



## 2021 Book List

# Wrapped Up in Reading

**This summer** travel through time and across the globe with great children's literature selected for its connection to the Carlos Museum's collections and exhibitions, the stories of civilizations.

### Picture Books

#### New!

***We Are Still Here! Native American Truths Everyone Should Know*** by Traci Sorell and illustrated by Frané Lessac. Charlesbridge 2021.

***The Life of the Buddha*** by Heather Sanche and illustrated by Tara di Gesu. Bala Kids, 2020.

***Catch That Chicken*** by Atinuke and illustrated by Angela Brooksbank. Candlewick, 2020.

***The Arabic Quilt: an Immigrant Story*** by Aya Khalil and illustrated by Anait Semirdzhyan. Tilbury House Publishers, 2020.

***Walk this Underground World*** by Kate Baker and illustrated by Sam Brewster. Big Picture Press, 2019.

#### ***Under the Great Plum Tree***

by Sufiya Ahmed and illustrated by Reza Dalvand. HMH Tiny Owl Publishing, 2020.

***The Fabled Life of Aesop: The Extraordinary Journey and Collected Tales of the World's Greatest Storyteller*** by Ian Lendler and illustrated by Pamela Zagarenski. HMH Books For Young Readers, 2020.

***The Proudest Blue: A Story of Hijab and Family*** by Ibtihaj Muhammad and illustrated by Hatem Aly. Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, 2019.

***Priya Dreams of Marigolds & Marsala*** by Meenal Patel. Beaver's Pond, 2019.

#### ***The Boy Who Grew a Forest:***

***The True Story of Jadav Payeng*** by Sophia Gholz and illustrated by Kayla Harren. Sleeping Bear Press, 2019.

***At the Mountain's Base*** by Traci Sorell (Cherokee) and illustrated by Weshoyot Avitre (Tongva). Random House, 2019.

***We Are Water Protectors*** by Carole Lindstrom (Anishinaabe/Métis) and illustrated by Michaela Goade (Tlingit). Roaring Brook Press, 2020.

#### Recommended by a Reader

***Crescent Moons and pointed minarets: A Muslim Book of Shapes*** by Hena Khan and illustrated by Mehrdokht Amini. Chronicle Books, 2018.



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**Let's Go, Pegasus!** by Jean Marzollo.  
Little, Brown Books for Young  
Readers, 2006.

**Perennial Favorites**

**Cleo and Cornelius: A Tale of  
Two Cities and Two Kitties** by  
Elizabeth Nicholson, Janine Pibal,  
Nick Geller, and illustrated by  
Michelle Theis. Getty Publications,  
2018.

**Mummy Cat** by Marcus Ewert and  
illustrated by Lisa Brown. Clarion  
Books, 2015.

**We're Sailing Down the Nile** by  
Laurie Krebs and illustrated by Anne  
Wilson. Barefoot Books, 2008.

**Gilgamesh the King, The Revenge  
of Ishtar, and The Last Quest of  
Gilgamesh** by Ludmila Zeman.  
Tundra, 1998.

**The Water Princess: Based on  
the Childhood Experience  
of Georgie Badiel** by Susan Verde  
and illustrated by Peter H. Reynolds.  
G.P. Putnam's Sons, 2016.

**Chicken in the Kitchen** by  
Nnedi Okorafor and illustrated  
by Mehrdokht Amini. Lantana  
Publishing, 2015.

**Ganesh's Sweet Tooth** by Sanjay  
Patel and Emily Haynes. Chronicle  
Books, 2012.

**I Once Was a Monkey: Stories  
Buddha Told** by Jeanne M. Lee.  
Farrar, Straus, Giroux, 1999.

**A Boy and A Jaguar** by Alan  
Rabinowitz and illustrated by Cátia  
Chien. Houghton Mifflin Harcourt,  
2014.

**Kunu's Basket: A Story from  
Indian Island** by Francis Lee DeCora  
and illustrated by Susan Drucker.  
Tilbury House, 2012.

**How Raven Stole the Sun** by Maria  
Williams (Tlingit) and illustrated by  
Felix Vigil (Jicarilla Apache/Jemez  
Pueblo). Abbeville Press, 2001.

**Try These!**

**Star Stories: Constellations Tales  
from around the World** by Anita  
Ganeri and illustrated by Andy Wilx.  
Running Press Kids, 2019.

**Lailah's Lunchbox: a Ramadan  
Story** by Reem Faruqi and illustrated  
by Lea Lyon. Tilbury House  
Publishers, 2015.

**Every Tree Has a Story** by Cécile  
Benoist and illustrated by Charlotte  
Gaufaut. Downtown Bookworks,  
2019.

**Anansi the Spider: a Tale from  
the Ashanti** by Gerald McDermott.  
Henry Holt and Company, 2017.

**The King with Dirty Feet** by Sally  
Pomme Clayton and illustrated by  
Rhiannon Sanderson. Otter-Barry  
Books, 2018.

**The Little Hippo** by Anja Klauss and  
illustrated by Geraldine Elschner.  
Prestel, 2014.

**The Knight, the Princess, and the  
Magic Rock: A Classic Persian Tale**  
by Sara Azizi and illustrated by  
Alireza Sadeghian. Wisdom Tales,  
2012.

**King David and Akavish the  
Spider** by Sylvia Rouss and illustrated  
by Ari Binus. Apple & Honey Press,  
2015.

**Lila and the Secret of Rain** by David  
Conway and illustrated by Jude Daly.  
Frances Lincoln Children's Books,  
2011.

**Hanuman's Ramayana** retold by  
Devdutt Pattanaik and illustrated by  
Nancy Raj. Tulika Publishers, 2009.

**The Llama's Secret: A Peruvian  
Legend** by Argentina Palacios and  
illustrated by Charles Reasoner.  
Troll Associates, 1993.

**Itse Selu: Cherokee Harvest  
Festival** by Daniel Pennington  
and illustrated by Don Stewart.  
Charlesbridge, 1994.

**Bilingual Books**

**New!**

**Cuckoo/Cucu: a Mexican Folktale/  
un Cuento Folklorico Mexicano** by  
Lois Ehlert and translated by Gloria  
de Aragón Andújar. HMH books,  
2000. (English/Spanish).

**We Are Grateful/Otsaliheliga** by  
Traci Sorell (Cherokee) and  
illustrated by Frané Lessac.  
Charlesbridge, 2018. (English/  
Cherokee).

**Wild Berries/Pakwa Che Menisu**  
by Julie Flett (Cree/Métis). Simply  
Read Books, 2013. (English/Swampy  
Cree)



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### Perennial Favorites

**Dorje the Yak** by Caryn Hartman, illustrated by Lexi Vay, and translated by Gangkar Lhamo. Pema Publishing, 2019. (English/Tibetan)

**I Know the River Loves Me/ Yo Sé Que El Río Me Ama** by Maya Christina Gonzalez. Lee & Low Books, 2009. (English/Spanish)

**Maria Had a Little Llama/María Tenía una Llamita** by Angela Dominguez. Henry Holt & Co., 2013. (English/Spanish)

**Tasunka: A Lakota Horse Legend** by Donald F. Montileaux. South Dakota State Historical Society, 2014. (English/Lakota).

### Early Readers

#### New!

**Feathered Serpent and the Five Suns: A Mesoamerican Creation Myth** by Duncan Tonatiuh. Abrams Books for Young Readers, 2020.

**The Gita and You** by Sheila Dhir. Harper Children's, 2020.

**The Secrets of Tutankhamun: Egypt's Boy King and his Incredible Tomb** by Patricia Cleveland-Pack and illustrated by Isabel Greenberg. Bloomsbury Children's Books, 2018.

**The Genius of Islam: How Muslims Made the Modern World** by Bryn Barnard. Knopf Books for Young Readers, 2013.

### Adventures with Hanuman

by Arshia Sattar and illustrated by Sunaina Coelho. Rupa Publications, 2013.

**A Walk on the Shoreline** by Rebecca Hainnu (Inuk) and illustrated by Qin Leng. Inhabit Media, 2015.

**Bull Trout's Gift** by the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes and illustrated by Sashay Camel. University of Nebraska Press, 2011.

### Recommended by a Reader

**If You Were A Kid Building a Pyramid** by Lawrence Schimel and illustrated by Jenn Ely. Scholastic Children's Press, 2017.

### A Classic Collection

**D'Aulaire's Book of Greek Myths** by Ingri and Edgar Parin d'Aulaire. Doubleday Books for Young Readers; first published, 1962.

### Perennial Favorites

**Tut's Mummy: Lost...and Found** by Judy Donnelly. Random House Books for Young Readers, 1988.

**Pompeii--Buried Alive** by Edith Kunhardt Davis. Random House Books for Young Readers, 1987.

**The Trojan Horse: How the Greeks Won the War** by Emily Little. Random House Books for Young Readers, 1988.

**Trail of Tears** by Joseph Bruchac. Random House Books for Young Readers, 1999.

### DK Eyewitness Books:

**Ancient Greece** by Anne Pearson. DK Children, 2014.

### DK Eyewitness Books:

**Ancient Egypt** by George Hart. DK Children, 2014.

### DK Eyewitness Books:

**Mesopotamia** by Philip Steele. DK Children, 2007.

### DK Eyewitness Books:

**Mummy** by James Putnam. DK Children, 2009.

### DK Eyewitness Books:

**Ancient Rome** by Simon James. DK Children, 2008.

### DK Eyewitness Books:

**Ancient Rome** by Elizabeth Baquedano. DK Children, 2005.

**Greece! Rome! Monsters!** by John Harris and illustrated by Calef Brown. Getty Publications, 2002.

**Mummies Made in Egypt** by Aliko. Reading Rainbow Books, 1985.

### Howard and the Mummy:

**Howard Carter and the Search for King Tut's Tomb** by Tracy Fern and illustrated by Boris Kulikov. Macmillan, 2018.

**Anubis Speaks! A Guide to the Afterlife by the Egyptian God of the Dead** by Vicky Alvear Shecter and illustrated by Antoine Revoy. Boyd Mills Press, 2013.

**Exploring the Life, Myth, and Art of Ancient Egypt** by Joann Fletcher. Rosen Publishing, 2009 (available on PINES at Georgia Public Libraries).

**The Amazing Travels of Ibn**



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**Battuta** by Fatima Sharafeddine and illustrated by Intelaq Mohammed Ali. Groundwood Books, 2014.

**Aïda** told by Leontyne Price and illustrated by Leo and Diane Dillon. Voyager Books, 1990.

**Mama Miti: A True Story of Wangari Maathai and the Trees of Kenya** by Donna Jo Napoli and illustrated by Kadir Nelson. Simon & Schuster, 2010.

**Ramayana: Divine Loophole** by Sanjay Patel. Chronicle Books, 2010.

**The Story of Divaali** retold by Jatinder Verma and illustrated by Nilesh Mistry. Barefoot Books, 2002.

**The Chiru of High Tibet: A True Story** by Jacqueline Briggs Martin and illustrated by Linda Wingerter. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2010.

**The Corn Grows Ripe** by Dorothy Rhoads. Puffin Newbery Library, 1993.

**Saltypie: A Choctaw Journey from Darkness to Light** by Tim Tingle (Choctaw) and illustrated by Karen Clarkson (Choctaw). Cinco Puntos Press, 2010.

**Try These!**

**The Story of Gilgamesh** by Yiyun Li and illustrated by Marco Lorenzetti. Pushkin Children's books, 2016.

**Treasury of Egyptian Mythology: Classic Stories of Gods, Goddesses, Monsters & Mortals** by Donna Jo Napoli and illustrated by Christina Balit. National Geographic Kids, 2013.

**The Barefoot Book of Buddhist Tales** by Alexandra Kohn and illustrated by Marie Cameron. Gardners Books, 1999.

**Bright-Eyed Athena in the Stories of Ancient Greece** by Richard Woff. British Museum Press, 1999.

**Roman Myths** retold by Geraldine McCaughrean and illustrated by Emma Chichester Clark. Margaret K. McElderry, 2001.

**The Twelve Labors of Hercules** by James Riordan and Christina Balit. Francis Lincoln Ltd, 1997.

**Hades Speaks! A Guide to the Underworld by the Greek God of the Dead** by Vicky Alvear Shecter and illustrated by Antoine Revoy. Boyd Mills Press, 2014.

**Wise Fool: Fables from the Islamic World** by Shahrukh Husain and illustrated by Micha Archer. Barefoot Books, 2015.

**Nelson Mandela's Favorite African Folktales** Nelson Mandela, editor. W.W. Norton, 2002.

**Sundiata: Lion King of Mali** by David Wisniewski. Clarion Books, 1992.

**Himalaya** by Tenzing Norbu Lama. Groundwood Books, 2002.

**The Girl from Chimel** by Rigoberta Menchú with Dante Liano and illustrated by Domi. Groundwood Books, 2014.

**Ancient America** by Cathryn J. Long. Greenhaven Publishing, 2002 (available on PINES at Georgia Public Libraries).

**The Upright Revolution** by Ngugi wa Thiong'o. Translated by Sunandini Banerjee. Seagull Books, 2019.

**Chapter Books**

**New!**

**Children of Blood and Bone** by Tomi Adeyemi. Henry Holt and Co. 2018.

**The Ancient Inca (People of the Ancient World)** by Patricia Calvert. Franklin Watts, 2005.

**Warrior Queens: True Stories of Six Ancient Rebels Who Slayed History** by Vicky Alvear Shecter and illustrated by Bill Mayer. Boyds Mills Press, 2019.

**Shuri: A Black Panther Novel** by Nic Stone. Scholastic, 2020.

**Tristan Strong Punches a Hole in the Sky** by Kwame Mbalia. Rick Riordan Presents, Disney-Hyperion, 2019.

**Ramayana: An Illustrated Retelling** by Arshia Sattar and illustrated by Sonali Zohra. Yonder, 2018.

**Pandava series: Aru Shah and the Tree of Wishes** by Roshani Chokshi. Rick Riordan Presents, Disney-Hyperion, 2020.

**Race to the Sun** by Rebecca Roanhorse. Rick Riordan Presents, Disney-Hyperion, 2020.



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**Recommended by a Librarian**

**Once Upon an Eid: Stories of Hope and Joy by 15 Muslim Voices** S. K. Ali & Aisha Said, editors. Amulet, 2020.

**Perennial Favorites**

**Heroes series: Odysseus, Perseus, Hercules, Theseus** retold by Geraldine McCaughrean. Cricket Books, 2005.

**Pegasus series** by Kate O'Hearn. Aladdin, 2013–2017.

**Percy Jackson and the Olympians series** by Rick Riordan. Disney-Hyperion, 2005–2008.

**Heroes of Olympus series** by Rick Riordan. Disney-Hyperion, 2010–2014.

**The Trials of Apollo series** by Rick Riordan. Disney-Hyperion, 2016–2019.

**The Kane Chronicles series** by Rick Riordan. Disney-Hyperion/Puffin Books, 2010–2012.

**Akata Witch and Akata Warrior** by Nnedi Okorafor. Speak Publishing, 2011 and 2017.

**A Long Walk To Water** by Linda Sue Park. Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, 2010.

**Pandava series: Aru Shah and the End of Time and Aru Shah and the Song of Death** by Roshani Chokshi. Rick Riordan Presents, Disney-Hyperion, 2018 and 2019.

**The Storm Runner** by J.C. Cervantes. Rick Riordan Presents, Disney-Hyperion, 2018.

**Birchbark House series** by Louise Erdrich. Hyperion for Children, 1999–2016.

**Try These!**

**Long Walk to Water** by Linda Sue Park. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2011.

**Goddess Girls series** by Joan Holub and Suzanne Williams. Aladdin, 2010–2018.

**Heroes in Training series** by Joan Holub and Suzanne Williams. Aladdin, 2013–18.

**Alexander the Great Rocks the World** by Vicky Alvear Shecter. Darby Creek Publishing, 2006.

**Horus and the Curse of Everlasting Regret** by Hannah Voskuil. Knopf Books for Young Readers, 2016.

**Facing the Lion: Growing Up Maasai on the African Savanna** by Joseph Lemasolai Lekuton and Herman Viola. National Geographic Children's Books, 2005.

**Twenty Jataka Tales** by Noor Inayat Khan. Pilgrims Publishing, 2005.

**Popol Vuh: A Sacred Book of the Maya** by Victor Montejo and illustrated by Luis Garay. Greenwood, 1999.

**The Ugly One** by Leanne Statland Ellis. Clarion Books, 2015.

**Long-Ago Stories of the Eastern Cherokee** by Lloyd Arneach. The History Press, 2008.

**Young Adult Books**

**New!**

**Star Stories: Constellations and People** by Anthony Aveni. Yale University Press, 2019.

**Mythos: The Greek Myths Reimagined** by Stephen Fry. Chronical Books, 2019.

**The Map of Salt and Stars** by Jennifer Zeynab Joukhadar. Atria Books, 2018.

**An Indigenous Peoples' History of the United States for Young People** by Roxanne Dunbar Ortiz, Debbie Reese, and Jean Mendoza. Beacon Press, 2019.

**Recommended by an Emory Professor**

**Wabanaki Blues** by Melissa Tantaquideon Zobel. The Poisoned Pencil, 2015.

**Perennial Favorites**

**Mythology: Timeless Tales of Gods and Heroes, 75th Anniversary Illustrated Edition** by Edith Hamilton and illustrated by Jim Tierney. Black Dog & Leventhal, 2017.

**Minotaur** by Phillip W. Simpson. Month9Books, 2015.

**Troy and Ithaka** by Adèle Geras. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2002 and 2007.

**Cleopatra's Moon** by Vicky Alvear Shecter. Arthur A. Levine Books, 2011.





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**Legacy of Orisha series:**

**Children of Blood and Bone** and **Children of Virtue and Vengeance**

by Tomi Adeyemi. Henry Holt and Co., 2018 and 2019.

**The Prince and the Zombie:**

**Tibetan Tales of Karma** by Tenzin Wangmo. Shambhala Publications, 2015.

**Summer of the Mariposas**

by Guadalupe Garcia McCall. Tu Books, 2015.

**Try These!**

**Valmiki's Ramayana** translated by Arshia Sattar. Penguin Classics, 2000.

**Ledfeather** by Stephen Graham Jones (Blackfeet). Fiction Collective, 2008.

**Graphic Novels and Comic Books**

**New!**

**The Iliad: a Graphic Novel**

by Gareth Hinds. Candlewick, 2019.

**The Mythics: Heroes Reborn** by

Philippe Ogaki, et al. Papercutz, 2020.

**A Girl Called Echo series:**

**Pemmican Wars, Red River Resistance, and Northwest**

**Resistance** by Katherena Vermette (Métis) and illustrated by Scott B. Henderson and Donovan Yaciuk. Highwater Press, 2017–2020.

**Recommended by a Librarian**

**When Stars are Scattered** by

Victoria Jamieson, Omar Mohamed, with Iman Geddy. Dial, 2020.

**Perennial Favorites**

**Olympians series** by George

O'Conner. First Second, 2010–2016.

**Krishna: A Journey Within** by

Abhishek Singh. Image Comics, 2012.

**Amar Chitra Katha series: Rama, Hanuman, Vishnu, Krishna,** and

more! India Book House, 1970–2006.

**Black Panther: A Nation Under Our Feet** by Ta-Nehisi Coates and

illustrated by Brian Stelkfreeze. Marvel, 2016.

**Shuri: The Search for Black Panther** by Nnedi Okorafor and

illustrated by Leonardo Romero. Marvel, 2019.

**Red: A Haida Manga** by Michael

Nicoll Yahgulanaas. Douglas & McIntyre, 2009.

**Try These!**

**The Odyssey** by Gareth Hinds based on Homer's epic poem. Candlewick Press, 2010.

**Sita: Daughter of the Earth** by Saraswati Nagpal and Mandikandan. Campfire Graphic Novels, 2011.



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