

Nothing But The Truth: Non-Fiction For Beginning Readers

Craft Projects

J/745.5/BAR

Barbie Fun To Make Activity Book published by Dorling Kindersley

Instructions and photographs for projects such as making paper flowers and jewelry, features special tips from Barbie.

J/745.5/PRE

ArtStarts For Little Hands! Fun & Discoveries for 3 to 7 Year Olds by Judy Press

Presents a variety of art projects and related activities grouped around such themes as the family, animals, nature, transportation and color.

J/745.5/ROS

Step-by-Step Crafts For Summer by Kathy Ross

Step-by-step illustrations guide children in making twenty summertime crafts, including games, toys, useful and wearable items, decorations, gifts, and seasonal holiday crafts.

J/745.5/WAL

The Cardboard Box Book: 25 Things To Make and Do With Empty Boxes by Danny Walsh

Provides instructions, tips, and patterns for making games, toys and other objects out of cardboard boxes.

J/745.51/IRV

Craft Stick Mania by Christine M. Irvin

Presents instructions for transforming wooden sticks into coasters, a trivet, containers and other craft projects.

J/745.54/DAY

Paper Bag Crafts by Jeri Dayle

Provides instructions for using paper bags, rubber bands, yarn and other common materials to make various crafts, including an aquarium, dinosaur puppet and a bunny.

J/974.4/QUA

Pilgrims and Native Americans: Hands-On-Projects About Life In Early America by Jennifer Quasha

Projects and activities which highlight the history of the Pilgrims and the Indians in Plymouth Colony.

J/978.025/QUA

Covered Wagons: Hands On Projects About America's Westward Expansion by Jennifer Quasha

Briefly discusses American westward expansion in the 1800's, with related projects and activities, such as making a small covered wagon, flatboat house, trail journal, and lantern.

Animals

E/READER/CLA

Freak Out Animals! Animals Beyond Your Wildest Imagination by Ginjer L. Clarke

From creatures that glow in the deep sea to ones that look like they have two heads, this book profiles some of the planet's most far-out and strange animals.

E/READER/597.3/SIM

Incredible Sharks by Seymour Simon

An introduction to the physical characteristics and behavior of various kinds of sharks.

E/READER/599.74/OST

[**A Baby Panda is Born**](#) by Kate Ostby

Kids will love reading all about the panda Mei Lan, born at the Atlanta Zoo in September 2006. Through her story, they will learn about what newborn pandas are like (they're the size of a stick of butter!) about their development, and about what life is like for pandas in the wild. This book also touches on efforts to protect this endangered species.

E/READER/ 636.7/KLI

Dogs by Cynthia Fitterer Klingel

Simple text describes pet dogs, what they look like, how they behave and how to take care of them.

E/READER/798.2/HAY

[**Horse Show**](#) by Kate Hayden

Three young riders prepare their horses for a horse show and participate in several different events.

Gardening

E/READER/HOL

[**Spring Is Here: A Story About Seeds**](#) by Joan Holub

In autumn, the little friends from Ant Hill find and plant some seeds, then patiently wait until spring to enjoy the plants that appear.

E/READER/582.13/FOW

[**What's Your Favorite Flower?**](#) by Allan Fowler

Illustrations and simple text describe various kinds of flowers and how they grow.

J/635/BUL

[**The Gardening Book**](#) by Jane Bull

Provides instruction on the basics of gardening along with some related activities.

J/635.986/GIB

[**What Shall I Grow?**](#) by Ray Gibson

Several container gardening projects for young gardeners, including growing herbs, sunflowers, sprouts, a moss garden, etc.

E/READER/641.3/LLE

[**First Look At Growing Food**](#) by Claire Llewellyn

Introduces the activities of gardening and farming and discusses what is involved in growing fruits and vegetables.

Safety and Manners

E/READER/179.9/KYL

[**Fairness: A Level Three Reader**](#) by Kathryn Kyle

Easy-to-read scenarios, such as sharing a cookie with your brother or playing by the rules, provide lessons in fairness.

E/READER/179.9/KYL

[**Honesty: A Level Three Reader**](#) by Kathryn Kyle

Easy-to-read scenarios, such as telling a store clerk that you received too much change or telling your mother you fed your broccoli to the dog, provide lessons in honesty.

E/READER/395.59/ASH

[**I Can Use The Telephone**](#) by Susan Ashley

Simple text and photographs introduce the telephone, phone numbers, phone books and talking on the telephone to young readers.

E/READER/613.6/THO

[I Can Be Safe: A First Look At Safety](#) by Pat Thomas

Educates readers about safety, including the value of fear as a warning of danger, the need to beware people whose behavior creates discomfort, and the importance of learning how to stay safe.

Pet Care

E/READER/ALB

[Listen To Your Fish: Terrific Tips For Pet Care](#) by Sarah Albee

Uses the “Sesame Street” characters to demonstrate ten basic rules for taking good care of pets.

J/639.37/ALG

[Let’s Take Care Of Our New Frog](#) by Alejandra Algarra

Follow two children as their family adopts two White’s tree frogs, offering information on terrariums, health concerns, behavior, diet, and other matters necessary to making a good home for a pet frog.

E/READER/636.93592/BLA

[A Guinea Pig for You: Caring For Your Pig](#) by Susan Blackaby

Discusses how to care for a pet guinea pig, including how to set up a cage, what to feed a guinea pig, and tips on grooming.

J/636.7/DEN

[Puppy Care: A Guide To Loving and Nuturing Your Pet](#) by Kim Dennis-Bryan

Includes advice on what different breeds look like, how often a puppy should eat, and ways to help a puppy get all the exercise he needs--all illustrated with warm loving photography that encourages nuturing.

E/READER/636.9322/BLA

[A Rabbit For You: Caring For Your Rabbit](#) by Susan Blackaby

Discusses how to care for a pet rabbit, including the types of rabbits, what to feed it, and the best way to set up a cage.

Places and Things

EASY/SEG

[ABC In Chicago](#) by Robin Segal

Presents objects, people and places found in Chicago, from A-Z.

EASY/SCI

[One Nation: America By The Numbers](#) by Devin Scillian

A counting book presenting various aspects of the United States, from the concept of one nation to the hundred men and women in the U.S. Senate.

E/READER/629.133/ROG

[Airplanes](#) by Hal Rogers

Provides information about various parts of a passenger airplane and how the pilot controls the airplane.

Weather and Environment

E/READER/508.2/BAX

[Summer](#) by Nicola Baxter

Related activities accompany a simple discussion of the changes to the weather, plants and animals that happen during the season of summer.

E/READER/551.576/HER

[Clouds](#) by Ann Herriges

Explains how clouds form and introduces the different kinds of clouds and the weather that usually follows them.

E/READER/551.518/SCH

[A Windy Day](#) by Lola M. Schaefer

Simple text and photographs present a windy day, including what the wind does and how people react and use the wind for various activities.

E/READER/578.754/ KLI

[Deserts](#) by Cynthia Klingel

Simple text and photographs introduce the animals, plants and physical features of the desert.

E/READER/578.77/SAL

[Oceans: Underwater Worlds](#) by Laura Purdie Salas

Presents an introduction to the oceans of the world, fish, plants, and mammals that live there, the ocean's water cycle and the human behavior that threatens ocean life forms.

J/535.4/BUL

[What Makes a Shadow?](#) by Clyde Robert Bulla

When you run, your shadow runs. But you can never catch it!



La Grange Public Library
10 West Cossitt Avenue
La Grange, IL 60525
70 8-352-0576
www.lagrangelibrary.org

JH/6/12/09