

Barefoot en español

Our Spanish books are excellent for introducing the language to English-speaking children, and also perfect for Spanish-speaking communities!



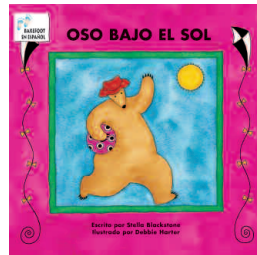
Fun First Steps...engaging young minds

The best-selling Bear series introduces a variety of early learning topics!



La familia activa de Oso (Bear's Busy Family)

Written by: Stella Blackstone
Illustrated by: Debbie Harter
As young readers follow Bear and his family, they will learn about all kinds of household activities before discovering why everyone is busy.
Read Alone: Ages 4 – 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 – 4
Paperback · 24pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781841487779 · \$6.99



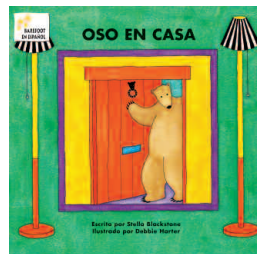
Oso bajo el sol (Bear in Sunshine)

Written by: Stella Blackstone
Illustrated by: Debbie Harter
“Bear is shown out and about in different types of weather throughout the year in this appealing picture book” — *School Library Journal*
Read Alone: Ages 4 – 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 – 4
Paperback · 24pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781841487786 · \$6.99



Oso en bicicleta (Bear on a Bike)

Written by: Stella Blackstone
Illustrated by: Debbie Harter
Bear on a Bike transports young readers around the world by bike, train, raft, boat and even hot air balloon, with a special night-time journey at the end.
Read Alone: Ages 4 – 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 – 4
Paperback · 32pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781841487755 · \$6.99



Oso en casa (Bear at Home)

Written by: Stella Blackstone
Illustrated by: Debbie Harter
Follow Bear on a guided tour of his cozy home. The simple rhyme of *Bear at Home* promotes early language development while the bright, vivid colors appeal to the youngest child.
Read Alone: Ages 4 – 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 – 4
Paperback · 24pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781841487793 · \$6.99



Oso en la ciudad (Bear About Town)

Written by: Stella Blackstone
Illustrated by: Debbie Harter
With large type, easy-to-remember rhyming text and bold artwork, this bright and busy picture book offers an excellent way of introducing the days of the week and basic local geography.
Read Alone: Ages 4 – 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 – 4
Paperback · 24pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781841487762 · \$6.99



Oso en un cuadrado (Bear in a Square)

Written by: Stella Blackstone
Illustrated by: Debbie Harter
Share the adventures of Bear as he wanders through all sorts of familiar environments, discovering shapes along his way.
Read Alone: Ages 4 – 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 – 4
Paperback · 24pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781841487748 · \$6.99

Learn about animals with Clare Beaton's fuzzy felt illustrations!



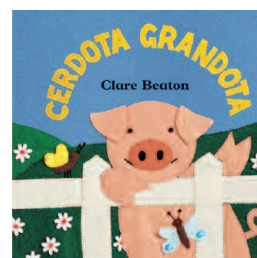
Un alce, veinte ratones (One Moose, Twenty Mice)

Written and illustrated by: Clare Beaton
This energetic hide-and-seek book helps young readers to count a menagerie of brightly colored felt animals, from one moose to twenty mice.
Read Alone: Ages 4 – 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 – 4
Paperback · 32 pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781841489117 · \$6.99
Board Book · 32 pp · 6.5" x 6.5"
9781846860195 · \$6.99



Hay una vaca entre las coles (There's a Cow in the Cabbage Patch)

Written by: Stella Blackstone
Illustrated by: Clare Beaton
All the animals in this mixed-up farmyard are out of place. Young readers are asked, “What shall we do?” and encouraged to sort out this puzzle.
Read Alone: Ages 4 – 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 – 4
Paperback · 32 pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781841489650 · \$6.99



Cerdota grandota (How Big is a Pig?)

Written by: Stella Blackstone
Illustrated by: Clare Beaton
With a clever, repetitive text, *How Big Is a Pig?* offers a gentle and humorous way to introduce pre-school children to all kinds of opposites.
Read Alone: Ages 4 – 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 – 4
Paperback · 24 pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781841489261 · \$6.99
Board Book · 24 pp · 6.5" x 6.5"
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“Finally, a children’s publisher with children in mind!” — SANDRA M., parent

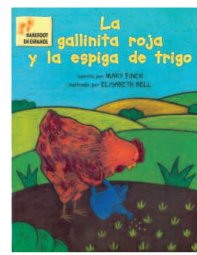
storytime...magical and memorable tales

Children can get immersed in these exciting stories!



El loro Tico Tango (The Parrot Tico Tango)

Written and Illustrated by: Anna Witte
 "Each page delights the senses and opens young eyes to the world around them!" — *School Library Journal*
 Read Alone: Ages 4 – 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 – 4
 Paperback · 24 pp · 10.25" x 10"
 9781841489711 · \$6.99



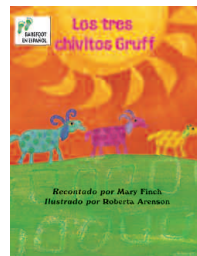
La gallinita roja y la espiga de trigo (The Little Red Hen & the Ear of Wheat)

Retold by: Mary Finch
 Illustrated by: Elisabeth Bell
 As they follow the activities of the little red hen, children will easily learn how plants grow and where bread comes from, as well as how important it is to help others.
 Read Alone: Ages 4 – 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 – 4
 Paperback · 32 pp · 8.5" x 10.75"
 9781841480879 · \$6.99



Una isla bajo el sol (An Island in the Sun)

Written by: Stella Blackstone
 Illustrated by: Nicoletta Ceccoli
 In a spectacular seascape setting, a young boy sails for a distant island where he finds a special friend waiting for him.
 Read Alone: Ages 4 – 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 – 4
 Paperback · 24 pp · 10.25" x 10"
 9781841481449 · \$6.99



Los tres chivitos gruff (Three Billy Goats Gruff)

Written by: Mary Finch
 Illustrated by: Roberta Arenson
 This lively retelling of a much loved fable will delight children as they cheer on three sprightly billy goats who refuse to let anything stand in their way.
 Read Alone: Ages 4 – 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 – 4
 Paperback · 32 pp · 8.75" x 11"
 9781841481456 · \$7.99



Un recorrido por las estaciones (Skip Through the Seasons)

Written by: Stella Blackstone
 Illustrated by: Maria Carluccio
 Whirl through the months of the year in this action packed seek-and-find book that takes young readers on an outdoor adventure as the months pass by.
 Read Alone: Ages 5 – 9 · Read Together: Ages 0 – 5
 Paperback · 32pp · 10.25" x 10"
 9781846862915 · \$7.99 **FEBRUARY 2009**

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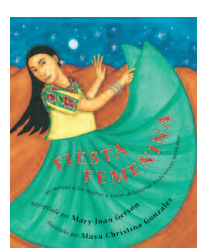
Juan y los frijoles mágicos (Jack and the Beanstalk)

Retold by: Richard Walker
 Illustrated by: Niamh Sharkey
 Narrated by: Pedro Sabino
 "Trimmed to a jaunty pace and filled with lively humor...this remains a rousing adventure"
 — *Kirkus Reviews*
 Read Alone: Ages 6 – 10 · Read Together: Ages 4 – 8
 Paperback with Story CD · 40 pp · 8.75" x 11"
 9781846862168 · \$9.99
 Paperback · 40 pp · 8.75" x 11"
 9781841488943 · \$7.99



El milagro de la primera flor de Nochebuena (Miracle of the First Poinsettia)

Written by: Joanne Oppenheim
 Illustrated by: Fabian Negrin
 Warm, glowing scenes and a thoughtful narrative transport readers to Old-World Mexico and into the arms of a young girl as her trust leads her straight into a miracle.
 Read Alone: Ages 4 – 9 · Read Together: Ages 4 – 8
 Hardcover · 32pp · 11.75" x 9.25"
 9781841483085 · \$16.99



Fiesta Femenina

Retold by: Mary-Joan Gerson
 Illustrated by: Maya Christina Gonzalez
 Drawing from Mexico's rich cultural heritage, storyteller Mary-Joan Gerson celebrates the courage and resilience of the feminine spirit through the stories of seven extraordinary Mexican women.
 Read Alone: Ages 4 – 9 · Read Together: All Ages
 Hardcover · 64pp · 8.5" x 10.5"
 9781841489643 · \$19.99



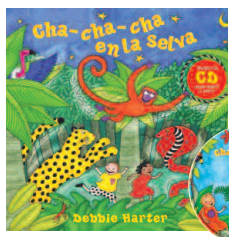
El nabo gigante (The Gigantic Turnip)

Written by: Aleksei Tolstoy
 Illustrated by: Niamh Sharkey
 "Make room for this one, because Niamh Sharkey's drolly comic illustrations are going to make this version the new storytime favorite" — *Bulletin*
 Read Alone: Ages 4 – 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 – 4
 Paperback · 40 pp · 8.5" x 10.75"
 9781841483962 · \$7.99



"Thank you for pursuing this level of excellence"
 — JODY R., Parent

Singalongs...catchy books set to music



Cha-cha-cha en la selva (The Animal Boogie)

Written and Illustrated by: Debbie Harter
Winner of the Oppenheim Toy Portfolio Best Book of the Year Award, 2000

Come and join the fun as a group of creatures from the Indian jungle shows children from all over the world how to dance to the animal boogie!

Read Alone: Ages 4 - 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 - 4
Paperback · 32pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781841482651 · \$6.99

Paperback with Music CD · 32pp · 10.25" x 10"
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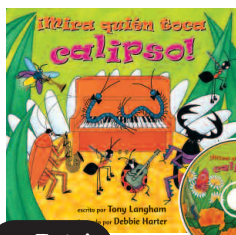
De paseo por la selva (Walking through the Jungle)

Written by: Stella Blackstone
Illustrated by: Debbie Harter
Sung by: Fred Penner

Join a fearless young explorer as she encounters different animals and terrains of the world and makes it home for supper, safe and sound.

Read Alone: Ages 4 - 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 - 4
Paperback · 32pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781841489957 · \$6.99

Paperback with Music CD · 32pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781841489124 · \$9.99



¡Mira quién toca calipso! (Creepy Crawly Calypso)

Written by: Tony Langham
Illustrated by: Debbie Harter
Sung by: La Tuza

Jump and jive with this jolly band of bugs to the creepy crawly calypso beat, as well as teach children about the different bugs and the fun instruments they play!

Read Alone: Ages 5 - 9 · Read Together: Ages 0 - 5
Paperback · 32pp · 10.25" x 10" · 9781846862816 · \$6.99 **MAY 2009**

Paperback with CD · 32pp · 10.25" x 10" · 9781846862809 · \$9.99

NEW!

The combination of rhyme and music helps children learn!



El mundo (Whole World)

Illustrated by: Christopher Corr
Sung by: Javier Mendoza

This earth-friendly singalong uses easy repetition and catchy rhythms — sing around the world, from high in the mountains to low in the valleys, with all the fish, birds, trees and flowers of the Earth!

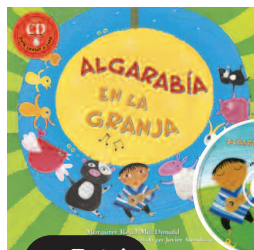
Read Alone: Ages 4 - 9 · Read Together: Ages 0 - 4

Paperback with Music CD
32 pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781846862083 · \$9.99

Paperback · 32 pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781846862090 · \$7.99



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Algarabía en la granja (Farmyard Jamboree)

Written by: Margaret Read MacDonald
Illustrated by: Sophie Fatus

Sung by: Javier Mendoza

This riotous cumulative counting song introduces children to animals and their babies, while teaching them to count up to sixteen in multiples of two.

Read Alone: Ages 5 - 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 - 5

Paperback · 32pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781846862830 · \$6.99 **MAY 2009**

Paperback with CD · 32pp · 10.25" x 10"
781846862823 · \$9.99

NEW!

Travel the world...with these colorful stories



Navegamos a Galápagos (We're Sailing to Galapagos)

Written by: Laurie Krebs
Illustrated by: Grazia Restelli

Tour the Galapagos Islands in a red sailboat and encounter many exotic land and sea animals, like giant tortoises, albatrosses, iguanas, lava crabs and booby birds!

Read Alone: Ages 6 - 10 · Read Together: Ages 4 - 8

Paperback · 32pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781846860911 · \$7.99



Nos fuimos todos de safari (We All Went on Safari)

Written by: Laurie Krebs
Illustrated by: Julia Cairns

Join Arusha, Mosi, Tumpe and their Maasai friends as they set out on a counting journey through the grasslands of Tanzania.

Read Alone: Ages 4 - 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 - 4

Paperback · 32pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781905236084 · \$7.99



Nos vamos a México (Off We Go to Mexico)

Written by: Laurie Krebs
Illustrated by: Christopher Corr

Join an adventurous family as they travel across Mexico, visiting *el mercado*, and dancing to *la música* of mariachis.

Read Alone: Ages 4 - 7 · Read Together: Ages 0 - 4

Paperback · 32pp · 10.25" x 10"
9781846860140 · \$7.99



Abuelita fue al mercado (My Granny Went to Market)

Written by: Stella Blackstone
Illustrated by: Christopher Corr

"Each page delights the senses and opens young eyes to the world around them!" — *School Library Journal*

Read Alone: Ages 6 - 10 · Read Together: Ages 4 - 8

Paperback · 24 pp · 10.25" x 10"
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