

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

The 10 boldest explorers [8 books]

36852 KT

IJ 48 pce 2007 Scholastic

Stephanie Kim Gibson-Hardie

Ten Series - For thousands of years, adventurous people have been setting out on amazing journeys of discovery and exploration. These journeys challenged the explorers' physical limits and tested their courage and determination. Some journeys even changed the course of history!

Explorers; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Exploration

The 10 coolest Canadian works of art [8 books]

37308 KT

I 48 pce 2012 Scholastic

Heather Miller ; Series Editor: Jeffrey D. Wilhelm

Ten. Discovery series - Art can challenge us and make us think about important ideas and messages. Some artists push the boundaries of style and convention. Check out these unique Canadian pieces and as you do, explore what kind of art you like. Inquiry Question: What makes a piece of art cool to me?

Canada in art; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Canadian art; First Nations art

The 10 coolest castles [8 books]

38941 KT

I 48 pce 2012 Rubicon Publishing Inc., Scholastic

Jennifer Morgan ; Series Editor: Jeffrey D. Wilhelm

Ten. Discovery series - Presents the top ten coolest castles using criteria such as purpose, construction, importance and more to rank them.

Castles; Inquiry-based learning; Medieval civilization; Middle Ages; Social Studies

The 10 greatest breakthroughs in space exploration [8 books]

36850 KT

IJ 48 pce 2007 Scholastic

Julie Clark

Ten Series - Human space flights, giant satellites, planetary space probes—scientists will stop at nothing to explore the universe! Travel to outer space and back again to discover the greatest breakthroughs in space exploration.

Inquiry-based learning; Science; Space exploration; Space stations; Space probes; Astronautics; Space shuttles

The 10 greatest Canadian female trailblazers [8 books]

37839 KT

IJ 48 pce 2007 Rubicon Publishing

Rose Fine-Meyer

Ten Series - Profiles 10 Canadian female innovators and visionaries. All 10 women have encountered personal sacrifice and display determination and dedication in their lives.

Inquiry-based learning; Women—Canada—Biography; Women astronauts—Biography; Inuit artists; Women athletes

The 10 greatest early civilizations [8 books]

37278 KT

IJ 48 pce 2012 Scholastic

Glen Downey ; Nigel Samuel ; Series Editor: Jeffrey D. Wilhelm

Ten. Discovery series - Early civilizations grew up all over the world and many had a lasting impact on culture and life today. Power, land, inventions, art, architecture, government, philosophy, and food are just some of the things that early civilizations contributed to life today.

Ancient civilization; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Ancient history

The 10 mightiest rivers [8 books]

36854 KT

IJ 48 pce 2007 Scholastic

Myra Junyk

Ten Series - Rivers - without them, we just wouldn't be able to survive. They're like the superheroes of the natural world! Take a trip with us and discover amazing waterways that have helped sustain human life for centuries. Which is the mightiest river in the world?

Geography; Inquiry-based learning; Rivers; Science

The 10 most amazing lost cities [8 books]

37281 KT

IJ 48 pce 2012 Scholastic

Gwen McCutcheon ; Series Editor: Jeffrey D. Wilhelm

Ten. Discovery series - Imagine a great city where people live, work, and play. Now, imagine that city simply vanishing into thin air. How can entire city disappear? Believe it or not, it has happened! Discover how—and why.

Ancient civilization; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Extinct cities

The 10 most amazing places in Canada [8 books]

37307 KT

I 48 pce 2012 Scholastic

George Homatidis ; Series Editor: Jeffrey D. Wilhelm

Ten. Discovery series - From coast to coast, Canada boasts many amazing natural sites and cool buildings. Included in this book are: Toronto waterfront, Alberta Badlands, Hotel de Glace, Green Gables, Butchart Gardens, Whistler, Bay of Fundy, Nahanni National Park Reserve, Niagara Falls, and Banff National Park.

Canada—Geography; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Provincial parks and reserves; National parks and reserves—Canada

The 10 most awesome ecosystems [8 books]

37311 KT

I 48 pce 2012 Scholastic

Sunniva Buskermolen ; Series Editor: Jeffrey D. Wilhelm

Ten. Discovery series - This book used the following criteria for ecosystems: the ecosystem's living and non-living parts interact in interesting ways; the ecosystem provides habitats for many different plants and animals ; to survive in these ecosystems, plant and animal species have adapted in different ways over time.

Ecosystems; Inquiry-based learning; Life science; Science; Biodiversity

The 10 most bizarre space experiments [8 books]

37282 KT

I 48 pce 2012 Scholastic

Lisa Cheung ; Series Editor: Jeffrey D. Wilhelm

Ten. Discovery series - Scientists who research space are always asking themselves questions about what is possible in zero gravity. Then, they design experiments to help answer these questions. The experiments are always scientific, but they can also be strange and bizarre. Read this top 10 list to see just how odd space experiments can be!

Inquiry-based learning; Science; Space exploration; Space sciences

The 10 Most Challenging World War Experiences [8 books]

38881 KT

IJ 48 pce 2008 Rubicon Publishing Inc., Scholastic

Karen Dick

Ten Series - "Whether sailing across the frigid waters of the Atlantic for months on end, choking during a poison gas attack, or nearly drowning in trenches full of mud, Canadian soldiers experienced it all during the two World Wars"—Back cover.

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Soldiers–Canada; World War–1939-1945–Canada; World War, 1914-1918–Canada

The 10 most decisive battles [8 books]

36856 KT
IJ 48 pce 2007 Scholastic
Glen Downey

Ten Series - History, as they say, is written by victors. When the future of a nation and even the fate of the world can be decided on the battlefield, it's no wonder armies will do anything to come out on top. How did these decisive battles change history?

History; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Military history; Battles

The 10 most extreme animal habitats [8 books]

37310 KT
I 48 pce 2012 Scholastic
Jack Booth ; Series Editor: Jeffrey D. Wilhelm

Ten. Discovery series - Includes habitats of animals that have developed interesting adaptations, may have difficulty finding food, water, shelter or space, or that face extreme danger and threats to their survival.

Animals; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Habitat (Ecology); Animals–Habitations

*The 10 most futuristic cities [8 Books]

41988 KT
IJ 48 pce 2012 Scholastic
written by Sean Donaghey.

Ten. Discovery series - Presents the top ten most futuristic cities using criteria such as use of technology, design, transportation and more to rank them.

Wilhelm, Jeffrey D.,–1959—series editor; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Cities and towns; English/Language Arts

*The 10 most groundbreaking journeys [8 Books]

41987 KT
IJ 48 pce 2012 Rubicon Publishing
written by Claire Kelly.

Ten. Discovery series - Photographs and text describe the author's top ten choices for history's most amazing journeys, using the criteria: broke geographical, physical, and cultural boundaries; tested what people thought were possible; led to amazing discoveries; involved very brave people; and changed the course of history.

Wilhelm, Jeffrey D.,–1959—series editor; Inquiry-based learning; Voyages and travels; Social Studies; English/Language Arts

The 10 most important decisions in Canadian history [8 books]

38878 KT
I 48 pce 2012 Rubicon Publishing
Inc., Scholastic
Glen Downey

Ten. Discovery series - Photographs and text describe the author's top ten choices for the most important decision made in Canadian history, using the criteria: was the decision controversial?; did it unite the country?; did it change the future of all Canadians?; did it change how Canadians and the world thought about Canada. Do YOU agree? What important decisions in Canadian history would YOU choose?

Canada–History; Canada–Politics and government; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies

The 10 most incredible landforms [8 books]

36853 KT
IJ 48 pce 2007 Scholastic
Mark John Lambert

Ten Series - Open your atlas as we explore planet Earth. From mountains that touch the clouds to the deepest parts of the sea, the world is full of weird and wonderful landforms. What is the world's most incredible landform?

Geography; Inquiry-based learning; Landforms; Science; Geology

The 10 most outstanding Canadian entrepreneurs [8 books]

38880 KT
IJ 48 pce 2008 Rubicon Publishing
Inc., Scholastic
Dave Suchanek

Ten Series - "From the man who turned Tim Hortons into a cultural icon to the founder of Cirque du Soleil, these entrepreneurs used smarts, passion, and hard work to build business empires!"–Back cover.

Entrepreneurship–Canada; Entrepreneurs–Canada–Biography; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies

The 10 most outstanding Canadian symbols [8 books]

38882 KT
IJ 48 pce 2007 Rubicon Publishing
Inc., Scholastic
Karen Dick ; Robert Cutting

Ten Series - "From the Mountie to the beaver to the great game of hockey, certain things just scream, "I am Canadian!" Join us as we travel across the provinces and territories to discover the nation's most important and enduring symbols."–from back cover.

Canada; Canadian national characteristics; Inquiry-based learning; National emblems–Canada; Signs and symbols–Canada; Social Studies

The 10 most outstanding young Canadians [8 books]

37685 KT
I 48 pce 2012 Scholastic
Anne Burke

Ten. Discovery series - This book presents the author's list of 10 of the most outstanding young Canadians who have risen to the top in a variety of fields. They are amazing in different ways, but they all share determination and passion, which are key to their success.

Canadians–Biography; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Youth–Canada–Biography

The 10 most powerful forces of nature [8 books]

37306 KT
I 48 pce 2012 Scholastic
Karen Uhler ; Series Editor: Jeffrey D. Wilhelm

Ten. Discovery series - The earth is affected by many different forces of nature, including: blizzards, wildfires, floods, droughts, avalanches, tsunamis, tornadoes, hurricanes, volcanoes, and earthquakes.

Inquiry-based learning; Science; Natural disasters; Storms; Nature

The 10 most remarkable rocks and minerals [8 books]

37309 KT
I 48 pce 2012 Scholastic
Lisa Cheung ; Nigel Samuel ; Series Editor: Jeffrey D. Wilhelm

Ten. Discovery series - Includes chapters on agate, marble, obsidian, granite, quartz, gypsum, salt, gold, diamond and pumice.

Inquiry-based learning; Rocks; Science; Minerals

The 10 most significant conflicts on Canadian soil [8 books]

36849 KT
IJ 48 pce 2007 Scholastic
Karen Dick

Ten Series - When major conflicts come to a head, even a normally peaceful country can turn into a fierce battleground! From the early colonial days to the early 20th century, discover the hostilities and rifts that boiled over on Canadian soil. How did these significant conflicts shape our nation?

Canada; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Battles–Canada; Fur trade; First Nations–First contact with Europeans

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

The 10 most significant crossroads in Aboriginal history [8 books]

36855 KT
IJ 48 pce 2007 Scholastic
Jan Beaver

Ten Series - From first contact with Europeans to the Northwest Rebellion and the creation of Nunavut, this book ranks the most significant events in the history of Aboriginal peoples of Canada. What is the most historic crossroad in Aboriginal history?

Aboriginal; First Nations; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; First Nations—History

The 10 most significant documents in history [8 books]

38942 KT
IJ 48 pce 2008 Rubicon Publishing Inc., Scholastic
Glen Downey

Ten Series - Profiles ten documents of significance from throughout history, including the Code of Hammurabi, the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, and the Magna Carta.

Civilization—History—Sources; Inquiry-based learning; Magna carta; Social Studies; World history

The 10 most wondrous ancient sites [8 books]

36857 KT
IJ 48 pce 2007 Scholastic
Carol Drake

Ten Series - Ancient doesn't have to mean musty or boring. The sites on this list are exciting enough to attract lots of tourists, both young and old. Some of these sites are remote but it's an adventure just to get there. Others sit right in the middle of modern cities, where eager tourists have to fight traffic and crowds of people. Whatever it takes, it's all worth it. Visiting these destinations helps us to understand ancient civilizations and cultures.

Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Social Studies—Ancient civilizations; Ancient history

The 10 worst natural disasters [8 books]

36848 KT
IJ 48 pce 2007 Scholastic
Karen Uhler

Ten Series - "When a natural disaster strikes, there's no knowing how much damage there will be. Lives lost, homes destroyed, towns completely wiped out - this book presents some of the worst natural disasters that have taken place."

Earthquakes; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Volcanoes; Natural disasters; Landslides; Floods; Tsunamis

All about Anne [8 books]

38696 KT
IJS 40 pce 2018 Second Story Press

Menno Metselaar and Piet van Ledden ; with answers to frequently asked questions and beautiful drawings by Huck Scarry ; translation: NLtranslations.com.

"Anne Frank's life story is told by answering the most frequently asked questions posed by children and young people visiting the Anne Frank House museum in Amsterdam. Text, detailed photographs and beautiful illustrations combine to give the fullest picture of Anne's life, her diary, and the Secret Annex. Full of information about Anne's life, World War II, and the Holocaust, the book provides both an overview of the history as well as intimate insights into the life of the young Anne Frank"—Provided by publisher.

Frank, Anne.—1929-1945; Hidden children (Holocaust); Holocaust, 1939-1945; Inquiry-based learning; Jewish children in the Holocaust—Amsterdam (Netherlands)—Biograp; Jews—Persecutions—Amsterdam (Netherlands); Jews—Persecutions—Biography; Netherlands—History—1940-1945, German occupation; Social Studies

Amazing animals

Bats [8 books]

38326 KT
PI 24 pce 2012 Creative Paperbacks
By Kate Riggs

"A basic exploration of the appearance, behavior, and habitat of bats. Earth's only flying mammals. Also included is a story from folklore explaining how bats helped shape the earth.—Provided by publisher.

Bats; Bats—Pictorial works; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Animal behavior; Animals; Bats—Behavior

Brown bears [8 books]

38327 KT
PI 24 pce 2015 Creative Education, Creative Paperb
By Kate Riggs

A basic exploration of the appearance, behavior, and habitat of brown bears – mammals identified by their shoulder humps. Also includes a retelling of the Greek myth about Ursa Major and Minor.

Bears; Brown bears; Brown bears—Pictorial works; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Animal behavior; Animals; Bears—behavior

Falcons [8 books]

38321 KT
PI 24 pce 2017 Creative Education, Creative Paperb
By Kate Riggs

"A basic exploration of the appearance, behavior, and habitat of falcons, Earth's fast-flying birds of prey. Also included is a story from

folklore explaining why peregrine falcons are such good fliers"—Provided by publisher.

Birds of prey; Falcons; Falcons—Pictorial works; Inquiry-based learning; Science

Foxes [8 books]

38323 KT
PI 24 pce 2018 Creative Education, Creative Paperb
By Kate Riggs

A basic exploration of the appearance, behavior, and habitat of foxes, the widespread members of the dog family. Also included is a story from folklore explaining how foxes can outsmart other animals.

Foxes; Foxes—Pictorial works; Inquiry-based learning; Science

Killer whales [8 books]

38322 KT
PI 24 pce 2012 Creative Education, Creative Paperb
By Kate Riggs

A basic exploration of the appearance, behavior, and habitat of killer whales, Earth's deadliest dolphins. Also included is a story from folklore explaining the killer whale's creation.

Inquiry-based learning; Killer whales; Killer whales—Pictorial works; Killer whales—Habitations; Killer whales—Behavior; Science

Moose [8 books]

38329 KT
PI 24 pce 2012 Creative Education, Creative Paperb
By Kate Riggs

"A basic exploration of the appearance, behavior, and habitat of moose, Earth's largest deer. Also included is a story from folklore explaining how moose interact with other animals"—Provided by publisher.

Inquiry-based learning; Moose; Moose—Behavior; Moose—Habitations; Science

Raccoons [8 books]

38325 KT
PI 24 pce 2017 Creative Education, Creative Paperb
By Kate Riggs

"A basic exploration of the appearance, behavior, and habitat of raccoons, the ring-tailed North American mammals. Also included is a story from folklore explaining why raccoons have masked faces"—Provided by publisher.

Inquiry-based learning; Raccoons; Raccoons—Pictorial works; Science; Animal behavior; Animals; Raccoons—Behavior

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

Swans [8 books]

38706 KT

PI 24 pce 2009 Creative Education
By Valerie Bodden

Provides a description of swans, explains where and how they live, what they eat, and how they give birth. Includes a swan story.

Animals; Birds; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Swans

Woodpeckers [8 books]

38328 KT

PI 24 pce 2014 Creative Education,
Creative Paperb
By Kate Riggs

A basic exploration of the appearance, behavior, and habitat of woodpeckers, nature's drummers. Also included is a story from folklore explaining how woodpeckers take good care of their young.

Birds; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Woodpeckers; Woodpeckers–Habitations; Woodpeckers–Behavior

* Animal minds : what are they thinking? [8 books]

42151 KT

IJ 89 pce 2024 Orca Book Publishers

written by Dana L. Church
Orca wild Series - This nonfiction book for middle-grade readers examines how animals think and the ways scientists study their cognitive abilities. Illustrated with photographs throughout.

Inquiry-based learning; Animal intelligence; Animal behavior; Thought and thinking; Biology

Animals illustrated

Arctic wolf [8 books]

38632 KT

PI 21 pce 2018 Inhabit Media
William Flaherty

Presents a study of arctic wolves, where they live, what they eat, and how they survive on the tundra.

Animals; First Nations; Inquiry-based learning; Wolves; Aboriginal; Arctic regions

Bowhead whale [8 books]

38635 KT

PI 21 pce 2017 Inhabit Media
Joanasie Karpik

"In this book, kids will learn how bowhead whales raise their babies, where they live, what they eat, and other interesting information, like how they can eat when they don't have any teeth!"—Back cover.

Animals; First Nations; Inquiry-based learning; Whales; Arctic regions

Caribou

40293 KT

PI 21 pce 2019 Inhabit Media
by Dorothy and David Aglukark ;
illustrated by Amanda Sandland.

"In this book, kids will learn how caribou raise their babies, where they live, what they eat, and other interesting information, like how big caribou herds can be -up to several hundred thousand caribou!"—Back cover.

Inquiry-based learning; Caribou–Behavior; Animals; Caribou; Aboriginal; First Nations

Muskox [8 books]

38634 KT

PI 21 pce 2016 Inhabit Media
Allen Niptanatiak

"In this book, kids will learn how muskoxen raise their babies, what they eat, how they protect themselves from predators, and other interesting information, like the many fascinating adaptations they exhibit that allow them to live in colder habitats than most other animals!"—Provided by publisher.

Animals; First Nations; Inquiry-based learning; Muskox; Arctic regions

Narwhal

40292 KT

PI 21 pce 2016 Inhabit Media
Written by Solomon Awa

Colorful illustrations introduce narwhals, discussing where they live, what they eat, and how they raise their young.

Inquiry-based learning; Narwhals; Animals; First Nations; Whales; Aboriginal; Arctic regions

Polar bear [8 books]

38633 KT

PI 21 pce 2016 Inhabit Media
William Flaherty

Presents a study of polar bears, where they live, what they eat, and how they survive on the tundra.

Animals; First Nations; Inquiry-based learning; Polar bears

Walrus [8 books]

38631 KT

PI 21 pce 2017 Inhabit Media
Herve Paniaq

"In this book, kids will learn how walrus raise their babies, where they live, what they eat, and other interesting information, like how they use their tusks to break holes in the ice so that they can breathe!"—Back cover.

Animals; First Nations; Inquiry-based learning; Walrus

Wolverine

40294 KT

PI 23 pce 2021 Inhabit Media
Written by Allen Niptanatiak

In this book, kids will learn how wolverines raise their babies, where they live, what they eat, and other interesting information like how they use their distinctive scent and how they have adapted to become excellent scavengers!

Inquiry-based learning; Animals; First Nations; Wolverines; Aboriginal

Bat citizens : defending the ninjas of the night [8 books]

38772 KT

PIJ 48 pce 2018 Pajama Press
Rob Laidlaw

"Young people around the world are helping to defend one of planet Earth's misunderstood creatures. Join award-winning author and animal activist Rob Laidlaw as he introduces both bats and the young "Bat Citizens" who are working to protect them. Filled with fun facts, color photographs, and a center-gatefold bat illustration, "Bat Citizens" will inspire readers of all ages to love and defend their nocturnal neighbors!"—Back cover.

Bats; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Wildlife conservation

Be a document detective

Be a diary detective [8 books]

38625 KT

PI 24 pce 2017 Crabtree Pub
Kylie Burns

"Readers take on the role of historical detectives as they examine letters and diaries as primary sources and discover how they can be used to study the past."—Provided by publisher.

Diaries; English language arts; Historiography; History–Sources; History–Research; Inquiry-based learning; Library skills; Social Studies

Be a photograph detective [8 books]

38624 KT

PI 24 pce 2017 Crabtree Pub
Linda Barghoorn

"Readers take on the role of historical detectives as they examine photographs as primary sources and discover how they can be used to study the past."—Publisher.

Art education; Historiography; History–Sources; History–Research; Inquiry-based learning; Library skills; Photography; Social Studies

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

Be a speech detective [8 books]

38626 KT

PI 24 pce 2017 Crabtree Pub
Linda Barghoorn

"Readers take on the role of historical detectives as they examine speeches as primary sources and discover how they can be used to study the past"—Provided by publisher.

English language arts;
Historiography; History—Sources;
History—Research; Inquiry-based
learning; Interviews; Library skills;
Oral history; Social Studies

Be an artifact detective [8 books]

38623 KT

PI 24 pce 2017 Crabtree Pub
Kylie Burns

"Readers take on the role of historical detectives as they learn about artifacts as primary sources and discover how they can be used to study the past"—Provided by publisher.

Antiquities; Archaeology;
Historiography; History—Sources;
History—Research; Inquiry-based
learning; Library skills; Social
Studies

Be an Active Citizen at Your School [8 Books]

40866 KT

PIJ 24 pce 2017 Crabtree Pub
Written by Helen Mason

"Young readers discover ways to practice democratic principles in their schools and classrooms... examples demonstrate key skills and practices including active listening, consensus-building, and voting procedures. Readers will also learn ways to clearly communicate their own points of view while showing respect for others' perspectives."—Publisher.

Inquiry-based learning; Social
Studies; Citizenship; Students;
Schools

Be an Active Citizen in Your Community [8 Books]

40865 KT

PI 24 pce 2017 Crabtree Pub
Written by Helen Mason

"Provides several practical examples of ways young readers can demonstrate that they care about their communities. From helping to care for community gardens to participating in community clean-up events, readers will learn the value of becoming active citizens in their communities."—Publisher.

Inquiry-based learning; Social
Studies; Community life;
Citizenship; Communities—Study
and teaching.; Social change

A bear's life [8 books]

38423 KT

PI 2017 Orca Book Publishers
Ian McAllister

Black bears, grizzly bears and spirit bears all make their home in the Great Bear Rainforest. A Bear's Life uses Ian McAllister's stunning photographs to follow these beautiful animals through a year in the British Columbia wilderness—catching fish, eating berries, climbing trees and taking long naps.

Bears; Bears—Great Bear
Rainforest (B.C.); Great Bear
Rainforest (B.C.); Inquiry-based
learning; Rain forest ecology; Rain
forests; Science

Biodiversity in crisis [16 books]

37271 KT

IJ 40 pce 2014 Scholastic Canada
Sandy Szeto. Series editor, Jeffrey
David Wilhelm ; Environment
consultant, Alex T. Bielak.

Issues 21 Series - "The goal of the Issues 21 series is to create critically aware and actively engaged citizens by encouraging inquiries into global issues with personal and local connections. The series promotes strategies for deeper reading, motivates students to think deeply, and provides opportunities to increase student engagement, voice, and success within the classroom. Lesson plans in the teacher's guide include the following key concepts: inquiry question, enduring understandings, personal reflection question, questions to consider, optimal questions, assessment, and interdisciplinary connections."—Overview guide. What is biodiversity? Why does biodiversity matter to us? Aren't changes to biodiversity a natural process? Can't we stop the changes in biodiversity? These questions and more are introduced in this kit.

Biodiversity; Conservation; Earth
science; Inquiry-based learning;
Language arts; Science; Wilhelm,
Jeffrey D.,—1959-; Conservation of
natural resources

* Biodiversity in the Local Environment [16 Books]

42049 KT

P 31 pce 2020 Scholastic Canada
written by Shelley Hegedus

Let's do science, British Columbia Series - Let's Do Science British Columbia supports Grade 3 B.C. Science curriculum and fosters students' curiosity about science concepts, builds skills and core competencies. This accessible magazine-style student text (16 books included) and teacher's guide from Scholastic Education will help develop students understanding about biodiversity - why is it important and what can you do to help.

Science K-7; Inquiry-based
learning; Biodiversity; Science

Body Image [8 Books]

40373 KT

IJ 32 pce 2021 James Lorimer &
Company Ltd.

Written by Tierra Hohn

Deal with it (Toronto, Ont.) Series - Discusses how to beware of stereotypical notions of body image; answers questions adolescents have about body image.

Self-esteem—Study and teaching;
Self-perception; Body image;
Inquiry-based learning; Science—
Study and teaching—Texts; Healthy
relationships; Physical education;
Science—inquiry

Boldprint anthology

Women of courage [6 books]

37838 KT

IJS 48 pce 2006 Rubicon Publishing
Joan Green ; Kathleen Gould Lundy

Within these pages you will find fantastic females who have shown the world true bravery. These amazing Women of Courage have conquered treacherous mountains, broken down barriers, beaten deadly diseases, and flown in space! The poems, essays, stories, and scripts in this book will introduce you to a woman who survived a 351-mile death march, a woman who helped hundreds of slaves gain freedom, and one woman who saved her family from the deadly jaws of a cougar. These stories of real-life heroines will amaze and inspire you.

Black history; Civil rights; Inquiry-
based learning; Social Studies;
Women—Biography;
Women—History; Women's rights

* Canada [8 Books]

41238 KT

P 24 pce 2022 Crabtree Publishing
Company

written by Tracy Vonder Brink

What country has winter sports, polar bears, and one of the tallest buildings in the world? CANADA!

Inquiry-based learning; Geography;
Social Studies; Canada

* Canada : All Around the World [8 Books]

41320 KT

P 24 pce 2019 Jump
written by Jessica Dean.

Explores the country of Canada, including the culture, geography, and more.

Inquiry-based learning; Canada;
Social Studies; Easy reading
materials; Language arts (Primary)

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

*-Canada : Countries We Come From [8 Books]

41261 KT

P 32 pce 2017 Bearport Publishing
written by Adam Markovics.

Introduces readers to the land, cities, history, and food of Canada.

Inquiry-based learning; Canada;
Social Studies; Language arts
(Primary)

*-Canada: Exploring World Cultures [8 Books]

41298 KT

PI 32 pce 2023 Cavendish
Written by Sloane Gould and Sharon
Gordon.

Embark on a journey to the Great White North! This book transports readers to Canada through visually engaging photographs and fun facts. Readers will learn about the geography of Canada, from its many lakes to the icy tundra. The history and government of Canada are explained in accessible ways that will keep readers interested. Readers can explore the traditions, festivals, foods, and fun found in Canada through exciting text, as well as additional sidebars and fact boxes. This book is a celebration of Canada's special land and cultures.

Inquiry-based learning; Canada;
Social Studies; Culture–Canada;
Canada–Geography; Language arts
(Primary)

Canada through time

Canada today [8 books]

36909 KT

PI 32 pce 2016 Capstone Press
Kathleen Corrigan

What are the two national sports of Canada? Look inside this book to find out! Canada Today gets readers to look at the diversity of people, cities and landscapes in the country. We also look at where people work, go to school and what they do for fun! Books in the Canadian Timelines series teach readers the basics of Canadian history and culture, from how First Nations people arrived to immigration since the 1970s.

Canada; Inquiry-based learning;
Social Studies

First Nations and early explorers [8 books]

36913 KT

PI 32 pce 2016 Capstone Press
Kathleen Corrigan

What is the difference between First Nations and Aboriginal people? Look inside this book to find out! First Nations and Early Explorers introduces different groups of Canadian Aboriginal people from First Nations to the Métis. Then meet pre-confederation explorers from France and England, and even the Vikings! Books in the Canadian Timelines series teach readers the basics of Canadian history and culture, from

how First Nations people arrived to immigration since the 1970s.

Canada; First Nations; Inquiry-based learning; Métis; Social Studies; Canada–History–0-1763 (New France); Explorers–Canada; First Nations–First contact with Europeans

Immigration and new communities [8 books]

36911 KT

PI 32 pce 2016 Capstone Press
Kathleen Corrigan

What is a homesteader and why did they want to move to the prairies? Look inside this book to find out! Immigration and the Founding of New Communities looks at what happened after the 1867 Canadian Confederation agreement. From the gold rush, to the building of the railways, we look at how Canada attracted and employed new immigrants. Books in the Canadian Timelines series teach readers the basics of Canadian history and culture, from how First Nations people arrived to immigration since the 1970s.

Canada; Communities–Canada;
Immigration; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies

Pioneer life [8 books]

36912 KT

PI 32 pce 2016 Capstone Press
Kathleen Corrigan

Who or what are the 'three sisters'? Look inside this book to find out! Pioneer Life looks at how early European settlers found food and shelter in Canada, and created schools, places of work and towns. We also look at how they reacted to meeting First Nations people. Books in the Canadian Timelines series teach readers the basics of Canadian history and culture, from how First Nations people arrived to immigration since the 1970s.

Canada; Inquiry-based learning;
Pioneers; Social Studies

Canada's Political Parties [8 Books]

40799 KT

IJ 32 pce 2020 Beech Street Books
Written by Simon Rose.

"Describes the structure of Canadian political parties, their history, their beliefs, how they campaign during an election, how elections are run, and how to become involved in politics."—OCLC.

Political parties–Canada; Elections–Canada; Canada–Politics and government; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies

Canadian Symbols

Canadian coins [5 books]

36831 KT

P 24 pce 2015 Pebble Plus
Sabrina Crewe

This book takes a simple look at Canadian coins, examining the symbols used on each denomination, as well as their nicknames, history, and significance as symbols of Canada.

Culture–Canada; Inquiry-based learning; Math; Mathematics;
Money; Numeracy; Social Studies

Canadian Mounties [5 books]

36827 KT

P 24 pce 2015 Pebble Plus
Sabrina Crewe

This book takes a simple look at Canadian mounties - the Royal Canadian Mounted Police - examining their duties, uniform, and on-going significance as a symbol of Canada

Culture–Canada; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies

Totem poles

36828 KT

P 24 pce 2015 Pebble Plus
Sabrina Crewe

This book takes a simple look at totem poles, examining what they are, their meaning and their on-going significance to different aboriginal peoples in Canada.

First Nations–Culture; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies;
Totem poles; Totem poles–Canada

Canoe Kids

For descriptions see individual titles:

The Yavapai...people of the sun :

Volume 4 [8 Books] [40598]

The Haida of Haida Gwaii : Volume 2 [40205]

The Mi'kmaq of Ktaqamkuk Canoe Kids: Volume 3 [40206]

The Ojibwe of Great Spirit Island: Volume 1 [40204]

Careers: the graphic guide to finding the perfect job for you [8 books]

38105 KT

JS 320 pce 2015 DK Publishing, Inc
consultant and principal author, Sarah
Pawlewski

Explores career options in several fields, including the arts, science and research, marketing, information technology and more, discussing what is needed to achieve these careers.

Career and Personal Planning;
Inquiry-based learning;
Occupations; Professions;
Vocational guidance

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

The Cedar Club forest detectives [8 books]

39157 KT

PI 46 pce 2018 Pacific Edge

Written by Diane Swanson

Nature detectives - the living world science series - "The Cedar Club forest detectives introduces readers to nature's fabulous forests. It shows how plants and animals interact and adapt to the forest. It also teaches how living things depend on non-living things, such as water, light and soil. The book also presents examples of forest fossils, Indigenous peoples' uses of forest plants and animals, and the ways people harm—and help—the forests. By the end of the book, Andrew, Karen and Nick want to help care for the forest. They find a way." From back cover.

First Nations; Forest animals; Forest ecology; Forest plants; Forests and forestry; Inquiry-based learning; Science

The Central School seashore detectives [8 books]

39133 KT

PI 46 pce 2018 Pacific Edge

Written by Diane Swanson

Nature detectives - the living world science series - This book introduces students to nature's coastal seashores. Shows how plants and animals interact and adapt to the seashore. Also teaches how living things depend on non-living things, such as water, light and soil. Presents examples of seashore fossils, Indigenous peoples' uses of seashores and the ways people harm-and help-seashores.

Coastal ecology; First Nations; Inquiry-based learning; Marine biology; Science; Seashore; Seashore ecology

Children's rights [16 books]

36824 KT

IJ 40 pce 2014 Scholastic Canada

Robyn Michaud-Turgeon ; Michael F. Stewart ; Series Editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm ; Social Justice Consultant: Stephen Lewis.

Issues 21 Series - Why are children still being exploited in the 21st Century? All over the world child labour, child soldiers, and child abuse are all still happening. Why does this exploitation continue and what can we do to finally put an end to it? These questions and more are introduced in this kit. "The goal of the Issues 21 series is to create critically aware and actively engaged citizens by encouraging inquiries into global issues with personal and local connections. The series promotes strategies for deeper reading, motivates students to think deeply, and provides opportunities to increase student engagement, voice, and success within the classroom. Lesson plans in the teacher's guide include the following key concepts: inquiry

question, enduring understandings, personal reflection question, questions to consider, optimal questions, assessment, and interdisciplinary connections."—Overview guide.

Children—Civil rights—Study and teaching; Human rights—Study and teaching; Inquiry-based learning; Language arts; Science; Social Studies; Wilhelm, Jeffrey D.,—1959-; Child labor

Climate change [16 books]

36802 KT

IJ 40 pce 2014 Scholastic Canada

Douglas Fraser ; Series Editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm ; Environment Consultant: Alex T. Bielak.

Issues 21 Series - Explores the pros and cons of different sources of energy and how the energy choices you make affect the environment. Discusses what we can do to reduce the amount of energy we use. Features thought-provoking text and visuals for examining these issues from different perspectives. "The goal of the Issues 21 series is to create critically aware and actively engaged citizens by encouraging inquiries into global issues with personal and local connections. The series promotes strategies for deeper reading, motivates students to think deeply, and provides opportunities to increase student engagement, voice, and success within the classroom. Lesson plans in the teacher's guide include the following key concepts: inquiry question, enduring understandings, personal reflection question, questions to consider, optimal questions, assessment, and interdisciplinary connections."—Overview guide.

Climate change—Study and teaching; Earth science; Global warming—Study and teaching; Inquiry-based learning; Language arts; Science; Wilhelm, Jeffrey D.,—1959-

Coast Salish, coastal rainforests and cougars [8 books]

38068 KT

IJS 32 pce 2017 Strong Nations

Publishing Inc
Celestine Aleck, Brenda Boreham and Terri Mack

We are all connected Series - One book in a series that explores how we all live together in a shared balance upon Mother Earth. Features interviews with Indigenous people, responding to questions as to how their community interacts with the land of their traditional territory. Ideal for use in inquiry-based learning. Also examines the coastal rainforest ecosystem – with a focus on the cougar and its adaptations for survival.

Coast Salish (First Nations people); Coast Salish (First Nations people)—Interviews; Cougars; First Nations; Inquiry-based learning; Rain forest ecology—Pacific Northwest; Science; Social Studies

Consumer culture [16 books]

37268 KT

IJ 40 pce 2014 Scholastic Canada

student magazine authors: Craig Harding, Glyn Hughes ; series editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm ; Culture and Media Consultant: Barry Wellman. *Issues 21 Series* - "The goal of the Issues 21 series is to create critically aware and actively engaged citizens by encouraging inquiries into global issues with personal and local connections. The series promotes strategies for deeper reading, motivates students to think deeply, and provides opportunities to increase student engagement, voice, and success within the classroom. Lesson plans in the teacher's guide include the following key concepts: inquiry question, enduring understandings, personal reflection question, questions to consider, optimal questions, assessment, and interdisciplinary connections."—Overview guide. What are we buying, and why do we think we need it? What is your role in a consumer society? What pushes you to be part of a consumer society? What challenges and opportunities can consumerism create for society? These questions and more are introduced in this kit.

Applied design, skills and technologies; Consumers; Consumption (Economics); Inquiry-based learning; Language arts; Social Studies; Wilhelm, Jeffrey D.,—1959-; Materialism—Study and teaching

Corruption [16 books]

38677 KT

IJS 40 pce 2015 Rubicon Publishing

Inc., Scholastic
Michael F. Stewart

Issues 21 Series - "The goal of the Issues 21 series is to create critically aware and actively engaged citizens by encouraging inquiries into global issues with person and local connections. The series promotes strategies for deeper reading, motivates students to think deeply, and provides opportunities to increase student engagement, voice, and success within the classroom. Lesson plans in the teacher's guide include the following key concepts: inquiry question, enduring understandings, personal reflection question, questions to consider, optimal questions, assessment, and interdisciplinary connections."—Overview guide. What experiences or knowledge do you have about corruption? What characteristics do you associate with corrupt people? What are the causes of corruption ...at an individual level? ...at national and international levels? Is corruption ever justified? These questions and more are introduced in this kit.

Inquiry-based learning; Language arts; Police corruption; Political corruption; Social Studies; Sports—Corrupt practices

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

Daily life in ancient civilizations

Daily life in ancient Egypt [8 books]

36840 KT
IJ 48 pce 2015 Heinemann
Don Nardo

This book explores what life was really like for everyday people in Ancient Egypt. Using primary sources and information from archeological discoveries, it uncovers some fascinating insights and explodes some myths. Supported by timelines, maps and references to important events and people, children will really feel they are on a time-travelling journey when reading this book.

Ancient civilization; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Egypt–Social life and customs; Egypt–Civilization

Daily life in the Islamic golden age [8 books]

36843 KT
IJ 48 pce 2015 Heinemann
Don Nardo

This book explores what life was really like for everyday people in the Islamic Golden Age, including Baghdad around AD900. Using primary sources and information from archeological discoveries, it uncovers some fascinating insights and explodes some myths. Supported by timelines, maps and references to important events and people, children will really feel they are on a time-travelling journey when reading this book.

Ancient civilization; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Islam–History; Islamic–Empire

Deal with it (Toronto, Ont.)

For descriptions see individual titles:
Body Image [8 Books] [40373]

Design thinking for a better world

Designing green communities [8 books]

38726 KT
IJ 48 pce 2018 Crabtree Pub
Janice Dyer

"Introducing the design thinking process as a vehicle for change, this timely title motivates readers to create environmentally sustainable practices and make them easily accessible in their communities. Beginning with a detailed look at the steps involved in design thinking, readers are guided through the process so they can design their own solutions to big issues—from minimizing pollution to limiting usage of non-renewable energy"—Provided by publisher.

Community development—Environmental aspects; Community life—Environmental aspects; Environmental protection—Citizen participation; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Social policy—Citizen participation

Designing healthy communities [8 books]

38728 KT
IJ 48 pce 2018 Crabtree Pub
Doyle, Sheri

"Inspires readers to become change-makers for healthy living and eating by using design-thinking principles to tackle local and global issues. Beginning with a detailed look at the steps involved in design thinking, readers are guided through the process so they can design their own solutions to big issues – from the need for healthy food options in schools, to the lack of clean drinking water in impoverished communities"—Provided by publisher .

Community development—Health aspects; Community life—Health aspects; Inquiry-based learning; Public health—Citizen participation; Social Studies; Social policy—Citizen participation

Designing inclusive communities [8 books]

38727 KT
IJ 48 pce 2018 Crabtree Pub
Rachel Stuckey

"Explains how design thinking principles can help create communities that give all its members a place and a voice by planning in an inclusive and collaborative way. Beginning with a detailed look at the steps involved in design thinking, readers are guided through the process so they can design their own solutions to the barriers that prevent participation in order to create a truly connected community"—Provided by publisher.

Community development—Citizen participation; Community life—Citizen participation; Equality; Inquiry-based learning; People with disabilities—Services for.; Social Studies; Social policy—Citizen participation

Designing positive school communities [8 books]

38729 KT
IJ 48 pce 2018 Crabtree Pub
Janice Dyer

"Teaches readers how to use design thinking principles to become positive change-makers in their school communities. Beginning with a detailed look at the steps involved in design thinking, readers are guided through the process so they can design their own solutions to big issues – from inclusivity to bullying to learning needs"—Provided by publisher.

Community and school; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Social policy—Citizen participation; Students

* Dig deep [8 books]

41479 KT
IJS 47 pce 2023 Orca Book
Publishers

written by Nicole F. Smith
Orca footprints Series - From harvesting herring eggs to hunting humpback whales, humans have had a relationship with the world's oceans for more than 100,000 years. In Dig Deep: Connecting Archaeology, Oceans and Us, young readers unearth what our ancestors left behind at archaeological sites around the world and examine how tools, campsites, fishing technologies and even garbage can show us how our ancestors lived and how they used the ocean. These discoveries can unearth clues to help keep our oceans healthier today and in the future.

Inquiry-based learning; Archaeology; Ocean; Exploration; Science; Underwater exploration

Digital world [16 books]

38435 KT
IJS 40 pce 2014 Scholastic Canada
Glen Downey ; Series editor, Jeffrey
David Wilhelm ; Culture and Media
consultant, Barry Wellman

Issues 21 Series - "In recent years, technology has impacted every aspect of our lives from the way we work to how we socialize to how we consume media. How has digital technology helped and hurt society? Each book in ISSUES 21 is built upon an inquiry framework with three main components: an essential question; a sequence of instruction that provides modeling, mentoring, and monitoring; and a culminating writing activity. Students are introduced to the topic via an open-ended inquiry question. The necessary material that presents students with a starting reference point is then front-loaded before they are challenged to investigate, analyze, and demonstrate knowledge of the underlying concepts of real world issues through research assignments, persuasive essays, argumentative writing, and debates. Specifically, through guided questioning, each ISSUES 21 book helps students: Connect ideas within a selection, Connect personal experience with the selection, Connect ideas from one unit to another, Connect ideas from the text to the world at large" From publisher's website.

Digital media; Information society; Inquiry-based learning; Internet—Social aspects; Mass media; Social networking

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

Discrimination [16 magazines]

36812 KT

IJ 18 pce 2014 Scholastic Canada student magazine author: Tom Henderson ; series editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm ; Social Justice Consultant: Stephen Lewis.

Issues 21 Series - "The goal of the Issues 21 series is to create critically aware and actively engaged citizens by encouraging inquiries into global issues with personal and local connections. The series promotes strategies for deeper reading, motivates students to think deeply, and provides opportunities to increase student engagement, voice, and success within the classroom. Lesson plans in the teacher's guide include the following key concepts: inquiry question, enduring understandings, personal reflection question, questions to consider, optimal questions, assessment, and interdisciplinary connections."—Overview guide.

Discrimination; Inquiry-based learning; Language arts; Social Studies; Stereotype; Wilhelm, Jeffrey D.,—1959-; Race discrimination—Prevention

Dive in! : exploring our connection with the ocean [8 books]

38420 KT

IJS 48 pce 2018 Orca Book Publishers
Ann Eriksson

Orca footprints Series - We're all connected to the ocean, and the ocean to us. The ocean provides half the oxygen we breathe; it feeds us, creates our weather and provides us with water. But we haven't been as kind to the ocean in return. The problems are many: pollution, overfishing, rising seas and acid waters. What can be done? Don't despair; take action. Dive In! explores our intimate connection with the ocean and provides every reader with an achievable set of actions that can help improve ocean health for our sake and the sake of the millions of marine plants and animals that share the planet with us. Filled with colorful photos and positive stories, Dive In! is as informative as it is inspirational.

Environmental degradation; Inquiry-based learning; Marine ecology; Marine pollution; Nature conservation; Ocean; Science; Environmental sciences; Oceanography

The earth, our home [8 books]

38074 KT

IJS 32 pce 2017 Strong Nations Publishing Inc
Brenda Boreham

We are all connected Series - One of the two foundational books in a series that explores how we all live together in a shared balance upon Mother Earth. Ideal for use in inquiry-based learning. Examines biomes,

ecosystems, and biodiversity. Explains vocabulary using easy-to-understand terminology and colorful photographs.

Biodiversity; Biodiversity conservation.; Earth; Ecology; Environment; Environmental protection; First Nations; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Social Studies

The earth, we share [8 books]

38073 KT

IJS 32 pce 2017 Strong Nations Publishing Inc
Brenda Boreham

We are all connected Series - One of the two foundational books in a series that explores how we all live together in a shared balance upon Mother Earth. Ideal for use in inquiry-based learning. Examines the inter-connectedness between living and non-living things. Explains vocabulary using easy-to-understand terminology and colorful photographs.

Earth; Ecology; Environment; Environmental protection; First Nations; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Social Studies

Eco facts

Biodiversity eco facts [8 books]

38676 KT

IJ 32 pce 2019 Crabtree Pub
Izzi Howell

"The huge variety of plants and animals that live on Earth is called biodiversity. As ecosystems are destroyed by climate change and human activity, plants and animals are becoming endangered and even extinct. Find out how the loss of biodiversity affects food chains and natural habitats, why it is important to humans, and how its loss threatens the health of all living things on the planet."— from publisher's website.

Biodiversity; Earth science; Ecology; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Climate change

Climate change eco facts [8 books]

38673 KT

IJ 32 pce 2019 Crabtree Pub
Izzi Howell

"Climate change is reshaping the planet before our eyes. From melting ice caps and rising sea levels to drought and destructive hurricanes, no corner of Earth is protected from the effects of global warming. Discover the facts about what climate change is doing—and will continue to do—to our planet, and how we might reduce its impact."— from publisher's website.

Climate change; Climate change—Environmental aspects; Global warming; Human influence on nature; Inquiry-based learning; Science

Energy eco facts [8 books]

38674 KT

IJ 32 pce 2019 Crabtree Pub
Izzi Howell

"Our modern world runs on energy to power our homes and industries. We all know the problems with burning fossil fuels to create energy— it pollutes the planet and we are running out of these resources. Discover the facts about renewable and non-renewable energy resources, how our energy use contributes to global warming, and what the future of energy looks like."— from publisher's website.

Earth science; Energy resources; Fossil fuels; Inquiry-based learning; Natural resources; Nuclear energy; Renewable energy resources; Science; Solar energy; Wind power; Energy conservation

Natural resources eco facts [8 books]

38675 KT

IJ 32 pce 2019 Crabtree Pub
Izzi Howell

"Natural resources on Earth are at risk of running out. Using too many natural resources, such as water, trees, and fossil fuels, is putting pressure on our supplies and damaging the environment. Discover the facts about how resources are used around the world, which resources are renewable and non-renewable, and what the future of natural resource management looks like."— from publisher's website.

Earth science; Energy resources; Fossil fuels; Inquiry-based learning; Natural resources; Science; Conservation of natural resources

Edge books

Secrets of Machu Picchu: Lost city of the Incas [8 books]

36839 KT

IJ 32 pce 2015 Capstone Press
Suzanne Garbe

Soar into the mountains of Peru to discover the archeological wonder of the abandoned city of Machu Picchu. Why did the Incas leave the site? And what was it used for? Travel along with scientists to find out how their discoveries shed light on the mysteries surrounding the Lost City of the Incas. Unlocking the secrets of the past is just an artifact away!

Ancient civilization; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Inca architecture; Peru—Antiquities; Inca civilization

Secrets of Mesa Verde: cliff dwellings of the Pueblo [8 book]

36844 KT

IJ 32 pce 2015 Capstone Press
Gail Fay

Climb the arid slopes of Colorado to discover the cave dwellings of the ancestral Pueblo Indians. Why were the homes built in the cliffs? How

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

were they used and why did the Pueblo move? Travel along with scientists to find out how their discoveries shed light on the mysteries surrounding this important historical site. Unlocking the secrets of the past is just an artifact away!

Ancient civilization; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Native Americans–Antiquities–Mexico; Pueblo (Native Americans); Colorado–History; Colorado–Antiquities; Cliff dwellers and cliff dwellings

Secrets of the terracotta army : tomb of an ancient Chinese emperor [8 books]

36845 KT
IJ 32 pce 2015 Capstone Press
Michael Capek
Dig through the fields of the far East to unearth the huge clay army of China's first emperor. Why were the thousands of life sized statues built? How were they designed with such intricate detail? Travel along with scientists to find out how the Terracotta Armys discovery sheds light on mysteries from ancient China. Unlocking the secrets of the past is just an artifact away!

Ancient civilization; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; China–Civilization; Excavations (Archeology)–China; China–History; China–Antiquities

Energy [16 magazines]

37430 KT
IJS 40 pce 2014 Scholastic Canada
Amy Farrell-Morneau
Issues 21 Series - "The goal of the Issues 21 series is to create critically aware and actively engaged citizens, who are change-makers ready to contribute to an increasingly globalized world. The series promotes strategies for deeper reading, motivates students to think deeply, and provides opportunities to increase student engagement, voice, and success within the classroom. Lesson plans in the teacher's guide include the following key concepts: inquiry question, enduring understandings, personal reflection question, questions to consider, optimal questions, assessment, and interdisciplinary connections."–Overview guide. In Issues 21 Energy students explore renewable and non-renewable energy sources and the issues related to energy production and consumption.

Energy; Energy resources; Inquiry-based learning; Natural gas; Nuclear energy; Oil–Canada; Renewable energy resources; Science; Social Studies; Wind energy; Wilhelm, Jeffrey D.,–1959-

Environment - Provocation table [6 books]

37844 KT
PI 16 pce 2015 Strong Nations Publishing Inc
Brenda Boreham and Terri Mack
From the mountains to the sea Series - This kit includes a provocation guide sheet as well as the book "We live here". In this book, readers look at how a river starts high up in the mountains as a variety of small pathways of water that join together and gradually gets larger until it ends when it flows into the sea. Readers will explore plants and animals in and around the river – cedar trees, salmon, bears, eagles, and orcas.

Bears; Bears–Pictorial works; Big books; Cedar; Cedar–Pictorial works; Eagles; Eagles–Pictorial works; First Nations–Study and teaching; Inquiry-based learning; Killer whales; Killer whales–Pictorial works; Provocation tables; River ecology; Salmon; Salmon–Pictorial works

Environmental issues

Endangered sea animals [8 books]

38442 KT
IJ 24 pce 2008 Scholastic Canada
Many sea animals are in danger of dying out because of people. Find out why sharks, whales, dolphins, and other sea animals are disappearing.

Endangered species; Inquiry-based learning; Rare animals; Science; Marine animals

Recycling [8 books]

38441 KT
IJ 32 pce 2008 Scholastic Canada
Discover what we do with our waste, and what can be recycled instead of dumped-from bricks to batteries, from milk cartons to cellphones.

Environmental protection; Environmental movement; Inquiry-based learning; Recycling; Science

Eruption : the last days of Pompeii [16 books]

39961 KT
IJ 32 pce 2005 Pearson Education Canada
Charlotte Allin and Chelsea Donaldson
2000 years ago the city of Pompeii in Italy was a busy place. The citizens enjoyed the mild climate and fertile farmland, and traders from all over the Roman Empire brought their goods for sale. Then suddenly, in a single day, Pompeii vanished.

Inquiry-based learning; Pompeii (Extinct city); Social Studies; Vesuvius (Italy); Volcanoes

Fact Finders

Ancient China: Beyond the great wall [4 books]

36838 KT
IJ 32 pce 2012 Capstone Press
Muriel L. Dubois and Kathleen W. Deady
The Great Wall is the best known structure that the ancient Chinese built. But the ancient Chinese were also great inventors. Learn how the ancient Chinese struggled through periods of cruel leadership while making great advances in science, art, and medicine.

Ancient civilization; China–History; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; China–Civilization; China–Antiquities

Ancient Egypt: Beyond the pyramids [8 books]

36836 KT
IJ 32 pce 2012 Capstone Press
Kathleen W. Deady
Imagine building a pyramid that stands more than 400 feet (123 meters) tall. Now imagine building it with stone blocks weighing thousands of pounds and no heavy equipment. The ancient Egyptians accomplished this job and more. Explore what makes ancient Egypt stand out as one of history's greatest civilizations, from its powerful pharaohs to its many inventions.

Ancient civilization; Egypt–History; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Egypt–Civilization

Ancient Rome: A mighty empire [4 books]

36837 KT
IJ 32 pce 2012 Capstone Press
Muriel L. Dubois
Ancient Rome's skilled army was its claim to fame. But a skilled army wasn't the only thing that made Ancient Rome a superpower. Ancient Roman's also made many advances in architecture and transportation. Explore what makes ancient Rome one of history's greatest civilizations, from its republic government to its well organized, bustling cities.

Ancient civilization; Inquiry-based learning; Italy–history; Social Studies

First journeys [8 books]

39959 KT
IJ 32 pce 2005 Pearson Education Canada
Pamela Rushby
This booklet explores many "firsts", from the first trip around the world to the first trip into space.

Automobiles–History; Boats and ships–History; Flight–History; Inquiry-based learning; Outer space–Exploration; Social Studies; Aeronautics–Canada–History; Railroads

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

First Nations, Métis, and Inuit Governance [8 Books]

40798 KT

IJ 32 pce 2020 Beech Street Books
Written by Simon Rose.

Describes the three distinct communities of Indigenous Peoples living in Canada, their historical forms of governance, the purpose of the Indian Act passed by the federal government in 1876, and the organizations formed to represent and protect the rights of Indigenous Peoples."—OCLC.

Inquiry-based learning; Inuit–Politics and government; First Nations–Politics and government; Aboriginal; Canada–Politics and government; Métis–Politics and government; Indigenous peoples–Canada–Government relations; Social Studies

Flags [8 books]

39962 KT

I 32 pce 2005 Pearson Education
Canada

Maureen Dockendorf and Sharon Jeroski

Throughout history, people have used pieces of cloth as symbols of their groups or countries. *Flags* explores what the colours and symbols on many flags mean to different countries or groups.

Flags; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; High interest-low vocabulary books

Food [16 magazines]

37269 KT

IJ 40 pce 2014 Scholastic Canada student magazine author: Erica Boas, Fiona Luray Wilhelm, Jeffrey David Wilhelm ; series editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm ; Health Consultant: Janet Nairn.

Issues 21 Series - "The goal of the *Issues 21* series is to create critically aware and actively engaged citizens by encouraging inquiries into global issues with person and local connections. The series promotes strategies for deeper reading, motivates students to think deeply, and provides opportunities to increase student engagement, voice, and success within the classroom. Lesson plans in the teacher's guide include the following key concepts: inquiry question, enduring understandings, personal reflection question, questions to consider, optimal questions, assessment, and interdisciplinary connections."—Overview guide. Do you know what you're eating and what it's doing to you? Are food ads making us buy what we don't need? Is junk food too addictive? How are the decisions we make about food influenced? These questions and more are introduced in this kit.

Diet; Health education; Inquiry-based learning; Language arts; Wilhelm, Jeffrey D.,—1959-

Forest Magic : A Guidebook For Little Woodland Explorers [8 Books]

40811 KT

P 2021 Nimbus Publishing Limited
Written by Sarah Grindler

"What do you notice when you walk in the forest? Different types of trees, plants, and mushrooms? Maybe you hear a squirrel chattering or birds singing. Can you feel all the different kinds of moss? And look there! Hidden animal homes and interesting bugs. With this compact non-fiction guide, young readers will be equipped to seek out, identify, and appreciate the woodland magic that exists all around them. Featuring . . . vocabulary words like 'nurse log,' 'lichen,' and 'sapling,' this . . . illustrated book is the ideal companion for little forest explorers"—Provided by publisher.

Inquiry-based learning; Forests and forestry; Forest ecology; Science

From the mountains to the sea

For descriptions see individual titles:
Environment - Provocation table [6 books] [37844]

We are a community [6 books] [37517]

We live here [6 books] [37755]

Genetic engineering [16 books]

38433 KT

IJS 40 pce 2015 Scholastic Canada
Douglas Fraser

Issues 21 Series - "Genetic engineering sparks much debate. From crops that resist insects to bananas that produce vaccines, how do we decide whether this technology helps or hinders society? What roles should genetic engineering play in society? Each book in *ISSUES 21* is built upon an inquiry framework with three main components: an essential question; a sequence of instruction that provides modeling, mentoring, and monitoring; and a culminating writing activity. Students are introduced to the topic via an open-ended inquiry question. The necessary material that presents students with a starting reference point is then front-loaded before they are challenged to investigate, analyze, and demonstrate knowledge of the underlying concepts of real world issues through research assignments, persuasive essays, argumentative writing, and debates. Specifically, through guided questioning, each *ISSUES 21* book helps students: Connect ideas within a selection, Connect personal experience with the selection, Connect ideas from one unit to another, Connect ideas from the text to the world at large" From publisher's website.

Genetic engineering; Genetics; Inquiry-based learning; Science

*Get Outside! : How Humans Connect with Nature [8 books]

42150 KT

IJ 48 pce 2024 Orca Book
Publishers

written by Leah Payne

Orca footprints Series - *Get Outside!* explores the important relationships between people and nature and how they have changed over time. By learning from the natural world and discussing global issues, like the climate crisis and environmental racism, we can figure out how to take care of the environment and let the environment take care of us too.

Outdoor education; Inquiry-based learning; Climate change; Ecology; Nature; Science; Human influence on nature; Environmental influence on humans; Human ecology

The Gibson Park grassland detectives [8 books]

39134 KT

PI 46 pce 2018 Pacific Edge

Written by Diane Swanson

Nature detectives - the living world science series - This book introduces readers to nature's great grasslands. It shows how plants and animals interact and adapt to the grassland. It also teaches how living things depend on non-living things, such as water, light and soil. It presents examples of grassland fossils, Indigenous peoples' uses of grasslands and the ways people harm-and help-grasslands.

First Nations; Grassland animals; Grassland ecology.; Grasslands; Inquiry-based learning; Science

The Great Bear Sea : exploring the marine life of a Pacific paradise [8 books]

38384 KT

IJS 121 pce 2013 Orca Book
Publishers

Ian McAllister & Nicholas Read

The Great Bear Sea takes readers on an expedition into the wondrous and mysterious underwater world of the Great Bear Sea. This amazing part of the northeast Pacific Ocean is home to some of the planet's mightiest and most beloved residents: whales, sea lions, dolphins, orcas, sea otters and wild salmon. Filled with spectacular images of this largely unknown part of the world, the book also explores the uncertain future of the Great Bear Sea in this age of climate change, overfishing, pipelines and oil tankers. Can a rainforest full of rare spirit bears, fishing wolves and great grizzlies survive without a Great Bear Sea to feed and nourish it?

Climate change; Global warming; Great Bear Rainforest (B.C.); Inquiry-based learning; Marine biology; Marine biology–British Columbia; Science; Coastal ecology

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

The great Canadian road trip

The great Canadian road trip [13 books]

38320 KT

IJ 32 pce 2019 Beech Street Books
"Get ready to explore Canada like never before—from coast to coast to coast! The Great Canadian Road Trip is a high interest series that takes young readers on a journey across the provinces and territories. Visit major cities, meet the locals, and explore the land, wildlife, foods, cultures, and history of each corner of Canada." from back cover.

Alberta; Alberta—Social life and customs; British Columbia; British Columbia—Social life and customs; Canada—Geography; Canada—Social life and customs; Inquiry-based learning; Labrador; Labrador—Social life and customs; Manitoba; Manitoba—Social life and customs; New Brunswick; New Brunswick—Social life and customs; Newfoundland; Newfoundland—Social customs; Northwest Territories—Social life and customs; Northwest Territories; Nova Scotia; Nova Scotia—Social life and customs; Nunavut; Nunavut—Social life and customs; Ontario; Ontario—Social life and customs; Prince Edward Island; Prince Edward Island—Social life and customs; Québec (Province)—Social life and customs; Québec (Province); Saskatchewan; Saskatchewan—Social life and customs; Social Studies; Yukon; Yukon—Social life and customs

✦ Grizzly Bears : Guardians of the Wilderness [8 Books]

41481 KT

IJS 89 pce 2023 Orca Book Publishers

Written by Frances Backhouse
Orca wild Series - Grizzlies are one of North America's most iconic wildlife species. They once roamed across half the continent, but today the grizzly population has declined at an alarming rate and it is incredibly difficult to rebuild those numbers, especially in places with a lot of people. Yet grizzlies are key members of their ecological communities and a powerful symbol of wilderness. Filled with facts and richly illustrated with photos, *Grizzly Bears: Guardians of the Wilderness* explores the biology of grizzlies and the vital ecological role these bears play, and it asks readers to consider what it takes to share the land with them. Learn from conservationists, scientists, Indigenous Peoples and young people who are working to ensure that grizzlies will be with us forever.

Inquiry-based learning; Grizzly bears—Life cycles; Social Studies; English/Language Arts; Grizzly bears—Behavior; Grizzly bears; Wildlife conservation

✦ Habitats : a journey in nature [8 Books]

42142 KT

PIJ 2024 360 Degrees, an imprint of Tiger Ta

written by Hannah Pang
Nature is like a magical journey that transforms with every step...Interactive split pages create an immersive experience that allows readers to take a visual journey through each unique home as they meet the incredible animals that live there.

Inquiry-based learning; Creative nonfiction; Habitat (Ecology); Animal ecology; Science; English/Language Arts

The Haida of Haida Gwaii : Volume 2

40205 KT

PIJS 164 pce 2016 4 CANOES

Canoe Kids Series - Explores the cultural and environmental diversity of the Haida People of Haida Gwaii, British Columbia. Provides authentic information designed for children, adolescents, parents, and educators together. Features stories from people in the community, full-color photographs, a fun zone, and opportunities to download activity booklets, art, and audio interviews.

Haida (First Nations people)—Periodical; Haida (First Nations people)—Social life and customs; Inquiry-based learning

Haisla, rivers and chinook salmon [8 books]

37918 KT

IJS 32 pce 2017 Strong Nations Publishing Inc

Joe Starr, Brenda Boreham and Terri Mack

We are all connected Series - One book in a series that explores how we all live together in a shared balance upon Mother Earth. Features interviews with Indigenous people, responding to questions as to how their community interacts with the land of their traditional territory. Ideal for use in inquiry-based learning. Also examines the river ecosystem – with a focus on the Chinook salmon and its adaptations for survival.

Chinook salmon; First Nations; Haisla (First Nations people)—Interviews; Haisla (First Nations people); Inquiry-based learning; River ecology; Salmon; Science; Social Studies; Stream ecology

Health careers guidebook [8 books]

38429 KT

S 135 pce 2016 First Nations Health Authority

In this guidebook published by the First Nations Health Authority you will find profiles of a wide variety of health careers. These profiles are meant to give an idea of the diversity of careers available in the health field. Each profile includes earnings, job outlook,

years in school and demand in the community.

Career and Personal Planning; First Nations; Inquiry-based learning; Occupations; Professions; Vocational guidance

Heritage Kamloops : A collection of historical buildings and sites [6 books]

37902 KT

PIJS 46 pce 1993 Kamloops Heritage Advisory Committee

Kamloops Heritage Advisory Committee

A collection of historical buildings and sites in the Kamloops area.

Historic sites—Kamloops (B.C.); Inquiry-based learning; Kamloops (B.C.)—History; Social Studies; Architecture—Conservation and restoration; Historic preservation

History news

The Egyptian news [8 books]

37950 KT

IJ 32 pce 1997 Candlewick Press Scott Steedman

"Stop the presses! What if ancient civilizations had daily newspapers? And they were amusing and compellingly informative? They might just look like this innovative series of historical nonfiction, presented in a unique, kid-friendly format. Greetings, honored guest. Ancient Egypt is a land of fascinating stories, age-old mysteries, ingenious inventions, proud queens, and boy-kings. Hear of our lives in THE EGYPTIAN NEWS. Find out who built the first pyramid – and why. Learn the secret art of embalming mummies. Discover the dangerous sport of hippo hunting and much, much more – all in THE EGYPTIAN NEWS! Back matter includes a time line, an index, and a list of famous pharaohs." - Publisher's website "These entertaining, deftly organized books will make terrific light-hearted additions to curriculum units on ancient civilizations." – Publishers Weekly

Ancient civilization—Egypt; Egypt—Antiquities; Egypt—Civilization; Egypt—History; Egypt—Social life and customs; Inquiry-based learning; Newspapers; Social Studies

The Greek news [8 books]

37949 KT

IJ 32 pce 1996 Candlewick Press Anton Powell & Philip Steele

"Stop the presses! What if ancient civilizations had daily newspapers? And they were amusing and compellingly informative? They might just look like this innovative series of historical nonfiction, presented in a unique, kid-friendly format. Read all About it! In THE GREEK NEWS life in ancient Greece is presented in the form of a daily newspaper written at the time. As accessible as your

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

morning paper, THE GREEK NEWS will give young readers the unforgettable sense of actually being a citizen of an ancient nation. Back matter includes a time line, an index, and an explanation of Roman and Greek spellings." – Publisher's website "These entertaining, deftly organized books will make terrific light-hearted additions to curriculum units on ancient civilizations." – Publishers Weekly

Ancient civilization–Greece; Greece–Antiquities; Greece–Civilization; Greece–History; Greece–Social life and customs; Inquiry-based learning; Newspapers; Social Studies

Revolution news [8 books]

37952 KT

IJ 32 pce 1999 Candlewick Press Christopher Maynard

"The award-winning History News series presents history in a unique, kid-friendly format that's as accessible as the morning newspaper. Ride with Paul Revere and watch fifty colonists sign the Declaration of Independence. Witness the storming of the Bastille by Parisian mobs and find out why King Louis XVI lost his head. Get Lenin's thoughts on planning a revolution and march with Mao to a new China. Revolution News covers the American, French, Russian, and Chinese Revolutions, and offers a two-page overview of major events worldwide. Back matter includes a time line, an index, and sources." – Publisher's website

France–History–1789-1799, Revolution; Inquiry-based learning; Newspapers; Revolutions; Revolutions–United States–History; Revolutions–Russia–History; Revolutions–France–History; Revolutions–China–History; Russia–History–1917-1921, Revolution; Social Studies; United States–History–1775-1783, Revolution

The Roman news [8 books]

37951 KT

IJ 32 pce 1996 Candlewick Press

Andrew Langley & Philip De Souza "Stop the presses! What if ancient civilizations had daily newspapers? And they were amusing and compellingly informative? They might just look like this innovative series of historical nonfiction, presented in a unique, kid-friendly format. Life in ancient Rome is presented in the form of a daily newspaper written at the time. As accessible as your morning paper, THE ROMAN NEWS will give young readers the unforgettable sense of actually being a citizen of an ancient nation. Back matter includes a time line, an index, and a list of important emperors." - Publisher's website "These entertaining, deftly organized books will make terrific light-hearted additions to curriculum

units on ancient civilizations." – Publishers Weekly

Ancient civilization–Rome; Inquiry-based learning; Newspapers; Rome–Antiquities; Rome–Civilization; Rome–History; Rome–Social life and customs; Social Studies

How I Survived Four Nights on the Ice [8 Books]

40381 KT

JS 45 pce 2020 Inhabit Media

Written by Serapio Ittusardjuat ; Illustrated by Matthew K. Hoddy.

"After his snowmobile breaks down halfway across the sea ice on a trip back from a fishing camp, Serapio Ittusardjuat recounts the traditional skills and knowledge he leaned on to stay alive. This harrowing first-person account of four nights spent on the open sea ice—with few supplies and no water—shows young readers the determination and strength necessary to survive in the harsh Arctic climate, even when the worst occurs"—Provided by publisher.

Iqaluit (Nunavut); Wilderness survival–Graphic novels; Ittusardjuat, Serapio,–1945—Biography; Arctic regions–Graphic novels; First Nations–Graphic novels; Survival skills–Graphic novels; Inuit–Graphic novels; Graphic novels; Hoddy, Matthew K.,–1984—artist; Biographical graphic novels; Social Studies; Aboriginal; Sciences

How to build your own country [8 books]

37812 KT

IJ 40 pce 2009 Kids Can Press

Written by Valerie Wyatt

An interactive guide to building a country that teaches children the basics of nation-building and highlights events that have shaped countries throughout history.

Citizenship; Inquiry-based learning; Political science; Social Studies; Government

* How Wind, Water, and Ice Change the Land [16 books]

41477 KT

PI 25 pce 2021 Scholastic Canada written by Jennifer Coates.

Let's do science, British Columbia Series - Let's Do Science British Columbia supports B.C. teachers by giving their students the opportunity to: Explore new ideas, foster their curiosity, Connect science concepts to their world, Develop science skills and core competencies.

Science K-7; Inquiry-based learning; Geography; Earth science; Landforms; Water; Erosion; Winds

Human body : a visual encyclopedia [8 books]

38685 KT

IJS 256 pce 2018 DK Publishing, Inc

Richard Walker; John Woodward ; Shaila Brown ; Ben Morgan Presents comprehensive information on the human body, covering such topics as the musculoskeletal system, immunology, digestion and nutrition, the human life cycle, the nervous system, and the respiratory system.

Human anatomy; Human body; Inquiry-based learning; Physiology; Science

Human body theater [8 books]

38686 KT

IJS 233 pce 2015 First Second Maris Wicks

In this nonfiction graphic novel, readers take a look at the eleven systems of the human body. The theatre's master of ceremonies (MC) will lead you through a theatrical revue of every biological system of the human body. Starting out as a skeleton, the MC puts on a new layer of her costume with each "act." Goofy and intensely informative, this book is an entertaining read.

Human anatomy–Graphic novels; Human body–Graphic novels; Inquiry-based learning; Physiology–Graphic novels; Science

I wonder why

For descriptions see individual titles: I wonder why [16 books] [39979]

I wonder why [16 books]

39979 KT

PI

32 pce

I wonder why Series - This highly popular and long-running series explores the questions that young readers ask about the world around them in an unrivalled child-friendly style. The conversational format is perfect for delivering solid information in a natural, amusing and imaginative way.

Ancient civilization–Rome; Ancient civilization–Egypt; Animals; Dinosaurs; Inquiry-based learning; Insects; Inventions; Ocean; Outer space; Plants; Polar regions; Questions and answers; Reptiles; Seasons; Transportation; Volcanoes

In my backyard

Moles [8 books]

38316 KT

P 24 pce 2017 Creative Education, Creative Paper by Kate Riggs

"An introduction to the life cycle of moles, including how pups develop, their varied diet, threats from predators, and the underground habitats of these backyard animals"—Provided by publisher.

Animals; Inquiry-based learning; Moles (Animals); Science

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

Squirrels [8 books]

38330 KT

P 24 pce 2017 Creative Education, Creative Paperb
by Lindsay J. O'Brien

"A high-interest introduction to the life cycle of squirrels, including how kits develop, their plant-based diet, threats from predators, and the sturdy, nested habitats of these backyard animals"—Provided by publisher.

Inquiry-based learning; Science;
Squirrels; Animal behavior;
Animals; Squirrels-Behavior

InfoSearch

Geography matters in in the Inca empire [8 books]

36846 KT

IJ 48 pce 2015 Heinemann
Melanie Waldron

Geography Matters in the Inca Empire looks at how the Inca Empire changed through time and gives fascinating insights into many different aspects of Inca life through its geography. Read about how the mountainous Inca geography led to their development of terrace farming, how the Incas worshipped the mountain peaks as gods and how the size of their Empire meant they built thousands of miles of roads and bridges to connect their people.

Ancient civilization; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Incas—History; Incas—Social life and customs; Peru—Civilization; Peru—Historical geography; Human geography—Peru

Inquiring minds

The ancient world to the 7th century [8 books]

37693 KT

IJ 212 pce 2018 Pearson Canada
Dennis DesRivieres ; Susan M. Doyle ; Graham Jarvis ; Sharon Jeroski ; Arnold Toutant

A student textbook. Designed to inspire students to think about problems and issues that Canadians and people around the world face. Features information and stories, as well as references to online content and interactive activities – all intended to help students understand issues, form opinions, support these opinions, research deeper into topics of interest, and effectively communicate newly acquired knowledge. "The human story is a huge tapestry made up of the countless stories of billions of people. It stretches back to the beginning of human life on Earth. Each of our lives is one thread in that tapestry. When we start to follow our own thread, it reaches back, further and further, to a long ago world. When we study the past, we are learning about our place in the human story"—Back cover.

Ancient civilization—Textbooks;
Ancient civilization—Maps; Inquiry-based learning; Inquiry-based learning—Textbooks; Social Studies; Social Studies—Ancient civilizations

First Peoples and European contact [8 books]

37810 KT

IJ 206 pce 2017 Pearson Canada
Adam Woelders, Kenneth Campbell, Margaret McClintock

This textbook features British Columbia First Peoples perspectives, histories and cultures to provide authentic and respectful information for students. Students explore the diversity of British Columbia's peoples as shaped by the traditional territories where they reside. Students also explore the ways in which important events have shaped British Columbia and investigate why British Columbia joined Canada and how it impacts the relationship between First Peoples and government.

First Nations—First contact with Europeans; First Nations—British Columbia—History; First Nations—British Columbia—Government relations; First Nations—Problems, exercises, etc.; First contact with Europeans; Fur trade; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Social sciences—Textbooks

Global issues and governance [6 books]

37691 KT

IJ 196 pce 2017 Pearson Canada
Susan M. Doyle ; Craig Harding ; Steve Powrie

A student textbook – the first in a brand new social studies series. Designed to inspire students to think about problems and issues that Canadians and people around the world face. Features information and stories, as well as references to online content and interactive activities – all intended to help students understand issues, form opinions, support these opinions, research deeper into topics of interest, and effectively communicate newly acquired knowledge.

Global education; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Social sciences—Textbooks

Inquizitive

Cogs in the wheel [16 books]

38351 KT

IJ 32 pce 2004 Pearson Education
Canada
Yvonne Ian

The Industrial Revolution of the eighteenth century changed the world forever. Factories and railways brought affordable mass-produced goods to many people. However, these changes led to problems such as city slums, child labour, and frightening diseases. Find out how our communities, our lives, and the work

we do have all been shaped by this earth-shaking event.

Industrial revolution; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies

Digging for history [8 books]

38350 KT

IJ 32 pce 2004 Pearson Education
Canada
Ian Morrison

Tells how archaeologists try to uncover hidden secrets from the past and what happens at an excavation site. Looks at some of the discoveries they have found – the oldest human footprints, a lost city, and a surprise buried beneath a town in Peru.

Mentions the terms: anthropologists, artifacts, conquistadors, paleontologists, and more.

Antiquities; Archeology;
Inquiry-based learning; Science

Festivals and feasts [16 books]

38248 KT

IJ 32 pce 2003 Pearson Education
Canada

Lynette Evans

Join in the holiday fun! People are dancing in the streets and there is plenty of good food to eat. Discover how people around the world celebrate special times in their lives and special days of the year with festivals, feasts, and fun. Then learn about the traditions and customs behind many of the festivals we enjoy.

Citizenship; Festivals; Heredity;
Holidays; Inquiry-based learning;
Manners and customs

Flight path [16 books]

38285 KT

IJ 32 pce 2003 Pearson Education
Canada

Lynette Evans

The title "Flight path" discusses how, when and why some birds migrate. Discover how you can be a "Nature Detective" and problems birds have today reaching their destination safely.

Birdbanding; Birds; Birds—Migration;
Birds—Protection; Inquiry-based learning; Wildlife refuges

Forest giants [8 books]

38212 KT

IJ 24 pce 2003 Pearson Education
Canada

Lynette Evans

Trees are some of the biggest and oldest living things. There are trees taller than a skyscraper and older than the first printed book! Take a walk through ancient forests. Explore treetop secrets in the canopy, and learn how people are working to save Earth's forest giants.

Forests and forestry; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Trees

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

Giants of the deep [8 books]

38349 KT
IJ 32 pce 2004 Pearson Education Canada
Avelyn Davidson
The oceans are home to many giants, from huge squid to whale sharks. The water supports the weight of their bodies, letting them grow to sizes that would be impossible on land.

Inquiry-based learning; Marine animals; Marine biology; Oceans; Science; Sharks; Whales

Good sports [16 books]

38346 KT
IJ 32 pce 2003 Pearson Education Canada
Sandy Roydhouse
Tells how some athletes have become successful sports stars at the international level.

Athletes; Athletes–Biography; Inquiry-based learning

The green scene [8 books]

38308 KT
IJ 32 pce 2003 Pearson Education Canada
Yvonne Morrison
Tells how every living thing on Earth is a vital part of an ecosystem and how humans, plants, and animals live together in a variety of different environments. Includes a glossary and discussion starters.

Biodiversity; Ecology; Inquiry-based learning

Leading the way [16 books]

38221 KT
IJ 24 pce 2003 Pearson Education Canada
Frances Bacon
Learn about four people who spent their lives leading the way to a better world. Find out who helped slaves escape, who was a great leader of the people in India, who first won voting rights for the women of her country, who ran 5373 kilometres to raise money for cancer research.

African Americans–Biography; Biography; Cancer–Patients–Biography; Fox, Terry–1958-1981–Biography; Inquiry-based learning; Marathon running; Sheppard, Kate; Slaves; Social Studies; Underground railroad; Women–Biography; Gandhi, Mohandas; Tubman, Harriet,–1820?-1913

Living in two worlds [8 books]

38220 KT
IJ 28 pce 2003 Pearson Education Canada
Ian Douglas
Many animals have what it takes to live in two worlds. With webbed feet for swimming and gills for breathing, they are experts in the water. But, beware! They can often lunge out of the water and race on land. For some, these animals mean double trouble!

Amphibians; Inquiry-based learning; Science

Matter splatter [16 books]

38342 KT
IJ 32 pce 2003 Pearson Education Canada
Ian Morrison
Introduces basic physics terms such as atoms, mass, evaporation, decomposition, alloys, mixtures, etc.

Inquiry-based learning; Matter; Physical sciences; Science

Mighty Rome! [16 books]

38286 KT
IJ 32 pce 2003 Pearson Education Canada
Frances Bacon
Relates how many of our laws, systems of government, building styles, and words have come from the ancient Roman civilization.

Inquiry-based learning; Rome–Civilization; Rome–History; Social Studies

Monuments and mummies [8 books]

38347 KT
IJ 32 pce 2004 Pearson Education Canada
Lynette Evans
Explores life and customs in ancient Egypt and looks at why some pyramids were built with false entrances and tricky mazes.

Egypt–Antiquities; Egypt–Civilization; Egypt–History; Inquiry-based learning; Monuments; Mummies; Social Studies

Inuit, tundra and ravens [8 books]

38069 KT
IJS 32 pce 2017 Strong Nations Publishing Inc
Michael Kusugak, Brenda Boreham and Terri Mack
We are all connected Series - One book in a series that explores how we all live together in a shared balance upon Mother Earth. Features interviews with Indigenous people, responding to questions as to how their community interacts with the land of their traditional territory. Ideal for use in inquiry-based learning. Also examines the tundra ecosystem – with a focus on the raven and its adaptations for survival.

First Nations; Inquiry-based learning; Inuit; Inuit–Interviews; Ravens; Science; Social Studies; Tundra ecology

Issues 21

For descriptions see individual titles:
Biodiversity in crisis [16 books] [37271]
Children's rights [16 books] [36824]
Climate change [16 books] [36802]
Consumer culture [16 books] [37268]
Corruption [16 books] [38677]
Digital world [16 books] [38435]

Discrimination [16 magazines] [36812]
Energy [16 magazines] [37430]
Food [16 magazines] [37269]
Genetic engineering [16 books] [38433]
Justice [16 books] [38168]
Mental health [16 books] [38303]
Ocean pollution [16 magazines] [36814]
Oppression of women [16 books] [37237]
Overfishing [16 books] [38434]
Overpopulation [16 books] [38884]
Pandemic [16 books] [36801]
Poverty [16 magazines] [37238]
Power of the media [16 magazines] [36813]
Threats to Health [16 Books] [38302]
Threats to Health [8 Books] [40877]
Violence in the media [16 books] [38883]

It started with a big bang : the origin of earth, you and everything else [8 books]

38681 KT
IJS 2019 Kids Can Press
Floor Bal ; Sebastiaan Van Doninck
"In this accessible informational picture book, young readers can follow the fascinating story of how we got from the very beginning of the universe to life today on the "bright blue ball floating in space" called Earth. They'll learn about the big bang theory, how our solar system was formed, how life on Earth began in the oceans and moved to land, what happened to the dinosaurs and how humans evolved from apes to explore and build communities all over the planet ... and even travel to space. It's an out-of-this-world look at the beginning of everything!" – from publisher's website.

Big bang; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Evolution; Cosmology; Universe

Join the no-plastic challenge! : a first book of reducing waste [8 books]

38679 KT
PI 32 pce 2019 Kids Can Press
Scot Ritchie
"Come along as five friends help to reduce plastic pollution in their community. For their first mission, Nick challenges his friends to celebrate his birthday with a No-Plastic Day. That means saying no thanks to single-use plastics like straws, cups, containers, cutlery, bags and more for a whole day!" – Back of cover.

Conservation of natural resources; Inquiry-based learning; Plastics–Environmental aspects; Refuse and refuse disposal; Science; Waste products; Waste products–Environmental aspects

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

Justice [16 books]

38168 KT

IJ 40 pce 2014 Scholastic Canada
Charles Boocock
Issues 21 Series - What is justice? Can Canada's justice system be changed? Are there flaws in the justice system? How fair is our justice system? These questions and more are introduced in this student magazine.

Human rights—Study and teaching;
Inquiry-based learning; Justice—
Study and teaching; Social Studies

The kids activist series

Our earth: how kids are saving the planet [6 books]

37742 KT

I 32 pce 2010 Second Story Press
written and illustrated by Janet Wilson
Describes how ten kids from around the world fought to protect the environment. Includes twelve-year-old Severn Cullis-Suzuki, fourteen-year-old William Kamkwamba, and seven-year-old Ryan Hreljac. Also encourages young readers to get involved and to take action.

Environmental protection;
Environmental protection—Citizen
participation; Environmentalists;
Inquiry-based learning

Our heroes: how kids are making a difference [6 books]

37743 KT

I 30 pce 2014 Second Story Press
written and illustrated by Janet Wilson
A collection of true stories about children making a difference in the world.

Children—Biography; Helping
behavior; Inquiry-based learning;
Reformers—Biography; Social
action—Biography

Our rights: how kids are changing the world [8 books]

37744 KT

I 33 pce 2013 Second Story Press
written and illustrated by Janet Wilson
Describes true accounts of how children from around the world have stood up for their rights and the rights of others. Features two-page profiles of ten children and the changes they have inspired, among other mentions. Cover: raising funds on the Internet to combat poverty, school education for girls, choosing education over gangs, education for First Nations children, raising money to help homeless children, applying for divorce at age 10, escaping from the life of a child soldier, organizing peace marches, and more.

Children—Civil rights—Biography;
Civil rights workers—Biography;
Human rights workers—Biography;
Inquiry-based learning; Social
reformers—Biography

The kids book of Aboriginal peoples in Canada [6 books]

37435 KT

IJ 63 pce 2005 Kids Can Press
Written by "Ihek'atem" Diane Silvey ;
illustrated by John Mantha
Kids can! Series - An overview of seven main cultural groups of Aboriginal peoples of Canada, describing their customs and practices and how they were affected by contact with European explorers and settlers.

Canada—History; First Nations—
Social life and customs; First
Nations—History; Inquiry-based
learning; Métis—History; Social
Studies

The kids book of Canada [8 books]

37190 KT

IJ 60 pce 2007 Kids Can Press
Barbara Greenwood
Kids can! Series - Revised and updated. An illustrated treasury of information about Canada. Provides descriptions of each of the country's provinces and territories, with facts about population, size, major cities, industries, natural features, and significant people and events. Also features current information on Canada's growing industries, evolving environmental challenges, and Aboriginal peoples.

Canada; Canada—Description;
Inquiry-based learning; Social
Studies; Inuit—History

The kids book of Canadian exploration [6 books]

37433 KT

IJ 56 pce 2004 Kids Can Press
Written by Ann-Maureen Owens &
Jane Yealland ; illustrated by John
Mantha
The history of Canadian exploration from the native peoples who explored and settled Canada thousands of years before Europeans arrived to scientific exploration today, leading to discoveries about outer space and hidden ocean depths.

Canada—Discovery and exploration;
Canada—History; Explorers—
Canada—Biography; Inquiry-based
learning; Social Studies;
Canada—Exploration

The kids book of Canadian history [6 books]

37434 KT

IJ 72 pce 2002 Kids Can Press
Written by Carlotta Hacker ; illustrated
by John Mantha
Examines significant people, places, and events in the history of Canada from the First Nations to the formation of the Canadian Alliance party. Includes fact boxes, mini-profiles, maps, a time line, and illustrations.

Canada—History; First contact with
Europeans; Fur trade; Inquiry-
based learning; Social Studies;
First Nations

Kids can!

For descriptions see individual titles:
The kids book of Aboriginal peoples
in Canada [6 books] [37435]
The kids book of Canada [8 books]
[37190]

Lakota, mixed grasslands and bald eagles [8 books]

37919 KT

IJS 32 pce 2017 Strong Nations
Publishing Inc
Kim Soo Goodtrack, Brenda Boreham
and Terri Mack
We are all connected Series - One book in a series that explores how we all live together in a shared balance upon Mother Earth. Features interviews with Indigenous people, responding to questions as to how their community interacts with the land of their traditional territory. Ideal for use in inquiry-based learning. Also examines the mixed grasslands ecosystem – with a focus on the bald eagle and its adaptations for survival.

Bald eagles; Eagles; First Nations;
Grassland ecology; Inquiry-based
learning; Lakota (First Nations
people)—Interviews; Lakota (First
Nations people); Science; Social
Studies

Let's do science, British Columbia

For descriptions see individual titles:
Biodiversity in the Local Environment
[16 Books] [42049]
How Wind, Water, and Ice Change
the Land [16 books] [41477]
Matter in your World [16 Books]
[42048]

Making Friends [8 Books]

40869 KT

P 24 pce 2017 Crabtree Pub
Written by Steffi Cavell-Clarke
Our values Series - "[Text and
illustrations look at] how making
friends is an important way to build
strong, inclusive communities that are
built on respect for other peoples
values, feelings, and beliefs"—Amazon.

Inquiry-based learning; Friendship;
English/Language Arts

* Matter in your World [16 Books]

42048 KT

P 20 pce 2021 Scholastic Canada
written by Shelley Hegedus
*Let's do science, British Columbia
Series* - Let's Do Science British
Columbia supports B.C. teachers by
giving their students the opportunity
to: Explore new ideas Foster their
curiosity Connect science concepts to
their world Develop science skills and
core competencies There are 4 units
per grade. All units address the
curriculum and integrate First Peoples
perspectives and place-based
learning. This units explores the
properties of matter and the different
ways matter makes up our world.

Science K-7; Inquiry-based
learning; Matter; Science

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

Mental health [16 books]

38303 KT

JS 40 pce 2015 Scholastic Canada
Jacqueline Nemni

Issues 21 Series - How can we reduce the stigma of mental illness? What can you do to maintain your mental health? How can you help someone who is struggling with mental health challenges? These questions and more are introduced in this kit.

Health education; Inquiry-based learning; Mental health; Mental illness; Science

Métis, wetlands and mallards [8 books]

38071 KT

IJS 32 pce 2017 Strong Nations Publishing Inc
Leah Marie Dorion, Brenda Boreham and Terri Mack

We are all connected Series - One book in a series that explores how we all live together in a shared balance upon Mother Earth. Features interviews with Indigenous people, responding to questions as to how their community interacts with the land of their traditional territory. Ideal for use in inquiry-based learning. Also examines the wetland ecosystem – with a focus on the mallard and its adaptations for survival.

First Nations; Inquiry-based learning; Mallards; Métis; Métis–Interviews; Science; Social Studies; Wetland ecology

The Mi'kmaq of Ktaqamkuk Canoe Kids: Volume 3

40206 KT

PIJ 148 pce 4 CANOES

Canoe Kids Series - Text and photographs look at the Mi'kmaq peoples of Eastern Canada.

Newfoundland; Inquiry-based learning; Mi'kmaq (First Nations people)–Social life and customs; Mi'kmaq (First Nations people); Inquiry

Moon mission : the epic 400-year journey to Apollo 11 [8 books]

38682 KT

IJS 127 pce 2019 Kids Can Press
Sigmund Brouwer

"This riveting narrative told from the astronauts' points of view offers a unique approach to the story behind Apollo 11's successful — though nearly disastrous — 1969 moon landing. Readers are brought along on the ride of a lifetime, as they relive every step of the mission, including the nail-biting (and relatively unknown) crucial moments when it came close to failure. From ignition to moon walk to splashdown, the story is structured in eleven exciting episodes. And, setting this book apart, each episode is linked to the innovations and discoveries from the past four centuries that made it possible — from

Copernicus to Einstein, the sextant to Velcro. It's a new perspective on an epic journey, and the science, technology, engineering and math that set it in motion!" – from publisher's website.

Apollo 11 (Spacecraft); Apollo project; Inquiry-based learning; Moon–exploration; Science; Space flight; Space flight to the moon–History

My Friends [8 Books]

40868 KT

P 24 pce 2017 Crabtree Pub

Written by Grace Jones
Our values Series - Simple text and color photographs examine elements of friendship.

Inquiry-based learning; Friendship; English/Language Arts

My Identity [8 Books]

40867 KT

P 24 pce 2018 Crabtree Pub

Written by Kirsty Holmes
Our values Series - "Young children will gain an understanding of who they are and how each individual is unique. Identity and concepts such as gender and belonging are explained in simple terms"—Provided by publisher.

Inquiry-based learning; Self; Identity (Psychology); Group identity

National Geographic Global Issues

Food supply [16 books]

39432 KT

IJ 32 pce 2014 Cengage Learning

"Food Supply examines the challenges of feeding a world that is home to more than 7 billion people. Every day, nearly 1 billion people go hungry. The causes of food shortages include crop failure, soil depletion, flood, drought, and poor food distribution. To address these issues, many aid groups are developing strategies to increase crop yields. Food Supply explains how different countries are meeting the challenges by using a variety of measures, from better fertilizers to improved education for farmers"—From publisher's website.

English; Food supply; Inquiry-based learning; Language arts; Science; Social Studies; Social sciences

Habitat preservation [6 books]

36914 KT

IJ 32 pce 2014 National Geographic

Andrew J. Milson content consultant
Explores how countries around the world are using preservation and a smarter use of resources to protect the habitats of living things

Ecology; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Wildlife conservation

Health [6 books]

36915 KT

IJ 32 pce 2014 National Geographic
Andrew J. Milson content consultant
Examines the positive changes taking place around the world. People are working to bring better access to doctors and nurses to improve everyone's health

Healthy schools; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Social Studies; Health–Social aspects

Human rights [6 books]

36916 KT

IJ 32 pce 2014 National Geographic
Andrew J. Milson content consultant
In several societies around the world, people are struggling to gain their rights. People have shown great courage as they overcome serious obstacles to gain their rights and exercise democratic freedoms

Citizenship; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Human rights

Pollution [16 books]

39433 KT

IJ 32 pce 2014 Cengage Learning
"Pollution is a growing problem around the globe. Using chemicals, old appliances, exhaust fumes, and plastics are just a few of the things that cause pollution on our planet. Pollution examines how water, soil, and the atmosphere have become increasingly polluted and the impact that pollution has on people's health. In the face of these challenges, people and countries have cooperated to clean up natural environments. They are also working to prevent pollution through technology, better planning, transportation alternatives, and more"—From publisher's website.

English; Inquiry-based learning; Language arts; Pollution; Science; Social Studies; Social sciences; Water pollution; Air pollution

Population growth [6 books]

36917 KT

IJ 32 pce 2014 National Geographic
Andrew J. Milson content consultant
Examines this major issue in the ways that emphasize the causes and effects of population growth

Inquiry-based learning; Science; Social Studies; Population

Water resources [6 books]

38104 KT

IJS 32 pce 2014 National Geographic Learning
Andrew J. Milson, Ph.D., content consultant

Water is an essential resource for life on Earth. Considering how vital and precious water is, it is almost unbelievable that it can be used so carelessly. Sewage, toxic chemicals, fertilizers, pesticides, oil, metals, and solid trash pollute the water in lakes, streams, and oceans around the world. Water Resources explores the ways in which water on Earth has

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

become polluted—and what people around the globe are doing to solve this problem.

Inquiry-based learning; Science; Water; Water conservation; Water conservation—Study and teaching; Water pollution; Water—Environmental aspects; Social sciences; Water supply

National Geographic kids everything series

Everything Ancient Egypt [8 books]

37857 KT
IJS 64 pce 2012 National Geographic Society
Crispin Boyer
Explores various aspects of life in Ancient Egypt. Discusses pharaohs; beliefs about death and the afterlife; and other related topics. Includes photographs and activities.

Egypt—Civilization; Egypt—History; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies

Nature detectives - the living world science series

For descriptions see individual titles:

The Cedar Club forest detectives [8 books] [39157]

The Central School seashore detectives [8 books] [39133]

The Gibson Park grassland detectives [8 books] [39134]

The Sixth Street wetland detectives [8 books] [39158]

Nisga'a, ponds and leopard frogs [8 books]

38070 KT
IJS 32 pce 2017 Strong Nations Publishing Inc
Charmaine Peal, Brenda Boreham and Terri Mack

We are all connected Series - One book in a series that explores how we all live together in a shared balance upon Mother Earth. Features interviews with Indigenous people, responding to questions as to how their community interacts with the land of their traditional territory. Ideal for use in inquiry-based learning. Also examines the pond ecosystem – with a focus on the Northern leopard frog and its adaptations for survival.

First Nations; Frogs; Grassland ecology; Inquiry-based learning; Nisga'a (First Nations people)—Interviews; Nisga'a (First Nations people); Northern leopard frogs; Science; Social Studies; Pond ecology

Nlaka'pamux, grasslands and rattlesnakes [8 books]

37920 KT
IJS 32 pce 2017 Strong Nations Publishing Inc
John Haugen, Brenda Boreham and Terri Mack

We are all connected Series - One book in a series that explores how we all live together in a shared balance upon Mother Earth. Features interviews with Indigenous people, responding to questions as to how their community interacts with the land of their traditional territory. Ideal for use in inquiry-based learning. Also examines the grasslands ecosystem – with a focus on the rattlesnake and its adaptations for survival.

First Nations; Grassland ecology; Inquiry-based learning; Nlaka'Pamux (First Nations people)—Interviews; Nlaka'Pamux (First Nations people); Northern Pacific rattlesnakes; Rattlesnakes; Science; Social Studies

Ocean pollution [16 magazines]

36814 KT
IJ 18 pce 2014 Scholastic Canada student magazine author: Erica Boax ; series editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm ; Environment Consultant: Alex T. Bielak.

Issues 21 Series - "The goal of the Issues 21 series is to create critically aware and actively engaged citizens by encouraging inquiries into global issues with person and local connections. The series promotes strategies for deeper reading, motivates students to think deeply, and provides opportunities to increase student engagement, voice, and success within the classroom. Lesson plans in the teacher's guide include the following key concepts: inquiry question, enduring understandings, personal reflection question, questions to consider, optimal questions, assessment, and interdisciplinary connections."—Overview guide.

Inquiry-based learning; Language arts; Marine pollution; Science; Social Studies; Water pollution; Wilhelm, Jeffrey D.,—1959-; Environmental degradation

The Ojibwe of Great Spirit Island: Volume 1

40204 KT
IJ 125 pce 2021
Canoe Kids Series - Text and photographs look at the Ojibwe peoples of Manitoulin Island, Ontario.

Aboriginal Resources; Ojibwa (First Nations people); First Nations—Social life and customs; Inquiry-based learning; Inquiry

On our street : our first talk about poverty [8 books]

38383 KT
PIJ 2018 Orca Book Publishers
Dr. Jillian Roberts and Jaime Casap
"Explores the realities of people living with inadequate resources. Using age-appropriate language, this book addresses mental illness, homelessness and refugee status as they are connected to this issue ... Quotes from individuals and organizations such as UNICEF are included throughout to add further perspective on the issue"—Provided by publisher.

Homeless persons; Homelessness; Inquiry-based learning; Poverty; Social Studies

* Open science : knowledge for everyone [8 books]

42152 KT
IJ 85 pce 2023 Orca Book Publishers
written by Monique Polak.
Orca think Series - Science is for everyone, right? Unfortunately, that's not always true. Discovery, research and innovation are often top secret, and big businesses charge high prices for that information. The field of open science is trying to change that. It's all about sharing knowledge. Teams of scientists around the world are working together to improve and speed up scientific research and share their results so that everyone benefits. Open Science: Knowledge for Everyone examines the history of scientific research and how ideas and information are shared and why. It also looks at innovations made using open science, such as treatments for diseases and vaccines to protect against viruses like COVID-19, discoveries that were only possible thanks to the sharing of information. Discover how regular people, including kids, can be citizen scientists and what we all can do to share science and make the world a better place.

Learning and scholarship; Inquiry-based learning; Research; Science; Technological innovations

Oppression of women [16 books]

37237 KT
IJ 40 pce 2015 Scholastic Canada
Ruby Lee ; Series Editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm ; Social Justice Consultant: Stephen Lewis.

Issues 21 Series - Why is oppression of women an important topic? What causes this oppression? What can be done to prevent it? These questions and more are introduced in this kit. "The goal of the Issues 21 series is to create critically aware and actively engaged citizens by encouraging inquiries into global issues with person and local connections. The series promotes strategies for deeper reading, motivates students to think deeply, and provides opportunities to

increase student engagement, voice, and success within the classroom. Lesson plans in the teacher's guide include the following key concepts: inquiry question, enduring understandings, personal reflection question, questions to consider, optimal questions, assessment, and interdisciplinary connections."—Overview guide.

Discrimination; Human rights—Study and teaching; Inquiry-based learning; Language arts; Social Studies; Women's rights—Study and teaching; Lee, Ruby; Lewis, Stephen,—1937-; Wilhelm, Jeffrey D.,—1959-

Orca footprints

For descriptions see individual titles:

Dig deep [8 books] [41479]
Dive in! : exploring our connection with the ocean [8 books] [38420]
Get Outside! : How Humans Connect with Nature [8 books] [42150]
Save Our Seeds : protecting plants for the future [8 books] [42149]
Saving the Night : How Light Pollution is Harming Life on Earth [8 Books] [41480]
Trash talk : moving toward a zero-waste world [8 books] [38386]
What's the buzz? : keeping bees in flight [8 books] [38387]

Orca think

For descriptions see individual titles:

Open science : knowledge for everyone [8 books] [42152]

Orca wild

For descriptions see individual titles:

Animal minds : what are they thinking? [8 books] [42151]
Grizzly Bears : Guardians of the Wilderness [8 Books] [41481]
Owls : who gives a hoot? [8 books] [42153]

Our future: how kids are taking action [8 books]

38667 KT
PI 2019 Second Story Press
Written and illustrated by Janet Wilson
From climate action to cyberbullying, from gun violence to animal protection, these young activists have brought about real change. These young people from across the globe are raising awareness about what issues matter to them most. Jaelun Parkerson from Texas kneels with his football teammates during the National Anthem to protest racial injustice; Canadian Autumn Peltier spoke in front of the United Nations to raise awareness about water pollution; and Melati Wijsen from Bali started working at twelve-years-old to convince his government to ban plastic bags. From oil pipelines to cyber bullying, from gun violence to animal protection, they won't let their youth stop them from being heard.

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

Core competencies; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Social justice; Social reformers—Biography; Youth movement; Political activists; Social action

Our values

For descriptions see individual titles:

Making Friends [8 Books] [40869]
My Friends [8 Books] [40868]
My Identity [8 Books] [40867]

Overfishing [16 books]

38434 KT
IJS 40 pce 2014 Scholastic Canada
Jeffrey David Wilhelm ; Series editor, Jeffrey D. Wilhelm ; Environment consultant, Alex T. Bielak
Issues 21 Series - Around the world people depend on fishing to survive. Yet fish and other marine animals are harvested at an unsustainable rate. What are the underlying causes of overfishing and how can we address them? How important is sustainable fishing? Each book in ISSUES 21 is built upon an inquiry framework with three main components: an essential question; a sequence of instruction that provides modeling, mentoring, and monitoring; and a culminating writing activity. Students are introduced to the topic via an open-ended inquiry question. The necessary material that presents students with a starting reference point is then front-loaded before they are challenged to investigate, analyze, and demonstrate knowledge of the underlying concepts of real world issues through research assignments, persuasive essays, argumentative writing, and debates. Specifically, through guided questioning, each ISSUES 21 book helps students: Connect ideas within a selection, Connect personal experience with the selection, Connect ideas from one unit to another, Connect ideas from the text to the world at large" From publisher's website.

Commercial fishing; Commercial fishing—Management; Fishes—Ecology; Human influence on nature; Inquiry-based learning; Science

Overpopulation [16 books]

38884 KT
IJ 40 pce 2015 Rubicon Publishing Inc., Scholastic
Brian Arleth
Issues 21 Series - Explores the pros and cons of human overpopulation. Discusses what are some ways to manage the effects of overpopulation. Features thought-provoking text and visuals for examining this issue from different perspectives.

Inquiry-based learning; Overpopulation; Social Studies

*Owls : who gives a hoot? [8 books]

42153 KT
IJ 89 pce 2024 Orca Book Publishers

written by Frances Backhouse.

Orca wild Series - This nonfiction book introduces middle-grade readers to owls in North America. It discusses owl habitat, biology and threats to survival, and how scientists, conservationists and young people are working to protect owls everywhere. Includes photos throughout.

Inquiry-based learning; Owls—Behavior; Bird watching; Owls; Conservation; Wildlife conservation

Pandemic [16 books]

36801 KT

IJ 40 pce 2014 Scholastic Canada
Jacqueline Nemni ; Series Editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm ; Health Consultant: Janet Nairn.

Issues 21 Series - What is a pandemic? How do pandemics spread? How do we stop pandemics from happening? These questions and more are introduced in this kit. " The goal of the Issues 21 series is to create critically aware and actively engaged citizens by encouraging inquiries into global issues with person and local connections. The series promotes strategies for deeper reading, motivates students to think deeply, and provides opportunities to increase student engagement, voice, and success within the classroom. Lesson plans in the teacher's guide include the following key concepts: inquiry question, enduring understandings, personal reflection question, questions to consider, optimal questions, assessment, and interdisciplinary connections."—Overview guide.

Communicable diseases—Study and teaching; Diseases; Epidemics—Study and teaching; Inquiry-based learning; Language arts; Science; Social Studies; Wilhelm, Jeffrey D.,—1959-; Pandemics

Patterns - Provocation table [5 books]

37785 KT

PI

A collection of books that can be used as a provocation, to provoke ideas, thoughts and discussions about patterns in our world.

Creative thinking; Fibonacci numbers; Math; Nature; Nature—Pictorial works; Nature study—Poetry; Numeracy; Patterns (Mathematics); Poetry; Shape; Spirals—Poetry; Geometry

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

Pay dirt! The search for gold in British Columbia [8 books]

38372 KT
IJ 80 pce 1995 Orca Book Publishers

Written by Laura Langston
They came from China and Australia, from Scotland, England and Wales, from across Canada and the United States. They came for one thing: Gold! Some stayed forever; some gave up and left; others lost their lives. But as the more determined struggled into the heart of the new region, they dug roads, built cities and established businesses. And by the time it was over, the new province of British Columbia was formed. Some struck it rich; many more did not. This is their story.

British Columbia–Gold discoveries; Cariboo (B.C. : Regional district)–Gold discoveries; Gold; Gold mines and mining–British Columbia; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies

Poverty [16 magazines]

37238 KT
IJ 40 pce 2014 Scholastic Canada

student magazine authors: Craig Harding and Glyn Hughes ; series editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm ; social justice consultant: Stephen Lewis. *Issues 21 Series* - "The goal of the *Issues 21* series is to create critically aware and actively engaged citizens by encouraging inquiries into global issues with person and local connections. The series promotes strategies for deeper reading, motivates students to think deeply, and provides opportunities to increase student engagement, voice, and success within the classroom. Lesson plans in the teacher's guide include the following key concepts: inquiry question, enduring understandings, personal reflection question, questions to consider, optimal questions, assessment, and interdisciplinary connections."–Overview guide. Why does poverty exist and whose problem is it? Poverty has persisted throughout history and continues to be one of the biggest problems facing humanity today. What causes poverty and how we can work together to make a difference? These questions and more are introduced in this kit.

Human rights–Study and teaching; Inquiry-based learning; Language arts; Poverty; Social Studies; Lewis, Stephen,–1937-; Wilhelm, Jeffrey D.,–1959-

Power of the media [16 magazines]

36813 KT
IJ 18 pce 2014 Scholastic Canada student magazine authors: Brooke Moore, Tara Smith ; series editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm ; Culture and Media Consultant: Barry Wellman. *Issues 21 Series* - "The goal of the *Issues 21* series is to create critically

aware and actively engaged citizens by encouraging inquiries into global issues with personal and local connections. The series promotes strategies for deeper reading, motivates students to think deeply, and provides opportunities to increase student engagement, voice, and success within the classroom. Lesson plans in the teacher's guide include the following key concepts: inquiry question, enduring understandings, personal reflection question, questions to consider, optimal questions, assessment, and interdisciplinary connections."–Overview guide.

Advertising; Applied design, skills and technologies; Inquiry-based learning; Language arts; Media; Social Studies; Wilhelm, Jeffrey D.,–1959-; Media literacy; Mass media

Professor Astro Cat's human body odyssey [8 books]

38697 KT
PIJS 63 pce 2018 FLYING EYE BOOKS

Written by Dr. Dominic Wallman & Ben Newman

"Are our ears supposed to be a weird shape? Why do we sneeze? What is the point in having skin? The human body is one of the most complicated things in the Universe. Join Professor Astro Cat and the whole gang as they journey through all the wondrous parts of the human body, with the help of writer Dominic Wallman himself! From head to toe and everywhere in-between, there's nothing left out of this fascinating human body odyssey!"–from back cover.

Human anatomy; Human body; Inquiry-based learning; Physiology; Science

Righting Canada's wrongs

Africville : an African Nova Scotian community is demolished - and fights back [8 books]

38430 KT
IJS 94 pce 2019 James Lorimer Gloria Ann Wesley

The community of Africville was founded in the late 1800s when African Nova Scotians built homes on the Bedford Basin on the northern edge of Halifax. Africville grew to include a church, a school, and small businesses. At its peak, about 400 people lived there. The community was lively and vibrant, with a strong sense of culture and tradition. But the community had its problems. Racist attitudes prevented people from getting well-paying jobs in the city and the City of Halifax refused residents basic services such as running water, sewage disposal, and garbage collection. In the 1960s, in the name of urban renewal, the City of Halifax decided to demolish Africville, relocate its residents and use the land for

industrial development. Residents strongly opposed this move, but their homes were bulldozed, and many had to move into public housing projects in other parts of the city. After years of pressure from former members of the community and their descendants, the City of Halifax finally apologized for the destruction of Africville and offered some compensation. A replica of the church was built on the site. But former residents and their descendants were refused compensation beyond what little was paid in the 1960s. Through historical photographs, documents, and first-person narratives, this book tells the story of Africville. It documents how the city destroyed Africville and much later apologized for it – and how the spirit of the community lives on.

Canadian government policies; Immigration and emigration; Inquiry-based learning; Race discrimination; Social Studies; Social justice; Black Canadians–Nova Scotia–Halifax–Social conditions; Africville (Halifax, N.S.); Community development–History; Reparations for historical injustices

Anti-Semitism and the MS St. Louis : Canada's anti-Semitic immigration policies in the twentieth century [8 books]

39938 KT
IJS 88 pce 2021 James Lorimer & Company Ltd.

Rona Arato
Prior to World War Two, Canada's Jewish community was well established, particularly in Toronto and Montreal. As the war grew closer, reports of anti-Semitism across Europe were increasing. In the 1930s, Hitler's Nazis were spreading hatred and violence towards Jews across Germany. At first, Jews were allowed to leave Germany and thousands escaped to save themselves and their families. Towards the end of the decade, countries around the world, including Canada, closed their doors to Jewish refugees. In 1939, the MS St. Louis sailed for Cuba with nearly a thousand Jewish men, women, and children looking for safety. They were turned away by Cuba, the USA, and Canada before they were sent back to Europe where over 250 of them were murdered. Despite pleas from the Canadian Jewish community, the government refused to allow more Jewish refugees into the country. When Britain forced Canada to take some of their refugees, Canada imprisoned them in internment camps alongside Nazis. Some of the refugees were only teenagers. After the war, it took three years for Canada to change its immigration policies and begin to accept equal numbers of Jews with other immigrants. In November, 2018, Prime Minister Justin Trudeau made an official apology to the Jewish Community for Canada's

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

refusal to accept the passengers of the MS St. Louis, as well as its historical anti-Semitic policies.

Antisemitism—Canada;
Antisemitism; Canada—Ethnic relations—20th century; Canada—Immigration and emigration—Government policy—20th century; Immigration and emigration—Canada—History—20th century; Inquiry-based learning; Jews—Canada—History; World War, 1939-1945—Jews; St. Louis (Ship)—History

The Chinese head tax and anti-Chinese immigration policies in the twentieth century [8 books]

36947 KT

IJS 96 pce 2014 James Lorimer Arlene Chan

The first Chinese immigrants arrived in Canada in the mid-1800s searching for gold and a better life. They found jobs in forestry, mining, and other resource industries. But life in Canada was difficult and the immigrants had to face racism and cultural barriers. Thousands were recruited to work building the Canadian Pacific Railway. Once the railway was finished, Canadian governments and many Canadians wanted the Chinese to go away. The government took measures to stop immigration from China to Canada. Starting in 1885, the government imposed a Head Tax with the goal of stopping immigration from China. In 1923 a ban was imposed that lasted to 1947. Despite this hostility and racism, Chinese-Canadian citizens built lives for themselves and persisted in protesting official discrimination. In June 2006, Prime Minister Harper apologized to Chinese Canadians for the former racist policies of the Canadian government. Through historical photographs, documents, and first-person narratives from Chinese Canadians who experienced the Head Tax or who were children of Head Tax payers, this book offers a full account of the injustice of this period in Canadian history. It documents how this official racism was confronted and finally acknowledged.

Canadian government policies; Immigration and emigration; Inquiry-based learning; Race discrimination; Social Studies; Social justice; Chinese Canadians—British Columbia—History; Canada—Ethnic relations—History

*** Inuit relocations : colonial policies and practices, Inuit resilience and resistance [8 Books]**

41973 KT

IJS 144 pce 2023 James Lorimer & Company Ltd., Publi

written by Frank James Tester and Krista Ulujuk Zawadski.

In an appealing format for students, with both primary and secondary

documents embedded, this book explores the forced relocation of Inuit families and communities in the Canadian Arctic from the 1950s to the 1990s. Governments promoted and forced relocation based on misinformation and racist attitudes, changing Inuit lives forever. This book documents the Inuit experience and strength they displayed in the face of these measures. Years afterwards, there have been multiple apologies by the Canadian government for its actions, and some measure of restitution for the harms caused.

Inquiry-based learning; Inuit—History; Social Studies; Aboriginal; Inuit—Canada; English/Language Arts; Canada—History

Italian Canadian Internment in the Second World War [8 books]

37279 KT

IJS 111 pce 2012 James Lorimer Pamela Hickman, Jean Smith Cavalluzzo

Italians came to Canada to seek a better life. From the 1870s to the 1920s they arrived in large numbers and found work mainly in mining, railway building, forestry, construction, and farming. As time passed, many used their skills to set up successful small businesses, often in Little Italy districts in cities like Montreal, Toronto, Hamilton, and Winnipeg. Many struggled with the language and culture in Canada, but their children became part of the Canadian mix. When Canada declared war on Italy on June 10, 1940, the government used the War Measures Act to label all Italian citizens over the age of eighteen as enemy aliens. Those who had received Canadian citizenship after 1922 were also deemed enemy aliens. Immediately, the RCMP began making arrests. Men, young and old, and a few women were taken from their homes, offices, or social clubs without warning. In all, about 700 were imprisoned in internment camps, mainly in Ontario and New Brunswick. The impact of this internment was felt immediately by families who lost husbands and fathers, but the effects would live on for decades. Eventually, pressure from the Italian Canadian community led Prime Minister Brian Mulroney to issue an apology for the internment and to admit that it was wrong. Using historical photographs, paintings, documents, and first-person narratives, this book offers a full account of this little-known episode in Canadian history.

Canadian government policies; Discrimination; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Social justice; World War—1939-1945—Canada; Concentration camps—Canada; Italian Canadians—Evacuation and relocation, 1940-1945; World War, 1939-1945—Canada—Prisoners and prisons

Japanese Canadian Internment in the Second World War [8 books]

37280 KT

IJS 160 pce 2011 James Lorimer

Pamela Hickman, Masako Fukawa
This book is an illustrated history of the wartime internment of Japanese Canadian residents of British Columbia. At the time when Japan attacked Pearl Harbor, Japanese Canadians numbered well over 20,000. From the first arrivals in the late nineteenth century, they had taken up work in many parts of BC, established communities, and become part of the Canadian society even though they faced racism and prejudice in many forms. With war came wartime hysteria. Japanese Canadian residents of BC were rounded up, their homes and property seized, and forced to move to internment camps with inadequate housing, water, and food. Men and older boys went to road camps while some families ended up on farms where they were essentially slave labour. Eventually, after years of pressure, the Canadian government admitted that the internment was wrong and apologized for it. This book uses a wide range of historical photographs, documents, and images of museum artefacts to tell the story of the internment. The impact of these events is underscored by first-person narrative from five Japanese Canadians who were themselves youths at the time their families were forced to move to the camps.

Canadian government policies; Discrimination; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Social justice; Japanese Canadians—Forced removal and incarceration, 1942-1945; World War—1939-1945—Canada; Concentration camps—Canada

The Komagata Maru and Canada's Anti-Indian Immigration Policies in the Twentieth Century [8 books]

37276 KT

IJS 103 pce 2014 James Lorimer Pamela Hickman

In 1914, Canada was a very British society with anti-Asian attitudes. Although Great Britain had declared that all people from India were officially British citizens and could live anywhere in the British Commonwealth, Canada refused to accept them. This racist policy was challenged by Gurdit Singh, a Sikh businessman, who chartered a ship, the Komagata Maru, and sailed to Vancouver with over 300 fellow Indians wishing to immigrate to Canada. They were turned back, tragically. Over the years, the Canadian government gradually changed its immigration policies, first allowing entry to wives and children of Indian immigrants and later to many

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

more immigrants from India. The Indo-Canadian community has grown throughout Canada, especially in British Columbia. Many in the community continue to celebrate their Indian heritage which enriches Canadian culture.

Canadian government policies; Discrimination; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Social justice; Indians–Government policy–Canada–20th century; Indians–British Columbia–20th century; Canada–Immigration and emigration; Komagatamaru (Ship)–History; Canada–Ethnic relations–History

Residential schools : the devastating impact on Canada's Indigenous Peoples and the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's findings and calls for action [8 books]

37277 KT

IJS 128 pce 2016 James Lorimer
Melanie Florence

Canada's residential school system for aboriginal young people is now recognized as a grievous historic wrong committed against First Nations, Métis, and Inuit peoples. This book documents this subject in a format that will give all young people access to this painful part of Canadian history. In 1857, the Gradual Civilization Act was passed by the Legislature of the Province of Canada with the aim of assimilating First Nations people. In 1879, Prime Minister Sir John A. Macdonald commissioned the "Report on Industrial Schools for Indians and Half-Breeds." This report led to native residential schools across Canada. First Nations and Inuit children aged seven to fifteen years old were taken from their families, sometimes by force, and sent to residential schools where they were made to abandon their culture. They were dressed in uniforms, their hair was cut, they were forbidden to speak their native language, and they were often subjected to physical and psychological abuse. The schools were run by the churches and funded by the federal government. About 150,000 aboriginal children went to 130 residential schools across Canada. The last federally funded residential school closed in 1996 in Saskatchewan. The horrors that many children endured at residential schools did not go away. It took decades for people to speak out, but with the support of the Assembly of First Nations and Inuit organizations, former residential school students took the federal government and the churches to court. Their cases led to the Indian Residential Schools Settlement Agreement, the largest class-action settlement in Canadian history. In 2008, Prime Minister Harper formally apologized to former native residential

school students for the atrocities they suffered and the role the government played in setting up the school system. The agreement included the Truth and Reconciliation Commission, which has since worked to document this experience and toward reconciliation. Through historical photographs, documents, and first-person narratives from First Nations, Inuit, and Métis people who survived residential schools, this book offers an account of the injustice of this period in Canadian history. It documents how this official racism was confronted and finally acknowledged.

Discrimination; Inquiry-based learning; Métis; Residential schools; Social Studies; Social justice; First Nations–Government relations; First Nations–Residential schools; Inuit–Residential schools; Métis–Residential schools

*** Righting Canada's Wrongs: The LGBTQ Purge and the fight for equal rights in Canada [8 Books]**

41246 KT

JS 88 pce 2022 James Lorimer & Company Ltd., Publi

written by Ken Setterington
From the 1950s to the 1980s, the Canadian government persecuted LGBTQ+ employees and tried to erase them from the military, the RCMP and the civil service under the guise that they were a "security risk," an event that became known as the LGBTQ Purge. Those who were suspected of being homosexual were put under government surveillance, interrogated and intimidated. They were fired from their jobs. Many quit to avoid being exposed. Some committed suicide as a result. In the 1980s, victims of the Purge fought back with a class-action suit against the government that helped shed light on the systemic discrimination that members of the LGBTQ+ community faced from the government and the rest of society. In 2017, the federal government issued a formal apology on behalf of the government and Canadian society for the treatment of members of the LGBTQ+ community. In this highly visual book, author Ken Setterington presents the struggle for LGBTQ+ rights using photographs, first-person accounts and excerpts from archival documents. Significant events in the struggle include the establishment of Pride parades, the Bathroom Raids, the decriminalization of homosexuality, the passing of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms, the LGBTQ Purge and the legalization of same-sex marriage. While the government's formal acknowledgement of past injustices started Canada on a better path toward equality, there is still work to be done. This book would be a welcome addition to any classroom or library's social justice collection and

will appeal to adults interested in LGBTQ+ rights in Canada.

Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; LGBT people–Civil rights–History; Canada–Politics and government

*** The Sixties Scoop and the stolen lives of Indigenous children [8 books]**

42143 KT

IJS 112 pce 2024 James Lorimer & Company Ltd., Publi
written by Andrew Bomberry and
Teresa Edwards.

An examination of the Sixties Scoop - a child welfare policy in Canada that saw the removal of Indigenous children from their families, often by force. Starting in 1951, Indigenous children in Canada were taken by social welfare agencies from their families and placed in the care of non-Indigenous families. These children grew up without their birth families, cultural roots, and language. Many tried to run away and some died in the attempt. The taking of the children is known as the Sixties Scoop, though the policies and practices started before the 1960s and lasted long after. Today, Indigenous children are shockingly over-represented in the child welfare system across Canada.

Inquiry-based learning; Adopted children; Adoption; Social Studies; Interracial adoption–Canada; Aboriginal; English/Language Arts; Indigenous peoples–Canada–Social conditions; First Nations–Social conditions; First Nations–Forced removal

The salmon bears : giants of the Great Bear Rainforest [8 books]

38385 KT

IJS 89 pce 2010 Orca Book
Publishers

Ian McAllister & Nicholas Read
Extensively illustrated with Ian McAllister's magnificent photographs, *The Salmon Bears* explores the delicate balance that exists between the grizzly, black and spirit bears and their natural environment, the last great wilderness along the central coast of British Columbia. Key to this relationship are the salmon that are born in the rivers each spring, who then go out to sea as juveniles and return as adults to spawn and die, completing a cycle of life that ensures the survival of not only their own species but also virtually every other plant and animal in the rainforest. In clear language suitable for young readers, the authors describe the day-to-day activities that define the lives of these bears through the four seasons. But this is also very much the story of the Great Bear Rainforest—a vast tract of land that stretches from the northern tip of Vancouver Island to the Alaska border and contains some of the largest stands of old-growth forest

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

left on the West Coast. The Salmon Bears focuses on the interconnectedness of all life in the rainforest and makes a strong case for the importance of protecting this vital ecological resource.

Bears; Bears–Great Bear Rainforest (B.C.); Great Bear Rainforest (B.C.); Inquiry-based learning; Science; Rain forest ecology

* Save Our Seeds : protecting plants for the future [8 books]

42149 KT
IJ 47 pce 2024 Orca Book Publishers

written by Sheryl Normandeau
Orca footprints Series - Part of the nonfiction Orca Footprints series for middle-grade readers, this book examines the importance of seeds to all living things, the threats they face and why we have to preserve and conserve seeds for the future. Illustrated with photographs throughout.

Plants–Collection and preservation; Seeds; Seeds–Study and teaching; Genetic engineering; Environmental sciences; Science–Study and teaching; Environmental sciences–Study and teaching; Earth science; Science–inquiry; Inquiry-based learning; Ecology

* Saving the Night : How Light Pollution is Harming Life on Earth [8 Books]

41480 KT
IJ 48 pce 2023 Orca Book Publishers

written by Stephen Aitken
Orca footprints Series - It started when Thomas Edison invented the first light bulb more than 150 years ago. Then, as electric light became more common, light pollution began to take over cities and towns. Today, in urban centers all over the world, the stars in the sky aren't visible. Millions of people have never seen the Milky Way. In *Saving the Night*, we discover how plants and animals have adapted over millions of years to survive and thrive in the dark, and how artificial light can upset the balance of entire ecosystems. But there are ways we can take back the night for animals, plants and us. It starts with the flick of a switch.

Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Pollution; Earth; English/Language Arts; Science; Night–Physiological effect; Lighting

Scientists in action

Archaeologists in action [8 books]

38397 KT
IJS 32 pce 2018 Crabtree Pub Megan Kopp

Archaeologists are like detectives. They find objects from the past and treat them as clues to understanding

what life was like long ago. This title aims to create meaningful connections between the scientific concepts readers learn in the classroom and how they are applied in the real world by archaeologists searching for answers.

Ancient civilization; Archaeologists; Archeology; Archeology–Vocational guidance; Science; Vocational guidance; Excavations (Archaeology)–Juvenile literature

Astronomers in action [8 books]

38399 KT
IJS 32 pce 2018 Crabtree Pub Anne Rooney

Astronomers look up into the sky and yearn to understand the universe. They ask questions about the distant stars and galaxies and wonder what lies beyond them. This title aims to create meaningful connections between the scientific concepts readers learn in the classroom and how they are applied in the real world by astronomers searching for answers.

Astronomers; Astronomers–Vocational guidance; Astronomy; Astronomy–Vocational guidance; Science; Vocational guidance

Biologists in action [8 books]

38398 KT
IJS 32 pce 2019 Crabtree Pub Anne Rooney

Biologists study life, from tiny organisms to the largest animals on Earth. This exciting new book takes a look at how biologists work in fields of study such as zoology, botany, ecology, microbiology, and molecular biology. Readers will learn how biologists work in the field and in labs, and how their work applies to the lives of every living thing on the planet.

Biologists; Biologists–Vocational guidance; Biology; Biology–Vocational guidance; Science; Vocational guidance

Chemists in action [8 books]

38402 KT
IJS 32 pce 2019 Crabtree Pub James Bow

Chemists study matter. The medicines we use, the chair you are sitting on, and the vehicles we drive are products that chemists helped produce. This compelling new book examines the many fields of work made possible because of chemistry.

Chemistry; Chemists; Chemists–Vocational guidance; Science; Vocational guidance

Entomologists in action [8 books]

38404 KT
IJS 32 pce 2019 Crabtree Pub Anne Rooney

Are you fascinated by insects? Welcome to the field of entomology. This book shows how entomologists study insects to learn about Earth's history, find ways to prevent the spread of diseases some carry, use insects in agriculture, and much more. With an estimated 1.3 million species, there's always something new in the world of insects.

Entomologists; Entomologists–Vocational guidance; Science; Vocational guidance; Entomology

Environmental Scientists in action [8 books]

38403 KT
IJS 32 pce 2018 Crabtree Pub Robin Johnson

Environmental scientists look at their natural surroundings and think about future generations. They want to understand how the human activities of today are affecting the health of the environment, what that means for the future, and what can be done about it. This title aims to create meaningful connections between the scientific concepts readers learn in the classroom and how they are applied in the real world by environmental scientists searching for answers.

Science; Vocational guidance; Environmental sciences; Environmentalists

Food Scientists in action [8 books]

38401 KT
IJS 32 pce 2019 Crabtree Pub Robin Johnson

Food scientists apply their knowledge of chemistry, biology, and other sciences to the study and analysis of food. This compelling title explains how food scientists search for ways to improve the ways food is grown and prepared commercially for thousands of people.

Agriculture–Vocational guidance; Food industry; Food industry–Vocational guidance; Nutrition–Vocational guidance; Science; Vocational guidance

Geologists in action [8 books]

38400 KT
IJS 32 pce 2018 Crabtree Pub James Bow

Geologists study earthquakes and volcanoes and are fascinated by the power of Earth's processes. They want to understand why the earth shifts and erupts, and figure out how to better predict and plan for these hazards. This title aims to create meaningful connections between the scientific concepts readers learn in the classroom and how they are applied in the real world by geologists searching for answers.

Geologists; Geologists–Vocational guidance; Geology; Geology–Vocational guidance; Science; Vocational guidance

A seed is the start [8 books]

38103 KT

P 31 pce 2018 National Geographic
Melissa Stewart

Beautiful photography and lyrical text pair with comprehensive picture captions in award-winning author Melissa Stewart's story about the surprisingly diverse world of seeds. Learn all about the plant cycle, from how seeds grow, the fascinating ways they travel, and what it takes for a seed to become a plant.

Gardening; Germination; Inquiry-based learning; Plants;
Plants–Study and teaching; Plants–Anatomy; Plants–Growth; Science; Seeds; Seeds–Study and teaching

Seedlings

Beavers [8 books]

38318 KT

P 24 pce 2018 Creative Education,
Creative Paperb

Quinn M. Arnold

Introduces students to beavers, covering their growth process, behaviors, the dams they call home, and such defining features as their flat tails.

Animals; Beavers; Inquiry-based learning; Science

Brown bears [8 books]

38319 KT

P 24 pce 2018 Creative Education,
Creative Paperb

Quinn M. Arnold

Introduces students to brown bears, covering their growth process, behaviors, the forests they call home, and such defining features as their strong, humped shoulders.

Animals; Brown bears; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Animal behavior; Bears–behavior

Squirrels [8 books]

38331 KT

P 24 pce 2019 Creative Education,
Creative Paperb

Quinn M. Arnold

"A kindergarten-level introduction to squirrels, covering their growth process, behaviors, the backyard habitats they call home, and such defining features as their bushy tails"—Provided by publisher.

Animals; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Squirrels; Animal behavior; Squirrels–Behavior

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

The Sixth Street wetland detectives [8 books]

39158 KT

PI 46 pce 2018 Pacific Edge

Written by Diane Swanson

Nature detectives - the living world science series - "The Sixth Street Wetland Detectives introduces readers to nature's wonderful wetlands. It shows how plants and animals interact and adapt to the wetland. It also teaches how living things depend on non-living things, such as water, light and soil. The book also presents examples of wetland fossils, Indigenous peoples' uses of wetlands and the ways people harm—and help—wetlands. By the end of the book, Amy, Edward and Jill want to help care for the wetland near their town. They find a way."—From back cover

First Nations; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Wetland animals; Wetland ecology; Wetland plants; Wetlands; Marshes

Skeletons : inside and out [8 books]

39960 KT

I 32 pce 2005 Pearson Education
Canada

Claire Daniel

Although you can't see your skeleton, it is a very important part of your body. Humans and many other animals have skeletons. Some animals even have a skeleton on the outside of their bodies.

Bones; Human body; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Skeleton; Human anatomy

Speaking our truth : a journey of reconciliation [8 books]

38672 KT

IJS 159 pce 2017 Orca Book
Publishers

Monique Gray Smith

"This nonfiction book examines how we can foster reconciliation with Indigenous people at individual, family, community and national levels"—Provided by publisher.

Canada–Race relations; First Nations; Indigenous peoples–Canada–History; Indigenous peoples–Canada–Government relations; Indigenous peoples–Canada–Residential schools; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies

Sto:lo, riparian forests and black bears [8 books]

38072 KT

IJS 32 pce 2017 Strong Nations
Publishing Inc

Rod Peters, Brenda Boreham and
Terri Mack

We are all connected Series - One book in a series that explores how we all live together in a shared balance upon Mother Earth. Features interviews with Indigenous people, responding to questions as to how their community interacts with the land

of their traditional territory. Ideal for use in inquiry-based learning. Also examines the riparian forest ecosystem – with a focus on the black bear and its adaptations for survival.

Black bears; First Nations; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Social Studies; Stó:lō (First Nations people); Stó:lō (First Nations people)—Interviews; Wetland ecology; Forest ecology

Take action

Activist art [16 books]

38437 KT

I 32 pce 2017 Scholastic Canada
Series Editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm

"Artists can have a big impact on the world around them, and kids can use art to make the world a better place, too! Activist Art explores how artists are using their art to raise awareness and take action on the issues that are important to them." From publisher's website. Each topic pack in Take Action includes a 32-page magazine-style book for students, anchor videos, and Teacher's Guide, and is designed for whole-class study with students working in small groups. Key features of Take Action: - built on inquiry and project-based learning - social justice action initiative for each topic - cross-curricular connections to literacy, social studies, science, arts, health, math, and citizenship - teaching support with strategies for deep comprehension, critical thinking, inquiry-based learning - a website for each title with anchor videos and additional supports.

Globalization–Social aspects; Inquiry-based learning; Political activists; Social Studies; Social action; Social justice; Social reformers; Youth; Social advocacy

Animal relations [16 books]

37301 KT

I 32 pce 2017 Scholastic
Series Editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm

Each topic pack in Take Action includes a 32-page magazine-style book for students, anchor videos, and Teacher's Guide, and is designed for whole-class study with students working in small groups. Key features of Take Action: - built on inquiry and project-based learning - social justice action initiative for each topic - cross-curricular connections to literacy, social studies, science, arts, health, math, and citizenship - teaching support with strategies for deep comprehension, critical thinking, inquiry-based learning - a website for each title with anchor videos and additional supports.

Animals–Social aspects; Critical thinking; Inquiry-based learning; Life science; Math; Numeracy; Social justice; Wildlife conservation; Social action

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

Are you hungry? [16 books]

37274 KT

I 32 pce 2016 Scholastic Series Editor - Jeffrey David Wilhelm Each topic pack in Take Action includes a 32-page magazine-style book for students, anchor videos, and Teacher's Guide, and is designed for whole-class study with students working in small groups. Key features of Take Action: - built on inquiry and project-based learning - social justice action initiative for each topic - cross-curricular connections to literacy, social studies, science, arts, health, math, and citizenship - teaching support with strategies for deep comprehension, critical thinking, inquiry-based learning - a website for each title with anchor videos and additional supports.

Critical thinking; Inquiry-based learning; Math; Numeracy; Science; Social Studies; Social justice; Social action

The best buy [16 books]

38439 KT

I 32 pce 2016 Scholastic Canada Series Editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm "The Best Buy explores the importance of being a responsible and ethical consumer, and being aware that the products and services we consume can make a difference to society, the environment, and the economy." From publisher's website. Each topic pack in Take Action includes a 32-page magazine-style book for students, anchor videos, and Teacher's Guide, and is designed for whole-class study with students working in small groups. Key features of Take Action: - built on inquiry and project-based learning - social justice action initiative for each topic - cross-curricular connections to literacy, social studies, science, arts, health, math, and citizenship - teaching support with strategies for deep comprehension, critical thinking, inquiry-based learning - a website for each title with anchor videos and additional supports.

Basic needs; Consumer education; Consumer goods; Consumers; Consumption (Economics)–Social aspects; Consumption (Economics)–Ethical aspects; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Young consumers

Community cares [16 books]

37178 KT

I 32 pce 2016 Scholastic Writer: Lisa vanDalsen Each topic pack in Take Action includes a 32-page magazine-style book for students, anchor videos, and Teacher's Guide, and is designed for whole-class study with students working in small groups. Key features of Take Action: - built on inquiry and project-based learning - social justice action initiative for each topic - cross-curricular connections to literacy,

social studies, science, arts, health, math, and citizenship - teaching support with strategies for deep comprehension, critical thinking, inquiry-based learning - a website for each title with anchor videos and additional supports.

Healthy schools; Inquiry-based learning; Math; Media literacy; Numeracy

Earth action [16 books]

37283 KT

I 32 pce 2016 Scholastic Series Editor - Jeffrey David Wilhelm Each topic pack in Take Action includes a 32-page magazine-style book for students, anchor videos, and Teacher's Guide, and is designed for whole-class study with students working in small groups. Key features of Take Action: - built on inquiry and project-based learning - social justice action initiative for each topic - cross-curricular connections to literacy, social studies, science, arts, health, math, and citizenship - teaching support with strategies for deep comprehension, critical thinking, inquiry-based learning - a website for each title with anchor videos and additional supports.

Critical thinking; Energy resources; Human influence on environment; Inquiry-based learning; Math; Numeracy; Science; Environmental protection; Conservation of natural resources; Social action

Earth action [8 books]

40875 KT

I 32 pce 2016 Scholastic Each topic pack in Take Action includes a 32-page magazine-style book for students, anchor videos, and Teacher's Guide, and is designed for whole-class study with students working in small groups. Key features of Take Action: - built on inquiry and project-based learning - social justice action initiative for each topic - cross-curricular connections to literacy, social studies, science, arts, health, math, and citizenship - teaching support with strategies for deep comprehension, critical thinking, inquiry-based learning - a website for each title with anchor videos and additional supports.

Inquiry-based learning; Social action–Study and teaching; Math; Science; Critical thinking; Human influence on environment; Conservation of natural resources; Numeracy; Environmental protection–Study and teaching; Energy resources; Environmental protection; Social action

Every drop counts: Why should we care about water? [16 books]

37185 KT

I 32 pce 2016 Scholastic Jill Bryant ; Molly Falconer ; Laura Peetoom Every Drop Counts kit - Why should we care about water? includes 8 magazine-style books designed for students to encourage deeper comprehension, critical thinking and inquiry based learning. Each topic pack in Take Action includes a 32-page magazine-style book for students, anchor videos, and Teacher's Guide, and is designed for whole-class study with students working in small groups. Key features of Take Action: - built on inquiry and project-based learning - social justice action initiative for each topic - cross-curricular connections to literacy, social studies, science, arts, health, math, and citizenship - teaching support with strategies for deep comprehension, critical thinking, inquiry-based learning - a website for each title with anchor videos and additional supports.

Conservation; Environment; Inquiry-based learning; Math; Numeracy; Science; Social justice

In our Hands [16 books]

37275 KT

I 32 pce 2016 Scholastic Series Editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm Each topic pack in Take Action includes a 32-page magazine-style book for students, anchor videos, and Teacher's Guide, and is designed for whole-class study with students working in small groups. Key features of Take Action: - built on inquiry and project-based learning - social justice action initiative for each topic - cross-curricular connections to literacy, social studies, science, arts, health, math, and citizenship - teaching support with strategies for deep comprehension, critical thinking, inquiry-based learning - a website for each title with anchor videos and additional supports.

Critical thinking; Inquiry-based learning; Math; Numeracy; Social Studies; Social justice; Globalization; Citizenship; Social action

Lead the way [16 books]

38440 KT

I 32 pce 2016 Scholastic Canada Series Editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm "Leaders for good can have a big impact on the world around them, and students can be these kinds of leaders, too! Lead the Way explores the qualities of a leader for good, offers Canadian and international examples, and discusses how leadership can start at a young age." From publisher's website. Each topic pack in Take Action includes a 32-page magazine-style book for

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

students, anchor videos, and Teacher's Guide, and is designed for whole-class study with students working in small groups. Key features of Take Action: - built on inquiry and project-based learning - social justice action initiative for each topic - cross-curricular connections to literacy, social studies, science, arts, health, math, and citizenship - teaching support with strategies for deep comprehension, critical thinking, inquiry-based learning - a website for each title with anchor videos and additional supports.

Communication; Inquiry-based learning; Interpersonal relations; Leadership; Social Studies; Social action

The media effect [16 books]

36908 KT
I 32 pce 2016 Scholastic
Writer: Lisa vanDalfsen
Each topic pack in Take Action includes a 32-page magazine-style book for students, anchor videos, and Teacher's Guide, and is designed for whole-class study with students working in small groups. Key features of Take Action: - built on inquiry and project-based learning - social justice action initiative for each topic - cross-curricular connections to literacy, social studies, science, arts, health, math, and citizenship - teaching support with strategies for deep comprehension, critical thinking, inquiry-based learning - a website for each title with anchor videos and additional supports.

Healthy schools; Inquiry-based learning; Mass media; Math; Media literacy; Numeracy

School for all [16 books]

38438 KT
I 32 pce 2016 Scholastic Canada
Series Editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm
"Education is a right, yet millions of children around the world are not in school. School for All explores why so many children can't go to school and how equal access to a quality education could change their lives." From publisher's website. Each topic pack in Take Action includes a 32-page magazine-style book for students, anchor videos, and Teacher's Guide, and is designed for whole-class study with students working in small groups. Key features of Take Action: - built on inquiry and project-based learning - social justice action initiative for each topic - cross-curricular connections to literacy, social studies, science, arts, health, math, and citizenship - teaching support with strategies for deep comprehension, critical thinking, inquiry-based learning - a website for each title with anchor videos and additional supports.

Children's rights; Education; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Social action

Your mind matters [16 books]

38436 KT
I 32 pce 2017 Scholastic Canada
Series Editor: Jeffrey David Wilhelm
"Mental health affects how we think, feel, act, and interact with each other. It affects so much in our lives, yet people find it difficult to talk about. Your Mind Matters explores what mental health is, what we can do to improve our mental health, and it also identifies mental illnesses and some ways people recover from them." From publisher's website. Each topic pack in Take Action includes a 32-page magazine-style book for students, anchor videos, and Teacher's Guide, and is designed for whole-class study with students working in small groups. Key features of Take Action: - built on inquiry and project-based learning - social justice action initiative for each topic - cross-curricular connections to literacy, social studies, science, arts, health, math, and citizenship - teaching support with strategies for deep comprehension, critical thinking, inquiry-based learning - a website for each title with anchor videos and additional supports.

Health; Health education; Inquiry-based learning; Mental illness; Students-Mental health; Teenagers-Mental health

Take action for reconciliation

Community ties [16 books]

37907 KT
PI 40 pce 2018 Scholastic Canada
This 16 student pack plus teacher's guide from the popular series called Take Action focuses on Indigenous communities across Canada, the need for reconciliation, and the actions people are taking to make a difference. Through these examples, students will realize that they too can have an impact and work towards reconciliation. Community ties looks at what makes communities strong? Exploring First Nations, Inuit, and Métis Cultures.

Community life; First Nations-Canada; First Nations-Culture; Indigenous peoples-Canada; Inquiry-based learning; Inuit-Canada; Métis-Canada; Social Studies; Social action

Path to Wellness : how is culture connected to wellness? [16 Books]

40864 KT
PIJ 40 pce 2019 Scholastic Canada
Introduces students to Indigenous cultures, perspectives, worldviews, and historical truths as a pathway to reconciliation. Introduces Indigenous wellness practices.

Inquiry-based learning; Mental health; First Nations; Aboriginal; Indigenous peoples-Canada; Canada-Ethnic relations; Social action

Time for a change [16 books]

38648 KT
IJS 44 pce 2019 Scholastic Canada
This 16 student pack plus teacher's guide from the popular series called Take Action focuses on Indigenous communities across Canada, the need for reconciliation, and the actions people are taking to make a difference. Through these examples, students will realize that they too can have an impact and work towards reconciliation. Time for a Change explores the histories of First Nations, Inuit, and Métis peoples in Canada and some of the challenges created by the Indian Residential School System and the Indian Act. The need for reconciliation is also explored, and the importance to all Canadians of finding their own path to reconciliation.

Canada-Ethnic relations-Study and teaching; First Nations-Government relations; First Nations-Claims; First Nations-Culture; First Nations-Culture; First contact with Europeans; Fur trade; Indigenous peoples-Canada; Inquiry-based learning; Inuit-Canada; Métis-Canada; Social Studies; Social action; Treaties

We are the land [16 books]

38324 KT
IJ 40 pce 2019 Scholastic Canada
This 16 student pack plus teacher's guide from the popular series called Take Action focuses on Indigenous communities across Canada, the need for reconciliation, and the actions people are taking to make a difference. Through these examples, students will realize that they too can have an impact and work towards reconciliation. We are the land explores Indigenous Peoples' relationship with the land. Explores First Nations, Inuit, and Métis Cultures.

Community life; First Nations-Canada; First Nations-Culture; Indigenous peoples-Canada; Inquiry-based learning; Inuit-Canada; Métis-Canada; Social Studies; Social action

Ten

For descriptions see individual titles:
The 10 boldest explorers [8 books] [36852]
The 10 greatest breakthroughs in space exploration [8 books] [36850]
The 10 greatest Canadian female trailblazers [8 books] [37839]
The 10 mightiest rivers [8 books] [36854]
The 10 Most Challenging World War Experiences [8 books] [38881]
The 10 most decisive battles [8 books] [36856]
The 10 most incredible landforms [8 books] [36853]
The 10 most outstanding Canadian entrepreneurs [8 books] [38880]
The 10 most outstanding Canadian symbols [8 books] [38882]

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

The 10 most significant conflicts on Canadian soil [8 books] [36849]
The 10 most significant crossroads in Aboriginal history [8 books] [36855]
The 10 most significant documents in history [8 books] [38942]
The 10 most wondrous ancient sites [8 books] [36857]
The 10 worst natural disasters [8 books] [36848]

Ten. Discovery series

For descriptions see individual titles:

The 10 coolest Canadian works of art [8 books] [37308]
The 10 coolest castles [8 books] [38941]
The 10 greatest early civilizations [8 books] [37278]
The 10 most amazing lost cities [8 books] [37281]
The 10 most amazing places in Canada [8 books] [37307]
The 10 most awesome ecosystems [8 books] [37311]
The 10 most bizarre space experiments [8 books] [37282]
The 10 most extreme animal habitats [8 books] [37310]
The 10 most futuristic cities [8 Books] [41988]
The 10 most groundbreaking journeys [8 Books] [41987]
The 10 most important decisions in Canadian history [8 books] [38878]
The 10 most outstanding young Canadians [8 books] [37685]
The 10 most powerful forces of nature [8 books] [37306]
The 10 most remarkable rocks and minerals [8 books] [37309]

This is Your Brain on Stereotypes : how science is tackling unconscious bias [8 Books]

41011 KT

IJS 88 pce 2020 Kids Can Press
Written by Tanya Lloyd Kyi
Introduces how to recognize stereotypes and how to combat them.

Physical and health education;
Inquiry-based learning;
Discrimination; Social Studies;
Prejudices; English/Language Arts;
Science; Stereotype-(Social Psychology)

Threats to Health [16 Books]

38302 KT

IJS 40 pce 2014 Scholastic Canada
Dona Foucault

Issues 21 Series - What are the greatest risks to our health? What are some of the lifestyle choices we make that threaten our health and the health of others? What changes can we make to our lifestyle to improve our health? These questions and more are introduced in this kit.

Health education; Inquiry-based learning; Science; Social Studies

Threats to Health [8 Books]

40877 KT

IJS 40 pce 2014 Scholastic Canada
Dona Foucault

Issues 21 Series - What are the greatest risks to our health? What are some of the lifestyle choices we make that threaten our health and the health of others? What changes can we make to our lifestyle to improve our health? These questions and more are introduced in this kit.

Inquiry-based learning; Health education; Social Studies; English/Language Arts; Science

Trash revolution : breaking the waste cycle [8 books]

38680 KT

PIJ 64 pce 2018 Kids Can Press
Erica Fyvie

"All the stuff that surrounds us has a life cycle: materials are harvested, the stuff is made and distributed, it's consumed and then it gets trashed or recycled. Using the typical contents of a child's school backpack (defined as water, food, clothing, paper, plastic, metals, electronics), this book explores those stages in detail, including lots of ways to reduce, reuse or recycle waste along the way."—Provided by publisher.

Conservation of natural resources;
Inquiry-based learning; Recycling;
Refuse and refuse disposal;
Science; Waste products

Trash talk : moving toward a zero-waste world [8 books]

38386 KT

IJS 48 pce 2015 Orca Book Publishers

Michelle Mulder

Orca footprints Series - This illustrated book of nonfiction shows how people all over the world are working to keep our planet from drowning in a sea of garbage.

Inquiry-based learning; Recycling;
Refuse and refuse disposal;
Science

The Truth About Crocodiles [8 Books]

40804 KT

P 2019 Roaring Brook Press
Written by Maxwell Eaton

Introduces crocodiles, discussing the three different families of crocodilians, their physical characteristics, where they live, what they eat, and how they care for their young"—OCLC.

Inquiry-based learning; Crocodiles—behavior; Crocodiles—habitations; English/Language Arts; Crocodiles; Science

* Turtle Island : the story of North America's first people [6 Books]

41459 KT

IJ 116 pce 2017 Annick Press
Written by Eldon Yellowhorn & Kathy Lowinger.

Discover the amazing story of the Indigenous peoples of the Americas from the end of the Ice Age to the arrival of the Europeans.

Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies; Aboriginal; English/Language Arts; Native Americans—North America—History; First Nations—History; Lowinger, Kathy,—author; Fur trade; First Nations—First contact with Europeans

Violence in the media [16 books]

38883 KT

J 40 pce 2014 Rubicon Publishing Inc., Scholastic
Glen Downey

Issues 21 Series - What are the consequences of our exposure to media violence? What attracts us to media violence? What dangers does media violence pose? What can we do to reduce the impact of media violence? These questions and more are introduced in this kit.

Inquiry-based learning; Mass media; Social Studies; Violence; Violence in mass media

We are a community [6 books]

37517 KT

P 16 pce 2015 Strong Nations Publishing Inc

by Brenda Boreham and Terri Mack
From the mountains to the sea Series - This book is about a river. Most rivers start high up in the mountains. As the water comes downhill, it makes little pathways in the rocks and gravel. As the pathways get bigger, they join to make streams. When several streams join, they make a river. Some rivers have waterfalls and deep pools. In some places, fast moving water tumbles over rocks forming rapids. When a river leaves the mountain for flatter ground it starts to slow down. Eventually, a river ends when it flows into the sea. From the Mountains to the Sea: We Are a Community is a Grade 2 resource which covers all of your Aboriginal Learning Standards in both science and social studies within the new BC curriculum.

Big books; Community; First Nations—Study and teaching; Inquiry-based learning; River ecology; Salmon; Salmon—Life cycles; Science; Social Studies

We are all connected

For descriptions see individual titles:
Coast Salish, coastal rainforests and cougars [8 books] [38068]
The earth, our home [8 books] [38074]

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)

The earth, we share [8 books]
[38073]
Haisla, rivers and chinook salmon [8
books] [37918]
Inuit, tundra and ravens [8 books]
[38069]
Lakota, mixed grasslands and bald
eagles [8 books] [37919]
Métis, wetlands and mallards [8
books] [38071]
Nisga'a, ponds and leopard frogs [8
books] [38070]
Nlaka'pamux, grasslands and
rattlesnakes [8 books] [37920]
Sto:lo, riparian forests and black
bears [8 books] [38072]

We are the Shuswap [6 books]

37901 KT
PIJS 94 pce 1988 Secwepemc
Cultural Education Societ
Siska, Heather Smith
Includes information and photographs
of the Shuswap or Secwepemc way of
life. Contains seasonally based stories
interspersed with factual information.
First Nations—British Columbia;
Inquiry-based learning; Secwepemc
(First Nations people)—Social life
and customs; Secwepemc (First
Nations people)—Study and
teaching; Social Studies

We live here [6 books]

37755 KT
PIJ 16 pce 2015 Strong Nations
Publishing Inc
Brenda Boreham and Terri Mack
From the mountains to the sea Series
- In this book, readers look at how a
river starts high up in the mountains
as a variety of small pathways of
water that join together and gradually
gets larger until it ends when it flows
into the sea. Readers will explore
plants and animals in and around the
river – cedar trees, salmon, bears,
eagles, and orcas.

Bears; Bears—Pictorial works; Big
books; Cedar; Cedar—Pictorial
works; Eagles; Eagles—Pictorial
works; First Nations—Study and
teaching; Inquiry-based learning;
Killer whales; Killer whales—
Pictorial works; River ecology;
Salmon; Salmon—Pictorial works

What color is your parachute? for teens [8 books]

38616 KT
JS 184 pce 2015 Ten Speed Press
Carol Christen
"This updated career guide for teens
draws on the principles of What Color
Is Your Parachute? to help high
school and college students zero in on
their favorite skills and find their
perfect major or career. No idea what
you want to be? No worries! This fun,
rewarding guide draws on the time-
tested principles of the career classic
What Color Is Your Parachute? to
help you discover your passions, skills,
and potential college majors and
dream jobs. Why now? Because
when you identify your interests and

passions early, you can make
informed decisions on what additional
schooling (and tuition debt) makes
sense for your chosen field. With
fresh updates on the specific
challenges of today's job-market, this
new edition features activities and
advice on information interviewing,
social media, internships, and more.
Most importantly, it's packed with big-
picture advice that will set you up to
land the job that's perfect for who you
are—and who you want to be." From
Publisher's website.

Career and Personal Planning;
Employment; Inquiry-based
learning; Occupations; Professions;
Vocational guidance; Job hunting

*What do we eat? : how humans find, grow and share food [8 books]

42346 KT
IJS 87 pce 2024 Orca Book
Publishers
written by Megan Clendenan
Imagine carrying meals with you as
you parachute into a war zone. Or
trying to stay well fed while building
the pyramids. People have always
found ways to work together to put a
meal on the table. What Do We Eat?
is a ... of human creativity and
cooperation, wrapped up in ... slices
of history, with a look at what
scientists and inventors are cooking
for the future. We are gobbling up
Earth's resources, and food is not
shared equally. But today there's a
magic tree transforming the dry
African plains, food "ambulances" on
the move and cities that have declared
access to food a human right.

Inquiry-based learning; Social
Studies; Food supply; Science;
Eating customs; Critical thinking;
Food

What's the buzz? : keeping bees in flight [8 books]

38387 KT
IJS 48 pce 2015 Orca Book
Publishers
Merrie-Ellen Wilcox
Orca footprints Series - Discusses the
features, habits, and pollination efforts
of different types of bees. Also
explores the ways people are trying to
save bee populations.

Bees; Inquiry-based learning;
Science; Beekeeping; Beehives

Wild buildings and bridges : architecture inspired by nature [8 books]

38771 KT
PIJ 40 pce 2018 Kids Can Press
Etta Kaner ; Carl Wiens
"Many architects today are looking to
plants and animals to help solve their
design challenges. Inspired by how
nature already works, these architects
are coming up with innovative ways to
cool buildings, withstand earthquakes
and save energy. In [this book], [the
author] explores these . . . feats of

architecture. Kids will discover
buildings and bridges inspired by
cactuses, beetles, termite towers,
trees, grass, and more. In some
cases, nature has thought of it first,
like a flood-proof house that floats like
a water lily leaf. Nature's beauty has
also inspired buildings that look like a
lotus flower, a bird's nest and even an
armadillo"—Provided by publisher.

Architectural design; Architecture—
Environmental aspects; Building;
Inquiry-based learning; Nature;
Bridges

Winter solstice - Provocation table [6 books]

37845 KT
PI 24 pce 2014 Strong Nations
Publishing Inc
Terri Mack
This kit includes a provocation guide
sheet as well as 6 copies of the book,
Mouse celebrates the winter solstice.
First Nations—Folklore; First
Nations—Rites and ceremonies;
Inquiry-based learning; Provocation
tables; Science; Seasons—Religious
aspects; Stories in rhyme;
Winter—Religious aspects

Wolf Island [8 books]

38422 KT
PI 2017 Orca Book Publishers
Ian McAllister
The Great Bear Rainforest is a
majestic place full of tall trees, huge
bears and endless schools of salmon.
Award-winning photographer and
author Ian McAllister's luminous
photographs illustrate the story of a
lone wolf who swims to one of the
small islands that dot the rainforest's
coast. The island provides him with
everything he needs—deer, salmon,
fresh water—everything, that is, but a
mate. When a female wolf arrives on
the island's rocky shores, she and he
start a family and introduce their pups
to the island's bounty.

Great Bear Rainforest (B.C.);
Inquiry-based learning; Rain forest
ecology; Rain forests; Science;
Wolves

Working in Canadian communities

Jobs in Canadian cities [8 books]

38312 KT
PIJ 24 pce 2017 Beech Street
Books
By Diane Bailey
Discusses the variety of jobs found in
Canadian cities.
Cities and towns; City and town
life—Canada; Inquiry-based
learning; Labor—Canada;
Occupations; Occupations—Canada

Jobs in rural Canada [8 books]

38313 KT

PIJ 24 pce 2017 Beech Street Books

By Todd Kortemeier

Discusses the variety of jobs found in rural communities across Canada.

Country life–Canada; Inquiry-based learning; Labor–Canada; Occupations; Occupations–Canada

Jobs in small town Canada [8 books]

38314 KT

PIJ 24 pce 2017 Beech Street Books

By Samantha S. Bell

Discusses the variety of jobs found in small towns across Canada.

Cities and towns; City and town life–Canada; Inquiry-based learning; Labor–Canada; Occupations; Occupations–Canada

Jobs in suburban Canada [8 books]

38315 KT

PIJ 24 pce 2017 Beech Street Books

By Todd Kortemeier

Discusses the variety of jobs found in suburban communities across Canada.

Inquiry-based learning; Labor–Canada; Occupations; Occupations–Canada; Suburban life; Suburbs

The world around us**On our nature walk : our first talk about our impact on the environment [8 books]**

39183 KT

PI 2020 Orca Book Publishers

Dr. Jillian Roberts

". . . introduces children to the important topic of the environment. Crafted around a conversation between a grade-school-aged child and an adult, this inquiry-focused book using age-appropriate language and tone will help children shape their understanding of the natural world and how they participate in protecting it . . . starts the discussion with the types of pollution and trash that children might notice on a nature walk or a trip to the beach, how they are caused and how to work to improve things in their own lives and communities"—Provided by publisher.

First Nations; Human ecology; Human influence on nature; Inquiry-based learning; Science

Inquiry (cross-curricular packs)**Wow Canada!: exploring this land from coast to coast to coast [8 books]**

37191 KT

IJ 160 pce 2009 Owlkids

Vivien Bowers

The reader is invited to join a twelve-year-old girl and her family on a province-by-province exploration of Canada.

Canada; Canada–Description; Canada–Geography; Inquiry-based learning; Social Studies

The Yavapai...people of the sun : Volume 4 [8 Books]

40598 KT

IJS 163 pce 2021 4 CANOES

Canoe Kids Series - Text and photographs look at the Yavapai peoples of the west central United States.

Inquiry-based learning; Haida (First Nations people)–Periodical; Native Americans; Haida (First Nations people)–Social life and customs; Aboriginal

You Wouldn't Want to Live Without Robots! [8 Books]

40810 KT

PI 32 pce 2019 Franklin Watts

Written by Ian Graham

"Robots are machines that can be programmed to carry out a series of complex actions automatically or under the control of an operator. They come in all shapes and sizes, from mechanical arms and driverless vehicles to walking, talking, artificial people. Discover how robots are helping humanity by doing dangerous jobs, exploring remote places, and becoming our helpers and companions"—Provided by publisher.

Inquiry-based learning; Robots; Science