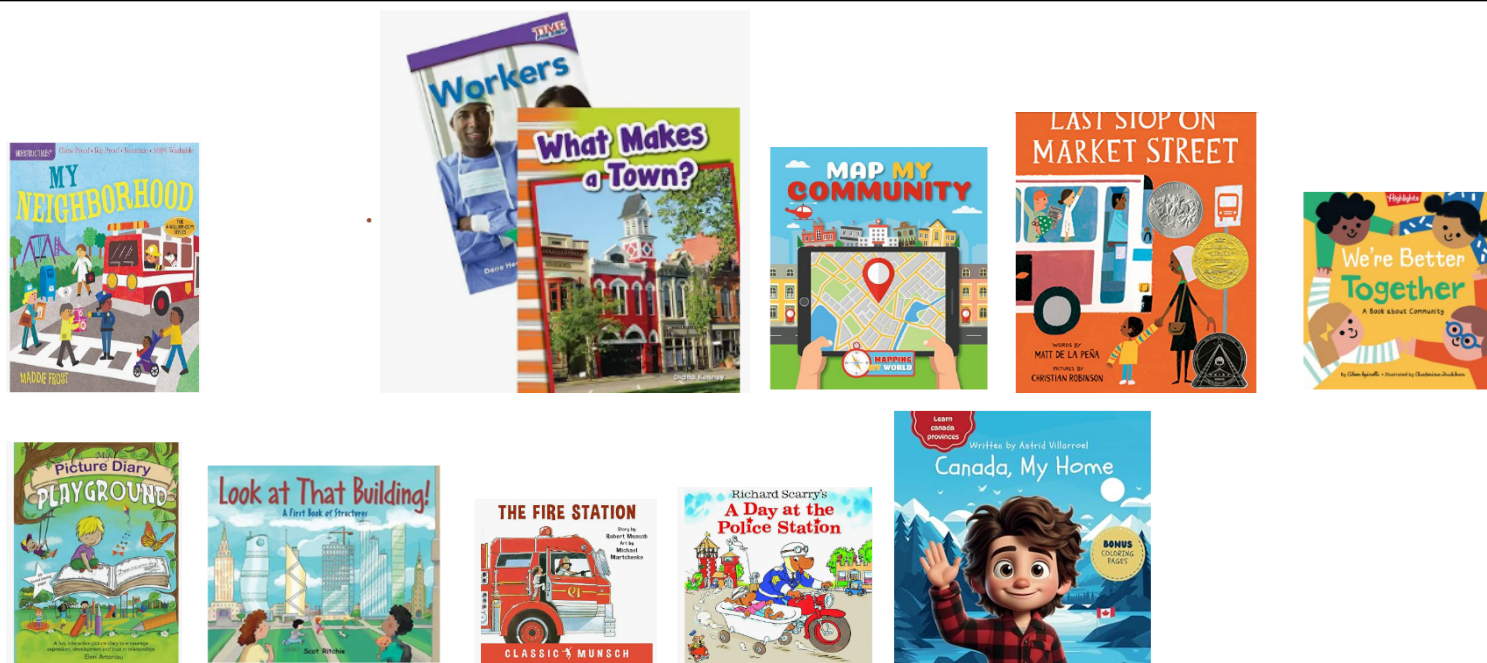


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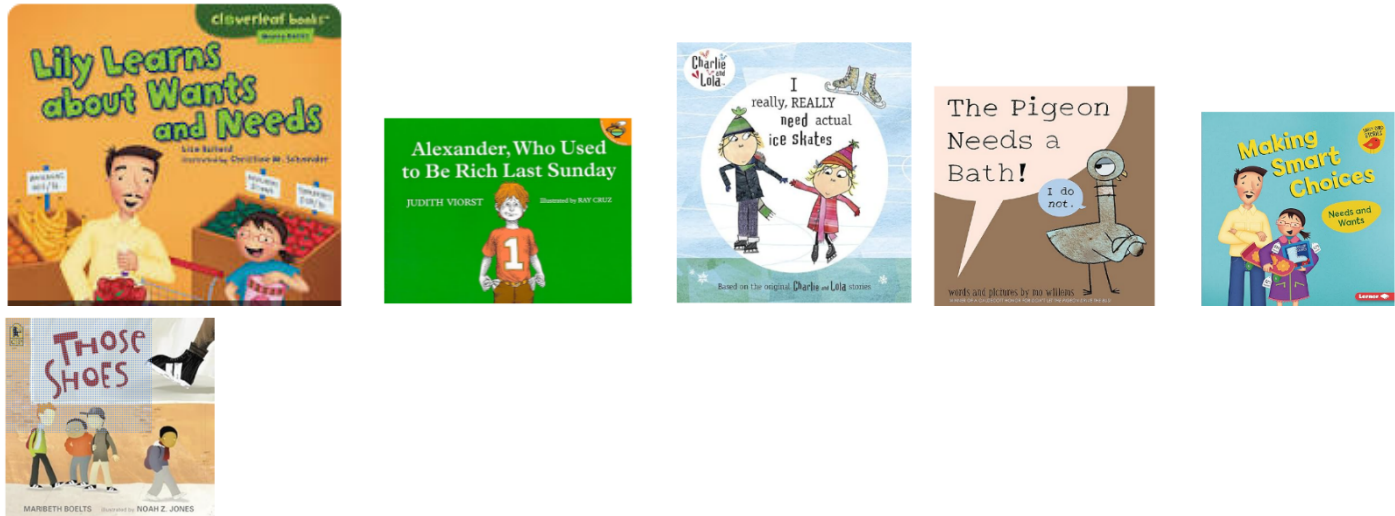

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LO: Children relate cooperation and collaboration to achieving common goals.



Stories and Legends

CULTURE BASED LEARNING

Trickster's Brother and the Bull Moose

Kiyas, long ago, when Nihaneemis, Trickster's brother, and Weeschechuk, Trickster, were the only two legends walking on this earth, Nihaneemis had been captured and kidnapped by the giants. The older giant, the dad, had chosen Nihaneemis to be the husband of his youngest daughter, but

So Nihaneemis said, "Of course. Yeah. Take me to this island!" So, the father, the old giant, took him to this island and here it was an island full of moose, moose, that were mostly yepes, bull moose. We are told that at that time, kaskiyaw yapew, all bull moose,

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I Call My Hand Gentle By Amanda Haan

Clark the Shark by Bruce Hale

No, David! By David Shannon

What if Everybody Did That by Ellen Javernick

How Full is Your Bucket For Kids

Miss Bindergarten Gets Ready for Kindergarten: By Joseph Slate

How Full is Your Bucket for Kids by Tom Rath and Mary Reckmeyer

Llama Llama Time to Share by Anna Dewdney

How to Grow a Friend by Sara Gillingham

[Amazon.ca](#): The Magnificent Team by Ashley Spires

[Amazon.ca](#): I Am We: A book of Community by Susan Verde

[Amazon.ca](#) Walking Together by [Elder Dr. Albert D. Marshall](#)

[Read Brightly Link](#) to many picture books

Scholastic [The Best Books About Friendship and Getting Along With Others](#)

[PBS Kids Books about Friendship](#)

Indigenous Culture Based Learning in Alberta Curriculum [Trickster's Brother and Bull Moose](#) as told by Jason Bigcharles