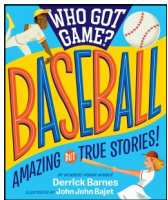
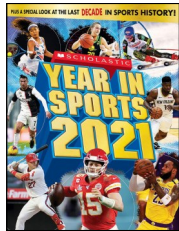


Dewey by the numbers

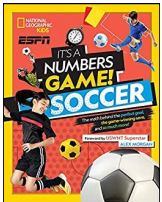
The Dewey Decimal System is a way to keep items in order by subject. It helps you find what you are looking for! In this system, books are numbered, from 000 to 999, and every topic has a number. The more specific the topic, the more specific the number. For example, you can find nonfiction books about sports in the 796s.



Who Got Game? Baseball
By Derrick Barnes
J 796.357 B26W



Year in Sports 2021
By James Buckley
J 796.021 B92S



It's A Numbers Game! Soccer
By James Buckley
J 796.334 B92I

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000-099	general stuff (computers, UFOs, world records, journalism, libraries, things like Bigfoot)	
100-199	philosophy & psychology (feelings, self-help, dreams, spooky stuff)	
200-299	religion & mythology	
300-399	social sciences (family, money, government, voting, holidays, transportation, folk & fairy tales)	
400-499	languages (dictionaries, grammar)	
500-599	natural sciences (math, plants, weather, dinos, bugs, animals)	
600-699	ways to use science (technology, health, cooking, pets, building)	
700-799	art & recreation (crafts, fashion, dancing, music, games, sports)	
800-899	literature (poetry, plays, jokes)	
900-999	geography & history (pirates, flags, presidents, biographies, states, countries, family trees)	

Storytimes: Storytime is online this month at 7 p.m. Tuesday and 9 a.m. Thursday, Saturday & Sunday at facebook.com/kclibrarycentralkids. There are bilingual storytimes every second Saturday of the month at 9 a.m. The video stays live for 7 days.

You can listen to Dial-A-Story anytime at 816-701-3456 or www.kclibrary.org/kids/dial-story.

Friday Family Fun Night, hosted by Plaza Library staff at 6:30 p.m. Fridays, is also on Facebook @kclibrary.



Learn something Fun! The **Make, Do, Tell, Program** live streams at 1 p.m. Wednesdays at youtube.com/kclibraryyouth.

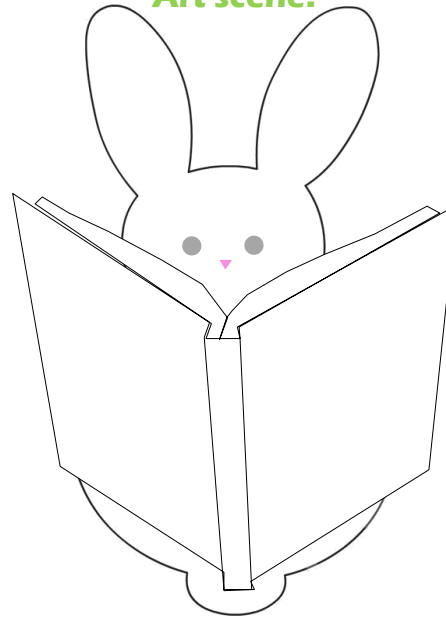
Healthy choices

Dare to go tech-free!
"It's more important than ever to take short breaks from screens. Dare to go tech-free for a whole day and see how you feel. Go completely offline. Turn off your phone and don't check it until the next morning. It's okay to let your friends know—maybe they can join you in unplugging."



The Book of Dares
By Ted Bunch
J 170.8341 B94B
or J ebook

What book is your bunny reading?
Draw the cover!



Art scene!

Can you find these words from The Tale of Peter Rabbit by Beatrix Potter?

lipkit
bunnies
Flopsy
story
garden
jacket
Peter
buttons
Mopsy
rabbit
shoes



R D K Y N J E S F D
T A A R G A R D E N
B G B G Z C M L B F
Q E G B B K O B U B
P S A S I E P F N U
E H I T X T S L N T
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E E O R X I J P E O
R S O Y Q B X S S N
B L I P P I T Y O S



The Tale of Peter Rabbit
By Beatrix Potter
J EASY POTTER
From:

CYS zine
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I SPY everybunny reading! Hooray!

This month is ...

- April is National Poetry Month!
- April 1: April Fools Day has been canceled again this year. LOL, kidding!
- April 2: National Peanut Butter & Jelly Day. The average American eats 1,500 PB&J sandwiches before they graduate high school. How many have you eaten?
- April 4: Easter
- April 4-10: National Library Week
- April 9: National Unicorn Day



April 13: National Scrabble Day. Scrabble creator Alfred Mosher Butts was born on April 13, 1899. Let's play!

April 22: Earth Day

April 30: Arbor Day

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MAKE. DO. TELL.
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Get a free craft kit when you visit your KC Public Library location during April.



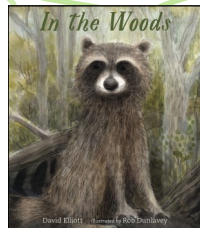
Also: Are you 11 or older? You can sign up to get a box of cool books here: kclibrary.org/readoutsidethebox.

You get 2 or 3 books plus a surprise, in a box, for pickup at the Bluford, Central or Plaza libraries.

Wee poem

The Skunk by David Elliot

Give the skunk
a lot of room,
Unless you care
For strong perfume.



From:
In the Woods
By David Elliott
J 811.54 E46I

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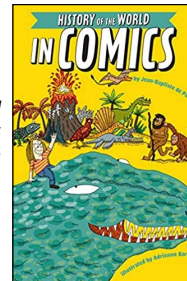
Nonfiction notebook

**April showers bring ...
May millipedes?**

In the Carboniferous Age,
(359 to 299 million years ago),
there were huge forests but no
flowers on Earth! But there were
cockroaches. And giant millipedes.



From:
*History of the World
in Comics*
By Jean-Baptiste
de Panafieu
J GRAPHIC 576.83
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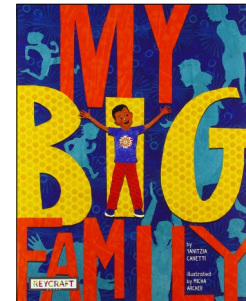
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What's new?



We Found a Monster
By Kirk Scroggs
J GRAPHIC FICTION
SCROGGS

Sixth-grader
Casey has his
hands full with
so many needy
monsters!



My Big Family
By Yanitzia Canetti
J EASY CANETTI

A little family
visit can go a
long way!

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Full STEAM ahead

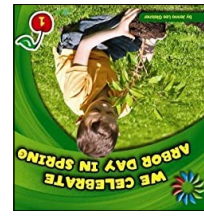


We need trees!

"Trees give us
shade. They also
give off oxygen.
We need this to
breathe. Animals
need trees, too.
Birds and other animals live in them."

Note: National Arbor Day on April 30
is a day to celebrate trees. You can
plant a tree on Arbor Day or learn
how to take care of trees! The library
has lots of books about trees. Or
learn more at arborday.org.

From:
*We Celebrate Arbor
Day in Spring*
By Jenna Lee Gleisner
J 634.9 G55W 2014



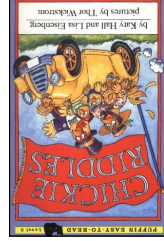
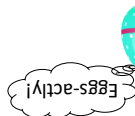
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Funny side up

Q: What kind of
weather do chickens
like best?
A: Fowl weather!

Q: What kind
of jokes do
chickens like best?
A: Corny ones!

Q: Why shouldn't you
tell an egg a joke?
A: It might crack up!



From:
Chickie Riddles
By Katy Hall
J READER 818 HALL

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Editor's page

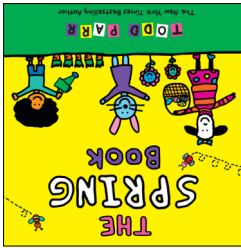
Dear Readers,
Happy Spring!
Since April is National Poetry Month,
here is a poem for you. It's a haiku,
one of the easiest poems to write!
(5 syllables + 7 syllables + 5 syllables)

Grass is getting green
I have put my coat away
But not my book bag

What is your spring haiku?
Write one! You can count the
syllables. You can read it out loud.
You can even sing it! Yay Spring!

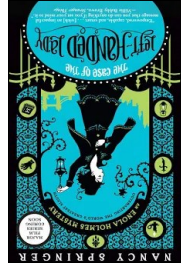
Love, the Editor

The Spring Book
By Todd Parr
J EASY PARR
or J ebook
Happy
Spring!



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*The Case of the
Left-Handed Lady*
By Nancy Springer
J FICTION SPRINGER
or J ebook
Can Enola
Holmes outwit
her brother
Sherlock? It's
a mystery!



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*Awesome Asian
Americans*
By Phil Amara
J 920.0092 A48ZA
or J ebook
Let's
celebrate
Asian
Americans!

