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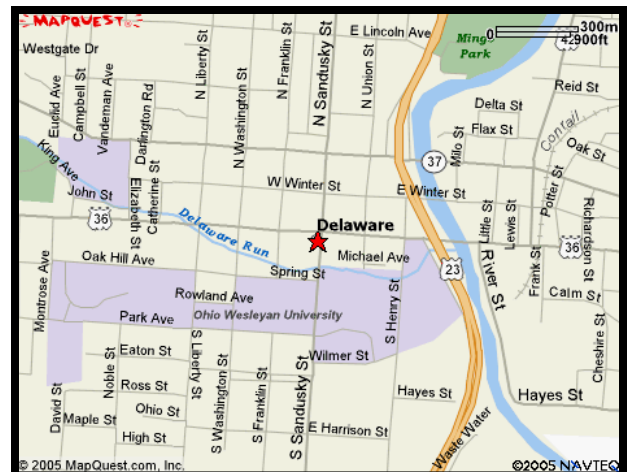
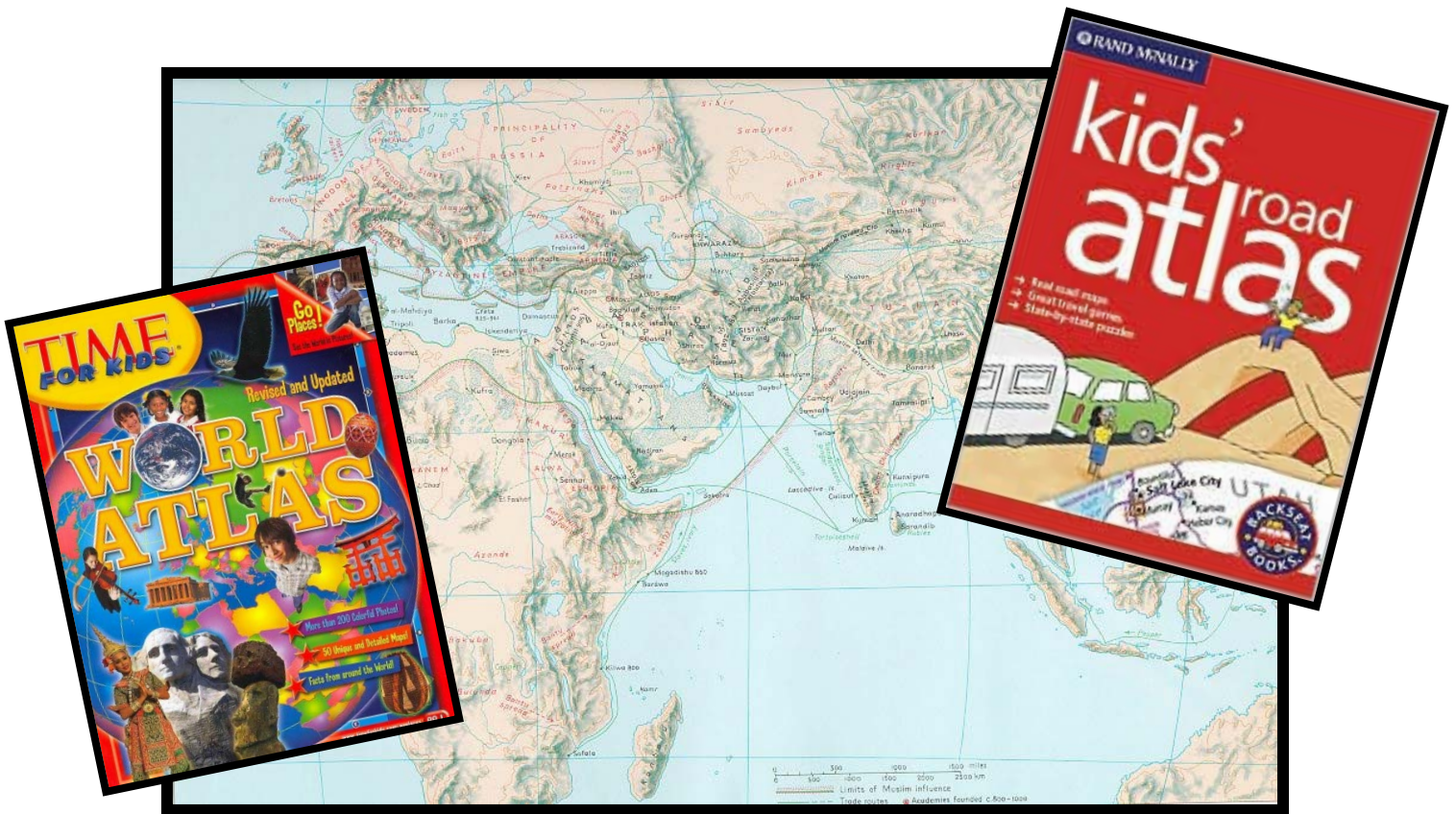
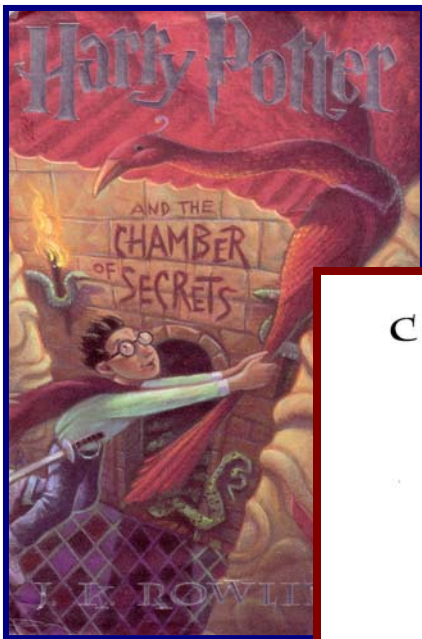


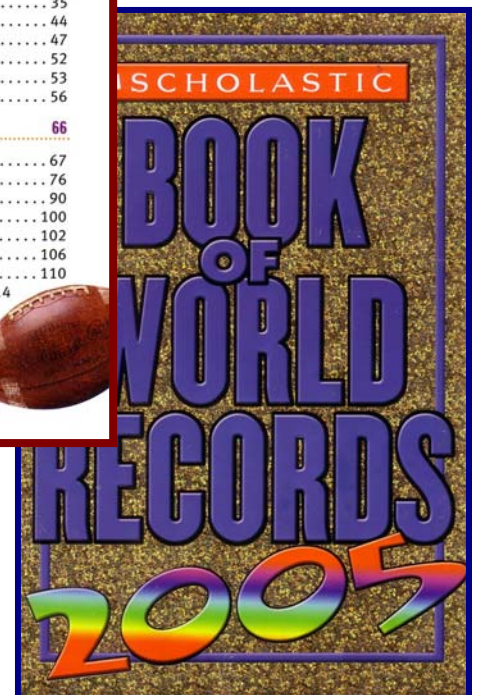
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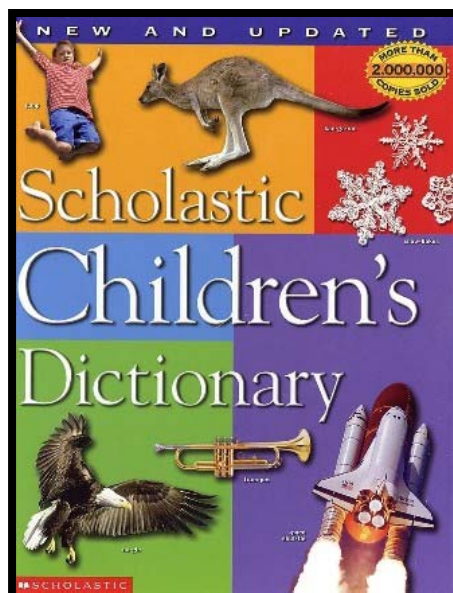
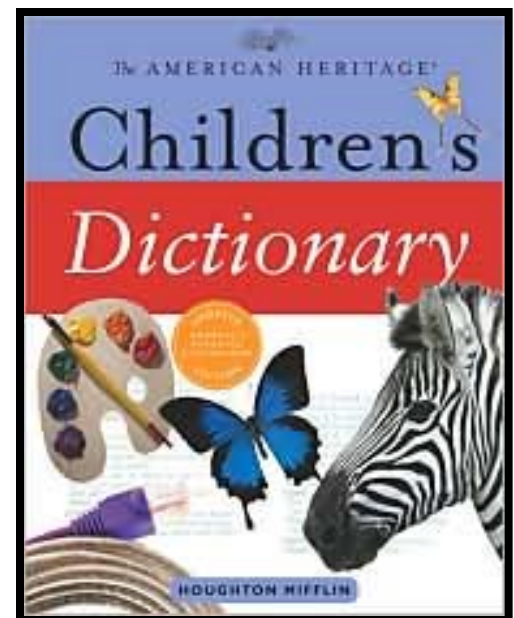
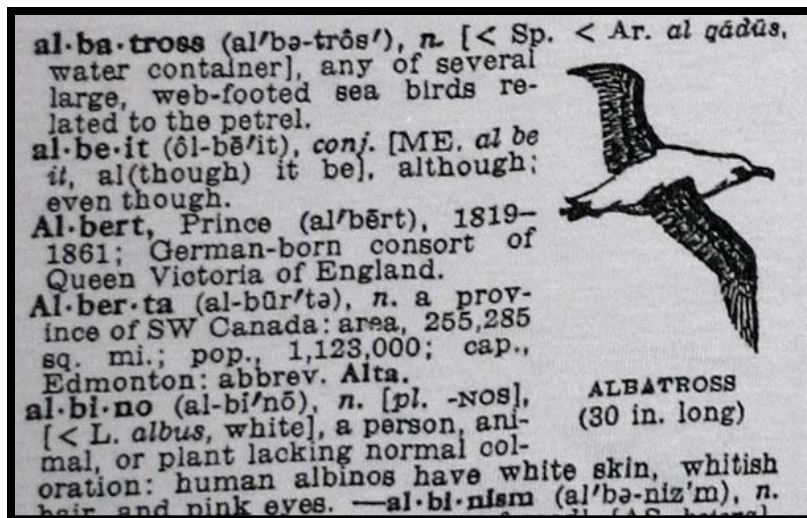
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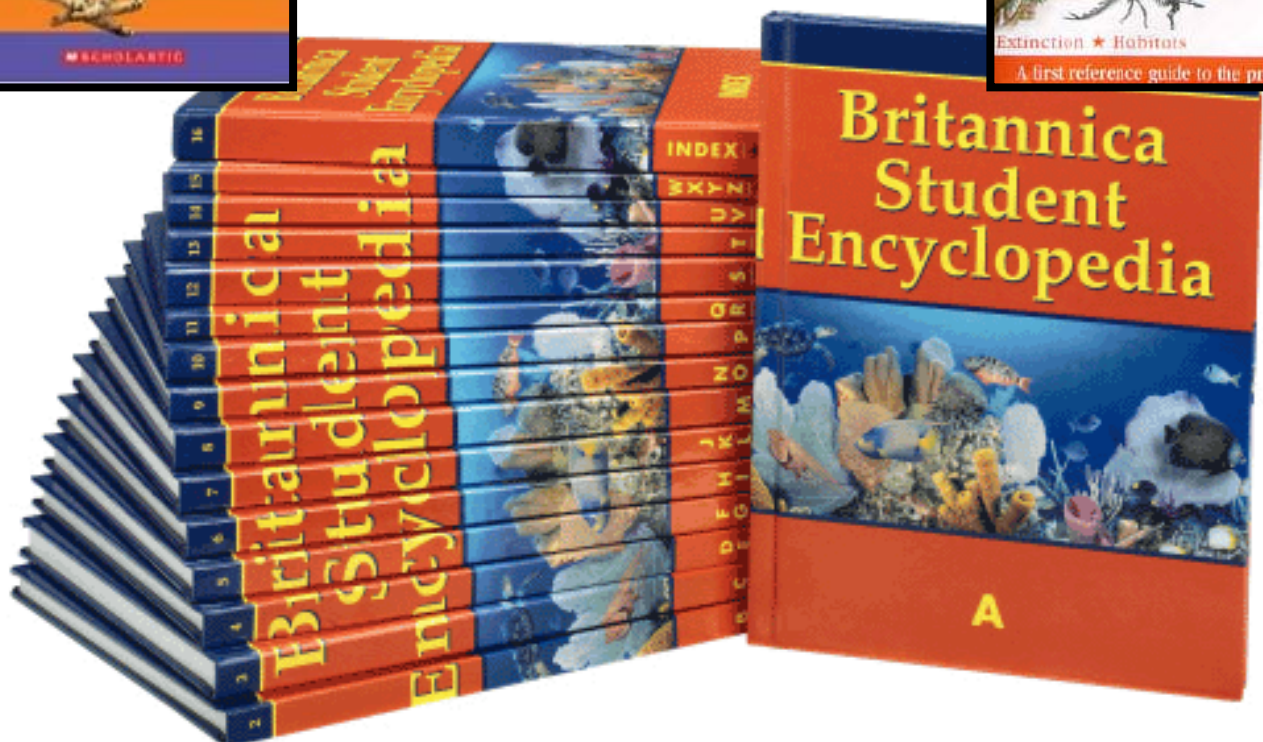
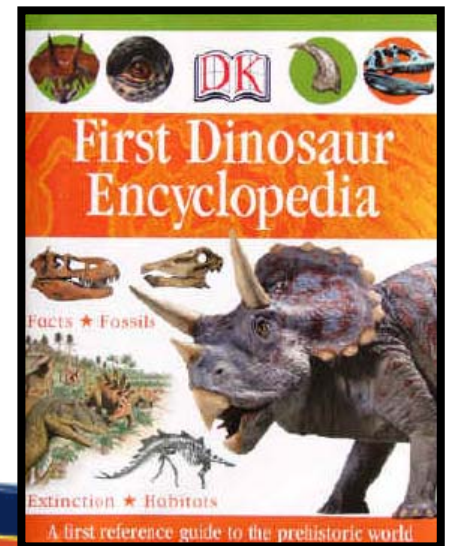
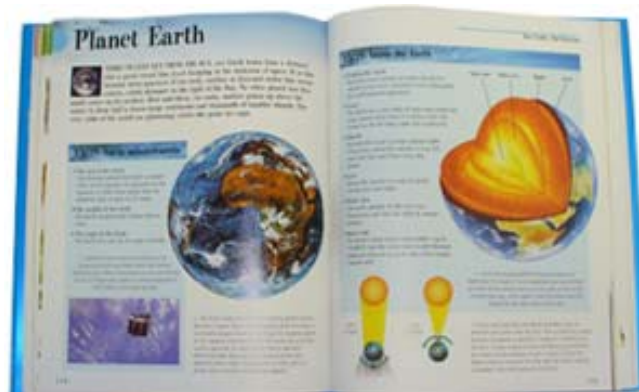
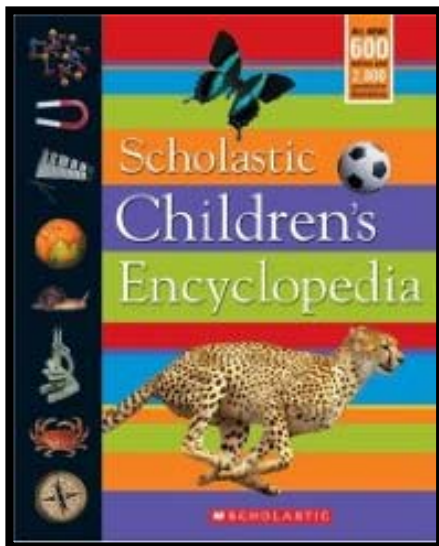
Dictionary

Use a dictionary to check the spelling, pronunciation, or meaning of a word. It is in ABC order with guidewords at the top to help find your word.



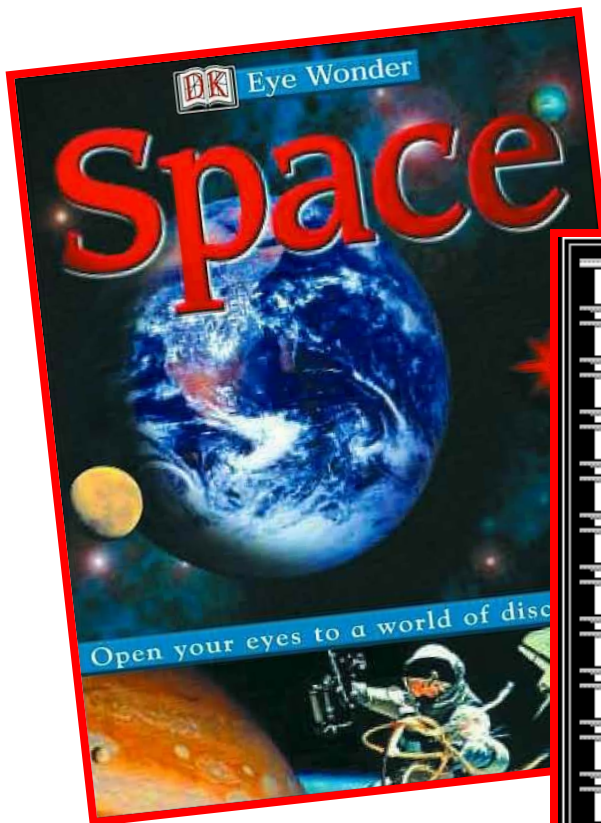
Encyclopedia

Use an encyclopedia to find a lot of information about a certain subject. They are set up in ABC order. An encyclopedia may be one book or a set of books.



Glossary

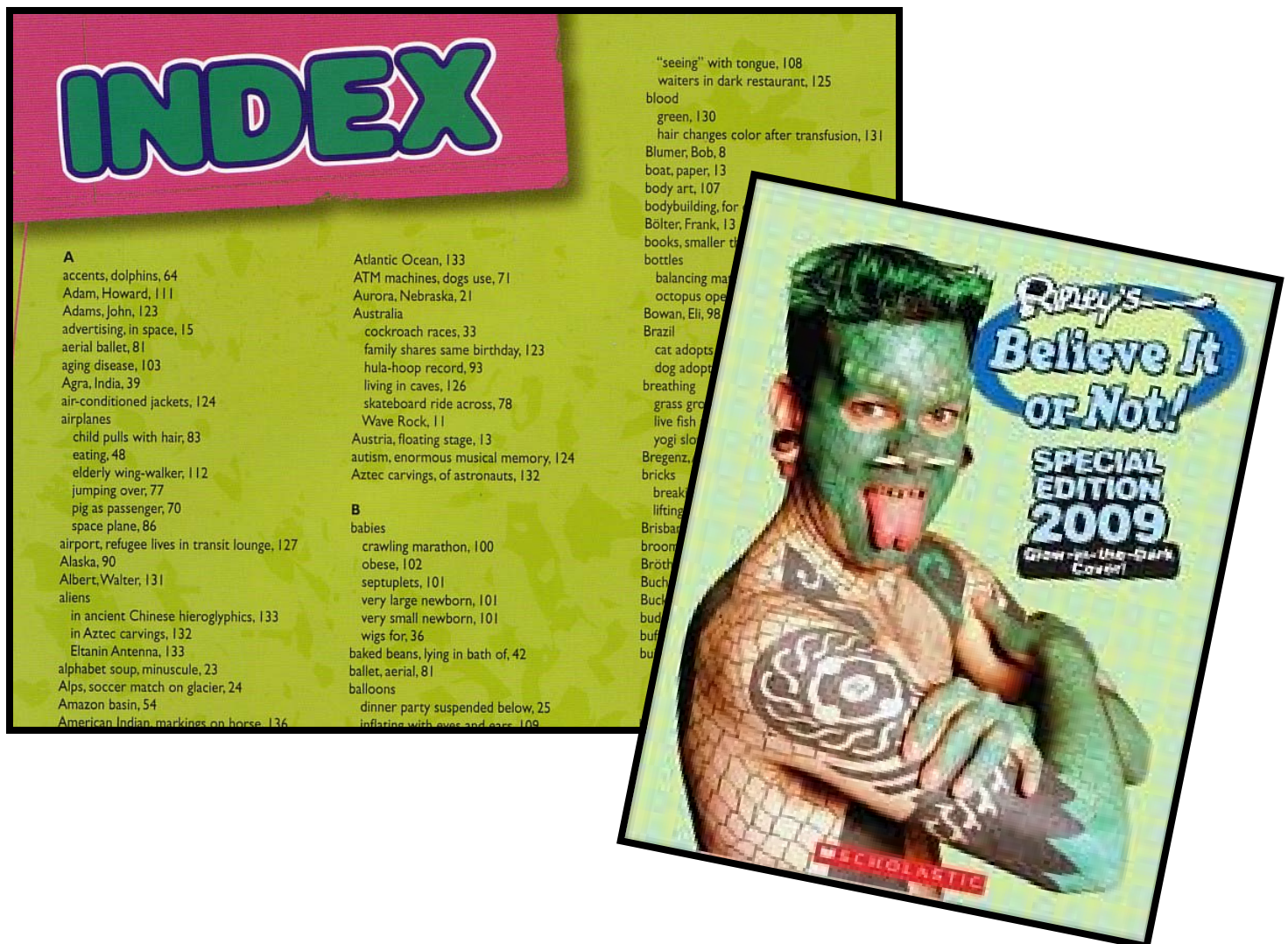
A glossary is just like a dictionary, except it is located in the back of a book. It is in ABC order and contains the words important to that text.



GLOSSARY	
ACCREDITED - An educational institution which has been recognized as maintaining standards that qualify graduates for admission to higher, or more specialized, institutions or professional practice.	A
ASTEROID - A rocky space object which can be from a few hundred feet to several hundred km wide. Most asteroids in our solar system orbit the Sun in a belt between Mars and Jupiter.	B
ASTRONOMER - An expert in the study of the Sun, Moon, stars, planets, and other space bodies.	C
ASTRONOMICAL UNIT - The approximate distance from the Sun to the Earth which is equal to 150,000,000 kilometers.	D
ASTROPHYSICS - The branch of astronomy that deals with the physics of stellar phenomena.	E
ATMOSPHERE - The layers of gases which surround a star, like our Sun, or a planet, like our Earth.	F
AXIS - An imaginary straight line around which an object rotates.	G
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Index

An index is a list of words or phrases listed in ABC order, located at the back of a nonfiction book. The index will include the important names, places, events, and concepts (with their page number) that are important in the text.



Thesaurus

Use a thesaurus to find a
synonym (word that means the same) or an
antonym (word that is the opposite).

