World Language Collection Vendors for Public Libraries

List compiled by the acquisitions staff of the member libraries of Washington County Cooperative Library Services (WCCLS) 2019-2020.

* [**Alkitab**](https://www.alkitab.com/) – Books in Arabic
* [**Asian Parent: Quality Chinese books for children**](http://www.asianparent.com/index.aspx)
* [**Bookswindow**](https://www.bookswindow.com/) (a **Tsai Fong** Books Company) – Books in Traditional and Simplified Chinese, Japanese, Korean, and Vietnamese
* [**Candied Plums**](http://www.candiedplums.com/Index/index) – Books in Chinese
* [**Cinco Books**](https://cincobooks.com)
* [**CHAU, LUNA**](https://chauluna.com/) – Children’s materials
* [**China Sprout**](http://www.chinasprout.com/shop) – Chinese cultural educational products
* [**East West Discovery Press**](http://www.eastwestdiscovery.com/index.asp)  - “Independent publisher and distributor of multicultural and bilingual books in over 50 languages.”
* [**Fond du Lac Head Start**](http://www.fdlrez.com/headstart/boardbooks.htm) – Children’s books from the Fond du Lac Band of Lake Superior Chippewa
* [**Foreign Book Dealers Directory**](http://www.ala.org/CFApps/bookdealers/) – Covers book dealers in Eastern Europe, Africa, Middle East, The Pacific, Central Eurasia, and Asia.
* [**French Books Online**](https://www.frenchbooksonline.com/)
* [**Gloria’s Bookstore**](https://glorias-bookstore.com/cart) - Highly recommended for Chinese storytime books
* [**Ingram**](https://ipage.ingramcontent.com/ipage/li001.jsp)– Selectors have purchased Spanish, French, and Japanese materials from Ingram. The “high interest” category lists were recommended as a source of OwnVoices and debut titles.
* [**Jarir Books USA**](https://www.jarirbooksusa.com/) – Books in Arabic. (OCLC records not available, more of a bookstore than a wholesaler.)
* [**Kinokuniya**](https://usa.kinokuniya.com/shop-online-under-maintenance-page) – Japanese books & magazines
* [**Language lizard**](https://www.languagelizard.com/) “Bilingual children’s products in over 50 languages”
* [**Latin American Book Source**](http://www.latambooks.com/index.php?route=product/category&path=35)
* [**Lectorum**](https://lectorum.com/children/) – Spanish books
* [**Libros in Español**](https://librosinespanol.com/collections/edad-3-5)
* [**Live Oak Media**](https://www.liveoakmedia.com/) - Easy Spanish readalong kits
* [**Multicultural Books & Videos**](https://www.multiculturalbooksandvideos.com/) – They provide materials in several languages. Selectors have purchased through them at the Guadalajara Book Fair (FIL).
* [**Native Northwest**](http://www.nativenorthwest.com/home/wholesale.html) “Representing the diversity of cultures and clans of the Pacific Northwest and beyond to make authentic Indigenous design accessible to all.” (Look for books, board books, and learning games in the Educational Resources section of the [PDF catalogue](http://nativenorthwest.uberflip.com/i/1196436-2020-catalogue-digital)).
* [**Pan Asian Publications**](http://www.panap.com/) – Books & DVDs in Chinese, Hmong, Japanese, Khmer, Korean, Russian, Spanish, Thai, Vietnamese.
* [**Russian Publishing House**](https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=http-3A__www.russianpublishinghouse.com&d=DwMF4g&c=pslXprxdtWHFBuj41-AaSLF1gHAT1_cek1PvLND777Q&r=uDX0_zRZABBDskAIBBSOvaSeff7IGi13HmPW88PqUlQ&m=QSc6dcpu261u8mByfvkaS8RXDLIPeyXzkOOmKNIcVpc&s=qEpDCJJJQR_8snHQ92cu8KAbCkrv_taczsoajfI_aos&e=)
* [**SALALM**](https://salalm.org/booksellers-2/vendorcontactinfo/) – Materials from Latin America and the Caribbean.
* [**Sawa Books**](http://sawabooks.com/) – They provide books, CDs, & DVDs in several languages, but were recommended specifically as a vendor for books in Arabic.
* [**Selaska Heritage**](https://sealaska-heritage-store.myshopify.com/collections/books-publications) – “Perpetuating and enhancing Southeast Alaskan Native cultures”
* [**Star Bright Books**](https://starbrightbooks.com/index.php) - Multilingual storytime – site lists 35 languages available.
* [**Tsai Fong Books**](https://www.bookswindow.com/)  - See “Bookswindow” above.
* [**Tu Luc Bookstore**](https://www.tulucmall.com/BookShop/Home/Index) – Vietnamese materials.
* [**Tulika Books USA**](https://www.tulikabooksusa.com/main.sc) – Children’s books from India. Bilingual books in English paired with Hindi, Kannada, Tamil, Telugu, Malayalam, Gujarati, and Marathi. (OCLC records not available.)
* [**Vasha Kniga**](https://www.vasha-kniga.com/lib_login.asp) – Russian language materials.

Amazon was mentioned by several libraries.  Some had good luck with finding Spanish titles there, others found the selection to be somewhat shallow and skewed more towards translations of English titles, lighter on Spanish language originals.

All sites checked and confirmed to be live as of 8/31/2020.