

## Appendix

## The Complete List of Poetic Nonfiction Picture Books



Collective Poems	Extended Poem	Rhyming Verse	Coupled Poems	Narrative or Expository Verse	Lyric Prose
<b>Description</b>					
These books contain a collection of poems that collectively contribute to the central focus.	The text is one poem that extends across the pages of the book.	The text uses rhyming verse to present the information, continuously across the pages of the book, or in chapters.	These books use poetry as an introduction to or coupled with expository writing.	These books have narrative or expository writing that is written in verse form.	These books use expository writing, but the authors use many poetic elements in the crafting of their writing.
<b>Children's Nonfiction Picture Book Examples</b>					
+ <i>Sweethearts of Rhythm: The Story of the Greatest All-Girl Swing Band in the World</i> , by Marilyn Nelson; illust. by Jerry Pinkney (2009)  + <i>Hummingbird Nest: A Journal of</i>	+ <i>Who Was the Woman Who Wore the Hat?</i> by Nancy Patz (2003)  * <i>Before John Was a Jazz Giant: A Song of John Coltrane</i> , by Carole Boston Weatherford; illust.	<i>Heartland</i> , by Diane Siebert; Paintings by Wendell Minor (1989) (and other books by Diane Siebert, such as <i>Truck Song</i> (1984), <i>Mojave</i> (1988), <i>Train Song</i> (1990), <i>Sierra</i> (1991))	* <i>D is for Drinking Gourd: An African American Alphabet</i> , Written by Nancy L. Sanders; illust. by E. B. Lewis (2007)  + <i>How We Are Smart</i> , by W. Nikola-Lisa; illust.	+ <i>Lady Liberty: A Biography</i> , by Doreen Rappaport; illust. by Matt Tavares (2008)  + <i>Eleanor: Quite No More</i> , by Doreen Rappaport; illust. by Gary Kelley (2009)	* <i>The Wolves are Back</i> , by Jean Craighead George; Paintings by Wendell Minor (2008)  + <i>Everglades</i> , by Jean Craighead George; paintings by Wendell Minor

<p><i>Poems</i>, by Kristine O'Connell George; illust. by Barry Moser (2004)</p> <p>* <i>Cloud Dance</i>, by Thomas Locker (2000)</p> <p>* <i>Followers of the North Star: Rhymes about African American Heroes, Heroines, and Historical Times</i>, by Susan Altman and Susan Lechner; illust. by Byron Wooden (1993)</p> <p>* <i>Lives: Poems About Famous Americans</i>, edited by Lee Bennett Hopkins; illust. by Leslie Staub (1999)</p> <p>* <i>My Bodyworks: Songs About Your Bones, Muscles, Heart and More!</i>, by Jane Schoenberg with music by</p>	<p>by Sean Qualls (2008)</p> <p>* <i>This is the Tree</i>, by Miriam Moss; illust. by Adriene Kennaway (2000)</p> <p>+ <i>An Egg is Quiet</i>, by Dianna Aston; Illust. by Sylvia Long (2006) (and other books in this series: <i>A Nest is Noisy</i> (2015); <i>A Seed is Sleepy</i> (2014); <i>A Butterfly is Patient</i> (2011))</p> <p>* <i>A Cool Drink of Water</i>, by Barbara Kerley (2002)</p> <p>* <i>Water Dance</i>, by Thomas Locker (1997)</p> <p>* <i>Mountain Dance</i>, by Thomas Locker (2001)</p> <p>* <i>Morning, Noon, and Night</i>, by Jean</p>	<p>+ <i>Mississippi</i>, by Diane Siebert; illust. by Greg Harlin (2001)</p> <p>* <i>Jazz on a Saturday Night</i>, by Leo &amp; Diane Dillon (2007)</p> <p><i>Chickens Aren't the Only Ones</i> (1981) (and other books by Ruth Heller, such as <i>Many Luscious Lollipops</i> (1989), <i>Merry-Go-Round</i> (1990), and <i>Mine, All Mine</i> (1997))</p> <p>* <i>Shoes, Shoes, Shoes</i> (1995) (and other books by Ann Morris, such as <i>Bread, Bread, Bread</i> (1989) and <i>Houses and Homes</i> (1992))</p> <p>+ <i>On a Road in Africa</i>, by Kim Doner (2008)</p>	<p>by Sean Qualls (2006)</p> <p>* <i>Where in the Wild?</i> (2007) AND <i>* Where else in the Wild?</i> (2009), by David M. Schwartz and Yael Schy; photos by Dwight Kuhn</p> <p>* <i>Heroes and She-Roes: Poems of Amazing and Everyday Heroes</i>, by J. Patrick Lewis; illust. by Jim Cooke (2005)</p> <p>+ <i>The Brothers' War: Civil War Voices in Verse</i>, by J. Patrick Lewis; Photos by Civil War photographers (2007)</p> <p>+ <i>Harlem Hellfighters</i>, by J. Patrick Lewis &amp; Gary Kelley (2014)</p>	<p>+ <i>Martin's Big Words: The Life of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.</i>, by Doreen Rappaport; illust. by B. Collier (2001)</p> <p>+ <i>Ballet for Martha: Making Appalachian Spring</i>, by Jan Greenberg &amp; Sandra Jordan; illust. by Brian Floca (2010)</p> <p>+ <i>Lightship</i>, by Brian Floca (2007)</p> <p>+ <i>Locomotive</i>, by Brian Floca (2013)</p> <p>+ <i>Touching the Sky: the Flying Adventures of Wilbur and Orville Wright</i>, by Louise Borden &amp; Trish Marx; illust. by Peter M. Fiore (2003)</p>	<p>(1996)</p> <p>+ <i>One Giant Leap</i>, by Robert Burleigh; paintings by Mike Wimmer (2009)</p> <p><i>Under the Snow</i>, by Melissa Stewart; illust. by Constance R. Bergum (2009)</p> <p>* <i>Tracks of a Panda</i>, by Nick Dowson; illust. by Yu Rong (2007)</p> <p>+ <i>Cactus Hotel</i>, by Brenda Z. Guiberson; illust. by Megan Lloyd (1991)</p> <p>+ <i>Frog Song</i>, by Brenda Z. Guiberson; illust. by Gennady Spirin (2013)</p> <p>* <i>Duke Ellington: The Piano Prince and His Orchestra</i>, by Andrea Davis</p>
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<p>Steven Schoenberg; illust. by Cynthia Fisher (2005)</p> <p>+ <i>Jazz A, B, Z: An A to Z Collection of Jazz Portraits</i>, by Wynton Marsalis, illust. by Paul Rogers (2005)</p> <p>* <i>Voices of Ancient Egypt</i>, by Kay Winters; illust. by Barry Moser (2003)</p> <p>+ <i>A Strange Place to Call Home: The World's Most Dangerous Habitats &amp; The Animals That Call Them Home</i>, by Marilyn Singer; illust. by Ed Young (2012)</p> <p>* <i>Bees, Snails, &amp; Peacock Tails: Patterns &amp; Shapes...Naturally</i>, by Betsy Franco; illust. by Steve Jenkins (2008)</p>	<p>Craighead George; paintings by Wendell Minor (1990)</p> <p>* <i>On the Same Day in March: A Tour of the World's Weather</i>, by Marilyn Singer, illust. by Frane Lessac (2000)</p> <p>* <i>Here is the Tropical Rain Forest</i>, by Madeleine Dunphy; illust. by Michael Rothman (2006)</p> <p>+ <i>Dave the Potter: Artist, Poet, Slave</i>, by Laban Carrick Hill; illust. by Bryan Collier (2010)</p> <p>* <i>Welcome to the Green House</i>, by Jane Yolen; illust. by Laura Regan (1993)</p>	<p>+ <i>Birds Build Nests</i>, by Yvonne Winter; illust. by Tony Oliver (2002)</p> <p>* <i>Twelve Rounds to Glory: The Story of Muhammad Ali</i>, by Charles R. Smith, Jr.; illust. by Bryan Collier (2007)</p> <p>* <i>Bread Comes to Life: A Garden of Wheat and a Loaf to Eat</i>, by George Levenson; photos by Shmuel Thaler (2004)</p> <p>* <i>Ladybugs: Red, Fiery, and Bright</i>, by Mia Posada (2002)</p> <p>* <i>Spring Blossoms</i>, by Carole Gerber; illust. by Leslie Evans (2013)</p> <p>+ <i>Tooling Around: Crafty Creatures</i></p>	<p>+ <i>Fortune's Bones: The Manumission Requiem</i>, by Marilyn Nelson (2004)</p> <p>* <i>Dark Emperor and Other Poems of the Night</i>, by Joyce Sidman; illust. by Rick Allen (2010); also</p> <p>* <i>Winter Bees &amp; Other Poems of the Cold</i> (2014)</p> <p>* <i>Butterfly Eyes and Other Secrets of the Meadow</i>, by Joyce Sidman; illust. by Beth Krommes (2006)</p> <p>* <i>Song of the Water Boatman &amp; Other Pond Poems</i>, by Joyce Sidman; illust. by Beckie Prange (2005); also</p> <p>* <i>Ubiquitous: Celebrating Nature's Survivors</i> (2010)</p>	<p>* <i>Water Hole Waiting</i>, by Jane Kurtz and Christopher Kurtz; pictures by Lee Christiansen (2002)</p> <p>+ <i>The Shortest Day: Celebrating the Winter Solstice</i>, by Wendy Pfeffer; illust. by Jesse Reisch (2003)</p> <p>* <i>Moses: When Harriet Tubman Led her People to Freedom</i>, by Carole Boston Weatherford, illust. by Kadir Nelson (2006)</p> <p>+ <i>Cesar: Si, Se Puede! Yes, We Can!</i>, by Carmen T. Bernier-Grand, illust. by David Diaz (2004)</p> <p>+ <i>Twenty-One Elephants And Still</i></p>	<p>Pinkney; illust. by Brian Pinkney (1998)</p> <p>* <i>Alvin Ailey</i>, by Andrea Davis Pinkney; illust. by Brian Pinkney (1993)</p> <p>* <i>Flight: The Journey of Charles Lindbergh</i>, by Robert Burleigh; illust. by Mike Wimmer (1991)</p> <p><i>In the Heart of the Village: The World of the Indian Banyan Tree</i>, by Barbara Bash (1996)</p> <p>+ <i>A Splash of Red: The Life and Art of Horace Pippin</i>, by Jen Bryant; illust. by Melissa Sweet (2013)</p> <p>+ <i>Trombone Shorty</i>, by Troy Andrews;</p>
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<p>* <i>When Thunder Comes: Poems for Civil Rights Leaders</i>, by J. Patrick Lewis; illust. by Jim Burke, R. Gregory Christie, Tonya Engel, John Parra, and Meilo So (2013)</p> <p>+ <i>Voice of Freedom: Fannie Lou Hamer, Spirit of the Civil Rights Movement</i>, by Carole Boston Weatherford; illust. by Ekua Holmes (2015)</p> <p>+ <i>African Acrostics: A Word in Edgeways</i>, by Avis Harley; photos by Deborah Noyes (2009)</p>	<p>* <i>Welcome to the Sea of Sand</i>, by Jane Yolen; illust. by Laura Regan (1996)</p> <p>* <i>Welcome to the River of Grass</i>, by Jane Yolen; illust. by Laura Regan (2001)</p> <p>+ <i>The House That George Built</i>, by Suzanne Slade; illust. by Rebecca Bond (2012)</p> <p>* <i>Swirl by Swirl: Spirals in Nature</i>, by Joyce Sidman; pictures by Beth Krommes (2011)</p> <p>* <i>Raindrops Roll</i>, by April Pulley Sayre (2015)</p>	<p><i>and the Tools They Use</i>, by Ellen Jackson; illust. by Renné Benoit (2014)</p>	<p>+ <i>The Sailor's Alphabet</i>, illust. by Michael McCurdy (1998)</p> <p>+ <i>The Robin Makes a Laughing Sound: A Birder's Journal</i>, by Sallie Wolf (2010)</p> <p>+ <i>One Leaf Rides the Wind</i>, by Celeste Davidson Mannis; pictures by Susan Kathleen Hartung (2002)</p> <p>* <i>unBEElievables: Honeybee Poems and Paintings</i>, by Douglas Florian (2012)</p> <p>* <i>Dear Wandering Wildebeest and Other Poems from the Water Hole</i>, by Irene Latham; illust. by Anna Wadham (2014)</p>	<p><i>Standing</i>, by April Jones Prince; illust. by Francois Roca (2005)</p> <p>+ <i>Henry Aaron's Dream</i>, by Matt Tavares (2010)</p> <p>+ <i>Growing Up Pedro</i>, by Matt Tavares (2015)</p> <p>+ <i>Talkin' About Bessie: The Story of Aviator Elizabeth Coleman</i>, by Nikki Grimes; illust. by E. B. Lewis (2002)</p> <p>+ <i>Josephine</i>, by Patricia Hruby Powell; pictures by Christian Robinson (2014)</p> <p>* <i>Sky Boys: How They Built the Empire State Building</i>, by Deborah Hopkinson &amp; James E. Ransome (2006)</p>	<p>illust. by Bryan Collier (2015)</p> <p>+ <i>Little Melba and Her Big Trombone</i>, by Katheryn Russell-Brown; illust. by Frank Morrison (2014)</p>
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