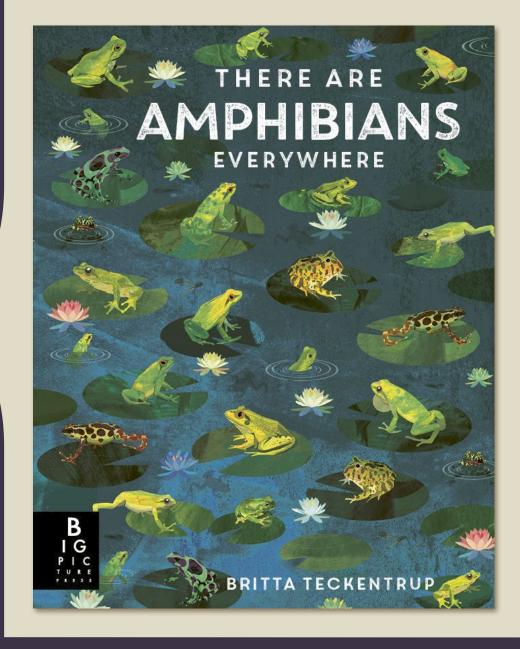


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There Are Amphibians Everywhere



Best-selling illustrator Britta Teckentrup explores the world of amphibians in this sumptuously illustrated introduction.

- Contents: There are amphibians everywhere; It's an amphibian! (So what *is* that?); Amphibians have been around for ages; Where do amphibians live?; How do amphibians live?; Moving; Feeding; Life stories; Metamorphosis; Staying alive; Tropical terrors (poisonous frog spotlight spread); Amphibians and people
- Britta's There Are... series has sold a combined quantity of over 200,000 copies worldwide (as of January 2025)

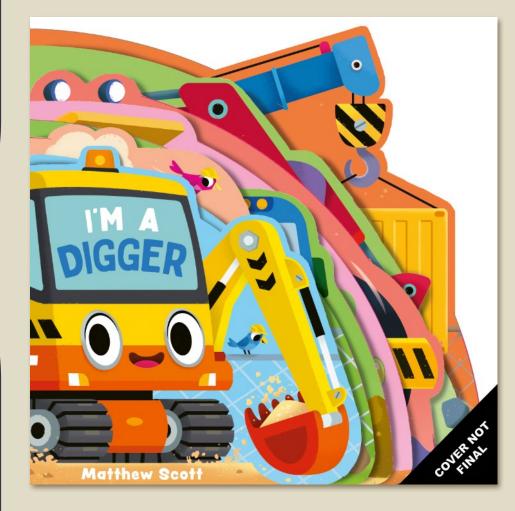
There Are Amphibians Everywhere



HOW DO AMPHIBIANS LIVE? SENSES HEARING Most amphibians spend at least part of their life in water. They are amazing Frogs and toads hear using special drum-like flaps of skin. There is one bohind each eye. The skin vibrates when sound hits it, and messages are sent to the frog's ... animals because they can survive in two very different habitats: water and land. It can be a challenging life for these small creatures, which perhaps explains VISION brain so it can hear sound. Salamanders can hear we Many frogs and toads have large, colourful eyes which can see forwards, sideways and even backwards, helping them to find food why there are fewer species of amphibian than any other major group of , but not in the air. Instead, they use their feet vertebrates (animals with backbones). to sense vibrations in the ground. sing their eyesight! Caecilians have small SKIN An amphibian's skin is smooth and covered with a slimy mucus to keep it moist. There are no scales, feathers or fur eyes and mostly rely on their sense of smell to find food. The pupils of frog and toad eyes come in some amazing shapes and colours. to protect it, but many amphibians can make a toxic skin slime, which can be poisonous to predators. Amphibians also have **colourful** skin to help them hide from predators and prev. to attract a mate and control their temperature COLD-BLOODED Like reptiles and fish, amphibians are cold-blooded. That means they cannot control their body temperature and will die if they get too hot or cold. That's why many adult frogs and toads hide in the shade or return The skin of an Australian green treefrog inges colours - it is green in the to the water on a hot day un but it turns brown in the shade SOUND Male fregs and toads can be very loud! When an American bullfreg creaks it expands its throat like a balloon, so the noise in louder and travels further. This stretched bubble of skin is called a SMELL AND TASTE Burrowing amphibians have a good sense of smell, using it to find food and mates. Some BREATHING While other vertabrates have lungs to breath in air, or gills to breathe in water, amphibians need to breathe in air or water, or both. Young amphibians that live in water breathe through gills. Adult amphibians that live on land breathe using lungs. where they hacked by bilowing the inen. Desclians use their sense of small to find food. They have a little tentacle below each eye. This sense organ is flicked, like a snake's tongue, to vocal sac. Males croak to call females to come to African hairy frogs grow special tufts of 'hair' on their legs. These tufts allow them to absorb more oxygen from water, to they can stay under the profess for lenser. oders that can prow t ind have feathery gills for breathing in w

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Author	Camilla De La
	Bedoyere
Illustrator	Britta
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Extent	32pp
Word Count	4000 words
Freight On	12/06/2025
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Rights Available	World

l'm a Digger



A dinky shaped board book packed with things that go.

- 7 uniquely shaped spreads full of playful shapes to trace give this book a fun, toylike quality.
- Bursting with brightly coloured, friendly vehicle characters illustrated by MatthewScott.
- Each spread features a first vehicle fact perfect for toddlers who are interestedin diggers and tipper trucks, but still too young for longer non-fiction.
- A sturdy board book that can be given to the youngest of babies.

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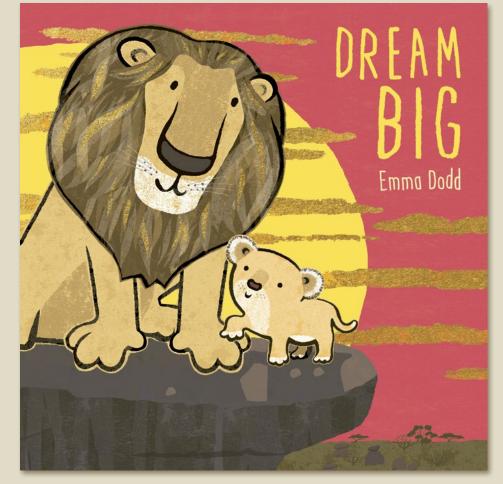






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Illustrator	Matthew Scott
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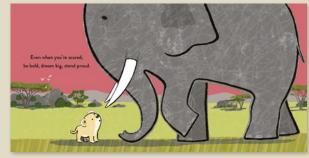
Dream Big



A heartwarming book about allowing yourself to have big dreams for life

- A continuation of Emma Dodd's bestselling series of foil books
- The perfect book for Father's Day
- Featuring an adorable lion cub
- Emma Dodd's foiled picture book series has sold a combined total of over 1 million copies worldwide (as of July 2022)
- Cover treatments: matt lam & foil; 50% of pages foiled throughout

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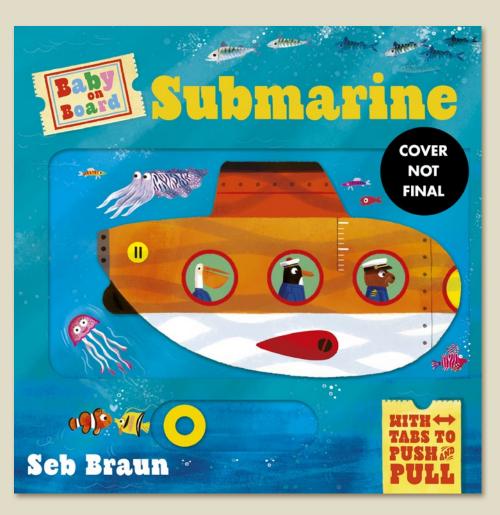






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Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Emma Dodd
Illustrator	Emma Dodd
Extent	24рр
Word Count	150 words
Rights Available	World

Baby on Board: Submarine



An interactive novelty series all about things that go!

- A novelty pre-school series all about things that go! The series includes Baby onBoard: *Train* (2023), *Car* (2023), *Tractor* (2024), *Aeroplane* (2024), *Bus* (2025), *Boat* (2025)
- With a sturdy slider, w heel or tab on every spread and the cover.
 Mechanismskeep young children engaged, and help the development of fine motor skills.
- A fun rhyming text, perfect for reading aloud, and full of sounds for little ones tojoin in with!
- Seb Braun (illustrator of Spinderella by Julia Donaldson, the Daddy Grizzle books byMark Sperring and author-illustrator of Raj and the Best Day) creates friendly,action-packed scenes, full of detail and warmth.

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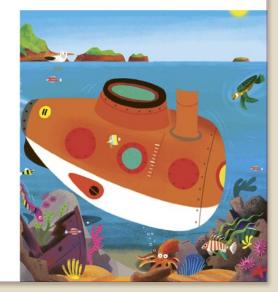






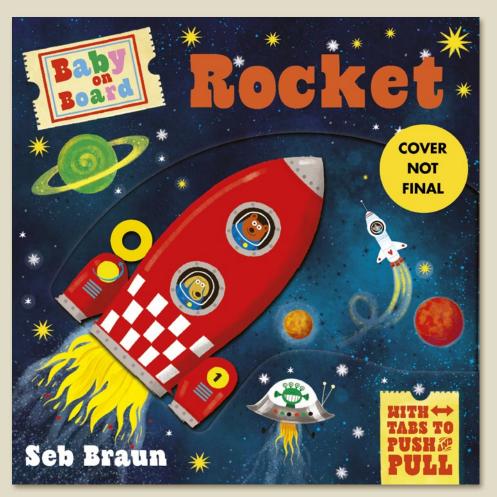






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Illustrator	Sebastien Braun
Extent	8рр
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Baby on Board: Rocket



An interactive novelty series all about things that go!

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- Seb Braun (illustrator of *Spinderella* by Julia Donaldson, the *Daddy Grizzle* books by Mark Sperring and author-illustrator of *Raj and the Best Day*) creates friendly, action-packed scenes, full of detail and warmth.
- The Baby on Board series has already sold over 400,000 copies in 19 territories.

Baby on Board: Rocket







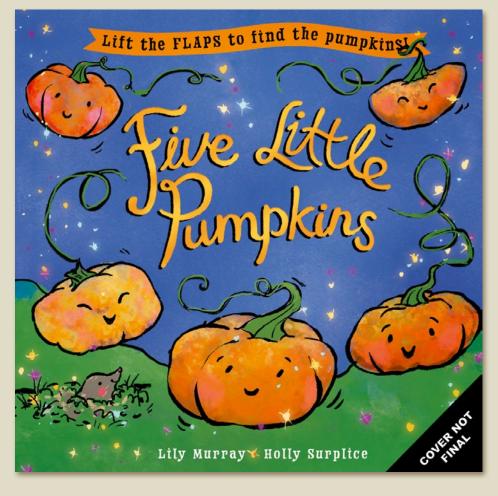






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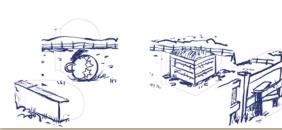
Five Little Pumpkins



A spooky lift-the-flap picture book

- Lift the flaps to find the pumpkins with 13 flaps to lift
- Full of friendly nighttime animals and adorable pumpkins, this is the perfect gift to give for Halloween or Autumn
- An engaging and affordable gift book for little readers 1+
- Illustrated by Holly Surplice, illustrator of *Guinea Pig Party* and *I Love You, Little One*
- Over 150,000 *Five Little...* books sold worldwide
- Cover finish: matt lam + spot UV + pantone

Five Little Pumpkins

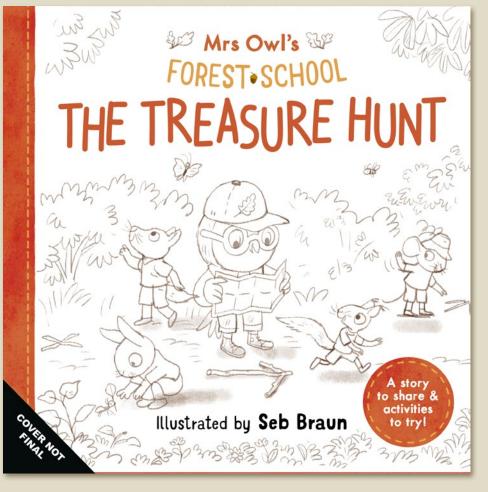








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Author	Catherine Veitch
Illustrator	Holly Surplice
Extent	24рр
Translation Files	22/12/2025
Files To Printer	16/03/2026
Freight On	18/06/2026
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Rights Available	World



A non-fiction picture book series set in a forest school

- A perfect mix of picture book and nonfiction - perfect for curious explorers or Forest School pupils
- Forest schools are growing in popularity in the UK and internationally, and sessions are now widely incorporated into the school curriculum at primary level
- Includes kit lists, how-tos and campfire recipes you can try at home with an adult
- With a page of tips at the end for bringing forest school activities into your own home, garden or park
- Written in consultation with outstanding certified forest childcare provider Lizzie Noble

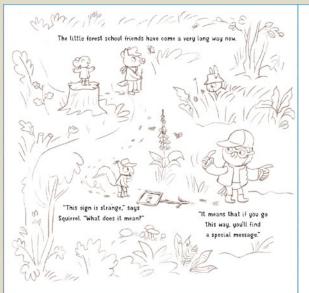
Mrs Owl's Forest School: A Treasure Hunt Surprise







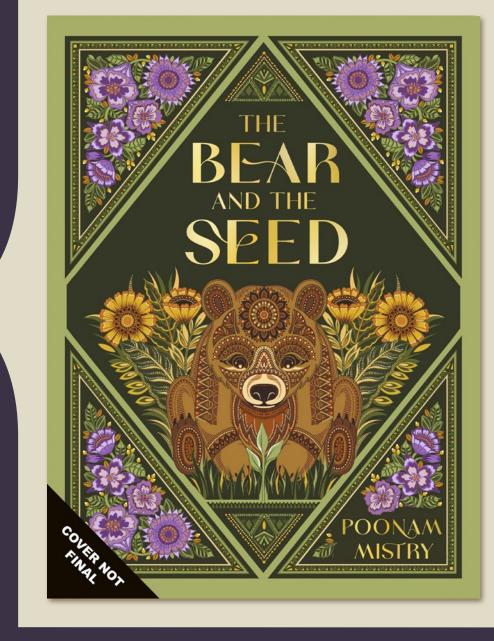






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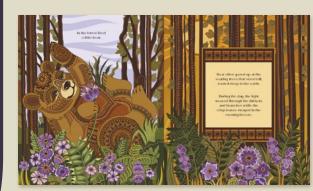
The Bear and the Seed



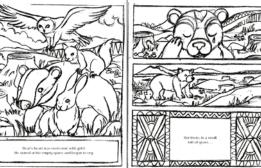
An inspirational folktale about conservation and protection of the environment by Greenawayshortlisted Poonam Mistry.

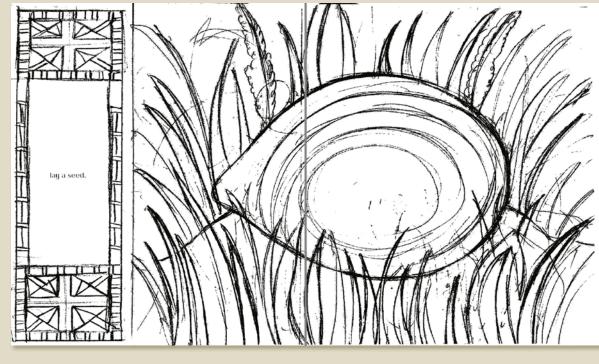
- Created by Greenaway-shortlisted and Carnegie-longlisted illustrator Poonam Mistry, nominated in 2024 for her other Templar book, *The Midnight Panther*
- Themes of conservation and protecting the environment, and a strong message that small actions that you can take will make a big difference.
- The steps Bear takes in the book reflect the real stages needed for plants to grow in real life, offering gentle learning and advice for young readers to follow.

The Bear and the Seed









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