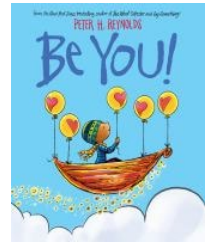




BLUE SPRUCE BOOK EXPLORERS

Celebrate Canadian books with the Forest of Reading Awards. The Forest of Reading is an initiative of the Ontario Library Association, created to encourage a love of reading, Canadian literature and authors.

In *Be You!* author Peter H Reynolds reminds readers to be their own works of art. Life is full of possibilities and there is only one, unique you!



This week's activities: Be...

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Suggested Materials:

- Pencil
- Paper

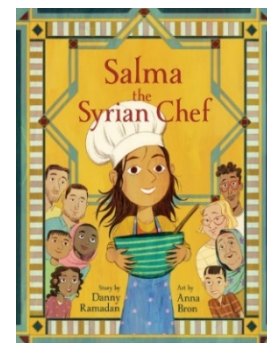
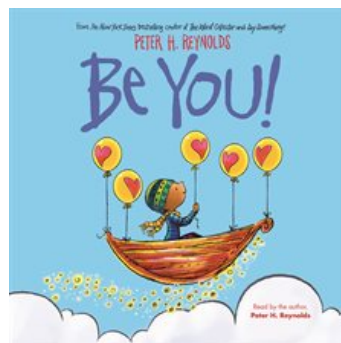
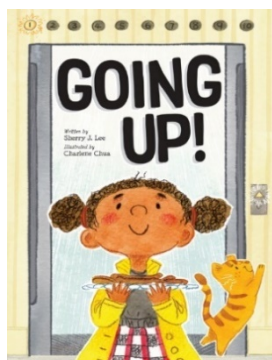
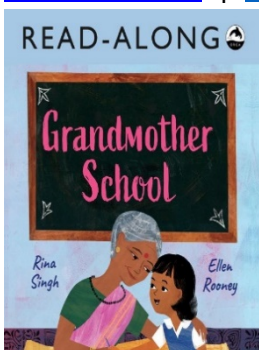
Directions:

Be You! is full of “Be” statements, like “be curious”, “be persistent” and “be okay with reaching out for help.” Read the book (or listen to it at any time on Hoopla). Choose one of the be statements in the book and draw a picture of yourself that matches it. Can you think of another “be statement” to describe you?

Links to eResources:

Check out our [eBooks](#) on these topics:

[Picture Books](#) | [Canada](#)



Find a list of all the 2021 [Blue Spruce nominees](#).

Check out [Hoopla](#) for these Blue Spruce nominated titles at any time:

Be You! By Peter H. Reynolds

Going Up by Sherry J Lee

Grandmother School by Rina Singh

The Truth About Wind by Hazel Hutchins

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