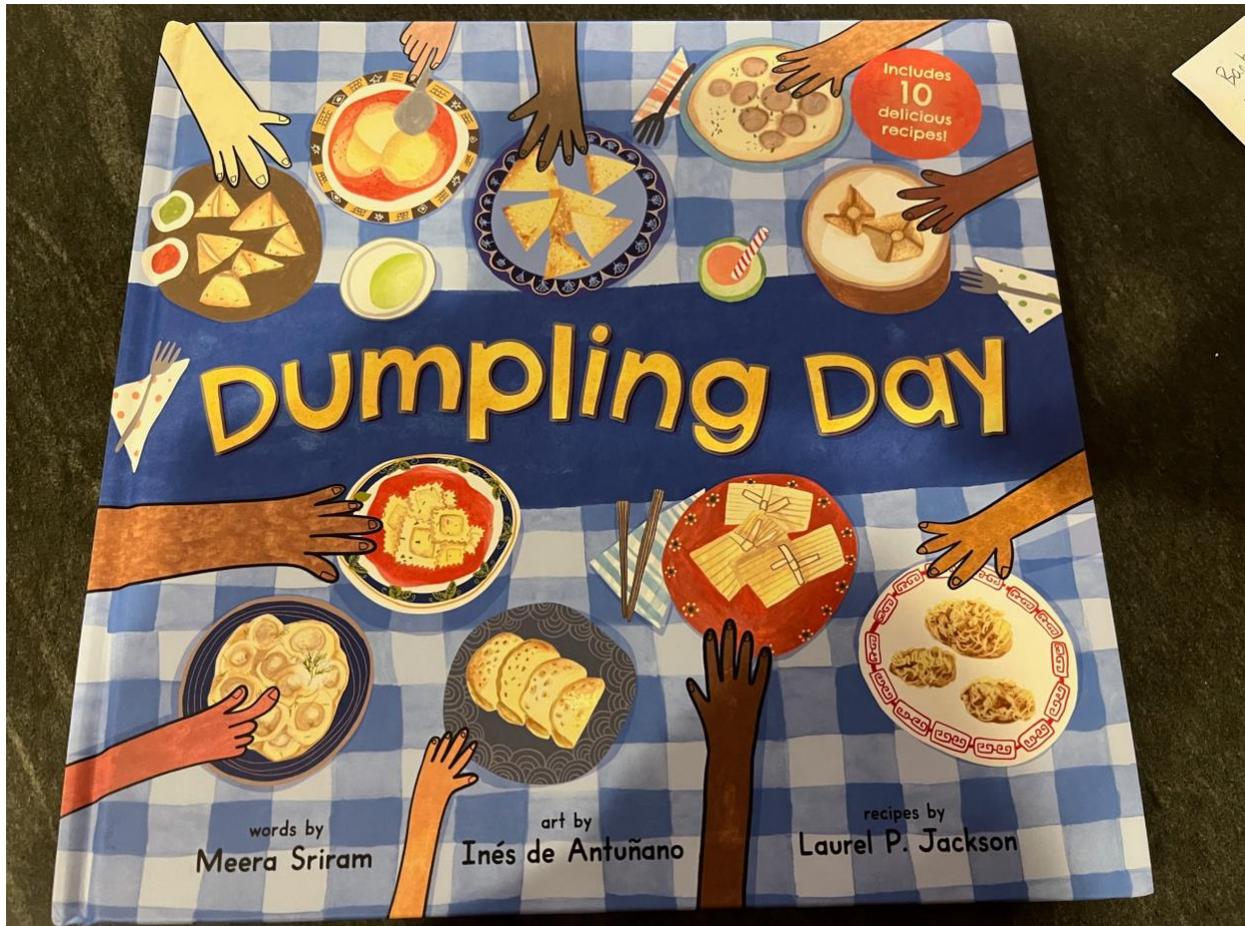


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Dumpling Day by Meera Sriram, Ines de Antunano and Laurel Jackson

A shout out to ***Dumpling Day*** by Meera Sriram, Ines de Antunano and Laurel Jackson from one of my favorite publishers, ***Barefoot Books***. *Dumpling Day* celebrates those small delicious morsels that are eaten around the world. We all eat dumplings, and we all eat them in different forms, ways and places. This book has inclusive illustrations of different types of families, text that has rhythm and incorporates math, and includes recipes in the back section of the book, so you can cook your own dumplings. What more could you want from a book! The book is a great provocation and lead in for conversations about how we are the same and how we are different. I love this book and highly recommend, as an anti-bias educator, teacher educator, and grandparent! #ReadYourWorld,#multiculturalchildrensbookday2022,#antibiaseducation

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