



Bigger, Bolder, Brighter!

A Bibliography of Asian Children's Literature

The Fine Flora and Fantastic Fauna of Asia

Can you find these words?
Look for them in all directions, including backwards and diagonally.

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- Trumpet Vine
- Orchid
- Swallow
- Elephant
- Hornbill
- Mousedeer

FUN FACTS

Orchid
The orchid family is the largest family of flowering plants in the world. In fact, eight percent of all species of flowering plants are orchids! Singapore is home to the *Grammatophyllum speciosum*, the largest orchid plant in the world.

Adapted from: Wing, Y. T. (2007). *Orchids of the Singapore Botanic Gardens*. National Parks Board, Singapore Botanic Gardens.

Mindanao Gum
The children on the front cover are sitting on the Mindanao Gum, a tree native to the Philippines. Also known as the Rainbow Eucalyptus Tree, it has a flaky bark that peels off to reveal green, cream, brown, and pink underneath!

Adapted from: Russell, T., Cutler, C., & Walters, M. (2014). *The Complete Encyclopedia of Trees of the World* (pp. 471). Lorenz Books.

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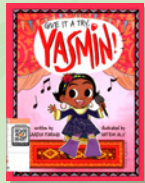


Kiki Kallira Breaks a Kingdom

Author:
Sangu Mandanna
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J MAN
Publisher:
Hodder Children's Books, 2021

Give It a Try, Yasmin!

Author:
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Publisher:
Picture Window Books, 2021

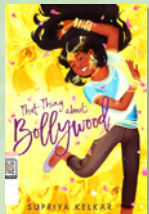


The Malay Annals: Attack of the Garfish and Other Adventures

Author:
Hidayah Amin
Call No.:
J SING HID
Publisher:
World Scientific Publishing, 2021

That Thing About Bollywood

Author:
Supriya Kelkar
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Publisher:
Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, 2021



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Leilong the Library Bus

Author:
Julia Liu
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JP LIU
Publisher:
Gecko Press, 2021



Rumaysa: A Fairytale

Author:
Radiya Hafiza
Call No.:
J 398.2 HAF -[FOL]
Publisher:
Macmillan Children's Books, 2021



Fauja Singh Keeps Going: The True Story of the Oldest Person to Ever Run a Marathon

Author:
Simran Jeet Singh
Call No.:
JP 796.42092 SIN
Publisher:
Kokila, 2020



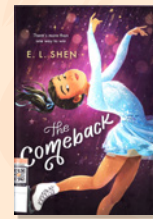
Sona Sharma: Looking After Planet Earth

Author:
Chitra Soundar
Call No.:
J SOU
Publisher:
Walker Books, 2021



There Must Be More Than That!

Author:
Shinsuke Yoshitake
Call No.:
JP YOS
Publisher:
Chronicle Books, 2020



The Comeback

Author:
E. L. Shen
Call No.:
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Publisher:
Farrar, Straus and Giroux, 2021



Wishes

Author:
Mượn Thị Vãn
Call No.:
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Publisher:
Orchard Books, 2021



Stand Up, Yumi Chung!

Author:
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J KIM
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Kokila, 2020

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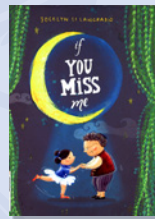


Lala's Words

Author:
Gracey Zhang
Call No.:
JP ZHA
Publisher:
Scholastic, 2021

If You Miss Me

Author:
Jocelyn Li Langrand
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Scholastic, 2021



Embrace the Chicken

Author:
Mahtab Narsimhan
Call No.:
J NAR
Publisher:
Orca Book Publishers, 2020

Pippa Park Raises Her Game

Author:
Erin Yun
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Fabled Films Press, 2020



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