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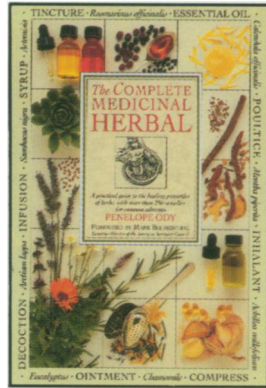
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The Complete Medicinal Herbal

by Penelope Ody

This beautifully illustrated practical guide to the healing properties of herbs offers a historical introduction to the use of herbs followed by a survey of more than 120 medicinal herbs. Each entry details the plant's chemical constituents, its actions, and its therapeutic applications in addition to color photographs of all usable parts of the plant. A third section offers 250 safe herbal treatments for common maladies. From ma huang to cabbage, this handbook will be appreciated by anyone wishing to explore the healing properties of herbs.

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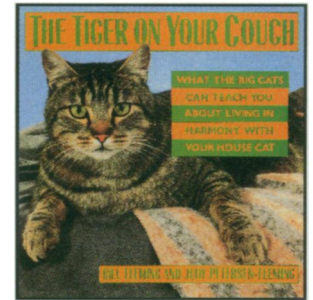
Tiger On Your Couch

What the Big Cats Can Teach You About Living in Harmony with Your House Cat

by Bill Fleming and Judy Petersen-Fleming

Here is a book for cat lovers who have always suspected that the difference between their cats and the majestic tigers of the wild is largely a matter of size! From choosing a kitten to teaching it to respect furniture, this is the guide to natural cat care. Contains dazzling color and black-and-white photographs.

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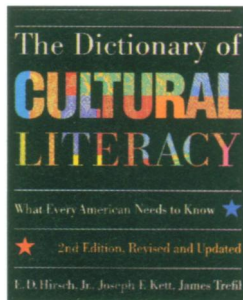


Dictionary of Cultural Literacy

by E.D. Hirsch Jr., Joseph F. Kett, & James Trefil

This bestseller is updated and revised and defines the core body of knowledge that every American should know. It includes hundreds of entries reflecting recent geographical changes, the specifics of multiculturalism, and terms from scientific research identifying our culture and placing them in context.

1993, 619 pages, 8" x 9 1/2", hardcover
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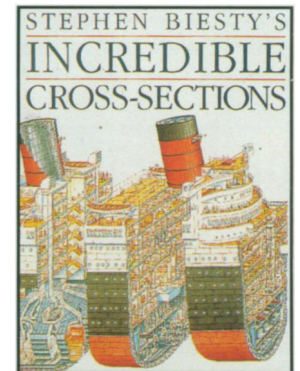


Incredible Cross-Sections

by Richard Platt, illustrated by Stephen Biesty

Children and adults alike will be fascinated by this unique collection of superb cross-sections featuring fantastic color illustrations and foldout pictures. Take a look inside one of the world's largest telescopes, observe what went on inside a medieval castle, and learn why the first jumbo jet carried a piano.

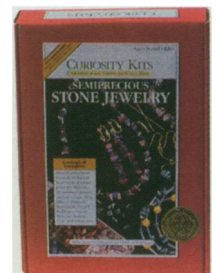
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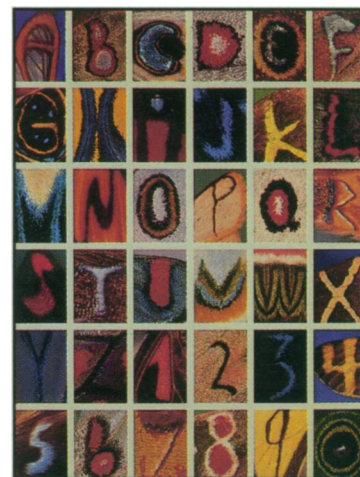
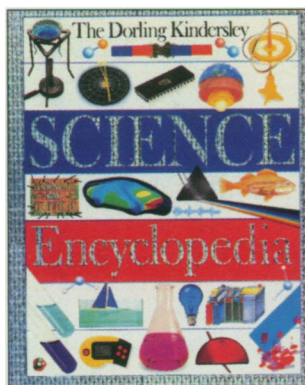
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Here is the ultimate guide to science and technology for the nineties and beyond. Packed with up-to-date information, this encyclopedia explains the principles of science in a lively and exciting way. More than 280 major entries cover key subjects such as evolution, energy, polymers, and pollution, while 1,900 subentries include biographies of great scientists and inventors, timecharts, and factboxes on subjects of general scientific interest. And, more than 2,500 full-color photographs, detailed artworks, and informative maps and charts bring scientific knowledge to life.

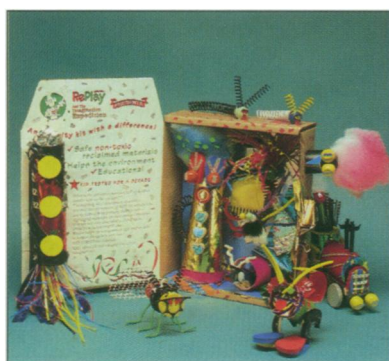
Recommended for age 8 and up.
1993, 448 pages, 8 1/2" x 11", hardcover
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Butterfly Alphabet Poster

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