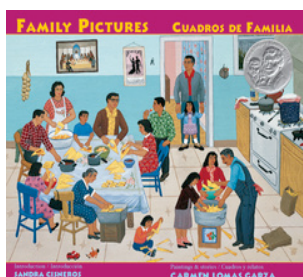


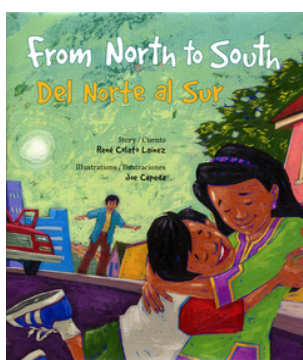
Grades 3–5 Bilingual English/Spanish



Family Pictures/Cuadros de familia written and illustrated by Carmen Lomas Garza
<https://www.leeandlow.com/books/2796>

In this Pura Belpre Honor-winning book, Carmen Lomas Garza tells the story of her childhood growing up in Kingsville, TX.

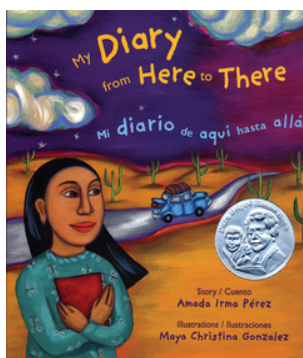
Themes: Family, Holidays, Home, Childhood Experiences, Childhood Memories, Self-Esteem/Confidence, Identity, Traditions, Latino Interest



From North to South/Del Norte al Sur written by René Colato Laínez, illustrated by Joe Cepeda
<https://www.leeandlow.com/books/2838>

This nuanced bilingual picture book tackles the difficult and timely subject of family separation and deportation.

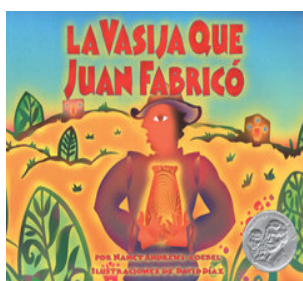
Themes: Family, Empathy/Compassion, Mothers, Optimism, Identity, Respect, Citizenship, Mexico, California, Overcoming Obstacles, Persistence, Hope, Latino Interest



My Diary From Here to There/Mi diario de aqui hasta allá written by Amada Irma Pérez, illustrated by Maya Christina Gonzalez
<https://www.leeandlow.com/books/2799>

One night, young Amada overhears her parents whisper of moving from Mexico to the other side of the border—to Los Angeles, where greater opportunity awaits.

Themes: Family, Overcoming Obstacles, Immigration, Home, Identity, Self-Esteem/Confidence, Dreams/Aspirations, Latino Interest



The Pot That Juan Built written by Nancy Andrews-Goebel, illustrated by David Diaz
<https://www.leeandlow.com/books/2434>
<https://www.leeandlow.com/books/2505>

The story of Juan Quezada and his journey from discovering ancient methods of making pottery to becoming the premier potter in Mexico.

Available in both English and Spanish

Themes: Biography, Pottery, Mexican Art, History, Geography, Latino Interest



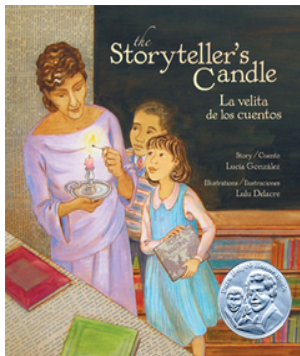
Poems to Dream Together/Poemas para soñar juntos

written by Francisco Alarcón, illustrated by Paula Barragán

<https://www.leeandlow.com/books/2433>

A bilingual collection of poetry by acclaimed Chicano poet Francisco X. Alarcón celebrating family, community, nature, and the positive power of dreams to shape our future.

Themes: Poetry, Family, Community, Nature, Dreams/Aspirations, Identity, Immigration, Friendship, Optimism, Home



The Storyteller's Candle/La velita de los cuentos

written by Lucía González, illustrated by Lulu Delacre

<https://www.leeandlow.com/books/2782>

A bilingual biography of Pura Belpre, New York City's first Latina librarian.

Themes: Biography, History, Dreams/Aspirations, Immigration, Education, Community, Latino Interest



Olinguito Yum! ¡Mmmm! ¡Qué Rico! Americas' Sproutings

written by Pat Mora, illustrated by Rafael Lopez

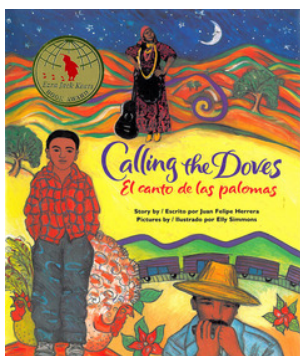
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<https://www.leeandlow.com/books/2701>

A collection of haiku focusing on fourteen foods native to the Americas, celebrating the fun of the foods as well as their origins.

Available in both English and Spanish

Themes: Food, Indigenous Plants of the Americas, Poetry (Haiku), Cultural Diversity



Calling the Doves/El canto de las palomas

written by Juan Herrera, illustrated by Elly Simmons

<https://www.leeandlow.com/books/2790>

Juan Felipe Herrera's story of his migrant farmworker childhood told through lyrical language.

Themes: Biography/Memoir, Childhood Experiences, Identity, Home, Farming, Family, Immigration, Latino Interest