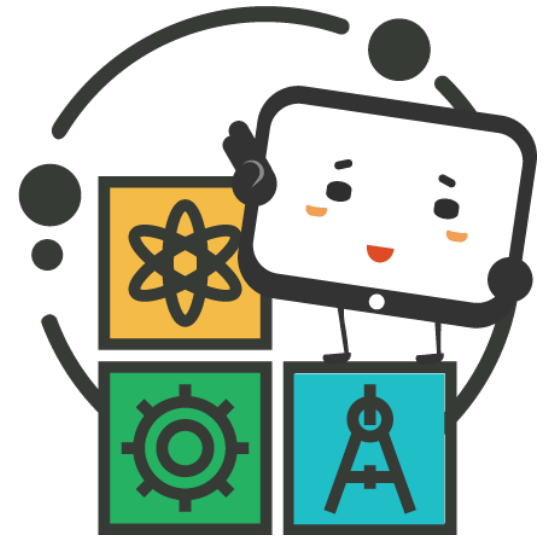


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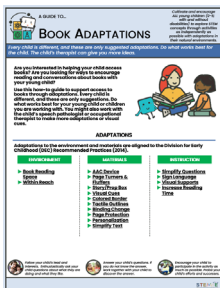
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**These books embrace and celebrate Hispanic and Latinoa heritage and/STEM innovators with engaging illustrations and photos to talk about with your young children. You may want to explore other books by the authors listed here – their other titles are often just as good!**

**Each book indicates Hispanic and Latinoa representation (author, character) and some that embrace everyday STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math) concepts accurately, as well as language availability (Bilingual, Spanish).**

## ADAPTATIONS



**The ages are only SUGGESTED! For example, older children may like the books in the “Babies & Toddlers” section. If you need to adapt the reading process for your child, please see STEMIE’s guide: <https://stemie.fpg.unc.edu/guide-book-adaptations>.**

**Click on the images of the book covers to visit videos of an adult reading aloud each book (green border). You could also mute the audio from the read-aloud video if you prefer to read the book to your child yourself and do not have a copy.**

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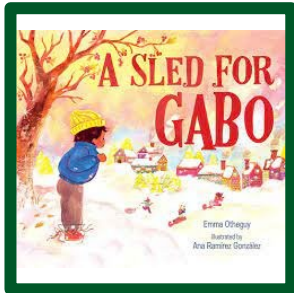
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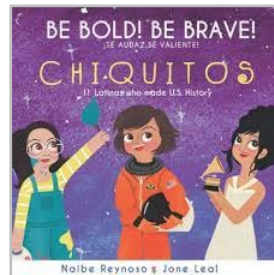
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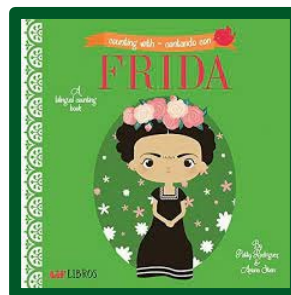
**A Sled for Gabo**  
Emma Otheguy  
Older Toddlers+  
Science  
Hispanic/Latinao character  
Also available in Spanish



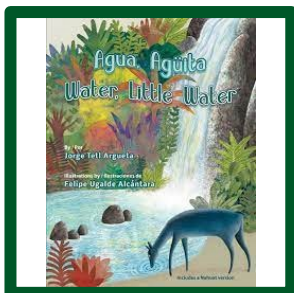
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Naibe Reynoso & Jone Leal  
Infants+  
STEM Innovators  
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Bilingual Spanish & English



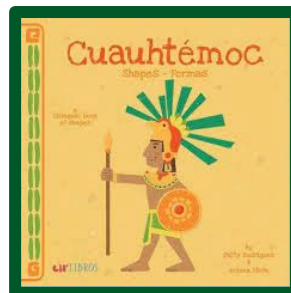
**Again, Essie?**  
Jenny Lacika  
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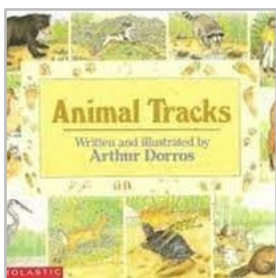
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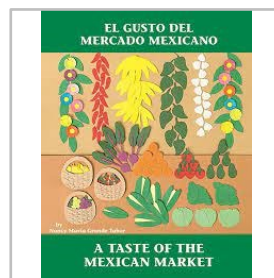
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Jorge Argueta & Felipe Ugalde Alcántara  
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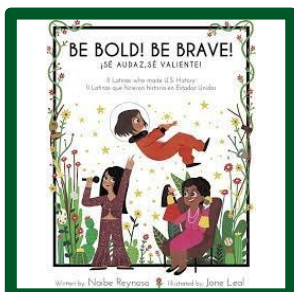
**Cuauhtémoc: Shapes/Formas**  
Patty Rodriguez & Ariana Stein  
Infants+  
Math  
Hispanic/Latinao author & character  
Bilingual Spanish & English



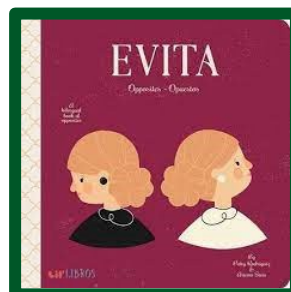
**Animal Tracks**  
Arthur Dorros  
Kindergarteners+  
Science  
Hispanic/Latinao author  
Also available in Spanish



**El Gusto del mercado mexicano/A Taste of the Mexican Market**  
Nancy Maria Grande Tabor  
Older Toddlers+  
Science  
Hispanic/Latinao character  
Bilingual Spanish & English



**Be Bold! Be Brave! 11 Latinas who made U.S. History**  
Naibe Reynoso  
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STEM Innovators  
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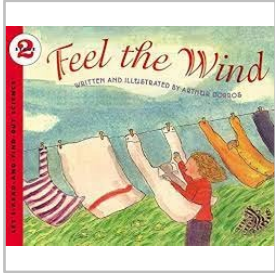
**Evita: Opposites/Opuestos**  
Patty Rodriguez & Ariana Stein  
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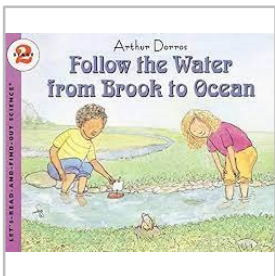


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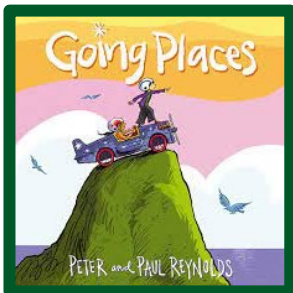
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Preschoolers+  
Science  
Hispanic/Latino author



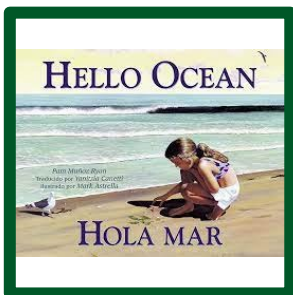
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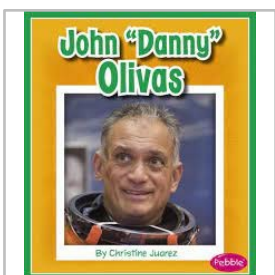
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Peter & Paul Reynolds  
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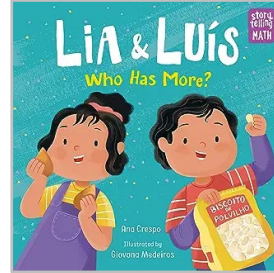
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Pam Muñoz Ryan  
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Science  
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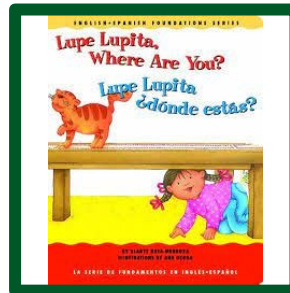
### **John "Danny" Olivas**

Christine Juarez  
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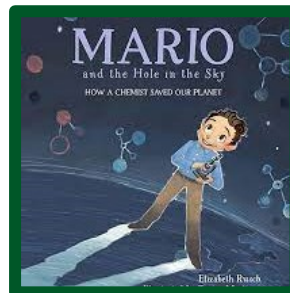
### **Lia & Luis: Who Has More?**

Ana Crespo  
Older Toddlers+  
Math  
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Also available in Spanish



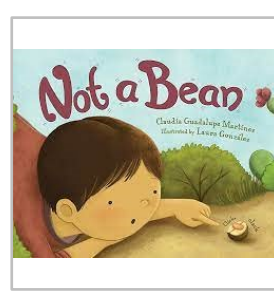
### **Lupe Lupita, Where Are You?**

Gladys Rosa-Mendoza  
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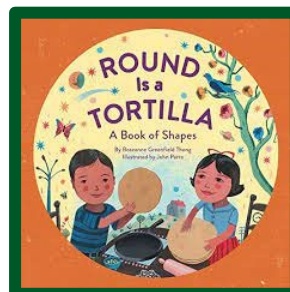
### **Mario and the Hole in the Sky: How a Chemist Saved Our Planet**

Elizabeth Rusch  
Preschoolers+  
STEM Innovator & Science



### **Not a Bean**

Claudia Guadalupe Martínez  
Older Toddlers+  
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### **Round Is a Tortilla: A Book of Shapes**

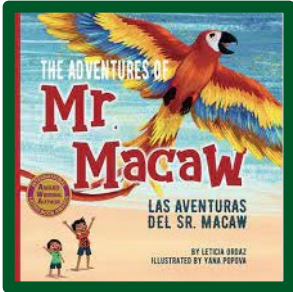
Roseanne Thong & John Parra  
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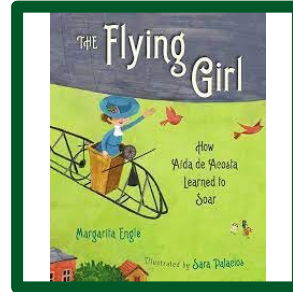


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## ***The Adventures of Mr. Macaw, Las Aventuras del Sr. Macaw***

Leticia Ordaz  
Older Toddlers+  
Science  
Hispanic/Latinoa author & character  
Bilingual Spanish & English



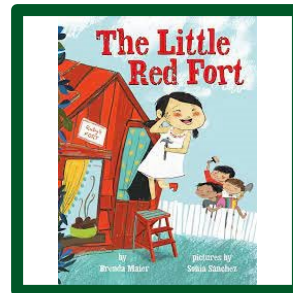
## ***The Flying Girl: How Aida de Acosta Learned to Soar***

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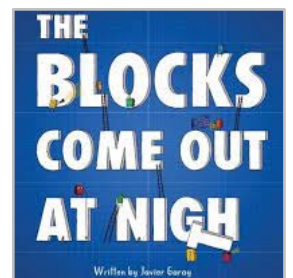
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Julia Finley Mosca  
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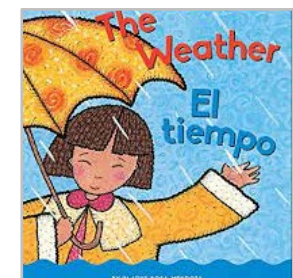
## ***The Little Red Fort***

Brenda Maier  
Engineering  
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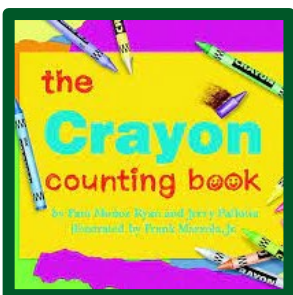
## ***The Blocks Come Out at Night***

Javier Garay  
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Engineering  
Hispanic/Latinoa author & character  
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## ***The Weather/El tiempo***

Gladys Rosa-Mendoza & Carolina Cifuentes  
Infants+  
Science  
Hispanic/Latinoa  
Bilingual Spanish & English



## ***The Crayon Counting Book***

Pam Muñoz Ryan & Jerry Pallotta  
Young Toddlers+  
Math  
Hispanic/Latinoa author