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The Right Word: Roget and His Thesaurus

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A collage of words and drawings narrating the life of polymath Peter Mark Roget accompanies this story of the list-maker's life and career. Both approachable and packed with information, this mini biography introduces children to the history of the thesaurus and its author, inspiring interest in nature, categorization, intellectualism, and the myriad ideas and uses of language. Ages five to nine.

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