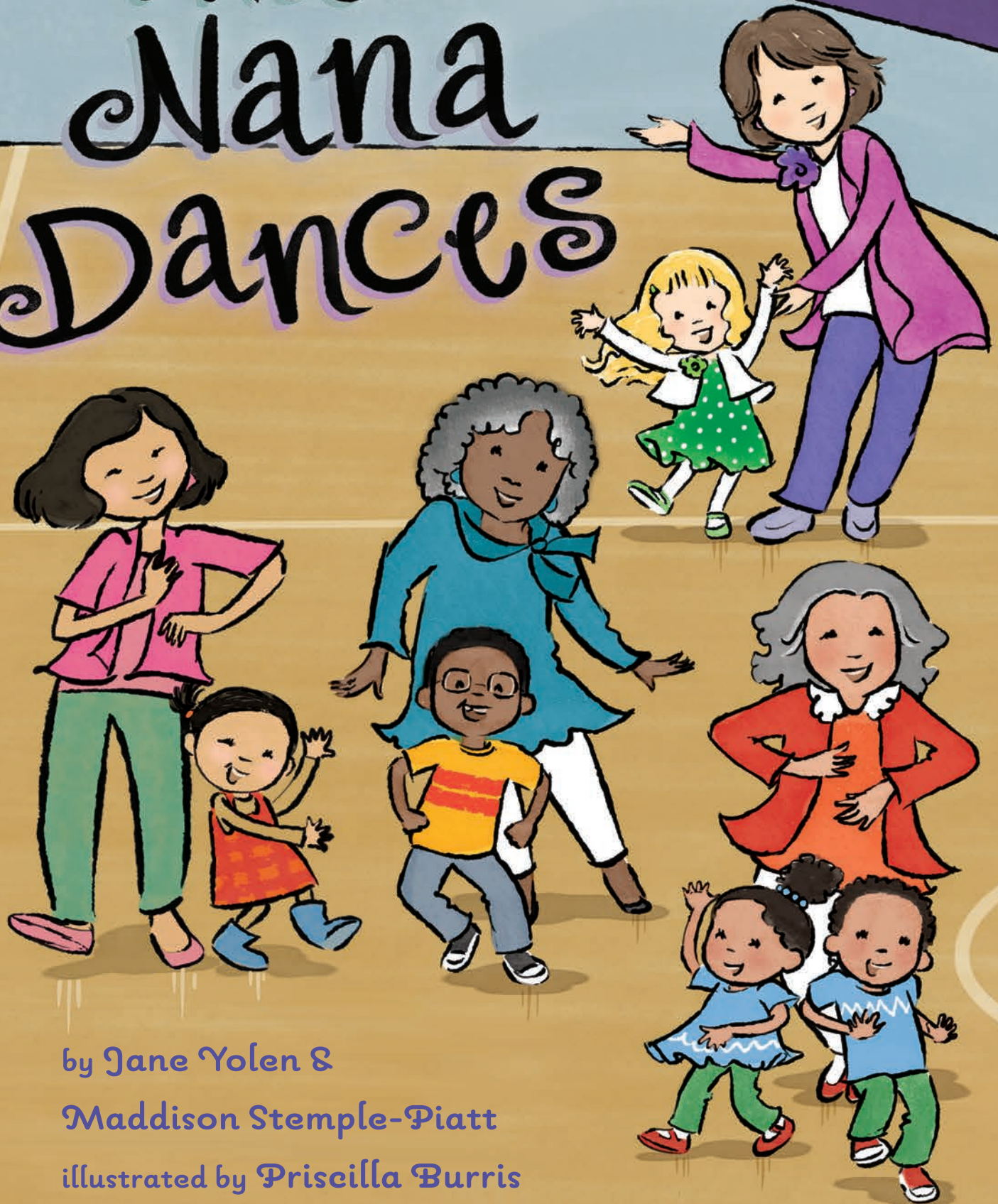


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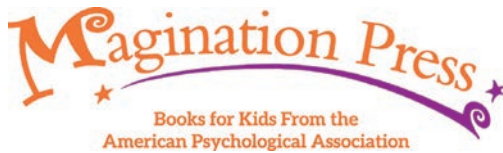




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Maddison Stemple-Piatt to play and write with—JY

To Nana, the best dance partner, and Mama, who drove me
to every ballet class and made every costume—MSP

In honor of my children's Nana, Lily Garcia,
and Grandma, Harriet Burris—PB



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*When Nana dances,
on the wooden floor*





why, she
shakes-a-shake
I've never seen before.

*She twirls
and whirls
around the room,*



*dancing with umbrellas,
a rake, or a broom.*



Oh—she's a sight to see.

