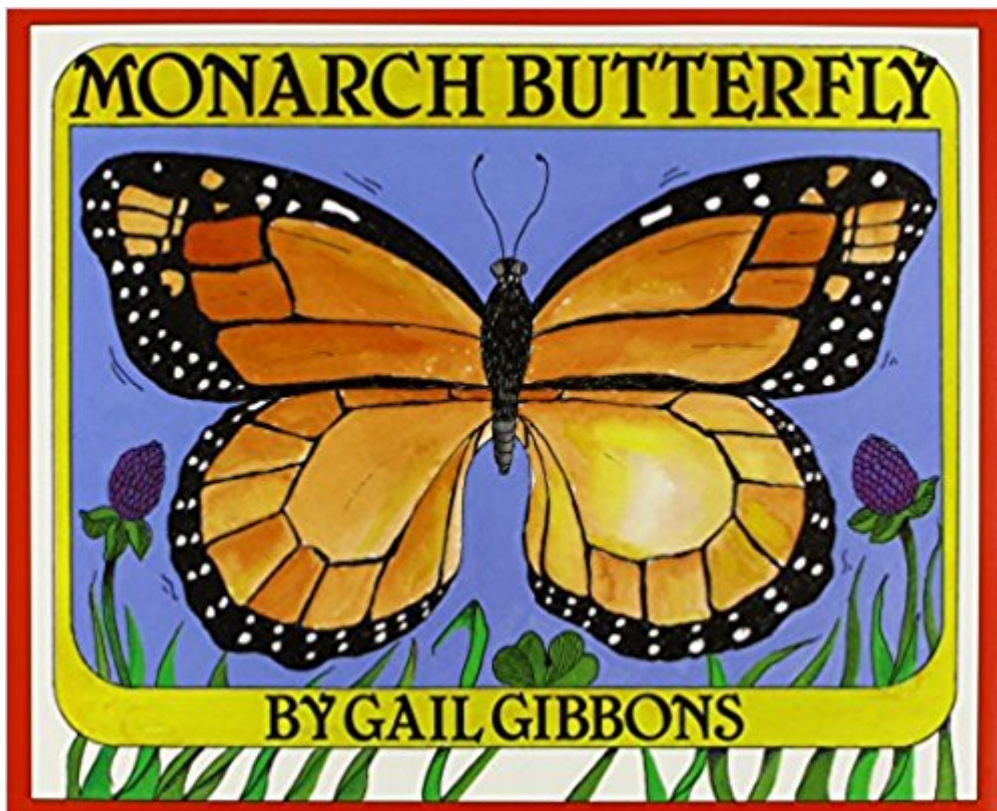




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# Monarch Butterfly



## Synopsis

From egg to caterpillar to butterfly, the story of how they live.

## Book Information

Lexile Measure: 650L (What's this?)

Paperback: 32 pages

Publisher: Holiday House; Reprint edition (January 1, 1989)

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Age Range: 5 - 8 years

Grade Level: Kindergarten - 3

## Customer Reviews

Grade 2-4-- Young naturalists will be captivated by this succinctly written, well-organized, brightly illustrated introduction to monarch butterflies. Focusing on a single monarch, the text describes each stage of its metamorphosis, basic physical and behavioral characteristics, diet, and migratory instincts. It then discusses the migration patterns of the species in general, mentions the celebrations held in their honor along the migration route, and ends with simple instructions for raising a butterfly in a jar. (The text instructs readers to pound holes in a jar lid with a hammer and a nail--no safety warning or suggestion to obtain adult help is given.) The last page consists of additional miscellaneous facts. Clear, stylized color drawings accompany the short blocks of text on every page; each is doubly framed by white and yellow backgrounds. There are a number of titles available on the life cycles of butterflies; however, most are on a slightly higher reading level and describe different species. Gibbons' book will be a useful addition to the natural history sections of most school and public libraries. --Karey Wehner, San Francisco Public LibraryCopyright 1989 Reed Business Information, Inc. --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

Gail Gibbons has published close to fifty distinguished nonfiction titles with Holiday House. According to "The Washington Post", "Gail Gibbons has taught more preschoolers and early readers about the world than any other children's writer-illustrator." She lives in Vermont. Her website is [www.gailgibbons.com](http://www.gailgibbons.com)

My 6 year old grandson loved this as a birthday gift. He is quite interested in the life cycle of the Monarch as he has watched them in my backyard. Now, his family is embarking on the same miraculous journey in their backyard. This is a great informative book in simple terms.

As described -- fast shipping -- thank you!!

A great book on the life cycle of the Monarch Butterfly. Gail Gibbons makes learning and reading fun!

Very good book for my kindergarten class this year. Thanks.

This is a good book for the 8 and under crowd. It isn't too hard, it's beautifully illustrated, and it clearly explains the lifecycle of the monarch butterfly. Perfect for my daughter, who will be studying Monarch Butterflies in depth in first grade next year.

Great book! Love it, 5 stars :-)

It was the reading project for my daughter's school during summer, very informative and easy to understand. After reading the book, you can let your child(ren) make their own butterfly with any kind of items. My daughter loved it.

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