

Chapter 3 Resources

* Resource that includes diversity

+ Books provided in alternative formats from the National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped (NLS). Books marked IN PROCESS are currently being worked on and may be available before the start of your summer program.

Books

*Adamson, Heather. *Homes in Many Cultures*. Capstone, 2009. 24 p. (978-1429633802, pap.). Simple text and photographs present homes from many cultures.

Alphin, Tom. *The Lego Architect*. No Starch, 2015. 192 p. (978-1593276133). Uses Lego models to explore neoclassical, art deco, brutalist, modernist, and other architectural styles. Each chapter includes a discussion of the architectural movement, photographs of famous real-life buildings, and a gallery of Lego models, with step-by-step building instructions.

Alter, Anna. *Sprout Street Neighbors: Five Stories*. Yearling, 2016. 128 p. (978-0385755603, pap.). Relates the adventures of the animal residents of an apartment building on Sprout Street.

*Armstrong, Simon. *Cool Architecture*. Pavilion, 2015. 112 p. (978-1909396791). Explore the iconic buildings of the world and the history of homes and public buildings, and meet some of the architects who created them.

Beaty, Andrea. *Iggy Peck, Architect*. Abrams Books for Young Readers, 2007. 32 p. (978-0810911062, lib. bdg.). Ever since he was a baby, Iggy Peck has built towers, bridges, and buildings, which comes in handy when his second grade class is stranded on an island during a picnic.

Beck, Barbara. *The Future Architect's Handbook*. Schiffer, 2014. 48 p. (978-0764346767, pap.). Follow the entire process for planning and designing a house, and learn about architectural techniques and concepts.

Biesty, Stephen. *Stephen Biesty's Cross-Sections Castle*. DK Children, 2013. 48 p. (978-1465408808). A detailed look at the inside of a castle and the lives of its residents.

Boyer, Crispin. *Everything Castles*. National Geographic Children's Books, 2011. 64 p. (978-1426308048, lib. bdg.). Young readers will be spellbound by this story of fierce battles, dark dungeons, secret passageways, and medieval characters, made all the more vivid by true tales from experts in the field. Fun facts and photos, including reenactment shots, illuminate the lives of the inhabitants and the fascinating histories of castles.

+Brett, Jan. *Town Mouse, Country Mouse*. Puffin, 2003. 32 p. (978-0698119864, pap.). After trading houses, the country mice and the town mice discover there's no place like home.
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*Brière-Haquet, Alice. *Madame Eiffel: The Love Story of the Eiffel Tower*. Die Gestalten, 2015. 32 p. (978-3899557558). Eiffel is a happy engineer, young, successful, and in love with his wife, Cathy. But one morning, Cathy feels blue, and he wants to find a way to make her happy again.

Bunting, Eve. *Yard Sale*. Candlewick, 2015. 32 p. (978-0763665425). Callie and her family are moving from their house to an apartment, so they're having a yard sale. It can be hard to let things go, but in the end it's who you have—not what you have—that counts.

Christie, Gregory R. *Mousetropolis*. Holiday House, 2015. 32 p. (978-0823423194). In this update of the classic fable, City Mouse and his cousin, Country Mouse, exchange visits; although they find many things to like in each other's homes, they quickly learn that each prefers his own.

Coombs, Rachel. *A Year in a Castle*. First Avenue, 2009. 24 p. (978-1580137966, pap.). See how people living in castles dealt with different seasons and events throughout a year's time.

*+De La Peña, Matt. *Last Stop on Market Street*. G.P. Putnam's Sons Books for Young Readers, 2015. 32 p. (978-0399257742). A young boy rides the bus across town with his grandmother and learns to appreciate the beauty in everyday things. BR021056 IN PROCESS

*Dillon, Patrick. *The Story of Buildings: From the Pyramids to the Sydney Opera House and Beyond*. Candlewick, 2014. 96 p. (978-0763669904). Examines how architecture has evolved over time by looking at buildings that typify each period, from the pyramids and the Parthenon to the Chrysler Building and the Sydney Opera House.

Dubuc, Marianne. *In Front of My House*. Kids Can, 2010. 120 p. (978-1554536412). A fantastical circular story, beginning and ending in a tidy front yard.

Dubuc, Marianne. *Mr. Postmouse's Rounds*. Kids Can, 2015. 24 p. (978-1771385725). Mr. Postmouse delivers letters and packages to the animals on his route.

Eastman, P.D. *The Best Nest*. Random House Books for Young Readers, 1968. 72 p. (978-0394800516). Mr. and Mrs. Bird search for a new nest and find their old one is best.

Eggers, Dave. *This Bridge Will Not Be Gray*. McSweeney's, 2015. 104 p. (978-1940450476). The Golden Gate Bridge is the most famous bridge in the world. It is also, not entirely coincidentally, the world's only bright-orange bridge. But it wasn't supposed to be that way. In this book, fellow bridge lovers Dave Eggers and Tucker Nichols tell the story of how it happened—how a bridge that some people wanted to be red and white, some people wanted to be yellow and black, and most people wanted simply to be gray, instead became one of the most memorable man-made objects ever created.

*+Ellis, Carson. *Home*. Candlewick, 2015. 40 p. (978-0763665296). A whimsical tribute to the myriad possibilities of home depicts homes in different real-world environments as well as fantastical settings. IN PROCESS

Finger, Brad. *13 Bridges Children Should Know*. Prestel, 2015. 48 p. (978-3791372402). Photographs, plans, drawings, and text introduce readers to 13 bridges located around the world.

*+Gerstein, Mordecai. *The Man Who Walked Between the Towers*. Roaring Brook, 2003. 44 p. (978-0761317913). A lyrical evocation of Philippe Petit's 1974 tightrope walk between the World Trade Center towers. BR015045

Gravett, Christopher. *Castle*. DK Children, 2008. 72 p. (978-0756637699). Part of the DK Eyewitness series, this book provides a glimpse into castles through color photographs and informative, engaging text.

*Hayden, Kate. *Amazing Buildings*. DK Children, 2003. 32 p. (978-0789492203, pap.). Showcases such unusual buildings as Stadium Australia, the Eiffel Tower, and the Roman Colosseum.

+Healy, Christopher. *The Hero's Guide to Storming the Castle*. Walden Pond, 2014. 512 p. (978-0062118462, pap.). Four princes wrongly named Prince Charming and rudely marginalized in their respective fairy tales have come to save the kingdom. BR020115, DB076796

Hurley, Michael. *The World's Most Amazing Bridges*. Raintree, 2011. 32 p. (978-1410942388, lib. bdg.). Readers will learn about 10 of the most significant bridges in the world through facts and photographs.

*Isadora, Rachel. *Rapunzel*. G.P. Putnam's Sons Books for Young Readers, 2008. 32 p. (978-0399247729). Recasts in an African setting the familiar fairy tale in which a beautiful girl with extraordinarily long hair is imprisoned in a lonely tower by a witch.

Johnson, Stephen T. *Alphabet City*. Puffin, 1999. 32 p. (978-0140559040, pap.). Photographs of objects in an urban setting present the letters of the alphabet.

Johnson, Stephen T. *Alphabet School*. Simon & Schuster, 2015. 32 p. (978-1416925217). Letters of the alphabet are formed by items commonly found in schools.

Johnson, Stephen T. *City by Numbers*. Puffin, 2003. 32 p. (978-0140566369, pap.). Paintings of various sites around New York City—from a shadow on a building to a wrought-iron gate to the Brooklyn Bridge—depict the numbers from 1 to 21.

+Jones, Charlotte. *Mistakes That Worked*. Delacorte Books for Young Readers, 1994. 96 p. (978-0385320436, pap.). Presents the stories behind 40 things that were invented or named by accident, including the Leaning Tower of Pisa, aspirin, X-rays, Frisbees, Silly Putty, and Velcro. BR012587

*Juster, Norton. *The Hello, Goodbye Window*. Hyperion, 2005. 32 p. (978-0786809141). A little, curly-haired girl enjoys spending time with her grandparents, Nanna and Poppy, and seeing the outside through their special kitchen window.

*Laroche, Giles. *If You Lived Here: Houses of the World*. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2011. 32 p. (978-0547238920). Readers encounter diverse homes from across the globe, including log cabins, houses on stilts, and cave dwellings, through illustrations and informative text.

Latham, Donna. *Bridges and Tunnels: Investigate Feats of Engineering*. Nomad, 2012. 128 p. (978-1936749522). Explores the innovation and physical science behind bridges and tunnels, featuring illustrated, step-by-step instructions for 25 projects designed to help students learn about the engineering process.

*Macaulay, David. *Built to Last*. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2010. 272 p. (978-0547342405). Reveals the “how” and “why” behind some of the most fascinating and enduring structures humankind has ever created.

Macaulay, David. *Castle*. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2013. 80 p. (978-0544102262). In this first-ever standalone full-color edition, *Castle* is lavishly reborn in digitally finished drawings rendered with felt-tip markers and colored pencils. Factual and artistic details shine in light of newly researched information, and the book is filled with characteristic zest and wit. Architecture enthusiasts of all ages will marvel at the staggering possibilities of human imagination and ingenuity.

*Manning, Maurie J. *Kitchen Dance*. Clarion, 2008. 32 p. (978-0618991105). Two sleepy children sneak out of their beds to watch as their parents, who love each other very much, break into a dance while washing the dishes.

Marsico, Katie. *Bridges*. Children's Press, 2016. 48 p. (978-0531224793, lib. bdg.). Learn all about some of the world's most incredible bridges, from how they are designed and built to how bridge technology has changed over time.

Munsch, Robert. *The Paper Bag Princess*. Annick, 1980. 32 p. (978-0920236161, pap.). Princess Elizabeth is set to marry Prince Ronald when a dragon attacks the castle and kidnaps Ronald. In resourceful fashion, Elizabeth finds the dragon, outsmarts him, and rescues Ronald—who is less than pleased by her un-princess-like appearance.

O'Connor, Jim. *What Were the Twin Towers?* Grosset & Dunlap, 2016. 112 p. (978-0448487854, pap.). Part of the “What Was ...?” series, this book explores the architecture and history of the World Trade Center.

*Paxmann, Christine. *From Mud Huts to Skyscrapers*. Prestel, 2012. 64 p. (978-3791371139). This large-format book features facts, details, and illustrations of architecture through time.

Pizzoli, Greg. *Tricky Vic: The Impossibly True Story of the Man Who Sold the Eiffel Tower*. Viking Books for Young Readers, 2015. 48 p. (978-0670016525). In the early 1900s, Robert Miller, a.k.a. “Count Victor Lustig,” moved to Paris hoping to be an artist—a con artist, that is. He used his ingenious scams on unsuspecting marks all over the world, from the Czech Republic, to Atlantic ocean liners, and across America. Tricky Vic pulled off his most daring con in 1925, when he managed to “sell” the Eiffel Tower to one of the city’s most successful scrap metal dealers.

Richards, Jon. *Buildings, Bridges and Tunnels: An Accidental History of Inventions*. Franklin Watts, 2016. 32 p. (978-1445150598). Intriguing facts and riveting background about some of the world’s most well-known bridges and tunnels.

Ritchie, Scot. *Look at That Building!* Kids Can, 2011. 32 p. (978-1554536962). An engaging introduction to buildings, with a deft mix of nonfiction and fiction elements.

*Rodriguez, Rachel. *Building on Nature*. Henry Holt, 2009. 32 p. (978-0805087451). Inspired by the natural beauty of his homeland of Catalonia, Antoni Gaudi became a celebrated and innovative architect through the unique structures he designed in Barcelona, having a significant impact on architecture as it was known until then.

*Roeder, Annette. *13 Buildings Children Should Know*. Prestel, 2009. 48 p. (978-3791341712). Through activities such as games, quizzes, drawings, and more, this book presents the history behind each of the buildings and presents fascinating facts about their design, historical use, and construction techniques.

*Sasek, Miroslav. *This Is Paris*. Universe, 2004. 64 p. (978-0789310637). A pictorial tour of the “city of light” presenting drawings of the people, historic monuments, and modern sights of Paris.

Stine, Megan. *Where Is the Brooklyn Bridge?* Grosset & Dunlap, 2016. 112 p. (978-0448484242, pap.). Part of the “Where Is ...?” series, this book explores the history and significance of the Brooklyn Bridge.

Taback, Simms. *This Is the House That Jack Built*. Puffin, 2004. 32 p. (978-0142402009, pap.). A cumulative and illustrated rhyme relating the chain of events that started when Jack built a house.

Movies/DVDs

Greno, Nathan, and Byron Howard, directors. *Tangled*. Walt Disney Pictures, 2011. 100 min. (PG)

Scholastic. *The Man Who Walked Between the Towers and More Inspiring Tales*. New Video Group, 2011. 58 min. (Not Rated)

Music/CD

Rogers, Roy. *Home on the Range*. Vanilla OMP, 2011 (B004JKMLDG). Includes the song "Home on the Range."

Web Resource

Jenga Rules. www.jenga.com/about.php. Rules for the game of Jenga.