

Muslims, Islam and Islamophobia:

A Bibliography of Resources

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Winter, Jeanette

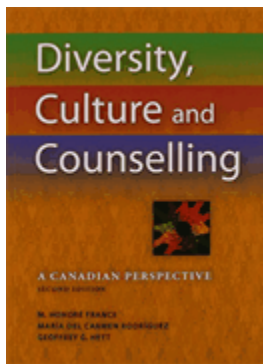
The librarian of Basra : a true story from Iraq

Orlando, FL : Harcourt, 2005.

Subjects: Baker, Alia Muhammad—Juvenile literature. Iraq War, 2003—Juvenile literature. Librarians—Iraq—Biography—Juvenile literature. Libraries—Destruction and pillage—Iraq—Juvenile literature.

Summary: Alia Muhammad Baker, the librarian in Basra, Iraq, works hard to save the precious books when war comes.

Curriculum Notes: English language arts grade 3 (2010). English language arts grade 6 (2009). Social studies grade 3 (2010).



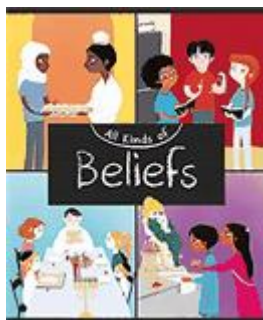
158.3 D618

Diversity, culture and counselling : a Canadian perspective. Second edition

Edmonton, AB : Brush Education Inc., 2013.

Subjects: Cross-cultural counseling—Canada. Minorities—Counseling of—Canada.

Summary: Information about many cultural groups in Canada with practical perspectives on subjects such as treating Muslim clients, the specific needs of Indo-Canadians, the role of traditional healing methods in Aboriginal cultures, and helping immigrant children cope with acculturation in the school system.



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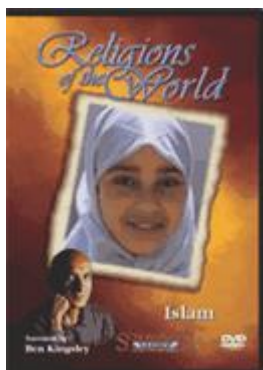
Ganeri, Anita

All kinds of beliefs

St. Catharines, ON : Crabtree Publishing Company, 2019.

Subjects: Faith—Juvenile literature. Religions—Juvenile literature. Religious life—Juvenile literature.

Summary: People hold all kinds of beliefs. We may be Buddhists, Christians, Hindus, Jews, Muslims, or Sikhs, or belong to other religions. Some people have non-religious beliefs. We can show what we believe by how we dress, what we eat, how we behave, and how we treat other people. What are your beliefs?



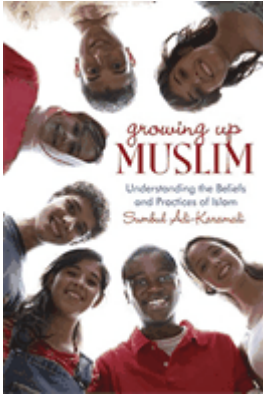
200 R382

Islam [DVD]

Wynnewood, PA : Schlessinger Media, 2003.

Subjects: Islam—History.

Summary: This DVD discusses the history of Islam as one of the great monolithic world religions. It explores the wealth of cultural contributions of the Islamic world.



297 A398

Ali-Karamali, Sumbul

Growing up Muslim : understanding the beliefs and practices of Islam

New York, NY : Ember, 2013.

Subjects: Islam—Juvenile literature.

Summary: This book is a comprehensive introduction to one of the world's major religions and its everyday context in Muslim life in America.



297 E36

Ejaz, Khadija

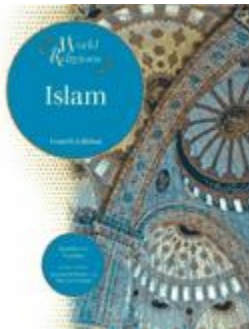
My friend is Muslim

Kenneth Square, PA : Purple Toad Publishing, c2015.

Subjects: Faith—Juvenile literature. Islam—Customs and practices—Juvenile literature. Islam—History—Juvenile literature. Muslims—Social life and customs—Juvenile literature.

Summary: Layla Reed is only twelve years old, but she has a big project ahead of her. Her teacher has asked her to speak to her seventh grade class about Islam.

Layla's best friend, Nancy Winters, is going to help her with the project, and she's going to learn a lot about her friend's religion along the way. Who was Muhammad? What exactly is in the Quran? What is jihad? Islam is only 1,500 years old, but Muslims believe its message is older than Creation itself. Layla's family is busy fasting for the holy month of Ramadan, and the festival of Eid Al-Fitr is only a week away. Will she and Nancy be ready?



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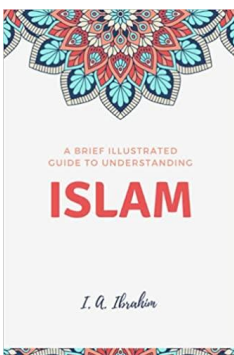
Gordon, Matthew S.

Islam. 4th edition

New York, NY : Chelsea House, 2009.

Subjects: Islam—Juvenile literature.

Summary: This volume discusses the founding of Islam, the various sects, and its continued growth and strength throughout the world today. It also seeks to dispel misinterpretations about Islam.



297 I27

Ibrahim, I. A.

A brief illustrated guide to understanding Islam. Second edition

Houston, TX : Darussalam, 1997.

Subjects: Islam—Doctrines. Islam.

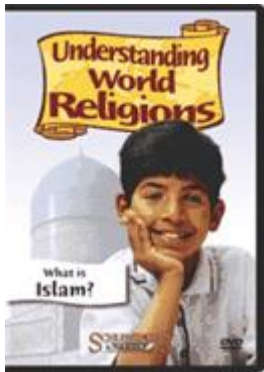
297 O36

Oh my God!. Series 1, part 4, Islam [DVD]

Toronto, ON : Stornoway Productions, [2016].

Subjects: Documentary television programs. Islam—Customs and practices. Islam—History. Nonfiction television programs.

Summary: Islam has one point six billion followers around the world – so perhaps it's where host Tevya will find the answer's he's looking for. He starts out with a visit to the Taric Islamic Centre where he learns why it is important to cleanse himself before prayer, what Halal is, an introduction to the history of Muhammad and the devotion it takes to be a Muslim.



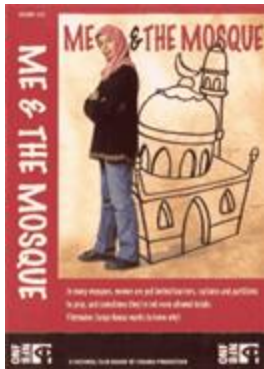
297 W555

What is Islam? [DVD]

Wynnewood, PA : Schlessinger Media, 2006.

Subjects: Islam—Juvenile films.

Summary: This DVD takes an in-depth look at the religion practiced by over one billion Muslims in countries worldwide.



297.082 M479

Me and the mosque [DVD]

Montréal, QC : National Film Board of Canada, 2005.

Subjects: Muslim women—Canada. Women in Islam—Canada. Women—Legal status, laws, etc. (Islamic law). Women's rights—Religious aspects—Islam.

Summary: Journalist and filmmaker Zarqa Nawaz visits mosques throughout Canada and talks to scholars, colleagues, friends and neighbours about equal access for women.



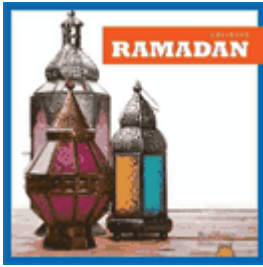
297.082 M479

Speaker-Yuan, Margaret (Ed.)

Women in Islam

Detroit, MI : Greenhaven Press 2005.

Subjects: Muslim women—Islamic countries. Muslim women—Social conditions. Women in Islam.



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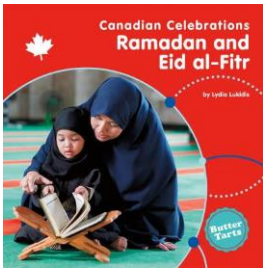
Bailey, R. J.

Ramadan

Minneapolis, MN : Jump!, 2017.

Subjects: Fasts and feasts—Islam—Juvenile literature. Ramadan—Juvenile literature.

Summary: In this book, young readers will learn about Ramadan, a Muslim holiday. It highlights the ways people celebrate the holiday through vibrant, full-color photos and carefully leveled text that will engage emergent readers as they explore this unique holiday.



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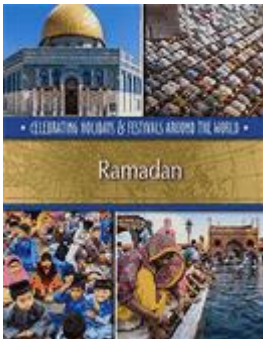
Lukidis, Lydia

Ramadan and Eid al-Fitr

Collingwood, ON : Beech Street Books, 2020.

Subjects: 'Īd al-Fiṭr—Canada—Juvenile literature. Ramadan—Canada—Juvenile literature.

Summary: This book discusses the history of Ramadan and Eid al-Fitr and how they are celebrated in Canada.



297.362 R521

Richardson, Betsy

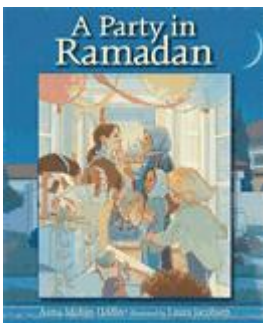
Ramadan

Broomall, PA : Mason Crest, 2019.

Subjects: Fasts and feasts—Islam—Juvenile literature. Ramadan—Juvenile literature.

Summary: Ramadan, the most sacred month of the year for more than one billion Muslims, is a holiday traditionally devoted to prayer, fasting, and charity, though more recently it has become an occasion for many Muslims to feast, party, and shop.

Commemorating the revelation of the sacred Muslim text, the Quran, Ramadan is a time for Muslims to revitalize their spiritual lives. For one month, Muslims are required to fast during daylight hours, and to abstain from certain behaviors, such as lying or smoking. The end of Ramadan is celebrated in a three-day festival called Eid al-Fitr, a time for friends and families to get together, make amends, and extend forgiveness. This book describes the various customs and traditions of Ramadan and Eid al-Fitr celebrations around the world and how social and political influences have shaped these observances.



297.632 M687

Mobin-Uddin, Asma

A party in Ramadan

Honesdale, PA : Boyds Mills Press, 2009.

Subjects: Islam--Fasts and feasts--Juvenile literature. Ramadan--Juvenile literature.

Summary: This book uses the story of Leena, an American Muslim girl who attends a friend's birthday party, but does not eat or drink because it takes place during Ramadan, to illustrate the meaning of the fast to Muslims, and provides additional information.



297.50207 D688

Don't panic, I'm Islamic : words and pictures on how to stop worrying and learn to love the alien next door

London, England : Saqi Books, 2017.

Subjects: Islamophobia. Moral panic. Muslims—Non-Islamic countries—Humor.

Summary: This book is a collection of satirical writings, cartoons and art by writers and artists from around the world.



305.6970971 H211

Hamdon, Evelyn Leslie

Islamophobia and the question of Muslim identity : the politics of difference and solidarity

Winnipeg, MB : Frenwood Publishing, 2010.

Subjects: Islamophobia—Canada. Muslims—Canada—Social conditions. Muslims—Canada.

Summary: Introducing a Muslim group in Canada that works to change attitudes toward Islam in their community, this study goes behind the scenes to look at the conflicts and dilemmas within the group itself, which is diverse in its view of the hijab and other practices. The conclusion shows that this team of Muslims has

been very successful in developing several educational initiatives by negotiating internal differences

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Nagra, Baljit

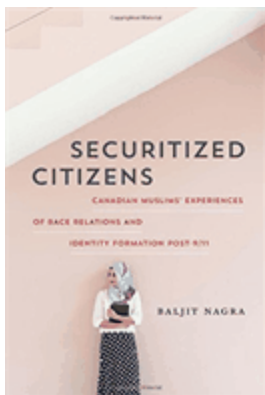
Securitized citizens : Canadian Muslims' experiences of race relations and identity formation post-9/11

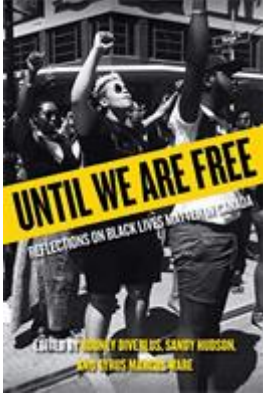
Toronto, ON : University of Toronto Press, 2017.

Subjects: Belonging (Social psychology)—Canada. Canada—Race relations. Citizenship—Canada. Muslims—Canada—Ethnic identity. Muslims—Canada—Interviews.

Summary: In this book, the author develops a new critical analysis of the ideas dominant groups and institutions try to impose on young Canadian Muslims and how in turn they contest and reconceptualize these ideas. Nagra conducted fifty in-depth interviews with young Muslim adults in Vancouver and Toronto and her analysis reveals how this group experienced national belonging and exclusion in

light of the Muslim 'other', how they reconsidered their cultural and religious identity, and what their experiences tell us about contemporary Canadian citizenship.





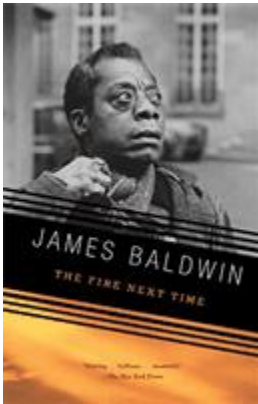
305.896071 U61

Until we are free : reflections on Black Lives Matter in Canada

Regina, SK : University of Regina Press, 2020.

Subjects: Black Canadians—Civil rights. Black Canadians—Political activity. Black Canadians—Social conditions. Black lives matter movement—Canada. Blacks—Canada—Social conditions. Blacks—Civil rights—Canada. Blacks—Political activity—Canada. Canada—Race relations. Race discrimination—Canada.

Summary: This book is an anthology of writing addressing the most urgent issues facing the Black community in Canada. It contains some of the very best African-Canadian writing on the hottest issues facing the Black community in Canada, including the latest developments in Canadian Black activism, organizing efforts through the use of social media, Black-Indigenous alliances, and more.



305.896073 B181

Baldwin, James

The fire next time

New York, NY : Vintage Books, 1991.

Subjects: African Americans. Black Muslims. United States—Race relations.

Summary: At once a powerful evocation of James Baldwin's early life in Harlem and a disturbing examination of the consequences of racial injustice, this book is an intensely personal and provocative document from the iconic author of *If Beale Street Could Talk* and *Go Tell It on the Mountain*. It consists of two "letters," written on the occasion of the centennial of the Emancipation Proclamation, that exhort Americans, both black and white, to attack the terrible legacy of racism.

The New York Times Book Review describes this book as "sermon, ultimatum, confession, deposition, testament, and chronicle...all presented in searing, brilliant prose."



305.906914 J32

Jamieson, Victoria; Mohamed, Omar

When stars are scattered [graphic novel]

New York, NY: Dial Books for Young Readers, 2020.

Subjects: Brothers—Comic books, strips, etc. Graphic novels. Mohamed, Omar (Social worker)—Childhood and youth—Comic books, strips, etc. Refugee camps—Kenya—Comic books, strips, etc. Refugees—Somalia—Biography—Comic books, strips, etc. Refugees—United States—Biography—Comic books, strips, etc.

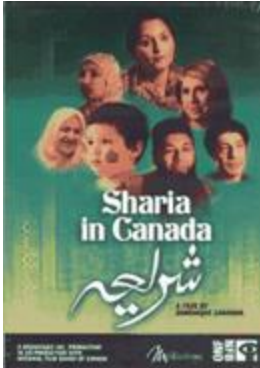
Summary: Omar and his younger brother Hassan live in a refugee camp, and when an opportunity for Omar to get an education comes along, he must decide between going to school every day or caring for his nonverbal brother in this intimate and touching portrayal of family and daily life in a refugee camp.

323.352 I62

Investing in the children of the Islamic world

New York, NY: UNICEF, 2005.

Subjects: Child welfare—Islamic countries. Children—Islamic countries. Children's rights—Islamic countries. Muslim children—Islamic countries.



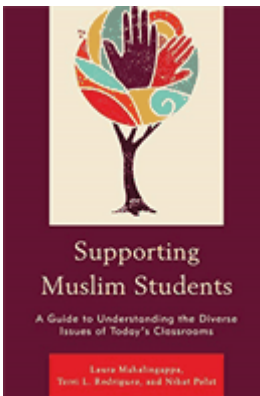
340.59 S531

Sharia in Canada [DVD]

Montreal, QC : National Film Board of Canada, 2005.

Subjects: Domestic relations (Islamic law)—Canada. Islamic law—Canada. Muslims — Legal status, laws, etc.—Canada. Women—Legal status, laws, etc. (Islamic law)

Summary: In December 2004, the *Boyd Report* recommended that Ontario authorize Islamic tribunals based on the sharia, a system of justice directly inspired by the Quran. In September 2005, Ontario Premier Dalton McGuinty banned all religious arbitration, whether Muslim, Jewish or Christian. Over these 10 months, a heated debate played out across the country. This documentary examines the key issues, and in particular seeks out the views of Muslim women.



370.117 M214

Mahalingappa, Laura; Rodriguez, Terri L.

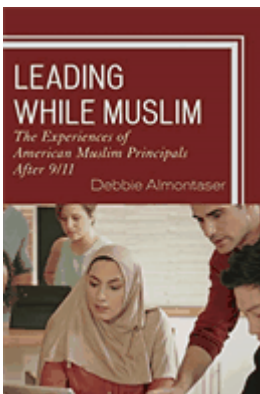
Supporting Muslim students : a guide to understanding the diverse issues of today's classrooms

Lanham, MD : Rowman & Littlefield, 2017.

Subjects: Community and school. Education—Curricula—Social aspects. Multicultural education—Social aspects. Muslim students. Muslims—Social life and customs.

Summary: This book provides a practical guide to the important issues that may impact the lives and education of Muslim students. It gives essential information about Islam and Muslim students from authentic perspectives. This text will support teachers and other school professionals in their advocacy for all students to provide equitable and just educational opportunities for all students. Beyond basics such as food and clothing

requirement, this text advocates for the implementation of anti-bias pedagogy for diverse learners. Through school-based vignettes and case studies, we situate experiences of Muslim students in lived realities and help school professionals think deeply and critically about who their students are and how to engage their experiences in the curriculum.



371.2 A452

Almontaser, Debbie

Leading while Muslim : the experiences of American Muslim principals after 9/11

Lanham, MD : Rowman & Littlefield, 2019.

Subjects: Educational leadership. Muslims—United States—Attitudes. Muslims—United States—Public opinion.

Summary: This book explores the lived experiences of 14 American Muslim public school principals post-9/11 and the impact of global events, political discourse, and media coverage of Islam and Muslims on one's leadership ability and spirituality.



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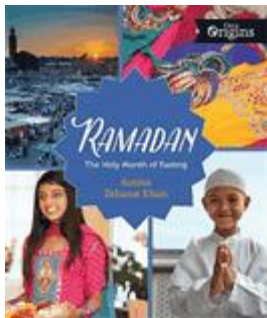
McCarney, Rosemary A.

Every day is Malala Day

Toronto, ON : Second Story Press, 2014.

Subjects: Children's rights—Juvenile literature. Girls—Education—Juvenile literature. Yousafzai, Malala, 1997- —Juvenile literature.

Summary: This book is a letter of sisterhood to Malala Yousafzai expressing the belief that every girl has the right to go to school.



372.35 H224

Khan, Ausma Zehanat

Ramadan : the holy month of fasting

Victoria, BC : Orca Book Publishers, 2018.

Subjects: Islam—Juvenile literature. Muslims—Juvenile literature. Ramadan—Juvenile literature.

Summary: Throughout the month of Ramadan, Muslims fast during the day and break the fast together as a family each night. Ramadan provides the opportunity to focus on positive thoughts and actions. It is a time to become more grateful for the blessings people often take for granted and be reminded of the importance of helping others.

372.83 A287

Ahsan, Muhammad Manazir

Muslim festivals

East Sussex, England : Wayland, 1985.

Subjects: Festivals—Juvenile literature. Islam—Juvenile literature.

Curriculum Notes: Grade 6 Social Studies.



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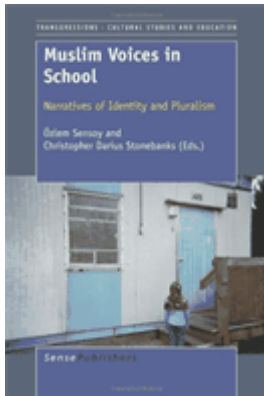
Solski, Ruth

The big book of Canadian celebrations. Grades 4-6

Napanee, ON : S & S Learning Materials, 2006.

Subjects: Festivals—Canada—Study and teaching (Elementary). Holidays—Canada—Study and teaching (Elementary).

Summary: Give your students a reason to celebrate each and every month of the year with this book of Canadian holidays. Religious, civil, and seasonal holidays with origins in Aboriginal, African, Chinese, European, Hindu, Japanese, Muslim, and North American traditions are all included. The effect is a well-rounded and fascinating glimpse at the stories, people, and values that Canadians find important. Grades 4-6.



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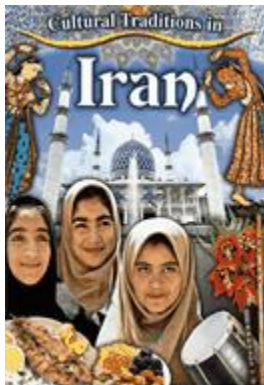
Sensoy, Özlem; Stonebanks, Christopher Darius

Muslim voices in school : narratives of identity and pluralism

Rotterdam, Netherlands : Sense Publishers, 2009.

Subjects: Muslim educators—Canada. Muslim educators—United States. Muslim students—Canada. Muslim students—United States.

Summary: This book is a collection of research and essays that examine what it means to be Muslim in relation to mainstream schooling in the West. It examines the diverse experiences of Muslims in schools (from elementary through university, student through professor) and helps to make these diverse experiences both contextual and complex.



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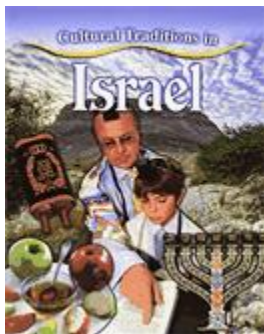
Peppas, Lynn

Cultural traditions in Iran

St. Catharines, ON : Crabtree Publishing Company, c2015.

Subjects: Festivals—Iran—Juvenile literature. Holidays—Iran—Juvenile literature. Iran—Social life and customs—Juvenile literature. Muslims—Social life and customs—Juvenile literature.

Summary: Many of the holidays in Iran are rooted in the religion of Islam. This book describes the ways in which Iranians celebrate holidays with religious festivals, foods, and customs. Young readers will also discover how the people of Iran celebrate family occasions.



394.2695694 A453

Aloian, Molly

Cultural traditions in Israel

St. Catharines, ON : Crabtree Publishing Company, 2016.

Subjects: Festivals—Israel—Juvenile literature. Holidays—Israel—Juvenile literature. Israel—Social life and customs—Juvenile literature.

Summary: This book describes the holidays and traditions of Israel. Most national holidays celebrate events in the Jewish religion. Young readers will also learn which holidays are observed by the country's many Muslims and how Israelis celebrate family occasions.



720.92 W785

Winter, Jeanette

The world is not a rectangle : a portrait of architect Zaha Hadid

New York, NY : Beach Lane Books, 2017.

Subjects: Architects—Iraq—Biography—Juvenile literature. Architecture, Modern—20th century—Juvenile literature. Architecture, Modern—21st century—Juvenile literature.

Summary: Zaha Hadid grew up in Baghdad, Iraq, and dreamed of designing her own cities. After studying architecture in London, she opened her own studio and started designing buildings. But as a Muslim woman, Hadid faced many obstacles. Determined to succeed, she worked hard for many years and achieved her goals. Now you can see the buildings Hadid has designed all over the world.



741.5973 G597

Goerz, Gillian

Shirley and Jamila save their summer [graphic novel]

New York, NY: Dial Books for Young Readers, 2020.

Subjects: Detective and mystery comics. Criminal investigation—Comic books, strips, etc. Friendship—Comic books, strips, etc. Geckos—Comic books, strips, etc. Graphic novels. Lost articles—Comic books, strips, etc.

Summary: When ten-year-olds Shirley and Jamila meet, Jamila is simply hoping for a friend in her new neighborhood. Both girls need a new plan for the summer, and they might as well become friends. Then this kid Oliver shows up begging for Shirley's help. His pet gecko has disappeared, and he's sure it was stolen. That's

when Jamila discovers Shirley's secret: She's the neighborhood's best kid detective, and she's on the case. When Jamila discovers she's got some detective skills of her own, a crime-solving partnership is born.



791.4372 K62

The kite runner [DVD]

Hollywood, CA : DreamWorks Home Entertainment, 2008.

Subjects: Afghanistan--Drama. Betrayal--Drama. Feature films.

Summary: Based on the book by Khaled Hosseini. Canadian Home Video Rating: 14A, disturbing content, sexual violence. In a divided country on the verge of war, two childhood friends, Amir and Hassan, are about to be torn apart forever. It's a glorious afternoon in Kabul and the skies are bursting with the exhilarating joy of a kite-fighting

tournament. But in the aftermath of the day's victory, one boy's fearful act of betrayal will mark their lives forever and set in motion an epic quest for redemption. Now, after twenty years of living in America, Amir returns to a perilous Afghanistan under the Taliban's iron-fisted rule to face the secrets that still haunt him and take one last daring chance to set things right.



791.45028 N328

Nawaz, Zarqa

Laughing all the way to the mosque

Toronto, ON : HarperCollins Publishers Ltd., 2014.

Subjects: Little mosque on the prairie. Muslim women—Canada—Biography. Muslims—Canada—Ethnic identity—Humor. Muslims—Canada—Social life and customs—Humor. Nawaz, Zarqa—Family—Humor. Nawaz, Zarqa. Women television producers and directors—Canada—Biography.

Summary: Being a practising Muslim in a Western society is sometimes challenging, sometimes rewarding and sometimes downright absurd. How do you explain why Eid never falls on the same date each year; why it is that Halal

butchers also sell teapots and alarm clocks. How do you make clear to the plumber that it's essential the toilet is installed within sitting-arm's reach of the tap? Zarqa Nawaz has seen and done it all.



813.6 A995

Aziz, Susannah

Halal hot dogs

New York, NY: Little Bee Books, 2021.

Subjects: Families—Juvenile fiction. Halal food—Juvenile fiction. Islam—Customs and practices—Juvenile fiction. Muslims—United States—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Every Friday Musa's family takes turns picking out a Jummah treat which they use to try all different foods, but when it is Musa's turn he sticks to his

favorite halal hot dogs to share.



813.6 E47

Ellis, Deborah

Moon at nine

Toronto, ON: Pajama Press, 2014.

Subjects: Girls—Fiction. Lesbians—Fiction. Religious fundamentalism—Fiction. Young adult fiction.

Summary: Fifteen-year-old Farrin has many secrets. Although she goes to a school for gifted girls in Tehran, as the daughter of an aristocratic mother and wealthy father Farrin must keep a low profile. It is 1988; ever since the Shah was overthrown, the deeply conservative and religious government controls every facet of life in Iran. If the Revolutionary Guard finds out about her mother's Bring Back

the Shah activities, her family could be thrown in jail or worse. The day she meets Sadira, Farrin's life changes forever. Sadira is funny, wise and outgoing; the two girls become inseparable. But as their friendship deepens into romance, the relationship takes a dangerous turn. It is against the law to be a homosexual in Iran; the punishment is death. Despite their efforts to keep their love secret, the girls are discovered and arrested. Separated from Sadira, Farrin can only pray as she awaits execution. Will her family find a way to save them both?



813.6 F247

Faruqi, Reem

Unsettled

New York, NY: Harper, 2021.

Subjects: Emigration and immigration—Juvenile fiction. Muslims—United States—Juvenile fiction. Novels in verse. Pakistani Americans—Juvenile fiction. Swimming—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Young Nurah reluctantly moves with her family from Karachi, Pakistan, to Peachtree City, Georgia, but, after some ups and downs, begins to feel at home.



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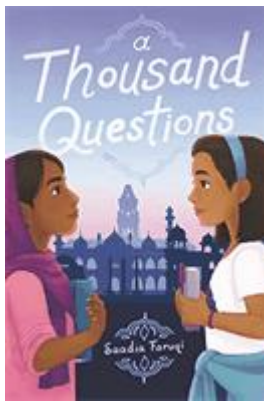
Faruqi, Saadia; Shovan, Laura

A place at the table

Boston, MA : Clarion Books, 2020.

Subjects: Citizenship—Juvenile fiction. Clubs—Juvenile fiction. Cooking—Juvenile fiction. Family life—Juvenile fiction. Jews—Juvenile fiction. Muslims—Juvenile fiction. Pakistani Americans—Juvenile fiction. Schools—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Sixth-graders Sara, a Pakistani American, and Elizabeth, a Jewish girl, connect in an after-school cooking club and bond over food and their mothers' struggles to become United States citizens.



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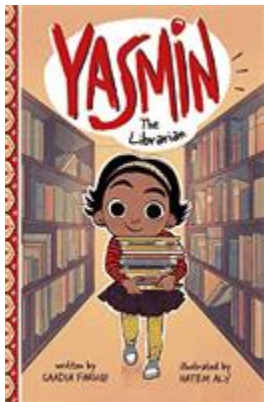
Faruqi, Saadia

A thousand questions

New York, NY: Quill Tree Books, 2020.

Subjects: Americans—Pakistan—Juvenile fiction. Family life—Pakistan—Juvenile fiction. Friendship—Juvenile fiction. Grandparents—Juvenile fiction. Household employees—Juvenile fiction. Karachi (Pakistan)—Juvenile fiction. Single-parent families—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Told in two voices, eleven-year-olds Mimi, who is visiting her wealthy grandparents in Karachi, Pakistan, for the first time and Sakina, daughter of the grandparents' cook, form an unexpected friendship.



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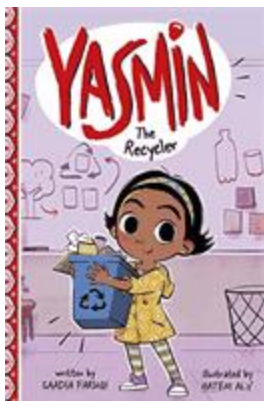
Faruqi, Saadia

Yasmin the librarian

New York, NY: Quill Tree Books, 2021.

Subjects: Libraries—Juvenile fiction. Lost and found possessions—Juvenile fiction. Muslims—United States—Juvenile fiction. Pakistani Americans—Juvenile fiction. Schools—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: It is library day and helper Yasmin is busy shelving books, but suddenly she discovers that her own special book is missing prompting her to calmly retrace her steps.



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Faruqi, Saadia

Yasmin the recycler

New York, NY: Quill Tree Books, 2021.

Subjects: Muslims—United States—Juvenile fiction. Pakistani Americans—Juvenile fiction. Recycling (Waste)—Juvenile fiction. Schools—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Yasmin is thrilled about her school's new recycling program, but getting her friends to pitch in is no easy task.



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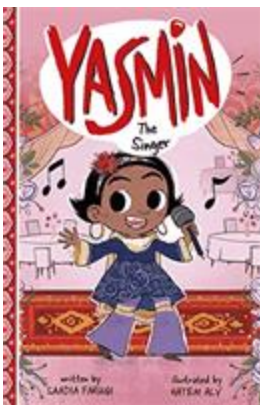
Faruqi, Saadia

Yasmin the scientist

New York, NY: Quill Tree Books, 2021.

Subjects: Muslims—United States—Juvenile fiction. Pakistani Americans—Juvenile fiction. Schools—Juvenile fiction. Science fairs—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Everyone seems to have an idea for the science fair except for Yasmin, but after some failed experiments, Yasmin's snack break with Nani inspires an idea.



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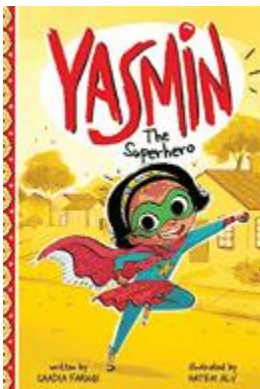
Faruqi, Saadia

Yasmin the singer

New York, NY: Quill Tree Books, 2020.

Subjects: Bashfulness—Juvenile fiction. Muslims—United States—Juvenile fiction. Pakistani Americans—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Yasmin is excited to attend a wedding party, but when the singing starts Yasmin is too shy to join in.



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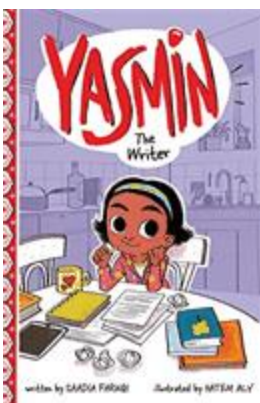
Faruqi, Saadia

Yasmin, the superhero

North Mankato, MN : Picture Window Books, 2019.

Subjects: Helping behavior—Juvenile fiction. Muslim girls—Juvenile fiction. Neighbors—Juvenile fiction. Pakistani Americans—Juvenile fiction. Superheroes—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Yasmin gathers a cape and mask and sets out to find a villain to defeat with her "super powers"—however, there are no villains hiding on her block, just neighbors who need a little help



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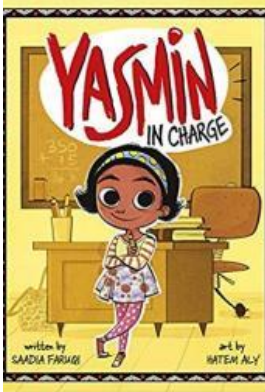
Faruqi, Saadia

Yasmin, the writer

North Mankato, MN : Picture Window Books, 2020.

Subjects: Creative writing--Juvenile fiction. Heroes--Juvenile fiction. Mothers and daughters--Juvenile fiction. Muslim girls--Juvenile fiction. Pakistani Americans--Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Yasmin struggles with Ms. Alex's assignment to write an essay about her hero until she realizes that her hero is someone very close to her.



813.6 F247

Faruqi, Saadia

Yasmin in charge

North Mankato, MN : Picture Window Books, 2020.

Subjects: Creative ability--Juvenile fiction. Muslim girls--Juvenile fiction.

Pakistani Americans--Juvenile fiction. Problem solving--Juvenile fiction.

Summary: In this collection of four stories, Yasmin takes charge of some sticky situations! At home, at school, or out and about, Yasmin faces challenges head on with creativity and quick thinking. Whether she's creating a new recipe, finding a way to rescue a stuck toy for a little friend, or calming down monkeys (and classmates!), a clever solution to any problem is just around the corner. *Contents:*

Titles: Yasmin the teacher -- Yasmin the chef -- Yasmin the zookeeper -- Yasmin the superhero.



813.6 G643

Gonzales, Mark

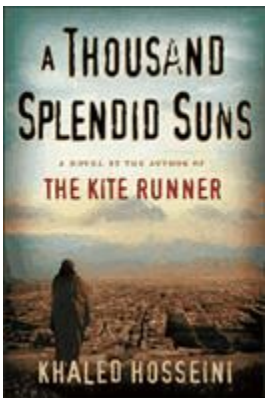
Yo soy Muslim : a father's letter to his daughter

New York, NY : Salaam Reads, 2017.

Subjects: Mexicans—Juvenile fiction. Multiculturalism—Juvenile fiction.

Muslims—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: A lyrical celebration of multiculturalism as a parent shares with a child the value of their heritage and why it should be a source of pride, even when others disagree.



813.6 H829

Hosseini, Khaled

A thousand splendid suns

Toronto, ON: Viking Canada, 2007.

Subjects: Afghanistan--Fiction. Families--Fiction.

Summary: Born a generation apart and with very different ideas about love and family, Mariam and Laila are two women brought jarringly together by war, by loss and by fate. As they endure the ever escalating dangers around them-in their home as well as in the streets of Kabul-they come to form a bond that makes them both sisters and mother-daughter to each other, and that will ultimately alter the course not just of their own lives but of the next generation.

Curriculum Notes: English language arts 30 (2013)



813.6 K45

Khan, Hena.

Amina's song

New York, NY : Salaam Reads, 2021.

Subjects: Composition (Music)—Juvenile fiction. Friendship—Juvenile fiction.

Muslims—Juvenile fiction. Pakistani Americans—Juvenile fiction. Schools—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Feeling pulled between two cultures after a month with a family in Pakistan, Amina shares her experiences with Wisconsin classmates through a class assignment and a songwriting project with new student Nico. *Sequel to: Amina's Voice.*



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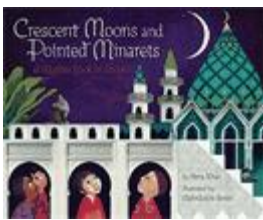
Khan, Hena

Amina's voice

New York, NY : Salaam Reads, 2017.

Subjects: Friendship—Juvenile fiction. Identity (Psychology)—Juvenile fiction. Middle school students—Juvenile fiction. Muslims—Juvenile fiction. Pakistani Americans—Juvenile fiction. Vandalism—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: A Pakistani-American Muslim girl struggles to stay true to her family's vibrant culture while simultaneously blending in at school after tragedy strikes her community.



813.6 K45

Khan, Hena

Crescent moons and pointed minarets : a Muslim book of shapes

San Francisco, CA : Chronicle Books, 2018.

Subjects: Islam—Customs and practices—Juvenile fiction. Muslims—Juvenile fiction. Shapes—Juvenile fiction. Stories in rhyme.

Summary: In simple rhyming text, a young Muslim girl guides the reader through the traditions and shapes of Islam.



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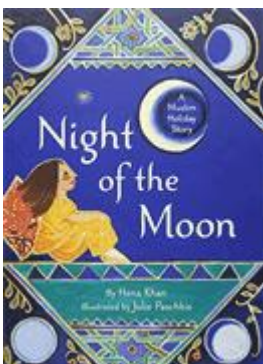
Khan, Hena

Golden domes and silver lanterns : a Muslim book of colors

San Francisco, CA : Chronicle Books, 2012.

Subjects: Colors—Juvenile fiction. Islam—Customs and practices—Juvenile fiction. Muslims—Juvenile fiction. Stories in rhyme.

Summary: In simple rhyming text, a young Muslim girl and her family guide the reader through the traditions and colors of Islam.



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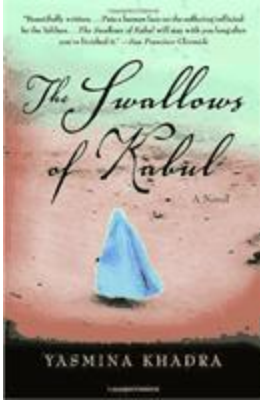
Khan, Hena

Night of the moon : a Muslim holiday story

San Francisco, CA : Chronicle Books, 2008.

Subjects: Fasts and feasts—Islam—Juvenile fiction. Islam—Customs and practices—Juvenile fiction. Muslims—Juvenile fiction. Ramadan—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Yasmeen has a wonderful time celebrating the Muslim holy month of Ramadan with her family and friends.



813.6 K45

Khadra, Yasmina

The swallows of Kabul

New York, NY : Anchor Books, 2004.

Subjects: Algerian fiction. French fiction. Kabul (Afghanistan)--Fiction. Political fiction. Taliban--Fiction.

Summary: Set in Kabul under the rule of the Taliban, this novel takes readers into the lives of two couples: Mohsen, who comes from a family of wealthy shopkeepers whom the Taliban has destroyed; Zunaira, his wife, exceedingly beautiful, who was once a brilliant teacher and is now no longer allowed to leave her home without an escort or covering her face. Intersecting their world is Atiq, a prison keeper, a man who has sincerely adopted the Taliban ideology and struggles to keep his faith, and his wife, Musarrat, who once rescued Atiq and is now dying.

Curriculum Notes: English language arts 30 (2013).



813.6 K45

Khan, Hena

Under my hijab

New York, NY : Lee & Low Books In., 2019.

Subjects: Clothing and dress—Juvenile fiction. Hijab (Islamic clothing)—Juvenile fiction. Individuality—Juvenile fiction. Muslims—Juvenile fiction.

Picture books. Stories in rhyme.

Summary: As a young girl observes that each of six women in her life wears her hijab and hair in a different way, she considers how to express her own style one day.



813.6 K45

Khan, Rukhsana

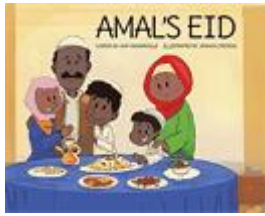
Wanting Mor

Toronto, ON : Groundwood Books, 2009.

Subjects: Afghan War, 2001- --Fiction. Girls--Afghanistan--Fiction. Orphanages--Afghanistan--Fiction.

Summary: Jameela lives with Mor, her mother, and Baba, her father, in war-torn Afghanistan. Despite being born with a cleft lip, Jameela feels secure and safe. Mor suddenly dies, and Jameela's world is no longer safe. An opiate user, Baba smokes as a way to deal with his issues and failures. On a whim, Baba decides to leave the village and seek a new life for himself and Jameela in Kabul. Upon first arriving in Kabul, Jameela works in a house and Baba, in addition to his drug use, starts to drink heavily. Note: As the text deals with drug use, educators are advised to consult their school division's materials selections policy before using this text in the classroom.

Curriculum Notes: English language arts 10 (2011).



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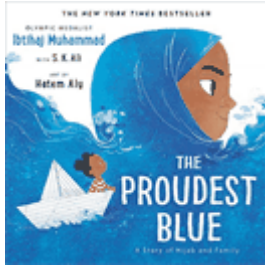
Maranville, Amy

Amal's Eid

Herndon, VA : Mascot Books, c2015.

Subjects: Fasts and feasts—Islam—Juvenile fiction. 'Īd al-Fiṭr—Juvenile fiction. Ramadan—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Learn about Amal's family traditions as they celebrate Eid al-Fitr and the end of Ramadan.



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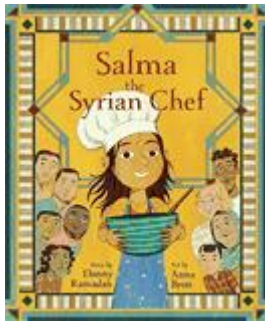
Muhammad, Ibtihaj; Ali, S. K.

The proudest blue : a story of hijab and family

New York, NY : Little, Brown and Company, 2019.

Subjects: First day of school—Juvenile fiction. Hijab (Islamic clothing)—Juvenile fiction. Islam—Customs and practices—Juvenile fiction. Muslims—Juvenile fiction. Schools—Juvenile fiction. Sisters—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Faizah relates how she feels on the first day that her sister, sixth-grader Asiya, wears a hijab to school.



813.6 R165

Ramadan, Danny

Salma the Syrian chef

Toronto, ON : Annick Press, 2020.

Subjects: Cooking, Syrian—Juvenile fiction. Families—Juvenile fiction. Refugees, Arab—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Newcomer Salma and friends cook up a heartwarming dish to cheer up Mama. All Salma wants is to make her mama smile again. Between English classes, job interviews, and missing Papa back in Syria, Mama always seems busy or sad. A homemade Syrian meal might cheer her up, but Salma doesn't know the recipe, or what to call the vegetables in English, or where to find the right spices! Luckily, the staff and other newcomers at the Welcome Center are happy to lend a hand—and a sprinkle of sumac. With creativity, determination, and charm, Salma brings her new friends together to show Mama that even though things aren't perfect, there is cause for hope and celebration. Syrian culture is beautifully represented through the meal Salma prepares and Anna Bron's vibrant illustrations, while the diverse cast of characters speaks to the power of cultivating community in challenging circumstances.



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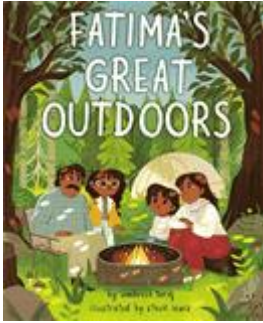
Sharif, Medeia

Bestest. Ramadan. Ever.

Woodbury, MN : Flux, 2011.

Subjects: Dating (Social customs)—Fiction. Middle Eastern Americans—Fiction. Muslims—Fiction. Ramadan—Fiction. Self-perception—Fiction.

Summary: Not allowed to eat from sunrise to sunset during Ramadan and forbidden to date, fifteen-year-old Almira finds that temptation comes in many forms during the Muslim holy month, as she longs to feel like a typical American girl.



813.6 T187

Tariq, Ambreen

Fatima's great outdoors

New York, NY: Kokila, 2021.

Subjects: Camping—Juvenile fiction. East Indian Americans—Juvenile fiction. Families—Juvenile fiction. Immigrants—Juvenile fiction. Parks—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Excitedly joining her family for an outdoor camping trip in a Midwestern state park, Fatima Khazi helps set up a tent, build a fire, and fend off a daddy longlegs before settling down to sleep surrounded by the near-magical sounds of the forest.



813.6 T467

Thompkins-Bigelow, Jamilah

Mommy's khimar

New York, NY : Salaam Reads, 2018.

Subjects: Imagination—Juvenile fiction. Mothers and daughters—Juvenile fiction. Muslims—Juvenile fiction. Scarves—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: A young Muslim girl puts on a head scarf and not only feels closer to her mother, she also imagines herself as a queen, the sun, a superhero, and more.



813.6 T467

Thompkins-Bigelow, Jamilah

Your name is a song

Seattle, WA : Innovation Press, 2020.

Subjects: Names—Pronunciation—Juvenile fiction. Names, Personal—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Frustrated by a day full of teachers and classmates mispronouncing her beautiful name, a little girl tells her mother she never wants to come back to school. In response, the girl's mother teaches her about the musicality of African, Asian, Black-American, Latinx, and Middle Eastern names on their lyrical walk home through the city. Empowered by this newfound understanding, the young girl is ready to return the next day to share her knowledge with her class. This book is a celebration to remind all of us about the beauty, history, and magic behind names.



813.6 W274

Warga, Jasmine

Other words for home

New York, NY : Bakzer + Bray : 2019.

Subjects: Families—Juvenile fiction. Identity (Psychology)—Juvenile fiction. Immigrant children—Juvenile fiction. Syrians—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Sent with her mother to the safety of a relative's home in Cincinnati when her Syrian hometown is overshadowed by violence, Jude worries for the family members who were left behind as she adjusts to a new life with unexpected surprises.



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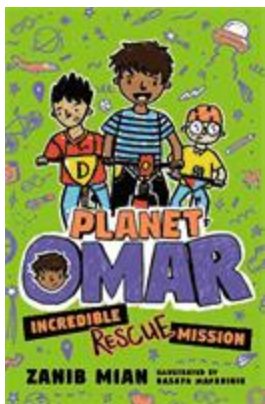
Zia, Farhana

The garden of my Imaan

Atlanta, GA : PeachTree Publishers, 2013.

Subjects: East Indian Americans—Juvenile fiction. Families—Juvenile fiction. Muslims—Juvenile fiction. Schools—Juvenile fiction. Self-acceptance—Juvenile fiction. Toleration—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: The arrival of new student Marwa, a fellow sixth-grader who is a strict Muslim, helps Aliya come to terms with her own lukewarm practice of the faith and her embarrassment over others' reactions to their beliefs.



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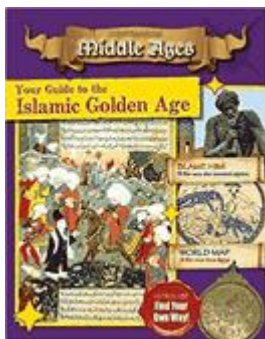
Mian, Zanib

Incredible rescue mission

New York, NY: G. P. Putnam's Sons, 2021.

Subjects: Elementary school teachers—Juvenile fiction. England—Juvenile fiction. Imagination—Juvenile fiction. Muslims—Juvenile fiction. Pakistan—Juvenile fiction. Schools—Juvenile fiction.

Summary: Omar is going on his biggest adventure yet—a trip to Pakistan. But his excitement about the trip is interrupted by some shocking news: his amazing teacher is not coming back to school, and no one will say why. When Omar and his friends start investigating, the hints they overhear and clues they find lead them to an alarming conclusion—it must be aliens! Omar has a huge imagination, but saving his teacher from aliens seems far-fetched even to him. He's going to need out-of-this-world creative thinking and a huge spirit of adventure to solve this mystery.



940.1 D476

Cooke, Tim

Your guide to the Islamic golden age

St. Catharines, ON : Crabtree Publishing Company, 2017.

Subjects: Islamic civilization—History—Juvenile literature. Islamic Empire—History—Juvenile literature. Middle Ages—Juvenile literature.

Summary: During the Middle Ages, the Islamic world experienced a time of remarkable expansion when scientific invention and artistic creation flourished. This book explores the important achievements and lasting legacy of this magnificent era.



955.0542 S237

Satrapi, Marjane

The complete persepolis [graphic novel]

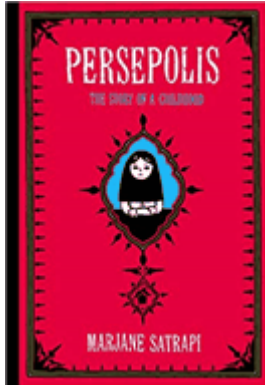
New York, NY : Pantheon Books, 2007.

Subjects: Graphic non-fiction. Iran—Biography—Comic books, strips, etc. Iran—History—Revolution, 1979—Comic books, strips, etc. Iran—Social conditions—20th century—Comic books, strips, etc. Iran—Social life and

customs—20th century—Comic books, strips, etc. Satrapi, Marjane,—1969—Comic books, strips, etc. Women—Iran—Biography—Comic books, strips, etc.

Summary: Persepolis is the story of Marjane Satrapi's childhood and coming of age within a large and loving family in Tehran during the Islamic Revolution; of the contradictions between private life and public life in a country plagued by political upheaval; of her high school years in Vienna facing the trials of adolescence far from her family; of her homecoming—both sweet and terrible; and, finally, of her self-imposed exile from her beloved homeland.

Curriculum Notes: English language arts 20 (2012).



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Satrapi, Marjane

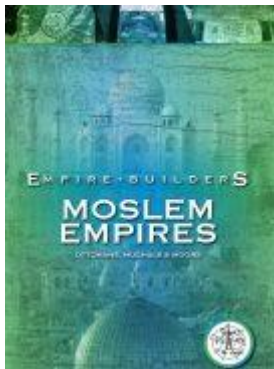
Persepolis [1] [graphic novel]

New York, NY : Pantheon Books, 2003.

Subjects: Graphic non-fiction. Iran—Biography—Comic books, strips, etc. Iran—History—Revolution, 1979—Comic books, strips, etc. Iran—Social conditions—20th century—Comic books, strips, etc. Iran—Social life and customs—20th century—Comic books, strips, etc. Satrapi, Marjane,—1969—Comic books, strips, etc. Women—Iran—Biography—Comic books, strips, etc.

Summary: In powerful black-and-white comic strip images, Satrapi tells the story of her life in Tehran from ages six to fourteen, years that saw the overthrow of the

Shah's regime, the triumph of the Islamic Revolution, and the devastating effects of war with Iraq. The intelligent and outspoken only child of committed Marxists and the great-granddaughter of one of Iran's last emperors, Marjane bears witness to a childhood uniquely entwined with the history of her country.



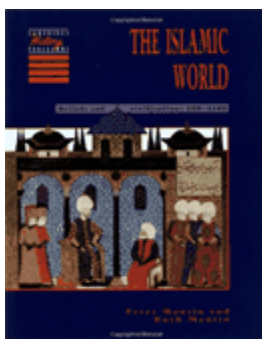
956 E55

Empire builders : Moslem empires ottomans, mughals & moors [DVD]

[London, England] : Pilot Film & Television Productions, 2018.

Subjects: Architecture—History. Educational television programs. Islam and politics—Turkey—History. Mughal Empire—Civilization. Muslims—History. Nonfiction television programs.

Summary: In this episode of *Empire Builders*, we explore ten sites that made history as we chart the rise and fall of these Muslim Empires.



956 M292

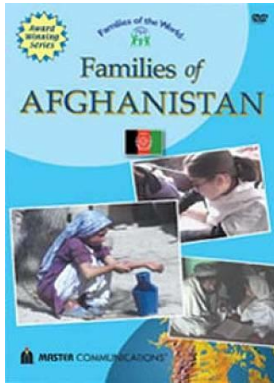
Mantin, Peter

The Islamic world : beliefs and civilisations, 600-1600

New York, NY: Cambridge University Press, 1993.

Subjects: Islam—History. Islamic countries—Civilization.

Curriculum Notes: Social Studies Middle Level (gr. 9, time).



958.1 F198

Families of Afghanistan [DVD]

Vaughan, ON: Visual Education Centre, 2010.

Subjects: Afghanistan--Civilization--Juvenile films. Afghanistan--Social life and customs--Juvenile films. Educational films. Families--Afghanistan--Juvenile films. Nonfiction films. Video recordings for the hearing impaired.

Summary: Zamora lives in a rural village in Afghanistan. her family feels the effects of recent wars, caring for an uncle who was injured by a landmine.

Zamora feeds the cows and chickens, cards cotton, gathers wood and helps with laundry and house cleaning. Students will see how Zamora makes bread, prepares for prayer and follow her religion class. Madina is a twelve-year-old girl from the

city of Kabul, Afghanistan. Her father, who is an engineer, and her mother, a doctor, have rebuilt their home and reunited their family after 10 years of exile in Pakistan due to civil war and invasion. Madina goes to school, tutors a fellow student in using a computer, plays chess with her father and uncle and even has a snowball fight with her cousin.

Curriculum Notes: Social Studies grade 1 (2010). Social Studies grade 3 (2010).



FR 297 W687

Wilkinson, Philip

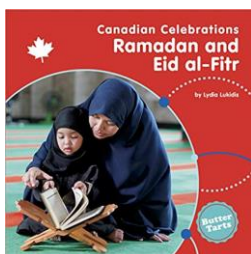
Histoire de l'islam. Nouvelle édition

Paris, France : Gallimard jeunesse, 2017.

Subjects: French language materials. Islam—Customs and practices. Islam—History.

Summary: Ce livre présente l'islam à travers son histoire, ses piliers de foi, ses lieux saints, ses grandes figures, ses cultures et son enseignement. Chaque page de la ressource est remplie de photos, images et graphiques, accompagnés par de brèves explications sur les multiples aspects de cette religion.

Curriculum Notes: Études catholiques 20 (2018) - IF. Études catholiques 30 (2018) - IF.



FR 297.362 L954

Lukidis, Lydia

Le ramadan et l'Aïd el-Fitr

Collingwood, ON : Beech Street Books, 2021.

Subjects: French language materials. 'Īd al-Fiṭr—Canada—Juvenile literature. Ramadan—Canada—Juvenile literature.

Summary: This book discusses the history of Ramadan and Eid al-Fitr and how they are celebrated in Canada.



FR 955.0542 S237

Satrapi, Marjane

Persepolis

Paris, France : L'Association, 2017.

Subjects: French language materials. Graphic non-fiction. Iran—Biography—Comic books, strips, etc. Iran—History—Revolution, 1979—Comic books,

strips, etc. Iran—Social conditions—20th century—Comic books, strips, etc. Iran—Social life and customs—20th century—Comic books, strips, etc. Satrapi, Marjane,—1969- —Comic books, strips, etc. Women—Iran—Biography—Comic books, strips, etc.

Summary: Ce roman graphique raconte le vécu d'une jeune fille pendant la révolution culturelle en Iran en 1979-1980 où les libertés connues auparavant ont été éliminées. Envoyée par sa famille pour étudier à Vienne, elle est exposée aux différences culturelles et se trouve à la défense de son peuple. Quand elle retourne en Iran comme adulte, elle se trouve de nouveau étrangère parmi ses anciens amis et parents en raison de ses expériences européennes.

Curriculum Notes: Français immersion 20 (2019).