



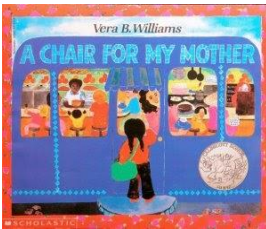
GOAL 1: No Poverty

LAST STOP ON MARKET STREET



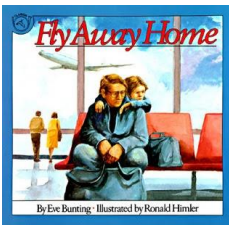
Last Stop on Market Street, by Matt de la Pena

Looks at material poverty through the eyes of a young boy who rides on a bus with his grandmother across town. As CJ points out the things that other people have that he doesn't, his grandmother responds with a positive and hopeful answer to show the beauty of life's simpler things.



A Chair for My Mother, by Vera B. Williams

Describes the dedication in restoring and rebuilding your life after a devastating fire. The fear and uncertainty are real for so many people around the world living in poverty. This story also shows how three strong women overcome hardship and restore their lives.



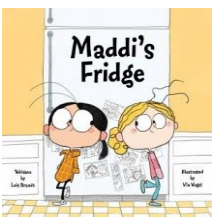
Fly Away Home, by Eve Bunting & Ronald Himler

A homeless boy who lives in an airport with his father, moving from terminal to terminal trying not to be noticed, is given hope when a trapped bird finally finds its freedom.

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GOAL 2: Zero Hunger



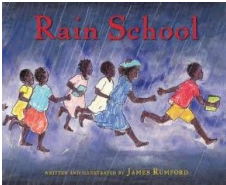
Maddi's Fridge, by Lois Brandt

Addresses issues of poverty with honesty and sensitivity while instilling important lessons in friendship, empathy, trust, and helping others.

	<p>Thank You, Omu, by Oge Mora</p> <p>The story is about Omu, who cooks a stew and shares it with her neighbors; they show their gratitude by bringing her food.</p>
	<p>The Good Garden, by Katie Smith</p> <p>An inspiring story, based on actual events, that shows how farms and hopes are transformed as good gardens begin to grow.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">GOAL 3: Good Health and Well-Being</p>
	<p>I Am Peace, A Book of Mindfulness, by Susan Verde</p> <p>When the world feels chaotic, find <i>peace</i> within through an accessible mindfulness practice.</p>
	<p>The Curious Garden, by Peter Brown</p> <p>Explores the perennial topic of environmentalism in an urban world. As time passes, the garden spreads throughout the dark, gray city, transforming it into a lush, green world.</p>
	<p>Most People, by Michael Leannah</p> <p>The world can be a scary place. Anxious adults want children to be aware of dangers, but shouldn't kids be aware of kindness too?</p>



GOAL 4: Quality Education



Rain School, by James Rumford

This story takes place in Chad, and describes how a group of school children have to build their school before they can begin lessons. At the end of their school year, the rainy season comes and washes their school away.

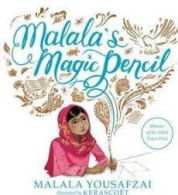


Dreamers, by Yuyi Morales

This nonfiction book looks at the myriad gifts immigrants bring with them when they leave their homes. It's a story about family. And it's a story to remind us that we are all dreamers, bringing our own strengths wherever we roam.

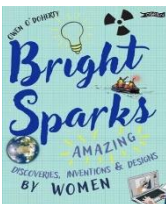


GOAL 5: Gender Equality



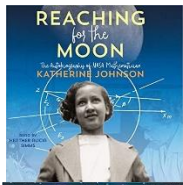
Malala's Magic Pencil, by Malala Yousafzai

The youngest ever recipient of the Nobel Peace Prize, Malala has championed girls' education. The book tells Malala's story and shows the worldview that allowed her to hold on to hope and to make her voice heard even in the most difficult of times.

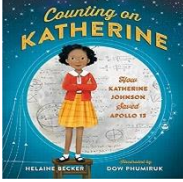


Bright Sparks -- amazing discoveries, inventions and designs by women, by Owen O'Doherty

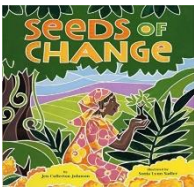
A beautifully designed compendium of women achievers, across time and in diverse fields.



Reaching for the Moon, The Autobiography of NASA Mathematician Katherine Johnson, By Katherine Johnson
Counting on Katherine, by Helaine Becker and Dow Phumiruk



From Katherine's early beginnings as a gifted student to her heroic accomplishments as a prominent mathematician at NASA, these stories are of a groundbreaking American woman who not only calculated the course of moon landings but, in turn, saved lives and made enormous contributions to history.

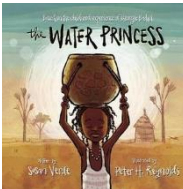


Seeds of Change, by Jen Cullerton Johnson

A biography of scientist Wangari Maathai, the first African woman -- and first environmentalist -- to win a Nobel Peace Prize (in 2004) for her work planting trees in her native Kenya.

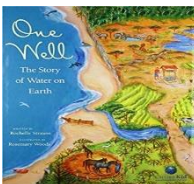


GOAL 6: Clean Water and Sanitation



The Water Princess, by Susan Verde

Sheds light on this struggle that continues all over the world today, instilling hope for a future when all children will have access to clean drinking water.



One Well, The Story of Water on Earth, by Rochelle Strauss

All water is connected. Every raindrop, lake, underground river and glacier is part of a single global well. Part of CitizenKid: A collection of books that inform children about the world and inspire them to be better global citizens.

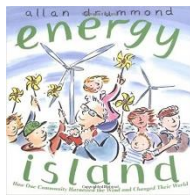


GOAL 7: Affordable and Clean Energy



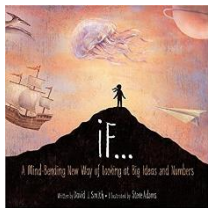
The Boy who Harnessed the Wind, by William Kamkwamba & Bryan Mealer (young reader and picture book edition available)

When fourteen-year-old William Kamkwamba's Malawi village was hit by a drought, everyone's crops began to fail. Without enough money for food, let alone school, William spent his days in the library . . . and figured out how to bring electricity to his village. Persevering against the odds, William built a functioning windmill out of junkyard scraps, and thus became the local hero who harnessed the wind.



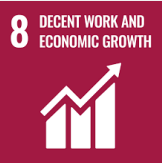
Energy Island, by Allan Drummond

At a time when most countries are producing ever-increasing amounts of CO₂, the citizens of Danish island of Samsø have reduced their carbon emissions by 140% and become almost completely energy independent.

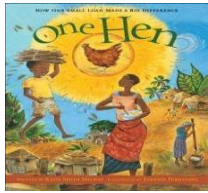


If ... A Mind-bending New Way of Looking at Big Ideas and Numbers, by David J. Smith

"Some things are so huge or so old that it's hard to wrap your mind around them. But what if we took these big, hard-to-imagine objects and events and compared them to things we can see, feel and touch? Instantly, we'd see our world in a whole new way."

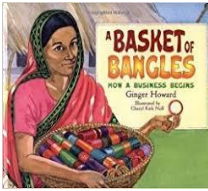


GOAL 8: Decent Work and Economic Growth



One Hen: How One Small Loan Made a Difference, by Katie Smith Milway

Tells the story of Kojo, a boy from Ghana who turns a small loan into a thriving farm and a livelihood for many.

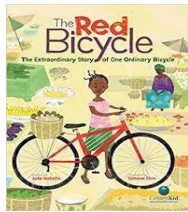


A Basket of Bangles, by Ginger Howard

With seed money borrowed from a bank, a young woman and four of her friends in Bangladesh change their lives by starting their own businesses.



GOAL 9: Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure



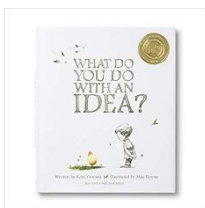
The Red Bicycle, The Extraordinary Story of One Ordinary Bicycle, by Jude Isabella

A nonfiction book about a bicycle that starts its life in North America being owned and ridden by a young boy. The bike is then sent to Burkina Faso, in West Africa, where it finds a home with Alisetta, who uses it to gain quicker access to her family's sorghum field and to the market. Then, over time, it finds its way to a young woman who uses it for delivering medications and bringing sick people to the hospital.



One Plastic Bag, Isatou Ceesay and the Recycling Women of the Gambia, by Miranda Paul & Elizabeth Zunon


The inspiring true story of how one African woman realized goats were dying by eating discarded plastic bags and began a movement to use the plastic bags that were polluting her community to make purses.

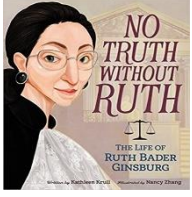


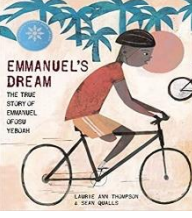
What Do You Do with an Idea?, by Kobi Yamada

	<p>This is the story of one brilliant idea and the child who helps to bring the idea to the world.</p>
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	<h2>GOAL 10: Reduced Inequality</h2>
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	<p>It's Mine!, by Leo Lionni</p> <p>Three selfish frogs live together on an island in the middle of Rainbow Pond. All day long they bicker: <i>It's mine! It's mine! It's mine!</i> Through the story it becomes possible for kids to see themselves through the antics of others who share our world.</p>
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	<p>No Truth Without Ruth: The Life of Ruth Bader Ginsburg, by Kathleen Krull</p> <p>Learn about Ruthless Ruthie—a warrior for equality, defender of justice, and a trailblazer for girls everywhere.</p>
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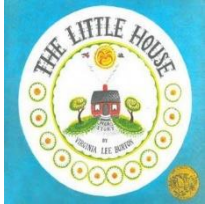
	<p>Emmanuel's Dream, by Laurie Ann Thompson</p> <p>Emmanuel Ofori Yeboah, born in Ghana, West Africa, with one deformed leg, was dismissed by most people, but kept spreading his powerful message: disability is not inability. Today, Emmanuel continues to work on behalf of the disabled.</p>
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	<h2>GOAL 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities</h2>
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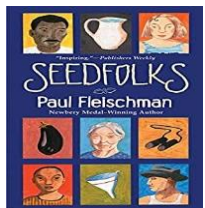
The Promise, by Nicola Davies

On a mean street in a mean, broken city, a young girl tries to snatch an old woman's bag. But the frail old woman says the thief can't have it without giving something in return: *the promise*. It is the beginning of a journey that will change the girl and the world.



The Little House, by Virginia Lee Burton

A story about a Little House that originally lived in the country, but as the years go by the countryside transforms into an urban city. What was once green grass and natural surroundings turned into large skyscrapers and loud train stations.

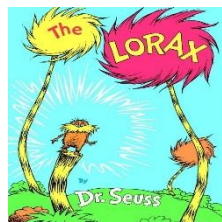


Seedfolks, by Paul Fleischman

Thirteen speakers bring to life a community garden's founding and first year.

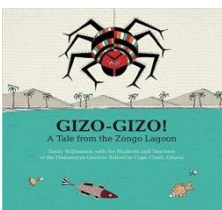


GOAL 12: Responsible Consumption and Production



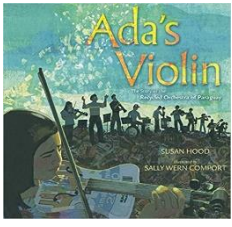
The Lorax, by Dr. Seuss

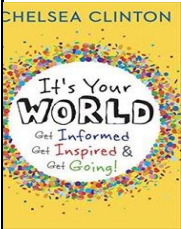
Chronicles the plight of the environment and the Lorax, who "speaks for the trees" and confronts the Once-ler, who causes environmental destruction.



Gizo-Gizo! A Tale from the Zongo Lagoon, by Emily Williamson

Gizo-Gizo the spider, a lazy, selfish fellow, starts a gold mine that pollutes the Zongo Lagoon and makes other animals sick. He ignores everyone else's

	<p>concerns. Originally written and drawn by students from Cape Coast, Ghana, this folktale examines environmental sustainability and personal responsibility.</p>
	<p>Ada's Violin, by Susan Hood</p> <p>A story about a girl who lives in a garbage heap in Paraguay and takes music lessons from a teacher who creatively comes up with the idea to make instruments out of surrounding garbage.</p>

	<h1 style="text-align: center;">GOAL 13: Climate Action</h1>
	<p>What Can a Citizen Do?, by Dave Eggers</p> <p>This is a book about what citizenship—good citizenship—means to you, and to us all: Across the course of several seemingly unrelated but ultimately connected actions by different children, we watch how kids turn a lonely island into a community—and watch a journey from what the world should be to what the world could be.</p>
	<p>Our House Is On Fire, by Jeannette Winter</p> <p>The story of <i>TIME</i> PERSON OF THE YEAR Greta Thunberg, the sixteen-year-old climate activist who has sparked a worldwide student movement and is demanding action from world leaders who refuse to address climate change.</p>
	<p>It's Your World: Get Informed, Get Inspired & Get Going, by Chelsea Clinton</p> <p>Using data, charts and stories, Chelsea Clinton unpacks challenges related to Poverty, Climate Change, Gender Equality, Health, Endangered Species and talks about what's being done to make a difference — particularly by kids and teenagers.</p>



GOAL 14: Life Below Water



The Brilliant Deep, by Kate Messner

Tells the story of Ken Nedimyer, an American fish collector and “live rock farmer” who found a way to restore the world's coral reefs by growing coral colonies in underwater nurseries and then planting them onto dying reefs.

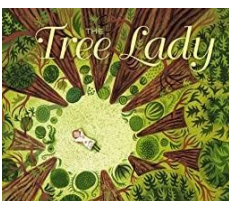


Manfish: A Story of Jacques Cousteau, by Jennifer Berne

Jacques Cousteau grew up to become a champion of the seas and one of the best-known oceanographers in the world.

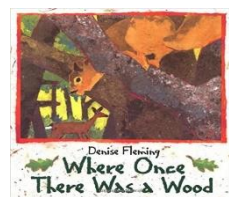


GOAL 15: Life on Land




Tree Lady, by H. Joseph Hopkins


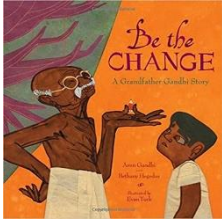
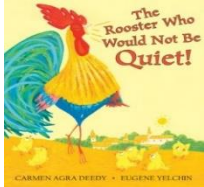
After becoming the first woman to graduate from the University of California with a degree in science, Kate Sessions took a job in San Diego. She helped San Diego grow from a dry desert town into a lush, leafy city known for its gorgeous parks and gardens.




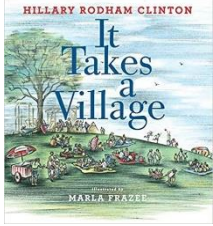
Where Once There Was a Wood, by Denise Fleming

A portrait of our disappearing natural environment. The last pages of the book teach children how to make a more "creature friendly" backyard, including

	<p>information about what types of food, trees and flowers attract different kinds of animals.</p>
	<p>A Stone Sat Still, by Brendan Wenzel</p> <p>Tells the story of a seemingly ordinary rock but to the animals that use it, it is a resting place, a kitchen, a safe haven...even an entire world.</p>

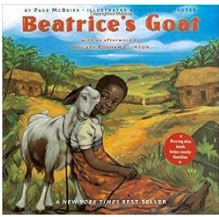
	<h2 style="text-align: center;">GOAL 16: Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions</h2>
	<p>Be the Change, by Arun Gandhi & Bethany Hegedus</p> <p>How can throwing away a worn-down pencil hurt anyone? How can wastefulness lead to violence? With the help of his grandfather, Arun learns how every wasteful act, no matter how small, affects others. And in time he comes to understand the truth of his grandfather's words: "Be the change you wish to see in the world."</p>
	<p>The Rooster Who Would Not Be Quiet!, by Carmen Agra Deedy</p> <p>Celebrates the spirit of freedom, and the courage of those who are born to sing at any cost.</p>

	<h2 style="text-align: center;">GOAL 17: Partnerships for the Goals</h2>
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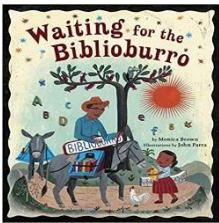
It Takes a Village, by Hillary Rodham Clinton

All kinds of people working together, playing together, and living together in harmony makes a better village and many villages coming together can make a better world. Together we can build a better life for one another. Together we can change our world.



Beatrice's Goat, by Page McBrier

A true story of how a poor African girl was able to attend school after receiving a goat as a gift through a special international project and then sell its milk to get the money needed to buy her books.



Waiting for Biblioburro, by Monica Brown

Luis Humberto Soriano Bohórquez has gone from village to village reading to children, helping them with their homework, and lending books to anyone within burro distance. A portion of the proceeds from sales of this book support Luis Soriano's BiblioBurro program.