# Babies & Toddlers (English)

## The Book That Almost Rhymed

## by Abed, Omar

"A boy begrudgingly composes a sometimes-rhyming adventure with his precocious little sister."-- Publisher.

Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2. 2024

[DB 125145](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB125145)

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## A Day at School with the Very Hungry Caterpillar

by Megan Roth

"Spend a day at school with The Very Hungry Caterpillar! It's a busy day at school with The Very Hungry Caterpillar! From greeting the teacher to reading a book, get ready to celebrate learning in this book with easy-to-read text and easy-to-love Eric Carle art."-- Publisher.

Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2. 2024

[DB 125389](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB125389)

## The Rainbow Park

by Harold Green

"On an outing to the local community park, a family explores all the colors of the rainbow--from a favorite red slide and purple sprinkler to a yellow bench where grandparents watch and relax. Publishing simultaneously with The Numbers Store, The Rainbow Park is part of an exciting new board book series, featuring an intergenerational Black family over the course of a day, that teaches readers early-concepts such as colors and numbers"-- Provided by publisher. For Preschool-grade 2. 2023

DB 125875 in process

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## What Will These Hands Make?

by Nikki McClure

"A picture book that celebrates community and creativity from acclaimed cut-paper artist Nikki McClure. This lyrical picture book from beloved creator Nikki McClure follows a family through one day and muses in the possibilities that one day holds, from enjoying treats at the bakery, to admiring handmade goods from local artisan shops, to observing the new construction in town. Illuminating themes of community, creativity, and collaboration, What Will These Hands Make dares the reader to dream up everything they can be and all the ways they can leave their little corner of the world better than they found it." -- OCLC. For Preschool-grade 2. 2020

BR in process

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## Ellie Mae Dreams Big!

by Kristina McMorris

## "Ellie Mae's mind swirls with ideas when her teacher asks, "what do you want to be when you grow up?" -- WorldCat.

## For Preschool-grade 2.

BR 25716 in process

## Sparkles, No Sparkles

## "Adorable sparkle-less animals raid the theatre for crowns, boots and capes to add some much-needed sparkle to their ensemble"-- Provided by publisher.

## For Preschool-grade 2. 2024

BR in process

## Patchwork Prince

## by Baptiste Paul

"With fabric scrap treasures, a mother makes her son clothes fit for royalty." -- Provided by publisher.

For Preschool-grade 2. 2023

[DB 117888](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB117888)

## BR 25658 in process

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## Interrupting Chicken

by David Ezra Stein

## “Little Red Chicken wants Papa to read her a bedtime story, but interrupts him almost as soon as he begins each tale.” For preschool-grade 2. 2010

[DBC05419](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DBC05419)

BR in process

## Very Good Hats

## by Emma Straub

"Some people think hats are fancy things you can buy at a dressy store, but that’s just the tip of the iceberg. In this audiobook, acorns and raspberries are snug hats for your fingers, and an empty pudding cup is a good hat for a stuffed bear. Pajama pants make dangly hats, books can be dramatic hats, and bubbles make very fine hats as well (if temporary). Listeners will be delighted to discover that anything can be a hat if you believe it is. Hats are everywhere you look!" -- Provided by publisher.

Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2.

[DB 115352](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB115352)

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## The Artist

by Ed Vere

"A brave little artist goes on an epic adventure to share her creativity with the world, adding color and life to a drab, gray city."-- From publisher.

Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2.

[DB 125170](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB125170)

# Preschoolers (English)

## Little Troublemaker Makes a Mess

by Luvvie Ajayi Jones

"A story about a little troublemaker with a big heart from the New York Times bestselling author and noted speaker Luvvie Ajayi JonesWhoops!Little Luvvie loves her mom. She loves her sister. And she loves doing nice things for other people.But what happens when doing something nice means breaking some rules? Little Luvvie is about to find out.Written by the New York Times bestselling author Luvvie Ajayi Jones with bright, bold art by Joey Spiotto, this funny, sweet story about a bighearted girl with the best of intentions is sure to become a family favorite."-- From publisher. Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2. 2023

[DB 123002](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB123002)

BR 25638 in process

## Penguins Love Colors

by Sarah Aspinall

“Six little penguins named after flowers and plants decide to paint a beautiful picture on the ice for their mother--and end up with paint all over themselves.” – From Publisher. For preschool-grade 2. 2017

[DBC 13039](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DBC13039)

## John’s Turn

"It's John's big day at school today - a performance for Sharing Gifts time. His bag is carefully packed and prepared, his classmates are ready, and the curtain is waiting to open. John is nervous, looking out at all the other children staring back at him. But he takes a big breath and begins. Mac Barnett's compassionate text and Kate Berube's understated and expressive art tell the story of a kid who finds the courage to show others his talent for dancing." -- Provided by publisher. For Preschool-grade 2. 2022

DB in process

## Aaron Slater, Illustrator

by Andrea Beaty

"When Miss Greer asks each child in the class to write a story, second-grader Aaron, who loves to draw but struggles with reading, creates a story using pictures." -- Provided by publisher.

For grades K-3. 2021

[BR 25066](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/BR25066)

## Show the World!

by Angela Dalton

"From painting, music, and slam poetry, to engineering, protesting, and photography, a young narrator journeys through her neighborhood, encouraging readers to explore all the many ways they can express themselves."-- Provided by publisher. Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2. 2022

[DB 125785](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB125785)

## The Crayons Love Our Planet

by Drew Daywalt

"The hilarious Crayons are back in this celebration of our planet and their contributions to it - white ice caps, green trees, blue oceans and skies, brown soil and even wheat!" -- WorldCat. For Preschool-grade 2. 2024

BR in process

## Amira’s Picture Day

by Reem Faruqi

Excited because tomorrow is Eid, with special clothes, treats, gifts, and a morning party at her mosque, Amira realizes that she will miss class picture day at school. Dismayed, Amira tries to figure out a way to be in two places at once. For grades K-3. 2021

[DB 103585](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB103585)

## The Girl Who Heard the Music

by Marni Fogelson

"Mahani Teave grew up on Rapa Nui, also known as Easter Island, one of the most remote islands in the world, where moai statues stand and music is everywhere. When she began taking lessons on the island's only piano, she proved to be a great talent. She left Rapa Nui when she was just nine to continue her music education, wishing she didn't have to leave such a beautiful place to pursue her dreams. She became an internationally acclaimed classical pianist, playing around the world for all kinds of audiences. But her island home kept calling her back. Years later, she returned to Rapa Nui to stay, and with a new dream: to save its environment and culture. She helped create a music and arts school, so that children there could learn music in ways that kept the island's unique traditions alive. Mahani also saw the island's struggles with sustainability issues and pollution from tourism and ocean plastics, so the school was built by using thousands of tires, bottles, and cans in its walls, and incorporates rain barrels, solar panels, and a food garden. Mahani and her team have created an inspiring place that celebrates the land of Rapa Nui and its people." -- Provided by publisher. For Preschool-grade 2 and older readers. 2023

[DB 115446](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB115446)

## A Rainbow in Brown

by Pavonis Giron

"Jo wants to paint all the wonderful things she loves. With a palette of red, yellow, and blue, Jo knows she can mix any colors together to create new ones. Her imagination takes flight as she explores painting with primary and by mixing her own secondary colors, each picture as beautiful as the last. But through her exploration of the colors of the rainbow, Jo finds that her favorite is a combination of them." -- Goodreads.

For Preschool-grade 2. 2024

BR in process

## Dress-Up Day

by Bianca Gómez

"When a little girl is home sick for dress-up day at school, she decides there's no need to miss out entirely: She'll just wear her rabbit costume the next day! But when the next day arrives and she's the only one in costume, it doesn't feel like such a great idea after all. Can a little bit of confidence and an unexpected new friend turn a self-conscious moment into a wonderful one?" -- Provided by publisher. For Preschool-grade 2. 2022

BR in process

## This Book Is Banned

by Raj Haldar

"This is a book about dinosaurs. No it's not. Dinosaurs are not allowed. Oh. This is now a book about avocados! Sorry. We deleted those too. FINE. This book is about--nope! Forbidden! Maybe you shouldn't even try reading this book...But what could possibly be inside? Discover just what can happen when ideas are erased instead of expressed."-- From publisher. Commercial audiobook. For grades 2-4. 2023

[DB 125788](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB125788)

## The Arabic Quilt: An Immigrant Story

by Aya Khalil

“After being teased over her culture, Kanzi uses a treasured reminder of her old home in Egypt to provide a pathway for acceptance in her new one.” Commercial audiobook. For grades K-3. 2020

[DB 100143](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB100143)

## Built to Last

by Minh Lê

"Every creation two friends build together ends up tumbling down, except their friendship." -- WorldCat.

For Preschool-grade 2.

[BR 25632 in process](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/BR25632)

## Benita and the Night Creatures

by Mariana Llanos

“Spooky creatures from Peruvian folklore want to scare Benita. Will she ever get to read her book in peace?”- For preschool to grade 2. 2023

[DBC18973](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DBC18973)

## There Was a Party for Langston

by Jason Reynolds

"A celebration of Langston Hughes and African American authors he inspired, told through the lens of the party held at the New York Public Library's Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture in 1991."--OCLC.

Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2. 2023

[DB 119850](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB119850)

[BR 25665 in process](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/br25665)

## The Dot

by Peter H. Reynolds

"Her teacher smiled. "Just make a mark and see where it takes you." Art class is over, but Vashti is sitting glued to her chair in front of a blank piece of paper. The words of her teacher are a gentle invitation to express herself. But Vashti can't draw, she's no artist. To prove her point, Vashti jabs at a blank sheet of paper to make an unremarkable and angry mark. "There!" she says. That one little dot marks the beginning of Vashti's journey of surprise and self-discovery. That special moment is the core of Peter H. Reynolds's delicate fable about the creative spirit in all of us."-- From publisher. Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2. 2023

[DB 125982](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB125982)

## A Garden in My Hands

by Meera Sriram

"A mother shares family memories and stories with her daughter as she applies henna to the young girl's hands."-- From publisher.

Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2. 2023

[DB 125789](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB125789)

## Ali and the Sea Stars

by Ali Stroker

"Ali loves to dance, sing, and act. But she had never thought of putting on her own show until her neighbor asked, 'Why wait?' Immediately energized, Ali gets to work. There's so much to do before showtime--choosing the right musical, auditions, rehearsal, costume and set design--but Ali can do anything with her family and friends. When a storm threatens to undo all their hard work, Ali must use her imagination and adapt so the show can go on."-- Provided by publisher. Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2. 2022

[DB 125983](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB125983)

## Finding My Dance

by Ria Thundercloud

"In her debut picture book, professional Indigenous dancer Ria Thundercloud tells the true story of her path to dance and how it helped her take pride in her Native American heritage." -- Provided by publisher. Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2. 2022

[DB 117522](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB117522)

## Gibberish

by Young Vo

“When Dat starts school in a country where he does not speak the language, everything around him sounds like gibberish, until a new friend helps him make sense of his new world.” – Worldcat. For preschool to grade 2. 2022

[DBC28574](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DBC28574)

## Someone Builds the Dream

by Lisa Wheeler

“Celebrates the skilled women and men who work to see the plans of architects, engineers, and designers brought to life.” Commercial audiobook. For grades K-3. 2021

[DB 107571](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB107571)

## Amy Wu and the Ribbon Dance

by Kat Zhang

"Amy Wu loves to move, so when she sees Chinese ribbon dancing for the first time, she has to try it out, but first she must find the perfect ribbon." -- WorldCat. For Preschool-grade 2. 2023

BR in process

# Early Literacy - Bilingual and Spanish

## Freight Train / Tren de carga

by Donald Crews

“A train of many colorful cars--red, orange, yellow, green, blue, purple, and black--starts slowly, then moves in a rainbow blur across the countryside. Bilingual book in English and Spanish.” For preschool-grade 2. 2016

[BR 17043](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.107571)

## ¡No interrumpas Kika!

by David Ezra Stein

"Es hora de ir a acostarse y la gallinita roja le reclama a Papá un cuento para ir a dormir, pero cada vez que empieza un cuento nuevo, la gallinita Kika no cesa de interrumpirle. Desde Hansel y Gretel hasta Caperucita Roja, la gallinita no puede retenerse de irrumpir en los cuentos para impedirles caer en la trampa o salvarles. Finalmente el papá cansado de ser interrumpido pide a la Gallinita que le lea un cuento." -- Proporcionada por la editorial. Para niños preescolares hasta el grado 2. Traducido de la edición en inglés de 2010.

DB 126228 in process

## Los pingüinos adoran los colores

by Sarah Aspinall

“Todo es blanco y negro hasta que seis pingüinitos toman los pinceles y transforman su mundo nevado en un colorido jardín. ¿Crees que harán un desastre? ¡Adivina!” – Proporcionada por la editorial. Para niños preescolares hasta el grado 2.

[DBC12916](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DBC12916)

## Aarón Soñador, ilustrador

by Andrea Beaty

"A Aarón Soñador le encanta escuchar historias y sueña con, algún día, escribirlas él mismo. Pero cuando intenta leer, todas las letras se mezclan y le parecen unos garabatos, así que no tarda en darse cuenta de que tiene más dificultades para aprender que sus compañeros. El día que su maestra pide que cada niño de la clase escriba una historia, Aarón no logra hacerlo. Justo cuando pensaba que ser un gran escritor estaba fuera de su alcance, llega la inspiración y Aarón descubre una forma muy particular de contar sus historias." -- Proporcionada por la editorial. Traducido de la edición en inglés de 2021. Para grados K-3.

[DB 125623](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB125623)

## My Name is Gabriela: The Life of Gabriela Mistral / Me llamo Gabriela: La vida de Gabriela Mistral

by Monica Brown

"Gabriela Mistral amaba las palabras, los sonidos y las historias. Nacida en Chile, se convertiría en la primera mujer latina ganadora del Premio Nobel. Como poetisa y maestra, inspiró a niños de muchos países para que hicieran oír su voz. Esta bella historia, en la que las palabras cobran vida literalmente, está contada con el ritmo y la melodía de un poema. Es el segundo libro de la serie de biografías bilingües de Luna Rising. My Name is Gabriela/Me llamo Gabriela es un hermoso homenaje a una mujer que nos enseñó el poder de las palabras y la importancia de seguir nuestros sueños. La historia de Gabriela Mistral seguirá inspirando a los niños de todo el mundo." -- Traducción proporcionada por NLS; Bilingüe inglés/español. Para niños preescolares hasta el grado 2. 2005

[DB 126107 in process](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB126107)

## My Name Is Gabito / Me llamo Gabito: The Life of Gabriel Garcia Márquez

by Monica Brown

"¿Te imaginas a un náufrago viviendo de aire y algas durante ocho días? ¿Puedes imaginar una estela de mariposas amarillas agitando sus alas al son de canciones de amor? Había una vez un niño llamado Gabito que sí podía. Gabriel García Márquez es quizá uno de los escritores más brillantes de nuestro tiempo. Es una figura tremenda, de enorme talento y admirado sin complejos. Esta es su historia, contada con cariño, para que la disfruten los niños. Utilizando las imágenes de sus novelas, Monica Brown recorre la vida del novelista en este libro ilustrado de no ficción creativa desde su infancia en Colombia hasta la actualidad. Esta es una historia inspiradora sobre una vida inspiradora, llena de imaginación y belleza." -- Traducción proporcionada por NLS; Bilingüe inglés/español. Para niños preescolares hasta el grado 2. 2007

[DB 126104 in process](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB126104)

## Lia y Luís: ¡Desconcertados! / Lia & Luís: Puzzled! (Storytelling Math)

by Ana Crespo

"Los mellizos Lia y Luís han recibido de su abuela un rompecabezas con un código secreto. ¿Podrán armarlo para leer el mensaje oculto? Una divertida exploración de la geometría y la clasificación con personajes brasileño-estadounidenses y un glosario de palabras de portugués brasileño." -- Proporcionada por la editorial.

Bilingüe español/inglés. Para niños preescolares hasta el grado 2. 2023

[DB 126238 in process](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB126238)

## Día de disfraces

by Bianca Gómez

"Enferma en casa, una niña se pierde la fiesta de disfraces en la escuela, por lo que decide ponerse su disfraz de conejo al día siguiente; pero cuando los otros niños se ríen de ella, ella está triste, hasta que aparece un niño con su disfraz de zanahoria, y pronto los otros niños se unen a su juego." -- Proporcionada por la editorial.

Traducido de la edición en inglés de 2022. Para niños preescolares hasta el grado 2.

[DB 125628](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB125628)

## El cisne de chatarra: la limpieza de un río

by Joanne Linden

"Cuando los miembros de la comunidad trabajan juntos con camiones y barcos para limpiar la ribera de la ciudad, una artista y su hijo martillean, cincelan, sueldan y transforman los materiales encontrados en algo hermoso. Los jóvenes creadores encontrarán inspiración en el divertido texto rimado y en las ilustraciones de técnica mixta, mientras que las notas finales ofrecen ideas de actividades de arte reciclado." -- Traducción proporcionada por la editorial. Traducido de la edición en inglés de 2022. Para niños preescolares hasta el grado 2.

[DB 125572](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB125572)

## Benita y las criaturas nocturnas

by Mariana Llanos

"A Benita le encanta leer en la cama, pero un Tunche que silba, un Supay aterrador y otras criaturas espeluznantes de la tradición peruana la interrumpen constantemente. Para incredulidad de las criaturas, Benita está tan absorta en su libro que no les tiene ni un poco de miedo. Esta divertida celebración de la lectura antes de acostarse le da un giro global a la tarea de eliminar el "miedo" de los monstruos. Las criaturas son cómicamente incapaces de asustar a la protagonista, que está profundamente absorta en su libro. El personaje principal muestra valentía y confianza." -- Proporcionada por la editorial. Para niños preescolares hasta el grado 2., 2023

[DB 123106](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB123106)

[BR 25651 in process](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/BR25651)

## What Can You Do with a Rebozo? / ¿Qué puedes hacer con un rebozo?

by Carmen Tafolla

"Una cuna para el bebé, una capa de superhéroe, una manta calentita en una noche fresca... hay tantas cosas que se pueden hacer con un rebozo». A través de los ojos de una niña, los lectores conocen el tradicional rebozo que se encuentra en muchos hogares mexicanos y mexicano-americanos. Ahora, en una edición bilingüe inglés/español, la rima alegre y las ilustraciones de vivos colores del original están al alcance de un público totalmente nuevo." -- Proporcionada por la editorial. Audiolibro comercial. Para niños preescolares hasta el grado 2. 2024

[DB 124772](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB124772)

# Picture Books Fiction

## Extra Yarn

by Mac Barnett

"This is the story of how a young girl and her box of magical yarn transforms a community."-- From publisher.

Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2.

BR 20047 (print/braille)

[DB 127239 in process](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB127239)

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## Waiting in the Wings

by Julie Andrews

“When a clutch of duck eggs in a theater courtyard hatch during a performance, the community rallies to protect the ducklings."-- Provided by publisher.

Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2. 2024

[DB 125979](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/DB125979)

## Can Bears Ski?

by Raymond Antrobus

"Little Bear feels the world around him. He feels the floor shake when someone stomps to get his attention - but something is missing. Little Bear is not sure what is happening. All around him he hears the familiar refrain: "Can bears ski?" Then Dad Bear takes him to see an audiologist and they learn that Little Bear has been experiencing deafness. With new hearing aids, he discovers that "Can bears ski?" is actually "Can you hear me?" His new world is loud and will take some getting used to, but with the love and support of Dad Bear, Little Bear will find his way."-- From publisher.

Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2. 2020

[DB 125790](https://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.125790)

## When I Visited Grandma

by Saumiya Balasubramaniam

" It's Maya's first morning in India, but Grandma is already rushing her -- it's market day and they must make the most of Maya's visit. When Maya comes out of her room wearing her favorite ripped jeans, Grandma wants to sew them! Maya finds the market too hot, too loud, and it's full of Grandma's nosy neighbors. Even back at home, Grandma's friends keep dropping by. Maya just longs to be left alone. But the next morning the house is unusually quiet. Dad explains that Grandma has had to go to the hospital. And suddenly Maya sees things differently. Once again Saumiya Balasubramaniam explores the challenges of cross-cultural and intergenerational relationships in this sweet story with vivid illustrations by Kavita Ramchandran." -- Provided by publisher. For Preschool-grade 2. 2024

BR in process

## Mahogany: A Little Red Riding Hood Tale

by JaNay Brown-Wood

"When taking cornbread to Grandma, Mahogany encounters a hungry wolf and outsmarts him by cleverly hiding in the woods and using her sewing skills to trap him."-- Provided by publisher.

For Preschool-grade 2. 2024

BR in process

## I Have a Superpower

by Stephen Curry

"A young child learns that he does not have to be the strongest, fastest, or jump the highest, but as long as he has determination and heart any goal is achievable."-- From publisher.

Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2. 2022

[DB 125510](https://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.125510)

## Me and the Boss

by Michelle Edwards

"Six-year-old Lee will not give up until he can show his big sister Zora, a.k.a. the boss, how good he can sew. Includes instructions on how to make Lee's smiling moon." -- Provided by publisher.

For Preschool-grade 2. 2022

[DB 113068](https://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.113068)

## I Will Dance

by Bo Flood

"Eva's cerebral palsy makes it difficult for her to do many things, but she longs to dance and, finally, her dream is realized. Includes author's note and information about Young Dance Company." -- Provided by publisher.

For Preschool-grade 2. 2020

[DB 113433](https://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.113433%20opens%20in%20a%20new%20window)

## In Every Life

by Marla Frazee

"A picture book celebrating both the highs and lows that everyone experiences in the course of a life." -- WorldCat. Caldecott Honor Book. For Preschool-grade 2. 2023

[DB 123778](https://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.123778)

## A Day with No Words

by Tiffany Hammond

"Young children will learn what life can look like for an autistic child who uses nonverbal communication by following a mother and child on a day where they use a tablet to communicate with others."-- From publisher.

Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2. 2023

[DB 125984](https://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.125984)

## Sora Searches for a Song (Dance-It-Out! Creative Movement Stories)

"As the symphony floated above, Sora searched deep inside for a song. But nothing came. Melodies tickled across Sora's toes, legs, and back as the little cricket searched in vain. Then a stern voice pierced the song, and the music stopped. "Someone's not singing." Discover one little cricket's beautiful pursuit of inspiration. Readers are invited to stretch, balance, jump, and move along with the creatures in this delightful story of perseverance and celebrating your own unique voice. An enchanting sound-enhanced resource perfect for kindergarten and first-grade classrooms, dance teachers, and families at home. Sora Searches for a Song is ideal for ages 5-8. It features Sora (no pronouns), birds, fish, frogs, dragonflies, turtles, snakes and more. Delight your little one or class with this dance-and-move-along audio story, complete with nature and animal sounds. Track 2 includes Ballerina Konora's suggestions for movement exploration. As kids move along with the characters, they experience head/tail connection, dynamic posture, vestibular action, balance, movement quality, partnering, and more."-- From publisher.

Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2. 2023

[DB 125791](https://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.125791)

## Cape

by Kevin Johnson

"After losing the person in his life he loves more than anything, a young child holds onto a cape as a source of comfort and strength as he navigates the sadness and joy of his memories." -- Provided by publisher.

For Preschool-grade 2. 2023

[DB 117084](https://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.117084%20opens%20in%20a%20new%20window)

## When Langston Dances

by Kaija Langley

“Inspired by watching a performance of the Alvin Ailey Dance Company, a young black boy longs to dance and enrolls in ballet school.” From publisher. Preschool-Grade 2. 2021

DB in process

## Bracelets for Bina’s Brothers

by Rajani LaRocca

"Bina has three older brothers and this year she wants to make them bracelets for Raksha Bandhan, an Indian holiday that celebrates brothers and sisters--but first she must come up with patterns that include only their favorite colors, plus one unique bead that celebrates their special interests." -- WorldCat.

For Preschool-grade 2. 2022

BR in process

## More Than Words: So Many Ways to Say What We Mean

by Roz MacLean

"Nathan doesn't say much. He sure has a lot on his mind, though. At school, Nathan quietly observes the ways his peers communicate. Even when they're not talking, they're expressing themselves in all sorts of ways! By witnessing the beauty of communication diversity, Nathan learns and shows his classmates the essential lesson: Not only does everyone have something to say, but seeking to understand one another can be the greatest bridge to friendship and belonging. This illustrated picture book explores and celebrates the many forms of expression--signing, speaking, singing, smiling, among others--and culminates in a story about connection and understanding."-- From publisher. For Preschool-grade 2. 2023

BR in process

## Growing an Artist

by John Parra

"Today Juanito is accompanying his father who is in the landscaping business, and he takes his sketchbook along to draw anything that catches his eye, and gets to help his father plan an entire garden--and then help plant it. Includes an autobiographical note." -- Provided by publisher.

For preschool-grade 2. 2022.

[DB 108734](https://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.108734)

## I Love Harriet Kippley

by Jenny Lynn Pease

"Harriet and her classmates each have to draw a picture of something they love. Harriet loves unicorns, barbecue chip sundaes, and tubas... but those are already taken. With a little support and encouragement from her family, Harriet finally decides on the perfect thing to draw. Herself! " -- Goodreads.

For grades 2-4. 2024

BR in process

## Butterfly on the Wind

by Adam Pottle

"A magical picture book about a Deaf girl who creates a butterfly with Sign Language and sends it on a journey around the world.On the day of the talent show, Aurora's hands tremble. No matter how hard she tries to sign, her fingers stumble over one another and the words just won't come. But as she's about to give up, she spots a butterfly. Using her hands to sign the ASL word for "butterfly," Aurora sends a magical butterfly of her own into the world, inspiring Deaf people across the globe to add their own. The butterflies grow in numbers and strength as they circle back to Aurora, bolstering her with the love and support of her worldwide Deaf community.Deaf picture book creators author Adam Pottle and artist Ziyue Chen combine powerful text and sweeping art into a moving story of resilience and self-belief." -- WorldCat.

For Preschool-grade 2. 2024

BR in process

## Piper Chen Sings

by Phillipa Soo

"When Piper is offered a solo at her school's Spring Sing, she must overcome her stage fright to put on an unforgettable performance."-- OCLC.

Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2. 2024

[DB 120331](https://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.120331)

[BR 25626 in process](https://nlsbard.loc.gov/nlsbardprod/download/detail/srch/BR25626)

## The Dress in the Window

by Robert Tregoning

"One day a boy is walking past a second-hand shop when he sees a dress. It's no ordinary dress - it's glittering, sparking, dazzling, and red. For the boy it's love at first sight. His mum suggests he do some odd jobs to save the necessary money, but what if someone else buys it first?" -- Google Books. For Preschool-grade 2. 2024

BR in process

# Picture Books Non-Fiction

## How to Write a Poem

by Kwame Alexander

“Begin, with a question, like an acorn, waiting for spring.' From this first stanza, readers are invited to pay attention—and to see that paying attention itself is poetry. Kwame Alexander and Deanna Nikaido’s playful text and Melissa Sweet’s dynamic, inventive artwork are paired together to encourage readers to listen, feel, and discover the words that dance in the world around them—poems just waiting to be written down." -- Provided by publisher. For Preschool-grade 2. 2023

[DB 114707](https://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.114707)

## Frida Kahlo and Her Animalito

by Monica Brown

The author recounts artist Frida Kahlo's beloved pets--two monkeys, a parrot, three dogs, two turkeys, an eagle, a black cat, and a fawn--and playfully considers how Frida embodied many wonderful characteristics of each animal. Commercial audiobook. For grades K-3. 2017

[DB 106861](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.106861)

## Big

by Vashti Harrison

"The first picture book written and illustrated by award-winning creator Vashti Harrison traces a child's journey to self-love and shows the power of words to both hurt and heal. With spare text and exquisite illustrations, this emotional exploration of being big in a world that prizes small is a tender portrayal of how you can stand out and feel invisible at the same time." -- WorldCat. 2023

[DB 123132](https://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.123132)

## Woven of the World

by Katey Howes

"Told in rhyming text, a young weaver learns the history and practice of weaving through the centuries and around the world. Includes notes on the history of weaving, and the different kinds of textiles that are woven around the world."-- From publisher.

Commercial audiobook. For Preschool-grade 2. 2023

[DB 125985](https://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.125985)

## Love Is My Favorite Color

by Nina Laden

"From caring to hoping to peace to sharing, there are many ways to find joy in the everyday. Celebrate the things that make life wonderful and each day special. With stunning artwork, readers of all ages will find moments to treasure." -- Provided by publisher.

For Preschool-grade 2. 2024

BR in process

## I’m Growing Great

by Michael Renee Roe

"Girls' growth and positivity are celebrated in this garden-themed inspirational book"-- Provided by publisher. For Preschool-grade 2. 2022

[DB 121109](https://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.121109)

## My Name is Georgia

by Jeanette Winter

Presents, in brief text and illustrations, the life of the painter who drew much of her inspiration from nature For preschool to grade 2.

[DBC 10483](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/dbc.10483)

## Through Georgia’s Eyes

by Rachel Rodriguez

A biography of Georgia O'Keeffe from her childhood in Wisconsin through her work in New Mexico. For preschool to grade 2.

[DBC 10484](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/dbc.10484)

## Georgia’s Bones

by Jennifer Bryant

Artist Georgia O'Keeffe was interested in the shapes she saw around her, from her childhood on a Wisconsin farm to her adult life in New York City and New Mexico. For grades K-3.

[DBC 10492](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/dbc.10492)

## Listen: How Evelyn Glennie, A Deaf Girl, Changed Percussion

by Shannon Stocker

"A nonfiction picture book biography celebrating Evelyn Glennie, a deaf woman, who became the first full-time solo percussionist in the world." -- Provided by publisher. Commercial audiobook. For grades K-3. 2022

## Zora, the Story Keeper

By Ebony Wilkins

"When Zora grows up, she wants to be just like Aunt Bea. Aunt Bea is the best storyteller she knows! Every day after school, Zora heads to her aunt's house, where they take out their family book and turn Aunt Bea's kitchen into their stage. They raid Aunt Bea's costume chest, filled with colorful garments from her acting days, and even do special voices to tell the stories of swimming coaches, Sunday preachers, World War II pilots, and more--all real members of their family. Zora can't wait to find out what her story will be. As the days pass, Zora notices something's happening to Aunt Bea. She gets tired more quickly, and sometimes she needs Zora to tell the stories instead. Zora never imagined that Aunt Bea's tales would ever stop, but in addition to creating lots of joy and a lifetime of memories, Aunt Bea had been working on her greatest gift of all: preparing Zora to become the story keeper."-- From publisher.

For Preschool-grade 2. 2023

BR in process

## The Noisy Paint box : The colors and Sounds of Kandinsky’s Abstract Art

by Barb Rosenstock

"Vasya Kandinsky was a proper little boy: he studied math and history, he practiced the piano, he sat up straight and was perfectly polite. And when his family sent him to art classes, they expected him to paint pretty houses and flowers - like a proper artist. But as Vasya opened his paint box and began mixing the reds, the yellows, the blues, he heard a strange sound - the swirling colors trilled like a symphony! And as he grew older, he continued to hear brilliant colors singing and see vibrant sounds dancing. But was Vasya brave enough to put aside his proper still lifes and portraits and paint...music?" -- Amazon.com. For Preschool-grade 2.

DB in process

# Picture Books - Bilingual and Spanish

## ¡Abuela, deja de hacer fotos!

by Ilan Brenman

"'¡Abuela, deja de hacer fotos!', le repite con fastidio una niña a su abuela, que no se despega jamás de su cámara, estén donde estén. ¿Por qué será tan importante para la abuela hacer tantas fotos? Con humor y ternura, esta historia aborda la importancia de los recuerdos y las relaciones familiares." -- Proporcionada por la editorial.

Para niños preescolares hasta el grado 2. 2018

[DB 126823 in process](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.126823)

## Maya’s Blanket / La manta de Maya

by Monica Brown

"La pequeña Maya tiene una manta especial que la abuela cosió con sus propias manos. A medida que Maya crece, su manta se va desgastando y deshilachando, así que, con la ayuda de la abuela, Maya la convierte en un vestido. Con el tiempo, el vestido se convierte en una falda, un chal, un pañuelo, una cinta para el pelo y, por último, un marcapáginas. Cada objeto tiene un significado especial, mágico, para Maya; anima sus aventuras, la protege o la ayuda de alguna manera. Pero cuando Maya pierde su marcapáginas, conserva sus recuerdos creando un libro sobre sus aventuras y su amor por estos objetos. Cuando Maya crece, comparte su libro -Maya's Blanket/La manta de Maya- con su propia hija pequeña mientras está acurrucada bajo su manta especial. Inspirado en la canción folclórica tradicional yiddish «Hob Ikh Mir a Mantl» («Tenía un abriguito»), este encantador libro ilustrado bilingüe da un giro infantil y latino a la historia de un objeto que se convierte en objetos cada vez más pequeños. Maya's Blanket/La manta de Maya da vida con encanto a esta celebración de la creatividad, el reciclaje y el amor familiar duradero." -- Traducción proporcionada por NLS.

Para grados K-3. 2015

[DB 125989 in process](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.125989)

## A Luna le encanta el museo

by Joseph Coelho

"A Luna le encanta ir al museo porque hay muchas pinturas por ver. Cuadro de Van Gogh: ¡listo! Cuadro de Rousseau: ¡listo! Cuadro de Picasso: ¡listo! Pero su compañero Finn no parece compartir su entusiasmo..." -- Proporcionada por la editorial. Traducido de la edición en inglés de 2020. Para grados K-3. 2022

[DB 125624](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.125624)

## Dream Carver/El tallador de sueños

by Diana Cohn

"Entre su trabajo cosechando maíz azul y alfalfa verde, Manuel y su padre tallan animalitos de madera para vender en las fiestas de Oaxaca, México. Pero Manuel sueña con dar vida animals más grandes y coloridos. Su imaginación se desborda con cabras tan rosas como las buganvillas en flor, gatos morados con manchas color de maíz amarillo y muchos más animales tan únicos que nunca antes habían sido creados. Cuando le dice ha su padre que anhela esculpir criaturas en este nuevo estilo, su padre solo frunce el ceño. Él quiere seguir tallando como siempre lo ha hecho. Pero Manuel practica solo, esforzándose y esforzándose, hasta que logra hacer que la madera luzca como los animales alegres que ve en su mente. Al fin, trae sus creaciones a las fiestas, ¡y se da cuenta que ser fiel a sí mismo es algo maravilloso! Con un epílogo sobre el arte mexicano de tallar madera, e información sobre el verdadero artesano quien inspiro este libro--Manuel Jiménez Ramírez--esta historia vivaz inspira a lectores de todas edades a perseguir sus sueños." -- Proporcionada por la editorial.

Para grados 2-4. 2002

[DB 125552 in process](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.125552)

## Brazaletes para los hermanos de Bina

by Rajani LaRocca

"¡Ahora en edición bilingüe inglés-español! Para la celebración hindú Raksha Bandhan, Bina decide regalarles a sus hermanos brazaletes de cuentas hechos por ella misma. Para eso averigua qué colores le gusta a cada uno y cuáles no, y se pone manos a la obra. Al seguir patrones de cuentas de colores alternados, uno y uno, Bina descubre algo nuevo sobre los patrones... y sobre sus hermanos. Los libros de la serie Cuentos matemáticos celebran las aventuras diarias de niños que usan las matemáticas mientras juegan, construyen y descubren el mundo que los rodea. Historias divertidas y actividades prácticas facilitan que tanto los niños como los adultos exploren juntos las matemáticas de la vida diaria. Fue desarrollada junto a expertos en el currículum STEM." -- Proporcionada por la editorial.

Para niños preescolares hasta el grado 2. 2022

[DB 125870 in process](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.125870)

## Lucia the Luchadora/ Lucía the luchadora and the Million Masks

by Cynthia Lenor Garza

“In Lucía the Luchadora, a little girl gets spicy mad when the boys on the playground insist that girls can't be superheroes. In Lucía the Luchadora and the Million Masks, Lucía helps her little sister, Gemma, choose her own lucha libre mask.” For preschool-grade 2. 2018.

[DB 93712](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.93712)

## Rainbow Weaver / Tejedora del arcoíris

by Linda Elovitz

"Ixchel wants to follow in the long tradition of weaving on backstrap looms, just as her mother, grandmother, and most Mayan women have done for more than two thousand years. But Ixchel's mother is too busy preparing her weavings for market. If they bring a good price, they will have money to pay for Ixchel's school and books. And besides, there is not enough extra thread for Ixchel to practice with. Disappointed, Ixchel first tries weaving with blades of grass, and then with bits of wool, but no one would want to buy the results. As she walks around her village, Ixchel finds it littered with colorful plastic bags. There is nowhere to put all the bags, so they just keep accumulating. Suddenly, Ixchel has an idea! She collects and washes the plastic bags. Then she cuts each bag into thin strips. Sitting at her loom, Ixchel weaves the plastic strips into a colorful fabric that looks like a beautiful rainbow--just like the weavings of Mayan women before her." -- Provided by publisher. Bilingual English/Spanish. For grades K-3.

"Ixchel quiere seguir la larga tradición de tejer en telares de cintura, tal como lo han hecho su madre, su abuela y la mayoría de las mujeres mayas durante más de dos mil años. Pero la madre de Ixchel está demasiado ocupada preparando sus tejidos para el mercado. Si traen un buen precio, tendrán dinero para pagar la escuela y los libros de Ixchel. Y además, no hay suficiente hilo extra para que Ixchel practique. Decepcionada, Ixchel intenta primero tejer con briznas de hierba y luego con trozos de lana, pero nadie quiere comprar los resultados. Mientras camina por su pueblo, Ixchel lo encuentra lleno de coloridas bolsas de plástico. No hay dónde poner todas las bolsas, así que se siguen acumulando. De repente, Ixchel tiene una idea. Recoge y lava las bolsas de plástico. Luego corta cada bolsa en tiras finas. Sentada en su telar, Ixchel teje las tiras de plástico en una tela colorida que parece un hermoso arcoíris, como los tejidos de las mujeres mayas antes que ella." -- Proporcionada por la editorial.

Bilingüe inglés/español. Para grados K-3. 2016

[DB 126106 in process](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.126106)

## La Gran Fiesta de los Olores

by Pato Mena

"Los topos ciegos se visten y hacen una gran fiesta, pero hay una comadreja que decide colarse. ¿Cómo terminará esta fiesta? Una divertida y entretenida historia llena de sorpresas." -- Proporcionada por la editorial.

Para grados K-3. 2019

[DB 126017 in process](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.126017)

## Cultivando a un artista: la historia de un jardinero paisajista y su hijo

by John Parra

"Hoy es el gran día: ¡la primera vez que su papá lleva a Juanito a ayudarlo en su trabajo de contratista de jardinería! A lo largo del día, Juanito dibuja todo lo que le llama la atención: un nido lleno de pajaritos, un vivero con hilera tras hilera de plantas y flores, y muchas cosas más. Papá e hijo van de casa en casa podando, quitando maleza, cortando pasto y convirtiendo a patios descuidados y caóticos en lugares hermosos. Algunos de los clientes no aprecian los esfuerzos de papi, como el compañero de clase de Juanito, quien pretende no reconocerlo. Pero papi siempre se siente orgulloso de haber lanzado su propio negocio y de la calidad de su trabajo. Al final del día, quizás Juanito también tenga la oportunidad de utilizar sus tendencias artísticas para diseñar jardines, igual que su papi." -- Proporcionada por la editorial. Traducido de la edición en inglés de 2022. Para niños preescolares hasta el grado 2.

[DB 123137](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.123137)

## ¡Vamos! Let’s Go Read

by Raúl the Third

"Little Lobo and his friends are excited for the out-of-this-world book festival the Guadalupian Library hosts every year! Everyone has a special book they're looking for, but there's so much to see and do first. From cookbook demonstrations and comics workshops to mask making and language classes, this library has something for everyone. Can Little Lobo, Bernabé, Kooky Dooky, Coco Rocho, and La Chida each find the book of their dreams? Full of easy-to-remember Spanish vocabulary and packed with fun details, this colorful celebration of books, libraries, and all forms of reading will bring joy to young bookworms everywhere!"-- Provided by publisher. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2023

[DB 125535](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.125535)

## Papá pinta mucho

by Bea Taboada

"Mi papá de pequeño dibujaba dinosaurios. Ahora es arquitecto, y dibuja casas y planos. También le gusta pintar caritas sonrientes en mi agenda del cole y corazones de tomate en los macarrones. Papá siempre me explica que es importante esforzarse mucho, pero que no pasa nada si a veces, pintando, nos salimos un poco de la línea. Dice que es mejor acabar un poco manchado que no pintar nada. Y es que mi papá... ¡pinta mucho!" -- Proporcionada por la editorial.

Para niños preescolares hasta el grado 2. 2023

[DB 125567 in process](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.125567)

## The Turquoise Room / El cuarto turquesa

by Monica Brown

"Esther pinta un mapa y sueña con explorar el mundo. La hija de Esther, Isabel, pinta cuadros y sueña con ser artista. La hija de Isabel, Monica, pinta con palabras y sueña con contar historias. Desde el cuarto turquesa en Perú, Esther, luego Isabel, y después Monica sacan fuerza para confiar en su imaginación y volar al mundo de los sueños y las posibilidades. Sobre montañas y mares, junto a ríos de pinturas, o junto a olas de palabras en una página, cada niña, ahora mujer, encuentra su camino a la creatividad. En esta adorable memoria, Monica Brown crea homenaje a su abuela, a su madre y al legado de sus hijas. Acompañada con luminosas ilustraciones por Adriana M. Garcia, invita esta encantadora, lírica historia a cerrar los ojos, a abrir su mente, y ¡imagina tu vida!" -- Proporcionada por la editorial. Para grados 2-4. 2022

[DB 125869 in process](http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.nls/db.125869)

## Frida Kahlo y sus animalitos

by Monica Brown

"Frida Kahlo y sus animalitos cuenta la vida de Frida -- desde la infancia hasta su ascensión como una de las pintoras más influyentes del mundo -- captando la belleza y la fuerza del espíritu creador de Frida, que la mantuvo a través de la tragedia y el triunfo, y de los animales que la inspiraron a lo largo del camino. Lo innovador del tema de Brown -- juega con la idea de que Frida personifica las características de sus amadas mascotas (dos monos, un loro, tres perros, dos pavos, un águila, un gato negro y un cervatillo) -- emparejado con el arte de colores audaces de Parra, que nos recuerdan la paleta de la propia Frida, hacen de esta biografía una emotiva entrega llena de respuestas para los seguidores de Frida, nuevos y viejos." -- Proporcionada por la editorial.

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