

Baker, Keith. *Little green peas; a big book of colors.*
Beach Lane Books, [2014]. Little green peas make their way into collections of objects of many different colors, from blue boats, seas, and flags, to orange balloons, umbrellas, and fizzy drinks.

Colors Powerwall P BAKER

Beaumont, Karen. *I ain't gonna paint no more!*
Orlando, FL: Harcourt, c2005. In the rhythm of a familiar folk song, a child cannot resist adding one more dab of paint in surprising places.

P BEAUMONT

Carle, Eric. *The artist who painted a blue horse.*
NY, Philomel Books, c2011. A child paints animals and objects in a variety of different hues. Includes biographical information about the German painter Franz Marc, who created unconventional animal paintings in the early 1900s.

Hello, red fox.

NY, Simon & Schuster, c1998. Guests at Little Frog's birthday party include the red fox, the purple butterfly, the orange cat, and other colorful animals. Using complementary colors, the eye forms "correctly" colored images.

P CARLE

Catalanotto, Peter. *Kitten red, yellow, blue.*
Atheneum Books for Young Readers, c2005. After placing the red kitten with the firefighter and the blue kitten with the police officer, Mrs. Tuttle finds homes for 14 other colorful kittens.

Colors Powerwall P CATALANOTTO

Cottin, Menena. *The black book of colors.*
Toronto : Greenwood Books, c2008. Imagine living without sight through remarkable illustrations done with raised lines and descriptions of colors based on imagery. Braille letters accompany the illustrations and a full Braille alphabet offers sighted readers help reading along with their fingers.

Colors Powerwall P COTTIN

Daywalt, Drew. *The day the crayons quit.*
Philomel Books, c2013. When Duncan arrives at school one morning, he finds a stack of letters, one from each of his crayons, complaining about how he uses them.

P DAYWALT

Dodd, Emma. *Dog's Colorful Day.*
Dutton, 2001. In this colorful story of a sloppy dog, you can count on a happy ending.

Colors Powerwall P DODD

Ehlert, Lois.
Color farm.
HarperCollins, c1990. The rooster, dog, sheep, cow, pig, and other animals on a farm are made up of colorful shapes. Features die-cut pages.

Planting a rainbow.

Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, c1988. A mother and child plant a rainbow of flowers in the family garden.

P EHLERT

Ericsson, Jennifer A. *A piece of chalk.*
Roaring Brook Press, 2007. A little girl creates a colored chalk drawing on her driveway.

P ERICSSON

Fleming, Denise. *Lunch.*
Henry Holt, [1992], 1995. A very hungry mouse eats a large lunch comprised of colorful foods.

Colors Powerwall P FLEMING

Gonzalez, Maya Christina.
Mis colores, mi mundo = My colors, my world.
Children's Book Press, 2007. Maya, who lives in the dusty desert, opens her eyes wide to find the colors in her world, from Papi's black hair and Mami's orange and purple flowers to Maya's red swing set and the fiery pink sunset. In Spanish and English.

JSP P GONZALEZ

Henkes, Kevin. *Birds.*
Greenwillow Books, c2009. Fascinated by the colors, shapes, sounds, and movements of the many different birds she sees through her window, a little girl is happy to discover that she and they have something in common.

P HENKES

Hoban, Tana. *Is it red? Is it yellow? Is it blue?*
Greenwillow Books, c1978. Photos and brief text introduce colors and the concepts of shape and size.

P HOBAN

Horáček, Petr. *Butterfly, butterfly.*
Cambridge, Mass.: Candlewick Press, c2007. A little girl sees a butterfly in the garden one day and while searching for it she is amazed by all of the other colors in the garden.

Colors Powerwall P HORACEK

Houblon, Marie. *A world of colors.*
Washington, D.C.: National Geographic, [2004], c2009. Explores the relationships between real-world objects and their colors, illustrating that each color comes in many different shades and

that familiar objects sometimes come in unexpected colors, such as green bananas.

Colors Powerwall P HOUBLON

Jay, Alison. *Red green blue; a first book of colors.*
Dutton Children's Books, 2010. Characters from nursery rhymes populate this tale, which highlights the colorful aspects of the familiar poems. Includes a key to the nursery rhymes in the story.

Colors Powerwall P JAY

Jonas, Ann. *Color dance.*
Greenwillow Books, c1989. Three dancers show how colors combine to create different colors.

Colors Powerwall P JONAS

Joyce, William. *The Numberlys.*
Atheneum Books for Young Readers, [2014]. Before the alphabet was invented, life was very orderly though not so exciting until five friends set out to create something new.

Colors Powerwall P JOYCE

Kumin, Maxine. *What color is Caesar?*
NY, Candlewick Press, 2010. Caesar sets out to discover if he is a white dog with black spots or a black dog with white spots, but asking other black and white creatures only confuses him further.

P KUMIN

Lionni, Leo. *A Color of His Own.*
NY, Knopf, [1975], 1997.
A little chameleon is distressed that he doesn't have his own color like other animals
Little blue and little yellow.
[New York]: Harper-Collins Publishers, 1959. One day, little blue and little yellow can't find one another. When they finally meet, they hug until they are green. But where are little blue and little yellow?

Colors Powerwall P LIONNI

Litwin, Eric. *Pete the cat: I love my white shoes.*
Harper, 2010. As he walks down the street, Pete the cat sings about his brand new white shoes as they change from red to blue to brown to wet.

P LITWIN

Martin, Jr. Bill.
Brown bear, brown bear, what do you see?
New York: H. Holt, c1967, 1995. Children see a variety of animals, each one a different color, and a teacher looking at them.

Colors Powerwall P MARTIN

McKee, David. *Elmer's Colors*.

Lothrop, Lee & Shepard, 1994. Elmer the patchwork elephant helps children learn the different colors.

P MCKEE

Micklethwait, Lucy. *I spy colors in art*.

Greenwillow Books, 2007. Look at color while at the same time enjoy works of art by Picasso, Magritte and others.

Puzzles Powerwall P MICKLETHWAIT

Otoshi, Kathryn. *One*.

KO Kids Books, 2008. A number/color book reminding us that it just takes one to make everyone count.

P OTOSHI

Park, Linda Sue. *What does Bunny see?; a book of colors and flowers*.

Clarion Books, c2005. A rabbit wanders through the various flowers and colors of a cottage garden.

P PARK

Peek, Merle. *Mary wore her red dress, and Henry wore his green sneakers*.

Clarion Books, c1985. Each of Katy Bear's animal friends wears a different color of clothing to her birthday party.

Songs Powerwall P PEEK CDZS MARY H 98

Rodrigue, George. *Are you Blue Dog's friend?*

Abrams Books for Young Readers, 2009. With a reflective mirror page at the end that brings young readers into the story, this is a glimpse at the world of Blue Dog and the imagination of the artist.

P RODRIGUE

Rotner, Shelley. *Shades of people*.

Holiday House, c2009. Photographs explore the many different shades of human skin, and points out that skin is just a covering that does not reveal what someone is like inside.

P ROTNER

Schuetz, Sarah L.

Color camouflage: a spot-it challenge

Capstone Press, c2011. Simple text invites the reader to find items hidden in 12 color-themed photographs.

Puzzles Powerwall P SCHUETTE

Seeger, Laura Vaccaro. *Lemons are not red*.

Roaring Brook Press, c2004. A yellow lemon, a pink flamingo, and a silver moon in a visual game in which die-cut shapes fall on the correct color backgrounds.

P SEEGER

Seuss, Dr. *My many colored days*.

NY, Scholastic, c1996. This rhyming story describes each day in terms of a particular color and emotion.

P SEUSS

Thong, Roseanne. *Red is a dragon; a book of colors*.

Chronicle Books, 2001. A Chinese American girl provides rhyming descriptions of colors she sees around her, from the red of a dragon, firecrackers, and lychees to the brown of her teddy bear.

P THONG

Tildes, Phyllis Limbacher. *Animals brightly colored*.

Charlesbridge Pub., 1997. Clues to the identity of various animals, are followed by the revelation of the animals themselves.

Colors Powerwall P TILDES

Tullet, Hervé. *Press here*.

Chronicle Books, 2011. Using no special effects other than the reader's imagination, a series of dots multiplies, grows, or changes color by pressing, tilting, or blowing on the previous page.

P TULLET

Walsh, Ellen Stoll. *Mouse paint*.

San Diego: HBJ, c1989. Three white mice discover jars of red, blue, and yellow paint and explore the world of color.

Colors Powerwall P WALSH

Williams, Sue. *I went walking*.

Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, 1990. During the course of a walk, a young boy identifies animals of different colors.

P WILLIAM

Wing, Natasha.

An eye for color: the story of Josef Albers.

Henry Holt and Co., 2009. The painter Joseph Albers saw art in simple things. Late in his career, he began painting squares of solid, unmixed color, one within another to study the colors and their interactions.

P WING

Wolff, Ashley. *Baby Bear sees blue*.

New York: Beach Lane Books, c2012. Leaving the den as the weather warms, Baby Bear discovers blue birds, red strawberries, orange butterflies, and other colorful things in nature.

Colors Powerwall P WOLFF

Wood, Audrey. *The deep blue sea; a book of colors*.

Blue Sky Press, c2005. Introduces various colors by presenting a colorful scene on a rock in the deep blue sea.

P WOOD

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