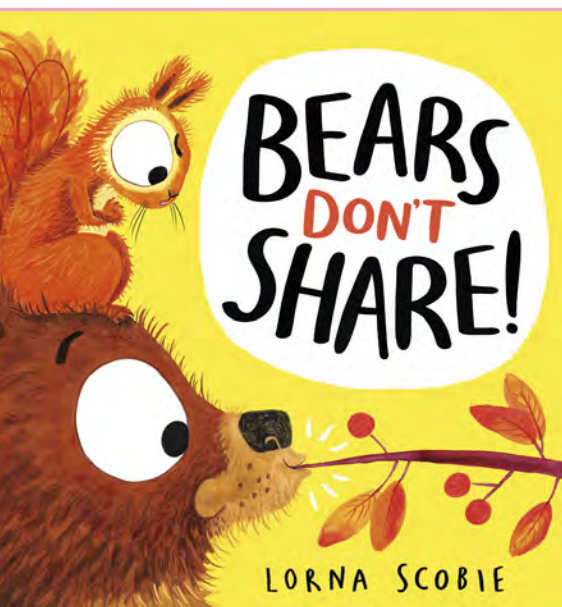


# AUGUST 2023 NEW TITLES

SCHOLASTIC





Publication Date 3rd August 2023

# MONSTER STINK

Anna Brooke

When the mysterious Stink appears, there's a fart pandemic in the village – plus, Bogey has morphed into a dangerous, dripping sixty-foot goo monster, attracting the attention of Sotland Yard. Can Frank, Tiffany and the Snozzlers save the day?

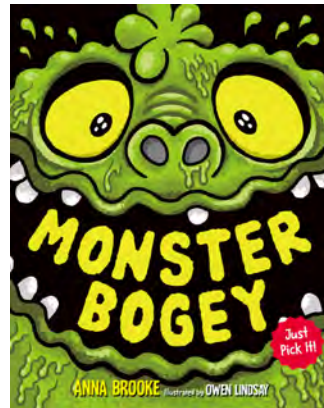
- The stinkingly brilliant sequel to Anne Brooke's hit debut, *Monster Bogey*!
- Commercial, child-friendly package with hilarious illustrations and cover art by Owen Lindsay.
- Perfect for fans of *Charlie Changes into a Chicken*.

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# HER MAJESTY'S LEAGUE OF REMARKABLE YOUNG LADIES

Alison D. Stegert

At her dull Victorian finishing school, fourteen-year-old Winnie dreams of becoming a top inventor like her father. Then, she's recruited into a league of young ladies guarding Her Majesty the Queen. Soon, Winnie is not only serving royalty but learning what she needs to save her papa.

- A debut upper-middle-grade Victorian romp and the winner of the *Times*/Chicken House Institution of Engineering and Technology Prize 2021.
- Plots, spies, inventors and a celebration of girls in STEM – and the hurdles they overcome – in an epic adventure set between London and Paris.
- Despite the fictional league, the novel draws on real-life historical inventions and events.

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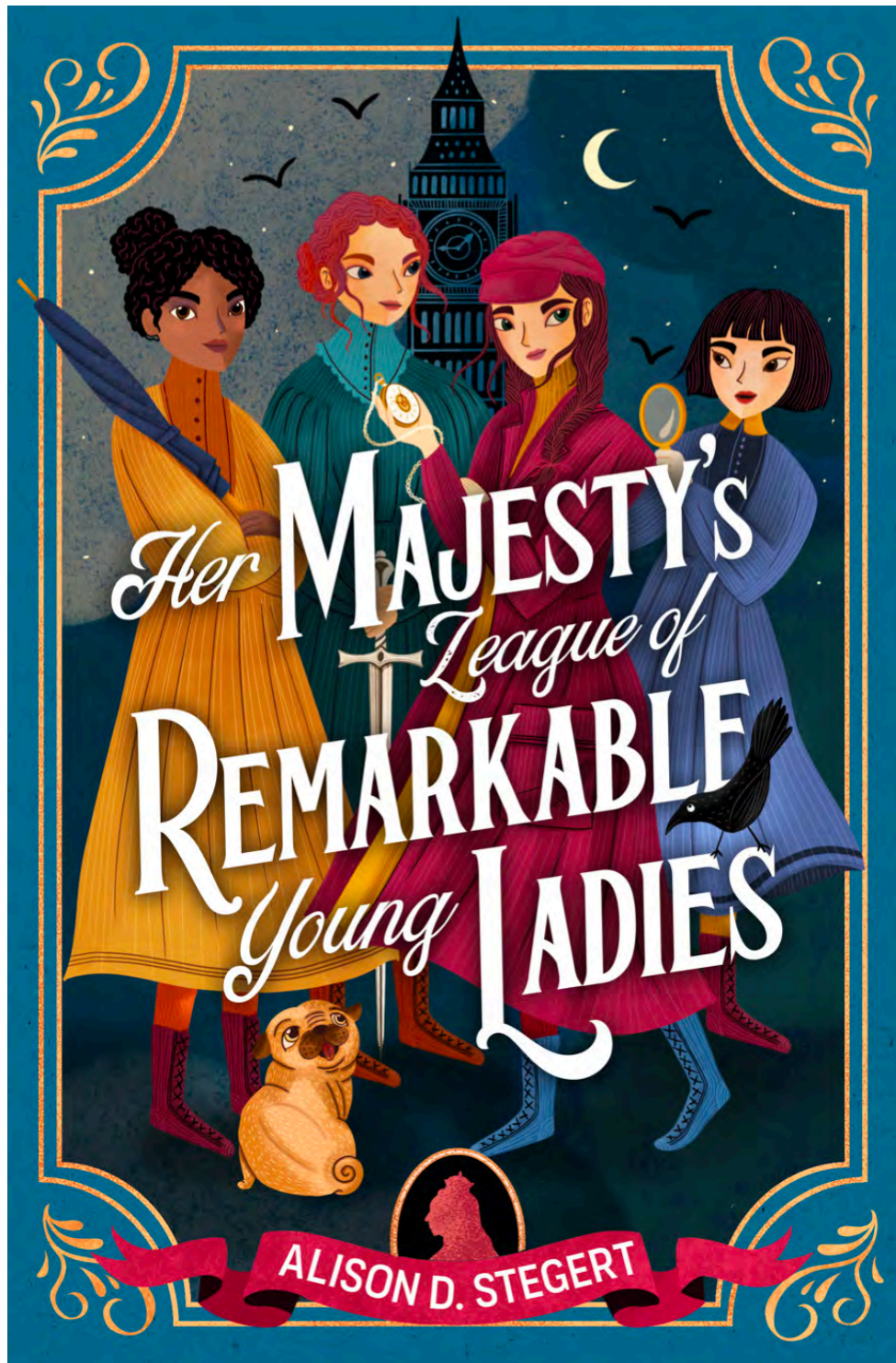
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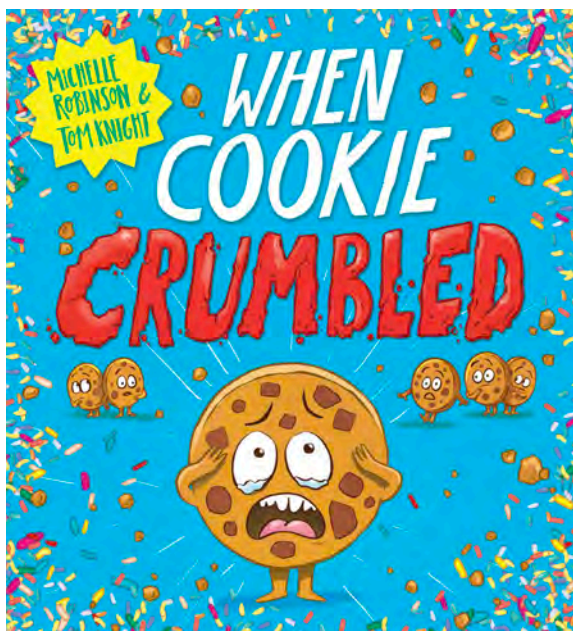
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# PICTURE & NOVELTY

## WHEN COOKIE CRUMBLED

MICHELLE ROBINSON Illustrated by TOM KNIGHT



Michael's one **cool cookie** - and he LOVES to stand out from the batch. Everyone knows it, but not everyone loves it, especially his brothers and sisters:

*'Fall in line,' they tell him. 'Be round! Be good! Be neat! Be what cookies should be - super round and super sweet.'*

Michael doesn't want to be like the rest - he wants to be **Michael**. But when Michael starts to feel like he can't be himself, he feels all alone and the poor cookie **CRUMBLES**.

Will his brothers and sisters be there for him when he needs them most? And will they realise that it's **our differences** that truly make us sweet?

### Key selling points

- A fantastically fun picture book from the bestselling duo of THE DAY THE BANANA WENT BAD, WHEN CUCUMBER LOST HIS COOL and WHEN JELLY HAD A WOBBLE
- A celebration of being true to yourself, even if you aren't like the rest of the crowd. WHEN COOKIE CRUMBLED is also a celebration of friendship, understanding and acceptance - all wrapped up in a laugh-out-loud story
- Eye-catchingly fun illustrations and a stand-out cover make this picture book a must-have for parents and children alike

**About the author:** Michelle Robinson worked in advertising before turning her creative talents to writing children's books. She is the author of many bestselling titles including TEN FAT SAUSAGES, the GOODNIGHT series, THERE'S A LION IN MY CORNFLAKES and HOW TO WASH A WOOLLY MAMMOTH. Michelle lives in Frome, Somerset.  
michellerobinson.co.uk @micherobinson

**About the illustrator:** Tom Knight is the talented illustrator behind THE DAY THE BANANA WENT BAD and WHO'S AFRAID OF THE BIG BAD BOGEY. Tom lives in Essex. tomknightillustration.co.uk @tombabylon

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**RRP:** £6.99

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**Illustrations:** Colour

**Rights:** World Rights



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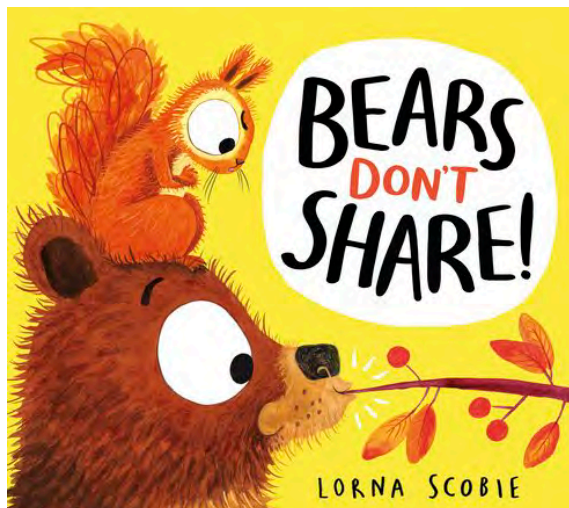
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# PICTURE & NOVELTY

## BEARS DON'T SHARE!

LORNA SCOBIE



**A fun-filled adventure from the author-illustrator behind I WOULD RATHER HUG A TIGER!**

*Squirrel found berries. 'Ooh!' said Squirrel.*

*Then Bear found berries. 'Ooooooh!' said Bear.*

*'Save some for me please' begged Squirrel. 'Sharing is caring, you know!'*

*But... BEARS DON'T SHARE!*

Bear and Squirrel are on the hunt for some food before Winter comes, but there's just one small problem... Bears don't share!

Will Bear learn that you can't always have your cake and eat it too?

Join Bear and Squirrel on their adventure in the forest to find out!

### Key selling points

- Written and illustrated in Lorna Scobie's wonderfully witty and warm style, perfect for fans of Chris Haughton, Jim Field and Jon Klassen
- Children and parents alike will love following Bear and Squirrel around the forest as Bear gobbles up everything he can before winter!
- Look out for Lorna's other books: *Collecting Cats*, *Rabbit, Rabbit, Rabbit!*, *Duck, Duck Dad?* and *I Would Rather Hug a Tiger*

**About the author-illustrator:** Lorna Scobie is an illustrator and printmaker based in London. Whilst she has illustrated a number of picture and activity books focused on the animal kingdom, *COLLECTING CATS* was her debut picture book as both author and illustrator, this is her latest laugh-out-loud picture book featuring a whole host of exciting animals.

 SCHOLASTIC

**Pub Date:** 3rd August 2023

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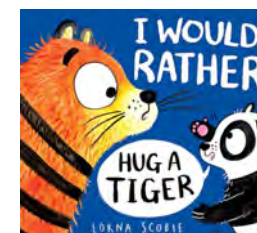
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# PICTURE & NOVELTY

## BEARS DON'T SHARE!

LORNA SCOBIE

The hunt began.  
Squirrel found berries.

"Ooh!" said  
Squirrel.



Then Bear found berries.



"Ooooooh!"  
said Bear.

"Save some for me please!"  
begged Squirrel. "Sharing is  
caring, you know!"

But . . .





# PICTURE AND NOVELTY

## SHINE

SARAH ASUQUO Illustrated by NADIA FISHER

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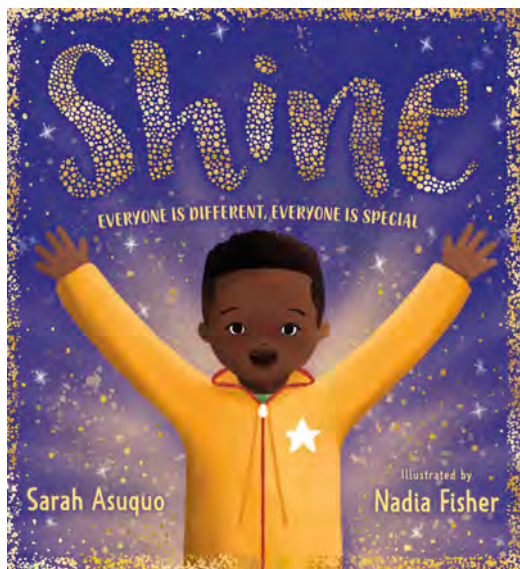
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**A reassuring journey through a child's worries and insecurities about being different.** When Kai is bullied for being too tall and having a unique scar under his eye, he begins to wish he was the same as everybody else. With the help of his parents, can Kai learn that the things that make him different are the things that make him special, and let his own light shine through?

### Key selling points

- A touching and heart-warming journey through a child's worries and insecurities about being different
- With mindfulness activities for families to do together to build confidence and combat feelings of unworthiness
- *Shine* has been taken into over 40 UK primary schools to be included in the curriculum and libraries
- *Shine* has been read on Channel 5's 'Milkshake!' in November 2022
- Beautifully illustrated, *Shine* deals with issues of bullying, low self-esteem and forgiveness

Sarah Asuquo originally wrote and self-published *Shine* in 2020, and it garnered a massive response in the number of sales, on social media, and was even taken into 40 primary schools across the UK to be included in the curriculum and libraries.

Born and raised in the vibrant East End of London in a Nigerian household, Sarah thrives on culture and diversity. Her writing venture is influenced by her experiences with the children she has encountered, and she aims to write books that reflect the multicultural society of today in an accurate, relatable, inspiring and positive manner.



"Be proud, my son, that you are tall; stand as high as you can be.  
For you can see far beyond what other children see.  
Everyone is different, son. You must be true to you.  
Within us all is a special light.  
Will you let yours *shine* through?"

Kai simply nodded.



# ALISON GREEN BOOKS

## LET'S FIND TABBY MCTAT

JULIA DONALDSON Illustrated by AXEL SCHEFFLER

 SCHOLASTIC

**Pub Date:** 3rd August 2023

**ISBN:** 9780702325625

**RRP:** £7.99

**Age:** 00-03

**Binding:** Non Standard - board

**Extent:** 10pp

**TPS:** 185mm x 185mm

**CBMC code:** A3K79

**Illustrations:** Colour

**Rights:** World Rights

Julia Donaldson's favourite characters are now available as gorgeous board books with soft felt flaps for toddlers to lift and find.

Where has Tabby McTat gone? Can you find him?

Lift the colourful felt flaps in this fun chunky board book, perfect for small hands, until you find Tabby McTat!

### Key selling points

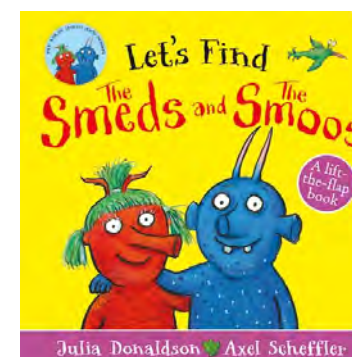
- From the award-winning superstars of the children's book world, Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler
- Based on the bestselling picture book Tabby McTat
- Easy-to-flip felt flaps, perfect and gentle for little hands
- While little ones are grabbing and exploring textures, this board book will also help increase hand-eye co-ordination, develop speech and aid learning through repetition

**About the author** Julia Donaldson is the author of many of the best-loved picture books ever written. She has been awarded an MBE for services to literature, and was also a much-praised Children's Laureate.  
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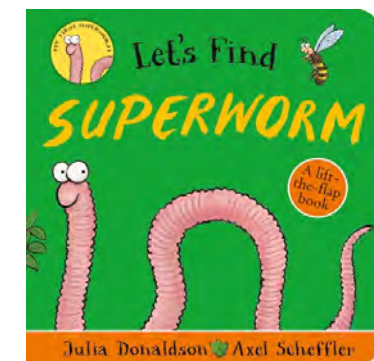
**About the illustrator** Axel Scheffler is one of the most celebrated illustrators in the world. He has brought to life a huge variety of characters, from dragons to gruffalos. Axel lives in London.

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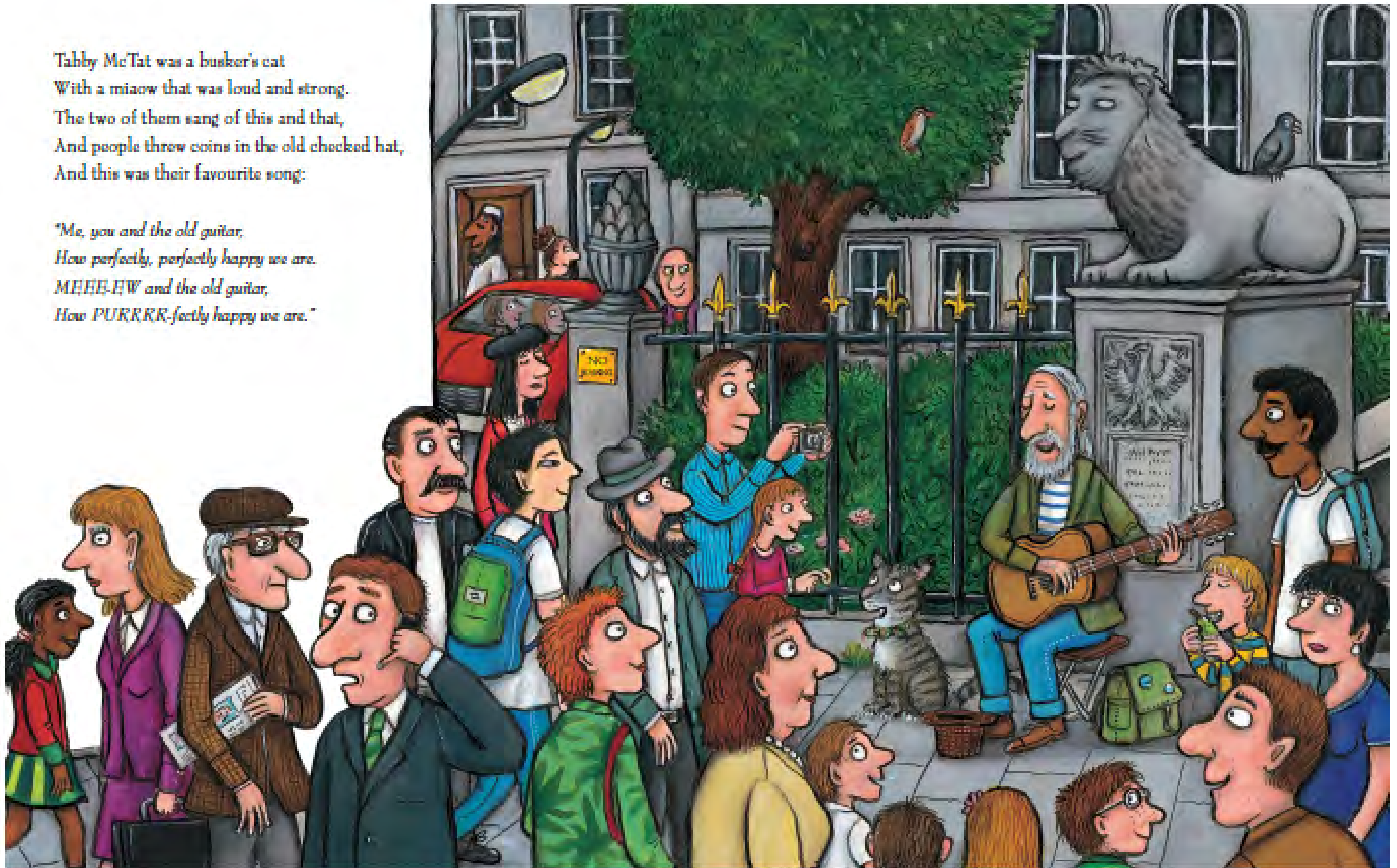
# ALISON GREEN BOOKS

## LET'S FIND TABBY MCTAT

JULIA DONALDSON Illustrated by AXEL SCHEFFLER

Tabby McTat was a busker's cat  
With a miaow that was loud and strong.  
The two of them sang of this and that,  
And people threw coins in the old checked hat,  
And this was their favourite song:

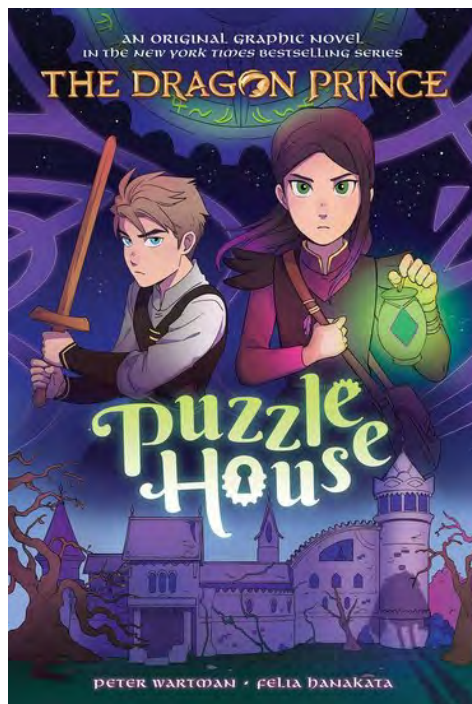
*"Me, you and the old guitar,  
How perfectly, perfectly happy we are.  
MEEEE-HW and the old guitar,  
How PURRRR-fectly happy we are."*



# GRAPHIC NOVEL

## THE DRAGON PRINCE: PUZZLE HOUSE (THE DRAGON PRINCE GRAPHIC NOVEL 3)

NICOLE ANDELFINGER Illustrated by FELIA HANAKATA



Fans won't want to miss this original canon story set in the world of the Emmy Award-winning Netflix animated series The Dragon Prince. With story by the creators of the series and of the New York Times bestselling Through the Moon (The Dragon Prince Graphic Novel #1), this will be a sure hit for fans old and new.

Learning magic is no easy thing, even for young Claudia. Despite a bit of help from a book of spells created by Kpp'Ar, her father's former mentor, it's all she can do to keep things from blowing up in her face - often with spectacularly messy results.

But a spell book isn't the only thing that Kpp'Ar left behind when he suddenly and mysteriously vanished. In his wake stands the Puzzle House, a bizarre tower full of magical traps, tricks, contraptions and - what else - puzzles.

Claudia is sure that the old mage left a gift for her and her brother, Soren, somewhere deep within its walls, and she is determined to find out exactly what it is.

Can Claudia and Soren uncover all the mysteries hidden within the Puzzle House? Or will they discover a darkness that will change them forever?

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# GRAPHIC NOVEL

## MAKING FRIENDS: THIRD TIME'S THE CHARM: A GRAPHIC NOVEL (MAKING FRIENDS #3)

KRISTEN GUDSNUK



**Dany's sketchbook is at it again, but this time it's not Dany's doing!**

Dany and Madison are living a new reality. Rather than best friends, the pair now believe they are twins -- and that isn't the only part of their lives that has been completely rewritten. Their mom is a novelist, their dad is a rock star, and Dany has suddenly become a diligent student. Things. Aren't. Adding. Up.

Dany and Madison start sleuthing and discover that someone has drastically altered the universe! Can the pair put things back the way they were, or is this magic beyond their control?

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**About the author:** Kristen Gudsnuk is the creator of the comic series Henchgirl, and the illustrator of the book series VIP by Jen Calonita. In her spare time she performs with the band Sally. Kristen learned everything she knows about art and life from Sailor Moon, X-Men, and Animorphs. This is the sequel to her debut book for Graphix, Making Friends. She lives in New York City with her partner and their dog.



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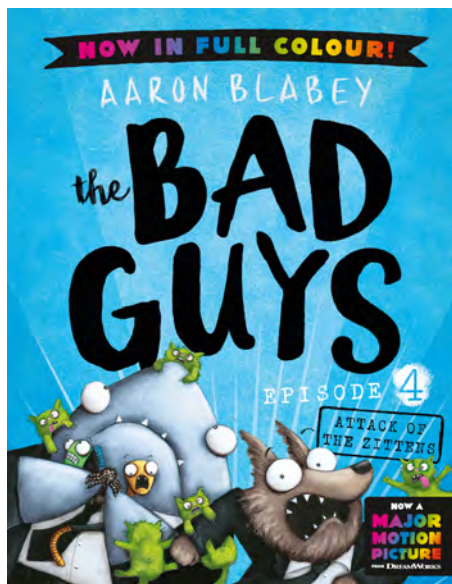
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# FICTION

## THE BAD GUYS: THE BAD GUYS 4 COLOUR EDITION: ATTACK OF THE ZITTENS

AARON BLABEY



It's a zombie kitten apocalypse! Can the Bad Guys save the world from evil Dr. Marmalade's meowing monsters?!? They'll need help from foxy Agent Fox, a swampy secret zombie antidote, and the feistiest, toothiest, hungriest granny around. Get ready to watch the fur fly!

The fourth laugh-out-loud Bad Guys episode by award-winning creator Aaron Blabey, now in full colour.

"I wish I'd had these books as a kid. Hilarious!" - Dav Pilkey, creator of Captain Underpants and Dog Man.

They sound like the Bad Guys, they look like the Bad Guys ... and they even smell like the Bad Guys. But Mr Wolf, Mr Piranha, Mr Snake and Mr Shark are about to change all of that - whether you want them to or not! It's a zombie kitten apocalypse!

Can the Bad Guys save the world from evil Dr. Marmalade's meowing monsters?!? They'll need help from foxy Agent Fox, a swampy secret zombie antidote, and the feistiest, toothiest, hungriest granny around. Get ready to watch the fur fly!

**ABOUT THE SERIES:** Full of hilarious line illustrations throughout Fans of Dog Man, Cat Kid and Captain Underpants will love this series Perfect for children who are struggling with reading - or who just want to laugh their socks off Praise for The Bad Guys: "[T]his book instantly joins the classic ranks of Captain Underpants... We challenge anyone to read this and keep a straight face." - Kirkus Reviews

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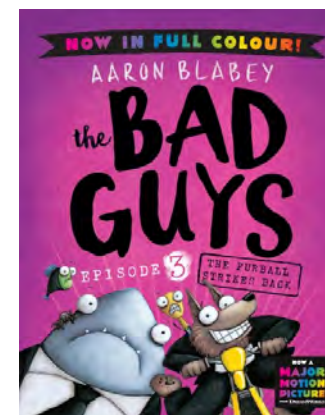
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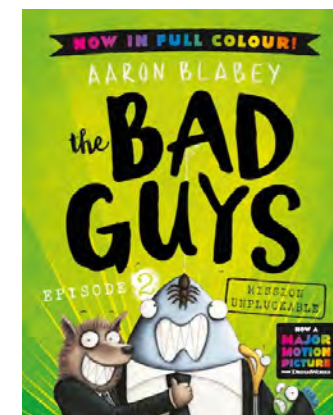
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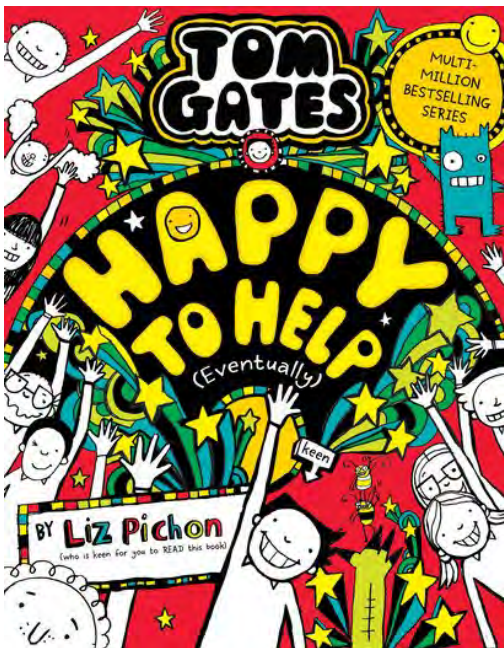
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# FICTION

## TOM GATES: TOM GATES 20: HAPPY TO HELP (EVENTUALLY)

LIZ PICHON



The 20th Tom Gates bestseller from multi-million selling writer and illustrator Liz Pichon. A hilarious, happy, helpful story packed with drawings and laughs on every page.

It's TIDY UP Saturday but Tom is VERY busy relaxing and not helping out much. Until he spots the art box of his dreams in a shop window and everything changes. He's suddenly focused on earning extra pocket money and helping with EVERYTHING. But nothing quite goes to plan. Washing and shrinking Delia's clothes isn't a good start. And the hours spent carefully cleaning cars with Derek are ruined overnight when a storm hits Oakfield Town, causing even MORE chaos.

At this rate it's going to take a MILLION years for Tom to get the art box of his dreams... or will it?

### Key selling points

- Over 5 million copies of Tom Gates books have sold in the UK and the Tom Gates series has been translated into 46 languages.
- TOM GATES has come to the stage, in a production by The Birmingham Stage company which toured the UK in 2019, and is a hit, Scottish BAFTA-winning TV show on Sky Kids. Liz is the bestselling 'homegrown' author/illustrator in the UK.

**About the author:** Liz Pichon studied graphic design and has worked as an art director in the music industry. Her freelance design work has appeared on a range of products and she has written and illustrated a number of picture books. Liz's first book for 9+ readers, 'THE BRILLIANT WORLD OF TOM GATES' won the Roald Dahl Funny Prize, The Best Book for Young Readers - Red House Book Award and the Best Fiction for 5-12 year olds category of the Waterstones Children's Book Prize. Liz is married with three children and lives in Brighton. [www.lizpichon.co.uk](http://www.lizpichon.co.uk) [tomgatesworld.blogspot.com/](http://tomgatesworld.blogspot.com/) @LizPichon

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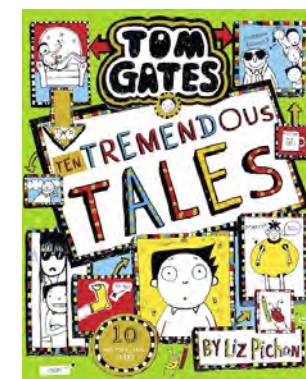
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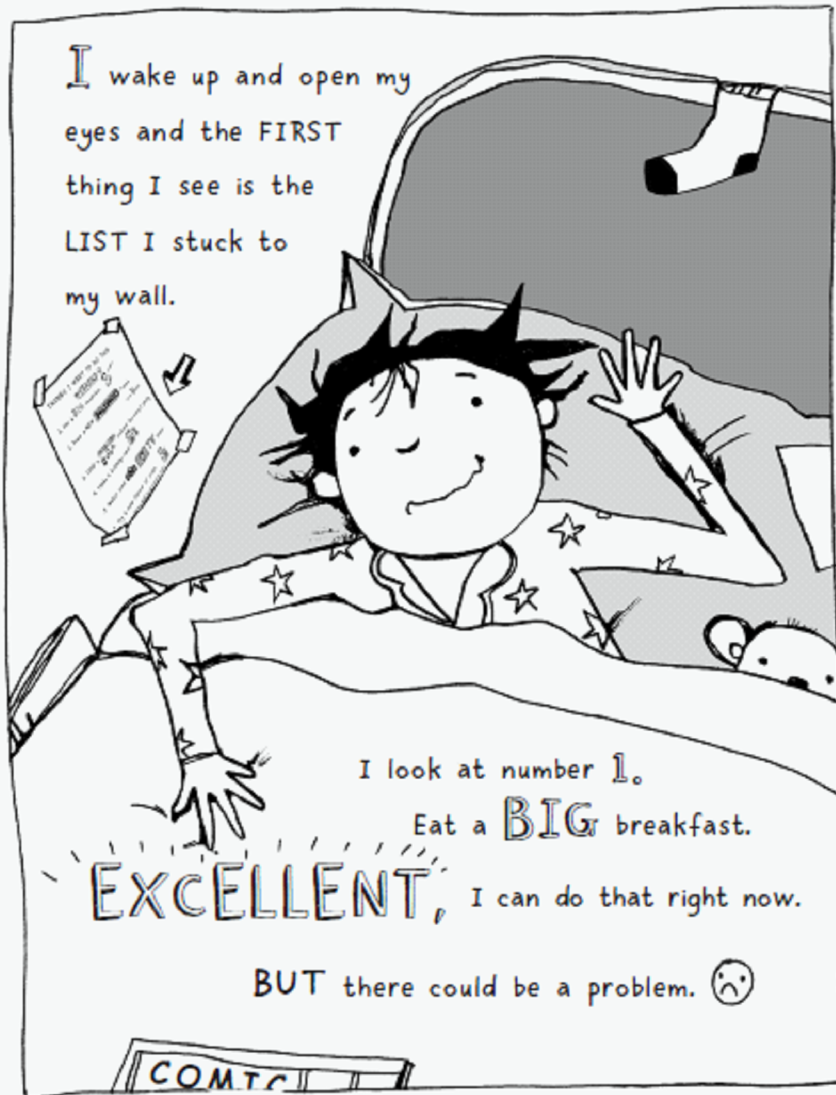


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# FICTION

TOM GATES: TOM GATES 20: HAPPY TO HELP (EVENTUALLY) PB

LIZ PICHON



Delia grips her water bottle SO **TIGHTLY** a jet of water **SHOOTs** UP and SOAKS her in the face. Because I'm a nice brother, I pass her a tea towel first and then say...



# FICTION

## GALLOWGATE

K. R. ALEXANDER



A twisted take on a school for magic where the line between curse and survival is *always* shifting.

Sebastian Wight is cursed. As a boy with the forbidden ability to traverse the lands of the dead, he must not only harness his newfound powers to fight the monster that stalks him, but also to navigate a creepy world of hunting ghosts and ghouls with his eccentric classmates. And there's also the tangled on a boy who barely looks at him twice... and the deadly family history that brought him to the halls of Gallowgate Academy in the first place. For Sebastian Wight, fighting the dead might be hard... but it's dealing with the living that may bring him down.

**ABOUT AUTHOR:** K.R. Alexander is the pseudonym for fantasy author Alex R. Kahler. Under this guise, K.R. writes creepy middle grade horror, perfect for young readers looking for a scare!

He is always seeking new stories and horizons. Which is probably how he found himself on the wrong end of a volcano in Hawaii, and trapped in a converted fish factory in an Icelandic blizzard, and lost in the moors of Scotland, and teaching circus arts in an artist commune in Madrid, and...

For now, though, he lives in Seattle, spinning tales and drinking too much coffee.

Usually.

For more information about him and his novels, visit [www.cursedlibrary.com](http://www.cursedlibrary.com)

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# FICTION

## JAY'S GUIDE TO CRUSHING IT

RUBY CLYDE



14-year-old Jay – sorry, Jennifer – and her family move to a new town for a fresh start, after bullying at her last school went too far. So now, her mum insists that Jennifer do things differently. Gone are Jay's jeans, T-shirts, skateboard and short hair – Jennifer needs to start looking acting like a girl. At first, Jennifer follows Mum's plan to keep her happy, but it starts to wear on Jennifer. With the help of her brother, she starts leading a double life, dressing in her brother's clothes before school to sneak out to the skate park; that's where Jennifer feels most like herself, where she can be Jay again. What she doesn't plan on is getting tangled up in a crush with a closeted boy at the skate park who thinks she's a boy, and a new friend, a bi girl, who is flirting with Jennifer (you know, the girl version). Inevitably, both crushes invite Jay to the same party...

This book is about a young teen who doesn't have the words to describe their identity but is seeking a way to explore and express it. With friendship and romance at its heart, it doesn't deny the darker aspects of Jay's experiences, but their wry (hilarious) take on life keeps the tone upbeat and empowering.

### Key selling points

- Debut author Ruby Clyde has a unique voice – this is an own-voices story by a seasoned comedian and comedy writer, softening the difficult coming-out themes with whip-smart humour.
- Solidly in the teen space, this has a "pioneer advantage" for representing gender non-conforming teens; we've seen this take off in the YA space, and believe it could work in teen
- In 2020 skateboarding was included in the Olympics for the first time and the women's Gold, Silver and Bronze Olympic medals for both skateboarding categories were awarded to teen skateboarders

**About the author:** Ruby Clyde (she/they) grew up between a council estate in London and Southern California. She performs for adults and children as half of stand-up/musical comedy double-act Shelf which has been nominated for The Musical Comedy Awards and The Funny Women Awards and has over 1 million views on BBC3.

They are co-founders of The LOL Word, a comedy night for queer women, trans, and nonbinary comedians with a regular slot at Soho Theatre. Shelf's current laugh-out-loud show, Hair, heading to the Edinburgh fringe this summer, looks at Ruby's life-changing haircut from every angle.

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# YA FICTION

## EVERYONE'S THINKING IT

ALEEMA OMOTONI



NOT FINAL COVER

**Two Nigerian girls find themselves at the heart of a mysterious conspiracy at an elite British boarding school in this sharply observed, highly entertaining contemporary YA novel brimming with drama, gossip and romance.**

Bursary student Iyanu is comfortable on the fringes of high-school society, but when she photographs the matchmaker event for the Valentine's Ball, everything changes. Someone steals Iyanu's photographs, spilling the most popular students' secrets - and the prestigious Wodebury Hall School erupts into chaos.

Now Iyanu is thrust back into the orbits of her ex-best-friend Quincy and her estranged cousin Kitan, two of the few other Black students at Wodebury. Together, they form a sleuth squad to uncover who was behind the stunt, get back Iyanu's stolen work, and bring the culprit to justice - before the web of rumours snares them all.

Sensitively handling social issues including racism and queerphobia, **EVERYONE'S THINKING IT** explores the fragility of reputation and the power of community while weaving a hugely entertaining mystery.

### Key selling points

- Bursting with romance, juicy secrets and thought-provoking social commentary, this is **DEAR WHITE PEOPLE** meets **MEAN GIRLS** for fans of **ACE OF SPADES** and Joya Goffney
- A dynamic ensemble cast with two Black girls at its heart - this story has huge Netflix movie potential
- Astutely handles social issues including anti-Black racism, colourism, blackfishing and biphobia, while celebrating the power of community, belonging and embracing your identity

Aleema Omotoni is a British-Nigerian author living in England. She writes novels that centre Black teens - especially Black girls - navigating friendships, family and coming of age. Aleema loves musical theatre, astrophysics and rainy autumn days snuggled up with a new TV show to binge.

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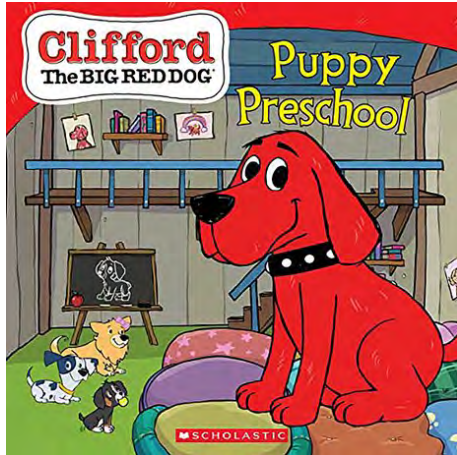
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# MEDIA

## CLIFFORD THE BIG RED DOG: PUPPY PRESCHOOL

NORMAN BRIDWELL



Clifford decides to start a puppy preschool for Fisherman Charlie's new puppy, Hudson, with some help from his doggy pals. Can the big red dog teach Hudson how to share and be a good friend? Features adorable art from the TV show!

Can Clifford help Hudson the puppy learn to behave? Find out in this sweet storybook, featuring adorable art from the TV show!

Fisherman Charlie's new puppy, Hudson, is the cutest! Clifford, Bailey and Tucker are happy to have a new dog to play with on Birdwell Island. But the only word Hudson knows is, "Mine!" Hudson keeps taking the other dogs' treats and toys, she runs through Emily Elizabeth's sand castles and barks loudly all the time. Everyone has had enough! Clifford decides to start a puppy preschool for Hudson with some help from his doggy pals.

Can the big red dog teach Hudson how to share and be a good friend?

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# MEDIA

## DOG MAN COLOURING BOOK

DAV PILKEY



Hooray, Dog Man fans! Now you can create art alongside Dav Pilkey in the first ever official Dog Man coloring book. Hang out with Dog Man, Petey, Li'l Petey, Chief, and other favourite characters as you visit some of the most beloved scenes from Dav's acclaimed graphic novel series. Featuring over 100 panels, this thoughtfully arranged, heartwarming, and riotously funny coloring book story will draw in Dog Man fans of all ages.

For more graphic novel adventures starring Li'l Petey, Flippy, Molly, and more, be sure to check out Dav's celebration of creativity and storytelling: the Cat Kid Comic Club series!

### Key selling points

- Millions of Dog Man fans have been waiting years for an official Dog Man colouring book -- and now it's here!
- The Dog Man and Cat Kid Comic Club graphic novels have sold tens of millions of copies across the world.
- Young readers feel a deep emotional connection to Dav's artwork, and will delight in feeling that they are making comics with Dav.
- Colouring pages are suitable for beginning as well as more advanced colourists.
- A great way for the whole family to relax, have fun, and let creativity flow.

**About the Author:** Dav Pilkey is the author and illustrator of the Captain Underpants, Cat Kid Comic Club and Dog Man series, which have sold millions of copies in the UK. His books are funny; accessible; full of genuine child appeal.

 SCHOLASTIC

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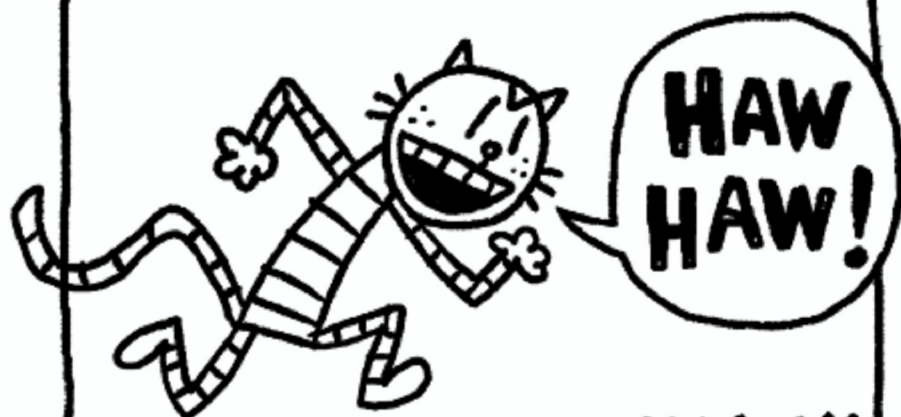
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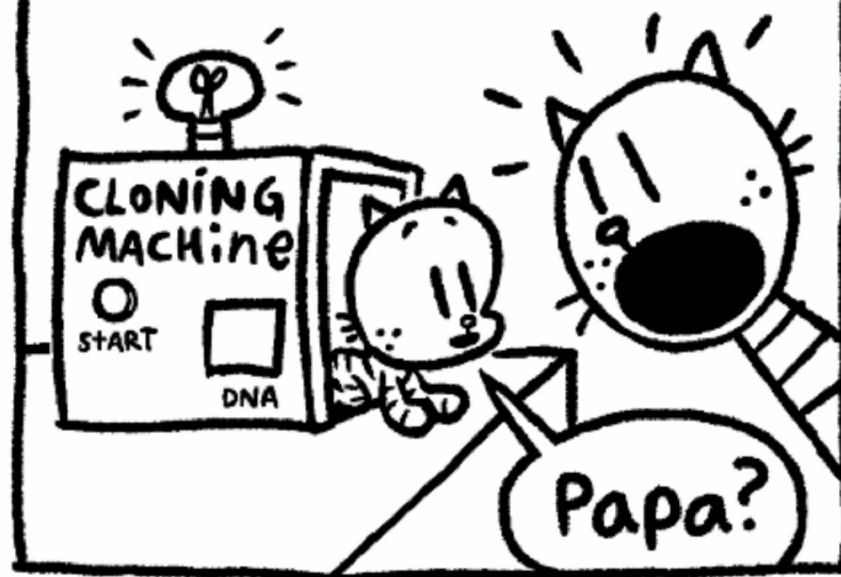
DAV PILKEY

Petey the cat was  
busy Living a Life  
of wretchedness...



HAW  
HAW!

...When he  
accidentally  
created a  
Kitty clone.



Papa?



# FICTION

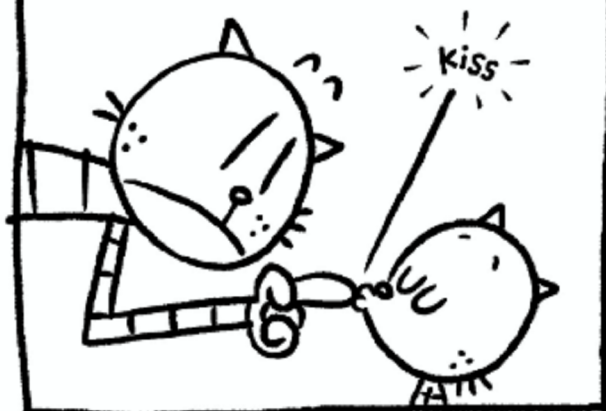
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DAV PILKEY

Petey tried to make his  
little clone become evil...



...but it was  
not to be.



Li'l Petey's Kindness  
melted his Papa's  
heart...

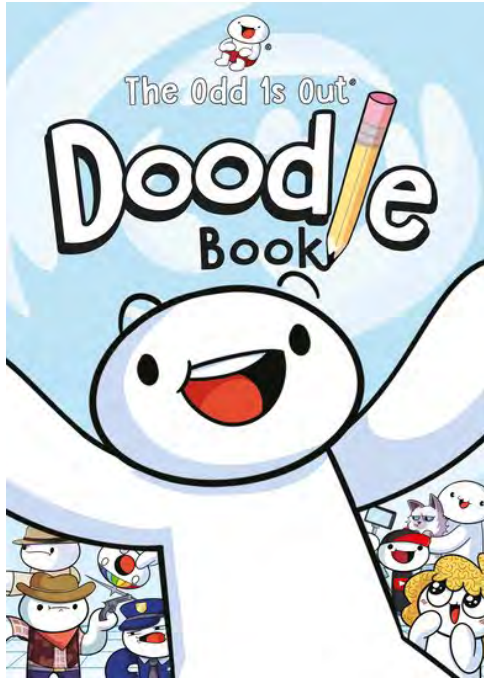


... and now they are  
a family.

# MEDIA

## THE ODD IS OUT: THE ODD IS OUT DOODLE BOOK

JAMES RALLISON



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Draw, colour and create with The Odd Is Out! In this official, one-of-a-kind activity book, fans of the bestselling.

Odd Is Out series can step into the world of James Rallison to draw, create and put themselves into the scene. Draw the future in James's crystal ball, scribble all over the walls like baby James, sketch out the lifecycle of Harry the Moth, come up with some entirely original phrases that no one has ever said out loud before and so much more!

Pop the lids off your markers, crack the spine and get ready to create an odd world of your own!

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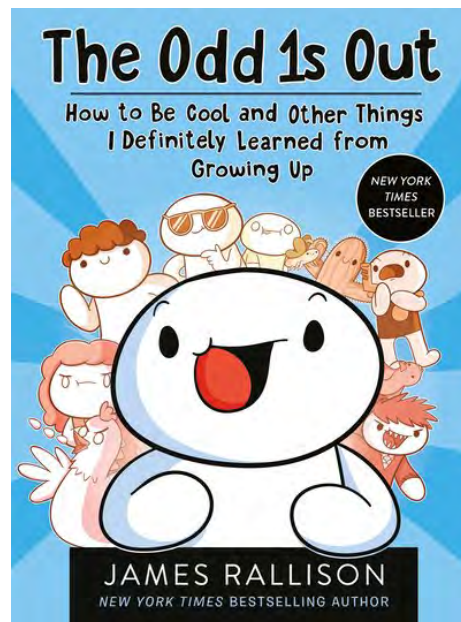
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# MEDIA

## THE ODD 1S OUT: THE ODD 1S OUT: HOW TO BE COOL AND OTHER THINGS I DEFINITELY LEARNED FROM GROWING UP

JAMES RALLISON



Hilarious stories and advice about the ups and downs of growing up, from popular YouTube artist and storyteller, James Rallison. Like any shy teen turned young adult,

YouTube star James Rallison ("The Odd 1s Out") is used to being on the outside looking in. He wasn't partying in high school or winning football games like his older brother. Instead, he posted comics on the Internet. Now, he's ready to share his hard-earned advice from his 21 years of life in the funny, relatable voice his fans love. In this illustrated collection, Rallison tells his own stories of growing up as the "odd one out": in art class with his twin sister (she was more talented), in the middle school locker room, and up to one strange year of college (he dropped out).

Each story is filled with the little lessons he picked up along the way, serious and otherwise, like:

- How to be cool (in seventh grade)
- Why it's OK to be second-best at something
- How to survive your first, confidence-killing job interviews
- Filled with fan-favourite comics and never-before-seen material, this tongue-in-cheek take on some of the weirdest, funniest parts of life is perfect for both avid followers and new converts

 SCHOLASTIC

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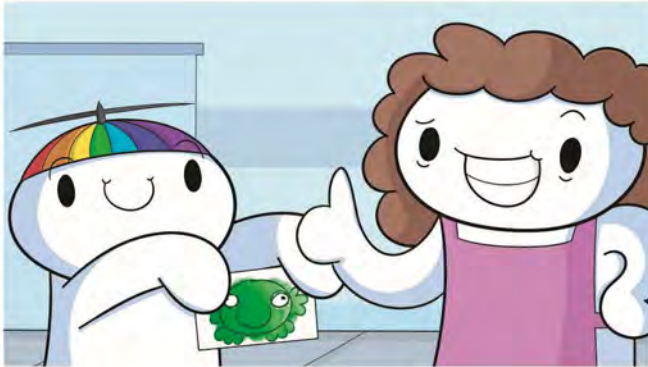
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# THE ODD IS OUT SERIES

## PAGES FROM BOOK 1



If you looked at my early drawings, you wouldn't think I would grow up to be an artist. My pictures were never the sort that ended up being proudly displayed on the fridge. Most of the fridge space went to my twin sister, Faith. She was such a natural at drawing that you could actually tell what her pictures were.

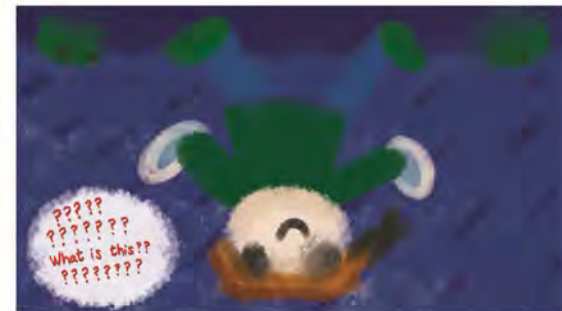
One time in an elementary school art class, I painted a beautiful portrait of a person. I don't have the exact copy anymore, but I will try to re-create it here:



If you can't tell, this is what I was going for:



For some reason, though, the teacher didn't understand my artistic vision. When it came time to hang everyone's pictures on the wall, she hung mine upside down.



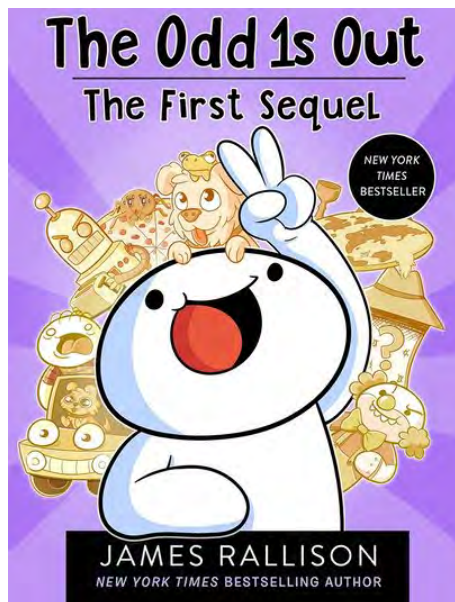
I don't know about you, but I think this picture makes absolutely no sense upside down.



# MEDIA

## THE ODD 1S OUT: ODD 1S OUT: THE FIRST SEQUEL

JAMES RALLISON



**The Odd 1s Out: The First Sequel** for fans old and new.

**Netflix series, Oddballs, out now!**

Sequel to the bestselling *The Odd 1s Out*, *The Odd 1s Out: The First Sequel* features all-new and never-seen-before content with opinions, stories and signature characters from YouTube phenomenon, James Rallison.

James Rallison has always felt like he was on the outside looking in. His YouTube videos are all about his odd behavior, and with over 18.5 million subscribers and millions more followers on social media, these animations have found their way into the hearts of fans who also feel like a bit of an odd one. In this second instalment in the *Odd 1s Out* series, James is back with characters, stories and opinions, including:

- The upside of the robot uprising
- Questionable pizza toppings<
- Strange yet completely reasonable fears
- Inventions that don't exist, but should
- Offering advice on accepting your quirks and growing up in the Internet age

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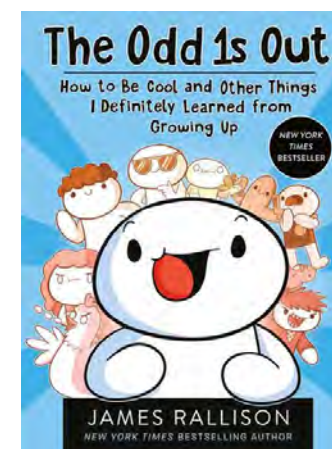
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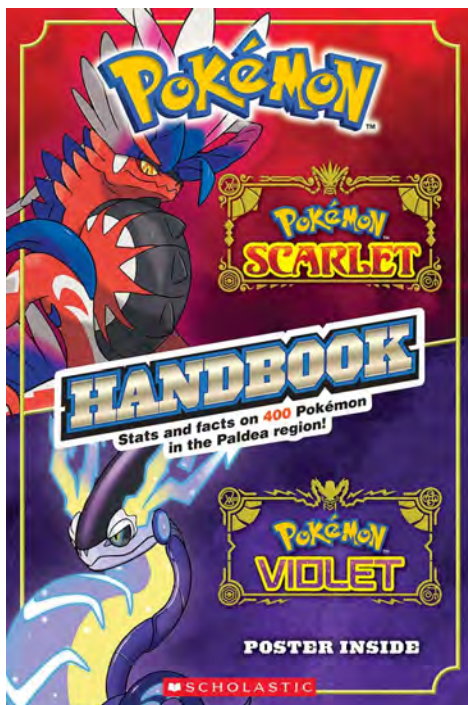
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# MEDIA

## POKEMON: POKEMON: SCARLET & VIOLET HANDBOOK



**The new Galar Region Pokémon are here and kids gotta catch 'em all!**

The *Galar Region Handbook* has all the stats and facts children will need to know about the brand-new Pokémon from *Sword* and *Shield*, the new games for Nintendo Switch.

Meet all the Pokémon of Galar, a brand-new region! Every amazing Pokémon featured in the new *Sword* and *Shield* video games is included in this comprehensive handbook. New and existing fans of Pokémon will discover stats and facts about many brand-new Pokémon – and learn new things about some classic favourites as well.

It has everything they will ever need to know about the Galar region.

### Key selling points

- The *Galar Region Handbook* has all the stats and facts children will need to know about the brand-new Pokémon from *Sword* and *Shield*, the new games for Nintendo Switch
- A must-have for new and existing fans of Pokémon
- Comprehensive and detailed with pictures of all the Pokémon
- Follows the popular *Alola Region Handbook*

**About the brand:** Pokémon was launched in Japan in 1996 and today is one of the most popular children's entertainment properties in the world!

Pokémon are creatures of all shapes and sizes who are raised and commanded by their owners (called 'Trainers'). During their adventures, Pokémon grow and become more experienced and even, on occasion, evolve into stronger Pokémon.

There are currently more than 800 creatures that inhabit the Pokémon universe!

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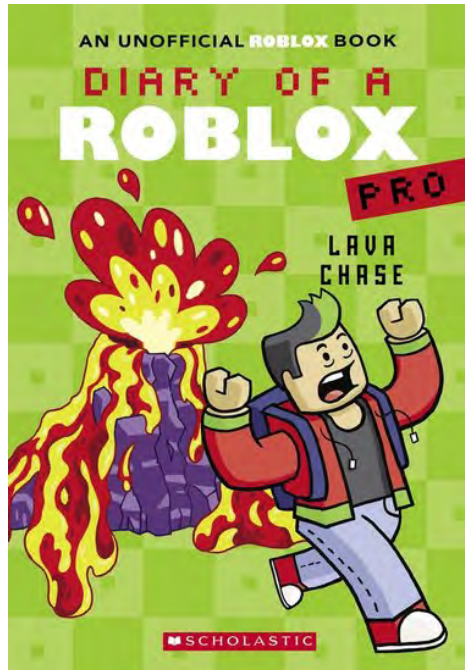
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# MEDIA

## DIARY OF A ROBLOX PRO: LAVA CHASE

ARI AVATAR



**Ari Avatar is just your average Roblox kid living in a blocky world! Battle monsters and avoid disasters in a Roblox world - all through the eyes of Ari and his friends. Diary of a Roblox Pro is a must-read for any kid who loves to game!**

Ari and his friends have to go on a boring geography field trip to a dormant volcano. Ugh! Ari and his friends sneak off ... only to get lost. Then they realize their class went home without them! Much to their surprise, Ari, Zeke and Jez also discover that the volcano may not be quite as dormant as they thought. It's time to get out of here! It's the ultimate lava chase adventure in the next unauthorized Roblox Pro book! A must-read for gamers Perfect for kids who love Roblox Filled with action, adventure and fun!

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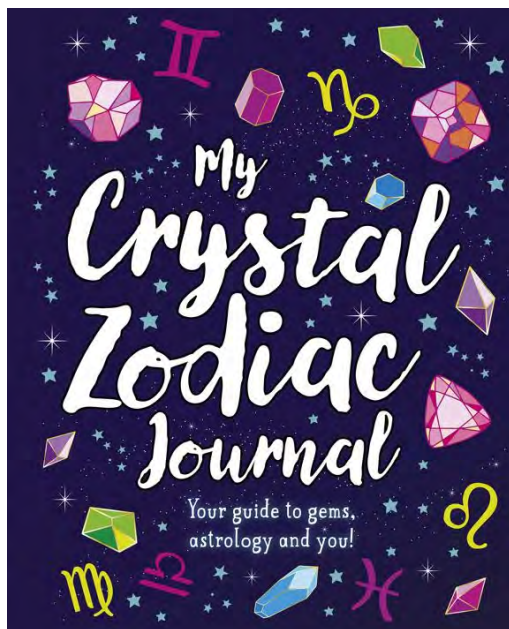


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# MEDIA

## MY CRYSTAL ZODIAC JOURNAL

SCHOLASTIC



This is the *perfect* journal for peace-loving crystal lovers!

Filled with fun facts about zodiacs and their stones, this beautiful journal will guide children on their journey to understand more about beautiful crystals and stones. Find out the best stone for each zodiac sign, complete the fun activities and much more!

### Key selling points

- Filled with quizzes, fabulous facts, zodiac stones and lots more, *My Crystal Zodiac Journal* is guaranteed to keep children entertained for hours on end
- The beautiful cover is guaranteed to amaze
- Children will love the gorgeous crystal motif throughout
- With gorgeous illustrations and plenty of fill-in fun for children aged 7+
- A journal to log special dreams and favourite memories!
- Perfect for those who love to be organised

**About the trend:** Fill-in fun for everyone – older children will love these trendy journals, packed with quizzes, fun activities to do with friends and plenty of space to make notes and keep a record of their favourite memories.

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# MEDIA

## PIGGY: THE CURE



**Mystery, mayhem -- try to survive the terrifying world of PIGGY in this original novel based on the fan-favorite videogame!**

There is a mystery to be solved, keys to be found, and an evil pig to escape!

When an infection threatens to turn everyone into mindless, dangerous monsters, it is up to a few desperate survivors to get survive long enough to find a cure. But can they hold on long enough to get to the bottom of this mysterious illness, or will PIGGY and her new minions find them first?

Welcome to the bone chilling, pulse-pounding world of PIGGY, the survival-horror game that will keep you up at night. Explore a frightening maze full of secrets to unearth and monsters that are out for blood! Can anyone make it out alive?

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# MEDIA

## MARVEL ROCKET AND GROOT: LITTLE GROOT, BIG FEELINGS (WITH STICKERS)

KIARA VALDEZ



Marvel fan-favourite Groot stars in this original storybook that explores social emotional issues. With a kid-friendly art style and simple, preschool text Groot learns to get in touch with his feelings!

I am Groot can mean many things. I AM GROOOOOOT means that Groot is angry that he has to clean his room. I AM GROOT!! means that he's happy to be hanging out with the other guardians. I am Groooooot means that Groot is scared. Where did his friends go? It's up to Groot to save the day in this original story! Featuring adorable illustrations, this storybook will explore Groot's emotions and the best ways to cope when things get a little out of hand. Includes a sheet of stickers!

### Key selling points

- Marvel and Alan Gratz are a combination that is sure to be a smash hit!
- Alan is a lifelong Marvel Comics fan. Captain America is the perfect Marvel character for him to adapt!
- Refugee has spent 127 weeks on the New York Times bestseller list!
- Marvel Avengers: Endgame was the highest grossing movie of all-time, earning over \$2.7 billion Worldwide.
- The three solo Captain America films grossed over \$2.2 billion combined worldwide. Captain America is a much loved character amongst fans

### About the author:

Alan Gratz is the acclaimed author of several books for young readers, including Prisoner B-3087, which was named to YALSA's 2014 Best Fiction for Young Adults list; Code of Honor, a YALSA 2016 Quick Pick; Projekt 1065; and The Brooklyn Nine, which was among Booklist's Top Ten Sports Books. Alan lives in North Carolina with his wife and daughter.

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