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The Artful Parent

To teach his daughter the value of books, a father leads a growing crowd in search of the tree where the bees keep all their honey.

Camille and the Sunflowers

Spending a day outdoors, Anna revels in the joys of sun, sky, grass, flowers, berries, frogs, ants, and beetles.

A House for Hermit Crab

“Every Who down in Who-ville liked Christmas a lot . . . but the Grinch, who lived just north of Who-ville, did NOT!” Not since “’Twas the night before Christmas” has the beginning of a Christmas tale been so instantly recognizable. No holiday season is complete without the Grinch, Max, Cindy-Lou, and all the residents of Who-ville, in this heartwarming story about the effects of the Christmas spirit on even the smallest and coldest of hearts. Like mistletoe, candy canes, and caroling, the Grinch is a mainstay of the holidays, and his story is the perfect gift for young and old. This Read & Listen edition contains audio narration.

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Fashion illustrator Carlos Aponte gives readers front row seats to the runway show of the season! Join Miss V. McQueen and her band of fashion bugs as they flit and flutter their brilliant colors down the catwalk. Ladybug reds, butterfly golds, and grasshopper greens provide young readers with a chic introduction to the colors found all around us.

Big, Easy Style

From the creators of the popular education blogs Teach Mama and No Time for Flash Cards comes a must-have parents' guide for raising lifelong readers and learners. Written for today's time-crunched parents, this book is filled with easy-to-implement tips for creating a literate environment and fun, quick activities for building children's oral language and early reading and writing skills. Just five minutes a day every day is all it takes to foster a child's love of reading and learning. For use with Grades K-5.

From Seed to Sunflower

Crafting has never been more popular and Maggy Woodley, the creative force behind Red Ted, is passionate about making things with her children, Max, four, and Pippa, two. Using recycled materials and bits and bobs collected when out and about, here are over 60 utterly irresistible things to make with your kids. From adorable peanut shell finger puppets to walnut babies, loo roll marionettes and egg carton fairy lights, fabric mache bowls, stick men and shell crabs, stone people, and many more, these are projects for all the family to have fun with. And what's more, the end results are so cute and desirable that they look great around the home, or make wonderfully unique and personal gifts. With a funky, modern design and vibrant full colour photography throughout, this is a must-have addition to every young family's bookshelf.

There Was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Frog!

Select from popular themes to energize your current thematic units. Motivate your students all year long with The Best of The Mailbox Theme series.

Van Gogh Flowers

- Digitally restored illustrations- Translated captions- Annotated Vincent Van Gogh often depicted flowering fields, gardens and floral arrangements through the skilled prism of his own unique vision, from the tulips of his native Holland to the sunflowers, irises and lavender fields of Southern France where he spent his last years. In particular, the years 1887 and 1890 were peak years for his flower paintings. Vincent Van Gogh's short art career provided the world with unparalleled

paintings from a troubled genius. It was to be an age of post-Impressionistic color, form and wonderment that the art world discovered only after the master's death. Bouts of anxiety, mental illness and epilepsy may have tormented him and brought about his suicide at the age of 37. But they may also have been catalysts for an emotionality and vibrance in his art that reveals a turbulent search for grace. This volume displays 50 of Van Gogh's finest flower art pieces in a digitally restored state: their eye-popping brilliance and vitality are just as on the day Vincent Van Gogh finished them. Unless otherwise noted, they were originally oil paintings on canvas or wood. The arrangement is chronological within each category. Images include: FLOWERS GROWING Tulip Fields, 1883 Garden with Sunflower & Female Figure, 1887 Shed in Montmartre with Sunflower, 1887 Lavender Field of Saintes-Maries, 1888 Flowering Garden with Path, 1888 Flower Garden, 1888 Garden Behind House (Noon Hour), 1888 Memory of the Garden at Etten, 1888 Iris, 1889 Irises (Sword Lilies), 1889 Lilac Bush, 1889 Poppies & Butterflies, 1890 Rose Bush, 1890 Marguerite Gachet in Her Garden, 1890 Poppy Field, 1890 Garden of Daubigny I, 1890 Child with an Orange among the Flowers, 1890 Young Girl in Wheat Field with Poppies, 1890 Garden at Auvers, 1890 Garden of Daubigny II, 1890 FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS Lunaria, 1884 Forget-Me-Not and Peonies, 1886 Vase with Asters and Phlox, 1886 Vase with Sunflowers, Roses & Other Flowers, 1886 Vase with Red Poppies, 1886 Vase with Zinnias, 1886 Geraniums in a Flower Pot, 1886 Carnations in a Vase, 1886 Cornflowers, Poppies, Peonies & Chrysanthemums, 1886 Vase with Red & White Carnations on a Yellow Background, 1886 Crown Imperials in a Copper Vase, 1887 Vase with Daisies and Anemones, 1887 Lilacs, Daisies & Anemones in a Vase, 1887 Lilacs with an Orange Background, 1887 Two Cut Sunflowers, 1887 Four Withered Sunflowers, 1887 Fourteen Sunflowers in a Vase, 1888 Twelve Sunflowers in a Vase, 1888 Three Sunflowers in a Vase, 1888 Vase with Oleanders next to Zola's "Joie de Vivre" Novel, 1888 Twelve Sunflowers in a Vase, 1889 Fourteen Sunflowers in a Vase, 1889 Vase with Irises, 1890 Irises on a Yellow Background, 1890 Vase with Roses, 1890 Wildflowers and Thistles in a Vase, 1890 Vase with Greater Musk Mallows, 1890 Cornflowers & Poppies in a Vase, 1890 Japanese Vase with Roses & Anemones, 1890 Vase with Flowers & Thistles, 1890

How the Grinch Stole Christmas! Read & Listen Edition

A comprehensive collection of the best art and craft activities for young children. The result of a nationwide competition, these art and craft activities are the best of the best. Just the thing to add pizzazz to your day! Activities include: Bath Sponge Painting Blast-off Helmets Bumby Snake Candy Jewelry Caterpillar Cookies Cereal Box Tote Bag Darling Daffodils Dinosaur Sock Puppets Dream Catcher Ecology Art Creations

Mister Seahorse

A hermit crab who has outgrown his old shell moves into a new one, which he decorates and enhances with the various sea creatures he meets in his travels.

The Very Brave Bear

After Mrs. Seahorse lays her eggs on Mr. Seahorse's belly, he drifts through the water, greeting other fish fathers who are taking care of their eggs, in a story that includes a "hide-and-seek" feature with acetate overlays.

The Giant Encyclopedia of Art & Craft Activities

The Sunflower Parable shares the story of Logan, a young gardener who hopes to grow sunflowers that reach all the way to heaven by summer's end. Side by side with his father, the wise farmer, Logan discovers the value of planting seeds, not only in the ground, but also in the hearts of his friends and neighbors.

Huck Runs Amuck!

A counting book featuring animals with different numbers of feet.

Oi Frog!

From the author and illustrator of the best-selling *When God Made You* comes a new illuminating message about God's design affirming young readers. 'Let there be light!' that's what God said. And light began shining and then started to spread." Wild and creative illustrations from top children's illustrator David Catrow pair with Matthew Paul Turner's lyrical verse in this message of a God-made light that cuts through darkness to bring vision and hope to all young readers. This light radiates, chasing away the shadows, providing the wonder and fun of stargazing or firefly chasing. Most important, this light appears in each child--an inner God-given spark that grows and will be used to change the world.

60 Super Simple Friendship Crafts

Each simple guide offers a clear overview of all the information one needs to know about a particular topic, making learning something new easy, accessible, practical and affordable.

Ella's Kitchen: The Big Baking Book

Spring is in the air, and everyone's favorite old lady is ready to celebrate!

A Season to Bee

Meet Huck. He loves flowers. FLOWERS, FLOWERS, FLOWERS. And he'll do whatever it takes to get a mouthful: climb the highest mountain, walk a tightrope, even defy speeding trains! It's true, he can't resist! But when his mad dash up a church spire is mistaken for a heroic attempt to save Mrs. Spooner's flowery hat (rather than a determined effort to eat it), Huck has a crisis of conscience. Can anything deter this goat from his gastronomical bliss? For fans of Skippyjon Jones and Click, Clack, Moo comes an all-purpose, year-round kid-pleaser that will have kids shouting, laughing, and clapping along. This goofy goat also advocates a subtle lesson in setting aside your own desires for the greater good of others. With a heart to rival his appetite (and that's a BIG appetite!), Huck is not to be missed. Watch a Video

On the Moon

"Christakis . . . expertly weaves academic research, personal experience and anecdotal evidence into her book . . . a bracing and convincing case that early education has reached a point of crisis . . . her book is a rare thing: a serious work of research that also happens to be well-written and personal . . . engaging and important." --Washington Post "What kids need from grown-ups (but aren't getting)an impassioned plea for educators and parents to put down the worksheets and flash cards, ditch the tired craft projects (yes, you, Thanksgiving Handprint Turkey) and exotic vocabulary lessons, and double-down on one, simple word: play." --NPR.org The New York Times bestseller that provides a bold challenge to the conventional wisdom about early childhood, with a pragmatic program to encourage parents and teachers to rethink how and where young children learn best by taking the child's eye view of the learning environment To a four-year-old watching bulldozers at a construction site or chasing butterflies in flight, the world is awash with promise. Little children come into the world hardwired to learn in virtually any setting and about any matter. Yet in today's preschool and kindergarten classrooms, learning has been reduced to scripted lessons and suspect metrics that too often undervalue a child's intelligence while overtaxing the child's growing brain. These mismatched expectations wreak havoc on the family: parents fear that if they choose the "wrong" program, their child won't get into the "right" college. But Yale early childhood expert Erika Christakis says our fears are wildly misplaced. Our anxiety about preparing and safeguarding our children's future seems to have reached a fever pitch at a time when, ironically, science gives us more certainty than ever before that young children are exceptionally strong thinkers. In her pathbreaking book, Christakis explains what it's like to be a young child in America today, in a world designed by and for adults, where we have confused schooling with learning. She offers real-life solutions to real-life issues, with nuance and direction that takes us far beyond the usual prescriptions for fewer tests, more play. She looks at children's use of language, their artistic expressions, the way their imaginations grow, and how they build deep emotional bonds to stretch the boundaries of their small worlds. Rather than clutter their worlds with more and more stuff, sometimes the wisest course for us is to learn how to get out of their way. Christakis's message is energizing and

reassuring: young children are inherently powerful, and they (and their parents) will flourish when we learn new ways of restoring the vital early learning environment to one that is best suited to the littlest learners. This bold and pragmatic challenge to the conventional wisdom peels back the mystery of childhood, revealing a place that's rich with possibility. From the Hardcover edition.

Raising a Rock-Star Reader

Gus Grows a Plant

Part craft book, part activity book, with over 40 projects to make in each book, the Mania series offers hours of creative fun for boys and girls of all ages! Want to make Wookiee finger puppets? How about lightsaber party favors? Star Wars Mania will show fans of all ages how to turn ordinary objects into incredible intergalactic creations. This amazing book is filled with craft projects, trivia, experiments, party ideas, and more. Packed with fascinating fun, Star Wars Mania is sure to make a Star Wars maniac out of you! Hours and hours of fun guaranteed!

The Tiny Seed

Nick Bland's bestselling Cranky Bear series is now available in a reader format, perfect for emerging readers! While balancing in the bog, Bear is startled (but not frightened!) by Buffalo. He is a brave bear, but could Buffalo be even braver? A challenge begins, with great feats of bravery, but when the two competitors find themselves in front of a very scary cave, they will have to find a way to be very brave together.

Italian Ceramic Art

The laughter never ends with Oi Frog and Friends! The board book edition of the bestselling rhyming story. Jam-packed with the silliest of animals, this will have the youngest of readers in fits of laughter! Cats sit on mats, hares sit on chairs, mules sit on stools and gophers sit on sofas. But Frog does not want to sit on a log. Jam-packed with animals and silliness, this original rhyming story is guaranteed to get children giggling! 'An absolute treat.' Daily Mail 'Hilarious.' Guardian 'The most outstanding children's book.' Jo Wiley, BBC Radio 2 Can't get enough? Look out for: Oi Dog, Oi Cat, Oi Duck-billed Platypus, Oi Puppies Oi Frog and Friends is a top ten bestselling series. Loved by children and parents, the books have won numerous awards, including the Laugh Out Loud Picture Book Award, and been shortlisted for many more!

When God Made Light

Provides instructions for making jewelry, decorative items, and other small gifts for girls to exchange with their friends

Star Wars Mania

Brimming with inspiration and creative ideas, this guide presents you with a wealth of thematic programs and lively, book-based activities for public library, school library, and elementary classroom settings, complete with practical instructions for implementation. Each chapter focuses on a theme or curriculum area--from Red Hot Readers and Math Countdown to Barrel of Fun and Poetry Place--and offers an annotated list of picture books and chapter books for use with the topic. Also included are complete programs containing step-by-step instructions, materials lists, reproducible patterns, scripts, and stories. Grades K-6

Red Ted Art

A skill-building edition of the classic story about the life cycle of a flower is told through the adventures of a tiny seed that floats across the sky, nestles in the ground and grows into the giant flower it was always meant to be. Simultaneous.

Wild, Wild Sunflower Child Anna

An artist-led picture book, which introduces young children to the vastness of the universe, how far away the moon is, what gravity is and the concept of space travel through a gentle and captivating story about an imaginative little girl. Age: 2 +
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Bedtime for Tiny Mouse

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Fun for Kids III

Bring out your child's creativity and imagination with more than 60 artful activities in this completely revised and updated edition Art making is a wonderful way for young children to tap into their imagination, deepen their creativity, and explore new materials, all while strengthening their fine motor skills and developing self-confidence. The Artful Parent has all the tools and information you need to encourage creative activities for ages one to eight. From setting up a studio space in your home to finding the best art materials for children, this book gives you all the information you need to get started. You'll learn how to: * Pick the best materials for your child's age and learn to make your very own * Prepare art activities to ease children through transitions, engage the most energetic of kids, entertain small groups, and more * Encourage artful living through everyday activities * Foster a love of creativity in your family

The Sunflower Parable

Action Art: Hands-On Active Art Adventures is A Collection of Over 100 Active Hands-On Art Experiences for Children 2-12, Full of Adventure, Movement, and Discovery. FOR SCHOOLS • HOMESCHOOLS • MUSEUMS • LIBRARIES • CHILDCARE • HOME Shelving: ART ACTIVITIES • EDUCATION • PARENTING Over 100 action-packed art activities bring discovery and adventurous creativity to children's art experiences that will delight and challenge kids of all ages. Each child-tested art activity is grouped into engaging action categories including: 1.Smacking • Squeezing • Tapping 2.Rolling • Spinning • Swinging 3.Blowing • Exploding • Smooshing 4.Tools • Toys • Utensils 5.Up • Down • All Around Full color photographs highlight all activities including painting, photography, collage and sculpture, each with helpful icons indicating levels for both children and adults. Action Art experiences are built on the knowledge that art for children is a creative process and not just a finished product. MaryAnn Kohl is famous around the world for encouraging children to experience creative art exploration best known as "process art". Action Art offers 5 chapters of exciting and adventurous creative art activities, all with surprise outcomes, including - Blowing Glitter, Dancing Blottos, Bubble Wrap, Boot Walk, Clear Color Squish

One Is a Snail, Ten Is a Crab Big Book

Camille is the son of the local postman, and the yellow man is a painter called Vincent in this story based on the life of Vincent van Gogh. The book includes several reproductions of Van Gogh's work, including Vase with 14 Sunflowers. Laurence Anholt is the author of The Forgotten Forest.

The Reason for a Flower

Vincent Van Gogh is one of the world's most famous artists and now you can carry his painting with you everywhere to inspire your day. This handy notebook is ideal for writing down phone numbers, ideas, important dates, lists or anything you can imagine. Choose a notebook that reflects your personality, perfectly. Beautifully designed by NOTEBOOKABLE. Discover the joy of pen or pencil and paper. Perfect for writing. 122 numbered pages with a prompt where you can write the date. Ruled with 23 lines on the right side pages. Left side pages have 18 lines per page that surround a central blank area where you can sketch, tape a keepsake, record your favorite quote or highlight something important. There are also 4 innovative Summary pages at the back of the notebook where you can record the PAGE number, ABOUT and THOUGHTS for each of your notebook entries. Helping you to organize and summarize your notebook. Cover: Durable paperback/softback with luxury matte finish. Size: Regular (6 x 9 inches), the classic notebook size. Neither too thick or too thin, the size is just right for throwing in your bag or carrying with you. The ideal gift for creative people, students, professionals, commuters, Mom, yourself or anyone. Buy now and join the paper revolution with NOTEBOOKABLE. Follow on Twitter: @notebookable #writeitdown #mynotebookable

The Everything Toddler Activities Book

A simple introduction to life processes told through sequence and change. Carefully constructed text checked by professional consultants. Teachers notes and activities.

Sunflower House

This educational and enjoyable book helps children understand how to plant bulbs, seeds, and seedlings, and nurture their growth. Lois Ehlert's bold collage illustrations include six pages that present all the flowers of each color of the rainbow.

Action ART

A young boy creates a summer playhouse by planting sunflowers and saves the seeds to make another house the next year.

Stories Neverending

Kids love baking, with all its fascinating textures, smells - and of course, tastes! Ella's Kitchen: The Big Baking Book takes

them beyond licking the bowl, with a wide range of easy recipes for all occasions, from lunchtime to party time. Enjoy cooking up a host of nutritious treats with your little ones, and watch them learn about counting, weighing and measuring at the same time. Above all, have fun and get messy! Ella's Kitchen: The Big Baking Book is sure to become your family's go-to cookbook, with recipes designed to really fit in with your life: - Try having a batch of savoury snack bakes on hand to fill a gap until dinner - a healthy way to keep your child's energy up without sending her into overdrive. - Head to your garden or the park with the delicious selection of picnic recipes - all dishes are highly portable and perfect for sharing. - Simplify days out with recipes from our On-the-Go section - individual portions, and not a crumb or a sticky finger in sight! But by far the best thing about this book is the fun it promises for your family, as you discover new recipes and create fond memories for your children. You'll never forget the look on their faces when they hand out slices of their first cake or cookies from their first ever batch.

Van Gogh's Sunflowers

"Spring is here, and Gus wants to grow a plant. All he needs is seeds, water, sun and a little bit of love."--P. [4] of cover.

Transportation

A New Orleans designer explains how to transform a room into a bold and elegant living space, in a book with more than 250 full-color photos.

The Importance of Being Little

Tiny Mouse is wide awake. He curls and twirls, he flips and flops, and he snuggles and huggles - but still he can't sleep. His dad gives him a cup of warm milk, his mum tells him to try counting sheep, and even his big brother Milo has some advice but nothing works, and Tiny Mouse is still wide awake. Luckily his Grandma knows just how to help soothe him to sleep This soft, sweet picture book is ideal for sharing with little ones - and is the perfect addition to a soothing bedtime routine which will help them sleep soundly.

The Bee Tree

Includes a bibliography of titles related to children's craft activities, especially international and holiday crafts, each providing project ideas using common household items.

Planting a Rainbow

Shows a variety of flowers, tells how they are pollinated and form seeds, and describes some of the useful products we get from flowering plants.

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