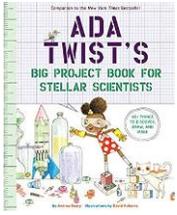


## 2018 LIBRARIAN FAVORITES: NON-FICTION



### ***Ada Twist's Big Project Book for Stellar Scientists* by Andrea Beaty**

For curious young minds who ask why? how? what? when? and then why? again and again, the bestselling team behind Ada Twist, Scientist has developed a STEM project book based on the beloved character. Ada herself will take readers through the scientific method and introduce them to some of her favorite sciences, including chemistry, botany, astronomy, and environmental science.



### ***An Anthology of Intriguing Animals* by Ben Hoare**

Containing more than 100 species, this beautiful modern bestiary lets you find the animals that interest you, and possibly uncover a new favorite along the way. Filled with spectacular photographs and fun facts.



### ***The Atlas Obscura Explorer's Guide for the World's Most Adventurous Kid* by Dylan Thuras**

Travel the world in this thrilling guide to 100 of the world's wonders, both natural and manmade, including Mexico's glittering cave of crystals, a 355-foot waterfall in Zambia, and Brazil's Snake Island.



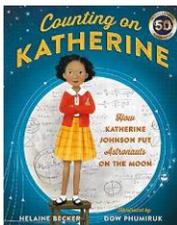
### ***Backpack Explorer: On the Nature Trail* by the editors of Storey Publishing**

Jump-start curiosity with this take-along field guide for children ages 4 and up.



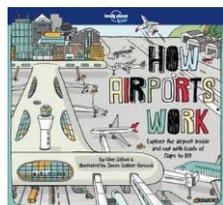
### ***The Big Book of the Blue* by Yuval Zommer**

Alongside everything the young oceanographer needs to know, Zommer's charming illustrations bring to life some of the slipperiest, scaliest, strangest, and most monstrous underwater animals.



### ***Counting on Katherine: How Katherine Johnson Saved Apollo 13* by Helaine Becker**

The bold story of Katherine Johnson, an African-American mathematician who worked for NASA during the space race and was depicted in the film *Hidden Figures*.

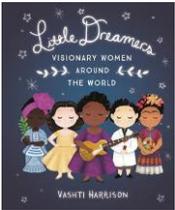


### ***How Airports Work* by Clive Gifford**

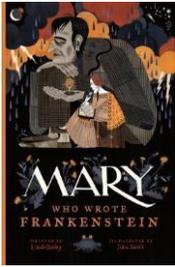
Get ready for takeoff! Unfold the pages and lift the flaps of this fact-packaged book to explore the busy world of airports.



**Joan Procter, Dragon Doctor: The Woman Who Loved Reptiles** by Patricia Valdez  
A fascinating picture book biography of a pioneering female scientist--who loved reptiles!



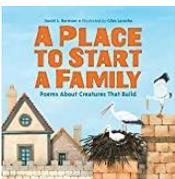
**Little Dreamers: Visionary Women Around the World** by Vashti Harrison  
Featuring the true stories of women creators and thinkers from around the world, throughout history, this book shows that sometimes seeing things a little differently can lead to big changes.



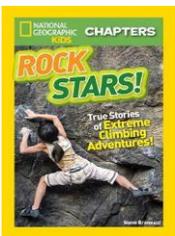
**Mary, Who Wrote Frankenstein** by Linda Bailey  
This atmospheric picture book tells the inspiring story of the girl who created one of the most famous novels - and monsters - ever.



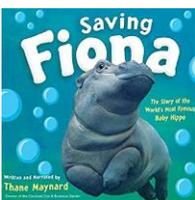
**Natural History Collector: Hunt, Discover, Learn!** by Michael Sanchez  
Loaded with hands-on, kid-friendly projects, *Natural History Collector: Hunt, Discover, Learn!* will teach budding nature collectors techniques for cleaning, caring for, and displaying discovered treasures.



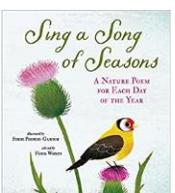
**A Place to Start a Family: Poems About Creatures That Build** by David L. Harrison  
A poetry collection introducing animal architects that build remarkable structures in order to attract a mate and have babies. Great for curious kids who want to explore the animal world!



**Rock Stars! True Stories of Extreme Climbing Adventures** by Steve Bramucci  
From Yosemite National Park to the towering Himalaya, no mountain is too high for these extreme rock climbers! With true stories of incredible adventures, readers explore three amazing, adventure filled journeys.



**Saving Fiona: The Story of the World's Most Famous Baby Hippo** by Thane Maynard  
Describes the life of Fiona, a baby hippopotamus who was born prematurely and raised by humans at the Cincinnati Zoo, and details how the hippo became a worldwide Internet sensation. Includes general information about hippos as a species.

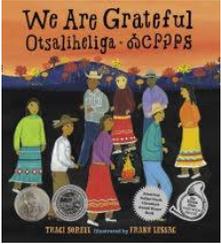


**Sing a Song of Seasons: A Nature Poem for Each Day of the Year** selected by Fiona Waters  
Contains 366 nature poems--one for every day of the year. Filled with familiar favorites and new discoveries by a vast array of poets, including Langston Hughes, Lilian Moore, Emily Dickinson, Jack Prelutsky, William Shakespeare, N.M. Bodecker, Kanoko Okamoto, and many more.



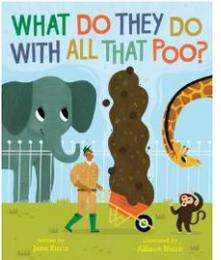
***Spring After Spring: How Rachel Carson Inspired the Environmental Movement*** by Stephanie Roth Sisson

Spring After Spring traces Rachel's journey as scientist and writer, courageously speaking truth to an often hostile world through her book, and ultimately paving the way for the modern environmental movement



***We Are Grateful: Otsaliheliga*** by Traci Sorell

Otsaliheliga is a Cherokee word that is used to express gratitude. Journey through the year with a Cherokee family and their tribal nation as they express thanks for celebrations big and small. A look at modern Native American life as told by a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.



***What Do They Do With All that Poo?*** by Jane Kurtz

There are so many different kinds of animals at the zoo, and they each make lots and lots (and sometimes LOTS!) of poo. So what do zoos *do* with all of that poo? This zany, fact-filled romp explores zoo poo, from cube-shaped wombat poo to white hyena scat, and all of the places it ends up.