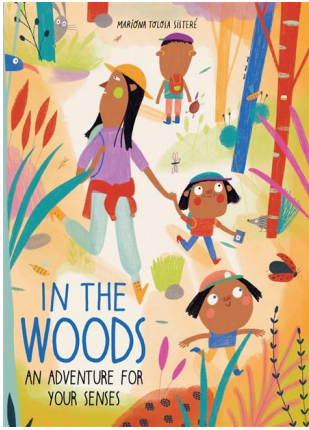


UTP NATURE & OUTDOORS





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- JUVENILE FICTION
- Age (years) 4 - 8
- Distributor: UTP Distribution

A Walk in the (working) 1
In the Woods

An Adventure for Your Senses
by Mariona Tolosa Sisteré, Susan Ouriou
Sep 15, 2023 Hardcover , Picture book \$21.95 CAD

A family adventure in the local woods teaches readers how to plan ahead and use their senses to respectfully uncover natural wonders

Every adventure starts with a plan! Check the weather, plot a course, and pack the appropriate items. As a family prepares for a local expedition, readers are invited to think about how factors like seasons, climate, and geography will impact their journey.

Once the adventure is underway, new surroundings provoke all kinds of questions and discoveries—especially if you use your senses! Why are some things more stinky than others? What do different noises mean, and where (or who!) do they come from? How does your presence impact the environment and the creatures in it? There's so much to learn if you're patient and attentive!

Colorful, energetic, and engaging illustrations bring the woods to life as readers are encouraged to activate their senses, explore safely, and respect their local environment on every adventure.



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- Royal BC Museum
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- Distributor: UTP Distribution

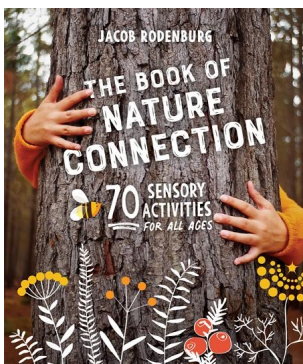
Making a Chaputs

The Teachings and Responsibilities of a Canoe Maker
by Joe Martin 🇨🇦, Alan L. Hoover 🇨🇦
Jun 18, 2022 Paperback , Trade \$24.95 CAD

A rich visual testament to the practical and cultural power of the dugout canoe, balanced in its description of meaning and method.

Tla-o-qui-aht master canoe maker Joe Martin, in collaboration with former museum curator Alan Hoover, describes the meaning and method behind one of the most vivid and memorable symbols of the Northwest Coast: the dugout canoe. Both artform and technological marvel, the chaputs carries Indigenous cultural knowledge passed down through generations, not only of the practical forestry and woodworking that shape every canoe, but also of the role and responsibilities of the canoe maker.

The text includes both a step-by-step explanation of the canoe-making process from tree selection onward (carefully described and dynamically illustrated) and the personal histories of a number of Joe's canoes, encompassing their planning, creation, cultural significance and role in the process of reconciliation. The teachings Joe received from his father and the expertise he has gained in a lifetime of canoe-making are recorded here in his own words for generations to come.



9780865719712

- English
- Halftones, color
- 7.5 x 9 x 0.35 in | 0.7 lb
- 128 pages
- New Society Publishers
- Carton quantity: 48
- NATURE
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The Book of Nature Connection

70 Sensory Activities for All Ages
by Dr. Jacob Rodenburg 🇨🇦
Apr 19, 2022 Paperback , Trade \$24.99 CAD

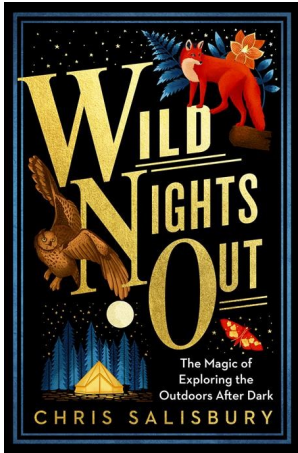
Unplug from technology and "plug in" to nature through the wonder of your senses.

The Book of Nature Connection is packed with fun activities for using all our senses to engage with nature in a deep and nourishing way.

From "extenda-ears" and acorn whistles to bird calls, camouflage games, and scent scavenger hunts, enjoy over 70 diverse, engaging, sensory activities for all ages that promote mindfulness and nature connection.

With activities grouped by the main senses – hearing, sight, smell, touch, and taste – plus sensory walks and group games, *The Book of Nature Connection* is both a powerful learning tool kit and the cure for sensory anesthesia brought on by screen time and lives lived indoors.

Whisper in birds, be dazzled by nature's kaleidoscope of colors, taste the freshness of each season, learn to savor the scented world of evergreens, hug a tree and feel the bark against your cheek.



9781603589932

- English
- 153 x 229 x 17 mm | 350 gr
- 224 pages
- Chelsea Green Publishing
- Carton quantity: 32
- NATURE
- Distributor: UTP Distribution

Wild Nights Out

The Magic of Exploring the Outdoors After Dark

by Chris Salisbury, Chris Packham

Jun 03, 2021 Paperback , Trade \$26.95 CAD

"The book gives adults ideas for activities to get kids outside after the sun goes down, from night hikes to trapping moths. It's also a fascinating meditation on humans' relationship with darkness."—*Outside*

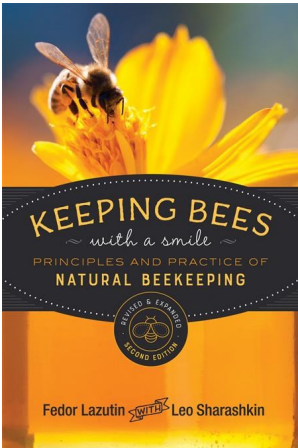
"A fun, inventive adventure guide about helping children explore nature after dark . . . Its activities are a great excuse to turn off the television, set down smartphones, and explore the rich, mysterious world just beyond the back door."—*Foreword Reviews*

The go-to guide for exploring nature at night, whether on summer holidays, weekends away or even back garden adventures!

Foreword by Chris Packham, author, naturalist, and BBC presenter

Learn how to call for owls, walk like a fox and expand your sensory perceptions. **Wild Nights Out** is a wonderful new hands-on guide for those who wish to take kids (of all ages) outdoors for fun, thrilling nighttime nature adventures.

Parents, grandparents, teachers and nature educators alike will discover a wealth of unique activities to explore the natural world from dusk till dawn. Alongside games, walks and exercises



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- English
- Plates, color, Illustrations, black and white, Illustrations, color
- 6 x 9 x 0.96 in | 1.45 lb
- 400 pages
- New Society Publishers
- Carton quantity: 28
- TECHNOLOGY & ENGINEERING
- Distributor: UTP Distribution

Mother Earth News Wiser Living Series

Keeping Bees with a Smile

Principles and Practice of Natural Beekeeping

by Fedor Lazutin, Leo Sharashkin

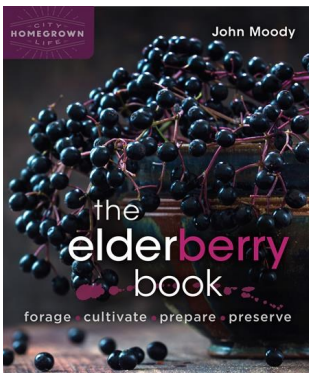
Apr 07, 2020 Paperback , Trade \$34.99 CAD

The updated bestselling guide to laid-back beekeeping for all, naturally!

Are you a beginner beekeeper curious about bees or a practicing beekeeper looking for natural alternatives that work? Then this book is for you!

In the second edition of the bestselling beekeeping guide *Keeping Bees with a Smile*, Fedor Lazutin, one of Europe's most successful natural beekeepers, shares the bee-friendly approach to apiculture that is fun, healthful, rewarding, and accessible to all. This new edition includes dozens of color photographs, new hive management techniques, and an updated version of "Lazutin hive" plans. Additional coverage includes:

- Keeping bees naturally without interfering in their lives
- Starting an apiary for free by attracting local bee swarms
- Building low-maintenance hives that mimic how bees live in nature



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- English
- Halftones, color
- 7.5 x 9 x 0.34 in | 377.56 gr
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- New Society Publishers
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- HEALTH & FITNESS
- Distributor: UTP Distribution

Homegrown City Life 8

The Elderberry Book

Forage, Cultivate, Prepare, Preserve

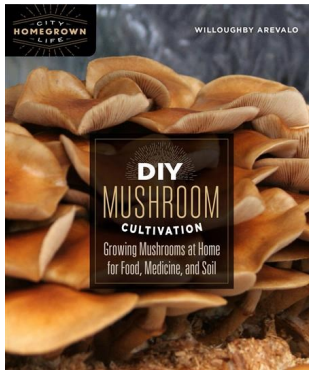
by John Moody

Sep 24, 2019 Paperback , Trade \$24.99 CAD

Your go-to guide for everything from cultivation to wine-making with one of humanity's oldest plant friends

Spanning history and geography, *The Elderberry Book* takes you on an adventure, deepening your appreciation of a plant that has played a crucial role across the world for thousands of years. Through this fun, inspirational, and educational resource, discover:

- Elderberry's amazing history
- Cultivating and foraging, from the balcony to the backyard
- Various traditional food and medicine preparations
- Simple wine-making techniques
- Traditional crafts and tools.



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- English
- Halftones, color
- 7.5 x 9 x 0.71 in | 518.23 gr
- 208 pages
- New Society Publishers
- Carton quantity: 32
- NATURE
- Distributor: UTP Distribution

Homegrown City Life 6
DIY Mushroom Cultivation
Growing Mushrooms at Home for Food, Medicine, and Soil
 by Willoughby Arevalo
 Jul 16, 2019 Paperback , Trade \$29.99 CAD

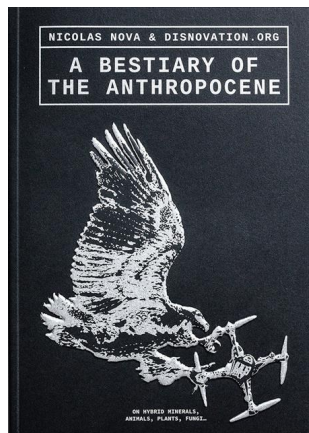
Bring mushrooms into your life as you dive into the practice of home-scale mushroom cultivation

With applications in permaculture, urban farming, cooking, natural medicine, and the arts, interest in home-scale mushroom cultivation is exploding. Yet many beginners remain daunted by the perceived complexity of working with fungi.

DIY Mushroom Cultivation is the remedy, presenting proven, reliable, low-cost techniques for home-scale cultivation that eliminate the need for a clean-air lab space to grow various mushrooms and their mycelium.

Beautiful full-color photos and step-by-step instructions accompany a foundation of mushroom biology and ecology to support a holistic understanding of the practice. Growing techniques are applicable year-round, for any space from house to apartment, and for any climate, budget, or goal. Techniques include:

- Setting up a home growing space



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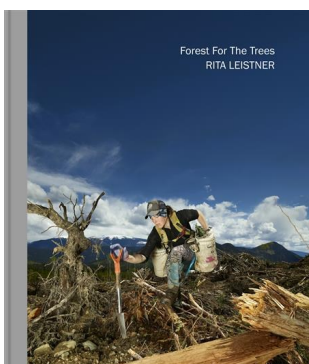
- English
- 5.8 x 8.2 x 0.9 in | 480 gr
- 256 pages
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- Carton quantity: 24
- DESIGN
- Distributor: UTP Distribution

A Bestiary of the Anthropocene
Hybrid Plants, Animals, Minerals, Fungi, and Other Specimens
 by Nicolas Nova, DISNOVATION.ORG
 May 18, 2021 Paperback , Trade \$47.95 CAD

Gorgeously printed in silver ink on black paper, this field guide to our new world of hybrid specimens catalogs the conflation of the technosphere and the biosphere

Plastiglomerates, surveillance robot dogs, fordite, artificial grass, antenna trees, COVID-19, decapitated mountains, drone-fighting eagles, standardized bananas: all of these specimens—some more familiar than others—are examples of the hybridity that shapes the current landscapes of science, technology and everyday life. Inspired by medieval bestiaries and the increasingly visible effects of climate change on the planet, French researcher Nicolas Nova & art collective DISNOVATION.ORG provide an ethnographic guide to the “post-natural” era in which we live, highlighting the amalgamations of nature and artifice that already co-exist in the 21st century.

A sort of field handbook, *A Bestiary of the Anthropocene* aims to help us orient ourselves within the technosphere and the biosphere. What happens when technologies and their unintended consequences become so ubiquitous that it is difficult to define what is “natural” or not? What does it mean to live in a hybrid environment made of organic and synthetic matter? In order to answer such questions, Nova & DISNOVATION.ORG bring their own research together with contributions from collectives such as the Center for Genomic Gastronomy and Aliens in Green as well as text by scholars and researchers from around the world. Polish graphic designer Maria Roszkowska provides illustrations.



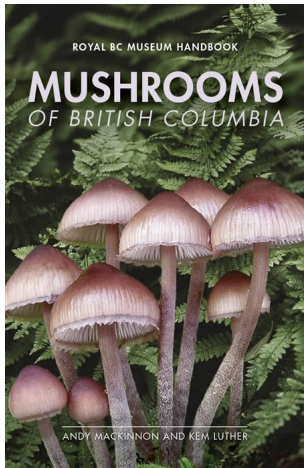
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- 256 pages
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- Carton quantity: 8
- PHOTOGRAPHY
- Distributor: UTP Distribution

Forest For The Trees
 by Rita Leistner, Don McKellar
 Oct 21, 2021 Hardcover \$69.00 CAD

Rita Leistner planted over half a million trees from 1984-93. She spent the next twenty years working as a documentary photographer and photojournalist, primarily in war zones, claiming the backbreaking work of tree planting and the logistical skills she acquired as a crew boss prepared her for thriving in challenging environments. Returning to the cut-block (the vast swathes of land cleared by logging) in 2016, Leistner “embedded” with a community of 100 tree planters, spending four years living in their bush camps in remote parts of western Canada. She creates heroic and uncanny portraits of work and of the land in homage to the people, profession and environment that were so formative to her. High production tree planting is only in its second generation (it became necessary with the rise of mechanical logging in the late 1960s). Tree planting is a hybrid industrial labour and high intensity sport, where Canadian tree planters set the bar and are without peers worldwide. Today, tree planting is at a crossroads: the crucial moment at which it is transitioning from being something securely within the forestry industry to a kind of Anthropocene climate change symptom and solution. In addition to the book, the five-year project resulted in large scale works that are in major collections in Canada, and a feature documentary film *Forest for the Trees* (2021).

Winner of the 2022 Banff Mountain Image Book Award



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- English
- 140 x 215 x 25 mm | 810 gr
- 504 pages
- Royal BC Museum
- Carton quantity: 20
- NATURE
- Distributor: UTP Distribution

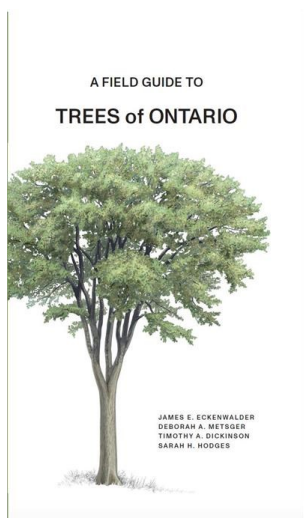
Royal BC Museum Handbook
Mushrooms of British Columbia

by Andy MacKinnon 🍁, Kem Luther 🍁
Sep 03, 2021 Paperback , Trade \$34.95 CAD

With more species of fungi than any other region in Canada, British Columbia is a rich playground for mushroom hunters. Now there's *Mushrooms of British Columbia*, the newest handbook from the Royal BC Museum. It's perfect for anyone wanting to know more about BC mushrooms—whether for study, harvest, photography or appreciation.

Authors and mushroom experts Andy MacKinnon and Kem Luther bring a practical and playful approach to helping people quickly and confidently identify the mushrooms of British Columbia. Common names trump technical terminology, fungi are grouped by overall shape, and written descriptions of more than 350 common species are reinforced with carefully curated diagnostic images.

This is the go-to guidebook for anyone, amateur or expert, who loves to study, draw, photograph and eat BC mushrooms.



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- 4.5 x 8 x 1.3 in | 620 gr
- 512 pages
- ROM
- Carton quantity: 24
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- Distributor: UTP Distribution

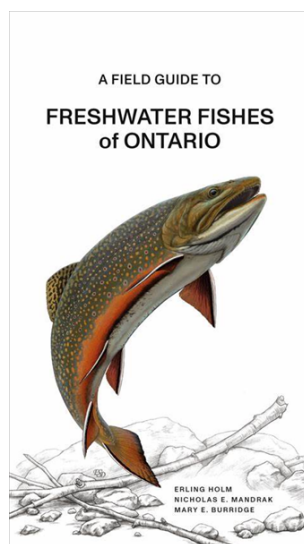
A Field Guide to Trees of Ontario

by James Eckenwalder, Timothy Dickinson
Apr 01, 2023 Paperback \$29.99 CAD

Following the success of *A Field Guide to the Wildflowers of Ontario*, the newest field guide from the ROM explores the oldest, tallest, and largest plants in Ontario's rich flora.

A comprehensive guide to Ontario trees.

Featuring more than 1,400 vibrant photographs and illustrations, this visually rich and inviting field guide describes the trees likely to be encountered in Ontario, whether on a hike in the woods or on a walk down city streets. Covering both naturally occurring and cultivated species, this book features an illustrated glossary of botanical terms, distribution maps, and photographs depicting distinctive characteristics of individual tree species. With diagnostic descriptions for quick recognition of trees by their component parts, and easy-to-use identification keys covering summer and winter conditions, *A Field Guide to Trees of Ontario* is a must-have for tree enthusiasts—novices and experts alike. Carry it with you wherever you may find trees, which is practically everywhere.



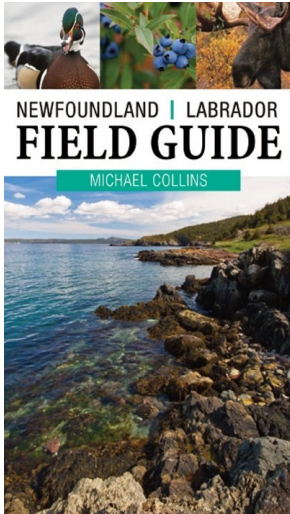
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- English
- 4.5 x 8 x 1 in | 640 gr
- 488 pages
- ROM
- Carton quantity: 24
- NATURE
- Distributor: UTP Distribution

A Field Guide to Freshwater Fishes of Ontario

by Erling Holm, Nicholas E. Mandrak
Mar 31, 2022 Paperback \$29.99 CAD

The best-selling Field Guide to Freshwater Fishes of Ontario is back as a second edition. It is a beautiful and authoritative full-colour field guide to all species of freshwater fish found in Ontario.



- 9781550813562
- English
 - Illustrations, color
 - 4.5 x 8 x 1 in | 375 gr
 - 480 pages
 - Breakwater Books Ltd.
 - Carton quantity: 1
 - NATURE
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

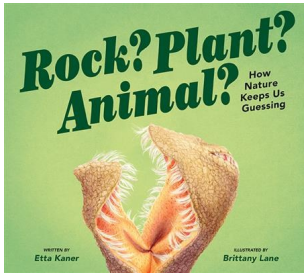
Field Guide to Newfoundland and Labrador

by Michael Collins

Jun 30, 2023 Paperback , Trade \$34.95 CAD

A rich and informative guide to the common—and uncommon—beauty of the province.

The most comprehensive guide of its kind on the market today, the *Field Guide to Newfoundland and Labrador* features more than 900 photographs and illustrations: from flora and fauna to icebergs and weather, no stone is left unturned in this perfect introduction to the province's life and landscape. Compiled and edited by Memorial University biologist Michael Collins, with contributions from over twenty renowned experts, the guide is accessible, durable, perfectly sized, and indexed for ease of use in the field. You're ready. Now explore.



- 9781771474443
- English
 - Illustrations, color
 - 9.5 x 8.5 x 0.38 in | 354 gr
 - 32 pages
 - Owlkids
 - Carton quantity: 44
 - JUVENILE NONFICTION
 - Age (years) 4 - 8
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

Rock? Plant? Animal?

How Nature Keeps Us Guessing

by Etta Kaner 🍁, Brittany Lane 🍁

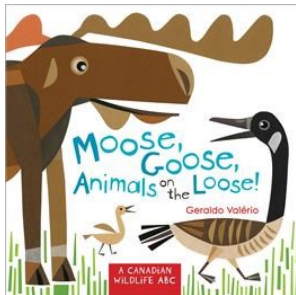
Oct 04, 2022 Hardcover , Picture book \$19.95 CAD

An interactive guessing game featuring nature's most unusual adaptations and characteristics

Can you tell the difference between a rock, a plant, and an animal? While it might sound simple, the vast diversity of life on earth can throw us some serious curveballs! Sometimes, what looks like a plant is actually an animal. Other times, what looks like an animal is actually a plant! Even things that look like living creatures can turn out to be unique rocks.

Young readers are encouraged to challenge their pre-existing ideas about the natural world in this engaging nonfiction book set up as a scientific guessing game, filled with lively illustrations and fun facts.

Each spread features a realistic illustration of either a puzzling critter, a perplexing plant, or a special stone. Every picture is accompanied by a simple prompt: rock, plant, or animal? The answer is revealed by turning the page to discover a beautifully detailed scene and a brief description of the "species." Even for the most esteemed naturalists, the answers are hard to believe! *Rock? Plant? Animal?* lets its readers be detectives, encouraging curiosity and embracing surprise.



- 9781771471749
- English
 - 9.5 x 9.5 x 0.38 in | 431 gr
 - 40 pages
 - Carton quantity: 38
 - JUVENILE NONFICTION
 - Age (years) 2 - 5
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

Canadian Concepts

Moose, Goose, Animals on the Loose!

A Canadian Wildlife ABC

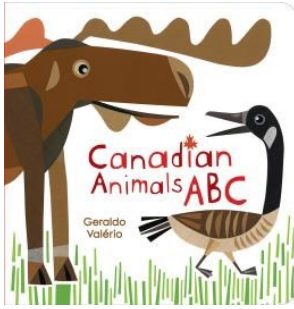
by Geraldo Valério 🍁

Aug 15, 2016 Hardcover \$16.95 CAD

A bestselling introduction to the alphabet and Canadian wildlife from A to Z, and a great gift for little ones – perfect for ages 2 to 5

Between the beaver building branch by branch, the loon laughing on the lake, and the powerful, playful polar bear, Canada is home to a spectacular array of animals. This concept book celebrates the country's diverse wildlife by presenting each letter of the alphabet alongside a representative mammal, insect, bird, reptile, amphibian, fish, or invertebrate. The creatures portrayed hail from coast to coast to coast, and reflect close research even in their stylized depictions.

Short text phrases describe animal behavior and play with alliteration, making each spread fun and engaging. Paper collage artwork by Geraldo Valério is simple yet sophisticated, full of colour, movement, and touches of humour. Created with just paper, scissors, and glue, this art style will easily inspire home or classroom activities. Two informational spreads at the end of the book feature facts about each creature, with uppercase and lowercase letters repeated for additional comprehension.

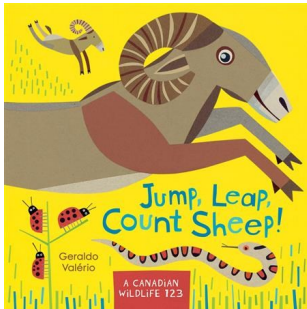


- 9781771473460
- English
 - Illustrations, color
 - 7.5 x 7.5 x 0.75 in | 446 gr
 - 36 pages
 - Carton quantity: 36
 - JUVENILE NONFICTION
 - Age (years) 1 - 3
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

Canadian Concepts
Canadian Animals ABC
 by Geraldo Valério 🇨🇦
 Aug 15, 2018 Board book \$11.95 CAD

Learn the ABCs with Canadian wildlife in this playful board book

This bestselling introduction to the alphabet and Canadian wildlife from A to Z is now available in board book format. Each letter of the alphabet is paired with a Canadian creature rendered playfully in Geraldo Valério's signature paper collage style: beavers, loons, polar bears and more!



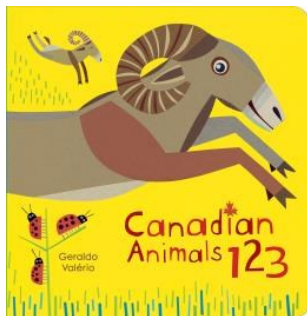
- 9781771472890
- English
 - Illustrations, color
 - 9.5 x 9.5 x 0.31 in | 380 gr
 - 24 pages
 - Owlkids
 - Carton quantity: 44
 - JUVENILE NONFICTION
 - Age (years) 2 - 5
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

Canadian Concepts
Jump, Leap, Count Sheep!
A Canadian Wildlife 123
 by Geraldo Valério 🇨🇦
 Aug 15, 2017 Hardcover \$16.95 CAD

Count to ten with Canadian wildlife in this playful counting book.

Here they come... one bighorn sheep jumping, two grebes dancing, three mantids hunting, and many more Canadian critters to count! Each spread presents a number from 1 to 10, along with a playful depiction of the corresponding amount of Canadian wildlife. Each number is shown as a figure, a word, and a quantity of dots to support comprehension. Every spread also includes a lively phrase with an action verb and one other element to count.

Featured wildlife includes mammals, birds, insects, reptiles, and fish — creatures from diverse environments across Canada. Geraldo Valério's signature paper collage illustrations are simple yet sophisticated, full of color and movement, and make counting fun! An informational spread at the end includes spot art and facts about the featured wildlife.



- 9781771473477
- English
 - Illustrations, color
 - 7.5 x 7.5 x 0.44 in | 278 gr
 - 22 pages
 - Carton quantity: 48
 - JUVENILE NONFICTION
 - Age (years) 1 - 3
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

Canadian Concepts
Canadian Animals 123
 by Geraldo Valério 🇨🇦
 Aug 15, 2018 Board book \$11.95 CAD

Count to 10 with Canadian wildlife in this new board book

This bold and colorful introduction to numbers from 1 to 10 with Canadian wildlife is now available in board book format. Each number is shown alongside a matching quantity of Canadian animals rendered playfully in Geraldo Valério's signature paper collage style: bighorn sheep, grebes, mantids, and more!



- 9781771472906
- English
 - Illustrations, color
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 - Age (years) 2 - 5
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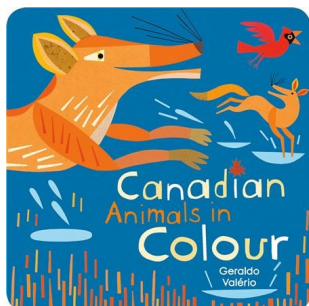
Canadian Concepts
Splish, Splash, Foxes Dash!
Canadian Wildlife in Colour
 by Geraldo Valério 🇨🇦
 Aug 15, 2018 Hardcover \$18.95 CAD

Discover creatures of all colours in this Canadian concept book

Here they come...orange foxes, blue whales, red cardinals, and many more Canadian animals in colour! New from the creator of bestsellers *Moose*, *Goose*, *Animals on the Loose!* and *Jump, Leap, Count Sheep!*, the third book in this Canadian trio introduces young readers to the concept of colour.

Each spread features one of 10 different colours along with a Canadian animal brightly rendered in Geraldo Valério's simple yet sophisticated paper collage. Each spread also features a lively descriptive phrase full of wordplay, alliteration, and rhyme.

From the familiar black bears breakfasting in a bed of berries, to the more exotic purple sea stars stretching and pink prawns pirouetting, young readers will love discovering wildlife from a mix of environments including land, sea, and sky. An informational spread at the end includes spot art and facts about the featured wildlife.



- 9781771473880
- English
 - Illustrations, color
 - 7.5 x 7.5 x 0.5 in | 276 gr
 - 22 pages
 - Owlkids
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 - JUVENILE NONFICTION
 - Age (years) 0 - 3
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

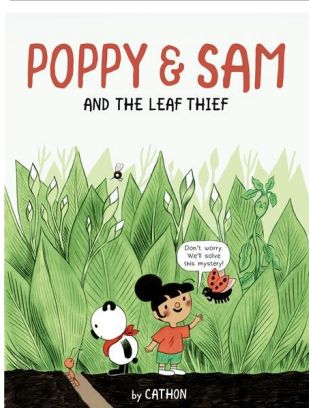
Canadian Concepts 3
Canadian Animals in Colour
 by Geraldo Valério 🇨🇦
 Sep 15, 2019 Board book \$11.95 CAD

Discover creatures of all colours in this Canadian concept book

Here they come...orange foxes, blue whales, red cardinals, and many more Canadian animals in colour! New from the creator of board books *Canadian Animals ABC* and *Canadian Animals 123*, the third book in this Canadian trio introduces young readers to the concept of colour.

Each spread features one of 10 different colours along with a Canadian animal brightly rendered in Geraldo Valério's simple yet sophisticated paper collage. Each spread also features a lively descriptive phrase full of wordplay, alliteration, and rhyme.

From the familiar black bears breakfasting in a bed of berries, to the more exotic purple sea stars stretching and pink prawns pirouetting, young readers will love discovering wildlife from a mix of environments including land, sea, and sky.



- 9781771473293
- English, Translated from: French
 - Illustrations, color
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 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

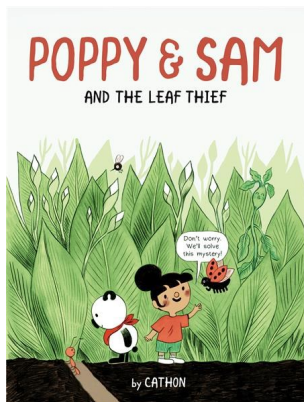
Poppy and Sam 1
Poppy and Sam and the Leaf Thief
 by Cathon 🇨🇦
 Aug 15, 2018 Hardcover \$18.95 CAD

A duo of strawberry-sized sleuths cracks a case in this cute and lively picture book with graphic novel touches

It's a beautiful day in the garden when Poppy and her panda friend, Sam, hear a commotion. Their friend Basil—who has always been known for his elegance—is in tears, because somebody nibbled his leaves last night!

Poppy puts her detective skills to work, with help from Sam, and together they set out to find the culprit. They start by interviewing the insects, but Ms. Honeybee, Madame Ladybug, and Mr. Bumblebee all have contradictory suspicions of their own. So Poppy and Sam test some creative methods to catch the vandal red-handed. After a few misadventures, they find the remorseful nibbler—and Basil helps him understand that everything tastes better when it is freely offered.

Illustrated with charming details and lots of kid appeal, this is an easy-to-read graphic novel with friendly characters and a suspenseful story line.



- 9781771474825
- English
 - Illustrations, color
 - 7.5 x 9.5 x 0.19 in | 168 gr
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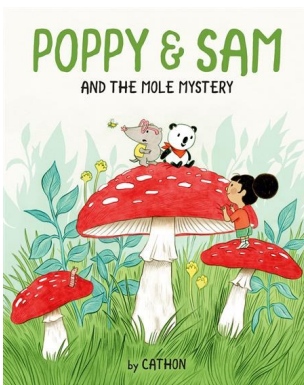
Poppy and Sam 1
Poppy and Sam and the Leaf Thief
 by Cathon 🍁
 Aug 15, 2021 Paperback , Trade \$11.95 CAD

A duo of strawberry-sized sleuths cracks a case in this cute and lively picture book with graphic novel touches -- the first in the Poppy & Sam series.

It's a beautiful day in the garden when Poppy and her panda friend, Sam, hear a commotion. Their friend Basil—who has always been known for his elegance—is in tears, because somebody nibbled his leaves last night!

Poppy puts her detective skills to work, with help from Sam, and together they set out to find the culprit. They start by interviewing the insects, but Ms. Honeybee, Madame Ladybug, and Mr. Bumblebee all have contradictory suspicions of their own. So Poppy and Sam test some creative methods to catch the vandal red-handed. After a few misadventures, they find the remorseful nibbler—and Basil helps him understand that everything tastes better when it is freely offered.

Illustrated with charming details and lots of kid appeal, this is an easy-to-read graphic novel with friendly characters and a suspenseful story line.



- 9781771473798
- English, Translated from: French
 - Illustrations, color
 - 7.5 x 9.5 x 0.44 in | 354 gr
 - 48 pages
 - Owlkids
 - Carton quantity: 44
 - JUVENILE FICTION
 - Age (years) 5 - 8
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

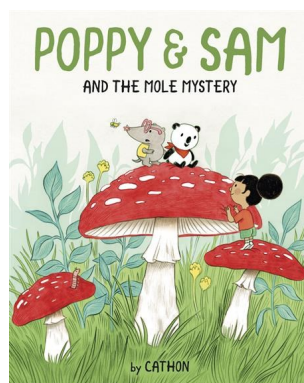
Poppy and Sam 2
Poppy and Sam and the Mole Mystery
 by Cathon 🍁, Susan Ouriou
 Aug 15, 2019 Hardcover , Paper over boards \$18.95 CAD

Strawberry-sized sleuths Poppy and Sam are back on the case in this adorable picture book/graphic novel hybrid

It's a new day in the garden, and Poppy and Sam are paying a visit to their friend Snuggles Molesy. But Snuggles is in a pickle, looking for a lost pair of pretty pink glasses! Sleuths Poppy and Sam begin to investigate: all around the garden, along the shore of the creek, and even inside the pies Snuggles had been baking. Along the way, they ask the other critters they encounter.

Poppy and Sam don't have much luck finding the glasses, but they do come across a variety of other treasures: a flowered umbrella, a flute, a yellow spinning top, and more. By the end of the story, they set up a whimsical lost and found with all of these objects—and finally find the rosy specs, while their fellow garden friends find misplaced treasures of their own.

The second Poppy and Sam adventure, this picture book/graphic novel hybrid is full of friendly characters, charming details, and a fun and suspenseful storyline that will be sure to delight young readers.



- 9781771475204
- English
 - Illustrations, color
 - 7.5 x 9.5 x 0.16 in | 165 gr
 - 48 pages
 - Owlkids
 - Carton quantity: 90
 - JUVENILE FICTION
 - Age (years) 5 - 8
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

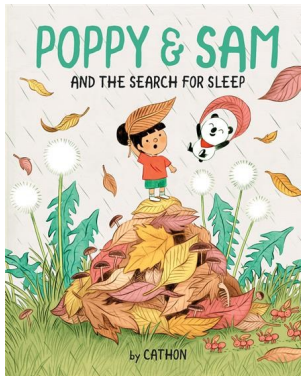
Poppy and Sam 2
Poppy and Sam and the Mole Mystery
 by Cathon 🍁, Susan Ouriou
 Mar 15, 2022 Paperback , Trade \$11.95 CAD

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- 9781771474184
- English, Translated from: French
 - Illustrations, color
 - 7.5 x 9.5 x 0.38 in | 341 gr
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 - JUVENILE FICTION
 - Age (years) 5 - 8
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

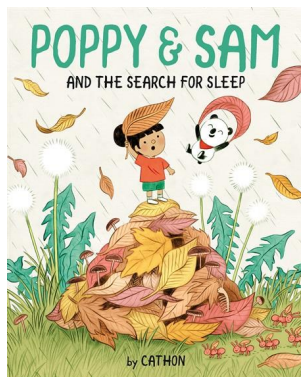
Poppy and Sam 3
Poppy and Sam and the Search for Sleep
 by Cathon 🍁, Susan Ouriou
 Oct 15, 2020 Hardcover , Paper over boards \$18.95 CAD

Strawberry-sized sleuths Poppy and Sam are back on the job!

The seasons are changing in the garden, and Poppy and Sam are stocking up for a long winter's nap. There's just one problem: Poppy can't sleep! Determined to hibernate like her friends, Poppy and her panda buddy, Sam, go hunting for advice on how to get to sleep.

Other garden creatures are full of ideas on how to nod off. The bees suggest snuggling into a honeycomb. The frog says a mug of fly milk does the trick, while the ants recommend a good book before bed. But will anything help Poppy fall asleep?

The third book in the Poppy and Sam series, this picture book/graphic novel hybrid is full of delightful, detailed illustrations, adorable characters, and a sweet, funny storyline sure to draw young readers in.



- 9781771475730
- English
 - Illustrations, color
 - 7.5 x 9.5 x 0.19 in | 167 gr
 - 44 pages
 - Owlkids
 - Carton quantity: 90
 - JUVENILE FICTION
 - Age (years) 5 - 8
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

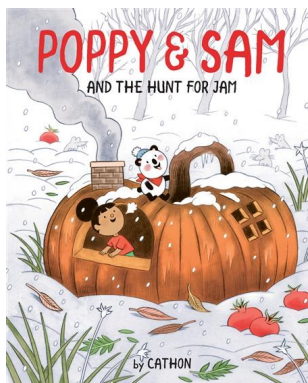
Poppy and Sam 3
Poppy and Sam and the Search for Sleep
 by Cathon 🍁, Susan Ouriou
 Aug 15, 2022 Paperback , Trade \$11.95 CAD

Strawberry-sized sleuths Poppy and Sam are back on the job!

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Other garden creatures are full of ideas on how to nod off. The bees suggest snuggling into a honeycomb. The frog says a mug of fly milk does the trick, while the ants recommend a good book before bed. But will anything actually help Poppy fall asleep?

New in paperback, the third book in the Poppy and Sam series is a picture book/graphic novel hybrid full of delightful, detailed illustrations, adorable characters, and a sweet, funny storyline sure to draw young readers in.



- 9781771475921
- English, Translated from: French
 - Illustrations, color
 - 7.5 x 9.5 in | 1 gr
 - 52 pages
 - Owlkids
 - Carton quantity: 30
 - JUVENILE FICTION
 - Age (years) 5 - 8
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

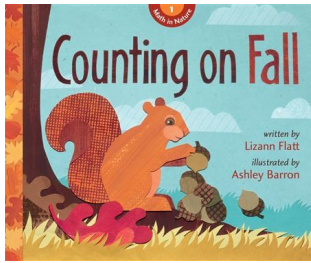
Poppy and Sam 4
Poppy and Sam and the Hunt for Jam
 by Cathon 🍁, Susan Ouriou
 Aug 15, 2023 Hardcover , Picture book \$21.95 CAD

Strawberry-sized pals Poppy and Sam return for their fourth adventure

Hibernation is hard when a craving comes! Especially for Sam, who wakes up his pal Poppy in the middle of their winter slumber with a hankering to make rosehip jam. Full of determination, Sam sets out to find his friends in the snowy forest and collect the necessary ingredients.

All seems well, but on his way home, Sam gets trapped in a winter storm! He finds shelter in a cave, only to discover someone else is already hibernating there—a giant bear! It turns out that Ursula the bear is also hungry for a mid-hibernation treat. Luckily, Ursula is *not* craving miniature panda, and helps Sam get back to Poppy and the safety of home—where at last they enjoy some tasty snacks!

The adorable, cartoon-like illustrations and charming storyline will keep readers rooting for Sam's success in the latest installment of the Poppy and Sam series.



- 9781771473101
- English
 - Illustrations, color
 - 10.5 x 8.5 x 0.13 in | 164 gr
 - 32 pages
 - Owlkids
 - Carton quantity: 106
 - JUVENILE NONFICTION
 - Age (years) 5 - 7
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

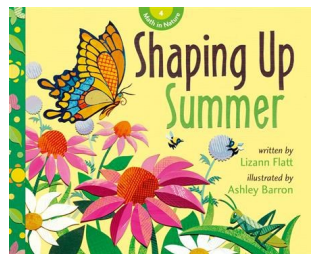
Math in Nature 1
Counting on Fall
 by Lizann Flatt 🍁, Ashley Barron 🍁
 Aug 15, 2017 Paperback , Trade \$9.95 CAD

Now in paperback! In *Counting on Fall* the first title in the Math in Nature series by award-winning author Lizann Flatt, nature comes to life to help children grasp concepts of number sense and numeration.

As young readers journey into the natural world, they will discover that numbers, patterns, shapes — and much more! — can be found by observing everyday plants and animals.

What if animals and plants knew math, just like you? Would leaves fall in patterns? Would whales enter a race? In *Counting on Fall*, the first title in the Math in Nature series by award-winning author Lizann Flatt, nature comes to life to help children grasp concepts of number sense and numeration. The engaging "What if?" format of this informational picture book is sure to delight five- to seven-year-olds.

Each of the four books in the Math in Nature series will cover one season of the year and one area of the math curriculum. Colorful, cut-paper collage art uniquely evokes the natural world, while two levels of text — one a lyrical story, the other asking children to problem-solve — bring the reader to a full understanding of the math concept being covered.



- 9781771471633
- English
 - 10.5 x 8.5 x 0.13 in | 161 gr
 - 32 pages
 - Owlkids
 - Carton quantity: 106
 - JUVENILE NONFICTION
 - Age (years) 5 - 7
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

Math in Nature 4
Shaping Up Summer
 by Lizann Flatt 🍁, Ashley Barron 🍁
 Mar 15, 2018 Paperback , Trade \$9.95 CAD

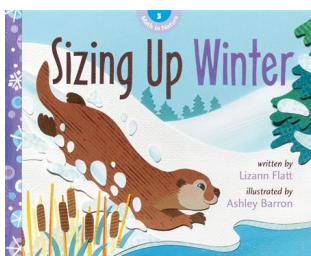
A paperback reissue of a bestselling title. In *Shaping Up Summer*, the fourth and final title in the Math in Nature series, nature comes to life to help children grasp concepts of geometry, symmetry, and spatial sense.

As young readers journey into the natural world, they will discover that numbers, patterns, shapes — and much more! — can be found in everyday plants and animals.

What if animals and plants knew math, just like us? Would spiders draw pictures in their webs? Would narwhals sort blocks of ice by shape? Would insects know what's above and what's below? In *Shaping Up Summer*, the final title in the Math in Nature series, nature comes to life to help children grasp concepts of geometry, symmetry, and spatial sense.

This interactive, poetic, and artful picture book series is an enticing way to introduce math to kids — they will laugh, use their imaginations, and learn through activities inspired by the books.

Teacher's guide, lesson plan, and activities available at OwlkidsBooks.com/ResourcesActivities/TeacherGuides



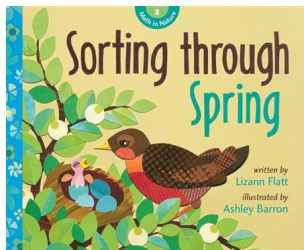
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- English
 - Illustrations, color
 - 10.5 x 8.5 x 0.13 in | 160 gr
 - 32 pages
 - Carton quantity: 36
 - JUVENILE NONFICTION
 - Age (years) 5 - 7
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

Math in Nature 3
Sizing Up Winter
 by Lizann Flatt 🍁, Ashley Barron 🍁
 Aug 15, 2018 Paperback \$8.95 CAD

A new paperback edition of a primary classroom favourite

As young readers journey into the natural world, they will discover that numbers, patterns, shapes — and much more! — can be found in everyday plants and animals.

What if animals and plants knew math, just like us? Would snowflakes all fall from the same height in the sky? Would otters spread themselves evenly across lakes? Would groundhogs be aware of the date? In *Sizing Up Winter*, the third title in the Math in Nature series, nature comes to life to help children grasp concepts of time and measurement.



- 9781771471534
- English
 - Illustrations, color
 - 10.5 x 8.5 x 0.13 in | 161 gr
 - 32 pages
 - Owlkids
 - Carton quantity: 36
 - JUVENILE FICTION
 - Age (years) 5 - 7
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

Math in Nature 2
Sorting through Spring
 by Lizann Flatt 🇨🇦, Ashley Barron 🇨🇦
 Mar 15, 2018 Paperback , Trade \$9.95 CAD

A paperback reissue of a bestselling title. In *Sorting through Spring*, the second title in the Math in Nature series, nature comes to life to help children grasp concepts of patterning, sorting, data management, and probability.

As young readers journey into the natural world, they will discover that numbers, patterns, shapes — and much more! — can be found by observing everyday plants and animals.

What if animals and plants knew math, just like us? Would flowers bloom in patterns? Would raindrops fall in rhythm? Would birds balance evenly on branches? In *Sorting through Spring*, the second title in the Math in Nature series, nature comes to life to help children grasp concepts of patterning, sorting, data management, and probability.

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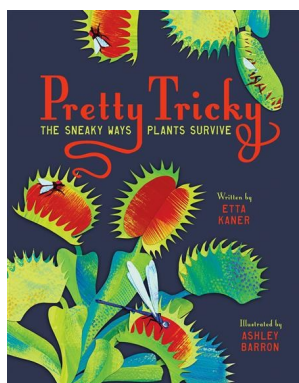


- 9781771470629
- English
 - 8.25 x 10.25 x 0.44 in | 394 gr
 - 32 pages
 - Carton quantity: 42
 - JUVENILE NONFICTION
 - Age (years) 4
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

Wild Ideas
Let Nature Inspire Your Thinking
 by Elin Kelsey 🇨🇦, Soyeon Kim 🇨🇦
 Apr 15, 2015 Hardcover , Dust jacket \$18.95 CAD

From the creators of *You Are Stardust* comes a new informational picture book that brings the big ideas of their first book down to earth. *Wild Ideas* looks deep into the forests, skies and oceans to explore how animals solve problems. Whether it's weaving a safe place to rest and reflect, blowing a fine net of bubbles to trap fish, or leaping boldly into a new situation, the animals featured (including the orangutan, humpback whale and gibbon) can teach us a lot about creative problem solving tools and strategies.

Like *You Are Stardust*, this book uses lyrical text grounded in current science alongside wonderfully detailed art to present problems as doorways to creative thinking. *Wild Ideas* encourages an inquiry-based approach to learning, inviting readers to indulge their sense of wonder and curiosity by observing the natural world, engaging with big ideas and asking questions. An author's note at the end delves deeper into the research behind the text.



- 9781771473699
- English
 - Illustrations, color
 - 9 x 11.5 x 0.44 in | 534 gr
 - 48 pages
 - Owlkids
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 - JUVENILE NONFICTION
 - Age (years) 7 - 10
 - Distributor: UTP Distribution

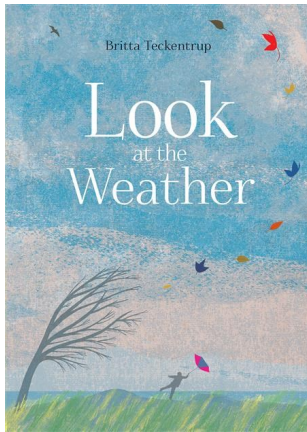
Pretty Tricky
The Sneaky Ways Plants Survive
 by Etta Kaner 🇨🇦, Ashley Barron 🇨🇦
 Sep 15, 2020 Hardcover \$19.95 CAD

A guide to how plants use trickery to survive and thrive

Have you ever thought of plants as tricky? Probably not. But in this nonfiction book, readers are introduced to the tricky techniques some plants use to defend themselves, reproduce, or acquire food. From the copycat Boquila vine that changes shape to match its host plant, to the pungent carrion flower that lures pollinating flies with the scent of rotten meat, plants across the globe have adapted to survive all kinds of threatening fauna.

Each amazing plant adaptation is described through fact bubbles and easy-to-grasp blocks of text. End matter includes a list of sources for kids to explore, a glossary defining scientific terms, and an index.

Brought to life with eye-popping cut-paper collage illustrations, this book is a garden of knowledge that will leave kids with a better understanding of how living things adapt to their environments.



9781771472869

- English, Translated from: German
- 7.75 x 11 x 0.88 in | 852 gr
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- Owlkids
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- JUVENILE NONFICTION
- Age (years) 7
- Distributor: UTP Distribution

Look at the Weather

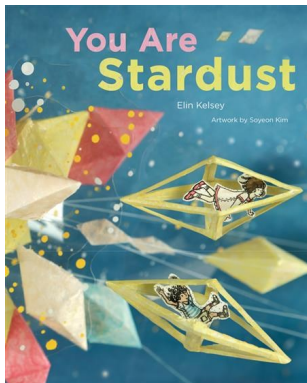
by Britta Teckentrup, Shelley Tanaka 🍁
Apr 15, 2018 Hardcover \$23.95 CAD

A meditative, immersive take on the weather around us

When you stop to think about it, weather is incredible: it's whimsical, varied, ever-present, sometimes destructive and other times, beautiful. This immersive illustrated nonfiction book is an invitation for readers to ponder weather and approach it with a newfound sense of understanding, awe, and wonder.

Through four chapters—sun, rain, ice and snow, and extreme weather—this book explores different weather phenomena, from rainbows and sunsets to clouds, frost, and rainstorms. Moments of distress and destruction are offset by the calm after a storm or the peaceful feeling of a blanket of fresh snow.

Evocative paintings convey the sheer power of weather, while lyrical text captures the richness of our natural environment. The book takes an inspiring tone rather than an exhaustive, factual one. The book explicitly makes the links between extreme weather, climate change, and human activity, and poses questions often, inviting young readers to observe and inquire about their own environment or to imagine other ones.



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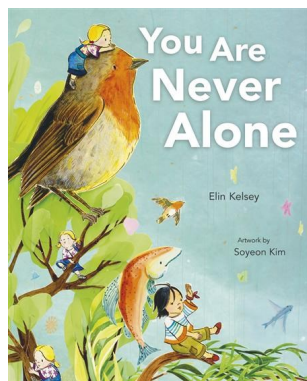
- English
- Illustrations, color
- 8.25 x 10.25 in | 406 gr
- 32 pages
- Carton quantity: 42
- JUVENILE NONFICTION
- Age (years) 4
- Distributor: UTP Distribution

You Are Stardust

by Elin Kelsey 🍁, Soyeon Kim 🍁
Sep 15, 2012 Hardcover , Printed dust jacket \$18.95 CAD

You Are Stardust begins by introducing the idea that every tiny atom in our bodies came from a star that exploded long before we were born. From its opening pages, the book suggests that we are intimately connected to the natural world; it compares the way we learn to speak to the way baby birds learn to sing, and the growth of human bodies to the growth of forests. Award-winning author Elin Kelsey — along with a number of concerned parents and educators around the world — believes children are losing touch with nature. This innovative picture book aims to reintroduce children to their innate relationship with the world around them by sharing many of the surprising ways that we are all connected to the natural world.

Grounded in current science, this extraordinary picture book provides opportunities for children to use their imaginations and wonder about some big ideas. Soyeon Kim's incredible diorama art enhances the poetic text, and her creative process is explored in full on the reverse side of the book's jacket, which features comments from the artist. Young readers will want to pore over each page of this book, exploring the detailed artwork and pondering the message of the text, excited to find out just how connected to the Earth they really are.



9781771473156

- English
- Illustrations, color
- 8.25 x 10.25 x 0.38 in | 398 gr
- 32 pages
- Owlkids
- Carton quantity: 40
- JUVENILE NONFICTION
- Age (years) 4 - 12
- Distributor: UTP Distribution

You Are Never Alone

by Elin Kelsey 🍁, Soyeon Kim 🍁
Apr 15, 2019 Hardcover , Dust jacket \$19.95 CAD

From the creators of *You Are Stardust* and *Wild Ideas* comes a new picture book that explores how humans are inextricably connected to nature. This book draws examples from the clouds and the cosmos, the seafloor and the surface of our skin, to show how we are never alone: we are always surrounded and supported by nature. Whether it's gravity holding us tight; our lungs breathing oxygen synthesized by plants; the countless microorganisms that build our immunity; or the whales whose waste fertilizes the plankton that feed the fish we eat: nature touches every aspect of how we live.

Using lyrical text grounded in current science alongside detailed diorama art, this informational picture book presents the idea that we thrive through connections to the land and sea and sky, and togetherness is key to nature. It encourages inquiry-based learning, inviting readers to wonder, ask questions, observe the natural world, and engage with big ideas. An author's note at the end offers more insight into the research behind the text.



9781771473651

- English, Translated from: French
- Illustrations, color
- 8.5 x 11.25 x 0.38 in | 436 gr
- 48 pages
- Carton quantity: 20
- JUVENILE FICTION
- Age (years) 3 - 7
- Distributor: UTP Distribution

When You're Scared

by Andrée Poulin 🇨🇦, Véronique Joffre

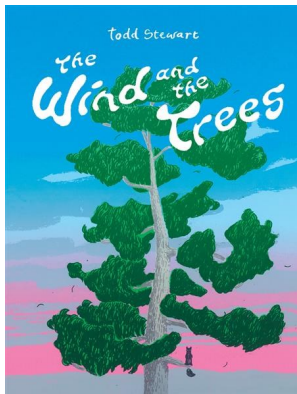
Mar 15, 2019 Hardcover , Paper over boards \$19.95 CAD

A sweet story about facing your fears, even when you're scared

It's a bright and beautiful day at the lake where a boy and his mother are camping. The boy is just a *little* scared of jumping into the water. At the same time, not too far away, a hungry bear cub is a *little* scared of diving deep into a dumpster, where tasty snacks await.

Later, when the boy encounters a distraught mama bear sniffing around the dumpster, he's very scared. But so is her bear cub, who is trapped inside! Bold, graphic artwork moves the narrative along in this mostly-wordless book full of sound effects and simple variations on a single phrase full of so many meanings ("He was scared"). Parallel stories of the mother and son, and mama and cub, come together when the campers, despite being scared, help rescue the cub from the dumpster.

This simple, moving story invites readers to observe expressions, body language, and details hidden in the illustrations to follow the narrative. It's a sweet summer read that normalizes fear and encourages acting with courage and compassion—even when you're scared.



9781771474337

- English, Translated from: French
- Illustrations, color
- 9 x 12 x 0.38 in | 522 gr
- 48 pages
- Owlkids
- Carton quantity: 18
- JUVENILE FICTION
- Age (years) 4 - 8
- Distributor: UTP Distribution

The Wind and the Trees

by Todd Stewart 🇨🇦

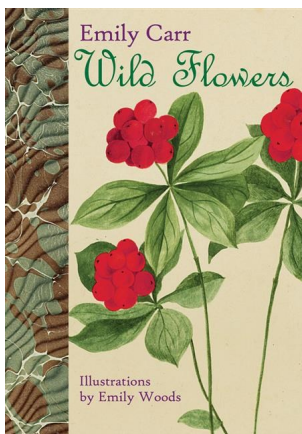
Mar 15, 2021 Hardcover , Picture book \$19.95 CAD

A gentle meditation on the cycle of life, told by two trees

One day, a tiny pine seedling strikes up a conversation with a nearby tree. As the seedling grows larger, the older pine shares what it has learned about the strong wind that blows through the forest. Wind stretches trees and dries them out, but it also scatters seeds, spreads messages across the forest, and helps trees grow strong as it pushes against their trunks.

As time passes, the wind takes its toll on the older tree. It loses needles and starts to droop as the young tree grows fuller and stronger. When a fierce storm rolls in, the heavy winds take down the older tree, leaving the younger one all alone. Or so it thinks. Soon after, a new seedling blown in by the wind lands on the spot where the old tree fell, and the cycle begins again.

This moving picture book poignantly honors intergenerational relationships and the exchange of wisdom, while also opening up conversations about loss and environmental stewardship.



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- English
- 177 x 254 x 7 mm | 280 gr
- 96 pages
- Royal British Columbia Museum
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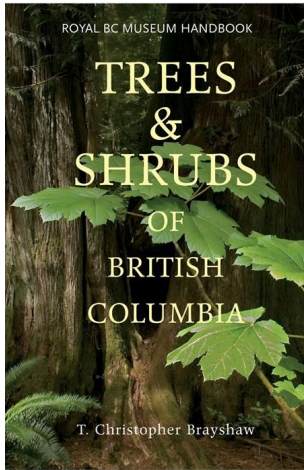
Wild Flowers

by Emily Carr 🇨🇦, Emily Woods 🇨🇦

Jul 15, 2006 Paperback , Trade \$24.95 CAD

Wild Flowers is a collection of Emily Carr's delightfully evocative impressions of native flowers and shrubs. She wrote these short pieces later in life and they rekindled in her strong childhood memories and associations. She delights in the brightness of buttercups that "let Spring's secret out," muses over the hardness of stonecrop ("How any plant can grow on bare rock and be so fleshy leafed and fat is a marvel") and declares that "botanical science has un-skunked the skunk cabbage." Carr's playful words often bring a smile to readers. About catnip, she writes: "I did think it was kind of God to make a special flower for cats." In a brief foreword and afterword, archivist and historian Kathryn Bridge gives context to *Wild Flowers* within the body of Carr's previously published writings. *Wild Flowers* is illustrated with beautiful watercolours of wild plants by Emily Henrietta Woods, one of Carr's childhood drawing teachers in Victoria. The originals of Carr's manuscript and Woods' botanical illustrations reside in collections of the BC Archives; neither have been published until now.


"Woods' paintings fit so well with Carr's text. It's serendipity that Woods taught Carr and that we have her art and Carr's manuscript in the Archives' collection, and that neither have been published before now." - Kathryn Bridge



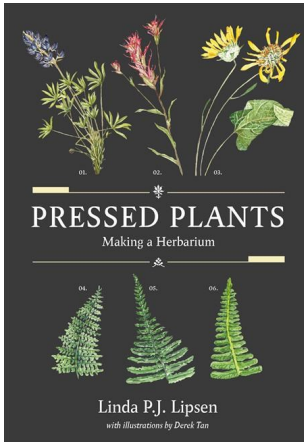
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- English
- 139 x 215 x 25 mm | 540 gr
- 392 pages
- Royal British Columbia Museum
- Carton quantity: 18
- NATURE
- Distributor: UTP Distribution

Royal BC Museum Handbook
Trees and Shrubs of British Columbia

by T. Christopher Brayshaw 
Sep 01, 1996 Paperback , Tall rack \$29.95 CAD

Trees and Shrubs of British Columbia is the definitive guide to all native and naturalized woody plants in the province. T. Christopher Brayshaw describes almost 300 species of trees and shrubs, as well as many subspecies and varieties. His beautifully detailed illustrations of leaves, flowers, fruits and woody parts are arranged to show the distinguishing traits in similar species. Diagnostic keys, comparative diagrams and a selection of colour photographs help make identification easy.



9780772680563

- English
- 140 x 203 x 6 mm | 160 gr
- 96 pages
- Royal BC Museum
- Carton quantity: 58
- SCIENCE
- Distributor: UTP Distribution

Pressed Plants

Making a Herbarium

by Linda Lipsen  , Derek Tan 
Feb 10, 2023 Paperback , Trade \$19.95 CAD

The long-awaited successor to Dr. Christopher Brayshaw's beloved *Plant Collecting for the Amateur*, Linda P.J. Lipsen's *Pressed Plants* goes to the heart of professional and amateur plant collecting today.

Rich in illustrations, infographics and plant photography, this beautiful book balances the ongoing history of plant collection with practical advice, and it includes the latest updates to best practices, such as how to preserve plant material for DNA extraction and how to navigate increasingly complex cultural and conservation considerations.

Pressed Plants responds to the recent revival of enthusiasm for nature, biodiversity and conservation with an increased emphasis on how to document the biodiversity around us. It will help any reader feel that they can understand how to properly document plant biodiversity so it's understood, valued and protected.