

SUGGESTED READS



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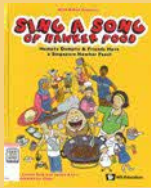
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UNIT 1 LOCAL FOOD

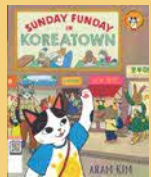


Title: Sing a Song of Hawker Food 
Authors: Lianne Ong and Janice Khoo
Call No.: J SING 398.8 ONG

The world of nursery rhymes and Singapore hawker food collide in this book. Dive into fractured nursery rhymes with a local twist, featuring Singapore hawker food.

Imagine Humpty Dumpty enjoying kaya toast, Jack and Jill grilling satay on a hill, and the Three Blind Mice eating chicken rice at the hawker centre. Wouldn't that be a funny sight?

Publisher: WS Education, 2022 |
Adapted from: Book cover



Title: Sunday Funday in Koreatown (Yoomi, Friends, and Family)
Author: Aram Kim
Call No.: JP KIM

Yoomi has planned the perfect Sunday! But the shirt she wants to wear is in the laundry and she does not have the seaweed she needs for a *kimbap* breakfast.

So, Yoomi wears another shirt and eats a different breakfast, and she and Daddy take a bus to Koreatown, where they read Korean books, eat Korean treats such as *patbingsu* and *tteokbokki*, and visit Grandma.

Yoomi's imperfect day is better than she ever could have imagined!

Publisher: Holiday House, 2021 |
Adapted from: Book cover



Title: Growing Kitchen Scraps
Author: Nur'afifah Binte Mohd Hussain
Call No.: J SING NUR

Sarah realises that she can help save the environment. Join Izzah and Sarah as they explore planting various kitchen scraps. A story to encourage the reduction of food waste.

Publisher: Yaa Bunayya SG, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.ungupen.com



Title: Missed Meal Mayhem (The Hunger Heroes)
Author: Jarrett Lerner
Call No.: JS LER

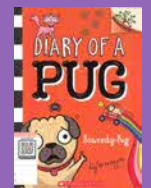
Meet the Hunger Heroes: Toots the Bean, Chip Ninja, Tammy the Tomato, and Leonard, a wedge of cheddar cheese, ready to save kids all over the world while flying around in their taco hovercraft!


It is a typical Monday when the Hunger Heroes get the call: a kid in Ms. Sternbladder's class missed breakfast and isn't allowed to have snacks! How will he pass his maths test, study for spelling, or play soccer at recess if his stomach is growling out of control? Hunger Heroes to the rescue!

Publisher: Aladdin, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.simonandschuster.com



UNIT 2 OVERCOMING FEAR




Title: Scaredy Pug (Diary of a Pug) 
Author: Kyla May
Call No.: JS MAY

Bub the pug, Duchess the cat, and their human, Bella, are visiting Bella's grandma. It is so much fun to build forts and play dress-up in her attic... until Bub and Duchess see a ghost up there! Now, they have a duty to protect their girl. Can this scaredy-pug and fraidy-cat face their fears to keep Bella safe?

Publisher: Scholastic, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.clubs.scholastic.com



Title: The Ocean Calls: A Haenyeo Mermaid Story 
Author: Tina M. Cho
Call No.: JP CHO

Dayeon wants to be like Grandma—a *haenyeo*. The *haenyeo* dive off the coast of Jeju Island to pluck treasures from the sea for centuries. To Dayeon, the *haenyeo* are as strong and graceful as mermaids. With Grandma's guidance, Dayeon comes to appreciate the ocean's many gifts.

Publisher: Kokila, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.penguinrandomhouse.com




Title: Just Be Jelly
Author: Maddie Frost
Call No.: JP FRO

When a sardine who fears everything loses its handbook for staying safe in the sea, it goes into *total panic mode*. When big, scary shadows are surrounding it, the sardine runs into a jellyfish preaching the wisdom of wiggling your worries away.

Publisher: Little, Brown and Company, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.lbyr.com



Title: My Heart Flies Open 
Author: Omileye Achikeobi-Lewis
Call No.: JP 152.4 ACH


My Heart Flies Open is more than just another yoga or mindfulness book; it transports young readers to a magical world where they learn to overcome negative emotions and move dynamically through their feelings—shining bright and connecting to the peace, laughter, love, grounding, and spirit that have always existed within them.

Publisher: North Atlantic Books, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.northatlanticbooks.com

UNIT 3 OUTINGS, ADVENTURES

Available as an eBook on the NLB catalogue at www.nlb.gov.sg.



Title: Over and Under the Rainforest 
Author: Kate Messner
Call No.: JP 591.734 MES

Discover the enchantment concealed among the rainforest's roots, above the twisting rivers, and beneath its emerald leaves.

Publisher: Chronicle Books, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.chroniclebooks.com



Title: The Mountain Challenge (Bear Grylls Adventure)
Author: Bear Grylls
Call No.: JS GRY

A mysterious compass with a fifth direction transports a young girl to a mountain top high above sea level, where the air is thin, the steep drops are treacherous, and the conditions tough.

Publisher: Bear Grylls, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.beargrylls.com



Title: The Fastest Girl on Earth! Meet Kitty O'Neil, Daredevil Driver! 
Author: Dean Robbins
Call No.: JP 796.72 ROB

Kitty O'Neil became deaf as a child, and grew up loving sports and action. She jumped, ran, raced, and swam, all while learning to read lips and sign language.

She became a racecar driver and sought to do what no woman had done before. In 1976, Kitty and the Motivator broke the land speed record, racing at over 600 miles per hour!

Publisher: Alfred A. Knopf, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.rhcbooks.com



Title: The Kung Fu Force and the Tower of Doom (The Kung Fu Force)
Author: Robin Leong
Call No.: J SING LEO

Meet Lucas the Lizard, Brady the Bengal Cat, and Coco the Cockatoo. They're small. They're cute. They're warriors. There's no problem they can't solve!

Together with Shifu Seong the Seahorse, these three animal pals master kung fu skills and learn life lessons along the way. When duty calls, they channel their chi to save the world!

Publisher: Epigram Books, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.epigrambookshop.sg

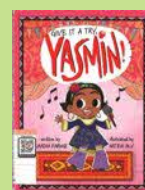
UNIT 4 SPENDING TIME WITH FAMILY



Title: Helping Friends and Family: Taking Care of Others
Author: Alyssa Krekelberg
Call No.: JP 158.3 KRE

Three stories of children learning how to take care of other people.

Publisher: The Child's World, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.getepic.com



Title: Give It a Try, Yasmin! (Yasmin) 
Author: Saadia Faruqi
Call No.: JS FAR

Yasmin tackles every challenge she faces with her head and her heart. Whether she's helping to solve a recycling problem at school, trying to avoid a science fair fiasco, searching for a favourite lost book, or gathering her courage to join in the fun, Yasmin is always willing to give it a try!

Publisher: Picture Window Books, 2021 |
Adapted from: Book cover




Title: The Secrets of Magnolia Moon (Magnolia Moon)
Author: Edwina Wyatt
Call No.: JS WYA

Magnolia Moon is nine years old and she likes: Greek mythology, her best friend Imogen May, wishing trees, and speaking crows.

She's also the kind of person who can be entrusted with a great many secrets. Magnolia navigates every challenge and secret that comes her way with the kind of authenticity and innocence that comes from being nine years wise.

Publisher: Walker Books, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.walker.co.uk



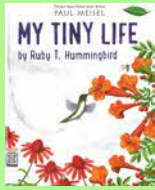
Title: Tomatoes for Neela 
Author: Padma Lakshmi
Call No.: JP LAK

Neela loves cooking with her Amma and writing down the recipes. It makes her feel closer to her Paati who lives far away in India. Neela and Amma go to the green market to buy tomatoes to make Paati's famous sauce. They find a way for Paati to share in both the love and the flavours of the day.

Publisher: Viking, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.penguinrandomhouse.com

UNIT 5 LIFE CYCLE

Available as an eBook on the NLB catalogue at www.nlb.gov.sg.




Title: My Tiny Life by Ruby T. Hummingbird (A Nature Diary)
Author: Paul Meisel
Call No.: JP 598.7 MEI

Tiny but mighty! A ruby throated hummingbird tells his own life story in this funny, bright, informative entry to the critically acclaimed Nature Diary science series.

Children will love poring over the bright, highly detailed illustrations and pondering ideas about nature.

Publisher: Holiday House, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.holidayhouse.com



Title: Rescue on Turtle Beach (Wind Riders) 
Author: Jen Marlin
Call No.: JS MAR

Hop aboard *Wind Rider*, a magical sailboat, with Max and Sofia, two kids trying to save the environment one problem at a time.

Their first mission? Rescuing baby sea turtles in the beautiful waters of Hawaii.

Publisher: Harper, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.harpercollins.com



Title: In Our Garden 
Author: Pat Zietlow Miller
Call No.: JP MIL

Millie has recently moved to a new city, from a place more than an ocean away. She misses the garden where her family used to grow food. One day, she has an idea—the school has a fine flat roof, perfect for a garden. Soon, her teacher and classmates are on board, but it takes more than ideas to build a garden. It takes supplies and hard work, a lot of learning, and even the whole community to come together to help. It also takes a lot of waiting. But as Millie's teacher Miss Mirales says, "Be patient. Good things take time."

Publisher: G.P. Putnam's Sons, 2022 |
Adapted from: www.penguinrandomhouse.com



Title: What Did the Tree See?
Author: Charlotte Guillain
Call No.: JP 582.16 GUI

Told in gentle rhyming verse, this beautiful non-fiction picture book follows the story of an oak tree on a hilltop as it witnesses life changing around it over the course of hundreds of years. From the time when hunters chased deer through the woodland, to when trees were cleared for farmland, to the smog and factories emerging during the industrial revolution.

Publisher: Welbeck Publishing, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.adamandcharlotteguillain.co.uk

UNIT 6 ANIMALS AND THEIR HABITATS



Title: Frank and the Bad Surprise (Frank and the Puppy)
Author: Martha Brockenbrough
Call No.: JS BRO

Frank the cat has it good: tons of toys, unlimited Whiskies™, and space and quiet to stretch and nap and think and write. Then his people bring home a box. A box with something unexpected inside. A puppy who doesn't know the rules of naps. A puppy who slobbers and tackles and barks. Frank will just have to find a better home. Should be easy, right?

Publisher: Levine Querido, 2022 |
Adapted from: www.levinequerido.com

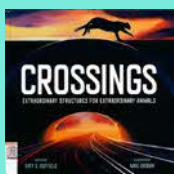


Title: If You Take Away the Otter
Author: Susannah Buhrman-Deever
Call No.: JP 599.769 BUH

There was a time when people hunted the otters almost to extinction. Without sea otters to eat sea urchins, they grew and destroyed entire kelp forests. Fish and other animals that depended on the kelp were lost, too. When people protected the sea otters with new laws, otters and kelp forests began to grow. Susannah Buhrman-Deever offers a beautifully written account of what happens when the removal of a single element affects an entire habitat.

When the sea otters disappear, why does their kelp forest habitat disappear, too?

Publisher: Candlewick Press, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.candlewick.com



Title: Crossings: Extraordinary Structures for Extraordinary Animals
Author: Katy Duffield
Call No.: JP 333.95 DUF

Around the world, bridges, tunnels, and highways are constantly being built to help people get from one place to another. But what happens when construction spreads over, under, across, and through animal habitats?

Publisher: Beach Lane Books, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.simonandschusterpublishing.com



Title: Together
Author: Jane Chapman
Call No.: JP CHA


Hidden under shady leaves, a tiny gorilla's face peeps out—silent and alone. But out in the world, friendship awaits. And there is joy to be found... together.

Publisher: Little Tiger Press, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.littletiger.co.uk

UNIT 7 SOUNDS

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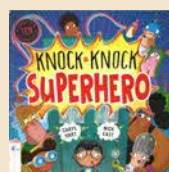


Title: Sound Waves 
Author: Michael Dahl
Call No.: JP 534 DAH

Birds chirp. A dog barks. Thunder claps.

Sound waves travel through the air, but we don't see them. How do we hear sounds around us?

Publisher: Pebble, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.shop.capstonepub.com




Title: Knock Knock Superhero
Author: Caryl Hart
Call No.: JP HAR

Knock, knock! There's a superhero at the door! Pasta Man has run out of Pasta Power! Can our young hero help him to get his powers back and defeat evil Madame Chilli, who wants to rule the world with lashings of chilli sauce?

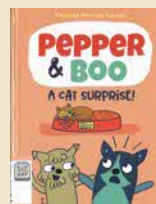
Publisher: Hodder Children's Books, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.hachette.com.au



Title: Snow Birds 
Author: Kirsten Hall
Call No.: JP 811 HAL

You've heard of birds who migrate to warmer climates in the wintertime—but what about those who persevere through snowy weather and freezing temperatures?

Publisher: Abrams Books for Young Readers, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.abramsbooks.com



Title: Pepper & Boo: A Cat Surprise! (Pepper & Boo)
Author: Charise Mericle Harper
Call No.: JS HAR

Meet Pepper and Boo—two dogs who wonder why the cat sleeps and licks itself so much, what the cat is thinking, and what makes the cat happy.

The cat knows a lot about being a cat. They will sleep anywhere at any time of day. Although they are different, they're happy to have housemates like Pepper and Boo.

Publisher: Little, Brown and Company, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.lbyr.com

UNIT 8 FOOD AND CELEBRATION



Title: Hang Li Po: The Tale of the First Peranakan (Asia's Lost Legends)
Author: Catherine Khoo
Call No.: J SING 398.2 KHO

When Li Po travels from China to Malaysia to marry the Sultan of Malacca, the people are reluctant to welcome her as their Princess. But Li Po embraces all aspects of her new home and very cleverly blends elements of her past and present cultures. With her command of the Malay language and her ability to create new clothes and foods, she forms a hybrid culture—that of the Peranakans.

Will the people of Malacca accept her now?

Publisher: Little, Brown and Company, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.epigrambookshop.sg

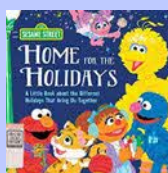



Title: The Star Birthday (Nikhil and Jay)
Author: Chitra Soundar
Call No.: JS SOU

Grandad and Granny come to visit from India and show the boys that the best way to eat mangoes is in the bath!

There's a Star Birthday for Nikhil, with a special Indian Feast. Another day, the family all go for a banana picnic in the park. Everyone is sad when it's time for Granny and Grandad to go back to India, but Nikhil and Jay promise to send letters and pictures.

Publisher: Otter-Barry Books, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.otterbarrybooks.com



Title: Home for the Holidays: A Little Book about the Different Holidays That Bring Us Together (Sesame Street Scribbles) 
Author: Craig Manning
Call No.: JP MAN

Share in the joy with Elmo and friends in this special story that proves no matter what you celebrate, there's no place like home for the holidays!

Publisher: Sourcebooks Wonderland, 2021 |
Adapted from: Book cover



Title: What's Food Like Around the World? (Life Around the World)
Author: Kathleen Connors
Call No.: JP 394.1 CON

To someone who's never tried it, a dark brown paste made from leftover yeast extract might not sound like a tasty treat. In Australia, this dark brown paste called *Vegemite* is a popular addition to many snacks and meals. Readers will learn about this and many other popular dishes enjoyed around the world.

Publisher: Cavendish Square, 2022 |
Adapted from: www.cavendishsq.com



UNIT 9 PLAYING TRICKS

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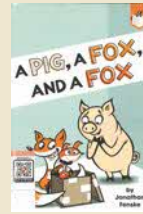



Title: Maryam's Magic: The Story of Mathematician Maryam Mirzakhani 
Author: Megan Reid
Call No.: JP 510.92 REI

As a little girl, Maryam Mirzakhani was spellbound by stories. She loved school but she did not like math. Until she unexpectedly discovered geometry, where numbers become shapes and have their own fascinating personalities.

Maryam made history by becoming the first Iranian woman to win the Fields Medal, mathematics' highest award.

Publisher: Balzer + Bray, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.harpercollins.com



Title: A Pig, a Fox, and a Fox (Pig & Fox) 
Author: Jonathan Fenske
Call No.: JP FEN

Jonathan Fenske tells a humorous three-part story of two friends, Pig and Fox.

In this book, Fox has a doll that looks like him, and he uses it to prank Pig into thinking it's the real Fox. As always, the mischief winds up backfiring, and Fox becomes his own victim.

Publisher: Penguin Workshop, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.penguinrandomhouse.com



Title: Marshmallow Pie the Cat Superstar (Marshmallow Pie the Cat Superstar)
Author: Clara Vulliamy
Call No.: JS VUL

Marshmallow Marmaduke Vanilla-Bean Sugar-Pie Fluffington-Fitz-Noodle is a big, fluffy (and grumpy) cat. He LOVES the easy life: lazing in the sunshine, eating Shrimp Crunchies, and annoying Buster, the dog downstairs.

His new owner, Amelia Lime, has grand plans to turn Pie into a STAR... But Pie thinks he's a star already, to be honest!

Publisher: HarperCollins Children's Books, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.harpercollins.co.uk



Title: Rumpelstiltskin (Discover Graphics: Fairy Tales)
Author: Stephanie Peters
Call No.: JP 398.2 PET -[FOL]

Revisit the tale of Rumpelstiltskin with this graphic novel for new readers.

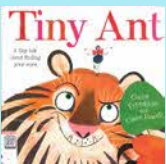
The king demands the miller's daughter spin straw into gold. She doesn't know how until Rumpelstiltskin appears out of nowhere with his magic.

As the king asks for more gold, and Rumpelstiltskin demands repayment, what will happen to the miller's daughter?

Publisher: Picture Window Books, 2022 |
Adapted from: shop.capstonepub.com



UNIT 10 COMMUNICATION



Title: Tiny Ant 
Author: Claire Freedman
Call No.: JP FRE

It's time for the jungle talent show, and all the animals want to show off what they can do! The acrobatic lion, dancing gorilla, and juggling monkey are all determined to impress the judges. But up against the mighty beasts of the jungle, what can Tiny Ant do?

Publisher: Simon & Schuster, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.simonandschuster.com



Title: Sign Language & Emotions
Author: Bela Davis
Call No.: JP 419 DAV

This book introduces young readers to American Sign Language words for feelings and emotions. Each page features one emotion sign within an everyday situation a child might be apart of.

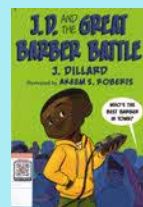
Publisher: Abdo Kids, 2022 |
Adapted from: www.abdobooks.com




Title: Leo and the Octopus
Author: Isabelle Marinov
Call No.: JP MAR

Leo struggles to make sense of the world. He doesn't understand the other children in his class, and they don't seem to understand him. But then one day, Leo meets Maya. Maya is an octopus, and the more Leo learns about her, the more he thinks that perhaps he isn't alone in this world, after all.

Publisher: Templar Books, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.isabellemarinov.com



Title: J.D. and the Great Barber Battle (J.D. the Kid Barber) 
Author: J. Dillard
Call No.: JS DIL

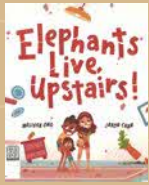
J.D. has a big problem—it's the night before the start of third grade and his mom has just given him his first and worst home haircut. When the steady stream of insults becomes too much for J.D., he takes matters into his own hands and discovers that he's a genius with the clippers.

His work makes him the talk of the town and brings him enough hair business to open a barbershop from his bedroom. When Henry Jr., the owner of the only official local barbershop, realises he's losing clients to J.D., he tries to shut him down for good. How do you find out who's the best barber in all of Meridian, Mississippi?

Publisher: Kokila, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.penguinrandomhouse.com

UNIT 11 PARTIES

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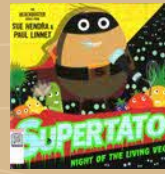



Title: Elephants Live Upstairs!
Author: Melissa Ong
Call No.: J SING ONG

When elephants move into a HDB block, they create quite a ruckus. The family living below them can't even sleep! Then, Mum whips up some of her home-made kueh and pays the elephants a visit.

A cup of kopi and a conversation later, the elephants come to learn of ways to have fun while respecting and sharing their neighbours' space.

Publisher: Epigram Books, 2022 |
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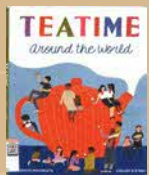



Title: Night of the Living Veg (Supertato) 
Authors: Sue Hendra and Paul Linnet
Call No.: JP HEN

It's fright-time in the supermarket, and the veggies are seriously spooked!

Strange shapes, weird noises, and eerie shuffling—whatever can be behind these ghostly goings-on?

Publisher: Simon & Schuster, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.simonandschuster.com




Title: Teatime Around the World 
Author: Denyse Waissbluth
Call No.: JP 641.3 WAI

This poetic picture book takes children of all ages on an adventure around the world to discover new cultures and friends through tea. Did you know that po cha, the traditional tea in Tibet, is thick and salty like soup? Or that in Iran, tea is served with a rock? (A rock candy, that is!) Or that afternoon tea was dreamed up in England by a duchess who complained of being hungry between lunch and dinner?

Publisher: Greystone Books, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.greystonebooks.com



Title: The Ladybug Party (The Adventures of Sophie Mouse) 
Author: Poppy Green
Call No.: JS GRE

Sophie meets a ladybug setting up for a surprise party in Silverlake Forest. Sophie offers to run some errands in town to help her new friend. But by the time Sophie gets to town, she's forgotten what the ladybug said!

Will Sophie's friends be able to help her in time to pull off the big surprise?

Publisher: Little Simon, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.simonandschuster.com

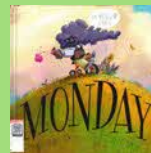
UNIT 12 FRIENDSHIPS



Title: Finding Fizz
Author: Jenny Alexander
Call No.: JS ALE

Carly used to be part of the Funny Five until her so-called friends started making fun of her and pretending that she wasn't there. Now, Carly isn't her bubbly self and she's 'lost her fizz'. When she finds a lost dog, life starts looking very different and maybe, just maybe, she'll find her fizz again...

Publisher: Bloomsbury Education, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.bloomsbury.com



Title: Monday
Author: Lucy Branam
Call No.: JP BRA

Poor Monday. Everyone knows he's the worst. Monday tries his best to get people to like him, but Monday is just not cut out for Sunday's naps or Thursday's frantic energy. Finally, he decides to just not show up at all.

When the other days start looking more and more like Monday himself, Monday realises that everyone has a job to do in a week.

Publisher: Sleeping Bear Press, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.cherrylakepublishing.com



Title: The Giving Day (A Cubby Hill Tale)
Author: Cori Doerrfeld
Call No.: JP DOE

Every year, the town of Cubby Hill comes together for the Great Giving Festival, celebrating the spirit of giving and community that makes their town such a great place to live. This year, Cooper Cub has a very special task: delivering his grandmother's special honey to everyone in town! But with such a big job, can Cooper find a way to help his friends and sweeten up the Festival?

Publisher: Abrams Books for Young Readers, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.abramsbooks.com



Title: Being Social
Author: Kirsten Chang
Call No.: JP 302.3 CHA


It is Klara's first soccer practice. She meets her teammates. They become friends! This title introduces readers to the importance of being social. Leveled text includes examples of being social, while special features summarise the main text and provide tools for success. Get ready to learn why being social is a key to living a healthy life!

Publisher: Bellwether Media, 2022 |
Adapted from: www.bellwethermedia.com

UNIT 13 FAMILY BONDS

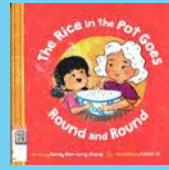
Available as an eBook on the NLB catalogue at www.nlb.gov.sg.




Title: Astrid and Apollo and the Fishing Flop (Astrid and Apollo) 
Author: V.T. Bidania
Call No.: JS BID

It's the twins' first time fishing. Astrid and Apollo can't wait to ride on their Uncle Lue's fast boat and get goofy pictures with all the fish they catch. But Apollo keeps catching things that are not fish! When a storm brings them to shore, Apollo starts to feel like he's a fishing failure. Can the twins turn the day around and help Apollo find the fun in fishing?

Publisher: Picture Window Books, 2021 |
Adapted from: shop.capstonepub.com



Title: The Rice in the Pot Goes Round and Round 
Author: Wendy Wan-Long Shang
Call No.: JP 395.5 SHA

Sing along to a delicious twist on "The Wheels on the Bus", in this joyful celebration of Chinese culture, the special time spent with the ones we love most, and the food, laughter, and love of a multigenerational family meal.

Publisher: Orchard Books, 2021 |
Adapted from: Book cover



Title: My Favourite Days
Author: Illo Picto
Call No.: J SING ILL

It's Friday again and that's when Grandpa comes to pick me up from school! It's our favourite day, as Grandpa and I love exploring the neighbourhoods, looking back on stories of the past, and imagining what the future will be like!

Come experience our adventure through interactive Augmented Reality activities, and learn how technology can help improve our lives!

Publisher: TOUCH Community Services Limited, 2021 |
Adapted from: Book cover



Title: Shu Lin's Grandpa
Author: Matt Goodfellow
Call No.: JP GOO


Shu Lin, a Chinese immigrant girl, finds it hard to gain acceptance in her new school, until her grandpa saves the day. She stands alone in the playground. At lunchtime, she eats by herself from little boxes of brightly coloured food.

When Shu Lin's grandpa comes to school and shows the class his amazing Chinese paintings, everything changes...

Publisher: Otter-Barry Books, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.otterbarrybooks.com

UNIT 14 INCLUSIVENESS



Title: Make New Friends, but Keep the Old (Twig and Turtle) 
Author: Jennifer Richard Jacobson
Call No.: JS JAC

When Twig thinks she's finally found a new best friend, Angela's former BFF, Effie, moves back to Happy Trails. Twig thinks Effie is anything but friendly. Still, if she tells Angela how she feels, will that leave her with no friends at all?

With a little advice from Grandma, can Twig find her voice without hurting anyone's feelings?

Publisher: Pixel+Ink, 2021 |
Adapted from: Book cover



Title: Areli Is a Dreamer: A True Story
Author: Areli Morales
Call No.: JP 305.23086 MOR

When Areli was just a baby, her mama and papa moved from Mexico to New York with her brother, Alex, to make a better life for the family. When she was in kindergarten, they sent for her too.

Everything in New York was different. Gone were the Saturdays at Abuela's house, filled with cousins and sunshine. Instead, things were busy and fast and noisy. Areli's limited English came out wrong, and schoolmates accused her of being illegal. But with time, America became her home. And she saw it as a land of opportunity, where millions of immigrants who came before her paved their own paths. She knew she would, too.

Publisher: Random House Studio, 2021 |
Adapted from: www.penguinrandomhouse.com



Title: Kindness (Big Words for Little People)
Author: Helen Mortimer
Call No.: JP 177.7 MOR

This book creates a moment to focus on kindness. It introduces words to talk about feelings with confidence and in a way that feels good. The engaging art style, fun characters, and picture book feel make it perfect to share.

Publisher: Oxford University Press, 2020 |
Adapted from: global.oup.com



Title: Talking Is Not My Thing
Author: Rose Robbins
Call No.: JP ROB

The autistic sister of this delightful sibling duo knows what she wants to say, but can't say it out loud. However, there is plenty of fun she and her brother can have together without verbal communication, and she is often one step ahead of him!

Publisher: Scallywag Press, 2020 |
Adapted from: www.scallywagpress.com