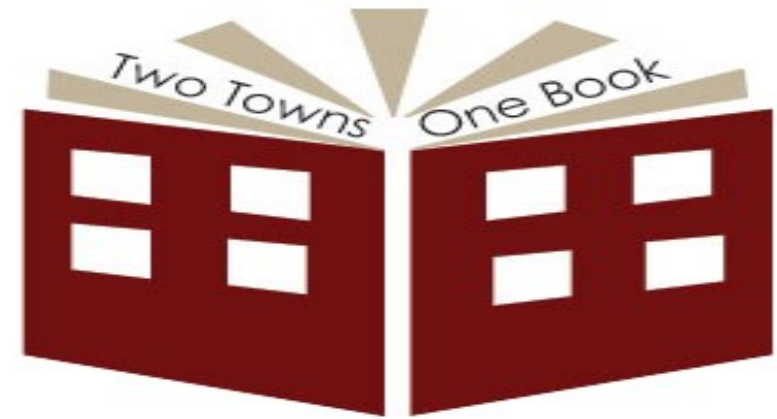


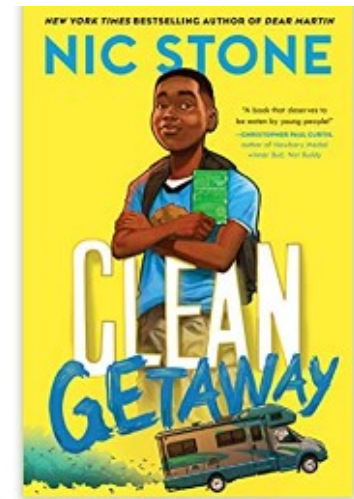
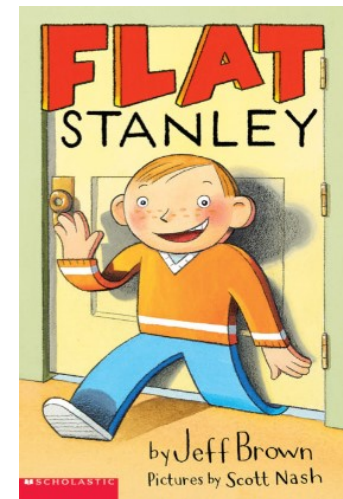
Have a local adventure!

Use your compass and map to locate some of these [outdoor resources](#) and go have some fun. You could bring Flat Stanley with you and [send us a pic](#). Thank you to the Robotic Renovators for creating it!



Kids Read, Too!

2022 - 2023



Junior Companion Book List & Activity Guide

[TwoTownsOneBook.org](https://www.twotownsonebook.org)

THE LLAMA CHALLENGE
PARKS, TRAILS, AND PRESERVES CHECKLIST

Abele Memorial Park Longkill Park
 Barney Road Park Locust Lane Park
 Burning Bush Park Mohawk Landing Preserve
 Clifton Commons Shenantoha Creek Park
 Collins Park Ushers Road State Park
 Dwaas Kill Nature Preserve Veterans Memorial Park
 Garnsey Park Lock 7 & Dam Overlook
 George T. Smith Park VF - Ferry Road
 Hayes Nature Park - Moe VF - Whipple Truss Bridge
 Halfmoon Town Park VF - Clute's Dry Dock
 Harris Park Woodcock Preserve
 Kinns Road Park Zim Smith - Coons Landing

The LLAMA Challenge was created by the Robotic Renovators, a Shenendehowa Middle School FLL robotics team. The purpose of this challenge is to encourage active and healthy lifestyles by our community through the use of our local parks, trails, and nature preserves.

Scan the QR code below to go to our LLAMA Challenge webpage!

<https://www.llamasystem.org>

Kids Read, Too!

The Lincoln Highway is a wonderful books for adults. However, our goal is to try to get *the community* engaged and talking about reading. We have compiled this list of titles for younger friends with the hope that you will read with your child(ren) and discuss some of the themes you discover together.

[Flat Stanley](#), by Jeff Brown

Read the story. What does Stanley learn after becoming flat?

Decorate and color the [Flat Stanley](#) included in your packet. Use the map and compass to take your creation to visit some places you find around town. Have a grownup [email a picture](#) of your Flat Stanley to be entered in a drawing to win a fun prize. More info is available on the Kids Read, Too section of the website.

[Clean Getaway](#), by Nic Stone

What does the title mean? Why is Scoob willing to go on a trip with G'ma?

What clues does Scoob notice that make him think G'ma is acting funny? What can you infer from those clues?

Why did Scoob and his dad do what they did at the end of the book? Have things changed for African Americans since G'ma's time in the 1960s?

For some fun facts about New York State, visit your library's databases or go to bit.ly/3WsjtJV.

Happy Reading!

Look for TTOB: Kids Read, Too! Grab and Go packets at the Clifton Park-Halfmoon Public Library beginning on February 11th (while supplies last). Printed materials can be found at twotownsonebook.org.

What do we learn by going to new places?

The following texts illustrate how it's not the problems that define us—it is how we handle them that matters.

Primary

Fly High, Fly Guy,
by Tedd Arnold

**Flat Stanley*,
By Jeff Brown

Sydney & Taylor Explore the Whole Wide World,
by Jacqueline Davies

My City Speaks,
by Darren Lebeuf

Wutaryoo,
by Nilah Magruder

Bolivar Eats New York: A Discovery Adventure,
by Sean Rubin

Except Antarctica!,
by Todd Sturgell

Intermediate

New Kid,
by Jerry Craft

The Vanderbeekers on the Road,
By Karina Yan Glaser

Nellie vs. Elizabeth: Two Daredevil Journalists' Breakneck Race around the World,
by Kate Hannigan

Dairy of a Wimpy Kid: The Long Haul,
by Jeff Kinney

Mr. Penguin and the Catastrophic Cruise,
by Alex T. Smith

**Clean Getaway*,
By Nic Stone

Road Trip with Max and His Mom,
by Linda Urban

* Denotes featured title with related activities .