# PIK-A-PAK COLLECTION

# E/BANG When Sophie Gets Angry – Really, Really Angry

A young girl is upset and doesn't know how to manage her anger but takes the time to cool off and regain her composure.

Available on CD

#### E/BEAUMONT Move Over, Rover

When a storm comes, Rover expects to have his safe and dry doghouse all to himself but he soon finds that various other animals, including a skunk, also want a cozy place to sit out the rain.

#### E/BEAMONT I Ain't Gonna Paint No More!

Excited with the art he has created on the walls, a young artist decides to continue on with his vibrant creations--soon painting the floors, ceiling, and himself in the process!

# E/BIEDRZYCKI Me and My Dragon

A child tells all the reasons a small, fire-breathing dragon would make an excellent pet, and the ways to take proper care of it.

### E/BRUNHOFF Babar's ABC

The residents of Celesteville present the letters of the alphabet, accompanied by words and sentences for each letter.

#### E/BRUNHOFF Babar's Counting Book

Babar's children, Flora, Pom, and Alexander, go for a walk and count all of the interesting things they see, pleasing their father so much that he teaches them to count all the way to twenty.

# E/BUEHNER Snowmen At Night

After nighttime falls and everyone is asleep in their beds, a group of fun-loving snowmen jump into action and have their own bit of fun while no one is around to see.

#### E/BUNTING Hurry, Hurry

All the animals of the barnyard community hurry to greet their newest member, who is just pecking his way out of an egg.

# E/BURTON Mike Mulligan and His Steam Shovel

When Mike Mulligan and his steam shovel, Mary Ann, lose their jobs to the gasoline, electric, and diesel motor shovels, they go to a little country town where they find that one new job leads to another.

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#### E/DEEDY The Library Dragon

Miss Lotta Scales is a dragon who believes her job is to protect the school's library books from the children, but when she finally realizes that books are meant to be read, the dragon turns into Miss Lotty, librarian and storyteller.

## E/DUNREA Merry Christmas, Ollie!

On Christmas Eve, Ollie and the other goslings anxiously await the arrival of Father Christmas Goose.

#### E/EHLERT Leaf Man

A man made of leaves blows away, traveling wherever the wind may take him.

# E/FRENCH Diary of a Baby Wombat

Through a week of diary entries, a wombat describes his life of sleeping, playing, and helping his mother look for a bigger hole in which to make their home.

## E/FROMENTAL 365 Penguins

When a box containing a penguin arrives anonymously on New Year's Day, a family of four is puzzled, but as they continue to receive one penguin each day their problems--and food budget, and storage issues--are multiplied.

# E/HOBBIE Toot and Puddle: Top of the World

When Toot, a pig who loves to travel, takes a walk that turns into a trip to France and Nepal, his friend Puddle sets out to find him.

## E/HUBBELL Trucks: Whizz! Zoom! Rumble!

A rhyming look at many different kinds of trucks, from eighteen-wheelers to ice cream trucks, as they go about their business.

#### E/JENKINS Actual Size

Discusses and gives examples of the size and weight of various animals and parts of animals.

#### E/JENKINS Prehistoric Actual Size

Through informative descriptions and bold illustrations, including two detailed gatefolds, young readers are introduced to dinosaurs of various giant sizes through an examination of how they moved, the way they hunted, and the types of food they ate.

#### E/JENKINS What Do You Do With a Tail Like This?

Simple text presents the many things animals can do with their ears, eyes, mouths, noses, feet, and tails.

Available on CD

#### E/JOHNSON Snow Sounds

In a nearly-wordless book, a young boy, eager to reach a much-anticipated holiday party on time, listens to the sounds of the shovels, snow plow, and other equipment used to clear his way.

#### E/KARAS On Earth

We are all passengers of the Earth as it spins, tilts and circles the sun. Learn about Earth's cycles of rotation and revolution, plus how they affect our lives through the days and seasons.

#### E/KASZA The Dog Who Cried Wolf

Tired of being a house pet, Moka the dog moves to the mountains to become a wolf but soon misses the comforts of home.

# **E/LICHTENHELD** What Are You So Grumpy About?

A collection of cartoons that present various reasons for being grumpy, such as eating "grown-up" cereal, getting a boring birthday present, doing chores, and being touched by your brother or sister.

## E/MARKLE **A Mother's Journey**

An acclaimed nonfiction author presents the daring story of a mother emperor penguin's struggle to reach the sea, find food, avoid predators, and make her way back to her mate and their newborn chick before they starve.

## E/MAYER There's A Nightmare in My Closet

At bedtime a boy confronts the nightmare in his closet and finds him not so terrifying after all.

## E/MEDDAUGH Martha Speaks

Problems arise when Martha, the family dog, learns to speak after eating alphabet soup. *Available on CD* 

#### E/NEWGARDEN Bow-Wow Bugs a Bug

A wordless picture book about a persistent terrier that spends a day following a bug through his neighborhood.

### E/PEARSON Slugs in Love

Marylou and Herbie, two garden slugs, write love poems in slime to one another but have trouble actually meeting.

#### E/PFISTER The Rainbow Fish

The most beautiful fish in the entire ocean discovers the real value of personal beauty and friendship.

#### E/PIPER The Little Engine That Could

When a little train is unable to pull her heavy load over the mountain she asks the little blue engine for help.

#### E/RATHMANN Good Night, Gorilla

A zookeeper finds his normal nighttime routine upset when a mischievous little ape steals his keys and lets all his animal charges out of their cages. *Available on CD* 

#### E/RYAN Hello Ocean

Using rhyming text, a child describes the wonder of the ocean experienced through each of her five senses.

#### E/SHANNON The Rain Came Down

An unexpected rain shower causes quarreling among the members of a small community.

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# E/STEAD A Sick Day For Amos McGee

Amos McGee, a friendly zoo keeper, always makes time to visit his animal friends, but when he becomes sick and cannot come in to work, the animals pay him a visit instead.

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#### E/TEAGUE Dear Mrs. La Rue

Gertrude LaRue receives typewritten and paw-written letters from her dog Ike, entreating her to let him leave the Igor Brotweiler Canine Academy and come back home. *Available on CD* 

### E/TEAGUE **Detective LaRue**

While on vacation, Mrs. LaRue receives letters from her dog Ike who has been falsely accused of harming the neighbor's cats and is trying to clear his name.

#### E/THOMAS What Will Fat Cat Sit On?

A group of animals is terrified at the prospect of being sat upon by the imposing Fat Cat, until the mouse comes up with a solution that satisfies everyone.

# E/TRAPANI The Itsy Bitsy Spider

The itsy-bitsy spider encounters a fan, a mouse, a cat, and a rocking chair as she makes her way to the top of a tree to spin her web.

#### E/WHEELER **Bubble Gum, Bubble Gum**

After a variety of animals get stuck one by one in bubble gum melting in the road, they must survive encounters with a big blue truck and a burly black bear.

#### E/WILD Piglet and Granny

While Piglet waits for his fun-loving Granny to visit, he impresses the other farm animals with some of the skills she has taught him, such as balancing and turning somersaults.

# E/YOLEN How Do Dinosaurs Say Good Night?

Mother and child ponder the different ways a dinosaur can say goodnight, from slamming his tail and pouting to giving a big hug and kiss. *Available on CD* 

#### E/ZELINSKY Rapunzel

A retelling of a folktale in which a beautiful girl with long golden hair is kept imprisoned in a lonely tower by a sorceress. Includes a note on the origins of the story. *Available on CD* 

# J/398.2/ANDERSON Ugly Duckling

An ugly duckling spends an unhappy year ostracized by the other animals before he grows into a beautiful swan.

# J/636.7/JENKINS **Dogs and Cats**

Are you a cat lover? A dog person? Either way, this book is for you! Read about how your favorite companion came to be a pet and how its body works. Then, flip the book over and find out about the other kind.