


Informational Books for Storytime 2017




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Informational Books for Storytime

An Infopeople Webinar



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Handouts

- *List of New Informational Books to Use at Storytime*
- *List of Storybook and Informational book pairings with suggested hands-on activities*

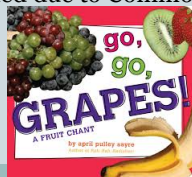
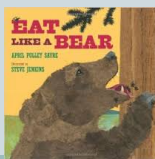
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Agenda

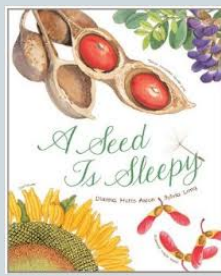
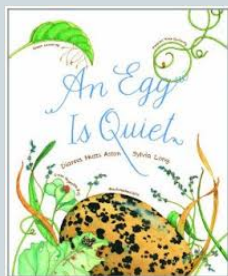
- Using informational books at storytime – why and how to do so
- Using concept books – for many preschoolers, their first experience with informational books
- Informational picture books that describe science and nature
- STEM in storytime
- Informational books that support the 2017 summer reading themes of design and building
- Informational picture books with historical or multicultural themes
- Informational picture books on everyday things
- Informational books for baby and toddler storytimes
- Pairing stories and informational picture books on the same subject, with hands-on activities

Informational Books at Storytime

- Factual, informational, nonfiction
- To introduce these to parents (and children)
- Themes
- More being published due to Common Core



Dual Text



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Photo Picture Books



Incorporating Informational Books

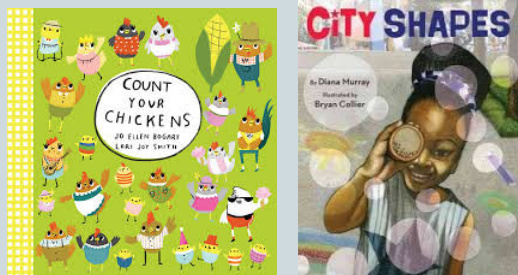


New Concept Books



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More Concept Books



Poll

- How often do you use informational books in your storytimes, including concept books?

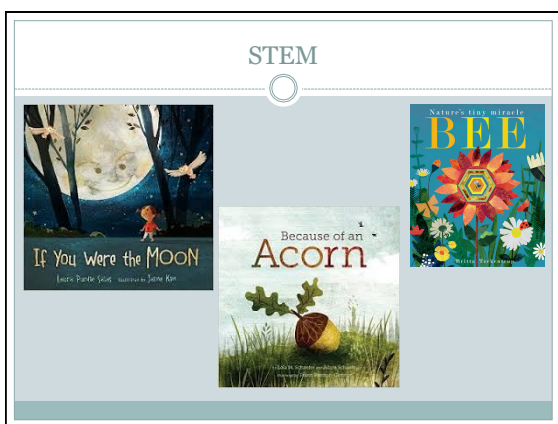
Science and Nature



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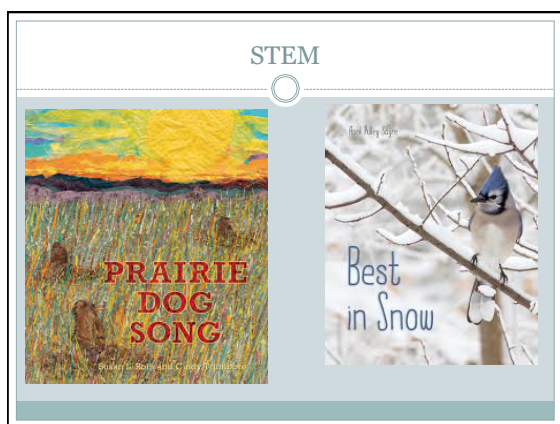






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Building and Design

Poll

- What informational topics would you like to feature at storytime?

Historic Events and Cultures

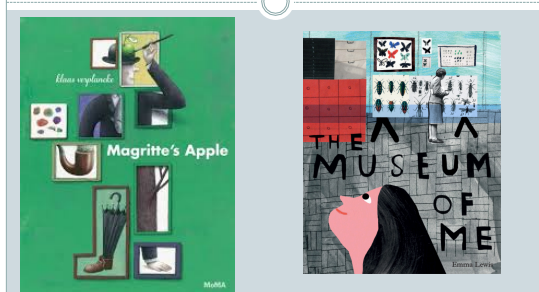
- Can be more difficult to feature at storytime if concept is complex or needs background information
- Multicultural books can be easier to include, especially those filled with color photos

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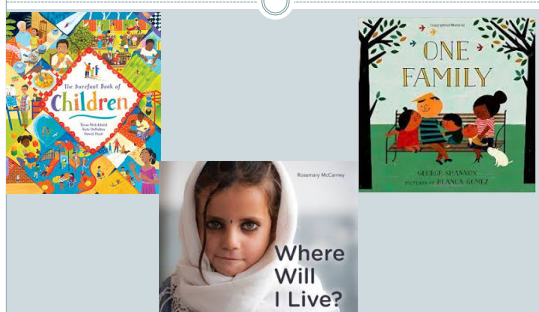
Historical Themes



Social Themes



World Themes



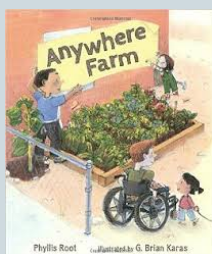
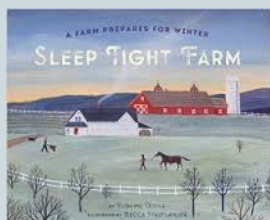
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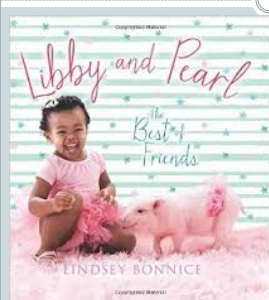
Poll

- What cultures in books for storytime would you like to see more of?

Everyday Things

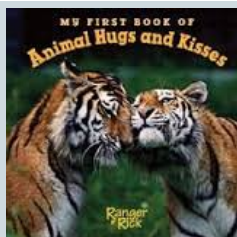


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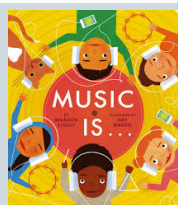
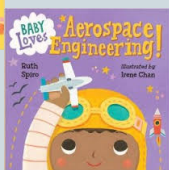
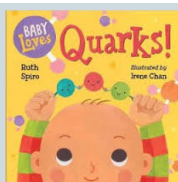


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Board Books – Babies and Toddlers



Board Books



Any Favorites I Missed

- Any informational books you regularly use in storytime that you would like to suggest to our group?

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Storybook and Informational Book Pairs

- Choose an informational book to go along with a favorite storybook on the same subject
- Add a preschool age-appropriate hands-on activity or art project
- Choose good books first, then the theme
- If only a mediocre book fits that theme, don't use that book

Eggs

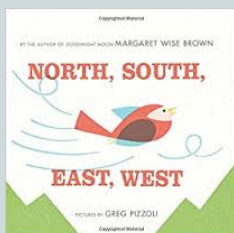


Birds

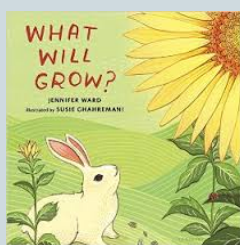
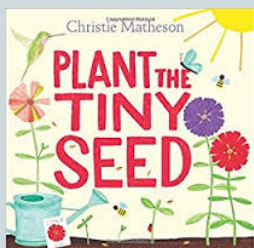


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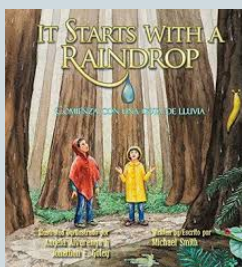
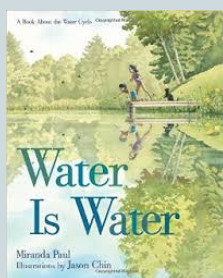
Migration



Planting Seeds



Water Cycle

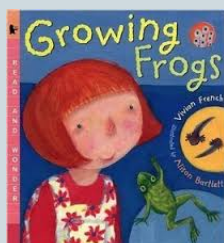
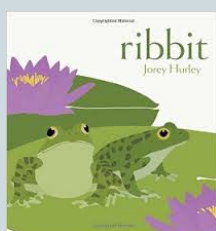


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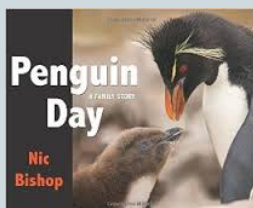
Seasons



Frogs

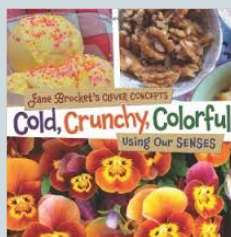
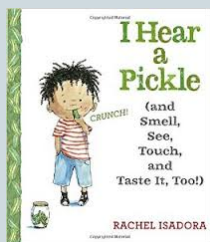


Penguins

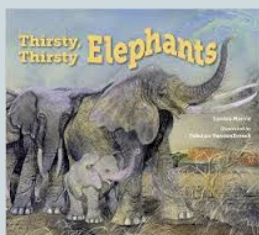
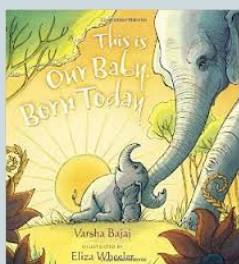


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Five Senses



Elephants



Time for questions?



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