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THE SPIRIT BARES ITS TEETH



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Author(s): Andrew Joseph White (W)

POSITIONING STATEMENT

This instant New York Times bestseller is a visceral Victorian gothic horror of a young autistic trans boy who can commune with spirits, forced into a haunted sanitorium.

SELLING POINTS

- INSTANT BESTSELLER TO CRITICAL ACCLAIM: This sophomore hit was an instant New York Times and indie bestseller and received stellar reviews from Kirkus, Publishers Weekly, Booklist, and many more presses.
- BOOK OF THE YEAR 2023: This book was a Book of the Year for Kirkus Reviews (Best Young Adult), Shelf Awareness, and School Library Journal.
- HAUNTING, NAUSEATING TERROR: The Spirit Bares Its Teeth is a horror book like no other, brimming with ghosts, gruesome surgeries, and the horrors of patriarchy in a Victorian-era sanatorium.
- TRANS AND AUTISTIC REPRESENTATION: Silas Bell is an incredible, unforgettable protagonist whose determination to survive and live as his authentic self will resonate with any reader who picks up this book
- QUEER AND DISABLED ROMANCE: Underneath the harrowing horror of The Spirit Bares Its Teeth is a sweet romance between a young trans boy and trans girl that readers are bound to fall in love with.

SYNOPSIS

Mors vincit omnia. Death conquers all.

London, 1883. The Veil between the living and dead has thinned. Violet-eyed mediums commune with spirits under the watchful eye of the Royal Speaker Society, and sixteen-year-old Silas Bell would rather rip out his violet eyes than become an obedient Speaker wife. According to Mother, he'll be married by the end of the year. It doesn't matter that he's needed a decade of tutors to hide his autism; that he practices surgery on slaughtered pigs; that he is a boy, not the girl the world insists on seeing.

After a failed attempt to escape an arranged marriage, Silas is diagnosed with Veil sickness—a mysterious disease sending violet-

eyed women into madness—and shipped away to Braxton's Sanitorium and Finishing School. The facility is cold, the instructors merciless, and the students either bloom into eligible wives or disappear. So when the ghosts of missing students start begging Silas for help, he decides to reach into Braxton's innards and expose its rotten guts to the world—as long as the school doesn't break him first.

AUTHOR BIOGRAPHY

Andrew Joseph White is a trans, autistic author from Virginia, where he grew up falling in love with monsters and wishing he could be one too. He received his MFA in Creative Writing from George Mason University in 2022, and is the author of several bestselling novels about queer and disabled rage. Andrew tweets @AJWhiteAuthor.

PUBLICITY AND PROMOTION

- Promotion via Illumicrate social media channels for key campaign beats like cover reveal
- Social media tour across multiple platforms with hand-picked influencers
- Targeted media pitching
- Designed Amazon A+ banners

REVIEWS

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A Woolly Tale

Jackie Hosking, illustrated by Paul Lalo

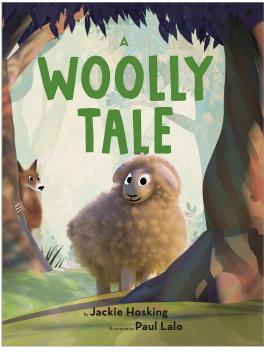
- Children's book author Jackie Hosking follows the adventures of Chris, the world's woolliest sheep.
- Striking illustrations by Paul Lalo of Soymilk Studio featuring a distinctive 3D collage style.
- Inspired by the true story of a merino ram who was lost for five years in the bush near Canberra and set the record for the world's heaviest fleece, which is now on display at the National Museum of Australia.
- The third book in a series that builds on the innovation of the Discovery Centre at the National Museum of Australia, encouraging conversations around place, identity and Australian stories in a dynamic and exciting way.
- Other titles in the series include The Bunyip and the Stars by Adam Duncan, part
 First Nations creation story and part adventure tale, and How Mother Kangaroo
 Got her Pouch, a traditional Aboriginal story about the rewards of kindness by
 Rebecca Beetson.

Age range 0 to 6

Chris the merino sheep, nervous about his first shearing, escapes into the bush. At first Chris enjoys his new life among the gum trees, but as the years go by, his fleece grows heavier and heavier. Chris's journey into the unknown takes a turn when he encounters a wiry dingo.

Is the dingo here to help Chris overcome his fears? Can Chris find his way back to the farm? Will he become the world's woolliest sheep?





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About the author



Jackie Hosking has been writing poetry and stories for children for over twenty years. Her poems are regularly published by The School

Magazine and her picture books have been published by Walker Books, Scholastic and Larrikin House. Presently, Jackie has six picture books out with eight in the pipeline.

About the illustrator



Paul Lalo was born in France and, in 2004, arrived in Australia to study animation at the Queensland College of Art. Paul has worked as a

director, animator and motion designer for TV commercials, music videos and documentaries. Paul is co-founder of Melbourne-based animation boutique Soymilk Studio which specialises in stop-motion and motion design.



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ADVANCE INFORMATION SHEET

Where Is Everyone?

E. N. Hews

Billy wakes up to find his friends have all disappeared. Where is everyone?

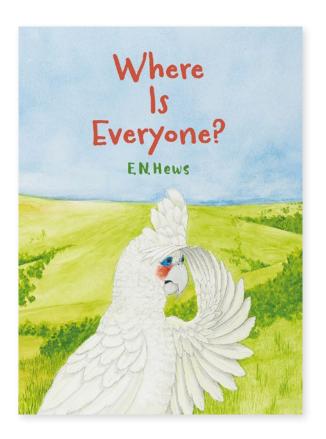
When Billy the corella cockatoo wakes up, his friends are nowhere to be seen. Where have they gone? Though he asks everyone where they have gone, none of the other bush animals know where they might be. Why doesn't he go ask someone else?

Where is everyone?

A captivating story of a cockatoo in search of his flock as told through beautifully immersive illustrations.

- An emotionally engaging journey.
- Captivating traditional bush characters give this story a timeless appeal.
- Beautiful Australian bush and animal illustrations will immerse readers of all ages.

E. N. Hews is a first-time author/illustrator of the story picture book "Where is Everyone?". Retired since 2019, he resides in New South Wales, Australia and enjoys painting, drawing, listening to music, and visiting his grandchildren in country NSW, and reading storybooks to them. His fondest reading memory is from when he was six years old and learned the word "inquisitive" while reading about a possum. So, in As a tribute to that author, he has intentionally incorporated both into this storybook.



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RRP: \$24.99 AUD

Age of intended audience: 5 years and up

Release Date: 2nd December 2024

Binding: Hardback

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Imprint: Starfish Bay Children's Books







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ADVANCE INFORMATION SHEET

Giselle Giraffe

Richard Turner Illustrated by Ben Clifford

Giselle doesn't like her height. Though covering it up with clothes doesn't work, a helpful sight might...

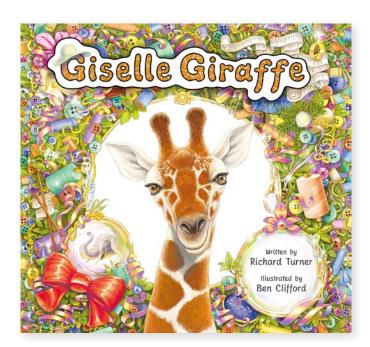
Unhappy with her height, Giselle the Giraffe decides to change her style to hide her major flaw. But the hats don't work, the rings are too small, and the scarves nowhere NEAR long enough. And don't even ask her about the bikini!

Dejected, Giselle slinks off home to hide herself away... but a chance encounter leaves her seeing her height from a new perspective.

Funny dress-up illustrations make Giselle's self-esteem mishaps a lesson readers will laugh while leaning.

- A positive story about self-acceptance and loving yourself the way you are.
- Rhythm, rhyme, and a drop of humour makes this story a great read-aloud experience.
- · Hilarious illustrations bring out the fun in Giselle's fashion mishaps.

Richard Turner is an author and Performing Arts teacher in Adelaide South Australia, who supports children's creative voices through drama and dance. He has directed and choreographed musicals, working with students who can sing and dance way better than he can. Like most people, Richard has to be told to eat his peas, but never has to be told to eat his jellybeans or ice cream. He has been on a skateboard, a rollercoaster, an elephant and a camel. He has also been on a spaceship to the moon, but only in his dreams!



ISBN: 978-1-76036-171-6

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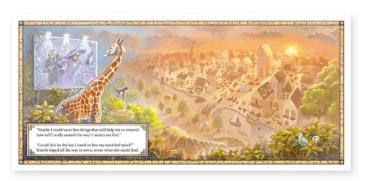
Release Date: 2nd December 2024

Binding: Hardback

Trim Size: 24.0 cm in H | 26.0 cm in W Extent: 40 pages | Four-colour Interior Weight: 0.43 kg | Carton Quantity: 32 copies

Imprint: Starfish Bay Children's Books

Ben Clifford was born and raised in Tasmania, Australia. He began illustrating after living in a nice place with the cuckoos and sparrows in England. After returning home he began drawing, painting, illustrating and writing books. Ben was first published in 2017 with many titles to follow. When he's not drawing or writing stories, he likes to help others if they're sad or happy, scaly, fluffy, furry or feathery.







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ADVANCE INFORMATION SHEET

Greedy Glen

Matt Davis
Illustrated by Matteo Gaggia

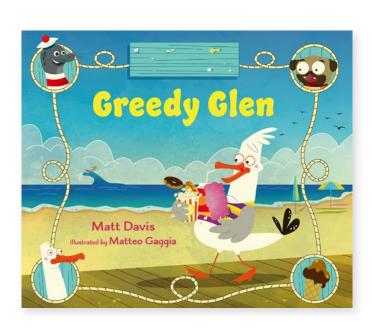
When greedy gull Glen finds an ice cream, he does not want to share with his friends but soon finds sharing is better.

Glen is a gull with just one thing in mind: to take all the food and the drinks he can find. And Greedy Glen has no interest in sharing with his friends. But by the time Glen finishes fending off his friends, the ice cream has melted. In this hilarious rhyming story about overcoming greed and selfishness, children will learn the joy of sharing with others and take delight in the strikingly bold and witty illustrations.

Residing on Australia's sun-kissed Gold Coast, **Matt Davis** is the proud owner of one dog, two cats, two chickens, and four goldfish. His ever-growing menagerie of creatures helps inspire his weird and wonderful tales about greedy gulls, curious chickens, zombie parents, and more. He loves to cook pizza and prank the family with his kids' fart machine. When Matt's not building box forts and planning Nerf wars, he enjoys nothing more than making up cheeky songs in the car with his two sons and writing stories that make kids and parents smile.

Matteo Gaggia lives in Perugia, Italy. He currently works as a freelance children's book illustrator and has worked for several prominent publishing houses in Italy and around the world. He loves to read, go to the cinema, and collect vintage objects.





ISBN: 978-1-80036-067-9

RRP: \$24.99 AUD

Age of intended audience: 5 years and up

Release Date: 2nd December 2024

Binding: Hardback

Trim Size: 21.0 cm in H | 25.5 cm in W **Extent:** 40 pages | Four-colour Interior

Weight: 0.37 kg | Carton Quantity: 36 copies

Imprint: Tiny Seed

- Jaunty rhyming verse creates a pleasurable language experience for both read-alouds and independent reading.
- A hilarious story about overcoming greed and selfishness and the pleasure in sharing with friends.
- Bold, colourful illustrations, filled with vivid humour, that will delight and engage young readers with their depiction of the characters and setting within the story.



My First Day at School

Michelle Mackintosh: Illustrator

Meredith Costain : Author

ISBN9781922998149

Paperback

Publication date: October 2024

RRP \$19.99 32 pages

Size: 210mm x 255mm

My First Day at School is designed to help reassure and prepare school-age children for that magical first day in an unfamiliar environment. It follows the experiences

and emotions of four very different children from their first teary farewells to their parents through to the joy of making new friends and the discovery that school can be an exciting and enjoyable place, however challenging.

Michelle Mackintosh is a book designer and illustrator with a passion for mixing up the discarded with the new, collaging vintage, cute and modern aesthetics into something totally unique. She has designed dozens of books on a wide range of topics, from cookbooks and craft to city guides and diaries. She has illustrated six books written by her husband Steve Wide. She has won numerous design awards, and her books have been finalists and received commendations at the APA Book Design Awards. Michelle is a self-confessed stationery nerd, a passionate reader, a history enthusiast, and a lover of all things music and pop culture.

Meredith Costain is a versatile writer whose work ranges from picture books through to poetry, novels and non-fiction for young readers. Meredith is a regular presenter of writing workshops in tertiary institutions, libraries and schools.



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The Mess That We Made 9781947277144 \$18.95 9781947277151 9781947277168 9781947277175 9781947277557 9781947277601

The Mess That We Made

Michelle Lord, Julia Blattman

Key Selling Points

* Flashlight Press is celebrating their 20th anniversary in 2024.

Young readers and listeners will learn how plastic and trash affect marine animals, and will be inspired to make a difference and care for the environment.

Picture book, Life science context: Earth and human activity, pollution, ocean and marine life, cumulative &lyrical text, rhythm and rhyme, Story elements: setting: boat on the sea, plot and character development; four young children, problem and solution, figurative language, detailed illustrations enhance meaning and tone, tone: sad, dark, Comprehension strategies: identify cause and effect relationships, central message, and changes from beginning to end of the story, make text to text, text to world and text to self connections. Back matter: Informational text on Ocean Pollution Calls to Action. Themes: pollution, stewardship, our natural world, conservation

Summary

The Mess That We Made explores the environmental impact of trash and plastic on the ocean and marine life, and it inspires kids to do their part to combat pollution. Simple, rhythmic wording builds to a crescendo ("This is the mess that we made. These are the fish that swim in the mess that we made.") and the vibrant digital artwork captures the disaster that is the Great Pacific Garbage Patch. Children can imagine themselves as one of the four multi-ethnic occupants of the little boat surrounded by swirling plastic in the middle of the ocean, witnessing the cycle of destruction and the harm it causes to plants, animals, and humans. The first half of the book portrays the growing magnitude of the issue, and the second half rallies children and adults to make the necessary changes to save our oceans, before it is too late. Facts about the Great Pacific Garbage Patch, ocean pollution, and how kids can help are included in the back matter.

Contributor Bio

Michelle Lord has written several books for children, including *A Song For Cambodia, Nature Recycles,* and *Animal School: What Class Are You?*, which received a starred review from *Kirkus*.

Julia Blattman has worked as a visual development artist for animated feature films and Disney mobile games. This is her first picture book.

Quotes

"Our lives depend on the ocean. Fish consume our waste and then end up on our dinner plates. I hope that this beautifully illustrated book will serve as a tool to pass on the importance of the ocean to future generations and beyond." —Yohei Sasakawa, Chairman of *The Nippon Foundation* and founder of *Change for the Blue*

"Kathryn Hahn's heartfelt and engaging reading of *The Mess That We Made* not only brings this powerful story and its characters to life, but it illuminates the consequences of neglecting our planet. We are proud to release a read-aloud that promotes literacy, and underscores the importance of environmental stewardship."

-Courtney B. Vance, SAG-AFTRA Foundation President

"What I love so much about this book is that I love how they capture the ocean, the colors, the magic of being close to the ocean, and that it also tells you how serious it is that our ocean is hurting."—**Kathryn Hahn, Actress and comedian (WandaVision, Parks and Recreation)**

"Michelle Lord has done a wonderful job explaining the effects that have occurred but

also how we can make a change and clean up the mess we (humans) have made, so the marine creatures are not swimming among a sea of plastic." — $Lorissa\ Janzen$, $Norwex\ Independent\ Consultant$

"Wow, this is a powerful story illustrating the impacts of plastic pollution in our oceans! It had our attention from the very first lines and the very first beautiful & detailed illustrations." — **Crystal Cahill, Elementary Library Teacher and Gr. 1 Teacher**

Illustrations



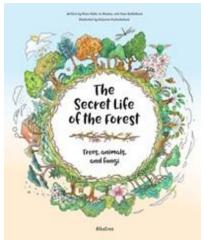
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| The New Ocean: The Fate of Life in a Changing Sea | Barnard, Bryn | Knopf Books for Young Readers | 2/05/2017 | 9780375870491 0375870490 | \$18.99 USD | Hardcover | Juvenile Nonfiction |
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The Secret Life of the Forest: Trees, Animals, and Fungi

Jana Sedlackova, Katarina Kratochvilova, Ivi Niesner, Klara Holik

Key Selling Points

- **Vivid Personification:** The forest is brought to life as a bustling city, with interconnected roles, relationships, and neighbors.
- Revelatory Insights: Discover surprising facts, such as the significance of fire in forests, the swamp's role as a natural cleaner, and the importance of dead wood.
- **Eco-Educational:** Learn about the vital role that forests have in our global ecosystem, thereby fostering environmental awareness.

Language rights sold: French, Hebrew, Italian, Simplified Chinese, Slovene

Summary

With Little Seed as your guide, come discover the interconnected world of trees, animals, and fungi in this informative, fun-filled illustrated book for kids.

Journey into the heart of the forest to explore its enchanting ecosystem, with our fun and fact-filled friend Little Seed as our guide. In this fully illustrated book, we will explore the hidden wonders of the forest, from its majestic trees to the bustling community of animals and fungi that call it home. Uncover the intricate web of connections that sustain this vibrant, interconnected ecosystem, where every creature has a vital role to play and everyone must work together.

In this engaging and educational book, children ages of 6–9 will explore the intricate web of relationships that sustains a thriving forest. This introduction to ecology will spark curiosity and environmental awareness, presenting fascinating facts that turn learning into an enjoyable experience. Designed for inquisitive young minds and nature enthusiasts alike, it nurtures a profound love for the natural world.

Contributor Bio

Children's book author **Jana Sedlackova** enjoys, among other things, singing in a choir and decorating gingerbread during Christmas. Her love for fairytales fuels her conviction that those who don't read them are still searching for the perfect one. She graduated from the School of Textile Design and Management in Brno, Czech Republic.

Katarina Kratochvilova creates editorial illustrations for magazine covers, children's books, and games, using expressive lines and a combination of analog and digital media. Her work focuses mainly on children's and young adult illustrations, as well as Japanese culture. In 2022, her comic book Used Kimono Store won a bronze Japan Manga Award. She is based in Prague.

Quotes

Selected for The Children's Book Council's July 2024 "Hot Off The Press" Reading List

"The Secret Life of the Forest: Trees, Animals, and Fungi is an especially engaging and educational introduction for children ages of 6 - 9 to exploring the intricate web of relationships that sustains a thriving forest. This introduction to ecology will spark curiosity and environmental awareness, presenting fascinating facts that turn learning into an enjoyable experience. The Secret Life of the Forest: Trees, Animals, and Fungi is especially designed for inquisitive young minds and nature enthusiasts alike as it nurtures a profound love for the natural world." —*Midwest Book Review-Children's Bookwatch*

"The Secret Life of the Forest: Trees, Animals, and Fungi is a highly educational and fun read. Packed with so much information, there is plenty to read about! Broken down

into 19 sections, readers will learn about the life cycle of a tree, different pollinators, levels of the forest, and so much more! Through-out the book, there are little "experiments" kids can partake in, and I encourage adults to as well. A lot of them are eye opening! I love the illustrations. They highly detailed and absolutely beautiful."

-Cherokee Crum, YA Books Central

"This cute, informative nonfiction book is full of valuable information about forest ecosystems. The Secret Life of the Forest has nineteen sections of information that cover everything a young researcher could want to know about the forest ecosystem, from tree communication to symbiotic relationships with fungi to parasitic relationships. Even adult readers will learn something new in this fascinating book. The illustrations are colorful, fun, and very informative. Just paging through the book invites further exploration, like the page that shows a fungi plumber "re-establishing the connection" between two tree roots with a wrench and another tree paying for the service with sugar. This is a great book for early research about forest ecosystems."

-Laura Gardner, Dartmouth Middle School, Youth Services Book Review

Marketing Plans

Marketing activities held by **Publisher Spotlight**:

- Pitch reviews in *Publishers Weekly, SLJ, Booklist, Kirkus, Shelf Awareness, Horn Book*
- Mail to long and short lead media contacts
- Pitch reviews to appropriate blogs and websites
- Checklist for online journals, influencers, bloggers, review centers
- Social media content, where appropriate: Twitter, Instagram, Facebook, Pinterest, TikTok
- Included in themed Pinterest boards
- TLA, NSTA, ALA (and other shows, as appropriate)
- Presentations to library selector groups in Chicago, New York, Boston, Washington D.C.

Links

- Browse the book on YouTube
- Instagram of the illustrator Katarina Kratochvilova
- Backmatter
- Website of the illustrator Katarina Kratochvilova

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Oh, the parasites!

Oh, the (animal) parasites!

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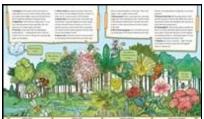
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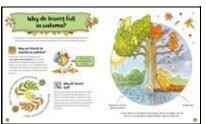






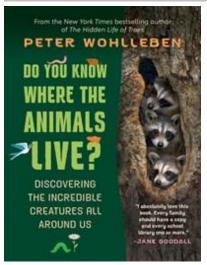








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| The Language of Plants | Harastova, Helena | Albatros Media | 4/25/2023 | 9788000067971 8000067978 | \$15.95 USD | Hardcover Paper over boards | Juvenile Nonfiction |
| Listen to the Language of the Trees | Kelley, Tera | Dawn Publications | 3/1/2022 | 9781728232164 1728232163 | \$16.99 USD | Hardcover Picture Book | Juvenile Nonfiction |
| Entangled Life | Sheldrake, Merlin | Random House | 5/12/2020 | 9780525510314 0525510311 | \$28.00 USD | Hardcover | Science |



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Do You Know Where the Animals Live? 9781771646598 \$19.95

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The Hidden Life of Trees 9781771643481 \$35.00
The Inner Life of Animals 9781771643016 \$24.95
The Hidden Life of Trees 9781771642484 \$26.95

Do You Know Where the Animals Live?

Discovering the Incredible Creatures All Around Us

Peter Wohlleben, Shelley Tanaka

Key Selling Points

- The highly anticipated follow up to *Can You Hear the Trees Talking?*, Peter Wohlleben's critically acclaimed middle-grade reader.
- Adapted from Peter Wohlleben's *The Inner Life of Animals*, the follow-up book to the *New York Times*-bestseller *The Hidden Life of Trees*.
- Perfect for at-home learning during the COVID-19 pandemic: Packed full
 of photographs, illustrations, engaging activities, and fun quizzes, making it the
 perfect book for school-aged children during the age of COVID-19-impacted,
 at-home learning.
- An introduction to animals and their environments: A thoughtful, informative, and easy-to-understand approach to teaching kids where different animal species live, what they eat, how they interact with their families, how they communicate, and what they think and feel.
- **Opportunity for cross-promotion:** Peter Wohlleben's highly anticipated book *The Heartbeat of Trees* and the paperback edition of *The Inner Life of Animals* are also publishing in 2021, which leaves many opportunities for cross-promotion.
- Includes a Companion Teacher's Guide. Perfect for guided, at-home learning.
- **Encourages compassion and respect**: By learning about the inner lives of animals, *Do You Know Where the Animals Live?* inspires readers to feel compassion and respect for animals and the natural world.

LEVELING

Guided Reading Level: R

Common Core State Standards

RI.4.1,2,3,4,5,7,8,9 W.4.1.1a,1b,1c,1d,2,2a,2b,2d,2e,4,5,6,7,8,9,9b,10 SL.4.1,1a,1b,1c,1d,2,3,4,5,6 L.4.1,2,2a,2b,2c,2d,43,3a,3b,3c,4,4a,4b,4c,6

Next Generation Science Standards

4-LS1.A: Structure and Function 4-LS1.D: Information Processing

Summary

"I absolutely love this book." - Jane Goodall

From the New York Times-bestselling author of The Hidden Life of Trees and The Inner Life of Animals comes a book for kids ages 8-12 about animals at home and around the world. Get ready to become an animal expert!

Perfect for STEM learning and outdoor education.

Have you ever wondered

- Are worms afraid of the rain?
- Do fish use farts to communicate?
- Why do elephants stomp their feet?
- Do animals dream? What do they dream about?
- Do animals get scared, feel happy, or become excited like we do?

In this highly visual, fun, and interactive book, kids will get to know all sorts of animals, from birds and caterpillars in their own backyard, to grizzly bears in chilly Alaska, to puffer fish in the waters of Australia.

Through a mix of activities, facts, stories, and pictures, kids will learn:

- How to spot animal homes and follow their movements
- How our actions impact animals and their ability to survive and thrive in nature
- About some of the wildest and most interesting creatures on Earth

This wonderful introduction to the animal kingdom features playful questions, fun quizzes, and activities that will help kids study animals in their own backyards—and make the world a better place for them.

Contributor Bio

PETER WOHLLEBEN is the author of several books about the natural world, including *The Hidden Life of Trees, The Inner Life of Animals,* and *The Secret Wisdom of Nature*. His books for children include *Can You Hear the Trees Talking?, Do You Know Where the Animals Live?,* and *Peter and the Tree Children*. A longtime former forester, Wohlleben runs a Forest Academy in Germany that supports sustainable forest management and teaches adults and children about the many wonders of the forest. To learn more about Peter and his books, visit his website at peterwohllebenbooks.com.

Quotes

"In addition to covering typical informational subjects, [Peter Wohlleben] speaks to high-interest questions and those not usually seen in children's books. For instance, readers can find out what happens to animal poop, if there can ever be too many animals, if animals dream A great resource for kids to start thinking about and exploring the natural world."

-Booklist

"Smart, fun, funny, and fact-packed, [Do You Know Where the Animals Live?] is an irresistible introduction to the endlessly enchanting lives of our fellow creatures."

-Sy Montgomery, author of *The Soul of an Octopus*

"I absolutely love this book. Children of all ages—and adults too—will be fascinated and motivated to go out and explore the wonders of the animal kingdom in their area. Every family should have a copy and every school library one or more. In fact, *Do You Know Where Animals Live?* should be part of the curriculum."

-Jane Goodall

"[Wohlleben] turns his keen eye to some incredible creatures to share his knowledge about what it's like to be an animal."

-Globe and Mail

"A great book to put in the hands of any kid who wants to grow up to be a forest ranger, zoo keeper, veterinarian, animal trainer."

-Archimedes Notebook

"This book is so big-hearted, so inviting, and so packed with fun info and things to do that when I first saw it I kept thinking, 'I wish this existed when I was a kid.' You're lucky this terrific book is here now for you!"

-Carl Safina, author of Beyond Words; What Animals Think and Feel

"Peter Wohlleben's *Do You Know Where the Animals Live?* is an excellent and easy-to-read rich source of information about the fascinating lives of many of the other animals—including neighbors we encounter daily—with whom we share our magnificent planet."

—Marc Bekoff, author of *Canine Confidential: Why Dogs Do What They Do and Unleashing Your Dog: A Field Guide to Giving Your Canine Companion the Best Life Possible*

"This book is a perfect remedy for Nature Deficit Disorder. By posing questions, revealing little-known facts, and suggesting activities, Wohlleben delightfully cultivates curiosity and stokes stewardship in children and, I hope, their parents."

-Jonathan Balcombe, author of Super Fly, and What a Fish Knows

"From the man who taught the whole world that plants 'talk,' and 'feel,' and warn their friends of danger, comes an utterly charming book for young readers. Parents: If you read this out loud to your children, I guarantee that you too will learn something you didn't know. I did not know, for example, that whales have no lips, and the mother must squirt milk into her child."

-Jeffrey Moussaieff Masson, author of the New York Times bestsellers When Elephants Weep and Dogs Never Lie about Love

"The captivating photographic cover ...will reach out to student animal lovers. They will read this book for pleasure as they learn about all things wild animals....the author delivers....Interesting enough to be read cover to cover, this title would also work well for primary research with its table of contents and extensive index. Educators can use this title to teach these text features along with picture captions and an engaging, conversational narrative. Recommended."

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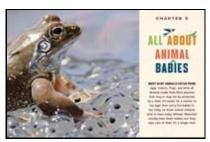
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Comp Titles



Tuttle Publishing 9784805319192

A\$19.99 Trade Paperback

48 Pages

fully illustrated in color Carton Qty: 80 Ages 6 to 12, Grades 1 to 7 Juvenile Nonfiction / Travel

254mm H | 178mm W Status: FORTHCOMING

My Awesome Japan Adventure

A Diary About the Best 4 Months Ever!

Rebecca Otowa

Key Selling Points

- Now available in paperback at a very attractive price
- Highly recommended on Amazon with great reviews
- A fun and informative introduction to Japanese culture and customs for children ages 6-12
- Includes fun activities to motivate children to do something which helps them learn about another culture

Summary

Picked as one of the best books of 2013 by the Association of Booksellers for Children

"The story and illustrations will hold a child's interest [...] written in a voice they can easily identify with." —The Japan Times

"Absolutely packed with cultural information: geography, breakfast, school, origami, history, rice harvest, food, pastimes, customs, tea ceremony—and much, much more!" —Kid World Citizen blog

"Rebecca Otowa truly knows her subject—having lived in Japan for 30 years and raised children and grandchildren here..." —Uncovering Japan blog

The perfect introduction to Japanese culture for kids!

My Awesome Japan Adventure is the diary of an American fifth grader who travels to Japan and spends four exciting months as an exchange student living with a Japanese family. He records his adventures so he can tell his friends back home about all the exciting things he did in Japan.

With the help of his Japanese foster brother and sister, he visits a Ninja village, tries unusual foods, learns Japanese brush painting, and gets the inside scoop on daily life at a Japanese school. Readers of all ages will love experiencing Japan from a kid's point of view!

Dan's adventures include: Making Onigiri Rice Ball Sandwiches, How and Why the Japanese Bow Correctly, Making an Origami Crane, Eating Sushi and Learning about Japanese Fish, Practicing Aikido, Making Mochi Balls, and much more!

My Awesome Japan Adventure is the perfect book for kids who want to explore another culture and have fun in the process!

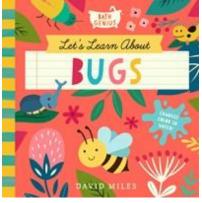
Contributor Bio

Rebecca Otowa was born in California, and studied Japanese Language and Culture at the University of Queensland in Australia. In 1978 she went to Japan, and never left. After graduating from Otani University in Kyoto, with an MA in Buddhism, she married the 19th-generation heir to a country estate nearby. In the years since, she has brought up two sons, taught university-level English, played music, acted on stage and kept a vegetable garden, but she eventually returned to her two great loves—writing and drawing. She is the author of *At Home in Japan* and *The Mad Kyoto Shoe Swapper and Other Short Stories*, along with her work as a translator and columnist.

Quotes

Picked as one of the best books of 2013 by the Association of Booksellers for Children

| "the story and illustrations will hold a child's interest with comparisons to Japanese and American culture written in a voice they can easily identify with." — <i>The Japan Times</i> | |
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| "This diary-cum-travelogue surveys aspects of traditional and modern Japanese culture from sushi and bowing (how and when to do it) to ninjas and manga." — School Library Journal | |
| "I highly recommend this incredible cultural gem—my kids poured over the pictures and text. Absolutely packed with cultural information: geography, breakfast, school, origami, history, rice harvest, food, pastimes, customs, tea ceremony—and much, much more!" — <i>Kid World Citizen</i> blog | |
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Bushel & Peck Books 9781638191834 1638191832 Pub Date: 6/08/2024 \$12.99/\$16.95 Can.

Discount Code: TRD

Bath Book

6 Pages color-changing illustrations Ages 0 to 3

Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals JNF003120

Series: Bath Genius 14.6 cm H | 14.6 cm W Status: FORTHCOMING

Let's Learn About Bugs A Color-Changing Bath Book

David Miles

Key Selling Points

- An adorable color-changing bath book asks questions about bugs!
- Kids will learn about insects and bugs in all shapes and sizes
- Padded vinyl cover
- When the book dries, the answers disappear—ready to be used again!
- Waterproof and can be easily cleaned with a soapy cloth

Summary

Rub-a-Dub... BUGS!

Books in the bathtub? Yes, please! While your little one scrubs off the day, let them lather on some science simultaneously! In this adorable bath book, kids will learn about insects and bugs in all shapes and sizes with amazing, color-changing illustrations.

Just dip the pages in water (How could you not? You're in the tub!) and watch insects, life-cycles, habitats, and more come to life before your very eyes. And what's even more magical, when the book dries, the artwork disappears!

Kids will beg to take the plunge again and again, practicing reading while learning about nature's most interesting bugs on the pages of this squishy, vinyl bath book. And parents will love that its easily cleaned with a soapy cloth, ready for repeat readings!

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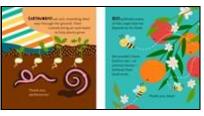
















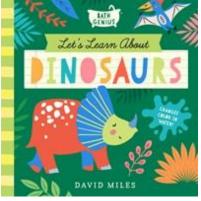
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| Watch Me Paint: Paint Famous Masterpieces with Just Your Finger! | Bushel & Peck Books | Bushel & Peck Books | 16/08/2022 | 9781733633581 1733633588 | \$12.99 USD | | Juvenile Nonfiction |
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| How Do You Take a Bath? | McMullan, Kate | Knopf Books for Young Readers | 4/04/2023 | 9780593568422 0593568427 | \$8.99 USD | Board Book | Juvenile Fiction |
| Bug Out! Color Magic Bath Book | Mudpuppy | Mudpuppy | 17/01/2023 | 9780735376328 0735376328 | \$9.99 USD | Novelty Book | Juvenile Nonfiction |

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Discount Code: TRD

Bath Book

6 Pages color-changing illustrations Ages 0 to 3

Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals JNF003050

Series: Bath Genius 14.6 cm H | 14.6 cm W Status: FORTHCOMING

Let's Learn About Dinosaurs

A Color-Changing Bath Book

David Miles

Key Selling Points

- An adorable color-changing bath book asks questions about dinosaurs!
- Kids will learn about dinosaurs all shapes and sizes
- Padded vinyl cover
- When the book dries, the answers disappear—ready to be used again!
- Waterproof and can be easily cleaned with a soapy cloth

Summary

Rub-a-Dub... DINOSAURS!

Books in the bathtub? Yes, please! While your little one scrubs off the day, let them lather on some science simultaneously! In this adorable bath book, kids will learn about dinosaurs in all shapes and sizes with amazing, color-changing illustrations.

Just dip the pages in water (How could you not? You're in the tub!) and watch dinosaurs, habitats, and more come to life before your very eyes. And what's even more magical, when the book dries, the artwork disappears!

Kids will beg to take the plunge again and again, practicing reading while learning about history's most interesting dinosaurs on the pages of this squishy, vinyl bath book. And *parents* will love that its easily cleaned with a soapy cloth, ready for repeat readings!

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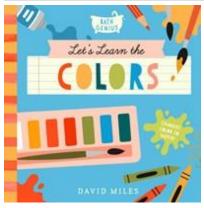
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| How Do You Take a Bath? | McMullan, Kate | Knopf Books for Young Readers | $\Delta/(1\Delta/J(1))$ | 9780593568422 0593568427 | \$8.99 USD | Board Book | Juvenile Fiction |
| Rub-a-Dub Dinos! Color Magic Bath Book | Mudpuppy | Mudpuppy | 12/07/2022 | 9780735375062 0735375062 | \$9.99 USD | Novelty Book | Juvenile Fiction |

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Bath Book

6 Pages color-changing illustrations Ages 0 to 3

Juvenile Nonfiction / Concepts JNF013020

Series: Bath Genius 14.6 cm H | 14.6 cm W Status: FORTHCOMING

Let's Learn the Colors

A Color-Changing Bath Book

David Miles

Key Selling Points

- An adorable color-changing bath book that teaches about the basic colors!
- Kids will learn about the basic colors, color mixing, warm and cool hues, and more
- Padded vinyl cover
- When the book dries, the answers disappear—ready to be used again!
- Waterproof and can be easily cleaned with a soapy cloth

Summary

Rub-a-Dub... COLORS!

Books in the bathtub? Yes, please! While your little one scrubs off the day, let them lather on some science simultaneously! In this adorable bath book, kids will learn about reds, blues, and yellows (and what happens when you mix them!) with amazing, color-changing illustrations.

Just dip the pages in water (How could you not? You're in the tub!) and watch colors mix and change tones and hues before your very eyes. And what's even more magical, when the book dries, the artwork disappears!

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TITLE INFORMATION

Double Felix

Sally Harris, illustrated by Maria Serrano

"Eleven-year-old Felix Twain's life revolves around the number two."

He skips every second step when he takes the stairs, taps door handles twice and positions objects in pairs. The problem has become so bad that Felix is on the verge of being expelled from school because the principal has had enough of trying to run the school around his very specific rules.

Then Charlie Pye arrives and turns his world upside down. She's grown up with very few rules. She eats cereal for lunch, calls a boat home, and has a very loose interpretation of school uniform. The question is, can Felix ever learn to be wrong when he is so obsessed with being right?

KEY SALES POINTS

💝 A brand new edition of this bestselling title. Includes a whole new section on how to make your own comic. Put together by the husband and wife team behind Quickdraw Stories (www.quickdrawstories.com) you too can now easily learn how to create your own comic...just like Felix Twain and Charlie Pye!





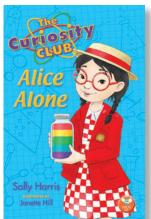


A story about a boy with OCD that shines a light on problems caused by OCD and Autism.

An Empathy Lab selection in 2020



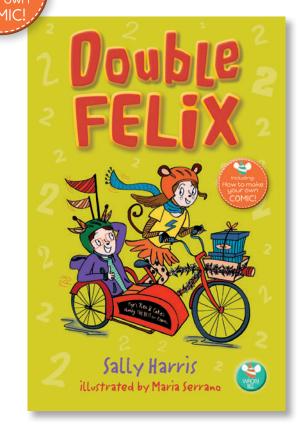
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TITLE INFORMATION

The Curiosity Club: Alice Alone

Sally Harris, illustrated by Janette Hill

"Where do you run when your former best friend tips her lunch straight into your lap?"

When Alice Chang starts out at her new school, everything isn't quite as rosy as she'd dreamed. First, she falls out with previous best friend, Gigi, and then she finds that the only after-school club still available is GAS (Girls Achieving at STEM) which Alice considers extremely uncool. However, with the help of an inspirational teacher and two new best friends, Alice discovers that being cool isn't always what it looks like in teen magazines and that being yourself and being smart can be the coolest thing of all.

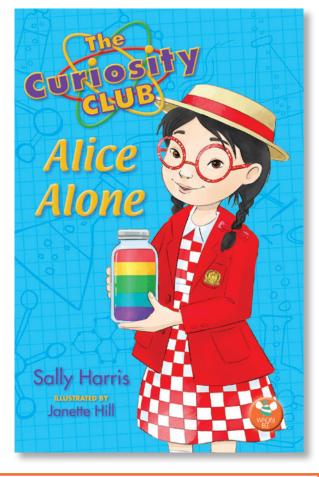
KEY SALES POINTS

- New title from Sally Harris, author of the bestselling Double Felix.
- First in a three-part series about three very different
- 🐸 For girls everywhere who want to get involved in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics).
- Packed full of fun experiments and challenges which can easily be recreated at home.

Also available from the same author:







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TITLE INFORMATION

The Curiosity Club: Being Bee

Sally Harris, illustrated by Janette Hill

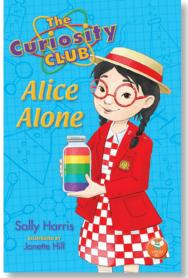
"I don't think I've found my thing yet. Other than being a girl, of course. It sometimes feels like that's my job in this family, just being the only daughter, the little princess."

Bee, Alice and Cleo met at the after-school club GAS (Girls Achieving at STEM) and are now inseperable. Together they have entered the prestigious Think League Challenge and Bee is determined to win. However, it sometimes feels like an uphill battle. Alice and Cleo don't seem to be taking the competition as seriously as her, and her family are more interested in her role as bridesmaid at her aunt's upcoming wedding. Bee sets out to achieve her dreams on her own, but soon discovers that going solo isn't all it's cracked up to be and that friends and family are more important than she thought.

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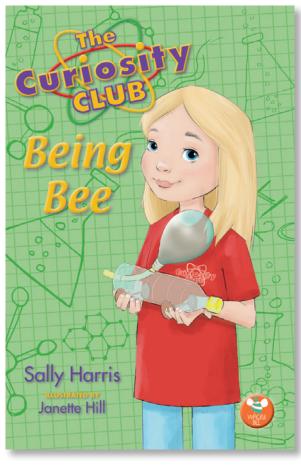
- Book 2 in the STEM-friendly series The Curiosity Club.
- Book 1, Alice Alone, was a 2022 Summer Reading Challenge selection.
- For girls everywhere who want to get involved in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics).
- Packed full of fun experiments and challenges which can easily be recreated at home.

Book 1, *Alice Alone*, available from the same author with Book 3 publishing early 2024.









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20 Pages
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Ages 6 to 9
Juvenile Nonfiction
/ Transportation
JNF057010
Series: All Aboard!
9.5 in H | 9.5 in W

Status: FORTHCOMING

Planes

Radka Piro, Diarmuid O Cathain

Key Selling Points

- Popular Topic: Makes aviation accessible and fun for young readers.
- Engaging Layout: Modern infographics for easy comprehension and exploration.
- **Accessible Content:** Provides just the right amount of information, with captivating illustrations to keep kids engaged.
- **Guiding Companion:** Karl the kiwi bird is an accessible guide to pique kids' curiosity about oceanography.

Language rights sold: Simplified Chinese, Uzbek

Summary

Join Karl the kiwi bird as we fly high into the awe-inspiring world of aviation, exploring planes and history in a fun, fully illustrated kids' book.

Soar into the thrilling heights of aviation, spanning the rich history of flight, various aircraft types, and the critical influence of weather conditions on air travel. Follow Karl, a wingless kiwi bird with dreams of flying, on a virtual expedition through a bustling airport and a control tower as he turns his aviation aspirations into reality, despite his inability to fly. This book excels at simplifying intricate concepts, using vibrant illustrations and intriguing facts to captivate children's imaginations. Whether your child aspires to be a pilot or seeks to quench their curiosity about the mechanics of airplanes, this book serves as an ideal springboard to the soaring world of aviation.

Geared towards aspiring aviators and airplane enthusiasts ages 6–9, this book is an educational resource that encourages curiosity and a passion for aviation. With its sturdy pages, vivid illustrations, and fun facts, it offers an immersive hands-on experience of the skies that simplifies complex concepts engagingly. The combination of modern graphics and Karl's charismatic guidance turns learning about airplanes into a delightful adventure, fostering a lifelong love for aviation while providing valuable educational content in an accessible format.

Contributor Bio

Radka Piro is a bookworm, a passionate traveler, and a creative storyteller. After studying foreign languages, she set out to explore the distant corners of the world and discover her true purpose. Now, she is a successful writer and editor, based in the Czech Republic.

Diarmuid O Cathain is an Irish illustrator and picture book maker. After obtaining a degree in Visual Communications, he worked in the Graphic Design field, before pursuing a career in Illustration. With over 10 years of freelance illustration experience, Diarmuid has worked with a wide range of clients, both Irish and international, on a variety of projects from editorial and advertising to packaging and animation. He is always looking for new opportunities to collaborate and new visual challenges to sink his teeth into.

Quotes

Selected for the Reading Rockets Summer Reading Guide 2024.

"Planes is a fun little story that follows Karl the Kiwi on his adventure learning to fly! The illustrations are fun and vibrant. They tie in with the text perfectly, not only elaborating what is written in the text, but also lending themselves to being an additional learning resource." —*Cherokee Crum, YA Books Central*

"Planes is a great book for kids of all ages! With fun pictures and extensive information, all ages could learn from this book. I definitely would buy this for my library." —*Librarian, Nativity Prep Boston*

Marketing Plans

Marketing activities held by **Publisher Spotlight**:

- Pitch reviews in *Publishers Weekly, SLJ, Booklist, Kirkus, Shelf Awareness, Horn Book*
- Mail to long and short lead media contacts
- Pitch reviews to appropriate blogs and websites
- Checklist for online journals, influencers, bloggers, review centers
- Social media content, where appropriate: Twitter, Instagram, Facebook, Pinterest, TikTok
- Included in themed Pinterest boards
- TLA, NSTA, ALA (and other shows, as appropriate)
- Presentations to library selector groups in Chicago, New York, Boston, Washington D.C.

Links

- Website of the illustrator Diarmuid O Cathain
- Instagram of the illustrator Diarmuid O Cathain
- Browse the book on YouTube

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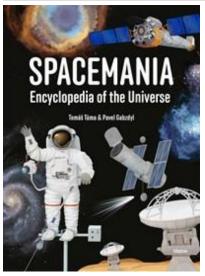


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| Rockets | Hanackova, Pavla | Albatros Media | 8/16/2022 | 9788000063492 8000063492 | \$14.95 USD | Novelty Book | Juvenile Nonfiction |
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| Submarines | Harastova, Helena | Albatros Media | 5/14/2024 | 9788000070988 8000070987 | \$\$14.95 USD | Hardcover Paper over boards | Juvenile Nonfiction |
| What Things Come From Nature? | Piro, Radka | Albatros Media | 8/23/2022 | 9788000063607 8000063603 | ' \$15.99 USD | Lift-the-flap Book | Juvenile Nonfiction |
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64 Pages Color illustrations throughout Carton Qty: 24

Ages 9 to 12 Juvenile Nonfiction / Technology JNF051010

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Spacemania: Encyclopedia of the Universe

Pavel Gabzdyl, Tomas Tuma

Key Selling Points

- **Definitive Space Resource:** The go-to resource for young space enthusiasts, offering a compendium of essential knowledge about our universe.
- **Cutting-Edge Information:** Featuring the latest facts, including insights from the universe's recent expansion, captivating images of the Big Bang, and remarkable new discoveries related to black holes.
- **Visual Marvel:** Explore space with captivating illustrations that make learning about the cosmos a visually inspiring delight.
- Written by a Beloved Planetary Scientist: Pavel Gabzdyl, who works at the Brno Observatory and Planetarium in the Czech Republic, received the Littera Astronomica Award from the Czech Astronomical Society for his work in popularizing science and has even had a planet (Gabzdyl 43971) named after him.

Language rights sold: Catalan, Mongolian, Uzbek

Summary

Dive into a fully illustrated, comprehensive encyclopedia that unveils the wonders of the universe, from its cosmic origins to celestial bodies and interplanetary exploration.

Written by a passionate planetary scientist dedicated to popularizing science, this comprehensive guide introduces young readers to the cosmos. From the enigmatic origins of our universe to the vast realms of stars, constellations, and planetary exploration, this guide serves as a gateway to the wonders of space by delving into the captivating stories of celestial bodies, interplanetary missions, and the quest to understand our universe.

Authored by a true space aficionado, thereby ensuring an authoritative perspective, *Spacemania* gives young readers ages 9–12 a solid foundation in astronomy, simplifying abstract astronomical concepts so that they are clear, tangible, and accessible. Every page is adorned with realistic illustrations that breathe life into the mysteries of space, creating an immersive experience. With its striking visual appeal and in-depth information, it's the ideal resource for budding astronomers, space enthusiasts, and kids with any level of interest in the hard sciences, igniting a lifelong passion for space exploration and scientific discovery.

Contributor Bio

Pavel Gabzdyl is a planetary scientist who works at the Brno Observatory and Planetarium in the Czech Republic. He has written many popular science articles and several books on objects in our solar system. In 2004, he realized his dream of holding a moon rock – his exploration of this topic resulted in his being awarded a master's degree in Geology. A planet, Gabzdyl (43971), was named after him in 2007. In 2013, he received the Littera Astronomica Award from the Czech Astronomical Society for his work in popularizing science.

Tomas Tuma is a Czech freelance illustrator, photographer, and programmer. He has authored many educational adventure books for children, where he popularizes modern technologies. He studied English and Art Education and enjoys walking in the woods. He currently resides in the Czech Republic.

Quotes

Selected for The Children's Book Council's July 2024 "Hot Off The Press" Reading List

"Each two-page spread bursts with colorful illustrations and fascinating information.

The information is divided into small tidbits that won't overwhelm readers. There are some true highlights in this book. Spacemania: Encyclopedia of the Universe is an engaging non-fiction book perfect for curious readers who love space." —*Sara*

Perrera, YA Books Central

"Also great for older kids is Spacemania Encyclopedia of the Universe. This one is literally *full* of information about anything and everything having to do with doace: from uniforms of astronauts to planets and their main moons, to how we observe the universe, it's all here. This would be great for space-minded kids to spend time pouring over." —*Picturebook Playdate, IG*

Marketing Plans

Marketing activities held by **Publisher Spotlight**:

- Pitch reviews in *Publishers Weekly, SLJ, Booklist, Kirkus, Shelf Awareness, Horn Book*
- Mail to long and short lead media contacts
- Pitch reviews to appropriate blogs and websites
- Checklist for online journals, influencers, bloggers, review centers
- Social media content, where appropriate: Twitter, Instagram, Facebook, Pinterest, TikTok
- Included in themed Pinterest boards
- TLA, NSTA, ALA (and other shows, as appropriate)
- Presentations to library selector groups in Chicago, New York, Boston, Washington D.C.

Links

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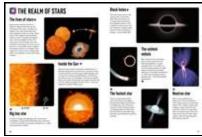
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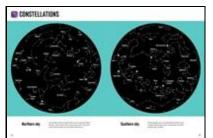
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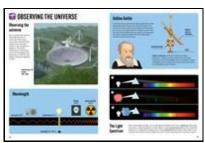
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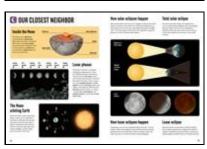




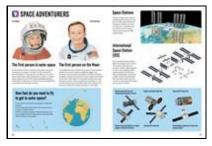




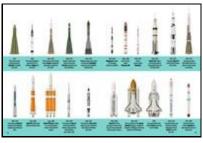


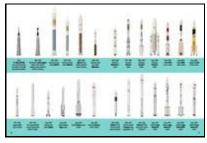














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| Space Encyclopedia, 2nd Edition | Kids, National Geographic | National Geographic Kids | 11/3/2020 | 9781426338564 1426338562 | \$24.99 USD | Hardcover Juvenile Fiction |
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| Space Exploration for Kids | Betts, Bruce | Callisto Kids | 5/24/2022 | 9798886086737 9798886086737 | ' \$16.99 ' USD | Hardcover Juvenile Nonfiction |
| My First Space Atlas | Wilsher, Jane | Weldon Owen | 2/28/2023 | 9781681888880 1681888882 | \$19.99 USD | Hardcover Juvenile Nonfiction |
| Lonely Planet Kids The Complete Guide to Space Exploration | Kids, Lonely Planet | Lonely Planet | 9/15/2020 | 9781838690878 1838690875 | \$18.99 USD | Hardcover Juvenile Nonfiction |

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64 Pages Color illustrations throughout Carton Qty: 16 Ages 6 to 9 Juvenile Nonfiction / History JNF025020

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Magical Museum: Ancient Egypt

Stepanka Sekaninova, Jakub Cenkl

Key Selling Points

- **Inspiring Adventure:** Kids step into a living museum of Ancient Egypt, actively taking part in a playful journey.
- **Fun Framework:** A sacred scarab and mummy cat bring exhibits to life for an interactive learning experience.
- **History Made Vivid:** Egyptian history comes alive in rich details that go far beyond monotonous facts.
- **Playful Education:** Discover the past while having fun with interactive storytelling.

Language rights sold: Spanish, Ukrainian

Summary

When a magical scarab awakens a museum exhibit, a mummified cat leads kids on an enchanting adventure, teaching them about Ancient Egyptian history, life, and culture.

Prepare to be transported deep into the mesmerizing heart of Ancient Egypt. As you open the book's pages, you unwittingly awaken a mystical scarab, setting in motion a thrilling adventure back through history. Join a mummified cat on a quest to capture the scarab and restore normality to the museum. In their chase through the museum's various rooms, the scarab breathes life into ancient exhibits, immersing readers in the rich tapestry of Ancient Egyptian culture and daily life.

Magical Museum: Ancient Egypt strikes just the right balance between learning and entertainment, making it the ideal choice for parents and educators seeking to inspire young minds by making education fun. With its interactive story and captivating illustrations, it seamlessly introduces kids ages 6–9 to the wonders of Ancient Egypt, cultivating a love for history and exploration, sparking kids' imaginations, and prompting them to be active participants in their own education.

Contributor Bio

Stepanka Sekaninova used to work as a TV reporter and in the production of children's programs. Now she is a writer and an editor-in-chief, living in the Czech Republic.

Jakub Cenkl is a Czech illustrator. After enrolling in an Electrical Engineering and Computer Science program, he soon found it wasn't for him and transferred to a teacher-training program in art education. There, he discovered his passion for graphic design and began to learn it in his spare time. When he's not in front of his computer, he enjoys running in the hills to clear his head.

Ouotes

Selected for CBC's Summer Showcase 2024: Imagination Celebration

"Book will definitely appeal to children curious about this topic." -Librarian

"Each aspect is explained in short text blocks that will hold a reader's interest. The illustrations are realistic and capture this civilization." —Pamela G., NetGalley-Librarian

"I would have adored this as a child, and certainly would have read and reread this book. The illustrations are very helpful, and do a good job of showing what the artifacts looked like, as well as the settings in which they were found and used. There are funny touches, like the mummified cat and the rats, who show up in unusual places, but in general, there is a real effort to replicate the museum setting and to use the

illustrations in an informative way." -Karen Yingling, YA Books Central

"I adored how appealing the images and story made this book. I find it hard to find fun educational books that younger children are drawn to, but this one fits the bill."

-NetGalley-Educator

"While on this quest we get to learn so many amazing facts and information about Egypt, the country, the people and the culture. I loved this fun story and so did my children. It made learning so much fun. It was written in a creative and exciting way that captivates us. The story was easy to follow and understand. The bright and colorful illustrations really bring out the magic of this little adventure. We can't wait to add this to our home library. Enjoy this little adventure with your family." —Katie W., NetGalley-Reviewer

"This book was fun! I loved the mummy cat that served as a tour guide throughout the museum, specially the section on ancient Egypt. The book covered many topics about life in ancient Egypt— ancient Egyptian houses, food, mummification, writing, etc!"

—NetGalley-Educator

"A touch of magic and a curious kitty make it fun to explore all sorts of historical tidbits about ancient Egypt, which go beyond the usual dates and facts. The text speaks to the reader, giving it a conversation direction, and this also helps to keep a lighter atmosphere. The illustrations are well done and help to bring the information across with more clarity. The details add a better idea as to what life was like at the time, while also tossing in a bit of humor and fun. It's an enjoyable read, which keeps the audience level in mind, while offering quite a bit of information. Readers will come out knowing more about Egypt and the culture, and it does offer a rounded foundation for more solid facts in the future." **—Tonja R Drecker**

"Kids will love that different characters from King Tut, a mummy cat, and a mouse relay information in dialogue bubbles. Fun!" —*Imagination Soup Blog*

"Ada and I have been absolutely enchanted by "Magical Museum: Ancient Egypt". Ada has been learning all about mummies, tombs, Pharaohs, and hieroglyphics thanks to this interactive adventure. The book features the cutest tour guide—a charming black cat on every page! As we flipped through, we were guided by this adorable feline on a mission to catch a scarab and undo its curse. Along the way, we learned fascinating facts about ancient Egypt and even met Tutankhamun and the archaeologist who discovered him." —**Read with a Rescue, IG**

Marketing Plans

Marketing activities held by Publisher Spotlight:

- Pitch reviews in *Publishers Weekly, SLJ, Booklist, Kirkus, Shelf Awareness, Horn Book*
- Mail to long and short lead media contacts
- Pitch reviews to appropriate blogs and websites
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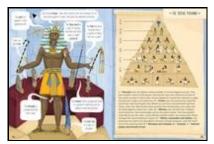
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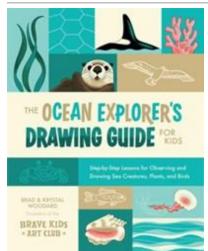




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| A Child's Introduction to Egyptology | Alexander, Heather | Black Dog & Leventhal | 16/03/2021 | 9780762471577 0762471573 | ' \$21.99 USD | Hardcover | Juvenile Nonfiction |
| Ancient Egypt for Kids | Ruzicka, Oldrich | Albatros Media | 22/11/2022 | 9788000065991 8000065991 | \$16.95 USD | Hardcover Paper over boards | Juvenile Nonfiction |
| Encyclopedia of Ordinary Living | Sekaninova, Stepanka | Albatros Media | 29/11/2022 | 9788000065939 8000065932 | \$16.95 USD | Hardcover Paper over boards | Juvenile Nonfiction |
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The Ocean Explorer's Drawing Guide For Kids

Step-by-Step Lessons for Observing and Drawing Sea Creatures, Plants, and Birds

Brad Woodard, Krystal Woodard

Key Selling Points

Author is a popular YouTube drawing instructor and host of The Brave Kids Art Club, an online drawing show.

Author and his wife run Brave the Woods, a creative agency that focuses on making fun educational products for both kids and those who are kids at heart. They have designed products for major brands, children's books, animations, toys, and more.

Summary

Become an ocean explorer with this interactive guidebook with step-by-step drawing lessons and fascinating facts about amazing sea creatures!

Perfect for aspiring ocean explorers and budding artists, The Ocean Explorer's Drawing Guide For Kids shows kids how to observe and draw their favorite ocean animals and beach discoveries in a fun, interactive style! Popular YouTube drawing instructor Brad Woodard, founder of the Brave Kids Art Club show, shares his easy-to-follow lessons and tips and tricks for getting outside and drawing cool stuff. Featuring:

Easy-to-Follow Instructions: Simple steps-by-step illustrations show to to create fun drawings with no experience necessary.

Intro to Exploring: Encourages kids to get outside and make their own discoveries, including facts about the beach and ocean, things to observe about them, what to look for, and where to find them.

30+ Awesome Ocean Animals: Featuring your favorite creatures such as sharks, whales, fish, crabs, birds, plants, and more.

Interactive Journal Pages: Includes fill-in-the-blank pages of prompts for kids to record their observations and drawings.

This is the ultimate guide for any kid who wants to explore the ocean and learn to draw!

Contributor Bio

Brad Woodard is a designer, illustrator, and content creator who runs a creative agency called Brave the Woods. His agency's focus is making fun educational products for both kids, and those who are kids at heart. He's designed for major brands, children's books, animations, toys, and more! He is also the host of the online show show The Brave Kids Art Club which not only teaches basic drawing techniques, but also how to explore and learn about the fascinating world around us.

Krystal Woodard is a children's book author, and a co-founder of Brave the Woods, a design and illustration agency based in Boise, Idaho. She also is the chief operation officer of Brave Kids Art Club, an art education resource for kids. Krystal loves working on exciting, creative projects that solve problems for good causes. When she isn't working, Krystal enjoys going on adventures and exploring the world with her husband, her three children, and their two dogs.

Marketing Plans

Generate press and add to Rocky Nook website

Distribute PR to identified, aligned publications and members of the media

Promote product through Rocky Nook site and social media channels

Establish affiliate programs to sell/market new title

Set-up author interviews/webinars with author

Work with author to generate relatable content to share alongside the release of book (how-to, blog post, photo contest, social promotions)

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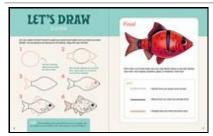
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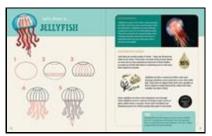
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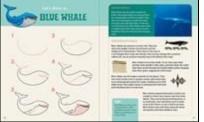


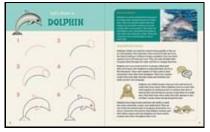


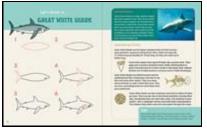












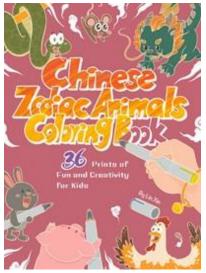




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Trade Paperback
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Carton Qty: 50 Ages 7 to 9, Grades 2 to 3

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Chinese Zodiac Animals Coloring Book 36 Prints of Fun and Creativity for Kids

Xin Lin

Key Selling Points

UNIQUE AND BEAUTIFUL ILLUSTRATIONS: You will get 36 gorgeous and adorable hand-drawn, original zodiac images to enjoy in this book. SINGLE-SIDED IMAGES: Each image is printed on its own separate page to prevent bleed-through and allow you to easily remove and frame your favorite piece(s) of art. 7.25 * 10.25-INCH IMAGES PRINTED ON BRIGHT WHITE PREMIUM PAPER: The large format pages make it easy for children to color, and the paper is suitable for any drawing tool including pencils, crayon, water colors and markers. DIVERSE ZODIAC CHARACTERISTICS: Each Chinese zodiac sign has three diverse images designed to reflect the different personalities represented behind the zodiac sign. Children can learn adjectives representing different personalities in coloring, and can also understand the connection between the zodiac sign and personality. INTERESTING STORY AND CULTURAL NOTES: Besides the coloring part, knowledge of Chinese zodiac animals and calendar of zodiac years are presented to both children and parents for reference and fun.

Summary

This coloring book allows children to give full play to their creativity while helping them to understand the story behind the Chinese zodiac and recognize their own zodiac sign. Unique and beautiful illustrations. You will get 36 gorgeous and adorable hand-drawn, original zodiac images to enjoy in this book. Single-sided images. Each image is printed on its own separate page to prevent bleed-through and allow you to easily remove and frame your favorite piece(s) of art. 7.25 * 10.25-inch images printed on bright white premium paper. The large format pages make it easy for children to color, and the paper is suitable for any drawing tool including pencils, crayon, water colors and markers! Diverse zodiac characteristics. Each Chinese zodiac sign has three diverse images designed to reflect the different personalities represented behind the zodiac sign. Children can learn adjectives representing different personalities in coloring, and can also understand the connection between the zodiac sign and personality. A great enlightenment book. This book introduces the traditional culture of the Chinese zodiac in a diversified way.

Contributor Bio

Lin Xin specializes in the design and drawing of illustrations for children's books. He has had over ten books published.

























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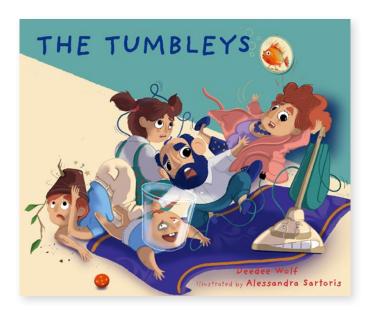
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Binding: Hardback

Trim Size: 21.0 cm in H | 25.5 cm in W

Extent: 40 pages | Four-colour Interior

Weight: 0.37 kg | Carton Quantity: 36 copies

Imprint: Starfish Bay Children's Books

- A hilarious story that will keep children in fits of giggles the whole read through.
- Stretch your imagination with this strange, tumbling world of fun.
- Exciting, dynamic illustrations packed with action and humour accentuate this imaginative story.



The Tumbleys

Deedee Wolf Illustrated by Alessandra Sartoris

The Tumbleys are too clumsy, and something must be done! Good thing there's a chicken here to fix it.

The Tumbleys are a very clumsy family. Mr Tumbley tumbles over big things. Mrs Tumbley tumbles over small things. And the Tumbley children all tumble over each other. There is far too much tumbling – something must be done! And a group of chickens have arrived with sledgehammers to do it, turning the Tumbley household upside down to make it safer for the accident-prone family. Will the chickens be able to fix the Tumbley's tumbling problem? Tumble into a book packed with dynamic and hilarious illustrations.

Deedee Wolf lives in North Canterbury, New Zealand with her children and pets. They live in a fairy-tale cottage with a magical garden. Deedee adores children and animals. She has a special affection for neurodivergent children as both her own children are on the autism spectrum. Many of Deedee's stories have been inspired by her children and how they experience the world. Deedee is also an artist.

Alessandra Sartoris is an Italian illustrator with 13 years of experience in editorial illustration for children's books, magazines and advertising. She also works with motion graphics, creating emotional projection mapping shows or creating narrative infographics. Alessandra has developed skills in various fields of visual design not only to offer professional expertise, but also due to her passion for this field.





Ja Books Helen Vivienne Fletche

ISBN: 978-1-80036-074-7

RRP: \$24.99 AUD

Age of intended audience: 5 years and up

Release Date: 2nd December 2024

Binding: Hardback

Trim Size: 21.0 cm in H | 25.5 cm in W **Extent:** 32 pages | Four-colour Interior

Weight: 0.34 kg | Carton Quantity: 40 copies

Imprint: Tiny Seed

- An empathetic story about a child discovering his love for reading.
- This story embraces important themes of acceptance, connection, and working to one's strengths.
- Expressive illustrations explore immersion and expression through use of style, space to effortlessly communicate with young readers (or not-quite-readers!)



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ADVANCE INFORMATION SHEET

Jack's Books

Helen Vivienne Fletcher Illustrated by Denise Damanti

Jack loves books – just not reading them. Can he find a way to connect with his book-loving family?

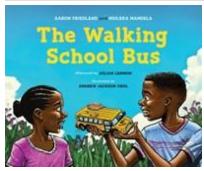
Jack's family loves books, and so does Jack – just not for reading. Jack's book buildings are driving his family to frustration, until one day Jack makes a discovery: there are pirates in books! As Jack dives into new worlds, he realises books might just hold even more...

Immersive and imaginative illustrations catapult us into Jack's world, and into the worlds he discovers in his own books.

Helen Vivienne Fletcher is a children's and young adult author, playwright and story time fairy from Aotearoa (New Zealand). Helen lives in Wellington with her disability assist dog, Bindi, a playful Labrador who loves soft toys and cuddles and can fit three tennis balls in her mouth at once.

Denise Damanti was born near Florence, Italy. Deciding to pursue a career in visual arts, Denise completed a Visual Design course at Nemo Academy of Visual Arts in 2017. It was here that she was introduced to the world of illustration. Denise creates fantastic, and sometimes, "halfway" worlds. She believes that it is through an altered world that there is space for an imagination that represents life at its fullest.





Greystone Kids 9781778402173 1778402178 Pub Date: 7/23/2024 On Sale Date: 7/23/2024 \$9.95/£8.99 UK Discount Code: JVTP Paperback Picture Book

48 Pages Carton Qty: 60 Ages 4 to 8 Juvenile Fiction / School & Education JUV035000

9 in H | 11 in W Status:**FORTHCOMING**

Related Products Other Formats

The Walking School Bus 9781771644693 \$18.95

Ebooks

9781771644709

The Walking School Bus

Aaron Friedland, Ndileka Mandela, Julian Lennon, Andrew Jackson Obol

Key Selling Points

- Introduction to an issue children face around the world: provides insight into and empathy for many children globally who struggle to access education.
- Celebrates children's imagination and autonomy: The Walking School Bus shows the wonderful ideas kids can come up with on their own—and what they can accomplish by working together.
- **Notable co-author:** Activist and author Ndileka Mandela, granddaughter of Nelson Mandela, brings her expertise in supporting education in rural South Africa to the book.
- **Vibrant illustrations:** Ugandan-Canadian illustrator Andrew Jackson Obol's proudly Afrocentric art brings the characters to life.

LEVELING

Lexile: AD590L

Guided reading level: O

Summary

A "moving tale of two enterprising siblings determined to find a safe way to get to school" (New York Times), this singular picture book celebrates the creativity, ingenuity, and passion of children all over the world.

Features an afterword from Julian Lennon, and notes from co-authors Aaron Friedland and Ndileka Mandela.

Every morning, Shaka and his little sister Nandi walk with their father to school. Though the journey is long and hot, they arrive at school happy to see their friends and ready to learn. Then one day, their father gives them terrible news: he has to go work in a mine far away, and they won't be able to go to school anymore. The route is too dangerous for them to walk alone, so they'll have to stay home.

But when they discover a yellow toy bus in the dirt, Shaka and Nandi let their imaginations run wild. Could they buy their own school bus? Or build one themselves? Their plans prove much harder than they thought—but just when they're about to give up, Shaka and Nandi come up with an ingenious solution to get to school, one that will take the whole community to help.

With lively illustrations from Andrew Jackson Obol, *The Walking School Bus* is an engaging story that shows the challenges many children around the world face in accessing education, as well as the creativity and community spirit that can help overcome them.

Contributor Bio

Aaron Friedland is the founder and executive director of the Simbi Foundation, which provides support for children around the world who face difficulties in accessing education. The interviews he conducted with children in rural Africa and India inspired the story of *The Walking School Bus*, his first book. He lives in Vancouver, BC.

Ndileka Mandela is an activist, author, and head of the Thembekile Mandela

Foundation, which continues the legacy of her grandfather Nelson Mandela by supporting education and health in rural South Africa. She lives in South Africa.

Andrew Jackson Obol is an illustrator whose proudly Afrocentric art has been published widely in children's books, academic textbooks, and comic books. Andrew was born and raised in Uganda and now lives in Halifax, Nova Scotia, where he is studying in the Masters of Art program at NSCAD University.

Julian Lennon is a singer-songwriter, photographer, children's book author, and the founder of the White Feather Foundation.

Quotes

- "Moving"
- -The New York Times

"An inspiring and disquieting testament to the value of education."

-Kirkus Reviews

"An uplifting tale about the determination of global children to get an education. Obol deftly brings this story to life through colorful and expressive cartoon-ish illustrations that speak to themes of perseverance and pride."

-Pauletta Brown Bracy, Horn Book

"A lively, engaging story with colorful illustrations that help readers become aware of the challenges other children face around the world to get an education."

-Books to Borrow, Books to Buy

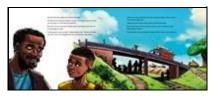
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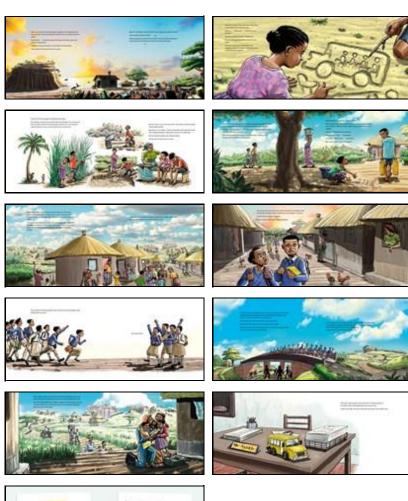














| The Library Bus | Rahman, Bahram | Pajama Press | 10/11/2022 | 9781772782653 1772782653 | \$12.95 USD | Paperback - with flaps | Juvenile Fiction |
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| The Walking School Bus | Friedland, Aaron | Greystone Kids | 8/22/2023 | 9781771644693 1771644699 | \$ \$18.95 USD | Hardcover Picture Book | Juvenile Fiction |
| School Days Around the World | Ruurs, Margriet | Kids Can Press | 7/7/2020 | 9781525305603 1525305603 | 8 \$8.99 USD | Paperback | Juvenile Nonfiction |

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Albatros Media 9788000071046 8000071045

Pub Date: 8/13/2024 On Sale Date: 8/13/2024 \$9.99/\$12.99 Can./£7.99 UK/€8.99 EU

Discount Code: JVHC Board Book

10 Pages Color illustrations throughout Carton Qty: 40 Ages 3 to 5

Juvenile Fiction / Fairy Tales & Folklore

JUV012030 Series: Fairy Tale Shape Books

5.7 in H | 4.7 in W Status: FORTHCOMING

Hansel and Gretel

Lenka Chytilova, Shunsuke Satake

Key Selling Points

- **Timeless Tale:** Introduces the youngest readers to a beloved fairy tale.
- **Interactive Design:** Pages shaped to mimic scenes from the story for a tactile experience.
- **Kid-Friendly Size:** Perfect size for small hands.
- **Swift Reading:** Minimal text ensures quick enjoyment.
- Lasting Quality: A book that's also a toy made of sturdy materials for enduring usage.

Language rights sold: Catalan, Spanish for Europe, Georgian, Hungarian, Polish

Summary

Experience the classic fairy tale of Hansel and Gretel like never before in a board book for young readers shaped like scenes from the story.

In the heart of a mysterious forest, where secrets lurk behind every tree, a timeless fairy tale comes to life. Join Hansel and Gretel as they venture deeper into the woods and stumble upon a house made of gingerbread. All is not as it seems as the story unfolds through this inventively crafted board book. Shaped to resemble scenes from the story, each page introduces a new setting, adding a hands-on and visual dimension to this beloved tale that teaches kids to be resourceful in the face of danger and to beware of deception.

This unique board book, aimed at kids ages 3–5, brings the classic fairy tale of Hansel and Gretel vividly to life for the smallest readers. With its highly tactile format, it offers a freshly interactive way to experience an age-old folk story. Designed to fit perfectly into small hands, it's both a book and a toy, providing hours of entertainment. Its durable construction ensures that it can withstand enthusiastic young hands, making it a lasting addition to any child's library.

Contributor Bio

Lenka Chytilova was drawn to books and writing from a young age. It was no surprise, then, when she got a degree in Czech Language and Literature and German Translation. She has always tried to connect books and reading, her greatest hobby, with her work; she worked part-time in a bookshop for many years and she also worked as an editor and proofreader. Lenka likes classic Czech fairytales, and she loves Večerníček, the Czech television program for children's bedtime stories. She grew up in a village in East Moravia.

Shunsuke Satake is an independent illustrator specializing in stylized animal designs. After working as a graphic designer, he became an independent illustrator in 2007. He has created illustrations and characters for advertisements and books, and published picture books both in Japan and abroad. In 2020, he released his collection of works *PRESENT*. He is also a lecturer at Kyoto University of Arts, and has been awarded the Good Design Award (Japan / 2014, 2017). He is based in Japan.

Quotes

"These small boardbooks have fun shapes, following the adventures of the main characters of each story. I really love the fun concept of these books! They can also make a perfect background if your child has small figurines and enjoys inventing stories. The illustrations are truly adorable and sweet as well." -A Blue Box Full of Books, IG

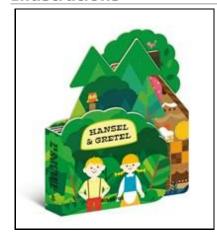
Marketing Plans

Marketing activities held by **Publisher Spotlight**:

- Pitch reviews in *Publishers Weekly, SLJ, Booklist, Kirkus, Shelf Awareness, Horn Book*
- Mail to long and short lead media contacts
- Pitch reviews to appropriate blogs and websites
- Checklist for online journals, influencers, bloggers, review centers
- Social media content, where appropriate: Twitter, Instagram, Facebook, Pinterest, TikTok
- Included in themed Pinterest boards
- TLA, NSTA, ALA (and other shows, as appropriate)
- Presentations to library selector groups in Chicago, New York, Boston, Washington D.C.

Links

- Website of the illustrator Shunsuke Satake
- Instagram of the illustrator Shunsuke Satake
- Browse the book on YouTube



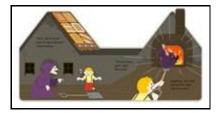












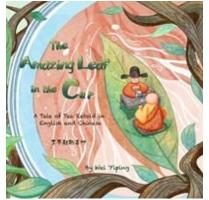




| Three Little Pigs | Hanackova, Pavla | Albatros Media | 6/11/2024 | 9788000071022 8000071029 | 2 \$9.99 USD | Board Book | Juvenile Fiction |
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| Sleeping Beauty | Gargulakova, Magda | Albatros Media | 7/9/2024 | 9788000071039 8000071037 | \$9.99 USD | Board Book | Juvenile Fiction |
| Little Red Riding Hood | Piro, Radka | Albatros Media | 5/21/2024 | 9788000071015 8000071010 | \$9.99 USD | Board Book | Juvenile Fiction |
| Discovering the Hidden World of Nature at Night | Sojdr, Martin | Happy Fox Books | 6/6/2023 | 9781641243148 1641243147 | \$ \$12.99 USD | Board Book | Juvenile Nonfiction |
| Discovering Nature on the Mountainside | Chytilova, Lenka | Happy Fox Books | 9/7/2021 | 9781641241441 1641241446 | \$12.99 USD | Board Book | Juvenile Nonfiction |
| Big or Small? | Chytilova, Lenka | Albatros Media | 9/28/2021 | 9788000061351 800006135X | . \$8.99 USD | Board Book | Juvenile Nonfiction |
| Plane or Boat? | Chytilova Lenka | Albatros Media | 10/26/2021 | 9788000061382 8000061384 | 2 \$8.99 USD | Board Book | Juvenile Nonfiction |
| Bookscape Board Books: Fun at the Fair | | Chronicle Books | 3/10/2020 | 9781452174938 1452174938 | 8 \$8.99 USD | Board Book | Juvenile Fiction |

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Shanghai Press 9781632880154 1632880156 Pub Date: 20/04/2024

On Sale Date: 20/04/2024 \$17.95/\$23.95 Can. Discount Code: LON Hardcover Picture Book

40 Pages Carton Qty: 36

Ages 5 to 7, Grades K to 2 Juvenile Fiction / Legends, Myths,

Fables JUV012060

22.9 cm H | 23.5 cm W | 1 cm T | 417.3 q Wt

Status: ACTIVE

The Amazing Leaf in the Cup A Tale of Tea Retold in English and Chinese

Yiping Wei

Key Selling Points

This beautifully illustrated multicultural children's book tells a Chinese folklore about a diligent young man's journey to find the secret of tea. Apart from the knowledge of Chinese tea, young readers may learn the value of helping others and knowing how to be grateful. UNIQUE CHINESE TEA CULTURE: Both the story and the culture note at the end introduce the Chinese tea culture in various aspects, including the process of making tea, the categories of Chinese tea and its benefits. A STORY OF KINDNESS AND GRATITUDE: The monk who helped the protagonist in the story did not accept the return of money and treasures, but used his actions to persuade the protagonist to help the general public. The story let the readers know that we should be grateful for the help given by others, and that kindness has its own reward. PERFECT FOR MULTI-CULTURAL LEARNING: bilingual text of English and simplified Chinese characters, this book is a good choice for Chinese culture learning. PERFECT FOR BEDTIME: Brightly colored with lovely drawing style, this wonderful story helps children to gain peace before bedtime.

Summary

A long time ago, a young man named Ding Xian is finally qualified for the imperial examination held in the capital city. Ding Xian travels day and night. While he is passing through Wuyi Mountain, he is so tired that he cannot walk any longer. A kind monk happens to pass by and sees the weak Ding Xian. After he takes Ding Xian back to the temple in the mountain, the monk makes him a beverage with some leaves and hot water. This magical drink rejuvenates Ding Xian immediately. The energetic Ding Xian continues with his journey to the capital city. As a result, Ding Xian wins the first place in the imperial exam! Ding Xian is deeply impressed by the kindness of the monk and the magical drink. He returns to Wuyi Mountain to visit the monk with some valuable gifts, but the monk refuses to accept them. Instead, the monk takes Ding Xian to the mountain behind the temple, where the raw ingredient of the magical drink can be found— the tea tree. Since then, Ding Xian starts his new learning path on tea.

Contributor Bio

After graduating from Donghua University majoring in digital media, Wei Yiping established her own art studio and has been very active in Sino-Japanese cultural exchange activities. Currently, she is a full-time art teacher and a freelance illustrator.

Links

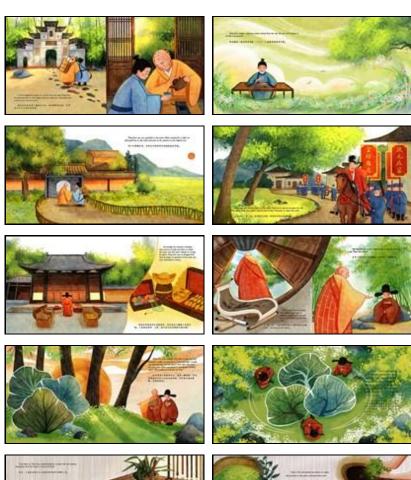
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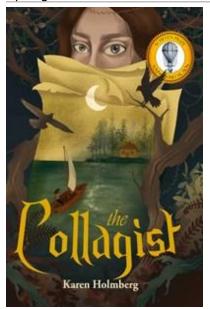




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Fitzroy Books 9781646034369 1646034368 Pub Date: 23/04/2024 On Sale Date: 23/04/2024 \$19.95/\$26.95 Can. Discount Code: LON Trade Paperback

232 Pages Carton Qty: 40 Ages 12 And Up, Grades 7 And Up Young Adult Fiction / Magical Realism YAF038000

21.6 cm H | 14 cm W | 1.5 cm T | 331.1 g Wt

Status: ACTIVE

The Collagist

Karen Holmberg

Key Selling Points

BOOK CLUB FAVORITE: Many topical discussion points such as othering and the treatment of outcasts, female independence and coming of age, community violence and prejudice, emotional and physical health and healing, healthy vs. unhealthy grieving, intergenerational trauma, family secrets, forgiveness, compassion and self-compassion; mindfulness; resilience. LYRICAL PROSE: Poet Karen Holmberg renders the natural and animal world with precise, resonant detail, metaphorical richness, and delicate magical realism. APPEALS TO AUDIENCES OF ALL AGES: An intergenerational cast of characters makes this a book parents can relate to, remembering their own childhood struggles toward independence. Younger readers will find emotional tension and conflict explored without explicit language, sexuality, or violence. An unusual portal fantasy featuring a return from, rather than disappearance into, another world or dimension, the book explores the meaning and importance of home. APPEALS TO READERS OF LITERARY YOUNG ADULT CLASSICS. Readers, adult and youth, may find echoes of their own favorite classics, such as My Side of the Mountain, Island of the Blue Dolphins, Jacob Have I loved, and The Secret Garden.

Summary

After Romilly's mother's death of a strange fever years ago, neighbors and family fled her village. Bereft, her father becomes increasingly withdrawn, revealing little of their family history that Romilly longs to understand. When her beloved uncle mysteriously disappears from his boat on a cloudless night at sea, she senses her father's growing terror— a terror she shares when she spies an enormous Being opening a sail-shaped flap of sky over their wheatfield. Romilly suspects these inexplicable events are connected, but how? With the help of unlikely allies— the healer Arra, Robbie the boisterous crow, and the kestrel Mira— Romilly must convince her father to dismantle the wall to his greatest secret, and that of the Being that exists in the world beyond.

Contributor Bio

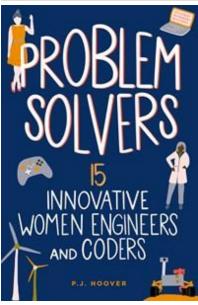
Raised on the water in southeastern Connecticut, Karen Holmberg writes poems, essays, and fiction strongly anchored in a love of the natural world. She teaches poetry and poetry writing at Oregon State University, where her greatest joy is helping younger writers give voice to their truths. The Collagist is her fiction debut.

Comp Titles

| Echo Mountain | Wolk, Lauren | Young Readers | 21/04/2020 | 0525555560 | 3 \$17.99 USD | Hardcover Fiction |
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| The Wide Starlight | Lesperance, Nicole | Razorbill | 16/02/2021 | 9780593116227 0593116224 | 7 \$18.99 USD | Hardcover Young Adult Fiction |
| Three Things I Know Are True | Culley, Betty | HarperTeen | 7/01/2020 | 9780062908025 0062908022 | \$18.99 USD | Hardcover Young Adult Fiction |

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Chicago Review Press 9798890680068 9798890680068 Pub Date: 16/07/2024 On Sale Date: 16/07/2024 \$12.99/\$17.99 Can. Discount Code: LON Trade Paperback

224 Pages Carton Qty: 40

Ages 12 And Up, Grades 7 And Up Young Adult Nonfiction / Biography & Autobiography

YAN006140 Series: Women of Power

21.6 cm H | 14 cm W | 2 cm T |

367.4 g Wt

Status: FORTHCOMING

Problem Solvers

15 Innovative Women Engineers and Coders

P. J. Hoover

Key Selling Points

- New price point and format ideal for school library collections
- Build new themed collections: STEM, the arts, business leadership
- **Highly praised series** has included: a Junior Library Guild pick, two *Booklist* starred reviews, and praise from *Kirkus* and *School Library Journal*
- Highlights powerful women to inspire girls in the STEM industries

Summary

When engineers are faced with an impossible problem, they don't quit. They look for solutions.

These 15 women are coders and engineers who have faced impossible problems and found solutions. They are each doing amazing work in technical fields while facing unique challenges that are not equally faced by men. Some have faced work/life balance offsets and long-distance relationship challenges. Others have faced teen pregnancy, homelessness, and domestic abuse. Many may have not had the same technical encouragement growing up that their male colleagues had.

Science has typically been considered a man's field of study. There are all sorts of reasons why this is the case, though none of them is valid in today's society. Women can and should be anything they want to be.

Problem solving with science and math is everyone's field, and it's time for the world to see powerful women succeeding in it.

Contributor Bio

P. J. Hoover holds undergraduate degrees in both computer engineering and history, and a master's degree in electrical engineering. She worked for 15 years as an engineer, designing computer chips for Motorola and Intel. She is now the author of over 30 books for kids, teens, and adults. In addition to her own books, Hoover actively writes social studies and science curriculum articles for various educational publishers. She lives in Austin, Texas. More information is available on her website: pjhoover.com.

Quotes

"By reading these fascinating stories of diverse women, many who have overcome considerable challenges to become STEM professionals, children will learn that nothing can stop them from entering these fields. A must read." —Laurie Wallmark, author of Code Breaker, Spy Hunter and Grace Hopper: Queen of Computer Code

"As a trailblazer, I know that it is possible to overcome tremendous cultural, personal, and societal challenges. *Problem Solvers* tells the inspiring stories of many women who overcame tremendous obstacles in technical fields, with persistence and resiliency to also live a life of their potential." —Sylvia Acevedo, rocket scientist, systems engineer, and former CEO of the Girl Scouts of the USA

"Comprehensive, inclusive, and practical." --Kirkus Reviews

"She encourages girls to dream big, work hard, and find mentors to help them along the way."--Booklist

Marketing Plans

- Publisher website spotlights
- Social media spotlights
- Promotions in conjunction with National STEM/STEAM Day and Women's History Month
- Available for virtual and/or in-person events in author's home market of San Francisco, CA
- Author's Official Facebook: PJ HooverAuthor's Official Instagram: pj hoover
- Author's Official Twitter: pj_hoover (3,270 followers)
- Author's Official Website: www.pjhoover.com

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• Women of Power flyer

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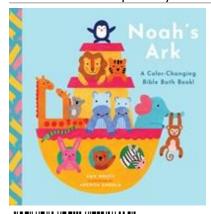
Resources Notes

Comp Titles

| Problem Solvers | Hoover, P. J. | Chicago Review Press | 13/09/2022 | 9781641606387 164160638X | ' \$16.99 USD | Hardcover | Young Adult Nonfiction |
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| Girls Who Code | Saujani, Reshma | Puffin Books | 14/08/2018 | 9780425287552 0425287556 | \$11.99 USD | Trade Paperback | Juvenile Nonfiction |

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Sunbeam 9781638191759 1638191751 Pub Date: 8/6/2024 \$12.99/\$16.95 Can.

Discount Code: TRD Bath Book

Bath Book

6 Pages Ages 0 to 3 Juvenile Nonfiction / Religion JNF049140

5.8 in H | 5.8 in W Status: **FORTHCOMING**

Noah's Ark

A Color-Changing Bible Bath Book!

Amy Houts, Archita Khosla

Key Selling Points

- A color-changing bath book that lets kids paint with only a finger!
- Padded vinyl cover
- When the book dries, the art disappears—ready to be used again!
- Waterproof and can be easily cleaned with a soapy cloth
- Includes illustrations of Noah, the ark, the flood, the dove, the rainbow, and more

In this adorable bath book, the story of Noah's ark comes alive with amazing, color-changing illustrations!

Summary

Discover the story of Noah and the Ark in the bath!

"Bath time becomes Bible learning with these hands-on books. Kids will love seeing ancient stories come to life right before their eyes!"—Mandy Arioto, President and Chief Executive Officer of The MomCo

In this adorable bath book, the story of Noah's ark comes alive with amazing, colorchanging illustrations!

Dip the pages in water, and illustrations of Noah, the ark, the flood, the dove, the rainbow, and more appear, carefully telling the story of Noah from the book of Genesis. When the book dries, the artwork disappears—ready to be used again!

Even better, the squishy, vinyl bath book is waterproof and can be easily cleaned with a soapy cloth.

Contributor Bio

Amy Houts is the author of over 100 books for children featuring early learning concepts. She writes for both faith-based and mainstream publishers. Amy's faith-based books include *God's Protection Covers Me* (Beaming Books) and *The Giant Book of Bible Fingerplays for Preschoolers* (Group Publishing). Amy's educational books include 60 retold tales for the series, *Compass Children's Classics*, and 10 nonfiction science early readers for Highlights Press.

Archita Khosla is an illustrator based in London, United Kingdom. She has a BA in Design Communication from Goldsmiths' College, University of London. Archita started her journey in the Advertising industry in Singapore and soon after her passion for children's illustrations took her to London. She illustrated her first picture book in 2023 on Princess Diana for the Little People, BIG DREAMS, the best-selling biography series. She is also writing and illustrating her own series of picture books with a focus on building a moral foundation for children through her curated stories.















| Noah's Ark Bath Book | Sully, Katherine | Kregel Publications | 2/25/2020 | 9780825427633 0825427630 | \$7.99 USD | Bath Book | Juvenile Nonfiction |
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| Bedtime on Noah's Ark | Eastman, Brock | Harvest Kids | 9/1/2020 | 9780736979542 0736979549 | \$9.99 USD | Board Book | Juvenile Fiction |
| Watch Me Paint: Paint Famous Masterpieces with Just Your Finger! | Bushel & Peck Books | Bushel & Peck Books | 8/16/2022 | 9781733633581 1733633588 | \$12.99 USD | | Juvenile Nonfiction |

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Helvetiq 9783039640263 3039640267 Pub Date: 8/6/2024 On Sale Date: 8/6/2024 \$22.99/\$29.99 Can./£18.99

UK/€21.99 EU Discount Code: JVHC Hardcover Paper over boards

80 Pages full color Carton Qty: 20 Ages 7 to 10 Juvenile Nonfiction / Health & Daily Living JNF024120

10.5 in H | 8.3 in W Status: ACTIVE

Related Products

Also Available

Citizen She! 9783907293720 \$19.99

Extraordinary Eyeglasses

The Amazing Invention That Helps Us See

Caroline Stevan, François Vigneault

Key Selling Points

For 25% of kids – and their friends: 25.3% of US kids wear eyeglasses – increasing every year. This book helps them understand why – and how to care for their eyes.

It shimmers! UV coating on the cover and spine make the eyeglasses look real. **Verified by specialists**: Reviewed by leading Swiss ophthalmologists.

An all-round perspective on eyeglasses: From history to fashion, to STEM themes of anatomy and optics. Written in an informative and playful tone.

By BIPOC award-winning comic book artist of Caribbean and African descent: dynamic, fun, accurate.

Captivating bonus material: Games, drawings and riddles with downloadable printouts.

Summary

Fall in love with the amazing lenses that help us see

So many of us wear glasses. They help us read, work and play. They are for the young and old, for bookworms and professional athletes, and are used by people in every country around the world.

Learn how glasses bend light and what color blindness really means. How tears work and why we have eyelids. Learn all about the human eye, and about the extraordinary vision of cats, birds and flies. Take a tour through the long history of eyeglasses and learn about optical illusions, 3-D glasses and why pandas seem to be wearing spectacles.

Packed with fun comics, puzzles and games, *Extraordinary Eyeglasses* will help young readers understand how wearing glasses is like having a superpower!

Contributor Bio

Caroline Stevan has been nearsighted since childhood and considers glasses to be one of mankind's greatest inventions. She is a journalist at the Swiss radio and television and passionate about social issues, she co-hosts the program *Le Point J*. She has two daughters, one of whom proudly wears glasses. *Extraordinary Eyeglasses* is her fourth book published by Helvetiq, following *Blablacar*, *la France et moi*, *Be my quarantine* and *Citizen She!*.

François Vigneault is a cartoonist and illustrator born in the United States to Haitian and French-Canadian parents. He is the co-creator of the YA graphic novel *13e Avenue* published by Éditions de la Pastèque in 2018 and the comic book series *Orcs in Space* from Oni Press (2021—22). His relatively small body of work has been nominated for a surprising number of awards (including the the Joe Shuster Award and the Bédélys Québec Award) and has even won a few of them, including the inaugural Québec Bookseller's Prize for best youth graphic novel. He started wearing glasses when he was 12 years old. He grew up in San Diego, California and lived in San Francisco and Portland, Oregon before landing in Québec in 2015, where he has lived ever since.

Quotes

"Through colourful pages and captivating tales, this children's book on eye health illuminates the importance of caring for our precious sight. With each turn, young readers embark on a journey that inspires them to cherish their vision and embrace a bright future filled with limitless possibilities." – **Dr Andrew Cooper, Chief Executive,** *Vision Catalyst Fund*

"[T]his book makes glasses feel desirable and interesting. The text is playful, and the

artwork, done by a graphic artist, is really fun and appealing." - **Stephanie Tournas**, **Youth Services Book Review**

"The inside scoop on glasses, from their history to how they're manufactured today...from premodern pieces of rock crystal to Ben Franklin's bifocals and the first contact lenses, the book flits from eye anatomy to myopia and other common malfunctions, what a visit to an ophthalmologist is like, proper care of frames and lenses, optical instruments such as telescopes and magnifying glasses, examples of "spectacled" animals, and optical illusions." – *Kirkus*

Marketing Plans

- Initial print run of 10,000 copies
- Targeted publicity campaign by Myrick Marketing and Media, including: partnerships with organizations such as Eye Thrive to promote glasses and their utility, collaborations with pediatric ophtalmologists, promotion with postcards and cut-out eyeglasses as giveaways
- Meet-and-greet with the illustrator, François Vigneault, and the American Public Library Association
- Personal presentations to media including The New York Times Book Review, Kirkus, School Library Journal, Booklist, Horn Book, Shelf Awareness, and Publishers Weekly
- Submission to Junior Library Guild (JLG)
- Advance DRC mailings, final copy mailings to select press
- DRC and final copies available to media and bookstores
- Targeting school counselors with DRC's
- Submission for long lead publications including: Publishers Weekly, School Library Journal, Booklist, Horn Book, Library Media Connection, Shelf Awareness

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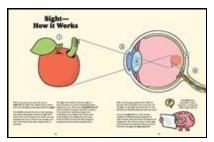
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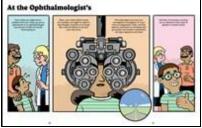








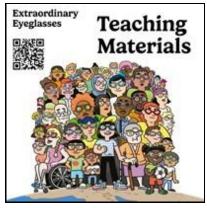








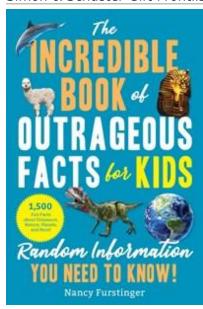




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| From Here to There | Kirkfield, Vivian | Clarion Books | 1/19/2021 | 9781328560919 1328560910 | \$17.99 USD | Hardcover | Juvenile Nonfiction |
| Cat Eyes and Dog Whistles | Evans, Cathy | Cicada Books | 4/19/2022 | 9781800660137 1800660138 | \$22.99 USD | Hardcover Picture Book | Juvenile Nonfiction |
| Glasses | Houran, Lori Haskins | Kane Press | 8/3/2021 | 9781635924244 1635924243 | \$17.99 USD | Hardcover | Juvenile Nonfiction |
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The Incredible Book of Outrageous Facts for Kids **Random Information You Need to Know!**

Nancy Furstinger

Summary

Kids love to read astonishing, absurd, and amusing facts such as these and then share them with their families and friends. Amazingly pointless, but verified, factoids will gear kids up to master Jeopardy and win at family trivia nights.

Chapters will feature categories with kid-appeal, including animals, sports, planets, dinosaurs, toys, technology, strange foods, superheroes, unusual pets, fashion, movies, weather, and more. Every time kids pick up this book, they'll learn something new. (Parents also might grab this book as a boredom buster.)

Did you know . . .

- a blue whale's tongue weighs nearly 6,000 pounds, about as heavy as an Asian
- the world's first underwater post office operated on the sea floor of the Bahamas in 1939
- pogonophobia is the fear of beards (perhaps spurred by a study showing that beards contain more bacteria than dog fur)

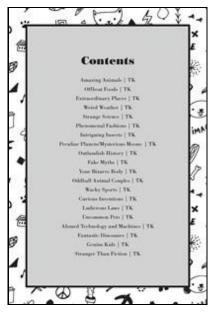
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Contributor Bio

Nancy Furstinger is an author who specializes in nonfiction with a focus on animal topics who is known for her extensively researched books (approximately 100) and lively narrative style. She's shared her books during author visits to schools, libraries, bookstores, and book fairs along with a nationwide radio media tour, and promotion on her website and social media.

Quotes

"If you enjoy learning crazy facts, The Incredible Book of Outrageous Facts for Kids is the book for you! I thoroughly enjoyed learning about quirky inventions, outrageous animals, wacky sports, weird weather, and so much more. Whatever you're interested in, this book has something for you. You can read straight through or skip around —whatever way you choose, you're sure to learn lots of fun info. So curl up, dive in, and prepare to be astonished!" —Joanne Mattern, author of 5,001 Incredible Facts for Kids on Nature, Science, and People; 5,001 Incredible Facts for Kids on America's Past, Present, and Future; and The World Almanac Guide to Getting Out Alive





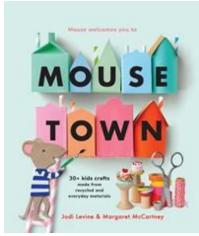




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Mousetown

30+ Kids Crafts Made from Recycled and Everyday Materials

Jodi Levine, Margaret McCartney

Key Selling Points

- **POWERHOUSE AUTHORS:** Jodi Levine and Margaret McCartney are major talents with industry connections, thanks to their work at *Martha Stewart Living* and other major publications and TV shows. See their bios for more info.
- **ECO-FRIENDLY THEME**: Topics like climate change, eco-friendly living, and recycling are trending. This book uses found objects and items straight from the recycling bin to promote imaginative play in children while also teaching them how to upcycle to reduce waste.
- **BEAUTIFUL PACKAGE:** The design aesthetic of the book surpasses what's currently available in the marketplace, making this a stand-out product that will be perfect for gifting.

Summary

Martha Stewart Living alumnae Jodi Levine and Margaret McCartney team up to create a beautiful and unique craft book that also tells the story of Mouse and his adventures in Mousetown.

Welcome to Mousetown! In this inventive craft book, kids follow Mouse through his day in Mousetown, from getting ready to traveling to work, closing shop, grocery shopping, party prep, and throwing a surprise party for his friend Ginger. There are over 30 activities throughout the book that use recycled materials to recreate the story's scenes so kids can follow along or make new stories set in Mousetown with Mouse and friends.

Mousetown includes:

- Photographic illustrations of Mouse's bakery, house, grocery store, and other town elements, with many crafted and recycled elements
- Instructions for recreating all of the elements of Mousetown
- Photocopyable templates of Mouse, his friends, and accessories
- Photographic glossary of tools and materials

Contributor Bio

Jodi Levine is a lifelong crafter and founder of *SuperMakeIt*, a brand celebrating crafts made from everyday materials. Jodi spent 19 years at *Martha Stewart Living*, where she was Editorial Director of *Martha Stewart Kids* and *Baby* magazines. She develops craft content for brands such as Sesame Workshop and is a regular contributor to publications such as the *New York Times* and *The Week Junior*. She was a judge on HBO's *Craftopia*, and has appeared on *The Today Show* and elsewhere. She lives in the Hudson Valley, NY, with her family.

Margaret McCartney has illustrated two previous books for children, *This Is a Book to Read with a Worm* and *We're Not Gonna Take It*. Her illustrations and designs have appeared on everything from garden gloves to kids clothes to holiday ornaments. She lives in New York City with her family including their cat, Marie, who has mixed feelings about mice. You can see more of her work at margaret-mccartney.com.

Margaret and Jodi have been friends since they met at RISD, and their shared love of nattily dressed mice, crafts, and all things miniature made this book so much fun to create. Please visit themousetown.com for more mouse-based crafts, activities, and printable patterns and illustrations.



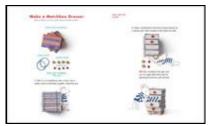














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| Low-Mess Crafts for Kids | Chapman, Debbie | Page Street Publishing | 26/06/2018 | 9781624145582 1624145582 | \$20.99 USD | Trade Paperback | Crafts & Hobbies |
| Fun and Easy Crafting with Recycled Materials | McLeod, Kimberly | Page Street Kids | 3/12/2019 | 9781624149085 1624149081 | \$20.99 USD | Trade Paperback | Juvenile Nonfiction |
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Ages 5 to 7, Grades K to 2 Juvenile Fiction / Bedtime &

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Series: I Need My Monster

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Hey, That's MY Monster!

Amanda Noll, Howard McWilliam

Key Selling Points

* Flashlight Press is celebrating their 20th anniversary in 2024.

Bookstores should carry this book because it is a companion book to the strong seller, I Need My Monster (which sold over 180,000 copies). The dramatic cover image of a boy and younger girl peering upside-down, under a bed, clearly portrays Hey, That's MY Monster! as a companion to the original I Need My Monster, pulling readers into this new night-time scenario with the same spooky-fun atmosphere and more outrageous monsters. Setting the two books side by side, cover-out, will be a real attention grabber.

Picture book, My Monster series, fantasy, Story elements: setting: bedroom at bedtime, plot and character development, Point of view: Young boy, Ethan, and Gabe the Monster, humorous tone, illustrations enhance meaning and tone, Comprehension strategies: identify cause and effect relationships, changes from beginning to end of the story, problem and solution, make predictions and text to text connections, Themes: monster under my bed story, monsters, bedtime

Summary

When Ethan looks under the bed for his monster, he finds this note instead: "So long, kid. Gotta go. Someone needs me more than you do. –Gabe" How will Ethan ever get to sleep without his monster's familiar, comforting snorts? And who could need Gabe more than Ethan does? Gabe must have gone to Ethan's little sister's room! She has been climbing out of bed every night to play, and obviously needs a monster to help her get to sleep – but not HIS monster! Ethan tries to help his sister find her own monster, but none are the perfect blend of cute and creepy. Just when it seems that Ethan will lose his monster forever, an uninvited, tutu-toting little monster full of frightening fun appears. Following in the spooky-silly tradition of *I Need My Monster*, here's another irresistible monster-under-the-bed story with the perfect balance of giggles and shivers.

Contributor Bio

Amanda Noll teaches Library and Tech in kindergarten through fifth grade, and is the author of the award-winning *I Need My Monster*. She lives in Spanaway, Washington. **Howard McWilliam** has illustrated dozens of children's books including the award-winning *I Need My Monster*, *When a Dragon Moves In*, and *When a Dragon Moves In Again*. He is the cover artist of *The Week* (US and UK) and *MoneyWeek*. He lives in Cheltenham, England.

Quotes

"This story is a unique twist on the whole idea of monsters under the bed Hey, That's my Monster! is sure to bring 'giggles and shivers' to young ones and help make bed time a fun time." — **Christa McGrath, edwardsbookclub.com**

"This one was a hit with our seven year old – she loved the monster Cynthia best, and thought it was hilarious how the little sister Emma wanted to dress her up!" — **Crystal Cahill, Elementary Library Teacher and Gr. 1 Teacher**

"Will your grandchild love the book? Most definitely! Will YOU love the book? Most definitely! Do I recommend this book? Most definitely! You can get a copy of Hey, That's My Monster by Amanda Noll on Amazon for \$16. You'll be glad you did." — **Nina Lewis, blogger on GrandmaIdeas**

"The . . . monsters in McWilliam's toy-strewn bedroom scenes are show stealers, whether exuding pools of pink slime or rearing up in glowering, warty menace in vain efforts to get Emma into bed." $-Kirkus\ Reviews$

"[It] is a wonderfully creative and entirely fun book that children and adults will love to read. Illustrations by Howard McWilliam are an absolute treasure and further enhance this whimsical children's picture book." —clcreviews.blogspot.com

Links

- Storyline Online's Teacher's Guide for 'Hey, That's MY Monster!'
- Storyline Online's Activity Guide for 'Hey, That's MY Monster!'

Illustrations













Comp Titles

| Bedtime for Monsters | Vere, Ed | Henry Holt and Co. (BYR) | 17/07/2012 | 9780805095098 0805095098 | \$14.99 USD | Hardcover Paper over boards | Juvenile Fiction |
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| When a Dragon Moves In | Moore, Jodi | Flashlight Press | 1/05/2011 | 9780979974670 0979974674 | \$16.95 USD | Hardcover Picture Book | Juvenile Fiction |
| I Need My Monster | Noll, Amanda | Flashlight Press | 1/04/2009 | 9780979974625 0979974623 | \$17.95 USD | Hardcover Picture Book | Juvenile Fiction |

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The Dark We Know

Wen-yi Lee

Key Selling Points

- **Gillian Flynn Books:** Led by the genre-defining author of *Gone Girl*, Gillian Flynn Books publishes gasp-inducing page-turners from deserving yet unexpected authors. The list's inaugural title, *Scorched Grace*, was an Indie Next Pick and a Barnes & Noble Best Book of 2023.
- **Dazzling Debut Voice:** Wen-yi has built a loyal following in the SF/F community with her acclaimed short stories, and her debut novel displays her stunning prose and deft ability to explore difficult, even disturbing truths with empathy.
- Refreshing Twist on Horror Conventions: With strong crossover appeal,
 Wen-yi Lee offers a fresh take on the "return to battle your childhood demons"
 trope with a queer Asian protagonist and nuanced themes of identity, mental
 health, and trauma.
- Horror with Heart: YA readers crave horror with emotion, and Wen-yi deftly
 portrays the complicated but tender bonds and friendships that help Isa
 overcome the literal and metaphorical monsters of her past.
- Gillian Flynn Imprint's Inaugural YA Title: With Gillian's promotional support and passion, THE DARK WE KNOW has built-in momentum for buzzworthy publicity and marketing opportunities.

Summary

From Gillian Flynn Books, a lyrical young adult horror by debut author Wen-yi Lee that's perfect for fans of *She Is a Haunting*, Stephen King's *IT*, and *The Haunting of Hill House*.

"Wen-yi Lee has crafted a dark and compelling supernatural mystery buoyed by earnestly written, queer-centric characters. I am enthralled!" —Gillian Flynn

Growing up in Slater, Isadora Chang never felt at ease in the repressive small town, even before she realized she was bisexual—but after the deaths of two childhood friends, Slater went from feeling claustrophobic to suffocating. So, Isa took off before the town could swallow her, too. Even though it meant leaving everything she knew behind, including her last surviving friend, Mason.

When Isa's abusive father dies, however, she agrees to come back from art school just long enough to collect the inheritance. But then Mason turns up at the cemetery with a revelation and a plea: their friends were murdered by an evil that haunts the town, and he needs Isa to help stop it—before it takes anyone else.

When Isa begins to hear strange songs on the wind, and eerie artwork fills her sketchbook that she can't recall drawing, she's forced to stop running and confront her past. Because something is waiting in the shadows of Slater's valleys, something that feeds on the pain and heartbreak of its children. Whatever it is, it knows Isa's back . . . and it won't let her escape again.

Wen-yi Lee's young adult debut is an intimate and gripping exploration of trauma, healing, and the lasting power of friendship, as a runaway teen must finally face the sinister forces that defined her childhood, and in doing so, demand her right to survive.

Contributor Bio

Wen-yi Lee is a Clarion West alum from Singapore who likes writing about girls with bite, feral nature, and ghosts. Her speculative fiction has appeared in venues such as *Lightspeed*, *Strange Horizons* and *Uncanny*, as well as in various anthologies. *The Dark We Know* is her debut novel. Find her on social media at @wenyilee_ and otherwise at wenyileewrites.com.

Quotes

"This debut transcends the supernatural mystery genre with its emotional depth and engaging setting. As a contemplative alternative to action-focused horror, its striking explorations of grief, shame, love, and queerness will haunt readers with how true they ring . . . A powerful, introspective gothic tale filled to the brim with horror." — *Kirkus*, starred review

"In this enthralling horror debut, Lee carefully threads together Isa's reconnecting with her past, unearthing the secrets that Slater is built on, and navigating the way that shame distorts one's sense of self." —**Publishers Weekly**, **starred review**

"Readers will find thrills, chills, and emotional validation from this unexpectedly almost-heartwarming horror novel." —**Booklist**, **starred review**

"The Dark We Know aptly captures the way small towns can feel like a trap, especially for a queer person of color amongst a white, heteronormative population, and how the ties of trauma still bind us no matter how far we try to run. Lee writes with incredible emotional depth to tell a story that will grab at your heart and leave ghostly fingerprints in its wake." —Reactor

"The true hallmark of an exceptional horror novel is in its hold, and in her debut outing, Wen-yi Lee has crafted a gorgeously dark and unforgettable story that will linger long after the book is closed. *The Dark We Know* heralds the arrival of a rare and exciting literary talent—do not miss it." —Courtney Summers, New York Times bestselling author of I'm the Girl and Sadie

"A knife-sharp excavation into the horrors of societal judgment. Lee has crafted an ultimately hopeful story about grief and pain among friends all a little in love with each other. The Dark We Know left me breathless." —Trang Thanh Tran, New York Times bestselling author of She is a Haunting

"The Dark We Know is a book made of shattered rock, claustrophobic family pressure, and the desperation of children trying to survive the weight of their grief. An eerie, introspective, and beautifully atmospheric addition to the best of YA horror lit."

—Andrew Joseph White, New York Times bestselling author of The Spirit

Bares Its Teeth and Hell Followed With Us

"Not for the faint of heart, [The Dark We Know] draws a profound connection between supernatural forces and the terrors of grief and dishonesty.... [A] story that, despite its dark imagery and heavy subject matter, feels truly resonant and uplifting."

-BookPage

"A haunting, unforgettable debut. With gorgeous prose, palpable atmosphere, and intricate character work, Lee examines what it means to belong to a place and fight for a better world. Like the song of Slater's mountains, *The Dark We Know* will settle into your bones and call you back again and again." —Allison Saft, New York Times bestselling author of Down Comes the Night and A Far Wilder Magic

"The Dark We Know is a lyrical mediation on loss and survival, on holding on and letting go, and on growing up in a community that only ever wanted you to be small. Filled with moments of striking beauty, Wen-yi Lee's debut establishes her as a force to be reckoned with." —**Kerstin Hall, author of Asunder**

"The Dark We Know will haunt you all day and keep you awake at night. Lee's emotional, inventively written debut had me peeling back layer after layer in a desperate search for the truth. Absolutely enthralling." —Courtney Gould, award-winning author of The Dead and the Dark

Marketing Plans

Trade & Retailer

- Early reads campaign including a personalized letter from Gillian to children's booksellers in 10 key markets
- Trade review, educator, and librarian advertising
- Shelf Awareness banner advertising
- NetGalley, Edelweiss, Premium Goodreads promotions
- Zando Trade bookseller newsletter spotlight
- Pitch for account promotions like the Target Book Club and B&N Special Edition

Media Strategy

- National review coverage, including Women's interest digital and print media:
 Oprah, Parade, Bustle, Refinery29, New York Times; Teen media: Teen Vogue,
 Girl's Life, Millennial Media: Shondaland, Cosmo, Entertainment Weekly, National radio and podcasts; Genre outlets (Locus, Tor); Queer media (Pride Network, Bay Area Reporter, Autostraddle, etc.)
- Pitch for Most Anticipated coverage
- Outreach to media targeted to librarians (e.g. Teen Librarian Toolbox) emphasizing mental health angle
- Pitch for book club features like Book of the Month Club, Reese's Book Club, Read with Jenna

Consumer & Educator Outreach

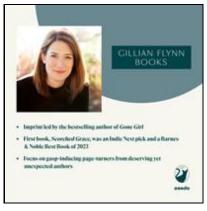
- Introduce Gillian's first YA title with a cover reveal on social media
- Video content with Wen-Yi and Gillian Flynn
- Social media creative content on Zando, Gillian Flynn channels, playing up the horror content in graphics, video, and other social digital creative
- Partner with Follett or another educational platform to run a creative writing contest where schools enter to win a virtual visit from Gillian and Wen-yi; runner-ups win signed books for their classroom
- Finished copy mailing with a book-themed gift box to Gillian Flynn Books super-fans and fans of Stephen King, Rory Power, and Karen McManus
- Consumer email blast to Zando's list of subscribers, especially those interested in Gillian Flynn Books
- ZYR Fall Thrillers Campaign launching Fall 2024 featuring The Wilderness of Girls and The Dark We Know that will include a prize pack giveaway and a LIVE virtual event between the two authors

Events

- Virtual launch with Gillian Flynn in conjunction with a major library system (e.g. NYPL, Chicago Public Library)
- Virtual events with high school and college groups
- Pitch for virtual appearances at key thriller and children's conferences

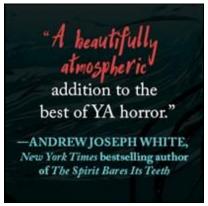
Advertising

- Digital ads on Thriller, Horror, and book sites
- Instagram and Facebook paid advertising through Gillian's channels
- YouTube, TikTok Spark Advertising
- Goodreads campaign

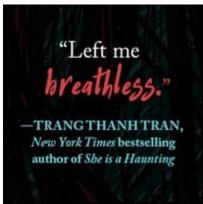












| She Is a Haunting | Tran, Trang Thanh | Bloomsbury YA | 2/28/2023 | 9781547610815 1547610816 | \$18.99 USD | Hardcover with dust jacket | Young Adult Fiction |
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| The Weight of Blood | Jackson, Tiffany D. | Katherine Tegen Books | 9/12/2023 | 9780063029156 0063029154 | \$15.99 USD | Paperback | Young Adult Fiction |
| All These Bodies | Blake, Kendare | Quill Tree Books | 9/21/2021 | 9780062977168 0062977164 | \$19.99 USD | Hardcover | Young Adult Fiction |
| Nothing More to Tell | McManus, Karen M. | Delacorte Press | 8/30/2022 | 9780593175903 0593175905 | \$19.99 USD | Hardcover | Young Adult Fiction |
| My Heart Is a Chainsaw | Jones, Stephen Graham | S&S/Saga Press | 8/31/2021 | 9781982137632 1982137630 | \$26.99 USD | Hardcover | Fiction |

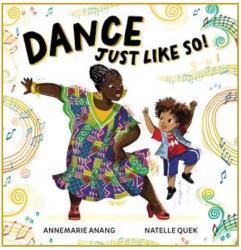
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DANCE JUST LIKE SO by Annemarie Anang and Natelle Quek Kwesi loves to dance, especially with Gran.

It's dance class day and Gran will teach Kwesi and the neighbours her trophy-winning dance, the *Shooby-Doo Mambo*. But Gran hurts her knee before Kwesi can learn all the steps. How will he learn the special dance now? Slowly Kwesi finds the confidence to practice the steps on his own, but dancing without Gran is not the same... Kwesi's inventive solution delivers a heartwarming surprise. Next dance class day, he and Gran dance the new *Shooby-Do Mambo*. Twirling their glittery canes in the air while seated on chairs, they wow all the neighbours – *Just Like So*!

KEY SALES POINTS:

- · For all children who love to dance
- An empathetic journey of love and tradition between a young child and his youthful Gran
- This heartwarming story promotes a positive image of disability and elderly role models
- The story features a diverse community of neighbours that reflects the realities of today's world
- *I Am Nefertiti*, written and illustrated by the same team, was shortlisted for the Little Rebels Award, the Teach Early Years Award and the Leeds Book Awards.
- Anang's fun, beat-filled, rhythmical language is ideal for reading aloud at story time and for emerging readers
- Natelle Quek's vibrant, dynamic pictures capture the energy of the dance moves step-by-step, so young readers can join in too

ANNEMARIE ANANG, a Londoner born to Ghanaian parents, is an actress and former primary school teacher. She began writing for children after struggling to find books for her daughter that featured main characters who reflected the reality of the diversity of children in our world. She is the author of *I Am Nefertiti* (Five Quills), which was shortlisted for the Leeds Book Awards, the Little Rebels Award and Teach Early Years Award. *Dance Just Like So* is her second book with Five Quills.



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NATELLE QUEK is a Malaysian born illustrator. Natelle loves to use bold colours and cinematic perspectives. Her work is influenced by pop culture, folk art and nature. Natelle has illustrated *She Kept Dancing* (Macmilllan USA), *Wild, Wild Woods* (Puffin Books) and *I Am Nefertiti* (Five Quills), which was shortlisted for the Leeds Book Awards, the Little Rebels Award and Teach Early Years Award. *Dance Just Like So* (2024) is her second book with Five Quills.

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Illustrator: Natelle Quek

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40 Pages all in color Ages 4 to 8, Grades P to 3 Juvenile Fiction / Holidays & Celebrations JUV017030 Territory: World

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Trick or Treat on Scary Street

Lance Bass, Roland Garrigue

Key Selling Points

- **HIGH-PROFILE AUTHOR**: Well-known and loved by the public, Lance Bass has moved far beyond his boy band days. He has an incredible following, which provides ample opportunities for marketing and promotional efforts.
- **SOCIAL MEDIA SUPERSTAR**: Lance is extremely active on social media platforms (811K Instagram followers and 1.4 million TikTok followers). He's connected and engaged with A- to D-list celebrities and his followers. He has a multi-generational and loyal fan base.
- HALLOWEEN PROMOTIONAL MOMENT: Reminiscent of *Grimm's Fairy Tales* and *The Nightmare Before Christmas*, TREAT OR TREAT ON SCARY STREET brings a fresh spin to Halloween-themed picture books and is sure to catch the attention of kids who enjoy spookier stories.

Summary

From musical superstar Lance Bass, this quirky and surprising Halloween story is perfect for trick-or-treaters who love extra tricks and treats.

Come one.

Come all.

Come follow thirteen trick-or-treaters down Scary Street. Dare to stop at the vampire's lair? Tempted to take a bite of the witch's delight? How about a peek inside a ghostly haunt? Who will make it to the end. . . and what last trick (or treat) awaits?

Celebrate the thrills and chills of the season with this unforgettable trip down Scary Street!

Contributor Bio

Lance Bass, best known from his time in the successful music group *NSYNC, can sing, host, act, produce, write, and happily whip up a mean omelet if you ask nicely. With multiple Grammy nominations, two diamond records, more MTV Video Music Awards than you can shake a mic at, and now his first children's book, Lance is truly thankful for all the different ways he gets to create. Living in Los Angeles with his husband, Michael, and their twins (born on Friday the 13th!), Lance is thrilled to share this treat of a book filled with surprising tricks for his favorite holiday, Halloween!

Roland Garrigue is the illustrator of more than a dozen children's books. From kindergarten to today, he has never stopped drawing. He creates fantastic universes and surreal situations, populating his books with characters from all walks of life—monsters, vampires, witches, pirates, aliens, children, and all the strange creatures he can dream up. Roland lives in Paris, France.







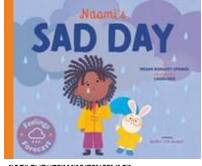


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| Busy Betty | Witherspoon, Reese | Flamingo Books | 4/10/2022 | 9780593465882 0593465881 | USD | Hardcover Picture Book | Juvenile Fiction |
| Nana Loves You More | Fallon, Jimmy | Feiwel & Friends | 29/03/2022 | 9781250823946 1250823943 | \$17.99 USD | Hardcover Picture Book | Juvenile Fiction |
| Creepy Crayon! | Reynolds, Aaron | Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers | 23/08/2022 | 9781534465886 153446588X | \$18.99 USD | Hardcover Picture Book | Juvenile Fiction |
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Naomi's Sad Day

Megan Borgert-Spaniol, Laura Deo

Key Selling Points

- 1. Core SEL curriculum informed by CASEL standards
- 2. **Expert-backed** approach of externalizing and reframing emotions
- 3. **Mayo Clinic Expertise**: Created in collaboration with Emily McTate, Ph.D., L.P., Pediatric Psychologist at the Mayo Clinic Children's Center
- 4. **Diversity** throughout series including disability representation

A charming story of sadness developed with a Mayo Clinic pediatric psychologist

Summary

When Naomi wakes up feeling like she's surrounded by clouds, she knows it's a sad day. But the good thing about clouds is that they don't last forever. How can kids manage feelings of sadness? They can prepare and watch for signs of sadness, just like preparing for a cloudy day! Approachable text and friendly characters guide young readers through everything they need to know about managing this familiar emotion. Core SEL curriculum comes to life in this simple introduction with humor and hope.

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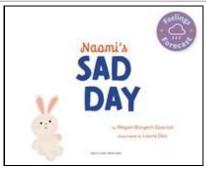
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| Ravi's Roar | Percival, Tom | Bloomsbury Children's Books | 12/8/2020 | 9781547607235 \$7.99 1547607238 USD | Paperback Picture Book | Juvenile Fiction |

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- 4. **Diversity** throughout including series disability representation

A charming story exploring anger, developed with a Mayo Clinic pediatric psychologist

Summary

Olive learns she needs to clean her room before reading her new book, and anger rolls in like a storm. But like the weather, feelings come and go. This delightful take on a familiar emotion helps young readers understand that feelings are never forever. And when anger happens, kids have everything they need to manage that feeling. Friendly characters and accessible text introduce the emotion of anger and the idea that feelings can be externalized and managed, a tried-and-true method backed by the pediatric psychologists at Mayo Clinic.

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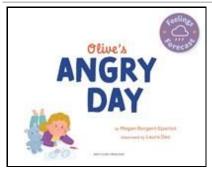
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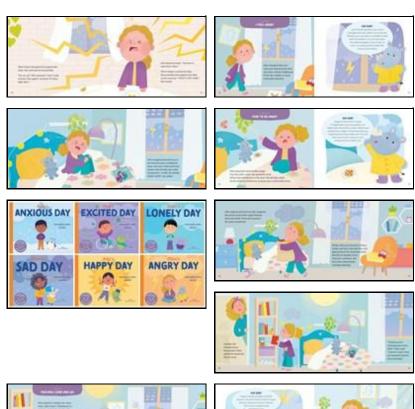
























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A charming story exploring excitement, developed with a Mayo Clinic pediatric psychologist

Summary

When Javi learns that his favorite cousin is coming to visit, he can't contain his excitement. Being excited can be fun. The energy! The anticipation! But, excitement is still a feeling that needs to be managed. Luckily for kids, they have everything they need to manage their enthusiasm in all kinds of situations. This playful story takes on a familiar emotion and helps kids see that feelings can come on pretty strong, just like the weather. But just as we prepare for all types of weather outside, we can prepare for and manage all kinds of emotions on the inside.

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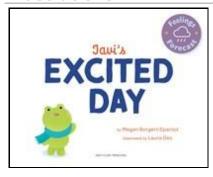
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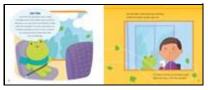














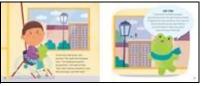






















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