



What's So Funny About Children's Nonfiction?

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Behold the Beautiful Dung Beetle by Cheryl Bardoe

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Even More Lesser Spotted Animals by Martin Brown

Everyone Poops by Taro Gomi

Everything Awesome about Dinosaurs and Other Prehistoric Beasts! by Mike Lowery

Fartiste by Kathleen Krull

Funny Bones: Posada and His Day of the Dead Calaveras by Duncan Tonatiuh

Gertrude is Gertrude by Johan Winter

Handel, Who Knew What He Liked by M.T. Anderson

Her Right Foot by Dave Eggers

How Rude! Real Bugs Who Won't Mind Their Manners by Heather Montgomery
How Are You Peeling?: Foods with Moods by Saxton Freymann and Joost Elffers
Independent Dames: What You Never Knew About the Women and Girls of the American Revolution by Laurie Halse Anderson
Just Behave, Pablo Picasso by Jonah Winter
Knucklehead: Tall Tales & Mostly True Stories about Growing Up Scieszka by Jon Scieszka
Laughing at My Nightmare by Shane Burcaw
Noah Webster's Fighting Words by Tracy Nelson Maurer
No Monkeys, No Chocolate by Melissa Stewart
Poop-Eaters: Dung Beetles in the Food Chain by Deidre Prischmann
Schoolyard Rhymes selected by Judy Sierra
Science Verse by Jon Sceiska
See How They Run: Campaign Dreams, Election Schemes, and the Race to the White House by Susan E. Goodman
Something Rotten: A Fresh Look at Roadkill by Heather L. Montgomery
The Beatles Were Fab (and They Were Funny) by Kathleen Krull & Paul Brewer
The Exploding Toilet: Modern Urban Legends collected and retold by David Holt and Bill Mooney
The Extraordinary Mark Twain (According to Susy) by Barbara Kerley
The Founding Fathers! Those Horse-Ridin', Fiddle-Playin', Book-Readin', Gun-Totin' Gentlemen Who Started America by Jonah Winter
The Gas We Pass: The Story of Farts by Shinta Cho
Those Rebels John & Tom by Barbara Kerley
Toilet: How It Works by David Macaulay
Tricky Vic: The Impossibly True Story of the Man Who Sold the Eiffel Tower by Greg Pizzoli
What If You Had Animal Teeth by Sandra Markle
What To Do About Alice? by Barbara Kerley
What You Never Knew About Fingers, Forks, and Chopsticks by Patricia Lauber
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