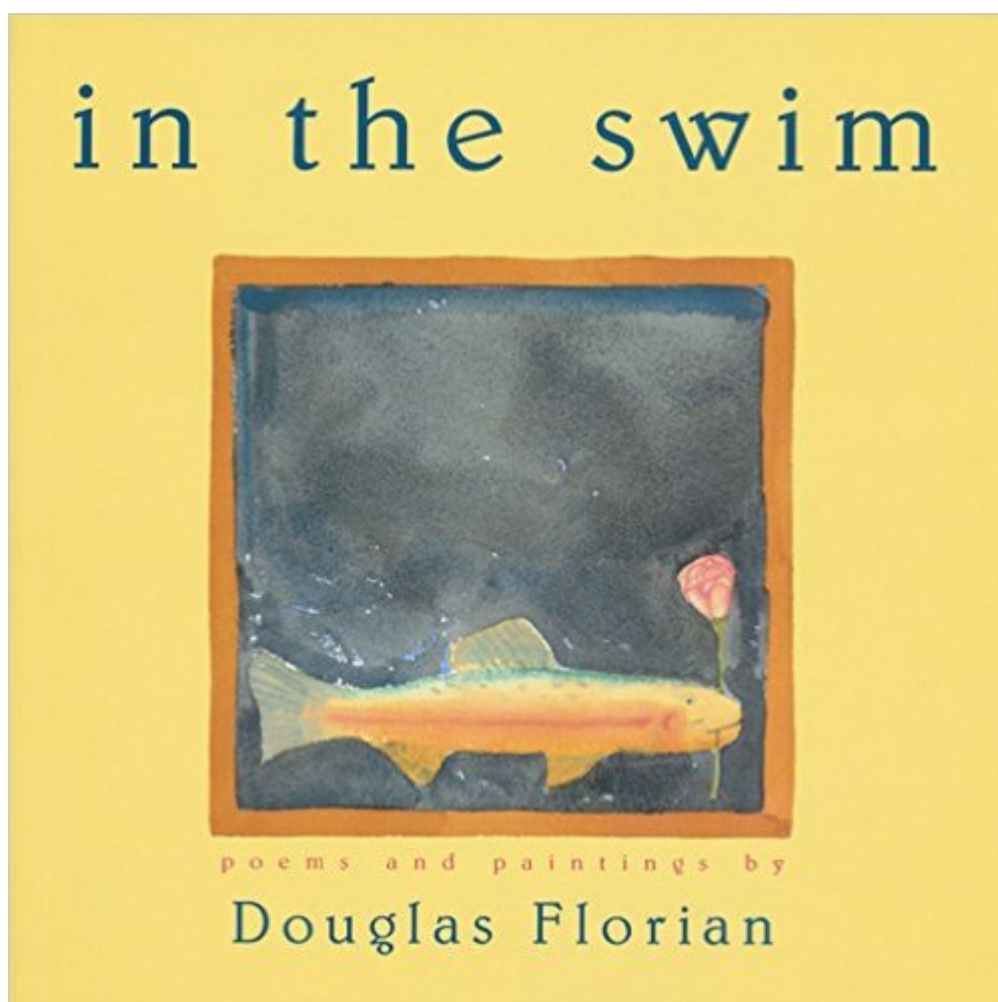


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Synopsis

Grab your snorkel and splash along with outrageous underwater creatures in the swim. Children will delight in the playful, witty language of twenty-one lively poems while they learn about their ocean and freshwater friends.

Book Information

Paperback: 48 pages

Publisher: HMH Books for Young Readers; 1 edition (April 1, 2001)

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Age Range: 6 - 9 years

Grade Level: 1 - 4

Customer Reviews

Playful and creative poems that are at least as fun for an adult to read as a child to hear. A couple of the poems don't really have that much information about the fish (which is a bit disappointing), but all of the poems are absolutely delightful. We bought this book for home, but it would work wonderfully in an elementary classroom for reading or science. I plan to buy more of the author's books!

Douglass Florian writes children's poetry and creates artworks to go with it. You may know some of his other works - mammalabilia and insectopedia. in the swim continues his look at animals. His poetry is short and fun and the artwork is very beautiful to look at. As a teacher, I recommend his books for a poetry unit and a unit studying animals.

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