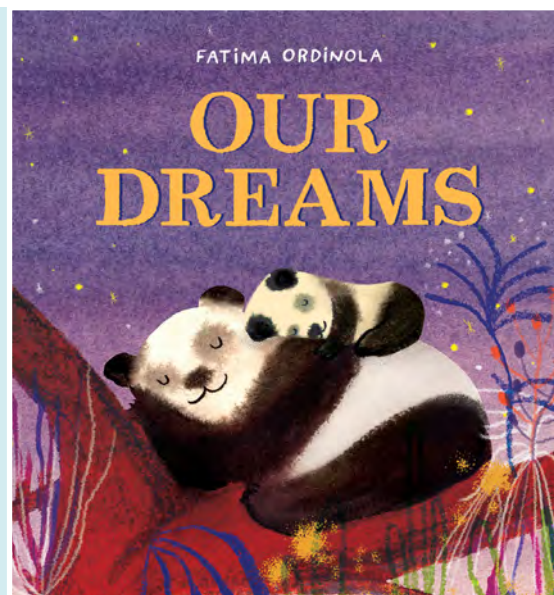




JANUARY 2026 NEW TITLES

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Kingdom Keepers: Inheritance

The Shimmer

Ridley Pearson

The first book in an all new **KINGDOM KEEPERS INHERITANCE** trilogy. The Kingdom Keepers are all grown up—and their kids are unwittingly following in their footsteps.

In the near future, in the Epcot of Walt Disney's imagination, sixty thousand people live in a CommuniTree surrounding the forward-looking Walt Disney World theme park. Five unique families are among the residents—and some of the parents were once known as the Kingdom Keepers. Their identities are carefully guarded in order to raise their children without special treatment, most of the Kingdom Keepers work for the Walt Disney Company, and have settled into "ordinary" and rewarding lives.

When a messenger carrying a secret communication coincides with both a solar eclipse and Eli Whitman's thirteenth birthday—a few "ordinary" kids are thrust into a battle to save Epcot and find their friend who has mysteriously disappeared. With their friend missing and their parents acting strangely, the Kingdom Kids discover they are in possession of unusual powers as they forge a bond to rescue their friend and uncover the truth about how real magic has entered their lives.

- **BELOVED SERIES:** More than two million Kingdom Keepers books have been sold.
- **NEAR FUTURE SETTING FULL OF GREAT TECH:** Ridley Pearson was way ahead of his time on holograms and now introduces lots of new but entirely believable and relatable tech in this new series.



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Binding	Paperback
ISBN	9781368101622
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Age	8-12 years
Extent	320
Publisher	Disney Hyperion

Kingdom Keepers: Inheritance

Villains' Realm

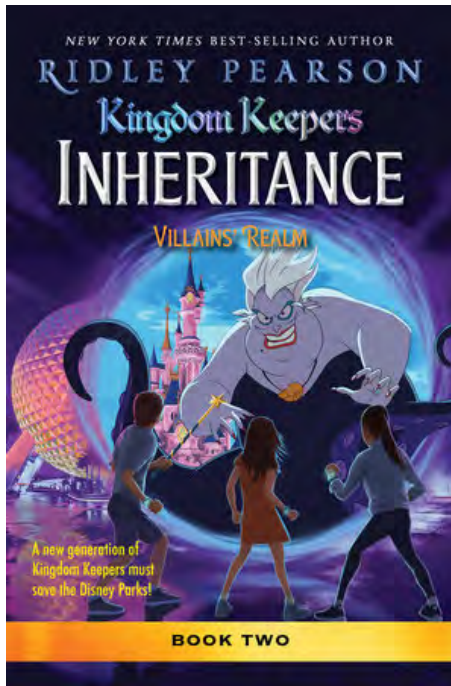
Ridley Pearson

The second book in this all new KINGDOM KEEPERS INHERITANCE trilogy follows our young heroes to parks around the world as they work to stop the most villainous villain of all—Ursula—from taking over for good!

Home from their adventures abroad in book one, Eli and his friends are safe and sound at Epcot with their families—or are they? When Eli learns that the CEO of the Walt Disney Company has mysteriously done a 180 and ordered Villains Realms to be built in every park across the globe, he and his friends know something is amiss. It turns out that Ursula, the baddest of the big bads, has recruited an evil chemist to recreate Walt's magical ink, which would allow the Villains to travel between parks and end Disney magic as we know it.

With the help of Cinderella's very own Fairy Godmother—the notorious FGM as she's known in this world—they set out to stop Ursula—jumping from Epcot to Disneyland to Disneyland Paris, where the ultimate battle between good and evil plays out. Will Eli and his friends prevail, or will the Villains finally have their way?

- **BELOVED SERIES:** More than two million Kingdom Keepers books have been sold.
- **ACTION-PACKED AND FULL OF INSIDER-INFO:** perfect for the avid Disney Parks fan, as well as fans of Disney films classic and new.



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Publisher	Disney Hyperion

Kingdom Keepers: Inheritance

The Final Draw

Ridley Pearson

This epic conclusion to the **KINGDOM KEEPERS INHERITANCE** trilogy will keep you on the edge of your seat until the very last page!

In this final installment in the series that has sold over a million copies worldwide, Ridley Pearson concludes the Kingdom Keepers saga with spectacular magical flair.

The Villains are about to make their ultimate stand in an effort to take over the Disney parks. Ursula, the baddest of the bad, has figured out how to animate every villain in every attraction, and has beckoned them to her side to form the most evil army of all time, leaving the parks without their stories. The result? The parks begin to fade and warp as the stories their attractions are based on cease to exist. Can Eli and his band of talented friends find a way to take down Ursula before her dastardly deeds ruin the Disney Parks for good?

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Rick Riordan Presents:

It Lurks in the Night

Sarah Dass

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HYPERION

From the author of *It Waits in the Forest* comes Sarah Dass's next stand-alone supernatural thriller—a lush and evocative tale of the rot that grows at the heart of even the most beautiful places.

All Maya Woods wants is to reunite her three best friends, Pearl, Erica, and Lystra, for one last epic boat trip to the islands around their Caribbean home before they all graduate from high school. But the girls are forced to make an emergency landing on Annatto—an island avoided by locals and tourists alike because of the rumors of monsters and shadows that lurk in its depths—and their yearly tradition descends into darkness as Erica turns up dead and the girls are forced to leave her body behind.

Their tight-knit community is sent into a spiral of grief and suspicion, and Maya and her friends are at a loss to understand what happened: was it simply an accident or is there truth to the rumors about Annatto?

And while the community rejoices when Erica mysteriously returns alive and well a week later, Maya can't seem to let go of her questions. What did they see that night? And who—or what—has Erica returned as? As old arguments and new betrayals rise to the surface, Maya and her friends can feel the shadows closing in on them.

Something is lurking in the night, and they must be ready to face it.

THE MOTHERLOAD OF YA TRENDS: A supernatural thriller, a “summer after graduation” coming-of-age, and a romance all-in-one

PERFECT YA TO AGE UP WITH RRP READERS: With decadent worldbuilding, intense female friendships, romances, and darkly captivating twist-and-turns

AUTHENTIC CARIBBEAN REPRESENTATION: Features a full cast of Black, native Caribbean characters

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Publisher	Disney Hyperion	Binding	Paperback
ISBN	9781368100663	Illustrations	
Format	140 x 210 mm	Author	Sarah Dass
Price	£9.99	Illustrator	
Age	12+ years	Market	
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9781368098731
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WHY I CHOSE THIS BOOK

“This is quintessential Ole Könnecke—original, with dry dry humour—on the unbeatable topic of construction vehicles.”

Rachel Lawson, Publisher

Diggers, Dozers, and Dumpers

Author and Illustrator **Ole Könnecke**

This original picture book about construction vehicles combines funny stories about animal engineers with facts and details for machine enthusiasts of all sizes

ABOUT THE BOOK

Learn about excavators, rollers, trucks, cranes, and loaders in this original book of more than a dozen heavy vehicles. And enjoy all the animals along for the ride.

When Cow wants to give a concert, she transports her piano with a telescopic crane. When Duck and Hen compete over who has the neatest lawn, hand mower leads to lawn mower to combine harvester—that ends the discussion! And what do rhinos like to make in their cement mixer? Pancakes, of course, and here’s the recipe (beware, you’ll need 32,304 eggs).

This entertaining picture book combines funny stories with a perennially popular topic. Explore details about engine size and vehicle weight, enjoy flights of fancy in a gyrocopter or cherrypicker, and end the book with a modern fairytale about a tractor that lives happily ever after.

SALES POINTS

- An enormously popular topic including diggers, cranes, loaders, and big machines
- Original approach with engaging stories and funny animals
- Könnecke is a leading writer/illustrator with a knack for fiction/nonfiction hybrids that hook into children’s interests

ABOUT THE AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR

Ole Könnecke was born in 1961 and spent his childhood in Sweden. He now lives in Germany and has produced more than thirty books, several of which have won international awards.

NEW IN PAPERBACK

TITLE INFORMATION

Release **January 2026**

Ages **4–8**

Format **paperback**

Size **255 x 225 mm landscape**

Pages **32 pp**

Illustrations **colour**

ISBN **9798765667965**

GBP **8.99**

Translator **Melody Shaw**

Original Language **German**

This book in 3 ideas
construction vehicles, humour, animals

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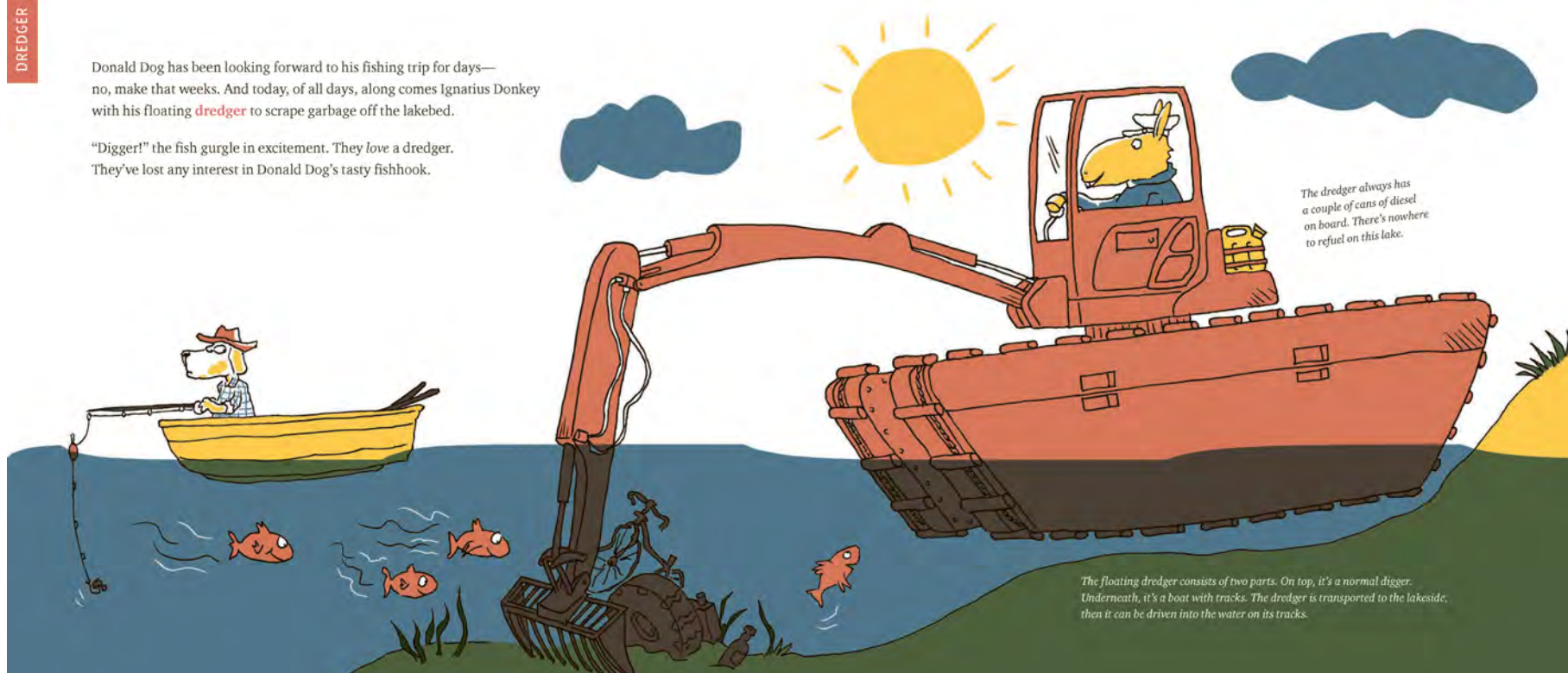
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Donald Dog has been looking forward to his fishing trip for days—no, make that weeks. And today, of all days, along comes Ignatius Donkey with his floating **dredger** to scrape garbage off the lakebed.

"Digger!" the fish gurgle in excitement. They love a dredger. They've lost any interest in Donald Dog's tasty fishhook.



The dredger always has a couple of cans of diesel on board. There's nowhere to refuel on this lake.

The floating dredger consists of two parts. On top, it's a normal digger. Underneath, it's a boat with tracks. The dredger is transported to the lakeside, then it can be driven into the water on its tracks.

It's a beautiful day. The sun is shining, the birds are singing, and Giraffe (whose parents had forgotten to give him a name) is on tiptoes trying to reach some especially delicious leaves when he suddenly hears creaking and crunching.

Behind him stands an enormous **straddle carrier**.

"Excuse me," calls the driver, "I must have taken a wrong turn back there. Can you tell me how to get to the container port?"

Giraffe shows him the way.

"Thank you!" the driver calls.

Giraffe watches him go. But not for long. The sun is shining, the birds are singing, and Giraffe hasn't finished his lunch yet.

Containers are very large and heavy. To transport them from place to place, you need a straddle carrier. The vehicle drives over the container and lifts it up.

A straddle carrier can weigh up to seventy tons.





My Happy Life

Author **Rose Lagercrantz** Illustrator **Eva Eriksson**

This sweet, funny illustrated chapter book is an empowering story about a young girl who is more than ready for all the unexpected things life can bring in your first year at school

ABOUT THE BOOK

This acclaimed series of illustrated chapter books follows Dani as she starts school and meets Ella, who becomes her best friend in the world. At school and at home, Dani overcomes life's ups and downs with optimism and understanding. Full of fun and happiness, these warm-hearted stories will charm and encourage young readers.

SALES POINTS

- An ideal first chapter book, full of real emotion, humanity and happiness
- Full chapters give beginning readers a sense of accomplishment
- A *New York Times* Notable Book, with three starred reviews from leading journals and selected for notable children's book lists by ALA, Bank Street and USBY

ABOUT THE AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR

Rose Lagercrantz is a popular Swedish author of books for children as well as for adults. She has received many literary awards, including the August Prize and the Astrid Lindgren Prize.

Eva Eriksson is one of the world's great illustrators. Her awards include the Astrid Lindgren Prize and the August award and she is consistently nominated for the Hans Christian Andersen and other international awards.

Please note this is the new edition of a book which was originally published in 2013.

NEW IN PAPERBACK

TITLE INFORMATION

Release **January 2026**

Ages **5-9**

Format **paperback**

Size **129 x 198 mm portrait**

Pages **136 pp**

Illustrations **colour**

ISBN **9798348030353**

GBP **7.99**

Translator **Julia Marshall**

Original Language **Swedish**

This book in 3 ideas

starting school, friendship, full of heart

WHY I CHOSE THIS BOOK

"*My Happy Life* gives children starting on chapter books a proper grown-up reading experience, both accessible and with emotional weight."

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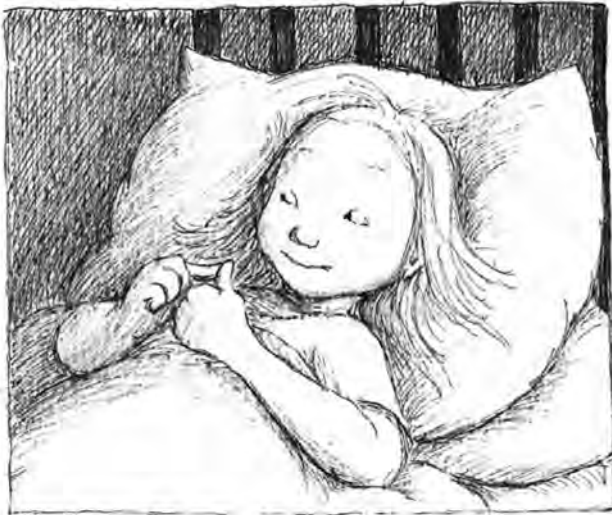
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Chapter 1



It was late, but Dani couldn't sleep.
Some people counted sheep, but not her!
Dani counted all the times she'd been happy.



Like the time when she was little and her cousin
Sven gave her a frog.

The Big Green

Everyone Can Make a Difference

Ken Wilson-Max



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How one family helps to bring hope and regeneration to their community in sub-Saharan Africa

One hot day at the edge of the desert, Maryam and Issa know something exciting is going to happen. Mum and Dad bring spades, Uncle Cedric brings lots of plants and seedlings, the neighbours bring water. Everyone works together, digging, planting and watering – and the children all help too. Then they wait... and hope...

Set in Mali, this powerful story is about the creation of The Great Green Wall of Africa, an exciting real-life project to bring trees, growth and regeneration across sub-Saharan Africa.

- By the author of the **international bestseller** *Astro Girl*, *Eco Girl* and *Aqua Boy* (nominated for the **Carnegie Medal 2025**)
- Highlights the **exciting Great Green Wall** project to bring more trees to sub-Saharan Africa
- Shows how families and **children** can play an **important role and act for change**
- **Spectacular art** brings alive the family and their community in Mali
- **Perfect** for **sharing** and **reading aloud**
- **Information spread** about the Great Green Wall of Africa and how to plant your own tree

Author Information

Ken Wilson-Max was born in Zimbabwe and has a deep commitment to African regeneration. As author and illustrator he has over 70 books to his credit. He is a Patron of CLPE (Centre for Literacy in Primary Education) and of the Jericho Prize. He illustrated Valerie Bloom's *Stars With Flaming Tails*, winner of the 2021 CLIPPA Award, and has been nominated for the Astrid Lindgren Award and the Carnegie/Kate Greenaway Medal. For Otter-Barry Books he has written *Astro Girl*, *Eco Girl* and *Aqua Boy*. He lives in North London.

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Hardback

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Colour illustrations

Interest age: From 4 years

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**Under the trees life started again.
There was laughter. There was food.
There was safety.**

**Maryam and Issa had a place to play,
a place to look after.**

A bright future.



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£8.99

Paperback

198 x 129 mm, 96 pages

Black & white illustrations

Interest age: From 5 years

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Jake in the Middle

Maple Street

Michael Catchpool, illustrated by Shanarama



Fun and mischief abound in these four first-reader stories, set around a lively and warm-hearted Black British family, with middle-child Jake as the central character.

The first in a funny and lively new chapter book series – *Maple Street*.

Written for first readers, about a Black British extended family – Jake, older sister Ellie, little brother Sam, Mum, Dad and Grandad, all living in Maple Street. *Jake in the Middle* has four delightful interlinked stories about home and school life – Shoes, Shoes, Shoes! where naughty Sam runs off with Jake's new trainers; Catch of the Day, where a favourite toy falls into the pigsty at the city farm; The Class Museum, featuring a special fossil Jake 'borrowed' from Ellie's bedroom; and All Fall Down, where Grandpa displays his amazing cricket skills.

- New first reader series by a Black British author, well-known in the educational world
- Particularly addresses the situation of the middle child in a family
- Action-packed stories set at home and at school
- Characters and adventures children will strongly relate to
- Exciting debut illustrator from a diverse background

Author Information

Michael Catchpool is an ex-headteacher, now an education consultant, and the author of several picture books. He has a Ph.D for his research on children's engagement with peer feedback and its effect on them as writers. He is also co-author of several resource books for primary schools. He lives in Cambridgeshire.

Shanarama is a new illustrator, living in London. *Jake in the Middle* is the first story book she has illustrated. With a background in architecture, film and TV, she is adept in a variety of genres. She uses both traditional and digital methods, often combining the two.

“Hey, Jake,” Ellie said. “I tell you what would be perfect for your museum... my fossil.”

Jake was speechless.

“And *luckily*,” continued Ellie, “I just found it in your coat pocket! I’ve no idea how it got there, but who cares?”



Jake stared wide-eyed at Ellie, but she just smiled at him. Then she put the fossil down in the space in the middle of the display.

“Our centrepiece!” said Miss Ward. “Well, what a relief! It really is an amazing fossil, Jake.”

“I should have told you,” said Jake, “that this fossil belongs to my sister, Ellie. She was the one who found it on the beach.”

“It’s good that you let us know that, Jake,” said Miss Ward.

Ellie carried on smiling and Jake found himself smiling back.

Next time, maybe he’d just ask.

And maybe, just maybe, there *was* a point to older sisters... sometimes!



Small Poems for Big Imaginations

Neal Zetter, illustrated by Will Hughes



A zingy, exuberant and varied collection of short poems, with lots of jokes, shapes and different styles.

Small poems are fabulous fun

So I thought I would write this one

It will not be too long I think

Cos my pen has run out of

Only Neal Zetter could create a collection of short poems that includes 'The Looooooooooooooooongest Poem in the Universe'. His new volume makes a great introduction to the fun, enjoyment and new understandings that poetry can bring. All are short, direct and entertaining. Whether reading with a single child or a group, they arouse immediate interest and are perfect for reading aloud. Year 6 children in a London primary school followed the production from draft to publication: here are some of the things they said about it. "A book where you go up and down and swirl around", "Neal's poems challenge me, but I enjoy figuring out the jokes", "His poems inspire me and make me want to ROAR with joy".

- Short, direct poems full of fun
- Strong rhythm and rhyme make them easy to read and repeat
- Neal Zetter is in huge demand as a performance poet
- Written with a particular eye on young readers who find longer poems a bit daunting, or for whom English is a second language

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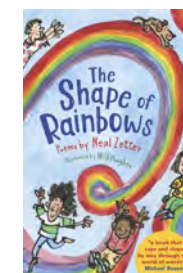
Neal Zetter is a children's poet in great demand for performances and workshops. His interactive, rhythmic verses work wonders in developing literacy, confidence, creativity and communication. He is author of *The Universal Zoo* and *The Shape of Rainbows*, also published by Otter-Barry Books. Neal lives in London.

Will Hughes is an illustrator and author of children's books. His strongly graphic, comic images perfectly complement Neal's poems.

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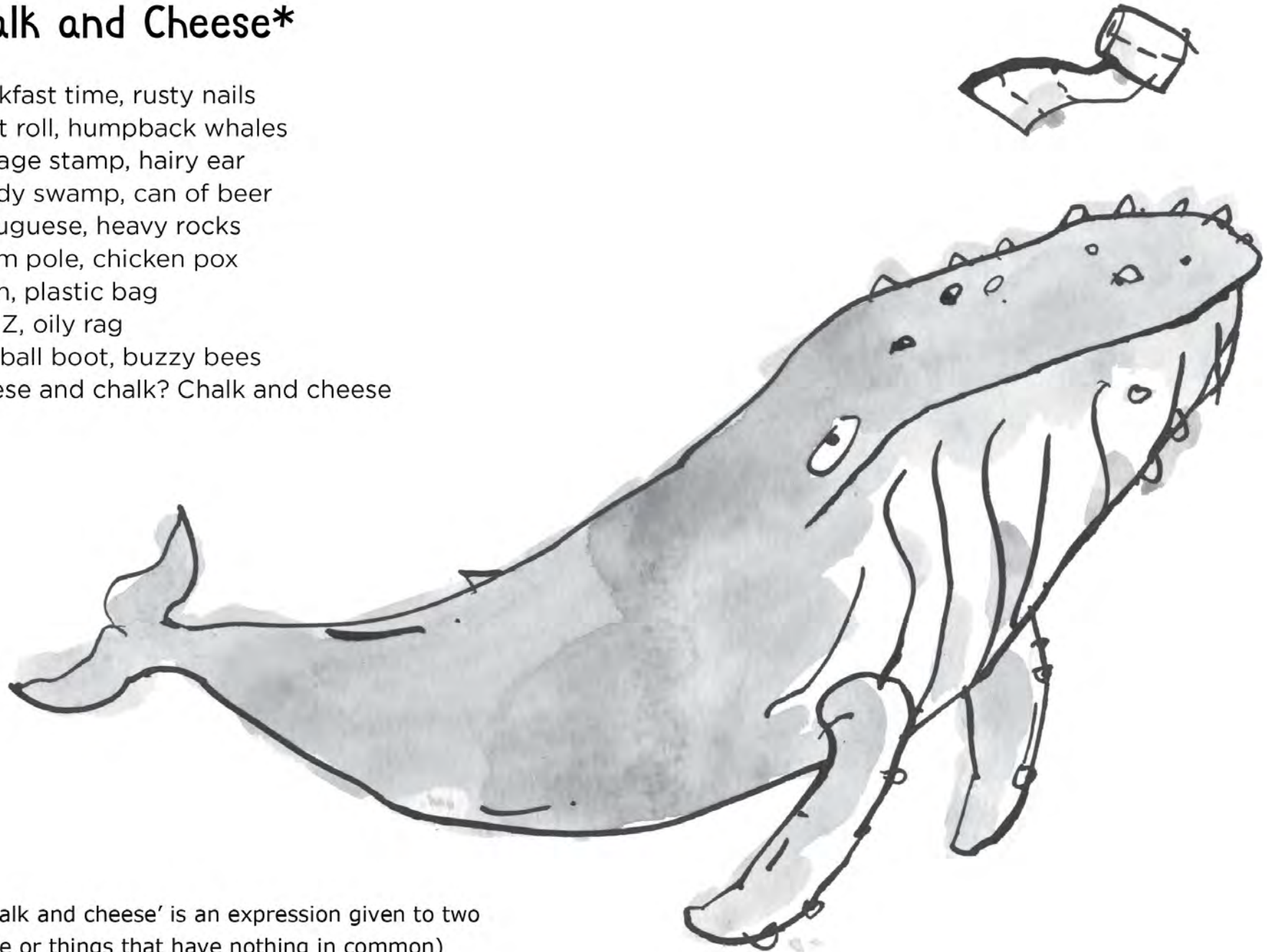
Black & white illustrations

Interest age: From 7 years

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Chalk and Cheese*

Breakfast time, rusty nails
Toilet roll, humpback whales
Postage stamp, hairy ear
Muddy swamp, can of beer
Portuguese, heavy rocks
Totem pole, chicken pox
Violin, plastic bag
A to Z, oily rag
Football boot, buzzy bees
Cheese and chalk? Chalk and cheese



(*'Chalk and cheese' is an expression given to two people or things that have nothing in common)



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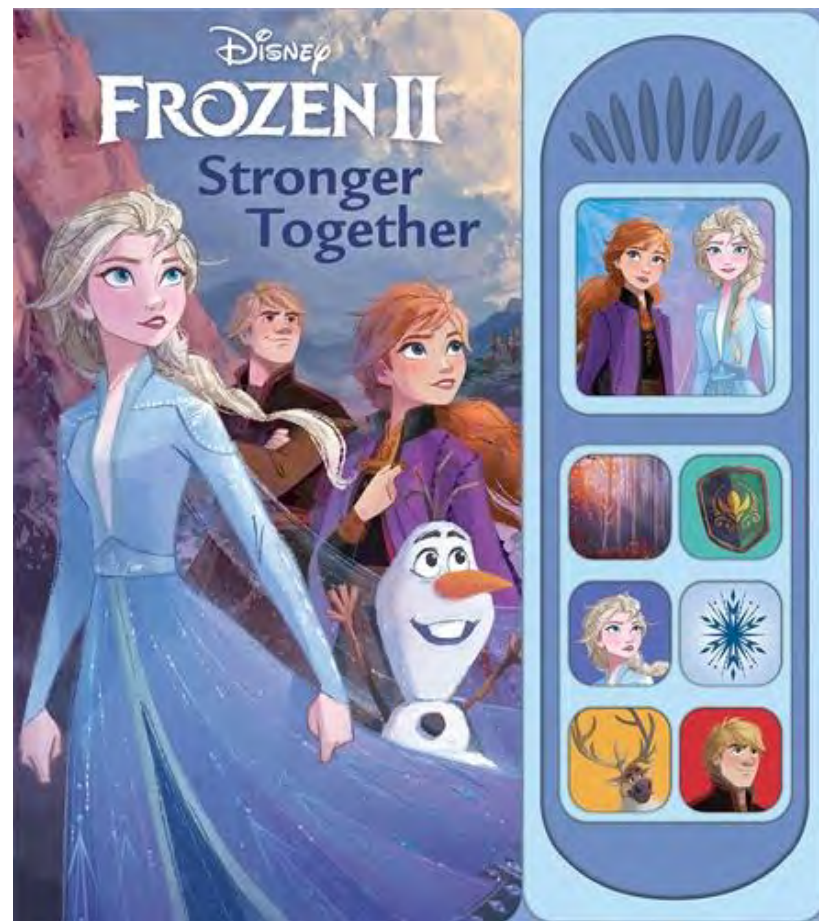
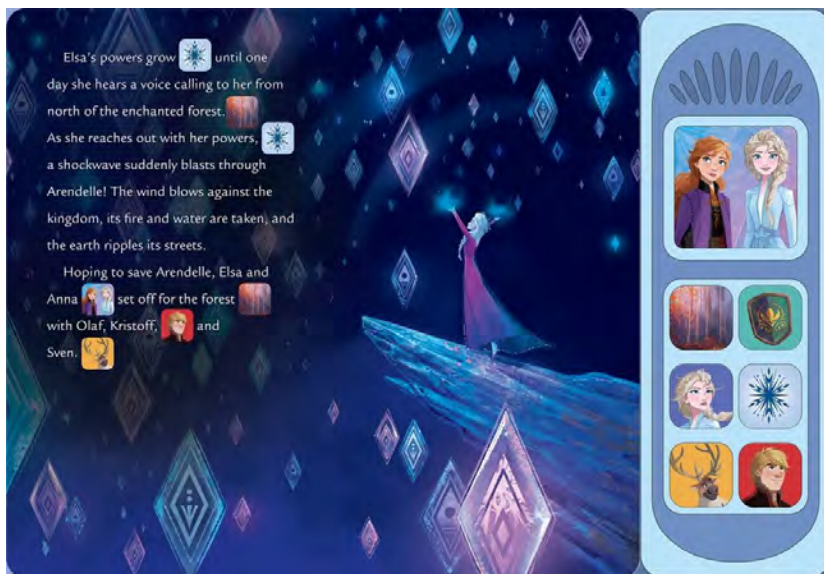
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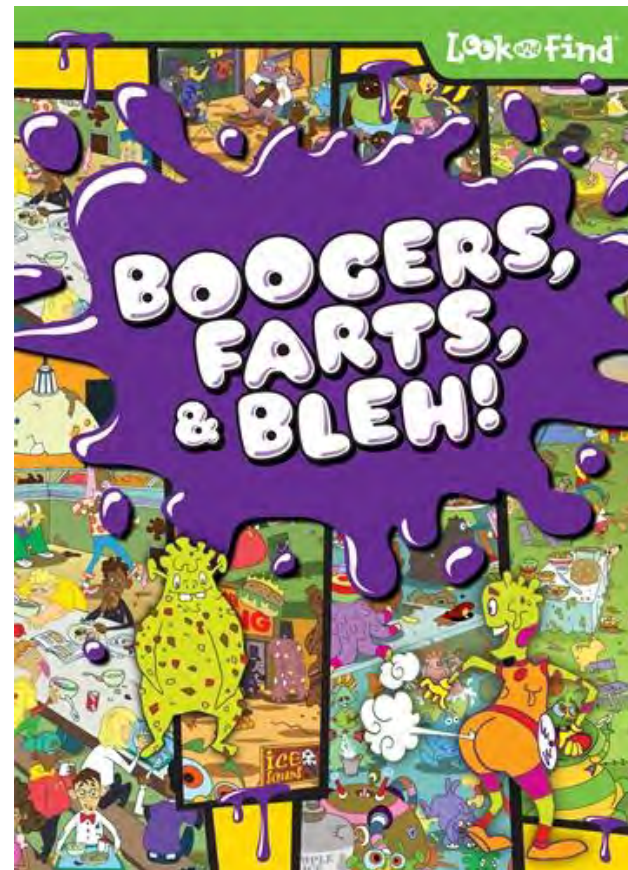
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LOOK & FIND BOOGERS, FARTS AND BLEH!

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- Featuring fart jokes and bums galore!
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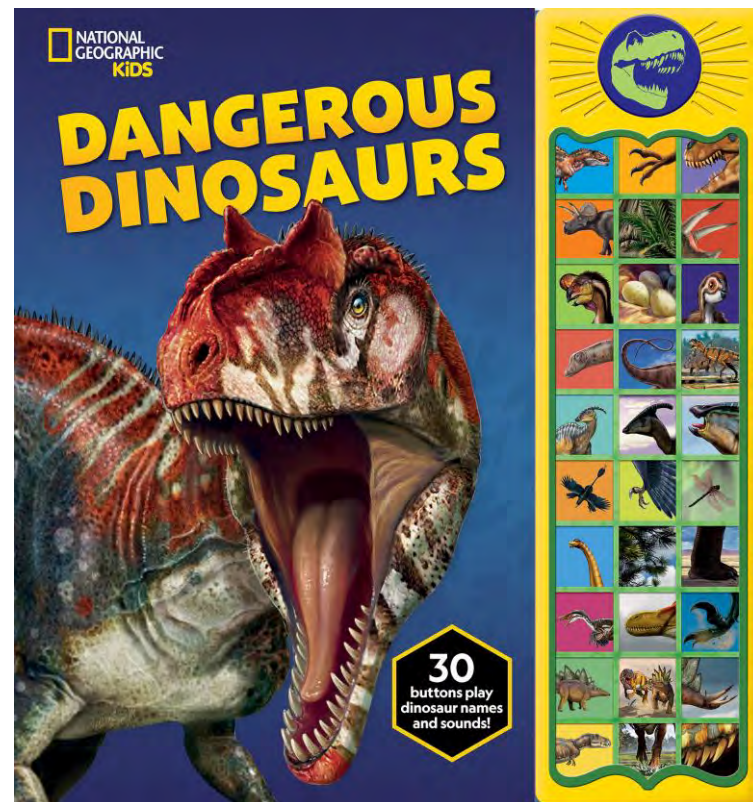
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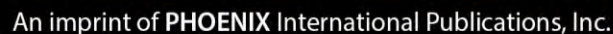


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- Can you help too? Find this candy that Doc Ock took:
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- Packed full of content to keep kids engaged for hours – book contains over 100 things to spot, plus additional content on the last spread



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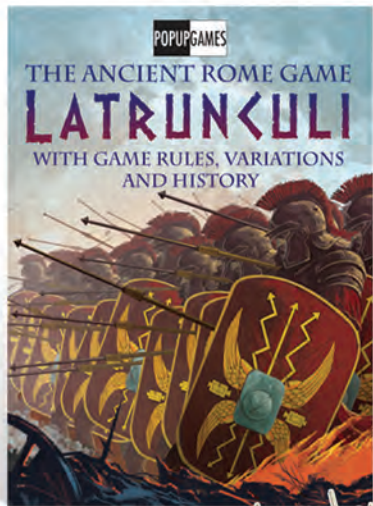
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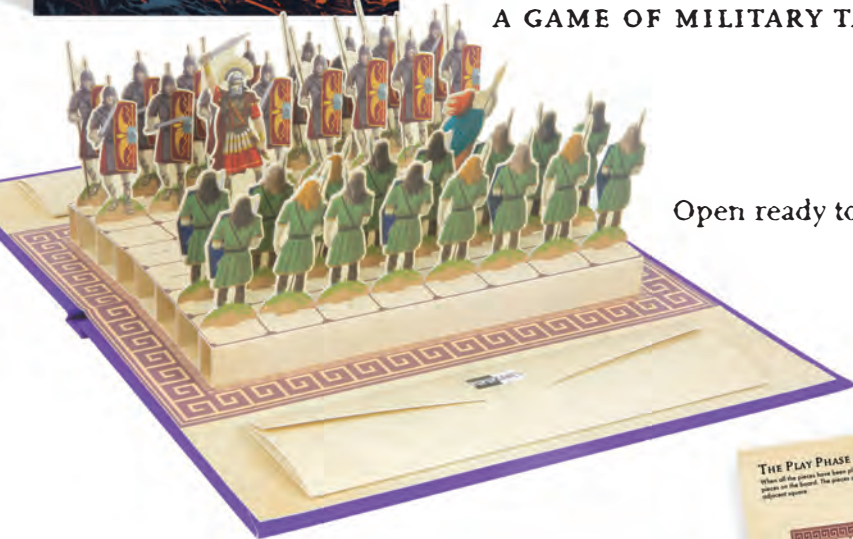
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Folds flat at any stage in the game.



Also included a FULLY ILLUSTRATED BOOK with game rules, tactics and game history.

In LATRUNCULI, two players move pieces on a grid to outmanoeuvre and capture their opponent's pieces by flanking them on two sides.

Key Selling Points:

- Can be opened or closed in any position
- Folds flat
- No plastic! Sustainable; recyclable
- Quality slipcase to protect the board
- Stores neatly on a bookshelf
- Book with rules and tactics

Publisher	Pop-Up Games Ltd
ISBN	9781738550333
Format	205 x 255 x 275mm
Price	£14.99
Age	3 years and up
Board size	270 x 270mm
Piece height	60mm



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PENTE GRAMMAI
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THE ANCIENT GREEK GAME **PENTE GRAMMAI** WITH GAME RULES AND HISTORY

PENTE GRAMMAI IS AN ANCIENT GREEK GAME PLAYED ON A GRID OF FIVE PARALLEL LINES. ATHENIANS WROTE THAT AJAX AND ACHILLES PLAYED THE GAME DURING THE SIEGE OF TROY. FOR THAT REASON, IT IS SOMETIMES CALLED "THE GAME OF HEROES". OFTEN ASSOCIATED WITH APOLLO'S SANCTUARY AT DELPHI, IT IS A GAME OF STRATEGY AND CHANCE.



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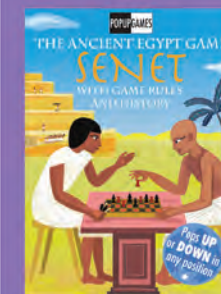


PENTE GRAMMAI involves moving pieces around five parallel lines. Players take turns moving pieces to control positions or capture others, blending strategy and chance.

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- Book with rules tactics and the history of the Trojan war

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Age 3 years and up
Board size 270 x 270mm
Piece height 80mm



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Our Love

Fátima Ordinola

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Explore the endless possibilities of love in this heartwarming picture book.

Discover the beauty of unconditional love in this gorgeously illustrated picture book. From cuddling koalas to snuggling penguins, protective lionesses to gentle elephants, Our Love tenderly captures the reassuring bond between a parent and child through the lens of the animal kingdom.

With soft watercolour artwork, this is the perfect read for any moment you want to remind your little one of your unending support and affection.

Sales points:

- Beautifully illustrated by promising debut talent
- The perfect purchase for Valentine's Day, Mother's Day or Father's Day
- Explores themes of unending love and support
- Includes a double-page gatefold

By Fátima Ordinola (author/illustrator)

Biography

Fátima Ordinola is a graphic designer and illustrator born in Peru and currently residing in Cambridge, UK. In 2023, she graduated from the Cambridge School of Art with a distinction in the MA Children's Book Illustration programme. Her work has been recognised by the Bologna Children's Book Fair, The Batsford Prize, The Hamburger Bilderbuchpreis, and The Unpublished PictureBook Showcase. Her first picture book as an author, titled Our Love will be published by Post Wave in 2025.

Pub Date: 29/01/2026

RRP: £7.99

Format: Paperback

ISBN: 9781836270409

Extent: 36 pages

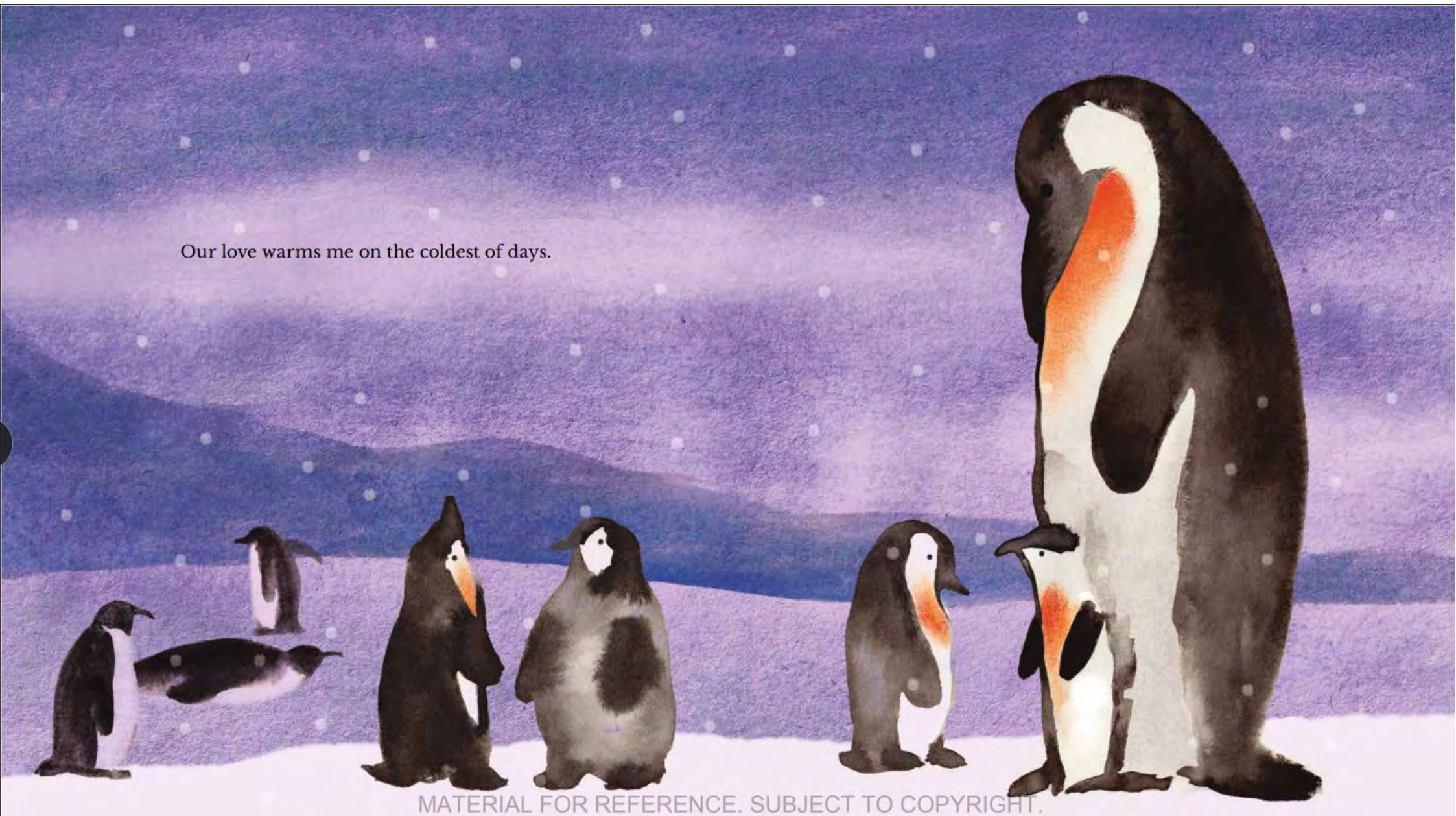
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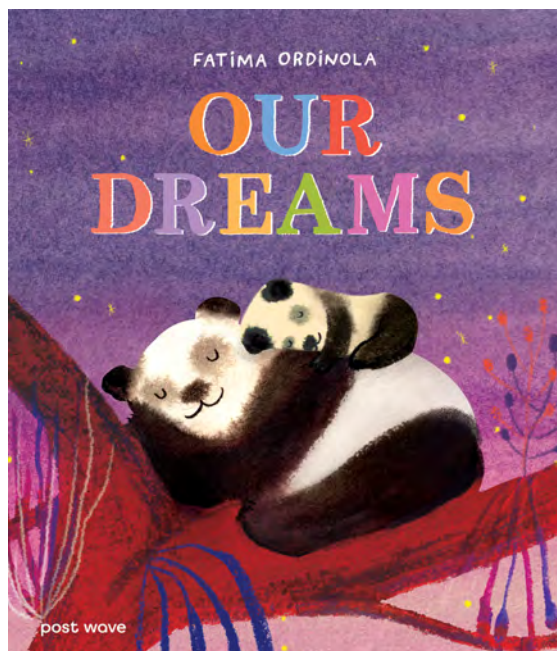
THEMA: YBC, YFN, YXEJ, YZG, 5AC

CBMC: A3M79

Our love warms me on the coldest of days.



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Our Dreams

Fátima Ordinola

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Cosy up and drift into the magical world of dreams with this soothing picture book, by the exceptional illustrator Fátima Ordinola.

Drift off into dreamland in this beautifully illustrated bedtime story. From cuddling pandas to snuggling polar bears, lazy tigers to soft, woolly sheep, *Our Dreams* gently captures the cozy, restful moments shared between parent and child through the lens of the animal kingdom, and explores the magic and joy of dreaming.

With soft watercolour artwork, this is the perfect read for bedtime, offering comfort and reassurance as your little one drifts off to sleep, surrounded by love and the promise of sweet dreams.

Sales points:

- A heartwarming follow-up to the cherished *Our Love*
- Features exquisitely soft watercolour illustrations by exceptional talent, Fátima Ordinola.
- Captures tender, cosy moments through the lens of adorable cuddling animals,
- Celebrating the magic of dreams and parent-child connections.
- The perfect bedtime story to inspire sweet dreams, offering comfort and reassurance.

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Pub Date: 29/01/2026

RRP: £12.99

Format: Hardback

ISBN: 9781836270393

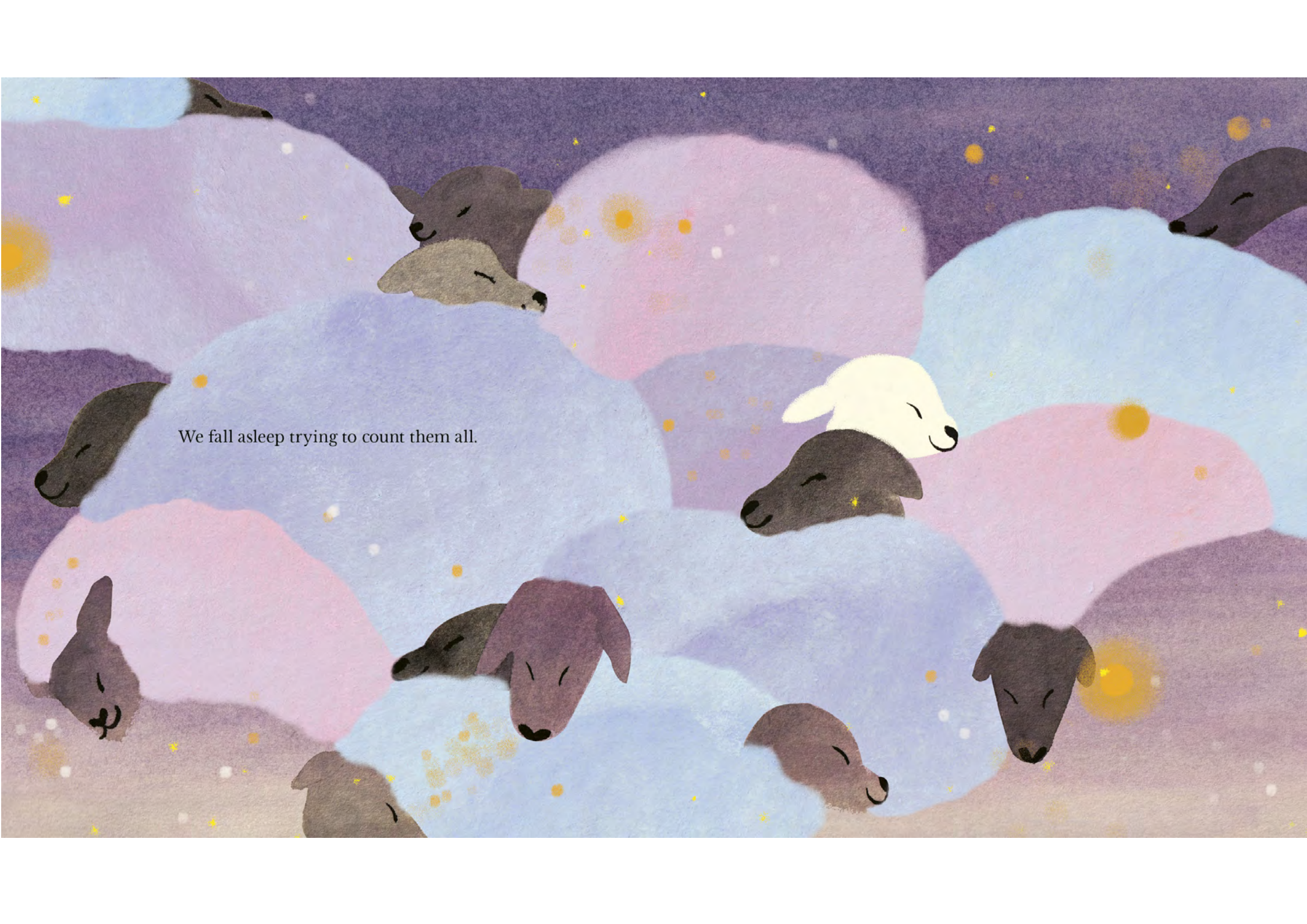
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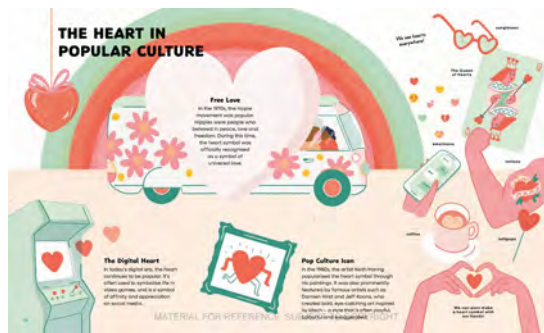
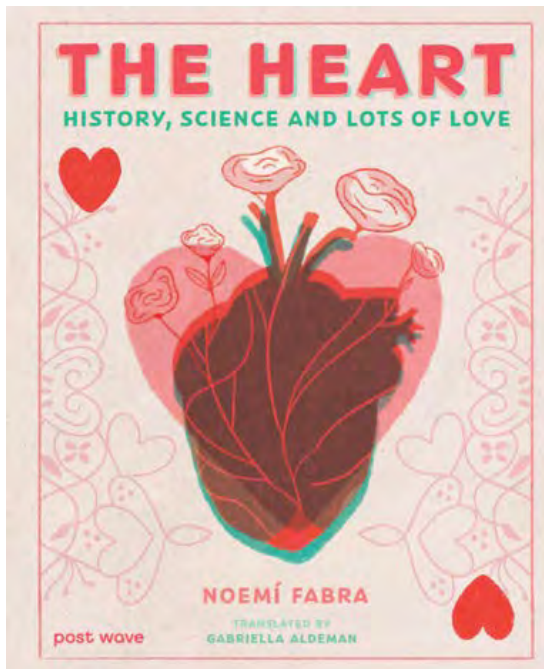
Interest Age: 3 - 5 years

THEMA: YBC, YBCS, 5AC, YBCS1

CBMC: A2M79

A whimsical illustration featuring sheep with dog heads. The sheep are depicted with various dog breeds' heads, including German Shepherders, Labradors, and a white dog, all shown sleeping peacefully. They are resting on large, soft, pastel-colored clouds in shades of blue, pink, and purple. The background is a deep purple night sky filled with numerous small, glowing yellow stars and larger, soft, glowing orbs of light. The overall style is soft and dreamlike, with a focus on the contrast between the animal heads and the celestial setting.

We fall asleep trying to count them all.



The Heart

History, Science and Lots of Love

Noemí Fabra | Translated by Gabriella Aldeman

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children's books



Your heart is an amazing muscle that pumps blood all through your body, keeping you alive and healthy. But it's more than just a pump – it's also a symbol of love and feelings, and has inspired many stories and legends throughout history.

Explore fun facts and tales about the heart in this beautifully illustrated guide, and discover why it's so special in our lives and culture.

One Heart combines beautiful illustrations with easy-to-understand text and fascinating facts, making complex concepts accessible and engaging for young readers.

Delving into topics such as the heart's role in music through rhythm and pulse, its depiction as a symbol of love in art and literature and comparisons between human and animal hearts, this book offers a comprehensive understanding of the heart's significance.

Sales points:

- Captivating text for young readers with intriguing facts and stories about the human heart.
- Supports learning objectives in KS2 Science Curriculum, specifically the circulatory system and functions of the heart.
- Beautifully illustrated and detailed images that bring the heart's anatomy and functions to life.

By Noemí Fabra (author/illustrator)

Biography

Noemí Fabra is an illustrator based in Barcelona. She is known for her fresh style and use of colour. With a significant portfolio of work in the publishing sector, especially children's books and book covers, her clients are mainly international magazines covering a range of topics including lifestyle, health and business.

Pub Date: 15/01/2026

RRP: £14.99

Format: Hardback

ISBN: 9781836270911

Extent: 56 pages

Dimensions: 280 x 215 mm

Interest Age: 7 - 9 years

THEMA: YNTA, YXA

CBMC: C5N79

THE HEART IN POPULAR CULTURE

Free Love

In the 1970s, the hippie movement was popular. Hippies were people who believed in peace, love and freedom. During this time, the heart symbol was officially recognised as a symbol of universal love.

The Digital Heart

In today's digital era, the heart continues to be popular. It's often used to symbolise life in video games, and is a symbol of affinity and appreciation on social media.

Pop Culture Icon

In the 1980s, the artist Keith Haring popularised the heart symbol through his paintings. It was also prominently featured by famous artists such as Damien Hirst and Jeff Koons, who created bold, eye-catching art inspired by kitsch – a style that is often playful, colourful and exaggerated.

sunglasses

We see hearts everywhere!

The Queen of Hearts

emojis

tattoos

coffee

lollipops

We can even make a heart symbol with our hands!

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Gloss Lamination + Mirror
Special Finish
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TPS
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Product Size
170 x 165 mm
Extent
12 Pages + Fold-out Mirror
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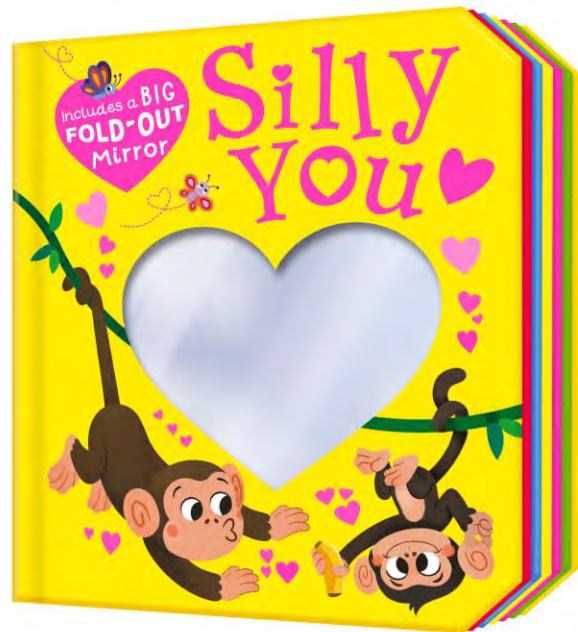
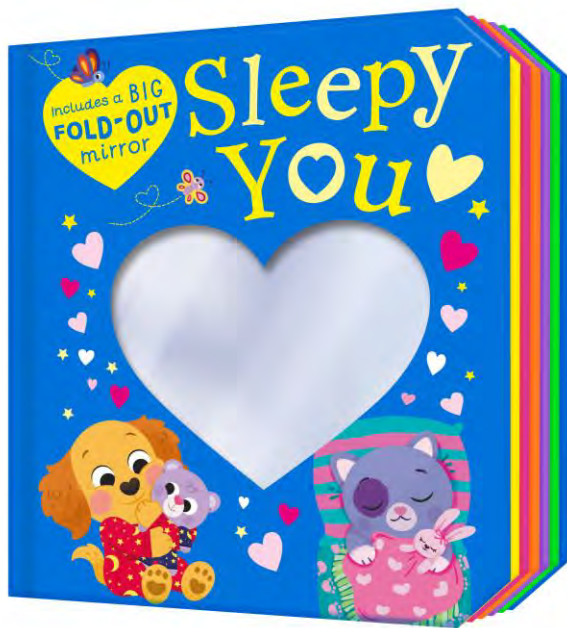
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HELLO ME!

Cover-mounted mirror demonstrates the concept

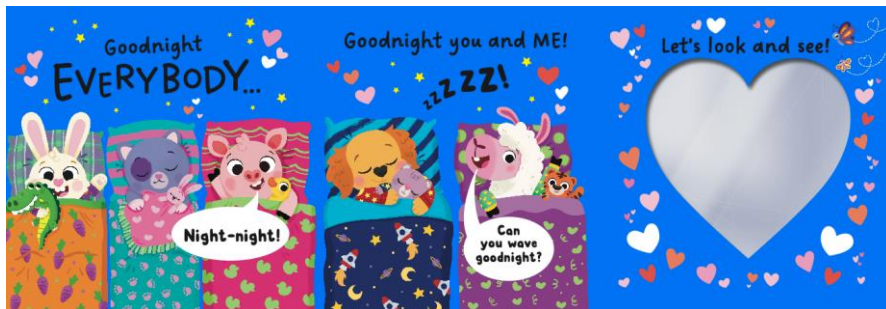
Multicoloured page edges, staggered so can be seen on shelf

Make faces and see your reflection in the additional mirror on the fold-out final page

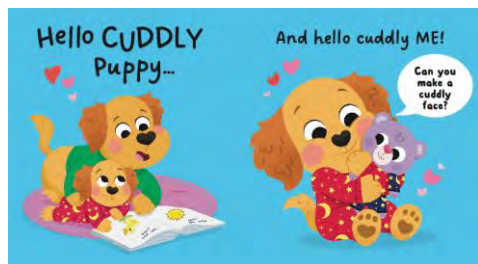


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Sample spreads



The child doesn't have to use the front cover mirror to 'make a face'!

The back cover extends out to reveal a 2nd mirror, so the child can easily read the book and make a face on every spread.



The book edges are painted and staggered, so all the colours are visible on shelf!

The book is printed with 6 pantones!

Product Type
Novelty Board
Binding
Cased
Cover Finish
Gloss Lamination + Pantone
Special Finish
Multiple Die-cuts with 4c
Printed Images
TPS
193 x 163 mm
Product Size
200 x 170 mm
Extent
14 Pages + Cover
Titles
Peek-A-Who? Cinderella
Peek-A-Who? Little Mermaid
RRP
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Age
0-3 years
BIC
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Pub Date
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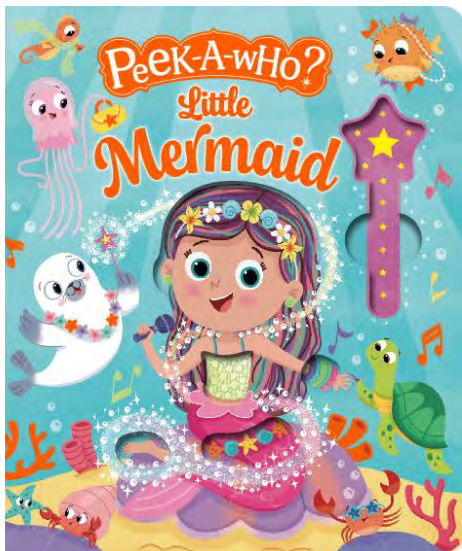
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PEEK-A-WHO?

See each fairy-tale character transform across a series of innovative die-cut scenes

Invite the reader into the action: the magic is in their hands!

Impactful cover with a press-out wand prop and neon pantone details



Bring the story to life with the cover-mounted, detachable magic wand!

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Page by page, Cinderella transforms
from the 'maid in the kitchen' to
the 'belle of the ball'.

On each page there are more and
more die-cuts that reveal her
transformation, one step at a time!



Product Type
Sticker Activity
Binding
 Concealed Spiral Binding
Cover Finish
 Gloss Lamination
Special Features
 Die-cut Cover to Reveal Silicone Stickers
TPS
 240 x 150 mm
Product Size
 240 x 165 mm (with gatefold opening to 240 x 430 mm)
Extent
 12 Pages + Triple Gatefold
Scene + Cover
Titles
 Once Upon A Time In
 Unicornland
 Once Upon A Time In Dinoland
RRP
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Age
 4+ years
BIC
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MY STICK-A-STORY

*2 types of reusable,
 'stick-anywhere'
 stickers:
 silicone & vinyl*

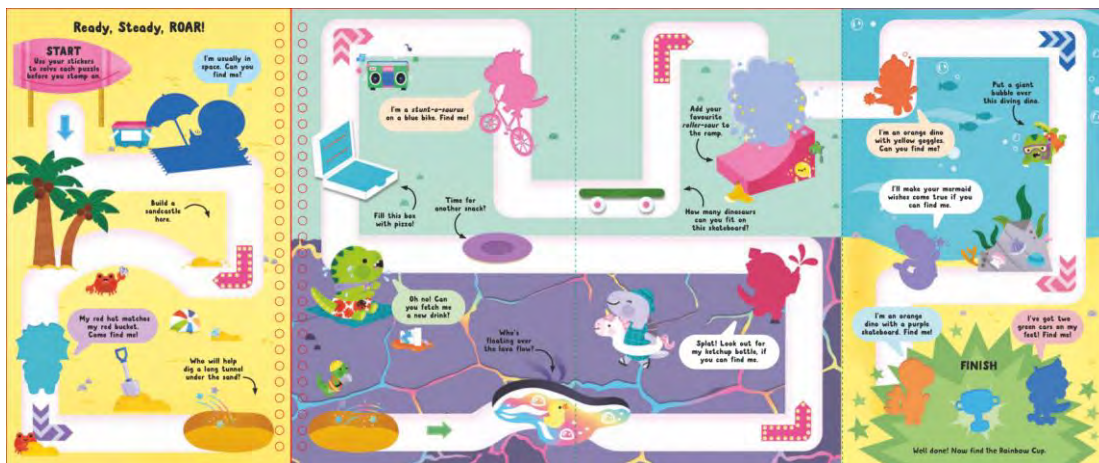
*Sturdy, varnished
 scenes and triple-
 gatefold last leaf*

*Easy to use, with
 endless story-telling
 potential!*



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Triple gate-fold game, played with thick silicone stickers

Sticker scene example



Silicone & static vinyl stickers



Play Felt & Learn: Play Felt Farm

Creative play felt fun for busy little hands!

Author: Alice Barker | Illustrator: Lexi Claus, Daisy Snow



ISBN: 978-1-83555-245-2

Pub date: 22 January 2026

Price: £8.99

Format: Full colour casebound board book

Cover finishes: Spot uv matt lamination

Additional Info: Soft felt play pieces 5 felt-covered pages

Extent: 10pp

Dimensions: 240 x 200 mm

Age range: 3 to 5

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Match, move and play with 20 soft felt pieces for endless interactive fun.

Learn about counting, shapes, colours and sounds while you play.

Create new adventures again and again with reusable felt play pieces.

Step into a busy farmyard!

Learn and play with five scenes and 20 soft felt pieces. With counting, shapes, colours and sounds to discover, you will have lots of first learning fun while bringing each farm scene to life.

From the cosy barn to the busy crop field, every scene is full of farmyard fun! Match the felt pieces to their perfect spots and imagine the cows grazing in the field, the hens clucking around the farmyard and the tractor ploughing the soil. Each page is filled with fun, vibrant descriptions to inspire young imaginations and guide their storytelling.

With easy-to-use felt pieces that stick onto the pages, children can play again and again, creating new farm adventures each time. It's the perfect mix of hands-on fun and first matching skills, making it a wonderful gift for little farmers.

Illustrator: Lexi Claus

Lexi is a professional graphic designer and illustrator. She uses her passion to create educational games, fun activities and colouring pictures for children.



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Play Felt & Learn: Play Felt Construction Site

Creative play felt fun for busy little hands!

Author: Alice Barker | Illustrator: Gareth Williams



ISBN: 978-1-83555-248-3

Pub date: 22 January 2026

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Cover finishes: Spot uv matt lamination

Additional Info: Soft felt play pieces 5 felt-covered pages

Extent: 10pp

Dimensions: 240 x 200 mm

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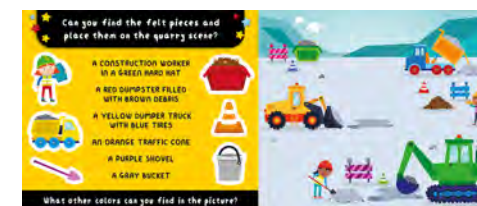
Create new adventures again and again with reusable felt play pieces.

Step onto a busy construction site!

Learn and play with five scenes and 20 soft felt pieces. With counting, shapes, colours and sounds to discover, you will have lots of first learning fun while bringing each construction site scene to life.

From freshly paved roads to newly built houses, every scene is bursting with construction site fun! Match the felt pieces to their perfect spots and imagine the diggers digging trenches, the cranes lifting heavy loads and the bulldozers smoothing the ground. Each page is packed with fun, colourful descriptions to ignite young imaginations and guide their storytelling.

With easy-to-use felt pieces that stick onto the pages, children can play again and again, creating a new story every time. It's the perfect blend of hands-on fun and early matching skills, making it an ideal gift for budding builders.



Illustrator: Gareth Williams

At an early age, Gareth loved to draw. Gareth studied Illustration at Swansea Metropolitan. His work has a strong illustrative influence, with lots of textures and layers to create a hand drawn style. He frequently visits art exhibitions and finds himself wandering around the galleries with his sketchbook then getting back to his computer, putting his play-list on shuffle, opening up his sketchbook and exploring new techniques and ideas.

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Picture Storybooks: I Love You as Deep as the Ocean

Each of these fantastic picture storybooks combines lavish illustrations with engaging stories, ensuring that they will be picked up by new and emerging readers time and time again.

Author: Isabel Pope | Illustrator: Roisin Hahessy

An adorable portrayal of all-embracing parental love.

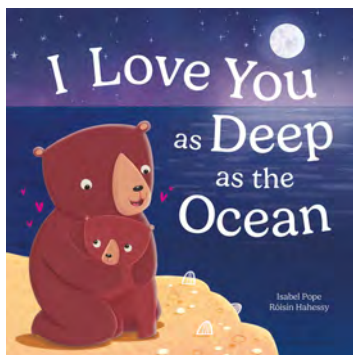
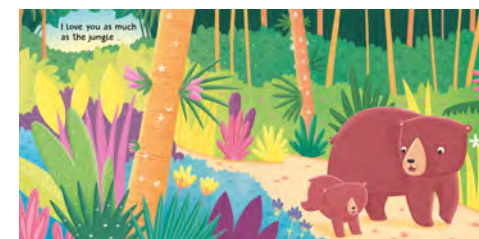
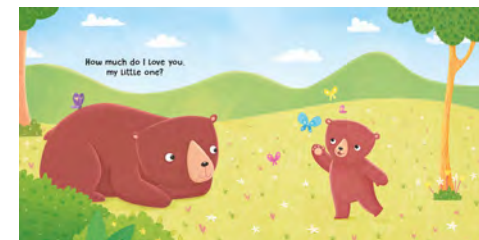
A tale to instil a sense of calm and security at story time and beyond.

A perfect gift for families to share.

How much does Mummy Bear love her cub? As high as a mountain? As deep as an ocean?

Isabel Pope's simple, heartwarming text and Roisin Hahessy's adorable bears perfectly portray the simplicity of all-embracing parental love. Ideal for instilling a sense of calm and security long after story time is over.

A beautiful picture book for parents or grandparents to share with little ones as part of a calming bedtime routine, and a perfect gift for Valentine's Day, Mother's Day and Father's Day.



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Pub date: 01 January 2026

Price: £7.99

Format: Full colour perfect bound paperback

Cover finishes: Spot uv matt lamination

Extent: 32pp

Dimensions: 254 x 254 mm

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CBMC Code: A3M79

Age range: 3 to 5

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Illustrator: Roisin Hahessy

Roisin Hahessy grew up in Ireland and spent her childhood drawing, colouring and painting. Shortly after graduating from animation college in Dublin, she began working in television, creating graphics and animations. In 2015 Roisin moved to Brazil, where she developed her portfolio and illustration style. Her inspiration comes from all around; her dreams (sometimes very strange dreams!) play a big part, and also simple things that she sees in everyday life.



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Magic Water Colouring: Fierce and Fiery - Dragons

Simply paint the pictures with water and watch as they magically transform!

Author: Jane Kent | Illustrator: Rachael McLean

Special water coating to ensure the pages can be painted again and again.

Includes a high-quality paintbrush so children can paint and colour on-the-go!

The ring-bound folder case is a best-selling and award-winning book format, over 2 million copies sold worldwide!

Make roar-some dragon pictures that can be coloured again and again - just add water!

Create colourful dragon pictures with this water painting book that is full of mess-free magical painting fun! Simply paint the pages with water using the included brush, leave to dry, then paint the pictures again! Each book includes up to 12 magic pictures to paint with water, fun facts to discover, and 18 additional pictures to colour with pencils or crayons. Children can use the blank pages at the back to colour and create their own stories or pictures too.



ISBN: 978-1-83555-273-5

Pub date: 01 January 2026

Price: £8.99

Format: Full colour cover concealed wirebound hardback

Cover finishes: Gloss

Additional Info: paintbrush secured to inside back cover

Extent: 32pp

Dimensions: 216 x 175 mm

BIC Code: YBGC

CBMC Code: A5L79

Age range: 3 to 5

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Two Windmills

Magic Water Colouring: Rumble and Tumble - Diggers & Dumpers

Simply paint the pictures with water and watch as they magically transform!

Author: Jane Kent | Illustrator: Rachael McLean

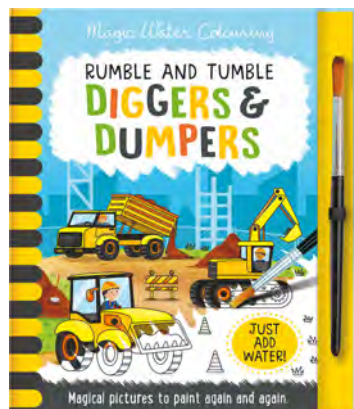
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Make mighty construction vehicle pictures that can be coloured again and again-just add water!

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Water Painting Search and Find: Search and Find Dragons

Create your own colourful pictures with this magical series and watch the scenes transform in front of you!

Author: Georgie Taylor | Illustrator: Robin Baines

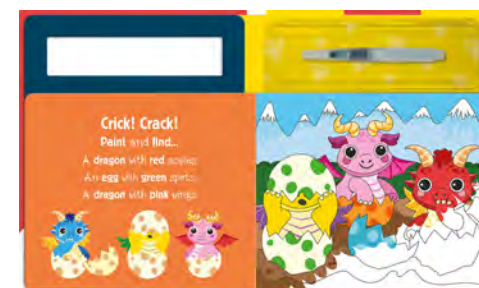
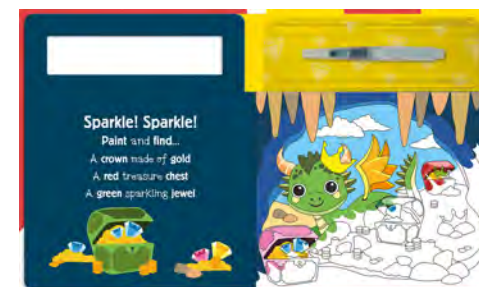
Search and find the hiding items again and again - paint with water, leave to dry, then paint again!

Develops fine motor skills, memory recall, and text and picture association skills.

Perfect for activity fun on the move!

Paint with water for search and find fiery dragon fun!

Create roar-tastic pictures with this water painting book, then search and find the dragon pictures that are hiding on each page. Simply apply water with the special pen, leave to dry, then paint your pictures and search and find again.



ISBN: 978-1-83555-496-8

Pub date: 01 January 2026

Price: £8.99

Format: Full colour casebound hardback

Cover finishes: Matt lamination

Additional Info: 5 water-painting scenes, refillable water pen

Extent: 10pp

Dimensions: 240 x 200 mm

BIC Code: YBGC

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Age range: 3 to 5

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Aided by her little rescue dog, Kika, Robin has been designing and illustrating bestselling children's books for more than ten years. In her spare time, Robin loves attending art and drawing classes, wild swimming and dreaming of an alternative reality in which she cleans up the streets of the south coast, UK as a crime-fighting superhero!



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Water Painting Search and Find: Search and Find Cute

Create your own colourful pictures with this magical series and watch the scenes transform in front of you!

Author: Georgie Taylor | Illustrator: Juniper Walker

Search and find the hiding items again and again - paint with water, leave to dry, then paint again!

Develops fine motor skills, memory recall, and text and picture association skills.

Perfect for activity fun on the move!

Paint with water for search and find super-cute fun!

Create adorable pictures with this water painting book, then search and find the cute pictures that are hiding on each page. Simply apply water with the special pen, leave to dry, then paint your pictures and search and find again.



ISBN: 978-1-83555-511-8

Pub date: 01 January 2026

Price: £8.99

Format: Full colour casebound hardback

Cover finishes: Matt lamination

Additional Info: 5 water-painting scenes, refillable water pen

Extent: 10pp

Dimensions: 240 x 200 mm

BIC Code: YBGC

CBMC Code: A2L79

Age range: 3 to 5

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Illustrator: Juniper Walker

Juniper graduated with a degree in Graphic Design and Illustration from the University of Suffolk. She has created her own characters and worlds ever since she could pick up a pencil! As well as illustration, Juniper loves animals, adventures and collecting too many house plants.

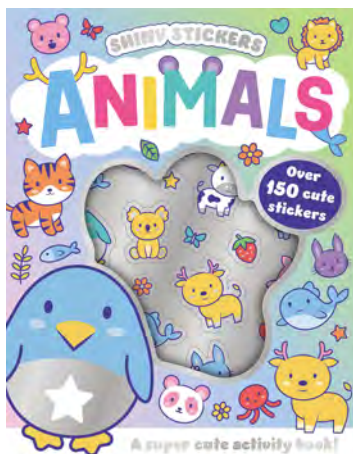


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Shiny Sticker Activity Books: Animals

Author: Connie Isaacs | Illustrator: Bethany Carr



ISBN: 978-1-83555-476-0

Pub date: 01 January 2026

Price: £6.99

Format: Full colour perfect bound paperback

Cover finishes: Gloss die cut window

Additional Info: 4pp (2 leaves) of 80gsm kiss-cut regular stickers + 1 sheet of foil printed stickers

Extent: 30pp

Dimensions: 280 x 216 mm

Age range: 5 to 7

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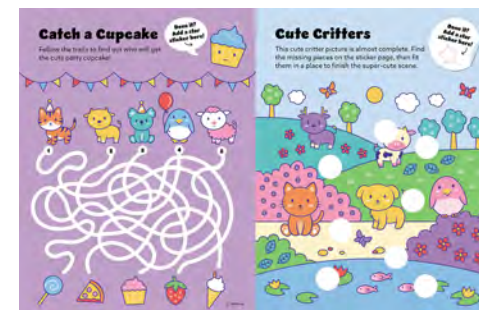
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Tons of super-shiny foil sticker fun!

This adorable animal-themed sticker activity book is packed with 150 colorful stickers, fun puzzles, and special foil stickers to make your creations shine!

Inside, kids will find spot-the-difference challenges, mazes, word searches, and more, all designed for hours of super-cute fun. Use the stickers to complete the activities or decorate your notebooks, folders, and favorite things with extra cuteness.

Whether you're solving puzzles or personalizing your stuff, this sticker book is perfect for little animal lovers who love to play, create, and shine!



Illustrator: Bethany Carr

Bethany graduated with a degree in Graphic Design and Illustration from the University of Suffolk. She has created her own characters and worlds ever since she could pick up a pencil! As well as illustration, Bethany loves animals, adventures and collecting too many house plants.

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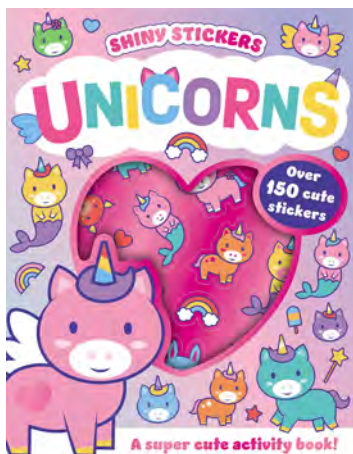
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Two Windmills

Shiny Sticker Activity Books: Unicorns

Author: Connie Isaacs | Illustrator: Bethany Carr



ISBN: 978-1-83555-478-4

Pub date: 01 January 2026

Price: £6.99

Format: Full colour perfect bound paperback

Cover finishes: Gloss die cut window

Additional Info: 4pp (2 leaves) of 80gsm kiss-cut regular stickers + 1 sheet of foil printed stickers

Extent: 30pp

Dimensions: 280 x 216 mm

Age range: 5 to 7

Sales & Marketing

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Whether you're solving puzzles or personalizing your stuff, this sticker book is perfect for little unicorn lovers who love to play, create, and shine!

Illustrator: Bethany Carr

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Carry Me Soft Book



First Colours
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On the Farm
9789465240220



Wild Animals
9789465240237



First Words
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FIRST COLOURS • ON THE FARM • WILD ANIMALS • FIRST WORDS

Its cosy and colourful fabrics make this carry-along cloth book perfect for little ones to cuddle and explore on the go. The soft handles make it easy to carry while also encouraging grasping, an essential fine motor skill. The fun features will stimulate baby's senses to the fullest.

Publication	JANUARY 2026
Price	£ 12.99
Format	Soft Book
Size (box)	175 x 175 x 40 mm
Size (book)	170 x 170 mm
Extent	8 pages
BIC code	YB
Age	1+
Features	Two soft handles crinkly paper, embroidery, sensory tabs, Velcro closure

KEY SELLING POINTS:

- Designed to stimulate baby's senses to the fullest.
- Tactile exploration thanks to cosy and colourful fabrics.
- Soft handles to encourage grasping and other fine motor skills.

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Soft Hand Puppet Baby Book



Bear
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Lion
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BEAR • DINOSAUR • ELEPHANT • LION

Babies love to snuggle up close to stuffed animals. With their colourful illustrations and soft materials, these animal-shaped snuggle books will stimulate your baby's sensory development throughout the day.

Publication	JANUARY 2026
Price	£10.99
Format	Board Book
Size	170 x 110 mm
Extent	10 pages
BIC code	YB
Age	3+
Features	With 4 turnable wheels

KEY SELLING POINTS:

- 2-in-1: cuddly toy and soft book.
- Stimulates baby's development: verbal (naming illustrations) and sensory and sensory (sight, hearing, touch).

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Rolling Wheels

Toddlers love driving along with their vehicle friends.

Tucker the Tow Truck is the hero of the road.

Chase the Convertible is ready to get the party started.

All books have four rolling wheels to make reading even more fun!

Publication	JANUARY 2026
Price	£7.99
Format	Board Book
Size	170 x 110 mm
Extent	10 pages
BIC code	YB
Age	3+
Features	With 4 turnable wheels

KEY SELLING POINTS:

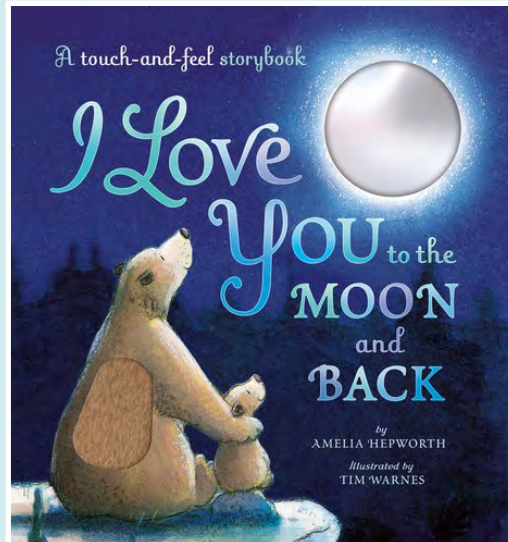
- The four wheels make reading even more fun.
- Stimulates toddlers' imagination: Children can play out the story or make up their own while 'driving' their book around.
- Fun at home or on the go.

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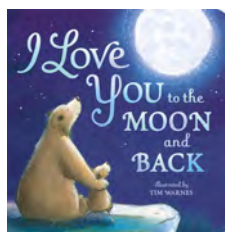
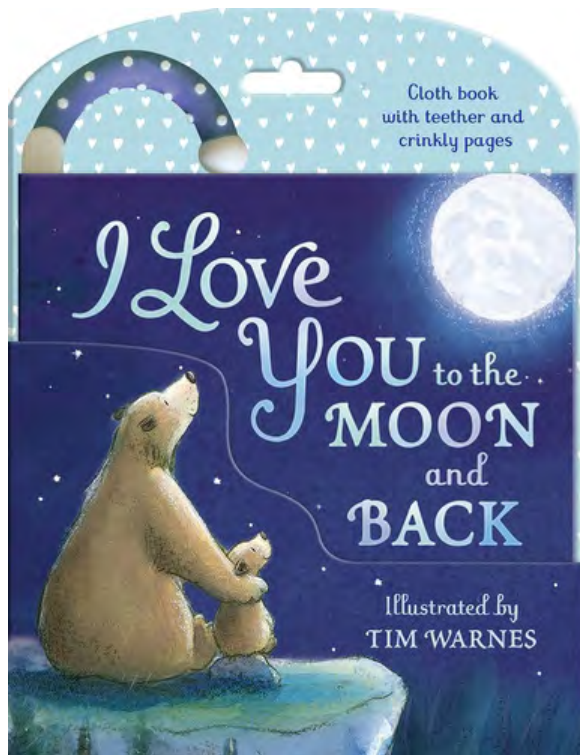
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JANUARY 2026 NEW TITLES

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BB | £6.99

I Love You to the Moon and Back Cloth Book

By (author) **Villetta Craven**

Illustrated by **Tim Warnes**



When the sun comes up, Big Bear and Little Bear think of new ways to share their love. Big Bear loves Little Bear more and more as each day passes, even all the way up to the shining moon - and back.

The much-loved, international best-seller, now available in a beautiful cloth book with crinkle pages for little hands, a mirror for sensory stimulation, and a baby-safe teething ring. Featuring adorable illustrations from Tim Warnes, and a gentle read-aloud text, this is the perfect gift for loved ones to celebrate the arrival of a new baby.

- A beautiful cloth book with crinkle pages, a mirror for sensory stimulation, and a baby-safe teething ring.
- The international best-selling I Love You to the Moon and Back series has sold 5 million copies worldwide.
- A heart-warming celebration of the love between a parent or carer and their child - now in the perfect format for small children.

WHO'S BEHIND THE BOOK?

Villetta Craven

Villetta has spent many years writing and editing children's books, from activity books to complex novelty. She lives in London, home of her beloved football team, and loves spending time with her little boy having tickling competitions and making up nonsense words. She also spends as much time as possible in Italy, where she's trying to visit every region to figure out which is her favourite.

Tim Warnes

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.

Pub Date: 8 January 2026

RRP: £9.99

Format: Cloth book

ISBN: 9781838918194

Extent: 6 pages

Dimensions: 140 x 140 mm

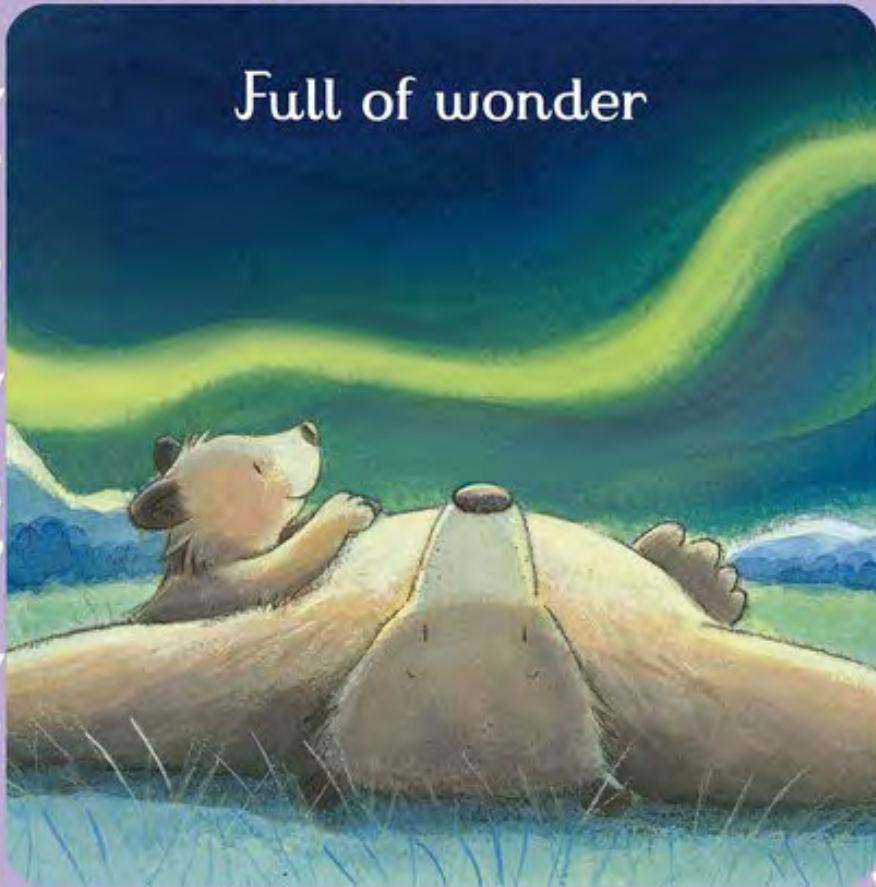
Interest Age: 0 to 3 years

THEMA: YBCB

Series: I Love You to the Moon and Back

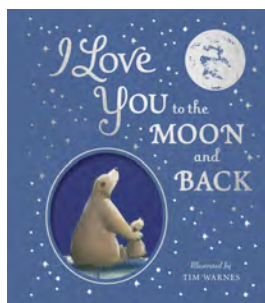
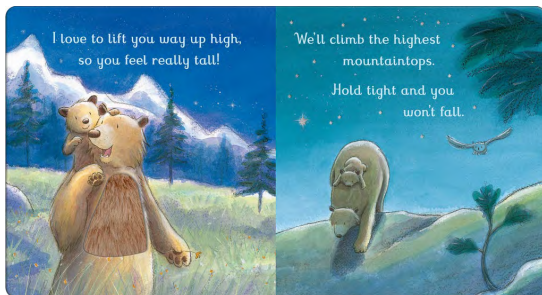
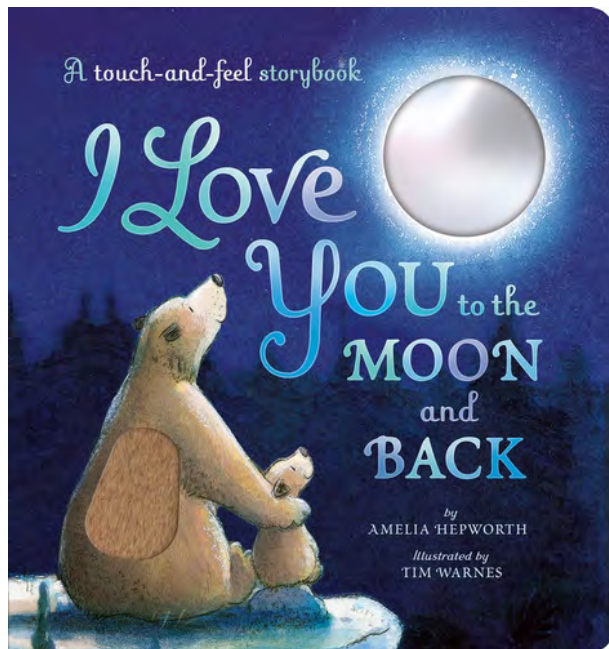
CBMC: A3J79

Full of wonder



Full of fun





9781801041508
HB | £8.99

I Love You to the Moon and Back

By (author) **Amelia Hepworth**

Illustrated by **Tim Warnes**



As the sun comes up, Big Bear and Little Bear think of new ways to share their love. Big Bear loves Little Bear more and more as each day passes, even all the way up to the shining moon - and back.

The much-loved, international best-seller, now in a deluxe touch-and-feel board book. Follow Big Bear and Little Bear on their adventure: tickle Big Bear's furry tummy, feel the smooth paws of Little Bear, and run fingers over the sparkly moon - with lots of interactive textures for little hands to discover, this adorable tale encourages sensory exploration and stimulates curiosity.

- A beautiful touch-and-feel board book with interactive elements to encourage sensory exploration and stimulate little ones' curiosity.
- The international best-selling I Love You to the Moon and Back series has sold 5 million copies worldwide.
- A heart-warming celebration of the love between parent and child - the perfect gift to celebrate the arrival of a new baby.

WHO'S BEHIND THE BOOK?

Amelia Hepworth

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.

Tim Warnes

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.

Pub Date: 8 January 2026

RRP: £9.99

Format: Board book

ISBN: 9781838919535

Extent: 22 pages

Dimensions: 220 x 205 mm

Interest Age: From 10 months

THEMA: YBCB

Series: I Love You to the Moon and Back

CBMC: A3J79

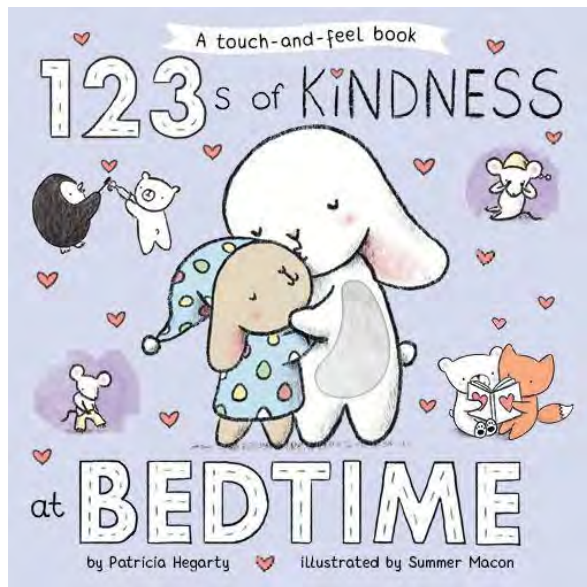
I love to lift you way up high,
so you feel really tall!



We'll climb the highest
mountaintops.

Hold tight and you
won't fall.





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9781848579910
BB | £6.99

123 of Kindness at Bedtime

By (author) Patricia Hegarty
Illustrated by Summer Macon



Ten little friends have had a busy day.
Nine toys are left as they tidy things away.

This five-spread touch-and-feel board book features the familiar cast of Kind Hearts characters as they go through their bedtime routines. A rhyming countdown text from ten to one and a range of textures to discover throughout will keep children engaged at story-time.

- Touch-and-feel textures on every spread.
- Simple rhyming text reinforces number recognition.
- Champions the values of kindness and thoughtfulness.

WHO'S BEHIND THE BOOK?

Patricia Hegarty

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).

Summer Macon

Summer was raised in an itty bitty town of Southern NM. As a child, she quickly became known as "Tiger" as this is how she would sign her homework next to the many doodles covering their pages. She has decided to now go by her real name and lives in an even smaller itty bitty town (population 32) in beautiful Colorado. In the summer time (Summer enjoys the summer and not the winter) you can find her rock climbing, mountain biking or doodling on her contracts

Pub Date: 8 January 2026

RRP: £8.99

Format: Board book

ISBN: 9781838919931

Extent: 10 pages

Dimensions: 180 x 180 mm

Interest Age: 1 to 3 years

THEMA: YBLC, YBCB

CBMC: A2K79

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Ten little friends
have had a busy day.



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Nine toys are left
as they tidy things away.



It Takes Two

By (author) Nicola Edwards

Illustrated by Lindsey Sagar



**Whatever ups and downs life brings,
when I'm with you, my whole heart sings.**

This cute celebration of love lauds the simple joys of friendship, the sibling bond and what it means to have a hand to hold through life's ups and downs. With uniquely shaped peek-through die-cuts and four fold-out concertina scenes, this sweet cased board book is made for sharing. A book to treasure!

Perfect for fans of the bestselling You're My Little... series, I Love You to the Moon and Back by Amelia Hepworth and Guess How Much I Love You by Sam McBratney.

- Featuring four concertina fold-out spreads showcasing beautiful moments of friendship.
- With transforming die-cut surprises on all pull-out spreads.
- Heartwarming and life-affirming rhyming text throughout, which can be read in two different ways around the fold-out.

WHO'S BEHIND THE BOOK?

Nicola Edwards

Nicola Edwards was raised by the seaside in beautiful Brighton. She loves reading, dancing, rhyming and turquoise things. She now lives with her husband and children in North London and spends her days writing and editing children's books. She has been nominated for the UKLA and Blue Peter Book awards and is a two-time Parenting Product Awards winner.

Lindsey Sagar

Lindsey grew up in a tiny town called Oswaldtwistle in the heart of Lancashire. Her favourite play things were pencils and paints, and her first gallery was the fridge door. As she got bigger her LOVE for art grew bigger too! She graduated with a first class honours degree in Graphic Design and has been working as a professional illustrator for over 10 years.

Pub Date: 8 January 2026

RRP: £8.99

Format: Board book

ISBN: 9781838919191

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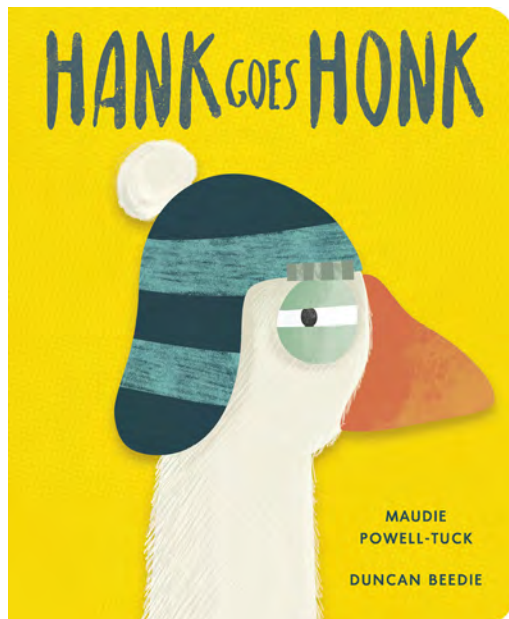
Dimensions: 190 x 190 mm

Interest Age: 1 - 3 years

THEMA: YB

CBMC: A3J69





Hank Goes Honk

By (author) **Maudie Powell-Tuck**

Illustrated by **Duncan Beedie**



Meet Hank the Goose. He's never met a balloon he didn't pop, or taken part in a conversation he didn't - HONK! - interrupt. Hank even honks in the library and during movies! But being this way isn't always fun - and it's upsetting everyone else . . . Maybe it's time for a change? Time for Hank to learn how to be an im-PECK-able goose! Only it's not quite as easy as it looks . . .

A HONKingly-hilarious tale about the importance of being considerate to others - now in a chunky board book format!

- Hank is a lovable anti-hero character with great series potential - boasting hilarious, knockout illustrations from the super-talented Duncan Beedie (I Really Really Need a Wee, Agent Llama, Heavy Metal Badger).
- Hank is up to double the amount of trouble in the Hank Goes Honk and Hank Goes Peckchucky board books - perfect for little hands!
- A funny, stylish board book that teaches little ones about the importance of being kind and mindful of others.

WHO'S BEHIND THE BOOK?

Maudie Powell-Tuck

Maudie Powell-Tuck has been writing, editing and dreaming about picture books for over 12 years. She has worked in a children's bookshop and as an editor for a children's publisher, so she can enthuse about kids books 'til the cows come home. When not writing or editing, Maudie can be found pootling around charity shops with her kids, reading, and watching embarrassingly trashy reality tv. She is forever losing her hearing aids and has dropped her phone 1,345,566 times. Miraculously it still works.

Duncan Beedie

Duncan is a bestselling children's author and illustrator from Bristol. He has worked on a number of Little Tiger titles, including the Agent Llama series by Angela Woolfe, The Bush Baby Adventure series by Karl Newson and his own story, Heavy Metal Badger, which has been nominated for several children's literature awards. When not drawing badgers, bears and bush babies, Duncan likes to get

Pub Date: 8 January 2026

RRP: £7.99

Format: Board book

ISBN: 9781838919528

Extent: 28 pages

Dimensions: 190 x 155 mm

Interest Age: 2 to 5 years

THEMA: YBC

Series: Hank

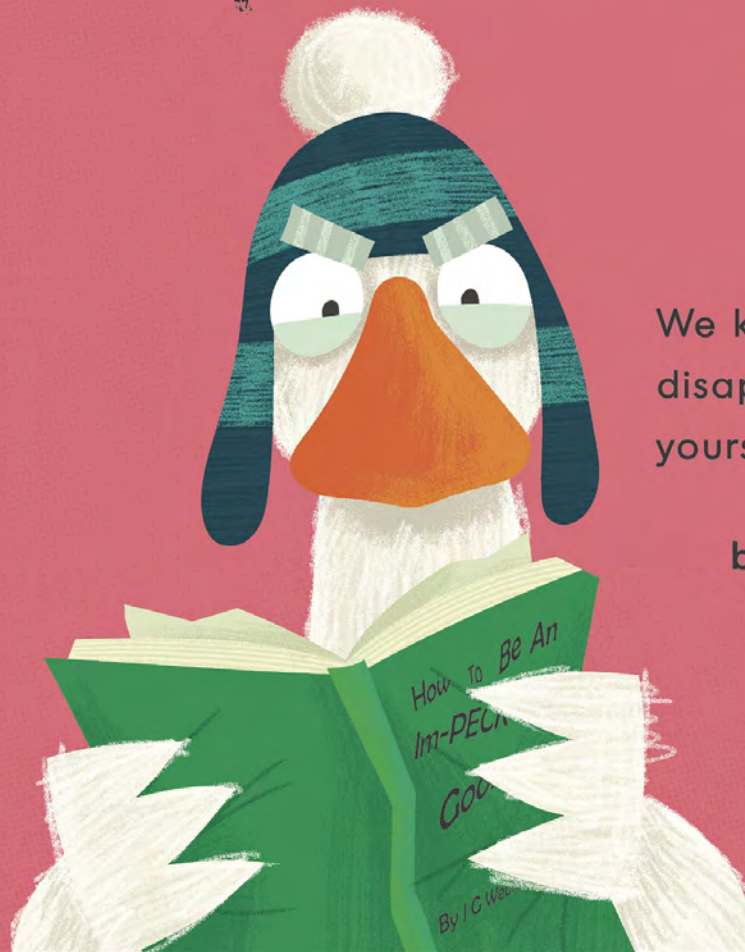
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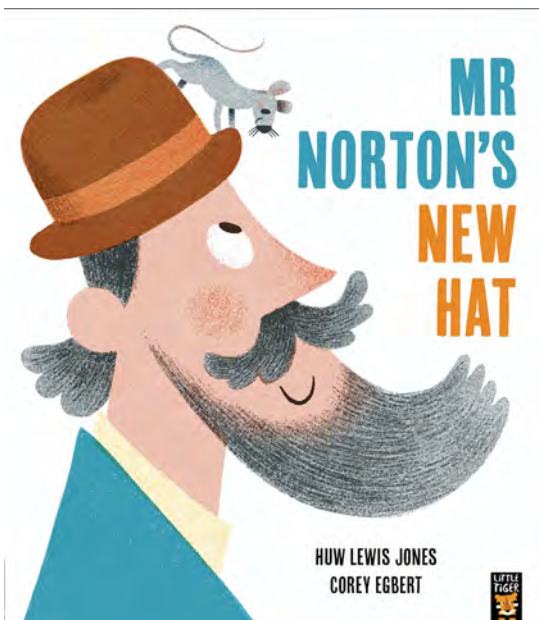
Ah.

HONK!



We know you're
disappointed in
yourself, **Hank**,

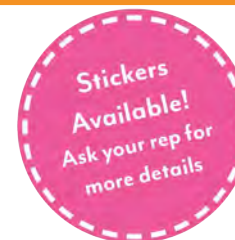
but don't . . .



Mr Norton's New Hat

By (author) **Huw Lewis Jones**

Illustrated by **Corey Egbert**



One Monday morning, Horace Norton finds that a mouse has made a house in his hat. On Tuesday, there are birds in his bicycle basket . . . and on Wednesday, a squirrel asleep in his shoe! What will Mr Norton do when, as the week progresses, the animals take over his bathroom, his bed - and even HIS BEARD?!

With a message of kindness and an accumulative text that begs to be read aloud, this is a future classic in the making.

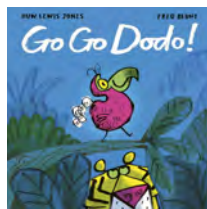
- A captivating reading experience is offered by a text that repeats and builds with each new animal, reminiscent of classic books such as *We're Going on a Bear Hunt*.
- The ending features a touching peace offering from the animals, and an uplifting transformation for Mr Norton, who starts the book rather lonely and stifled, and ends it full of joy and surrounded by friends.



9781801046848
PB | £7.99



9781838918347
HB | £12.99



9781838918316
HB | £12.99

WHO'S BEHIND THE BOOK?

Huw Lewis Jones

Huw Lewis Jones has voyaged many times to Antarctica, meeting all kinds of penguins. He is now a professor at Falmouth University teaching natural history and other creative things. Huw has written books about photography, mountains, and maps, but these days his stories are mostly about annoying apples and befuddled badgers. He lives in Cornwall.

Corey Egbert

Corey Egbert is an illustrator based in Virginia. He believes in creating imaginative and hopeful art that empowers young people to make their world better. He lives with his wife, son, and three cats in an old brick house in the Shenandoah Valley.

Pub Date: 8 January 2026

RRP: £7.99

Format: Paperback

ISBN: 9781838919740

Extent: 32 pages

Dimensions: 280 x 245 mm

Interest Age: 3 to 6 years

THEMA: YBCS

Series: Mr Norton

CBMC: A3M79



On Tuesday morning,
Horace found that some birds
had built a nest in the basket
of his bicycle.

Mr. Norton really didn't want to make a fuss.
So, he went to work all the same . . .



. . . with the birds in his bicycle basket,
and a mouse with a house in his hat.



9781838917173
HB | £12.99

The Home That Love Built

By (author) Jessica Meserve



*This is the wind that whipped and whirled.
This is the lightning that zipped and zapped.
This is the thunder that bombarded and blasted.
And these are the animals... all soggy and sad.*

When a terrible storm blows through the forest, it seems everything is lost. Until the animals come together to rebuild what was broken and, in doing so, create something magical.

A stunningly-illustrated story of hope, teamwork and the power of community.

- Exquisite, detailed illustrations from award-winning author-illustrator Jessica Meserve.
- Told with a lyrical, accumulative rhyming text, inspired by the rhyme, 'The House That Jack Built'.
- A poignant, hopeful look at how communities can come together after tragedy to rebuild, told in a gentle, accessible way.
- A child-friendly, all-too-timely portrait of a natural disaster, steeped in hope.

WHO'S BEHIND THE BOOK?

Jessica Meserve

Jessica Meserve studied illustration at Edinburgh College of Art and worked in publishing as a children's book designer before pursuing a career as a children's author and illustrator. She has lived in Canada, France and the US, but now lives with her family in England. She finds inspiration and happiness from the great outdoors, and her two dogs and her family.

Pub Date: 8 January 2026

RRP: £12.99

Format: Hardback

ISBN: 9781838919870

Extent: 32 pages

Dimensions: 286 x 251 mm

Interest Age: 3 to 6 years

THEMA: YBCS

CBMC: A3M79





Courage in a Poem

By (author) Various Authors

Illustrated by Various Illustrators



Inspire young minds with this gorgeous poetry anthology that encourages children to take joy in their identities.

From finding body positivity and facing your fears to celebrating heritage and individuality, join talented contemporary poets and illustrators on an inspiring journey of empowerment.

- Poetry includes modern favourites and newly commissioned pieces from a wide range of UK and US-based authors to celebrate a diversity of voices and perspectives.
- Illustrations from four different illustrators create a vibrant and varied book with strong gift appeal.
- The poetry covers topics such as gender, heritage, community and body positivity to uplift readers and encourage celebration of identity.



9781838914400
HB | £12.99

WHO'S BEHIND THE BOOK?

Featuring powerful poetry from: Cecilia Knapp, Debjani Chatterjee, Valerie Bloom, Mandy Coe, Naomi Shihab Nye, Kate Wakeling, Elizabeth Acevedo, Victoria Adukwei Bulley, Joe Cook, Jason Reynolds, Nikita Gill, Laura Mucha, Janet Wong, Nikki Grimes, Mahogany L. Browne, Matt Goodfellow, Sophia Thakur, Rachel Plummer, Jay Hulme, Chief Dan George

And awe-inspiring artwork from: Annalise Barber, Mariana Roldan, Masha Manapov, Nabila Adani

Pub Date: 8 January 2026

RRP: £8.99

Format: Paperback

ISBN: 9781838919597

Extent: 48 pages

Dimensions: 260 x 210 mm

Interest Age: 6 to 12 years

THEMA: YDC

CBMC: CIM79

Your Epic Self

Ocean deep,
quick as a comet,
your epic self is a force beyond.

You can open any lock,
you can scale any cliff,
you can sniff out a lie from a mile off.

I once saw you switch
on every lightbulb in town
with just your smile.

Your ideas are a fistful of gold pieces,
your words are strong as salt.

You can keep a secret quieter than clouds
but when you see a wrong not put right,
oh there's no sound
mightier than your tiger roar.



And sure,
your epic self doesn't surface every day.

No one's does.

But know it's there,
tucked deep,
ready and waiting.

Sure as an anchor,
bright as the moon,
your epic self is a force beyond.

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Star Friends: Charm Breaker

By (author) Linda Chapman

Illustrated by Kim Barnes



Do you believe in magic? Maddie and her friends do! And when they meet the Star Animals, a whole world of adventure unfolds.

After a village charity run, many of the adults in Westcombe (including most of the Star Friends' parents), start to become very energetic and throw caution to the wind when it comes to their responsibilities.

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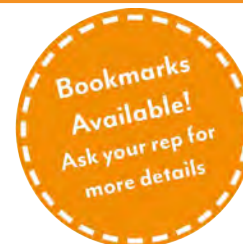
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Guardians of the New Moon: The Year of the Tiger

By (author) **Eric Huang**

Illustrated by **Phùng Nguyễn Quang**



The Heavenly Palace is in uproar! Biao the tiger has gone missing and there's no Year of the Tiger without her. Ming and Miaow are sent to find her - but bringing her back might just be their most difficult mission yet.

Focused and stubborn, Biao hasn't got time for silly things like the lunar new year. The forest she calls home is dying and she's determined to save it. But she can't do it alone and her hot temper keeps getting in the way of finding friends. With time running out, can the Guardians help Biao save her home - and the Year of the Tiger - before it's too late?

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- Relatable and adventurous main characters with contrasting personalities - the story centres around friendship and working together.
- Packed with beautiful black-and-white illustrations to engage younger readers.

WHO'S BEHIND THE BOOK?

Eric Huang

Eric Huang has always been fascinated by legends and lore. As a boy, he was determined to find real-life dragons, so he studied palaeontology at university. Reality didn't live up to his Jurassic Park dreams, though, and he found himself working as secretary at Disney Publishing, launching a career in children's books. Eric lives in London with his boyfriend Brian and cat McNulty. He's a podcaster, writer, and lecturer at City University of London's Masters in Publishing programme.

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Clem Fatale Has Been Upstaged

By (author) Eve Wersocki Morris

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London, Summer 1951: Clem Fatale, the youngest crook in the city, and her best friend Gilbert are going to see their favourite musical double act, the Wade Sisters, perform at the London Palladium! But then one half of the duo - Betty Wade - disappears.

Her sister Judy hires Clem and Gilbert to find Betty. The pair are soon pulled into the dark side of the theatre scene, and into the orbit of a notorious criminal mastermind. It's a race against time and the gangsters of London to get Betty back to the theatre. Will Clem be able to stage the rescue of a lifetime?

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WHO'S BEHIND THE BOOK?

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Eve Wersocki Morris grew up in North London and has been making up stories her whole life. Diagnosed with dyslexia aged 12 and called out by a teacher as the 'worst speller in the class', she is now the author of two novels for older MG readers, with her debut *The Bird Singers* now nominated for multiple awards. A standout performer at school events thanks to a background in drama, Eve is also a volunteer with Coran Beanstalk Literary Charity.

Honie Beam

Honie Beam was once let loose in a library and never looked back. In pursuit of her childhood goals to become an artist, an author and a smoothie maker, she studied Illustration and Sequential Art at Maryland Institute College of Art. Now based in Greenville, South Carolina Honie spends her free time drinking (a lot) of coffee, playing (badly) the mandolin, and doodling (on important documents).

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