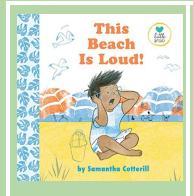
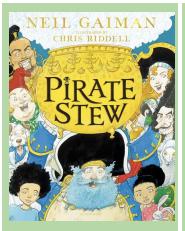
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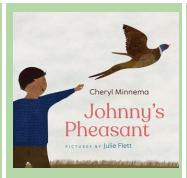
"A sensitive boy gets overwhelmed by all the sights, sounds, and sensations at the beach, but his dad has a trick to help his son face these unexpected obstacles"-



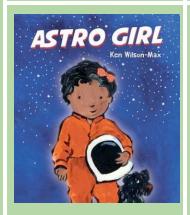
Long John has a whole crew of wild pirates in tow, and-for one boy and his sister-he's about to transform a perfectly ordinary evening into a riotous adventure beneath a pirate moon. It's time to make some PIRATE STEW.



"A love poem from a father to his two sons, and a tribute to the bees that pollinate the foods we love to eat."--Amazon.com



Johnny spies a pheasant which he believes is sleeping and his Grandma fears is dead, but they learn they were both wrong when the pheasant departs, leaving behind a gift.



After Astrid tells her father that she wants to be an astronaut, he tells her of all the things that astronauts have to do.



"...follows
eccentric
toymaker
Jeronicus
Jangle...whose
fanciful
inventions burst
with whimsy and
wonder."