**A Multicultural Library for P.S.290**

**The description of the project:**

**Who:**

All stakeholders in the school community will benefit from this project. It will include a multitude of resources for all people to have insight into different cultures.  The students will get to learn more about other cultures, teachers will have readily available resources aligned to various themes.

**What:**

The project will include various texts, videos, and calendar events for the stakeholders to utilize. The project will also include various presentations taught by Ms. Chen this year.   In order to teach engaging lessons, it is important that teachers have great resources.

**Where:**

At P.S. 290

**When:**

March 2020-June 2021

**Why:**

This project is to create a shared resource space to help the teachers, students and school community appreciate the diversity that is within our cultures, while recognizing we all have shared commonalities.

The project could foster a multicultural library for our school- providing resources across themes of various texts that are represented across languages, culture folktales and representative of modalities of storytelling- books, videos, songs, holidays, etc. We could offer the entire school community access to texts across languages and various resources to represent the cultures of our school. We include songs, videos, movies and create various clubs that utilize the materials- world cultures club- allowing students to be exposed to different cultures and learning about the mandarin culture.

I will share lesson resources such as my lesson plans, PPT, videos of songs and dances, hands-on activities documents and materials. I will make connections to various themes and cultural events. In this way, after I leave, the teachers of the school can still use the Mandarin resources to meet the needs of the school, creating multicultural resources ready for use by the school community.

Here is the resources for multicultural library based on the month and the month theme of the school.

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| **Month** | **Theme/Topic/Text** | **Mandarin** | **Other** |
| September  Community and Citizenship | Happy Birthday Moon    **T*urning Pages***  by Sonia Sotomayor, illustrated by Lulu Delacre    ***Mango, Abuela, and Me***  by Meg Medina, illustrated by Angela Dominguez    ***La Princesa and the Pea***  by Susan Middleton Elya, illustrated by Juana Martinez-Neal    **Just Ask!**  by Sonia Sotomayor, illustrated by Rafael Lopez    ***The First Rule of Punk***  by Celia C. Pérez    ***Islandborn***  by Junot Díaz, illustrated by Leo Espinosa    ***En Mi Familia [Book]*** | Mid-Autumn Day: a time for families to get together in China. It falls on the 15th day of the 8th lunar month (usually late-September) and people traditionally eat mooncake.   1. The legend and the tradition: https://youtu.be/ndknxk4v4QY 2. Lantern Making:   https://youtu.be/p3zPQ\_2WI3s   1. Chinese Ancient Moon Poem and a Mandarin song about the moon : <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ofZypMlVeLQ> 2. [***Moon Festival Wishes:****Moon Cake and Mid-Autumn Festival Celebration [Book]*](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/17461419267617505153?q=children+story+books+chinese+lantern+making&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&biw=1618&bih=804&prds=epd:10656246483825253662,paur:ClkAsKraX6AmY08t0WKHbsPkwp0iKXObGXRe6Hqk0J2SDw8i1uZTuqIBlt6bHe9BRCy4WSfS894PnMdkXNTFWY4AmNFGGy8zmFuhu6sFwG3cQxR26v9NQa2rzhIZAFPVH70B0m4fNzwjyavoKF9FNRlhLiCgmg,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwi63bK354vlAhULVN8KHULYD6YQ8wII3wM) 3. Celebrating the Lantern Festival - (Chinese Festivals) by Sanmu Tang (Paperback) | Hispanic Heritage Month |

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| October- Accountability | **Proud to Be Latino: Food/Comida**  (English and Spanish Edition)  ***The Day of the Dead / El Dia de Los Muertos***  by Bob Barner    ***Waiting for the Biblioburro***  by Monica Brown, illustrated by John Parra    ***Alma and How She Got Her Name***  by Juana Martinez-Neal | 1. National Day: It falls on October 1st. China was founded in 1949 and this year is the 70th anniversary.   A song :I love you, China <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iiHK7fqS-lo>   1. Double Ninth Day: also known as Chongyang and Senior's Day, is an annual Chinese holiday observed on the ninth day of the ninth month in the Chinese calendar.   https://youtu.be/VtfLOBVbxDE | Hispanic Heritage Month (Oct 15) |

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| November- Gratitude | ***The Very First Americans (All Aboard Books)***    ***How the Stars Fell into the Sky: A Navajo Legend***  ***by***[***Jerrie Oughton***](https://www.amazon.com/Jerrie-Oughton/e/B000APFQ36/ref=dp_byline_cont_book_1)  ***(Author),***  [***Lisa Desimini***](https://www.amazon.com/Lisa-Desimini/e/B001IU0RA4/ref=dp_byline_cont_book_2)***(Illustrator)***    ***The Legend of the Indian***  ***by [Tomie dePaola](https://www.amazon.com/Tomie-dePaola/e/B000APM6V6/ref=dp_byline_cont_book_1" \t "_blank)  (Author)***    ***The Thanksgiving Story***  ***by***[***Alice Dalgliesh***](https://www.amazon.com/Alice-Dalgliesh/e/B001ILKDW0/ref=dp_byline_cont_book_1)  ***(Author),***  [***Helen Sewell***](https://www.amazon.com/s/ref=dp_byline_sr_book_2?ie=UTF8&field-author=Helen+Sewell&text=Helen+Sewell&sort=relevancerank&search-alias=books)***(Illustrator)*** | Chinese zodiacs: the 12 animal signs  1. the legend of the Great Race  <https://youtu.be/may2s9j4RLk>  <https://youtu.be/jxh347n7DvQ>  https://youtu.be/hNKVO3WBxks  2. a song about the 12 animal signs:  https://youtu.be/5UwuWuEGRsM | National Native American Heritage Month |

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| December- Dedication to Excellence | *[Excellent Ed - by Stacy McAnulty (Hardcover)](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/6274628118585717924?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk02aH1NNg8owC7hm8RBP9-KAZl6Ynw:1584404170046&q=children+books+about++excellence&oq=children+books+about++excellence&prds=epd:5154124601522373405,paur:ClkAsKraX_YTFVI6tKmT0I5f2ZRbHYrV15koN5jeZkSfrfsnerUSTXCIVl-XsTT3Jq0grh3ru3jbhX-NA-9ywbmNl63EPFd-CnCyG8XEwK3ssG44KLhV5-AIvxIZAFPVH72JHxQYkFOb6YWpVJdZEzr_j3tRTA,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwjW-9jgnaDoAhU5QEEAHZwiD9wQ8wII5QM)**[What's My Superpower? - by Aviaq Johnston](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/16008470789683565661?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk02aH1NNg8owC7hm8RBP9-KAZl6Ynw:1584404170046&q=children+books+about++excellence&oq=children+books+about++excellence&prds=epd:4941362421266124233,paur:ClkAsKraX5pS_TTcQ5rvLzNP7usGJpkrfeU2RzZsEz7z254W9V6oOpmz5R-0jVRyk1Xdsq7-oNLk4GxbMgs5-TCUWI9mZ6XjTh83N6i_5OdAYi5qmDu8dMeTnRIZAFPVH71JOoUSv_Md4AkTFr9eIBM-nS-wJQ,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwjW-9jgnaDoAhU5QEEAHZwiD9wQ8wIIhAQ)**[Dream Big: Michael Jordan and the Pursuit of Excellence](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/6168999060448008894?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk02aH1NNg8owC7hm8RBP9-KAZl6Ynw:1584404170046&q=children+books+about++excellence&oq=children+books+about++excellence&prds=epd:11900261843390363,prmr:3&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwjW-9jgnaDoAhU5QEEAHZwiD9wQ8wII1wM)**[Sometimes I'm Scared - by Jane Annunziata & Marc A Nemiroff](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/3477399023144887825?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk02aH1NNg8owC7hm8RBP9-KAZl6Ynw:1584404170046&q=children+books+about++excellence&oq=children+books+about++excellence&prds=epd:11745546470441273081,paur:ClkAsKraX9KVgTDt1tN_eLGIvwDcVhohJeRbSan5JPwpElMwgDaYyfXEGONlCqR1mfLvgmbrG48XTgBwqMdJg-Vh3NPz6M5GeMa0BcpKuR4GMlD_nMjPoNuz1xIZAFPVH71ySNjJj0G7gx7XDHyVDdpqRIiO_g,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwjW-9jgnaDoAhU5QEEAHZwiD9wQ8wII6AQ)**[The Day You Begin [Audio Book]](https://www.google.com/aclk?sa=l&ai=CZCubExdwXqWeIsjgtgeJwrPgBPjgqrFb15y82_oKyp_k7NUZCAkQDyDezc8eKBRgycapi8Ck2A-gAeeY_OkCyAEHqgRAT9B-Zv1dJ50nQz-L6vZmJ1r-NmtWhwUehgOShg7SqBN4psJoIvMIb-qhr8XhxWWQE7RzHJfkWQLudr7ivwWWlMAEg_CvutYCwAUFoAYmgAeB54OWAYgHAZAHAqgHpr4bqAfw2RuoB_LZG6gH89EbqAfu0huoB8LaG9gHAbAIAcAIAdIIBBACIASxCTVnK0mNitSOuQk1ZytJjYrUjvgJAZgLAeASxc-BlIuCtr4R6RX3QwxJaRJ6k_AVv53RQvoVBjIxOTkxNIgWkAa4FqDUkgLAFsCWsQI&sig=AOD64_0HMUEFCzaRvXqBR2JgIz_YQf9wBw&ctype=5&clui=39&q=&ved=0ahUKEwjW-9jgnaDoAhU5QEEAHZwiD9wQwzwI-wE&adurl=https://www.chirpbooks.com/audiobooks/the-day-you-begin-by-jacqueline-woodson%3Fplease%3Ddont-go%26source%3Dgashop_non-brand-generic-all" \t "_blank)* | Know about the Chinese characters:   1. 36 Chinese characters: <https://youtu.be/7VhOCX5WLpw> 2. Books：Like Chinese | Winter Solstice |

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| January- Reflection | *[Good Egg - by Jory John (School And Library)](https://www.google.com/aclk?sa=l&ai=CGEyqxBhwXouxFYj0tgfdu6_4BuyR6JNaoY7YqYkCp8udmtkXCAkQBCDezc8eKBRgycapi8Ck2A-gAfbr5f0DyAEHqgRAT9C2bMQDzR6yb5DcVKewDF1XYlhLSzdjO5hH6fPmu7LGRW4WjhYtA4Sr9ThVQU3TMrVqosgu_ATZE-pD9z5YXMAEuYrvwkfABS6gBiaAB_u63xWIBwGQBwKoB6a-G6gH8NkbqAfy2RuoB_PRG6gH7tIbqAfC2hvYBwGwCAHACAHSCAQQAiAEmglOaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cudGFyZ2V0LmNvbS9wL2dvb2QtZWdnLWJ5LWpvcnktam9obi1zY2hvb2wtYW5kLWxpYnJhcnkvLS9BLTU0MjI1NDg3sQnwcvu5JlnqR7kJKesgkn2muZ_4CQHgCwHgEpqPrP23jsvXjwHpFRCwevj0N0_K8BW-TvoVCDU0MjI1NDg3iBaQBrgW4PqRBcAW0PvEBw&sig=AOD64_1PUTn0JrmYWslEe14pQXGMQOTaQw&ctype=46&clui=18&q=&ved=0ahUKEwjL0Yivn6DoAhUOEcAKHUKXC0wQwzwIbw&adurl=http://clickserve.dartsearch.net/link/click%3Flid%3D92700050972020201%26ds_s_kwgid%3D58700000855036338%26ds_s_inventory_feed_id%3D97700000001734779%26ds_a_cid%3D47145739%26ds_a_caid%3D336241849%26ds_a_agid%3D19199149369%26ds_a_fiid%3D%26ds_a_lid%3Dpla-814219748775%26%26ds_e_adid%3D71145887329%26ds_e_matchtype%3Dsearch%26ds_e_device%3Dc%26ds_e_network%3Dg%26ds_e_product_group_id%3D814219748775%26ds_e_product_id%3D54225487%26ds_e_product_merchant_id%3D10046%26ds_e_product_country%3DUS%26ds_e_product_language%3Den%26ds_e_product_channel%3Dlocal%26ds_e_product_store_id%3D1150S%26ds_url_v%3D2%26ds_dest_url%3Dhttps://www.target.com/p/good-egg-by-jory-john-school-and-library/-/A-54225487%3Fref%3Dtgt_adv_XS000000%26AFID%3Dgoogle_pla_df%26fndsrc%3Dtgtao%26CPNG%3DPLA_Entertainment%252BShopping_Local%26adgroup%3DSC_Entertainment%26LID%3D700000001170770pgs%26network%3Dg%26device%3Dc%26location%3D9004394%26gclsrc%3Daw.ds%26ds_rl%3D1246978%26ds_rl%3D1248099%26ds_rl%3D1246978" \t "_blank)**[Only One You (Hardcover) (Linda Kranz)](https://www.google.com/aclk?sa=l&ai=CQKuExBhwXouxFYj0tgfdu6_4BuyR6JNaoY7YqYkCne6r_r4YCAkQCiDezc8eKBRgycapi8Ck2A-gAfbr5f0DyAEHqgRAT9CGZcEDzR6yb5DcVKewDF1XYlhLSzdjO5hH6fPmu-byRW4WjhYtA4Sr9ThVQU3TMrVqosgu_ATZE-pD9z5YXMAEuYrvwkfABS6gBiaAB_u63xWIBwGQBwKoB6a-G6gH8NkbqAfy2RuoB_PRG6gH7tIbqAfC2hvYBwGwCAHACAHSCAQQAiAEmglIaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cudGFyZ2V0LmNvbS9wL29ubHktb25lLXlvdS1oYXJkY292ZXItbGluZGEta3JhbnovLS9BLTExNzk2NjMysQmLY9pgFHcrFrkJSWBrCdbOjUr4CQHgCwHgEpfwqprHsoLgmwHpFSo6vb_0RUhc8BW-TvoVCDExNzk2NjMyiBaQBrgWwLegBMAWgJeTBQ&sig=AOD64_2iUdyXs5TjGoCJ8rtZD7jfRf7kyQ&ctype=46&clui=29&q=&ved=0ahUKEwjL0Yivn6DoAhUOEcAKHUKXC0wQ2CkIswU&adurl=http://clickserve.dartsearch.net/link/click%3Flid%3D92700051156573273%26ds_s_kwgid%3D58700000855036338%26ds_s_inventory_feed_id%3D97700000001734779%26ds_a_cid%3D47145739%26ds_a_caid%3D336241849%26ds_a_agid%3D19199149369%26ds_a_fiid%3D%26ds_a_lid%3Dpla-841541678877%26%26ds_e_adid%3D71145887329%26ds_e_matchtype%3Dsearch%26ds_e_device%3Dc%26ds_e_network%3Dg%26ds_e_product_group_id%3D841541678877%26ds_e_product_id%3D11796632%26ds_e_product_merchant_id%3D10046%26ds_e_product_country%3DUS%26ds_e_product_language%3Den%26ds_e_product_channel%3Dlocal%26ds_e_product_store_id%3D1150S%26ds_url_v%3D2%26ds_dest_url%3Dhttps://www.target.com/p/only-one-you-hardcover-linda-kranz/-/A-11796632%3Fref%3Dtgt_adv_XS000000%26AFID%3Dgoogle_pla_df%26fndsrc%3Dtgtao%26CPNG%3DPLA_Entertainment%252BShopping_Local%26adgroup%3DSC_Entertainment%26LID%3D700000001170770pgs%26network%3Dg%26device%3Dc%26location%3D9004394%26gclsrc%3Daw.ds%26ds_rl%3D1246978%26ds_rl%3D1248099%26ds_rl%3D1246978)* ***What Do You Do With A Problem? (Hardcover)*** *[What If Everybody Did That? - (What If Everybody?) by Ellen Javernick (Hardcover)](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/10856320460459513159?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk02aH1NNg8owC7hm8RBP9-KAZl6Ynw:1584404170046&q=children+books+about+reflection&oq=children+books+about+reflection&prds=epd:10277711721586747037,paur:ClkAsKraXxHtaKZjQKPMq-vHSUVNoV-_vMVEiN6h9hLgWOuD1r5nuD4tTi8h6_utpPj65BIxj4c4sXatubKEUERBcntIjJorzPZzdRfkSngbj4RqGilTTEPjxRIZAFPVH73seMLIfKFXsij1X4v9BHmsjDcxaQ,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwjL0Yivn6DoAhUOEcAKHUKXC0wQ8wII_AU)****Be a King: Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.’s Dream and You******by***[***Carole Boston Weatherford***](https://www.amazon.com/s/ref=dp_byline_sr_book_1?ie=UTF8&field-author=Carole+Boston+Weatherford&text=Carole+Boston+Weatherford&sort=relevancerank&search-alias=books)***(Author),***[***James E. Ransome***](https://www.amazon.com/s/ref=dp_byline_sr_book_2?ie=UTF8&field-author=James+E.+Ransome&text=James+E.+Ransome&sort=relevancerank&search-alias=books)***(Illustrator)*** | Chinese Lunar New Year: Chinese people call the new year Chunjie, which means the Spring Festival, as the new year day is the first day of the spring season on the Chinese lunar calendar.   1. A Mandarin new year song:   <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gM_QSDCjHKY>   1. The legend of Nian:   <https://youtu.be/P1AKwg7Ng2s>   1. The tradition of celebrating the new year: <https://youtu.be/lEtADJI97Q0> 2. paper-cutting for window decoration: <https://youtu.be/n6uXG6bkBLM> 3. [***Chinese New Year Wishes: Chinese Spring and Lantern Festival Celebration [Book]***](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/9596858622055142044?q=children+story+books+chinese+lantern+making&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&biw=1618&bih=804&prds=epd:502407763570022637,paur:ClkAsKraX5etdUhFWtGeo_CWqngTIlWx4OLkwJ-bmL5NPZ6xM5S89nbT5aIYjhCxnczutPcLkDXxSdCkNxzRZ6RAZuSjPtrM2IHuiMP7_79cpuDigt4P9pPuxRIZAFPVH73P4-0N5Gb74LxLW6a6cm5-EwB32g,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwi63bK354vlAhULVN8KHULYD6YQ8wIIkQM) 4. [***Emma's American Chinese New Year [Book]***](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/13482097218311078591?q=children+story+books+chinese+lantern+making&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&biw=1618&bih=804&prds=epd:605713847577325989,paur:ClkAsKraX8wAslxBkA4nr6BpDpc-wo0sziAwGY3UwuTg5QckACSmhC_-G-IlbWypRYQoxHWDnr1O70CS_SlNtr1hBj48O8kGUBN-bkU9qy01w1V959YeWiXrDxIZAFPVH72T-cLAzHcQ6p3AcIelG_ZrY3fhZA,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwi63bK354vlAhULVN8KHULYD6YQ8wIIzAM) | **Washington’s Birthday**  **Martin Luther King Jr. Day** |

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| February- Love and Compassion | *[A Child's Introduction to African American History: The Experiences, People, and Events That Shaped Our Country [Book]](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/3942431187220210538?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk01ARzq2W_Ew0ZiaG_twbAVQYXmT_A:1584404675837&q=children+books+about+black+history&oq=children+books+about+black+history&prds=epd:6025075447072997193,paur:ClkAsKraX-esGnFPauAjOA56D8DZUhBJzZAIKhbAInMqqtX-WM6lbLnG-Vv8g2oLXyaeZXci25x4SiMtkQuVprnrvBeqejVV7klYVaFXQzq8z2gZXA6EouCKTxIZAFPVH73YEdEl1fAWmEFulr-DBqDq01NGJw,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwia08jkoKDoAhVbi1wKHbd4CqMQ8wII9wM)**[Little Leaders: Bold Women in Black History [Book]](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/16789063074666494349?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk01ARzq2W_Ew0ZiaG_twbAVQYXmT_A:1584404675837&q=children+books+about+black+history&oq=children+books+about+black+history&prds=epd:10205023638577460869,paur:ClkAsKraX8hferHQkxnKUX9Dw-B68Z7udcrfJ4WuTkyVPHK3gHvmhMUiPetUWV5xp0W7t1BRWy8ZV-0METTOYGspMzqU7JojaYXqccF-VB276XVnbTzzNz6McRIZAFPVH73f3P1FJ_mjvRcrB9gg1ytw5rf-9w,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwia08jkoKDoAhVbi1wKHbd4CqMQ8wIIvAQ)**[Little Legends: Exceptional Men in Black History [Book]](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/14832459075386036771?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk01ARzq2W_Ew0ZiaG_twbAVQYXmT_A:1584404675837&q=children+books+about+black+history&oq=children+books+about+black+history&prds=epd:16980573646267864921,paur:ClkAsKraX5PiMX5TT6tXixSHwSsI3u06dQHh32Z2Sz_ELBLOWCF9EdvYe0qRAwQjqnIEnJUMrDUFMnWiCmeEP9Wrh7Hh3zXvBqCp8HkRjTmYrzfvBJ0Y3f_R_xIZAFPVH70cx4nFqrigaPKODlmrKuAs51m_hw,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwia08jkoKDoAhVbi1wKHbd4CqMQ8wIImQQ)**[Woke Baby - by Mahogany L. Browne (Hardcover)](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/42681978613215145?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk01ARzq2W_Ew0ZiaG_twbAVQYXmT_A:1584404675837&q=children+books+about+black+history&oq=children+books+about+black+history&prds=epd:4622616672051933980,paur:ClkAsKraX4qV_9xSkvX2OE5CWE6WhhuMyA8glcQf6rWTuFj75v3cmuiCQeWVMx-gZyC5wSEo5158U4Vo8jqCAjqF77Z6Ybys2Pu8E3eZRa03vUyO9NIh4P3uORIZAFPVH71_vkMvEldvvAWNNGnJkFCZ_iy2uw,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwia08jkoKDoAhVbi1wKHbd4CqMQ8wII5wQ)**[I Got the Rhythm [Book]](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/3230716890248732682?q=children+books+about+black+history&safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk02d0nOfOJmG99jDnVNh5k14k2guVQ:1584405056470&prds=epd:2046225921874495050,paur:ClkAsKraX37yTmorjIv-DQLstWmviZvt0qIBl25DSScyj0RDu767pQqFsdKk0ZbwxyursdT9oLVLBbCGELKb7DU8vcbnGsp3H6CgmiHsiXwzyJ3zAlyWfHuBshIZAFPVH71K8COr5I1XtMbyZq4JVxRi50fKQA,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwj93IPCoaDoAhVnl3IEHRdIBd84FBDzAgjiBA)* | Family members in Mandarin:   1. A Chinese family member song :   https://youtu.be/Ug8RULhzNMA   1. two songs “ I love my family” :   <https://youtu.be/0z38T38Sv60>  <https://youtu.be/uc7qd9xPpDY>   1. [***My Lantern and the Fairy:****A Story of Light and Kindness Told in English and Chinese [Book]*](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/291201241146906871?q=children+story+books+chinese+lantern+making&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&biw=1618&bih=804&prds=epd:15772396171240794075,paur:ClkAsKraX6LzStwnNNSVi85u004qjxjkAuy5eN1bLe3N_idymIYx9matqh8TE4hgc8akMrX0mRn3Q5Pkvl2oGN2e7NvQINMixFtkv4lwvMhq_t3uKuEfZXi4PBIZAFPVH707qzoR4rJ-3xdSH8b7TefgaeW-aw,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwi63bK354vlAhULVN8KHULYD6YQ8wIImQM) | **Black History Month** |

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| *March-* *Courage* | ***Courageous People Who Changed the World - (Little Heroes) by Heidi Poelman (Board\_book)***  ***Courage - by Bernard Waber (Hardcover)***  ***[Maria Finds Courage - (Team Dungy) by Tony Dungy & Lauren Dungy (Hardcover)](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/8595756713675500426?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&output=search&q=children+books+about+courage&oq=children+books+about+courage&aqs=products-cc..&prds=epd:11119622767726489409,paur:ClkAsKraX1LMSEJRXKyKtx1mWrEgsdoEk-LSOtDkbG0CUKbpmW1wmngoTp7b-qdsDFduTNq6eBgEJDKi80Swe9JJ4oy4SN_8jNml04xZOe_RSTQMFDe85wiEFBIZAFPVH71vDTUBOovgiN37lwvXCn7Pl-X_7w,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwj7yJmNoqDoAhVoRN8KHSAkD9QQ8wIIqAQ)***  ***[Brave Sophia: A Children's Book About Bravery and Courage [Book]](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/13814472556382794958?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&output=search&q=children+books+about+courage&oq=children+books+about+courage&aqs=products-cc..&prds=epd:12407639107142040182,paur:ClkAsKraX04QOnhSxmLvjRySb4PJrs9rAWM18cZzIdtHYQQkYrvTjhsrpM2fKdPc7BXv1gBX-LtZUIlVIPV9RpToZ-AXZB4DfZJfESulF1tFtcrkflDudux5cBIZAFPVH73a9tCdiyCVAgBYGbr1l5aaDEvPwg,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwj7yJmNoqDoAhVoRN8KHSAkD9QQ8wIIuAQ)***  ***[Courage - (Character Education) by Julie Murray (Hardcover).](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/18078095873001182533?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&output=search&q=children+books+about+courage&oq=children+books+about+courage&aqs=products-cc..&prds=epd:1192518329347885854,paur:ClkAsKraX3CXyUSihqDrNL8Ecr0pK9OvWkNU6rcotoR0Y7uZkFENMY4bsa1a4TCueej7iwXmZ_r7dzk7kFk-ZANdROIq1Z7t0KwDmXEmirSUNx0uANXLhUJltxIZAFPVH713wj0ffNCg6xz9jY6vpYIC6zjKEQ,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwj7yJmNoqDoAhVoRN8KHSAkD9QQ8wII5gQ)***  ***Shay & Ivy: Beyond the Kingdom***  ***by***[***Sheena McFeely***](https://www.amazon.com/Sheena-McFeely/e/B00XT6IL1W/ref=dp_byline_cont_book_1)***(Author),***  [***Casie Trace***](https://www.amazon.com/s/ref=dp_byline_sr_book_2?ie=UTF8&field-author=Casie+Trace&text=Casie+Trace&sort=relevancerank&search-alias=books)***(Illustrator)***  ***A Place for Grace Paperback – February 1, 1996***  ***by***[***Jean Davies Okimoto***](https://www.amazon.com/Jean-Davies-Okimoto/e/B001IU4OOY/ref=dp_byline_cont_book_1)***(Author),***  [***Doug Keith***](https://www.amazon.com/s/ref=dp_byline_sr_book_2?ie=UTF8&field-author=Doug+Keith&text=Doug+Keith&sort=relevancerank&search-alias=books)***(Illustrator)*** ***A Birthday for Ben - Children with hearing difficulty***  ***by***[***Kate Gaynor***](https://www.amazon.com.au/s/ref=dp_byline_sr_book_1?ie=UTF8&field-author=Kate+Gaynor&search-alias=books)***(Author),***  [***Karen Quirke***](https://www.amazon.com.au/s/ref=dp_byline_sr_book_2?ie=UTF8&field-author=Karen+Quirke&search-alias=books)***(Illustrator)*** | Two spring poems and songs:  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bgUqwi39ozk>  https://youtu.be/KpZkzQOdv0Q | Women’s History Month  Deaf History Month |

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| ***April-***  ***Go Green*** | ***Poverty and Hunger - (Children in Our World) by Louise A Spilsbury (Hardcover)***  ***What a Waste [Book]*** *[Why We Live Where We Live [Book]](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/9155387217913574693?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk009ZgINmCi7_a_2536AFy-ZW3QOVw:1584405959646&q=children+books+about+saving+the+planet+in+different+countries&oq=children+books+about+saving+the+planet+in+different+countries&prds=epd:11454015371339993106,paur:ClkAsKraX3wylnuQw8hEHpGvFRQFU7c_RUscK5WprNQfLxOcteavOTkQdyv6RgHNPgPauzkgap7xppIsh_ZULFNiyacE08ZI1u5ViBI0F2UvjawoABfKkAxC5RIZAFPVH71yqMC2AetJQIUsBJMgGtraX4ZR2g,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwit-ailpKDoAhVOl3IEHfROAd8Q8wIIjwQ)**[Greta's Story: The Schoolgirl Who Went on Strike to Save the Planet [Book]](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/15910923725211504093?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk009ZgINmCi7_a_2536AFy-ZW3QOVw:1584405959646&q=children+books+about+saving+the+planet+in+different+countries&oq=children+books+about+saving+the+planet+in+different+countries&prds=epd:6064266507944006099,paur:ClkAsKraX275VGbFPTIhwLJ_VVWu3smge0s2NQ9ixPOsNC_MqB2TLmeTsFxvfikJRGGWYLlxqbPVwjMalugJNhpJvdARrzoDMzwNz_gf_A82Fsq_QhMa0etVMBIZAFPVH71sZgX5_se0NGbuV3hCoSQRTev3tg,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwit-ailpKDoAhVOl3IEHfROAd8Q8wIIngQ)* | Tomb Sweeping Day:, also known as Qingming Festival in China, is a public holiday (April 4-6) for people to pay their respects to their ancestors by tidying up graves. It is also a time for families to get together to celebrate the coming spring.  https://youtu.be/4gfpF4620-w | Diversity Month  Autism Awareness  Month  Earth Day |

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| ***May- Service*** | *[A Ticket Around the World - by Natalia Diaz & Melissa Owens (Paperback)](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/16301732170700655663?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk009ZgINmCi7_a_2536AFy-ZW3QOVw:1584405959646&q=children+books+about+saving+the+planet+in+different+countries&oq=children+books+about+saving+the+planet+in+different+countries&prds=epd:13919846238663460487,paur:ClkAsKraXxp8K1I161rzekCUhVMZsU38eD33eaQQLBJLJ8fNjH1Jvj0RKUTqlyGp051rYvNQJWlTsvS8kwCqERw-jjILp6TVFy4EdQRWmQ3RaHB0wCUUKJaMJhIZAFPVH71L6QjpcNAnrRAe2Ht88YMSqcfjQg,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwit-ailpKDoAhVOl3IEHfROAd8Q8wIIvQQ)* *[Different But The Same - by Keyonna a Monroe (Paperback)](https://www.google.com/aclk?sa=l&ai=DChcSEwjJiILjpKDoAhWJiMgKHYxvAw8YABAGGgJxdQ&sig=AOD64_2xHM3z3nZHTkErvlYxM5DHBeGc1A&ctype=5&q=&ved=0ahUKEwjI0fvipKDoAhU0mHIEHY94AB0QwzwIjgE&adurl=" \t "_blank)**[Good People Everywhere - by Lynea Gillen (Hardcover)](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/1977949540612271105?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk02GO2Jj-h6mw2r46GfOB51RRRsi-Q:1584405997573&q=children+books+about+service+in+different+countries&oq=children+books+about+service+in+different+countries&prds=epd:5743192557136593105,paur:ClkAsKraXwLST4iSitP1zAnno-ToxmaAvr8gCVEEKMAGHztgrxUGRwEA-F5_EZeBfep-dkE3zdNZVWKCtSeqoBjNBfqfx78e8_Mlsp9i3XR5vpKUOBhB1yhfgxIZAFPVH72wM6u-vIHWKfz7zlR5-IWjxk210g,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwjI0fvipKDoAhU0mHIEHY94AB0Q8wIIqgY)**[Look Where We Live! - by Scot Ritchie (Hardcover)](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/11728517566114984038?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk02GO2Jj-h6mw2r46GfOB51RRRsi-Q:1584405997573&q=children+books+about+service+in+different+countries&oq=children+books+about+service+in+different+countries&prds=epd:13209588306086330003,paur:ClkAsKraXxCbcijLqF9cxC3leMy79GrH1OMzYB7kfi8PP5IytTgRI44SCh6IM2Xz0atFQj_G7TFlkiWbLbOKWR6i921zizyXRdDvUvHmvT65MajJfrKiZlwF1BIZAFPVH72zuaRNvaUd15TXV-_mBr55SYM0lA,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwjI0fvipKDoAhU0mHIEHY94AB0Q8wIIuQY)* | The Dragon Boat Festival: it is an annual Chinese public holiday that commemorates the memory of an ancient patriot with boat races and glutinous rice.  1. The origin and tradition: <https://youtu.be/UYtZ6KX-IkM>  2. the story of Chu Yuan - a patriotic poet and statesman who drowned himself.  https://youtu.be/vNiFmaj5YA8 | Asian Pacific American Heritage Month   Older Americans Month  World Day for Cultural Diversity for Dialogue and Development |

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| June-  Journey to College | ***[Thread of Love - by Kabir Sehgal & Surishtha Sehgal (Hardcover)](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/13378413351277611150?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk00_fqkGiM6z5ncyEuX0g0vKFTGrgg:1584406126854&q=children+books+about+graduation+in+different+countries&oq=children+books+about+graduation+in+different+countries&prds=epd:14609891198734340315,paur:ClkAsKraX3W7l2odQzAo2zqcR0vX7qXdYaQGYxtA5AskxpjlF3ZzszPDWd5ikcFk-S-ZhhQO5_YjgjrwmXj7u21lvJYoC8h9lWr0ydXlZ-7EsEIjeVenLoUPOBIZAFPVH73GRi0UNtYC8lMuSSsB1XdZ332ILg,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwj23JaVpaDoAhUClnIEHX7xDjsQ8wIIvAQ)***  ***[What Do You Celebrate? - by Whitney Stewart (Hardcover)](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/17872057967967494466?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk00_fqkGiM6z5ncyEuX0g0vKFTGrgg:1584406126854&q=children+books+about+graduation+in+different+countries&oq=children+books+about+graduation+in+different+countries&prds=epd:11263369434318903372,paur:ClkAsKraX9DTideiULCuoYUhPaleJrQuo934lIphRAiYQwYrmo8D3xV7_DM8CHqsKr_Of6vzA8Pz-9vBrD_0InWoGMvI4TLrn_VKtGC1fHAMZsXV0Y10g89VehIZAFPVH72vIOlU8nNPXEQUNU6BawocLoj0yQ,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwj23JaVpaDoAhUClnIEHX7xDjsQ8wIIywQ)***  ***[Whatever You Are, Be a Good One (Hardcover)](https://www.google.com/aclk?sa=l&ai=DChcSEwjM_JyVpaDoAhUK4MgKHfbMBwcYABAgGgJxdQ&sig=AOD64_0_LyoSNgNEERxZepXcCGKA53-_Dw&ctype=46&q=&ved=0ahUKEwj23JaVpaDoAhUClnIEHX7xDjsQ2CkI-QQ&adurl=)***  ***[What Do You Do With an Idea? (Hardcover)](https://www.google.com/aclk?sa=l&ai=DChcSEwjM_JyVpaDoAhUK4MgKHfbMBwcYABAlGgJxdQ&sig=AOD64_0QvAGLcKAdiR2LA2b5TrM4lVs9eQ&ctype=46&q=&ved=0ahUKEwj23JaVpaDoAhUClnIEHX7xDjsQ2CkIlwU&adurl=)***  ***Oh, the Meetings You'll Go To! - by Suits (Hardcover)***  ***[Day You Begin - by Jacqueline Woodson (School And Library)](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/15462643284986459757?safe=strict&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&sxsrf=ALeKk00_fqkGiM6z5ncyEuX0g0vKFTGrgg:1584406126854&q=children+books+about+graduation+in+different+countries&oq=children+books+about+graduation+in+different+countries&prds=epd:16054521155451036471,paur:ClkAsKraX4wc-qPUcON2ZnJ-a1TUkHz2NmtMYiL7rK9vGGPl7Qu_o5YeSigDM_Mkm0fgwSa9WXvOEMcNU8eXnkuXxBiBk4Qyo7rt3EWL05IOQoHpuVZM75clmxIZAFPVH739qcqNAK-goDpMnAxxN0ADPqVpYQ,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwj23JaVpaDoAhUClnIEHX7xDjsQ8wII7QU)*** | Graduation :  a Mandarin farewell song and its English version:  <https://youtu.be/V1yIdpgq8W0>  https://youtu.be/YlvB7lemB0M | Flag Day  Native American Citizenship Day |

***Additional Texts-***

1. [***Festivals Together: A Guide to Multi-Cultural Celebration [Book]***](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/5204465386776712661?q=children+story+books+chinese+lantern+making&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&biw=1618&bih=804&prds=epd:796192822366994967,paur:ClkAsKraX_0J7-riYDdNppLQrNEROjKP5g_9UybzRF9zRk0uQBVon8RU1TCSr_8y2_lw70QCJ-bClPN48E5cdmIiCOyJSDtBRQiqF4WYCbnLPbM97ppaTHnpMxIZAFPVH7273My-UhNNDlv6xvkPj4qAYCw2cg,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwi63bK354vlAhULVN8KHULYD6YQ8wIIiwQ)
2. [***Esperando El Biblioburro [Book]***](https://www.google.com/shopping/product/1938265484980492389?q=children%27s+stories+native+american+heritage+month&rlz=1C5CHFA_enUS725US811&biw=1618&bih=804&prds=epd:11248216031153813789,paur:ClkAsKraXxfWG7gUzGX6Lv0Eau6tcaLQtd-fvmsWcNPMDf7pZK8CyCl3qZGzuMT-_DMWYntzHXyA0JZim4rAGGMTkQ-69VoQc76Yu2CBpLbyyReboB_stZ19pRIZAFPVH716iD6oB2eYm9s1jI-BjT0RwOnt-Q,prmr:1&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwiS8Mii6IvlAhXIVt8KHXb5DMoQ8wIIvwQ)
3. ***Chinese Treasure Chest [Book]***
4. ***An Illustrated Brief History China: Culture.Religion.Art.Invention [Book]***
5. ***Common Knowledge about Chinese Geography [Book]***
6. ***Common Knowledge about Chinese Culture [Book]***