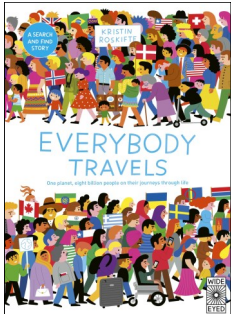


How Dewey find the books?

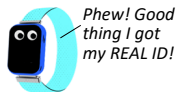
The Dewey Decimal System is a way to keep items in order by subject. It helps you find what you are looking for! In this system, books are numbered, from 000 to 999, and every topic has a number. The more specific the topic, the more specific the number. For example, you can find books about **traveling** in the **910s**.



**Are We There Yet?
How Humans Find
Their Way**
By Maria Birmingham
J 910.9 BIRMINGHAM

Everybody Travels
By Kristin Roskifte
J 910 ROSKIFTE

What happens when
you wear a watch on
a plane? Time flies!



910

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)

Color Our World! Use any colors you like!



CYS zine

For kids! Vol. 7, Issue 4 June 2025



I SPY a colorful season
of Summer Reading!

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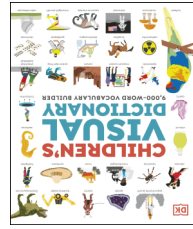
What did the lemon say
"to get through the crowd?"
"EX-SQUEEZE ME!"

Summer Reading Programs:
Mondays: Drawing Club 1-2 p.m.
Wildcard Wednesdays:
6/4 Zoomobile 1:30-2:30 p.m.
6/11 Rock Painting 1-2 p.m.
6/18 Watercolors 1-2 p.m.
6/25 Shadobox Collage 1-2 p.m.
Fridays: Tabletop Games 1-2 p.m.

Storytimes:
Tuesdays: 9:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
Family Storytime
Thursdays: 9:30 a.m. Baby Storytime
10:30 a.m. Toddlers
KCLibrary.org/kids

Storytime, you're my main squeeze!

Healthy choices
Go apple-solutely wild with fruit!
How many uncommon ones have you tried?

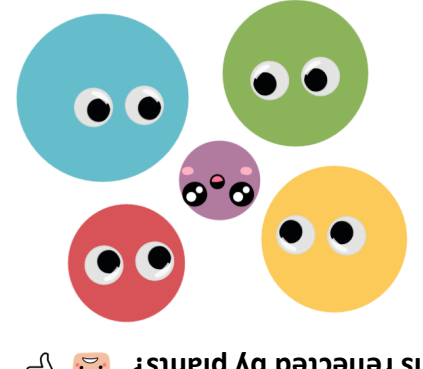


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*Children's Visual
Dictionary*
Editor: Neha Samuel
J 423.17 BOOTH

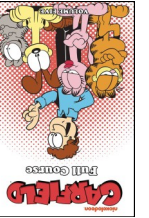
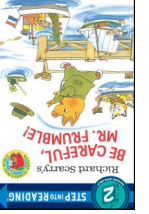


From:
*100 Things to
Know About
Saving the Planet*
By Rose Hall
J 363.7 HALL

Puzzler
What color of light
is reflected by plants?



This month is ...
June is:
Pride Month!
National Safety Month!
Family Month!
Adopt a Cat Month!
birthday (1919-94)
June 5: Richard Scarry's
June 6: D-Day
(J 940.5421)
June 6/7: Eid al-Adha
(J 297)
June 7: Chocolate
Ice Cream Day
June 14: Flag Day
June 15: Father's Day
June 19: Juneteenth
(J 394.263) The Library will
be closed.
June 19: Garfield the
Cat's Day (it's his birthday!)
June 20: Summer Solstice
(longest day of the year &
first day of summer)
June 27: National
sunglasses day!

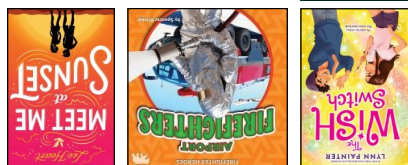




PS: You can sign up in person or online: kclibrary.org/SummerReading at the library Love, the Editor

World, so maybe you'd like to pick out a book in your favorite color!

you get a prize! Yay! The theme this year is **Color Our** between May 30-Aug. 15, if you read ANY five books Summer Reading! And then, book just for signing up for Guess what? You get a free Dear Readers,



Editor's page

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Free films at the Central Library in June! Free parking, too!

There is a free movie every day at 2 p.m. in the Vault Theater (unless there is a special event). To find out what movie is playing, please call the Vault at (816) 701-3455 or check online at kclibrary.org/calendar.
*Note: On Saturdays, the Vault Theater is exclusively reserved for kids, teens & families.

Upcoming Family-Friendly Cinema @ 2 p.m. in the Central Library Film Vault:
6/1 Willy Wonka & Chocolate Factory (1971, G)
6/7 Hairspray (2007, PG)*
6/14 The Mitchells Vs. The Machines (2021, PG)*
6/17 Ruby Bridges (1998, PG)
6/21 The Little Mermaid (1989, G)*
6/25 The Wizard of Oz (1939, G)
6/26 The Pink Panther (2006, PG)
6/28 Speed Racer (2008, PG)*

Programs at the KC Public Library are appropriate for all ages unless otherwise indicated.

What kind of dog does Willy Wonka have? A chocolate lab!



Woo-hoo!

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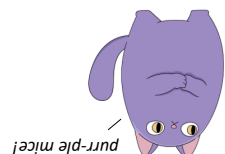
Summer Reading: "This project is supported by the Institute of Museum and Library Services under the provisions of the Library Services and Technology Act as administered by the Missouri State Library, a division of the Office of the Secretary of State."



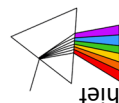
For more jokes: Laugh-Out-Loud Dad Jokes By Rob Elliott eBook



Answer from Page 13: Plants reflect yellow AND green light! They love blue light (helps them to make chlorophyll). Red light speeds their plant growth, and violet light helps plants make protective antioxidants.



What's a cat's favorite color? Purr-ple!



Did you hear about the thief who stole a rainbow? He ended up in prism!

Funny side up

Wee poem

Some Will Say

By Matthew Burgess

Some will say the sky is blue but that is only partly true.

If you take a peek above the clouds are dusty as a dove,

and last night when I stepped out back the dome was silver-dotted black,

then daylight was eventually made with pastel streaks of marmalade.

I've seen a storm so deeply green it cast the clearest emerald sheen.

I've seen a sunset bloom a rose to kiss my sister on the nose.

So those who say the sky is blue may need to think the matter through.

But this is not the way we think— Look up! Right now! It's purplish pink!



From: Words With Wings and Magic Things By Matthew Burgess J 811.6 BURGESS



From: Why? Weather J 551.6 WHYWEATHER By Steve Setford



Why did that tree explode?

Full STEAM ahead

"When lightning strikes a tree, the massive amount of heat turns the tree's watery liquid (called sap) into a gas. This gas expands and splits the tree from inside. Usually, only the bark is affected and the tree survives. But sometimes, the tree gets blown apart!"

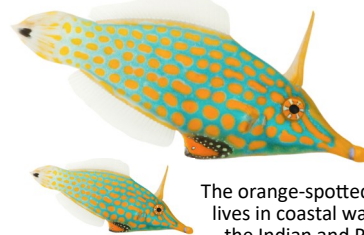


What kind of story do giant sequoias like? Tall tales!

Nonfiction notebook

"I'm besotted* With the spotted."

*That means I LOVE them!



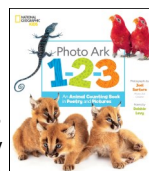
The orange-spotted filefish lives in coastal waters in the Indian and Pacific Oceans.

So don't go looking for me in the Missouri River, LOL!



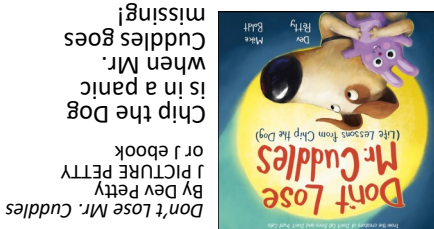
I don't have spots, but whatever! At least I live in the Missouri River!

From: Photo Ark 1-2-3 By Joel Sartore & Debbie Levy J 513.211



Meanwhile, here's a blue catfish.

What kind of dog likes taking a bath every day? A shampoo-die!



What's new?

Encyclopedia Brown! If you like to figure out tricky puzzles, you might like Encyclopedia Brown! CHAPTER SOBOL BY ERIC SOBOL



Campground Kids: Rocky Mountain Challenge By C.R. Fulton J CHAPTER FULTON

The Campground Kids are back, and this time the camp pranks start going way too far!



What did the graham crackers say to the chocolate bars? We need s'more marshmallows!



Dino Poet By Tom Angleberger J GRAPHIC DINOPOET & J eBook

Hmmm ... What rhymes with CHOMP? ... or FROG SANDWICH?