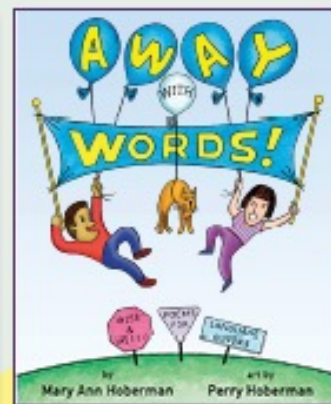
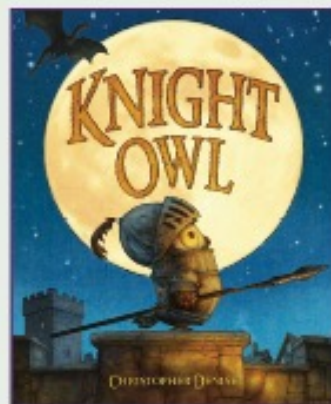
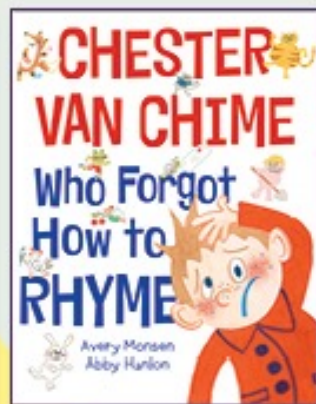
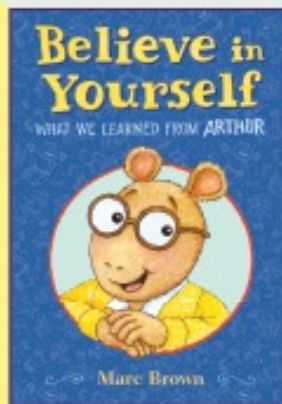


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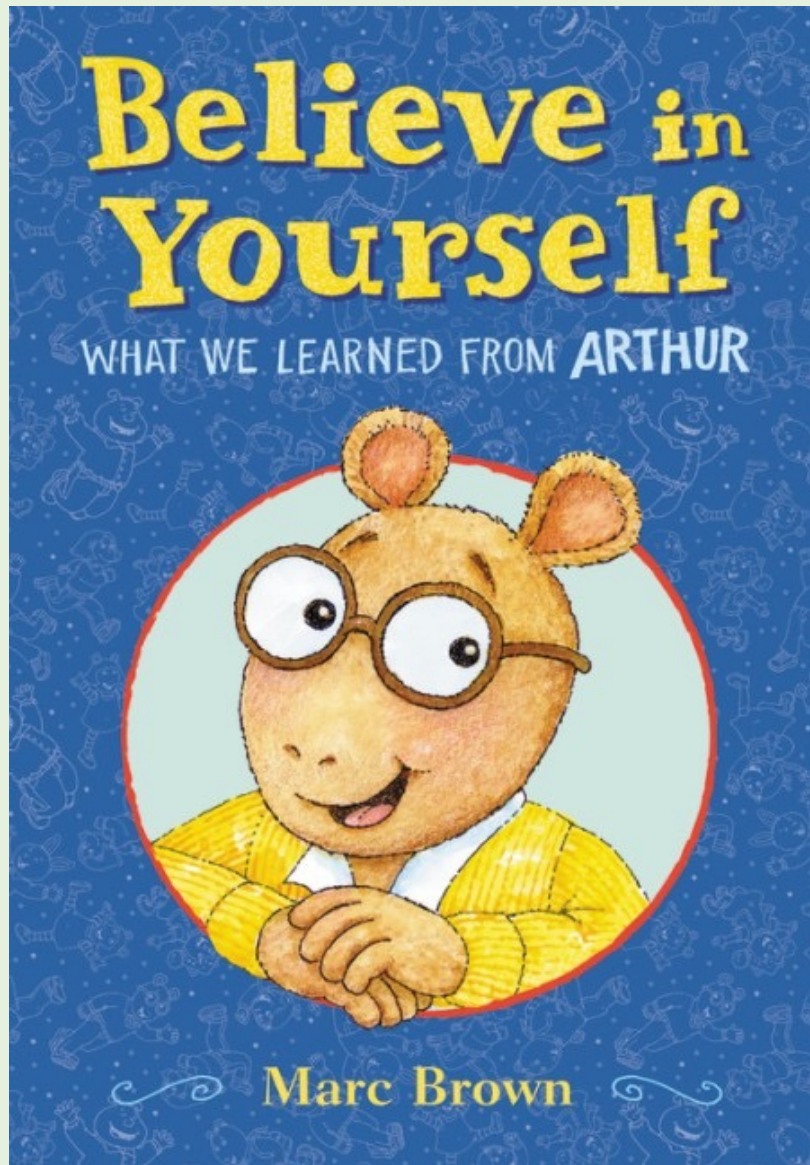
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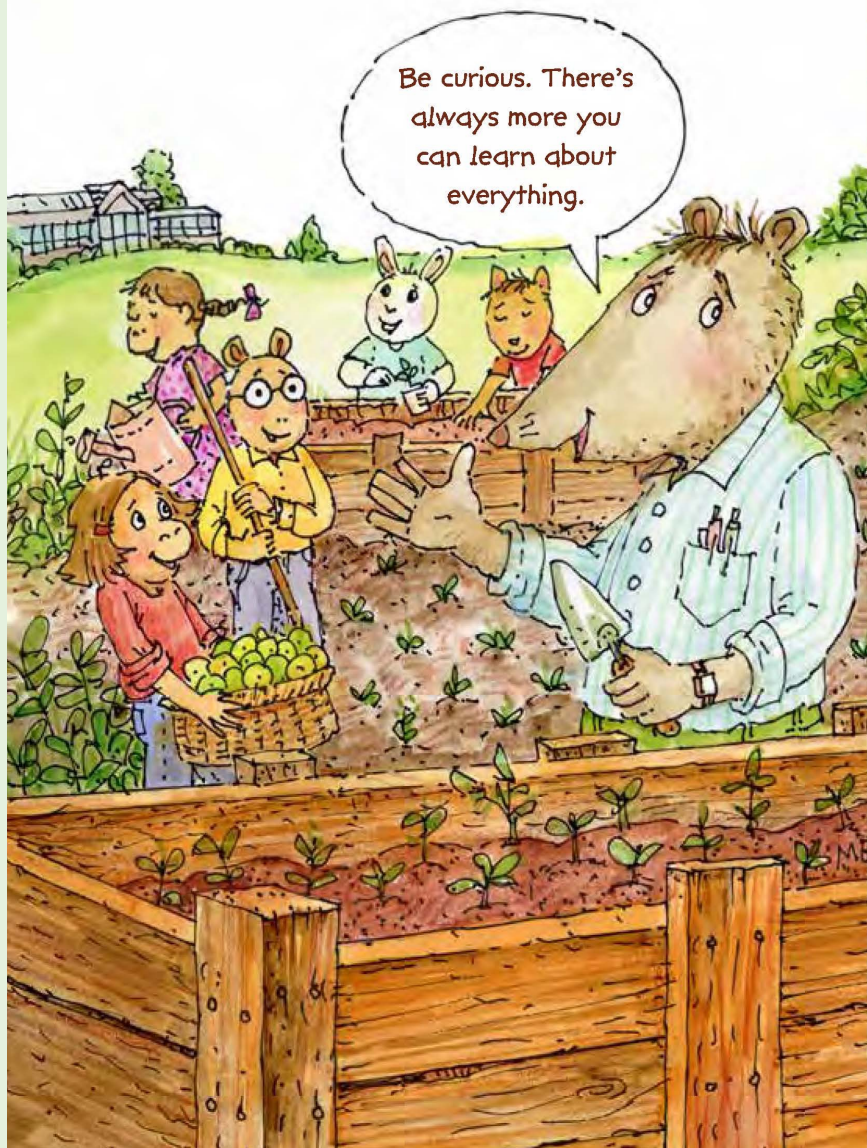
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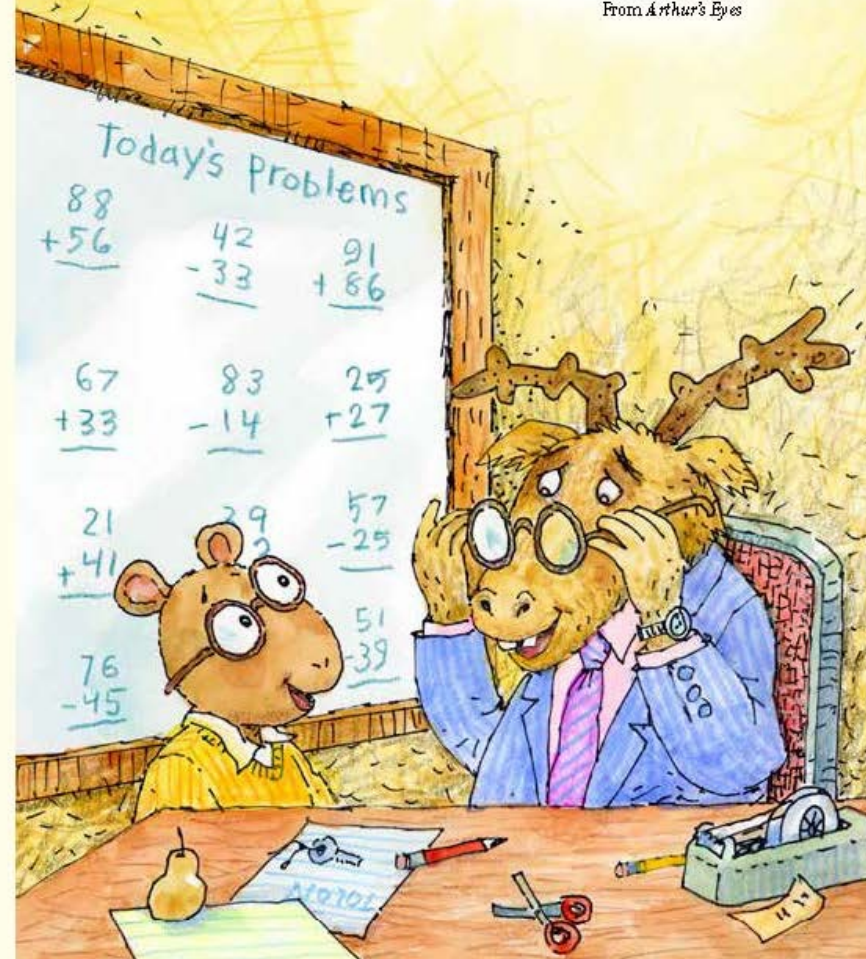
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"You wear glasses?" asked Arthur.

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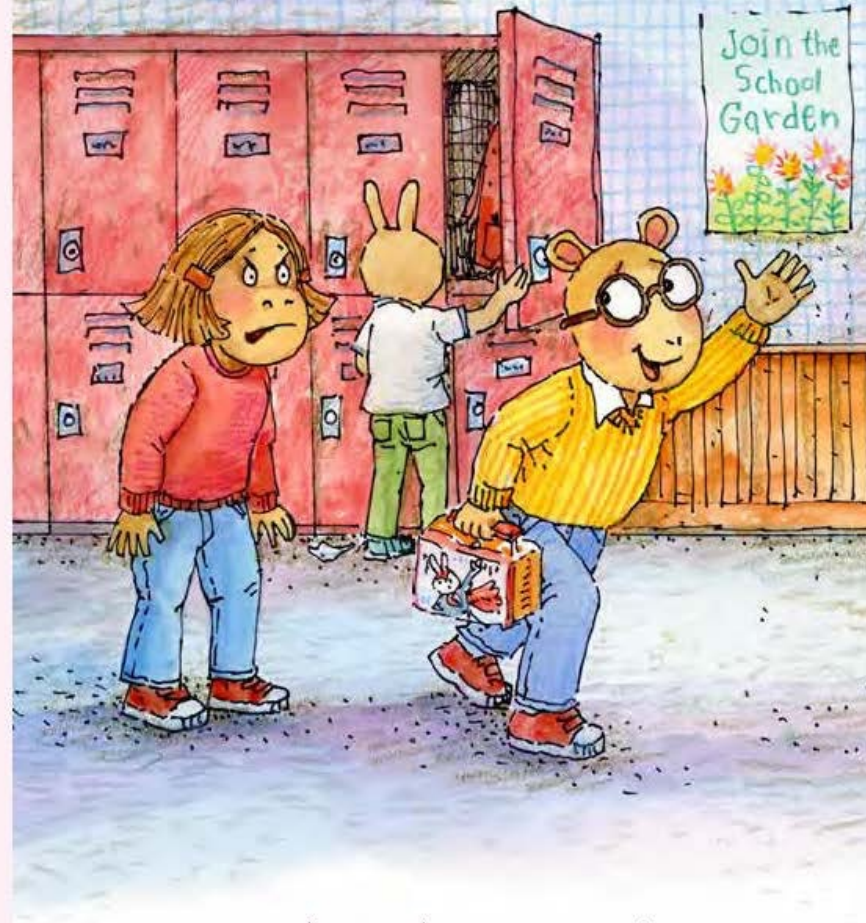
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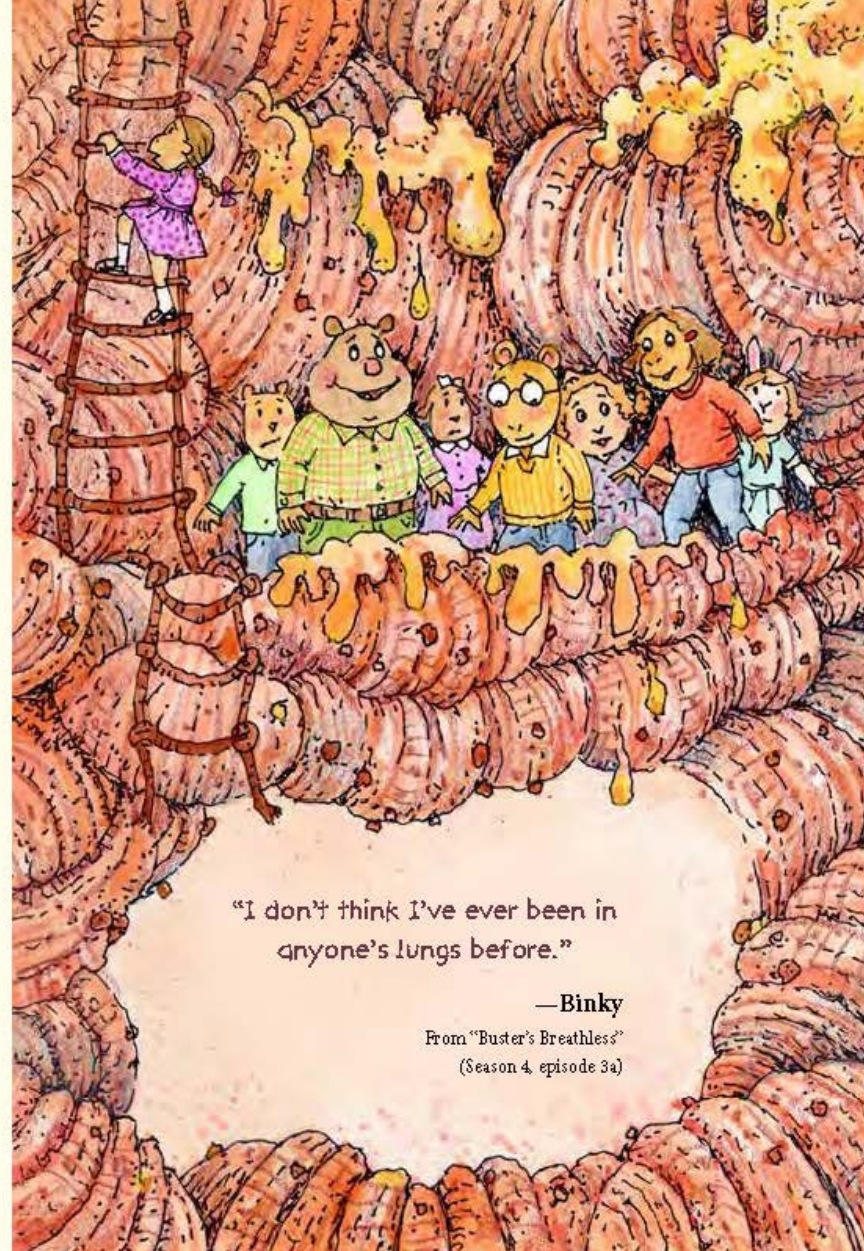
—Buster

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Her Name Was Mary Katharine

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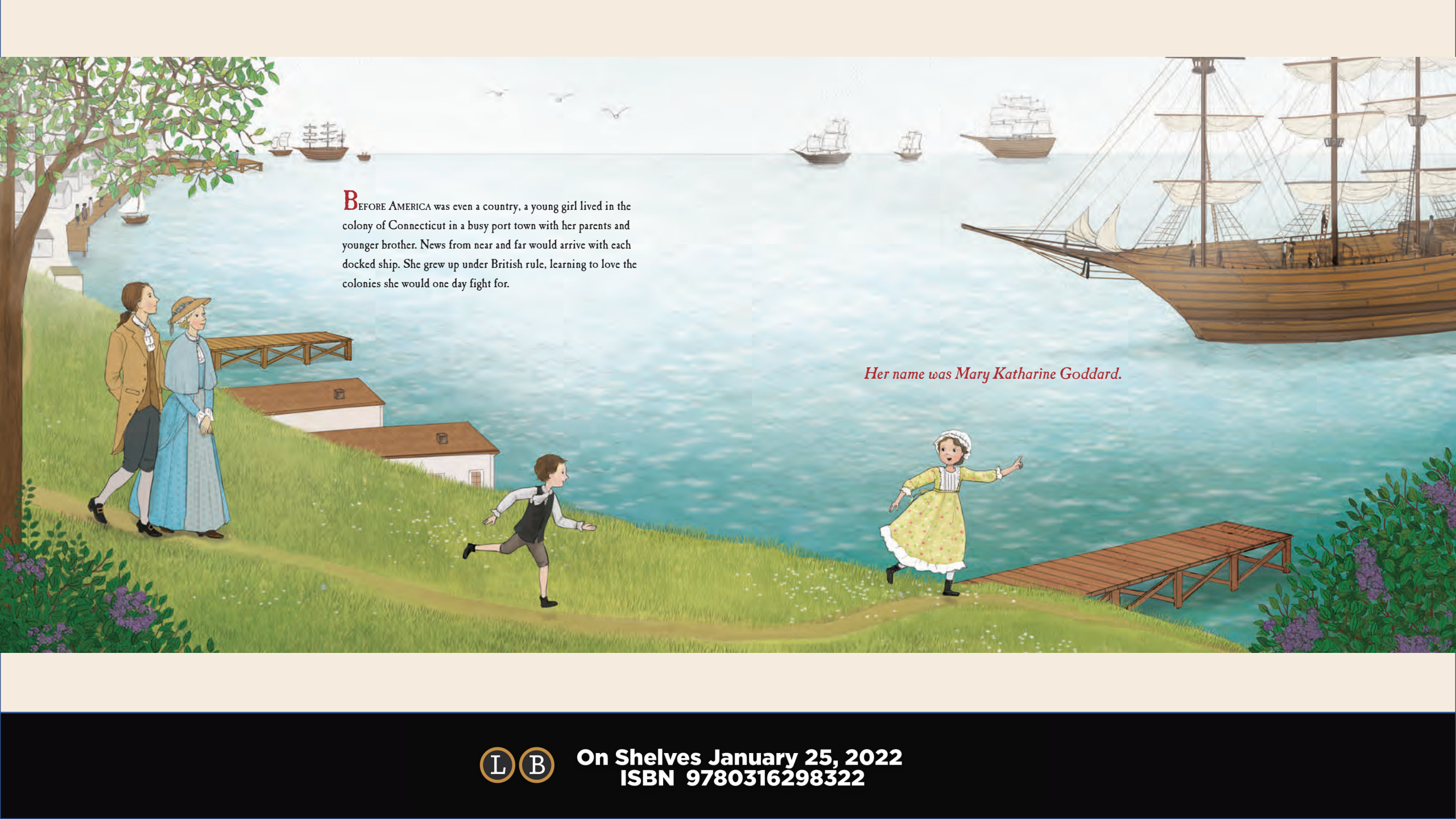
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A rousing biography of the only woman whose name is printed on the Declaration of Independence. As a businesswoman and publisher, Mary Katharine Goddard paved the way for influential Revolutionary media. Her remarkable work defied societal norms and set the stage for a free and open press.



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BEFORE AMERICA was even a country, a young girl lived in the colony of Connecticut in a busy port town with her parents and younger brother. News from near and far would arrive with each docked ship. She grew up under British rule, learning to love the colonies she would one day fight for.


Her name was Mary Katharine Goddard.



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Most parents in colonial America thought girls should only learn to cook, sew, and take care of the house, but Mary Katharine's parents disagreed. They wanted their daughter to have the same education as her brother, William. Mary Katharine learned how to read and write just as well as her brother. They were mostly taught by their mother, who encouraged the Goddard children to study Latin, ancient history, and classic literature. As a young girl, Mary Katharine realized that knowledge made her powerful.

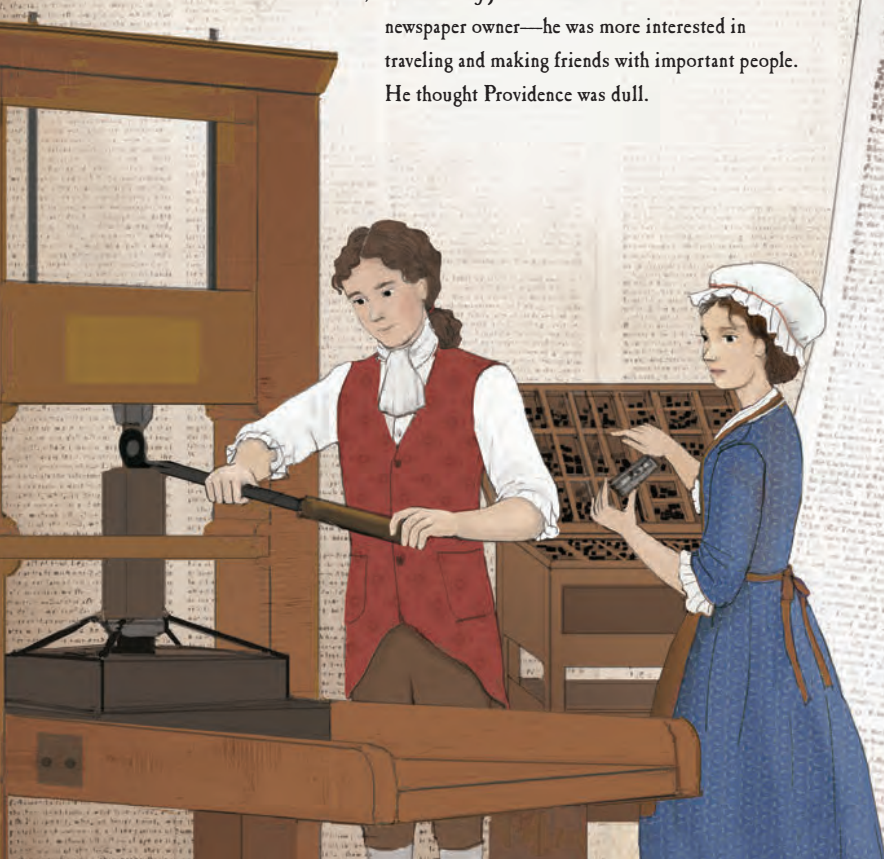


Mary Katharine and her brother were only teenagers when their father died. William was in the process of apprenticing as a printer, an important and well-respected job. Their mother decided to move with Mary Katharine to Providence, Rhode Island, to start a new life.



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After finishing his apprenticeship, William used his family's money to open his own printshop and launched Providence's first newspaper, the *Providence Gazette, and Country Journal*. William wasn't the best newspaper owner—he was more interested in traveling and making friends with important people. He thought Providence was dull.



But Mary Katharine and her mom loved Providence. Since William was often away or preoccupied, they couldn't rely on him to keep the family business running. So, by the age of twenty-four, when most young colonial women were thinking about marriage and children, Mary Katharine was learning how to be a printer—composing pages, setting type, and operating the press.

Mary Katharine knew the importance of this work. In colonial America, printers were the primary way people received information about what was happening in their community and the world around them.



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By 1765, anger against Britain erupted within the colonies. Britain announced the Stamp Act, which forced colonists to pay a tax on printed paper. The colonists didn't think this was fair. They called it "taxation without representation," because they had no representation in Parliament to vote for or against the tax. Many colonists protested, and the *Providence Gazette* was no exception, printing articles complaining about the Stamp Act.



Eventually, William decided he'd had enough of Providence. He left the printshop in the hands of Mary Katharine and moved to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to start another newspaper called the *Pennsylvania Chronicle*, and *Universal Advertiser*.



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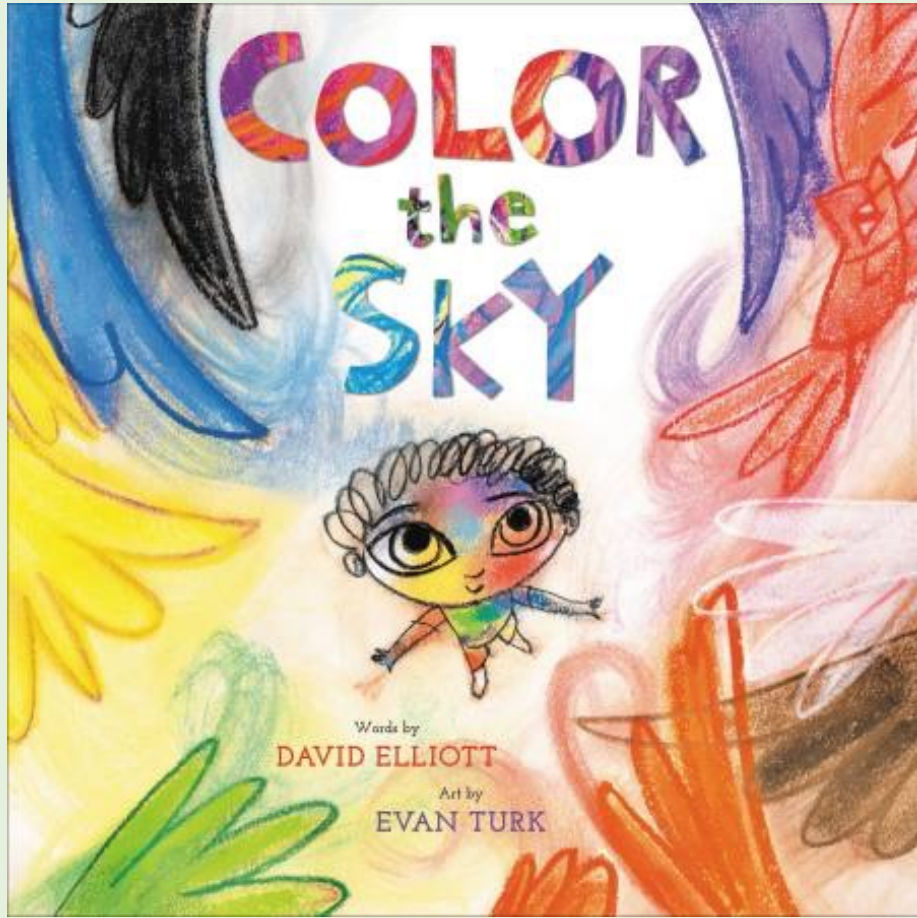
Running the *Pennsylvania Chronicle* was hard work, and William was easily distracted. But someone had to keep the business going. William decided the solution was to sell the Providence paper and he convinced Mary Katharine and his mother to move to Philadelphia. Up for the challenge and always loyal, Mary Katharine joined her brother to work on the *Pennsylvania Chronicle*.

Soon William chose to move again. This time he headed to Baltimore, Maryland, where he started another newspaper called the *Maryland Journal*, and the *Baltimore Advertiser*. It came as no surprise six months later when he closed the *Pennsylvania Chronicle* and asked Mary Katharine to come run his new paper.

Her name was
Mary Katharine and
she would not
let her brother down.



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Color the Sky

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Colors are
Everywhere**

A tender and stirring read aloud that uses the beauty of birds to invite readers to observe primary and secondary colors. The book masterfully captures childlike curiosity, innocence, and joy. It beckons readers to answer the call to explore the outdoors, while encouraging them to embrace the differences within themselves and the world.



A child with dark hair and large eyes is peeking out from behind a large, thick red tree trunk. The child is wearing a blue shirt.

Red big.

Red small.



Red sits on my
garden wall.



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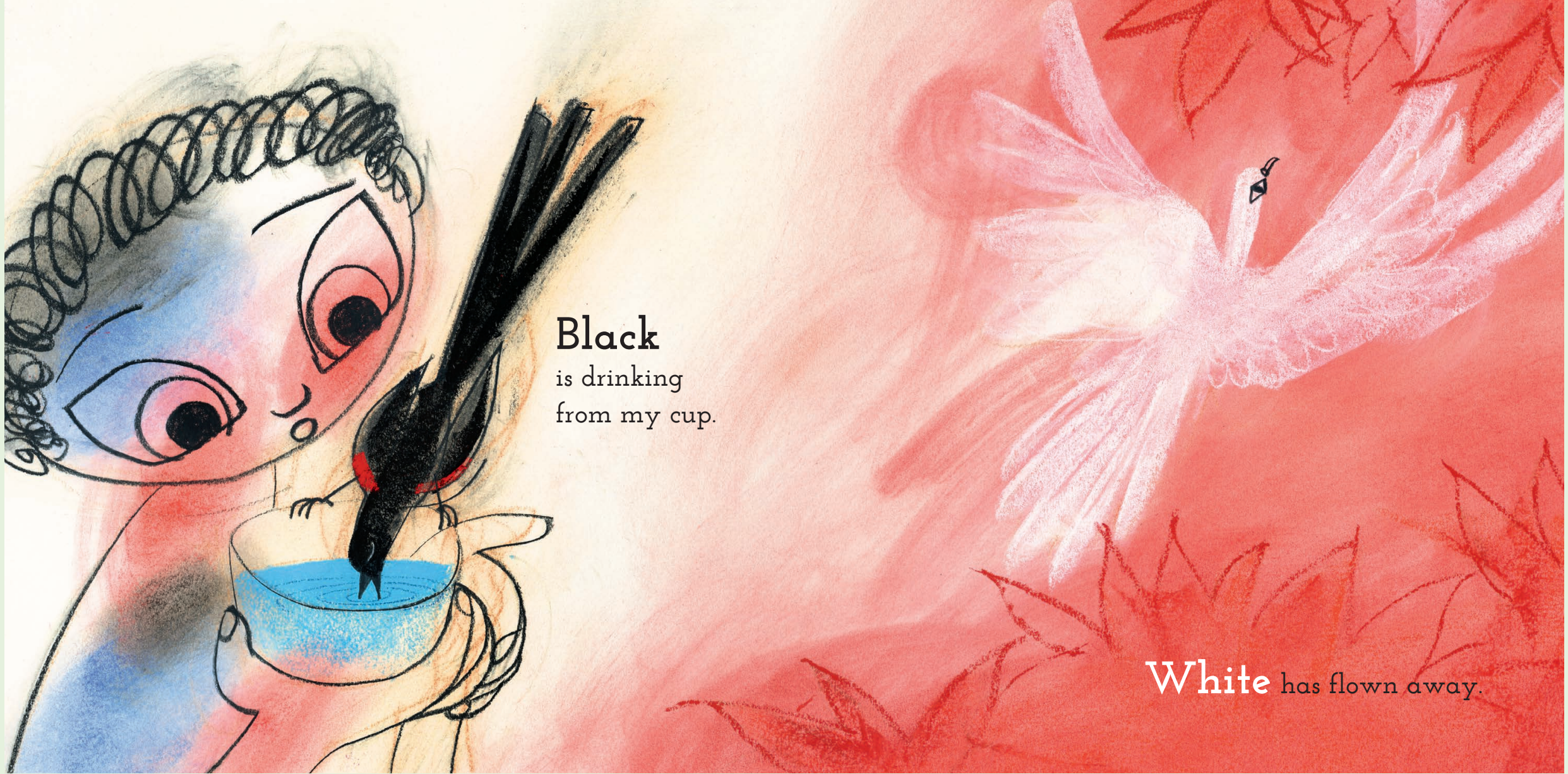
Blue low.

Blue high.

Blue has taken to the sky.



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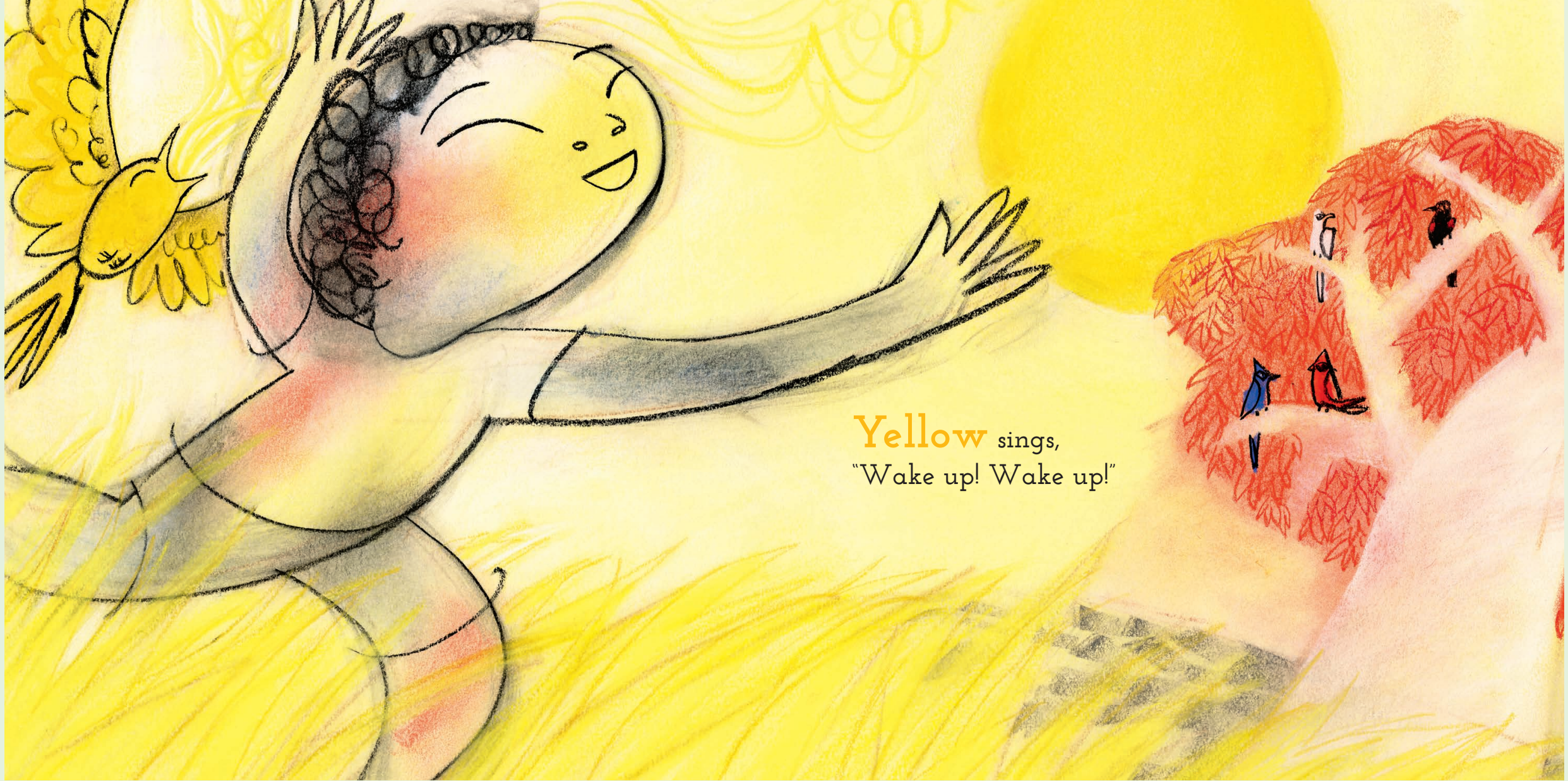


Black
is drinking
from my cup.

White has flown away.




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Yellow sings,
"Wake up! Wake up!"



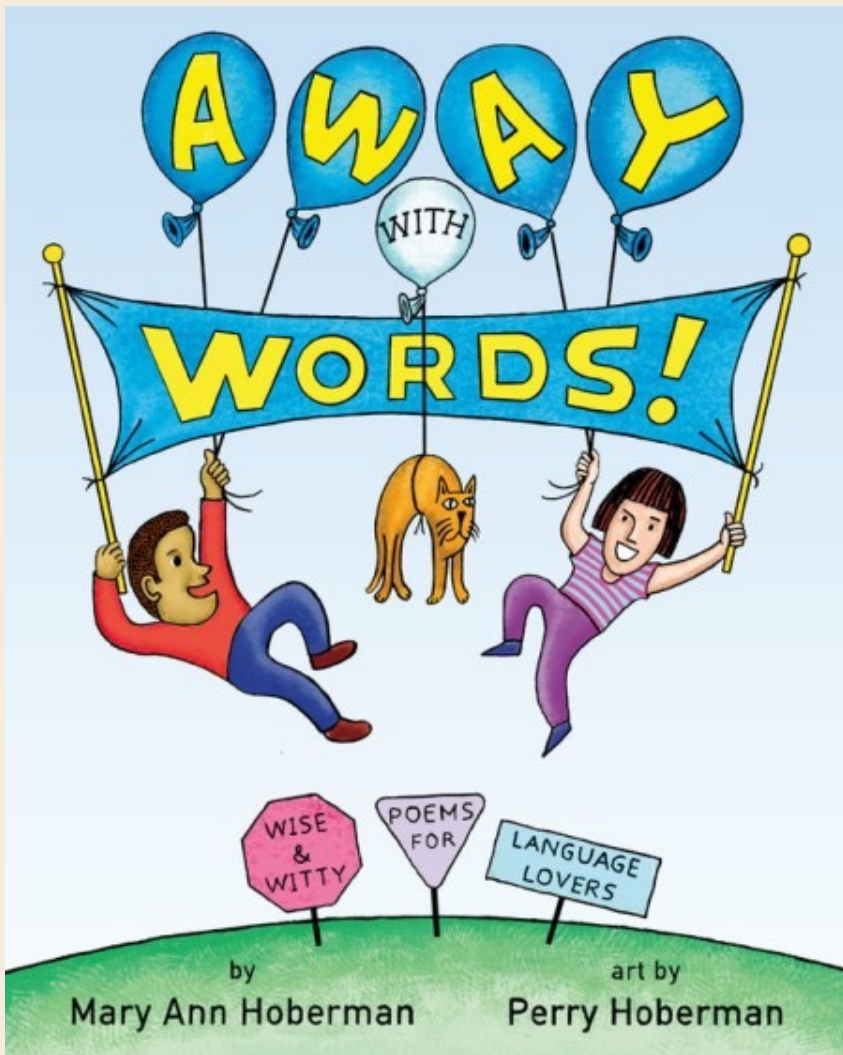
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Green shouts, "Come and play!"



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Away with Words

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Words Can Be the
MOST FUN
Toys!

A deliciously clever and entertaining collection of poems that celebrate wordplay from former Children's Poet Laureate and National Book Award Finalist Mary Ann Hoberman.



INTRODUCTION

Today the thought occurred to me
That every book's an ABC
And every word you've ever met
Is made out of the alphabet.

But *alphabets* must stay in line.
A BCA would not be fine.
A letter cannot change its place
And sneak into another space.

In *words* the letters try new blends,
They meet new neighbors, make new friends.
They move around. They go on trips.
They rearrange relationships.

*Every time you change a letter
Alphabet gets alphabetter!*

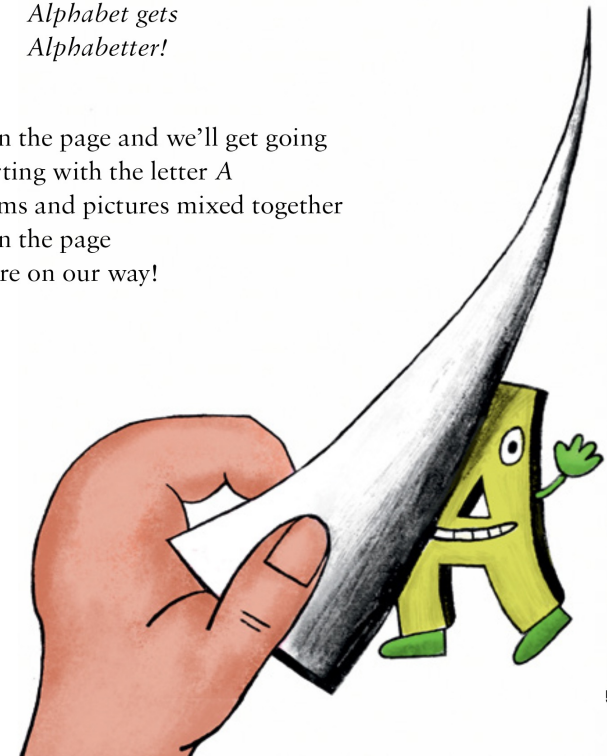


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Butter is *better*
If you change a letter
Butter is *button*
If you change two
Butter is *utter*
If you remove one
Utter means "speak"
And that's what we do!

*Change a word or
Change a letter,
Alphabet gets
Alphabetter!*

Turn the page and we'll get going
Starting with the letter A
Poems and pictures mixed together
Turn the page
We're on our way!



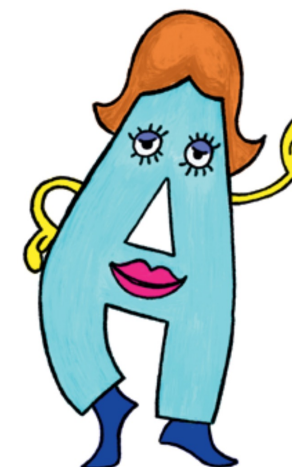
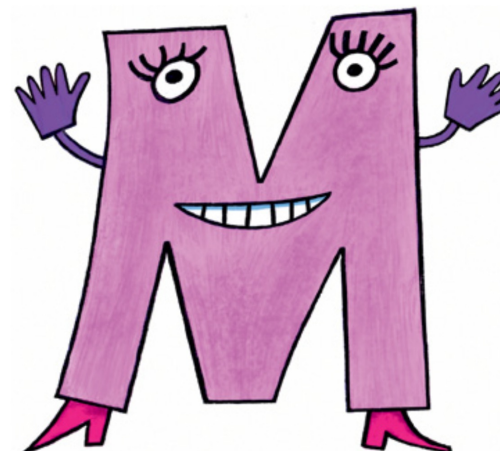
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ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

Here's an old-time letter game:
Give each letter its own name
(For example *A* is Amy,
H is Harry, *M* is Mamie).
Draw the letter so it can
Be a lady or a man.
When you're finished
You will see
An alphabetic
Family!



ASSONANCE/ALLITERATION

Assonance/Alliteration -

Here's a bit of information

If you'd like to keep them straight,

Consonants alliterate:

Pa put peppers on Pat's plate.

Vowels instead are assonant:

Pa wants almonds for Ma's aunt.

Sometimes they appear together:

Wes wed Wendy in wet weather.



BELONG

Think about *long*

Then think about *be*

Then put them together

And what do you see?

Be long, well I will,

I will stretch myself high

So I will not be short.

I will reach toward the sky.

But take out the space

That is placed in between

And you now have *belong*.

Tell me, what does that mean?

You *belong* to a group

(Which you may be the start of),

A group of good friends

(Which you now are a part of).



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BOW

The bough bows down
Beneath the snow
It forms a curve
And makes a bow
The winter wind
Begins to blow
I tie my hair back
With a bow
The bough bows down
It's lower now
It forms a curve
And takes a bow.



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BY

As I walked by
A soda shop
I stopped to buy
A soda pop
And after I
Popped off the top
I waved good-bye
And drank my pop.
I thought I only
Drank a drop.
“You drank it all!”
Complained my Pop.



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CHEERS FOR THE COMMA!

The comma's a common
Grammatical particle,
Useful in lists
Or in place of an article,
Needed for clauses,
For pauses and so on,
For overlong sentences
Tending to go on,

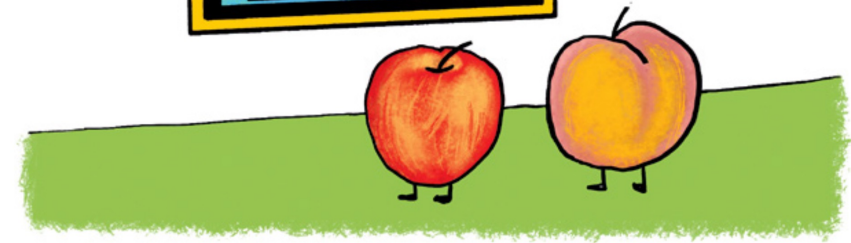
Modest and simple,
The workhorse of grammar,
It's there when you need it
Yet lacks any glamour.

Unlike the colon
Both semi and whole,
It hardly is noticed,
But still it has soul.

In all punctuation
Three cheers for the comma!
It holds up its end
With the minimum drama.



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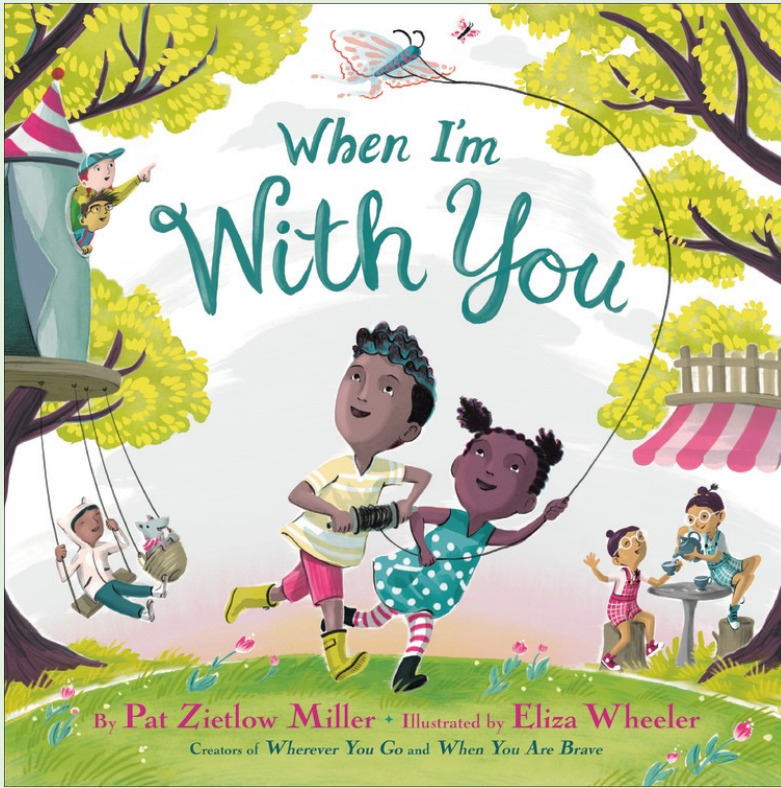
COM-PEAR-ING

A peach is not an apple and an apple's not a peach
But a peach is like an apple in the fruitiness of each;
And a peach may be an apple, say, the apple of my eye;
And an apple is a peach when it's the best thing I can buy.
So a peach can be an apple and an apple peach may be
But only when I'm speaking
Metaphorically.

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Make Everything
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A book to celebrate the special people in our lives. The ones who finish our sentences, know our favorite colors, make us happier than anyone else. After all, no matter how much time passes or how many miles tug us apart, there is no one quite like a best friend.






Life is so much better
when it's me and you.




It seems I've always liked you
ever since I can recall.
I think it must have started
when we both were small.



Or maybe it came later,
once we had a chance to grow.
I really can't remember.
But this is what I know....



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You're the apple on my tree.
You're the honey to my bee.
It doesn't matter what we do.

I am happier with you.



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You're the numbers in my set,
all the sums I don't know yet.
But if one plus one makes two,

I'm the one who goes with you.




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You're the colors that I choose
and that paint I always use.
You like pink, and I like blue.

I'll make lavender with you.



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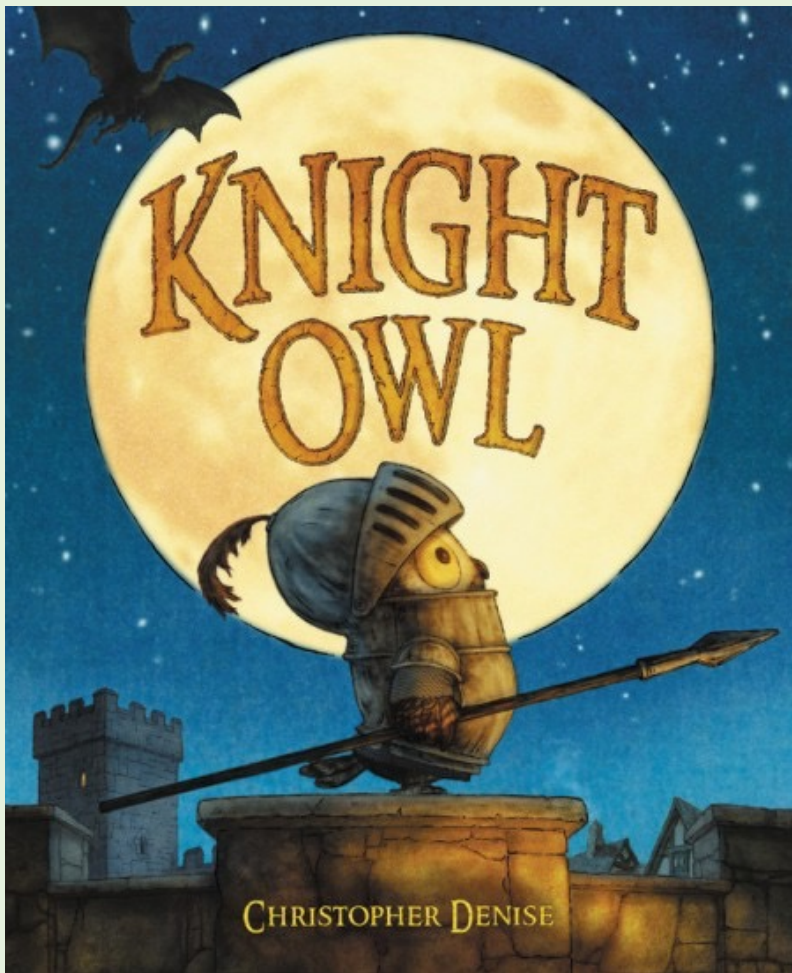


You're the hat that fits my head.
You're the hilltop for my sled.

When I sneeze,
you say, "Ah-CHOO!"
And that makes me
laugh with you.



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Knight Owl

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Since the day he hatched,
Owl had one wish.



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To be a knight.



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Every morning before he drifted off to sleep,
he imagined himself as a *real* knight.
He would be brave. He would be clever.
And he would have many friends.
It was just a dream. Until one day...



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Knights began disappearing from the castle.



So Owl applied to Knight School.



And to everyone's surprise, he was accepted!



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Owl was an excellent student.



But he had a tough time with a sword.

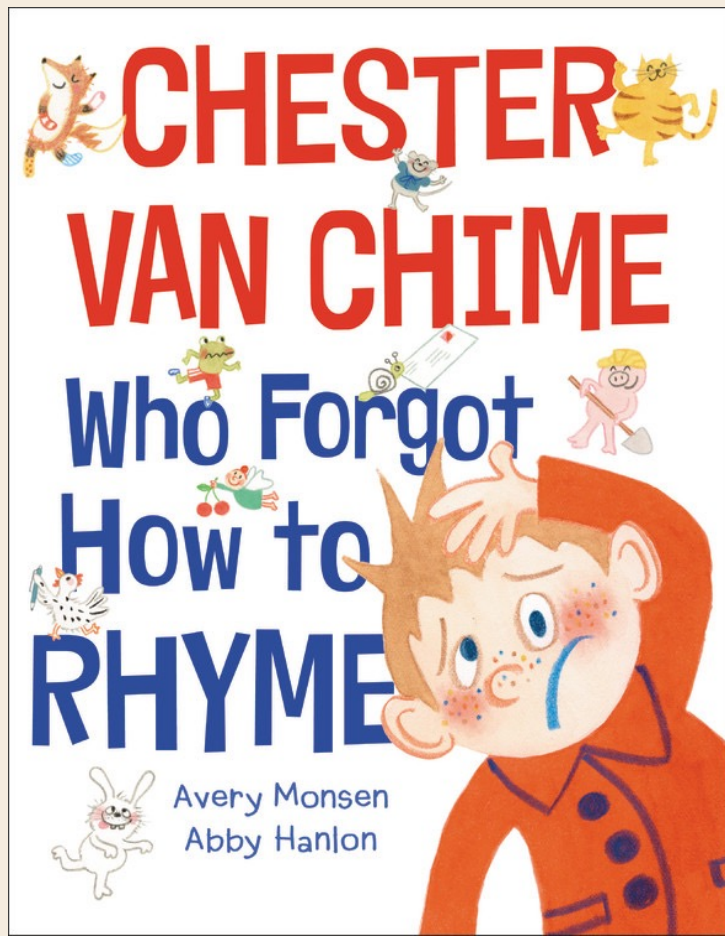
Even the smallest shield was a problem.



And he had a habit of nodding off during the day.



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Chester van Chime Who Forgot How to Rhyme

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A timely and important picture book that introduces readers to Wong Kim Ark, who challenged the Supreme Court for his right to be an American citizen.



There once was a youngster named Chester van Chime,
who woke up one day and forgot how to rhyme.



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It baffled poor Chester. He felt almost queasy.
To match up two sounds, it was always so...

...simple for him.



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See, Chester loved rhyming, in poem or song.
It always felt right, but today it felt...



...not right. VERY not right.



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He tried not to panic. He played it real cool
and picked up his backpack and walked to his...

...learning place with
teachers and stuff.

He tried not to panic. He played it real cool
and picked up his backpack and walked to his...

...learning place with teachers and stuff.



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He walked past the butcher and walked past the baker.
He passed Mr. Waxler, the candlestick...



...guy.



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