



Raising Readers Update

Stories for Maine Children available at Libraries across Maine

A very special feature of the program is our unique 5-year books. So far, we've created and distributed three collections of books by Maine authors and illustrators to distribute to kids as they graduate from the program. We're often asked: "Are the Collections available for purchase by the public?"

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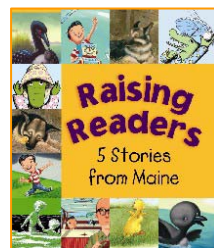
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Since the books are created by special arrangement with publishers, the books are available exclusively through Raising Readers. However, we do send a copy of each Collection to all public libraries in the state each year. Most recently, we sent *Stories for Maine Children* to all libraries. If you're asked where this book can be found say, "Check it out at your local library."

PS - We're currently developing two more collections for use in the program, bringing the total to five!

Call Us...

...if you receive **fewer\more books** than you ordered, or
...if you **have not placed an order** and receive a shipment.

In the Spotlight at the APHA

Raising Readers will present a poster titled: **Partnering with Primary Care to Improve Literacy** at the annual meeting of the *American Public Health Association* in late October. It's a terrific opportunity to share the program's impact with health professionals from around the world. We're excited to highlight the work you do to promote literacy and reading at this national conference!

FYI

Looking for your order? We ship in recycled boxes, so look around for a box with a bright green sticker with our logo.

Orders take 3 - 5 business days to arrive. If it's been longer than that, give us a call and we'll check the status of the order. (Fax orders may take a day or two more.)