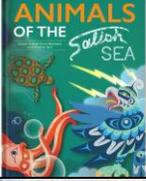
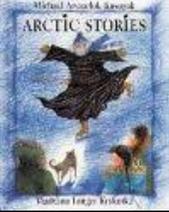
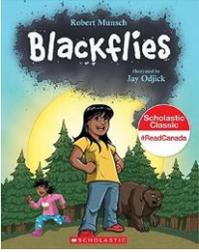
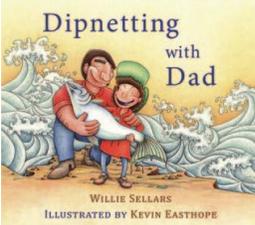
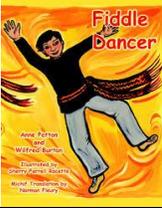
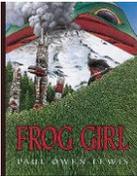
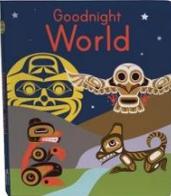
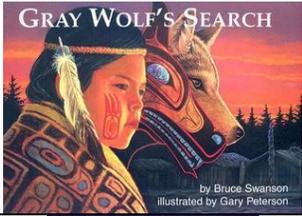
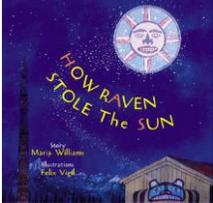
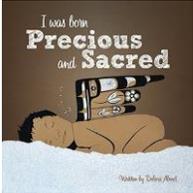
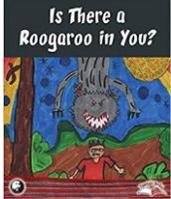
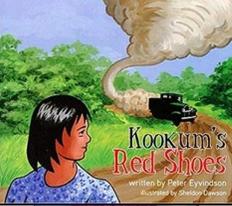
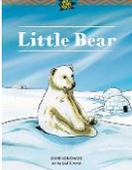
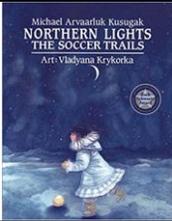
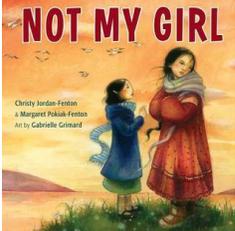
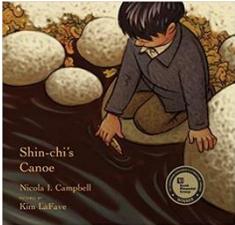
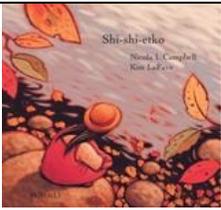
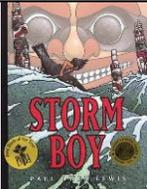
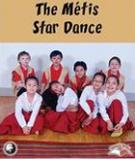
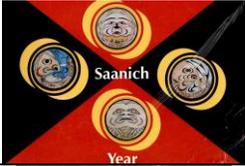
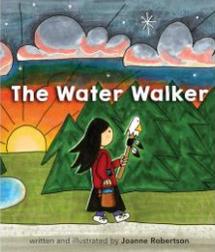
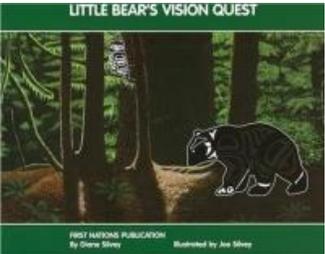
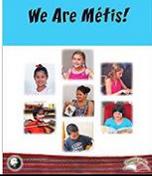
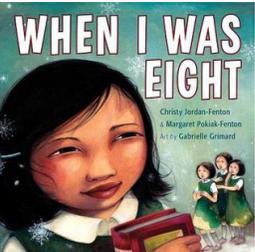


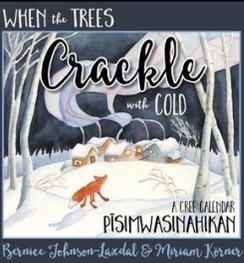
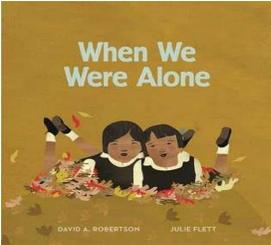
## Indigenous Stories and Puppets

	<p><b>Animals of the Salish Sea</b></p> <p>Explore the Salish Sea through the First Nations and Native An art of 13 Coast Salish artists and Musqueam, Coast Salish author Melaney Gleeson-Lyall</p>
	<p><b>Artic Stories</b></p> <p>Acclaimed Inuit storyteller Michael Kusugak weaves a tapestry of tales about ten-year-old Agatha and her accidental heroism in the high Arctic of 1958</p>
	<p><b>Blackflies</b>                      Robert Munsch                      <b>French &amp; English</b></p> <p>Helen loves springtime – except for the gazillions of blackflies and mosquitoes. But she has a plan.....          One day Helen wakes up and its Spring! The snow has melted and the sun is shining. But Helen knows that the blackflies will be coming out soon. So she does what any smart kid would do: she sends her little sister outdoors to check! When the blackflies and the mosquitoes carry her away, Helen tells her dad, who rushes outside and is carried away himself. Now Helen needs to rescue BOTH of them, along with a wolf and a very clever bear.</p>
	<p><b>Chi-Jean and the Long Winter</b></p> <p>This story comes from the Métis...This story is about the trickster Chi-Jean...In this story, Chi-Jean helps a group of animals see why it is important to share and work together.</p>
	<p><b>Dipnetting with Dad</b></p> <p>Set in the beautiful landscape of the Cariboo Chilcotin region, <i>Dipnetting with Dad</i> is a delightful and colourful story of a father teaching his son the Secwepemc method of fishing known as Dipnetting. Together they visit the Sweat Lodge, mend the nets, select the best fishing spot, and catch and pack their fish through rugged bush back to the family home for traditional preparation.</p>
	<p><b>Fiddle Dancer</b></p> <p>Fiddle Dancer tells the tale of a young Métis boy, Nolin, and his growing awareness of his Métis heritage and identity while his “Mooshoom” or grandfather, teaches him to dance.</p>
	<p><b>Frog Girl</b></p> <p>Frogs have been stolen, an earthquake rumbles, a village is in peril. To restore calm to her land, a girl must delve beneath the surface of a lake, deep into a spirit world. What she finds will thrill readers and introduce them to a classic hero's journey.</p>
	<p><b>Goodnight World</b></p> <p>Animals of the Native Northwest</p>

	<h3>Gray Wolf's Search</h3> <p>A young boy is told by his uncle, the village shaman that his role in their clan and tribe depends on his finding and getting to know a very important person. Gray Wolf journeys through the woods and seashore around his home and through the seasons for a full year in the course of his search.</p>
	<h3>How Raven Stole the Sun</h3> <p>A long time ago, Raven was pure white, like fresh snow in winter. This was so long ago that the only light came from campfires, because a greedy chief kept the stars, moon, and sun locked up in elaborately carved boxes. Determined to free them, the shape-shifting Raven resourcefully transformed himself into the chief's baby grandson and cleverly tricked him into opening the boxes and releasing the starlight and moonlight.</p>
	<h3>Hummingbird and the Fire</h3> <p style="text-align: right;">Turtle Island Voices</p>
	<h3>I was born Precious and Sacred</h3> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>French &amp; English</b></p> <p>This is the refrain of the book, I Was Born Precious And Sacred, which recounts with simple language and poignant photographs the ancestral teachings about the sanctity of each and every Little Person born into our communities. The simple words of this read-aloud book echo the timeless truth that every aspect of our children are sacred and valuable, and that each of us must work to preserve their minds, bodies, spirits, and hearts.</p>
	<h3>Is ther a Roogaroo in You?</h3> <p>Relating to Métis culture.</p>
	<h3>Just a Walk</h3> <p>In Just a Walk, a young boy named Chuck goes for a simple walk that turns into a day of crazy adventure. Chuck encounters animals, fish and birds that lead him on a wild journey through their various habitats.</p>
	<h3>Kookum's Red Shoes</h3> <p>The legacy of the residential schools is conveyed with respect and imagination in this illustrated story for young readers. As the elderly Kookum remembers the experiences in her youth that changed her life forever, we see what was lost in her life, and how goodness persisted.</p>
	<h3>L'enfant Qui Revait De S'Envoler</h3> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>French</b></p>
	<h3>Little Bear</h3> <p style="text-align: right;">Turtle Island Voices</p>

	<h3>Northern Lights Soccer Trails</h3> <p>This story explores the Inuit belief that the Northern Lights are the souls of the dead, playing soccer in the sky.</p>
	<h3>Not My Girl</h3> <p>Margaret can't wait to see her family, but her homecoming is not what she expected. Based on the true story of Margaret Pokiak-Fenton, and complemented by evocative illustrations, <i>Not My Girl</i> makes the original, award-winning memoir, <i>A Stranger at Home</i>, accessible to younger children. It is also a sequel to the picture book <i>When I Was Eight</i>. A poignant story of a determined young girl's struggle to belong, it will both move and inspire readers everywhere.</p>
	<h3>Painted Sky</h3> <p>Leslie is new to the Arctic, and no one told her there would be so much snow, and so many interesting animals to see. Along with her new friend, Oolipika, Leslie soon discovers one of the Arctic's most unique and breathtaking natural wonders, the northern lights. Having never seen such lights before, Leslie is understandably shocked by them. Oolipika, on the other hand, knows that the ancient lights are more than just colors and that the mischievous, playful spirits that the northern lights hold can be dangerous.</p>
	<h3>Pine Forest Pond Music</h3> <p>.</p>
	<h3>Shin - chi's Canoe</h3> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>French &amp; English</b></p> <p>When they arrive at school, Shi-shi-etko reminds Shinchi, her six-year-old brother, that they can only use their English names and that they can't speak to each other. For Shinchi, life becomes an endless cycle of church mass, school, and work, punctuated by skimpy meals. He finds solace at the river, clutching a tiny cedar canoe, a gift from his father, and dreaming of the day when the salmon return to the river — a sign that it's almost time to return home.</p>
	<h3>Shi-shi-etko</h3> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>French &amp; English</b></p> <p>In just four days Shi-shi-etko will have to leave her family and all that she knows to attend residential school. She spends her last days at home treasuring the beauty of her world. This gentle story of a child on the verge of great loss was selected as the Aboriginal Children's Book of the Year.</p>
	<h3>Storm Boy</h3> <p>After a violent seastorm, a Haida prince washes ashore in the supernatural realm of the strange and colossal killer whale people. There his spiritual journey begins.</p>
	<h3>Strong Stories Coast Salish Series</h3> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>French &amp; English</b></p> <p>Granny and I Get Traditional Names, Mom, How Do You Make Smoked Fish?, Why Ravens and Wolves Hunt Together, Taking Care of Our Mother Earth, The Cedar Tree: The Heart of Our People, The Great Blanket of Moss, The Great Trade, The Sun and the Moon</p>

	<p><b>Sweetest Kulu</b></p> <p>This poem, written by internationally acclaimed Inuit throat singer Celina Kalluk, describes the gifts bestowed upon a newborn baby by all the animals of the Arctic. Lyrically and lovingly written, this visually stunning book is infused with the Inuit values of love and respect for the land and its animal inhabitants.</p>
	<p><b>The Enchanted Caribou</b></p> <p>Three brave young hunters befriend a maiden who is then changed into a white caribou. Includes instructions for performing the story as a shadow play.</p>
	<p><b>The Metis Star Dance</b></p> <p>Relating to Métis culture</p>
	<p><b>The Saanich Year</b></p>
	<p><b>The Water Walker</b></p> <p>The determined story of an Ojibwe grandmother (<i>nokomis</i>), Josephine Mandamin, and her great love for <i>nibi</i> (water). Nokomis walks to raise awareness of our need to protect <i>nibi</i> for future generations and for all life on the planet. She, along with other women, men and youth, has walked around all the Great Lakes from the four salt waters, or oceans, to Lake Superior. The walks are full of challenges, and by her example she challenges us all to take up our responsibility to protect our water, the giver of life, and to protect our planet for all generations.</p>
	<p><b>Vision Quest</b> <span style="background-color: yellow;">French &amp; English</span></p> <p>A full colour story book that teaches respect for others. The paintings were done by Joe Silvey (Salish). The book deals with name calling, initially showing the main character, Little Bear, as selfish and inconsiderate of others'™ feelings. The book is a modern First Nations legend applying the traditional method of using stories as a teaching tool. Little Bear learns to value the traditions of his ancestors and through the daily ritual of cleansing himself becomes in tune with nature.</p>
	<p><b>We are Metis!</b></p>
	<p><b>When I was Eight</b> <span style="background-color: yellow;">French &amp; English</span></p> <p>Olemaun is eight and knows a lot of things. But she does not know how to read. Ignoring her father's warnings, she travels far from her Arctic home to the outsiders' school to learn. The nuns at the school call her Margaret. They cut off her long hair and force her to do menial chores, but she remains undaunted. Her tenacity draws the attention of a black-cloaked nun who tries to break her spirit at every turn. But the young girl is more determined than ever to learn how to read</p>

	<h3>When the Trees Crackle with Cold</h3> <p>A bear sleeping safely in her den, Kohkom telling a story by the fire, the trees crackling with cold—we are all connected to the seasons and the cycle of nature. The calming rhythm of the words echoes the rhythm of the land in this timeless picture book about the moon calendar of the northern Cree, and its warmly rendered watercolour illustrations bring Saskatchewan's north to life.</p>
	<h3>When We Were Alone</h3> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>French &amp; English</b></p> <p>When a young girl helps tend to her grandmother's garden, she begins to notice things that make her curious. Why does her grandmother have long braided hair and beautifully colored clothing? Why does she speak another language and spend so much time with her family? As she asks her grandmother about these things, she is told about life in a residential school a long time ago, where all of these things were taken away. <i>When We Were Alone</i> is a story about a difficult time in history and, ultimately, one of empowerment and strength.</p>
<p>Four Indigenous double-sided puzzles (24 pieces each)</p>	

	<p>Hunter the Bear Hand puppet</p>		<p>Howler the Wolf Hand puppet</p>
	<p>Shelly the Turtle Hand puppet</p>		<p>Joy the Hummingbird Hand puppet</p>
	<p>Sage the Owl</p>		<p>Boomer the Thunderbird</p>
	<p>Mo the Moose</p>		<p>Sky the Eagle Bear Totem Hand puppet</p>
	<p>Salish Sea Animal Flash Cards</p>		

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