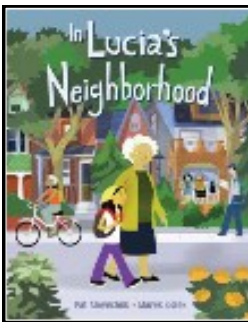
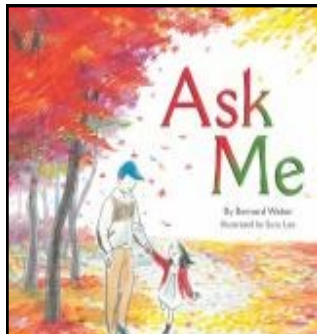


A Literacy Adventure about... Walking in the Neighborhood!

Books about Neighborhood Walks
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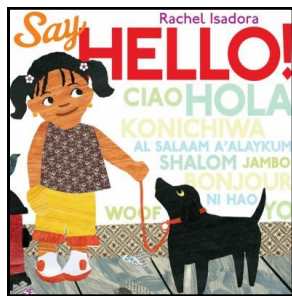
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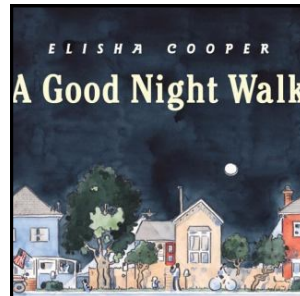
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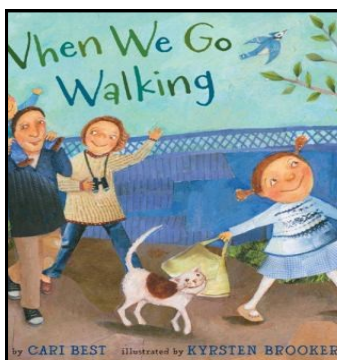
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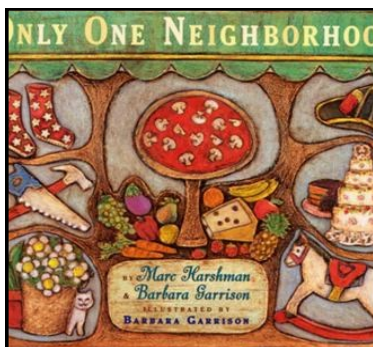
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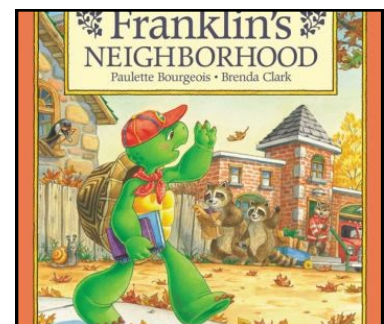
Singing Away the Dark
By Hendrika C. Woodward



When We Go Walking
By Cari Best



Only One Neighborhood
By Marc Harshman



Franklin's Neighborhood
By Paulette Bourgeois

Books selected by a Timberland Regional Library Youth Services specialist

There are lots of literacy opportunities when taking a walk in your own neighborhood!

- ⇒ Before going on your walk, talk about eyes and how we use them to observe
- ⇒ Let your child practice looking through a paper towel or toilet paper roll. Talk about what they see
- ⇒ Point out your address numbers-compare other addresses with your own
- ⇒ Point out signs that name your street
- ⇒ Look for other signs in your neighborhood, allow your child to try and read them first
- ⇒ Pick one house and have your child count the number of its windows
- ⇒ Name the different kinds of dwellings-apartments, houses, duplexes, etc.
- ⇒ Name the different colors of cars and houses in your neighborhood
- ⇒ Sing a song while walking-"Skip to my Lou" or just a silly song that you make
- ⇒ Draw messages on the sidewalk or driveway with colored chalk
- ⇒ Point out other plants and animals that live in your neighborhood

Tips provided by Pierce County Library

