

COLLABORATIVE SUMMER LITERARY PROGRAM

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EARLY READERS - FICTION

- *Agostini, Alliah L. and illustrated by Joelle Murray. *We Dig Fossils* (Step into Reading), 2025.
- *Beaty, Andrea and illustrated by David Roberts. *Sofia Valdez and the Vanishing Vote* (The Questioners #4), 2020 / *Sofía Valdez y el voto perdido* (Los preguntones #4), 2021.
- *Carmona, Hannah and illustrated by Andriana Predoi. *Fright at the Museum* (Maria and Mateo Go on Field Trips), 2024.
- *Curtis, Peter and Patty Michaels. *Dinosaur Friends!* (Dinosaur Roar! Ready to Read Level 1), 2025.
- Deen, Natasha and illustrated by Lays Bittencourt. *Jade's Pet Dinosaur* series, 2025.
- *Faruqi, Saadia. *Ali el Grande y el error sobre el dinosaurio* (Ali El Grande series), 2025 / *Ali the Great and the Dinosaur Mistake* (Ali the Great series), 2024.
- Joye, Melanie. *Let's Craft a Suncatcher*, 2024.
- Julve, Òscar. *Nico y los dinos: Mi primer cómic*, 2023.
- *Khiani, Darshana and illustrated by Laura Freeman. *I'm an American*, 2023.
- King, S.J. and illustrated by Esther Hernando. *Exploring Ancient Egypt* (The Timekeepers), 2024.
- *Laird, Jenny, Mary Pope Osborne, and illustrated by Kelly Matthews and Nichole Matthews. *Dinosaurs Before Dark* (Magic Tree House Graphic Novel #1), 2021.
- Lawson, Tracy and illustrated by Larissa Coriell. *The Liberty Belle Series*, 2023 - 2024.
- *Mora, Julissa. *Horneando con mi abuelita*, 2024 / *Baking with My Abuelita*, 2023.
- **Pizzoli, Greg. *The Bad Idea and Other Stories* (Earl and Worm #1), 2025.**
- Reid, C.L. and illustrated by Elena Aiello. *Pottery Project* (Emma Every Day), 2023.
- Reyna, Pablo C. *Pepe Saurio* series, 2022 - 2023.
- *Roselló, Jarod. *¡Soy un dinosaurio!* (Super Hugo), 2024 / *I Am a Dinosaur* (Super Magic Boy), 2023.
- **Windess, Kaz. *Worm and Caterpillar Are Friends* (Ready-to-Read Graphics Level 1!), 2023.**



EARLY READERS – NONFICTION

- Bailey, R.J. *¡Hola, América! Series / Hello, America! series*, 2016.
- *Chrisp, Peter. *Dinosaur Detectives* (DK Super Readers Level 4), 2023.
- *Dittmer, Lori. *Chichén Itzá*, 2024.
- *DK. *Cena para un dinosaurio* (Super Readers), 2025 / *Dinosaur Dinners* (Super Readers), 2023.
- *DK. *Conoce los dinosaurios / Meet the Dinosaurs*, 2023.
- DK. *Daring Dinosaur* (Super Readers Level 2), 2025.
- DK. *El día de un dinosaurio* (Super Readers) / *Dinosaur's Day* (Super Readers), 2023.
- Handford, Martin. *Where's Wally? Double Trouble at the Museum: The Ultimate Spot-the-Difference Book!* 2019.
- Hansen, Grace. *Hieroglyphics*, 2023.
- Hatfield, Ruth and illustrated by Sophia Watts. *Dig!: Uncover the Secrets of the Past with Archaeology*, 2025.
- Jovin, Michelle. *Días festivos nacionales*, 2019.
- Katz, Rachel C. and illustrated by Sophie Bass. *Rise Up!: Powerful Protests in American History*, 2025.
- Kuligowski, Stephanie. *Feliz Cuatro De Julio*, 2016.
- *Lilley, Matt. *La Gran Muralla China / The Great Wall of China*, 2024.
- *Lucas Donald, Rhonda and illustrated by Cathy Morrison. *Si una momia pudiera hablar / If a Mummy Could Talk*, 2019.
- Lundgren, Julie K. *Cambios increíbles en la Tierra / Incredible Changes on Earth*, 2023.

- Murray, Laura K. *Why Do We Need Soil? (Nature We Need)*, 2024.
- Nelson, Louise. *Terrors of the Triassic (That's Not a Dino!)*, 2023.
- *Newbauer, Heidi. *Las estatuas de la Isla de Pascua / Statues of Easter Island*, 2024.
- *Newbauer, Heidi. *Las Pirámides de Egipto / Egyptian Pyramids*, 2024.
- *Pallotta, Jerry and illustrated by Rob Bolster. *Ultimate Pterosaur Rumble (Who Would Win? series)*, 2025.
- Pettiford, Rebecca. *Materiales de la Tierra series / Earth Basics series*, 2023.
- Platt, Christine. *The Story of Biographies series*, 2021.
- Romero, Libby. *What is an Archaeologist (National Geographic Kids Readers, Level 3)*, 2019.
- *Sabelko, Rebecca. *Independence Day (Blastoff! Beginners: Happy holidays!)*, 2023.
- Saylor, Hannah. *Ancestry: The Mystery and the Majesty of Ancient Cave Art*, 2023.
- Schuh, Mari. *Independence Day (Holiday Wonders)*, 2024.
- *Siber, Kate. *50 Adventures in the 50 States*, 2024.
- *Stroud, Jacqueline L. and illustrated by Wenjia Tang. *Under Your Feet... Soil, Sand and Everything Underground*, 2020 / *Bajo Tus Pies : Suelo, Arena Y Todo Lo Que Hay Bajo Tierra*, 2021.
- *Thomson, Ruth. *Dinosaur's Day / El día de un dinosaurio*, 2023.
- *Walker, Cameron and illustrated by Chris Turnham. *National Monuments of the USA (Americana #4)*, 2023.
- *Weidner Zoehfeld, Kathleen. *Los Dinosaurios (National Geographic Kids Readers)*, 2015 / *Dinosaurs (National Geographic Kids Readers)*, 2016.
- Williams, Dinah. *The Awesome 50 States (A Curious Kid's Guide to...)*, 2021.
- *Wilson, Jon. *The American Flag (America's Sights and Symbols)*, 2024.
- Woelfle, Gretchen and illustrated by Rebecca Gibbon. *A Take-Charge Girl Blazes a Trail to Congress: The Story of Jeanette Rankin*, 2023.
- *Wyeth, Sharron Dennis and illustrated by Kim Holt. *Juneteenth: Our Day of Freedom (Step into Reading)*, 2022.



MIDDLE GRADE - FICTION

- *Ahn, Angela and illustrated by Julie Kwon. *Peter Lee's Notes from the Field*, 2021.
- Cervantes, J.C. *El hijo del trueno*, 2019 / *The Storm Runner*, 2018.
- *Cline-Ransome, Lesa. *One Big Open Sky*, 2024.
- Dahl, Michael and illustrated by Bradford Kendall. *Tesaurus Rex (La biblioteca maldita)*, 2023 / *Thesaurus Rex (Library of Doom)*, 2016.
- *Dairman, Tara. *The Girl from Earth's End*, 2023.
- *Durst, Sarah Beth. *Spy Ring*, 2024.
- *Eliopoulos, Nick and illustrated by Random House. *Minecraft Stonesword Saga*, 2021-2023.
- Feggo, Felipe Galindo and illustrated by Tait Howard. *Ellis Island: Immigration and the American Dream (History Comics)*, 2025.
- Felde, Kitty. *Bienvenida a Washington Fina Mendoza (Los Misterios de Fina Mendoza) / Welcome to Washington Fina Mendoza (Fina Mendoza Mysteries)*, 2023.
- *Greenwald, Lisa. *Fortune Tellers*, 2024.
- Group Ammonites. *Esqueletosaurio series*, 2024.
- Haley, Erin Moonyeen. *Miss Liberty*, 2025.
- *Heilig, Heidi. *Cincinnati Lee, Curse Breaker*, 2025.
- Lepp, Royden. *Jurassic Jeff: Space Invader (Jeff in the Jurassic #1)*, 2023.
- Melki-Wegner, Skye. *The Deadlands trilogy*, 2023-24.
- Mills, Claudia. *The Last Apple Tree*, 2024.
- Mukanik, Tas. *Lost Time*, 2023.
- Paleo, Doug and illustrated by Aaron Blecha. *Dinomighty! series*, 2020-2021.
- *Parker Rhodes, Jewel and illustrated by Olga Ivanov and Aleksey Ivanov. *Will's Race for Home*, 2025.
- Riazi, Karuna. *A Bit of Earth*, 2023.
- Simmons, Anthea. *Lightning Mary*, 2020.
- *Skinner, Nicola. *Bloom*, 2022.
- *Soontornvat, Christina. *The Last Mapmaker*, 2023.
- Sumner, Jamie. *The Summer of June*, 2023.

- *Tarshis, Lauren and illustrated by Dave Shepard. *I Survived the Destruction of Pompeii, AD 79* (I Survived Graphic Novel #10), 2024.
- Wallace, Jen and illustrated by Alan O'Rourke. *Dinosaur Pie* (Dinosaur Pie #1), 2025.
- *Williams Dockery, Patricia et al. Race to the Truth series, 2023-.



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- Aladjidi, Virginie and illustrated by Emmanuelle Tchoukriel. *Inventario ilustrado de dinosaurios / Illustrated Compendium of Dinosaurs*, 2019.
- Alexander, Heather and illustrated by Alan Berry Rhys. *Only in America: The Weird and Wonderful 50 States* (Americana #12), 2021.
- Barker, Chris. *Dinosaur Knowledge Genius: A Quiz Encyclopedia to Boost Your Brain*, 2024.
- *Barker, Chris and Darren Naish. *Atlas de dinosaurios y otras criaturas prehistóricas*, 2024 / *Dinosaurs and Other Prehistoric Creatures Atlas*, 2021.
- Batty, Tim. *Tiny Dinosaurs* (Dinosaur Discovery), 2022.
- *Blackford, Cheryl. *Fossil Hunter: How Mary Anning Changed the Science of Prehistoric Life*, 2023.
- *Bright, Michael and illustrated by Jonathan Emmerson. *Above, Below and Long Ago: Animals, Plants and Fossils in Hidden Places*, 2025.
- Buckley Jr., James. *A Kids' Guide to the National Baseball Hall of Fame: The Greatest Players from Hank Aaron to Derek Jeter to Cy Young*, 2024.
- Burns, Kyle and illustrated by Eric Smith. *Coding With Dinosaurs: Adventures in Unplugged Coding*, 2023.
- Captivating History. *Historia de Estados Unidos Para Niños*, 2024 / *American History for Kids: A Captivating Guide to Major Events in US History*, 2024.
- Clarkson, Giselle. *The Observologist: A Handbook for Mounting Very Small Scientific Expeditions*, 2024.
- Clausen-Grace, Nicki. *Brachiosaurus* (Dinosaur Discovery) / *El braquiosaurio* (Descubrimiento de dinosaurios), 2024.
- *Crow-Miller, Britt and illustrated by Bruno Valasse. *World of Rot: Learn All About the Wiggly, Slimy, Super-Cool Decomposers We Couldn't Live Without*, 2024.
- Dave, Raksha and illustrated by Kimberlie Clinthorne-Wong. *Lessons From Our Ancestors*, 2024.
- Davies, Karen Louise and Alice Hendy. *Let's Make Art: 12 Craft Projects for Children*, 2022.
- Dixon, Dougal and illustrated by Patrick Corrigan. *How Big? Dinosaurs: Amazing Life-Sized Dinosaurs and Other Creatures from Prehistory*, 2024.
- DK. *Extraordinary Dinosaurs and Other Prehistoric Life Visual Encyclopedia* (DK Children's Visual Encyclopedias), 2022.
- DK. *Our World in Pictures: The Dinosaur Book*, 2023.
- *Domesek, Erica. *P.S.- We Made This: Super Fun Crafts That Grow Smarter + Happier Kids!* 2022.
- Eason, Sarah. *Sedimentary Rocks: Hit the Road and Discover a World That Rocks!* (The Rock Cycle Road Trip), 2024.
- Gregory, Josh. *Potter* (21st Century Skills: Makers and Artisans), 2021.
- Hall, Ashley and illustrated by Claire Elfatrick. *La vida secreta de los dinosaurios y el mundo prehistórico*, 2024 / *Prehistoric Worlds*, 2024.
- Hugo, Simon Hugo, Tori Kosara, Julia March, and Catherine Saunders. *The LEGO Ideas Book: You Can Build Anything! New Edition*, 2022.
- *Jenson-Elliott, Cindy and illustrated by Theo Nicole Lorenz. *The Doodomday Detectives: How Water and Luis Alvarez Solved the Mystery of Dinosaur Extinction*, 2025.
- Johnson, Kirk and illustrated by Ray Troll. *Alaska Dinosaurs, Mammoths, and More*, 2025.
- Kurkov, Lisa. *US Landmarks, Monuments, and Symbols*, 2022.
- Lamm, Ellen-Thérèse and illustrated by Daniel Long. *Dinosaurs: 400 Words for Budding Paleontologists*, 2022.
- *Laroche, Giles. *Ciudades perdidas*, 2021 / *Lost Cities*, 2020.
- *Lewis, Aura and illustrated by Evan Sargent. *We The People: The United States Constitution Explored and Explained*, 2020.
- Lomax, Dean R. and illustrated by Jean Claude, Kaja Kajfez, Marc Pattenden, and Sara Ugolotti. *Mi primer libro de dinosaurios y otras criaturas prehistóricas*, 2024.
- Martin, Claudia and illustrated by Annie Wilkinson. *Fun Science Experiments with Plants*, 2024.
- Martín, Claudia and illustrated by Marc Pattenden. *Enciclopedia ilustrada de los dinosaurios: un recorrido visual por el mundo prehistórico*, 2024.
- *McBrien, Thomas. *The Minecraft Ideas Book: Create the Real World in Minecraft with 70+ Awesome Builds*, 2023.
- Milosavljevich, Stefan and illustrated by Sam Caldwell. *Tales of the Ancient Worlds: Adventures in Archaeology*, 2022.
- Mojang AB. *Minecraft: Mega Bite-Size Builds*, 2024.

- National Geographic. *National Geographic Kids Dinosaur Atlas*, 2022.
- Nelson, Thomas and illustrated by Julius Csotonyi. *Kid Paleontologist: Explore the Remarkable Dinosaurs, Fossils Finds, and Discoveries of the Prehistoric Era*, 2023.
- O'Brien, Cynthia. *Find a Dinosaur? (Where in the World Can I...)*, 2023.
- *Olson, Elise. *Paleontology Lab: Explore Prehistoric Life with Art and Activities* (Steam Lab series), 2023.
- Ralphs, Matt and illustrated by Gordy Wright. *Secrets of the Dead: Mummies and Other Human Remains from Around the World*, 2025.
- **Randall, David K. *The Monster's Bones: The Discovery of T. Rex and How It Shook Our World* (Young Readers edition), 2023.**
- *Ricci, Sabrina and Garret Kruger. *I Know Dino!: Amazing Breakthroughs, Mega Mistakes, and Unsolved Mysteries in Dinosaur Science*, 2025.
- Rodríguez Cerro, Miguel Alfonso. *El magnífico libro de los dinosaurios*, 2022.
- *Sanchez, Anita and illustrated by Gilbert Ford. *Rotten!: Vultures, Beetles, Slime, and Nature's Other Decomposers*, 2019.
- *SaSuWeh Jones, Dan. *Stealing Little Moon: The Legacy of the American Indian Boarding Schools* (Scholastic Focus), 2024.
- Slepian, Curtis. *Excavación de dinosaurios* (Smithsonian), 2022 / *Digging up Dinosaurs* (Smithsonian), 2019.
- *Smith, Nicole F. *Dig Deep: Connecting Archaeology, Oceans and Us*, 2023.
- Sockin, Caitlin, Benjamin S. Arbuckle, and Hérica Valladares. *Dig It!: Archaeology for Kids*, 2023.
- *Ward, Alexa and illustrated by Mike Lowery. *America's National Parks*, second edition (Lonely Planet Kids), 2024.
- Warren Drimmer, Stephanie and Jen Agresta. *Jurassic Smarts: A Jam-Packed Fact Book for Dinosaur Superfans!* 2023.
- *Wilshaw, Rob and illustrated by Sophie Williams. *Stones and Bones: Fossils and the Stories They Tell*, 2024.