



Content Catalog

Britannica Library: Young Children: Exploring the World with Engaging, Age-Appropriate Content

Britannica Library: Young Children offers growing patrons a dynamic and engaging way to explore the world around them. Covering a wide range of topics, this trusted resource brings learning to life with content on animals, science, nature, history, inspiring people, geography, civics, and culture—all carefully curated with age-appropriate topics and language for emerging readers.

From fascinating creatures like dolphins, tigers, and octopuses to natural wonders like volcanoes, glaciers, and the Amazon Rainforest, children can discover the beauty and diversity of the world. Engaging biographies introduce influential figures such as Martin Luther King, Jr., Jane Goodall, and Galileo, while history and social studies topics help budding scholars understand citizenship, important movements, and cultural traditions from around the world.

With rich visuals, read-aloud features, easy-to-understand explanations, and content designed to spark curiosity, Britannica Library: Young Children helps build foundational knowledge and encourages kids to ask questions, make connections, and develop a lifelong love of learning.

Let's Explore!



Britannica's Young Children Collection

Britannica Library: Young Children is designed to ignite imagination and build essential knowledge for your youngest of patrons. With rich visuals, read-aloud features, easy-to-understand explanations, and content designed to spark curiosity, children can explore the world in a way that makes sense to them—turning everyday learning into exciting discoveries.

Plus, all articles contain an easy toggle button that seamlessly translates articles and all related media from English into native Spanish.



Animals

Alligator	Dragon	Lobster	Salamander
Animal Adaptations	Dragonfly	Mammal	Sea Lion
Animal Migration	Eagle	Manatee	Sea Star
Ape	Eel	Marsupial	Sea Turtle
Arachnid	Elephant	Meerkat	Seahorse
Armadillo	Emu	Mollusk	Shark
Arthropod	Fish	Monkey	Shrimp
Axolotl	Fox	Moth	Sloth
Bat	Frog	Mouse	Snake
Beaver	Gerbil	Octopus	Spider
Bee	Gila Monster	Opossum	Stork
Bison	Giraffe	Orca	Swan
Bobcat	Goose	Ostrich	Tarantula
Butterfly	Gorilla	Otter	Tasmanian Devil
Caecilian	Great White Shark	Owl	Tiger
Camel	Grizzly Bear	Panda	Toad
Cat	Hamster	Parrot	Toucan
Caterpillar	Hare	Peacock	Turtle
Chameleon	Hippopotamus	Pelican	Velociraptor
Cheetah	Horse	Penguin	Walrus
Chicken	Humpback Whale	Pig	Whale
Chimpanzee	Iguana	Polar Bear	Why Animals Become Extinct
Clown Fish	Insect	Porcupine	Wolf
Cow	Invertebrate	Prairie Dog	Wombat
Coyote	Kangaroo	Primate	Yak
Crab	Koala	Puffin	Zebra
Crustacean	Komodo Dragon	Puma	Zoology
Dodo	Leopard	Rabbit	
Dog	Lion	Raccoon	
Dolphin	Lizard	Rodent	



Our World

- All About Me
- All About Oceans
- American Revolution
- Being a Good Citizen
- Being Safe on the Internet
- Big Changes: The Civil Rights Act of 1964
- Civil Rights Movement
- Coming to America
- Constitution
- Delano Grape Strike
- Dia de los Muertos
- Diwali
- Family Tree
- Fiction and Nonfiction
- Flag
- Government
- Hanukkah
- HBCUs: School for All
- Holiday
- Immigration
- Independence Day
- Jim Crow Laws
- Kinds of Stories
- Kwanzaa
- Las Posadas
- Let's Learn the Coins
- Library
- Making Changes
- Making Choices
- Making Decisions
- Mendez v Westminster
- Midsummer
- Money
- Montgomery Bus Boycott
- Museum
- Needs and Wants
- New Americans, New Ideas
- Obon
- Old Spanish Trail
- Olympic Games
- Patriotism
- Presidents' Day
- Real or Make-Believe?
- Rules and Laws
- School
- Sign Language
- Sports
- Teamwork
- The Bracero Program
- The Freedom Tower
- The Hopi
- The March On Washington
- The NAACP
- The Oceti Sakowin
- The Space Race
- The United States Constitution
- The United States Flag
- The Woolworth Sit-In: Standing Up for Fairness
- Trade
- Transportation
- Tuskegee Airmen
- US Citizenship
- Victoria Day
- Voting
- Voting Rights Act of 1965
- What Is Flag Day?
- Why Animals Become Extinct
- Why Hispanic Heritage Month Starts on September 15
- Working to Earn Money



People

Abigail Adams
 Abraham Lincoln
 Alexander Calder
 Alexander Graham Bell
 Althea Gibson
 Aretha Franklin
 Babe Ruth
 Benjamin Franklin
 Bessie Coleman
 Betsy Ross
 Booker T. Washington
 Buzz Aldrin
 Captain James Cook
 Cesar Chavez
 Charles White
 Claude Monet
 Daniel Boone
 Daniel Webster
 Dr. Seuss
 Eleanor Roosevelt
 Emmeline Pankhurst
 Eric Carle
 Florence Nightingale
 Frida Kahlo
 Galileo
 George Washington

George Washington Carver
 Georgia O'Keeffe
 Greta Thunberg
 Grimm Brothers
 Harriet Tubman
 Henri Matisse
 Irma Rangel
 Isambard Kingdom Brunel
 Jackie Robinson
 Jacques Cousteau
 Jane Goodall
 Jim Henson
 Jim Thorpe
 Johann Sebastian Bach
 John Adams
 Johnny Appleseed
 Junko Tabei
 Katherine Johnson
 Lindsey Vonn
 Lonnie Johnson
 Louis Braille
 Ludwig van Beethoven
 Mae Jemison
 Mahatma Gandhi
 Margaret Knight
 Margaret Wise Brown

Martin Luther King, Jr.
 Maya Angelou
 Michael Phelps
 Mo Willems
 Mother Goose
 Neil Armstrong
 P.T. Barnum
 Paul Revere
 Pelé
 Rachel Carson
 Rosa Parks
 Ruby Bridges
 Sally Ride
 Simone Biles
 Soichi Sakamoto
 Susan B. Anthony
 Thomas Edison
 Thomas Jefferson
 Thurgood Marshall
 Usain Bolt
 Walt Disney
 William Shakespeare
 Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
 Yo-Yo Ma





Science

Archaeology

Astronomy

Biology

Climate Change

Computer

Conservation

Digital Tools

Discovering States of Matter

Earth

Ecosystem

Electricity in Our Daily Lives

Energy

Evaporation

Finding Science Clues

Force

Friction

Geology

Gravity

How Push and Pull Move Things

How Scientists Look for Answers

How Sounds Are Made

How the Sun Warms Our World

Investigating Nature's Mysteries

Is the Moon Made of Cheese?

Learning with Models

Life Cycles

Living and Non-living Things

Magnets

Mars Rovers

Mercury

Moon

Photosynthesis

Planet

Pollution

Real or Make-Believe?

Recycling

Renewable Energy

Robot

Science

Solar System

Space Station

Sun

Technology

Telescope

The Ice Age

The Space Race

Understanding Data

Universe

Venus

Water

Weathering and Erosion

Why Animals Become Extinct

X-rays



Nature

Animal Adaptations

Avalanche

Blizzard

Canyon

Climate

Cloud

Coast

Desert

Earth

Ecosystem

Fall

Flood

Flower

Fog

Forest

Glacier

Grassland

Habitat

Hurricane

Iceberg

Lake

Lakes

Lava

Mountain

North Pole

Ocean

Plant

Rain

River

Sand Dune

Seasons

Sleep

Snow

South Pole

Spring

Summer

Swamp

Thunder

Thunderstorm

Tide

Tornado

Tree

Tsunami

Tundra

Valley

Volcano

Water

Waterfall

Weather

Wetland

Wind

Winter



Places

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| Africa | City | Machu Picchu | Space Station |
| Airport | Continent | Mexico | Statue of Liberty |
| Alabama | Europe | Milky Way Galaxy | Taj Mahal |
| Alaska | Farm | New York City | Texas |
| Andes Mountains | Fire Station | North America | United States |
| Antarctica | Florida | North Carolina | Washington Monument |
| Arizona | France | Paris | Washington, D.C. |
| Asia | Galápagos Islands | Pennsylvania | White House |
| Australia | Great Wall of China | Petra | Wisconsin |
| Badland | Hospital | Pompeii | Zoo |
| Brazil | Japan | Rocky Mountains | |
| California | Kentucky | School | |
| Canada | Library | South America | |
| China | London | South Pole | |

Big News for 2025!

We're expanding our database with 400+ brand-new articles designed specifically for young children—all available in both English and native Spanish!

This exciting collection will spark wonder and build foundational knowledge with fun, easy-to-understand content on science, nature, inspiring leaders, history, geography, and more. From fascinating natural wonders to key civics and cultural topics.



Tools for Librarian Success

We know supporting young patrons is an adventure, so we've packed our resource hub [Teach Britannica](#) with ready-to-use activities and playful prompts to keep little minds exploring.

Whether you're diving into the wonders of the animal kingdom, taking a trip through history, or uncovering cool science facts, these resources make supporting your community seamless and stress-free.

No more scrambling for ideas—just easy, exciting ways to help your patrons learn, laugh, and love discovering the world around them!

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Lesson Minis | Bell Ringers & Exit Tickets | Instructional Strategies | Graphic Organizers

CHOOSE TOPIC: All | GRADE: K-2 3-5 6-8 9-12 6-12

- Animal Homes in the Desert**
LESSON MINI | ACTIVITIES: 3
ANIMAL HABITATS
GRADE: K-2
NEW
Students explore and compare habitats while developing vocabulary and observational skills to understand how different environments support animal survival.
- Animal Homes in the Ocean**
LESSON MINI | ACTIVITIES: 3
ANIMAL HABITATS
GRADE: K-2
NEW
Students explore and compare habitats while developing vocabulary and observational skills to understand how different environments support animal survival.
- Animal Homes in the Rainforest**
LESSON MINI | ACTIVITIES: 4
ANIMAL HABITATS
GRADE: K-2
NEW
Students explore and compare habitats while developing vocabulary and observational skills to understand how different environments support animal survival.
- Exploring Space with Mae Jemison**
LESSON MINI | ACTIVITIES: 3
HISTORICAL FIGURES
GRADE: K-2
Students read about Mae Jemison, the first Black woman in space, learning her story and practicing early literacy skills.
- Leaders and Helpers**
LESSON MINI | ACTIVITIES: 3
COMMUNITY
GRADE: K-2
A firefighter in full gear stands in front of a fire truck.
- All About Autobiographies**
LESSON MINI | ACTIVITIES: 2
AUTOBIOGRAPHIES EXPLORED
GRADE: 3-5
A young boy is shown reading a book.
- Architecture**
LESSON MINI | ACTIVITIES: 3
ARCHITECTURE
GRADE: 6-8
The Leaning Tower of Pisa is shown against a blue sky.
- Breaking from Britain**
LESSON MINI | ACTIVITIES: 5
AMERICAN HISTORY
GRADE: 3-5
A person is shown writing on a document.

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Every big idea starts with a little curiosity.
[Learn more about Britannica Library: Young Children](#)



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