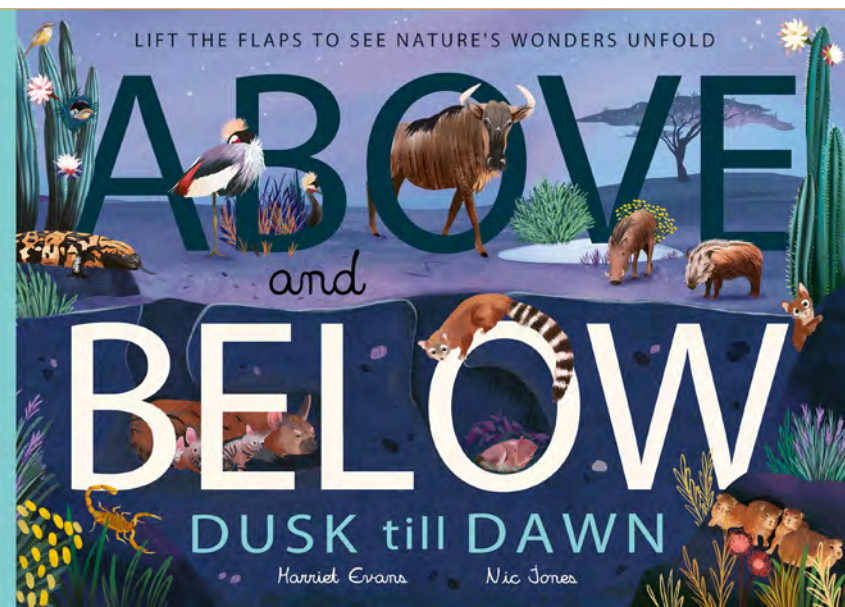
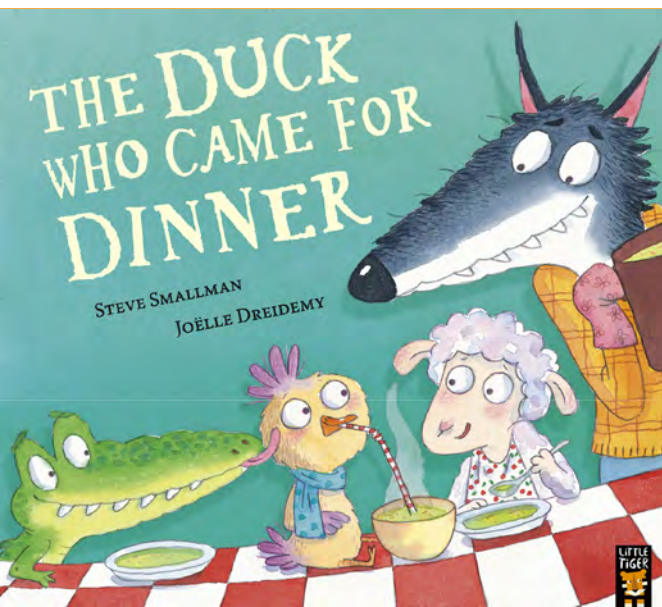
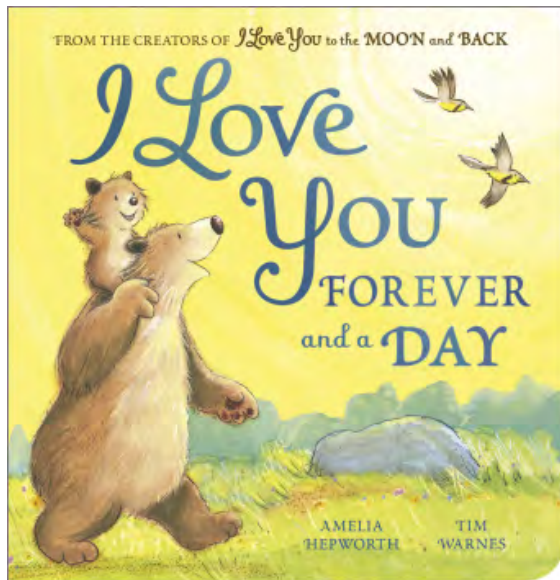


NOVEMBER-DECEMBER 2024 NEW TITLES

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I Love You Forever and a Day

Amelia Hepworth
Illustrated by Tim Warnes

With familiar and lovable bear characters, this chunky board book is a heartfelt celebration of each moment of love and laughter shared by a parent and child.

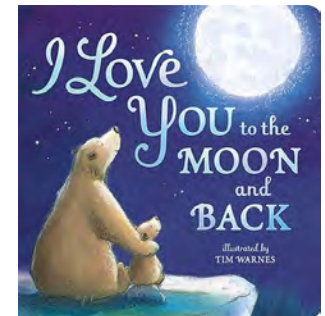
Pub Date: 7 November 2024 Price: £5.99
ISBN: 9781801047388

Series: I Love You to the Moon and Back
Number in Series: 2
Format: 168 x 163mm
Depth: 15mm
Binding: Board book
Extent: 28

CBMC Code: A3K79
BIC Code: YBCB
Age: 1 – 3 years
Carton Quantity: 1

Sales Points

- The long awaited sequel to the international best-seller – *I Love You to the Moon and Back*, now in a chunky board book format.
- A beautiful and reassuring text – perfect to share with little ones.
- A tender and warm portrayal of the unconditional love between a parent and a child.
- Perfect for fans of *Guess How Much I Love You* and *While We Can't Hug*.



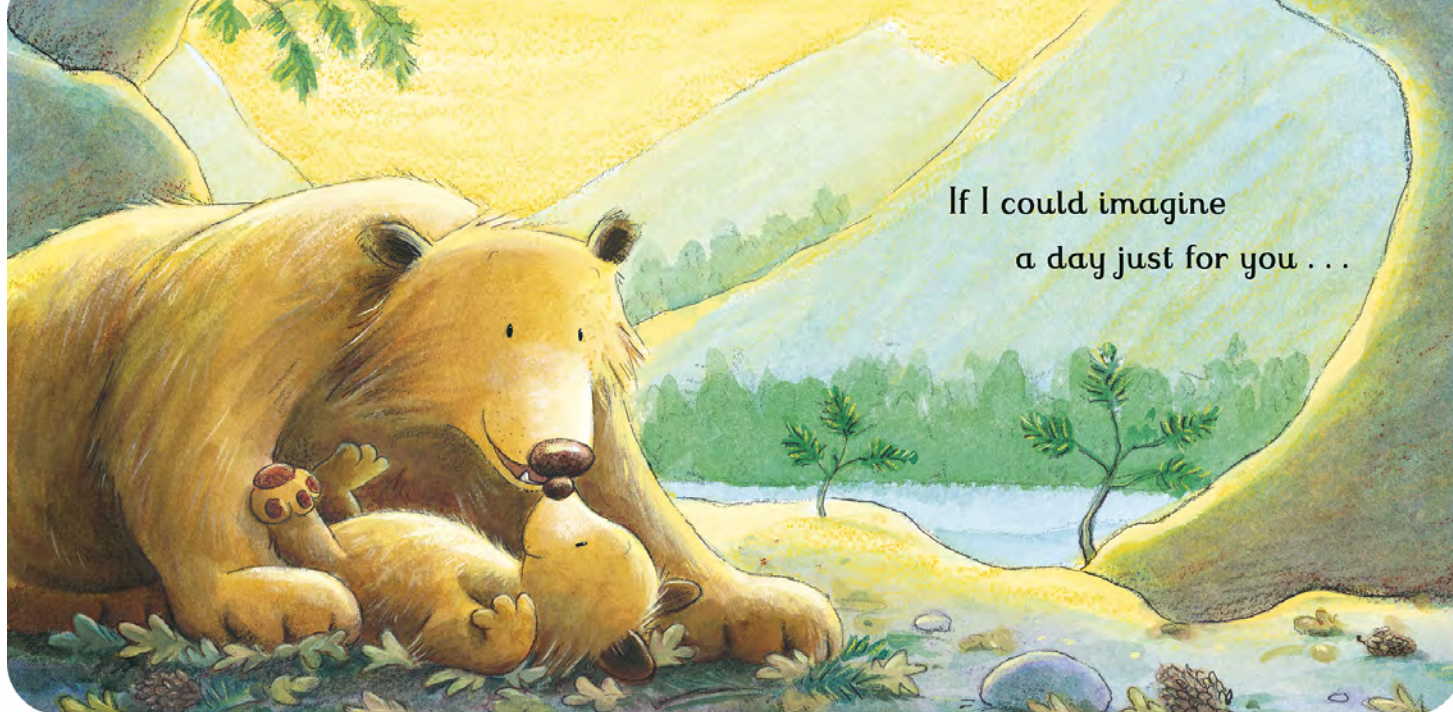
9781848690691
BB | £5.99

About the Author

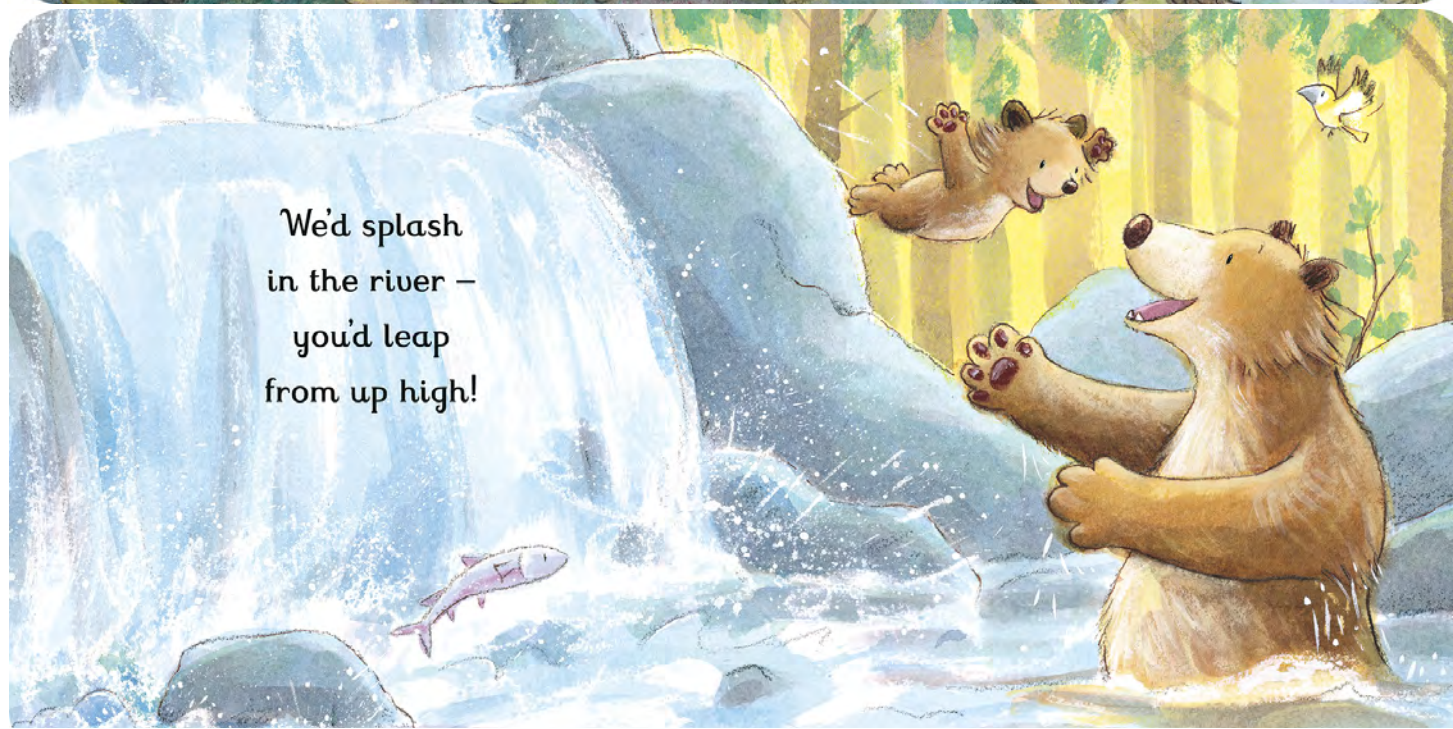
Amelia Hepworth lives in London with her family. When she is not writing stories, she enjoys spending time with her little boy and daydreaming in her backyard.

About the Illustrator

Tim Warnes has been writing and illustrating kids' books for 30 years. He's passionate about helping parents and carers use quality picture books to nurture their children. Tim also enjoys playing the banjo, birdwatching and wearing fancy hats. Learn more about Tim's work and discover some Stories Worth Sharing at www.timwarnes.com.



If I could imagine
a day just for you . . .



We'd splash
in the river –
you'd leap
from up high!



We Hug Night Night

Patricia Hegarty
Illustrated by Thomas Elliott

Join a snuggly cast of baby animals from around the world as they settle down for the night. Turn the pages to see them hug night night in this bedtime board book with cleverly shaped pages and peek-throughs transforming each page. Chunky pages are perfect for little hands and clever die-cuts let you turn the pages to watch the parent and baby animals hug night night.

Pub Date: 7 November 2024 Price: £7.99
ISBN: 9781838916428

Format: 196 x 196mm
Depth:

Binding: Board book
Extent: 26

CBMC Code: A3J79
BIC Code: YBL

Age: 1 – 3 years

ALSO BY PATRICIA HEGARTY



9781838914356
BB | £7.99



9781838915711
BB | £6.99

Sales Points

- A gentle rhyming text with soft illustrations, ideal for reading to children at bedtime.
- Cased board book with sturdy shaped and die-cut pages to create a hugging effect.
- Bedtime is a top-selling subject for board books for this age group.

About the Author

Patricia Hegarty is currently the Editorial Director of Caterpillar Books and has written about all kinds of things from trees and bees to ABCs (and she loves to rhyme).

About the Illustrator

Thomas Elliott is an illustrator and designer with a keen love of nature. When he's not creating beautiful books, he likes to spend time with his family and two dogs.

And as we hug night night,

the
moon
gleams
in the
sky.





From The Heart

Samantha Sweeney

Illustrated by Ella Bailey

The perfect gift from family or friends, *From the Heart* is a novelty picture book that can be personalised with precious memories, photos and keepsakes. Every page contains interactive elements such as decorative flaps, photo frames and envelopes where you can express your love to make a unique treasure for someone special.

Pub Date: 7 November 2024 Price: £14.99

ISBN: 9781801046824

Format: 240 x 240mm

Depth: 11mm

Binding: Hardback

Extent: 24

CBMC Code: B3M79

BIC Code: YBCS

Age: 6+ years

Sales Points

- A novelty picture book that can be personalised with precious memories, photos and keepsakes.
- Every page contains interactive elements such as decorative flaps, photo frames and envelopes.
- The perfect gift to express love through a unique keepsake for someone special.
- Perfect for fans of *In My Heart*; *Daddy, You're Amazing*; *Mummy, You're Amazing* and the *Letters to My . . .* series.

About the Author

Samantha's favourite thing about writing and editing children's books is marvelling at how much can be said in so few words. She lives in London in a tall house with lots of stairs and has some of her best ideas while she's on her way to the kitchen to make strong cups of tea.

About the Illustrator

Ella Bailey is a freelance illustrator currently living in Devon, in the UK. She specializes in children's books having illustrated many board, novelty and picture books. Ella works mostly digitally and likes to incorporate lots of texture and limited, lively palettes into her artwork.

Time's precious when I'm by your side
no matter what we do.

You're wonderful because . . .

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I'm always happy to be me – and you can just be YOU!



Imperfectly Perfect

Perry Emerson

Illustrated by Hoang Giang

What is **imperfectly perfect**?

It's a flower growing from a **cracked** pavement.

It's the memory of a happy time, etched in a **wrinkled** smile.

It's taking something **broken**, mending it with love, and making something new. Something unique. Beautiful. And **imperfectly perfect**.

A story that cherishes beauty in imperfection.

Pub Date: 7 November 2024 Price: £7.99

ISBN: 9781801044998

Format: 280 x 245mm

Depth: 4mm

Binding: Paperback

Extent: 32

CBMC Code: A3M79

BIC Code: YBC

Age: 3 – 6 years

Carton Quantity: 1

About the Author

Perry is a writer and editor at Little Tiger Press, where he works mostly on picture books and sometimes on novelty books. Perry lives in London with his partner and their much-too-fluffy cat.

About the Illustrator

Giang has been working as a children's book illustrator for more than 10 years. She works in a studio with her partner and three cats. She also loves comics and graphic novels, and dreams of one day finding the time to make her own comic book.

Sales Points

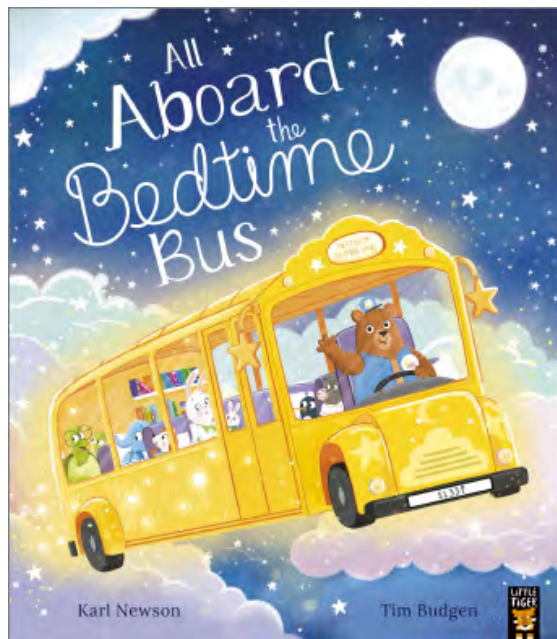
- A thought-provoking picture book inspired by the idea that beauty can be found in something that may appear to be imperfect. Now out in paperback!
- A heartwarming story about a brother and sister navigating a fractious time in their relationship.
- A beautiful book that marries a lyrically powerful text with stunning illustrations.
- This uplifting picture book is the ideal companion for readers of *The Most Magnificent Thing* by Ashley Spires, *What Do You See When You Look at a Tree?* by Emma Carlisles and *The Station Cat* by Stephen Hogtun.

Maria didn't mean to break Robbie's **best** book.
She was turning the pages fast, just like he did.

And that's when it happened . . .



ADVANCE INFORMATION



All Aboard the Bedtime Bus

Karl Newson
Illustrated by Tim Budgen

Engine on, lights aglow,
PJs ready . . . away we go!

All aboard the bedtime bus to dreamland!

Pub Date: 7 November 2024 Price: £7.99
ISBN: 9781801046572

Format: 280 x 245mm
Depth: 4mm
Binding: Paperback
Extent: 32
CBMC Code: A3M79
BIC Code: YBCS
Age: 3 – 6 years
Carton Quantity: 1



About the Author

Karl Newson is a bestselling, multi-award-winning children's book author. His stories have been translated into 30 languages around the world. Karl grew up in Norwich, England, and was inspired to write his first story when his children were small. Karl lives in London.

About the Illustrator

Tim was born in Surrey in 1977, and is a freelance illustrator. His illustration work has been described as "storytelling with whimsical charm, warmth and humour", and he'd like to think that is pretty true! To date he has illustrated over 50 children's books: including: 'The Magic Pet Shop' and '20 at Bedtime' series, and 'This is Me' by CBeebies star George Webster.

Sales Points

- A winning combination of vehicles, bedtime and joyful rhyme make this the perfect fun but calming tale before bedtime.
- A dream team pairing of multi-award-winning author Karl Newson and bestselling illustrator Tim Budgen.
- Brilliant for establishing a strong bedtime routine – each stop on the bedtime bus mirrors a step in a typical bedtime routine.
- Just like *There's a Bear in Your Book* by Tom Fletcher, *Goodnight Digger* by Michelle Robinson and Nick East, and the *Ten Minutes to Bed* series by Rhiannon Fielding and Chris Chatterton, *All Aboard the Bedtime Bus* soothes kids as they drift off to sleep.

ALSO BY TIM BUDGEN ALSO BY KARL NEWSON



9781788813365
PB | £7.99



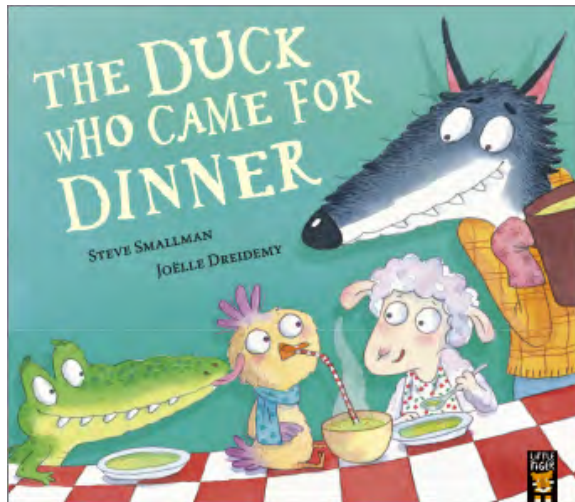
9781788950794
PB | £6.99

Ding! Ding! Ding!

It's time for bed for all of us.



All aboard the bedtime bus!



The Duck Who Came for Dinner

Steve Smallman

Illustrated by Joëlle Dreidemy

One windy day, a little duck blows into Wolf's backyard.

Together Wolf, Hotpot and Omelette nurse her wonky wing back to health.

But Apple is one plucky duck and it's not long before she is flying to THEIR rescue!

A heartwarming story about challenging stereotypes.

Pub Date: 7 November 2024 Price: £7.99

ISBN: 9781801044745

Series: The Lamb Who Came For Dinner

Number in Series: 5

Format: 230 x 265mm

Depth: 4mm

Binding: Paperback

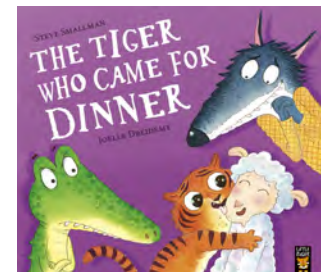
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CBMCCode:A3M79

BIC Code: YBC

Age: 3– 6years

Carton Quantity: 1

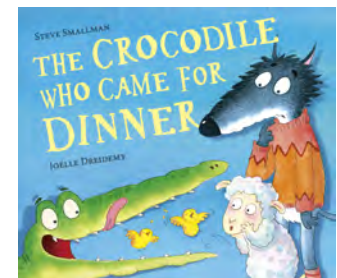


9781801041614

PB | £7.99


Sales Points

- The fifth book in this internationally bestselling series that encourages readers to challenge stereotypes. Now out in paperback!
- Illustrated with energy and unique personality by Joëlle Dreidemy.
- This heartwarming and humorous tale by Steve Smallman introduces a lovable new character to everyone's favourite odd family.
- *The Duck Who Came for Dinner* is the perfect story to share with existing fans of Wolf and Hotpot's adventures and readers of *The Lion Inside* by Rachel Bright and Jim Field, *Weirdo* by Zadie Smith, Nick Laird, and Magenta Fox, and *The Duck Who Didn't Like Water* by Steve Small.



9781788815987

PB | £7.99

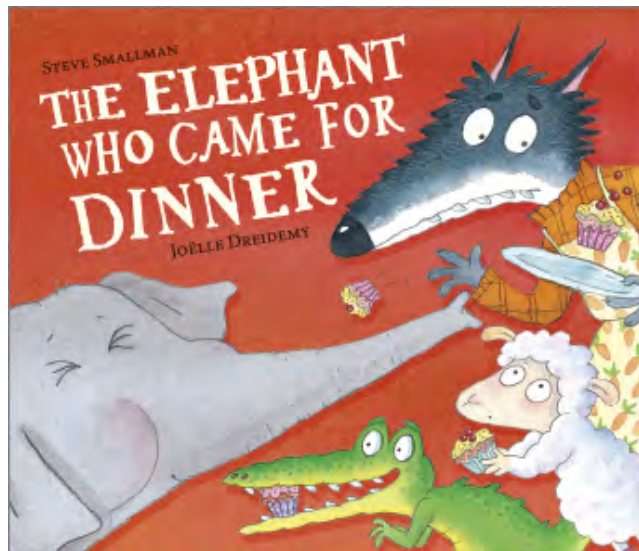


And she was!

"Wait for us, Apple!" cried Hotpot.
But Apple was too excited!

Look at
her go!

She's very speedy
for a little duck.



The Elephant Who Came for Dinner

Steve Smallman

Illustrated by Joëlle Dreidemy

One starry night, the woods are filled with enchanting songs and beautiful sculptures. Whoever could have made them? Badger has all the answers. But should Wolf, Hotpot and Omelette believe know-it-all Badger?

Pub Date: 7 November 2024 Price: £12.99

ISBN: 9781801047302

Series: The Lamb Who Came For Dinner

Number in Series: 7

Format: 236 x 271mm

Depth: 9mm

Binding: Hardback

Extent: 32

CBMC Code: A3M79

BIC Code: YBCS

Age: 3 – 6 years

Carton Quantity: 1

Sales Points

- The seventh title in the internationally bestselling *Lamb Who Came for Dinner* series, which has sold 600,000 copies across 15 territories.
- A story that gently encourages interrogation of the information we are told. Introducing a wonderful new character to the series – a stereotype-busting artistic elephant!
- *The Elephant Who Came for Dinner* is the perfect story to share with existing fans of Wolf and Hotpot's adventures and readers of *The Lion Inside* by Rachel Bright and Jim Field, *Weirdo* by Zadie Smith, Nick Laird, and Magenta Fox and *The Pirates Are Coming!* by John Condon and Matt Hunt.

About the Author

Steve Smallman worked as a children's book illustrator for 20 years before he decided to have a go' at writing his own. Now, over 100 books later, he's still at it! He visits schools, libraries and festivals, and paints murals too!

About the Illustrator

Joëlle Dreidemy was born in Saint-Avold in France. She gained a diploma in Strasbourg in 2002 and a diploma from the famous Emile Cohl School in Lyon in 2004. Joëlle lives and works in Montpellier, producing illustrations for magazines and children's books.



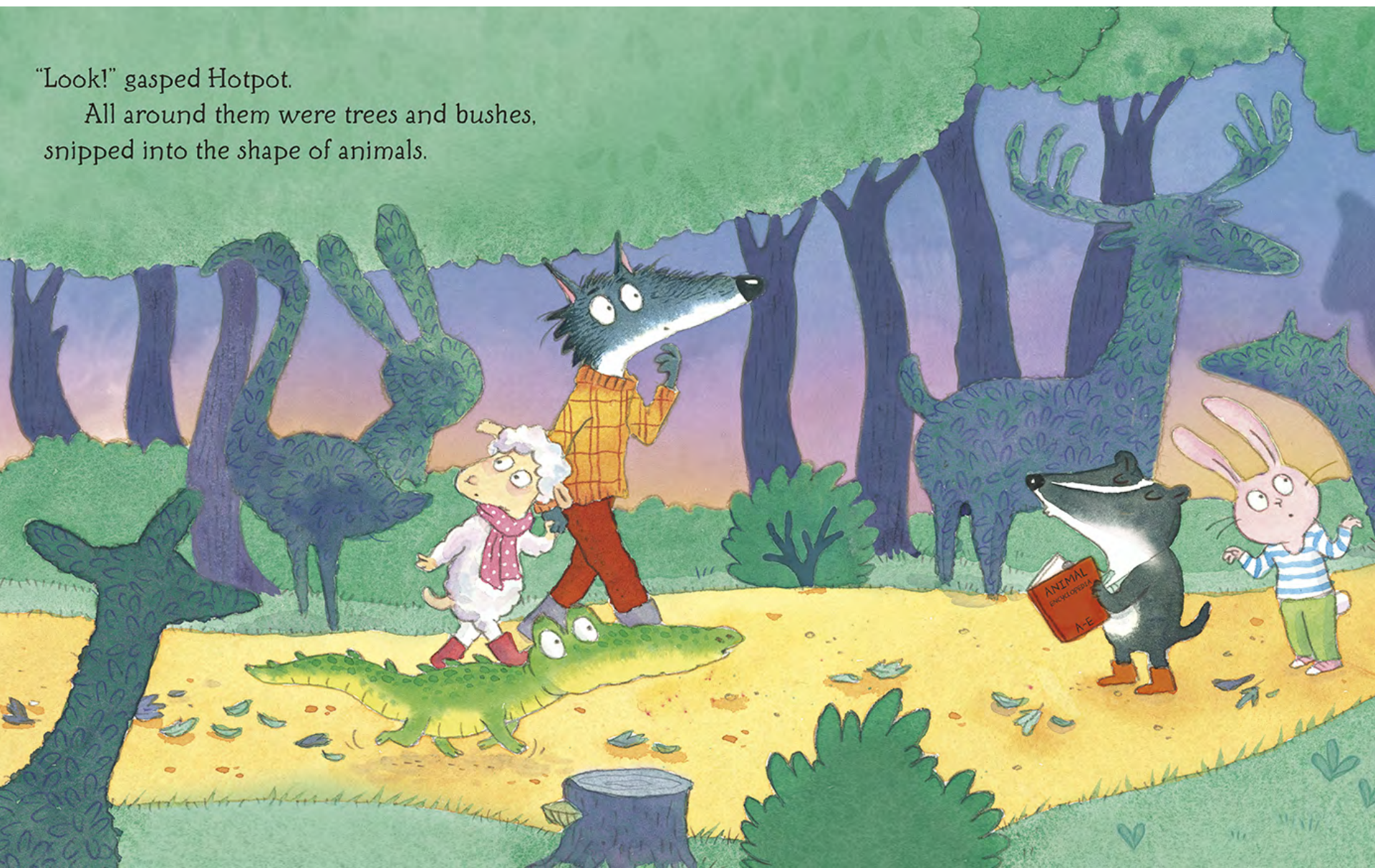
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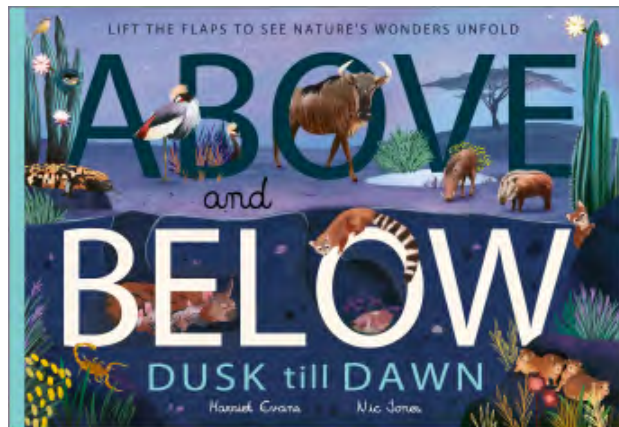
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PB | £7.99

"Look!" gasped Hotpot.

All around them were trees and bushes,
snipped into the shape of animals.





Above and Below: Dusk till Dawn

Harriet Evans
Illustrated by Nic Jones

Discover nature at night in this beautiful split-page book. Travel from the woods at dusk to the lofty Himalayan Mountains, and **learn all about the natural world which thrives after the sun goes down.** Split pages allow readers to explore each landscape in a uniquely immersive way - see which night-time wildlife can be found out in the open and which stays hidden within its shadowy habitat.

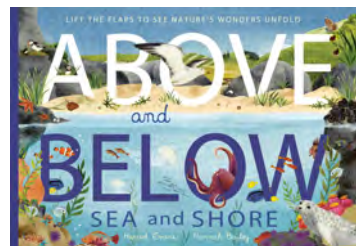
Pub Date: 7 November 2024 Price: £7.99
ISBN: 9781838916480

Format: 210 x 304mm

Binding: Paperback
Extent: 24

CBMC Code:
C5J79

BIC Code: YNNR
Age: 5 – 8 years



Also available
9781838915056
PB | £7.99

About the Author

Harriet Evans works in children's publishing and spends her days researching cool animal facts, imagining awesome adventures and drinking copious amounts of tea.

About the Illustrator

Nic Jones lives in the beautifully cloudy North West of England and has 3 amazing children, who keep her on her toes. In 2019 she graduated with a First in BA Animation and Illustration and in 2020 graduated with a Distinction PGCE Teaching Degree. Nic is currently busy with various illustration projects and just to keep herself extra busy she is studying a Masters degree in Illustration.

Sales Points

- Go on a night-time adventure in this gorgeous nature book.
- A fascinating introduction to nocturnal wildlife, a subject which is unusual and captivating.
- Beautiful illustrations bring the world at night to life.
- Full of amazing and astonishing facts.
- Covers a wide range of settings, from the savannah and woodland to the river and city.
- Split pages reveal the hidden creatures who thrive at night.
- The perfect gift for budding nature enthusiasts.

Savannah

The golden hours of the savannah's sunset deliver respite from the day's heat. As some creatures bed down for the night, others are only just emerging from their cool burrows.



giraffe

To stay alert against predators, giraffes only sleep for minutes at a time and can do so standing up.



wildebeest

On the search for lush vegetation, more than 1.5 million wildebeest migrate around 1,000km (600mi) during the dry season.



rock hyrax

Male hyraxes sing to claim their territory and attract a mate. Hyraxes have different 'accents' according to where they live and never perform the same song twice.

ground pangolin

The only mammal to have scales, the pangolin uses this armour as protection from predators.



honey badger

A honey badger's skin hangs loosely off its body so it can wriggle free or turn around to bite any animal that grabs it.



African civet

Young African civets have dark fur for camouflage when in their burrows.



aardwolf

An aardwolf puffs up its mane when under attack to increase its size and appear threatening.



aardvark

Using its sturdy claws, an aardvark digs through ant and termite mounds, slurping up to 60,000 insects each night.



red panda

Red pandas can turn their ankles 180° for better grip when moving down trees.



Himalayan swiftlet

The Himalayan swiftlet is one of the few bird species that uses echolocation. It helps the bird navigate the cave systems where it roosts.

snow leopard

Snow leopards have very thick tails to keep them warm, help them balance and to store fat for when food is short.



Himalayan wolf

Due to its high-altitude habitat, the Himalayan wolf has adapted to use oxygen more efficiently than other grey wolves.



Asiatic black bear

In the winter, most Asiatic black bears hibernate in caves or tree holes. During this time they don't eat, move or even poo.

Himalayan Mountains

A towering mountain range, the Himalayas boast the highest peaks in the world. The vertiginous landscape may seem unwelcoming but it cradles some of the world's rarest and most wonderful creatures.



pygmy hog

These hogs range in size from 55-70cm (22-28in), making them the smallest pigs in the world.

Malayan porcupine

As well as looking formidable, the Malayan porcupine's spines create a rattling noise when shaken to deter predators.



golden langur

Golden langurs are one of the most endangered species of primates.

