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CHILDREN'S ROOM

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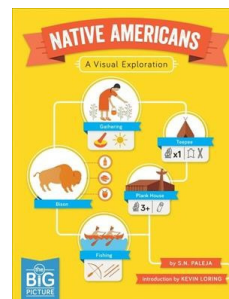
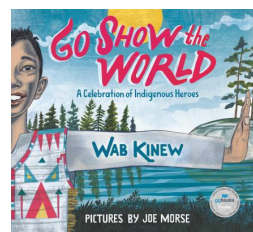
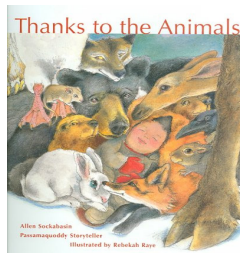
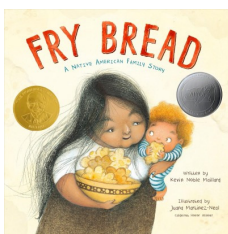
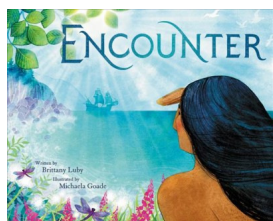


October 11, 2021 is Maine's 2nd Indigenous People's Day

On ... Indigenous Peoples' Day, let us pay tribute to those who were the first stewards of this land we call Maine, celebrate their many contributions to our great state and recommit ourselves to fostering a relationship anchored in mutual trust and respect.

(Gov. Janet Mills) <https://help.twitter.com/using-twitter/how-to-tweet#source-labels>

Look for books in our Library by indigenous writers and featuring indigenous characters—my favorite is *Thanks to the Animals* by Allen Sockabasin. Try *Encounter* or *Go Show the World* for older children and many more will be on display.—Ms. Laurie



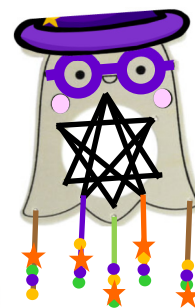
Celebrate the Wiscasset's "Scarecrow Fest" with a mini-scarecrow of your own

The ghosts and bats are out—go on a nature walk to pick up some leaves to **paint**. Fangs, eyes and mouths are added last. Lay the finished product on your table to spook away the candy snatchers.

October Crafts to go



Help! I am as white as a ghost.
I need some orange on me.
(Pumpkin and paint provided.)



Dress this little ghost up like a Dreamcatcher

- Beads
- Needles
- Yarn
- Glue

Yikes! There is a lot to this craft!

For our youngest patrons:

A collage inspired by Martin Waddell's *Owl Babies*. We provide the paint, paper, sponge and directions. You will need a little glue and some scissors. Look on YouTube for the story—or better yet, borrow the book from the Children's Room. Read it aloud to compliment the craft.

