

Francis Drake Young Reading Series 3

Surveys the life and voyages of Sir Francis Drake in the sixteenth century.

It was as fine a day to be whipped as any he'd ever seen but the good weather didn't make Peregrine James any happier with the situation he was in. Unfairly convicted of a crime he had not committed, the young cook was strung from the whipping post on the Plymouth quayside when he caught the eye of Francis Drake and managed to convince the charismatic sea captain to accept him among his crew. Soon England was receding in their wake and Perry was serving an unsavory collection of sea dogs as the small fleet of fragile wood ships sailed across the deep brine. Their destination was secret, known to Drake alone. Few sailors believed the public avowal that the expedition was headed for Alexandria to trade in currants. Some men suspected Drake planned a raid across Panama to attack the Spanish in the Pacific. Others were sure the real plan was to round the Cape of Storms to break the Portuguese monopoly of the spice trade. The only thing Perry knew for certain was that they were bound for danger and that he must live by his wits if he were to survive serving at Drake's command.

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Educational Record

Queen's Pirate Francis Drake

You Wouldn't Want to Explore With Sir Francis Drake!

The Book Buyer

The Queen's Pirate

The Sea King

Tells the exciting story of the life Francis Drake, who sailed the oceans in search of land and treasure of Queen Elizabeth I. Colourfully illustrated.

A young Englishman embarks on history's most daring naval assault Thomas Spyre wields his rapier like an expert, but his blade has never drawn blood. A surgeon's apprentice in Elizabethan London, young Thomas spends his days learning the most modern medical techniques—from amputation to bloodletting—and by night he tries to keep his master from gambling away their earnings at bear fights. When a bad bet leaves their purse emptier than ever before, Thomas fears they are destined for the poorhouse. But a strange stroke of luck is about to whisk them away from England toward one of the greatest adventures of all time. Thomas and his master are called upon by Sir Francis Drake, the legendary swashbuckler, to accompany him on a daring raid of the Spanish port of Cadiz. As a surgeon aboard the ship, Thomas will have to learn the nature of manhood, medicine, battle, and espionage—all while the cannons fire.

Examines the life of Sir Francis Drake who became the first Englishman to circumnavigate the globe and helped establish England's maritime empire.

In Search of a Kingdom

The Adventures of Peregrine James During the Second Circumnavigation of the World

Under Drake's Flag

Discover your next great read

Ship of Fire

Mediæval and Modern History: The modern age

An addition to a humorous series looks at the darker side of exploring the world with Sir Francis Drake--a dangerous voyage that would last for three long years.

An account of the life and exploits of the notable sixteenth-century English navigator and commander, the first Englishman to circumnavigate the globe and vice-admiral of the fleet that defeated the Spanish Armada. By the author of.

Through the lens of a history of material culture mediated by an object, Angelica's Book and the World of Reading in Late Renaissance Italy investigates aspects of women's lives, culture, ideas and the history of the book in early modern Italy. Inside a badly damaged copy of Straparola's 16th-century work, *Piacevoli Notti*, acquired in a Florentine antique shop in 2010, an inscription is found, attributing ownership to a certain Angelica Baldachini. The discovery sets in motion a series of inquiries, deploying knowledge about calligraphy, orthography, linguistics, dialectology and the socio-psychology of writing, to reveal the person behind the name. Focusing as much on the possible owner as upon the thing owned, Angelica's Book examines the genesis of the *Piacevoli Notti* and its many editions, including the one in question. The intertwined stories of the book and its owner are set against the backdrop of a Renaissance world, still imperfectly understood, in which literature and reading were subject to regimes of control; and the new information throws aspects of this world into further relief, especially in regard to women's involvement with reading, books and knowledge. The inquiry yields unexpected insights concerning the logic of accidental discovery, the nature of evidence, and the mission of the humanities in a time of global crisis. Angelica's Book and the World of Reading in Late Renaissance Italy is a thought-provoking read for any scholar of early modern Europe and its culture.

At Drake's Command

Sir Francis Drake

The Queen's Pirate: Sir Francis Drake and the Golden Hind

The Life and Legacy of Sir Francis Drake
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Selections from sixteenth and seventeenth-century works on the exploits of Sir Francis Drake as well as excerpts from his own journals concerning his three year voyage around the world.

Presents the life and accomplishments of the English seaman and explorer, from his childhood in the house of his seafaring uncle, through his career as a privateer and explorer for Queen Elizabeth I, to his death at sea.

Readers might already be aware that Sir Frances Drake is horribly famous for defeating the Spanish Armada, sailing all the way rond the world and being a fearless explorer. But this book will tell them the facts no other biography is likely to - that Drake was once shot and didn't even realize it and was actually a bit of a pirate.

The Voyage of Sir Francis Drake Around the Whole Globe

From the Fall of Rome to the Rise of the Renaissance

**Francis Drake, Elizabeth I, and the Perilous Birth of the British Empire
(1910-1911)**

Francis Drake

The best introduction to multiethnic New World Discovery before Columbus. Nine true adventures featuring Hatshepsut, King Solomon, Xu Fu, Marco Polo, Nicholas of Lynn, Zheng He, Martin Behaim, Amerigo Vespucci, King Arthur, Queen Elizabeth, and Francis Drake. Includes first maize (Indian corn) in Egypt, early maps of America before Columbus, Roman Florida, Albertin di Virga's 1414 map of Peru and North America, ancient artifacts and faces of Old World voyagers in Mexico and Peru, and Francis Drake's amazing "clock map." Excellent coffee-table book; great for adults and young readers. Beautifully illustrated; excellent index and bibliography. A fun read that is also packed with new information about secret voyages, forbidden lands, and enigmas the pros have missed. Deciding what to read next when you've just finished an unputdownable novel can be a daunting task. The Bloomsbury Good Reading Guide features hundreds of authors and thousands of titles, with navigation features to lead you on a rich journey through some the best literature to grace our shelves. This greatly expanded edition includes the latest contemporary authors and landmark novels, an expanded non-fiction section, a timeline setting historical events against literary milestones, prize-winner and book club lists. An accessible and easy-to-read guide that no serious book lover should be without. "The essential guide to the wild uncharted world of contemporary and 20th century writing." Robert McCrum, The Observer

The reader is a sailor on the Spanish Armada and experiences the hardships and dangers at sea during the sixteenth century.

The Middle Ages

The Educational Record

The Publishers Weekly

The Publishers' Trade List Annual

A Tale of the Spanish Main

You Wouldn't Want to Sail in the Spanish Armada!

Perceptions of the Great War have changed significantly since its outbreak and children's authors have continually attempted to engage with those changes, explaining and interpreting the events of 1914-18 for young readers. British Children's Literature and the First World War examines the role novels, textbooks and story papers have played in shaping and reflecting understandings of the conflict throughout the 20th century. David Budgen focuses on representations of the conflict since its onset in 1914, ending with the centenary commemorations of 2014. From the works of Percy F. Westerman and Angela Brazil, to more recent tales by Michael Morpurgo and Pat Mills, Budgen traces developments of understanding and raises important questions about the presentation of history to the young. He considers such issues as the motivations of children's authors, and whether modern children's books about the past are necessarily more accurate than those written by their forebears. Why, for example, do modern writers tend to ignore the global aspects of the First World War? Did detailed narratives of battles written during the war really convey the truth of the conflict? Most importantly, he considers whether works aimed at children can ever achieve anything more than a partial and skewed response to such complex and tumultuous events.

How well do you know the life of one of Britain's great maritime heroes? Discover the truth behind a man who remains a legendary figure of history more than four hundred years after his death. Sir Francis Drake's career is one of the most colourful on record. The most daring of the corsairs who raided the West Indies and Spanish Main, he led the English into the Pacific, and circumnavigated the world to bring home the Golden Hind laden with Spanish treasure. His attacks on Spanish cities and ships transformed his private war into a struggle for survival between Protestant England and Catholic Spain, in which he became Elizabeth I's most prominent admiral and marked the emergence of England as major maritime nation. 'Excellent...It deserves to become the standard Drake life. His scholarship is impeccable' Frank McLynn, Sunday Telegraph

In this lively and engaging new biography, Harry Kelsey shatters the familiar image of Sir Francis Drake. The Drake of legend was a pious, brave, and just seaman who initiated the move to make England a great naval power. Kelsey paints a far more interesting picture of Drake as an amoral privateer who lined his pockets with Spanish booty. 98 illustrations.

Sir Francis Drake and His Times

Bloomsbury Good Reading Guide

The Publisher

British Legends

Sir Francis Drake and His Daring Deeds

A Monthly Review of American and Foreign Literature

**Includes a contemporary account of Drake's voyage around the world. *Includes pictures depicting Drake and important people, places, events in his life. *Discusses the legends and controversies surrounding Drake's piracy and adventures. *Includes a Bibliography for further reading. "There must be a beginning of any great matter, but the continuing unto the end until it be thoroughly finished yields the true end." Sir Francis Drake The life of Sir Francis Drake, or, more precisely, the tale of it, is one of those prime examples that history is written by the winners. Drake was the most famous sailor of the Elizabethan Era, and he has long been considered a hero by the English. His successes against the Spanish as a captain and a privateer were legendary, and Drake was celebrated for fighting the Queen's enemies, sinking*

ships, and capturing the treasure that would otherwise be used to finance attacks on England. Drake vigorously pursued every mission to him by Elizabeth I, and brought all his skill, experience and training to bear against her enemies. He was recognized at court for his exploits, praised in story and song, and remembered for the kind of personality and esprit de corps that the English have long desired and celebrated in their military heroes. While that might have summarized Sir Francis Drake's life from an English perspective, that's not at all how the Spanish remember "El Draque" ("The Dragon"), the 16th century's most notorious pirate. Referred to as "the main cause of wars" in a letter to the Spanish King Phillip II, Drake harassed Spanish ships in several oceans and was so despised by the Spanish that Phillip II offered the equivalent of a 7 million dollar bounty on his head. This should come as no surprise, given that Spanish accounts tell of a captain who attacked and boarded Spanish merchant ships to steal their treasure and made off with it in the kind of haughty and dramatic ways that have become standard fare in pirate lore. El Draque also had no qualms about killing those who refused his requests. Which version of Drake is more accurate? As usual, the reality falls somewhere in between. For most of his career, Drake was unquestionably a privateer and not a member of any organized Navy, thus answering to nobody except the Queen, and had he failed, he might have been shackled in irons and imprisoned. It was due to the fact he was successful that he was instead given a seat of honor at Elizabeth's own table in her own court. While privateers were used by all European powers during times of war, Drake also happened to target enemy ships when no state of war existed, thus clearly veering into the realm of piracy. Naturally, Elizabeth's enemies claimed that he was engaging in piracy with her blessing, which was probably true at times and untrue at others. While contemporary accounts reveal two very different sides of the same man, Drake's legacy has since been shrouded in legend, with tales concerning buried treasure, encounters with Native Americans, and his famous circumnavigation of the globe. *British Legends: The Life and Legacy of Sir Francis Drake* looks at the life, career, legends, and controversies of the Elizabethan Era's most famous captain. Along with pictures of important people, places, and events in his life, you will learn about Francis Drake like you never have before, in no time at all.

The Queen's Pirate Francis Drake Usborne Pub Limited

First published in 1956, this book contains a list of children's books suitable for children from infancy until the early teens.

Four to Fourteen

The Journal of the Publishing Industry

Representations since 1914

Books for elementary schools

Angelica's Book and the World of Reading in Late Renaissance Italy

Journey to the Centre of the Earth

Div Adventure on the high seas as seen through the eyes of young Ned Hearn, who experiences a harsh seafaring life, visits strange lands, and witnesses the destruction of the Spanish Armada. /div

The award-winning author of *Tecumseh's Last Stand* provides a meticulously researched portrait of sixteenth-century English navigator Sir Francis Drake, exploring Drake's private life, his achievements, and his rise to the heights of Elizabethan England.

This retelling of the classic Jules Verne tale tells the story of Professor Lidenbrock and his nephew, Axel, who make a terrifying journey into an extinct volcano--and right into the center of the Earth.

Slave Trader and Pirate

The Publishers' Circular and Booksellers' Record

The Sea-dragon

Royal Pirates

You Wouldn't Want to Explore with Sir Francis Drake!

Secret Voyages to the New World

"FASCINATING . . . Dramatic and timely." —New York Times Book Review, Editors' Choice In this grand and thrilling narrative, the acclaimed biographer of Magellan and Columbus reveals the singular adventures of Sir Francis Drake, whose mastery of the seas during the reign of Elizabeth I changed the course of history. "Entrancing . . . Very good indeed." —Wall Street Journal Before he was secretly dispatched by Elizabeth to circumnavigate the globe, or was called upon to save England from the Spanish Armada, Francis Drake was perhaps the most successful—pirate ever to sail. Nicknamed "El Draque" by the Spaniards who placed a bounty on his head, the notorious red-haired, horned Drake pillaged galleons laden with New World gold and silver, stealing a vast fortune for his queen—and himself. For Elizabeth, Drake was an impossible real, serving as a crucial and brilliantly adaptable instrument of her ambitions to transform England from a third-rate island to a global imperial power. In 1580, sailing on Elizabeth's covert orders, Drake became the first captain to circumnavigate the earth successfully (Ferdinand Magellan had died in his attempt.) Part exploring expedition, part raiding mission, Drake's audacious around-the-world journey on the Golden Hind reached Patagonia, the Pacific Coast of present-day California and Oregon, the Spice Islands, Java, and Africa. Almost a decade later, Elizabeth called upon Drake again. As the devil-may-care vice admiral of the English fleet, Drake dramatically defeated the once-invincible Spanish Armada, spurring the British Empire's ascent and permanently wounding its greatest rival. The relationship between Drake and Elizabeth I is a missing link in our understanding of the rise of the British Empire, and its importance has not been fully described or appreciated. *Francis Drake's Key Voyages as a Window into this Crucial Moment in British History* is a rousing adventure narrative that explores these historical themes with intimate passions.

Presents a history of the ancient world, from 6000 B.C. to 400 A.D.

For ages 8-12. Lost treasure, hidden clues and treacherous double agents test the courage of young time travellers, Robert and Alice, as they solve their adventure mysteries. Holidaying in modern day Florida, USA, they are swept into the world of Sir Francis Drake, pirates and other characters from the Tudor period. This quest leads Alice and Robert to dolphin lagoons, pirate galleons and the darkest dungeons of the Tower of London. Lives will be at stake if they fail. Their enemies are deadly. Will they be able to keep England safe? Once again, Louise Dale skilfully crafts a thrilling adventure with worldwide historical fact and contemporary settings -- tempting young readers with a glimpse of our history. Queen Elizabeth I playing a pivotal role in the events that were to shape the 16th century and years to follow. Piracy reigns on the coast. Her royal permission, Sir Francis Drake sails as a privateer to gather treasure for the English Court. Her closest confidant accompanying him, only with Alice and Robert's help can this, their most challenging time travelling quest so far be achieved. The Time Trigger series continues to brim with adventure and history providing young readers with a story that will live on long after it is read.

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Journals of Francis Drake's Voyage Around the World

A Pirate You'd Rather Not Know

British Children's Literature and the First World War

It is 1577 and Francis Drake, the Queen of England's favourite adventurer, has been ordered to command a new expedition leaving from Plymouth. Drake has appointed you, Francis Fletcher, as Chaplain on the expedition. You believe you are off on a trading trip to Alexandria in Egypt, but Drake's expedition has another purpose. Where will this voyage take you? This title in the

best-selling children's history series, *You Wouldn't Want To...*, features full-colour illustrations which combine humour and accurate technical detail and a narrative approach placing readers at the centre of the history, encouraging them to become emotionally-involved with the characters and aiding their understanding of what life would have been like sailing with Francis Drake. Informative captions, a complete glossary and an index make this title an ideal introduction to the conventions of information books for young readers. It is an ideal text for Key Stage 2 shared and guided reading and helps achieve the goals of the Scottish Standard Curriculum 5-14.

'Their fruits be diverse and plentiful, as nutmegs, ginger, long pepper, lemons, cucumbers, cocos, sago, with divers other sorts...' Scholar, spy, diplomat and supreme propagandist for Elizabethan sea power, Richard Hakluyt's accounts of famed explorers mythologised a nation growing rapidly aware of the size and strangeness of the world - and determined to dominate it. Introducing Little Black Classics: 80 books for Penguin's 80th birthday. Little Black Classics celebrate the huge range and diversity of Penguin Classics, with books from around the world and across many centuries. They take us from a balloon ride over Victorian London to a garden of blossom in Japan, from Tierra del Fuego to 16th century California and the Russian steppe. Here are stories lyrical and savage; poems epic and intimate; essays satirical and inspirational; and ideas that have shaped the lives of millions. Richard Hakluyt (c 1552-1616). *Hakluyt's Voyages and Discoveries* is available in Penguin Classics.