Bibliography with Suggested Age Ranges

*A Note about Age Ranges*

Many of the books listed as “5th or 6th grade and up” are specially selected adult books with illustrations or pictures which will appeal to even younger readers, especially with teacher assistance. Don’t be afraid to give them a try! 😊

Recommended for General Maritime History and Context:


**Recommended for General Marine Biology and Information:**


Recommended for Whaling:

**Whale Biology**


**Whaling History**

Aiken, Joan. *Nightbirds on Nantucket.* Boston: Sandpiper, 1999. 5th grade and up.


**Recommended for Life in a Seaport Town:**

**Domestic Life**


**School Life**


**Ships, Trades and Town Life**


**Recommended for Fishing/Fisheries:**


Gish, Melissa. *Fisheries (Let’s Investigate)*. Mankato, Minnesota: Creative Co., 2000. 1st grade and up.


**Recommended for Ships:**

**Shipbuilding and Carving**


Laughton, L.G. Carr. *Old Ship Figure-Heads and Sterns (Dover Pictorial Archives)*. New York: Dover Publications, 2011. 5th grade and up.


**Ships in General**


Wilkinson, Philip. *Ships (Single Subject References)*. New York: Kingfisher, 1999. 5th grade and up.

**Recommended for Mapping/Navigation/Weather:**


**Recommended for Astronomy:**


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### Recommended for Force and Motion:


Gianopoulos, Andrea. *Isaac Newton and the Laws of Motion (Graphic Library: Inventions and Discovery).* Mankato, Minnesota: Capstone Press, 2007. 3rd grade and up.


Sohn, Emily. *A Crash Course in Forces and Motion with Max Axiom, Super Scientist (Graphic Library: Graphic Science).* Mankato, Minnesota: Capstone Press, 2007. 3rd grade and up.

### Recommended for African-American History/Black Hands, Blue Seas:

#### General African-American History

Barr, Gary E. *History and Activities of the West African Kingdoms (Hands-on Ancient History).* Mankato, Minnesota: Heinemann-Raintree, 2007. 3rd grade and up.


**Seafaring African-Americans**


### Recommended for Immigration:

#### Fiction


**Non-Fiction**


