



Behavior Matters!



This new series of picture books provides a great introduction to discussing emotions for preschoolers.

Each book in this series is perfect for talking about emotions, boosting self-esteem, and reinforcing good behavior for preschoolers. This vibrant set with illustrated animals is designed for sharing in a classroom, or at home, with key discussion words that pop in bold type.

Release Date: August 23, 2021

Pub Date: September 1, 2021

\$25.00 (Reinforced Library Binding)

Grade Range: PreK–2

Age Range: 4–7

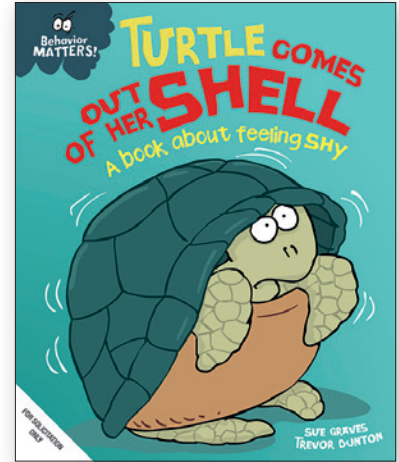
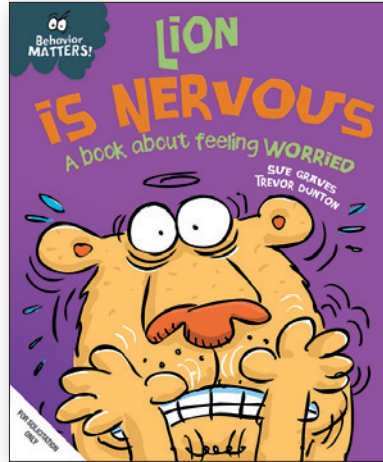
32 pages; full-color illustrations

Trim: 7 1/2 x 9 1/4

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Features:

- Each book has a **fun story** featuring **fantastic characters**.
- Books support the **Personal, Social, and Emotional Development Area of Learning** in the **Early Years Foundation Stage**.
- Includes suggestions for **activities** and **ideas** to talk about, consolidating learning by relating the story to the children’s own experiences.
- Supports the theme of **well-being** and the teaching of **virtues and character qualities** to deal with different situations.
- This series of books has been very successful in the UK, and books have had solid Amazon reviews!



Sample spread from *Croc Needs to Wait*

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TITLE	AUTHOR	ISBN
Croc Needs to Wait	Sue Graves978-1-338-75804-7
Elephant Learns to Share	Sue Graves978-1-338-75807-8
Flamingo is Brave	Sue Graves978-1-338-75810-8
Turtle Comes Out of Her Shell	Sue Graves978-1-338-75814-6
Lion is Nervous	Sue Graves978-1-338-75817-7
Tiger Has a Tantrum	Sue Graves978-1-338-75820-7

Covers and spreads subject to change



In Our Neighborhood

Meet Emma and Theo, two best friends who share a neighborhood —as well as curious minds and adventuresome spirits!

Join in the excitement as these fun-loving friends continue to meet a variety of new community helpers and learn the ins-and-outs of their very important jobs. Each story is told from the point of view of either Emma or Theo in an engaging narrative that combines fiction and nonfiction text. Beautiful illustrations and real-life photos contribute to the fun. Add in a detailed map, a Q&A with a community helper, as well as tips and tools, and you've got a series of books that kids won't want to put down!

Release Date: August 23, 2021

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Grade Range: K–2

Age Range: 5–7

32 pages; full-color photographs and illustrations

Trim: 7 1/4 x 8 3/8

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6 previously published titles

Features:

- An **illustrated, fun adventure** with Theo and Emma keeps readers engaged.
- **Nonfiction sidebars** illustrated with real photos enhance the story and **provide key information** about each community helper.
- A **map** of the neighborhood helps situate each character within the community.
- A **Q&A with the community helper** exposes readers to a fun nonfiction text feature while providing key information.
- A **photo guide** shows tools used at work by each community helper.
- **Leveled text with bite-size information** makes these books accessible to young readers.
- Topic **encourages excitement and respect** for community helpers.



Sample spread from *Meet a Sanitation Worker!*

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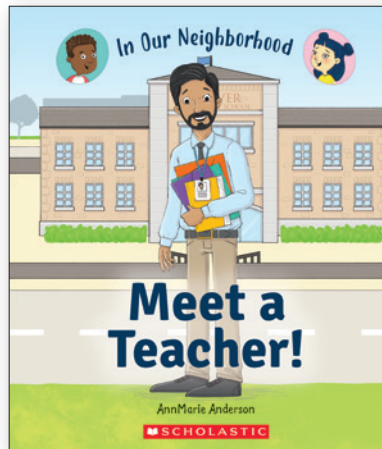
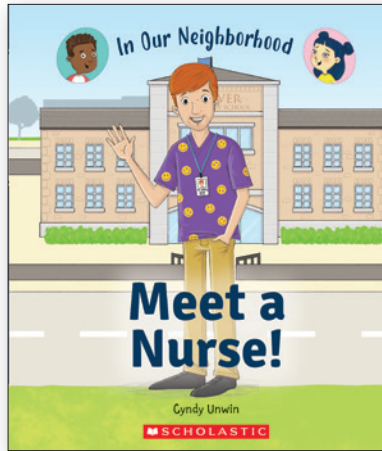
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Meet a Bus Driver!	Jodie Shepherd978-1-338-76879-4
Meet a Coach!	Cyndy Ung978-1-338-76882-4
Meet a Grocer!	Becky Herrick978-1-338-76986-9
Meet a Sanitation Worker!	Jodie Shepherd978-1-338-76885-5
Meet a Veterinarian!	AnnMarie Anderson978-1-338-76888-6
Meet a Dentist!	AnnMarie Anderson978-1-338-76900-5



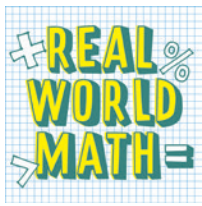
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In Our Neighborhood

Previously Published Titles



TITLE	ISBN
Meet a Doctor!	978-0-531-13683-6
Meet a Firefighter!	978-0-531-13686-7
Meet a Librarian!	978-0-531-13681-2
Meet a Nurse!	978-0-531-13685-0
Meet a Mail Carrier	978-0-531-13682-9
Meet a Teacher!	978-0-531-13684-3



Real World Math

NEW SERIES!

An exciting new series that shows kids exactly how math applies in the real world!

This brand-new series demonstrates how math skills can be applied to high-interest topics and careers in Coding, Building, Tracking Animals, and Space Exploration. The K-2 math concepts include counting 1-100 with basic addition and subtraction, using the power of 10, measuring, and simple geometry. Real world scientists, architects, programmers, and mathematicians model hands-on, from-the-field experiences in a way that will make children excited to use and expand their math skills!

Release Date: August 23, 2021

Pub Date: September 1, 2021

\$25.00 (Reinforced Library Binding)

Grade Range: K-2

Age Range: 5-7

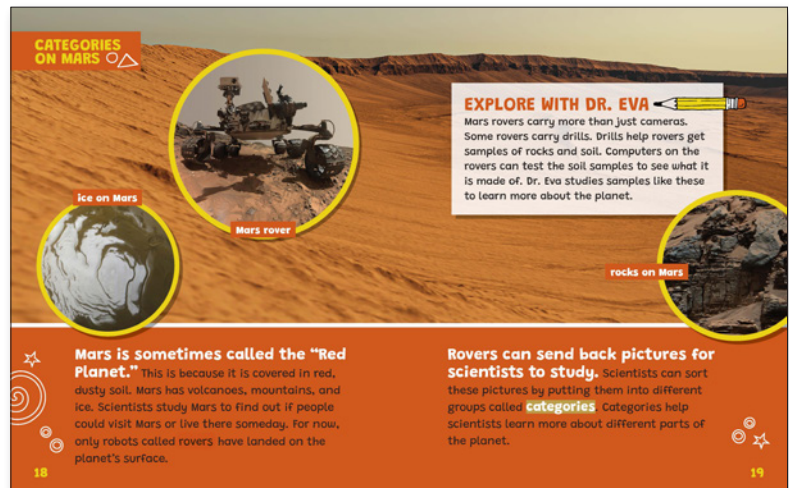
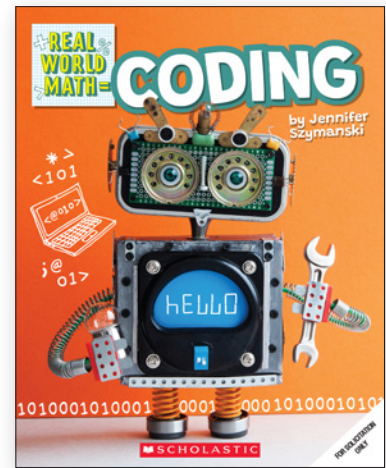
32 pages; full-color photographs and illustrations

Trim: 8 x 10

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Features:

- **Engaging content** makes math accessible and fun for young readers.
- **Vibrant, full-color photographs** throughout with a modern and colorful design.
- Perfect addition for **STEAM libraries**
- Created with an emphasis on **gender and ethnic diversity**.
- Sidebars link the content to **real world examples** of how scientists use math.
- Includes **"You Can Do It!"** math challenges perfectly crafted for 4-to-8 year olds.
- Reviewed by a **math curriculum specialist**.
- A **glossary, index,** and other nonfiction text features.



Sample spread from *Space Exploration*

Worldwide rights

TITLE	AUTHOR	ISBN
Coding	Jen Szymanski	978-1-338-76191-7
Tracking Animals.	Paige Towler	978-1-338-76203-7
Space Exploration.	Jen Szymanski	978-1-338-76239-6
Buildings	Paige Towler.	978-1-338-76242-6

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Around the World

Discover countries, cultures, and traditions in this new series!

Every day, all around the world, kids go to school, eat lunch and play games... And yet, these universal experiences, can look very different between different countries. These books will take our readers on a trip around the globe to celebrate diverse cultures and traditions, and will show us how different (and how similar) we all are!

Release Date: August 23, 2021

Pub Date: September 1, 2021

\$28.00 (Reinforced Library Binding)

Grade Range: K–2

Age Range: 5–7

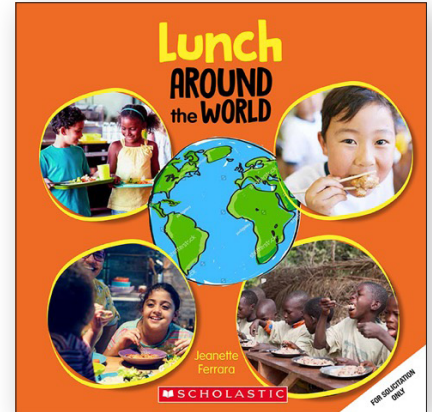
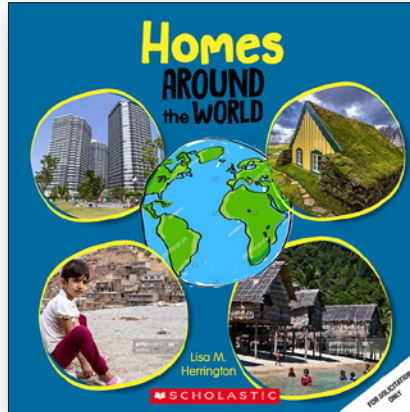
32 pages; full-color photographs and maps

Trim: 9 x 9

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Features:

- **High interest** topics will appeal to kids, librarians, teachers and parents
- Created with a focus on **celebrating diversity and inclusion**.
- **Exciting, colorful photos** from every corner of the globe contextualize the information for young readers.
- Each book contains a **world map** with fun facts to encourage real world conversations about geography.
- **Extra features** include a **closer look** into birthday celebrations, favorite snacks, pet cafes and more around the world.
- Aligns to early grade **social studies curriculum**.
- **Index and glossary**



Sample spread from *Homes Around the World*

Worldwide rights

TITLE	AUTHOR	ISBN
Lunch Around the World	Jeanette Ferrara	978-1-338-76867-1
Schools Around the World	Brenna Maloney	978-1-338-76856-5
Homes Around the World	Lisa Herrington	978-1-338-76864-0
Games Around the World	John Perritano	978-1-338-76870-1
Pets Around the World	Brenna Maloney	978-1-338-76873-2
Desserts Around the World	Lisa Herrington	978-1-338-76876-3

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A True Book™ — Natural Disaster!



Release Date: August 23, 2021

Pub Date: September 1, 2021

\$31.00 (Reinforced Library Binding)

Grade Range: 3–5

Age Range: 8–10

48 pages; full-color & black and white photographs, illustrations, maps

Trim: 7 1/4 x 8 3/8

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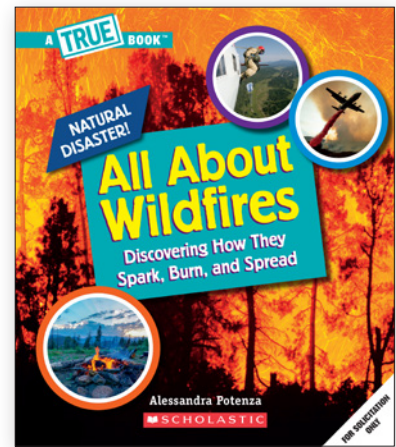
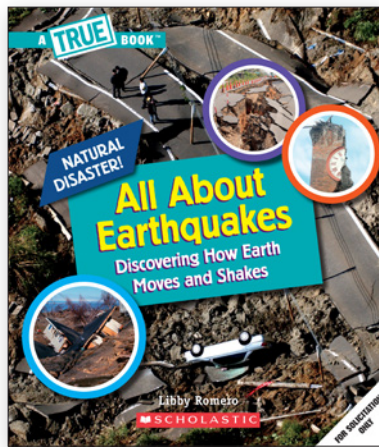
Previously Published: 179 titles in 24 subsets

Features:

- **Find the Truth!** feature starts each book with two statements—one true and one false—which begins the inquiry process by engaging readers to think proactively
- **Thought-provoking openers** introduce the books in a clear and approachable manner, and link the content to real world people and events
- Fascinating **sidebars** highlight important concepts, moments, and ideas
- Full-spread explorations of **real data** encourage students to analyze information for themselves and think “like a scientist”
- **Timelines** outline major events related to the history, understanding, and impact of these extreme events.
- Includes all components of the trusted **A TRUE BOOK** series: TOC, sidebars, captions, index, resources, glossary, etc.
- **STEAM** topics to support the Science curriculum.
- Special focus on **Climate Change**.

Conditions on Earth are becoming more and more extreme and kids want to learn about it!

This new set in the ongoing *A True Book* series will answer all of kids’ questions about nature’s most dangerous and destructive disasters! With an engaging layout, and spectacular photos, illustrations, diagrams and infographics, the past, present and future of extreme phenomenon happening on Earth will be explained. Readers will discover causes and consequences, as well as the cutting-edge science developed through the centuries to forecast them. First-hand accounts will bring science to life, and a special section will teach kids how to prepare for these extreme events.



Sample spread from *All About Wildfires*

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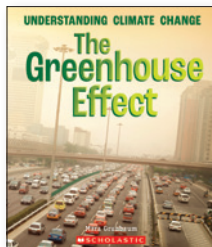
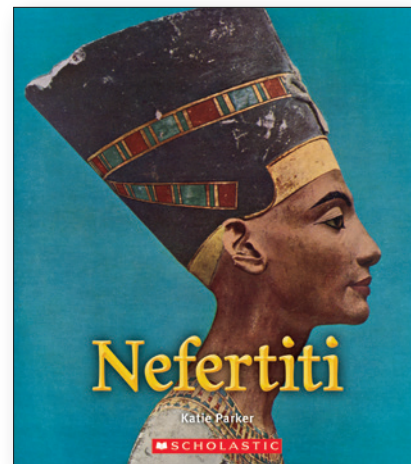
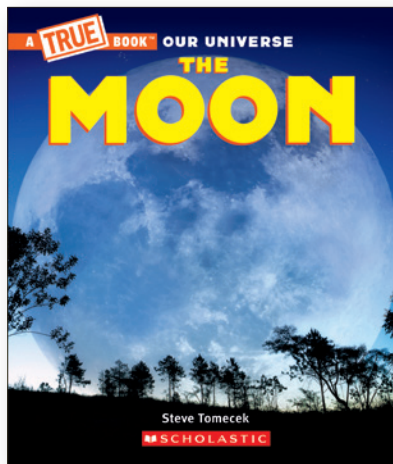
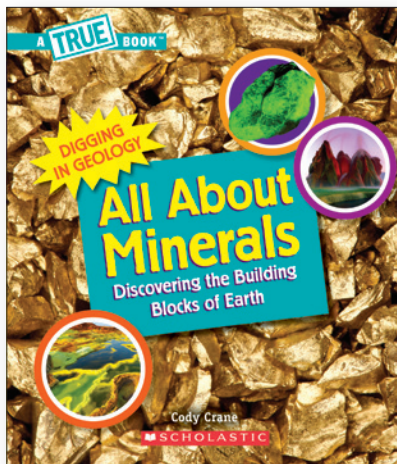
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All About Earthquakes	Libby Romero	978-1-338-76946-3
All About Wildfires	Alessandra Potenza	978-1-338-76953-1
All About Heat Waves and Droughts	Steve Tomocsek	978-1-338-76957-9
All About Tornadoes	Cody Crane	978-1-338-76961-6
All About Hurricanes	Cody Crane	978-1-338-76964-7
All About Volcanoes	Libby Romero	978-1-338-76967-8



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A True Book™

Previously Published Subsets



“This comprehensive four-part series focuses on the causes and effects of climate change. Divided into sections, the volumes explain the specific consequences of animal displacement, the adverse effects of greenhouse gases on the atmosphere and water quality, the evolution of major climate and weather disruptions over time, and more. ... VERDICT This series offers an up-to-date look at the effects of climate change and is a strong choice for any size collection.”

— *School Library Journal Series Made Simple*, April 2020
(A True Book—Understanding Climate Change)



“With nary a saloon girl in sight, this True Book: Women’s History in the U.S. series (5 titles) selection sets the scene of America’s Old West much more honestly than many texts, pointing out the theft of Indigenous Peoples’ land and culture inherent to westward expansion, as well as the presence of enslaved people and Black settlers endeavoring to escape the racism rampant east of the Mississippi river. ...The context provided by this well-designed and accessible history elevates it above others.”

— Julia Smith, *Booklist*, October 2020, starred review

SUBSETS	NUMBER OF TITLES	SUBSETS	NUMBER OF TITLES
Alternative Energy	4	My United States	52
Behind the Scenes	4	National Parks	18
Biographies	8	The New Criminals	4
Digging in Geology	4	Our Universe	4
Engineering Wonders	5	Physical Science	6
Extreme Earth	3	Queens and Princesses	4
Extreme Places	5	The Seven Continents	7
Farm to Table	4	Space	5
Get Ready to Code	4	Sports and Entertainment	4
Health	9	Understanding Climate Change	4
Incredible Plants!	6	Why It Matters	6
Makerspace Projects	4	Women’s History in the U.S.	5

**EXPLORING CIVIL RIGHTS
THE MOVEMENT**

Exploring Civil Rights: The Movement 1955–1965



Key events of the Civil Rights Movement will be brought to life in this new series.

The years spanning from 1955-1965 in US History were critical to the Civil Rights Movement. Resistance was often met with violence against Black Americans fighting to end discrimination and segregation. Yet the courage of those yearning for equal opportunities under the law continued to persevere. With stunning photographs throughout and rich back matter, each book in this set focuses on a specific year and chronologically follows the detailed events that occurred and the changes that took place.

Release Date: December 13, 2021

Pub Date: January 1, 2022

\$32.00 (Reinforced Library Binding)

Grade Range: 5–8

Age Range: 10–14

96 pages; full-color & black and white photographs

Trim: 6 x 9

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Features:

- Each book addresses major moments in civil rights history, organized chronologically, ties into the school curriculum
- Informative sidebars, at least one per chapter, provide cultural references and explanations of more complex terms
- **Back matter:** timeline, glossary, reference materials, mini-bio of a modern civil rights activist, and more
- **Historical photos** throughout
- **Series expansion** into the pre- and post-civil rights era in the coming seasons.
- A sampling of the people and events include:

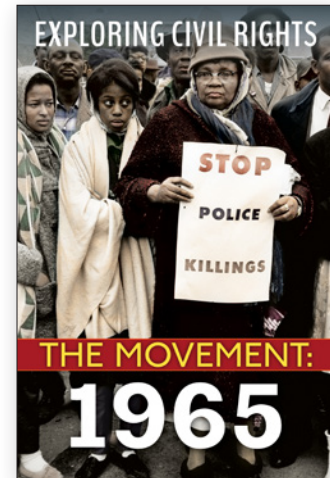
1955: *Emmett Till, Rosa Parks, Montgomery bus boycott*

1957: *Little Rock 9, Civil Rights Act of 1957, MLK Jr meeting in Atlanta*

1960: *Greensboro 4, sit-ins, Ruby Bridges*

1963: *University of Alabama, March on Washington, Birmingham bombings*

1965: *Selma to Montgomery March, Voting Rights Act, Malcolm X*



improve its hiring practices. Though its power was limited, the PCGEP represented the government's attempt to make nondiscrimination an important part of national policy.

Sitting-In for Change

In early 1955, the Congress of Racial Equality (CORE) made national headlines with a bold protest in Baltimore, Maryland. The Read's drugstore chain in Baltimore had a strict policy of racial segregation at its lunch counters. At that time, many stores also had restaurants inside—long counters with stools where customers could order ice cream, sandwiches, and other lunch items. African Americans were allowed to shop at Read's, but were prohibited from being served food at the lunch counters. CORE decided to act against this discriminatory policy by staging

a sit-in. A **sit-in** is a protest in which demonstrators occupy a place, refusing to leave until their demands are met. Students from nearby Morgan State College, a historically Black university, joined members of CORE to **integrate** the drugstore.

CORE had already conducted successful campaigns to integrate private facilities. In the 1940s and early 1950s, the group used sit-ins and non-violent demonstrations to integrate restaurants and businesses in Chicago, St. Louis, Boston, Washington, D.C., and other major cities.

On January 20, 1955, CORE members and Morgan State students walked into Read's flagship store on Howard and Lexington Streets to stage a sit-in.

Early campaigns paved the way for future protests. Youth 25-in to desegregate the lunch counter at Read's Drug Store in Baltimore, August 26, 1955. © 711409125

Sample spread from *The Movement: 1955*

Worldwide rights

TITLE	AUTHOR/ILLUSTRATOR	ISBN
The Movement: 1955	Nel Yomtov	978-1-338-76971-5
The Movement: 1957	Susan Taylor	978-1-338-76974-6
The Movement: 1960	Selene Castrovilla	978-1-338-76977-7
The Movement: 1963	Angela Shanté	978-1-338-76980-7
The Movement: 1965	Jay Leslie	978-1-338-76983-8

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