



Mass Migrations

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#### Why do animals gather together each year?

Imagine seeing hundreds or even thousands of the same type of animal gathered at the same place and at the same time! Right here in North America, many animals gather in huge numbers at predictable times and locations. Not all migrations are tied to seasonal food changes—some are tied to life cycles and the need to gather in huge numbers. Certain birds, reptiles, mammals, amphibians, fish, and even insects migrate during spring, summer, fall, or winter. Travel along with them as you learn about what puts these animals *On the Move*. (Ages 4-8)





### For Creative Minds

Teachers and parents will love the educational section, which includes the following activities:

Animal Migrations: What, When, Where, and Why?

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**On the Move** is Lexile leveled at 690L, and has a word count of 1201.

### Curriculum Connections

More than 30 pages of **cross curricular activities** and three unique quizzes are available online. **Keywords for educators:** Life cycles, migrations, seasons, geography, life science

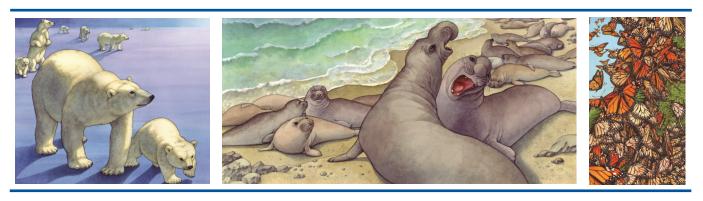
# About the Author & Illustrator



Award-winning author **Scotti Cohn** has had a love for poetry and fiction writing since childhood. In addition to authoring **On the Move, Big Cat, Little Kitty** and **One Wolf Howls** for Arbordale, Scotti has written eight nonfiction books as well as short stories and poems. Scotti's two grown children have done their own moving on. She and her husband live in upstate South Carolina with five little kitties. Visit her website at www.scotticohn.com, or visit her Facebook Page for more information.

Susan Detwiler is the illustrator of several books for children including On the Move, Big Cat, Little Kitty, and the award-winning titles Pandas' Earthquake Escape and One Wolf Howls. She is a member of the Society of Children's Book Writers & Illustrators and her illustrations have appeared in the children's magazines, Highlights for Children and Ladybug. Susan's artwork has also been used for puzzles, games, and greeting cards. Books have always been a source of joy in her life, and as a child, she particularly loved books with beautiful illustrations. Susan was educated at the Maryland Institute College of Art and lives with her artist husband and their two sons in Baltimore. Visit her website at www.susandetwiler.com.





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