Asian American/Pacific Islander PICTURE BOOKS



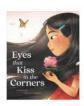


Drawn Together

written by Minh Lê and illustrated by Dan Santat (E LE MINH)

"When a young boy visits his grandfather, their lack of a common language leads to confusion, frustration, and silence. But as they sit down to draw together, something magical happens. With a shared love of art and storytelling, the two form a bond that goes beyond words."

Winner of the 2019 APAAL Award for picture books.



Eyes That Kiss in the Corners

written by Joanna Ho and illustrated by Dung Ho (E HO)

"A young Asian girl realizes that her eyes are like her mother's, her grandmother's, and her little sister's. Drawing upon these powerful women in her life, she recognizes her own beauty and discovers a path to self love and empowerment."

2022 Washington Children's Choice Picture Book Award nominee.



Magic Ramen: The Story of Momofuku Ando

written by Andrea Wang and illustrated by Kana Urbanowicz (J 641.822 WANG)

"For years, Ando Momofuku had dreamed about making a new kind of ramen noodle soup that was quick, convenient, and tasty to feed the hungry people he'd seen in line for a bowl on the black market following World War II. With persistence, creativity, and a little inspiration, Ando succeeded."



The Name Jar

written and illustrated by Yangsook Choi (E CHOI)

"A beautifully illustrated, engaging story about valuing your roots and your uniqueness."



Paper Son: The Inspiring Story of Tyrus Wong, Immigrant and Artist

written by Julie Leung and illustrated by Chris Sasaki (J 700.92 WONG LEUNG)

An inspiring picture book biography of animator Tyrus Wong, the Chinese American immigrant who brought Disney's Bambi to life.

Winner of the 2021 APAAL Award for picture books.



Queen of Physics: How Wu Chien Shiung Helped Unlock the Secrets of the Atom

written by Teresa Robeson and illustrated by Rebecca Huang (J 530.092 WU ROBESON)

A nonfiction biography of Wu Chien Shiung, whose parents gave her a name meaning "courageous hero" and encouraged her love of learning and science in the early 1900s. Her talent in physics took her from her small hometown of Liuhe to Nanjing and then the United States, where she became an exceptional physicist.

Winner of the 2020 APAAL Award for picture books.