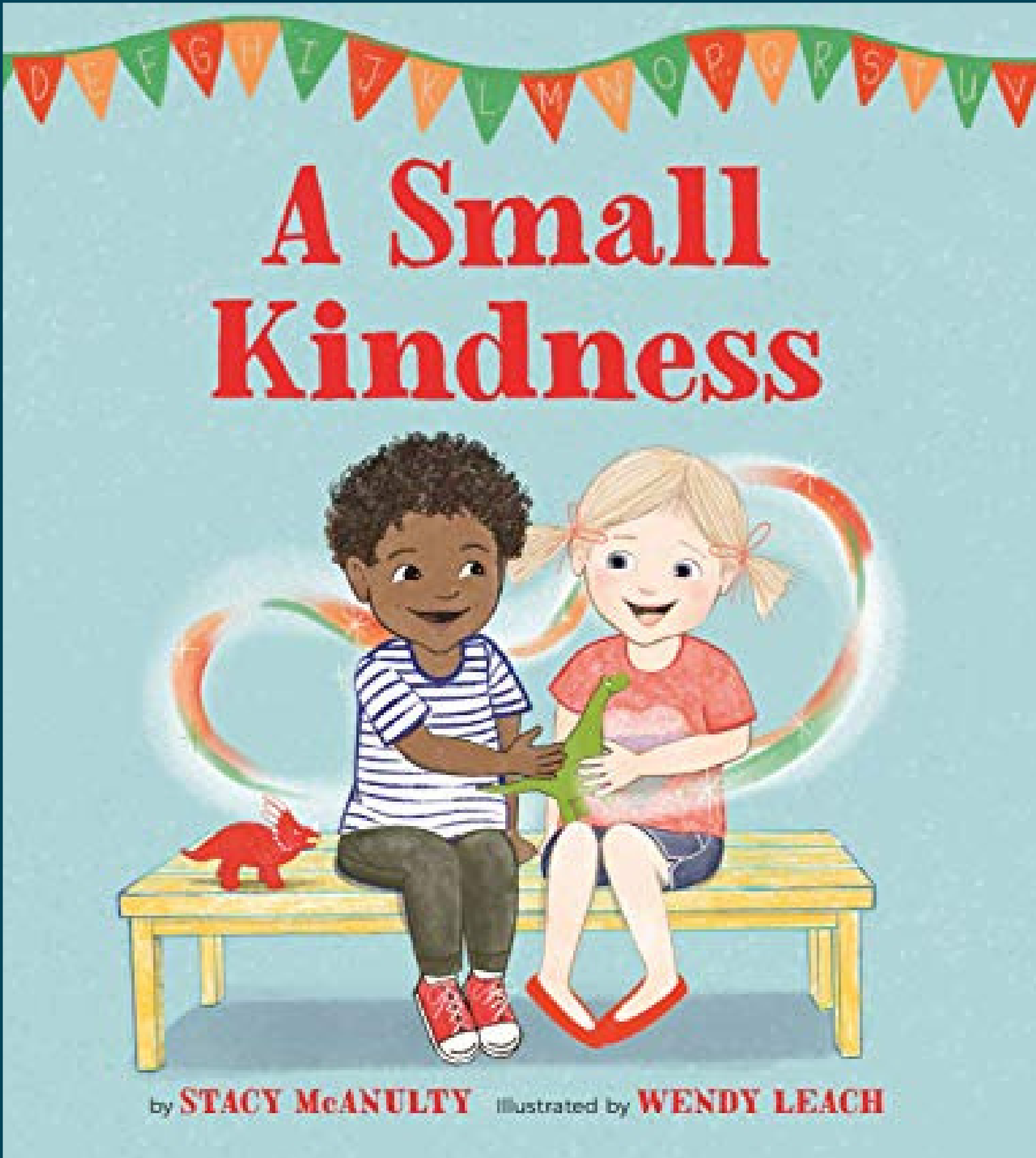




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Teach the importance of goodwill with this impactful picture book with a solid pay-it-forward message to encourage kindness in young children.


"It was like a game of tag, with one small act of kindness spreading throughout a small community of kids and teachers alike. Award-winning children's book author Stacy McAnulty packs a powerful punch with minimal text, providing a sweet message about all the small ways one can be kind. Illustrator Wendy Leach creates a diverse cast of characters while using color as a visual cue to how kindness is able to spread, even in a small community like a school. Overall, *A Small Kindness* is sure to speak to this new generation of children and their parents."

-Goodreads

LISTEN



Visit Tumblebook Library


- Log in to the Tumblebook database
- Click TumbleSearch 
- Search by Title: Contest Between the Sun and the Wind
- Listen, watch, and read along with the narrator about a fable of how kindness wins over force.

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- Search "Aesop"
- Learn more about the Greek fable-teller Aesop.

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SHARE

Discussion

- Share how the pictures use color to show how kindness is spreading.
- Discuss how spreading kindness in the story is like playing a game of tag.
- You can show kindness with the things you make, say, and do. Make a list of 10 ways you can show kindness to others this month.
- You can use the Kindness Checklist found on <https://www.fauquierfresh.org/a-small-kindness> for ideas.