

**Inventions Through Time Booklist
Third Grade**

| Subject | Call# | Author | Title |
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| British Isles Folklore | Easy J 398.2 B | Byrd, Robert | <i>Finn Maccoul and His Fearless Wife: A Giant of A Tale From Ireland</i> The giant Finn Maccoul is a loveable but cowardly giant who finds himself in a mess when a nasty Scottish bully harasses him. His clever wife devises a plan that will trick the bully into fearing Finn. |
| British Isles Folklore | J 398.2 B | Behan, Brendan | <i>The King of Irelands Son</i> Sent to find the source of the heavenly music heard throughout the kingdom, the youngest son of the King of Ireland finds a beautiful maiden held captive by a fierce giant. |
| British Isles Folklore | | Brown, Marcia | <i>Dick Whittington and his Cat</i> A retelling of the legend about a boy who became mayor of London with the help of his cat. |
| British Isles Folklore | E FIC D | DePaola, Tomie | <i>Fin M'Coul: The Giant of Knockmany Hill</i> Giant Fin M'Coul and his clever wife outwit a Scottish bully. |
| British Isles Folklore | E FIC D | DePaola, Tomie | <i>The Knight and the Dragon</i> A knight proves his bravery by fighting a dragon. |
| British Isles Folklore | J 398.2 | Mackenzie, Donald A. | <i>Scottish Fairy Tales</i> Gods and Goddesses, magicians and mermaids, fairies, warriors, and giants weave a series of enchanting spells for young readers. |
| British Isles Folklore | Easy J 398.2 S | Sabuda, Robert | <i>Arthur and the Sword</i> The legendary story of King Arthur. |
| British Isles Folklore | | Sans Souci, Robert | <i>Brave Margaret: An Irish Adventure</i> In this retelling of an Irish folklore, a brave young woman battles sea serpent and saves her true love from a giant. |
| British Isles Folklore | J 398.2 S | Sutcliffe, Rosemary | <i>The Sword and the Circle: King Arthur and the Knights of the Round Table</i> A retelling of the classic Arthurian legend follows the adventures of the boy who became a king, his councillor Merlin, his beloved Guinivere, and the Knights of the Round Table |
| British Isles Folklore | J FIC T | Talbott, Hudson | <i>O'Sullivan Stew: A Tale Cooked Up in Ireland</i> When an Irish witch has her horse stolen by the king she strikes back with famine and disease. Kate saves the day by getting her horse back. |

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| Cinderella Folklore | 398.2 D | Daly, Jude | <i>Fair, Brown, and Trembling: An Irish Cinderella Story</i> This is a traditional version of the Cinderella story--no fractured fairy tale with a feminist hero who runs the show. |
| Cinderella Folklore | Easy J 398.2 S | Sans Souci, Robert | <i>Sootface: An Ojibwa Cinderella Story</i> In this Ojibwa tale, Sootface is a young woman who does all the cooking, mending, and fire tending for her father and her two mean and lazy older sisters. When the mysterious invisible warrior announces through his sister that he will take for his bride a woman with a kind and honest heart, only Sootface proves worthy. |
| Cinderella Folklore | Easy J 398.2 | Schroeder, Alan | <i>Smokey Mountain Rose: An Appalachian Cinderella</i> Putting a down-home and downright enchanting Smoky Mountain spin on Perrault's classic Cinderella tale, Schroeder shows Rose, a trapper's dutiful and loving daughter, at the mercy of her father's "fearsome" second wife and two stepsisters, who are so mean "they'd steal flies from a blind spider." |
| Cinderella Folklore | Easy J 398.2 | Climo, Shirley | <i>The Irish Cinderlad</i> Ages 5 [^] -8. Becan, an Irish lad ridiculed for his huge feet, befriends a bull with magic powers who feeds him and bequeaths him his tail as a belt. With the belt, Becan vanquishes a giant, taking his sword and boots. With the giant's sword, Becan slays the dreaded Serpent, saving Princess Finola and losing a boot in his departure |
| Cinderella Folklore | Easy J 398.2 C | Climo, Shirley | <i>The Persian Cinderella</i> Motherless Settareh, whose name means star (a reference to the shape of the birthmark on her cheek), has a typically Cinderella-esque existence with her stepmother and stepsisters. |
| Cinderella Folklore | 398.2 | De Paola, Tomie | <i>Adelita: A Mexican Cinderella</i> There's no pumpkin coach or glass slipper in sight, but Cinderella fans will find much to like in DePaola's original twist, infused with Mexican warmth and color. |
| Cinderella Folklore | Easy J 398.2 H | Hickox, Rebecca | <i>The Golden Sandal: A Middle Eastern Cinderella Story</i> An Iraqi version of Cinderella in which a kind and beautiful girl is mistreated by her stepmother and stepsisters. She eventually finds a husband with the help of a magic fish. |
| Cinderella Folklore | Easy J 398.2 M | Marceau-Chenkie, Brittany | <i>Naya: The Inuit Cinderella</i> A Cinderella story retold in this traditional Inuit version. |

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| Cinderella Folklore | Easy J 398.2 M | Martin, Rafe | <i>The Rough-Face Girl</i> In this Algonquin version of Cinderella, the Rough-Face girl and her two beautiful but heartless sisters compete for the affections of the Invisible Being. |
| Cinderella Folklore | Easy J 398.2 S | Silverman, Erica | <i>Raisel's Riddle</i> A moving and memorable recasting of the story of Cinderella is this East European tale of Raisel, an orphan brought up by her grandfather, a Talmudic scholar. |
| Folklore | | Greene, Ellin | <i>Clever Cooks: A Concoction of Stories, Charms, Riddles, and Recipes</i> Stories, riddles and recipes based on a collection of folktales. |
| Folklore | J 398.2 H | Hamilton, Martha | <i>How And Why Stories: World Tales Kids Can Read and Tell</i> A collection of twenty-five traditional stories explaining why an animal or plant looks or acts the way it does. |
| Folklore | J 398.2 M | Milord, Susan | <i>Tales Alive!</i> Ten multicultural folktales with activities. |
| Folklore | 398.2 | Philip, Neil | <i>Stockings of Buttermilk</i> A collection of traditional folktales (from England, Scotland, Ireland, France, Spain, and Germany) that were Americanized by storytellers in the 19th century and early 20th century. |
| Inventions | J 690 | Carrow, Robert S. | <i>Put a Fan in Your Hat</i> This imaginative collection will be useful for parents, Scout leaders, and science teachers looking for some interesting hands-on projects. Clear step-by-step instructions and simple black-and-white illustrations are included for each of the 12 projects. Cartoon icons alert readers to other components, such as creative extensions and historical background |
| Inventions | 608 H | Harper, Cherise Mericle | <i>Imaginative Inventions: The Who, What, Where, When and Why of Roller Skates, Potato Chips, Marbles, and Pie</i> Children who are interested in the origins of things will enjoy this whimsical look at how piggy banks, doughnuts, eyeglasses, high-heeled shoes, chewing gum, and more were created |

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| Inventions | J 609 H | Harrison, Peter | <i>All About Inventions: Amazing Breakthroughs That Shaped our World</i> Nineteen practical projects to help you to understand the science behind different inventions. |
| Inventions | P/T J 500 H | Hauser, Jill Frankel | <i>Gizmos & Gadgets: Creating Science Contraptions That Work</i> Provides instructions for making seventy-five contraptions that demonstrate friction, energy, gravity, and other principles of physics and how to think like an inventor. |
| Inventions | J 609 P | Platt, Richard | <i>Smithsonian Visual Timeline of Inventions</i> An illustrated timeline of human ingenuity. |
| Inventions | J 607.973 | Sobey, Edwin J. C. | <i>How to Enter and Win an Invention Contest</i> Describes the process of problem solving and creating inventions. |
| Inventions | J 609 T | Thimmesh, Catherine | <i>Girls Think of Everything</i> Women have discovered some ingenious innovations that have made our lives easier. What inspired them and how they turned their ideas into inventions. |
| Inventions | J 621.087 V | Van Cleave, Janice | <i>Janice VanCleave's Machines: Mind Boggling Experiments You Can Turn Into Science Fair Projects</i> Twenty fun and simple experiments and dozens of suggestions on how to develop your own science fair project. |
| Inventions | J 609 W | Wulffson, Donald | <i>The Kid Who Invented the Popsicle: And Other Surprising Stories About Inventions</i> Beginning with animal crackers and ending with the zipper, this book alphabetically lists a number of "inventions" and briefly describes how they came into being. Among the items noted are blue jeans, doughnuts, matches, miniature golf, and Scrabble. |
| Stars and Sky | J 523.8 H | Hinz, Joan | <i>Dot to Dot: Stories in the Sky</i> Explains the constellations and formations in the sky. |
| Stars and Sky | | Matloff, Gregory L. | <i>Telescope Power: Fantastic Activities & Easy Projects For Young Astronomers</i> |

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| Stars and Sky | | Thompson, C.E. | <i>Glow-in-the Dark Constellations</i> Super informative guide exploring the night sky with glow-in-the-dark illustrations, eight maps, and fascinating retellings of the legends behind the constellations. Full color, super informative guide exploring the night sky with glow-in-the-dark illustrations, eight maps, and fascinating retellings of the legends behind the constellations. Full color. |
| Stars and Sky Folklore | Easy J 398.2 B | Bruchac, Joseph | <i>The Story of the Milky Way</i> The traditional Cherokee legend tells of a time when the world was new and there were not any stars in the sky. |
| Stars and Sky Folklore | Easy J 811 B | Bruchac, Joseph | <i>Thirteen Moons on Turtle's Back</i> Celebrates the seasons of the year through poems from the legends of Native American tribes. |
| Stars and Sky Folklore | Easy J 398.2 E | Esbensen, Barbara Justin | <i>The Star Maiden: An Ojibway Tale</i> Tired of wandering in the sky, the star maiden searches for the perfect home on earth. |
| Stars and Sky Folklore | Easy J 520 G | Gibbons, Gail | <i>Stargazers</i> Provides answers to basic questions about stars and constellations. |
| Stars and Sky Folklore | Easy J 398.2 G | Goble, Paul | <i>Star Boy</i> Relates the Blackfoot Indians legend in which Star Boy gains the Sun's forgiveness for his mother's disobedience and is allowed to return to the Sky World. |
| Stars and Sky Folklore | J 398.2 G | Goble, Paul | <i>Storm Makers Tipi</i> Retelling of a Native American legend. |
| Stars and Sky Folklore | J 398.2 H | Hoffman, Mary | <i>Sun, Moon, and Stars</i> Discusses the stories which people in ancient times told to explain what they saw in the sky. |
| Stars and Sky Folklore | J 398.2 M | Monroe, Jean Guard | <i>They Dance in the Sky</i> Native American tales regarding the constellations and their meaning. |
| Stars and Sky Folklore | Easy J 398.2 | Oughtun, Jerrie | <i>How the Stars Fell Into the Sky: A Navajo Legend</i> : It is First Woman's idea that "the laws" should be written for all to see. Using stars from the blanket at her feet, she is slowly recording them by "placing her jewels across the dome of night" when she is observed by Coyote, who offers to help. Unfortunately, he lacks First Woman's patience. Picking up the blanket, he hurls the stars at the sky in "wild disarray, shattering First Woman's careful patterns" and leaving the world forever in confusion about exactly what the laws may be. |

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| Stars and Sky Folklore | J 398.2S | Sanfield, Steve | <i>Just Rewards: Or Who Is That Man in the Moon and What's He Doing up There Anyway?</i> An original interpretation of a Chinese folktale which explains the presence of the man in the moon. |
| Stars and Sky Folklore | J 398.2 S | Shenandoah, Joanne | <i>Skywoman</i> Retelling of Iroquois legends |
| Stars and Sky Folklore | Easy J 398.2 T | Taylor, Harriet Peck | <i>Coyote Places the Stars</i> Coyote arranges the stars in the shapes of her animal friends. |
| Tall Tales Folklore | Easy J 398.2 | Keats, Ezra Jack | <i>John Henry: An American Legend</i> That steel-driving man who was born--and died--with a hammer in his hand comes vividly to life in a picture book so colorful and dramatic that surely it is the best yet. |
| Tall Tales Folklore | Easy J. 398.2 K | Kellogg, Steven | <i>Jack and the Beanstalk</i> A boy climbs to the top of a great beanstalk where he uses his quick wit to outsmart a giant and make a fortune for his mother. |
| Tall Tales Folklore | Easy J 398.2 K | Kellogg, Steven | <i>Sally Ann Thunder Ann Whirlwind Crockett</i> The story of the most amazing baby ever! She is an authentic American frontier legend. |
| Tall Tales Folklore | Easy J 398.2 K | Kellogg, Steven | <i>Mike Fink</i> Mike Fink, the larger-than-life hero, was one of the most daring and rugged frontiersmen on any The Rainbow Bridge American river. |
| Tall Tales Folklore | Easy J 398.2 K | Kellogg, Steven | <i>Paul Bunyan</i> Recounts the life of the extraordinary lumberjack whose unusual size and strength brought him many fantastic adventures. |
| Tall Tales Folklore | Easy J 398.2 K | Kimmel, Eric | <i>Easy Work; An Old Tale</i> Thinking his work in the fields is harder than his wife's work in the house; Mr. McTeague trades places with her for a day. |
| Tall Tales Folklore | Easy J 398.2 L | Lester, Julius | <i>John Henry</i> John Henry is stronger than ten men and can dig through a mountain faster than a steam engine. Nothing can stop John Henry! |
| Tall Tales Folklore | Easy J 398.2 L | Lester, Julius, et al | <i>John Henry</i> Based on the popular black folk ballad about the contest between John Henry and the steam drill, this picture-book version is a tall tale and a heroic myth, a celebration of the human spirit. |
| Tall Tales Folklore | 398.2 | Mason, Jane | <i>Paul Bunyan and Other Tall Tales</i> This book introduces readers to great men and women in a larger-than-life collection of America's tallest tales. |

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| Tall Tales Folklore | J 398.2S | Sans Souci, Robert | <i>Cut From the Same Cloth: American Women of Myth, Legend, and Tall Tale</i> A collection of twenty stories about legendary American women. |
| Tall Tales Folklore | Easy J 398.2 | Stoutenburg, Adrian | <i>American Tall Tales</i> Stoutenburg competently retells the familiar stories of Paul Bunyan, Pecos Bill, Stormalong, Mike Fink, Davy Crockett, Johnny Appleseed, John Henry, and Joe Magarac in a way that stresses the common tall tale elements and should be appealing to upper-elementary school readers. |
| Tall Tales Folklore | Easy J 398.2 W | Willey, Margaret | <i>Clever Beatrice</i> A small but clever girl outwits a rich giant and wins his gold. |
| Weather and Nature | Easy J 551.576 D | De Paola, Tomie | <i>The Cloud Book</i> In this unique approach to the sky, you can learn about the ten most common clouds. |
| Weather and Nature | | Kahl, Jonathan | <i>National Audubon Society First Field Guide Weather</i> |
| Weather and Nature Folklore | E FIC Ard | Aardema, Verna | <i>Bringing the Rain to Kapiti Plain: A Nandi Tale.</i> The gentle story unfolds line by line, with a tender rhythm that entrance. Ultimately Ki-pat, who's watching his herd, brings rain to Kapiti Plain by launching an arrow into the sky. |
| Weather and Nature Folklore | Easy J 398.2 A | Aliki | <i>The Twelve Months</i> A Greek folktale recounting the tale of the twelve months. |
| Weather and Nature Folklore | Easy J 398.2 C | Cech, John | <i>First Snow, Magic Snow</i> Inspired by Russian folklore, this is the story of a little girl made from the magical first snow. She lives with a lonely couple all winter and when she disappears in spring they set out to find her. |
| Weather and Nature Folklore | Easy J 398.2 C | Charles, Veronica | <i>The Maiden of the Mist: A Legend of Niagara Falls</i> The Seneca Indian legend of Niagara Falls. |
| Weather and Nature Folklore | Easy J 398.2 H | Harrel, Beatrice Orcutt | <i>How Thunder and Lightning Came to Be</i> Choctaw legend about two large and silly birds and how they accidentally create thunder and lightning as a way to warn Choctaw people of coming rainstorms. |
| Weather and Nature Folklore | Easy J 398.2 L | Larry, Charles | <i>Peboan and Seegwun</i> The Ojibwa story of seasonal change. |
| Weather and Nature Folklore | Easy J 398.2 W | Wood, Audrey | <i>The Rainbow Bridge</i> Recounts the Chumash Indian creation legend. |