

E2CCB Media Library Monthly Newsletter

June 2021

Returning to Normal:

Items Back in Circulation

We are coming to the end of what in many ways has been an unprecedented school year. As we look forward to next year, we remain hopeful that much of what we do can continue to return 'back to normal.'

For starters, some of the items in our collection that had been taken out of circulation will be available once again, as of this month. First, our [Digitarium® Portable Planetarium Systems](#) are now available, including the inflatable dome.

While use of the Digitarium with a two-dimensional screen or smartboard remains an option, the feedback that we've received suggests that the dome is still the best way to use this resource.

We encourage anyone who decides to use the dome to take appropriate precautions. Please contact Casey Twichell (ctwichell@e2ccb.org) for a list of suggested precautions from the manufacturer.

Additionally, we have also brought our CPR-AED training kits back into circulation. Each kit contains eight professional adult CPR mannequins and one AED trainer, with multi-language port and metronome. Details on these kits can be found [on our website](#).

We will keep you updated as further changes take place!

"A journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step."

- Laozi



What's New?

Multiple Copies Now Available:

Insurgent, by Veronica Roth – This dystopian thriller is a follow-up to the New York Times bestseller *Divergent*.

Wild: From Lost to Found on the Pacific Crest Trail, by Cheryl Strayed – A memoir that recounts the author's eleven-hundred-mile solo hike from the Mojave Desert to Washington State.

All American Boys, by Brendan Kiely and Jason Reynolds – A Coretta Scott King Honor Award-winning novel where two teens confront the racial tensions that arise from a moment of violence.

The Wild Robot Escapes, by Peter Brown – This heartwarming sequel to *The Wild Robot* follows Robot Roz's journey back from her deserted island into civilization.

Remembering Eric Carle

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The beloved illustrator and writer of children's books Eric Carle passed away on May 23, 2021 at the age of 91.

To commemorate his work, we wanted to highlight the many classic titles of his that are available in our collection:

The Very Hungry Caterpillar – Carle's most well-known work, the story of a caterpillar that eats and grows his way into a butterfly.

The Tiny Seed – Another work about the cycles of life beautifully illustrated.

The Mixed-Up Chameleon – A colorful chameleon learns what it means to be yourself.

The Grouchy Ladybug – An ill-behaved ladybug shows children the importance of manners.

Polar Bear, Polar Bear, What Do You Hear? – The successor to *Brown Bear*. Comes in a kit with two plush polar bear toys and two copies of the book.

Also available as a kit: Author: Eric Carle, a collection of various titles that also includes the DVD *Eric Carle, Picture Writer: The Art of the Picture Book*.

The DVD is a fascinating glimpse into Carle's creative process in his studio and is also available on its own: *Eric Carle, Picture Writer: The Art of the Picture Book*.

