The recommended video segments from the *Reading Rainbow* series can be accessed in Discovery Education through KET EncycloMedia at [www.ket.org/encyclomedia](http://www.ket.org/encyclomedia). To use the Discovery repository you must establish a user ID and password and have your school's passcode. If you do not know your school's passcode, contact your regional KET Education Consultant, listed at [http://www.ket.org/contact/education.htm](http://www.ket.org/contact/education.htm).

Each *Reading Rainbow* program is offered as a full show and divided into segments. In the Feature Book segment, the story is read out loud while the illustrations appear on screen. If you prefer, you can read the book out loud and show the illustrations and the text using your projection or Smartboard system. The additional segments are video clips related to the main topic.

**Appelemando’s Dreams**

Appelemando spends so much of his time dreaming, the villagers are convinced that he will not amount to much. In time, his dreams change the village and the people in it.

Full Program: *Reading Rainbow: Appelemando’s Dreams* (25:38)

Feature Book: *Appelemando’s Dreams* (06:55)

Additional segments:

- *Kids on the Street* (01:27)
- *Wire, Paint, and Clay* (05:42)
- *Meet Hani Shihada* (06:56)
- Review Books: *The Little Painter of Sabana Grande, The Incredible Painting of Flex Clousseau, and I Am an Artist* (04:36)

**Borreguita and the Coyote**

A little lamb uses her clever wits to keep a coyote from eating her.

Full program: *Reading Rainbow: Borreguita and the Coyote* (25:48)

Feature Book: *Borreguita and the Coyote* (07:01)
Additional segments:
  • Candela’s Guitar Shop (05:57)
  • Mural Painting (04:28)
  • Los Lobos (05:02)
  • Review Books: Coyote Dreams, Diego, and The Three Little Javelinas (03:17)

Brush

A little boy adopts a large brush to replace his banished dog and is surprised when it comes to life and behaves
like a dog.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: Brush (28:16)

Feature Book: Brush (07:21)

Additional segments:
  • Imagination and More (02:29)
  • Creating 3D Animation (06:05)
  • Book Reviews: Egg Carton Zoo, What the Mailman Brought, and Jumanji (02:23)
  • Making Floats and Balloons (07:19)

The Furry News

Creating a newspaper involves many tasks, as Big Bear, Rabbit, and the other animals learn when they publish
“The Furry News.”

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: The Furry News (27:23)

Feature Book: The Furry News (07:56)

Additional segments:
  • What’s First? (01:13)
  • Meet Curtis (04:59)
  • The Bear Facts (06:20)
  • Book Reviews: Great Newspaper Crafts, Newspapers, and What It’s Like to Be a Newspaper Reporter
    (03:18)
Galimoto

Walking through his village, a young African boy uses his wits to search for scraps of wire to make his own toy car.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: Galimoto (27:14)

Feature Book: Galimoto (08:47)

Additional segments:
  - Wire for Art (04:59)
  - Wire for Travel (02:23)
  - Wire for the Circus (04:00)
  - Book Reviews: The Little Pig’s Puppet Book, Look at This, and My First Activity Book (03:31)

Giving Thanks: A Native American Good Morning

This prayer of the Iroquois Native Americans celebrates the precious and rare gift of the natural world and the resources of the Earth.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: Giving Thanks: A Native American Good Morning (27:39)

Feature Book: Giving Thanks: A Native American Good Morning (04:39)

Additional segments:
  - Visit a Cranberry Farm (04:55)
  - Clay from the Earth (6:06)
  - Planting a Tree (05:26)
  - Book Reviews: The Tremendous Tree Book, My First Green Book, and A River Ran Wild (03:17)
Keep the Lights Burning, Abbie

This book tells the true story of a young girl who kept her lighthouse light burning during a tremendous storm.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: Keep the Lights Burning, Abbie (27:21)

Feature Book: Keep the Lights Burning, Abbie (07:33)

Additional segments:
- Meet a Sailing Family (03:21)
- Tour a Lighthouse (03:32)
- How Does the Ship Get into the Bottle? (01:19)
- Let's Build a Ship! (05:29)
- Book Reviews: Very Last First Time, The Little Red Lighthouse and the Great Grey Bridge, and Sailing with the Wind (02:51)

The Legend of the Indian Paintbrush

A young Indian boy follows his great vision quest to find the special gift he can bring to his people.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: The Legend of the Indian Paintbrush (27:54)

Feature Book: The Legend of the Indian Paintbrush (06:26)

Additional segments:
- Meet a Pueblo Painter (02:57)
- Learn about Pottery Making (06:53)
- Traditional Pueblo Dance (04:53)
- Book Reviews: Rainbow Crow, Indians of the Americas, and The Mud Pony (02:39)

Liang and the Magic Paintbrush

A poor boy who longs to paint is given a magic paintbrush that brings everything he paints to life.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: Liang and the Magic Paintbrush (28:17)

Feature Book: Liang and the Magic Paintbrush (08:56)
Additional segments:
  • Meet a Calligrapher (02:29)
  • Stamping (02:52)
  • Modern Graphics (03:25)
  • Chinese Cooking (04:09)
  • Book Reviews: Emma, Ben’s Trumpet, and If You Take a Pencil (03:07)

My Shadow

In this illustrated version of a poem, a child describes her relationship with her shadow.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: My Shadow (25:25)

Feature Book: My Shadow (02:33)

Additional segments:
  • What Is Light? (05:03)
  • Meet Sonny Fontana (05:20)
  • Meet Andrea (07:57)
  • Review Books: Shadows and Reflections, I Have a Friend, and Shadowgraphs Anyone Can Make (04:31)

Opt: An Illusionary Tale

A story about how optical illusions can trick the eye.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: Opt: An Illusionary Tale (27:35)

Feature Book: Opt: An Illusionary Tale (03:14)

Additional segments:
  • LeVar in a Blizzard (04:18)
  • Optical Illusions You Can Create (01:22)
  • Trompe L’oeil (08:18)
  • Camouflage in the Animal World (03:36)
  • Book Reviews: Lenses, Hide and Seek, and If at First You Do Not See (03:08)
Owen

Owen's parents try to get him to give up his favorite blanket before he starts to school. When their efforts fail, they come up with a compromise that works for everyone.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: Owen (25:30)

Feature Book: Owen (07:41)

Additional segments:
- Young LeVar (07:37)
- Visit Comic Book Creators (05:44)
- Book Reviews: Ira Sleeps Over, Born in the Gravy, and Darcy and Gran Don't Like Babies (04:27)

The Paper Crane

A generous restaurant owner receives a wonderful magical gift from a stranger: a paper crane that comes alive and dances.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: The Paper Crane (27:14)

Feature Book: The Paper Crane (05:48)

Additional segments:
- Meet Yoko Gates (04:50)
- Origami and Paper Making (06:45)
- Book Reviews: How My Parents Learned to Eat, Paper through the Ages, and Perfect Crane (03:18)
- Let's Drum! (03:04)

The Patchwork Quilt

With scraps cut from the family’s old clothing, a young girl learns the secret ingredient in her grandmother’s special quilt of memories.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: The Patchwork Quilt (27:49)

Feature Book: The Patchwork Quilt (09:27)
Additional segments:
  - Quilting Kids (02:47)
  - What Makes a Family? (02:23)
  - Meet the Balduccis (05:33)
  - Book Reviews: The Two of Them, Angel Child Dragon Child, and Being Adopted (03:19)

The Piggy in the Puddle

A little piggy gets into a heap of trouble over a puddle of mud.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: The Piggy in the Puddle (27:18)

Feature Book: The Piggy in the Puddle (04:44)

Additional segments:
  - Meet the Clay Artists (08:50)
  - Let's Play in the Mud (04:33)
  - More Fun with Clay (02:39)
  - Book Reviews: Oink, The Hippopotamus Song, and This House Is Made of Mud

Rechenka’s Eggs

A rescued goose, having broken the painted eggs intended for the Easter festival in Moskva, lays 13 marvelously colored eggs plus one final miracle.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: Rechenka’s Eggs (27:48)

Feature Book: Rechenka’s Eggs (06:54)

Additional segments:
  - Art from an Egg (03:28)
  - Meet Patricia Polacco (06:45)
  - Egg Strength (04:23)
  - Book Reviews: The Talking Eggs, I Made It Myself, and Stefan and Olga (03:09)
Regina’s Big Mistake

A little girl feels insecure about creating a picture yet learns how to create art in spite of making a mistake.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: Regina's Big Mistake (27:39)

Feature Book: Regina's Big Mistake (06:52)

Additional segments:
- Meet Michael Ives (05:13)
- Meet Ellie McKay (04:30)
- Meet Hani (05:04)
- Book Reviews: The Art Lesson, I Am an Artist, and The Little Painter of Sabana Grande (03:21)

Rumplestiltskin

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: Rumpelstiltskin (27:47)

Feature Book: Rumpelstiltskin (09:27)

Additional Segments:
- Let's Spin Wool! (05:29)
- Renaissance Fair (05:40)
- Book Reviews: A Medieval Feast, The Story of a Castle, and The Sleeping Beauty (02:45)
- LeVar Meets the Queen (01:57)

The Runaway Duck

Egbert, a pull-toy duck, has many adventures in air, on land, and at sea after being tied to the bumper of a car.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: The Runaway Duck (27:39)

Feature Book: The Runaway Duck (06:25)

Additional segments:
- Chesapeake Bay Bird Sanctuary (04:46)
- Duck Calling (04:34)
• Duck Decoys (05:07)

• Book Reviews: Dabble Duck, The Story about Ping, and Jamaica's Find (03:24)

**The Sign Painter’s Dream**

A sign painter is asked to paint a sign for free. After he refuses, he has a dream about George Washington and the Revolutionary War and is inspired to complete the good deed.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: The Sign Painter’s Dream (24:44)

Feature Book: The Sign Painter's Dream (08:51)

Additional segments:

• What Signs Tell Us (01:27)

• How Signs Are Made (07:33)

• Book Reviews: I Read Signs, The Letter Jesters, and The Signmaker’s Assistant (02:15)

• How Signs Sell Products

**Tar Beach**

A young girl dreams of flying above her Harlem home, claiming all she sees for herself and her family.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: Tar Beach (27:10)

Feature Book: Tar Beach (07:08)

Additional segments:

• The George Washington Bridge (06:59)

• What’s on the Roof? (04:47)

• Up on the Roof (01:42)

• Book Reviews: I’m Flying!, On Grandma’s Roof, and To Sleep (03:09)
**The Tin Forest**

A lonely old man who lives in a gray place surrounded by other people’s garbage builds the forest of his dreams.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: The Tin Forest (27:28)

Feature Book: The Tin Forest (05:56)

Additional segments:
- The Kids of PS 234 (06:47)
- Let's Make a Mural (01:49)
- The Neighbors (03:27)
- Back Where We Belong

**The Wall**

A boy and his father come to Washington, D.C., to visit the Vietnam Memorial and find the boy’s grandfather listed on the wall.

Full Program: Reading Rainbow: The Wall (27:09)

Feature Book: The Wall (07:34)

Additional segments:
- Meet Maya Lin (05:16)
- Let's Visit Mount Rushmore (04:13)
- Let's Paint (03:31)
- Book Reviews: Tillie and the Wall, All Those Secrets of the World, and My Grandson Lew (02:51)