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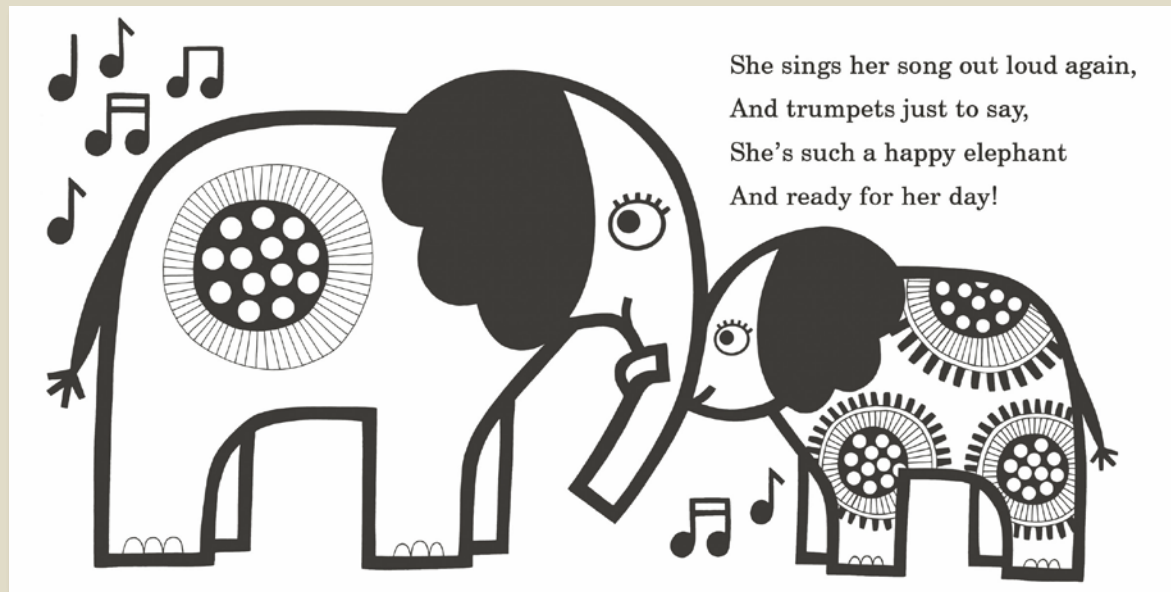
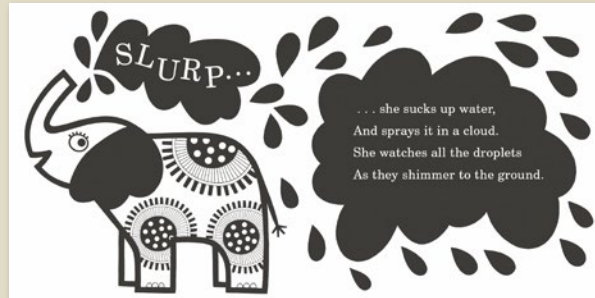
# Jane Foster's Baby's First Stories: 0-3 months



## A series that grows with your baby

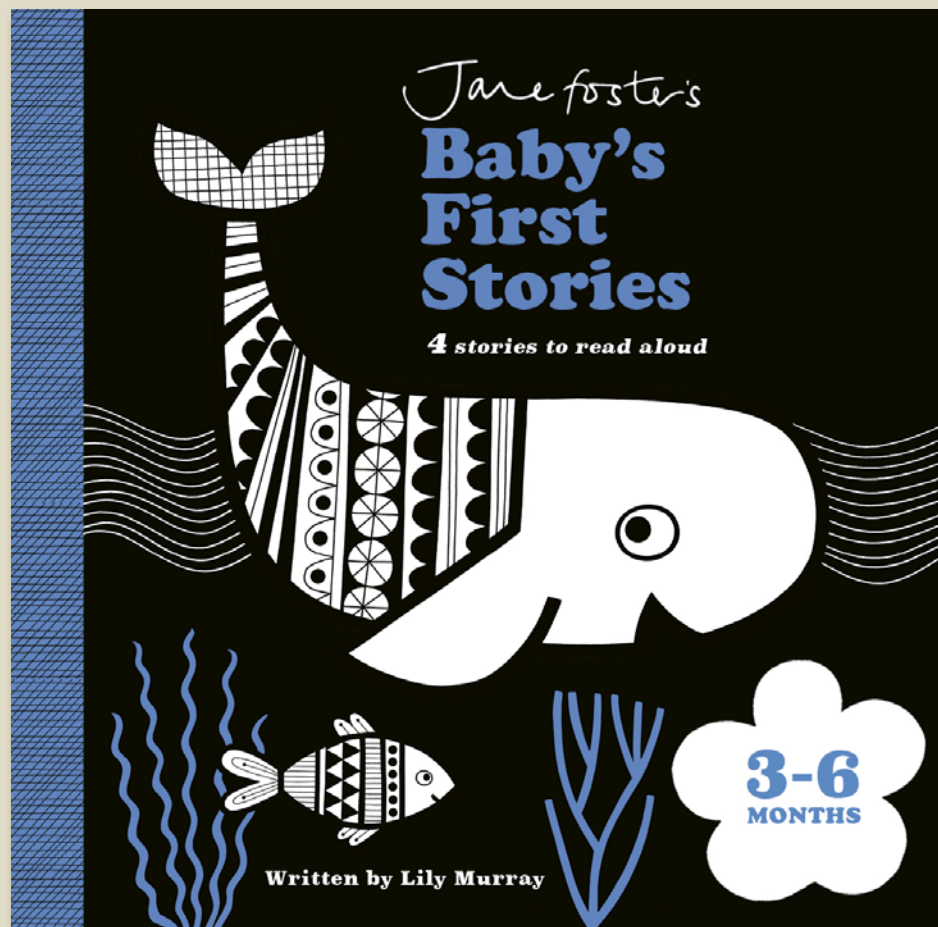
- Written in consultation with Early Years Expert, Lizzie Noble, each book perfectly suits your baby's needs at every stage of their first year
- Fills a gap in the market: parents are told to read to their baby every day, but black and white books usually have little text. Reading aloud soothes babies from birth, promotes baby-carer bonding, builds children's language skills, and increases the chances that parents will continue to read to babies as they grow older
- Perfect for parents who use the Wonder Weeks App, read Your Baby Week by Week, or use milestone cards to mark big moments
- 4 books in the series, all featuring the same animal characters: 0-3 months; 3-6 months; 6-9 months; 9-12 months

# Jane Foster's Baby's First Stories: 0-3 months



Pub Date	03/08/2023
Pub Price	£10.99
ISBN	9781800785137
H x W	200 x 200mm
Binding	Board Book
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Lily Murray
Illustrator	Jane Foster
Extent	32pp
Rights Available	World

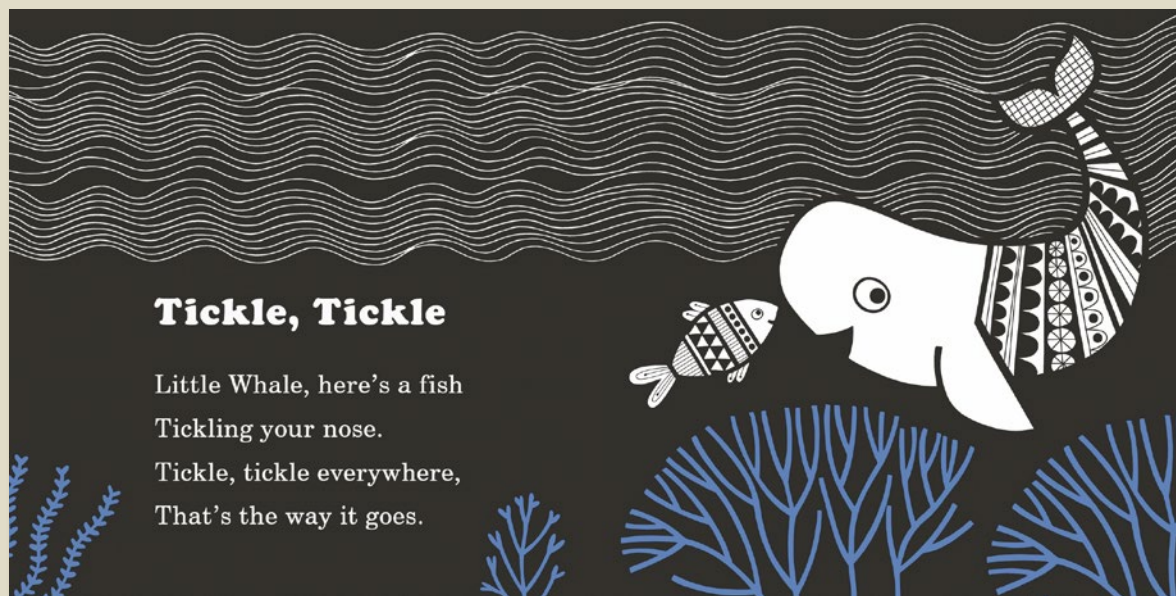
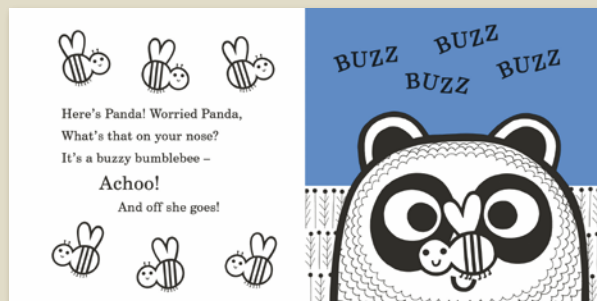
# Jane Foster's Baby's First Stories: 3-6 months



## A series that grows with your baby

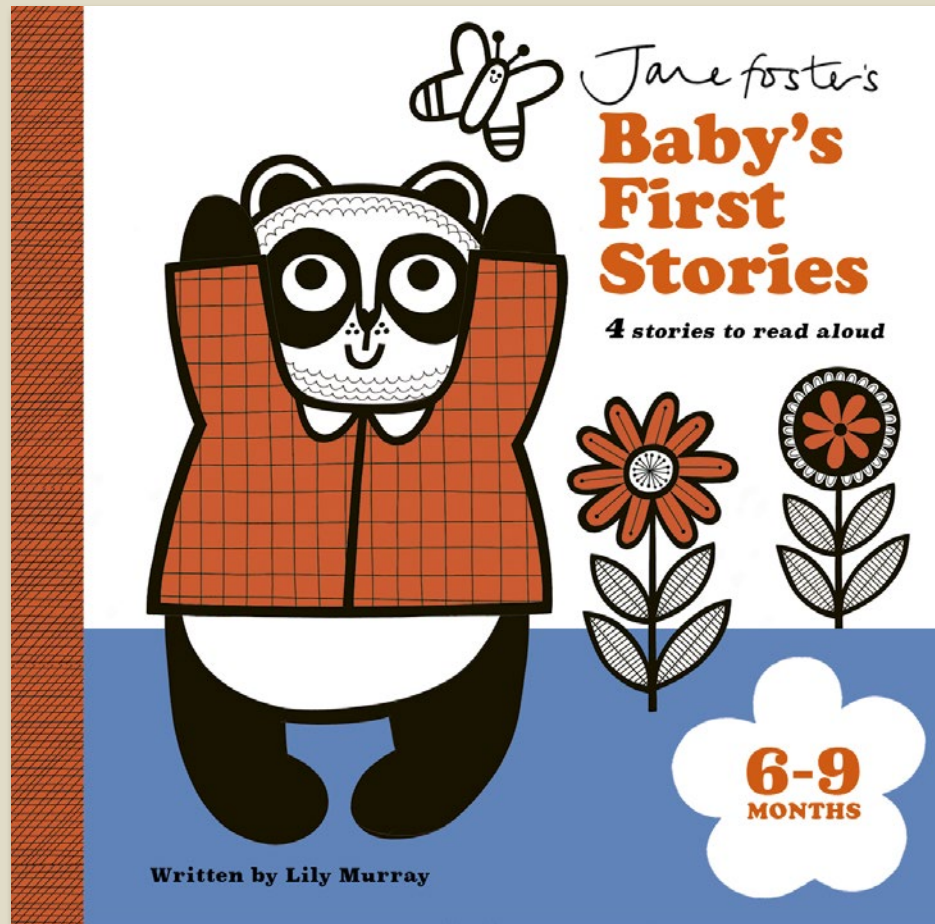
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# Jane Foster's Baby's First Stories: 3-6 months



Pub Date	03/08/2023
Pub Price	£10.99
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Binding	Board Book
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Lily Murray
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Extent	32pp
Rights Available	World

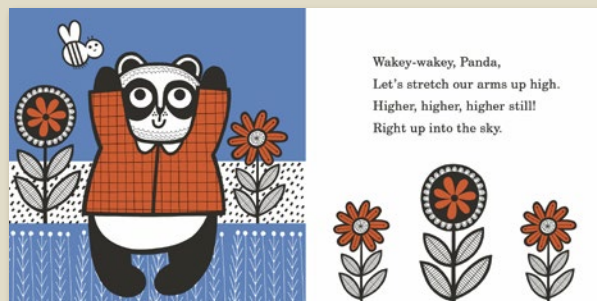
# Jane Foster's Baby's First Stories: 6–9 months



## A series that grows with your baby

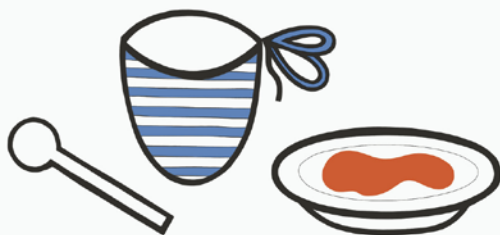
- Written in consultation with Early Years Expert, Lizzie Noble
- Fills a gap in the market: parents are told to read to their baby every day, but black and white books often have little text. Reading aloud soothes babies, promotes bonding, builds language skills, and increases the chance that parents will read to babies as they grow older. *6-9 months* has black, white, red and blue art, as from 6 months, babies can see most colours. The story relates to routines, to reflect little ones starting to wean, and settling into more regular patterns.
- Perfect for parents who use the Wonder Weeks App, read *Your Baby Week by Week*, or use milestone cards to mark big moments

# Jane Foster's Baby's First Stories: 6-9 months



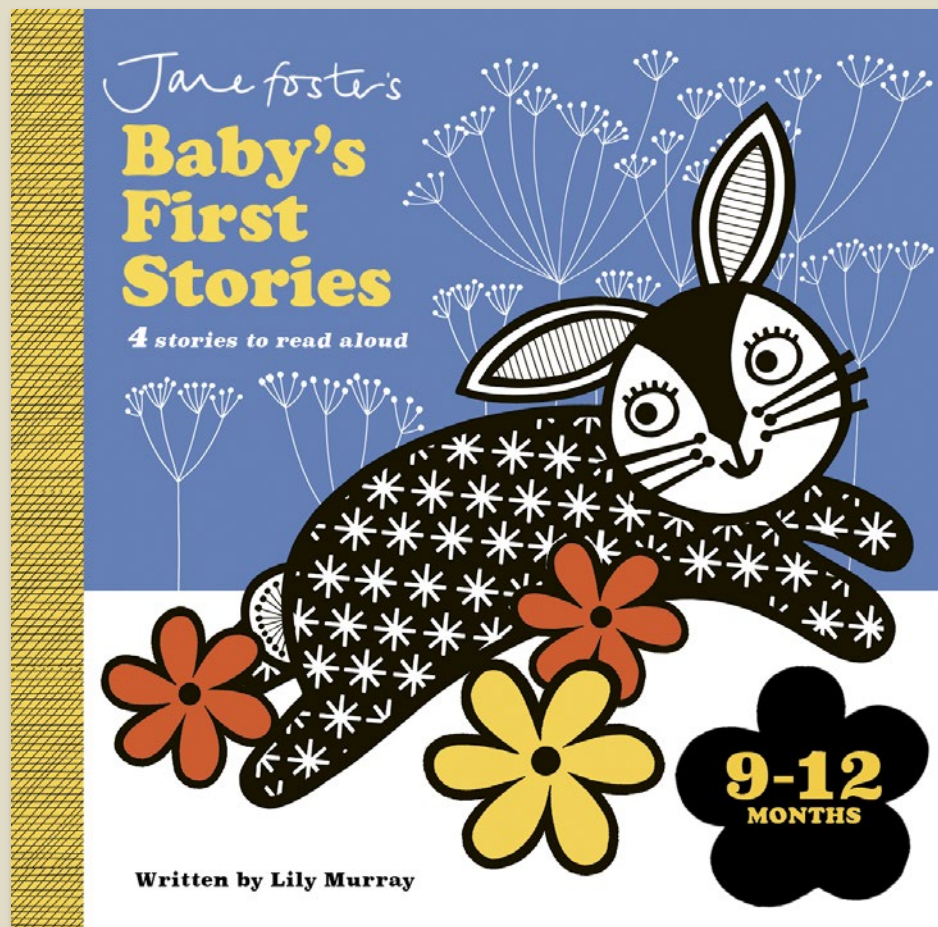
## Bunny's Lunch Time

It's lunch time, Little Bunny,  
Let's clean your paws and face.  
Here's your spoon and here's your bib  
And here's your bunny plate!



Pub Date	04/01/2024
Pub Price	£10.99
ISBN	9781800785151
H x W	200 x 200mm
Binding	Board Book
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Lily Murray
Illustrator	Jane Foster
Extent	32pp
Freight On Board	18/08/2023
Rights Available	World

## Jane Foster's Baby's First Stories: 9-12 months

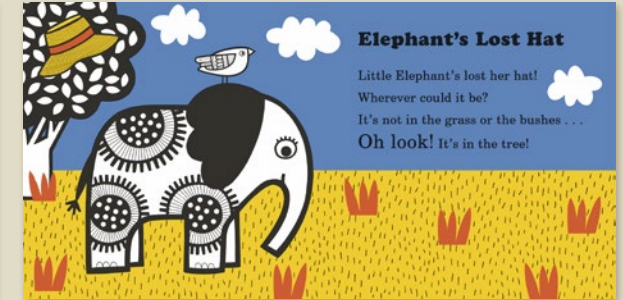
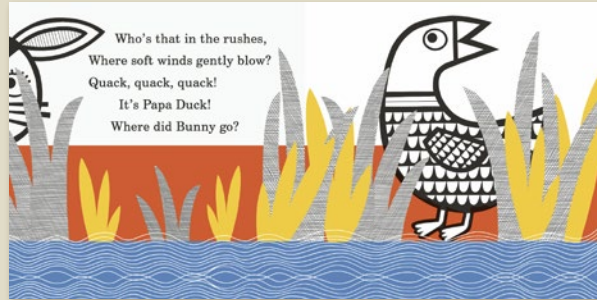


### A beautifully illustrated series that grows with your baby.

- Written in consultation with Early Years Expert, Lizzie Noble
- Fills a gap in the market: parents are told to read to their baby every day, but black and white books often have little text. Reading aloud soothes babies, promotes bonding, builds language skills, and increases the chance that parents will read to babies as they grow older. *9-12 months* has black, white, red, blue and yellow art, as babies' eyesight becomes more like our own. The stories introduce questions and spotting elements for older babies who can notice small details and respond to basic questions.
- Perfect for parents who use the Wonder Weeks App, read *Your Baby Week by Week*, or use milestone cards to mark big moments

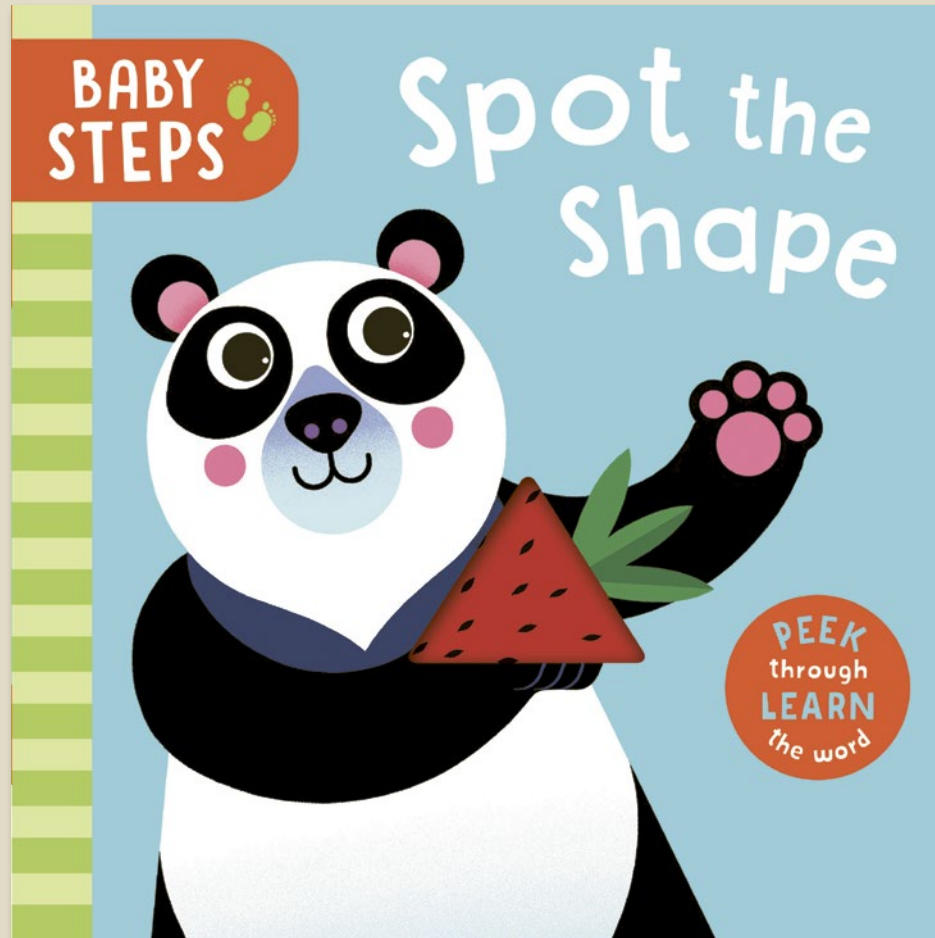


# Jane Foster's Baby's First Stories: 9–12 months



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Pub Price	£10.99
ISBN	9781800785168
H × W	200 × 200mm
Binding	Board Book
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Lily Murray
Illustrator	Jane Foster
Extent	32pp
Rights Available	World

# Baby Steps: Spot the Shape



## Peep through the shape, learn the word!

- Illustrated by London-born illustrator, Richard Merritt.
- Introduces first shapes, and builds early language skills.
- Peep-through windows stimulate little readers.
- Featuring S&BÂ®'s innovative anti-bacterial finish on all pages: 100% natural, plant based and sustainable, offering 99.99% germ control including covid-19, MRSA, E-coli, mold and yeast. This green formulation is safe for babies and contains no microplastics.

# Baby Steps: Spot the Shape



Pub Date	02/01/2025
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781800786431
H x W	180 x 180mm
Binding	Board Book
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Ruth Symons
Illustrator	Richard Merritt
Extent	10pp
Word Count	120 words
Rights Available	World

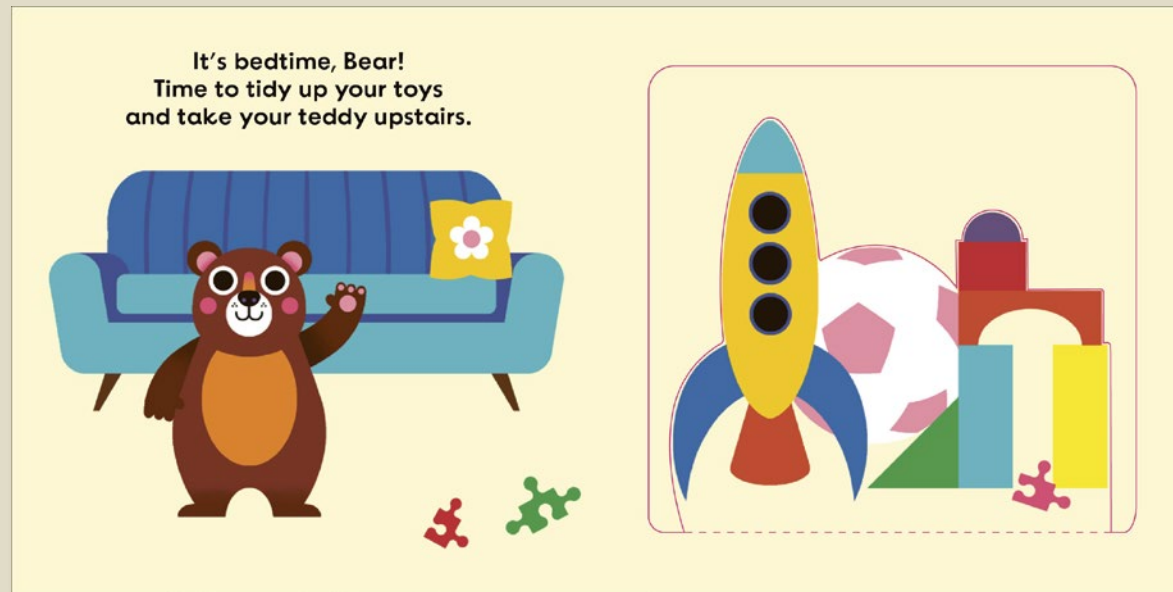
# Baby Steps: It's Bedtime, Bear



## Lift the flaps, find the toys!

- Illustrated by London-born illustrator, Richard Merritt.
- Big, easy-to-lift card flaps help children develop fine motor skills: with 5 big flaps to lift.
- A gentle story to build early language skills - perfect for children just starting to say their first words.
- Encourages little ones with their bedtime routine.
- Featuring S&BÂ®'s innovative anti-bacterial finish on all pages: 100% natural, plant based and sustainable, offering 99.99% germ control including covid 19, MRSA, E-coli, mold and yeast. This green formulation is safe for babies and contains no microplastics.

# Baby Steps: It's Bedtime, Bear



Pub Date	<b>02/01/2025</b>
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ISBN	<b>9781800786110</b>
H x W	<b>180 x 180mm</b>
Binding	<b>Board Book</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Author	<b>Ruth Symons</b>
Illustrator	<b>Richard Merritt</b>
Extent	<b>10pp</b>
Word Count	<b>105 words</b>
Files To Printer	<b>15/07/2024</b>
Freight On Board	<b>17/10/2024</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

# Baby Steps: Faces and Feelings



**Trace the shape,  
name the feeling -  
features a real mirror!**

- Illustrated by London-born illustrator, Richard Merritt.
- With trace-the-trail elements on every page AND a mirror!
- A simple rhyming text is fun to read aloud and easy for little ones to join in with.
- This book will help little ones learn to recognise and name a range of emotions.
- Featuring S&BÂ®'s innovative anti-bacterial finish on all pages: 100% natural, plant based and sustainable, offering 99.99% germ control including covid-19, MRSA, E-coli, mold and yeast. This green formulation is safe for babies and contains no microplastics.

# Baby Steps: Faces and Feelings



Pub Date	02/01/2025
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781800786424
H x W	180 x 180mm
Binding	Board Book
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Ruth Symons
Illustrator	Richard Merritt
Extent	10pp
Word Count	115 words
Files To Printer	15/07/2024
Freight On Board	17/10/2024
Rights Available	World

# Baby Steps: Move Like Me

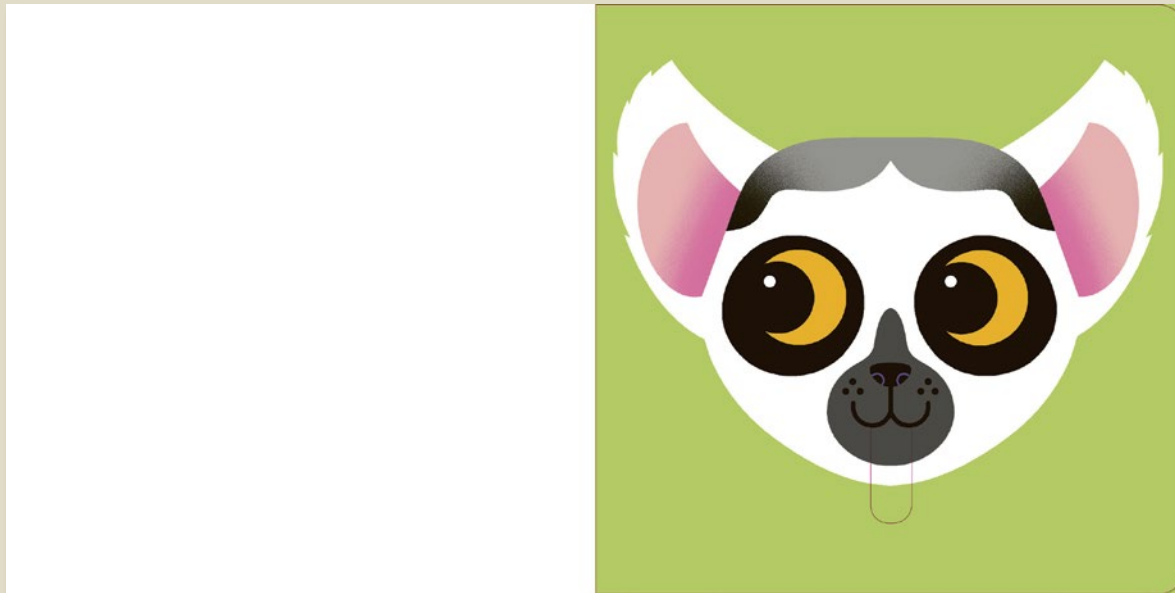
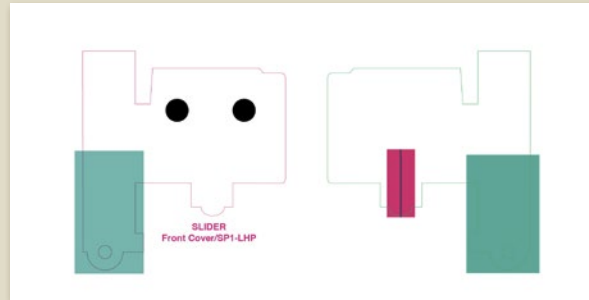


## Slide the tab, copy the action!

- Illustrated by London-born illustrator, Richard Merritt.
- A simple rhyming text is fun to read aloud and easy for little ones to join in with.
- With 9 sliders to pull and push to make the animals on every page move about.
- This book will help little ones learn to name body parts and follow simple instructions.
- Moving the sliders helps children develop fine motor skills; copying the actions builds gross motor skills.
- Featuring S&BÂ®'s innovative anti-bacterial finish on all pages: 100% natural, plant based and sustainable, offering 99.99% germ control including covid 19, MRSA, E-coli, mold and yeast. This green formulation is safe for babies and contains no microplastics.

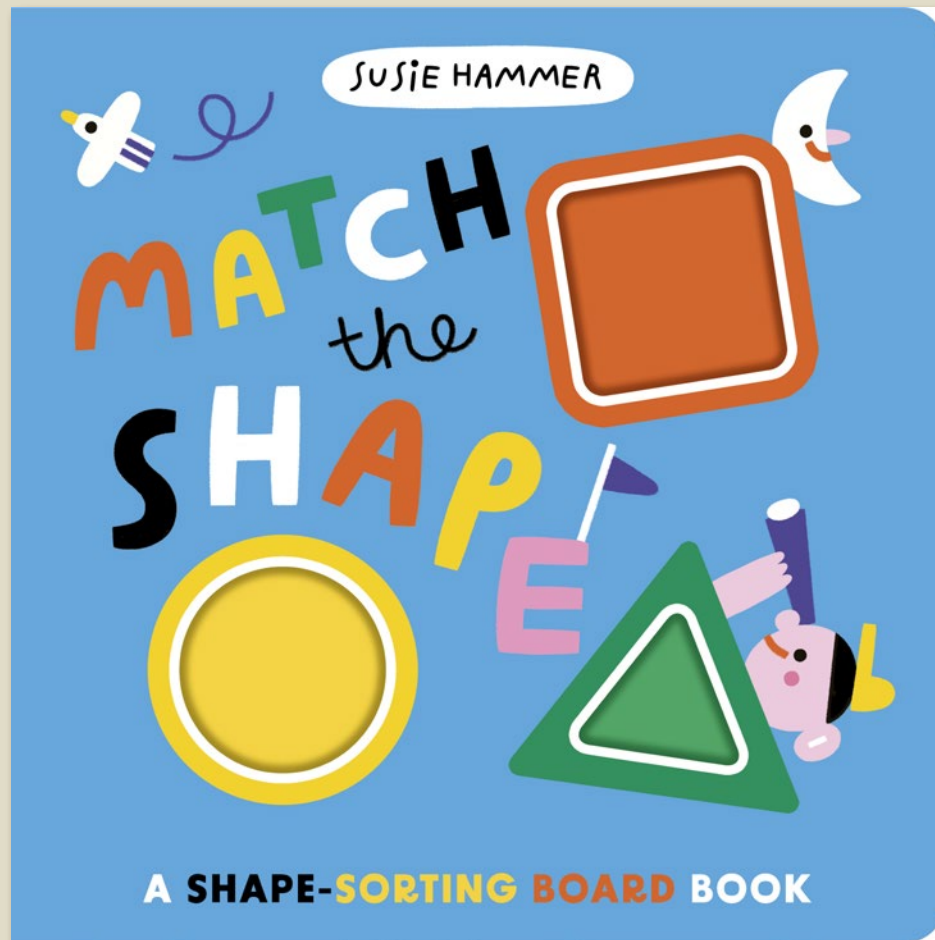


# Baby Steps: Move Like Me



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Binding	<b>Board Book</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Author	<b>Ruth Symons</b>
Illustrator	<b>Richard Merritt</b>
Extent	<b>8pp</b>
Word Count	<b>85 words</b>
Files To Printer	<b>15/07/2024</b>
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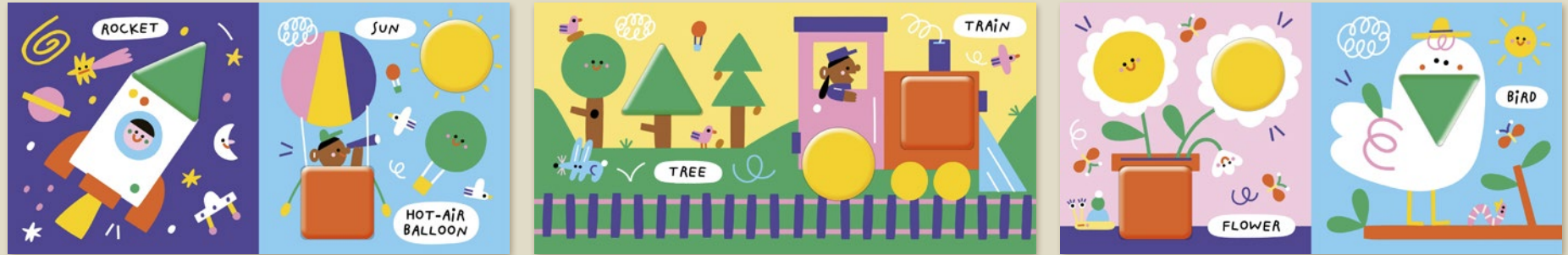
# Match the Shape



## A first words book that's also a shape-sorter!

- An innovative board book design that lets toddlers place three chunky shapes into matching slots. Three shapes attach to the book via ribbon: circle, square, triangle.
- A die-cut in the cover showcases the novelty and keeps the pieces securely in place when the book is shelved.
- Matching the shapes aids children in their fine motor skills, hand-eye coordination and problem-solving skills.
- Introduces familiar first words on every spread.
- Illustrated in vivid colour and effortless style by Polish artist Susie Hammer.
- Also in the series: Match the Colour (2025).

# Match the Shape



Pub Date	<b>02/01/2025</b>
Pub Price	<b>£7.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800788589</b>
H x W	<b>180 x 180mm</b>
Binding	<b>Board Book</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Illustrator	<b>Susie Hammer</b>
Extent	<b>8pp</b>
Word Count	<b>12 words</b>
Files To Printer	<b>15/07/2024</b>
Freight On Board	<b>31/10/2024</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

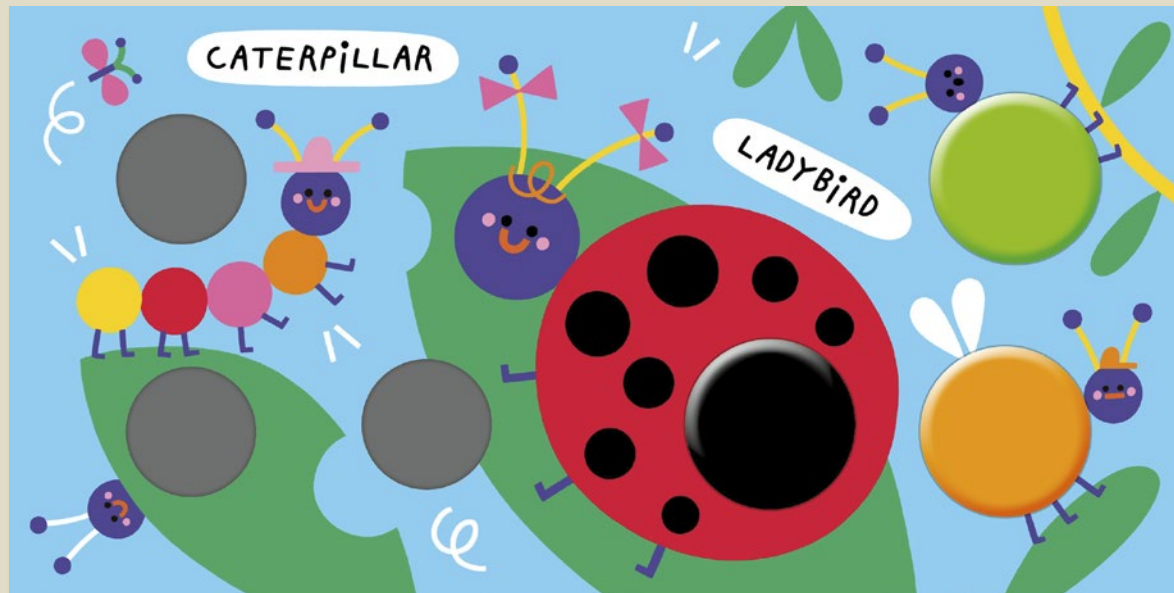
# Match the Colour



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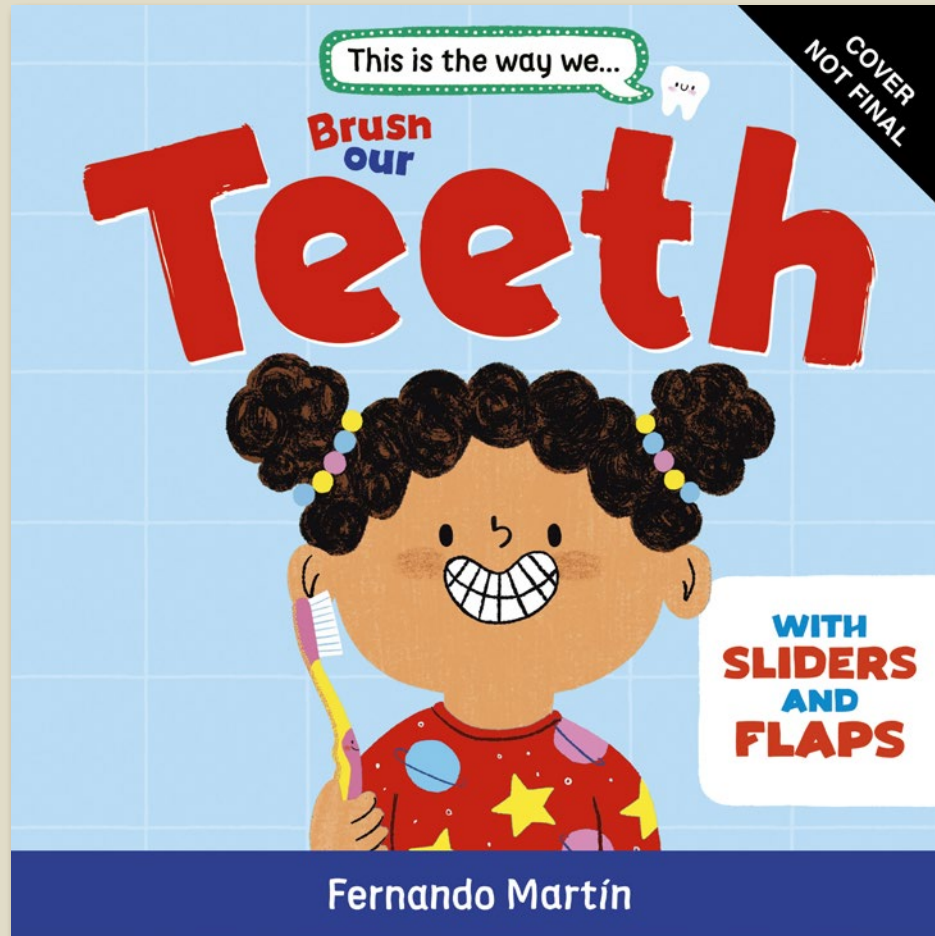
- An innovative board book design that lets toddlers place three chunky shapes into matching slots. Three shapes attach to the book via ribbon and feature 6 bright colours.
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# Match the Colour



Pub Date	02/01/2025
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800788572
H x W	180 x 180mm
Binding	Board Book
Age Range	0-5 years
Illustrator	Susie Hammer
Extent	8pp
Word Count	10 words
Files To Printer	15/07/2024
Freight On Board	31/10/2024
Rights Available	World

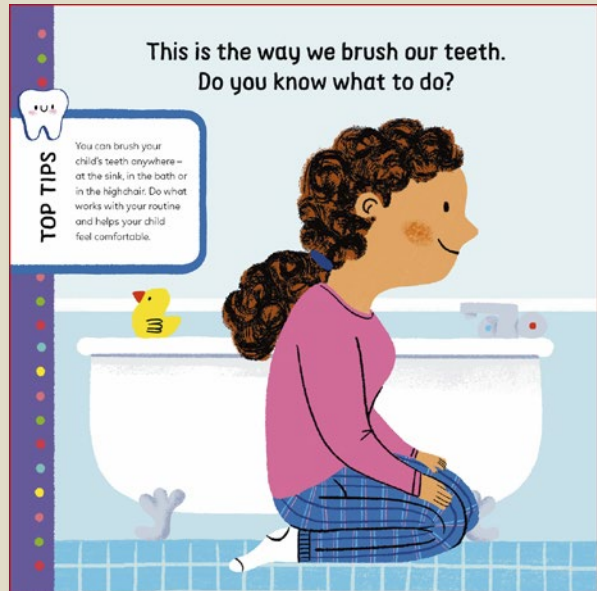
# This is the way we... brush our teeth



## A lift-the-flap, slide-the-tab first experiences book

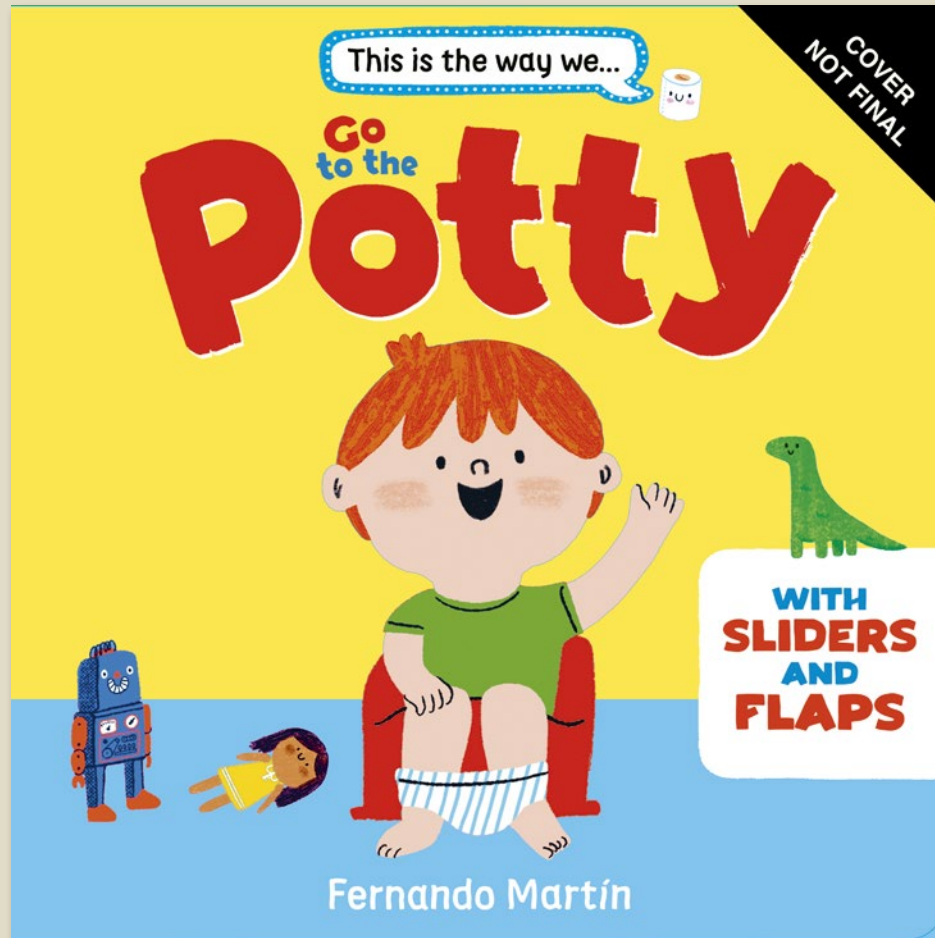
- With flaps, tabs, sliders and wheels throughout the book for an interactive reading experience.
- A gentle rhyming story to read together: a rhyming text makes it easy for little ones to remember and join in with some of the text.
- With practical tips for tooth-brushing from Early Years expert Lizzie Noble.

# This is the way we... brush our teeth



Pub Date	01/05/2025
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781800788596
H x W	180 x 180mm
Binding	Board Book
Age Range	0-5 years
Illustrator	Fernando Martin
Extent	10pp
Word Count	450 words
Translation Files	20/05/2024
Files To Printer	15/07/2024
Freight On Board	31/10/2024
Rights Available	World

# This is the way we... go to the potty



## A lift-the-flap, slide-the-tab first experiences book

- With flaps, tabs, sliders and wheels throughout the book for an interactive reading experience.
- A gentle rhyming story to read together: a rhyming text makes it easy for little ones to remember and join in with some of the text.
- With practical tips for potty-training from Early Years expert Lizzie Noble



# This is the way we... go to the potty



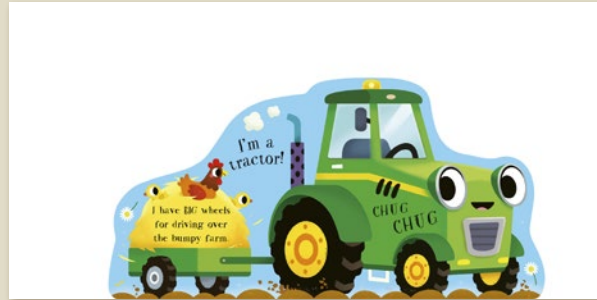
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Extent	<b>10pp</b>
Word Count	<b>450 words</b>
Translation Files	<b>20/05/2024</b>
Files To Printer	<b>15/07/2024</b>
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## A dinky shaped board book packed with things that go.

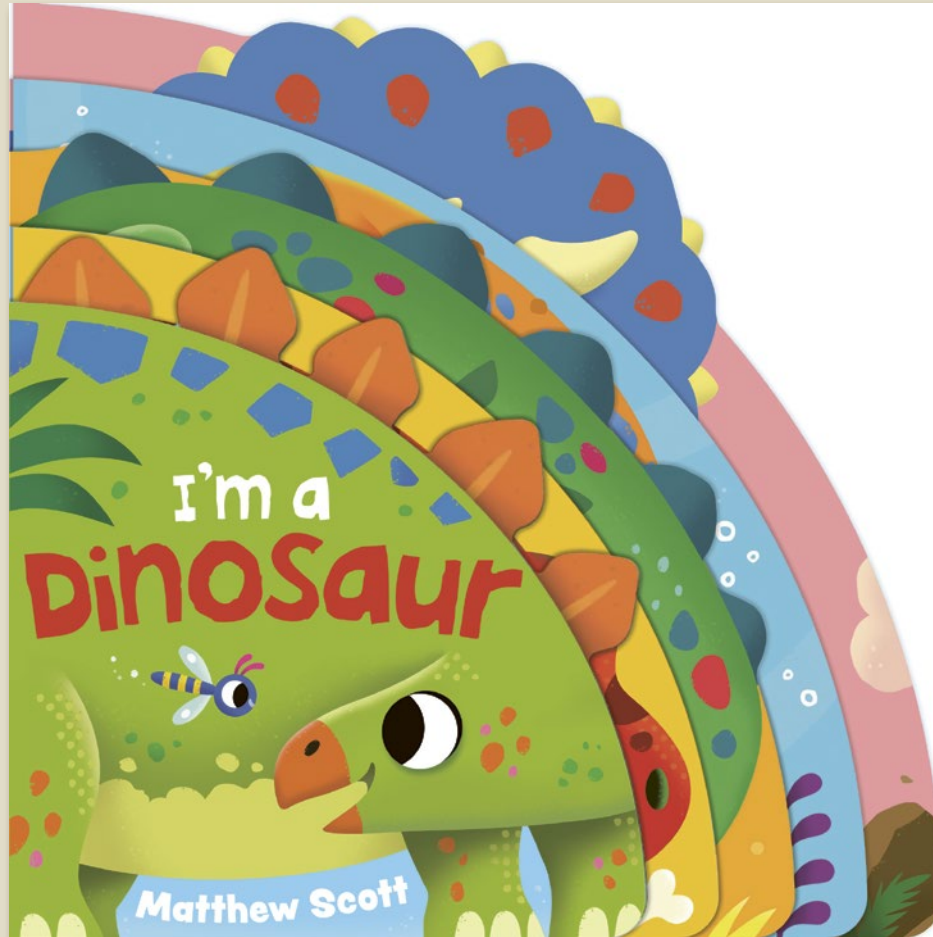
- 7 uniquely shaped spreads full of playful shapes to trace give this book a fun, toy-like quality.
- Bursting with brightly coloured, friendly vehicle characters illustrated by Matthew Scott.
- Each spread features a first vehicle fact - perfect for toddlers who are interested in cars, trucks, trains and boats, but still too young for longer non-fiction.
- Full of sounds to join in with... BEEP BEEP!
- A sturdy board book that can be given to the youngest of babies.
- Also in the series: I'M A DINOSAUR
- CONTENTS: Car, tractor, ice cream van, fire engine, train, boat, helicopter.

# I'm a Car



Pub Date	06/03/2025
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781800788190
H x W	180 x 180mm
Binding	Board Book
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Ruth Symons
Illustrator	Matthew Scott
Extent	14pp
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Translation Files	10/06/2024
Files To Printer	02/09/2024
Freight On Board	22/12/2024
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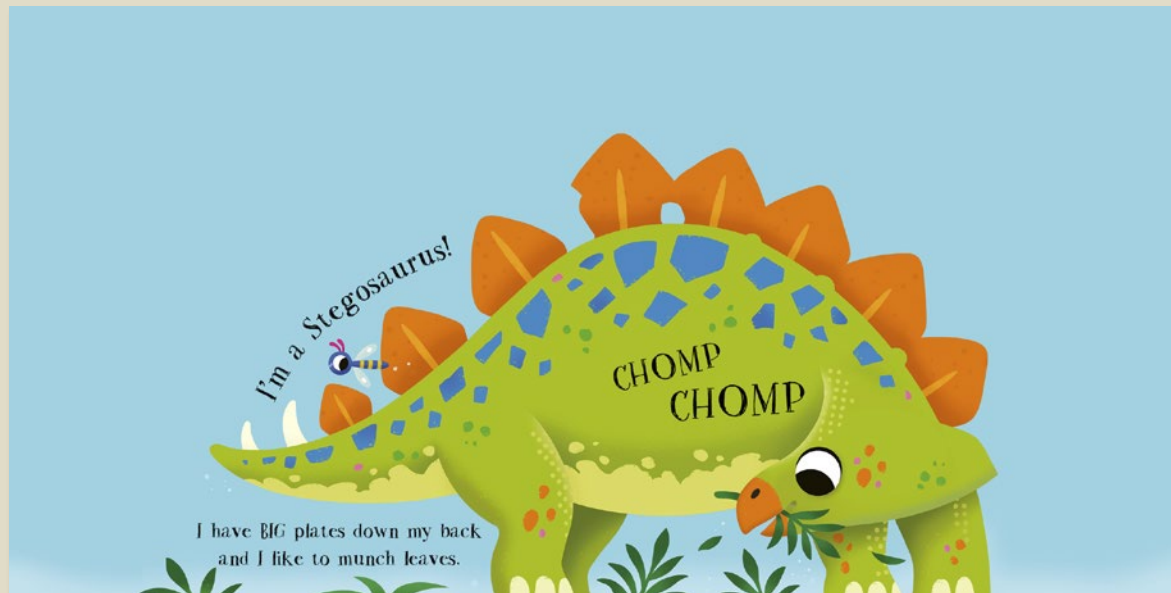
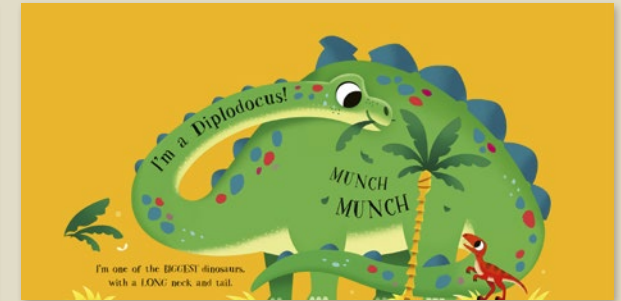
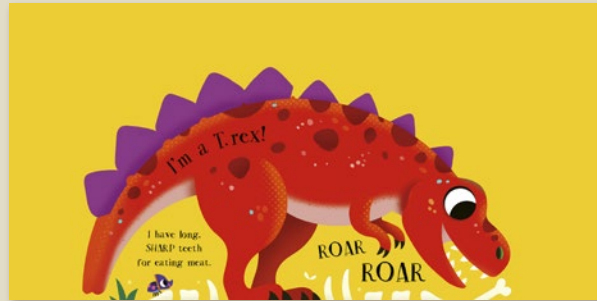
# I'm a Dinosaur



## A dinky shaped board book packed with dinosaurs.

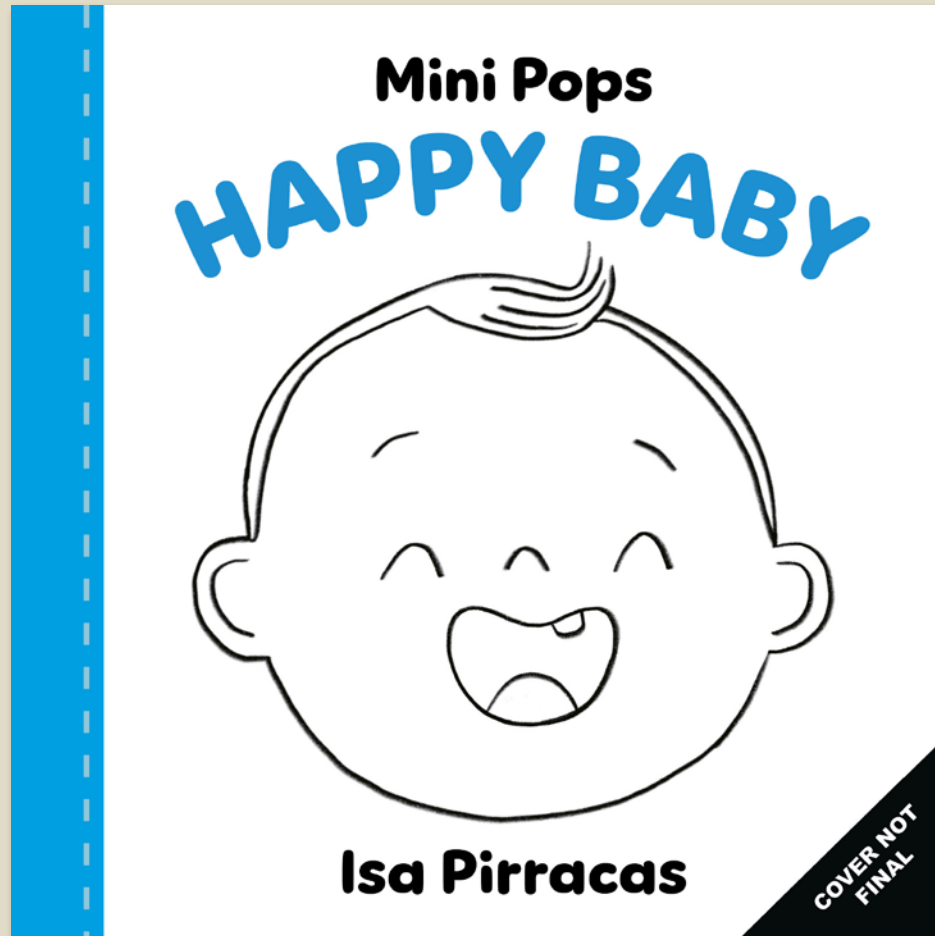
- 7 uniquely shaped spreads full of playful shapes to trace give this book a fun, toy-like quality.
- Bursting with brightly coloured, friendly characters illustrated by Matthew Scott
- Each spread features a first dinosaur fact - perfect for toddlers who are interested in dinosaurs, but still too young for longer non-fiction
- Full of sounds to join in with... ROAR!
- A sturdy board book that can be given to the youngest of babies
- Also in the series: I'M A CAR
- CONTENTS: T.rex, Parasaurolophus, Diplodocus, Pterodactyl, Triceratops, Plesiosaurus, Stegosaurus

# I'm a Dinosaur



Pub Date	<b>06/03/2025</b>
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Extent	<b>14pp</b>
Word Count	<b>120 words</b>
Translation Files	<b>10/06/2024</b>
Files To Printer	<b>02/09/2024</b>
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# Mini Pops: Happy Baby



An adorable new series of mini-pop ups, perfect for the very youngest readers.

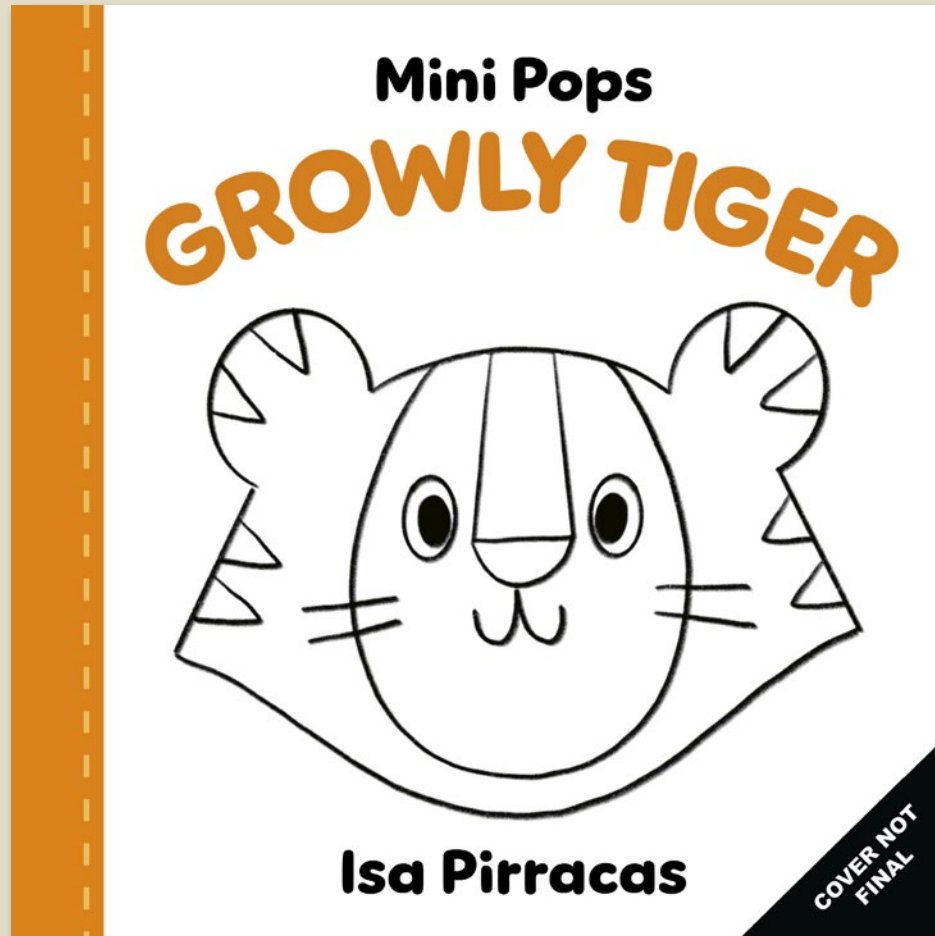
- Chunky board book format with 6 durable pop-ups
- Full of faces to engage even the youngest of readers
- Illustrated with nostalgic warmth by Isa Pirracas
- With a gentle rhyming text for reading aloud together

# Mini Pops: Happy Baby



Pub Date	<b>03/07/2025</b>
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H x W	<b>180 x 180mm</b>
Binding	<b>Board Book</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Author	<b>Ruth Symons</b>
Extent	<b>12pp</b>
Word Count	<b>45 words</b>
Translation Files	<b>20/05/2024</b>
Files To Printer	<b>15/07/2024</b>
Freight On Board	<b>17/04/2025</b>
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# Mini Pops: Growly Tiger



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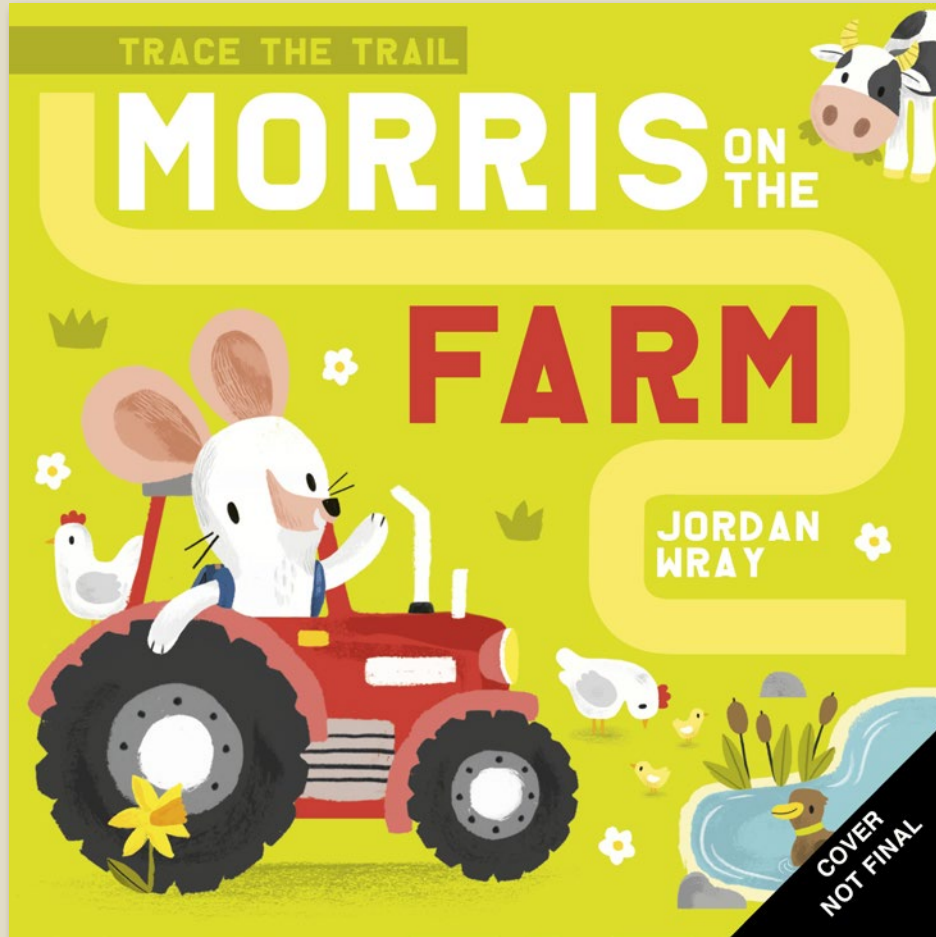


# Mini Pops: Growly Tiger



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Author	Ruth Symons
Extent	12pp
Word Count	45 words
Translation Files	20/05/2024
Files To Printer	15/07/2024
Freight On Board	17/04/2025
Rights Available	World

# Trace the Trail: Morris on the Farm



## Adorable trace-the-trail learning with Morris Mouse!

- A sturdy, cased board book with 5 trace-the-trail spreads and a trail on the cover.
- Full of details to spot, with 3 'can you find' objects on every page, and questions covering the first-learning concepts of colours, animal sounds and counting up to 5.
- Written and illustrated by Canada-based author and artist Jordan Wray.
- Introducing a loveable new animal character in this first in the series. Also available: *Morris in Dinoland*.

# Trace the Trail: Morris on the Farm



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H x W	<b>180 x 180mm</b>
Binding	<b>Board Book</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Illustrator	<b>Jordan Wray</b>
Extent	<b>10pp</b>
Word Count	<b>175 words</b>
Translation Files	<b>20/05/2024</b>
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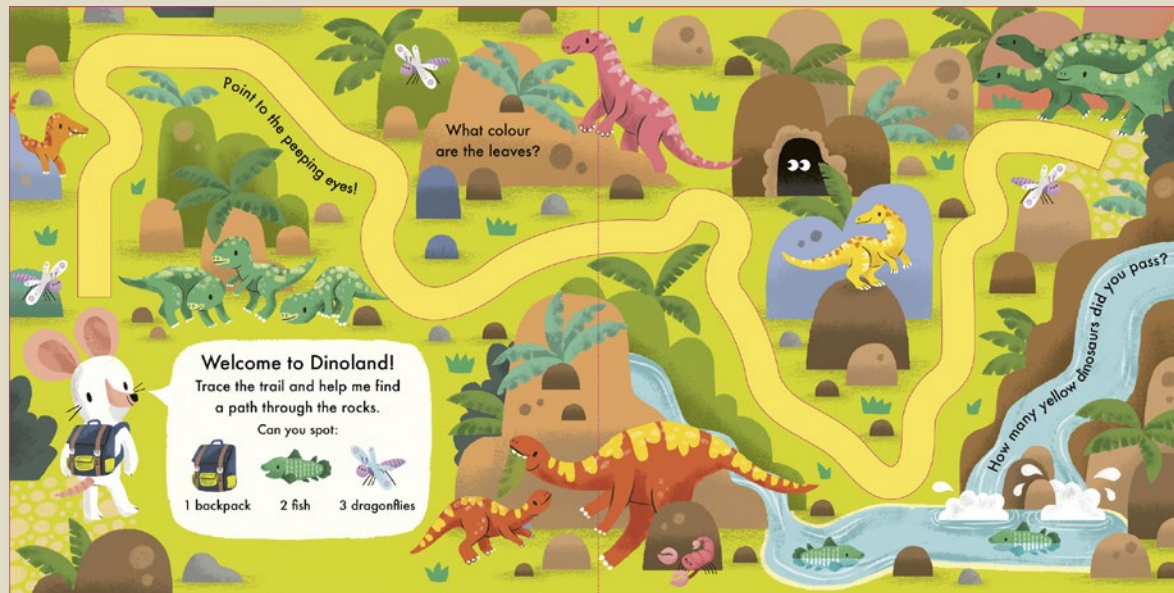
# Trace the Trail: Morris In Dinoland



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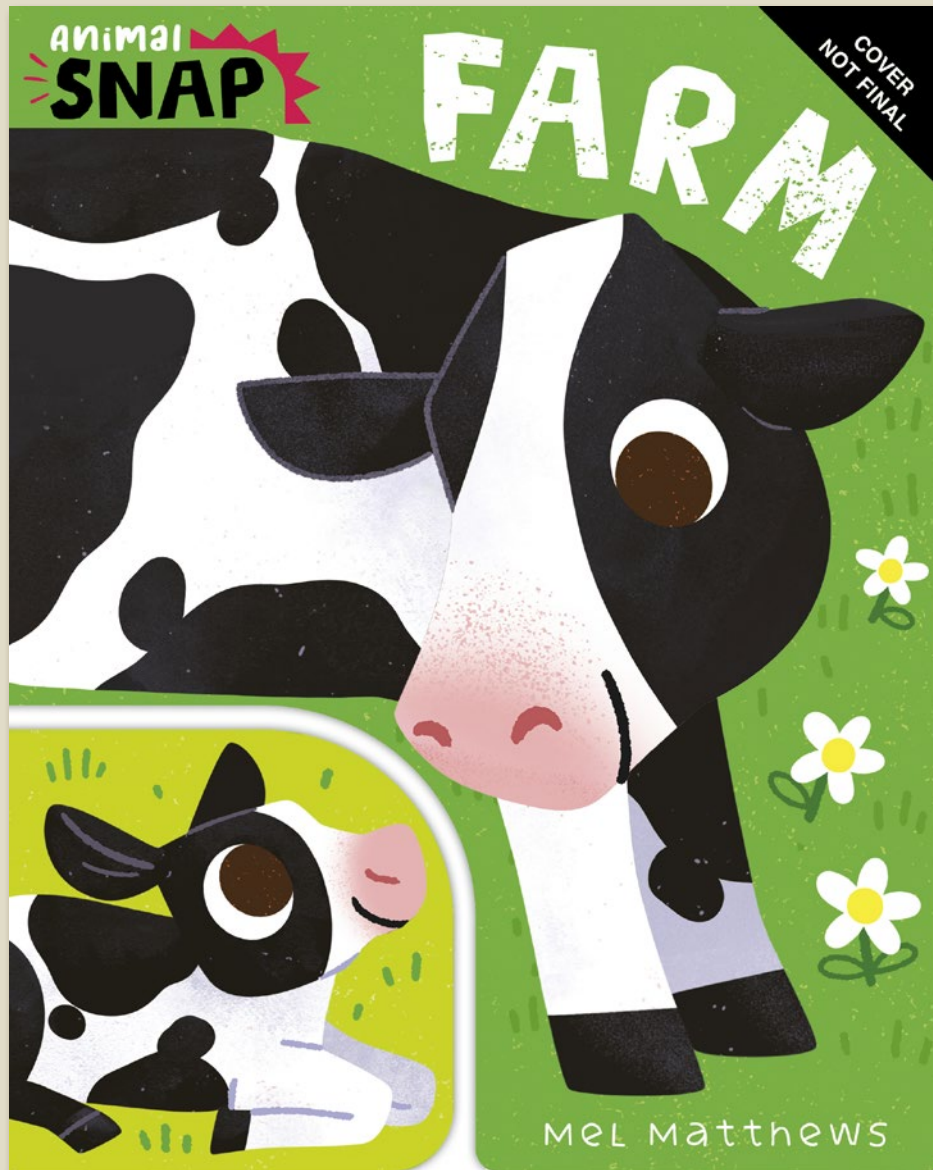
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# Trace the Trail: Morris In Dinoland



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Illustrator	<b>Jordan Wray</b>
Extent	<b>10pp</b>
Word Count	<b>75 words</b>
Translation Files	<b>20/05/2024</b>
Files To Printer	<b>15/07/2024</b>
Freight On Board	<b>31/10/2024</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

# Animal Snap



## A flip-flap farm book

- A chunky flip-flap board book with big and little pages - match the babies to their parents for an animal SNAP!
- With playful and adorable animal characters beautifully illustrated by Mel Matthews.
- Each animal gives a simple description of its baby. Older toddlers will love to shout out the name when they know the answer.
- A sturdy board book with rounded edges, perfect for babies and toddlers.
- Also in the series: *Animal Snap Jungle*.
- Hoping to sign up Mel for 2 more titles in 2026: potentially *Safari* and *Ocean*

# Animal Snap



Pub Date	06/03/2025
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781800788268
H x W	200 x 160mm
Binding	Board Book
Age Range	0-5 years
Illustrator	Mel Matthews
Extent	14pp
Word Count	110 words
Translation Files	10/06/2024
Files To Printer	02/09/2024
Freight On Board	22/12/2024
Rights Available	World

# Animal Snap

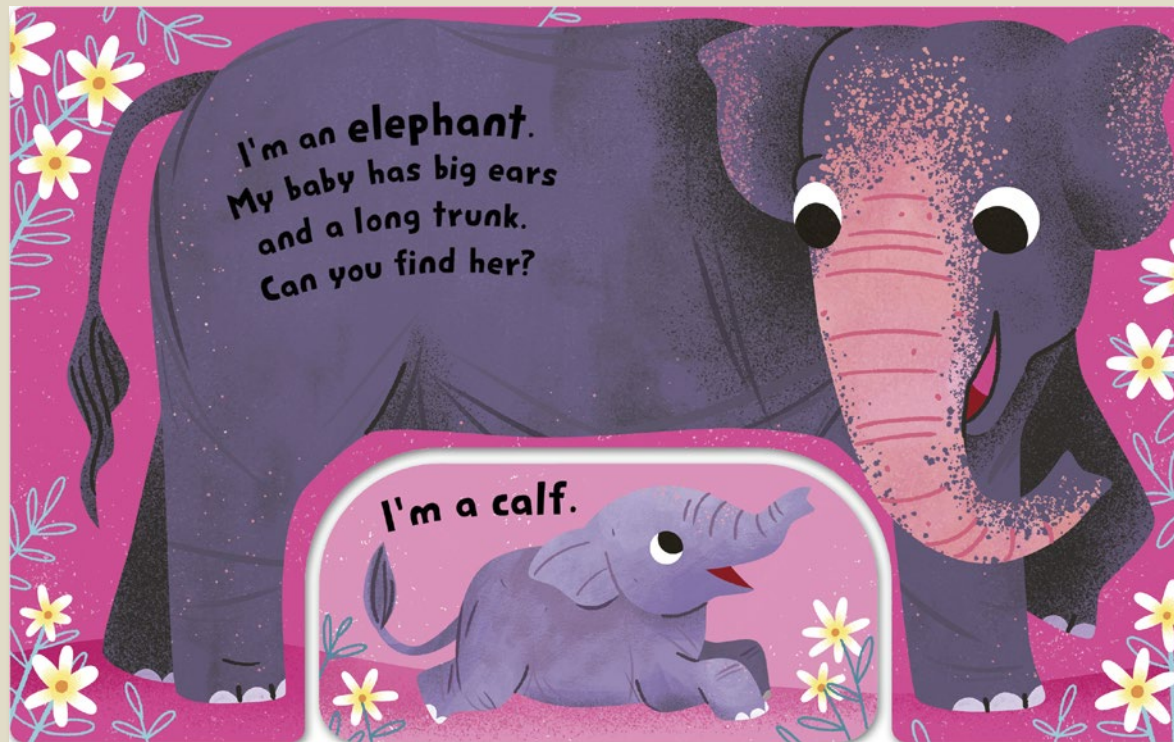
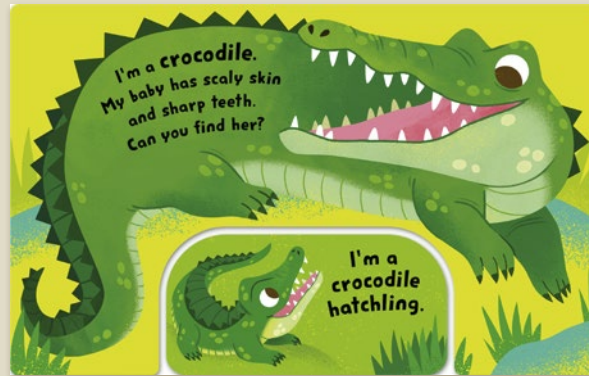


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Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781800788275
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Binding	Board Book
Age Range	0-5 years
Illustrator	Mel Matthews
Extent	14pp
Word Count	110 words
Translation Files	10/06/2024
Files To Printer	02/09/2024
Freight On Board	22/12/2024
Rights Available	World

# Imagine if... Bugs!



## Zany slider books from Aya Watanabe!

- A playful and engaging novelty title all the family will love. Push, pull, slide and spin the wheels on every page: with 5 spreads and a mechanism on the cover!
- Vibrant artworks from rising talent, Japanese illustrator Aya Watanabe
- Also in the series: Veggies!, Fruits! and Flowers!
- Search and find element: find the ant on every page!
- "The world of true imagination found in this book, brings joy and creativity for a never-ending gateway to learning" - Lizzie Noble, Early Years expert

# Imagine if... Bugs!



Pub Date	09/05/2024
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781800786714
H x W	180 x 180mm
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Author	Aya Watanabe
Illustrator	Aya Watanabe
Extent	10pp
Word Count	100 words
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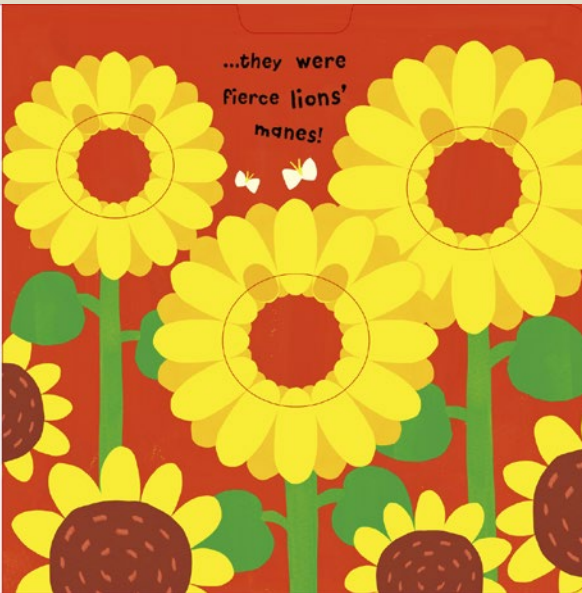
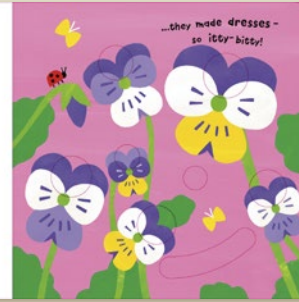
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Pub Date	09/05/2024
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H x W	180 x 180mm
Binding	Board Book
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Aya Watanabe
Illustrator	Aya Watanabe
Extent	10pp
Word Count	100 words
Rights Available	World

# Imagine if... Fruits!



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- A playful rhyming text is perfect to read aloud with little ones - introducing first concepts such as colours and shapes
- Vibrant artworks from rising talent, Japanese illustrator Aya Watanabe
- Also in the series: Veggies!
- Search and find element: find the ant on every page!
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# Imagine if... Fruits!



Pub Date	22/06/2023
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781800784666
H x W	180 x 180mm
Binding	Board Book
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Rights Available	World

# Imagine if... Veggies!

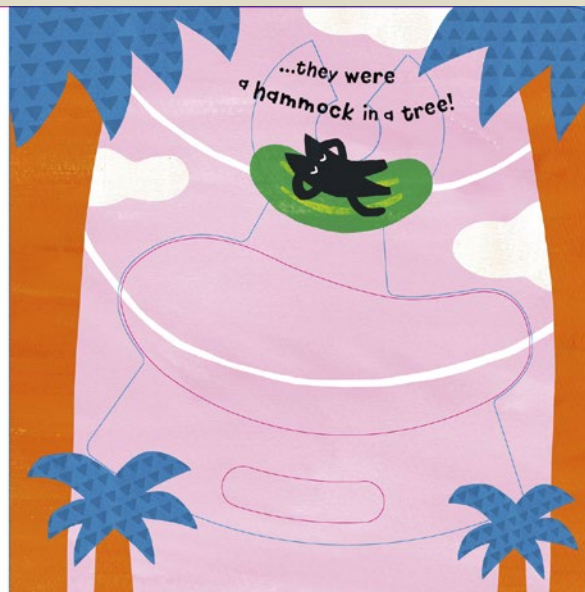


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# Imagine if... Veggies!



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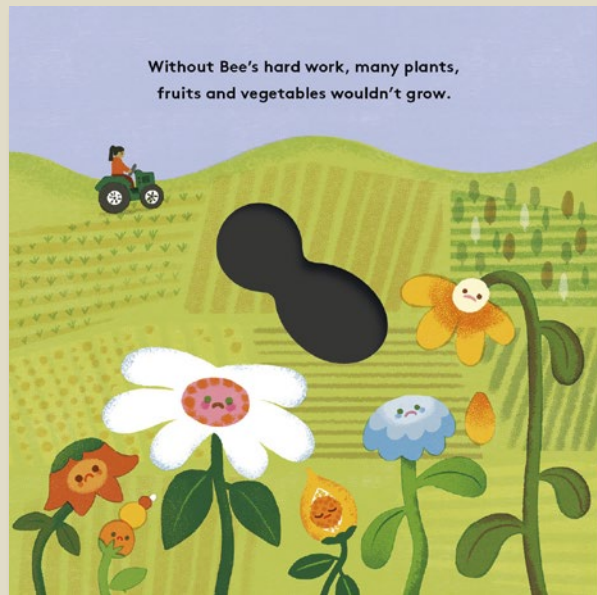
# Little Life Cycles: Bee



**Join Bee on the busy journey to collect nectar and pollen throughout the spring and summer.**

- *Drip* won a Right Start Award in 2022.
- The *Little Life Cycles* series has sold over 154,000 copies worldwide.
- A stunning introductory STEM board book series on life cycles for the very young.
- Addresses a poignant and timely topic, reinforcing the need for us to protect bees and the importance of the pollination process.
- With tactile, die-cut pages, the reader can easily connect with the buzzy bee as they follow it on its journey.
- Book five in the successful and well-established series.
- Cover treatment: gloss UV varnish.

# Little Life Cycles: Bee



Pub Date	<b>01/02/2024</b>
Pub Price	<b>£6.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800785960</b>
H x W	<b>180 x 180mm</b>
Binding	<b>Board Book</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Author	<b>Maggie Li</b>
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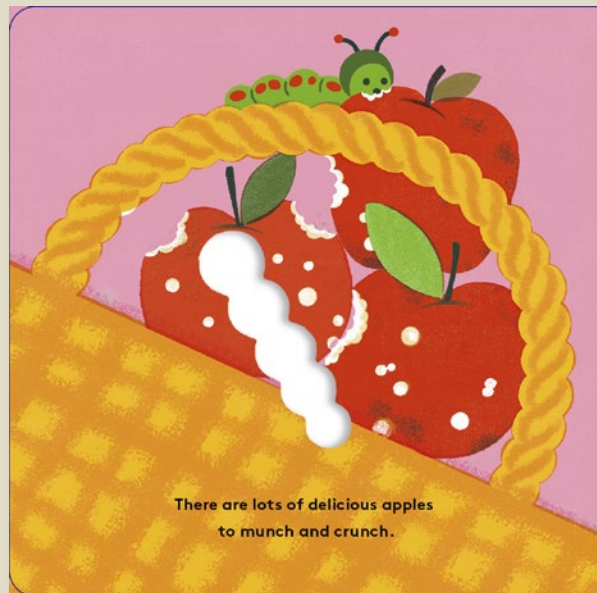
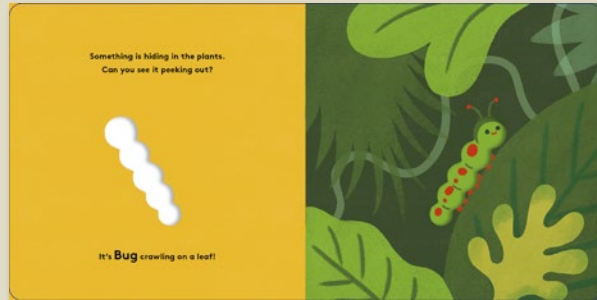
# Little Life Cycles: Bug



**Join Bug on the journey from caterpillar to beautiful butterfly.**

- The *Little Life Cycles* series has sold over 58,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022)
- A stunning introductory STEM board book series on life cycles for the very young.
- With tactile, die-cut pages, the reader can easily follow and connect to Bug's journey to becoming a beautiful butterfly.
- The next book in the successful series, after *Pip* and *Drip*.
- Cover treatment: gloss UV varnish.

# Little Life Cycles: Bug



Pub Date	16/02/2023
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781800780903
H x W	180 x 180mm
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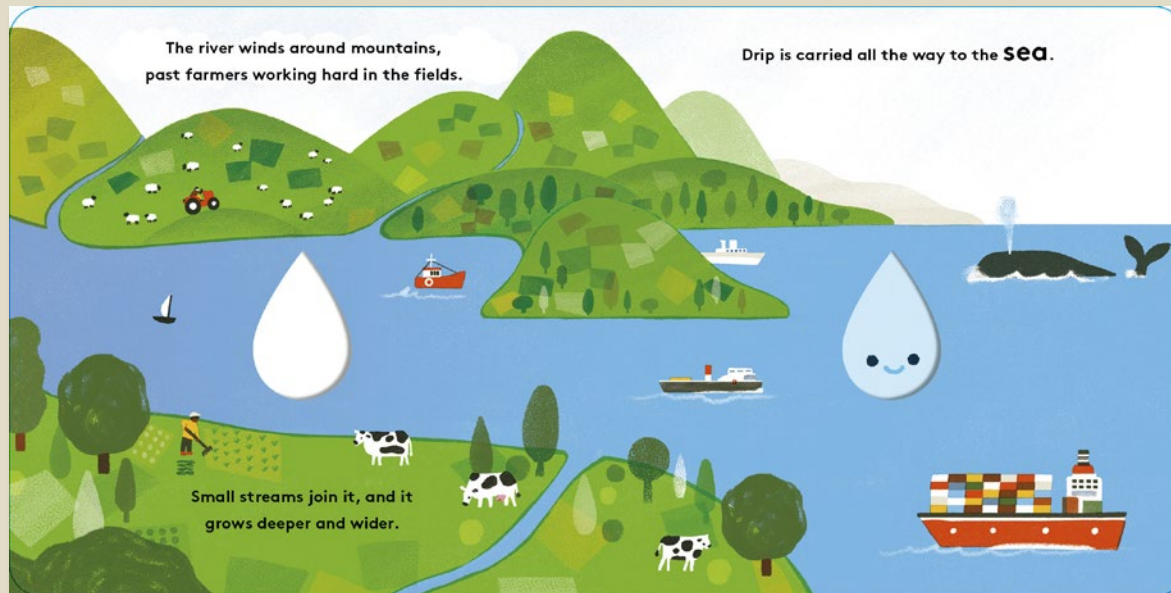
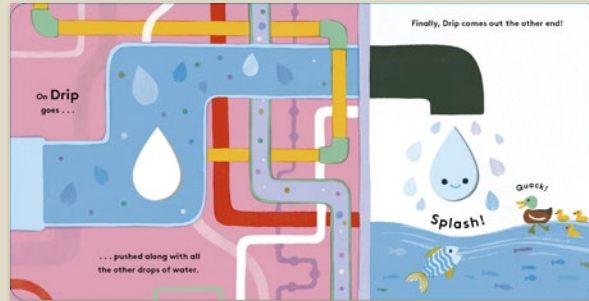
# Little Life Cycles: Drip



**Drip is a little drop of water. Learn how he will travel through the water cycle.**

- The *Little Life Cycles* series has sold over 58,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022)
- Part of a gorgeous board book series by Maggie Li, which explores different cycles in nature.
- A die cut hole provides a simple novelty element that perfectly ties into the theme of the book
- Cover treatment: matt varnish

# Little Life Cycles: Drip



Pub Date	17/02/2022
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787418479
H x W	180 x 180mm
Binding	Board Book
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Maggie Li
Illustrator	Maggie Li
Extent	26pp
Word Count	200 words
Rights Available	World

# Little Life Cycles: Frog



**Join Frog on the journey from tiny egg to fully grown frog.**

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- A stunning introductory STEM board book series on life cycles for the very young.
- With tactile, die-cut pages, the reader can easily follow and connect to Frog's journey of becoming a fully grown frog.
- The next book in the successful series, after *Pip and Drip*.
- Cover treatment: gloss UV varnish.

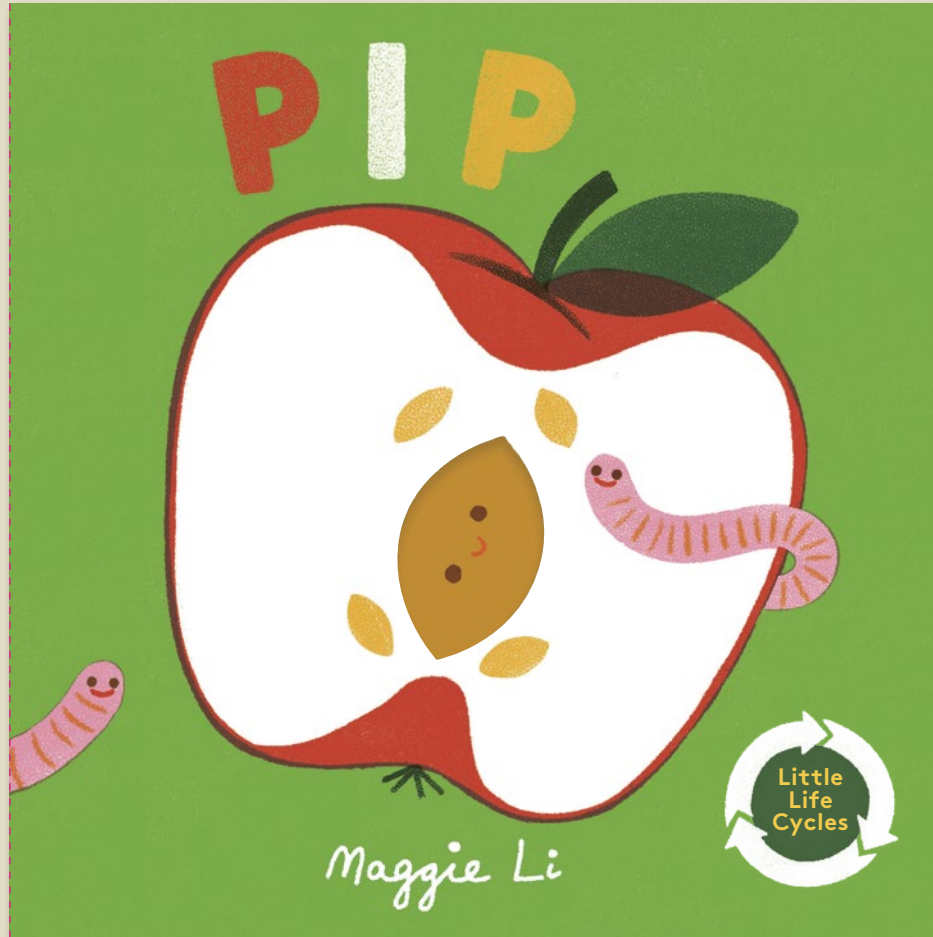


# Little Life Cycles: Frog



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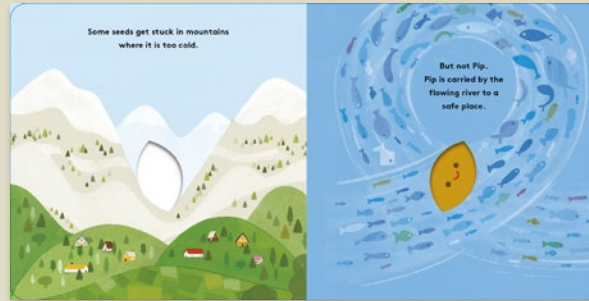
# Little Life Cycles: Pip



**Pip is a tiny seed. Learn how he will turn into a mighty tree.**

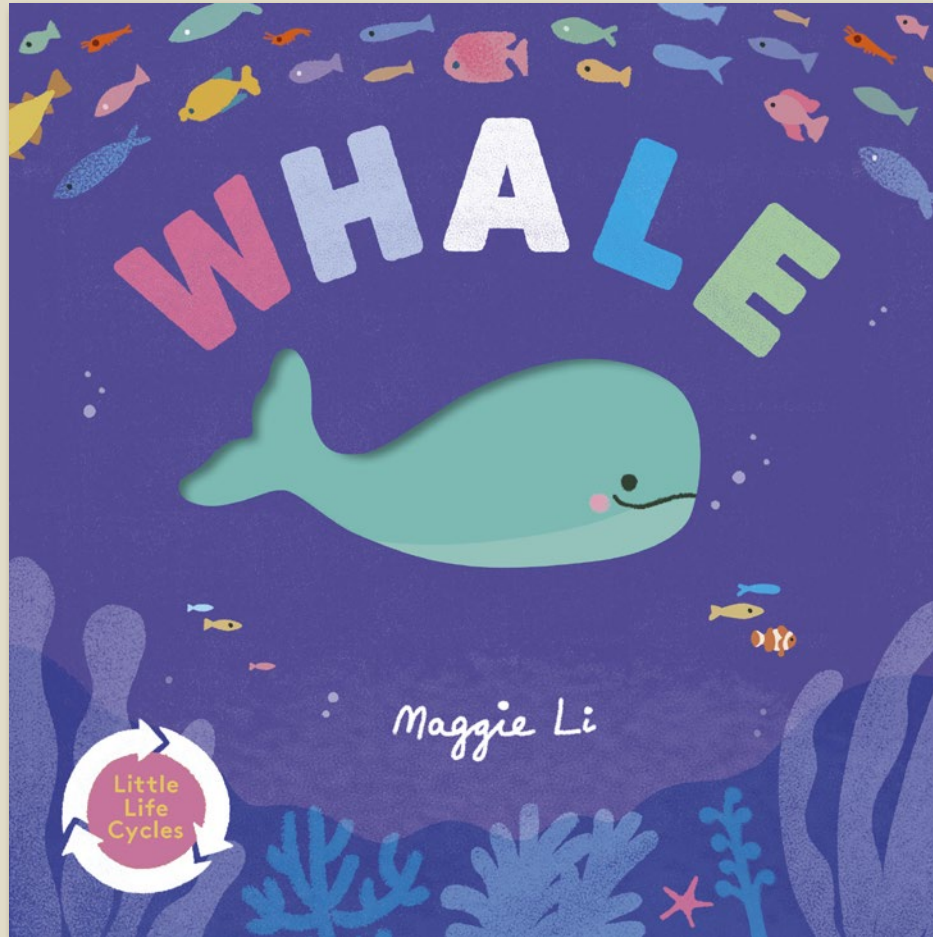
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- Cover treatment: matt varnish

# Little Life Cycles: Pip



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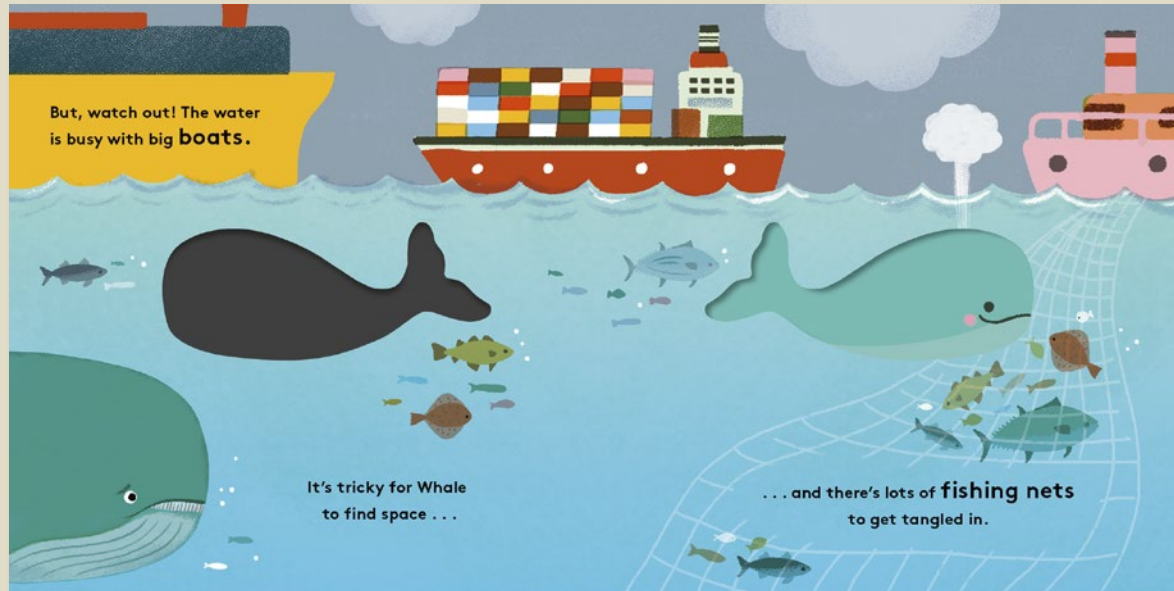
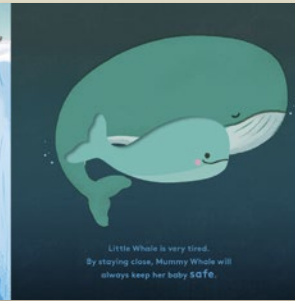
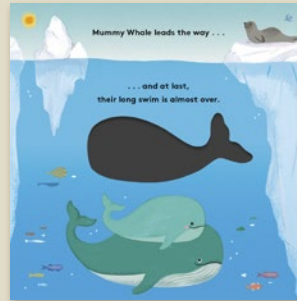
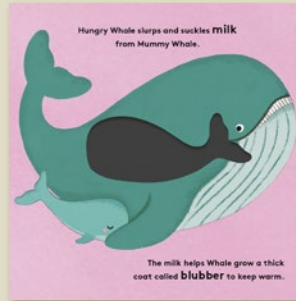
# Little Life Cycles: Whale



**Join Whale on the journey from tiny calf to the biggest creature in the ocean!**

- *Drip* won a Right Start Award in 2022.
- The *Little Life Cycles* series has sold over 154,000 copies worldwide.
- A stunning introductory STEM board book series on life cycles for the very young.
- The first mammal to be added to the series, offering a new range of life cycle structures.
- With tactile, die-cut pages, the reader can easily connect with and follow the whale on its journey across the ocean.
- Book six in the successful and well-established series.
- Cover treatment: gloss UV varnish.

# Little Life Cycles: Whale



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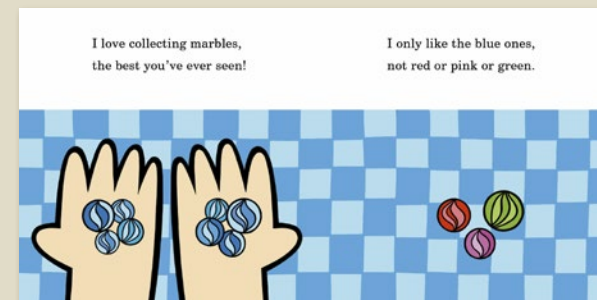
# Jane Foster's I Love Blue



## **A collectible and stylish series celebrating colour**

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- With a Pantone and spot UV on the cover and Pantone endpapers
- Written following Jane's diagnosis with autism, each book features some traits common in autistic and neurodiverse children, so every child can see themselves reflected in the books

# Jane Foster's I Love Blue



Pub Date	<b>03/04/2025</b>
Pub Price	<b>£7.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800787261</b>
H x W	<b>200 x 200mm</b>
Binding	<b>Hardback</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Author	<b>Jane Foster</b>
Illustrator	<b>Jane Foster</b>
Extent	<b>24pp</b>
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Translation Files	<b>19/05/2024</b>
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# Jane Foster's I Love Green

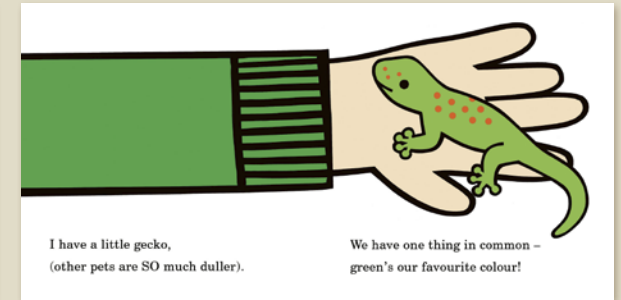
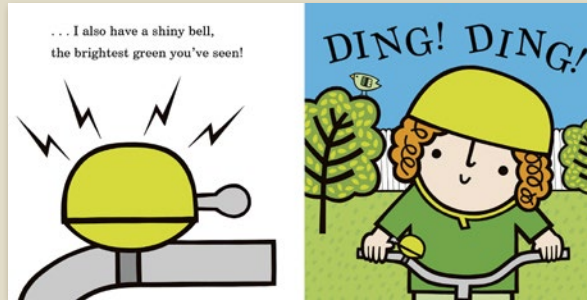


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# Jane Foster's I Love Green



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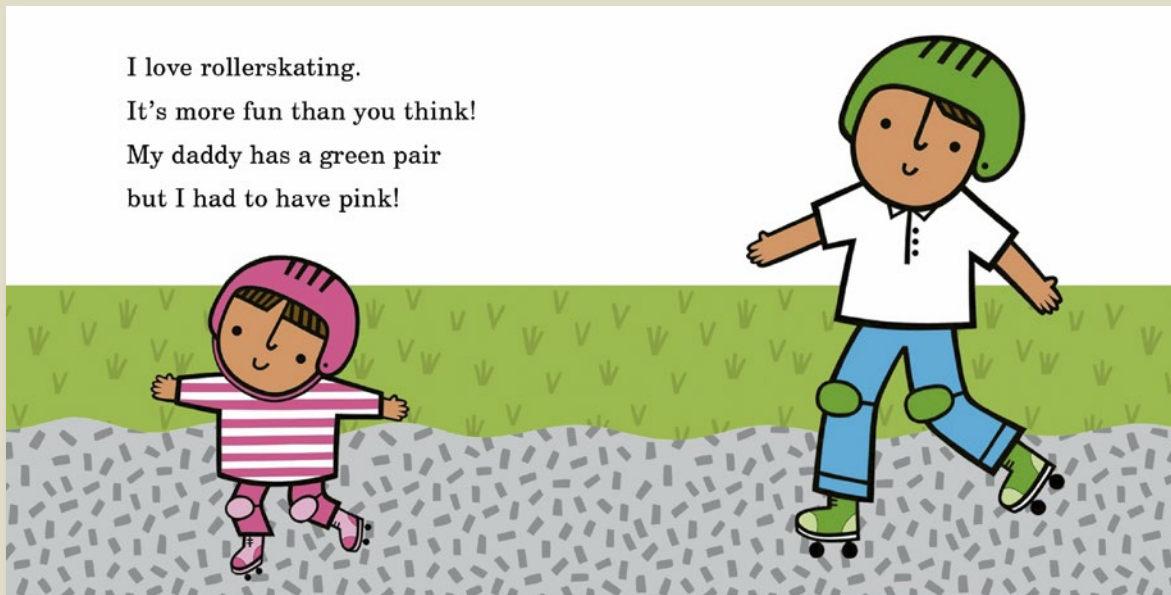
# Jane Foster's I Love Pink



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# Jane Foster's I Love Pink



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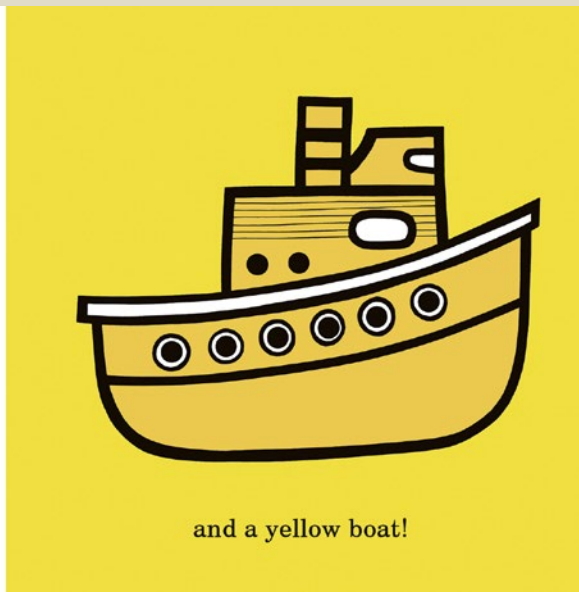
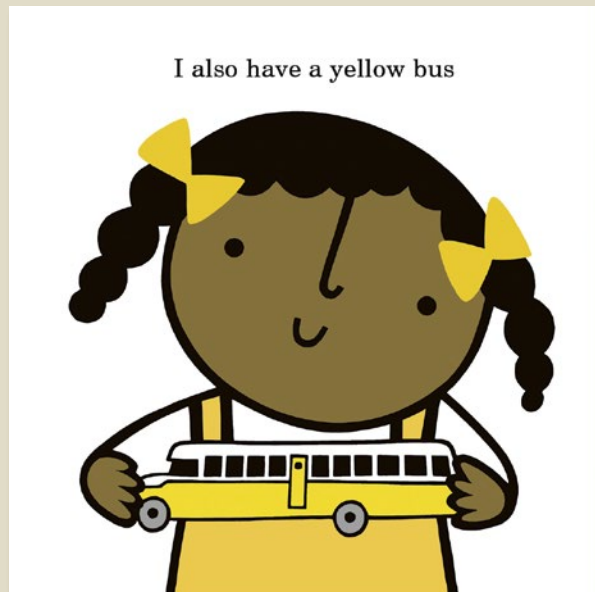
# Jane Foster's I Love Yellow



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# Jane Foster's I Love Yellow



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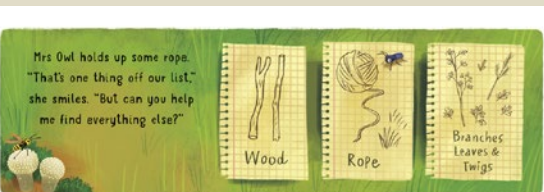
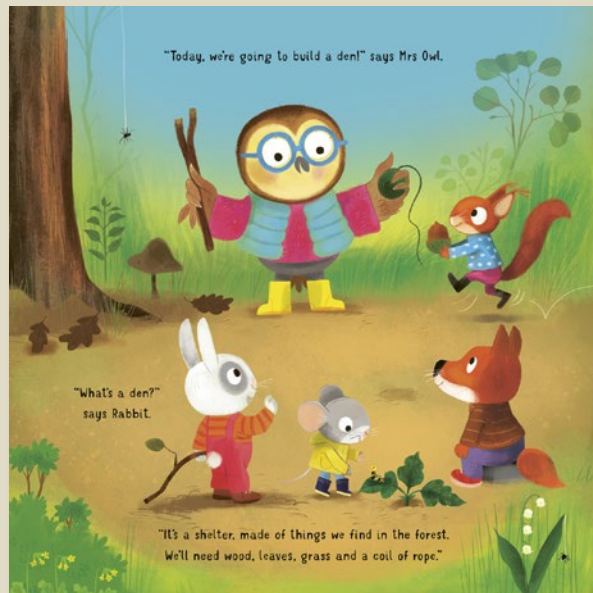
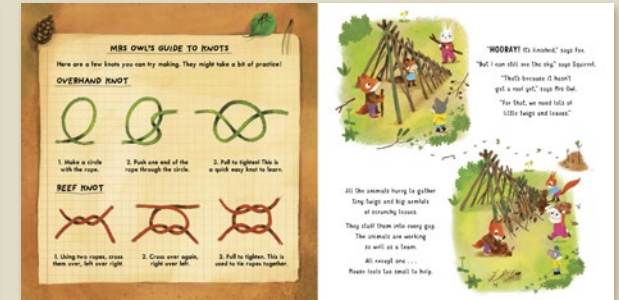
# Mrs Owl's Forest School: The Very Big Den



## Discover forest school in this gentle story packed with facts

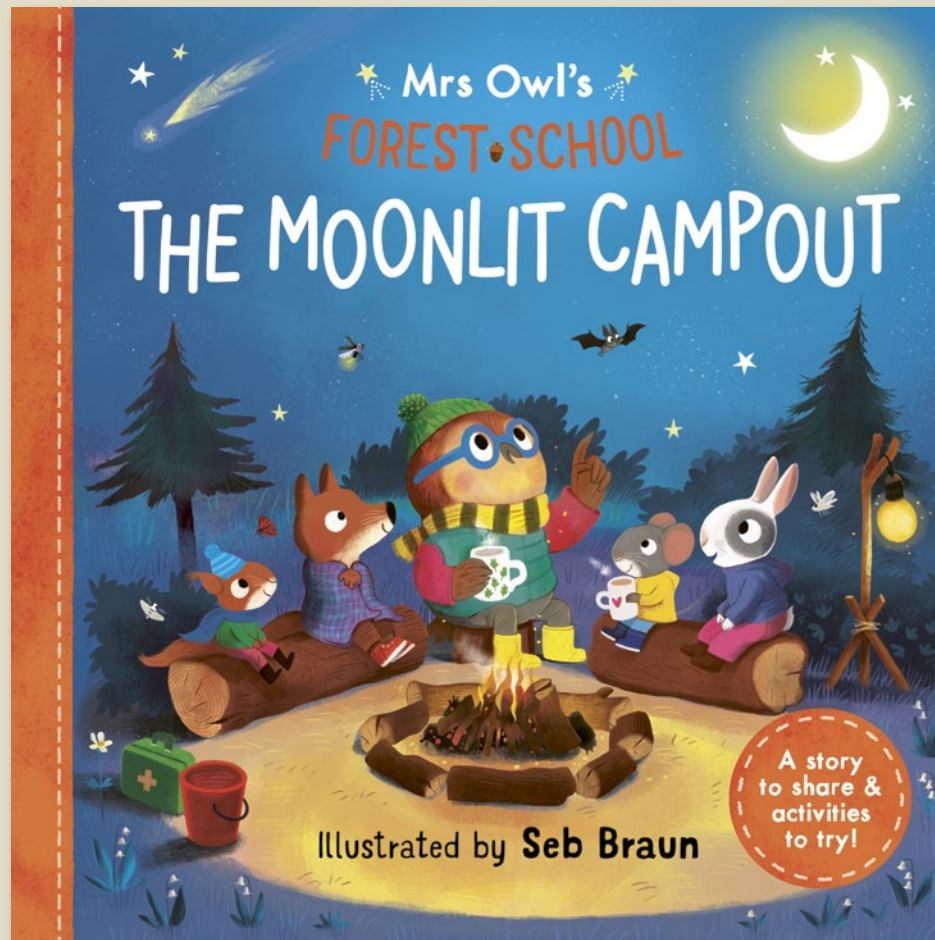
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- Forest schools are growing in popularity in the UK and internationally, and sessions are now widely incorporated into the school curriculum at primary level
- Includes kit lists, how-tos and campfire recipes you can try at home with an adult
- With a page of tips at the end for bringing forest school activities into your own home, garden or park
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# Mrs Owl's Forest School: The Very Big Den



Pub Date	03/08/2023
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ISBN	9781800785755
H x W	250 x 250mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
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Illustrator	Sebastien Braun
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# Mrs Owl's Forest School: The Moonlit Campout

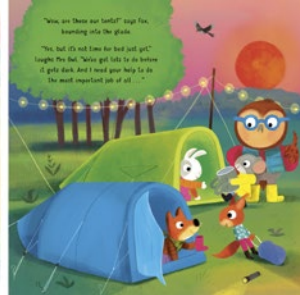


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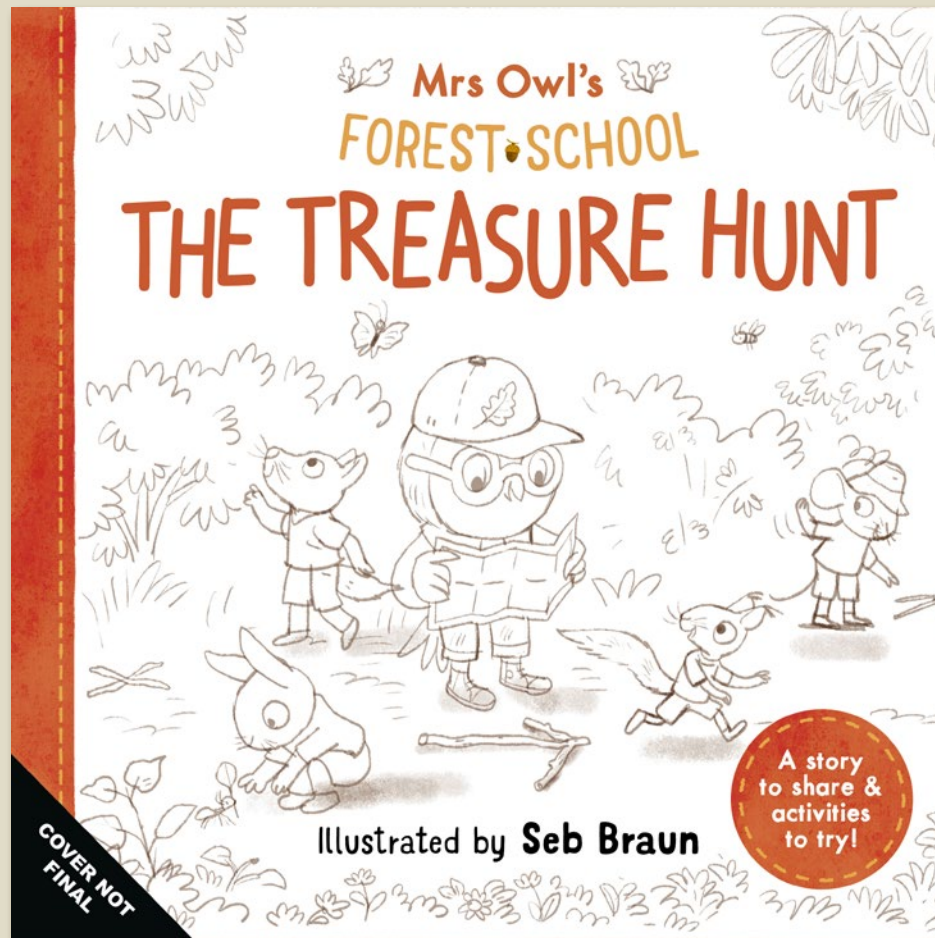


# Mrs Owl's Forest School: The Moonlit Campout



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# Mrs Owl's Forest School: The Treasure Hunt



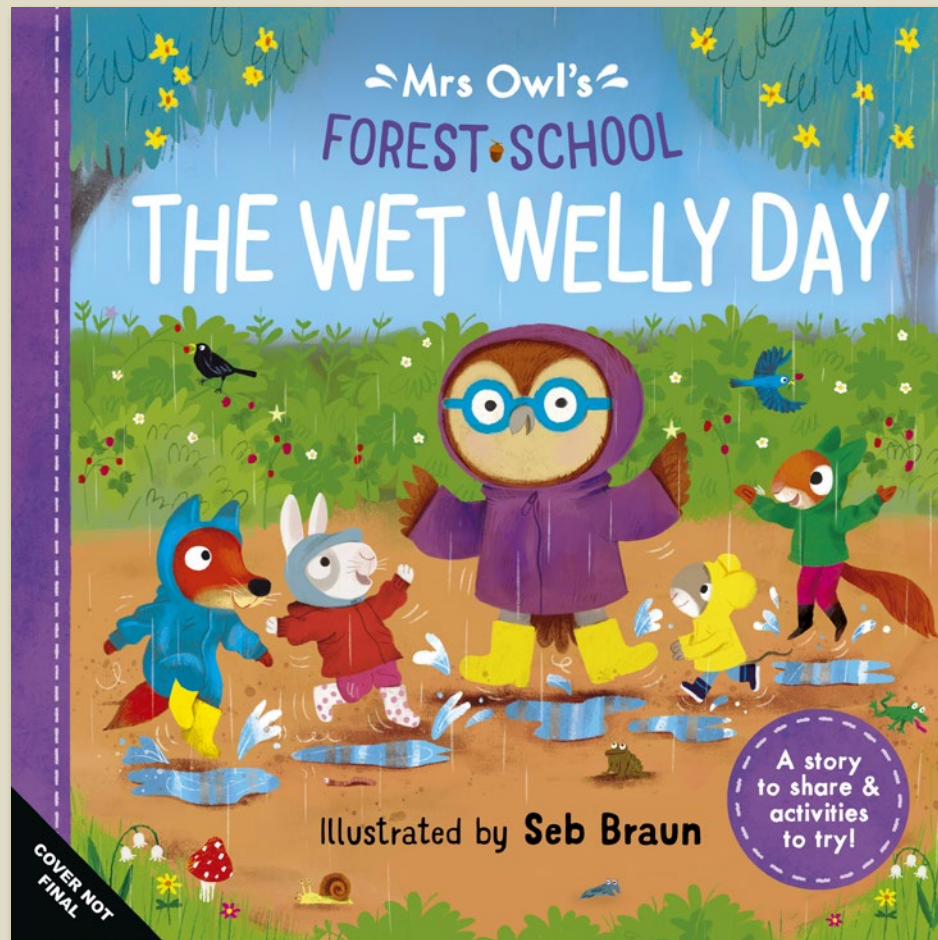
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# Mrs Owl's Forest School: The Treasure Hunt

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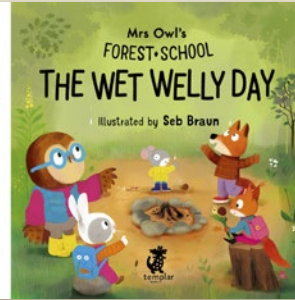
# Mrs Owl's Forest School: The Wet Welly Day



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

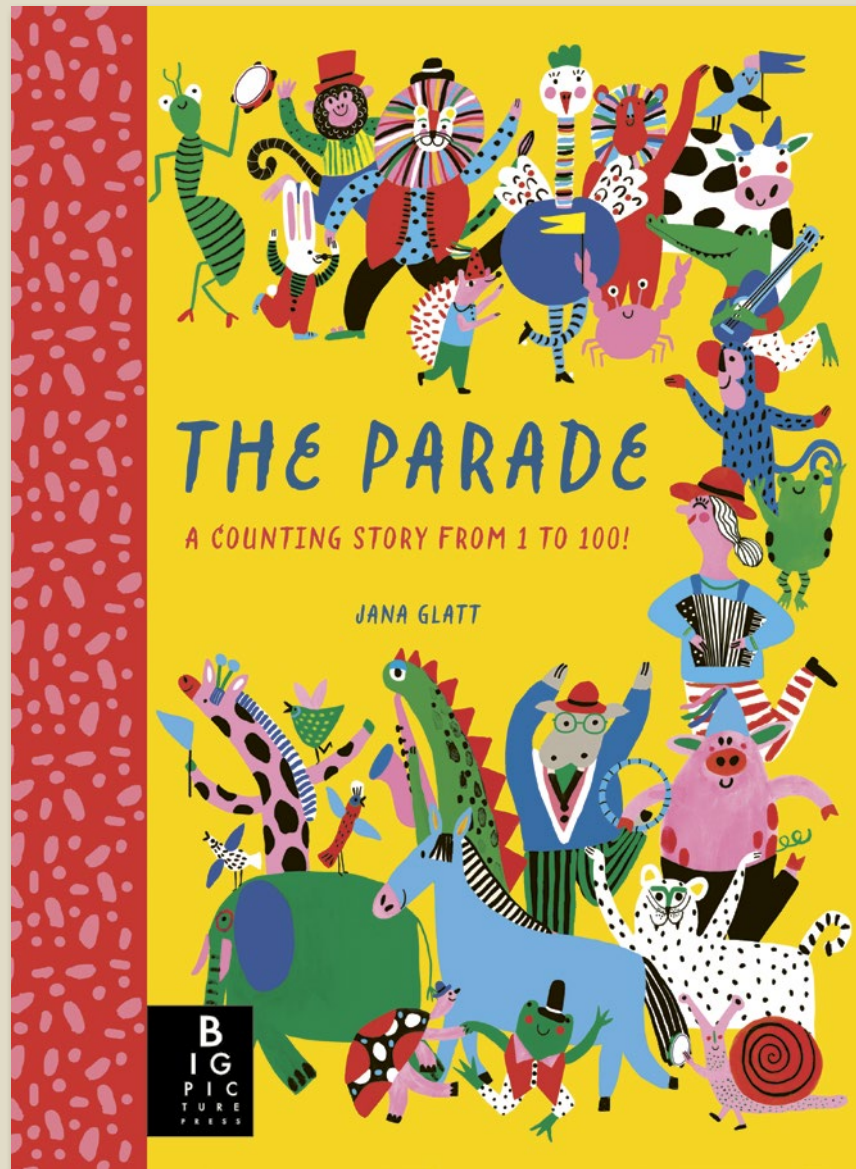
- A perfect mix of picture book and non-fiction - perfect for curious explorers or Forest School pupils
- Forest schools are growing in popularity in the UK and internationally, and sessions are now widely incorporated into the school curriculum at primary level
- Includes kit lists, how-tos and campfire 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: The Wet Welly Day



Pub Date	<b>02/01/2025</b>
Pub Price	<b>£7.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800786134</b>
H x W	<b>250 x 250mm</b>
Binding	<b>Paperback</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Author	<b>Ruth Symons</b>
Illustrator	<b>Sebastien Braun</b>
Extent	<b>32pp</b>
Word Count	<b>1700 words</b>
Translation Files	<b>20/05/2024</b>
Files To Printer	<b>12/08/2024</b>
Freight On Board	<b>31/10/2024</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

# The Parade



**Count from 1 to 100 in this bright and busy picture book that follows the story of one little mouse, who just wants to party!**

- Little ones will love this book, which combines counting and first words with a search-and-find element
- Gorgeous artwork by ARKET childrenswear designer and illustrator, Jana Glatt.
- Beautiful, larger format picture book is ideal for parents and children to read along together
- 100 foiled gold stars included on the final spread
- WINNER of the bronze award at the Right Start Awards 2022

# The Parade



Pub Date	<b>03/08/2023</b>
Pub Price	<b>£14.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800783911</b>
H x W	<b>338 x 230mm</b>
Binding	<b>Hardback</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Author	<b>Joanna McInerney</b>
Illustrator	<b>Jana Glatt</b>
Extent	<b>56pp</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

# The Safari

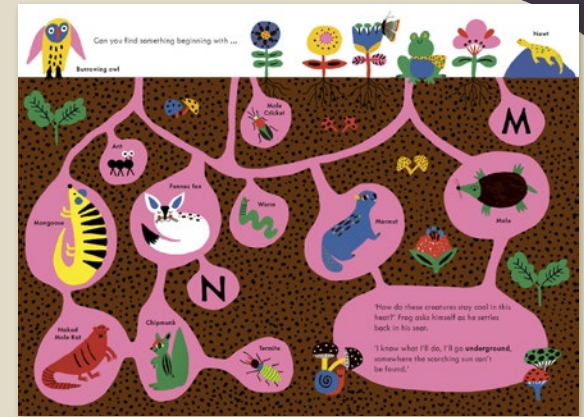


**Search for animals from A to Z in this bright and busy picture book that follows the story of one little frog on a trip around the globe!**

- The follow-up title to *The Parade*
- Little ones will love this book, which combines learning the alphabet and first words with a search-and-find element
- The Parade **WON** the bronze award at the Right Start Awards 2022
- Gorgeous artwork by ARKET childrenswear designer and illustrator, Jana Glatt.
- Beautiful, larger format picture book is ideal for parents and children to read along together.
- Celebrating 10 Years of Extraordinary Illustrated Books

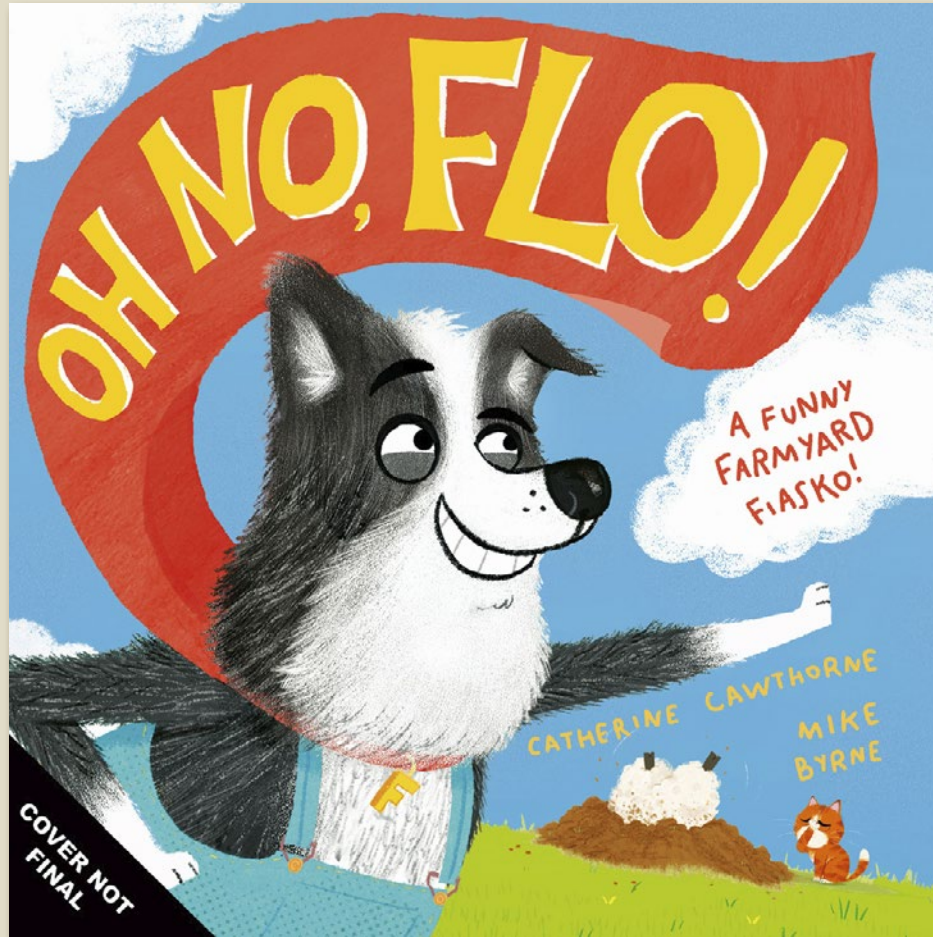


# The Safari



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Pub Price	<b>£14.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800788060</b>
H x W	<b>338 x 230mm</b>
Binding	<b>Hardback</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Author	<b>Joanna McInerney</b>
Illustrator	<b>Jana Glatt</b>
Extent	<b>32pp</b>
Word Count	<b>500 words</b>
Freight On Board	<b>01/08/2024</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

# Oh No, Flo!



## A fantastically funny farmyard fiasco to read aloud!

- Taking recognisable and familiar farm animal characters to create a funny and fresh picture book for the very young.
- Featuring bold and bright illustrations from Mike Byrne, well-known for *This Book is Full of Unicorns*.
- Catherine Cawthorne is fresh to the picture book world but is already making her mark with: *We Went to Find a Woolly Mammoth* (Hachette, 2023) and *The Big Bad Wolf Investigates: Fairy Tales* (Bloomsbury, 2024).
- The light-hearted text and repeated 'OH NO, FLO!' refrain to join in with, makes it the perfect book to share with a group or individual child.
- Cover treatments: matt lam and SPUV.

# Oh No, Flo!



Pub Date	20/03/2025
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800784604
H x W	250 x 250mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Catherine Cawthorne
Illustrator	Mike Byrne
Extent	32pp
Word Count	490 words
Translation Files	05/08/2024
Files To Printer	28/10/2024
Freight On Board	16/01/2025
Rights Available	World

# Jay Runs Away



**A pirate-packed picture book all about dealing with a new sibling - with real letters to open!**

- With six fold-out letters throughout the book - using clever paper-folding to bring the post to life!
- Humorous and heart-touching storytelling from Dawn McNiff (*Smiley Eyes, Smiley Faces*) is accompanied by hilarious and stylish artwork from Nicola Slater (*The Leaf Thief, Charlie Chooses, Jonathan the Magic Pony*)
- The perfect picture book for anyone welcoming a new baby into the family
- Cover finish: matt lam, spot UV

# Jay Runs Away



Pub Date	<b>03/07/2025</b>
Pub Price	<b>£7.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800784543</b>
H x W	<b>250 x 250mm</b>
Binding	<b>Paperback</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Author	<b>Dawn McNiff</b>
Illustrator	<b>Nicola Slater</b>
Extent	<b>32pp</b>
Word Count	<b>700 words</b>
Translation Files	<b>21/10/2024</b>
Files To Printer	<b>13/01/2025</b>
Freight On Board	<b>17/04/2025</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

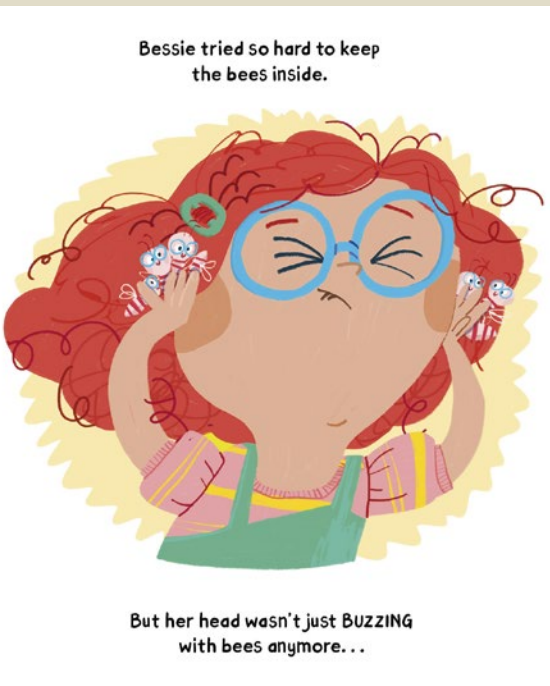
# Bessie's Bees



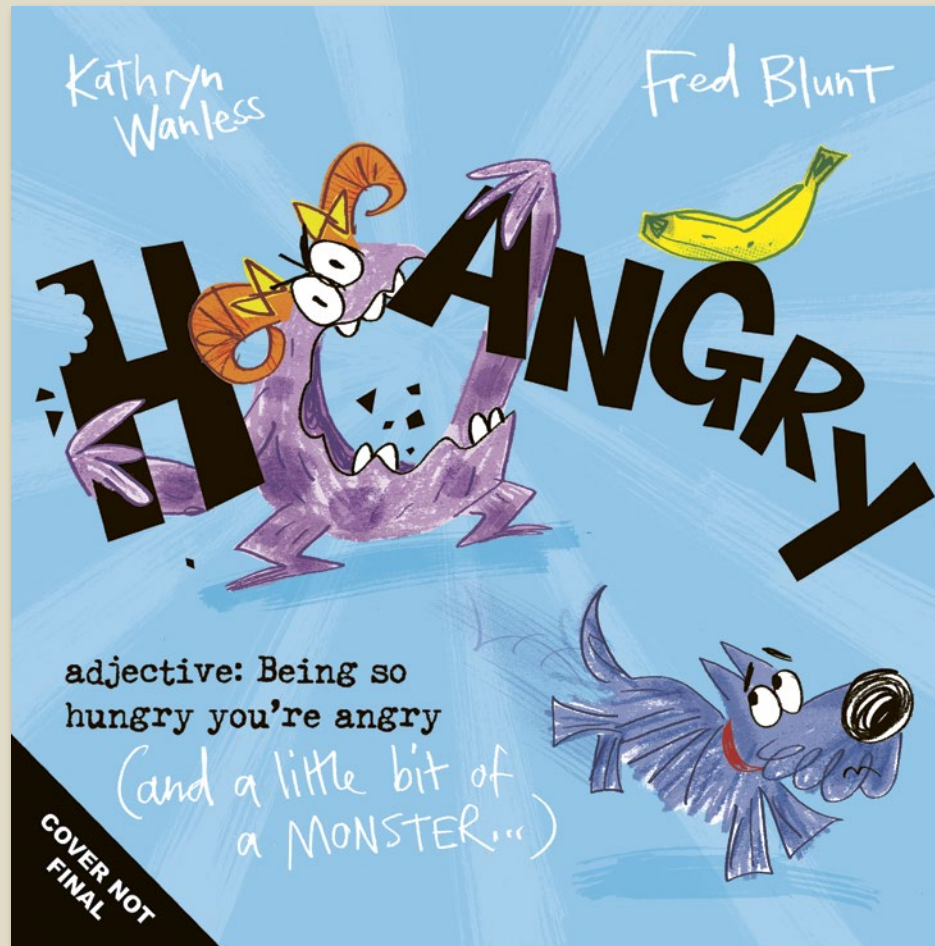
**An uplifting story about starting nursery with a courageous neurodiverse character at its centre.**

- Bringing debut, neurodiverse author George Kirk to the Templar picture book list, allowing us to grow our range of underrepresented voices and experiences.
- While there has been an increase in positive representations and neurodiverse voices in middle-grade fiction, this is yet to be seen in the trade picture book market. Templar can be one of the first to champion neurodiverse voices and stories in this space.

# Bessie's Bees



Pub Date	<b>03/07/2025</b>
Pub Price	<b>£12.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800786691</b>
H x W	<b>265 x 228mm</b>
Binding	<b>Hardback</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Author	<b>George Kirk</b>
Illustrator	<b>Ana Gómez</b>
Extent	<b>32pp</b>
Word Count	<b>630 words</b>
Translation Files	<b>18/11/2024</b>
Files To Printer	<b>10/02/2025</b>
Freight On Board	<b>01/05/2025</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>



**A hilarious rhyming romp that perfectly encapsulates how being HANGRY really makes you feel!**

- Bringing debut author Kathryn Wanless as well as established, commercial talent Fred Blunt to the Templar list with his wit and humour.
- Exploring a theme that isn't currently seen in the picture book market - there are plenty of books about being hungry OR angry, but not both!
- This story uses humour as a conversation starter for children to talk about the very real, intense emotions that come with hunger.
- The book acts as a reminder that we all get hangry, even grown-ups, but it's how we deal with those feelings that matters.
- Cover treatment: matt lam, SPUV and pantone.





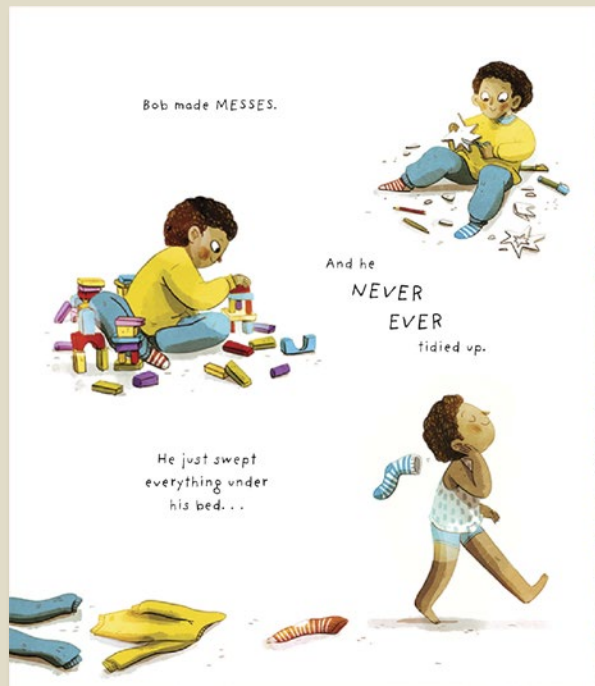
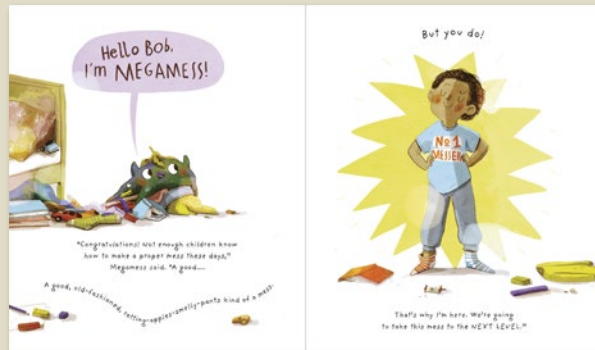
Pub Date	14/08/2025
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800787445
H x W	250 x 250mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Kathryn Wanless
Illustrator	Fred Blunt
Extent	32pp
Word Count	150 words
Translation Files	30/12/2024
Files To Printer	24/03/2025
Freight On Board	29/05/2025
Rights Available	World



**When a little boy refuses to tidy his room, his mess has dire consequences ...**

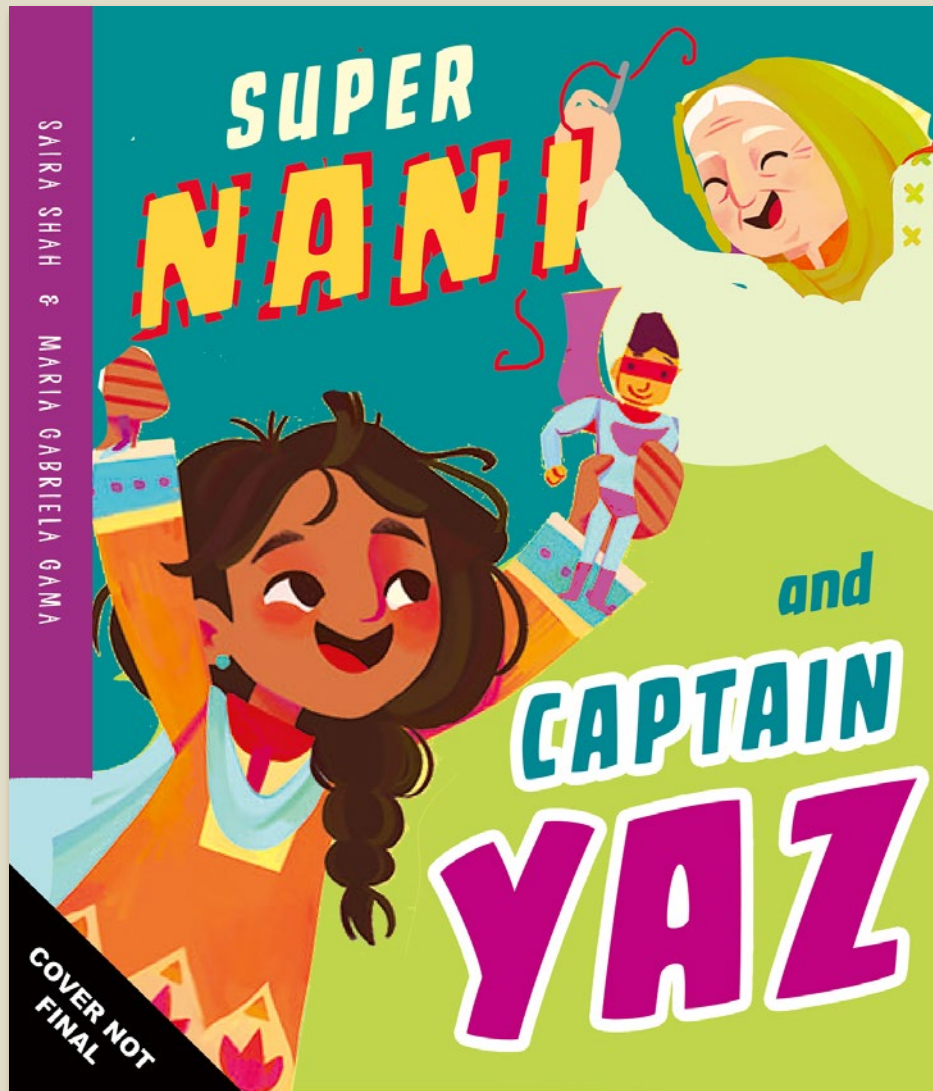
- A topical story about looking after our world
- A subtle way of introducing complex and difficult subjects
- Pollution and climate changes are themes which are globally relevant
- Demand for picture books with strong messages
- A serious message conveyed in a fun and silly way.

# Megamess



Pub Date	<b>05/06/2025</b>
Pub Price	<b>£7.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781787418530</b>
H x W	<b>287 x 247mm</b>
Binding	<b>Paperback</b>
Age Range	<b>5-7 years</b>
Author	<b>Eoin McLaughlin</b>
Illustrator	<b>Julia Christians</b>
Extent	<b>40pp</b>
Word Count	<b>700 words</b>
Translation Files	<b>21/10/2024</b>
Files To Printer	<b>13/01/2025</b>
Freight On Board	<b>20/03/2025</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

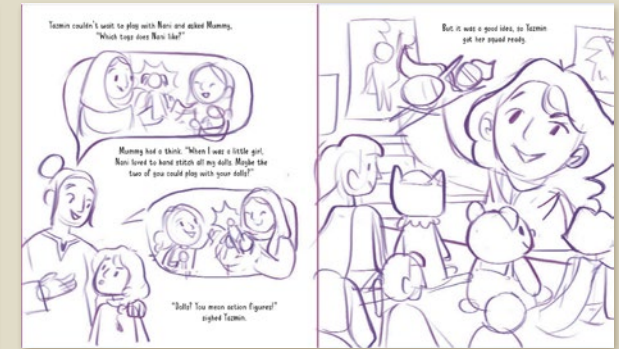
# Super Nani and Captain Yaz



## A Pakistani celebration of family.

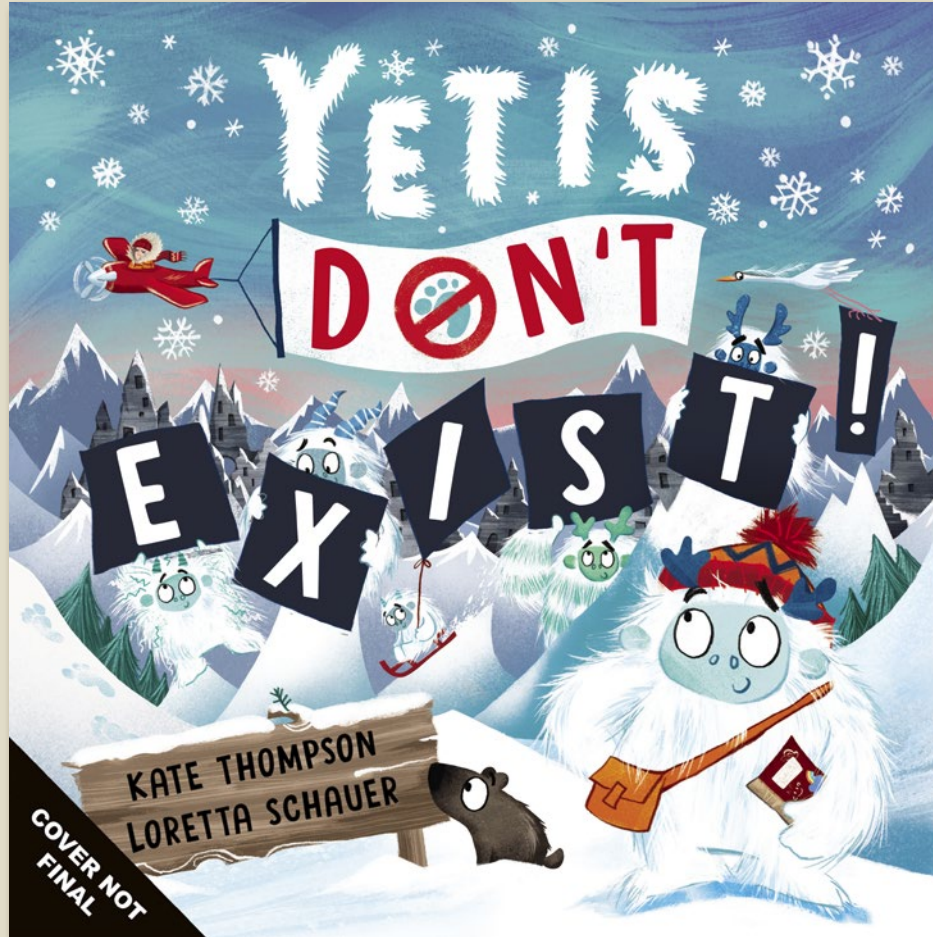
- A family-centre story that celebrates Pakistani heritage by author Saira Shah.
- A heart-warming and powerful picture book that celebrates Pakistani culture and a family's connection through the tradition of doll-making.
- An uplifting and warm picture book that explores and celebrates the multi-cultural heritage of second-generation Asians that belong to two different cultures.
- With instructions on how to make your very own rag doll.
- Cover finishes: matt lam + spot UV.

# Super Nani and Captain Yaz



Pub Date	<b>19/06/2025</b>
Pub Price	<b>£7.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800788121</b>
H x W	<b>265 x 228mm</b>
Binding	<b>Paperback</b>
Age Range	<b>5-7 years</b>
Author	<b>Saira Shah</b>
Illustrator	<b>Maria Gabriela Gama</b>
Extent	<b>40pp</b>
Translation Files	<b>04/11/2024</b>
Files To Printer	<b>27/01/2025</b>
Freight On Board	<b>03/04/2025</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

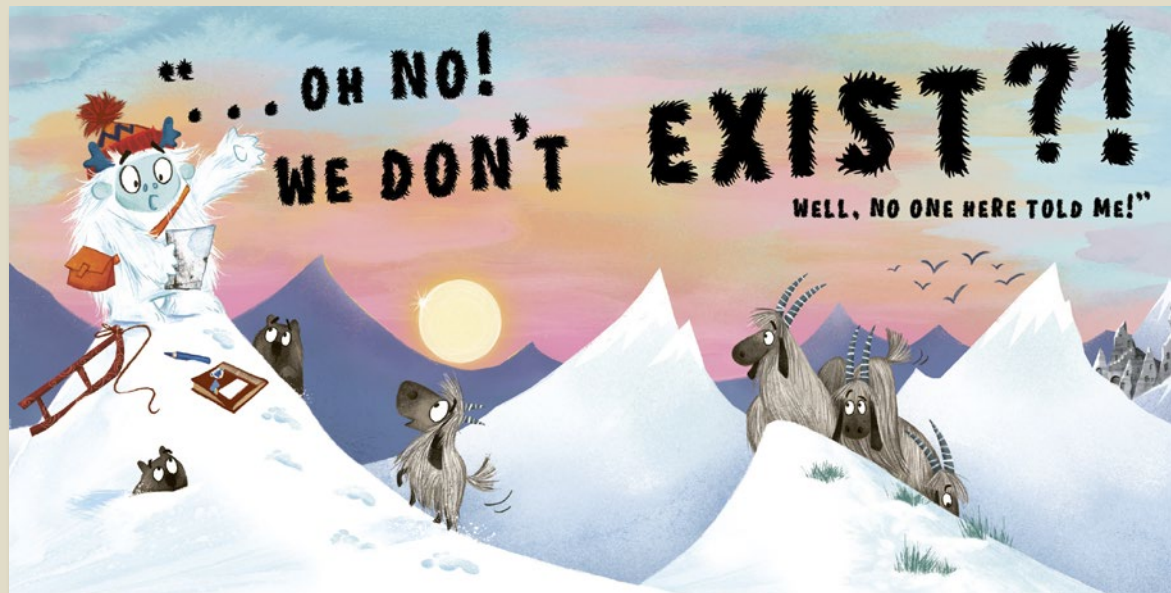
# Yetis Don't Exist!



## A FUR-tastically funny rhyming adventure!

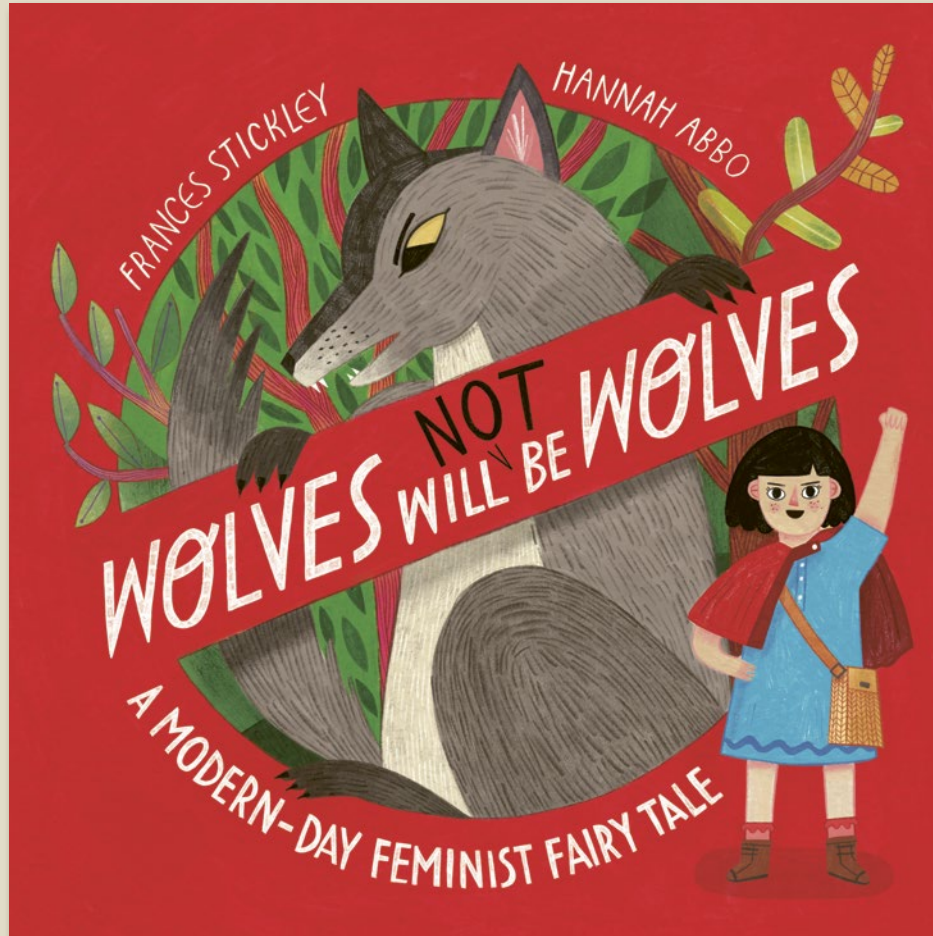
- Bringing rising talent, Kate Thompson, to the Templar list. She has two picture books with Welbeck and two new picture books coming with PRH in September 2024, and 2025.
- Bringing established quirky, commercial illustrator Loretta Schauer to the list with her bright palette and fantastic furry creatures. Loretta has previously worked with publishers like Ladybird, Farshore and Bloomsbury.
- Like *The Best Bear Tracker*, this book has a hilarious visual narrative alongside the text with the yetis and human explorer just missing each other more than once!
- The book's wintry, snowy setting offers the ideal seasonal gift without the story being explicitly Christmassy!
- Cover treatments: matt lam and foil.

# Yetis Don't Exist!



Pub Date	07/11/2024
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800788237
H x W	250 x 250mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Kate Thompson
Illustrator	Loretta Schauer
Extent	32pp
Word Count	315 words
Files To Printer	06/06/2024
Freight On Board	29/08/2024
Rights Available	World

# Wolves will (not) be Wolves



**A fairy tale picture book which introduces a serious subject in an easy-to-understand and lighthearted way.**

- Explores important themes of victim-shaming and culpability, presented in an easy-to-understand and lighthearted manner.
- Features recognisable fairy tale characters who are challenging their original narrative, including Little Red Riding Hood, Goldilocks, Hansel and Gretel and The Three Little Pigs.
- Cover finish: matt lamination
- Includes end-matter for parents and caregivers around how to have conversations regarding consent, victim shaming and other themes raised in this book.

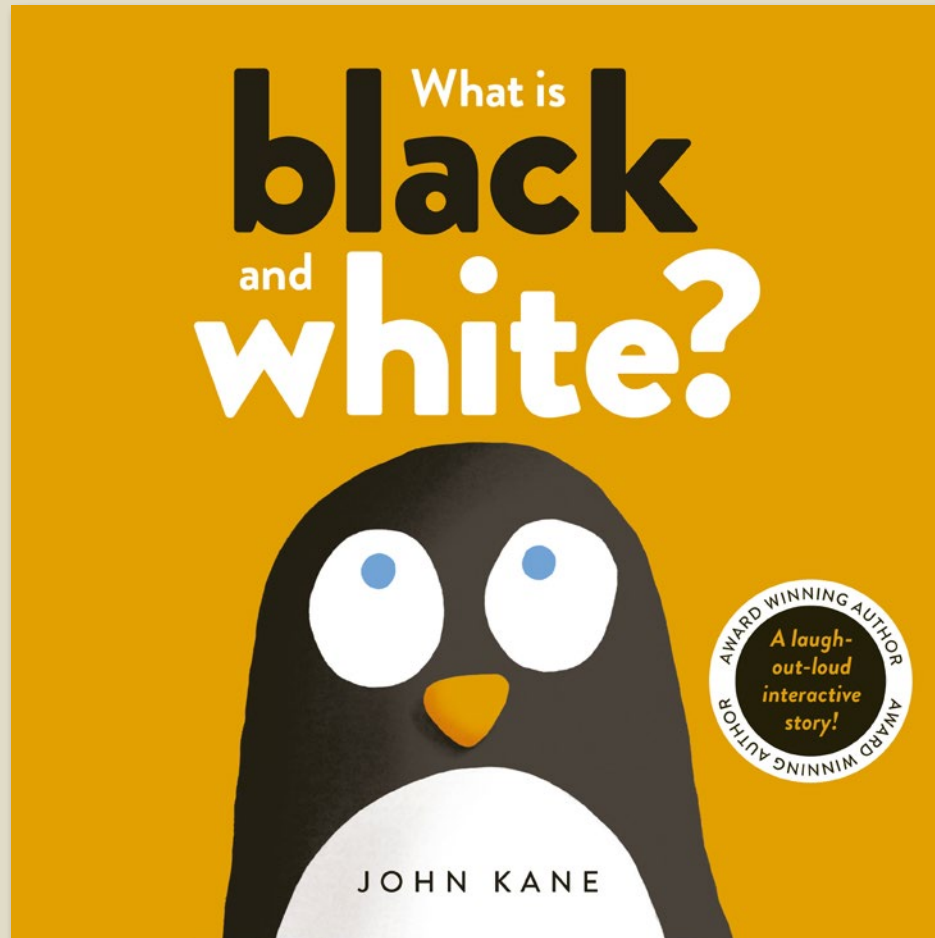


# Wolves will (not) be Wolves



Pub Date	<b>01/02/2024</b>
Pub Price	<b>£7.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800784864</b>
H x W	<b>250 x 250mm</b>
Binding	<b>Paperback</b>
Age Range	<b>5-7 years</b>
Author	<b>Frances Stickley</b>
Illustrator	<b>Hannah Abbo</b>
Extent	<b>32pp</b>
Word Count	<b>1406 words</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

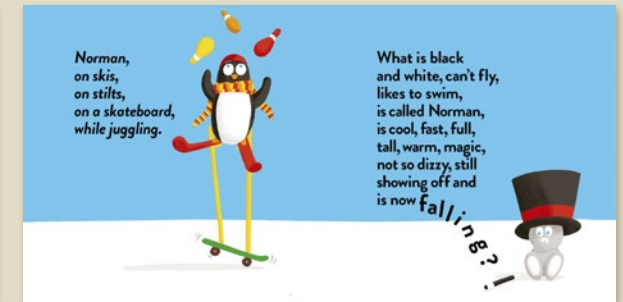
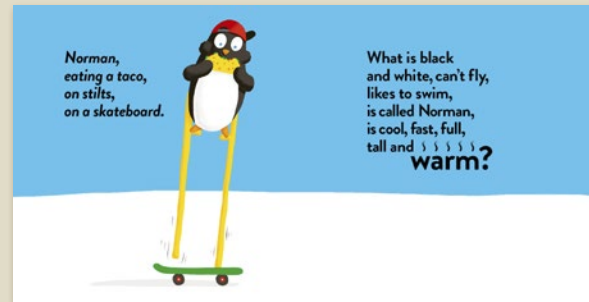
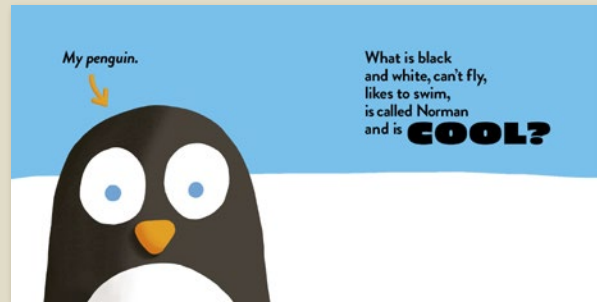
# What is Black and White?



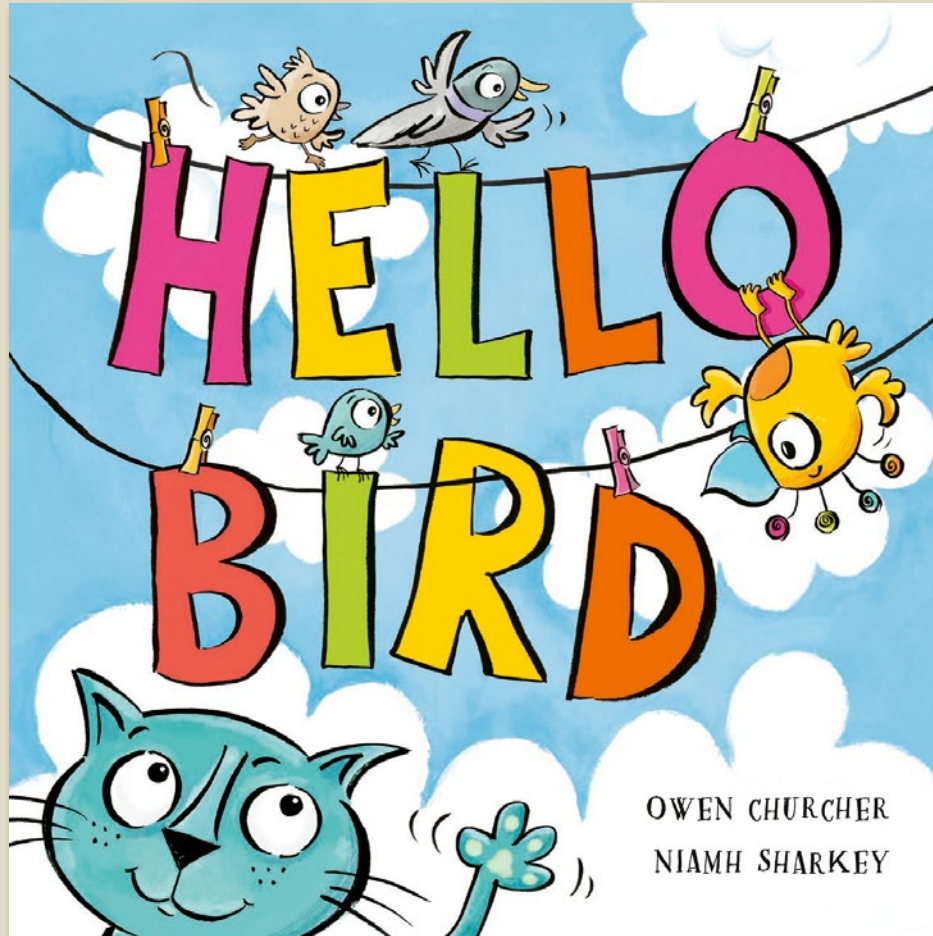
**What is black and white? A word-juggling penguin called Norman.**

- From the author and illustrator of the bestselling *I Say Ooh, You Say Aah*, which has sold over 160,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022)
- John Kane is a master of interactive storytelling and child-centric humour.
- *I Say Ooh, You Say Aah* won the English Picture Book Awards 4-& category; won the Children's and Teen choice Award in the US; and was shortlisted for the Irish Book Awards Children's Book of the Year.

# What is Black and White?



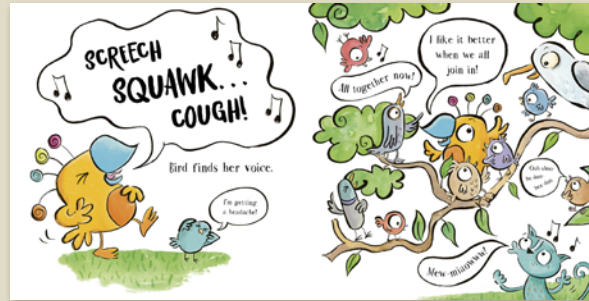
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Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800782303
H x W	260 x 260mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	John Kane
Extent	32pp
Word Count	320 words
Rights Available	World



**From talented duo comes a FLAP-TASTIC garden bird adventure.**

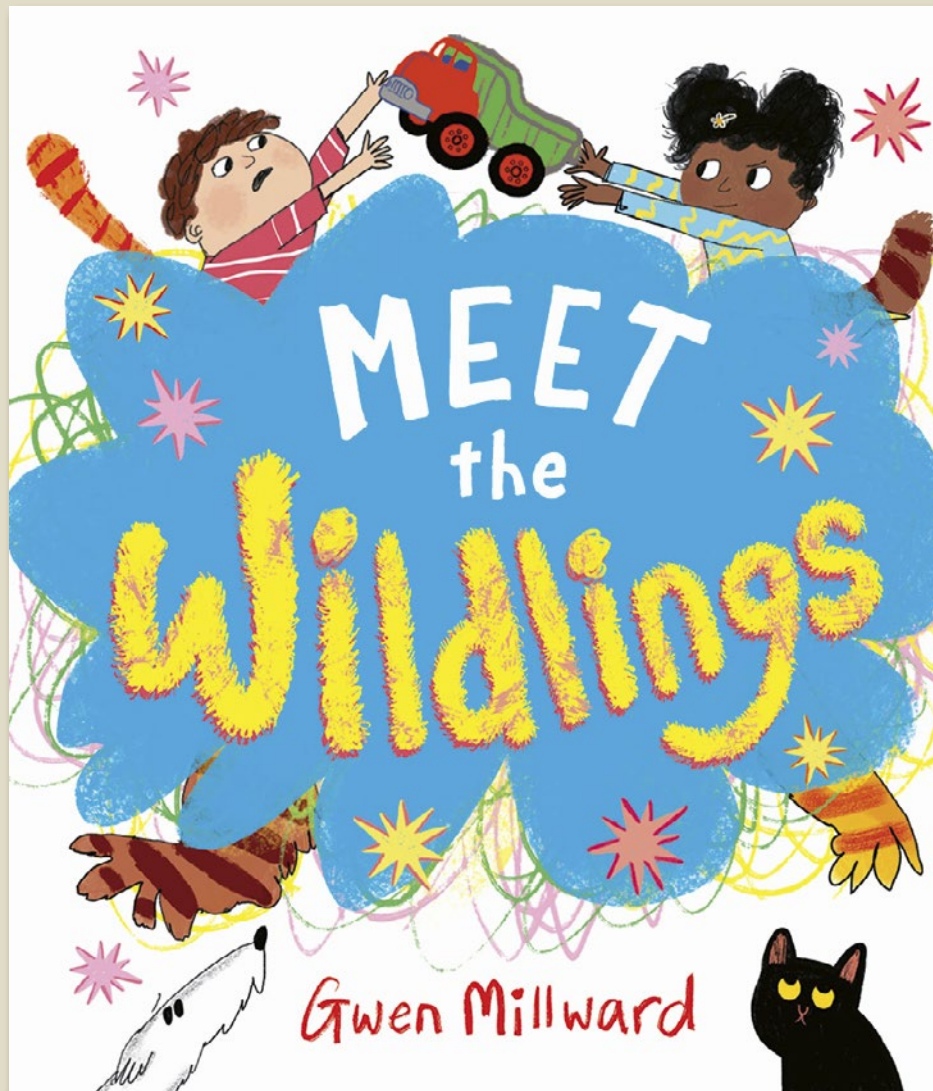
- From the creative duo behind *A Field Guide to Leafings*.
- Niamh Sharkey is creator and executive producer of *Henry Hugglemonster* on Disney Junior and launched a new series called *Eureka!* with Disney Junior in June 2022.
- It takes a timeless theme and familiar characters to create a quirky and fresh picture book for the very young.
- Niamh's recognisable artwork style is achieved through ink outlines and watercolour washes.
- Cover treatment: matt lam and SPUV.

# Hello Bird



Pub Date	14/03/2024
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787419247
H x W	250 x 250mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Owen Churchar
Illustrator	Niamh Sharkey
Extent	32pp
Word Count	250 words
Rights Available	World

# Meet the Wildlings



**A hilariously relatable story about learning to share and tantrums.**

- A hilarious twist on a universal theme that creatively encapsulates the emotions that come with learning to share, teamwork and kindness.
- Includes representation of a blended family.
- Humorous back matter that includes a 'how to spot a Wildling' checklist for all readers big and small to make use of!
- Our first book with Gwen Millward as author-illustrator, the very talented illustrator of another Templar title *One Tiny Dot*.
- Gwen's second book as author-illustrator, *My Friend Leafy* is scheduled to publish with us in 2025.
- Cover treatments: matt lam and SPUV.

# Meet the Wildlings



Pub Date	04/01/2024
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787419339
H x W	265 x 228mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Gwen Millward
Illustrator	Gwen Millward
Extent	40pp
Word Count	540 words
Freight On Board	19/10/2023
Rights Available	World

# Henri and the Machine



Join Henri at the gallery and be **AMAZED** by the creative potential of art.

- A beautiful picture book about the nature of art and its endless creative possibilities.
- From the creator of the best-selling picture book, *Leo and the Octopus*, which has sold over 47,000 copies worldwide.
- Illustrated by an exceptional new talent Olga Shtonda, an award-winning artist from Kharkiv, Ukraine.



# Henri and the Machine



Pub Date	<b>06/07/2023</b>
Pub Price	<b>£7.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800783751</b>
H x W	<b>265 x 228mm</b>
Binding	<b>Paperback</b>
Age Range	<b>5-7 years</b>
Author	<b>Isabelle Marinov</b>
Illustrator	<b>Olga Shtonda</b>
Extent	<b>32pp</b>
Word Count	<b>529 words</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

## THE ESCAPE

A story of 103 missing monkeys

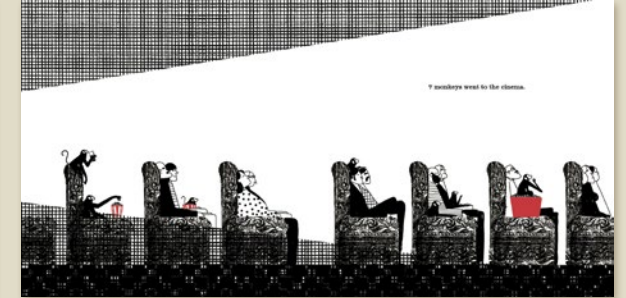


XIMO ABADÍA

### A monkey counting adventure

- A stylishly clever counting adventure from surrealist author-illustrator Ximo Abadía
- Encourages counting from 1 to 100, which children learn around age 5
- The number of monkeys to spot on each page increases through the book
- High-contrast black, white and red illustrations are both stylish and engaging for young readers
- Ximo's previous titles (including picture books *Toto*, 2018, and *I Can't Sleep*, 2020, and the STEM series including *The Speed of Starlight*, 2018) have sold more than 80,000 copies worldwide.
- Cover: matt lam + spot UV

# The Escape



Pub Date **03/08/2023**

Pub Price **£7.99**

ISBN **9781787419308**

H x W **250 x 250  
Squaremm**

Binding **Paperback**

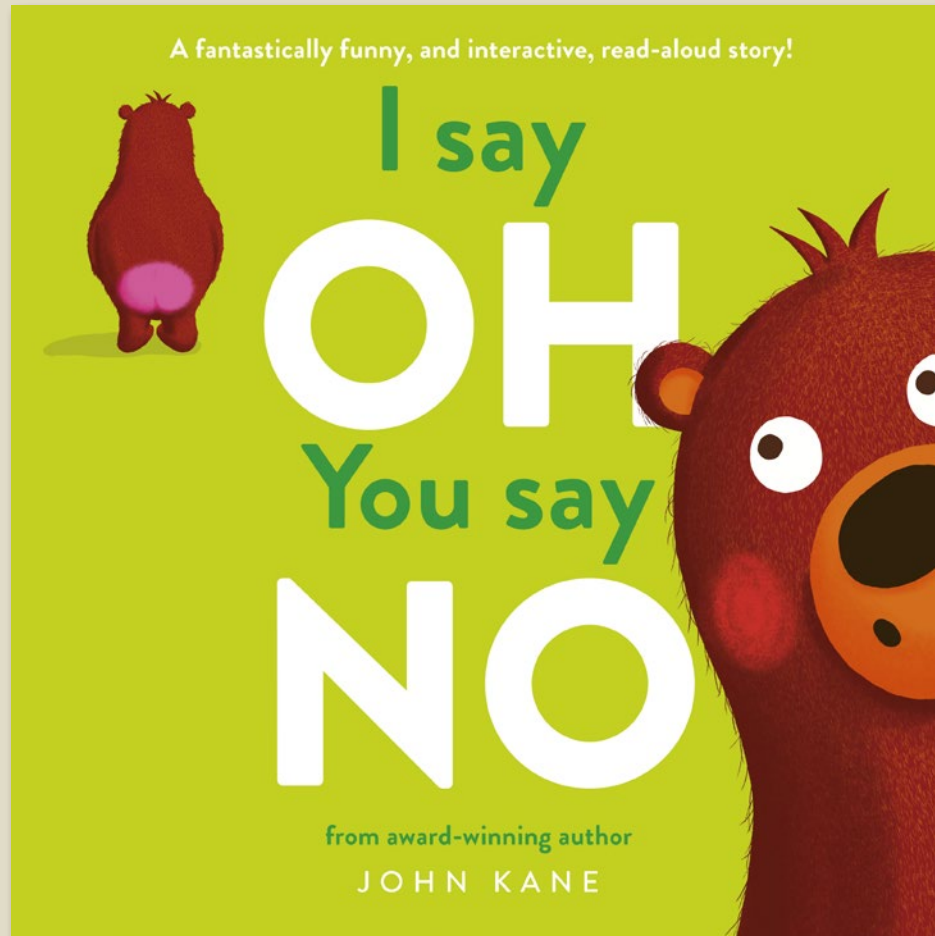
Age Range **0-5 years**

Author **Ximo Abadía**

Extent **32pp**

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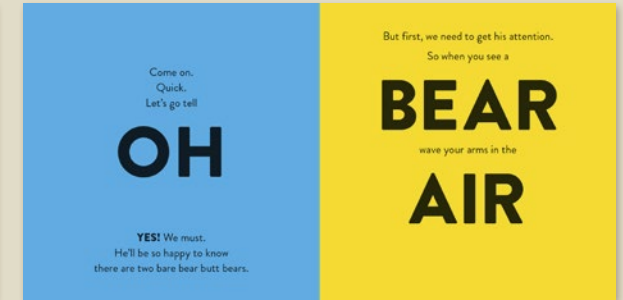
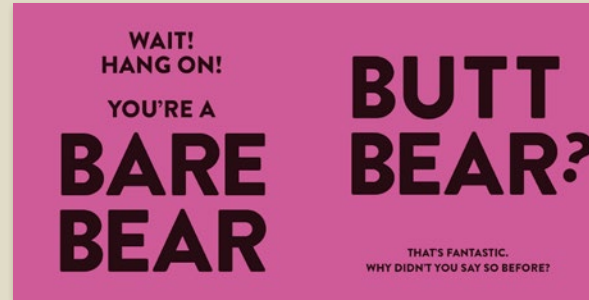
# I say Oh, You say No



The third stupendously funny instalment in the bestselling *I say, You say* series by John Kane.

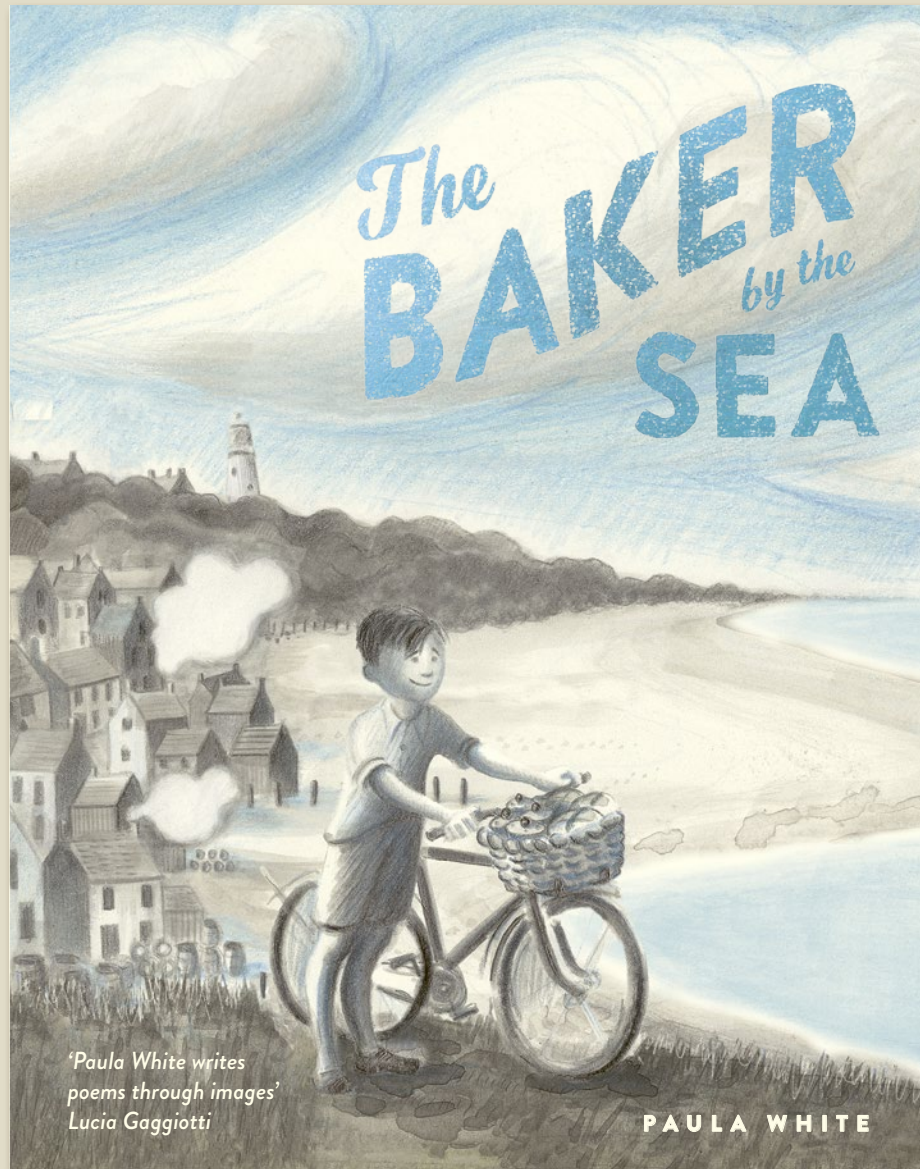
- *I say Ooh, You say Aah* won the English Picture Book Awards 4-7 category; won the Children's and Teen Choice Award in the US; and was shortlisted for the Irish Book Awards Children's Book of the Year.
- More than 100,000 copies of *I say Ooh, You say Aah* sold worldwide.
- John Kane's interactive storytelling is unmatched. The humour and energy of these books creates a unique way of sharing a book with young readers.
- Ideal for sharing with a group or with an individual child.
- Packed with bears, bees, butts and lots of dancing!
- Cover treatment: matt lam and SPUV.

# I say Oh, You say No



Pub Date	30/03/2023
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800785120
H x W	260 x 260mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	John Kane
Illustrator	John Kane
Extent	48pp
Word Count	385 words
Rights Available	World

# The Baker by the Sea



## A seaside storybook about community and family

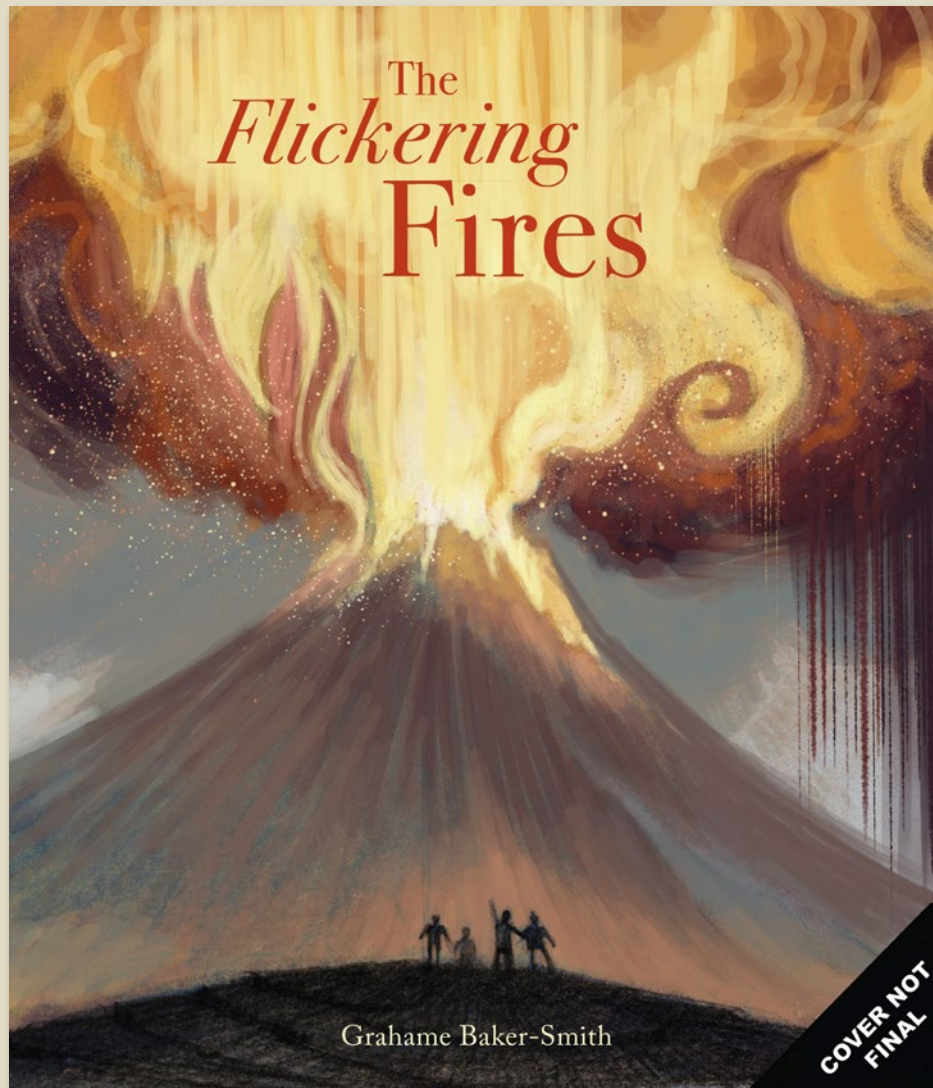
- Atmospheric pen-and-ink artwork from debut author and illustrator Paula White. Paula was winner of the 2019 Templar Design and Illustration Awards.
- Reminiscent of the Greenaway winning *Town is by the Sea* (Walker, 2018).
- The story offers a window onto the past, guiding us around the Beach Village that once stood where Paula grew up, in Lowestoft, Suffolk. This busy, bustling place once made its living from the sea - but was eventually swept away by those very same waves.
- A moving exploration of the importance of community, with a strong father-son relationship at its heart.
- An artistic fishing village story which should be popular with retailers in seaside locations.

# The Baker by the Sea



Pub Date	<b>26/05/2022</b>
Pub Price	<b>£7.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781787419186</b>
H x W	<b>300 x 235mm</b>
Binding	<b>Paperback</b>
Age Range	<b>5-7 years</b>
Author	<b>Paula White</b>
Illustrator	<b>Paula White</b>
Extent	<b>40pp</b>
Word Count	<b>500 words</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

# The Flickering Fires

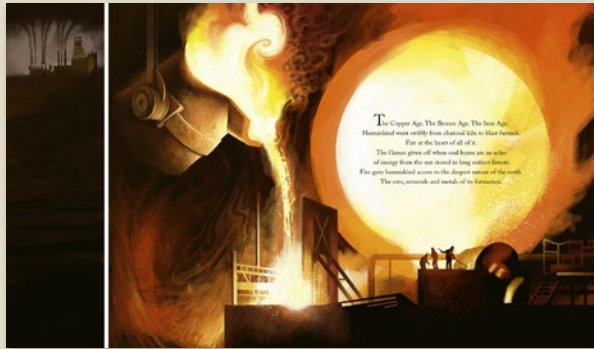


**A journey through life's elemental forces by Greenaway award-winner Grahame Baker-Smith.**

- Narrative non-fiction that explores the extraordinary impact of fire in our world.
- The final book in *The Elements* series, which has sold over 180,000 copies worldwide (as of November 2023).
- Award-winning books include the Greenaway shortlisted *Leon and the Place Between*, *FArTHER* which won the Kate Greenaway medal in 2011, and the first title in this series; *The Rhythm of the Rain* which won the English 4-11 Picture Book Award.

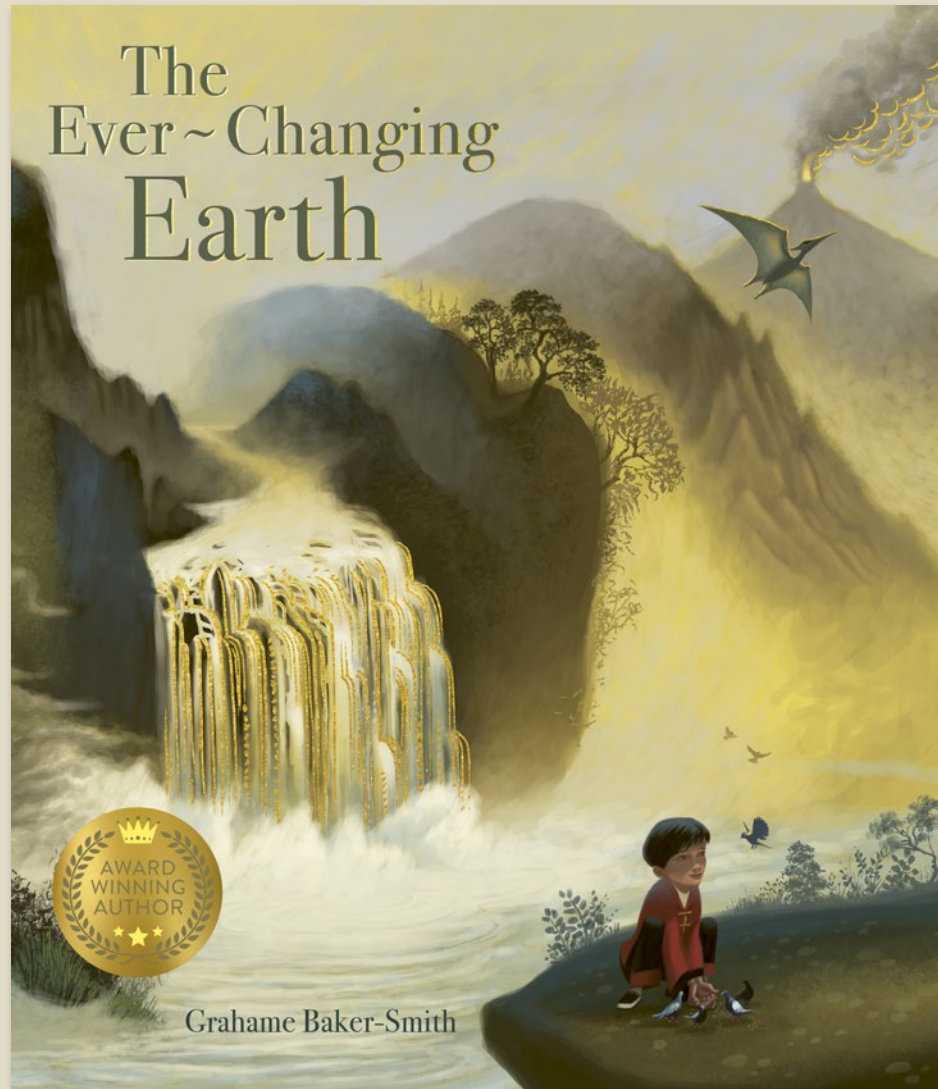


# The Flickering Fires



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Pub Price	£12.99
ISBN	9781800782235
H x W	287 x 247mm
Binding	Hardback
Age Range	7-9 years
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Extent	40pp
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Files To Printer	20/05/2024
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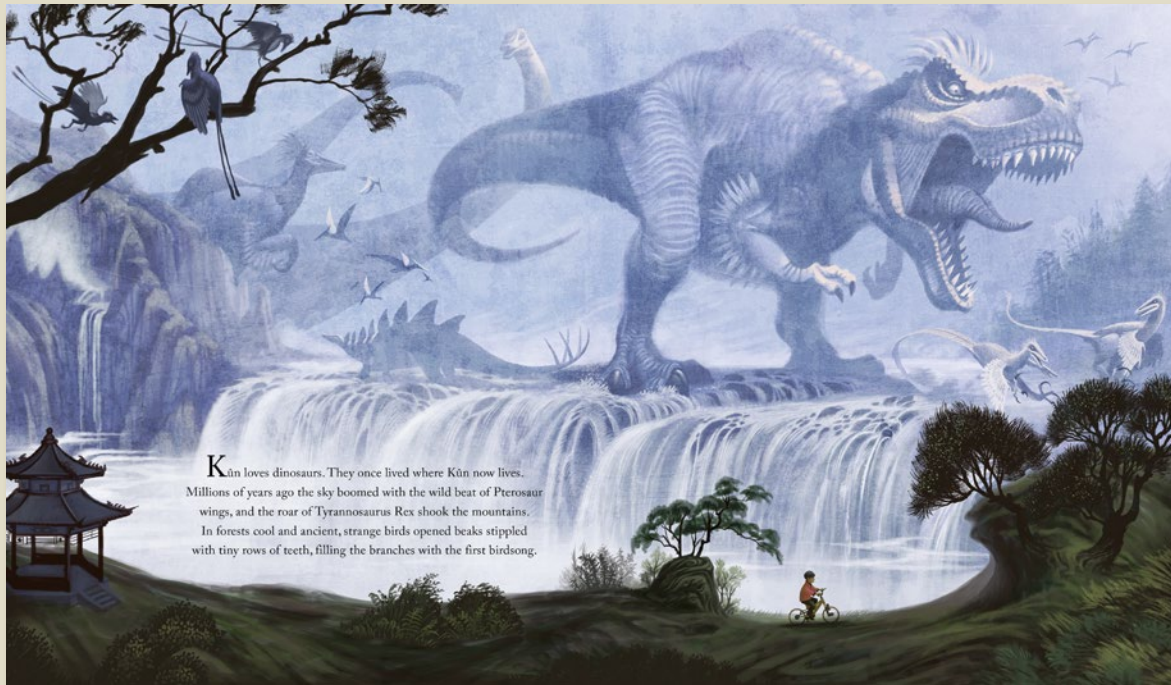
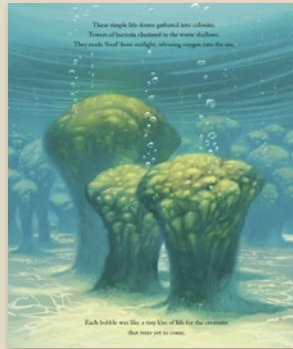
# The Ever-changing Earth



## A spell-binding journey through the evolution of planet Earth

- Previous books from Grahame published by Templar include the Greenaway shortlisted *Leon and the Place Between*, *FARThER* which won the Kate Greenaway medal in 2011, and the first title in this series; *The Rhythm of the Rain* which won the English 4-11 Picture Book Awards.
- *The Rhythm of the Rain* has sold over 83,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022)
- Narrative non-fiction that follows an extraordinary journey across planet Earth
- The fourth title in Grahame's *Elements* series will be published in 2024 - *The Flickering Fires*.

# The Ever-changing Earth



Pub Date	<b>26/10/2023</b>
Pub Price	<b>£7.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800782327</b>
H x W	<b>287 x 247mm</b>
Binding	<b>Paperback</b>
Age Range	<b>5-7 years</b>
Author	<b>Grahame Baker-Smith</b>
Extent	<b>40pp</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

# The Midnight Panther



**A stunning fable about acceptance of who you are from Greenaway-shortlisted Poonam Mistry**

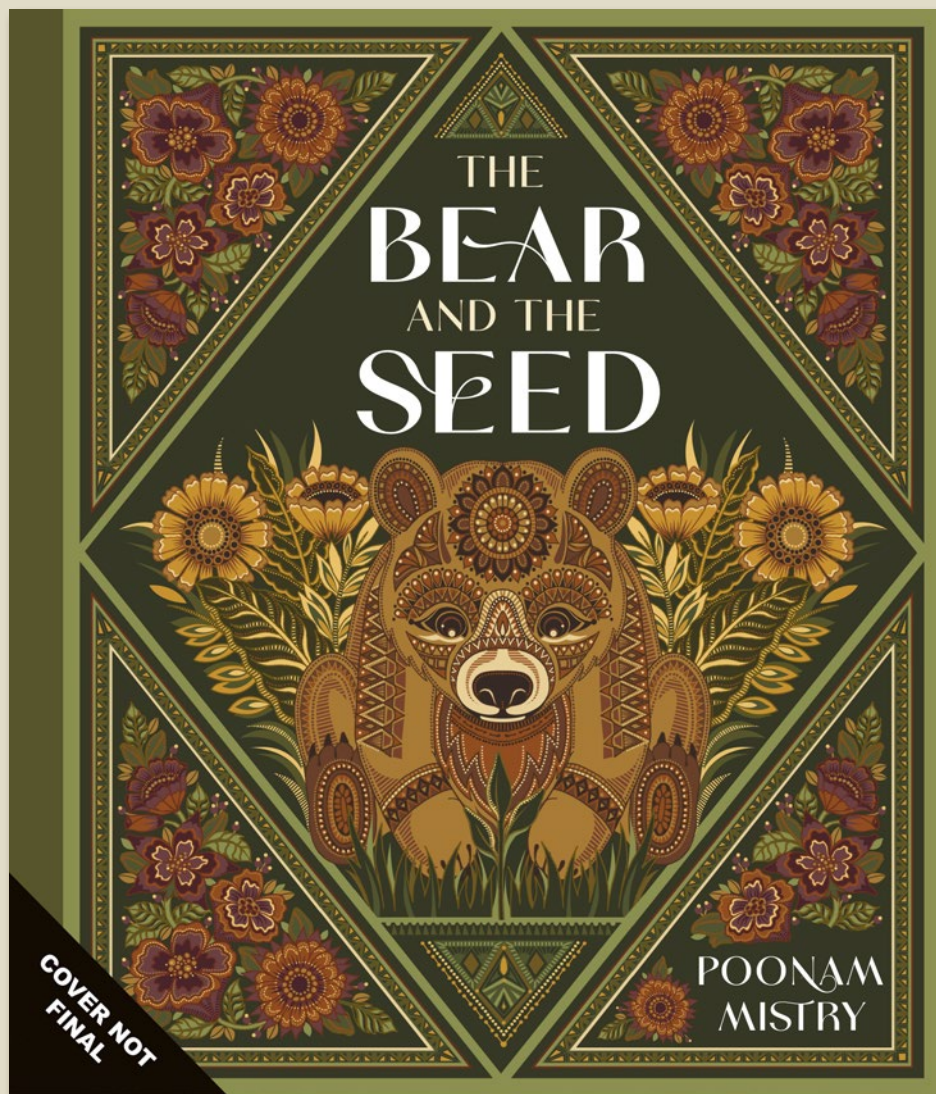
- Author-illustrated Poonam Mistry, was shortlisted for the Kate Greenaway for both *How the Stars Came to Be* and *You're Safe with Me*.
- Strong themes of acceptance, identity and finding the beauty in the colour you are.
- 100% foil on cover.
- Longlisted for the Yoto Carnegie Medal for Illustration 2024.

# The Midnight Panther



Pub Date	<b>04/07/2024</b>
Pub Price	<b>£8.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781787418936</b>
H x W	<b>300 x 220mm</b>
Binding	<b>Paperback</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Author	<b>Poonam Mistry</b>
Extent	<b>48pp</b>
Freight On Board	<b>02/05/2024</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

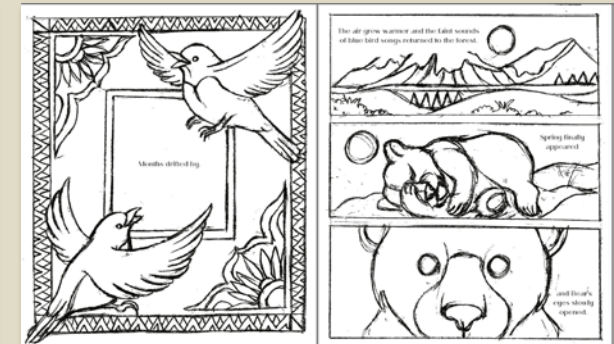
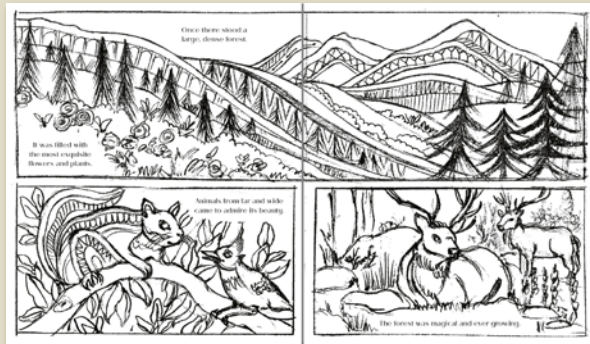
# The Bear and the Seed



**An inspirational folktale about conservation and protection of the environment by Greenaway-shortlisted Poonam Mistry.**

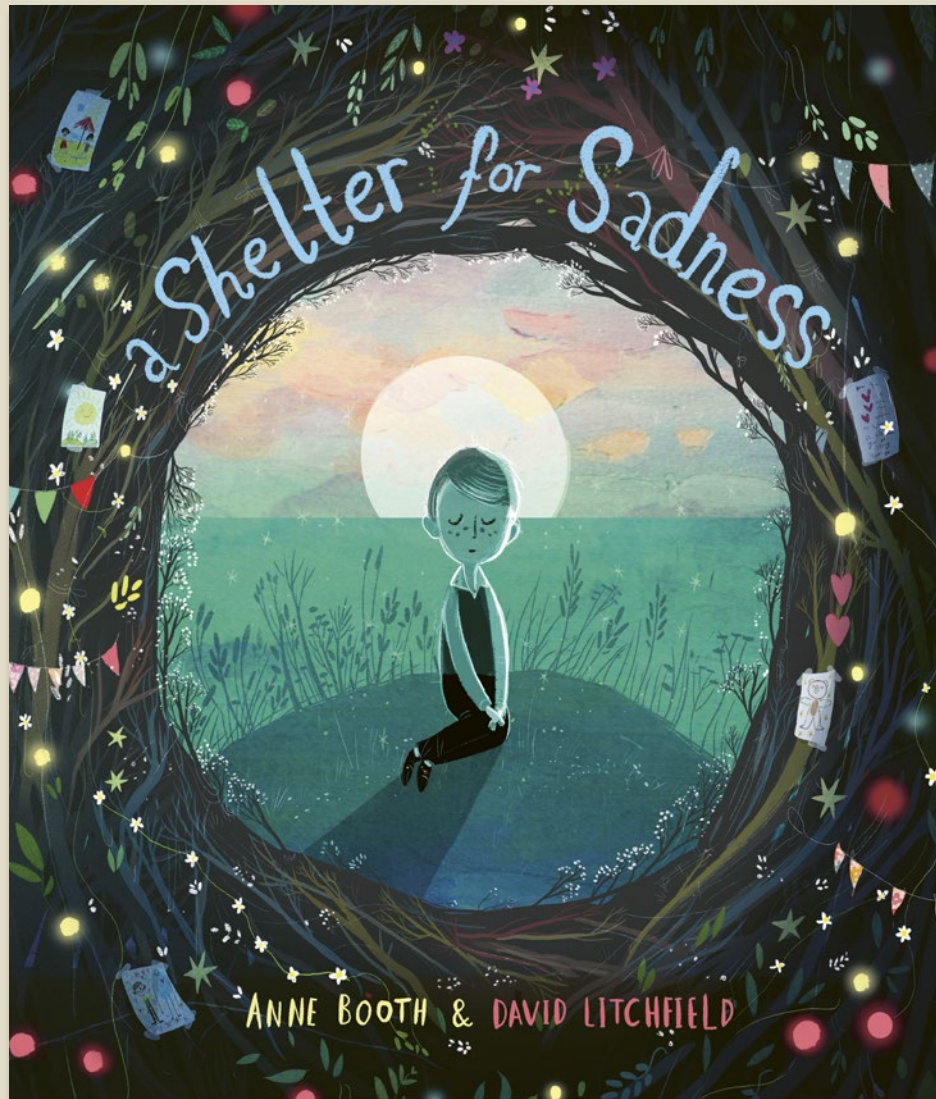
- Created by Greenaway-shortlisted and Carnegie-longlisted illustrator Poonam Mistry, nominated in 2024 for her other Templar book, *The Midnight Panther*
- Themes of conservation and protecting the environment, and a strong message that small actions that you can take will make a big difference.

# The Bear and the Seed



Pub Date	<b>02/10/2025</b>
Pub Price	<b>£12.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781787418905</b>
H x W	<b>287 x 247mm</b>
Binding	<b>Hardback</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Author	<b>Poonam Mistry</b>
Extent	<b>40pp</b>
Word Count	<b>600 words</b>
Translation Files	<b>17/02/2025</b>
Files To Printer	<b>12/05/2025</b>
Freight On Board	<b>31/07/2025</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

# A Shelter for Sadness



**A poignant and heartwarming picture book exploring the nature of sadness.**

- Over 22,000 copies sold worldwide (as of July 2022)
- A poignant and heartwarming text addressing the hugely important and topical issue of sadness and depression
- Dealing with abstract emotions in an approachable and child-friendly way
- Anne Booth is known for the exceptional warmth and authenticity of her writing. She was inspired to write this book by the words of Etty Hillesum, a Holocaust victim.
- With superb illustrations from multi-award winning David Litchfield, who has sensitively visualized the nature of Sadness

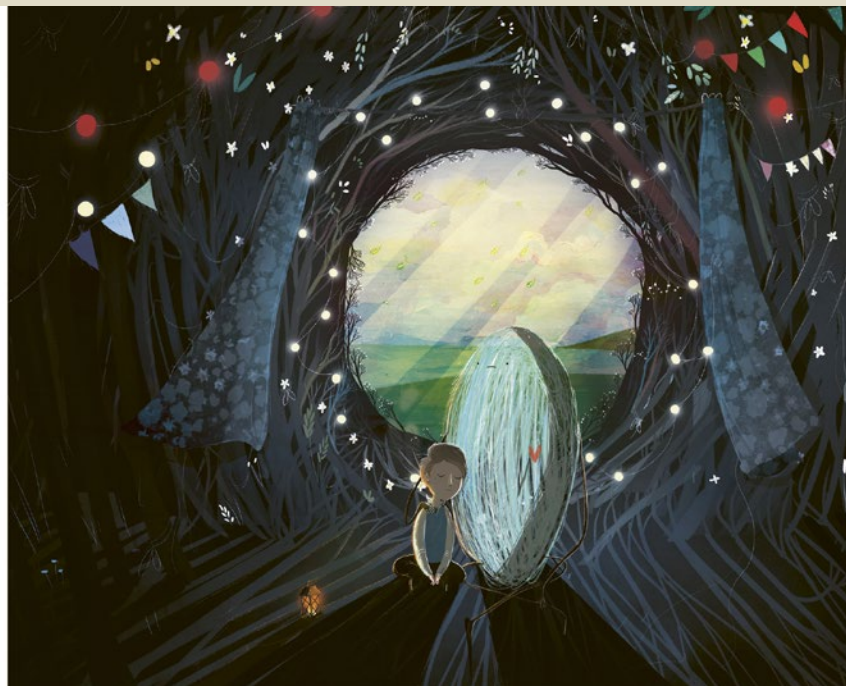


# A Shelter for Sadness



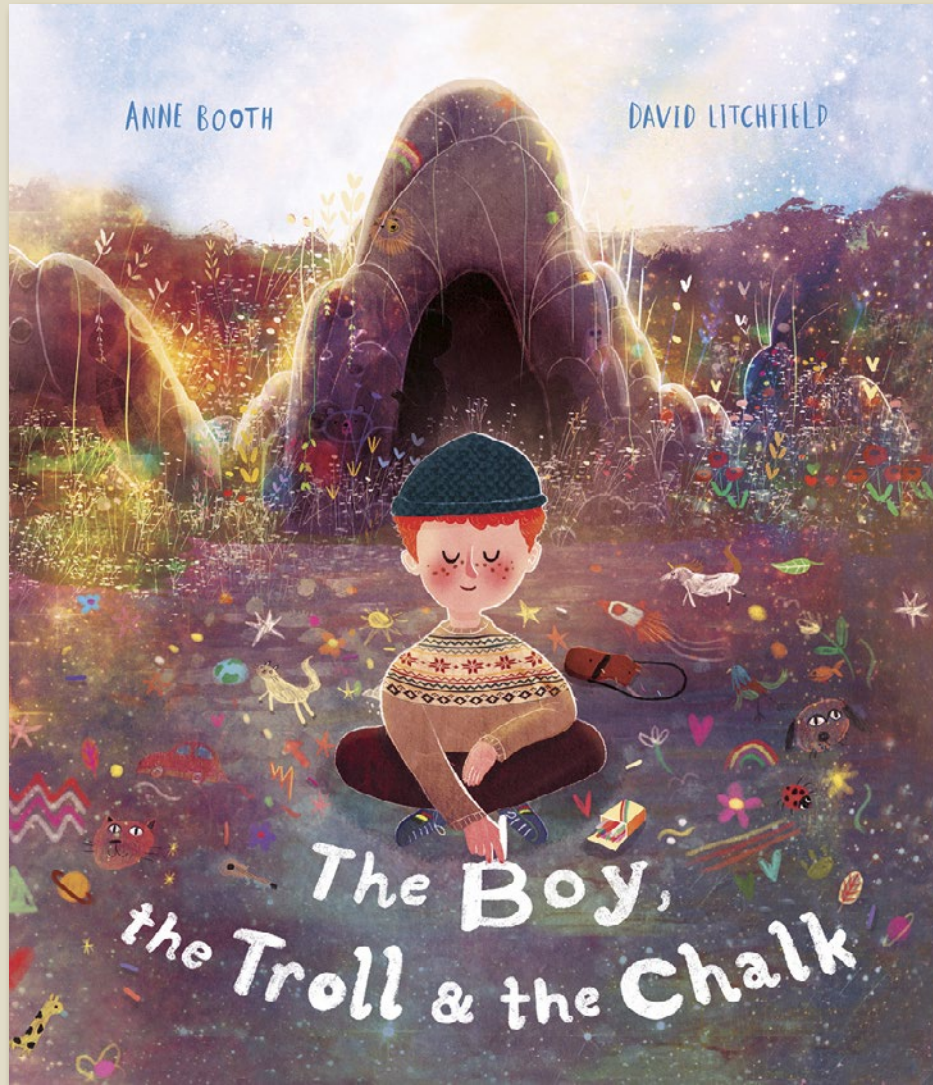
The shelter I will build for my Sadness will have light from the sun or from the moon and stars.

But the windows will have curtains that Sadness can draw when it wants to. And there will be candles or lamps if Sadness needs them.



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Pub Price	<b>£6.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800780873</b>
H x W	<b>287 x 247mm</b>
Binding	<b>Paperback</b>
Age Range	<b>5-7 years</b>
Category	<b>Picture Book</b>
Author	<b>Anne Booth</b>
Illustrator	<b>David Litchfield</b>
Extent	<b>40pp</b>
Word Count	<b>460 words</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

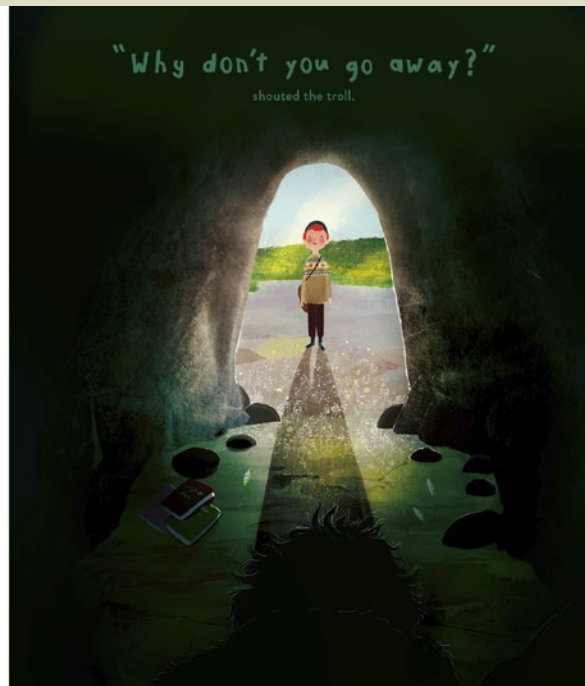
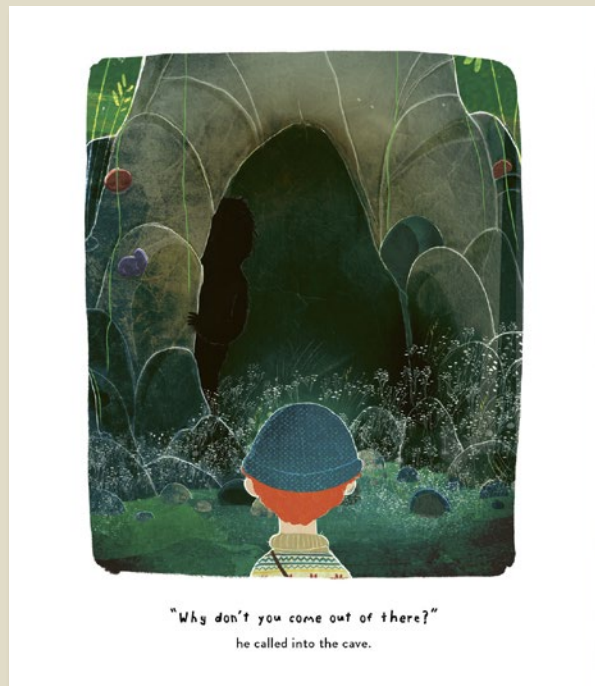
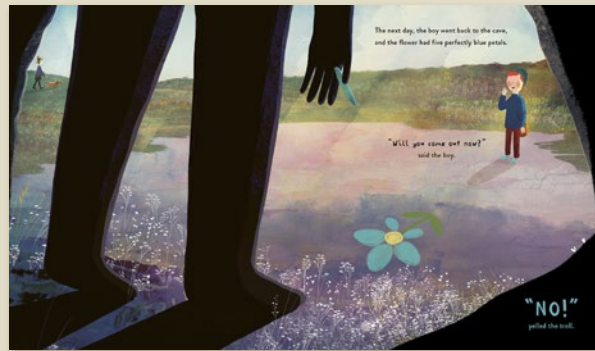
# The Boy, the Troll and the Chalk



**A touching picture book about the power of art and the imagination, brought to life by David Litchfield's art.**

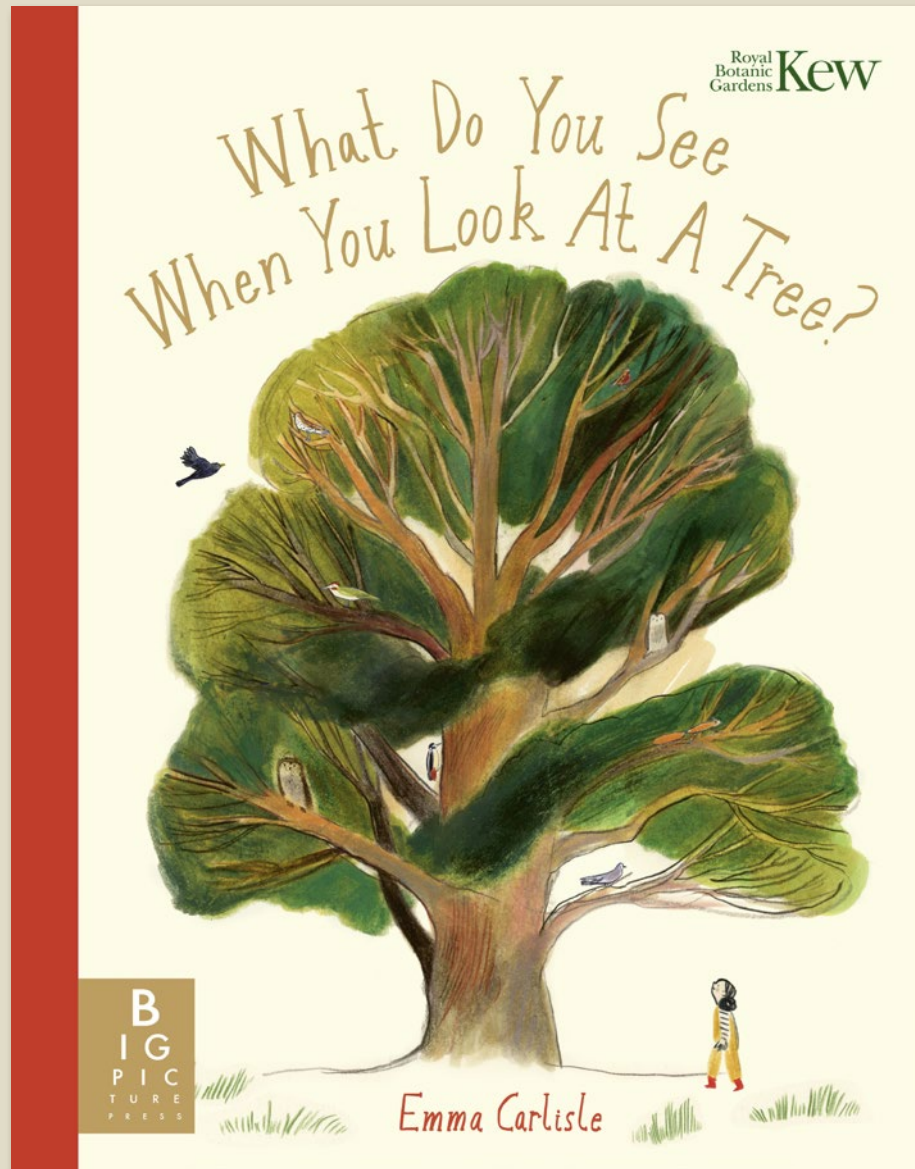
- Award-winning artist David Litchfield and author Anne Booth come together again, following on from the international success of *A Shelter for Sadness*. *Shelter* was a 2022 Empathy Lab selection and has sold over 60,000 copies worldwide (as of September 2023).
- Anne Booth is known for the exceptional warmth and authenticity of her writing.
- With superb illustrations from multi-award winning artist David Litchfield.
- "A perfectly pitched, heartfelt meditation" *The Guardian* on *A Shelter for Sadness*

# The Boy, the Troll and the Chalk



Pub Date	06/06/2024
Pub Price	£12.99
ISBN	9781800783058
H x W	287 x 247mm
Binding	Hardback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Anne Booth
Illustrator	David Litchfield
Extent	40pp
Rights Available	World

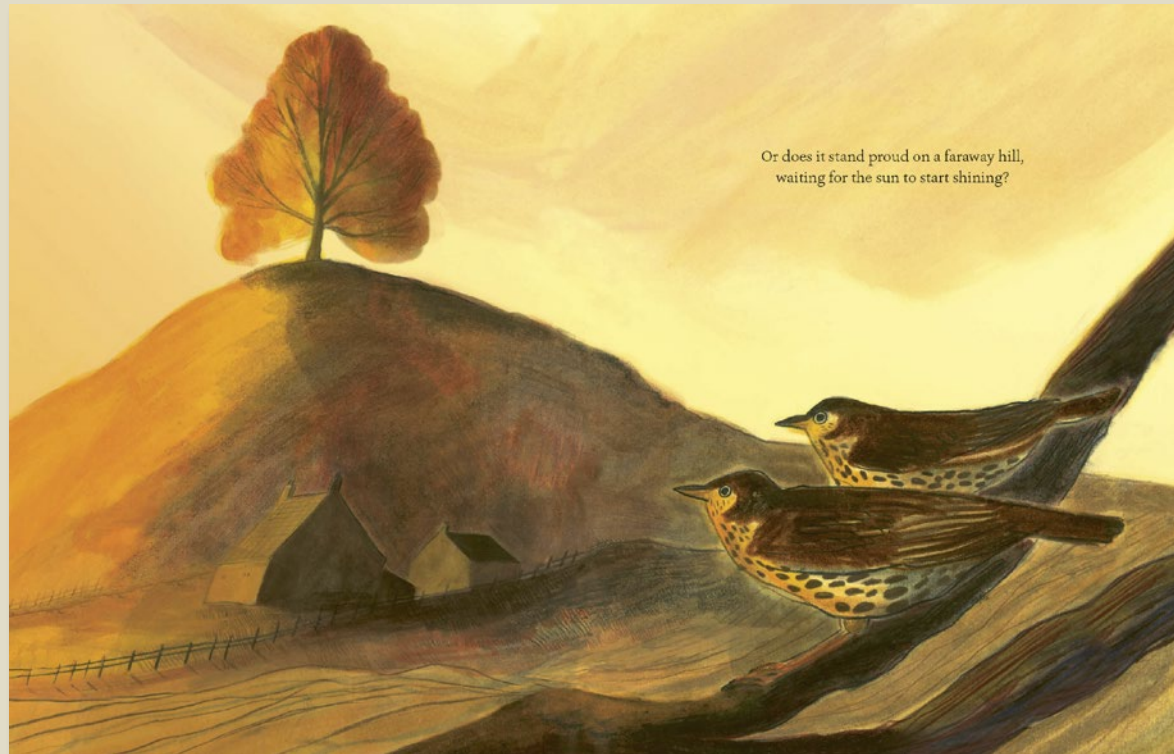
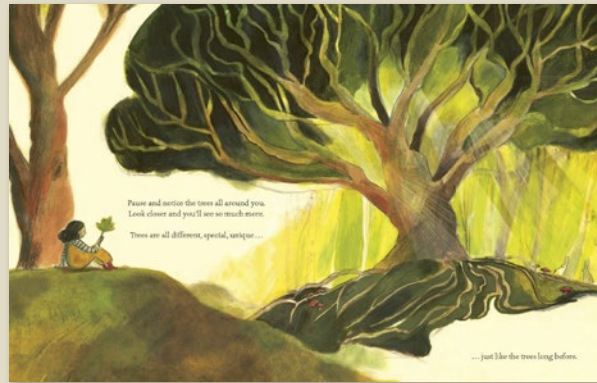
# What Do You See When You Look At a Tree?



**Immerse yourself in this gentle picture book that encourages us to explore our connection with nature, now in paperback.**

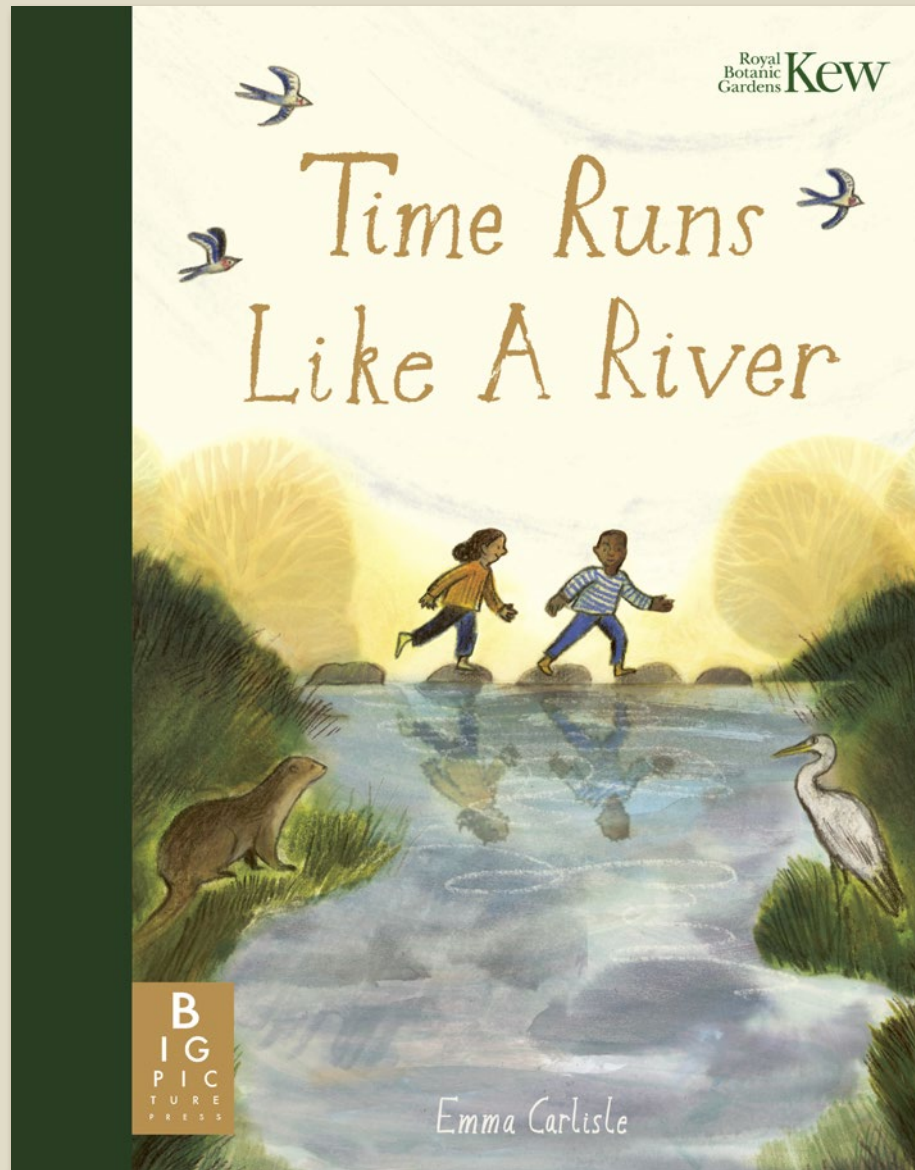
- Now available in beautiful paperback - with printed interior cover, flaps and 100% foil.
- In association with the Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew
- Critically acclaimed picture book by Greenaway and Flugge-nominated artist, Emma Carlisle

# What Do You See When You Look At a Tree?



Pub Date	<b>19/01/2023</b>
Pub Price	<b>£8.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800784383</b>
H x W	<b>300 x 235mm</b>
Binding	<b>Paperback</b>
Age Range	<b>5-7 years</b>
Author	<b>Emma Carlisle</b>
Illustrator	<b>Emma Carlisle</b>
Extent	<b>40pp</b>
Word Count	<b>800 words</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

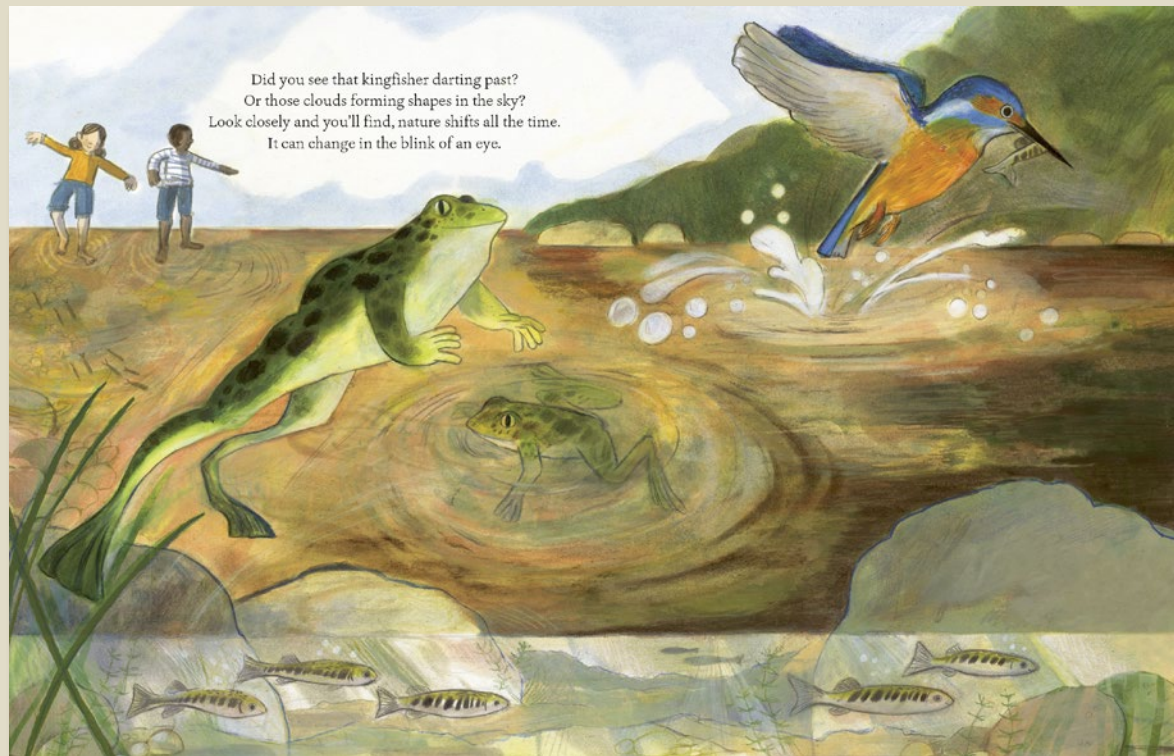
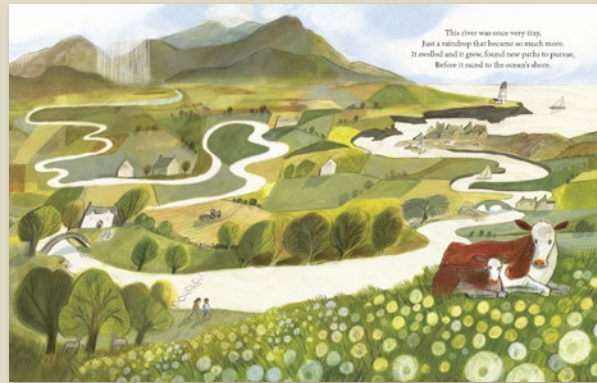
# Time Runs Like A River



*Time runs like a river, never resting, moving steadily on. But if we notice how different each minute can be, we can appreciate them before they are gone.*

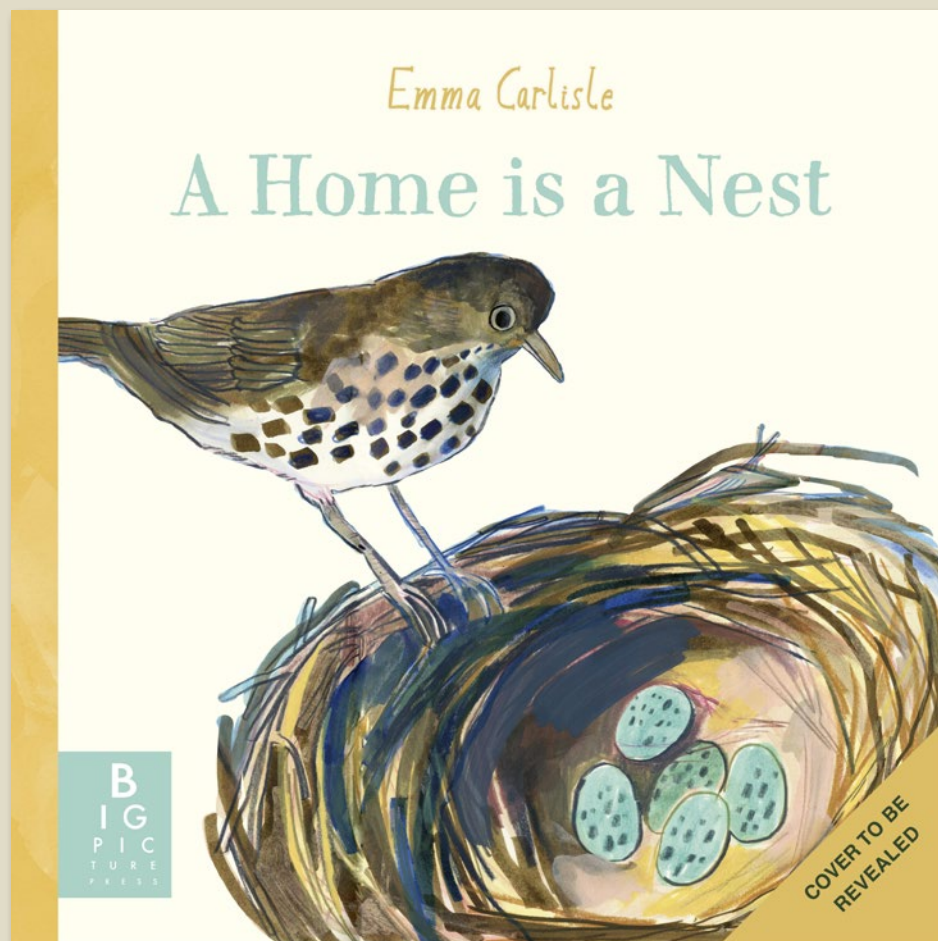
- A beautiful new picture book to follow on from the bestselling *What Do You See When You Look At A Tree?*
- *What Do You See When You Look At A Tree?* was selected as a 2023 Empathy Labs title, and shortlisted for the Waterstone's Children's Prize 2023.
- Soft watercolour artwork encourages children to slow down and notice nature.
- Non-fiction spreads at the back of the book are full of mindful tips.
- **Celebrating 10 Years of Extraordinary Illustrated Books**

# Time Runs Like A River



Pub Date	<b>20/06/2024</b>
Pub Price	<b>£12.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800785946</b>
H x W	<b>300 x 235mm</b>
Binding	<b>Hardback</b>
Age Range	<b>5-7 years</b>
Author	<b>Emma Carlisle</b>
Illustrator	<b>Emma Carlisle</b>
Extent	<b>40pp</b>
Word Count	<b>1812 words</b>
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# A Home Is A Nest

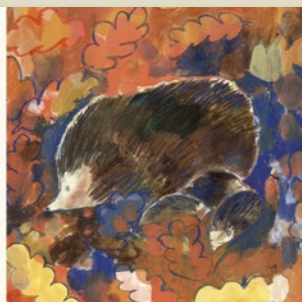
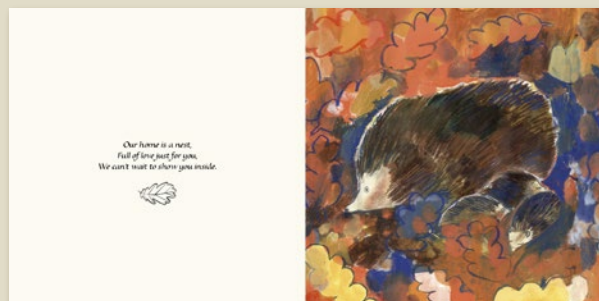


**The perfect gift for anyone welcoming a new child into the family, this comforting picture book explores the idea of ‘home’, through nature’s lens.**

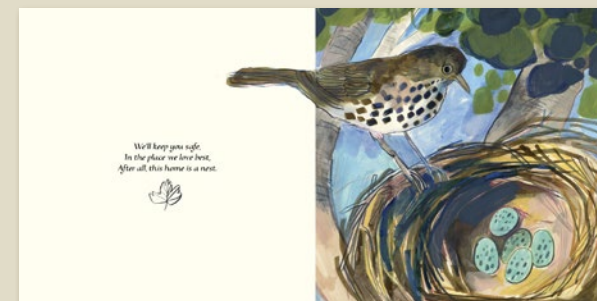
- The third title from the bestselling Emma Carlisle
- Beautiful large format is perfect for reading aloud and sharing with little ones.
- Matt varnish, 100% foil and quarter binding cover finishes



# A Home Is A Nest

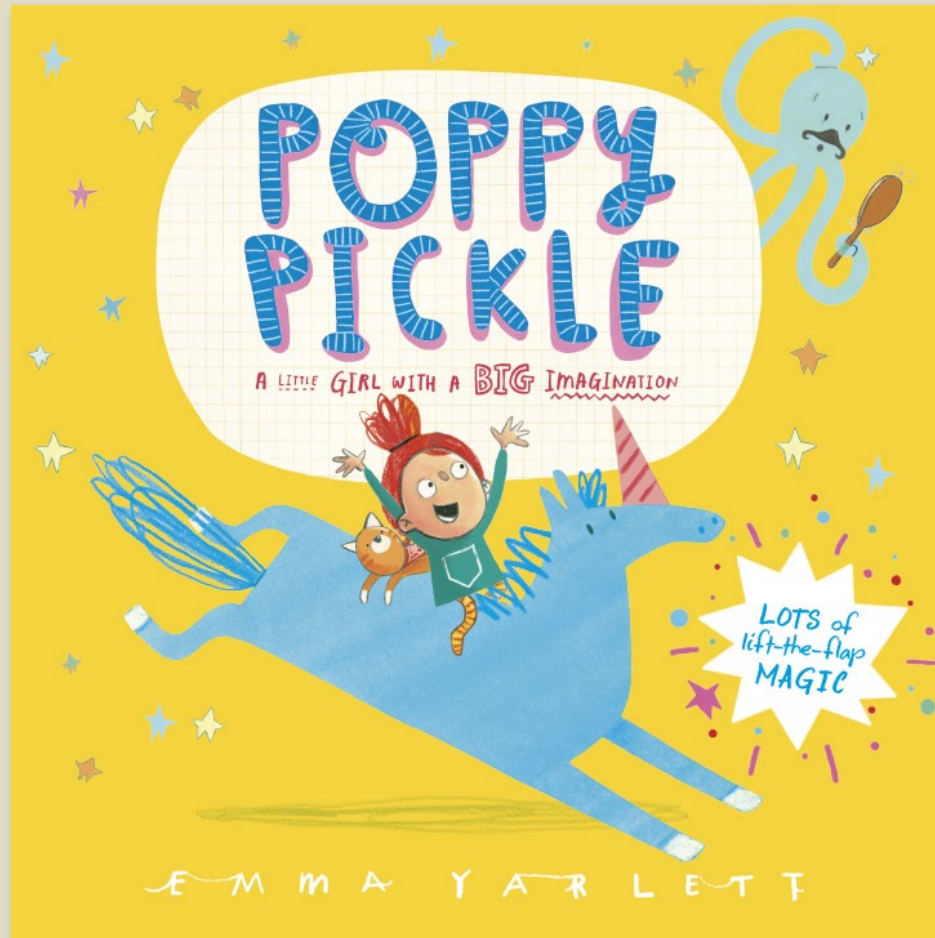


Welcome to your home, little one,  
We're so happy you're here,  
Now snuggle your head on my chest.



Pub Date	<b>13/03/2025</b>
Pub Price	<b>£12.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800786103</b>
H x W	<b>270 x 270mm</b>
Binding	<b>Hardback</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Author	<b>Emma Carlisle</b>
Illustrator	<b>Emma Carlisle</b>
Extent	<b>32pp</b>
Word Count	<b>3000 words</b>
Translation Files	<b>29/07/2024</b>
Files To Printer	<b>21/10/2024</b>
Freight On Board	<b>09/01/2025</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

# Poppy Pickle



## A vibrant, lift-the-flap story about a girl with a big imagination!

- A reissue of an early title from bestselling author-illustrator Emma Yarlett (*Orion and the Dark*, *Nibbles the Book Monster*, *Dragon Post*).
- Now filled with lift-the-flaps that bring Poppy's imagination to life - perfect for sharing and reading together.
- A fun, likeable protagonist who reaffirms the joy of nurturing our imagination.
- Cover treatment: matt lam and spot UV.

# Poppy Pickle



Pub Date	<b>05/01/2023</b>
Pub Price	<b>£7.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800783898</b>
H x W	<b>250 x 250mm</b>
Binding	<b>Paperback</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Author	<b>Emma Yarlett</b>
Illustrator	<b>Emma Yarlett</b>
Extent	<b>32pp</b>
Word Count	<b>327 words</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

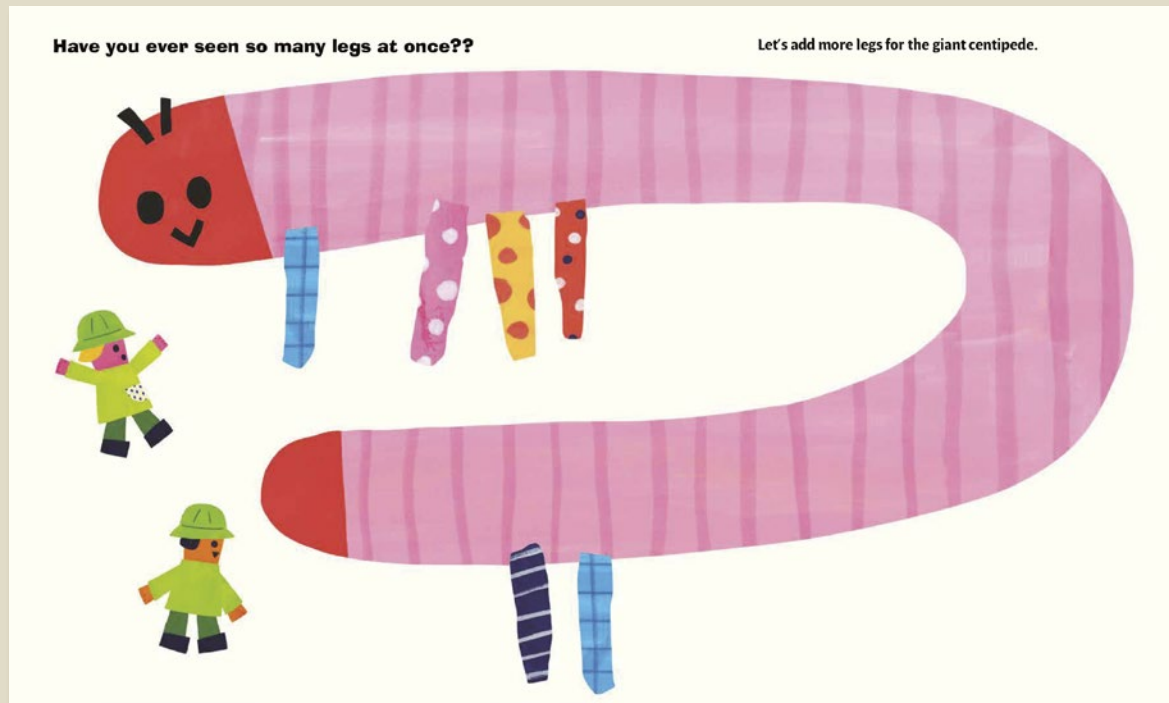
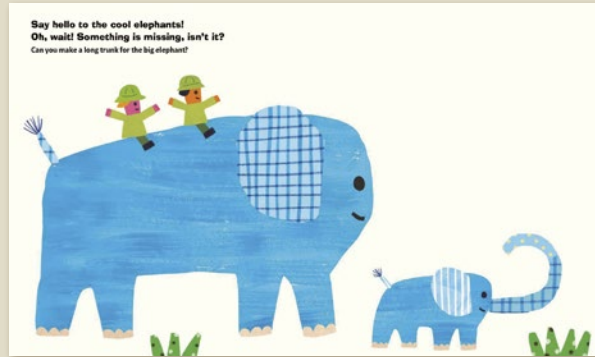
# Paper Adventures



**A rip-and-glue activity book perfect for creative little hands.**

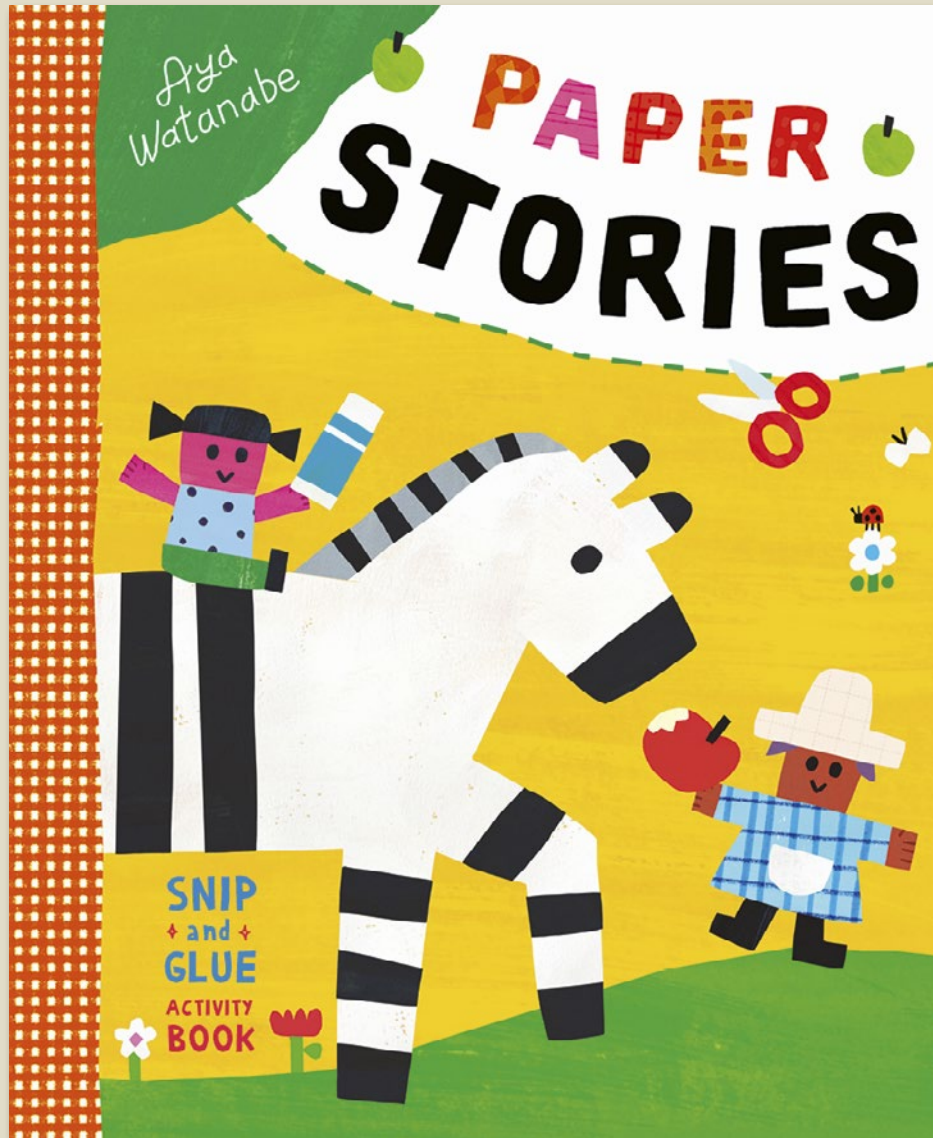
- Simple and engaging prompts encourage children to complete the scenes using craft paper in the back of the book.
- A perfect introduction to different animals and wildlife, ripping and gluing also helps children develop their fine motor control skills and keeps little hands busy for hours.
- Inspires children to create art from materials they have on hand, bringing paper to life in delightful and unexpected ways.
- Vibrant artwork from rising talent, Japanese illustrator Aya Watanabe. Other books for Templar include the wonderfully creative *Imagine if* board book series.

# Paper Adventures



Pub Date	30/05/2024
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800788145
H x W	280 x 235mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	7-9 years
Author	Aya Watanabe
Extent	64pp
Word Count	550 words
Rights Available	World ex IT,CN,N. AMERICA

# Paper Stories



**A snip-and-glue activity book perfect for creative little hands.**

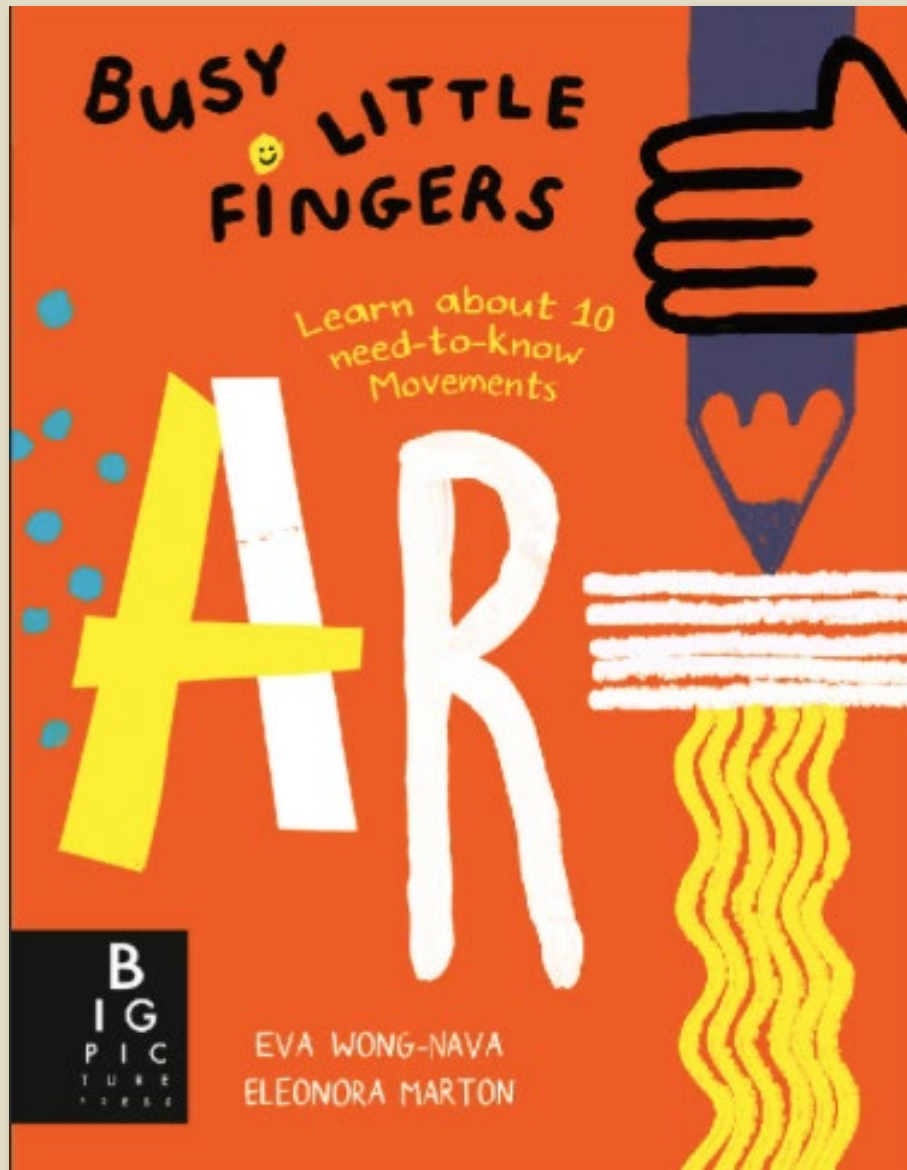
- Simple and engaging prompts encourage children to complete the scenes.
- The second book in the series, cutting and sticking helps practice and improve fine motor control skills whilst each scene is a fantastic story prompt for children's imagination.
- Vibrant artwork from rising talent, Japanese illustrator Aya Watanabe. Other books for Templar include the wonderfully creative *Imagine if* board book series.

# Paper Stories



Pub Date	01/08/2024
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800788152
H x W	280 x 235mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	7-9 years
Author	Aya Watanabe
Illustrator	Aya Watanabe
Extent	64pp
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# Busy Little Fingers: Art

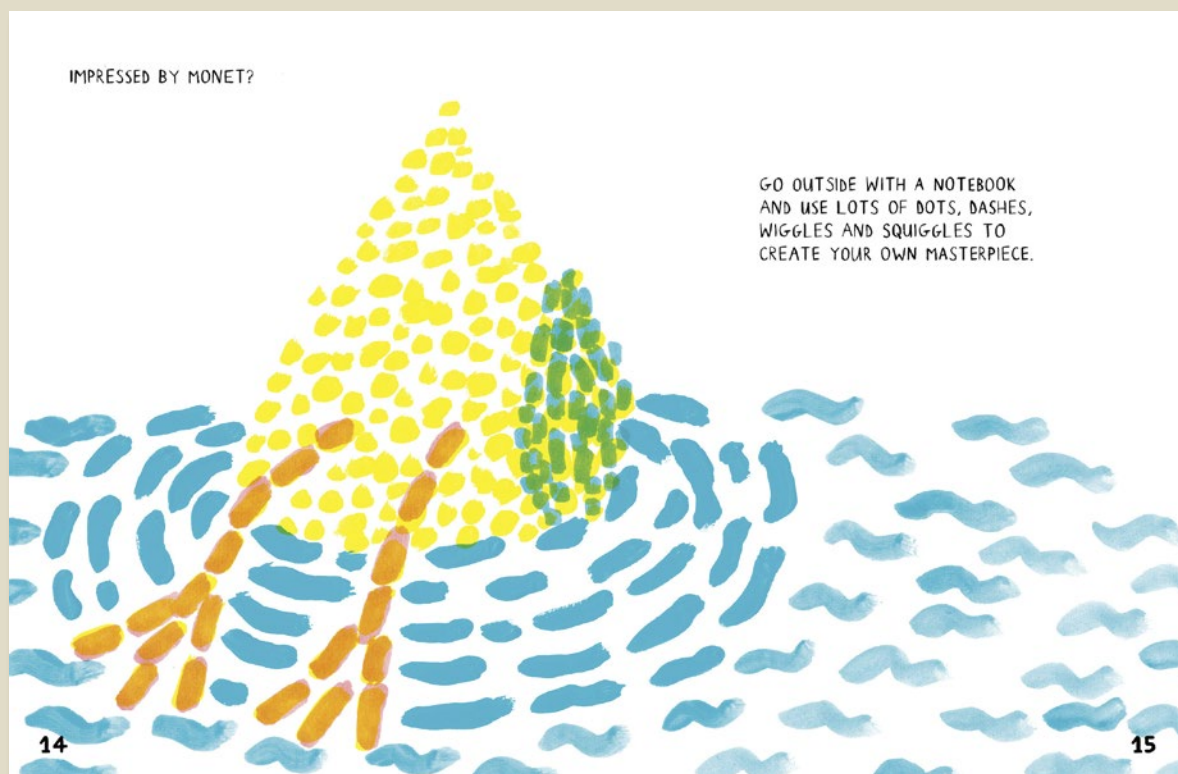


**Can you make a face with vegetables? How do you paint a dream? This bright and busy book provides a fun first look at art concepts, and is jam-packed with things for busy little fingers to try!**

- Contents: Hello, Art World!; Mannerism; Impressionism; Cubism; Fauvism; Symbolism; Surrealism; Abstract Expressionism; Pop Art; Op Art; Contemporary Art; Make Your Mark!
- A vibrant new series for 4-6 year olds exploring the creative arts
- Fun artwork by Big Picture Press debut artist, Eleonora Marton

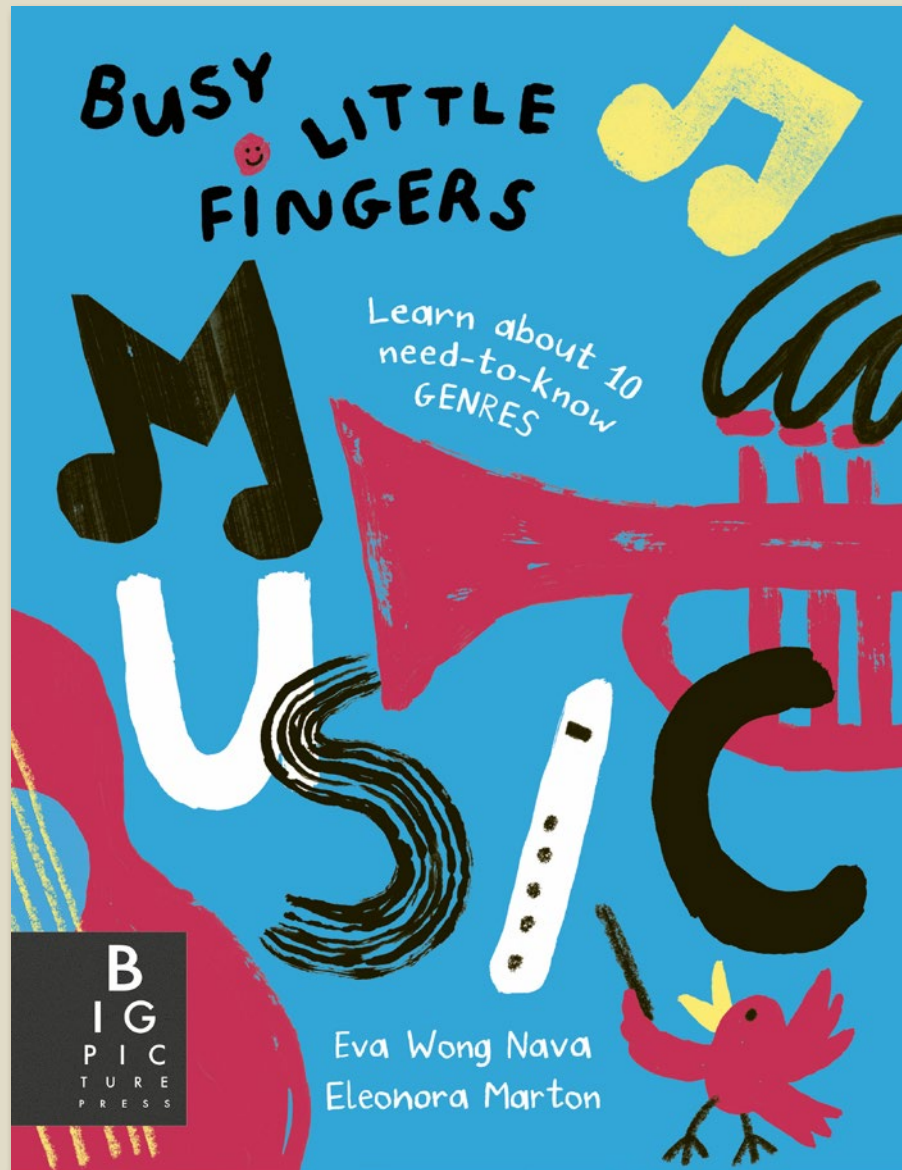


# Busy Little Fingers: Art



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Pub Price	<b>£9.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800784642</b>
H x W	<b>246 x 189mm</b>
Binding	<b>Flexiback</b>
Age Range	<b>0-5 years</b>
Author	<b>Eva Wong Nava</b>
Illustrator	<b>Eleonora Marton</b>
Extent	<b>48pp</b>
Word Count	<b>2001 words</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

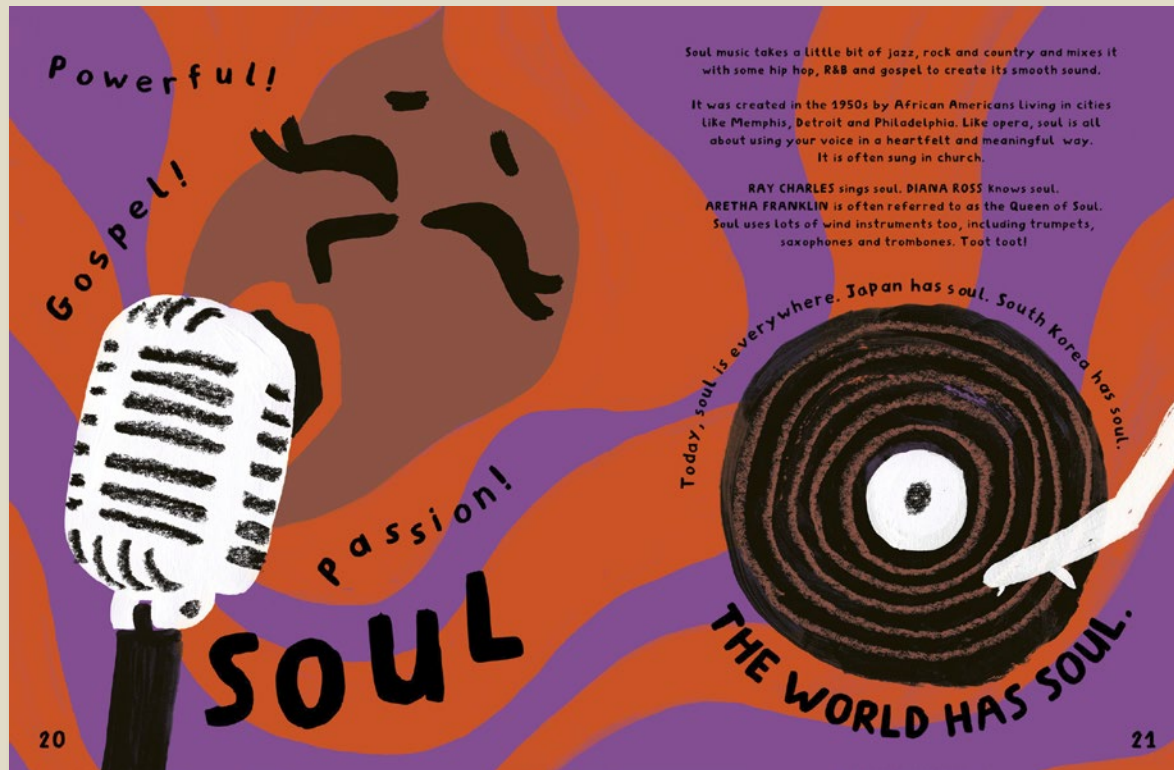
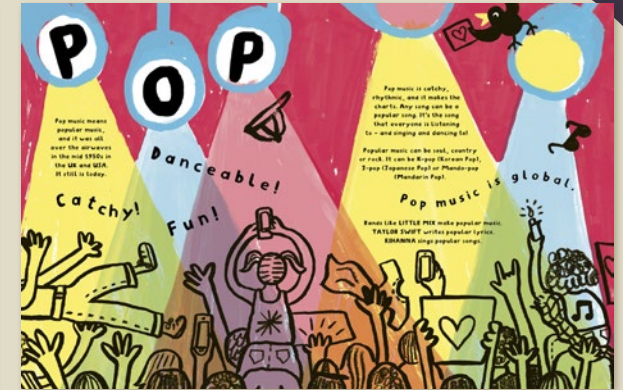
# Busy Little Fingers: Music



**This bright and busy book provides a fun first look at music, with lots for busy little fingers to try!**

- Pantone and spot UV cover finishes
- Fun flexi format is perfect for busy little fingers!
- A vibrant new series for 4-6 year-olds exploring the creative arts
- Fun artwork by Eleonora Marton, and expert text by children's author Eva Wong Nava
- Contents: Hello, Music!, Classical, Opera, Jazz, Soul, Blues, Folk, Country, Rock, Pop, Hip Hop
- **Celebrating 10 Years of Extraordinary Illustrated Books**

# Busy Little Fingers: Music



Pub Date	04/07/2024
Pub Price	£9.99
ISBN	9781800786455
H x W	246 x 189mm
Binding	Flexiback
Age Range	0-5 years
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Illustrator	Eleonora Marton
Extent	48pp
Word Count	1560 words
Rights Available	World

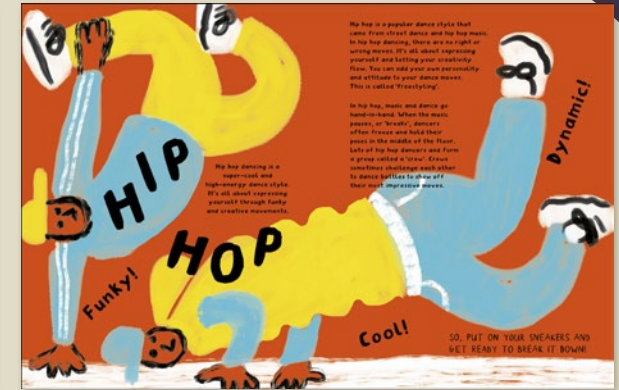
# Busy Little Toes: Dance



**Can you shuffle your feet like Fred Astaire? What do you need to know to learn ballet? This bright and busy book provides a fun first look at dance, and is jam-packed with things for busy little toe-tappers to try!**

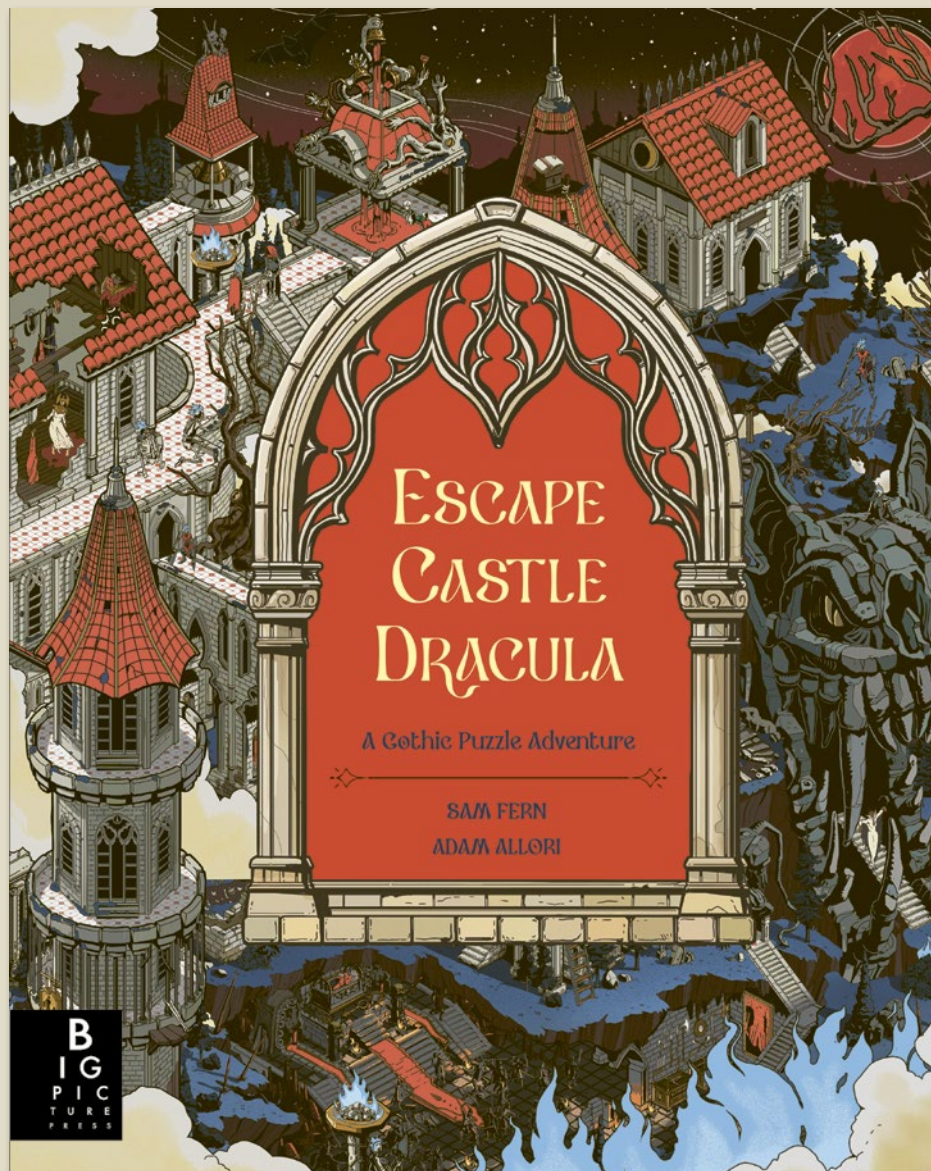
- Pantone and spot UV cover finishes
- Fun flexi format is perfect for little readers
- A vibrant new series for 4-6 year-olds exploring the creative arts
- Vibrant artwork by Eleonora Marton is full of life and movement

# Busy Little Toes: Dance



Pub Date	12/06/2025
Pub Price	£9.99
ISBN	9781800788169
H x W	246 x 189mm
Binding	Flexiback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Joanna McInerney
Illustrator	Eleonora Marton
Extent	48pp
Word Count	1500 words
Translation Files	30/09/2024
Files To Printer	20/01/2025
Freight On Board	27/03/2025
Rights Available	World

# Escape Castle Dracula



## A stunningly illustrated gothic puzzle adventure!

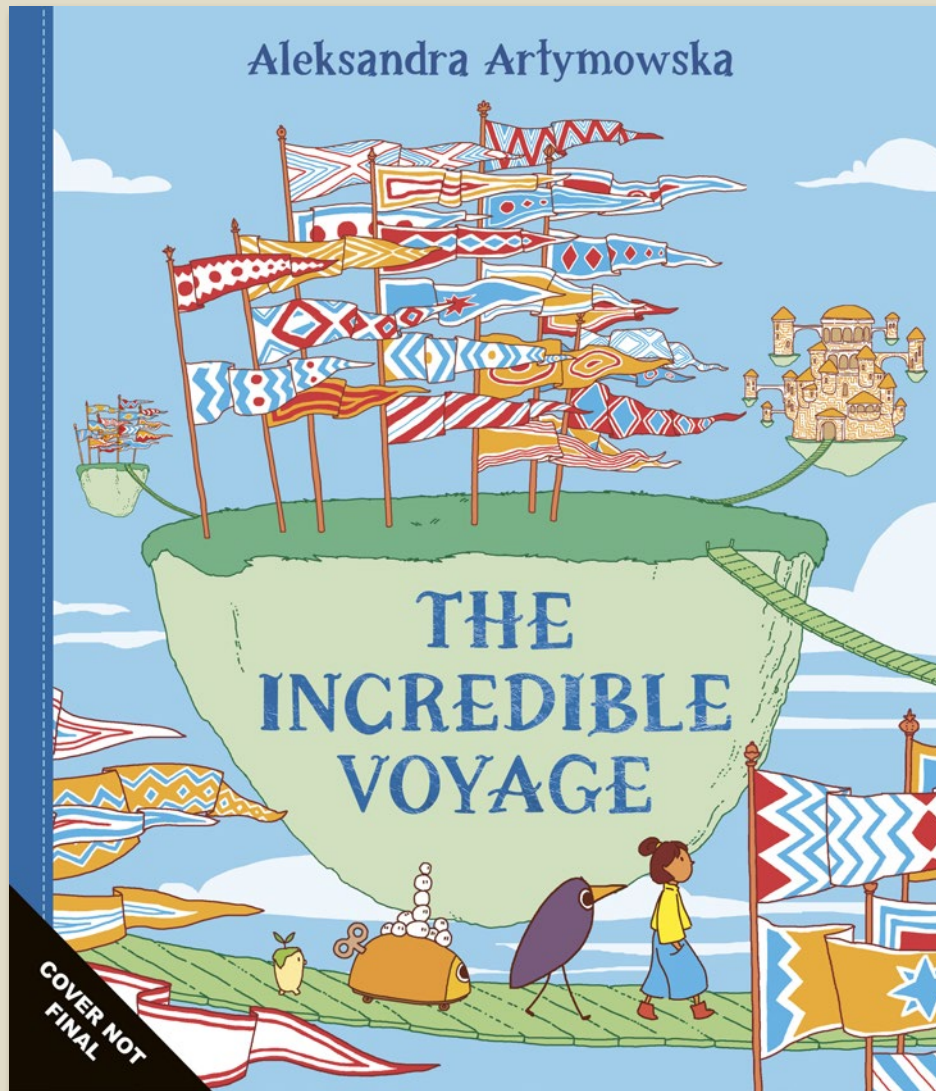
- Expanding our high-end activity offering - a core part of the Big Picture Press list
- Perfect for introducing readers to classic horror stories
- A fresh approach to an evergreen, universal subject
- Adam Allori's immersive artwork will appeal to readers of all ages
- Strong backlist and series potential - our follow up title could focus on classic adventure stories

# Escape Castle Dracula



Pub Date	12/09/2024
Pub Price	£14.99
ISBN	9781800783423
H x W	340 x 270mm
Binding	Hardback
Age Range	12+ years
Author	Sam Fern
Illustrator	Adam Allori
Extent	40pp
Files To Printer	06/05/2024
Freight On Board	25/07/2024
Rights Available	World

# The Incredible Voyage



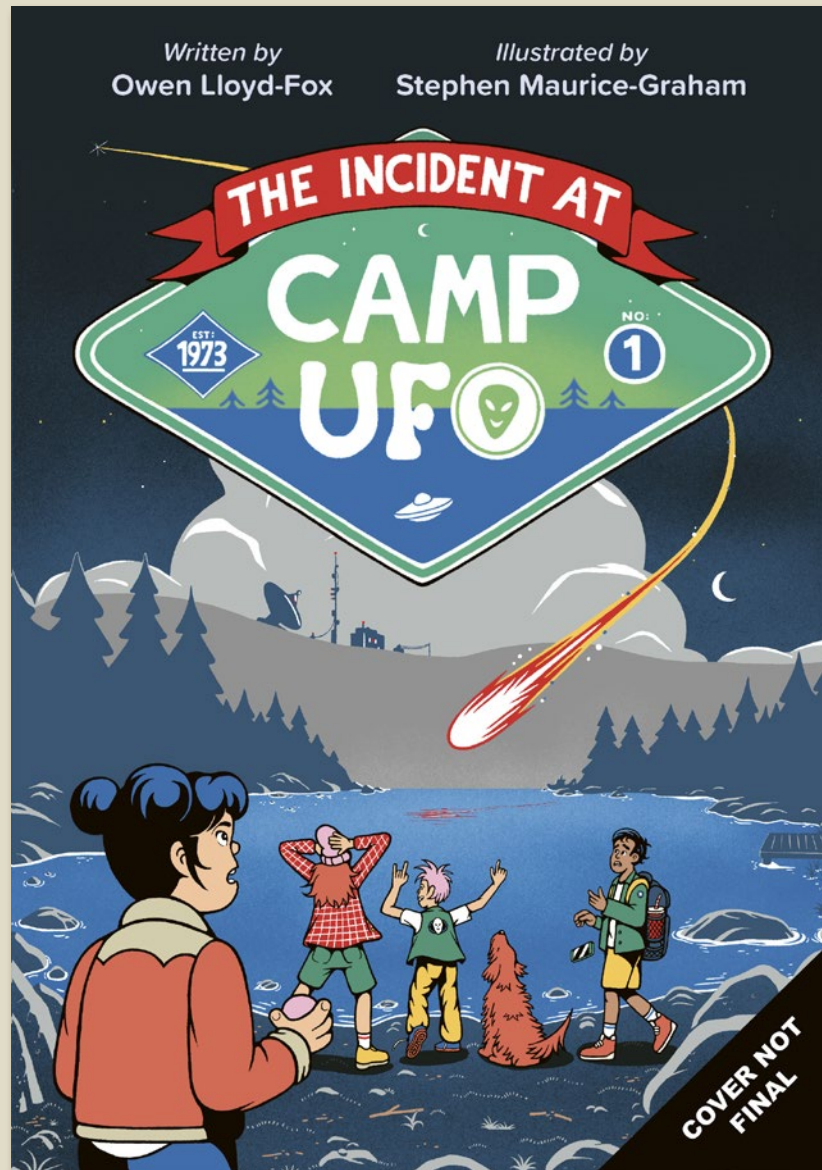
**Embark on an incredible adventure in a magical land this beautifully whimsical puzzle book.**

- A beautifully whimsical puzzle book, mixing the fun and interactivity of puzzles with an epic adventure story. Perfect for unlocking the joy of reading.
- Written and illustrated by Aleksandra Artymowska, illustrator of bestselling *Around the World in 80 Puzzles* and *20,000 Leagues Under the Sea: A Puzzle Adventure*. Ola's puzzle books have sold over 100,000 copies worldwide.
- Featuring a strong female protagonist who shows that bravery and a sense of adventure isn't only for boys.





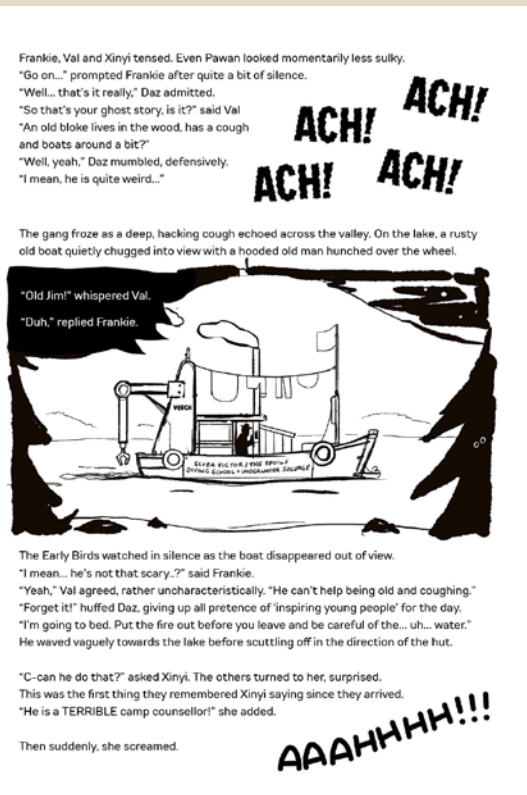
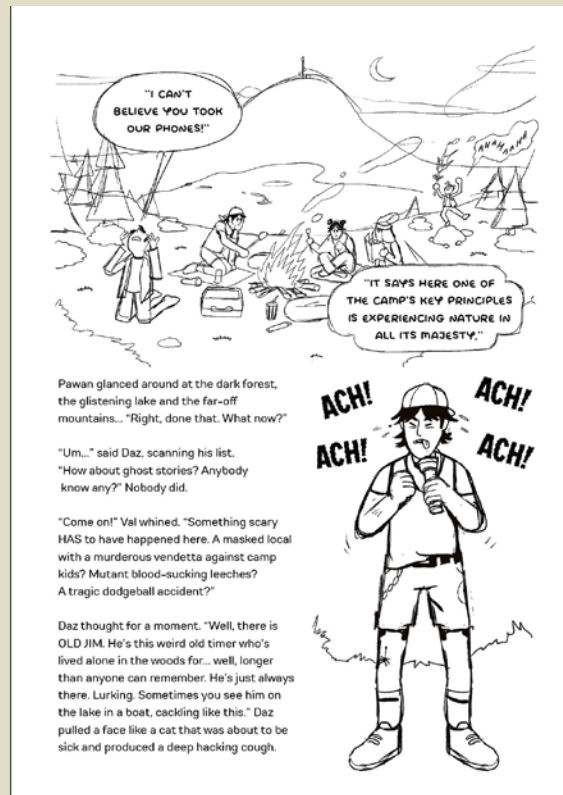
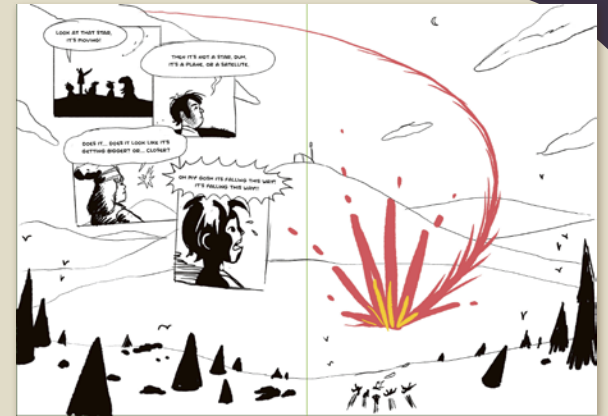
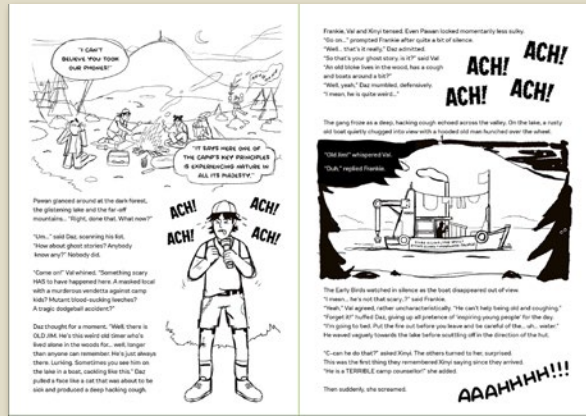
# The Incident at Camp UFO



**Unravel cryptic clues, solve fiendish puzzles, avoid the Shini-ta aliens at all costs and help the gang uncover the incident at Camp UFO!**

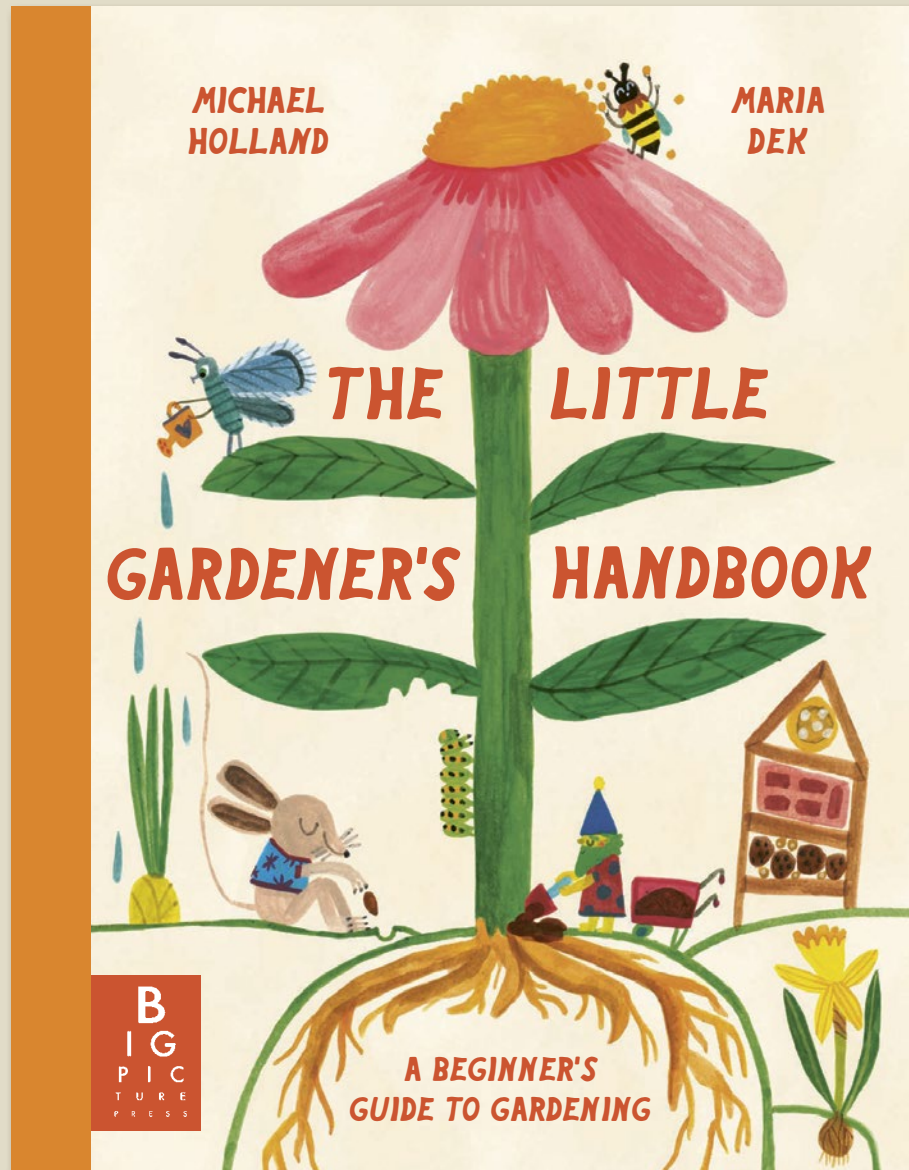
- A brand-new adventure puzzle book series complete with graphic novel style illustrations. Perfect for fans of Bunny vs. Monkey, Stranger Things and gaming enthusiasts. A must-have for reluctant readers.
- Featuring a strong cast of characters with authentic stories from diverse backgrounds, including South and South East Asia, plus a non-binary character with partial hearing loss.

# The Incident at Camp UFO



Pub Date	07/08/2025
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800788725
H x W	210 x 148mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	9-11 years
Author	Owen Lloyd-Fox
Illustrator	Stephen Maurice Graham
Extent	112pp
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Translation Files	25/11/2024
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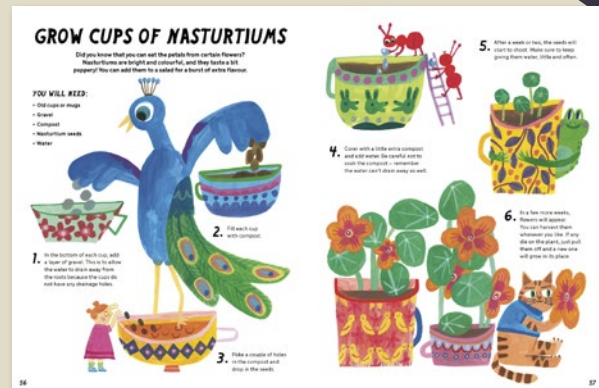
# The Little Gardener's Handbook



## A vibrant introduction to gardening.

- A vibrant first introduction to gardening for ages 6+
- Includes DIY activities to try at home.
- Text by expert ecologist and educator, Michael Holland.
- Colourful, charming artwork by illustrator Maria Dek.
- Expanding the younger side of the Big Picture Press list.
- Gardening is a subject only growing in popularity.
- Arlin quarter binding and matt lam cover finishes.

# The Little Gardener's Handbook



Pub Date	25/04/2024
Pub Price	£16.99
ISBN	9781800786035
H x W	280 x 215mm
Binding	Hardback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Michael Holland
Illustrator	Maria Dek-Le-wandowska
Extent	64pp
Rights Available	World

# The Snow Queen



**Award-winning illustrator Lesley Barnes brings a magical touch to this pop-up edition of 'the Snow Queen'.**

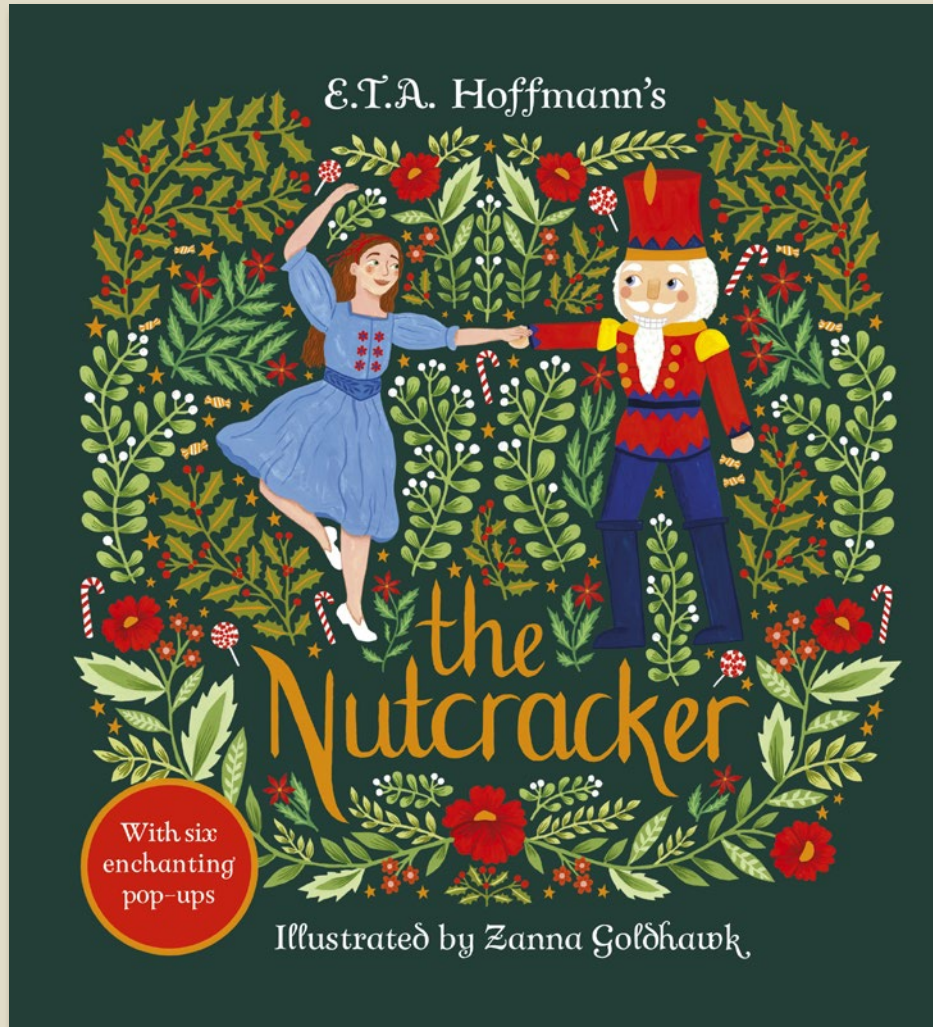
- Illustrations by Lesley Barnes, author and illustrator of *Jill and Dragon* and *Jill and Lion* (Tate).
- A beautifully produced gift edition for the Christmas market.
- Clever paper engineering from the renowned in-house team at Templar.
- Lesley Barnes has created product ranges for both the V&A and Tate Museums.
- 100% foil on the cover. Printed with gold ink on every pop-up page.

# The Snow Queen



Pub Date	<b>21/10/2021</b>
Pub Price	<b>£11.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781787416888</b>
H x W	<b>200 x 180mm</b>
Binding	<b>Hardback</b>
Age Range	<b>5-7 years</b>
Author	<b>Lesley Barnes</b>
Illustrator	<b>Lesley Barnes</b>
Extent	<b>12pp</b>
Word Count	<b>1200 words</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

# The Nutcracker



## A magical pop-up edition of *The Nutcracker*.

- Brought to life by intricate folk art by Zanna Goldhawk, illustrator of *Winter Tales*.
- E.T.A. Hoffmann's Christmas classic is retold with elegance by Steve Patschke, author of *Don't Look at it, Don't Touch It*.
- Clever paper engineering from the renowned in-house team at Templar.
- 100% foil on the cover.

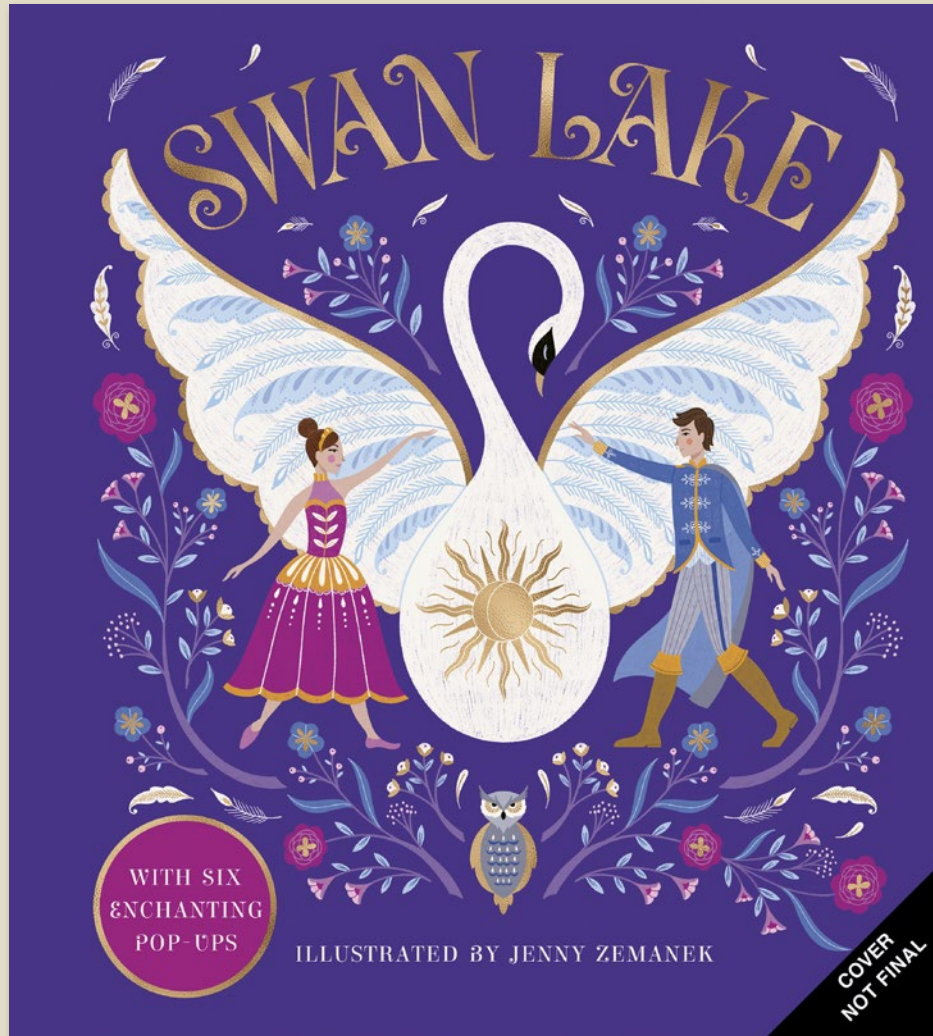


# The Nutcracker



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ISBN	<b>9781800783614</b>
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Binding	<b>Hardback</b>
Age Range	<b>5-7 years</b>
Author	<b>Steve Patschke</b>
Illustrator	<b>Zanna Goldhawk</b>
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# Swan Lake



## A magical pop-up edition of *Swan Lake*.

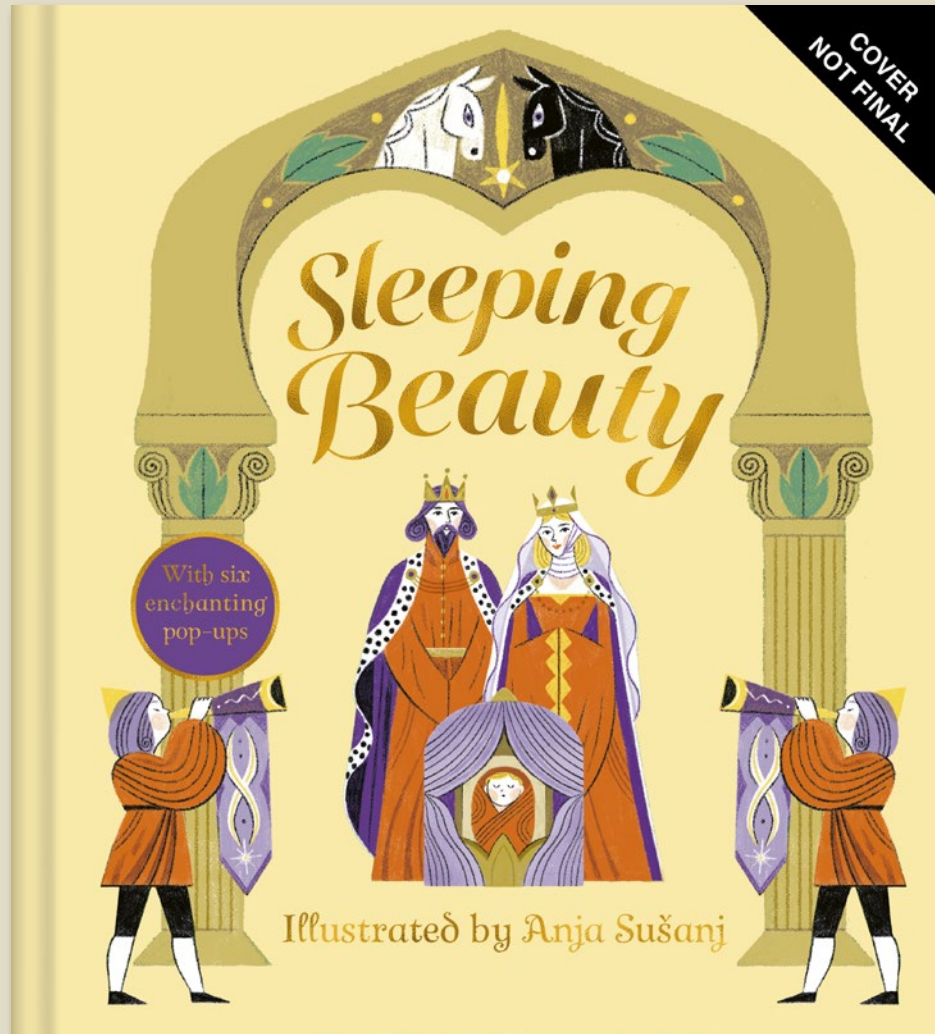
- With a stunning pop-up to dazzle on every spread.
- Brought to life in atmospheric and beautiful art by American illustrator Jenny Zemanek.
- The classic tale, immortalised by Tchaikovsky's ballet, is brought to life in elegant prose suitable for young readers.
- 100% foil on the cover.
- Also in the series: *The Snow Queen* (2021) and *The Nutcracker* (2023) - the series has now sold over 60,000 copies in 4 territories.

# Swan Lake



Pub Date	<b>10/10/2024</b>
Pub Price	<b>£11.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800787278</b>
H x W	<b>200 x 180mm</b>
Binding	<b>Hardback</b>
Age Range	<b>5-7 years</b>
Author	<b>Ruth Symons</b>
Illustrator	<b>Jenny Zemanek</b>
Extent	<b>12pp</b>
Word Count	<b>1500 words</b>
Freight On Board	<b>27/06/2024</b>
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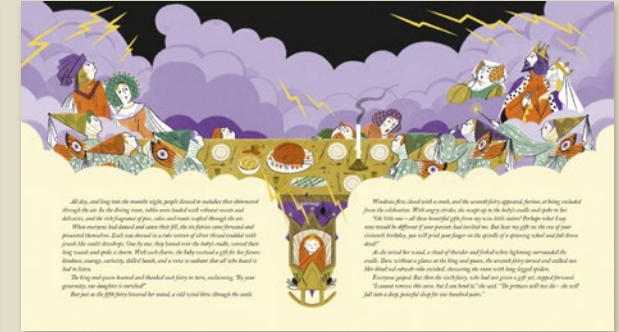
# Sleeping Beauty



## A magical pop-up edition of *Sleeping Beauty*.

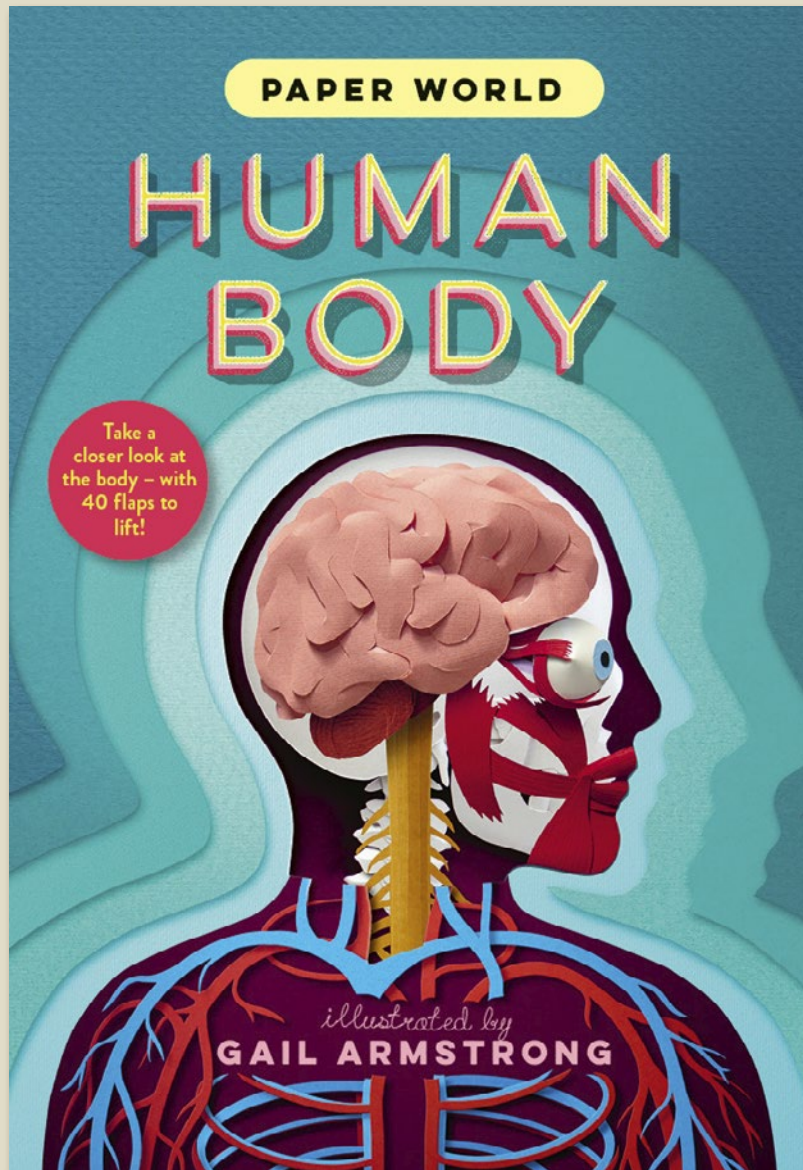
- Brought to life by the intricate folk art by Anja Sušanj, illustrator of *Nature Tales*.
- Charles Perrault's classic is retold with elegance by Laura Sampson, author of *Enchanted Tales*.
- A beautifully produced gift edition for the Christmas market.
- Clever paper engineering from the renowned in-house team at Templar.
- 100% foil on the cover.
- Also in the series: *The Snow Queen*, *The Nutcracker* and *Swan Lake*.

# Sleeping Beauty



Pub Date	<b>02/10/2025</b>
Pub Price	<b>£11.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800788114</b>
H x W	<b>200 x 180mm</b>
Binding	<b>Hardback</b>
Age Range	<b>5-7 years</b>
Author	<b>Laura Sampson</b>
Illustrator	<b>Anja Suanj</b>
Extent	<b>12pp</b>
Word Count	<b>1500 words</b>
Translation Files	<b>02/12/2024</b>
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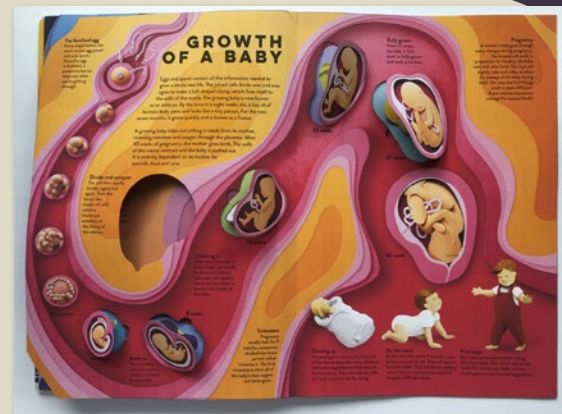
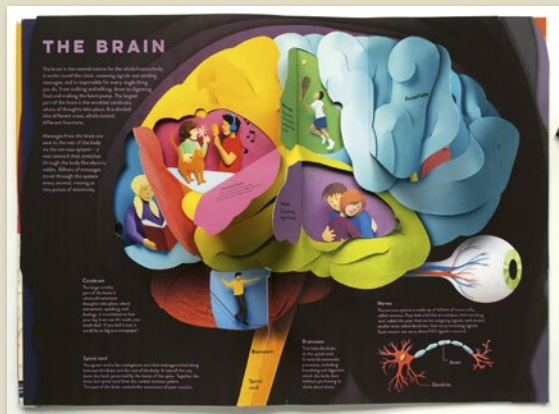
# Paper World: Human Body



## A paper-cut book about the body

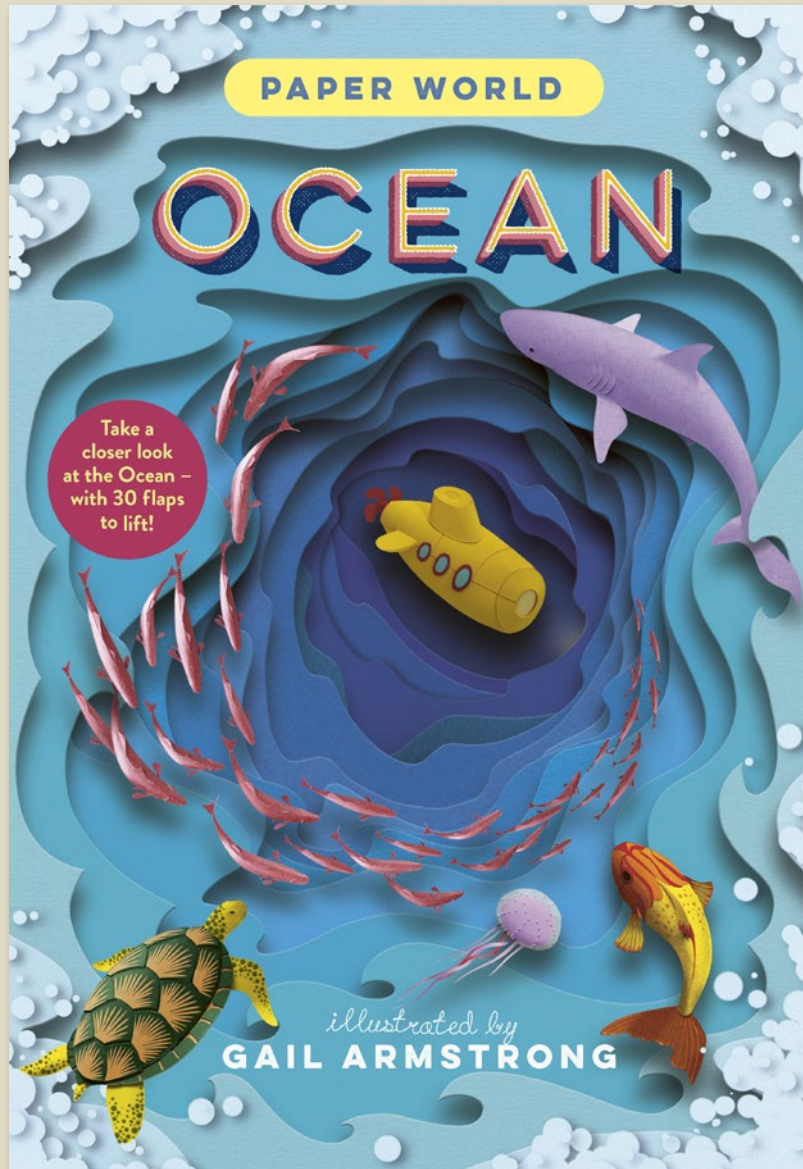
- Vibrant paper-cut artwork by award-winning British artist Gail Armstrong
- Deep die-cuts and integrated flaps on every spread provide a unique interactive look at the human body
- A fact-packed text reveals fascinating facts about the human body
- Striking cover design with a large die-cut through the cover and title page
- The Paper World series has sold over 100,000 copies worldwide
- Book 4 Paper World: Oceans coming 2024
- CONTENTS: Organs & Systems; Skeleton & Muscles; Heart & Lungs; Digestive System; Digestive Organs; The Senses; The Brain; Reproductive System; Growth of a Baby; Glossary
- Fact-checked by Dr Jennifer Paxton of the University of Edinburgh

# Paper World: Human Body



Pub Date	<b>16/02/2023</b>
Pub Price	<b>£16.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800782365</b>
H x W	<b>330 x 225mm</b>
Binding	<b>Hardback</b>
Age Range	<b>7-9 years</b>
Author	<b>Ruth Symons</b>
Illustrator	<b>Gail Armstrong</b>
Extent	<b>30pp</b>
Word Count	<b>5500 words</b>
Rights Available	<b>World</b>

# Paper World: Ocean

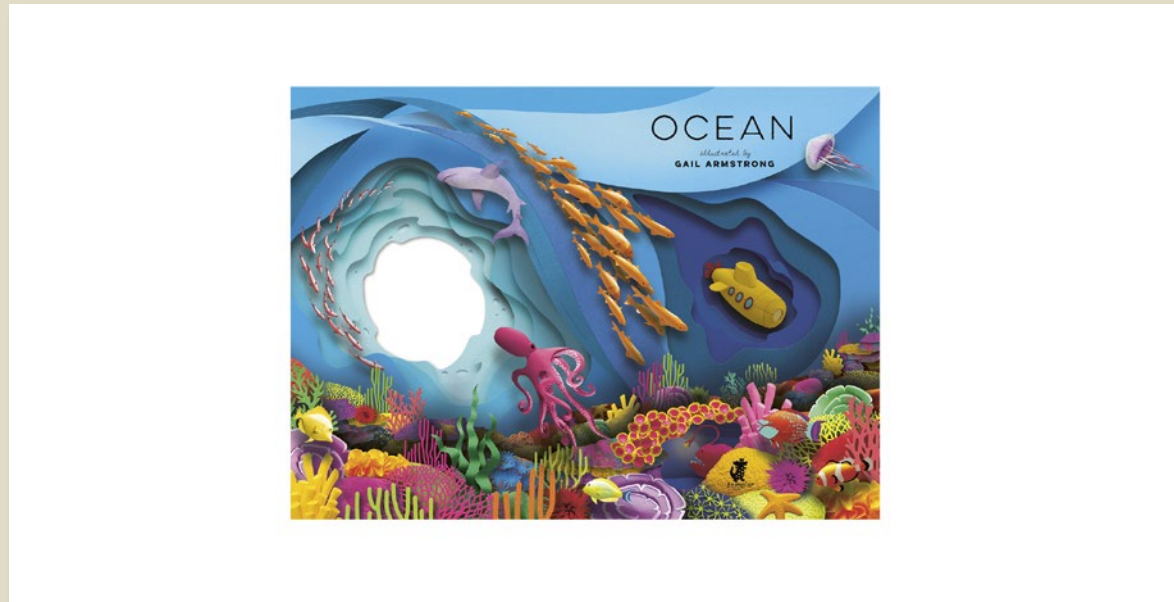


## A one-of-a-kind paper-cut book all about our planet's oceans

- The *Paper World* series has sold over 100,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022)
- Contents: Water World; The Shore; Mangroves; Kelp Forest; Coral Reef; Ocean Zones; Ocean Depths; Polar Waters; Tides and Waves; Humans and the Ocean
- Vibrant paper-cut artwork by award-winning British artist Gail Armstrong
- Deep die-cuts and integrated flaps on every spread, with an incredible double-gatefold for the coral reef
- A fact-packed text reveals fascinating facts about the ocean - fact-checked by marine biologist Dr Helen Scales
- Striking cover design with a large die-cut through the cover and title page

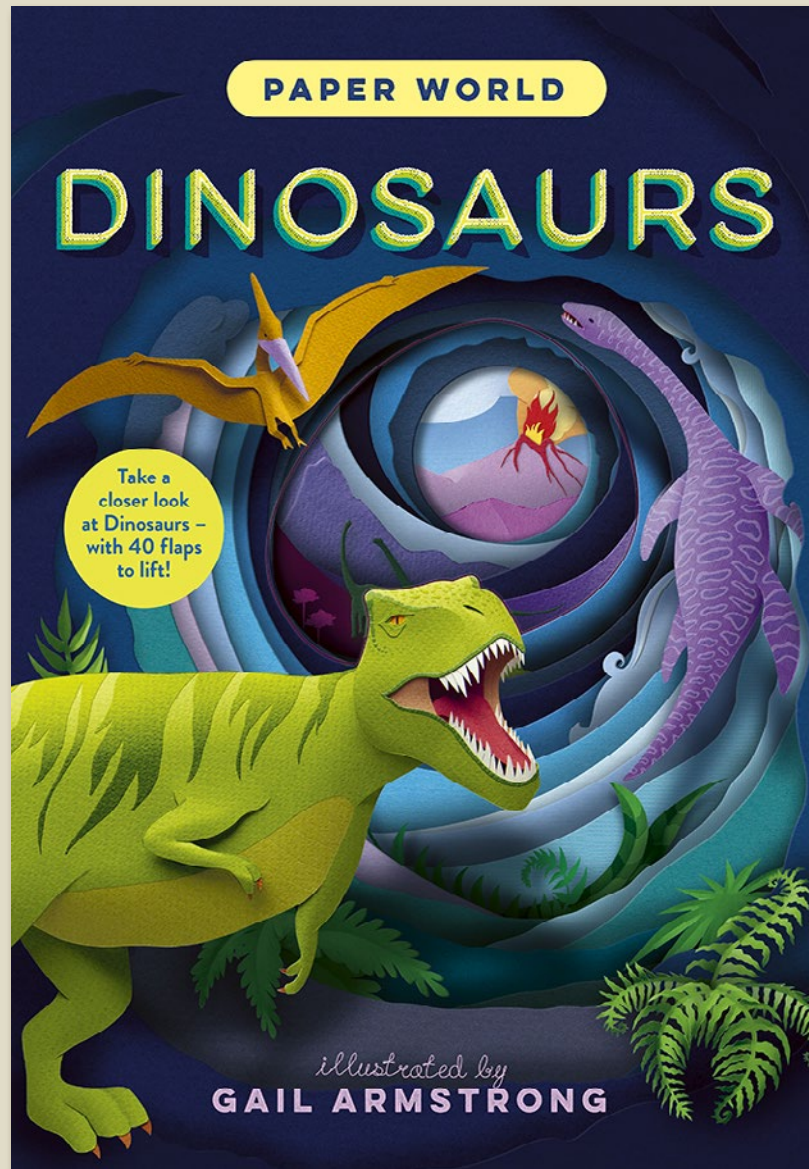


# Paper World: Ocean



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ISBN	<b>9781800783317</b>
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Binding	<b>Hardback</b>
Age Range	<b>7-9 years</b>
Author	<b>Ruth Symons</b>
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Extent	<b>30pp</b>
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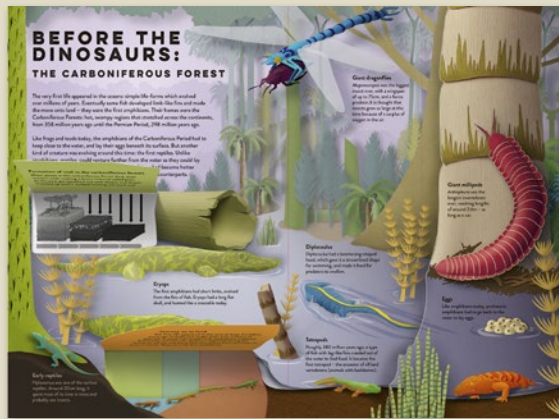
# Paper World: Dinosaurs



## A one-of-a-kind paper-cut book all about dinosaurs

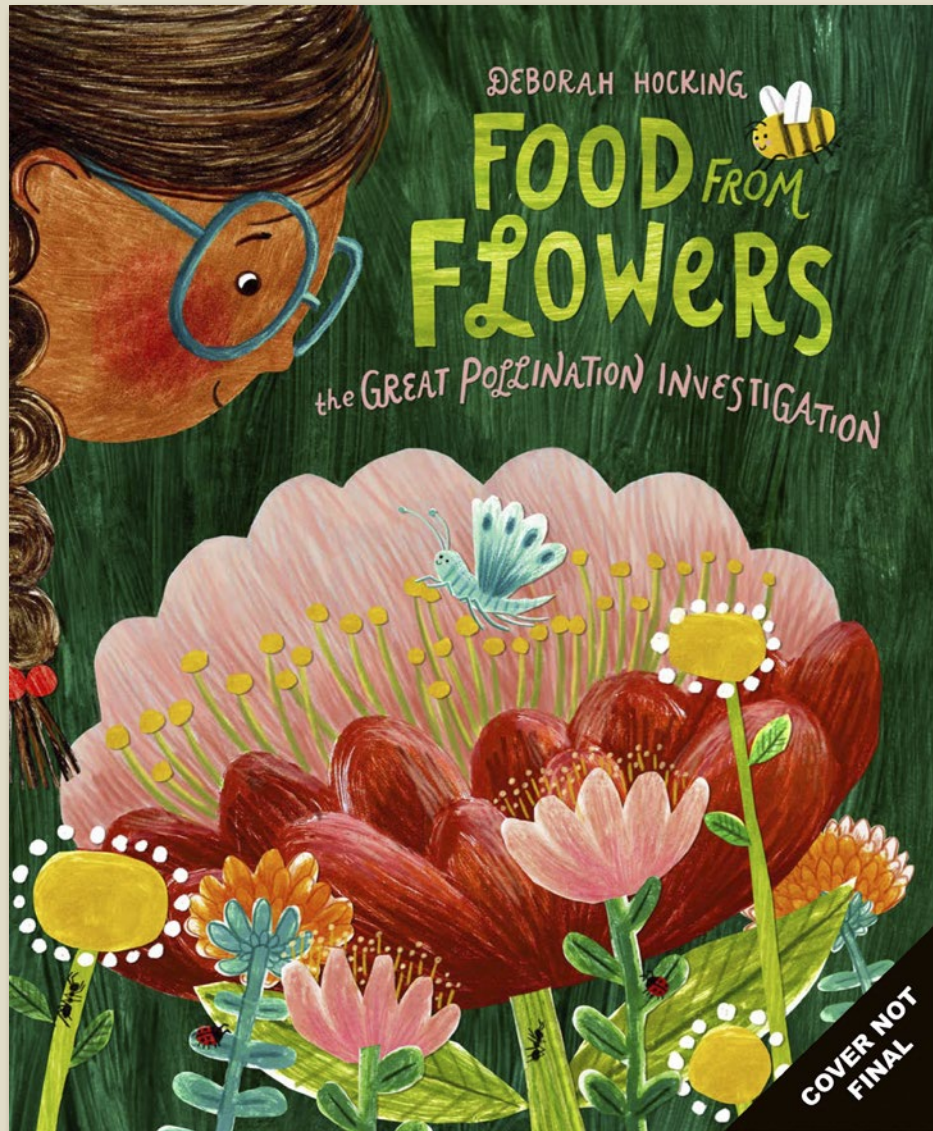
- The *Paper World* series has sold over 220,000 copies worldwide (as of January 2024)
- Contents: Before the Dinosaurs; Triassic; Triassic Oceans; Jurassic; Jurassic Skies; Cretaceous Variety; Cretaceous Giants; The End of the Dinosaurs; How Fossils Form; Studying Fossils; Glossary
- Vibrant paper-cut artwork by award-winning British artist Gail Armstrong
- Deep die-cuts and integrated flaps on every spread
- A fact-packed text reveals fascinating facts about dinosaurs and other prehistoric life - fact-checked by Education Officer at the Oxford Museum of Natural History, Chris Jarvis
- Striking cover design with a large die-cut through the cover and title page

# Paper World: Dinosaurs



Pub Date	<b>03/07/2025</b>
Pub Price	<b>£16.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800788565</b>
H x W	<b>330 x 225mm</b>
Binding	<b>Hardback</b>
Age Range	<b>7-9 years</b>
Author	<b>Ruth Symons</b>
Illustrator	<b>Gail Armstrong</b>
Extent	<b>30pp</b>
Word Count	<b>5500 words</b>
Translation Files	<b>02/09/2024</b>
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Rights Available	<b>World</b>

# Food from Flowers: The Great Pollination Investigation



**Explore the secrets of nature in this pollination investigation.**

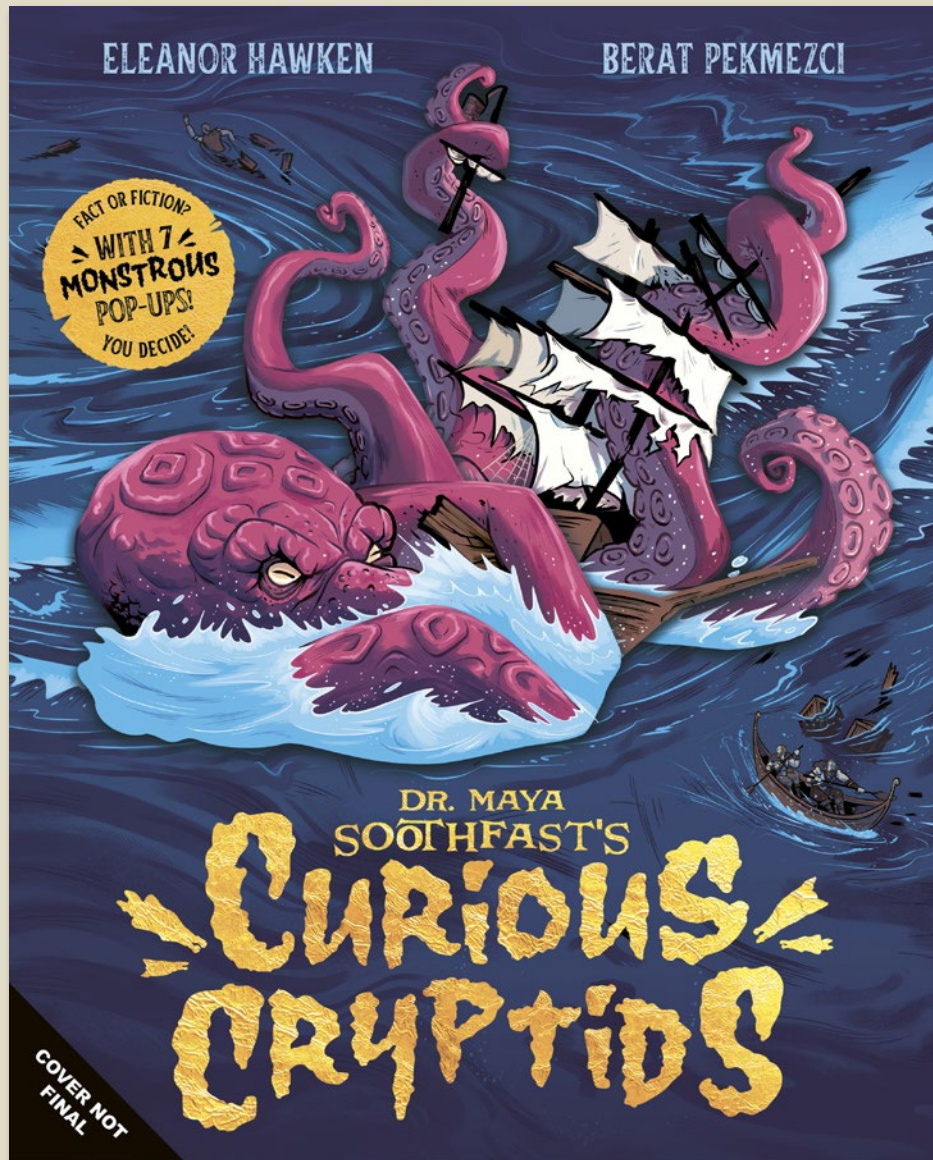
- This non-fiction picture book is packed full of facts with information on photosynthesis, the pollination process, the life cycle of plants, flower anatomy, animal and insect pollinators, such as bats, bees, beetles, birds and more.
- Full of scientific information that supports the curriculum.
- Fun novelty elements help kids engage with the subject matter.
- This book is the perfect picture book for children aged 5+ who are fascinated by nature and the plants that grow in it.
- Bright and beautiful artwork from author-illustrator Deborah Hocking.

# Food from Flowers: The Great Pollination Investigation



Pub Date	19/06/2025
Pub Price	£14.99
ISBN	9781800788138
H x W	287 x 247mm
Binding	Hardback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Deborah Hocking
Illustrator	Deborah Hocking
Extent	32pp
Word Count	1500 words
Translation Files	19/08/2024
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# Curious Cryptids



## Seven show-stopping cryptid pop-ups

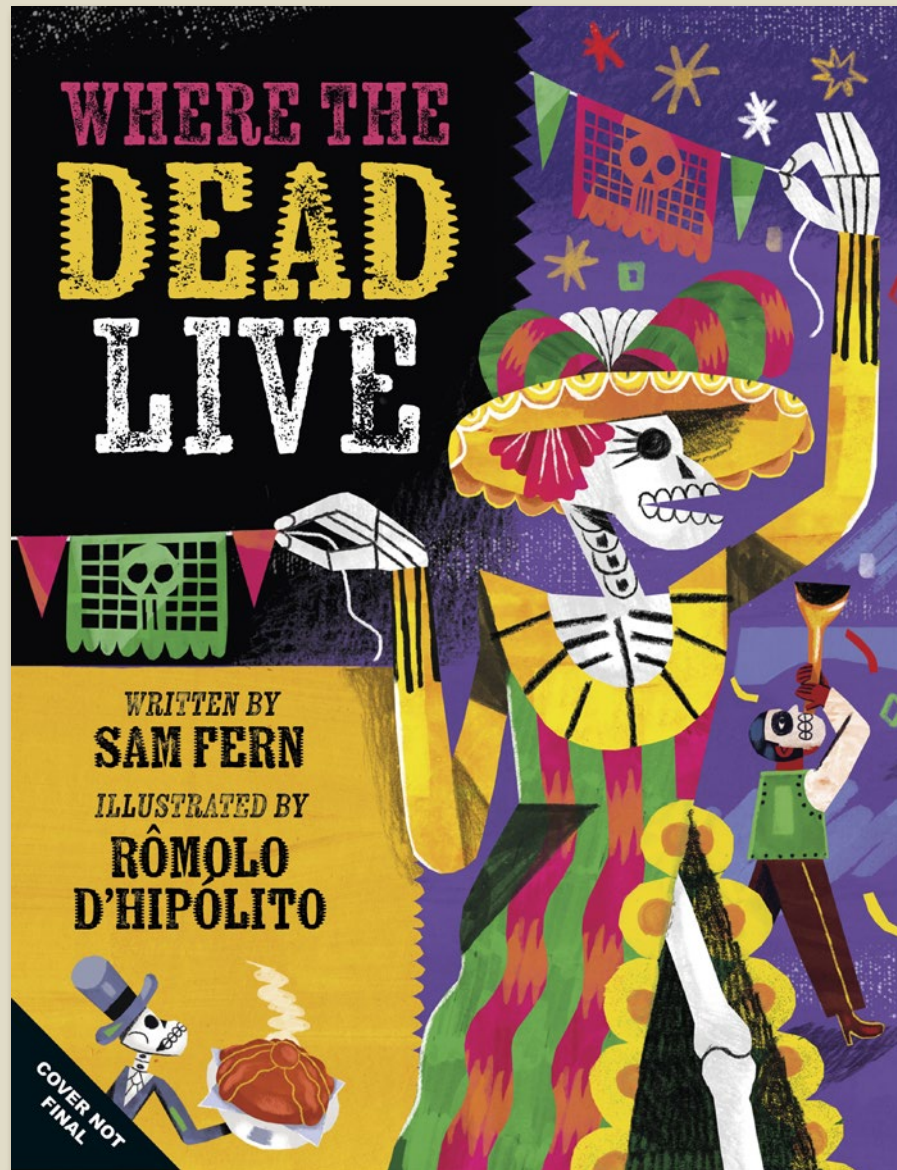
- Features seven giant pop-ups of the creatures, plus seven gatefold panels which each open to reveal a comic-strip story
- Contents: Yeti (Himalayas), Mongolian deathworm (China and Mongolia), Mothman (North America), Thunderbird (North America), Kraken (Norway and Iceland) Loch Ness Monster (Scotland) and Chupacabra (South America).
- With bright, graphic artwork from DC-illustrator Berat Pekmezci.
- Written by life-long monster lover and fiction author Eleanor Hawken.
- Cover finishes: matt lam + pantone.

# Curious Cryptids



Pub Date	02/10/2025
Pub Price	£16.99
ISBN	9781800788206
H x W	260 x 210mm
Binding	Hardback
Age Range	7-9 years
Author	Eleanor Hawken
Illustrator	Berat Pekmezci
Extent	16pp
Word Count	2800 words
Translation Files	02/12/2024
Freight On Board	17/07/2025
Rights Available	World

# Where the Dead Live



**An illustrated guide to the most wondrous and downright spooky homes for those without heartbeats**

- A powerful and heartfelt exploration that shines light on different cultural traditions, celebrations and mythologies around death.
- With vibrant illustrations by Brazilian artist Rômolo D'Hipólito, this book is a celebration of the afterlife and our connection to it.

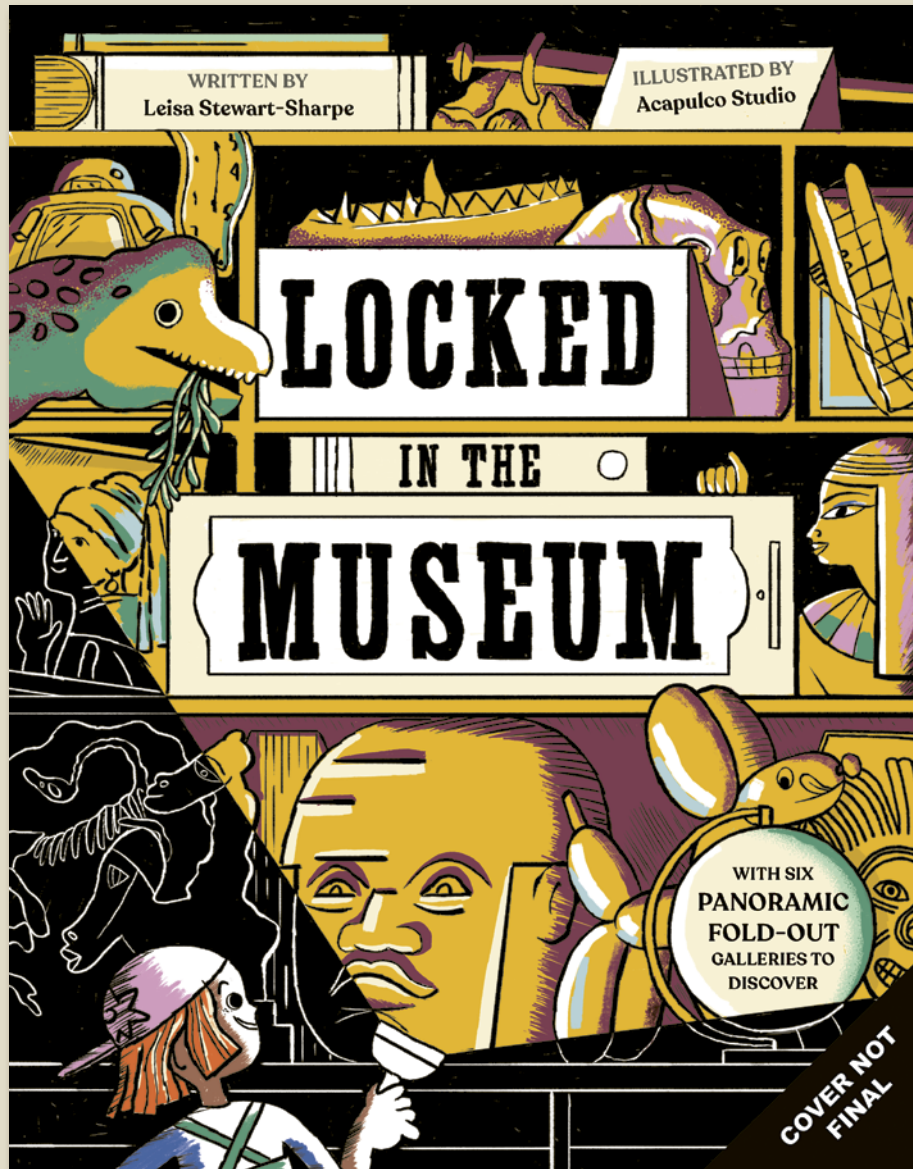


# Where the Dead Live



Pub Date	21/08/2025
Pub Price	£14.99
ISBN	9781800788411
H x W	280 x 215mm
Binding	Hardback
Age Range	7-9 years
Author	Sam Fern
Illustrator	Rômolo D'Hipólito
Extent	64pp
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Translation Files	09/12/2024
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Freight On Board	05/06/2025
Rights Available	World

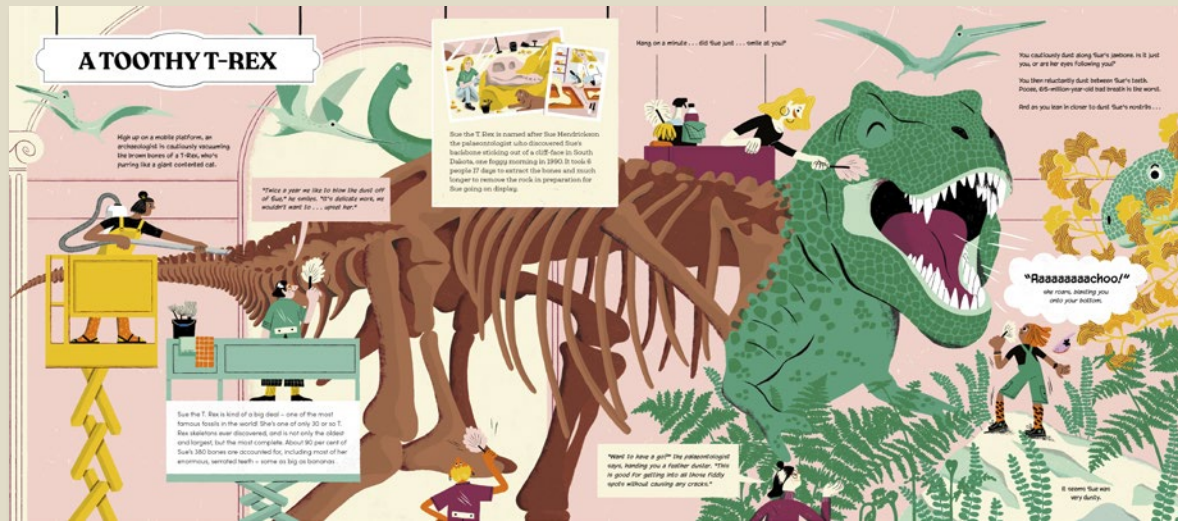
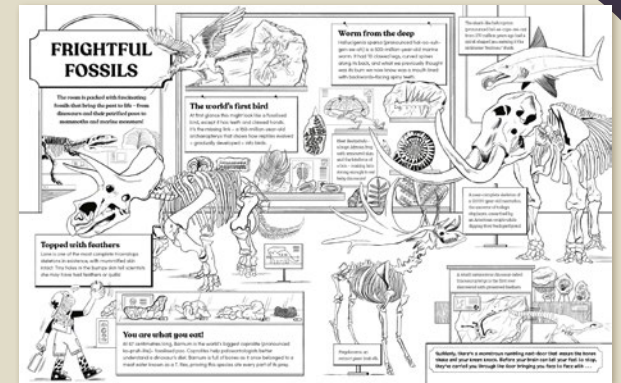
# Locked in the Museum



What if, for one night only, some of the world's oldest, rarest, and most beautiful items could all be found under one roof? And what if that magical night was tonight, and you had the ticket to see them all. So, what are you waiting for? Welcome to the most marvellous museum.

- A thrilling behind-the-scenes look at the inner workings of a museum, with 6 single page gatefolds.

# Locked in the Museum



Pub Date	<b>17/07/2025</b>
Pub Price	<b>£15.99</b>
ISBN	<b>9781800782105</b>
H x W	<b>300 x 235mm</b>
Binding	<b>Hardback</b>
Age Range	<b>7-9 years</b>
Author	<b>Leisa Stewart-Sharpe</b>
Illustrator	<b>Acapulco Studio</b>
Extent	<b>64pp</b>
Word Count	<b>18000 words</b>
Translation Files	<b>04/11/2024</b>
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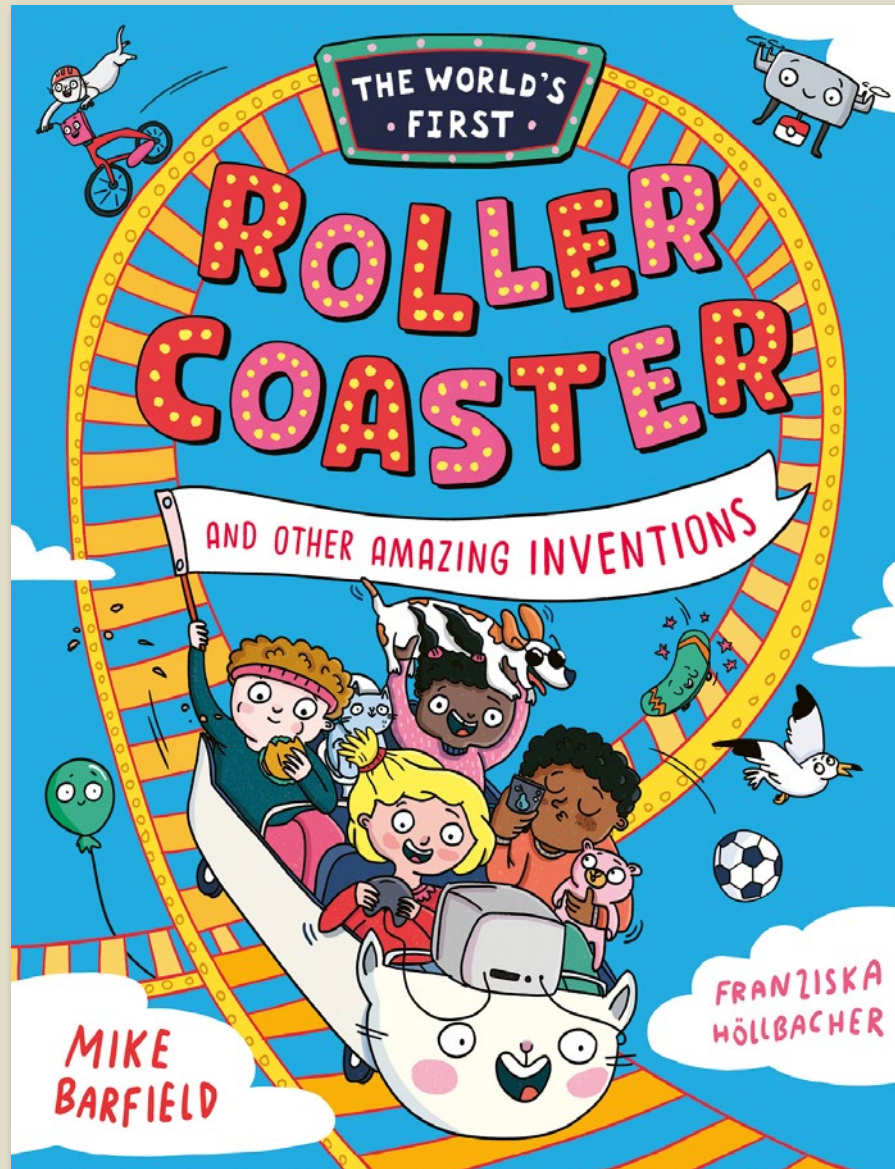
## Discover the rich history, vibrant culture and unique identity of each nation through its flag!

- A vibrant exploration of our world's marvellous flags! Take a fact-filled and fun journey across the contents to discover all that lies in our national flags.
- Content is split into 5 chapters based on the continents: Europe, Asia, the Americas, Africa and Oceania. Each section features a chapter opener, 4-5 spreads looking at specific flags in detail, and a theme spread which looks at the world more broadly.
- Feature spreads look at an individual flag's history, symbolism and meaning, and also include 2 or more other flags which share a similarity in some way, whether that be a symbol, geographical location or a shared history.



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Age Range	7-9 years
Author	Jonathan Litton Laura Knowles
Illustrator	Natalia Rojas Castro
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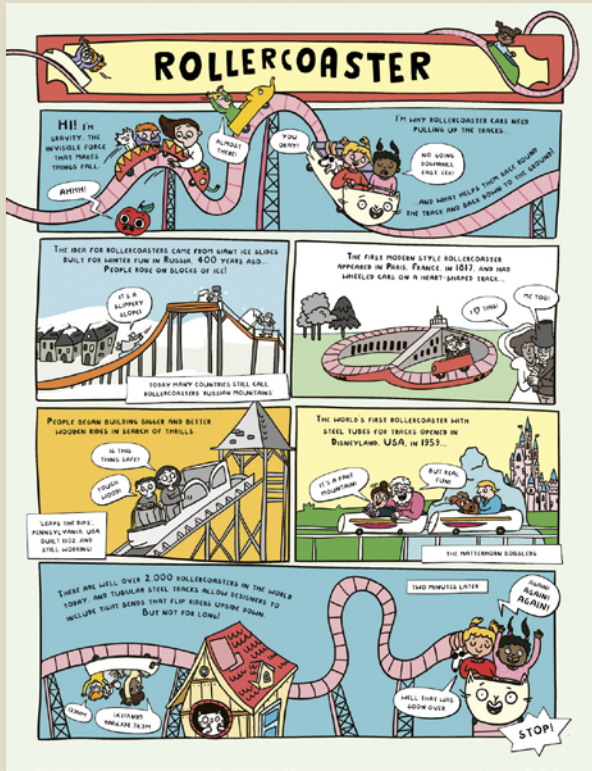
# The World's First Rollercoaster



**Amazing inventions stories in comic-book form by Blue Peter Award-winner Mike Barfield.**

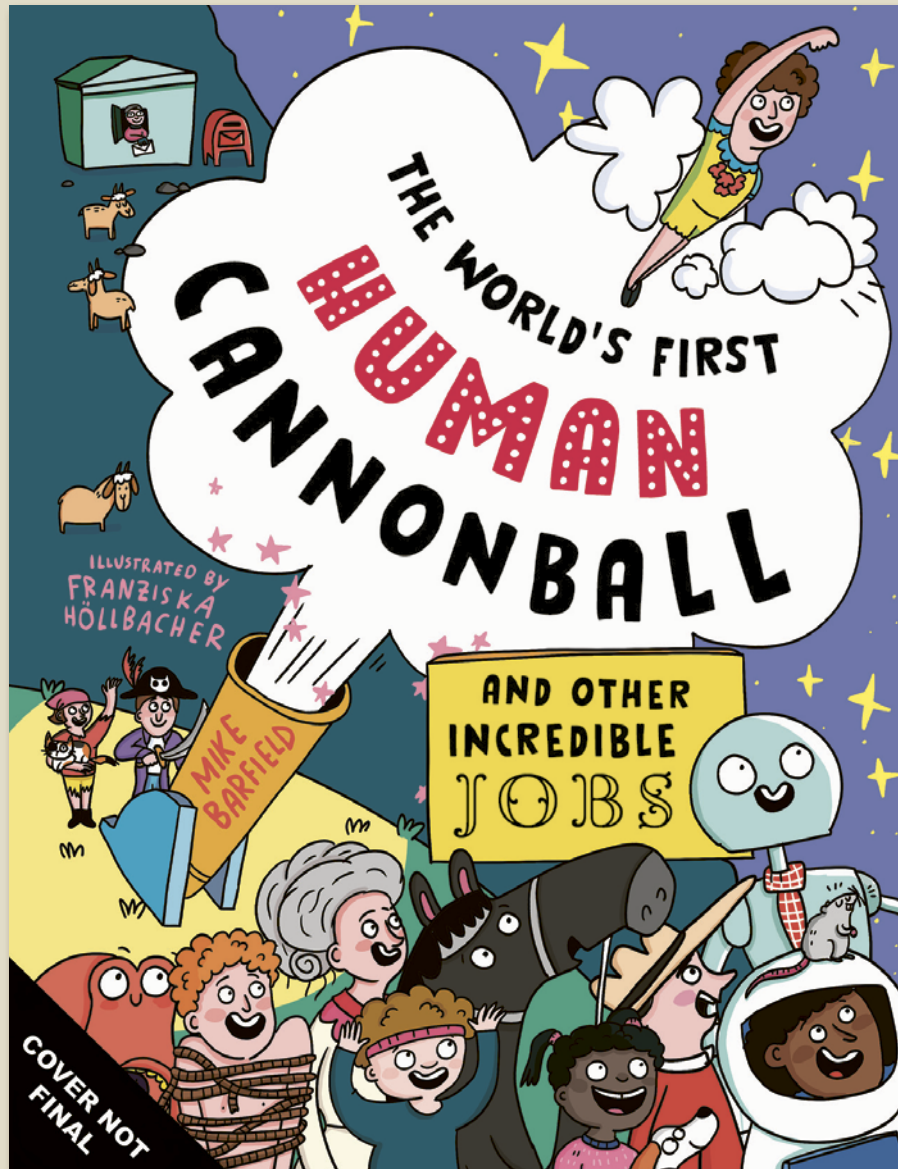
- An irresistible way into science and technology with a dash of history from the brilliant Mike Barfield, author of *A Day in the Life of a Poo, a Gnu and You*, winner of the 2021 Blue Peter Award for a Book With Facts. Mike's books have sold in over 40 territories.
- Featuring the greatest inventions in architecture, travel, the home, food, fashion, toys, sports, technology and more, this book is packed with facts for curious minds. Includes tips on sending in a patent and profiles of young inventors alongside greats such as Diebedo Kere, Bertha Benz, Percy Spencer, Momofuku Ando, Kano Jigoro and Jawed Karim.

# The World's First Rollercoaster



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ISBN	9781800783720
H x W	280 x 215mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	7-9 years
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Illustrator	Franziska Höllbacher
Extent	96pp
Word Count	7000 words
Rights Available	World

# The World's First Human Cannonball

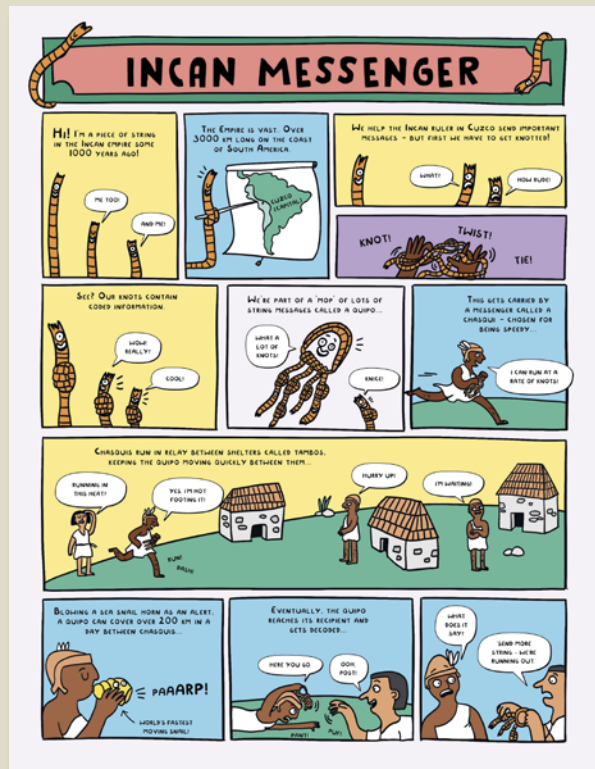
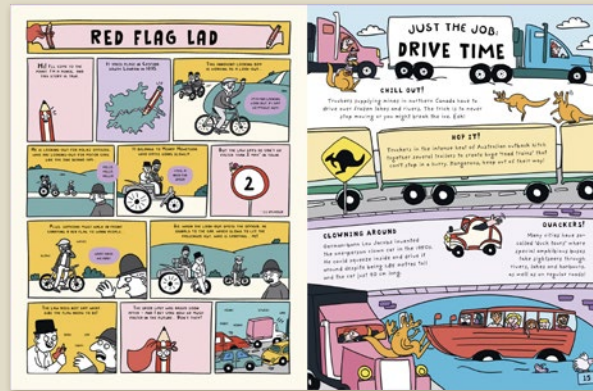
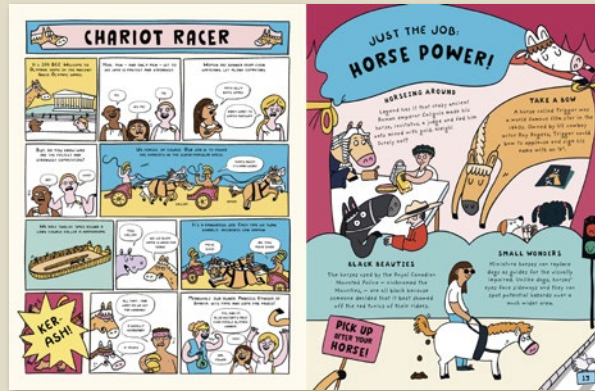


**Roll up, roll up! Get your tickets for a whirlwind tour through history's weirdest and wackiest jobs!**

- An irresistible exposé into the world of work from the brilliant Mike Barfield, author of *A Day in the Life of a Poo*, *a Gnu and You*, winner of the 2021 Blue Peter Award for a Book with Facts.
- Featuring the weirdest and wackiest jobs throughout the ages, this book is packed with facts for curious minds. Includes jobs in travel, science and sport, as well as the worst jobs in history... and some of the more curious jobs of today!

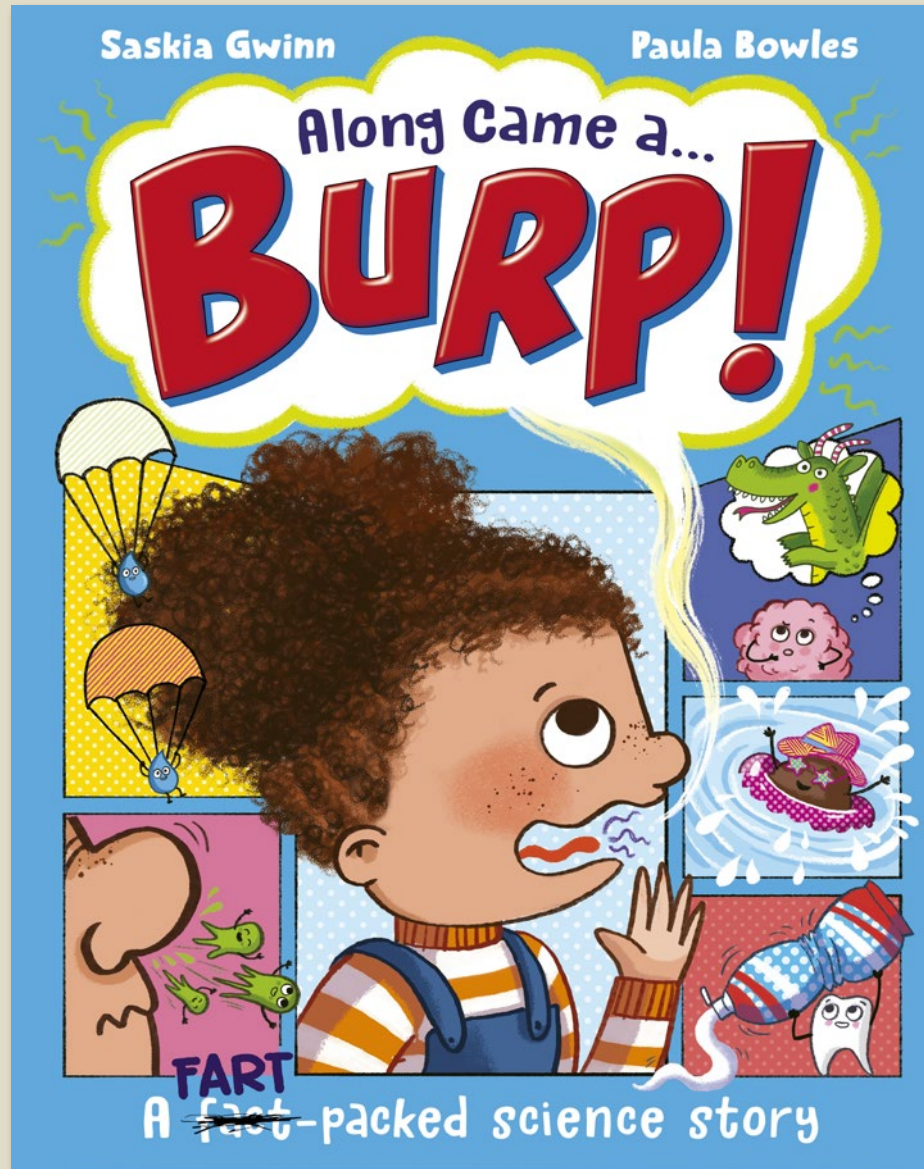


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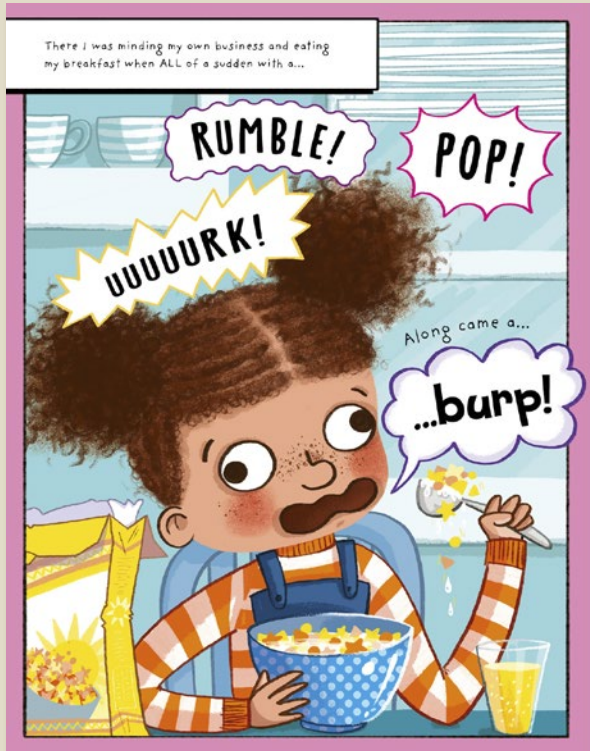
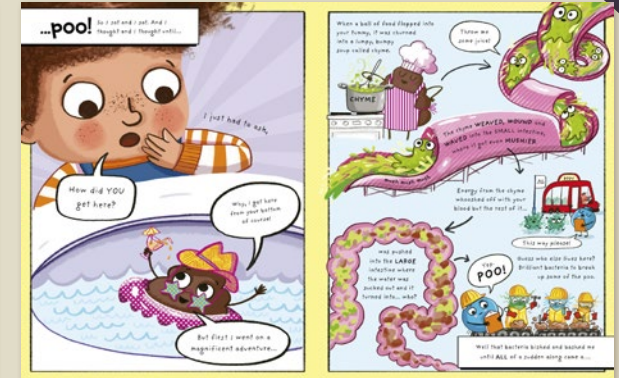
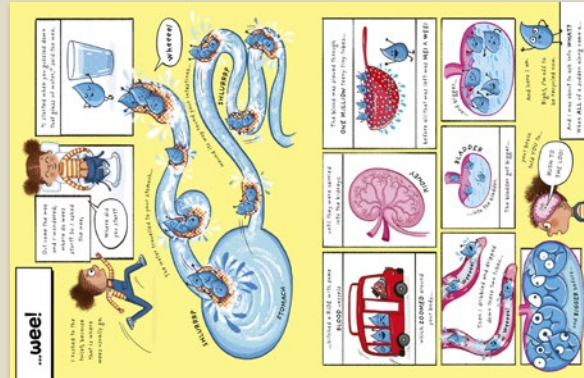
# Along Came a... Burp!



**A laugh-out-loud science storybook all about the human body!**

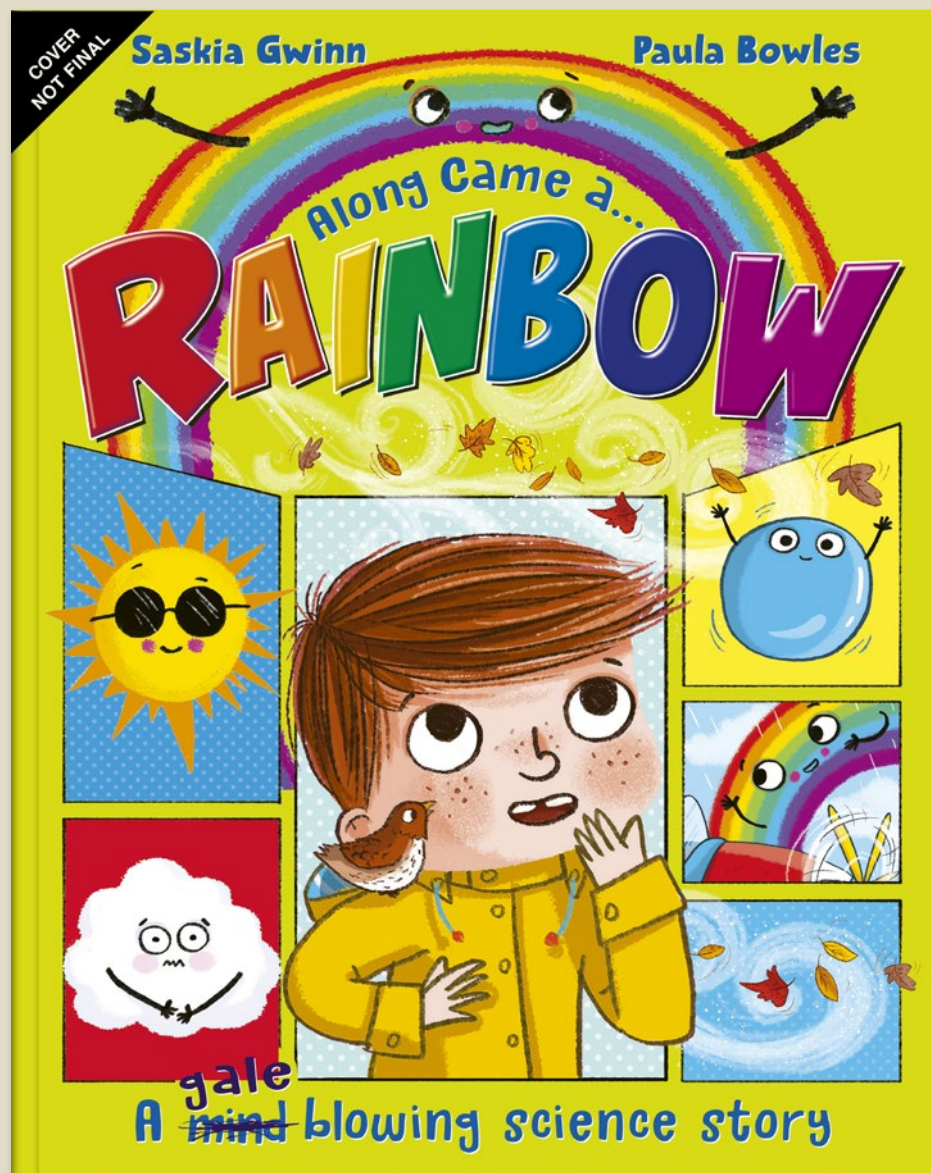
- A fun, fact, and fart-packed picture book approach to early science for readers 4+.
- Graphic-novel-style layouts present facts in memorable and hilarious fashion.
- Paula Bowles's artwork is an explosion of colour, bringing to life a zany cast of anatomical characters, from stinky poos, to friendly farts, to super-speedy sneezes. Paula was shortlisted for the Indie Book Awards 2023 and The Alligators Mouth Award 2023.
- With warm, funny text by rising-star Saskia Gwinn (author of *Scientists are Saving the World* and *I am Not the Easter Bunny*).

# Along Came a... Burp!



Pub Date	04/07/2024
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ISBN	9781800785175
H x W	300 x 235mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Saskia Gwinn
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Extent	48pp
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Rights Available	World

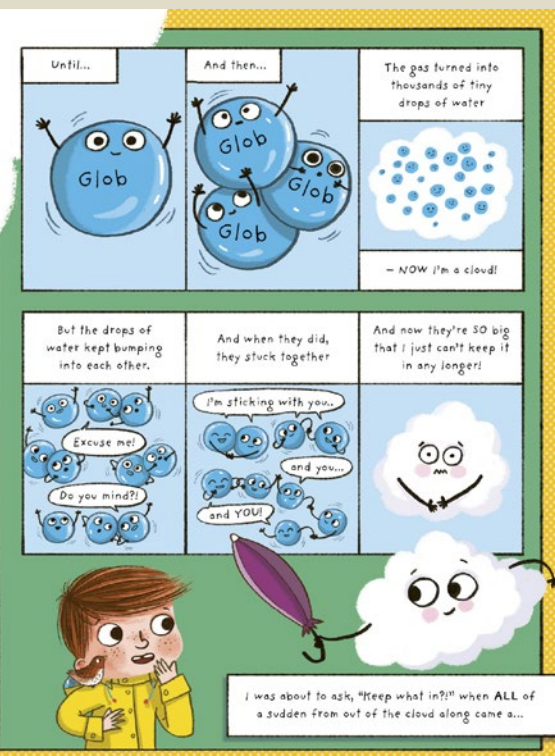
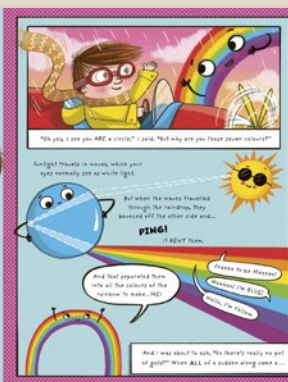
# Along Came a... Rainbow!



## A laugh-out-loud science story all about the weather!

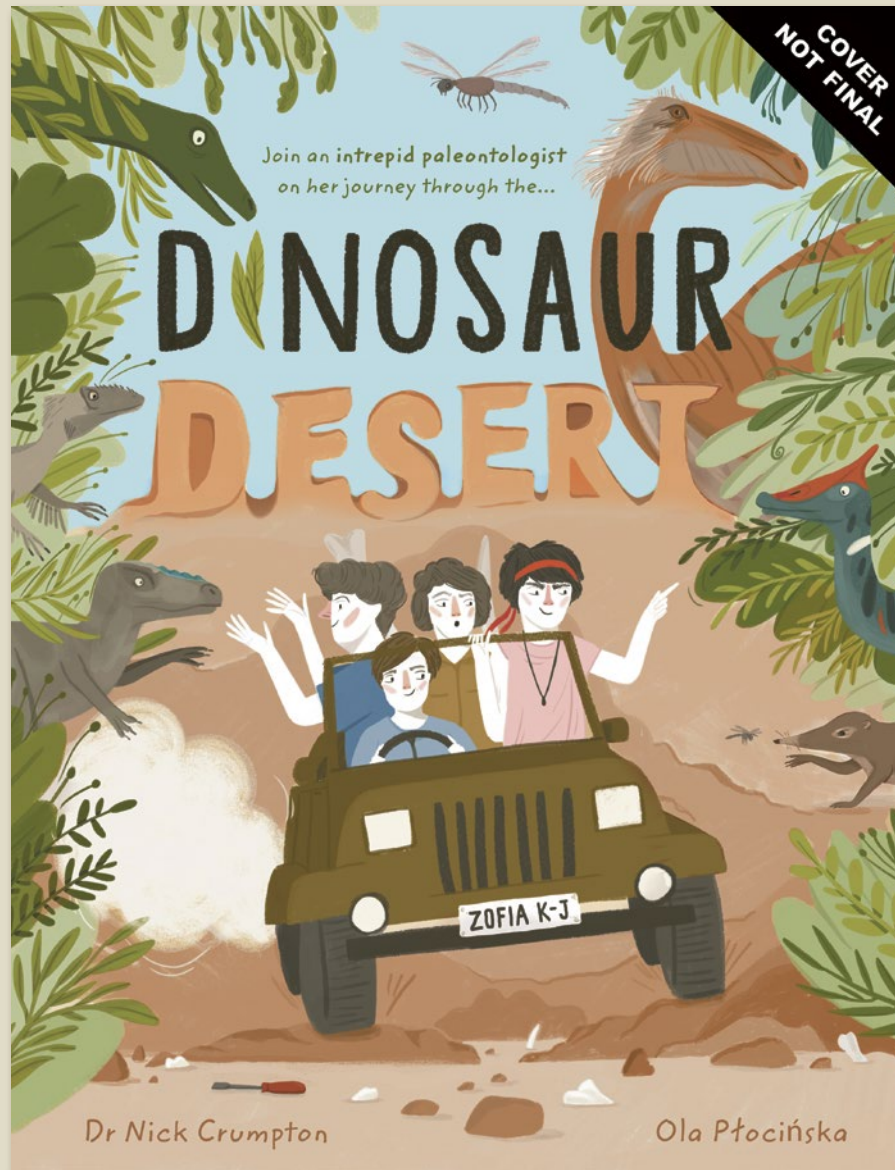
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Illustrator	Paula Bowles
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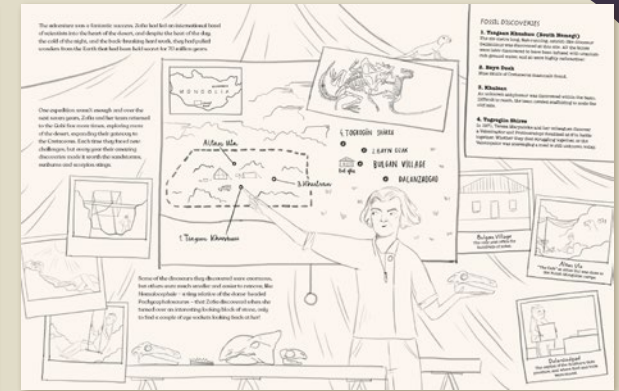
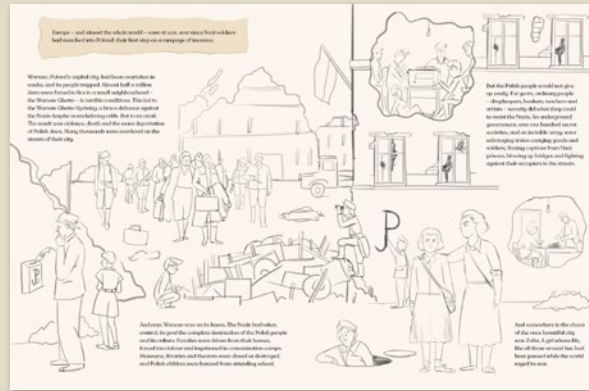
# Dinosaur Desert



**A dino-mite adventure story to inspire the next generation of scientists and explorers!**

- Publishing on the 100th anniversary of Zofia Jaworowska's birth, the book has been created in collaboration with her family using extensive archive material.
- Beautifully illustrated by Polish artist Ola Plocinska, the book includes a mix of graphic novel spreads, kit lists and wonderful scenes of the Gobi Desert as well as detailed information on how to find fossils to inspire budding palaeontologists.

# Dinosaur Desert



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# The Science of Sound

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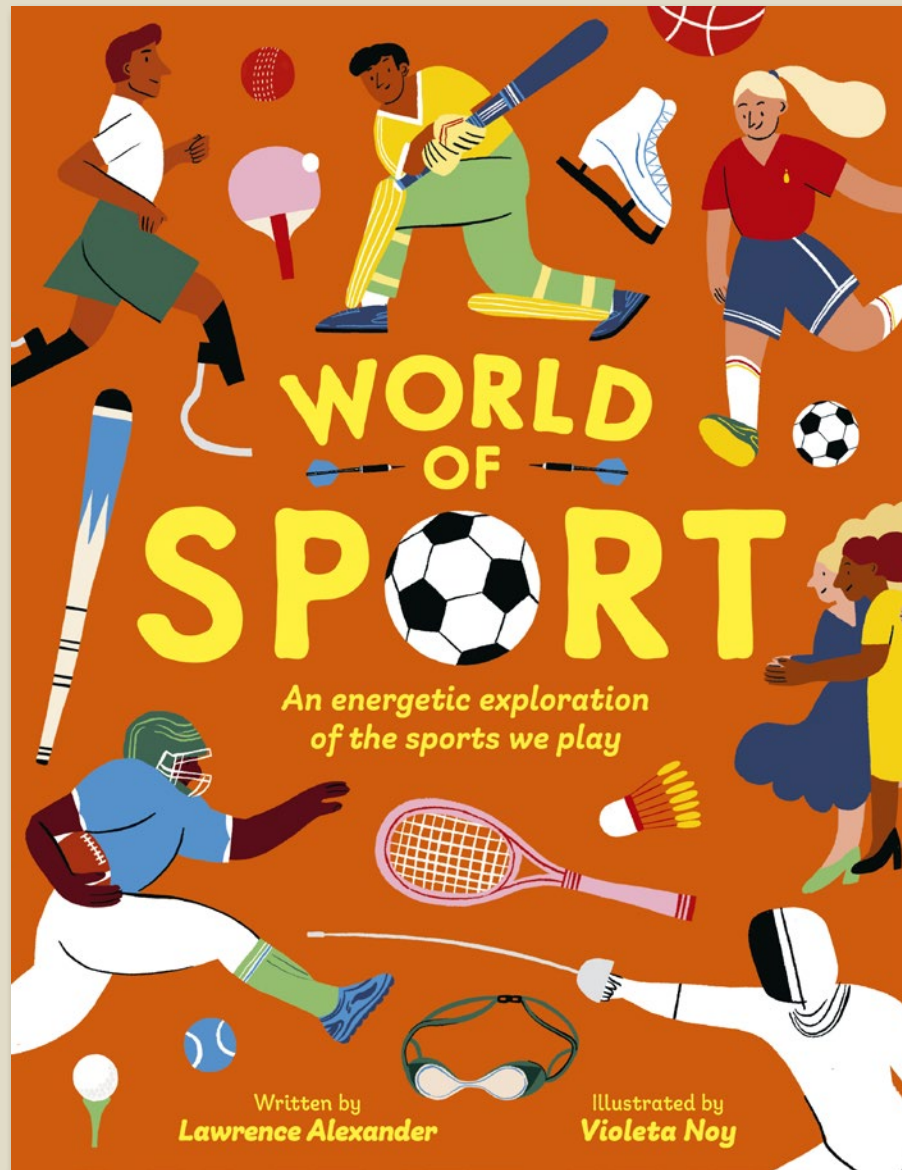
**A visual exploration  
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# World of Sport



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# World of Sport

**TRACK AND FIELD SPORTS**  
Track and field sports take place outdoors on a running track. Track events are running competitions and in field events, athletes compete in jumping and throwing events.

**JAVELIN**  
The javelin is a spear-like object used in track and field events. The first javelin was made of wood and was used in ancient Greece. The modern javelin was made of metal and was used in the 19th century. The javelin was first used in the 19th century. The javelin was first used in the 19th century.

**LONG JUMP**  
The long jump is a track and field event in which the athlete jumps as far as possible into a sandpit. The long jump was first used in ancient Greece. The long jump was first used in ancient Greece.

**GALINA CHISTAKOVA**  
Galina Chistakova is a Russian long jumper. She won the gold medal at the 1996 Summer Olympics in Atlanta. She won the gold medal at the 1996 Summer Olympics in Atlanta.

**DISCUS**  
The discus is a track and field event in which the athlete throws a flat, circular object. The discus was first used in ancient Greece. The discus was first used in ancient Greece.

**JAN SZENT**  
Jan Szent is a Hungarian discus thrower. He won the gold medal at the 1952 Summer Olympics in Helsinki. He won the gold medal at the 1952 Summer Olympics in Helsinki.

**AMERICAN FOOTBALL**  
American football is a team sport that originated in the United States. It is a contact sport that involves running with the ball and passing it to other players. American football is a team sport that originated in the United States.

**AIM OF THE GAME**  
The aim of the game is to score points by passing the ball to other players. The aim of the game is to score points by passing the ball to other players.

**MEET THE TEAM**  
The team consists of 11 players on the field. The team consists of 11 players on the field.

**MAKING A PLAY**  
A play is a series of actions that take place on the field. A play is a series of actions that take place on the field.

**FOR READY**  
The quarterback is the player who starts every play. The quarterback is the player who starts every play.

**RUGBY**  
Rugby is a team sport that originated in England. It is a contact sport that involves running with the ball and passing it to other players. Rugby is a team sport that originated in England.

**AIM OF THE GAME**  
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**BASEBALL**  
Baseball is a team sport that originated in the United States. It is a contact sport that involves hitting a ball with a bat and running the bases. Baseball is a team sport that originated in the United States.

**CRICKET**  
Cricket is a team sport that originated in England. It is a contact sport that involves hitting a ball with a bat and running the bases. Cricket is a team sport that originated in England.

**HOW SPORT BEGAN**  
People have always enjoyed getting together and competing to find out who's the strongest, fastest or best at something. Humans have been playing sport since ancient times.

**WHAT WAS THE FIRST SPORT?**  
Can you see any ancient cave paintings on the map? We don't know for certain what the world's first sport was, but we can guess from these ancient artworks.

**GRAND BEGINNINGS**  
The first competitive sport we know about was recorded in a famous story, the *Epic of Gilgamesh*, from 2100 BC. In it King Gilgamesh fights a wild man to see who is stronger.

**Patata puripatsha**  
Patata puripatsha was played in the ancient Mexican city of Teotihuacan as long ago as 1500 BC. It was a bit like hockey except the ball was on fire!

**In chunky**  
In chunky, played for centuries by Native Americans, a stone disc was rolled across the ground. Teams throw spears to predict where they thought it would land.

**The ancient Mayan ballgame**  
The ancient Mayan ballgame of pitz was invented sometime between 2,000 and 4,500 years ago. Competitors had to get a ball through a stone hoop without using their hands.

**Stone pitz hoops**  
Stone pitz hoops can still be seen in ruined Mayan ball courts in South America.

**Wool paintings**  
Wool paintings made in caves in Lascaux, France, around 20,000 years ago, seem to show people running and wrestling.

**Some ancient Egyptian tomb paintings**  
Some ancient Egyptian tomb paintings demonstrate wrestling positions.

**The army of ancient Rome**  
The army of ancient Rome played harpastum, a dangerous sport a bit like rugby, as a way of training their soldiers.

**During the Western Zhou Dynasty (1046-771 BC)**  
During the Western Zhou Dynasty (1046-771 BC), archery was part of the education of wealthy men.

**Mongolian cave paintings**  
Mongolian cave paintings from 5,000 years ago show people wrestling in front of spectators.

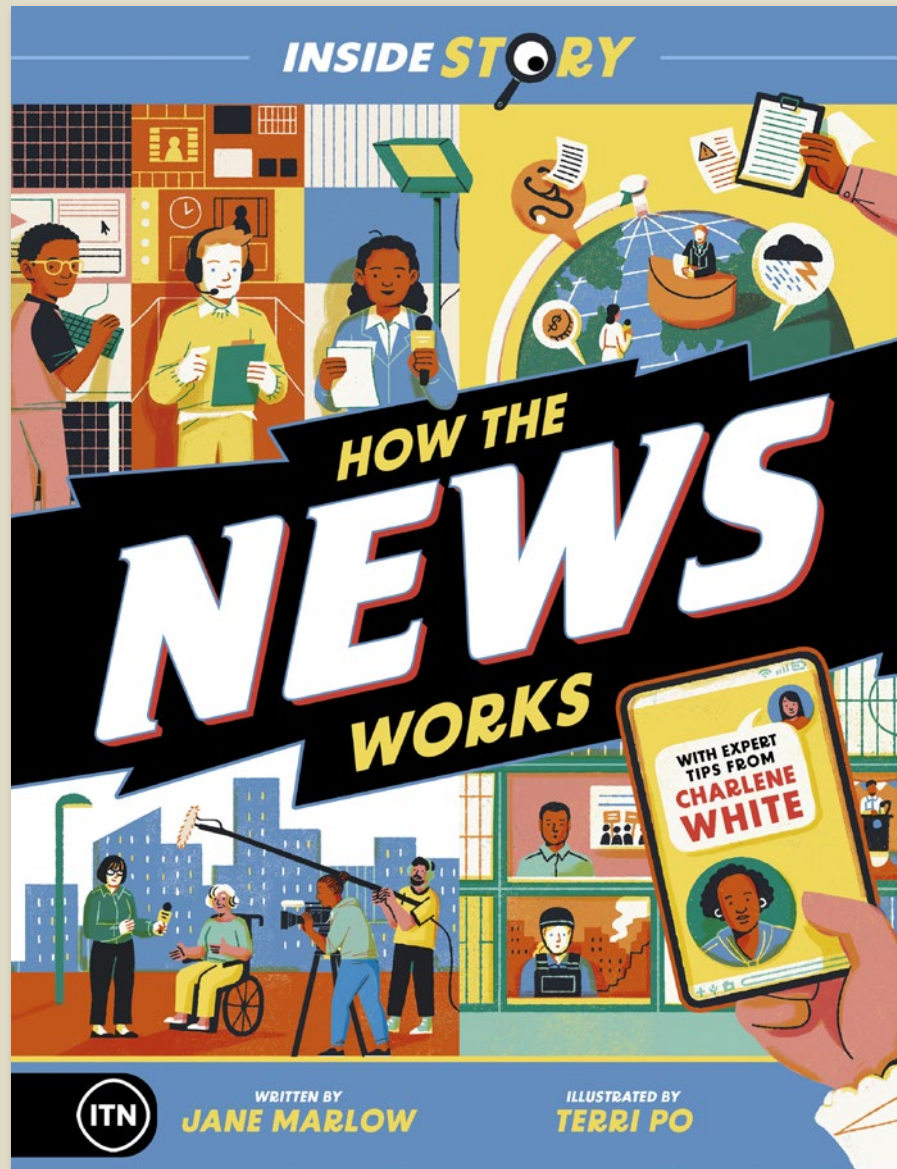
**In boat jousting**  
In boat jousting, two people in a boat would fight with long poles or 'maces'. Ancient Egyptian carvings show fishermen jousting. They tried to push each other into the river Nile!

**Surfing**  
Surfing has been popular in the Pacific for hundreds of years. In Hawaii, chiefs competed in fierce competitions, and good surfers could win high social status.

**The Māori of New Zealand**  
The Māori of New Zealand participated in a competition known as the Māori Games - often between neighbouring villages. Men, women and children all competed in canoe races, athletics and martial arts.

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# Tell Me About: Space

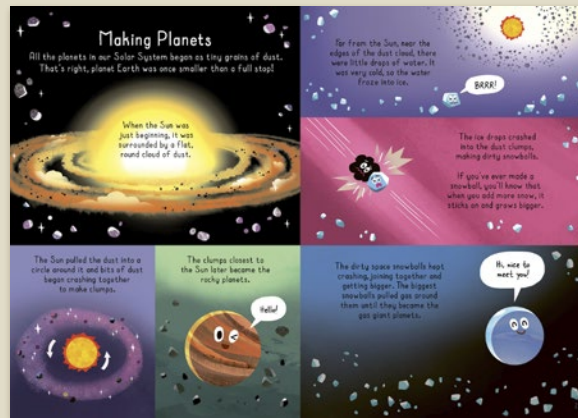


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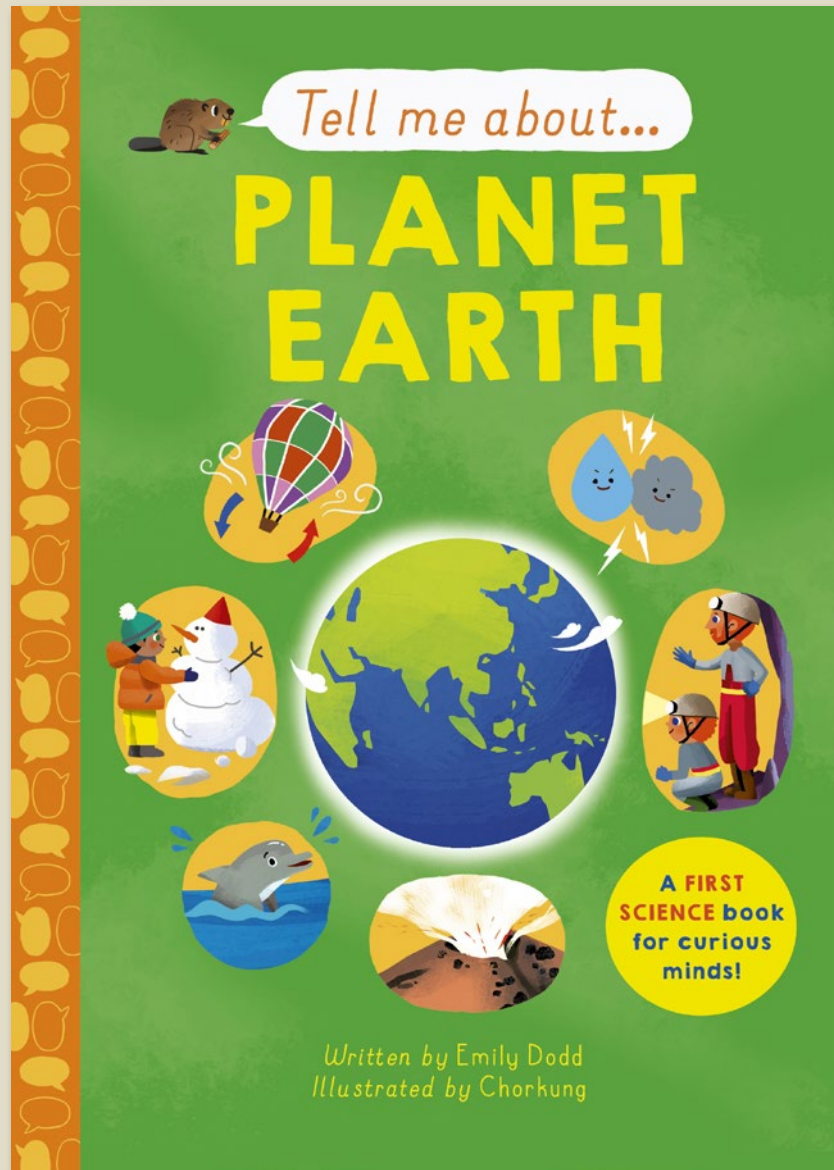


# Tell Me About: Space



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# Tell Me About: Planet Earth

## Earth is Home

You live on a brilliant ball of spinning rock called Earth. It's a planet, traveling through space on a gigantic loop around a star called the Sun.

There's another ball of rock about a quarter of the size of Earth and you can see it in the night sky. It's called the Moon.

It takes a month for the Moon to travel around Earth on an oval path.

It takes a whole year to travel all the way around the Sun. So if you are five years old, you have circled the Sun five times already!

Earth travels around the Sun on an oval path but it also spins on the spot. The spin is why it gets dark at night.

Your home turns away from the Sun at night and by morning it has turned back towards the Sun once again. It takes 24 hours for a complete spin to happen, and we call that a whole day.

## Caves

Caves are big holes carved into cliffs by waves hitting the rock. But they can also form underground as rain trickles through cracks in the rock.

That's right, tiny little rain droplets can make massive caves because they dissolve the rock away a little bit at a time.

Underground rivers flow through caves. They wear the floor of the cave down to make them even bigger.

Inside the cave, some droplets of rainwater evaporate. As the liquid water drops turn into gas, they leave behind the tiny bits of rock they were carrying. The bits of rock stick to the roof.

In a thousand years, all the drops of water will have left enough rock behind to make a shape about as long as your finger. This is called a stalactite.

The same thing happens as the water drops onto the floor of the cave too. The cave floor grows upwards into a wider opening, which is called a stalagmite.

## Digging and Drilling

When humans dig useful rocks and metals out of the ground, it is called mining. People also drill long holes deep down into the rock to find little pockets of gas and a liquid called oil.

The oil and gas found deep underground were once tiny sea creatures. They sank to the bottom of the sea and got squashed over millions of years. They turned into a dark liquid called oil and a gas called methane.

Coal is a black rock that gives off lots of heat when it burns. It is made from leaves that took in swamps millions of years ago.

We can burn oil, coal and methane gas to make electricity and to power vehicles.

Most metals are hidden underground with other rocks. A few metals are found just as they are at the surface, including gold, silver and copper.

Metals can make lots of useful things including bikes, phones, computers and cars.

## Oceans

If you flew out into space and looked back at Earth it would look blue. That's because two thirds of our planet's surface is covered in liquid water. It's mostly found in the oceans and seas.

### Waves

Waves are made on the surface of the water as the wind pushes the sea.

### Tides

The sea comes in at high tide and goes out at low tide. This happens twice every day because of the way Earth is spinning beneath the Moon.

That's right, the Moon makes our tides! Gravity is a pull that happens between Earth, the Moon and the Sun. It pulls on you too. When you jump, gravity pulls you back down to Earth.

Low tide

High tide

The oceans on planet Earth slowly change shape because the rock beneath them is moving. This creates underwater valleys, caves and mountains.

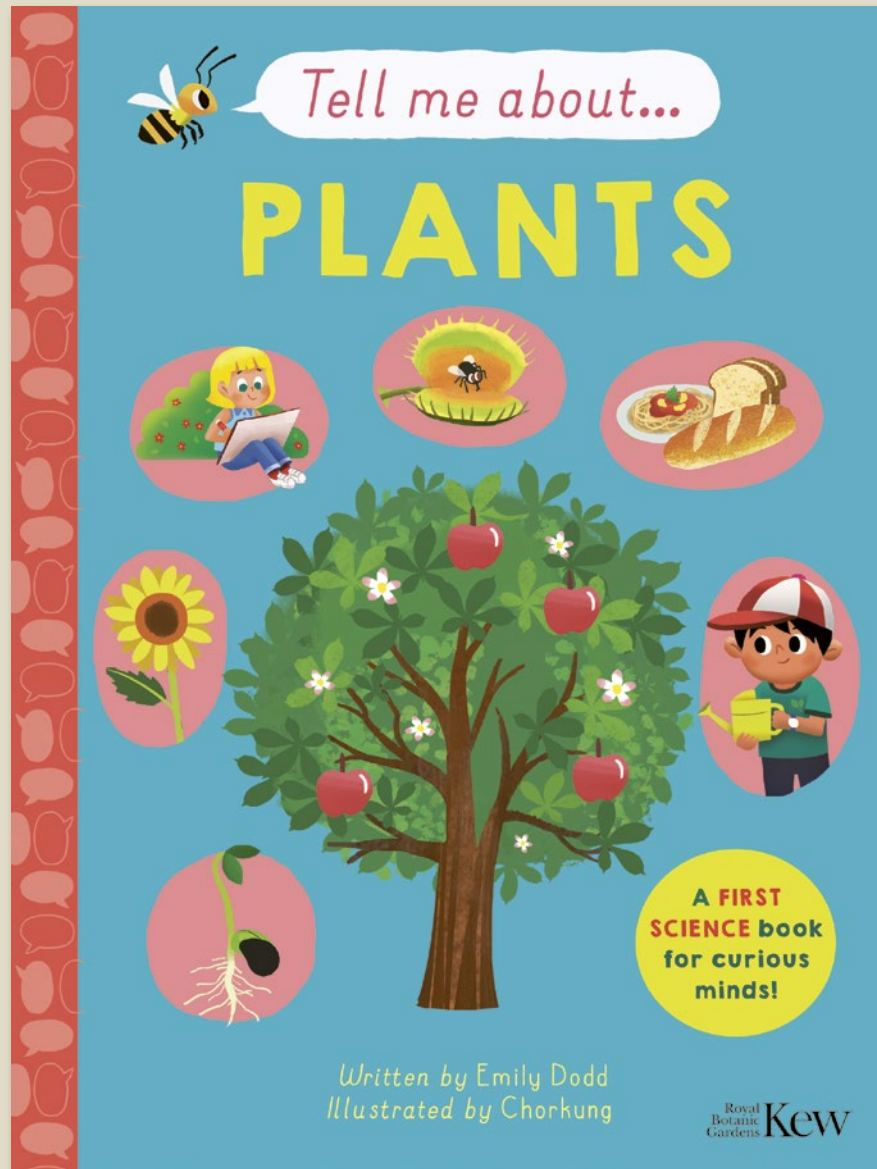
Mountain

Valley

Did you know...? Seawater is salty because of salt from rocks!

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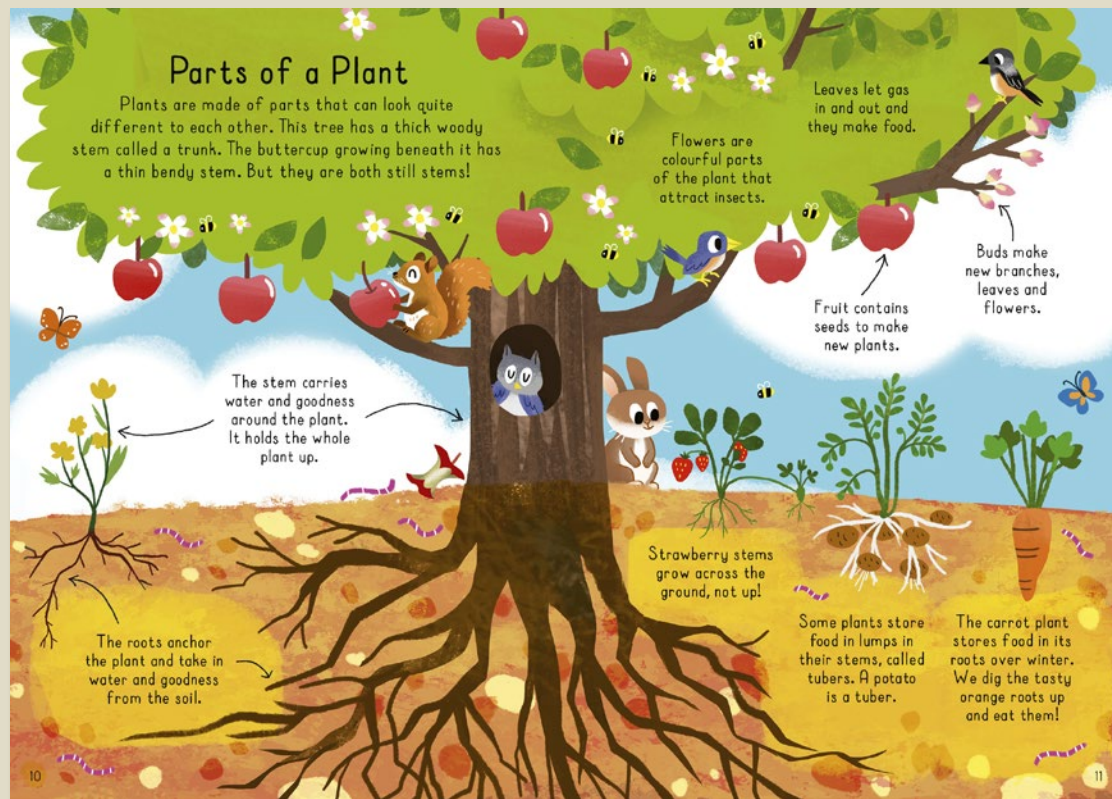
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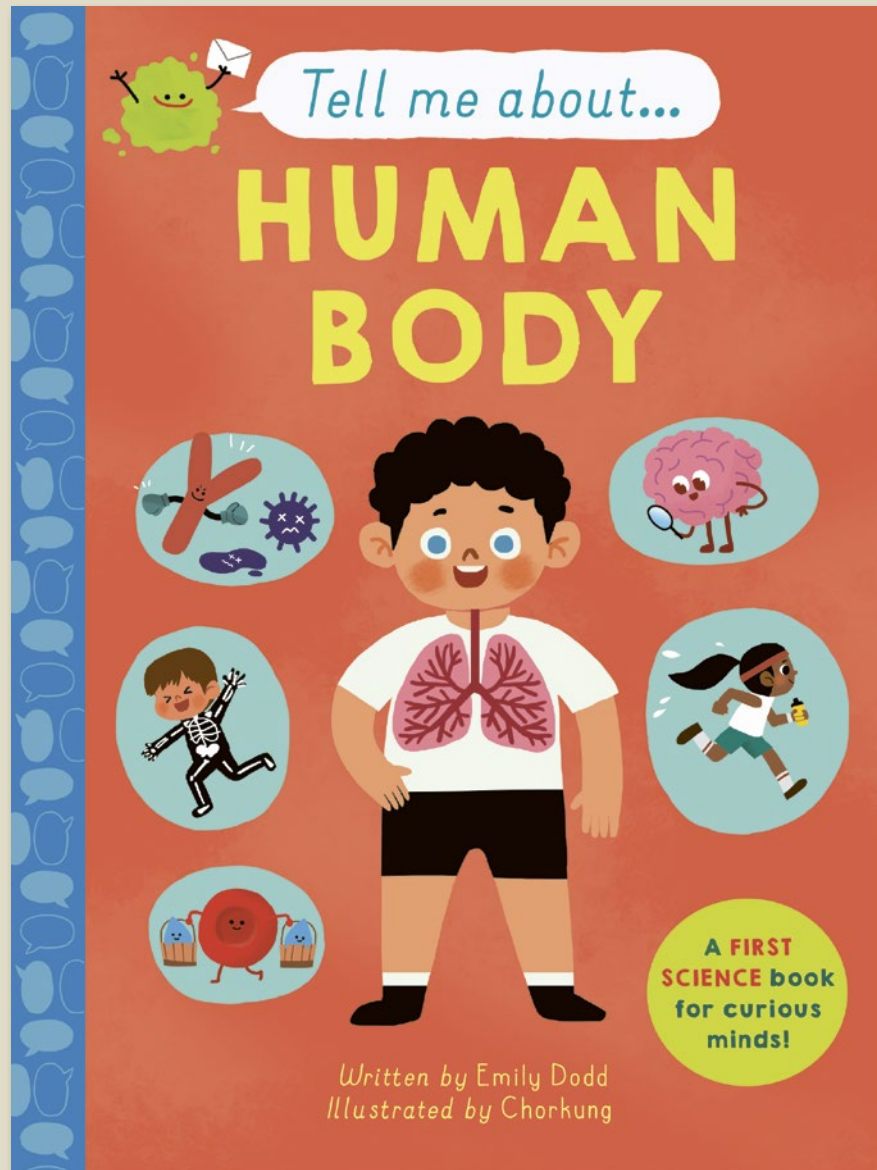
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# Tell Me About: Plants



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# Tell Me About: The Human Body



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# Tell Me About: The Human Body

## Brilliant Body

So many amazing things are happening in your body right now! Let's take a look at just a few of them...

As you breathe, spongy bags called lungs are sucking air in and putting it into your blood.

When you run, stretchy cords called muscles pull bones back and forward. Your bones connect together in a structure called a skeleton. And your skin wraps everything up.

Tiny electrical signals are making your heart beat - to-beat-to-beat - to pump blood around your body.

Your body is made from lots of different parts that work together to do important jobs. These parts are called organs.

If you look at the pictures in this book, you're using organs called eyes. And when you think about all of this, you use an organ called the brain.

When you think or laugh or wiggle your toes, you use energy. The energy comes from the food you eat. The food goes into your blood and all around your body.

## The Skin

Let's begin our body tour with your skin. This stretchy waterproof layer wraps around your body keeping germs out and keeping your insides... inside!

Your skin is full of sensors that help you to touch and feel things. You can feel pain and warmth and the tiny footpads of an insect crawling on your arm.

Did you know...? The skin is the biggest organ in the body!

Touch sensors help you to feel how hard to press when you lift it and hold objects - so you don't drop or squash them.

The top layer of your skin is dead! Underneath it, new skin is being made. It pushes the old skin upwards until it flakes off as dust. Yes, your skin becomes dust!

Your hair and nails are made from the same stuff as skin. It's called keratin.

Your skin cools your body too. One way it does this is by making little drops of liquid called sweat.

When sweat drops are warmed by a hot body, they float off into the air taking heat away with them!

## Skeleton

The thing that gives your body its wonderful shape and height is a skeleton. It is made from 206 bones that join together at hinges called joints.

Full your fingers! The bones are the hard parts, and the joints are where your fingers bend.

Strong bony bones called cartilage make up some parts of the skeleton including your ears, your nose and sections of your ribs.

The skeleton protects your insides too. Your ribs make a cage around your lungs and heart and your skull is like a helmet, protecting your brain.

Inside your biggest bones is a juice called marrow. New blood is being made in the marrow. That's right, your bones can make blood!

Bones are full of tiny holes that make them light. But the pattern of the holes makes them really strong too.

## Muscles

Muscles are stretchy cords that pull body parts to make them move. If you wiggle your eyebrows and stick out your tongue, you did it using muscles!

Muscles can pull, but they can't push so they need to work in teams. One muscle pulls a body part one way, and another muscle pulls it back again.

Great teamwork muscles!

1. Bend your arm. The set of muscles at the front of your arm, called triceps, pulled it up by getting shorter.

2. Now straighten your arm. Another set of muscles at the back of your arm, called biceps, pulled your arm down to straighten it.

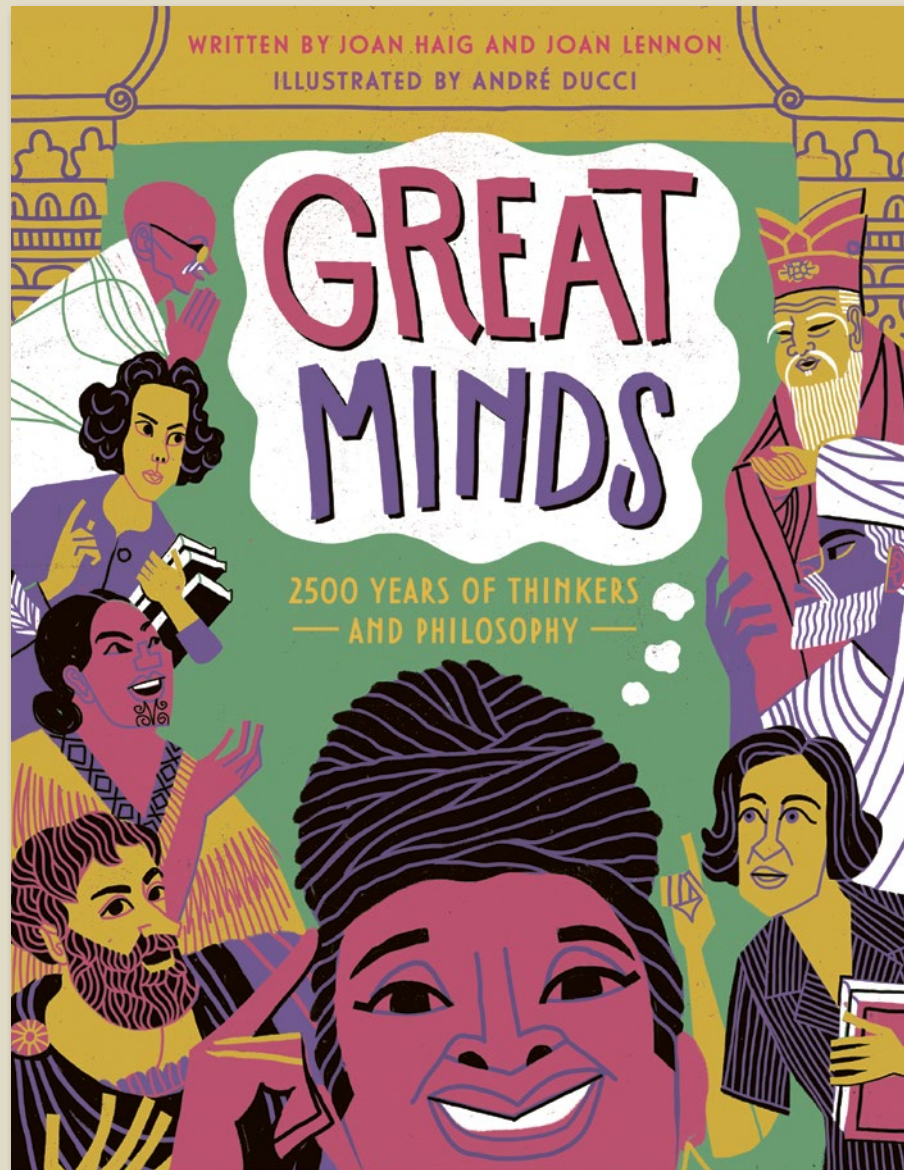
The muscles that move your bones around are called skeletal muscles. But they're not the only muscles you have!

Cardiac muscles make your heart squash to pump blood.

Smooth muscles line the tubes in your body. They help push things through the tubes.

Did you know...? Muscles help you hold in pee until you're ready to let it go.

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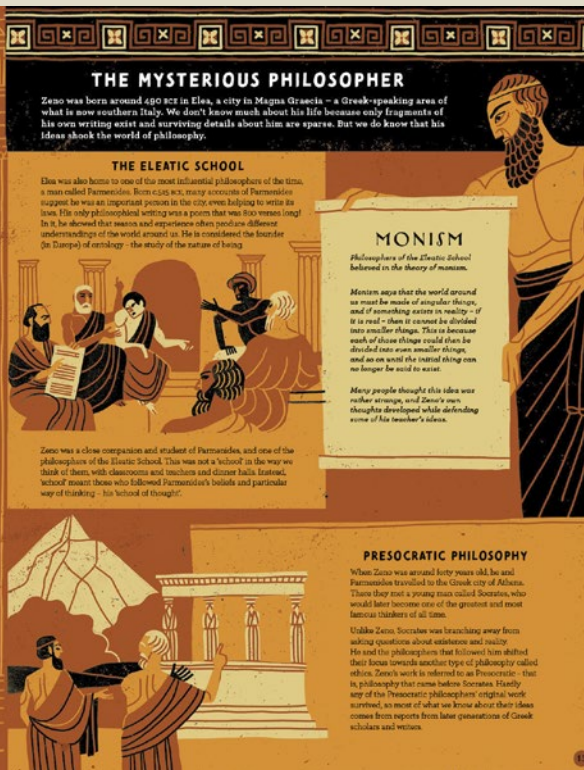
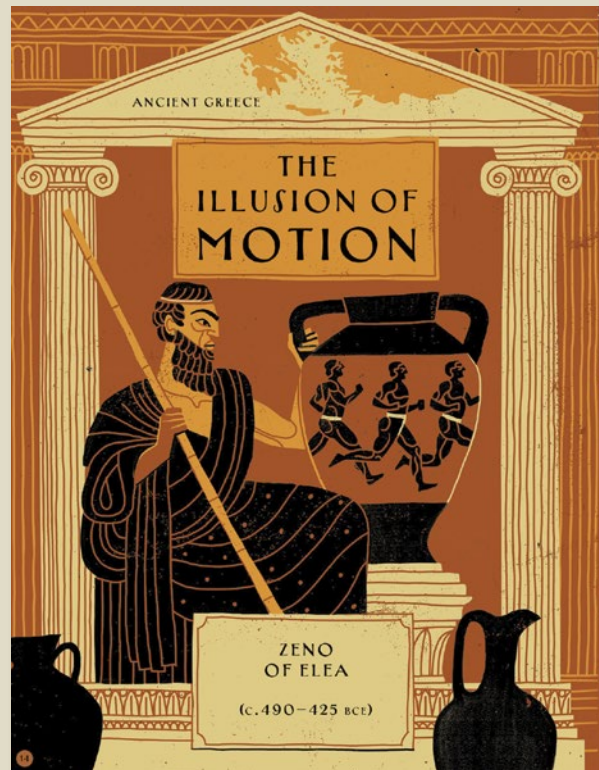
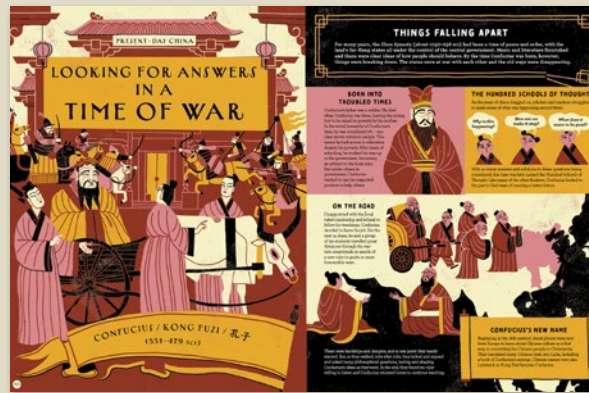


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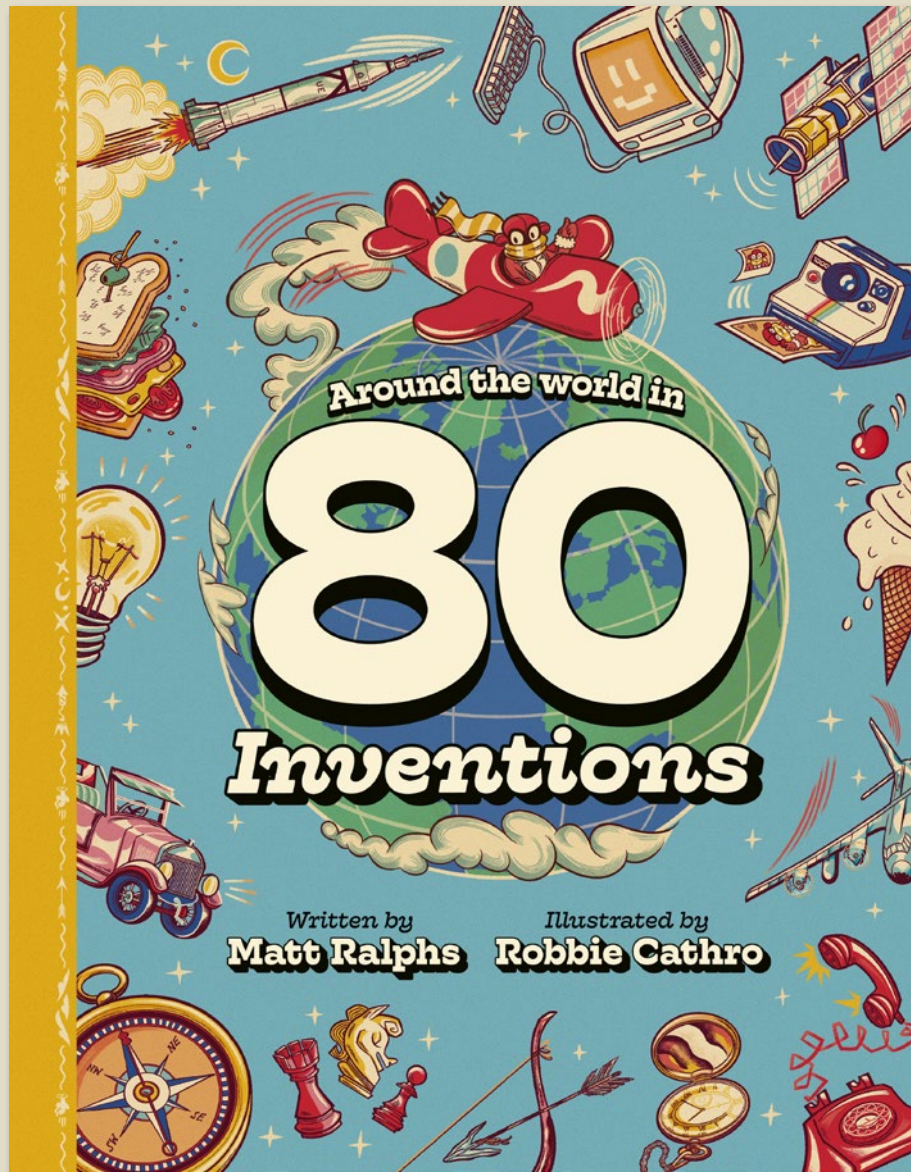


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# Around the World in 80 Inventions



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- Expertly checked by science writer Anne Rooney

# Around the World in 80 Inventions

## Ice Cream

"Dreaming from dessert"

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**O**f all the food items that have been invented, ice cream is probably the most popular. It's a treat that's enjoyed by people of all ages and in all climates. The first recorded recipe for ice cream was written in a Chinese text from the 10th century BC. It was made with snow and fruit. In the 17th century, a French chef named Lazzaro Spallanzani created a recipe for 'ice cream' that was made with snow and fruit. This was the first recipe for ice cream that was made with a cream base. In the 18th century, a French chef named Antoine Lavoisier created a recipe for 'ice cream' that was made with a cream base. This was the first recipe for ice cream that was made with a cream base.

**Easy Ice Cream**

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## Bicycle

"Freedom on two wheels"

**D**id you know that the first bicycle was invented in 1791? It was called a 'velocipede' and was made of wood. It was a simple machine with two wheels of the same size. The first bicycle with two wheels of different sizes was invented in 1817. It was called a 'boneshaker' and was made of metal. The first bicycle with a chain drive was invented in 1851. It was called a 'velocipede' and was made of metal. The first bicycle with a chain drive and a seat was invented in 1868. It was called a 'velocipede' and was made of metal.

**Pertious Penny-Farthing**

## Camera

"Snap photos"

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**A**lthough it's often thought of as a simple machine, a camera is a complex piece of technology. The first camera was invented in 1816 by Nicéphore Niépce. It was called a 'chambre noire' and was made of wood. The first camera with a lens was invented in 1826 by Nicéphore Niépce. It was called a 'chambre noire' and was made of wood. The first camera with a lens and a shutter was invented in 1839 by Nicéphore Niépce. It was called a 'chambre noire' and was made of wood.

**Developed to Perfection**

## High-Speed Train

"No-speed" "No-stops"

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**B**efore the 19th century, the only way to travel long distances was by horse-drawn carriage or stagecoach. The first high-speed train was invented in 1825. It was called the 'Liverpool and Manchester Railway' and was made of metal. The first high-speed train with a steam engine was invented in 1825. It was called the 'Liverpool and Manchester Railway' and was made of metal. The first high-speed train with a steam engine and a passenger car was invented in 1825. It was called the 'Liverpool and Manchester Railway' and was made of metal.

**Marvelous Maglevs**

## Wind Turbine

"Harnessing the power of wind"

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**Y**ou might have seen a wind turbine on a hill or in a field. It's a machine that converts the kinetic energy of the wind into electrical energy. The first wind turbine was invented in 1890 by Charles F. Brush. It was called a 'Brush Electric Light Tower' and was made of metal. The first wind turbine with a generator was invented in 1890 by Charles F. Brush. It was called a 'Brush Electric Light Tower' and was made of metal. The first wind turbine with a generator and a power line was invented in 1890 by Charles F. Brush. It was called a 'Brush Electric Light Tower' and was made of metal.

**Green Energy**

## Helicopter

"A soaring way to fly"

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**W**hen you think of a helicopter, you probably think of a machine that can fly. The first helicopter was invented in 1783 by the Montgolfier brothers. It was called a 'Montgolfier balloon' and was made of paper. The first helicopter with a rotor was invented in 1852 by Gustave Latimer. It was called a 'Latimer helicopter' and was made of metal. The first helicopter with a rotor and a tail rotor was invented in 1907 by Paul Cordeiro. It was called a 'Cordeiro helicopter' and was made of metal.

**Versatile VTOLs**

## Wheel

"The revolutionary design that makes the world go round"

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**C**an you imagine a world without wheels? Apart from sledges and ships, there would be no vehicles – no carts, cars, bikes, buses, trucks, trains, trams or aeroplanes. The first wheeled vehicles were animal-drawn carts with solid wooden wheels. They were invented in Mesopotamia (modern-day Iraq) around 3200 BCE. 300 years after the horizontal potter's wheel. These carts carried cargo to market and heavy loads, such as stone and timber for building projects. The horse-drawn chariot came next. In about 2500 BCE, chariot wheels were spoked rather than solid like a cartwheel, so they were faster and lighter. The wheel may be one of the simplest inventions, but without it our world would be completely different.

**Potter's Wheel**

The very first wheels were used to make pottery. The art of pottery began around 30,000 years ago. Originally, potters would shape clay into pots with their hands, but this took a long time. The Mesopotamians invented a better method in around 3500 BCE. The potter's wheel was a large stone disc balanced on a stick called an 'axle', which could be spun. By putting clay on the wheel and spinning it, the potter could shape the clay quickly into pots. We don't know for sure, but it seems likely that the potter's wheel led to the invention of the vehicle wheel.

## Internet

"The world at your fingertips"

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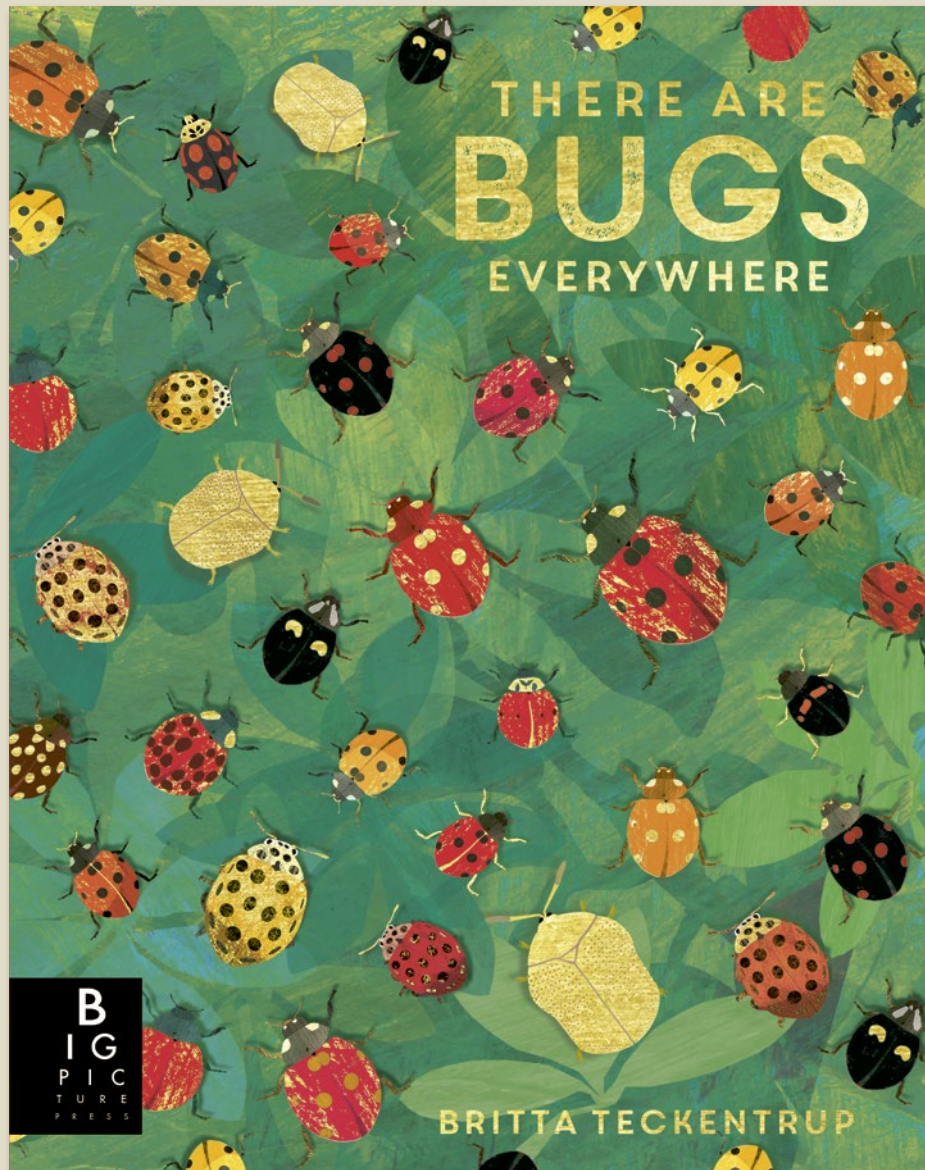
**T**he invention of the Internet – a network of computers that 'speak' to each other – was a concentrated effort in the United States. The first computers were connected to each other in 1969 during the Cold War (1947–1991), a time of heightened hostility between the USSR and the United States and when computers were the size of an entire room. The United States government wanted a communication system that couldn't be destroyed in a single attack, so they created ARPANET (Advanced Research Projects Agency Network): a series of linked computers across different locations, which allowed information to be relayed along telephone lines. The first message was sent in 1969. It was a single word: LOGIN, but only the 'L' and the 'O' got through before the network crashed. By the end of the same year four computers were connected on the ARPANET. It took years to create the 'network protocol' that allows computers to transfer data and 'speak' to each other. From the 1970s this network grew into the global Internet, which now links billions of devices. Today, whatever you want – books, food, holidays, cars – with the Internet you simply click a button and wait for it to arrive. Social media sites allow people all over the world to communicate instantly. We can consume films, television shows, music and video games, and even do our banking online.

**World Wide Web**

The World Wide Web (WWW) is a gateway to the Internet. It's made up of search engines like Google and Safari, the Internet addresses (also called URLs) we type in, and the websites that appear on our screens. It was invented by a British computer scientist called Tim Berners-Lee in 1989 while working at CERN, a science research laboratory in Switzerland. The WWW made the Internet accessible to everyone, not just scientists and academics.

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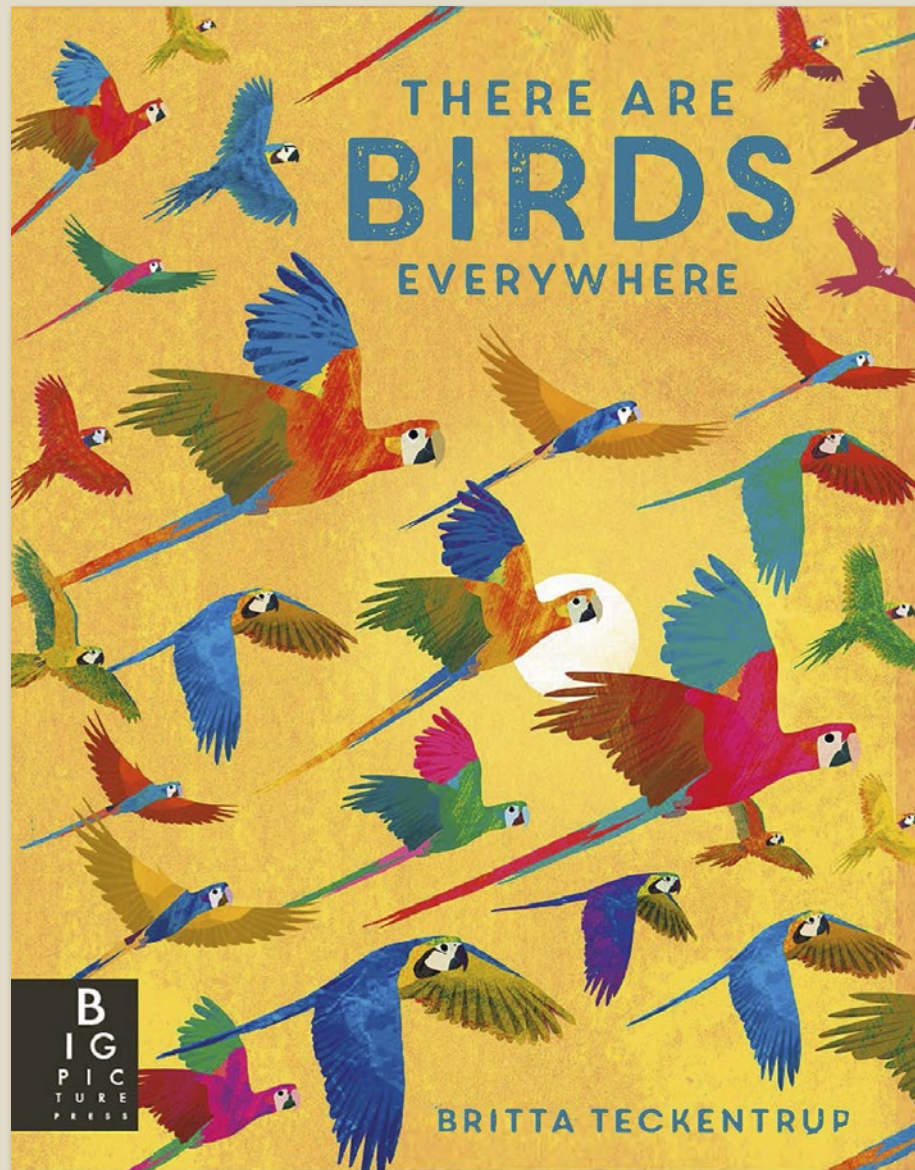


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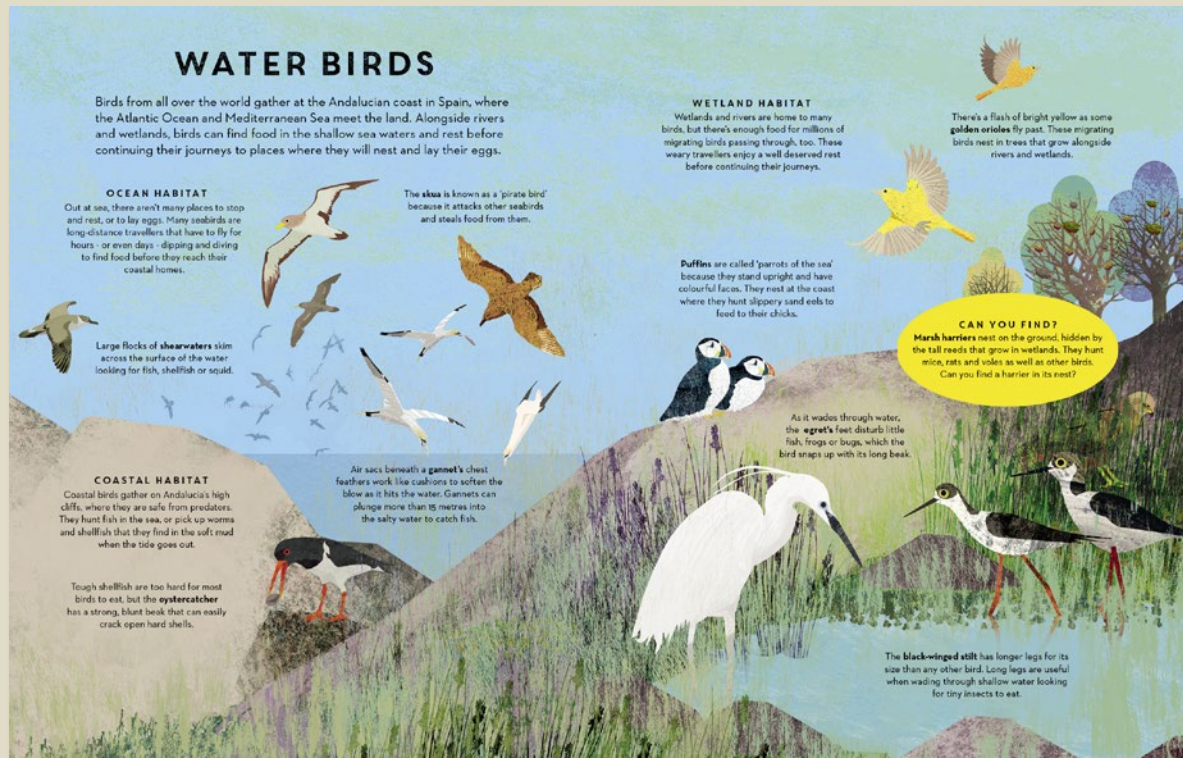
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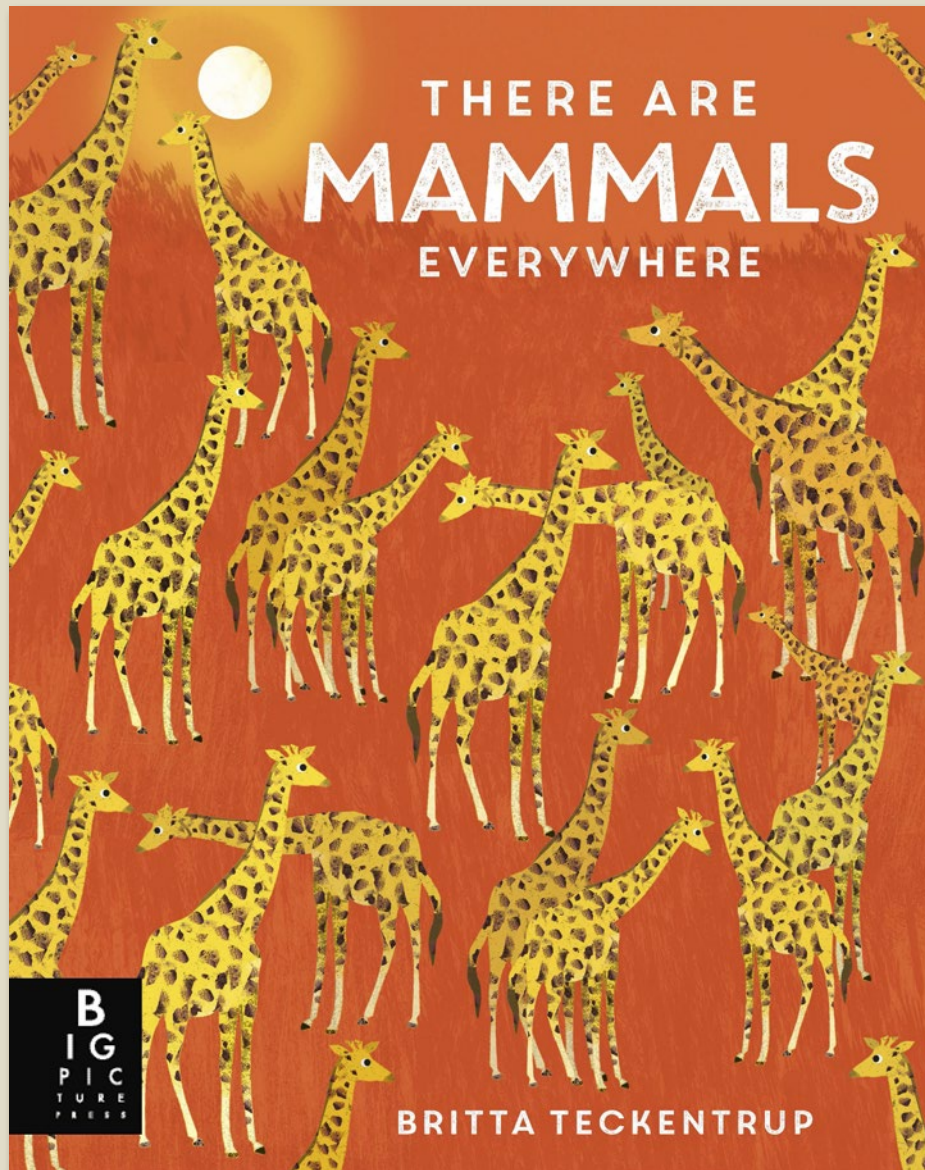
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# There are Mammals Everywhere



## An illustrated introduction to mammals.

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# There are Mammals Everywhere

## IT'S A MAMMAL! (SO WHAT IS THAT?)

There are almost 6,000 species of mammal alive today. Mammals may look very different on the outside, but they all have **skulllets** that allow them to perform a wide range of movements. Some mammals have four legs and a tail, but others walk on two legs, fly using two wings, or have flippers and fins.

**BIG BRAINS**  
Mammals have big brains for their body size. This means they can think and learn from their experiences. Some mammals have even bigger brains than others.

**BREATHING AIR**  
Mammals breathe air. They have lungs and a diaphragm to help them breathe. This means they can live on land, in water, or in the air.

**RECORD-BREAKERS**  
Mammals have some amazing records. The blue whale is the largest animal ever to live on Earth. The kangaroo rat is the smallest mammal. The platypus is the only mammal that lays eggs.

**BATS**  
Bats are the only mammals that can fly. They have wings made of skin stretched over their forelimbs. They can fly for hours at a time.

**CATS**  
Cats are the only mammals that can retract their claws. They have sharp teeth and a strong jaw. They are also the only mammals that can purr.

**SEALS**  
Seals are the only mammals that can walk on their flippers. They have a thick layer of blubber to keep them warm in the water. They can also breathe through their nostrils when they are underwater.

## MAMMALS HAVE BEEN AROUND FOR AGES

Mammals have been around for a really long time. The first mammals looked like shrews, which are tiny mammals with long, thin bodies and sharp teeth. They lived about 200 million years ago. Other mammals evolved like birds and some of these grew much bigger than cats. They had long necks and long legs. They were called marsupials and some of them were very big. They lived about 100 million years ago. The first mammals were very small and they were very different from the mammals we know today. They were called monotremes and they laid eggs. They were the only mammals that did this. They lived about 100 million years ago. The first mammals were very small and they were very different from the mammals we know today. They were called monotremes and they laid eggs. They were the only mammals that did this. They lived about 100 million years ago.

**PROBOSCIDEANS**  
Proboscideans were among the earliest mammals to have the mammalian brain. They were the first mammals to have a brain that was as big as the brains of modern mammals.

**MAMMALS**  
Mammals are the only animals that have mammary glands. They use these glands to produce milk to feed their young. This is one of the things that makes mammals so special.

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## WHY ARE MAMMALS UNIQUE?

Mammals are a large and very successful group of animals. They have been able to spread across the world and survive in all sorts of habitats because they have some unique ways to stay warm, find their young and get food.

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## WHERE DO MAMMALS LIVE?

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**TUNDRA**  
The land around the Arctic is called the **tundra** and it is famous for its snowy blizzards and blustery winds. It is a difficult place to live - unless you can stay snug inside your own super-thick fur coat. **Musk oxen** have hair that almost touches their toes and they snuggle up next to each other to get the benefit of some buddy-body-warmth!

**FORESTS**  
Tropical forests are packed with tall trees that bloom all year round, producing plenty of fruit for any animals that can reach it. **Orang-utans** spend almost all of their lives in the branches, using their strong arms to climb from tree to tree, following the fruit as it ripens.

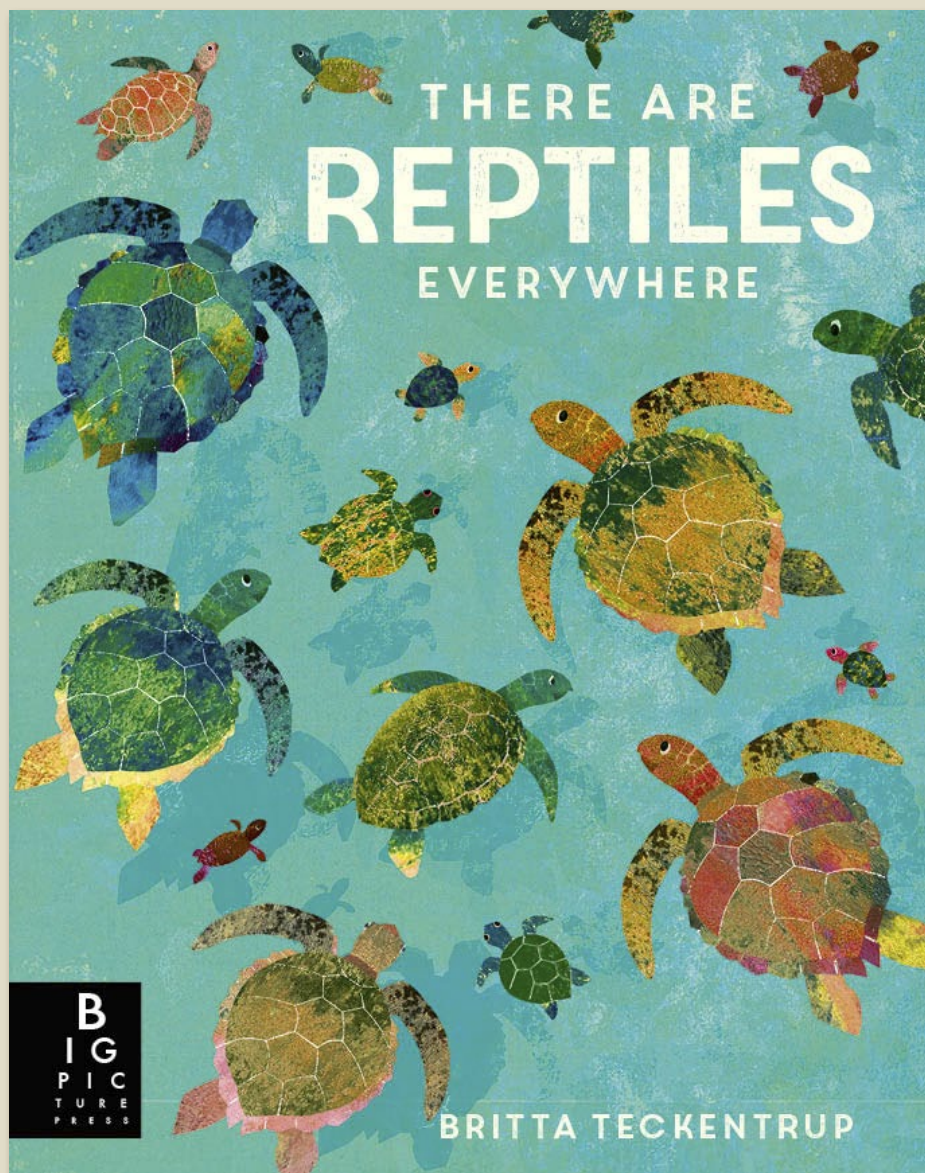
**DESERTS**  
Deserts are very dry habitats that experience extreme temperatures. **Bactrian camels** survive desert life by storing food and water as fat inside their two **humps**. They grow thick, shaggy fur for the icy winter, and shed it for the hot summer months.

**CAVES**  
Many species of bats gather together in caves in big groups called **colonies**. They rest during the day by hanging upside down from the cave ceiling and go hunting at night. Some caves can house more than five million bats!

**CAN YOU FIND?**  
Other animals like to camp out in a beavers' lodge, including **water voles**. Can you find one of those small, furry rodents with a long tail?

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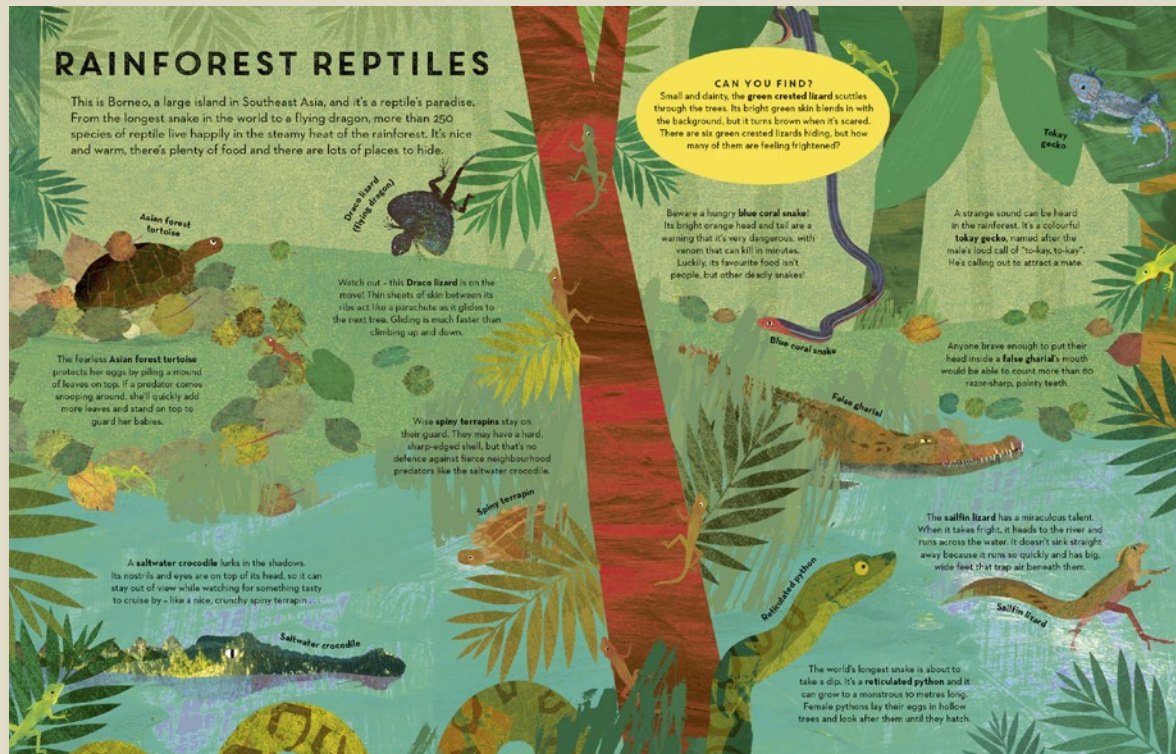
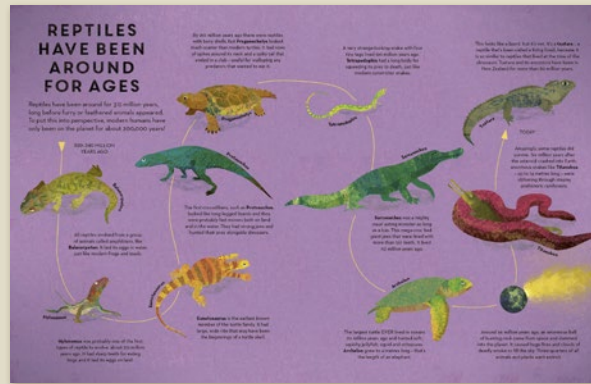
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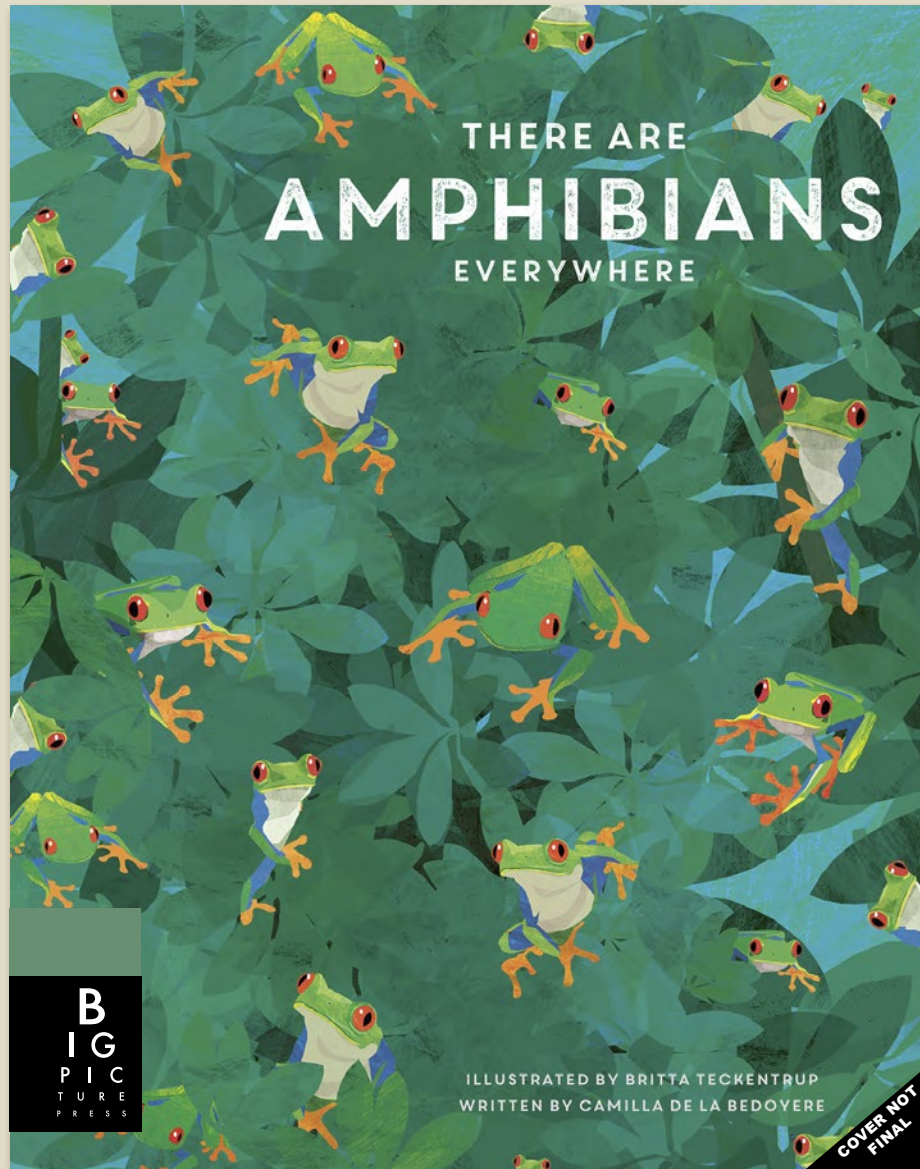
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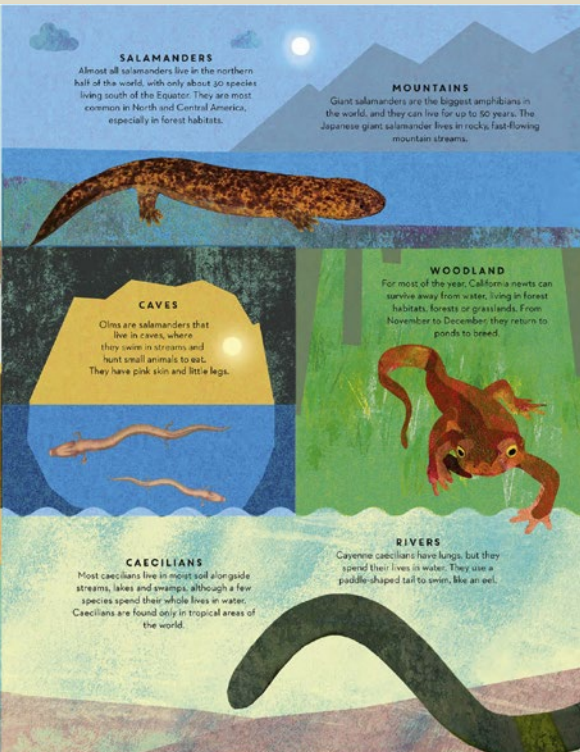
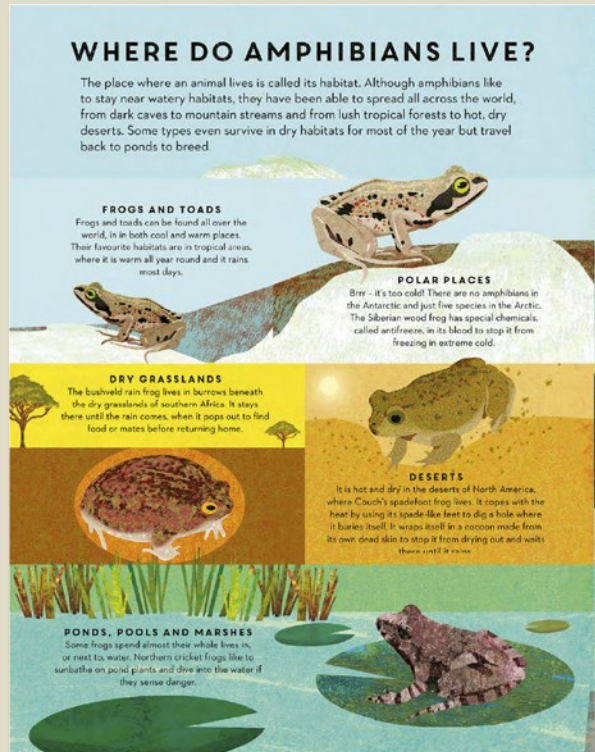
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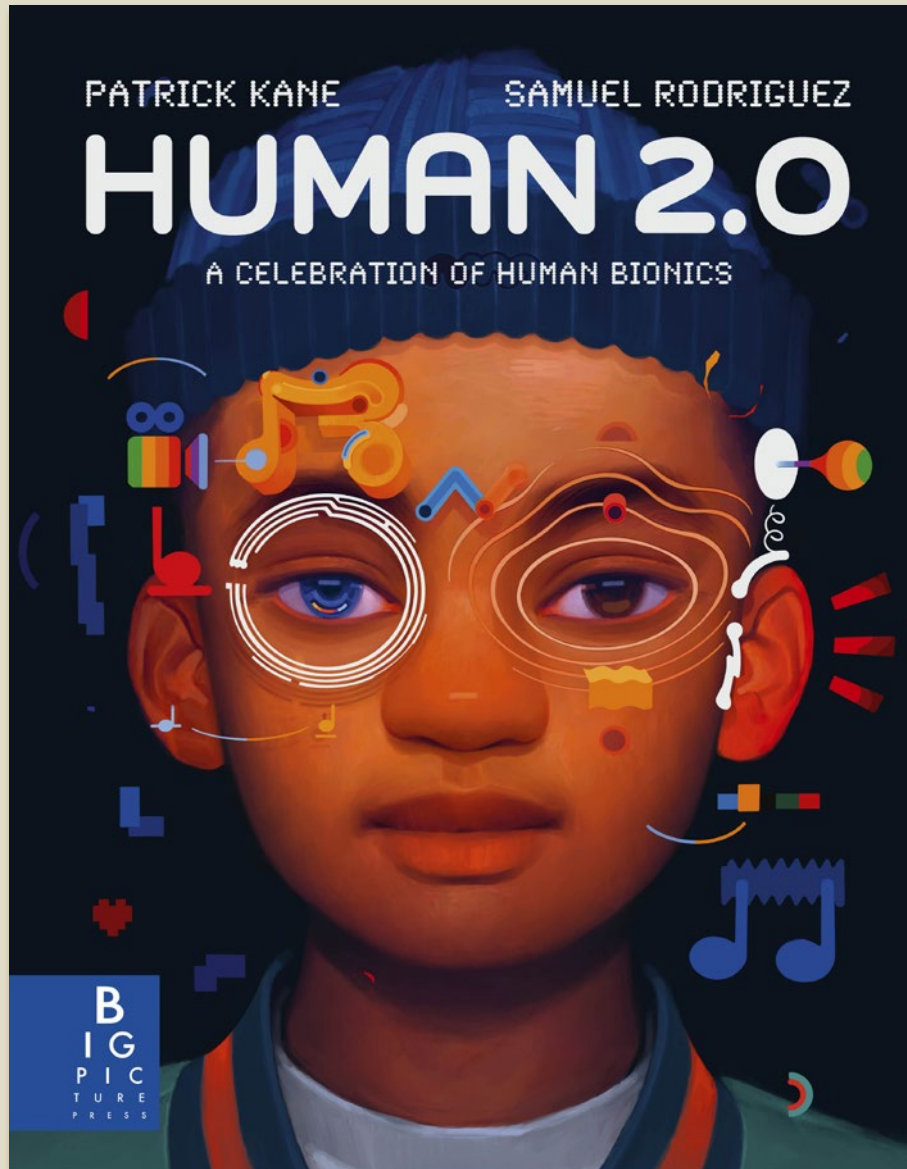
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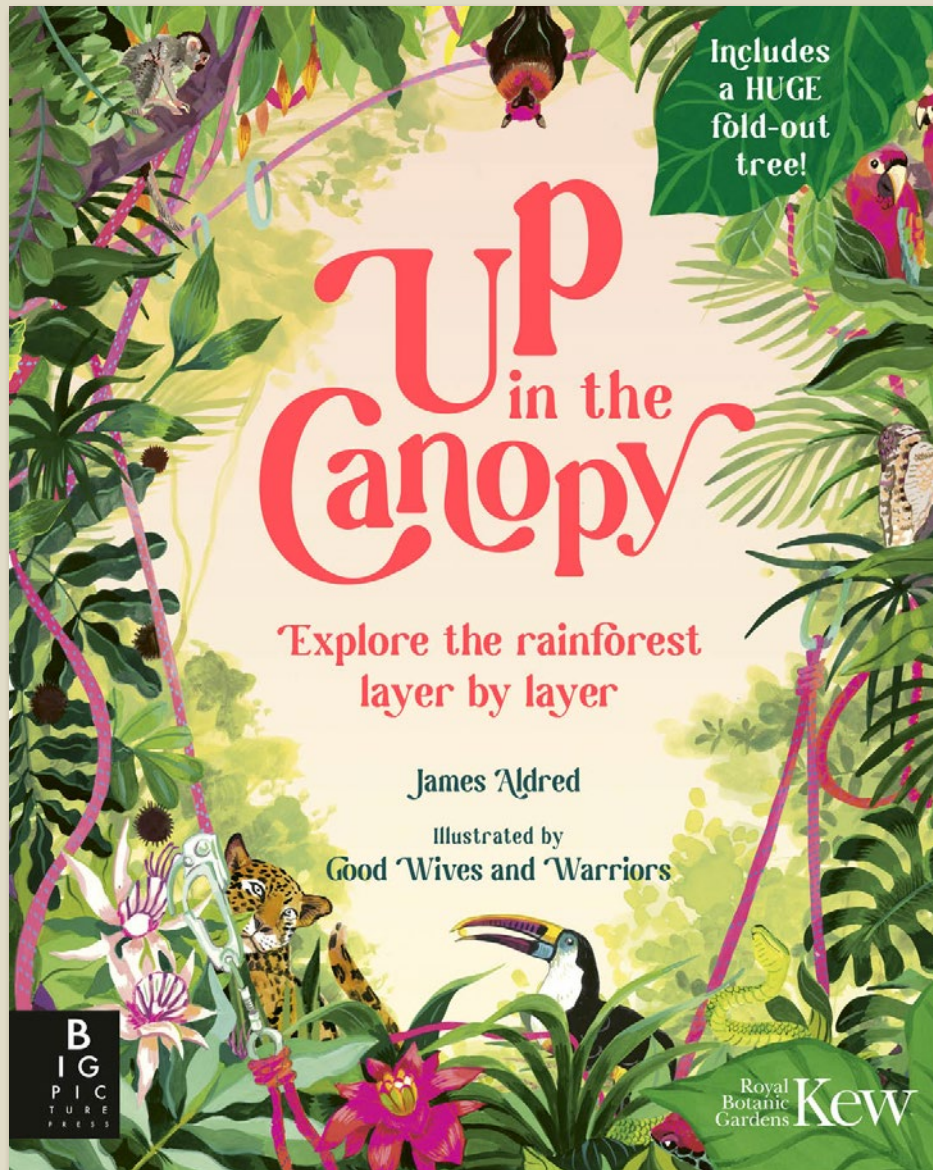


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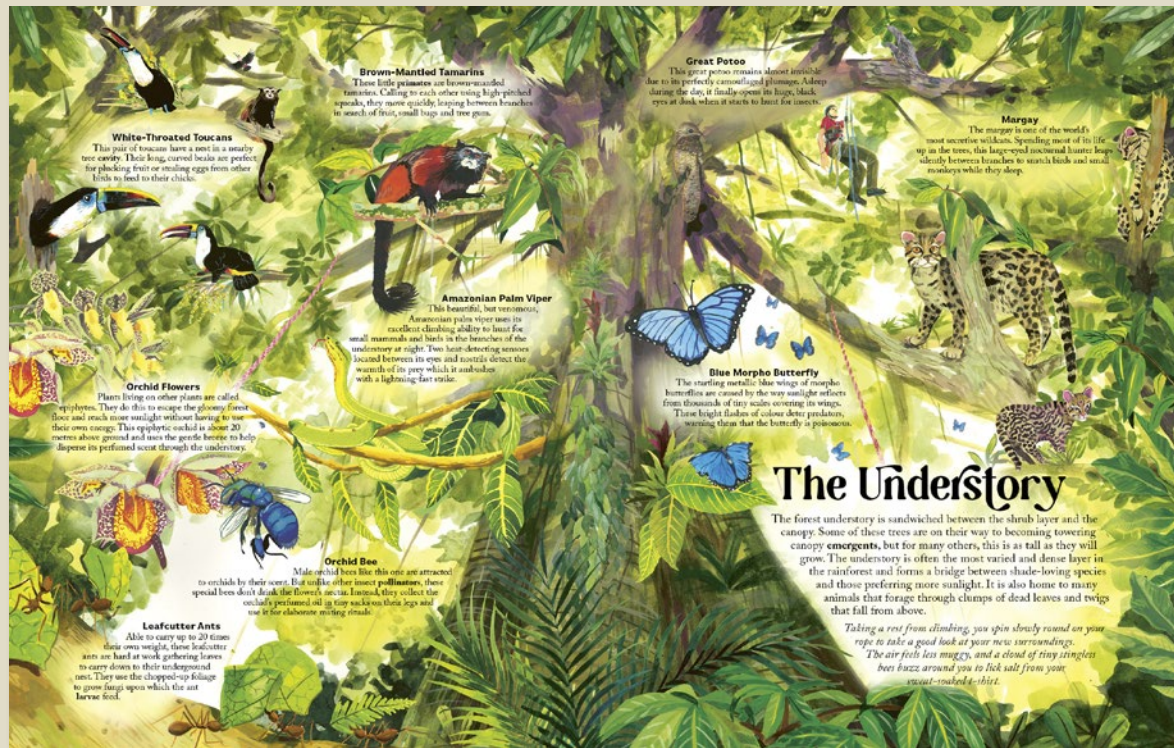


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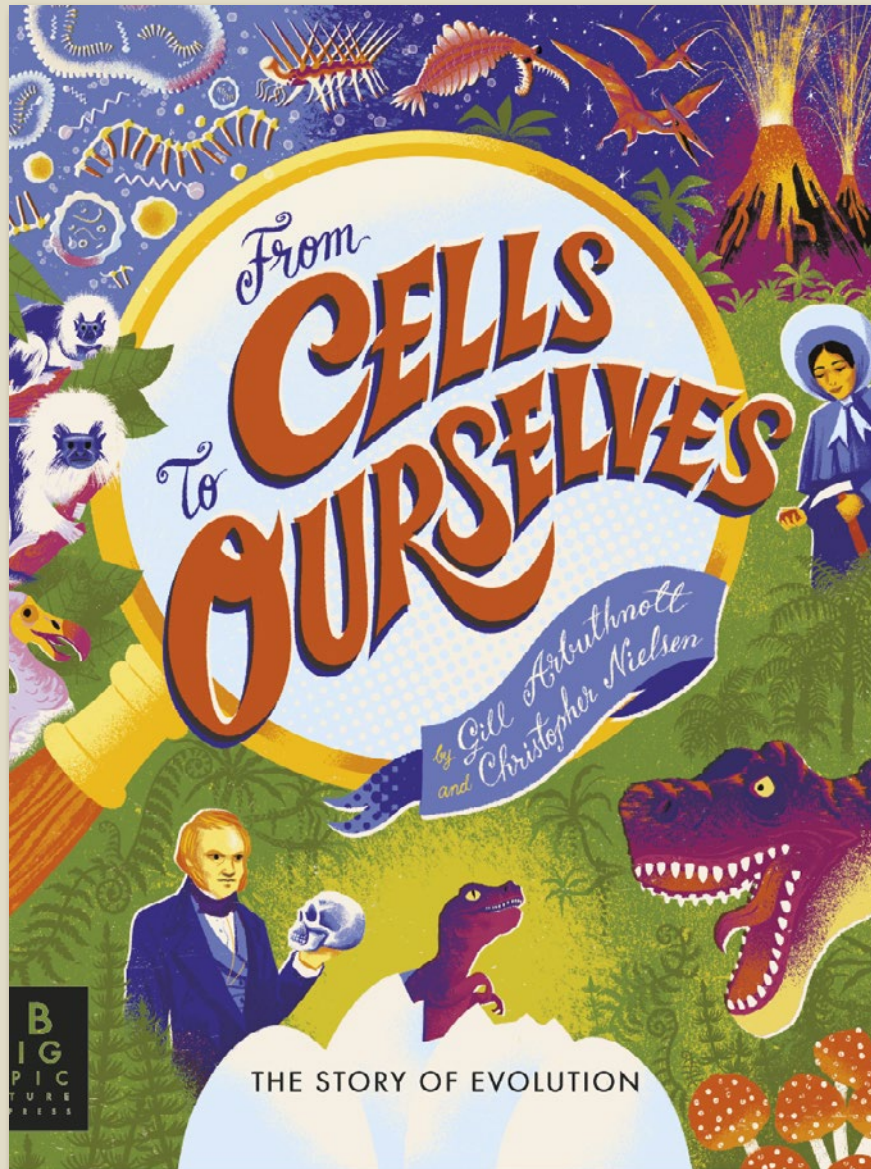
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# From Cells to Ourselves



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# From Cells to Ourselves

## HOW DID LIFE BEGIN?

**THE 1920s** American chemist Stanley Miller and British physicist James Watson conducted the first experiment to show how life might have begun. They used a mixture of gases thought to be present in the early Earth and produced amino acids, the building blocks of proteins, in their laboratory. This was the first step towards understanding how life might have begun.

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## THE DINOSAUR DETECTIVES

In the 19th century, scientists discovered, investigated and named many species of dinosaurs. But for the first time, these dinosaur detectives...

**MARY ANNING (1804-1847)** was a young girl who lived in Lyme Regis, Dorset. She was known for her discovery of fossilized sea shells and other marine life. Her discovery of the first dinosaur fossil, a small bone, was a major breakthrough in understanding the existence of dinosaurs.

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## EARLY IDEAS ABOUT EVOLUTION

How long is a million seconds? Have you been alive for one billion seconds? What was happening a million days ago? We find it very difficult to comprehend these huge numbers. If we don't have a feel for how long a million seconds is, how can we possibly comprehend time spans of millions or billions of years? This is one reason why some people have a problem with evolution. The idea that single, primitive cells evolved into all the species that have ever lived seems incredible, unless you get to grips with the timespans involved.

**In ancient Greece, philosopher Anaximander suggested that one type of animal could change into another, while Empedocles thought that new types of living things could be made from a range of parts that already existed.**

**There's NO WAY he's getting into elephants on that boat.**

**Zam, I've got it now!**

**The naturalist George-Louis Leclerc proposed a way for the Earth to have formed from debris in space. Although he believed in spontaneous generation, he thought that animals could change as they migrated to different conditions. This later explains the discovery of elephant fossils in North America, and mammoth fossils in Siberia, although living elephants are today only found in Africa and South Asia. He suggested the American ones had become extinct, while the mammoths had changed as they migrated south.**

**Erasmus Darwin was Charles Darwin's grandfather. He was a doctor, poet and naturalist, and in his book 'Zoonomia, or: The Laws of Organic Life' he was one of the first people to propose a theory of evolution. He never hit on the idea of natural selection, but did recognise the importance of sexual selection (see page 59) and realised it could cause changes in species.**

## GRADUAL CHANGES

In the early 1800s Jean-Baptiste Lamarck, inventor of the terms 'invertebrate' and 'biology', was the first person to develop a coherent theory of the development of life on Earth and its evolution. He believed that life had originated by spontaneous generation, rather than creation by deity, and had then become more complex and varied over many generations. Lamarck suggested how this could happen. His idea is often called the 'Theory of Evolution by Acquired Characteristics'. In simple terms, he thought that the more an animal used an organ during its lifetime, the more well-developed it would become and that these changes could be inherited by offspring if both parents had the same developments.

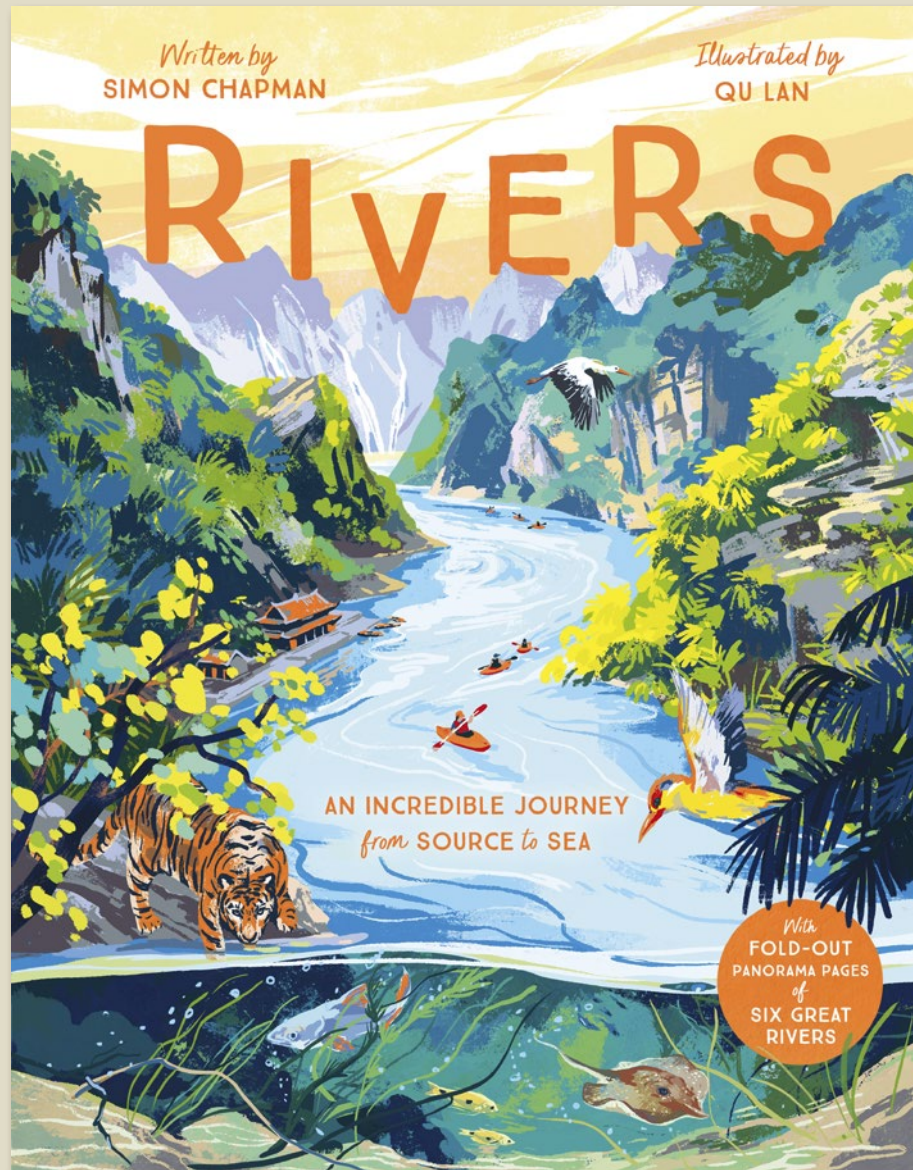
### THE EVOLUTION OF THE GIRAFFE'S NECK, ACCORDING TO LAMARCK:

- 1) Early giraffes had short necks.
- 2) Giraffes reach upward to graze on leaves.
- 3) This stretches their necks very slightly over their lifetimes.
- 4) The next generation of giraffes inherits these slightly longer necks.
- 5) This process is repeated over many generations until we arrive at modern, long-necked giraffes. Lamarck was not suggesting that their necks suddenly shoot out like telescopic poles!

### THE PROCESS ALSO WORKED THE OTHER WAY:

- 1) Early penguins had wings with which they could fly.
- 2) Penguins spend most of their time swimming and very little flying.
- 3) Their wings become smaller, with smaller feathers, from lack of flying.
- 4) The next generation of penguins inherits these smaller, more flipper-like wings.
- 5) This process is repeated over many generations until we arrive at the modern penguin, which can no longer fly and whose wings are now adapted to help it swim instead.

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## Water

**WHAT IS WATER?**  
Each molecule of water (H<sub>2</sub>O) contains two hydrogen atoms and one oxygen atom bonded together. These molecules are then joined together and they flow together and, because of this, water can change its shape.

**Water is HEAVY**  
One cubic metre weighs one tonne – about the same as a small car. The heaviest river on the world, the Amazon, has more than 200,000 tonnes of water every second. The weight of water makes it difficult to lift. It's why just a few litres of water can be so heavy.

**Water is HOT**  
This river flows at a speed of around 10 metres per second – that's about how fast you can run. Rivers in hot climates flow much faster.

**Water is POWERFUL**  
Because it is heavy and can flow really quickly, water can push and pull things. It can break up rocks and carry them away. It can also carve out deep gorges and canyons.

**Water is CLEAN**  
The water that flows in rivers is not always clean. It can be polluted by things like plastic, oil and chemicals. This can harm the animals and plants that live in the river.

**Water is SWEET**  
The water that flows in rivers is not always sweet. It can be salty, like the water in the ocean. This is because of the salt that is dissolved in the water.

**Water is WET**  
The water that flows in rivers is not always wet. It can be frozen, like the water in the Arctic. This is because of the cold temperatures.

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## Mangroves

**NEAR THE COAST ON THE EAST MANGROVE RIVER DELTA IN BORNEO, ASIA, ONE OF THE MOST DIVERSE AND PRODUCTIVE ECOSYSTEMS ON EARTH EXISTS. THE MANGROVE ECOSYSTEM IS A WETLAND THAT GROWS IN SALTY WATER AND IS HOME TO A WIDE RANGE OF PLANTS AND ANIMALS.**

**It is the mangrove roots that hold the soil together. The roots are made of wood and are called prop roots. They grow from the stems of the mangrove trees and are used to anchor the trees in the soft mud. The roots also filter out pollutants and excess nutrients from the water.**

**Some amazing things people can do with mangroves. They can be used for timber, paper and medicine. They can also be used for food and fuel. Mangroves are also important for the environment because they help to reduce carbon dioxide in the atmosphere.**

## HEADING UPSTREAM: The Salmon Run

**IN OCTOBER AT THE ADAMS RIVER IN BRITISH COLUMBIA, CANADA, SALMON BEGIN A FIGHTING THEIR WAY UPSTREAM AGAINST THE CURRENT TO GET TO THE SPawning GROUNDS WHERE THEY ARE BORN. THREE YEARS AGO, THEY EMIGRATED DOWNSTREAM TO THE PACIFIC OCEAN, WHERE THEY HAD AN OCEAN FEED AND THEN HAD TO SWIM UPSTREAM AGAINST THE CURRENT TO GET TO THE SPawning GROUNDS.**

**They first swim upriver to the fishery's dam and hundreds of millions more in rivers around the Pacific Coast, from Alaska to Japan to Eastern Siberia and the Pacific Coast to the USA, on all travelling.**

**By the time they reach the dam, they are exhausted. They have to jump over the dam and then swim upriver to the spawning grounds. This is a very difficult task and many salmon die during the journey. Only a few survive to reach the spawning grounds.**

## GORGES: The Grand Canyon

**THE MOST FAMOUS GORGE IN THE WORLD, the Grand Canyon winds its way through the semi-desert of the Southwestern United States. It is 1,600 metres deep and over 400 kilometres long, carved by the Colorado River. The Paiute people of the Great Basin Desert area call it the Naibab, which means the 'mountain turned upside down'. But the Colorado is no great thing in the Amazon. It is only 100 metres wide on average as it passes between the canyon's rock walls. So how did it cut so deeply into the earth?**

**The River Colorado is only 25 metres wide at its narrowest point in the Grand Canyon. That's about the length of a town swimming pool. But at this point, the river is also at its deepest – 25 metres.**

**Gorges are formed by waterfalls eroding backwards, caverns collapsing or by the sheer force of the water eroding through rock, and this takes time. Six million years in the case of the Grand Canyon.**

**The sedimentary rock that the Colorado River flows over is made of compacted sand and mud that was once on the bottom of the sea. This seabed was raised higher by the same earth movements that raised the land to form the nearby Rocky Mountains.**

**For most of the year the Colorado hardly erodes the rock beneath it. Virtually all of its downward cutting happens when snow in the Rockies melts each spring, swelling the river to many times its usual size.**

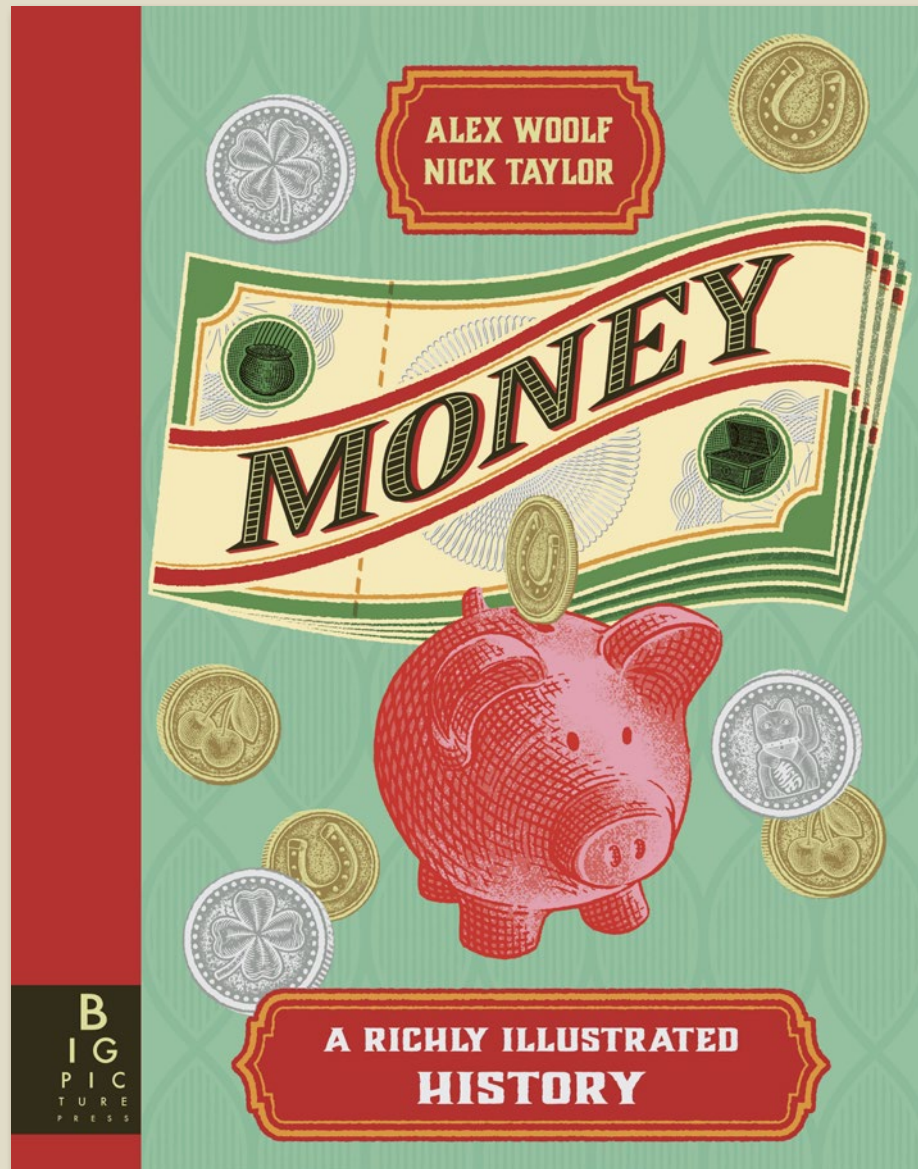
**Carrying 500,000 tons of tiny broken rock pieces, the floodwaters of the Colorado act like sandpaper, wearing the riverbed deeper and washing away the valley sides.**

**Water erodes hard and soft rock away at different rates, which has created the Grand Canyon's distinctive steps.**

**Swirling currents can cause rocks, pebbles and sediment to erode circular hollows called potholes in the riverbed.**

**"A PERFECT HELL OF WAVES"**  
The Colorado River was first explored in 1859 by a 10-man expedition led by geologist Colonel John Wesley Powell. They set off in four wooden rowing boats, not knowing what they would discover. Over three months and 1500 kilometres they encountered hundreds of rapids, one of which they described as 'a perfect hell of waves'. After one of the boats was smashed to pieces, three of the team deserted to take their chances in the desert. They were never seen again. The three remaining boats made it through the canyon and Colonel Powell became famous for his achievement. Powell took another expedition through the Canyon in 1871, this time with cameras and equipment to map the river's course.

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**This visually extraordinary book presents the history of money as it has never been seen before - from coins to contactless, bankruptcy to billionaires**

- Vibrant illustrations and dynamic layouts will appeal to the audience
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- A global topic with growing relevance in today's world. There is a significant lack of publishing for children on this subject.
- Pantone and 100% foil cover finishes.



## DIFFERENT KINDS OF MONEY

Money serves because it is traded, but this trade doesn't come out of nowhere. It has to be based on something. There are several reasons why money might be valued. Some money is traded because it is made of something valuable, such as gold or silver. This is called commodity money. Another kind is traded because it represents something valuable. This is called representative money. A third kind is traded simply because a government tells it is valuable. This is called fiat money.

### COMMODITY MONEY

The earliest form of commodity money was cowrie shells. They were small, round, and easy to carry. They were used in many parts of the world, including the Indian subcontinent, the Mediterranean, and the Caribbean. Commodity money is made from things that have value on their own. It can be used to buy things, and it can be traded for other things. It is often used in places where there is no government or where the government is weak.

### REPRESENTATIVE MONEY

The earliest form of representative money was gold coins. They were made of gold and silver, and they were used in many parts of the world. Representative money is made from things that represent something valuable. It can be used to buy things, and it can be traded for other things. It is often used in places where there is a government and the government is strong.

### FIAT MONEY

The earliest form of fiat money was paper money. It was made of paper and was used in many parts of the world. Fiat money is made from things that have no value on their own. It is only valuable because a government tells it is valuable. It is often used in places where there is a government and the government is strong.

## A WORLD WITHOUT MONEY

To understand why money is useful, let's try to imagine a world without money. In such a world, the only way to get hold of the things you need would be to make or grow them, or steal them from other people. These people are called barter. Barter is the exchange of goods or services for other goods or services without using money.

### BARTER AND GIFTS

Barter is the exchange of goods or services for other goods or services without using money. It is often used in places where there is no government or where the government is weak. Barter is often used in places where there is a government and the government is strong.

### THE PEOPLE'S WITH BARTER

The people's with barter are the people who use barter to exchange goods and services. They are often found in places where there is no government or where the government is weak.

### COMMODITY OF WANT

Commodity of want is the value of a good or service based on how much people want it. It is often used in places where there is no government or where the government is weak.

## WHAT MAKES A GOOD FORM OF MONEY?

The earliest forms of money were very different to the money we use today. There was no paper or printing process or machines to make money. People had to make it with their hands. They used things like shells, beads, and stones. These things were used because they were easy to carry and they had value.

### CONVEYABLE

Conveyable is the ability to move money from one place to another. It is often used in places where there is no government or where the government is weak.

### STORAGE

Storage is the ability to keep money for a long time. It is often used in places where there is no government or where the government is weak.

### UNIFORM

Uniform is the ability to have money that is the same everywhere. It is often used in places where there is no government or where the government is weak.

### ACCEPTED

Accepted is the ability to have money that is accepted by everyone. It is often used in places where there is no government or where the government is weak.

## QUIRKY CURRENCIES

Many unusual objects were used as money in the era before notes and coins. These included foodstuffs such as barley, rice, corn and wheat. The Chinese used tea bricks to pay for things, whereas the Aztecs used cacao beans, and the peoples of ancient Africa and the Middle East measured value in coffee beans. The Mesopotamians kept sacks of grain in protected barns, much like the banks of today. When stored carefully, these foods could provide a reasonable store of value. But a storm or a bad harvest could wipe out your wealth.

### MONEY YOU CAN EAT

Some surprising foods have been used as units of exchange in different parts of the world. Here are some of them.

#### BUTTER

The Pilgrims of the island of Nauru used butter for exchange. They used it to buy things like fish and other goods.

#### CHEESE

In the early 1800s, the people of the island of Nauru used cheese for exchange. They used it to buy things like fish and other goods.

#### EELS

Dried and smoked eels were used as money in the island of Nauru. They were used to buy things like fish and other goods.

#### COCONUTS

For the Kusa Yaku, who live on islands off the coast of Papua New Guinea, coconuts were used as money. They were used to buy things like fish and other goods.

#### EGGS

When Venetian merchants were sailing from the island of Nauru, they used eggs as money. They were used to buy things like fish and other goods.

## POTATO MASHERS

In ancient Cameroon, potato mashers were used as a currency. These heavy iron objects, called ensusbas, were shaped like a club.

### KISSI PENNIES

The kissi penny was a currency used mainly in West Africa in the first half of the twentieth century. They were long iron rods, usually arranged in bundles of twenty. A cow could be bought for 30 or 40 bundles.

### IRON SNAKES

The Lobi tribe of Burkina Faso used iron snakes as a currency. They would also attach them to their calves as a protection from snake bites and lightning.

### KNIVES

Large bronze knives circulated as currency in ancient China between 600 and 200 BCE. According to one story, this started when a prince who was running low on money to pay his troops allowed them to use their knives to pay for goods in the local village.

### RAI STONES

The small Pacific island of Yap possesses the world's biggest money. Rai stones are huge discs of rock weighing up to 8 tonnes each. The stones are rarely moved, and are not used for day-to-day transactions, but they change hands as ceremonial gifts, to forge alliances, resolve conflicts or to apologise for wrongdoing.

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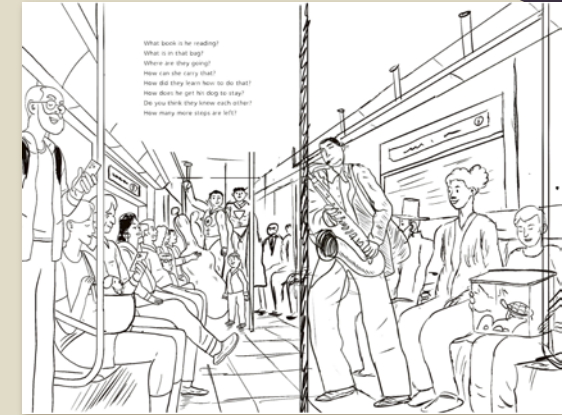
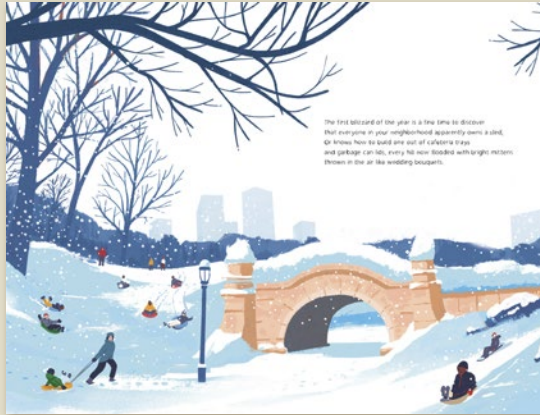
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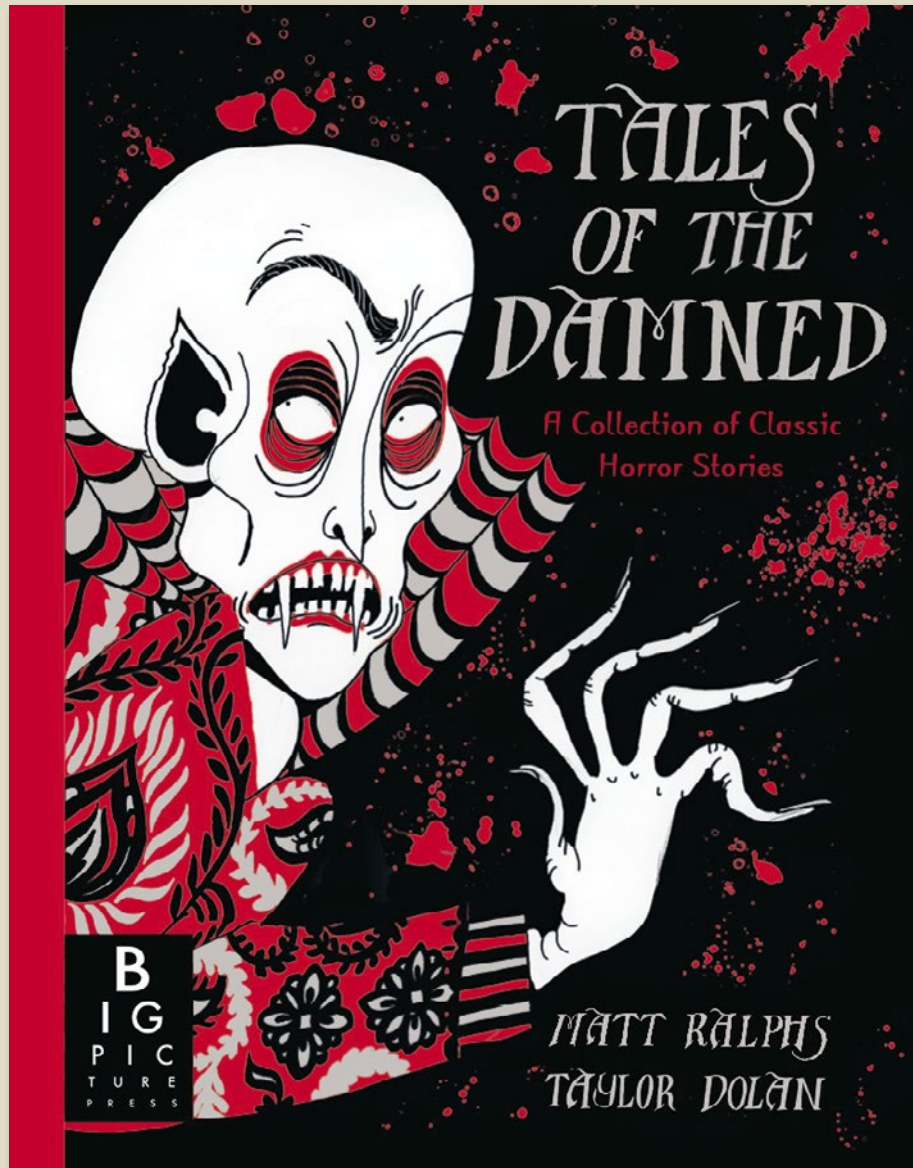
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# Tales of the Damned

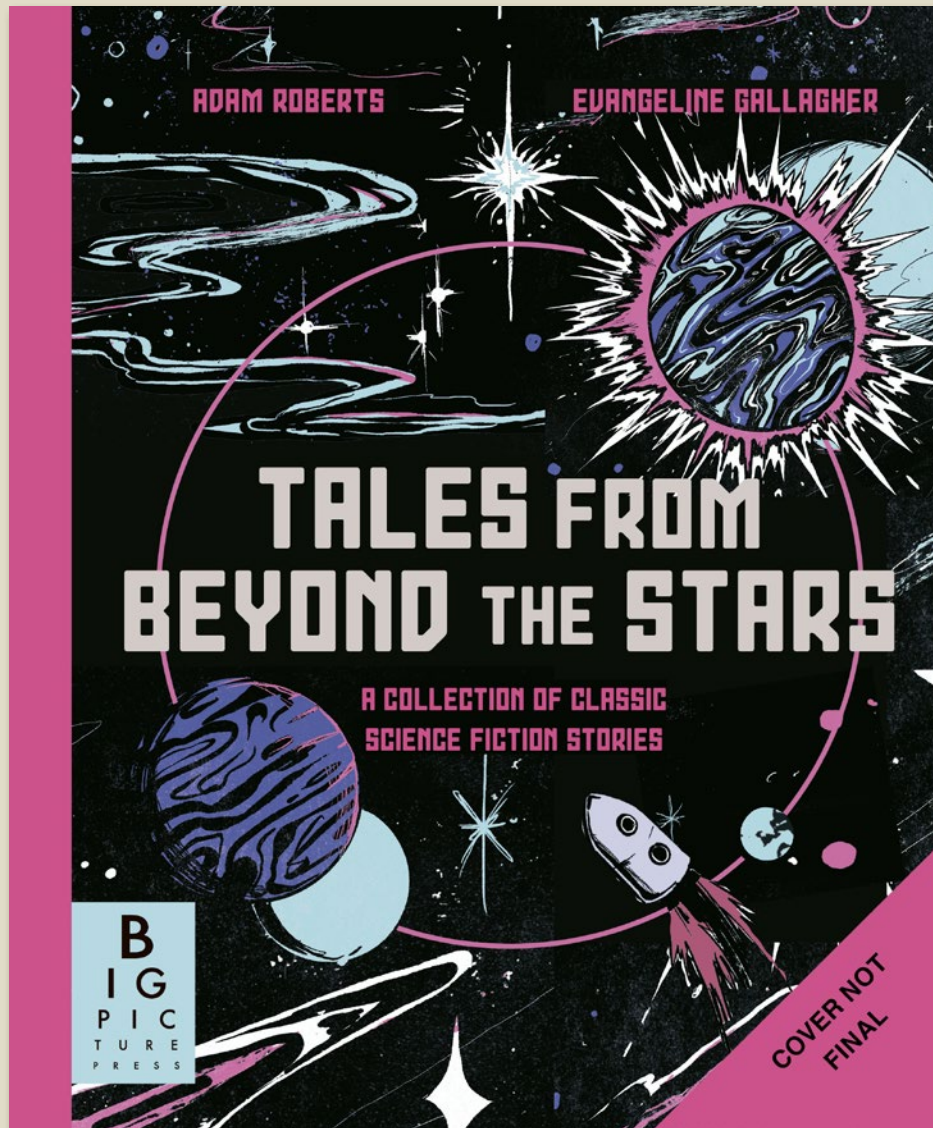


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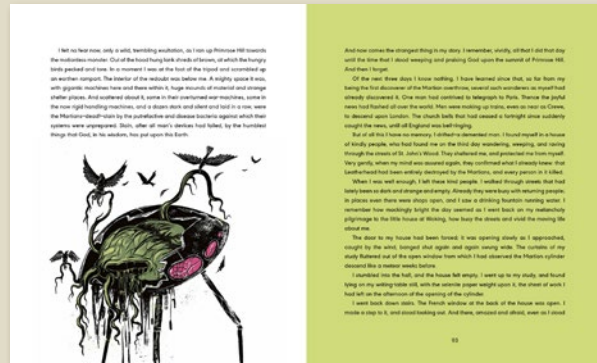
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# Tales from Beyond the Stars



starting towards Kensington Gardens, wondering at this strange, red-walled wall. It was as if that mighty desert of houses had found a voice for its fear and solitude.

Drawn by the sound, I crossed the river at Waterloo Bridge, littered with corpses, and wandered on through the silent streets until I came out at last upon Regent's Park. And as I emerged from the top of Baker Street, I saw far away over the trees in the clearness at the sunset the hood of the Martian giant from which this howling proceeded. I was not terrified. I came upon him as if it were a matter of course. The tripod did not move. The Martian appeared to be standing and yelling, for no reason that I could discover.

Regents canal was choked with the red weed, and it had spread across the grasses and was growing amongst the trees, a spongy mass of dark-red vegetation. As I stood watching, the sound of "Ulla, ulla, ulla, ulla," ceased. Cut off. The silence came like a thunderclap.

A terror seized me. The dusky houses about me stood faint and tall and dim; the trees in the park were growing black. Night, the mother of fear and mystery, was coming down.

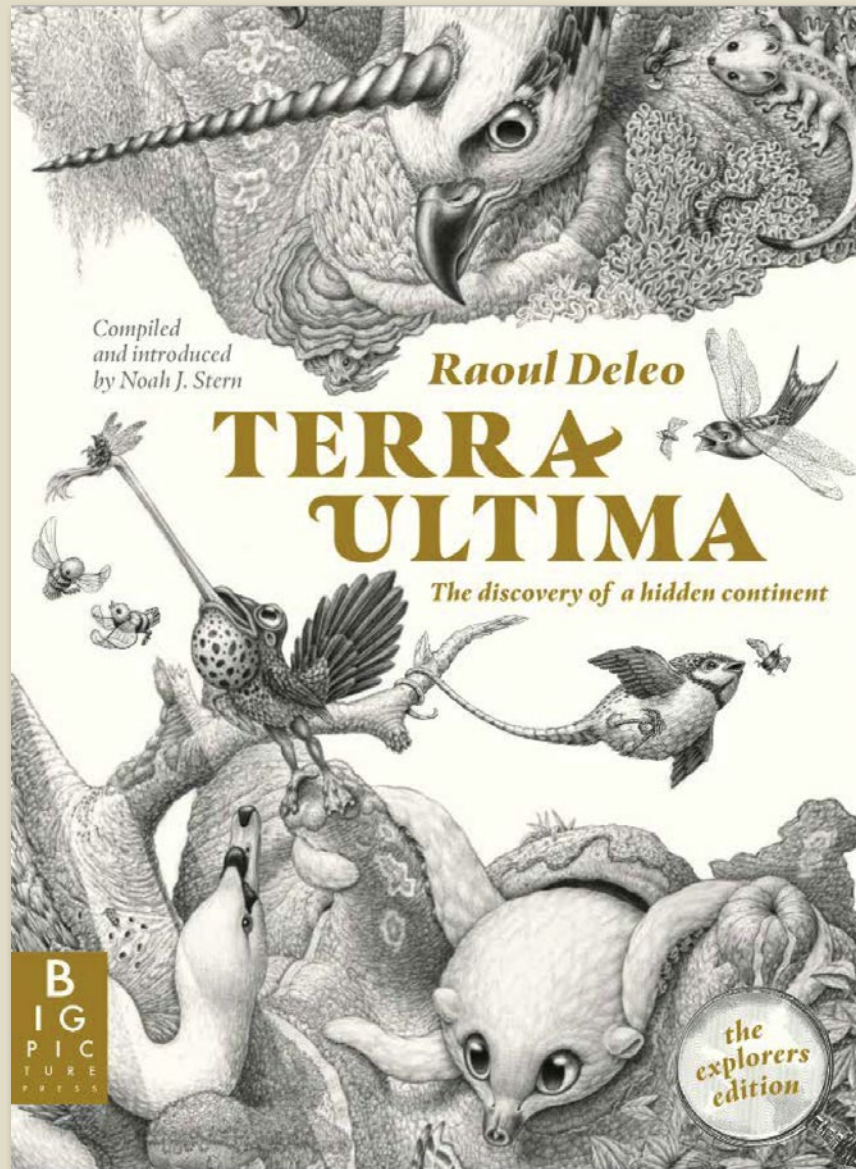
I fled. In front of me the road became pitch black as though it were covered in tar, and I saw a contorted shape lying across the pathway. I could not bring myself to go on. I turned down St. John's Wood Road and ran headlong from this unendurable stillness towards Kilburn. I hid from the night and the silence, until long after midnight, in a cabmen's shelter in Harrow Road.

Before the dawn my courage returned, and while the stars were still in the sky I turned once more towards Regent's Park. I had to know what had happened to the tripod.

As I drew nearer and the light grew, I saw that a multitude of black birds was circling and clustering about the hood. At that my heart gave a bound, and I began running along the road.

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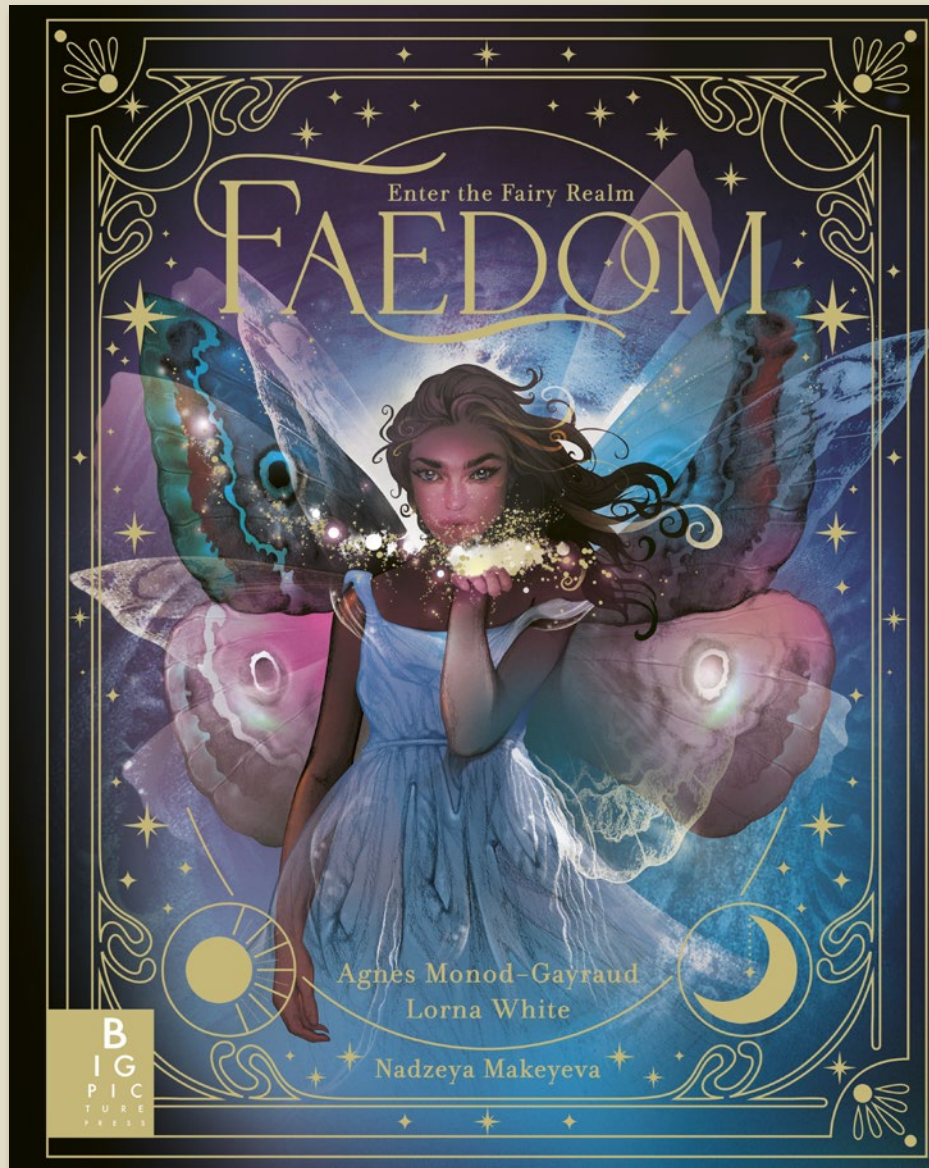


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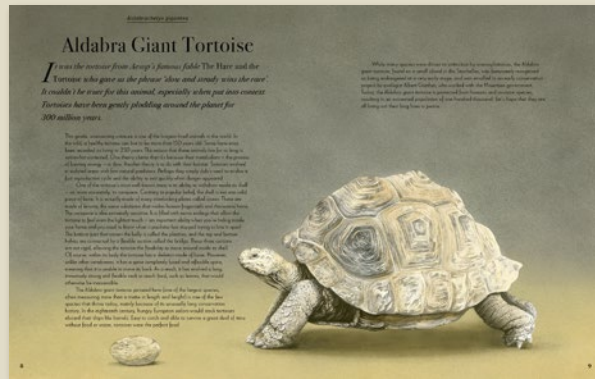
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# Tiffany & Co.: The Story Behind the Style



## Visual history of the iconic jewellery brand, Tiffany & Co.

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# Tiffany & Co.: The Story Behind the Style



## The King of Diamonds: Charles Lewis Tiffany

Charles Lewis Tiffany, the man who would go on to win the moniker of New York's 'King of Diamonds', did not hail from a long line of jewellers. His start in life was more modest, making his name in high society all the more glittering.

Tiffany was born in 1812 in Canton and Ohio. Tiffany and grew up in the small town of Killbuck, Connecticut. The major business of the town was the production of cotton goods, and the family owned a manufacturing company. Tiffany was educated at local schools in the area before joining his father in the family cotton business.

By 1837, Tiffany felt restless. No longer satisfied by working at home with his family, he began to envision how he could make his own mark in business. He turned up with a school friend, J. R. Young, and the duo set in motion a plan to open a stationary store in New York City. With a \$1,000 loan from Charles' father, the ambitious 25-year-olds made the 150-mile journey north. The store, named Tiffany & Young, opened its doors at 259 Broadway that same year, and on its first day, \$4,981 rang through the till.

Tiffany & Young soon began to expand its remit, stocking glassware, silver, porcelain, clocks and jewelry, and began to develop a

OPPOSITE: Tiffany & Co. founder Charles Lewis Tiffany photographed by James Thomson Beach in 1902.



reputation as a purveyor of fine goods of taste. In 1841, the business expanded with the addition of a third partner, J. L. Ellis, and was renamed Tiffany, Young & Ellis. The trio expanded the store, doubling its size by moving the adjacent site, and continued to increase the quality of the goods they sold, with Young making buying trips to Europe to pick out English and Italian jewelry.

It was, in fact, political events in Europe that would be the making of this American luxury success story. In 1848, the status quo crumbled as republican revolutionaries sought to topple European monarchies and strip aristocrats of their power and wealth. It was a societal upheaval known as the Springtime of Nations. More than 50 countries were inspired by this, but none more so than France, where the monarchy was overthrown and replaced with a republic. Such widespread panic and disruption had an impact on the price of diamonds, and Tiffany, Young & Ellis occupied, by now, the firm

OPPOSITE: An illustration of a window display at the Tiffany & Co. store in New York.

OPPOSITE: A sketch of the Tiffany & Co. store at the Excelsior Hotel in Paris in 1902.

In 1853, Young and Ellis decided to retire from the business, but Charles Lewis Tiffany was far from finished. He found new partners to work with, and the business was, at this point, renamed Tiffany & Company. Tiffany would go on to build his empire, grabbing headlines along the way. By the 1860s, the business was well established as an exponent of choice for the rich and the famous, both for its jewelry and its top-quality silver. In 1862, President Abraham Lincoln purchased a set of pearl neckties and earrings from Tiffany & Co. for his wife Mary Todd Lincoln, who wore them to her husband's inauguration ball.

In 1870, Tiffany & Co. moved into a large new store in New York's Union Square, marking the beginning of a major decade for the jeweller one in which Charles Lewis Tiffany would earn the title of King of Diamonds. It was a single purchase that would truly justify Tiffany's high-jewellery atmosphere – a 237-carat rough fancy yellow diamond. When cut and polished, what emerged was a diamond of staggering enormous proportions for a rare yellow diamond of that quality: it weighed 128.54ct and was named the Tiffany Diamond.

If the purchase of this rare world-famous stone, which is on permanent display at Tiffany & Co.'s Fifth Avenue store in New York, signalled Tiffany's intention to dominate the diamond market, his groundbreaking creation eight years later sealed the deal. Seeking to

celebrate the beauty of diamonds, Tiffany designed an engagement ring in 1886 that remains a sought-after classic to this day. The Tiffany Setting engagement ring kicked back against the over-fussy designs of the time with a clean, minimalist band and a six-prong setting that lifted the diamond above the ring. The purpose for this innovative setting was to allow light to flow through the stone, and therefore maximise the sparkle. It was a huge hit, and the iconic design has become synonymous with engagement rings.

Just 15 years before his death, Tiffany pulled off a final coup. The aftermath of the French Revolution that had gifted Tiffany an abundance of important gems in 1848 and its early credibility in high-jewellery circles rumbled on. In 1887, the French government was masterminding a plan to sell the crown jewels of its fallen monarchy. Outwardly, it claimed that a democracy such as France had no need for "objects of luxury, devoid of usefulness and moral worth". The rumour mill suggested that it was in fact afraid of a power grab by Bourbons, Orleanists or Bonapartists, who might use ownership of the jewels to claim a right to rule. Tiffany cared little for this political posturing, but he did see an opportunity in it. He travelled to Paris to attend the auction of the French crown jewels at the Louvre. He sat in the audience, ready to make his bids, along with fellow jewellers, including a young Frédéric Boucheron, and Orleanists, members of the French royal family, whose pockets proved too shallow on the day to win back their family heirlooms.

When the final strike of the gavel fell, Charles Lewis Tiffany had in his possession close to a third of the historic crown jewels. He placed them in specially crafted red-leather boxes, embossed in gold with the words *Diamants de la Couronne*, translating from French as Crown Diamonds. Inside, impressed on the silk lining in the lid, was Tiffany & Co. New York and Paris, thus securing Tiffany & Co.'s place in the history books as a purveyor of royal jewels and his own coronation as the King of Diamonds.



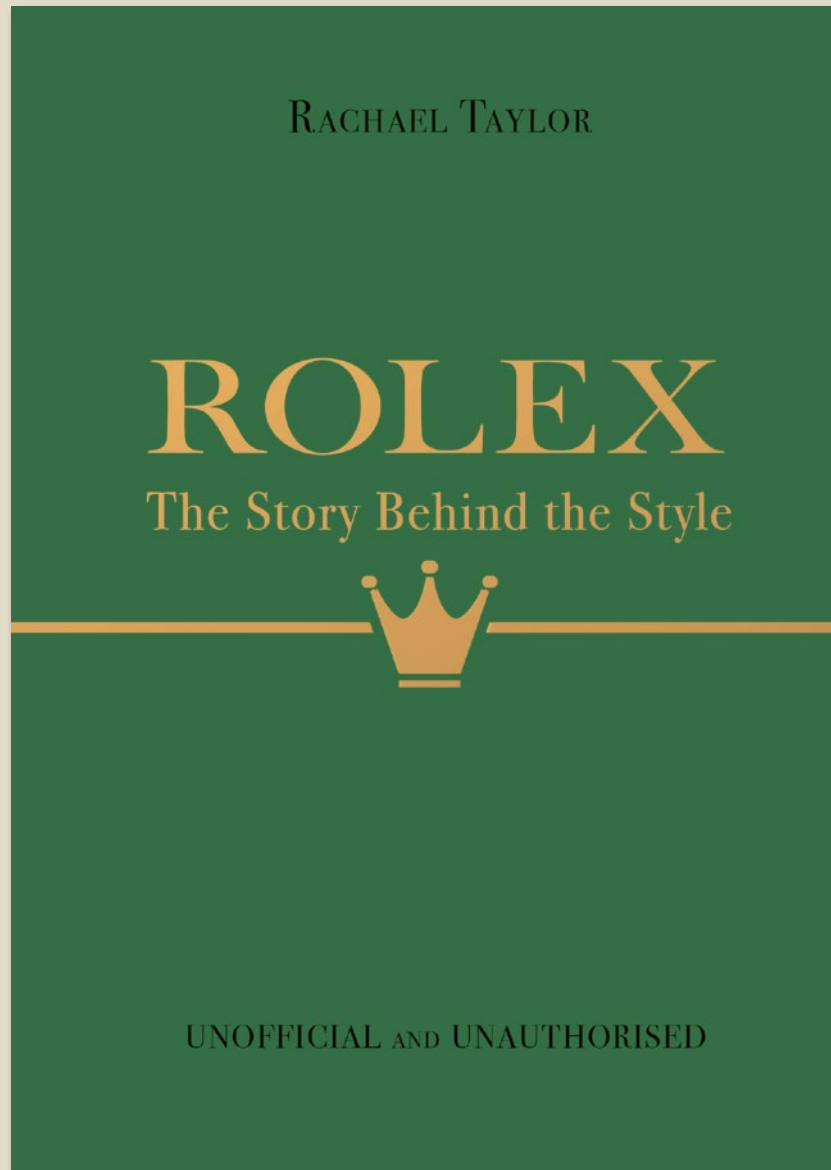
LEFT: The Tiffany & Co. flagship store in New York.

BELOW: A gold, diamond and enamel floral brooch, made by Tiffany & Co. in 1890.



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PROVIDER: Hans Wilsdorf, the founder of Rolex.  
 RIGHT: Representatives of watch firms in Geneva in 1908.



more wearable product would one day make the larger pocket watch obsolete. He set about trying to change the image of wristwatches.

A fundamental step was finding a manufacturer called Angler in the Swiss town of Bienne that was making precision movements that could fit inside a wristwatch. Wilsdorf placed a large order, and soon Wilsdorf & Davis became one of the leading British wristwatch firms.

In a bid to establish his business as a brand rather than simply a dealer, Wilsdorf wanted to create a new name for the company: a catchy one that would look good on a dial and be easy to pronounce in many languages. He had experimented with many combinations of letters in search of this made-up name but failed to find anything that worked. Then, while riding through London's Cheapside on the upper

deck of a horse-drawn in 1908, it came to him. Or as he would later just "A gentleman whispered 'Rolex' in my ear."

Under this new name, Wilsdorf continued his quest to create reliable wristwatches with quality movements. In 1910, Rolex had a breakthrough when one of its products, powered by an Angler movement, became the first wristwatch in the world to receive the Swiss Certificate of Chronometric Precision – a mark of homological excellence. Four years later, another milestone would be achieved when the Kew Observatory in London awarded a Rolex wristwatch with a Class A precision certificate. This had previously only been given to marine chronometers used for navigation, and it further solidified the reputation of Rolex as a purveyor of precise timekeeping instruments.

In 1916, World War I broke out, and the following year the British government introduced a 33.3% customs duty as part of the war effort. By this time, Rolex's London office, which had a staff of 60 people, was exporting its watches all over the world and the tax change would make that difficult. As such, Wilsdorf made the decision to move the company to Bienne in Switzerland. It already had an office in La Chaux-de-Fonds, which it opened in 1917 for marketing purposes, but this move would remove it from the British watch industry altogether.

And, so, the legacy of Rolex's Swiss-made watches began, with the Swiss company Rolex S.A. registered in Geneva in 1920.

OPPOSITE TOP: A watchmaker operating in Rolex's movement factory in Geneva in 1942. It took four days to make a pocket watch movement.  
 OPPOSITE BOTTOM: A pocket watchmaker in the watchmaking industry in Geneva in 1908. It took four days to make a pocket watch movement.

## The Origins of the Oyster

With Rolex settled into its new home in Switzerland, the company continued to develop its watch offering with a focus on precision and durability, as well as building its brand. Though certainly catchy, the name Rolex had not become an overnight success. Tired of waiting for it to catch on, Hans Wilsdorf launched a major marketing campaign in 1925, pledging to invest at least £12,000 a year – nearly £1 million in today's money. He also increased the number of watches Rolex was producing with its own branding on the dial, as it has been producing both branded and unbranded watches up until that time.

A major leap forward for Rolex's brand was the launch of the Oyster in 1926. This new style of watch promised to be waterproof and dustproof thanks to a hermetically sealed case, proving its durability. It also made it an obvious choice for sporting activities, which would prove to be a rich source of marketing for Rolex in the years ahead.



The Oyster case had a patented system of screwing down the bezel, crown and winding crown against the middle case to seal the movement inside securely. The winding crown, which is made from 10 individual parts, was key to its action as a go-between between the sealed inner world of the case and its functional external elements.

The Oyster case would become the backbone of Rolex. Nearly every watch in its contemporary range features an Oyster case, and the names of all the models reference it. A Submariner is technically named an Oyster Perpetual Submariner and a GMT-Master II is an Oyster Perpetual GMT-Master II, and so on. The only exception is the 1908 dress watch, which does not have an oyster case.

Rolex's iconic fluted bezel is a showstopper in the early Oyster cases. Although these fluted bezels are decorative now, the ridges originally served a purpose to allow a special tool to screw the bezel securely to the mid case.

OPPOSITE: A 1908 Rolex Oyster Perpetual on a brown alligator strap. ABOVE: A close-up of a Rolex Oyster Perpetual case and fluted bezel.



## The World's Most Famous Watch Brand

Rolex has become shorthand for luxury. There is no watch you can strap on to your wrist that will be recognised for the status symbol it is quicker than a Rolex. And for many, this is the appeal.

Yet there was a time when the name Rolex – a word completely made up by the brand's founder Hans Wilsdorf – was not famous. It would take hard work, boundary pushing and a lot of self-belief on the part of Wilsdorf, a German orphan, to jettison the name into the upper echelons of horology; starting with convincing the pocket watch-wearing gentleman of the early 20th century that they wanted to wear the time on their wrist at all.

As you will discover, Rolex won its place in history by constantly questioning what was possible and innovating at all costs. It pioneered so many elements of watchmaking and design that are standard today, such as waterproof watches, placing a date window on the dial, and even removing the need to wind our watches.

It also found its way into some of the most exciting moments in history by placing Rolex watches on the wrists of adventurers and explorers. Its watches have travelled to the world's highest peaks and to the depths of the ocean; they have survived extremes of temperature, speed and pressure.

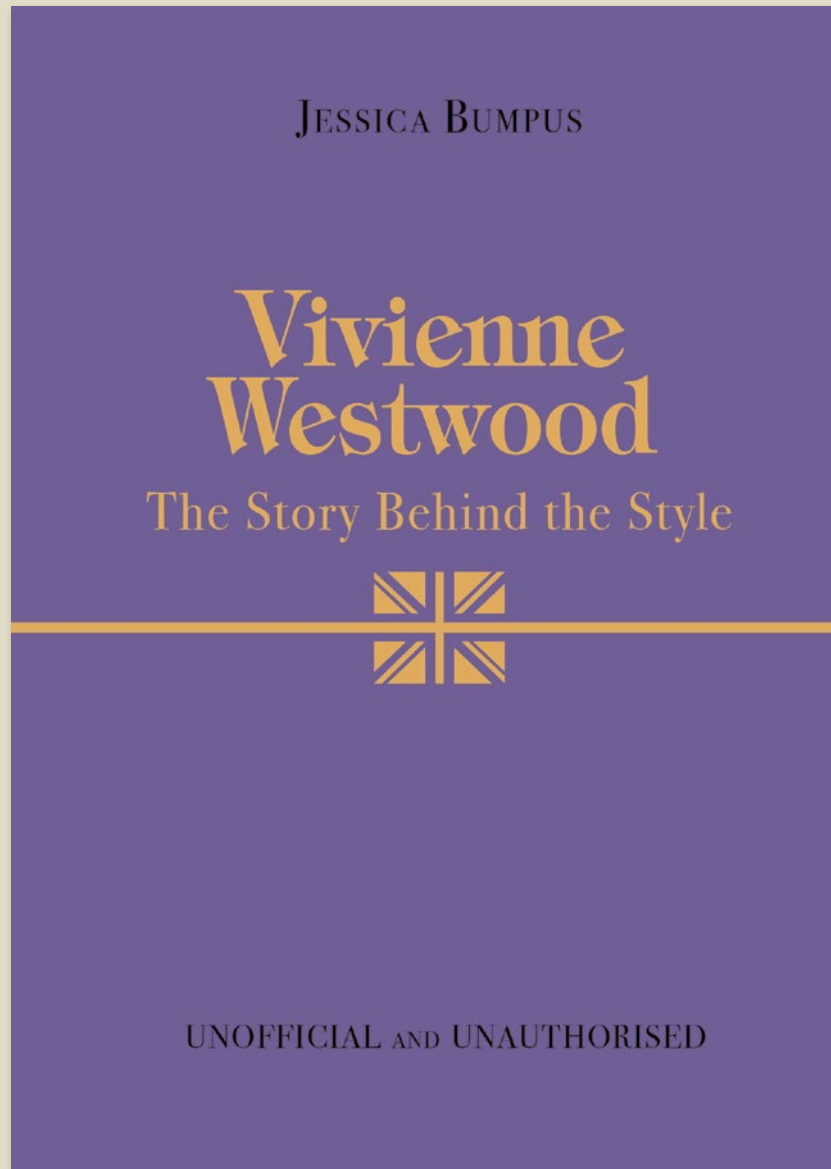
The story of Rolex is so much more than that of its watches. It is one of epic ambition and vision. What started out as a one-man band in London's Hatton Garden would become the epicentre of the Swiss watchmaking industry, and one of the most recognisable and coveted brands in the world.



ABOVE: A Rolex boutique in the GUM State Department Store on Red Square in Moscow.

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## Derbyshire Days

Vivienne Isabel Swire was born on April 8 1941 in Gordon and Dora Swire at the Paragon Maternity Home, Glossop. The future fashion revolutionist had one sister, Olga Swire, born 1945, and one brother, Gordon Swire, born 1946. She grew up in the parish of Tintwistle, Derbyshire (which was formerly part of Cheshire until 1974), both during and after World War II, enjoying what has been recounted as a fairly idyllic childhood, living at the more secluded Millbrook Cottage and playing outside until late.

The young Swire clan were encouraged to be creative and make things more than they were encouraged to read. Vivienne knew from a young age that she was good at making things, notably models at school, and she especially enjoyed sewing classes. Her mother would often make their clothes, and worked as a weaver in a local cotton factory.

The young Vivienne – who remembers having a passion for art from an early age – attended Hollingworth and Tintwistle Primary Schools from 1946 to 1952, at which point she passed the scholarship exam for Glossop Grammar School. She continued to be good at art during her time at Glossop Grammar, and considered attending art school.

Among Westwood's most formative fashion memories are the make-do-and-mend philosophy that came to define

Britain in austerity, as well as the coronation of Queen Elizabeth II in 1953, when Vivienne was 12 years old. The influence of these two events can be seen throughout every era of her designs, and the make-do-and-mend philosophy is evident in the motto "Buy Less, Choose Well, Make it Last", which the brand still promotes to this day. She expertly blended the elements of customisation, tradition and antiretrograde together to create her own unique brand, which is now contrasted by her husband Andrew Rowntree.



LEFT: Vivienne Westwood wearing a t-shirt sporting the brand's slogan. Right

## Malcolm McLaren

Westwood met Malcolm McLaren in 1965. An art student and a friend of her younger brother, Gordon, he would go on to become her creative collaborator for almost the next 20 years. Malcolm is an entrepreneur with the punk movement as Vivienne, and their partnership is legendary. He was something of a maverick of marketing strategy and distinction, before such things became commonplace in contemporary fashion. The pair were in a relationship for a time but never seem to have married.

Malcolm was interested in politics and was fascinated by the French Situationists, a creative enclave of writers and artists who wished to eradicate capitalism through acts of everyday life. He was a driving force in bringing politics, provocations, society and culture into Westwood's world. She found him to be charismatic and knowledgeable, but also full of contradictions.

In 1967, they had a son, Joseph Ferdinand Cecil, who would go on to follow in his parents' footsteps and enter the world of fashion. He founded the very successful lingerie company, Agent Provocateur.

It was in the early 1970s that McLaren and Westwood began to build their empire. Malcolm, in this period, had left art school and Vivienne was about to quit teaching. The plan had been to sell vintage records together, and there was talk of setting up a stall. But a retail opportunity – via a new

friend – on King's Road was about to arrive.

Tommy Roberts, of the legendary Mr Freedom fashion business, took over the lease of 438 King's Road in 1969. He and his business partner, the fashion entrepreneur Trevor Miller, were well-known for their eclectic and discerning fashion eye which appealed to the glitterati of the 1960s. It was under Miller's control the shop was renamed Paradise Garage; the spot was already well-known for fashion.

Vivienne and Malcolm, who were regular on King's Road, ended up leasing the back of 438 King's Road, before taking the whole thing over and rebranding it. It would be known over the coming years as Let It Beak, The Fun To Live, The Young To Die and Sex and Sublimation, all of which would encompass the raucous, confrontational and non-conformist nature of McLaren and Westwood. Eventually the shop would come to define the varied-but-defined styles we know as punk today.



LEFT: Malcolm McLaren, teenage son of Vivienne Westwood and Joseph Ferdinand Cecil, 1977.



## A Revolutionary is Born

There are few British designers, or brands, that have made quite as much of an impact on the fashion landscape as Vivienne Westwood. A fashion designer of both cult and commercial success (which is a rare combination), she was a punk and a pioneer, a rebel and a provocateur, an activist and a change-maker.

Over the course of a career that spanned half a century, Dame Vivienne Westwood would become synonymous with the British punk scene. Punk is what immediately springs to mind for most when her name is mentioned, along with the King's Road, corsets, platforms, tarran, crinolines, pirate boots, sustainability and climate change awareness. The list goes on. Her shows and interviews have become legendary – she is famous for using fashion as a platform to speak out on the issues she cared most about.

There is no doubt that Westwood's affinity for fashion history has helped her designs stand out. They are often historically informed, yet never to the point that they look odd. Where something shouldn't work, it always did, thanks to Vivienne's ability to balance the old with the modern – she was a genius when it came to style mashups. And the original Vivienne Westwood aesthetic rooted in a DIY approach never fully went away. Her designs feel intrinsically British and perfectly eccentric.

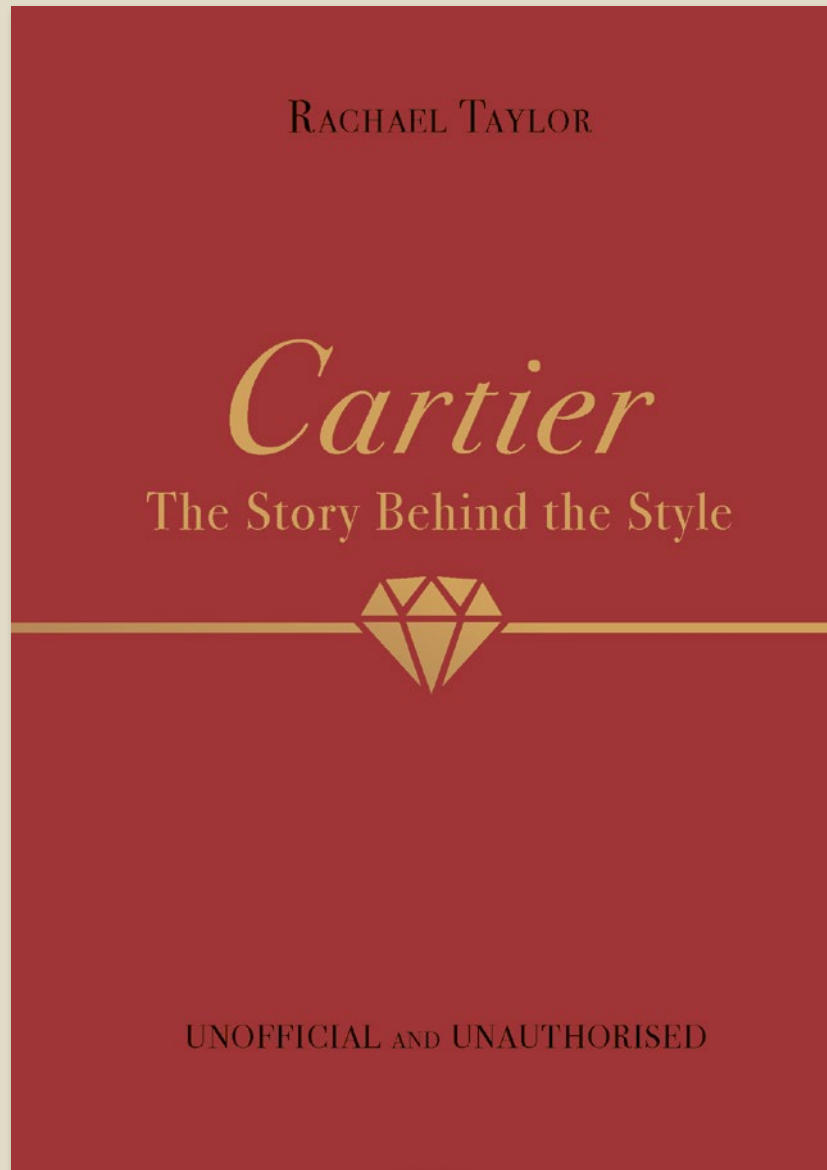
Westwood was the original multi-hyphenate and, in many ways, light years ahead of her time. She has inspired generations of designers that came after her, whether established and successful or aspiring and eager. Fashion critics even noted whiffs of her spirit at the London Fashion Week collections of autumn/winter 2023, which took place in February 2023, after her death. It's no wonder that her name is up there with the likes of Yves Saint Laurent, Christian Lacroix and the late great Karl Lagerfeld.



ABOVE: Vivienne Westwood takes her bow at the spring/summer 2018 London Fashion Week Men's collections, June 2017.

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## The Beginnings of Cartier

The house of Cartier started with one man, Louis-François Cartier, but it would take a family to make it one of the most recognised and respected jewellers in history.

It was, in fact, Louis-François' father, Pierre Cartier, who set the dynasty in motion, although he could never have imagined the consequences of his actions at the time. Pierre had fought in the Napoleonic wars and spent time locked in the prison ships docked off the harbour at Portsmouth in Britain. When the war ended in 1815, Pierre returned to Paris, destitute and aimless. He would go on to find employment as a watchmaker and have five children with his wife Elisabeth, a watchwoman.

The eldest of the children born into this working-class Parisian family was Louis-François, and when he was barely out of school, his father sent him to work as an apprentice in a jewellery workshop owned by Adolphe Picard on Rue Montorgueil in Paris. It was a tough education – days were long and grueling and order was maintained with a whip – but he stayed and in 1847, at the age of 27, Louis-François bought the business from Picard, renaming it Cartier.

OPPOSITE: Cartier founder, Louis-François Cartier



His makers mark – a symbol hallmark that every piece of Cartier jewellery no matter how small – was his initials, L. C., separated with an arc of leaves playing golf, perhaps as a nod to the financial gamble he was taking. Luckily, the risk paid off and the Cartier business thrived and expanded. In 1866, Princess Mathilde, a cousin of Emperor Napoleon III, purchased one of his jewels, and the Cartier name was suddenly whispered among Parisian high-society, even reaching the international elite. Three years later, Louis-François bought Gillon, a Parisian jeweller better known than his own, and renamed his business Cartier Gillon.

Louis-François' son Alfred Cartier took over the family business in 1874, but it was the arrival of his own three sons – the highly ambitious Louis, Pierre and Jacques – that would really shake up the jeweller and initiate its ascendance to the global brand we know today. The brotherly revolution started with Louis, who joined the maison in 1898. A year later he spearheaded the remaining

INVIOUS: Start of Pierre Cartier's career in Paris in 1846.

OPPOSITE LEFT: An illustration of Louis-François Cartier c.1848.

OPPOSITE RIGHT: Pierre Cartier playing golf in Paris.

Cartier garnered a reputation for innovation, and the title of jewellers would later live by a motto, 'Never copy, only create.' One of Louis' most successful experiments in the close of the 19th century was to use platinum in place of gold. This precious metal is now widely used by jewellers across the world, but at the time it was purely an industrial metal and thus revolutionary in the jewellery market. The white metal, which, unlike silver, does not tarnish, is highly malleable and allowed Cartier to create delicate, diamond-set jewels inspired by those created by 18th-century French aristocrats, a stark contrast to the heavier, colourful, Romantic and Nouveau jewels popular at the time. A signature Cartier Gulland style emerged, swirling across platinum stems, necklaces and earrings, that won over well-heeled women, including royals, in Europe and the United States.

Pierre Cartier, the second eldest of the brothers, would be an agitator in his own right, championing the global expansion of the brand's retail empire. He started by opening a Cartier boutique on New Burlington Street in London in 1902, where the brand showcased a new style of geometric, abstract jewels with unusual colour combinations that would lay the foundations for the Art Deco jewellery movement.

The first decade of the 20th century was an important time for Cartier. In 1904, the jeweller received its first royal certificate from King Edward VII of Britain, and soon started to supply many other royal courts including those of Russia, Spain and Siam (now Thailand). In the same year, Louis Cartier created what he believed to be the first ever men's wristwatch for aviator Alberto Santos-Dumont.

Pierre, meanwhile, embarked on a journey to Russia; one that would prove profitable in commissions from its high society, but also as a source of inspiration that would shape Cartier's jewellery designs for years to come.

In 1909, Pierre would focus his wanderlust on America, opening a Cartier boutique on New York's Fifth Avenue; the precursor to its famous flagship store further up the street, the purchase of which he would famously broker a decade later in exchange for a string of pearls. Back in London, his younger brother Jacques stepped in to take over its British branch. That same year, Cartier moved uptown to a prestigious Bond Street address, where it remains to this day.

As Cartier's man in Britain, and, as such, jeweller to King George V, Jacques joined members of the aristocracy on a trip to India for the Delhi Durbar in 1911. It was an event

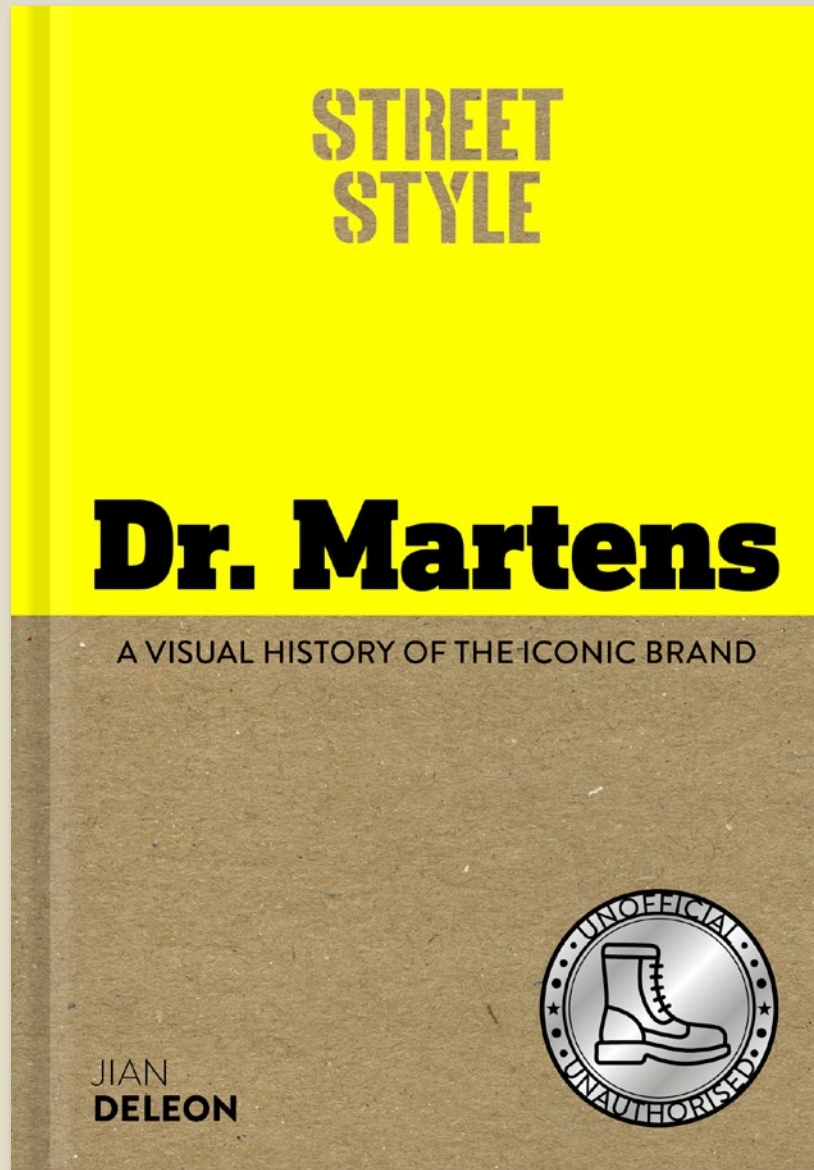


to commemorate the coronation of the King, with two weeks of festivities, during which King George V and Queen Mary would be proclaimed Emperor and Empress of India. This adventure to a new land would also prove to be a seminal trip for the house of Cartier. Jacques' sociable nature and love of travel would win ground-breaking commissions from India's rich, jewel-loving maharajas and inspire a whole new category of jewellery, pioneered by Cartier and much copied by other companies.

LEFT: Cartier platinum pendant watch set with diamonds, rubies and a pearl, c.1890-1910.

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ABOVE: A classic pair of Dr. Martens 1460 boots, broken in with wear.

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**Who Was Dr. Martens?**

Dr. Martens may not be a real person, but Dr. Klaus Maertens certainly was. The brand as we know it today began with him. A doctor in the German Army, he found himself in post-war Munich at the age of 25, nursing a broken foot. The year was 1945, World War II had just ended, but his injury was one he earned from an unfortunate riding accident.

As he was recovering from his injury, he found that the standard issue, leather-soled Schürzenhaube lowboots that had been part of the German Army uniform since 1937 actually hurt his feet more than helped them. Unconquering and footless styles were undergoing a similar shift. It had been a little more than a century since the Industrial Revolution had commercialised the footwear industry, allowing for mass production for a craft that was once exclusively handmade. Consequently, styles were being made when it came to what was happening in the world of vacuumed soles.

American chemist Charles Goodyear discovered that heating up rubber and adding sulphur made it even more flexible. The vulcanised process had many industrial applications, but it also made it much easier to make durable, rubber-soled shoes. Yet while canvas plimolls and burgeoning sneaker companies like Converse explicitly were meant for athletic pursuits, Maertens saw an opportunity in making a shoe that had the classic, down-toy appeal of a military boot, combined with the comfort and orthopedic benefits of a rubber sole.

OPPOSITE: Dr. Klaus Maertens, creator of the original Dr. Martens boot.

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The first prototype of what would become the Dr. Martens 1460 leather boot took design elements from the German Schürzenhaube and sat it on top of a vintage, air-cushioned sole originally made from heat-treated, repurposed tyre rubber. He made his proof-of-concept using a salvaged cobbler's last and a needle, but it would still take a couple of years before his brand-new shoe business got any proverbial legs behind it.

OPPOSITE: Standard issue German army field boots from World War II that were uncomfortable to wear for Dr. Martens.



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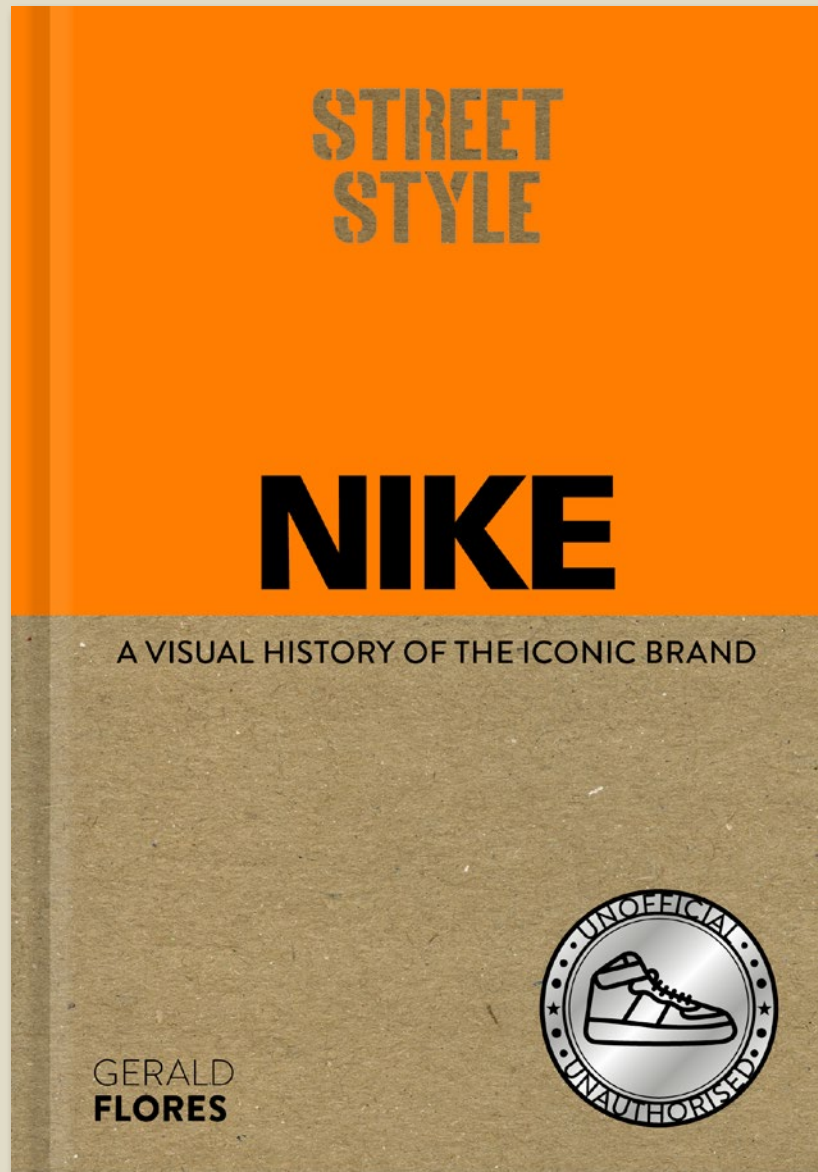
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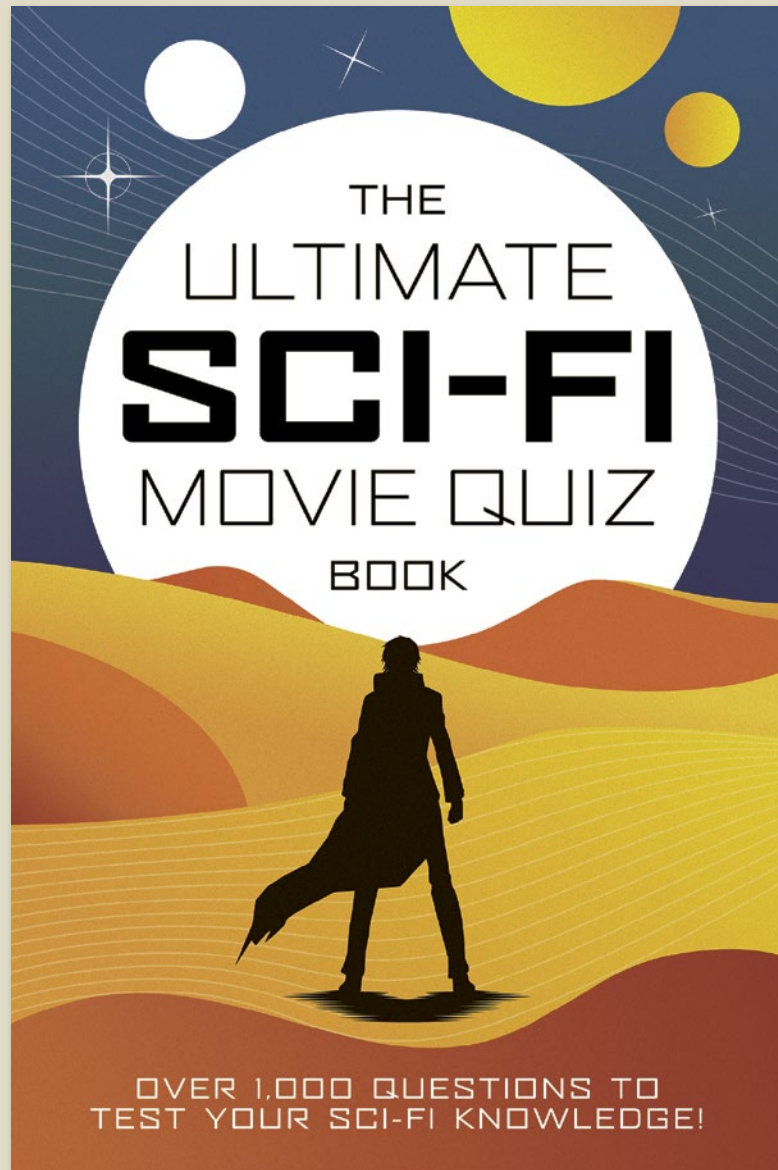
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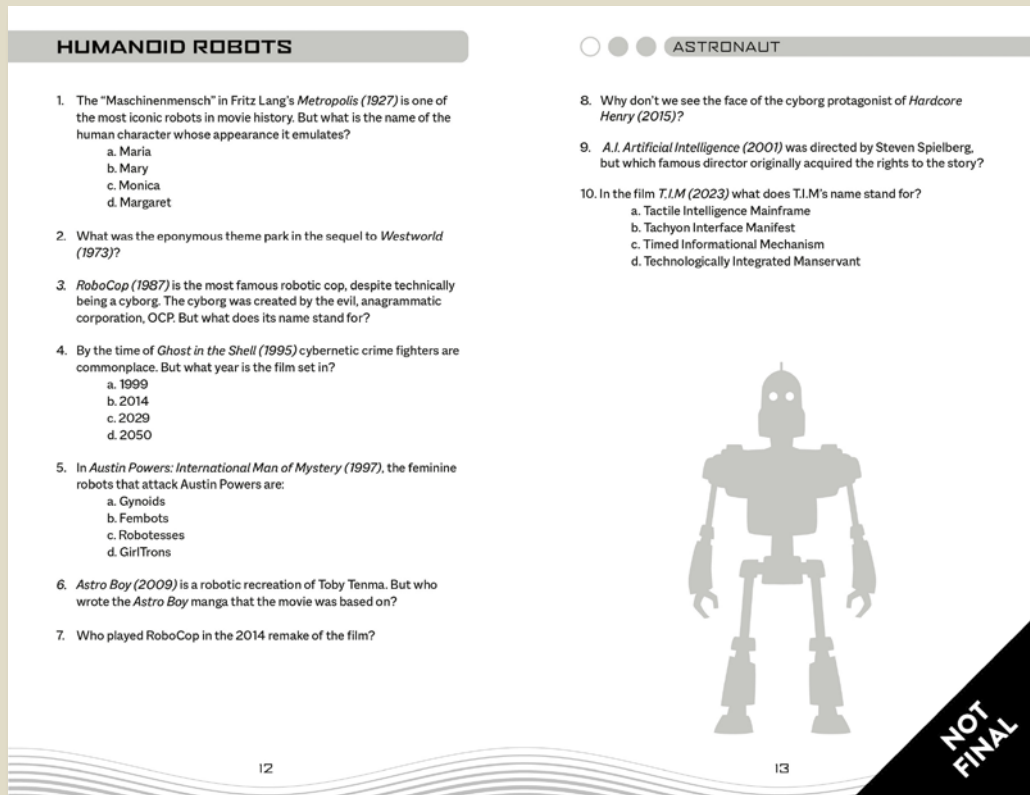
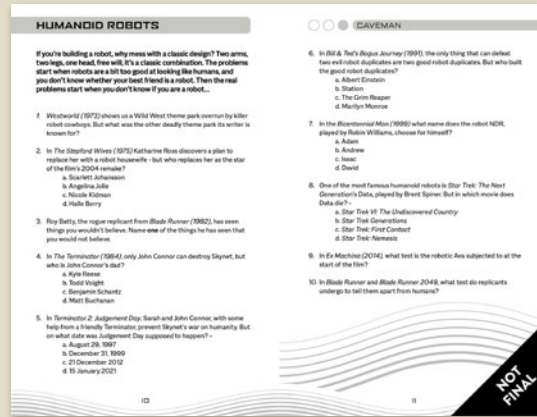
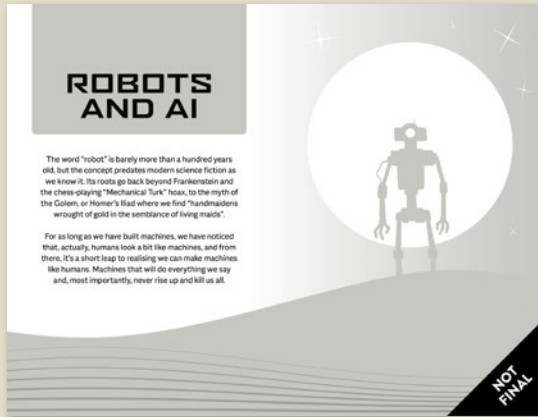
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# Disney Dreamlight Valley - The Official Guide

## GEMS

Gems are rare minerals that can be sold to earn Star Coins, or used to craft a variety of decorative items from stoves to snow globes. You can gather gems by mining the rock spots around your valley with a pickaxe. Here's a handy guide for every gem, where you can find it and what it sells for.

Location: Forgotten Lands, Forest Heights Sells for: 500 Star Coins	Location: Forgotten Lands, Forest Heights Sells for: 2000 Star Coins	Location: Forgotten Lands Sells for: 600 Star Coins	Location: Forgotten Lands Sells for: 2400 Star Coins	Location: Forest of Valor, Circle of Trust Sells for: 325 Star Coins	Location: Forest of Valor, Circle of Trust Sells for: 600 Star Coins
Location: Double Beach, Forest of Valor Sells for: 250 Star Coins	Location: Double Beach, Forest of Valor Sells for: 600 Star Coins	Location: Sunlit Plateau, Circle of Trust Sells for: 300 Star Coins	Location: Sunlit Plateau, Circle of Trust Sells for: 600 Star Coins	Location: Pleasant Meadow, Plaza Sells for: 600 Star Coins	Location: Pleasant Meadow, Plaza Sells for: 640 Star Coins

**TIP** Remember to take a mining companion with you when hunting for gems - you'll get additional drops!

Location: Double Beach, Pleasant Meadow Sells for: 200 Star Coins	Location: Double Beach, Pleasant Meadow Sells for: 800 Star Coins	Location: Sunlit Plateau, Plaza Sells for: 300 Star Coins	Location: Sunlit Plateau, Plaza Sells for: 900 Star Coins	Location: Forest Heights, Sunlit Plateau, Plaza Sells for: 400 Star Coins	Location: Forest Heights, Sunlit Plateau, Plaza Sells for: 600 Star Coins	Location: Sunlit Plateau, Plaza Sells for: 12 Star Coins
Location: Sunlit Plateau, Plaza Sells for: 300 Star Coins	Location: Sunlit Plateau, Plaza Sells for: 900 Star Coins	Location: Plaza Sells for: 240 Star Coins	Location: Plaza Sells for: 960 Star Coins			

**TIP** Make sure to mine all rock spots, not just the ones where you can see gems sticking out - a lack of visible gems doesn't mean there are no gems under!

## MERLIN

Merlin is an all-powerful wizard who's been around since the Middle Ages - no wonder he's so knowledgeable! He's a great source of information and advice, and he's also a little eccentric which makes him endlessly entertaining. He's the first person you'll meet when you begin your adventure and will be there for you every step of the way.



**House**  
The Dreamlight Library is an incredible feat of medieval architecture boasting several astronomical features. Inside, you'll find more books than you can shake a stick at.

### Favourite Gifts


### Schedule

Sleeping	Visiting Chez Remy
Never	7am - 9am, 7pm - 9pm
Visiting Scrooge's	Wandering or at home
12pm - 2pm	9am - 12pm, 2pm - 7pm, 9pm - 7am

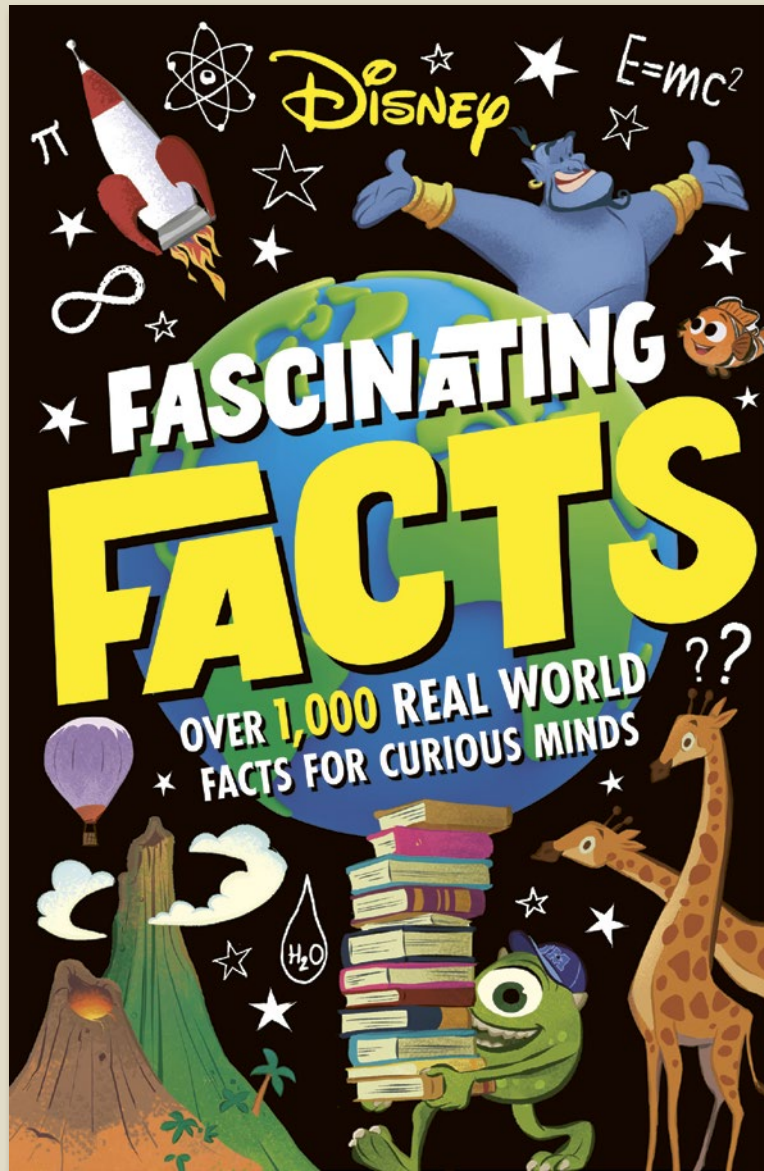
### Friendship Rewards


### Alternative Styles

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# Disney Fascinating Facts



**Over 1,000 real-world facts to entertain all ages!**

- Cover: gloss lam.
- Features facts about plants, the oceans, animals, the environment, the night sky, insects, literature, art, theatre, music, fashion, general history, Greek myths and legends, Mayan and Aztec history, Arthurian legend, space, robotics, chemistry, biology, physics, inventions, things that go, toys and games, sport, adventure and exploration, the continents and much more.

# Disney Fascinating Facts

**NATURE: PLANTS**

There are around 75,000 different species of trees on Earth, and amazingly over 100 per cent of them can only be found in a single country! If you want to see the most unique trees in one place, head to Colombia and behold the tree that has the thickest trunk in the world.

Summer means giant sunflowers cropping up all over the place. But did you know that the 'bees' of a sunflower is a parasitoid, or parasitic wasp, and it's actually made up of many small flowers?

The Wolffia family of plants, also known as duckweed or watermeal, grow on the top of water and include the smallest flowering plants. Wolffia can be grown from seed, but can also clone itself very quickly and the fastest recorded clone took just under 30 hours to produce.

The baobab tree, sometimes known as the tree of life, is found largely in the continent of Africa and Australia. They can be massive in height and circumference, with some species reaching up to 22 metres tall and others 25 metres around!

Upland pine is considered to be Europe's oldest tree. In the 19th century, a tree in the North Wales, the oldest was so great that they were said to be more expensive than gold! However, the tree's faded and left lots of people with a very expensive plant collection that they couldn't sell!

Some fungi communicate via a system of underground threads called mycelium, which can connect them across several kilometres. If one of the fungi is being eaten, it will send a signal through the mycelium to warn others and allow them to dispose of a nutrient-rich meal.

Everybody knows the smell of freshly cut grass, however, it's actually a distress call that the grass is giving off. When cut, the grass releases phenolamines that some scientists believe is a call to help signal the attack!

The yucca tree, also known as the Brazilian grass tree, doesn't have fruit dangling from branches like apples and lemons. Instead, the fruit grows directly from the trunk of the tree, so it looks like it's growing in a janky hole!

You can tell the age of most trees when they're chopped down by counting the number of rings the trunk has, but it can also show how well the tree has grown each year. The ring will be thicker if you had an abundance of resources, or thinner when there haven't been as many.

We all know that trees need sunlight and water to survive, but aren't there much water do they need? Some oak trees can drink up to 800 litres of water a day, but that's nothing compared to the giant sequoia, which will drink up to four times that!

The oldest documented tree in the world is known as Methuselah, a Great Basin bristlecone pine that grows in the White Mountains of California, USA. It has lived for over 4,800 years!

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**SCIENCE**

It doesn't matter whether scientists are looking inside your body or to the far reaches of the universe, incredible discoveries are being made every day in the world of science. Now it's your turn to explore amazing facts from the laws of robotics and dwarf planets to the atoms that make up the Earth and everything in the cosmos!

**SCIENCE: SPACE**

Our solar system has eight planets and one space in 2006. Since then, thousands of comets have been discovered and the great unknowns, though only a few have named humans. Astronomers have explored our planets and travelled to Earth's moon and someday soon, space will see more explorers to Mars and beyond.

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A company called Mars One planned to build a human colony on the planet Mars by the year 2032 and over 400,000 people signed up to be the first to leave Earth for good. But Mars One was shut down in early 2019, so these adventures will have to wait for their Martian voyage.

Humans have barely scratched the surface of outer space. To the future, probes and human accompanied expeditions will continue to explore. Technologies based on Earth, such as telescopes and space agencies that sense wavelengths invisible to the human eye, will also help scientists learn about our universe.

Enochian, one of Saturn's moons, is dotted with ice geysers! These geysers spray water vapor from deep beneath the moon's surface. The upper floors naturally when it leaves the ground. The frozen crystals that are Enochian's atmosphere, when they form an ice ring, the 'Ice Ring'! Fission would be proof!

Space is completely empty! Sound travels at vibrations in the air, but space is a bit of a vacuum - it has no air or atmosphere! Astronauts have to use radio waves to communicate so that they can talk in space.

**SCIENCE: SPACE**

Some of our solar system's planets are pretty cool. Whereas Earth only has one moon, Saturn has 82 natural satellites that are bigger than Mercury!

Venus rotates on its axis so slowly that one day there is equivalent to 283 days on Earth. However, it only takes Venus 225 Earth days to orbit the sun, meaning the Venusian day is longer than a Venusian year!

Earth isn't the only planet that has volcanoes! In fact, if you travel just one planet along to Mars, you'll find a volcano called Olympus Mons, which is over 600 kilometres wide and 21 kilometres tall. It's almost three times the height of Mount Everest and scientists think it could still be active!

Researchers at Yale University think they've discovered a new type of planet. It's called 55 Cancri e, a rocky planet that's probably formed of diamond! Unfortunately, it's 40 light years away, so we can't visit it (yet) and it's probably gone!

The hottest planet in our solar system isn't the one that's closest to the sun! The temperature on Venus can reach 462 degrees Celsius (332 Fahrenheit), helped by its super-thick atmosphere, which retains heat. Mercury has no temperature-regulating atmosphere, so its heat fluctuates more.

In the observable universe - that's all of it - there are more stars than grains of sand on Earth. It's estimated that a million Earths could fit into the space that the sun occupies!

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It's worth noting that every galaxy contains millions of stars and there are still parts of the universe we can't see yet!

**NATURE**

Whether you're looking at the creepy-crawly beneath your feet, or the starry sky above you, you're surrounded by the amazing natural world. Read on to discover incredible trivia about everything from mosquitoes and polar bears to talking mushrooms and bright stars millions of miles away!

**NATURE: PLANTS**

As well as being delicious, strawberries are one of the only fruits that grow their seeds on the outside - sometimes up to 200 of them! In fact, they're technically not seeds, but something called an achene, which is an individual fruit that holds a seed!

The biggest flower in the world is the *Rafflesia arnoldii*. It can grow to over 1 metre wide. It doesn't have its own root system, so latches onto other plants to grow. Don't sniff this flower though - its smell has been likened to rotting meat!

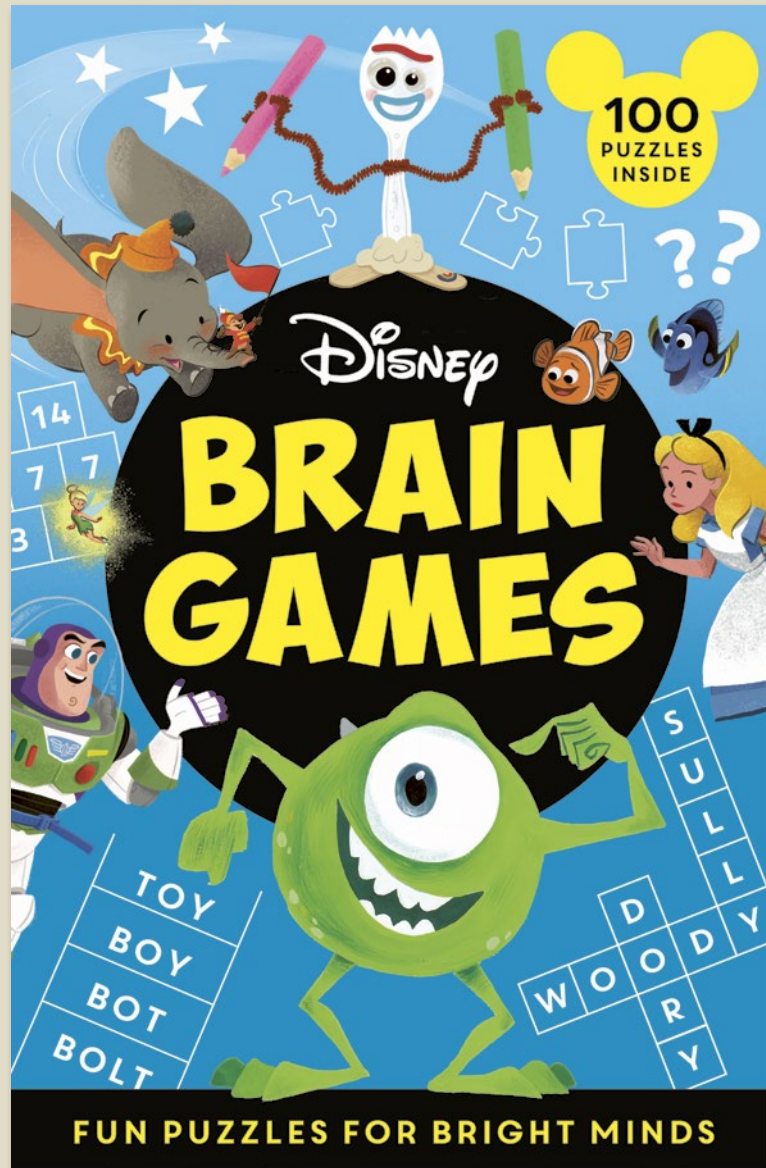
Pitcher plants have jug-shaped leaves and produce a nectar that entices insects and other small creatures inside. The leaves of the pitcher plant close once an animal falls in, and chemicals called enzymes digest the creature so the plant can use the nutrients!

No plant grows faster than bamboo. A Chinese bamboo variety called moso can grow almost a metre in a single day! It doesn't waste its energy growing any wider, so it can concentrate on shooting straight up.

Some animals only eat plants, but sometimes the plants bite back! The Venus fly trap has hinged leaves that look like a toothy mouth. If an insect touches the hairs inside the leaves, they snap shut so the insect can't escape. It can take the Venus fly trap up to five days to digest the trapped insect!

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# Disney Brain Games



## 100 exciting Disney puzzles to exercise young minds!

- Over 37,000 copies sold (as of August 2022)
- 100 puzzles across themes of word, logic, maths/number, memory and more
- Join your favourite Disney characters such as Moana, Anna and Elsa, Dory, Miguel, Belle, Aladdin, Mike and Sulley and many more as you complete the challenges.
- Features characters from across Disney and Pixar, including heroes, villains and Princesses!
- With varied and challenging puzzles with different levels of difficulty, there's enough puzzles to keep bright minds entertained.



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**Puzzle 1**  
**THE MISSING NOTE**

Hector and Miguel share a passion for music, so they spend a lot of time singing and playing music together. They are rehearsing a song, but have encountered a problem – the song is missing the last note.

Find the path that connects the two singers, and discover which note is missing!

Cross off the notes in this list as you go:  
C D E F G A B

The missing note is: \_\_\_\_\_

**Puzzle 2**  
**HERCULES AND THE HYDRA**

Hercules is battling the terrible monster Hydra in the cave where it dwells. At the start of the battle, Hydra has only one head, but each time Hercules cuts a head off, three grow in its place. He has already cut off twelve heads.

How many heads does Hydra have now?

Heads in total: \_\_\_\_\_

Use the space if you need to work it out on paper.

**Puzzle 3**  
**I'M LATE, I'M LATE!**

It's always "late" for the White Rabbit, and he's always checking his giant watch! Right now, it's 5:00 pm. The White Rabbit's next appointment is in 100 hours' time, but he is already worried about being late!

1. How many days is it until his appointment? \_\_\_\_\_

2. What time will it be at? \_\_\_\_\_

Use the space if you need to work it out on paper.

**Puzzle 4**  
**MEMORY SEQUENCE**

During a test, Anger got into a fight with Fear, and that messed up Riley's memories. Luckily, Joy has a solution!

Start from memory 0 and plot the right path. Remember: each memory is equal to the sum of the two previous ones!

Use the space if you need to work it out on paper.

START

0

5 3 1 2

3 2 7 3

5 3 8 5

13 21 13

FINISH

**Puzzle 5**  
**THE GREAT RUG RACE**

Woody has come up with a great idea to have fun with his toy friends: a rug race! But just after they cross the finish line, the toys hear Bonnie and they freeze.

Can you work out the order they finished in?

Bear in mind that:

Woody finished two places before Buzz	Hamm finished right after Woody	Buzz finished two places before Rex	Rex finished last
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Use this space if you need to work it out on paper.

1<sup>ST</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>ND</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

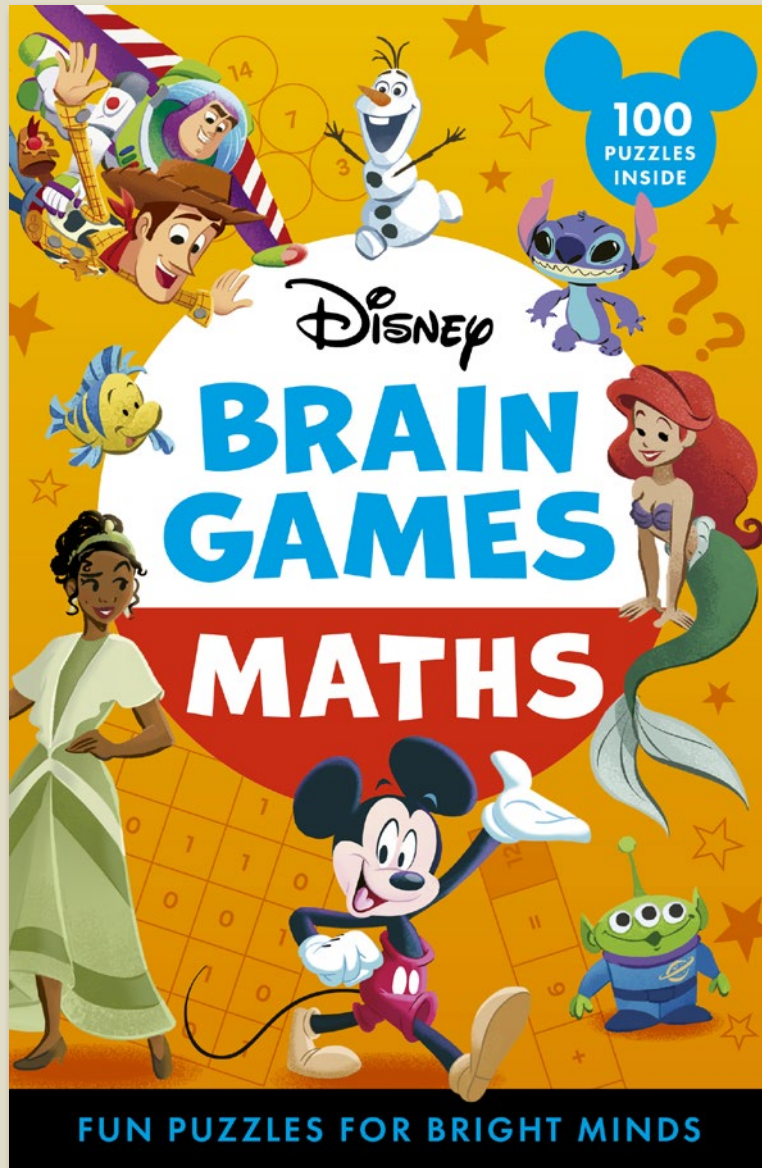
3<sup>RD</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

4<sup>TH</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

5<sup>TH</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

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# Disney Brain Games: Maths



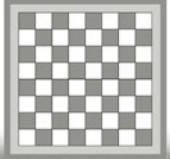
## 100 Disney-themed maths puzzles to exercise young minds!

- The first *Disney Brain Games* book has sold over 58,000 copies (as of August 2023)
- 100 fun and challenging maths-based puzzles
- Features a wide range of beloved Disney and Pixar characters, from Anna and Elsa to Woody and Buzz Lightyear.
- Varied and challenging puzzles with different levels of difficulty to keep bright minds entertained
- Supports KS2 Maths curriculum
- Disney+ has 157.8 million paid subscribers globally, and 7.14 million paid subscribers in the UK.

# Disney Brain Games: Maths


**Puzzle 28**  
**EIGHT QUEENS**

Mr Gao has a chess puzzle for you to solve! In chess, the queen can move any number of spaces in a straight line – horizontally, vertically or diagonally. **Place eight queens on the chess board so that no queens is in the same line as any other queen. How many different ways can you find?**




**Puzzle 29**  
**ARCHERY PRACTICE**

Merida's practising her archery skills. To prove what a great archer she is, Merida must hit one number in the outer ring, one number in the inner ring and one number in the centre that add up to each of the three numbers below.




Can you figure out which three numbers she must hit to make each of the target scores?



**Puzzle 39**  
**MICKEY'S MAGICAL MIX UP!**



The Sorcerer's Apprentice has accidentally jumbled all of his master's Plus and Minus potions over!

Can you put the pluses and minuses back in the right places so that these sums work forwards, backwards, up and down?



**Puzzle 40**  
**...AND THE KITCHEN SINK**

Every time Arthur tries to clean one of Merlin's dirty dishes, the number of dirty dishes doubles. He started with one dirty dish. Arthur has tried to clean 10 dirty dishes. **How many dirty dishes are there now?**

**Puzzle 49**  
**SOLVE THE RIDDLE OF THE CAVE!**


To enter the Cave of Wonders, Aladdin must find the missing numbers in this puzzle.

Each square needs to be filled with a number between 1 and 9, but you can use numbers more than once. The functions surrounded by stars are carried out first.

So:

$$2 \star 3 + 6 = 12$$



$$2 \times 3 \star 6 = 18$$







**Puzzle 23**  
**SHY COCONUTS**



Some Kakamora have hidden themselves among Moana's coconut harvest. You can tell which coconuts are Kakamora in disguise, because the numbers they have stuck to them have made the questions they're hiding in incorrect.


Make the sums correct by removing 1 digit from each question.

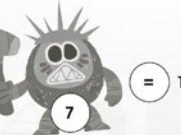



$$32 + 70 = 73$$



$$42 + 35 = 37$$



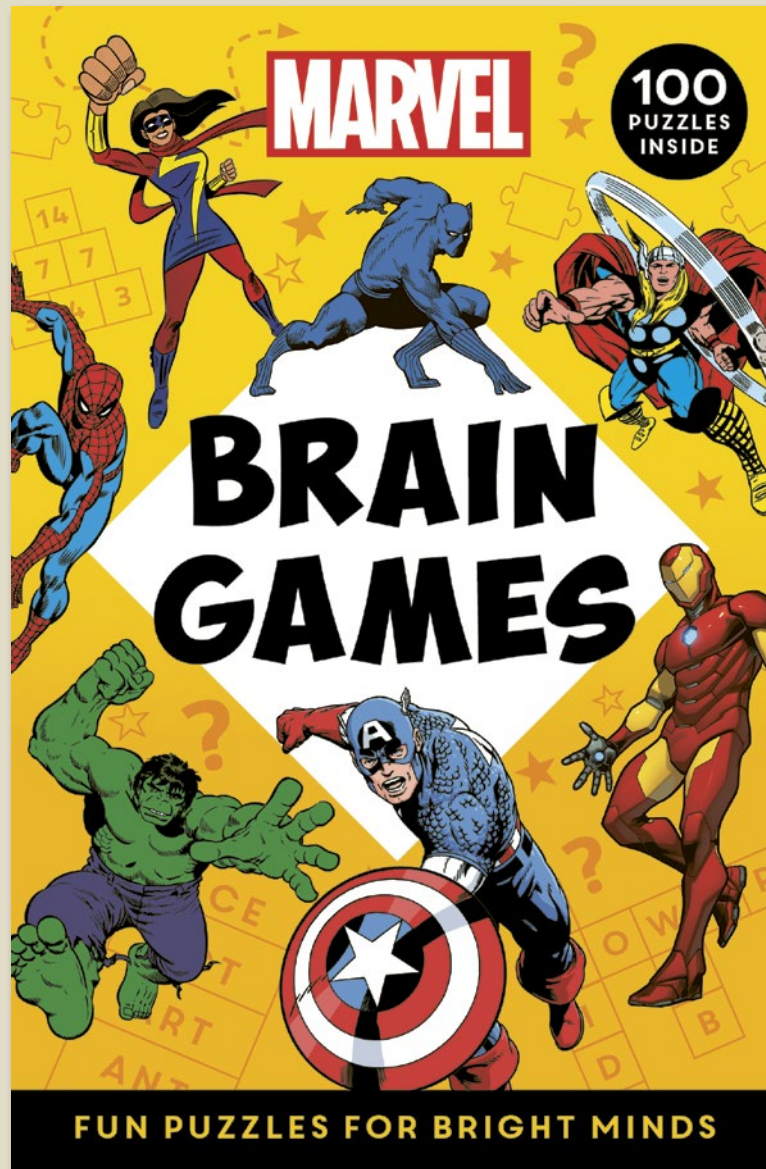
$$41 - 60 = 35$$



$$15 - 13 = 12$$


$$63 \div 7 = 19$$


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# Marvel Brain Games



## 100 exciting Marvel puzzles to exercise young minds!

- 100 puzzles across themes of word, logic, maths/number, memory and more.
- Join your favourite Marvel characters such as Ant-Man, Shuri, Captain America and many more as you complete the challenges.
- Features characters from across Marvel comics including heroes, villains and agents!
- With varied and challenging puzzles with different levels of difficulty, there's enough puzzles to keep bright minds entertained.
- Marvel has 4 of the 10 biggest movies of all time (*Avengers*, *Avengers Endgame*, *Avengers Infinity War*, *Spider-Man No Way Home*).

# Marvel Brain Games

**PUZZLE 1  
SPEED TEST**

Using the clues below, can you work out – in 30 seconds or less – the identities of these four comic characters?

- Red – Twin brother – Telekinetic
- Artificial Intelligence – Robot – Hank Pym
- Radiation – Web – Peter Parker
- Spy – S.H.I.E.L.D. – Black

**PUZZLE 2  
ANT-MAZE**

To escape from prison, Scott Lang needs to activate his suit and reduce himself to the size of an ant. He still needs to find the way out of the maze though... can you help him plot a path to freedom?

**PUZZLE 3  
WHO AM I?**

One of Black Panther's enourage has gone missing. Can you work out who it is from the letter clues below? We've filled in a few letters to get you started.

Can you work out who it is from the letter clues below?

The right letter in the right place looks like this: **O**      The right letter in the wrong place looks like this: **R**

And if the letter is not in the word it looks like this: **A**

Grid of letters:

G	R	A	S	P
P	I	V	O	T
C	H	A	S	M
P	O	U	N	D
S	H	A	R	P

**PUZZLE 4  
IN THE SHADOWS**

Only one of these shadows is an exact match for Captain America. But which one is it?

**PUZZLE 5  
LAB WORK**

Bruce Banner is hard at work on a formula in the lab. Can you help him calculate the final formula by filling in all the blanks? The number in each circle must be the sum of the two numbers below.

Example:

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    33
   / \
  17 16
 /   \
8     9   7
/ \   / \
5 3 6 1
    
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Grid numbers:

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      87
     / \
    .....
   /   \
  19   .....   22
 / \   / \
..... .....
/   \ /   \
2     6   .....   7   .....
    
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**PUZZLE 6  
BUILD A HERO!**

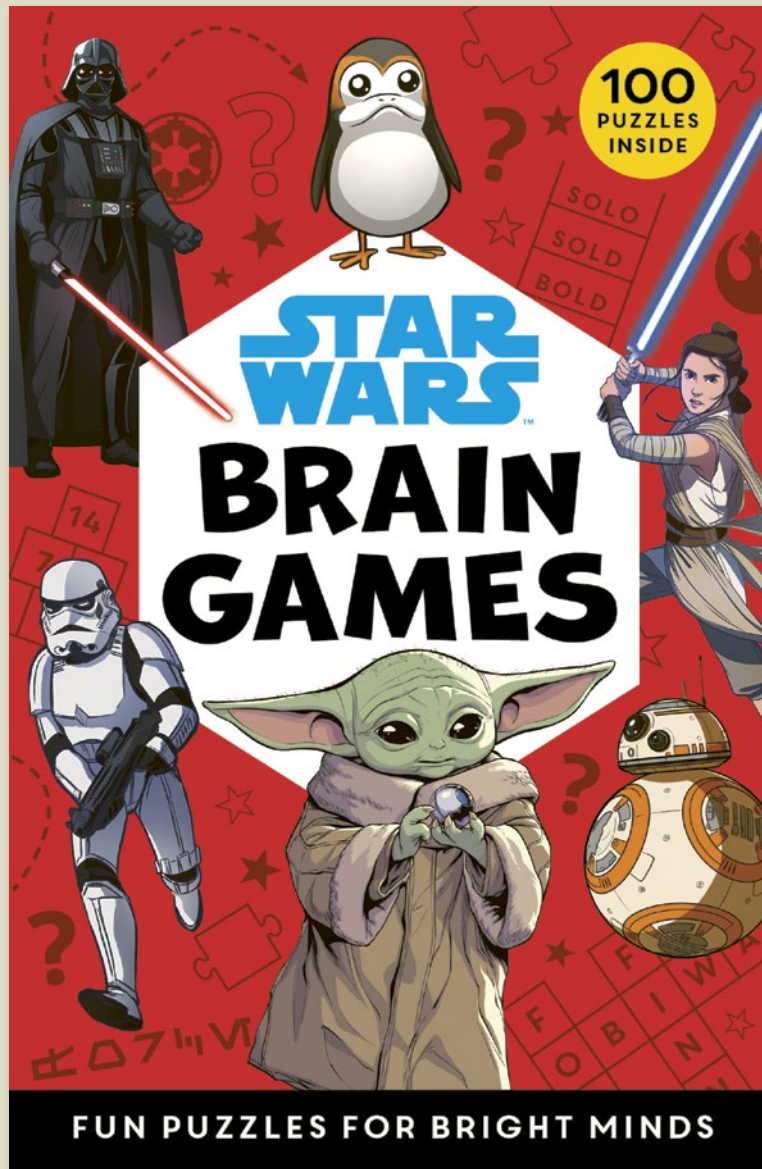
Can you pair the word parts below to create the names of five super heroes?

Word parts:

- VAL
- MAG
- SH
- CON
- GR
- NETO
- KYRIE
- FAL
- URI
- OOT

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# Star Wars Brain Games



## 100 exciting *Star Wars* puzzles to exercise young minds!

- With varied and challenging puzzles with different levels of difficulty, there's enough content to keep kids engaged and entertained for hours.
- 100 puzzles across themes of word, logic, maths, number, memory, mazes and more.
- Disney + has 87.6 million paid subscribers globally, with an additional 50.1 million paid subscribers for Disney + Hotstar. In the UK, Disney + has 7.5 million subscribers, which is up 21% from 2021.
- Cover finishes: mat lamination.

# Star Wars Brain Games

**PUZZLE 10 BINARY BAFFLER**

Luke Skywalker needs to fix a battered old astromech. The binary start-up sequence is incomplete – can you help him fill in the blanks to get the droid working again?

You must place three '0's and three '1's into each row and column, but there cannot be more than two '0's or two '1's in sequence in any row or column.

			1	1
0		0	1	0
1	1		1	0
1	1			

**PUZZLE 11 JAWA JUNK**

The Jawas have found a new droid while scavenging on the desert planet Tatooine, but the identification panels have been mixed up. Each set of four panels has been rearranged – but not rotated. Can you work out what two-character identification code was originally displayed on the panels?

**PUZZLE 43 MIND CONNECTION**

Qui-Gon will help you learn to see with the Force, by changing 'MIND' into 'SEES' in just four steps. At each step you should change just one letter to make a new word, without rearranging any of the letters. For example, you could start by changing MIND to MINE (though that will lead you down the wrong path.)

**PUZZLE 44 TIE FIGHTER SHOOT OUT**

Rey and Finn are being shot at by TIE fighters and must find their way to a vehicle to escape. Answer the sums and follow the correct answers to find out which vehicle they steal.

**PUZZLE 75 FOLLOW THE PATH**

Using the letters in order from the word EMPIRE, follow the correct path to find your way through the maze.

**PUZZLE 76 TANGLED WIRES**

The door controls have been destroyed! Connect the right wires so the Mandalorian, Din Djarin, and Grogu can escape! But be warned – the door is guarded by a noisy gatekeeper droid. Avoid it at all costs!

Look at the tangle of cables and figure out which button to push to open the door and which turns off the lights.

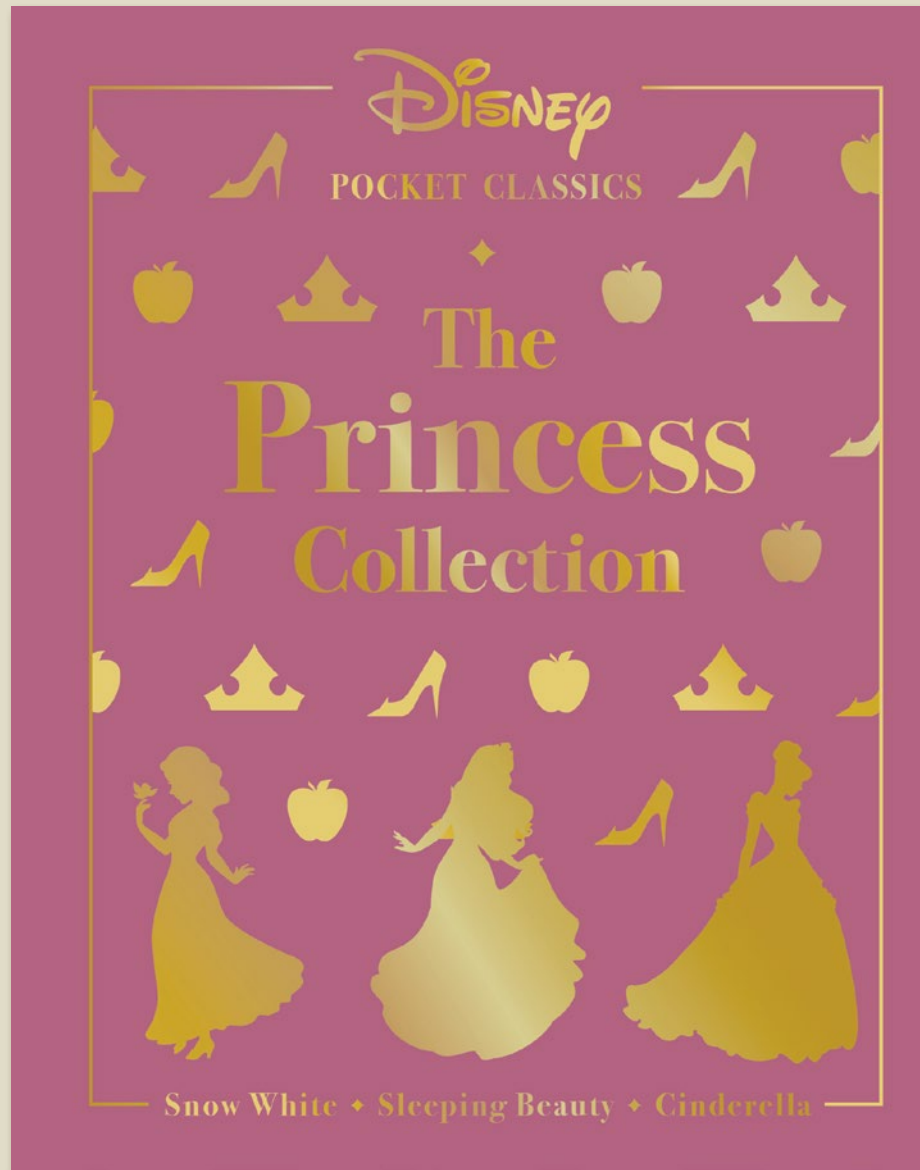
**PUZZLE 9 SHADOW MATCH**

The galaxy is full of heroes and villains, including the daring Resistance pilot Poe Dameron and scavenger-turned-fugitive Rey. Match the character's shadows to their names.

1. Rey
2. Stormtrooper
3. Poe Dameron
4. BB-8
5. Captain Phasma
6. Chewbacca
7. Kylo Ren
8. Finn

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# Disney Pocket Classics: The Princess Collection

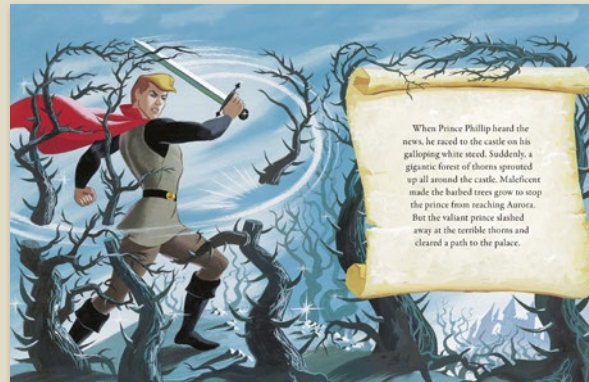
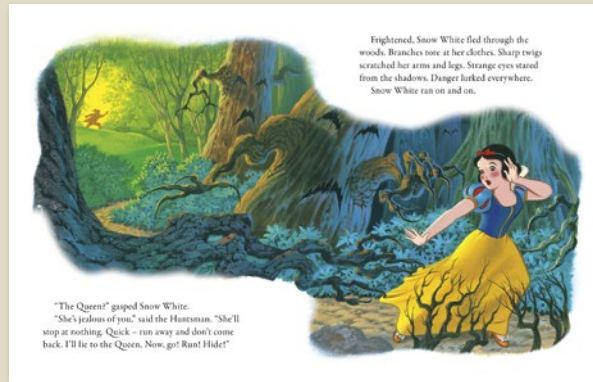


## Three classic Princess stories

- Three stories in one book: *Snow White*, *Sleeping Beauty* and *Cinderella*.
- With vintage-style artwork, these books will appeal to collectors and fans of all ages.
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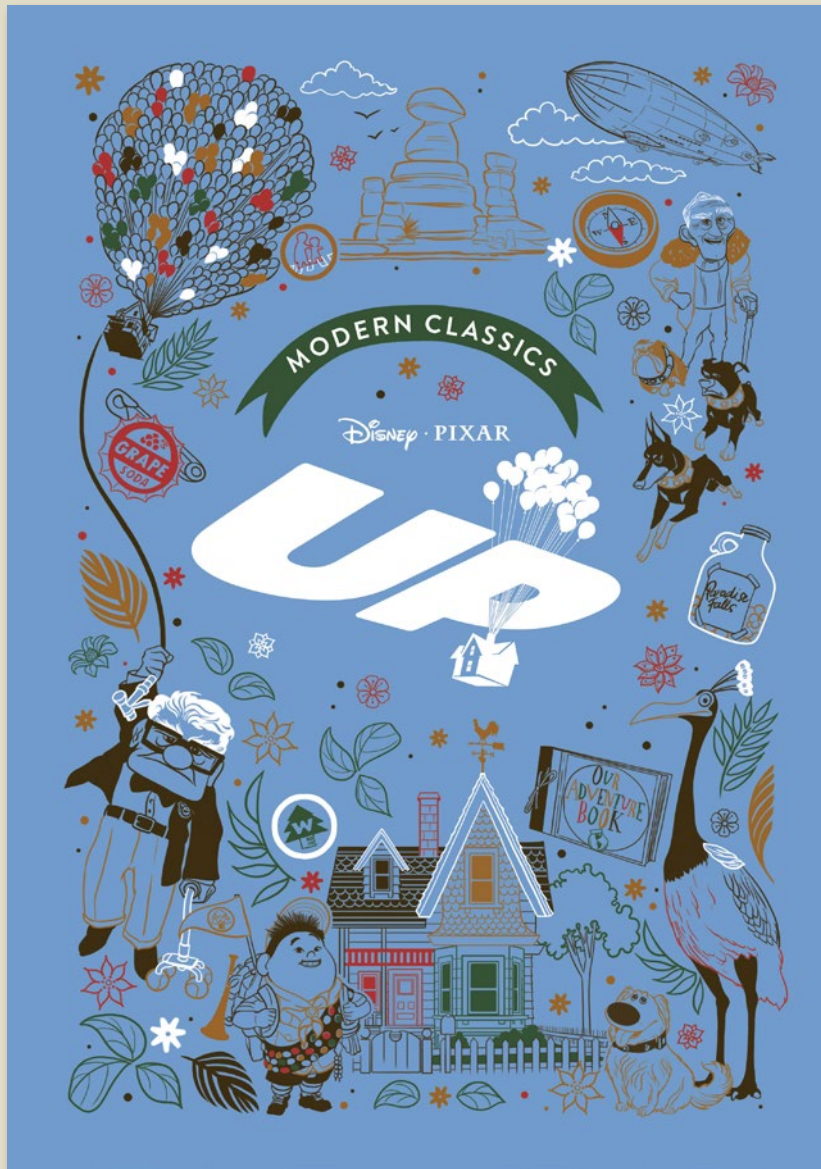


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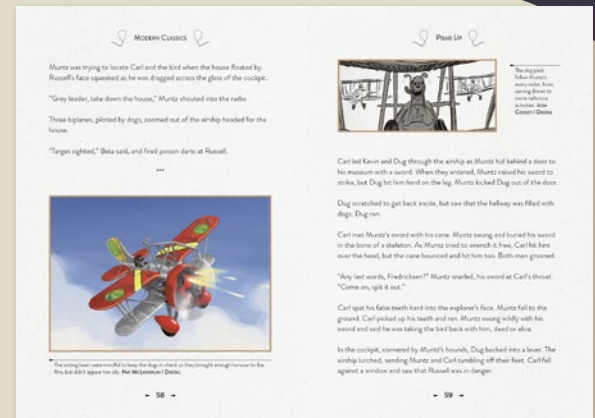
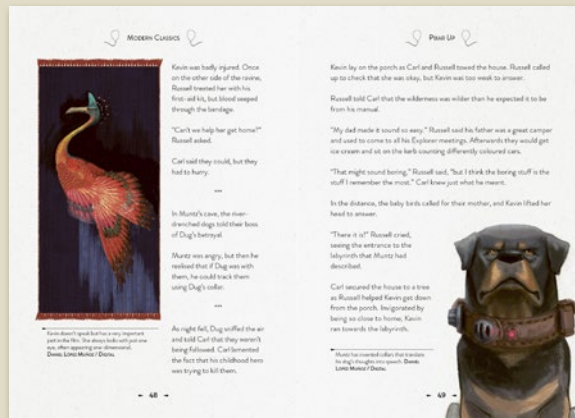
# Up (Pixar Modern Classics)



**A retelling of Pixar *Up*, accompanied by art from the original Pixar Studio artists.**

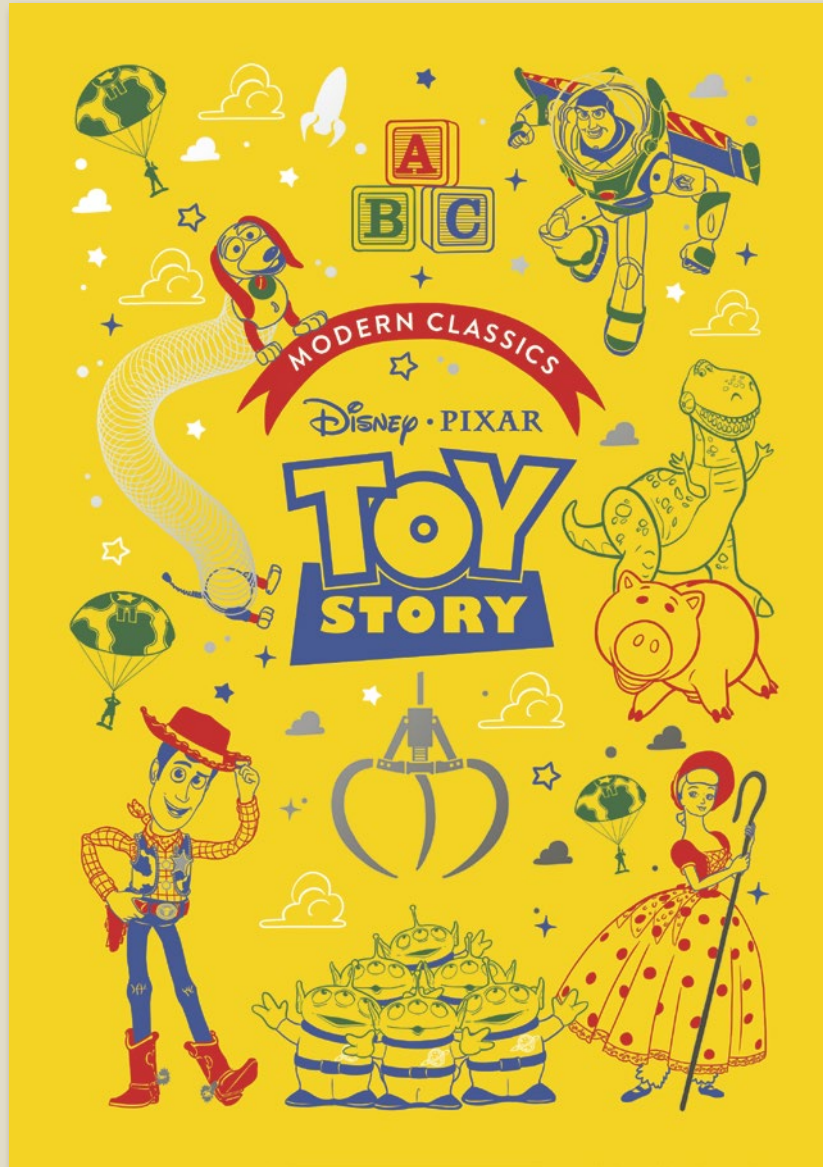
- Original concept art from the Disney archive, featuring artwork by classic Disney artists.
- Beautifully illustrated and presented version of the well-known Disney story. With an additional section at the end providing more detail on the artwork and the artists.
- Never seen before, age-appropriate retelling of the movie.
- *Disney Animated Classics*, *Disney Modern Classics* and *Pixar Modern Classics* have exceeded TCM sales of 83k copies since the first title was released in 2018.
- 2024 marks the 15th anniversary of *Up*'s theatre release.

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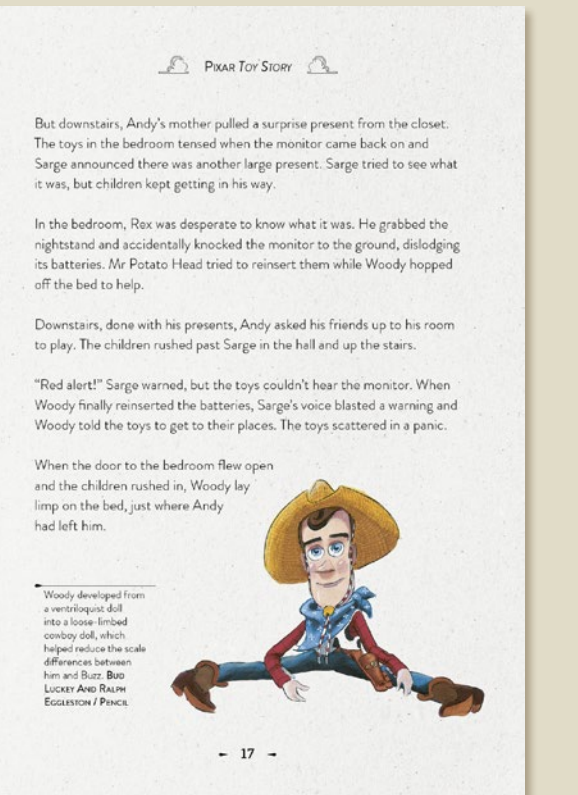
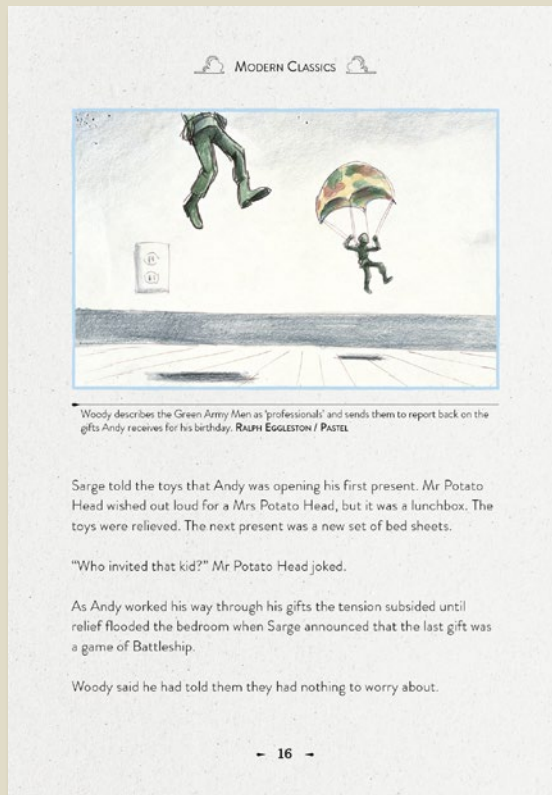
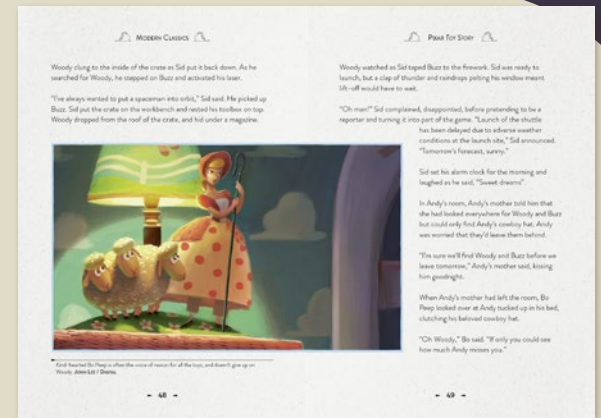
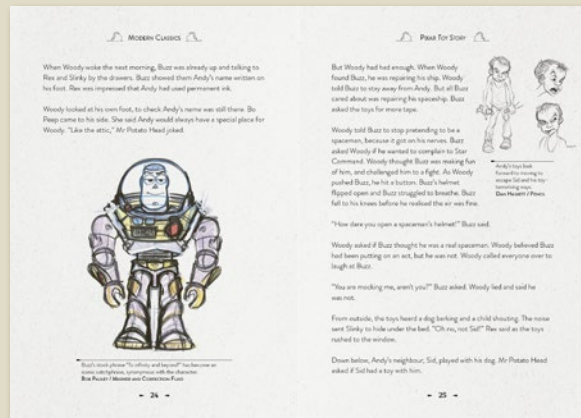
# Toy Story (Pixar Modern Classics)



**A retelling of Pixar *Toy Story*, accompanied by art from the original Pixar Studio artists.**

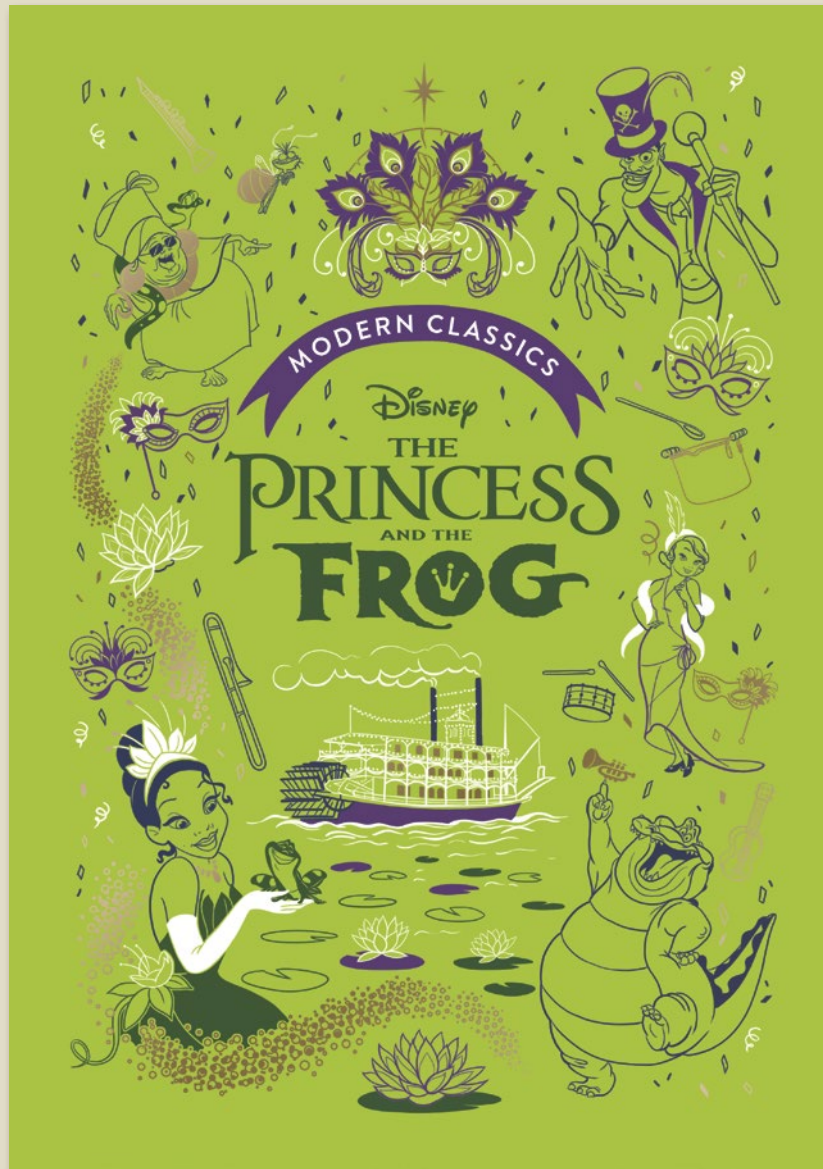
- Original concept art from the Disney archive, featuring artwork by classic Disney artists.
- Beautifully illustrated and presented version of the well-known Disney story.
- With an additional section at the end providing more detail on the artwork and the artists.
- Never seen before, age-appropriate retelling of the movie.
- The *Toy Story* films have grossed more than \$3.3 billion worldwide, becoming the 20th highest-grossing film franchise worldwide and the third highest-grossing animated franchise.

# Toy Story (Pixar Modern Classics)



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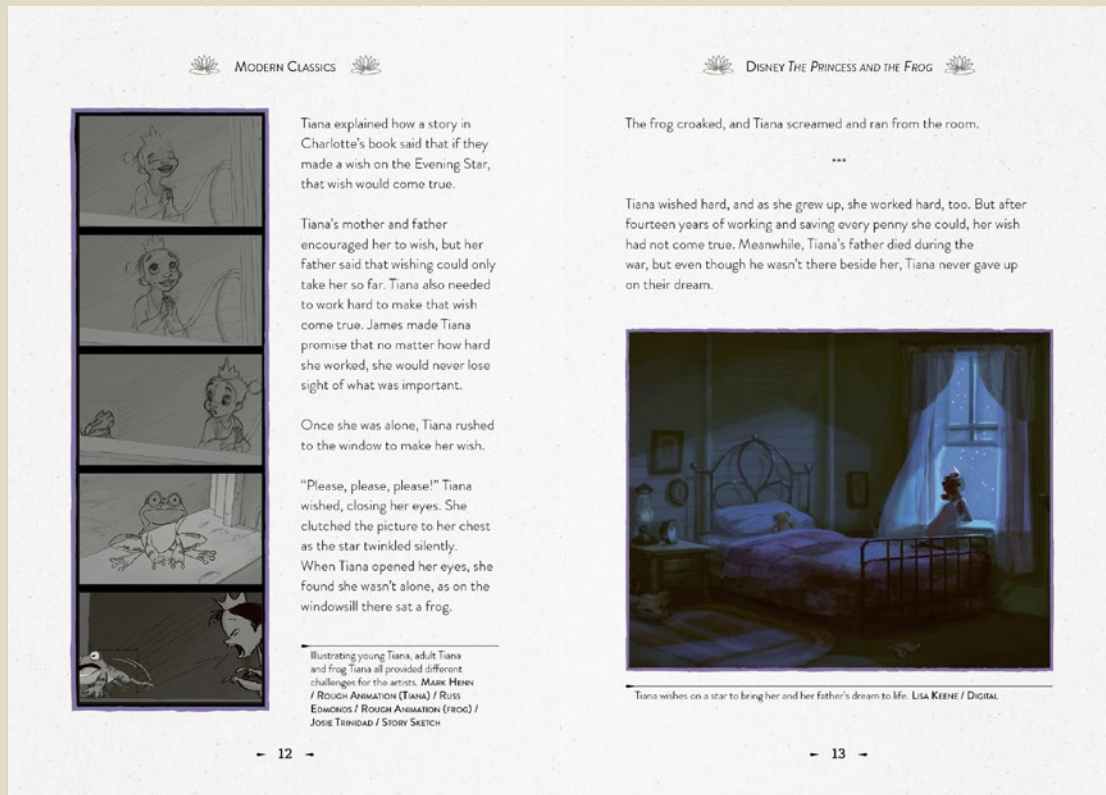
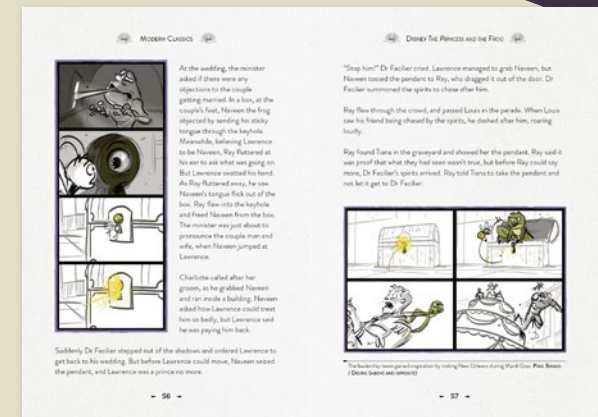
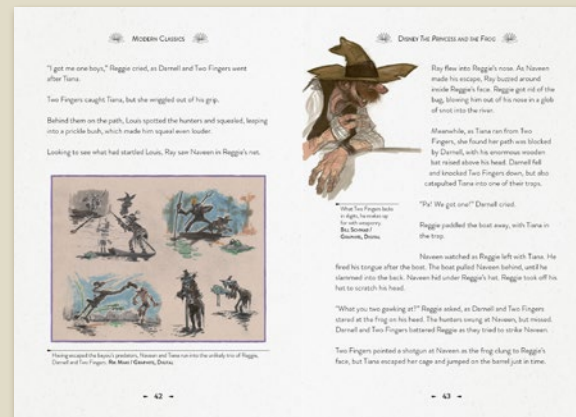
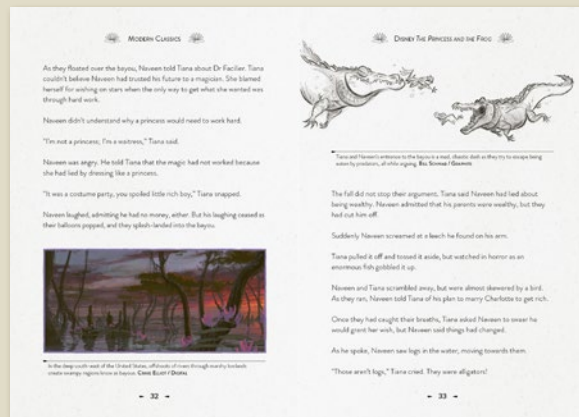
# The Princess and the Frog (Disney Modern Classics)



**A retelling of Disney *The Princess and the Frog*, accompanied by art from the original Disney Studio artists.**

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- With an additional section at the end providing more detail on the artwork and the artists.
- Never seen before, age-appropriate retelling of the movie.
- *Disney Animated Classics*, *Disney Modern Classics* and *Pixar Modern Classics* have exceeded TCM sales of 83k copies since the first title was released in 2018.

# The Princess and the Frog (Disney Modern Classics)



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# Disney Museum



**Celebrate 100 years of Disney magic with this beautifully illustrated coffee table book!**

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- Covers everything from the Golden Age of animation and original shorts to live action films and Disney+



## LONG LIVE THE KING

**THE GOLDEN AGE**

In the last King (1994), a young girl asks about a lion she sees, who goes on a journey of discovery about the story of the World's Most Beloved King. According to the author, the character of the King is based on the lion that lived in the savanna of the Serengeti in the 1950s and 1960s. The lion's roar is the sound of the savanna, and the lion's mane is the sound of the savanna. The lion's roar is the sound of the savanna, and the lion's mane is the sound of the savanna.




**KEY TO PLATE**

1. The lion's roar is the sound of the savanna.
2. The lion's mane is the sound of the savanna.
3. The lion's roar is the sound of the savanna.

## THE FROZEN PHENOMENON

**MODERN DISNEY**

In 2013, Disney Animation introduced the world to Anna and Elsa - the sisters of Arendelle. In this book, you'll discover the story of their journey from childhood to adulthood, and how they became the most beloved Disney characters of the 21st century. The book is a celebration of the film's success, and a tribute to the creative team that brought it to life. It features a collection of character designs, concept art, and behind-the-scenes photos that show the process of creating this magical world.




**KEY TO PLATE**

1. Elsa's ice powers.
2. Anna and Elsa's faces.
3. Elsa's ice powers.

## SWASHBUCKLING PIRATES

**MODERN DISNEY**

In 2003, a Disney adventure sailed to Disneyland in Anaheim, California. The movie, Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl, was a massive success, and it inspired a new wave of Disney films. The book explores the history of the franchise, from the original movie to the sequels, and the impact it has had on the Disney brand. It features a collection of character designs, concept art, and behind-the-scenes photos that show the process of creating this exciting world.



**KEY TO PLATE**

1. The pirate character.
2. The pirate character.
3. The pirate character.

## BELOVED CHARACTERS

**THE GOLDEN AGE**

Literary classics provided strong source material for a number of Disney films. Alice in Wonderland (1951) is Disney's version of classic Lewis Carroll children's novel; Alice's Adventures in Wonderland and Through the Looking Glass, and What Alice Found There. The books had fascinated Walt Disney since childhood. In the 1920s, they had loosely inspired his part animated, part live-action Alice Comedies and since then he had bought the film rights to the novel. Disney concept artist and colour stylist Mary Blair created exuberant, fantastical production artwork that inspired the look of the film. Music and songs hold the film's sequences together and propel the story along - the film features more songs than any other Disney film at the time. One of the film's most extravagant scenes, the Mad Hatter's tea party, was initially filmed in live-action to provide an aid to animators. Vaudeville actor Ed Wynn played the Mad Hatter and Wynn's extemporized voice track was so inspired it was used for the final film.

In 1913, Walt had seen a touring production of J.M. Barrie's stage play Peter Pan and, inspired by its combination of fantasy and swashbuckling adventure, acquired the film rights in 1939. As with Alice in Wonderland, Mary Blair created the signature production art for the film. Live-action footage was shot for the animators' reference, with the voice actors performing their roles. Meanwhile, the magic of Disney animation made the characters fly - Peter Pan even engages dastardly Captain Hook in mid-air sword fights. Tinker Bell, often represented merely as a spotlight in stage versions, became a fully realized character using actor Margaret Kerry and others, in her live-action model. Released in 1953, after nearly two decades of work and thousands of drawings, Peter Pan was an immediate success and has remained a beloved Disney classic.

Literary works have remained a source of inspiration. The Sword in the Stone (1963), a whimsical adaptation of T.H. White's novel about the Arthurian legends, was the first Disney animated feature film to include songs by the Sherman Brothers, who would later work on Mary Poppins (1964), The Jungle Book (1967) and many others. The Rescuers (1977), a tale of an international rescue organisation run by mice, was based on a book series by English author Margery Sharp. Cruella De Vil nearly became the main villain in the film, but in the end the animation team created the fiery tempered, diamond-obsessed pawn shop owner Madame Medusa. Some classic tales are updated in inventive new ways: Treasure Planet (2002) is a version of Robert Louis Stevenson's 1883 novel Treasure Island set in outer space!

**KEY TO PLATE**

1. Tea Party production art
2. Peter Pan and friends
3. Character designs

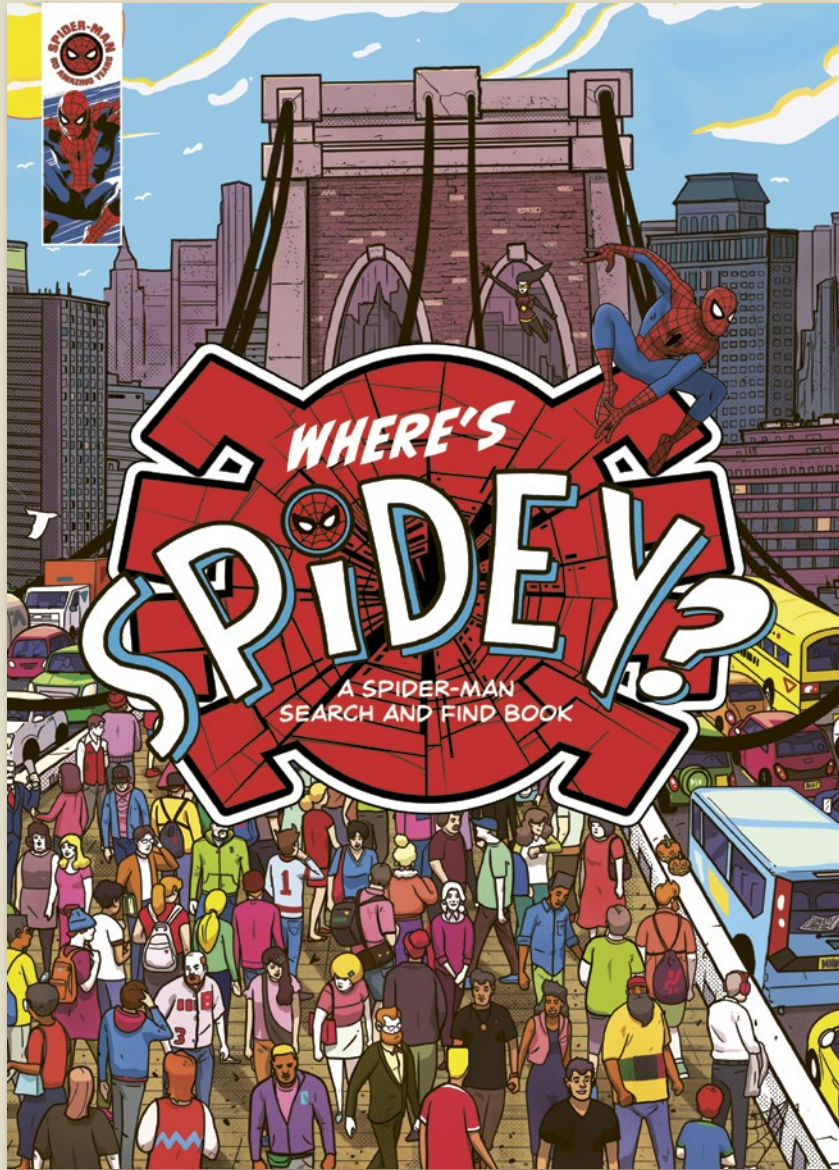



**KEY TO PLATE**

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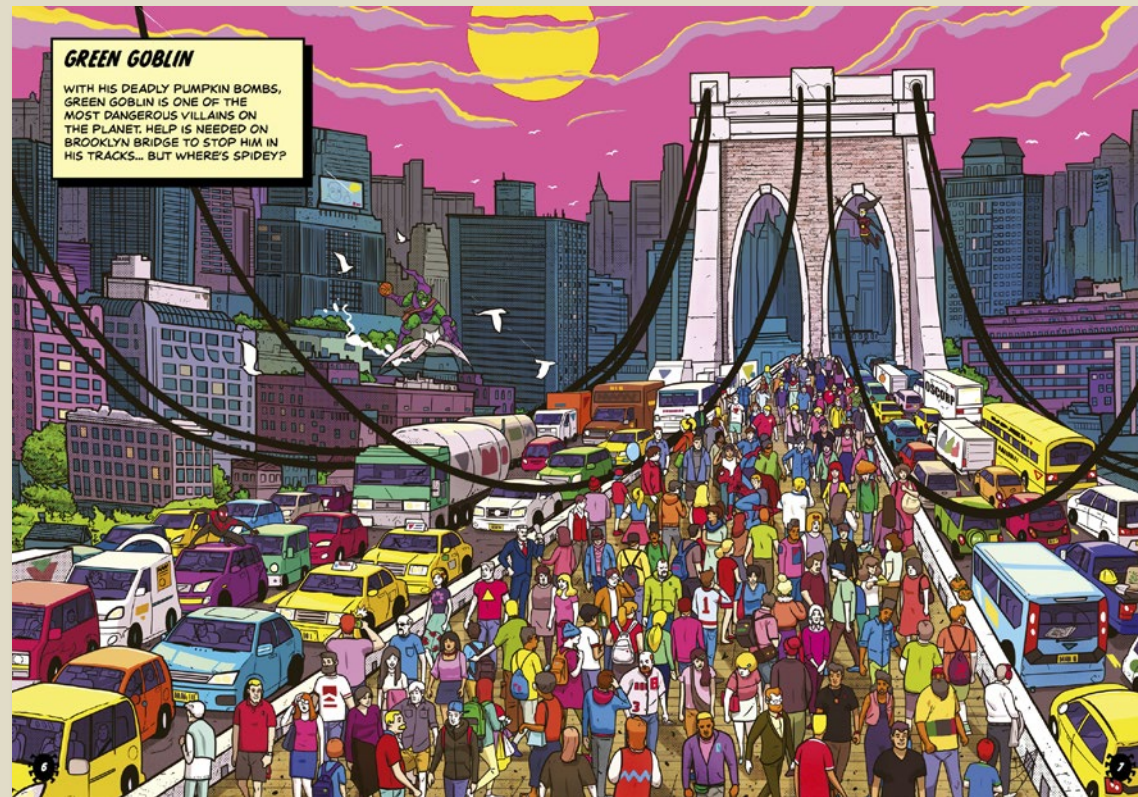
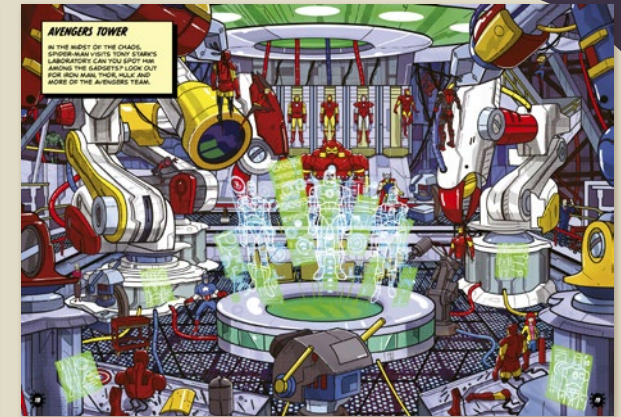
# Where's Spidey?



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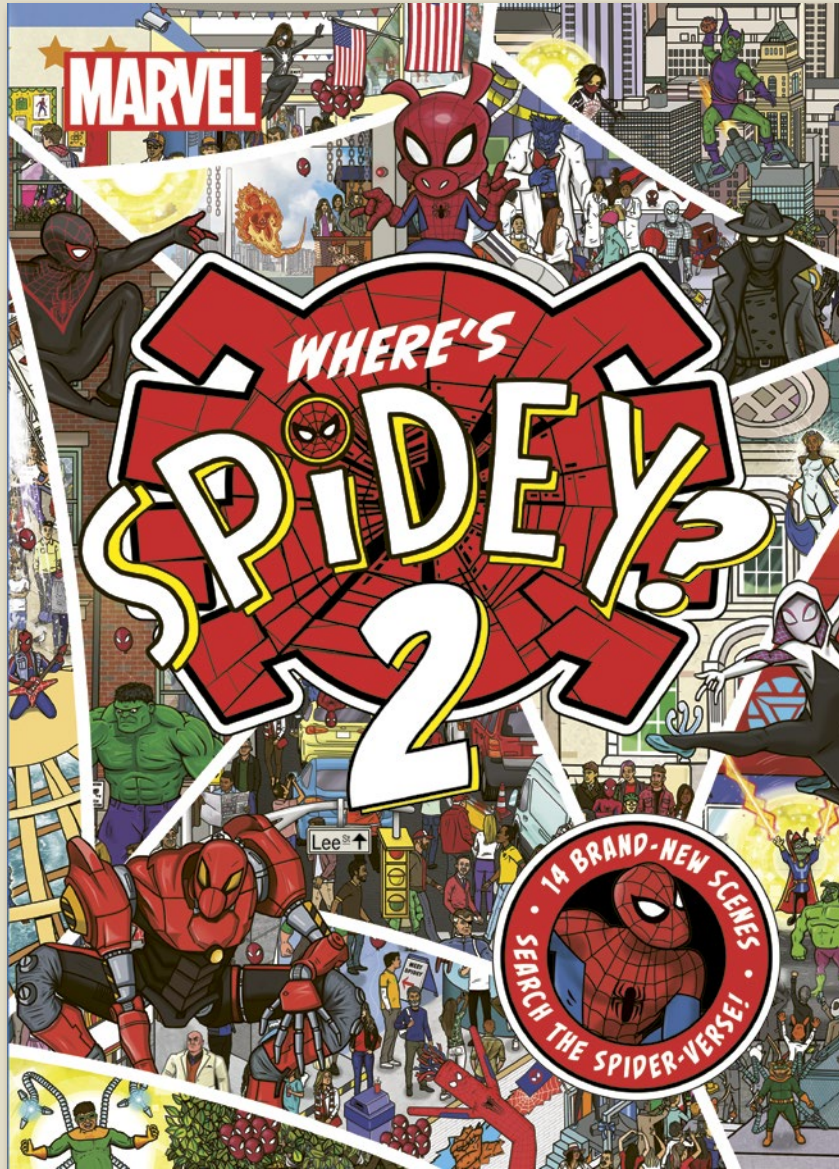
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# Where's Spidey?



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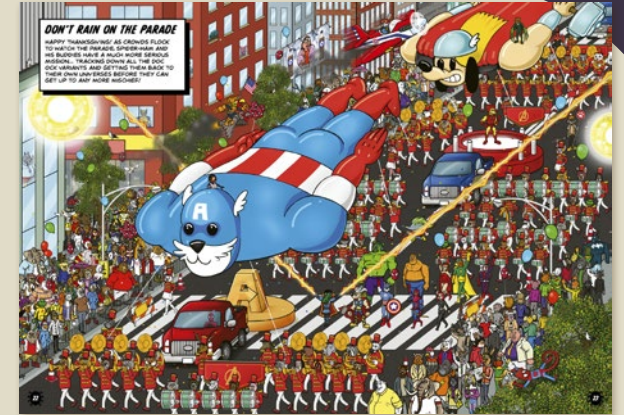
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**A action-packed, web-slinging sequel to the bestselling *Where's Spidey?***

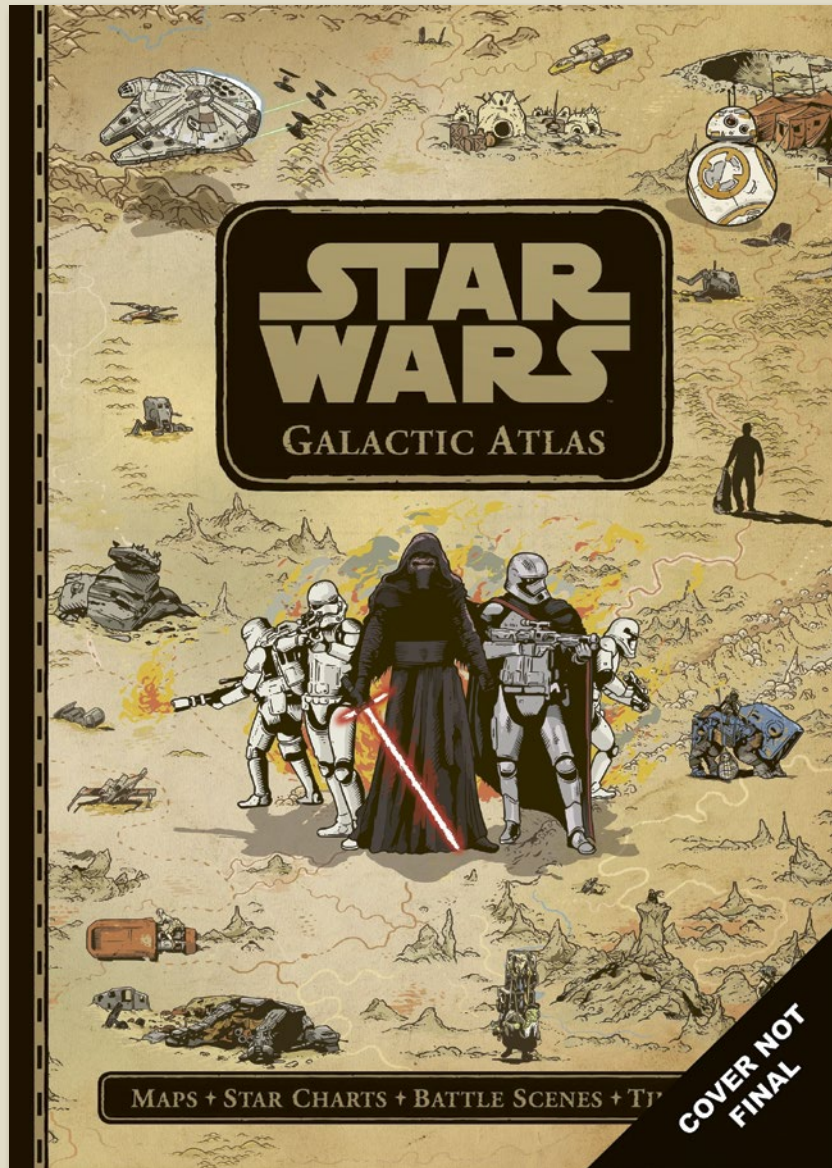
- Official Marvel book.
- Cover finishes: matt lamination and spot UV.
- The follow-up to the bestselling *Where's Spidey?* which has sold over 200,000 copies TCM.
- Over 500,000 copies sold across the Disney and Marvel 'Where's' range.
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# Where's Spidey 2?



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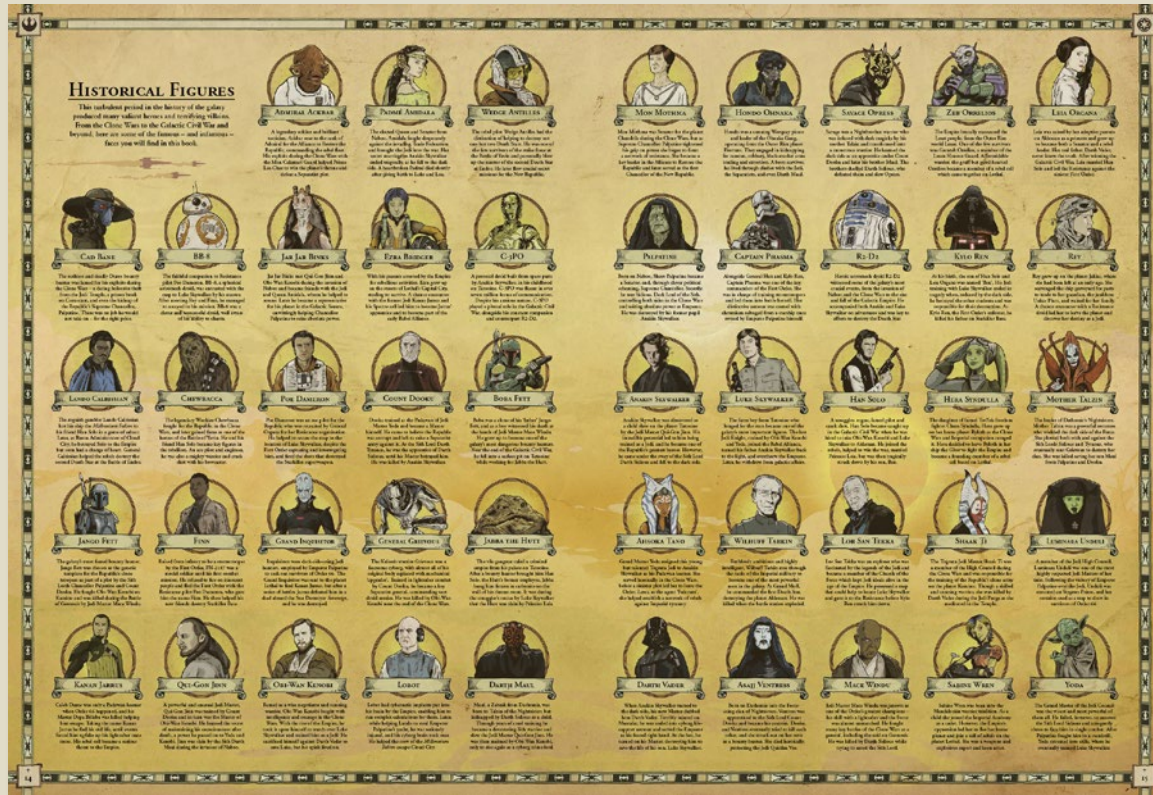
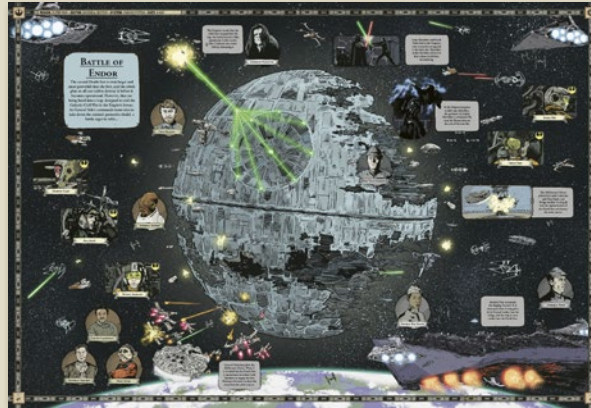
# Star Wars: Galactic Atlas



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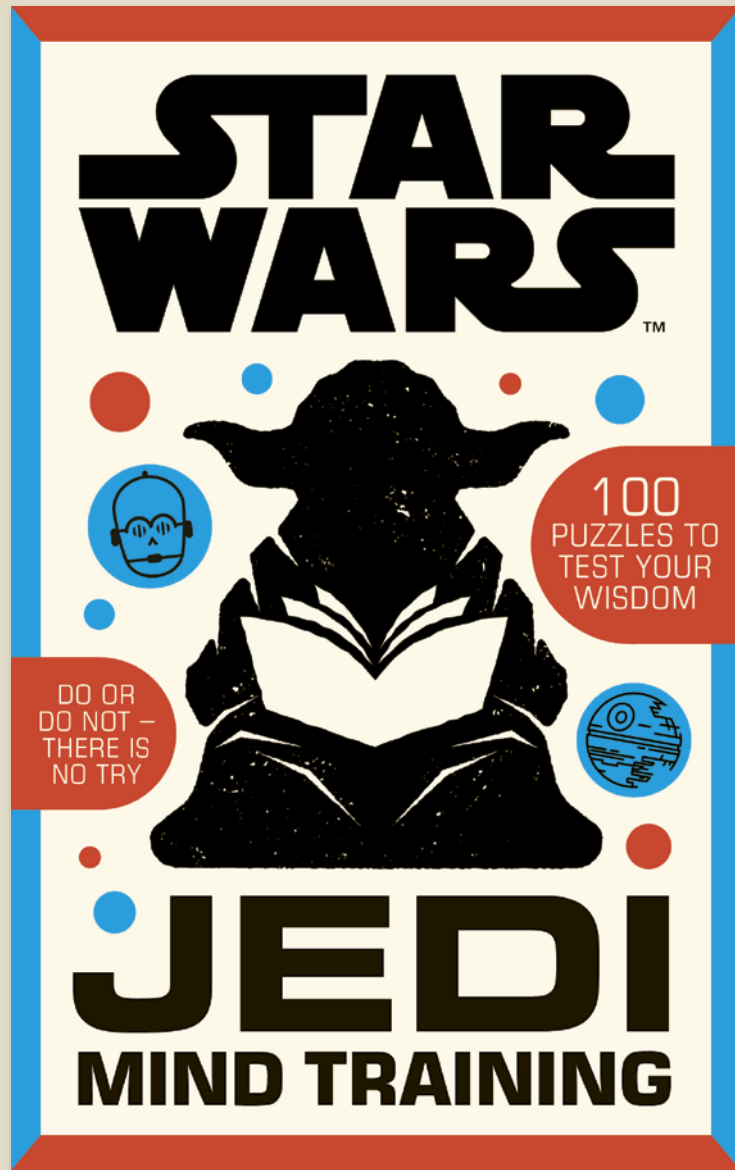
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# Star Wars: Galactic Atlas



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# Star Wars: Jedi Mind Training

**PUZZLE 03** PADAWAN

## UNEQUAL

Inequality, greater, and lesser are concepts that are all too often encountered in the universe. They are of interest for the Jedi, who do not deal in absolutes and who strive for knowledge over ignorance. Bigger is not always better; smaller is not always weaker.

The number square must be fully completed so that each number appears once only in each row and column. In addition, each greater than (>) or smaller than (<) symbol must be correct.

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**NOT FINAL**

**PUZZLE 03** PADAWAN

## LOGICAL DEDUCTION

Han Solo's blaster pistol has been stolen in the Mos Eisley Cantina, and you have to work out who did it. There are three suspects.

There are five clues:

- Greedo trusted the suspect who used a lightsaber.
- Dr Cornelius Evazan was holding a Moo horn when you saw him.
- A glass of Blue Milk was not found in the booth.
- Luke was spotted hiding under the bar.
- The blaster was eventually found in the bandstand.

Use the clues to fill in the grid opposite and log what you know, then use logical deduction to work out what you don't!

Each suspect was found holding another item. And there are three places the theft could have happened:

8

**NOT FINAL**

**PUZZLE 03** PADAWAN

## BALANCE: DARK SIDE/LIGHT SIDE

For there to be peace, there should be balance. A Jedi will seek balance in everyday life, and will learn to concentrate and feel their way as different elements seek to dominate; order must be restored, balance must prevail.

In this puzzle, each row and column must contain the same number of dark side tiles and light side tiles, but care must be taken, for neither may have more than two next to each other, vertically or horizontally. No row may be identical in sequence to any other row; the same rule applies to columns, which must also all be unique.

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**NOT FINAL**

**PUZZLE 04** PADAWAN

## PATTERN RECOGNITION

Allow your inner calm to enhance your focus and clarity of thought. First look at the pattern, looking for intricacies, repetitions, and any variations that may be apparent. Now think of the flow, noticing how one colour becomes another. Let your intuition guide you.

Which of the blocks a, b, c, d, e, f completes the sequence in line 3?

a b c d e f

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## A New Hope (Star Wars Cinematic Classics)



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- Features a foreword by Lucasfilm Art Director Troy Alders

# A New Hope (Star Wars Cinematic Classics)


**CINEMATIC CLASSICS**

C-3PO wandered away, complaining bitterly. He passed the giant skeleton of a knight dragon that lay bleached on the sand. Then he spotted something on the distance.

"A transport," he said excitedly, waving his metal arms in the air. "I've saved! Over here, they may release him!"

Meanwhile, R2-D2 had reached the dark hills. The little astromech whirled softly as he trundled through a stormy rain. Luke still believed that he was being watched. Behind the rocks, hooded creatures known as Jawas whispered to one another. Their yellow eyes glowed as the droid passed by.

Then one of the Jawas sprang up in front of Artoo and fired an ion blaster. The blue energy bolt struck the droid, knocking him off his feet.



Concept art of C-3PO and R2-D2 on the planet of Tatooine after landing on the escape pod. **Ralph McQuarrie**

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**EPISODE IV: A NEW HOPE**

The Jawa gestured eagerly. "Ubini!" he cried, and the others crowded round, lifting Artoo. They carried him through the rain to their gigantic sandcrawler, where they fitted the little droid with a restraining bolt to prevent him from escaping. Then a large air-pipe stalked down from the sandcrawler and sucked Artoo inside.

Artoo was dumped into a large chamber filled with strange droids. They came in all shapes and sizes, from boxy power droids also known as gaud droids, to machines built for moisture farming, mining and security. There a pair of glowing eyes spotted Artoo.

"That's no moon," Obi-Wan told him. "It's a space station. I Han Solo tried to turn the Falcon around, but it was too late. They were caught in an invisible tractor beam, pulling them deadily closer to the Death Star.


"Destroyed," he told the others. "By the Empire."

Luke couldn't believe that such a thing was possible, but there was no time to discuss it. A ship had appeared on their scopes: a small Imperial TIE fighter. It blasted the Falcon, then it strafed away.

"It's heading for that small moon," Luke pointed.

"That's no moon," Obi-Wan told him. "It's a space station. I Han Solo tried to turn the Falcon around, but it was too late. They were caught in an invisible tractor beam, pulling them deadily closer to the Death Star.

"Send a scanning crew aboard," Vader ordered. I want every part of this



Concept art for the Death Star showing the docking bay where the Falcon has landed. **Ben McQuarrie**

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**CINEMATIC CLASSICS**

Obi-Wan Kenobi slipped through the corridors of the Death Star, drawing closer to the Millennium Falcon. But before he could reach it, he came face to face with an old acquaintance. Darth Vader stood blocking his path, a red lightsaber humming in his hand.

"I've been waiting for you, Obi-Wan," the Dark Lord boomed. "We meet again at last. The circle is now complete. When I left you, I was but the learner. Now I am the master."

Obi-Wan moved swiftly, countering blow after blow. "You can't win, Darth," he said in former apprentice. "If you strike me down, I will become more powerful than you can possibly imagine."

"You should not have come back," Vader replied, lunging at Obi-Wan, but the old Jedi was too quick.

Spotting the duel from across the hangar, the stormtroopers guarding the Millennium Falcon peeled away, turning to the aid of their quarters.

Luke, Leia, Han and Chewie had made it back to the hangar, where Artoo and Threepio joined them. With the guards distracted, they ran for the Falcon. But as he neared the hangar, Luke saw his mentor locked in combat with the monstrous Darth Vader.




Concept image for Obi-Wan Kenobi. **Ben McQuarrie**

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**CINEMATIC CLASSICS**

In the Death Star's control room, an aide approached Grand Moff Tarkin, offering to ready his ship in case the Rebels were successful. "Evacuate?" Tarkin asked disbelievingly. "In our moment of triumph? I think you overestimate their chances." He was sure that this ragtag army posed no threat to his battle station.

Meanwhile, Red Leader had guided another group of fighters into the trench. Vader was right behind them, taking out first one, then two of Red Leader's wingmen. But the Dark Lord was too late. Red Leader was in



Concept art for the Death Star trench run. **Ralph McQuarrie**

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**EPISODE IV: A NEW HOPE**

range. He fired, and his torpedoes streaked towards the target.

The shot was no good. The torpedoes missed, exploding on the surface of the Death Star. And as Red Leader turned to flee, Darth Vader's TIE fighter swooped in. Red Leader's X-wing slammed into the battle station and burst into flame.

Luke saw the ship explode and knew that time was running out. Flanked by Biggs and Wedge, he flew at full speed into the trench. But Darth Vader's fighter was right behind them and closing fast.

The Dark Lord fired, scoring a hit on Wedge's engine. "I'm hit!" Wedge cried, peeling off. Vader ignored him, keeping his focus on Luke and Biggs. They swooped from side to side, trying desperately to evade the Dark Lord's fire.

It was no good. Biggs's ship was hit, and Luke watched as his best friend's ship exploded into shards of flame. There was no time to grieve. He knew that he was the Rebels' last hope for victory.

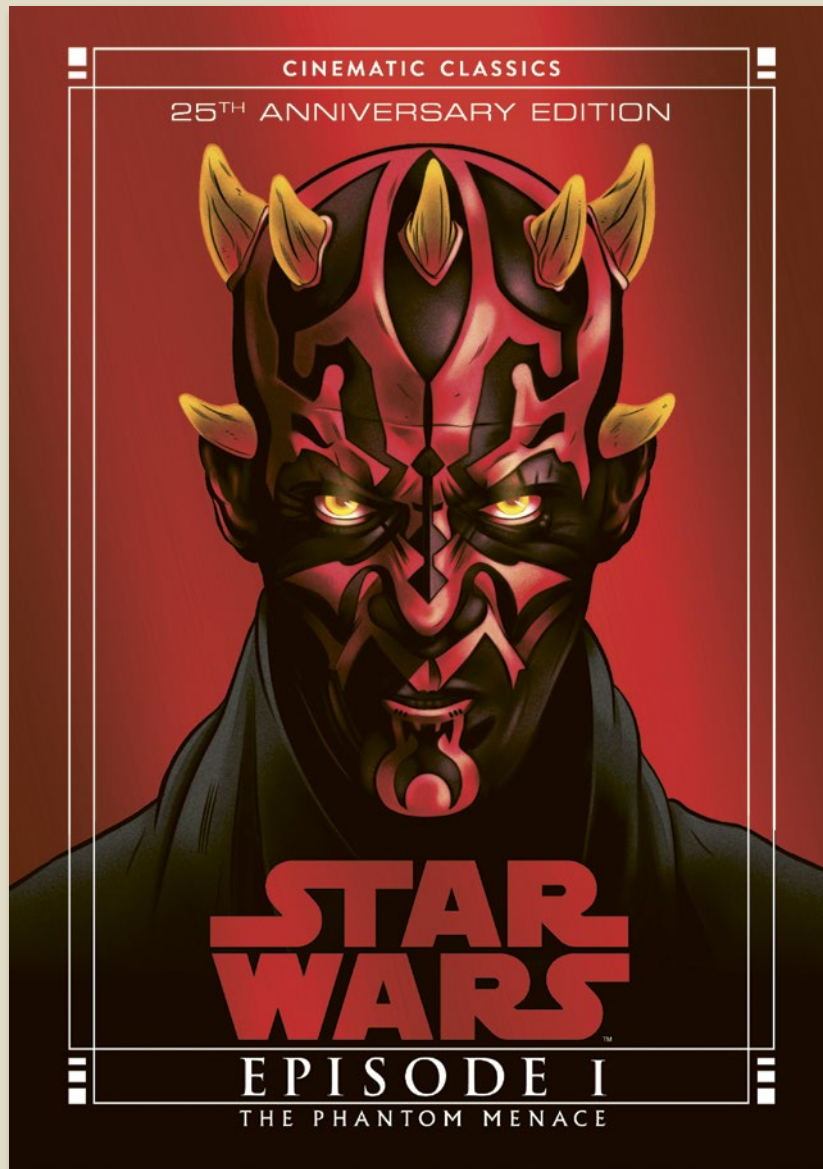
Luke switched on his targeting computer and prepared to fire his torpedoes. As he struggled to lock on to the target, Ben Kenobi's ghostly voice spoke to him once more. "Use the Force, Luke," the old Jedi told him. "Let go. Luke, trust me."

Luke deactivated his computer. He was determined to trust his instincts.

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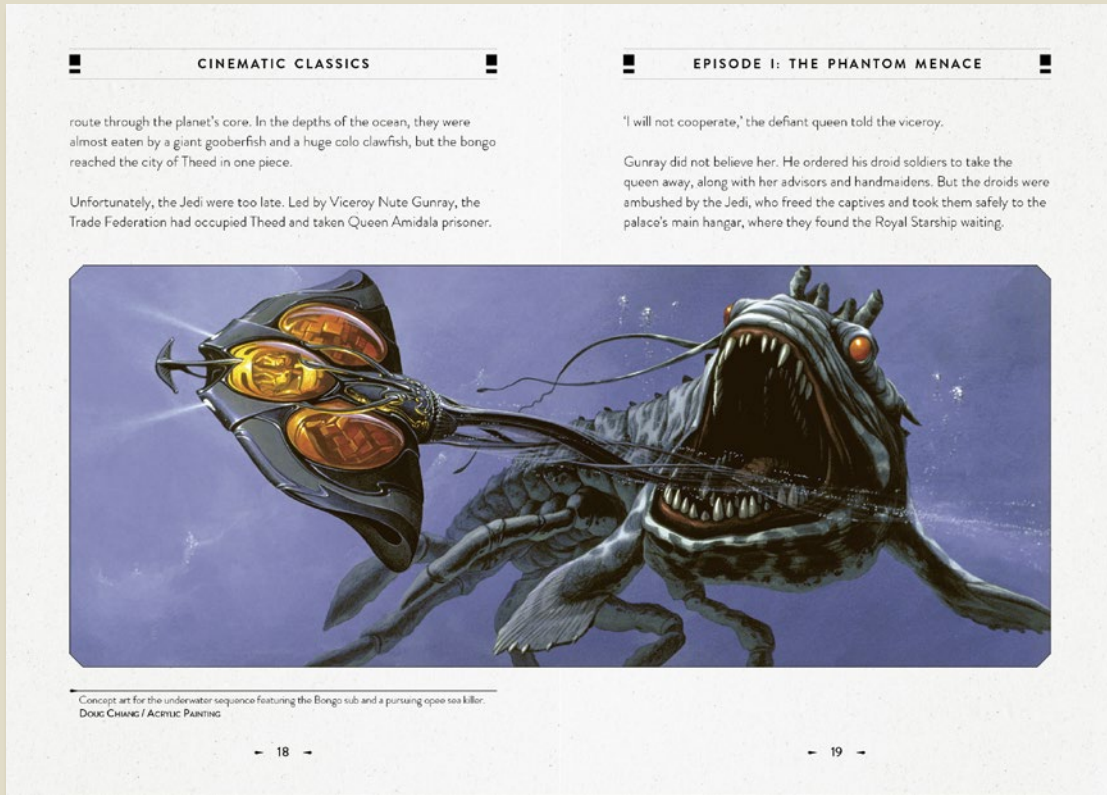
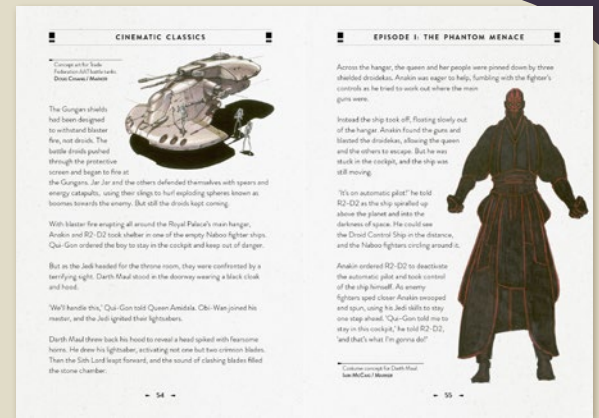
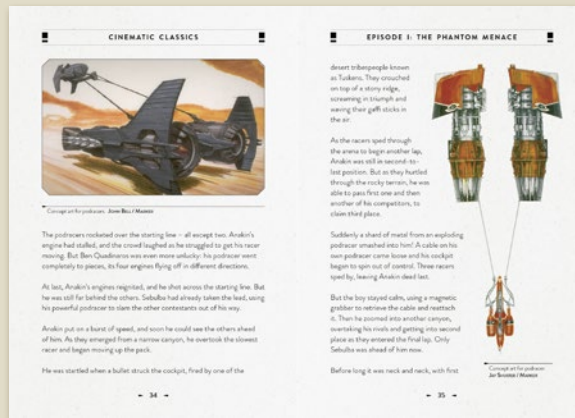
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