



Little Polyglot Adventures (Vol 2): A Wild Day at the Zoo



Book Information

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A Wild Day at the Zoo

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Summary

This is Book 2 in the multi-award-winning Little Polyglot Adventures series and the sequel to Book 1 (Dylan's Birthday Present).

The city zoo is holding a very special event. Today, guests can bring their own pets to the zoo! Of course, all city residents want to join in on the fun. Dylan and Isabella, the little polyglot siblings, see this as a great opportunity for Kiki, Dylan's pet chicken, to meet her animal friends. However, things get a bit out of control when Kiki is left unattended. In this fun, colorful, and multicultural story, children will learn about the importance of thinking outside the box and using their imagination and creativity to solve difficult problems.

While reading this book, kids will learn six new words in different languages and feel like little polyglot themselves!

Author Bio

Victor D.O. Santos, PhD is an award-winning author, a language-learning expert, and a father to two multilingual and trilingual children. He is best known as the author of the multi-award-winning children's series *Little Polyglot Adventures*, which was inspired by his own family history (Victor is originally from Brazil and raises his two children in a multilingual and multicultural household in Iowa, USA, with his Ukrainian wife). All of Victor's fun and beautifully illustrated children's books serve to show children the importance of appreciating different cultures, languages, races, and ways of thinking. Just as with his own kids, he wants all children to grow up to be caring and respectful people, who care about who they are while also respecting those who are different from them.

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Awards:

- 1st Place, *Cultural Diversity* (2020 Royal Dragonfly Book Award)
- 2nd Place, *Picture Books 5 & Younger* (2020 Royal Dragonfly Book Award)
- 2nd Place, *Animals* (2020 Feathered Quill Book Award)
- Finalist, *Children's Picture Books* (2020 Feathered Quill Book Award)
- Tillywig *Brain Child Award* (2020 Tillywig Book Award)

Select Editorial Reviews of this Book:

"A Wild Day at the Zoo is a sweet and educational picture book introduction to the wonders and diversity of the zoo, as well as the wonders and diversity of human languages. A passive lesson in multicultural acceptance."

Foreword Magazine

"A Wild Day at the Zoo's uplifting, fun tone pairs nicely with its messages and lessons. It will appeal to anyone seeking to expand a child's experiences with other cultures and languages."

- Midwest Book

"Kid-friendly and appealing. A Wild Day at the Zoo delivers an entertaining story. A useful addition to the growing genre of diverse children's books."

BlueInk Review

"A Wild Day at the Zoo is highly recommended."

Jack Magnus (Readers' Favorite)

"A Wild Day at the Zoo is a culturally and linguistically diverse wild adventure that kids will love."

- Feathered Quill