - UXL, p2001, c2001
570

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$190

Presents alphabetically arranged entries on 240 life science concepts, discoveries, developments, and theories, and also includes a time line, research and activity section, bibliography, and 180 black-and-white illustrations.



The concise Oxford dictionary of music
(#24874T0)

by Kennedy, Michael, 1926- - Oxford University Press, p2007, c2007
780.3
Int Lvl: YA

Paperback \$19

Contains more than fourteen thousand alphabetized, cross-referenced entries on musical terms, composers, performers, orchestras, instruments, and other topics.



Congress A to Z.
(#11032X2)
by - CQ Press, p2008, c2008
328.73
Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$89

More than two hundred alphabetically arranged entries offer nontechnical explanations of congressional operations, background on the development of the modern Congress, information on such subjects as the legislative process and the congressional committee system, profiles of individual committees, and short biographies of important members of Congress, past and present.



Dictionary of computer and Internet terms (#09998Z2)
by - Barrons, p2009, c2009
004
Int Lvl: YA

Paperback \$13

Contains over 3,200 alphabetically arranged entries that provide definitions and explanations of computer and Internet terms and expressions; and covers media, digital photography and audio, as well as Internet culture and humor.



A dictionary of costume and fashion: historic and modern: with over 950 illustrations (#35305H6)

by Picken, Mary Brooks, 1886- - Dover Publications, p1999, c1999
746.9

Paperback \$16

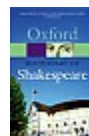
Defines more than 10,000 words related to clothing and fashion, providing over 950 illustrations and covering not only pieces of attire but also stitches, weaves, fabrics, and accessories.



A dictionary of folklore (#03668K7)
by Pickering, David, 1958- - Facts On File, p1999, c1999
398
Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$44

Contains more than 1,000 alphabetically arranged entries that discuss the central themes and traditions of world folklore, emphasizing the social and oral traditions of the British Isles, Western Europe, and North America.



A dictionary of Shakespeare
(#17225R7)
by Wells, Stanley W., 1930- - Oxford University Press, p2005, c2005
822.3
Int Lvl: YA

Paperback \$22

Contains alphabetically-arranged entries on the life and works of sixteenth-century playwright and poet William Shakespeare and other authors associated with him, and includes chronology, list of characters, and the individual plays in which they appear.



Egyptian mythology A to Z
(#05911S5)
by Remler, Pat. - Facts On File, p2006, c2006
299
Int Lvl: 5-8 Rd Lvl: 7.4

Publisher's Hardcover \$40

Contains over 400 alphabetically-arranged entries on major figures, places, stories, objects, and themes in Egyptian mythology; along with illustrations, bibliography, index, and cross-references.



Emily Post's Etiquette

(#06629Q1)

by Post, Peggy, 1945- - HarperResource, p2004, c2004
395

Int Lvl: AD

Publisher's Hardcover **\$34**

Presents a comprehensive guide to manners and good etiquette from Emily Post's great-granddaughter-in-law and contains advice on a number of issues including entertaining, raising children, social protocol, writing letters, and getting along with co-workers.



Encyclopedia of American folklore

(#12294SX)

by Watts, Linda S., 1960- - Facts On File, p2007, c2007
398

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover **\$70**

Contains alphabetically arranged entries that examine topics, terms, themes, figures, and issues related to American folklore, covering memorable characters, fables, fairy tales, myths, historical events, holidays, cultural groups and sites, regions, and organizations.



***Encyclopedia of earth and physical sciences* [multi-volume set] (#24636R2)**

by - Marshall Cavendish, p2006, c2006
500.2

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover **\$500**

Contains nearly five hundred alphabetically arranged entries that provide information on major Earth and physical science topics, covering chemistry, environment and physical geography, geology and mineralogy, mathematics, meteorology, oceanography, physics, and space science, and includes biographical entries, special feature essays, and individual volume and comprehensive indexes.



Encyclopedia of plague and pestilence: from ancient times to the present (#26986T6)

by - Facts On File, p2008, c2008
614.4

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover **\$85**

Presents a comprehensive encyclopedia of over 720 infectious diseases from the ancient Philistine plague of the eleventh century to the modern SARS and Bird Flu outbreaks; and provides details on when and where they began, how and why it happened, and how it was treated.



The encyclopedia of the dog: the definitive visual guide (#10315X3)

by Fogle, Bruce. - DK, p2007, c2007
636.7

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover **\$34**

Text and full-color illustrations profile more than 420 dog breeds and varieties, providing statistical, physical, and historical information; sections on dog evolution, domesticity, physical construction, language, and care are also included in the volume.



***Encyclopedia of weather and climate* [multi-volume set] (#25717T3)**

by Allaby, Michael. - Facts On File, p2007, c2007
551.6

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover **\$165**

A two-volume set which features maps, charts, photographs, and four thousand cross-referenced entries which discuss a variety of topics related to weather and climate.



Experiment central. Volume 5, A-O: understanding scientific principles through projects

(#09737P4)

by Nelson, M. Rae. - UXL , p2004, c2004
507

Publisher's Hardcover \$70

Provides instructions for twenty-eight science experiments and projects for students, each with an explanatory overview, an eight-step experimental process, definitions of terms, and safety and troubleshooting tips; arranged alphabetically by scientific concept, from air to oceans.



The Facts on File dictionary of astronomy (#27093S8)

by - Facts on File, p2006, c2006

520.3
Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$60

Contains over 3,700 cross-referenced entries on various aspects of astronomy, covering celestial bodies, observational techniques and instruments, theories, and other terms and topics.



The Facts on File dictionary of chemistry (#06784R7)

by - Facts on File, p2005, c2005
540

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$45

Contains over three thousand alphabetized, cross-referenced entries on topics in chemistry, and includes sixty line drawings and a bibliography.



The Facts on File Earth science handbook (#16574S1)

by - Facts on File, p2006, c2006
550

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$40

Presents an introduction to earth science. providing a glossary of terms related to the subject, biographies of more than one hundred scientists, and a chronology of important events. Includes charts and tables and a list of further resources.



The Facts on File physics Handbook (#10921S2)

by - Facts on File, p2006, c2006
530
Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$40

An easy-to-understand handbook that answers the most frequently asked questions on physics covering topics such as acceleration, boiling point, catalyst, electrolyte, gamma radiation, inertia, relative atomic mass, and white dwarf; and contains chronologies, biographies, and glossary entries.



A guide to the elements

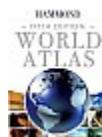
(#19361M7)

by Stwertka, Albert. - Oxford University Press, p2002, c2002
546

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$44

Explains some of the basic concepts of chemistry, traces the history and development of the periodic table of elements, and features articles that discuss the properties and applications of each of the 114 elements.



Hammond world atlas (#24981V7)

by - Hammond World Atlas Corporation, p2008, c2008
912

Int Lvl: AD

Publisher's Hardcover \$52

A collection of physical and political maps of the world and major world regions, featuring additional text, graphs, and photographs that provide information on a variety of topics, such as religion, economy, and population; and including a selection of satellite images.



Historical atlas of religions

(#07043N8)

by Farrington, Karen. - Checkmark Books, p2002, c2002
911

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$35

Presents an historical atlas of the religions and faiths of the world, and contains details maps, photographs, and illustrations that describe the history of Judaism, Christianity, and Islam, ancient religions of the Americas and Africa, the Crusades and Reformation of Europe, and beliefs of the Far East and Asia



Holidays, festivals, and celebrations of the world dictionary: detailing nearly 2,500 observances from all 50 states and more than 100 nations (#31305H8)

by - Omnigraphics, p2005, c2005

394.26

Int Lvl: AD

Publisher's Hardcover \$133

Contains descriptions of nearly 2,500 special days commemorated by people of various countries, cultures, and religions around the world; arranged alphabetically by name of holiday.



Improve your study skills

(#28398J1)

by Coman, Marcia J. - NTC Learning Works, p1998, c1998

378.13

Int Lvl: YA

Paperback \$13

Offers a step-by-step plan for developing study skills, discussing concentration, time management, note taking, test anxiety, reading speed and comprehension, skimming and scanning, using the dictionary and library resources, and other topics.



Junior Worldmark encyclopedia of foods and recipes of the world

[multi-volume set] (#28707L5)

by - UXL, p2002, c2002

641.3

Int Lvl: 5-8

Publisher's Hardcover \$254

Contains alphabetically arranged entries that provide information about the dietary customs of seventy countries and regions around the world, each with two maps and approximately ten recipes. Includes a glossary of cooking terms.



Merriam-Webster's geographical dictionary (#02652U4)

by - Merriam-Webster, p2007, c2007

910

Int Lvl: AD

Publisher's Hardcover \$30

More than 48,000 entries and 250 detailed maps provide information on the world's continents, countries, regions, cities, and natural features.



Multicultural projects index: things to make and do to celebrate festivals, cultures, and holidays around the world (#19128R2)

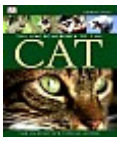
by Pilger, Mary Anne. - Libraries Unlimited, p2005, c2005

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Int Lvl: PF

Publisher's Hardcover \$68

An index to more than one thousand multicultural learning projects for kindergarten through eighth grade classrooms which appear in 734 books, including handicrafts, foods, games, and activities; arranged alphabetically by subject, with cross-references and complete bibliographic information. Includes number and author indexes.



The new encyclopedia of the

Cat (#28021M4)

by Fogle, Bruce. - DK Pub., p2001, c2001

636.8

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$30

Examines the history of the cat, features descriptions and photographs of over 275 of the world's major cat breeds and varieties, and includes information about cat anatomy and behavior, as well as advice on cat health and grooming.



Norse mythology A to Z

(#10326P1)

by Daly, Kathleen N. - Facts on File, p2004, c2004

293

Int Lvl: 5-8 Rd Lvl: 6.5

Publisher's Hardcover \$41

Contains over four hundred alphabetically arranged entries that provide information on the major figures, places, stories, objects, and themes in Norse mythology, and includes illustrations, a bibliography, an index, and cross-references.



The Oxford dictionary of American quotations (#14806R0)

by - Oxford University Press, p2006, c2006

081.03

Int Lvl: AD

Publisher's Hardcover \$40

Contains a collection of over 6,000 quotations and sayings, arranged chronologically, from history, from four centuries by famous Americans such as Abraham Lincoln, Clarence Darrow, Herman Melville, Oliver Stone, and Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr.



Planets, stars, and galaxies: a visual encyclopedia of our universe

(#21010U4)

by Aguilar, David A. - National Geographic, p2007, c2007

520

Int Lvl: 5-8

Rd Lvl: 8.1

Publisher's Hardcover \$42

Combines text, illustrations, and photographs to provide a comprehensive guide to the planets, stars, and galaxies; discussing dwarf planets, developments in exploration, what it is like to live in space, the future of space travel, and other related topics, and includes star charts, moon maps, fact boxes, and diagrams.



The religion book: places, prophets, saints, and seers (#13302P3)

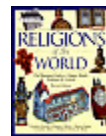
by Willis, Jim, 1946- - Visible Ink Press, p2004, c2004

200

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$63

Contains nearly three hundred alphabetically arranged entries that provide information about people, places, and events in the history of religion, covering major and minor religions; sacred sites; prophets, founders, saints, seers, and charismatic leaders; religious movements; figures from legend and folklore; and approaches to religion and religious study. Includes cross-references and an index.



Religions of the world: the illustrated guide to origins, beliefs, traditions & festivals (#30583Q4)

by Breuilly, Elizabeth. - Facts On File, p2005, c2005

200

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$30

Presents full-color illustrated photographs that describe the various religions of the world, and features beliefs, traditions, festivals, and practices of major faiths and the differences between them.



Renaissance & Reformation.

Primary sources (#10849M9)

by - UXL , p2002, c2002
940.2
Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$70

Presents eighteen full or excerpted primary source documents written by Renaissance and Reformation-era people, grouped in the categories of humanism, Renaissance arts and science, drama and literature, Protestant Reformation, Catholic Reformation, and witch-hunts.



Scholastic book of lists

(#30387V3)

by Buckley, James, 1963- - Scholastic Reference, p2006, c2006
031
Int Lvl: 5-8

FollettBound Glued \$14

A reference book containing lists of information about world history, United States history, social studies, geography, climate, math, science, language arts, popular culture, animals, and the arts.



Scholastic kid's almanac: facts, figures, and stats

(#31998V4)

by Pascoe, Elaine. - Scholastic Reference, p2004, c2004
031
Int Lvl: 5-8
Rd Lvl: 6.5

FollettBound Glued \$18

Contains an A to Z collection of information on nearly forty topics including such topics as astronomy, geography, inventors, sports, and transportation.



Slaves who dared: the stories of ten African-American heroes

(#14261M9)

by Garrison, Mary, 1952- - White Mane Kids, p2002,

c2002

973

Int Lvl: 5-8

Rd Lvl: 7.6

Publisher's Hardcover \$17

Describes the lives and times of outstanding African Americans who were born as slaves and went on to accomplish great things: Josiah Henson, Frederick Douglas, William and Ellen Craft, Harriet Ann Jacobs, Henry Bibb, Booker T. Washington, Susie King Taylor, Nat Love, Robert Smalls, and Sojourner Truth.



State names, seals, flags, and symbols: a historical guide

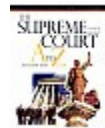
(#25557M0)

by Shearer, Benjamin F. - Greenwood Press, p2002, c2002
929.9

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$88

Provides historical information about U.S. states and territories, covering names and nicknames, mottos, flags, capitols, flowers, trees, songs, legal holidays, license plates, postage stamps, fairs and festivals, universities, governors, sports teams, and other symbols.



The Supreme Court A to Z

(#12593T7)

by Jost, Kenneth. - CQ Press, p2007, c2007

347.73

Int Lvl: YA

Publisher's Hardcover \$89

Contains over 360 alphabetically arranged entries that provide information about the U.S. Supreme Court, covering cases, justices, constitutional principles, and legal concepts.



***U.S. immigration and migration almanac* [multi-volume set] (#19239N9)**

by Benson, Sonia. - UXL , p2004, c2004
304.8
Int Lvl: **AD**

Publisher's Hardcover **\$126**

Presents a comprehensive overview of the history of U.S. immigration and migration, covering such topics as pre-Columbian migrations, forced migrations, and urbanization, and includes a time line, a glossary, and research and activity ideas.



***UXL Hispanic American biography* (#20934N3)**

by - UXL , p2003, c2003
920
Int Lvl: **YA**

Publisher's Hardcover **\$70**

Profiles one hundred Hispanic Americans, living and deceased, who have made notable contributions in various fields such as politics, literature, entertainment, science, and athletics.



Vietnam War. Almanac

(#14585K0)
by Hillstrom, Kevin, 1963- - UXL, p2001, c2001
959.704
Int Lvl: **YA**

Publisher's Hardcover **\$70**

Presents a chronologically arranged comprehensive overview of the Vietnam War, its causes, and its effects.



War, peace, and all that jazz

(#16507R0)
by Hakim, Joy. - Oxford University Press, p2005, c2005
973.91
Int Lvl: **5-8**

Publisher's Hardcover **\$22**

Presents an overview of United States history from 1918 to 1945, discussing the achievements of political leaders, entertainers, and others.



Webster's third new international dictionary of the English language, unabridged

(#00054CX)

by - Merriam-Webster, p2002, c2002
423

Publisher's Hardcover **\$110**

An oversized dictionary featuring an alphabetical listing of over 472,000 words with definitions, pronunciations, part-of-speech labels, and variants; and includes etymologies, usage examples, quotations, synonyms, illustrations, and tables.

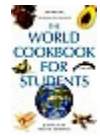


Women's suffrage in America

(#27981QX)
by Frost-Knappman, Elizabeth. - Facts On File, p2005, c2005
324.6

Publisher's Hardcover **\$80**

Contains excerpts from memoirs, diaries, letters, newspapers, speeches, advertisements, and other primary sources that provide eyewitness reports on the history of women's suffrage in America, and features introductory essays, chronologies, period illustrations and photographs, and brief biographies of key individuals.



The world cookbook for students

[multi-volume set] (#38378S6)

by Jacob, Jeanne. - Greenwood Press, p2007, c2007
641.59

Publisher's Hardcover **\$225**

An introduction to contemporary foodstuffs and cooking and eating habits in nearly two hundred countries, providing an overview of the history, geographic conditions, and ethnic or religious composition of each featured country, a rationale for the types of food eaten, preparation and eating methods, and approximately five recipes.



World War I. Almanac

(#31427H0)

by Pendergast, Tom. - UXL , p2002, c2002

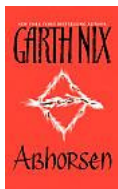
940.3

Int Lvl: YA

 Publisher's Hardcover **\$70**

Contains essays that examine twelve elements of World War I, discussing events leading up to the conflict, the start of the war, the first years on the Western front, the expansion of the war, war at sea, the home front, and other topics; and includes photographs, maps, a time line, and research and activities ideas.

Fiction



Abhorsen

(#18726Y3)

by Nix, Garth

Publisher: Eos, p2008, c2003 **\$15**

Interest Level: YA

Sequel to: Sabriel and Lirael. Lirael, the young Second Assistant Librarian of the Clayr, is abruptly transformed into the Abhorsen-in-Waiting--a future guardian of the border between life and death--and immediately finds the fate of all life in her hands.



Abner & me : a baseball card

adventure (#35360X9)

by Gutman, Dan.

Publisher: HarperTrophy, p2007, c2005 **\$12**

Interest Level: 5-8

Includes bibliographical references (p. 164-165). With his ability to travel through time using baseball cards and photographs, thirteen-year-old Joe and his mother go back to 1863 to ask Abner Doubleday whether he invented baseball, but instead find themselves in the middle of the Battle of Gettysburg.



Across the wall : a tale of the Abhorsen and other stories

(#36264X7)

by Nix, Garth, c2005

Publisher: Eos, p2005, c2005 **\$13**

Interest Level: YA

Presents twelve fantasy short stories plus a novella set in the world of the Abhorsen trilogy, and features story introductions by the author.



Adrift

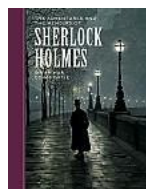
(#31743V5)

by Burtinshaw, Julie

Publisher: Publishers Group West, p2002, c2002 **\$13**

Interest Level: 5-8

Fourteen-year-old David Garrett and his younger sister, sent to live with their aunt when their mother's depression leaves her unable to care for them, overhear a conversation that leads them to take dangerous action.



The adventures and the memoirs of Sherlock Holmes

(#16969Q7)

by Doyle, Arthur Conan, Sir, 1859-1930

Publisher: Sterling Pub., p2004, c2004 **\$9**

Interest Level: 5-8

Previously published as two separate volumes entitled: The adventures of Sherlock Holmes and The memoirs of Sherlock Holmes. Presents "The Adventures and Memoirs of Sherlock Holmes," the original twenty-four stories that made Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's fictional sleuth famous. Includes review questions.



The alchemist's cat

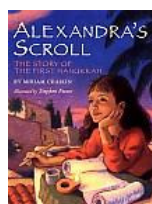
(#39113W8)

by Jarvis, Robin, 1963-

Publisher: Chronicle Books, p2006, c2006 **\$12**

Interest Level: 5-8

First published: Great Britain : Hodder Children's Books, 1989. Will Godwin escapes to London and becomes an assistant to the evil alchemist, Elias Spittle, who sends Will on an errand where he finds and rescues a mother cat and her kittens which sparks an extraordinary tale of sorcery and murder.



Alexandra's scroll: the story

of the first Hanukkah (#19522N8)

by Chaikin, Miriam.

Publisher: Holt, p2002, c2002 **\$18**

Interest Level: 5-8

Alexandra, a young Jewish girl from Jerusalem, describes her life and the creation of Hanukkah, more than 2000 years ago.



Alida's song
(#30488W4)

by Paulsen, Gary.
Dell Yearling, p2001, c1999 **\$11**
Interest Level: 5-8

A Dell Yearling book.;Companion book to: The cookcamp. A fourteen-year-old boy who has been neglected by irresponsible parents spends a wonderful summer on a farm where his grandmother cooks for two elderly brothers.



The angel's command : a tale from the castaways of the Flying Dutchman (#32824W8)

by Jacques, Brian.
Publisher: Ace Books, p2004, c2003 **\$13**

Interest Level: 5-8

Sequel to: Castaways of the Flying Dutchman. Ben and Ned, a boy and dog gifted with eternal youth and the ability to communicate with one another nonverbally, encounter pirates on the high seas and rescue a kidnapped prince from a band of gypsy thieves.



All of the above: a novel
(#30235V1)

by Pearsall, Shelley.
Little, Brown, p2008, c2006 **\$10**
Interest Level: 3-6

Five urban middle school students, their teacher, and other community members relate how a school project to build the world's largest tetrahedron affects the lives of everyone involved.



Athletic shorts: six short stories
(#32875X5)

by Crutcher, Chris.
Publisher: HarperTempest, p2002, c1989 **\$13**
Interest Level: YA

A brief moment in the life of Angus Bethune -- The pin -- The other pin -- Goin' fishin' -- Telephone man -- In the time I get. A collection of short stories featuring characters from earlier books by Chris Crutcher.



Almost forever
(#34821X3)

by Testa, Maria.
Publisher: Candlewick Press, p2007, c2003 **\$11**
Interest Level: 5-8

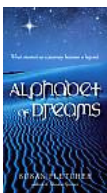
A young girl describes what she, her brother, and their mother do during the year that her doctor father is serving in the Army in Vietnam.



Avalon High
(#31174W7)

by Cabot, Meg.
Publisher: HarperTeen, p2007, c2006 **\$14**
Interest Level: YA

Having moved to Annapolis, Maryland, with her medievalist parents, high school junior Ellie enrolls at Avalon High School where several students may or may not be reincarnations of King Arthur and his court.



Alphabet of dreams
(#19786WX)

by Fletcher, Susan, 1951-
Publisher: Simon Pulse, p2008, c2006 **\$12**
Interest Level: YA

Exiled from their home country because of their father's plot against King Phraates, fourteen-year-old Mitra and five-year-old Babak, who are of royal descent, live as beggars until it is discovered that the boy can tell the future through his dreams, and the magus Melchoir and two other Zoroastrian priests take the children with them to Bethlehem to witness the coming of a new king.



The avion my uncle flew
(#31647W7)

by Fisher, Cyrus, 1904-
Publisher: Walker, p2004, c1946 **\$12**
Interest Level: 5-8

While visiting his uncle in the mountains of France shortly after World War II, Johnny stumbles upon an evil plot being hatched by a fugitive Nazi spy.



Babe & me: a baseball card adventure (#35532W7)

by Gutman, Dan.
Publisher: HarperTrophy, p2002, c2000 **\$12**
Interest Level: 5-8

With their ability to travel through time using vintage baseball cards, Joe and his father have the opportunity to find out whether Babe Ruth really did call his shot when he hit that home run in the third game of the 1932 World Series against the Chicago Cubs.



The barn burner (#20685K1)

by Willis, Patricia.
Publisher: Clarion Books, p2000, c2000 **\$13**
Interest Level: 5-8

In 1933 while running from a bad situation at home and suspected of having set fire to a barn, fourteen-year-old Ross finds haven with a loving family which helps him make an important decision.



Backwater (#36731X3)

by Bauer, Joan, 1951-
Publisher: Speak, p2005, c1999 **\$13**
Interest Level: YA

While compiling a genealogy of her family of successful attorneys, sixteen-year-old history buff Ivy Breedlove treks into the mountain wilderness to interview a reclusive aunt with whom she identifies and who in turn helps her to truly know herself and her family.



Basketball (or something like it) (#35704W3)

by Baskin, Nora Raleigh.
Publisher: HarperTrophy, p2007, c2005 **\$12**
Interest Level: 3-6

Hank, Nathan, Jeremy, and Anabel deal with the realities of middle school basketball, including family pressure, a series of coaches with very different personalities and agendas, and what it means to be a team--and a friend.



Bad girls in love (#32083V7)

by Voigt, Cynthia.
Publisher: Aladdin Paperbacks, p2004, c2002 **\$16**
Interest Level: 5-8

Now in the eighth grade, best friends Mikey and Margalo try to figure out boys, crushes, and falling in love.



Bat 6 : a novel (#37615X9)

by Wolff, Virginia Euwer.
Publisher: Farrar, Straus and Giroux, p1999, c1997 **\$12**
Interest Level: 5-8

Martin longs to be a musician, and with the encouragement of two very different friends, he eventually is able to defy his mean-hearted father and accept himself and the talent within him.



The ballad of Lucy Whipple (#32728XX)

by Cushman, Karen.
Publisher: HarperTrophy, p1998, c1998 **\$12**
Interest Level: 5-8

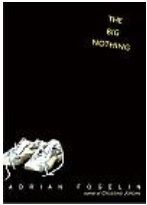
In 1849, twelve-year-old California Morning Whipple, who renames herself Lucy, is distraught when her mother moves the family from Massachusetts to a rough California mining town.



Best foot forward (#35718W9)

by Bauer, Joan, 1951-
Publisher: Speak, p2006, c2005 **\$13**
Interest Level: YA

Between school and Al-Anon meetings, Jenna helps Mrs. Gladstone cope with escalating problems that result from the merger of Gladstone Shoes with Shoe Warehouse Corporation, while managing a new employee with a shoplifting record.



The big nothing

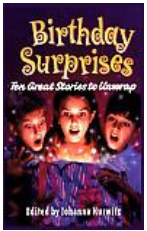
(#34535X2)

by Fogelin, Adrian.

Publisher: Peachtree, p2006, c2004 **\$12**

Interest Level: 5-8

Middle schooler Justin Riggs struggles to cope with major family problems, including a brother who might be heading for the Persian Gulf, but finds an escape in piano lessons and the dream of a romance with a popular girl.



Birthday surprises: ten great

stories to unwrap (#35193X9)

Publisher: Beech Tree Books, p1997, c1995 **\$12**

Interest Level: 5-8

Includes bibliographical references (p. 116-119).;The special powers of Blossom Culp / Richard Peck -- No such thing / Ann M. Martin -- Birthday box / Jane Yolen -- Don't be an Uncle Max / David A. Adler -- What the princess discarded / Barbara Ann Porte -- Hattie's birthday box / Pam Conrad -- The birthday of Madeleine Blore / Karla Kuskin -- Victor / James Howe -- Promises / Ellen Conford -- The empty box / Johanna Hurwitz. Presents ten stories about birthdays, each revolving around a mysterious empty gift box.



Blizzard's wake

(#30065X6)

by Naylor, Phyllis Reynolds.

Publisher: Simon Pulse, p2004, c2002 **\$11**

Interest Level: YA

In March of 1941, when a severe blizzard suddenly hits Bismarck, North Dakota, a girl trying to save her stranded father and brother inadvertently helps the man who killed her mother four years before.



Blue fingers : a ninja's tale

(#11387QX)

by Whitesel, Cheryl Aylward

Publisher: Clarion Books, p2004, c2004 **\$13**

Interest Level: 5-8

Text mainly in English with some Japanese.;Includes bibliographical references (p. 251-252). Having failed apprenticeship as a dye maker, Koji is captured and forced to train as a ninja, where he remains disloyal until he discovers samurai have burned his former village.



The boy who ate stars

(#19978R8)

by Kochka, 1964-

Publisher: Simon & Schuster, p2006, c2004 **\$12**

Interest Level: 5-8

Translation of: *Enfant qui caressait les cheveux*. Upon moving to a new apartment, twelve-year-old Lucy befriends an autistic boy who lives upstairs and, along with her friend Theo and a pampered pooch, takes Matthew on neighborhood adventures hoping to open him up to the world around them.