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Crafty Chameleon

Hodder Children's Books A chameleon bedeviled by a leopard and a crocodile uses his wits to get them to leave him alone.

Handsome Hog

Hodder Children's Books This is the story about how Handsome Hog of the Great Grassy African Plain lost his looks and became known as Warthog to the other animals. Age 8+.

Cross Crocodile

Hodder & Stoughton Long ago on the Great African Plains, it was so dry before the rain came that all the animals were hot, and thirsty, and hungry. All, that is, except Cross Crocodile. This is the story of how Monkey tricked Crocodile into sharing his food with the other animals.

Counting Leopard's Spots

Animal Stories from Africa

A collection of stories about African animals for reading aloud, with of animal noises, rhyme and gentle repetition. The stories include one about Rabbit challenging Hippo and Elephant to a tug-of-war, and a tale about slow, crafty Chameleon managing to beat speedy Bushback in a race.

African Animal Tales: Sleepy Cheetah

Hachette Children's An African tale with a traditional feel, celebrating the speed and grace of the Cheetah - a brand-new title in this successful series of African folktales. Long ago, Cheetah was sandy-coloured and lay snoozing all day on the Great African Plain. There was no need to run to hunt because animals tripped over her. But one day there is a fire, and all the other animals are fleeing. This is the story of how Cheetah got her markings, and discovered that she can run as fast as the wind. The first book in the series - Greedy Zebra - was published in 1984 and the series has stayed in print ever since. Praise for the series: 'Their books are beautiful to look at and to feel, and perect for reading aloud.' School Librarian 'A delightful book.' Books For Keeps

Running Rhino

Hodder & Stoughton Rhino annoys the other animals by constantly running around, until little Tickbird accepts his challenge to try to make him stop and she wins.

The Wild Fluffalump

Troika One morning, at the foot of a tree on the African plain, a strange creature is found. It's fluffy and puffy. What can it be? The meerkats declare that it is a wild Fluffalump. Eagle says there is no such thing, Buffalo thinks it must be a bird, Hyena says it squeaked and wriggled when he gave it a poke, and Giraffe finds it has toes. By now the Fluffalump is hungry and thirsty and when it is nipped on the bottom by Crocodile it trumpets loudly. And across the plain comes Elephant who dumps it in the lake for a wash and Fluffalump is revealed to be . . . ?

Baby Baboon

Hachette Children's Leopard is hungry, but he is also lazy. How will he catch his dinner? Leopard recruits the help of Baboon to trap Hare whom he plans to eat for his dinner. But Leopard is outwitted and Baby Baboon laughs and laughs. This is the story of how Leopard came to lie in wait in the trees and why you just might hear Baby Baboon laughing and laughing.

A Color of His Own

Knopf Books for Young Readers A little chameleon is distressed he doesn't have his own color like other animals, until he meets an older, wiser chameleon

West African Folk Tales

Courier Corporation Collection of traditional folk tales introduces a host of interesting people and unusual animals — among them "The Cricket and the Toad," "The Tortoise and His Broken Shell," and "The Boy in the Drum."

Tricky Tortoise

Hodder & Stoughton Tortoise outsmarts Elephant by proving he can jump right over the elephant's "tiny and stupid" head.

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Origami Card Craft

30 Clever Cards and Envelopes to Fold

Clarkson Potter Combines card-making techniques with origami-inspired folds to create beautiful, handmade cards that unfold, expand, fan out, pop up, and even hold hidden messages for fun, personal greetings for any occasion. Original

Being Free

Being Free is a rhyming picture book for children between 3 and 9 years old, but is enjoyed by kids of all ages. Girl power, an underlying theme, is woven throughout as self-affirming statements are read. Being Free is an uplifting rhyming picture book about recognizing the freedom and confidence that you have inside. You have freedom to be yourself, to use your voice, to have your own style, and even show your silly side. Young readers are introduced to poetry that's both fun and inspiring as they read about the joy of living a life of freedom.

Awkward Aardvark

Hodder & Stoughton Aardvark's snoring keeps the other animals awake night after night. Something has got to be done! Mongoose calls on the termites get involved that the problem is solved. This is the story of how Awkward Aardvark came to sleep during the day and eat termites at night.

Bumping Buffalo

Hodder Children's Books Bumping Buffalo liked to bump. He had great big horns with a huge pad in the middle, just right for bumping the other animals. This is the story of how Buffalo went looking for trouble and found it!

Enormous Elephant

Hodder Children's Books In the days before the big rains, many of the animals looked very different. This is the story of how Enormous Elephant came to wave his long trunk and swish his long tail on the Great Plains.

Blessu

Penguin UK A classic animal story from master storyteller, Dick King-Smith. Blessu is a very small elephant who suffers from dreadful hay fever - and although he's very small, he has a very large sneeze! Blessu doesn't grow very fast, except for one part of him - his trunk. And every time he sneezes, his trunk grows even bigger.

Zoölogy

The Science of Animal Life

Searching for Skye

An Arctic Tern Adventure

Two Arctic tern babies are starting their first migration from the Arctic to the Antarctic when one of them, Skye, disappears. Her worried parents search everywhere but they cannot find her. The family must leave with the other terns or risk facing the journey alone. Will they ever see their lost baby again? Follow their exciting trip to find out.

Your Child Abroad

A Travel Health Guide

Bradt Travel Guides A down-to-earth guide for anyone traveling overseas with children, whether on a two-week family vacation or a long-stay posting in the developing world.

Just a Minute!

A Trickster Tale and Counting Book

Chronicle Books With words in both English and Spanish, a brightly illustrated counting book tells of one determined Grandma who is not willing to leave her family on her birthday and so sets out doing various tasks, like making two pots of tea and three pounds of corn for the tortillas, in order to delay Señor Calavera's request to go with him.

Ten Ten Minute Fairy Stories

Stories prompted by research that shows that reading or being read to for just ten minutes every day will significantly improve children's reading skills. This short story collection supports this - each story is selected from Usborne's Reading Programme and will take about ten minutes to read. Ideal for sharing with younger children; as children learn to read on their own they can tackle these simple stories on their own. Part of Usborne's amazing selection of story books for young children. Previous title, '10 Ten-Minute Stories', also available ISBN: 9781409596745.

Crash Course in Storytime Fundamentals, 2nd Edition

ABC-CLIO This manual is a "one-stop shop" on how to present storytimes to suit different audiences including bilingual learners, special needs children, and those in a variety of settings such as Head Start, preschools, and day care situations. • Features strategies for using sign language and adapting storytime for special needs children • Includes ideas for expanding storytimes using hands-on learning, crafts, toys, and play

Chameleons are Cool

Candlewick Press (MA) Describes different kinds of chameleons, examining their physical features, their behavior, and their ability to change color.

West African Folktales

Flame Tree 451 Tricksters and animals play an important role in West African folklore with stories that entertain but serve a moral purpose. Traditions and local tales revel in the antics of these characters: from Nigeria to Benin, from the cunning spider god Anansi to Agemo, the chameleon spirit deity of the Yoruba people, animals teach humans to farm, to love, to survive and thrive, and offer inspiration for moral purpose. This new collection is created for the modern reader. FLAME TREE 451: From mystery to crime, supernatural to horror and myth, fantasy and science fiction, Flame Tree 451 offers a healthy diet of werewolves and robots, mad scientists, secret worlds, lost civilizations and escapist fantasies. Discover a storehouse of tales, ancient and modern gathered specifically for the reader of the fantastic.

The Great Ball Game

How Bat Settles the Rivalry between the Animals and the Birds; A Circle Round Book

Storey Publishing, LLC The Great Ball Game, a classic folktale originating from the Cherokee, Creek, Ojibway and Menominee people of North America, is adapted for a contemporary audience by Rebecca Sheir, host of the award-winning Circle Round podcast, and accompanied by the vibrant illustrations of Joshua Mangeshig Pawis-Steckley, an Ojibwe Woodland artist. A dispute between the animals and the birds over who is best leads to a ball game challenge. When the game is disrupted by the arrival of a tiny creature named Bat, who doesn't seem to fit on either team, all the participants learn the value of diversity and celebrating those who seem "different." The accompanying activities and prompts encourage children to develop their own storytelling skills.

Arctic Song

At the end of the long Arctic winter, a polar bear and her young cubs leave their den to play in the midnight sun. The cubs are bewitched by stories of whalesong, and scamper away from their mother to search for it.

Laughing Giraffe

Hachette UK In the days long ago, Giraffe was the noisiest animal on the Great African Plain. He shouted a lot and he laughed all the time. This is the story of how the littlest Egret proved to Laughing Giraffe that you don't need to be loud to be heard.

Out of Africa

Penguin UK From the moment Karen Blixen arrived in Kenya in 1914 to manage a coffee plantation, her heart belonged to Africa. Drawn to the intense colours and ravishing landscapes, Karen Blixen spent her happiest years on the farm and her experiences and friendships with the people around her are vividly recalled in these memoirs. Out of Africa is the story of a remarkable and unconventional woman and of a way of life that has vanished for ever.

The Mitten

Wayland When Nicki drops his white mitten in the snow, he goes on without realizing that it is missing. One by one, woodland animals find it and crawl in; first, a curious mole, then a rabbit, a badger and others, each one larger than the last. Finally, a big brown bear is followed in by a tiny brown mouse and what happens next makes for a wonderfully funny climax. As the story of the animals in the mitten unfolds, the reader can see Nicki in the boarders of each page, walking through the woods unaware of what is going on. In this oversized board book edition, Jan Brett has once again creates a dramatic and beautiful book in her distinctive style. She brings the animals to life with warmth and humor, and her illustrations are full of visual delights and details faithful to the Ukrainian tradition from which the story comes.

Neon Leon

Candlewick Press Chameleons are the best at fitting in. But Leon is an exception. Leon is neon! In this delightful interactive book, children can help Leon on his journey to find a place where he can fit in. Full color.

Chameleon's Colors

North South Books Tired of always changing colors, Chameleon is surprised to discover that other jungle animals are bored with their appearances, and he sets out to make each whatever color and pattern he or she wishes. On board pages

This Is the Oasis

Frances Lincoln This is a celebration of an oasis - the green jewel of the desert - and the significance this has on the plant, animal and human life that depend upon it. Written in beautifully crafted poetic prose, this is the perfect introduction to the harsh but beautiful desert wilderness and the life that it supports.

It's Trevor Noah: Born a Crime

Stories from a South African Childhood (Adapted for Young Readers)

Delacorte Books for Young Readers A New York Times Bestseller The host of The Daily Show, Trevor Noah, tells the story of growing up half black, half white in South Africa under and after apartheid in this young readers' adaptation of his bestselling adult memoir Born a Crime: Stories from a South African Childhood. BORN A CRIME IS SOON TO BE A MAJOR MOTION PICTURE STARRING OSCAR WINNER LUPITA NYONG'O Trevor Noah, the funny guy who hosts The Daily Show on Comedy Central, shares his remarkable story of growing up in South Africa with a black South African mother and a white European father at a time when it was against the law for a mixed-race child to exist. But he did exist.—and from the beginning, the often-misbehaved Trevor used his keen smarts and humor to navigate a harsh life under a racist government. This fascinating memoir blends drama, comedy, and tragedy to depict the day-to-day trials that turned a boy into a young man. In a country where racism barred blacks from social, educational, and economic opportunity, Trevor surmounted staggering obstacles and created a promising future for himself, thanks to his mom's unwavering love and indomitable will. It's Trevor Noah: Born a Crime not only provides a fascinating and honest perspective on South Africa's racial history, but it will also astound and inspire young readers looking to improve their own lives. "Through the foreign, the familiar, and the funny, Born a Crime is a piercing reminder that every mad life--even yours--could end up a masterpiece." --JASON REYNOLDS, New York Times bestselling author "His mother raised him with an imagination and showed that there were no barriers to whatever he wanted to be. Readers will find this journey through Noah's formative years humorous and exciting." --BOOKLIST "Startling in its honesty, humor, and humility." --KIRKUS REVIEWS "For readers who will appreciate and understand how a parent's love enabled Noah to become the successful man he is now." --SCHOOL LIBRARY JOURNAL

This Is the Reef

Frances Lincoln This is a celebration of the Great Barrier Reef and the significance it has on the marine life forms that it feeds, sheltures and protects. Written in beautifully crafted poetic prose, this is the perfect introduction to a beautiful and fragile marine wilderness.

Baby Rhino's Escape

Star Bright Books A flash of lightning sets the dry African plain on fire. Baby Rhino, frightened when he is separated from his mother, runs to the river for safety with the other animals. Will he really be safe there? What about the crocodiles? And how will he find his mother? But Friends are there to help and soon Baby Rhino is safely back with his mother. This book blends fact and fiction and helps to enlighten young readers about the environment and friendship.

Africa in Literature for Children and Young Adults

An Annotated Bibliography of English-language Books

Greenwood While much critical attention has been given to adult literature, African literature for children and young adults remains a neglected area. This annotated bibliography includes entries for English-language books set in Africa. The books are intended for children and young adults, and the works included were published between 1873 and 1994. The nearly 700 entries are arranged in six chapters, with chapters further divided into particular genre.

Teaching Young Children in Multicultural Classrooms: Issues, Concepts, and Strategies

Cengage Learning TEACHING YOUNG CHILDREN IN MULTICULTURAL CLASSROOMS: ISSUES, CONCEPTS, AND STRATEGIES, 5th Edition, covers the historical, political, and sociological aspects of multicultural education as it relates to young children. Featuring practical guidelines, curriculum suggestions, case studies, and techniques for use in the classroom, this comprehensive resource is appropriate for those studying to become early childhood educators and for practicing professionals. Updated with new research, statistics, and demographic data, the fifth edition also features a full-color design, numbered learning objectives correlated to section heads, expanded coverage of standards, more opportunities for reflection, a variety of individual and group activities, updated children's literature lists, and a prominent emphasis on the benefits of teaching multiculturalism from a global perspective. Important Notice: Media content referenced within the product description or the product text may not be available in the ebook version.

The Oxford Encyclopedia of Children's Literature: Dubo-Lowr

Provides information on notable writers, illustrators, publishers, librarians, educators, and developments in the field of children's literature throughout the world, from the medieval period to the twenty-first century.

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