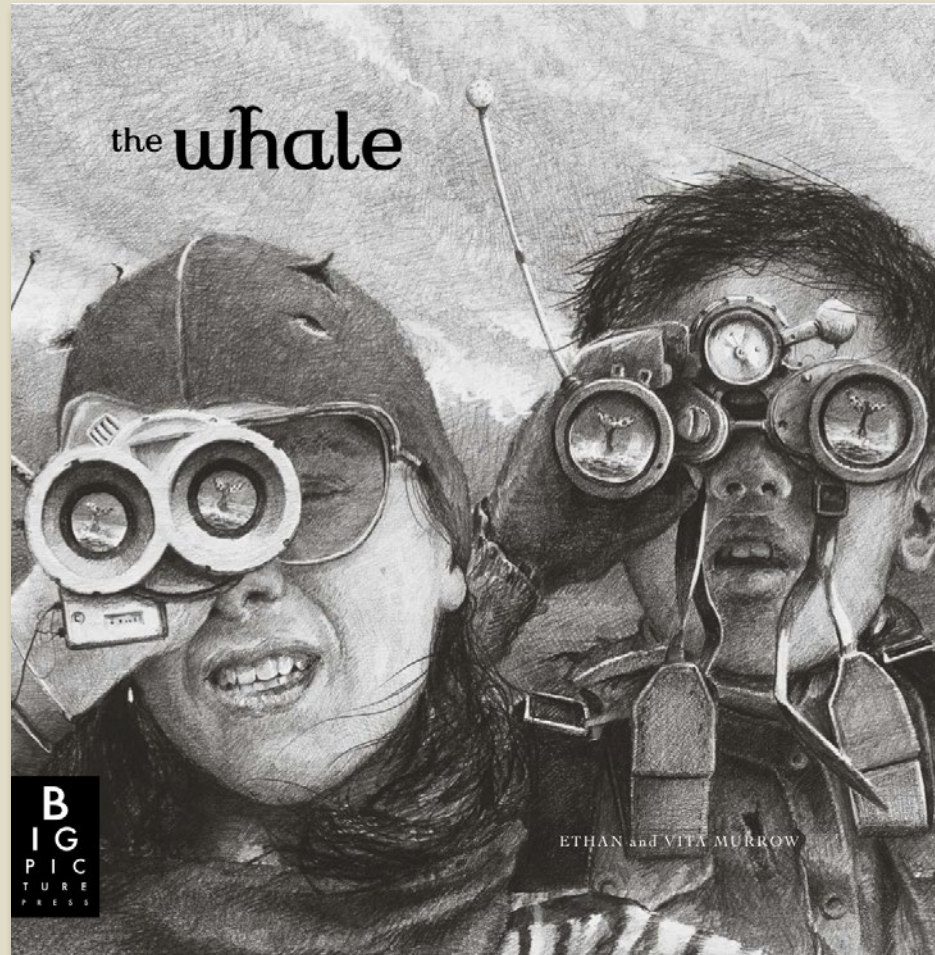




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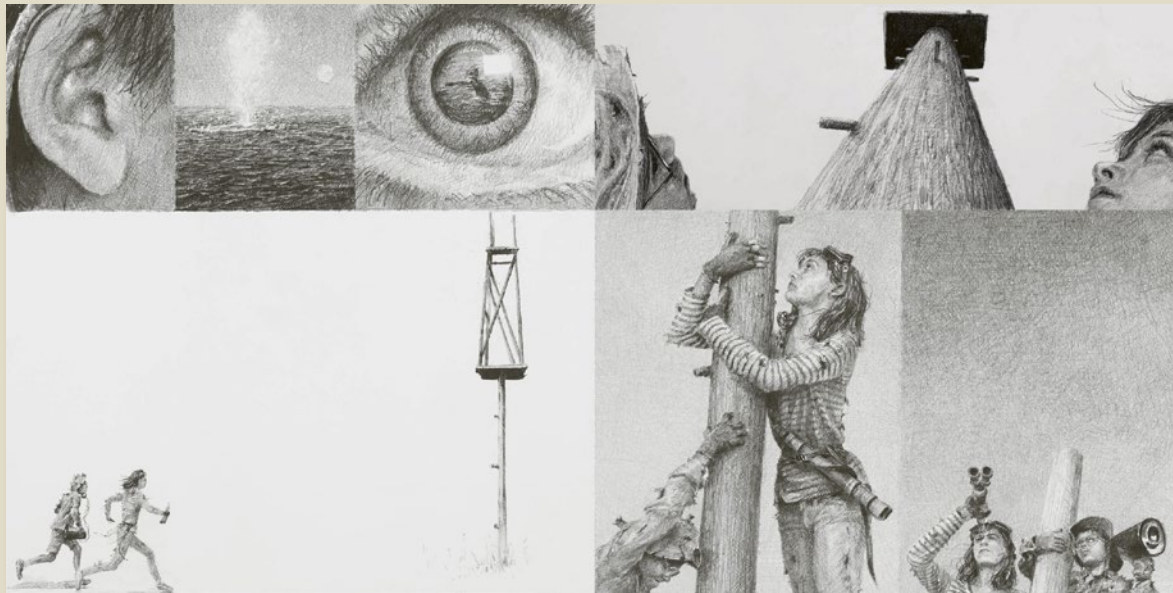
The Whale



A wordless, epic sea adventure.

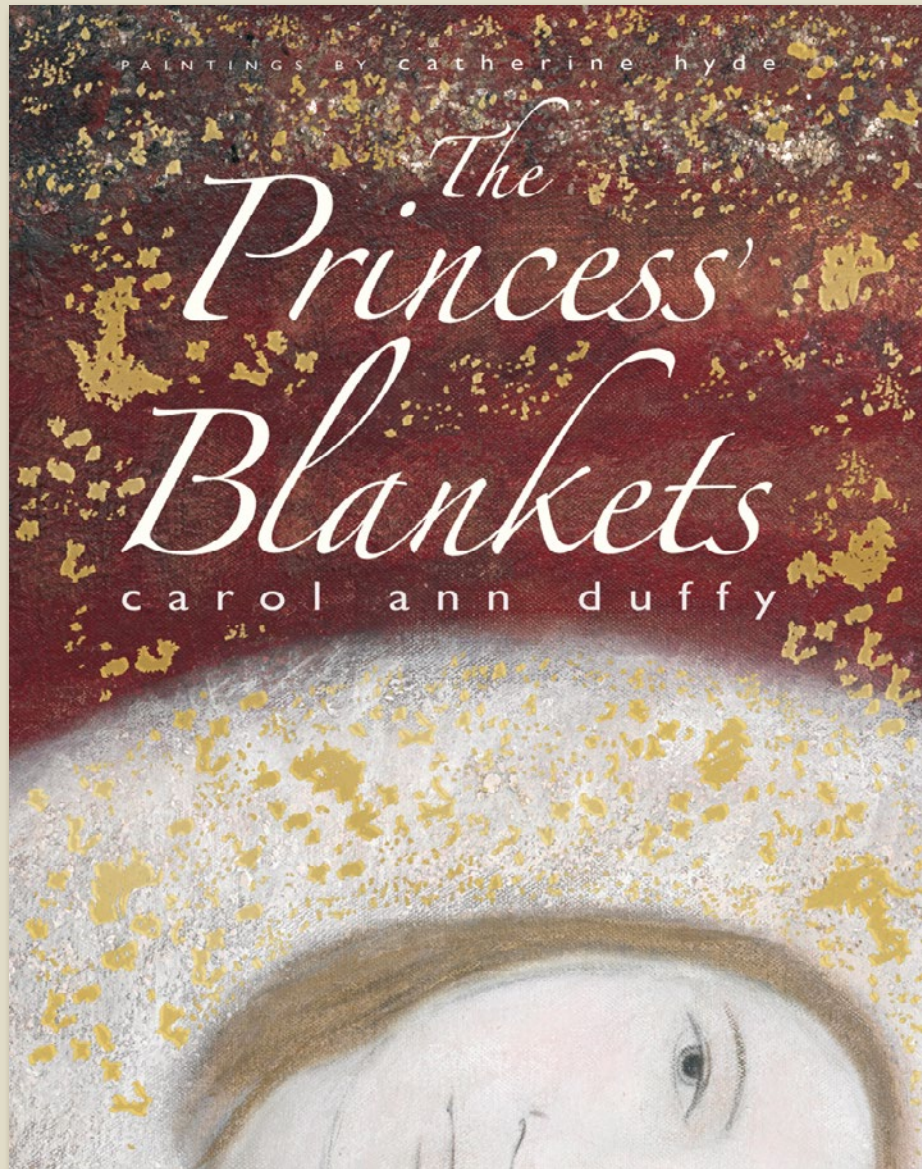
- A captivating, wordless narrative, with spellbinding artwork
- Debut of incredible new talent
- Large-format gift book for all ages
- A dramatic, feel-good story, celebrating the majesty of the natural world
- Over 20,000 copies sold (as of October 2022)

The Whale



Pub Date	01/09/2015
Pub Price	£12.99
ISBN	9781783701711
H x W	270 x 270mm
Binding	Hardback
Age Range	7-9 years
Author	Ethan and Vita Murrow
Extent	32pp
Rights Available	World

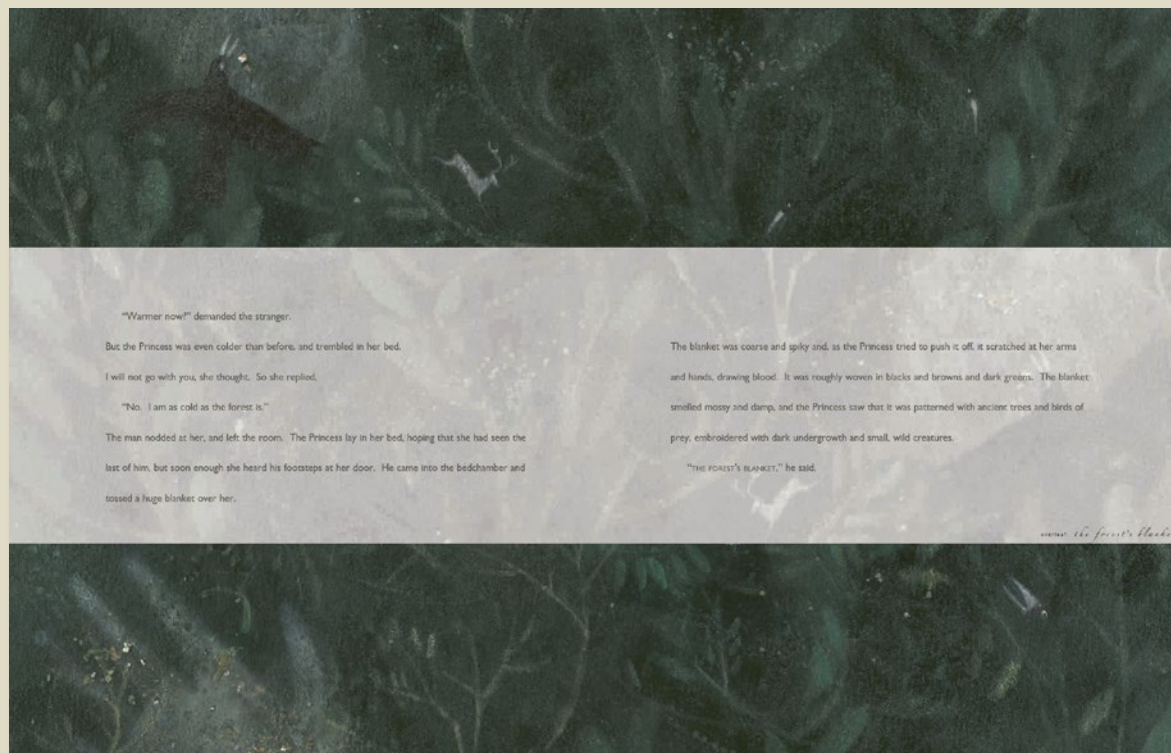
The Princess' Blankets



The princess cannot get warm, no matter what is done for her.

- Authored by Carol Ann Duffy, former Poet Laureate 2009-2019
- Illustrator Catherine Hyde won The English Association's Best Illustrated Book Award (Key Stage 2) for her work on *The Princess' Blankets*
- A fairytale unlike any other, it is a unique and original fantasy tale

The Princess' Blankets

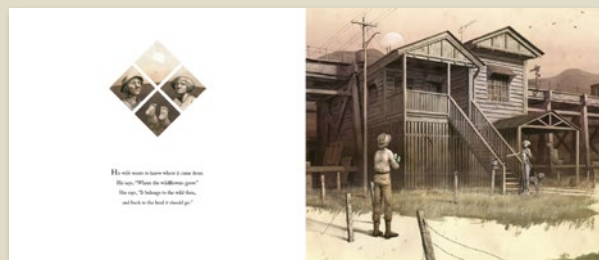


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Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781848771611
H x W	314 x 247mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	9-11 years
Author	Carol Ann Duffy
Extent	40pp
Rights Available	World



A modern fable about nature's power from the Greenaway Medal winner.

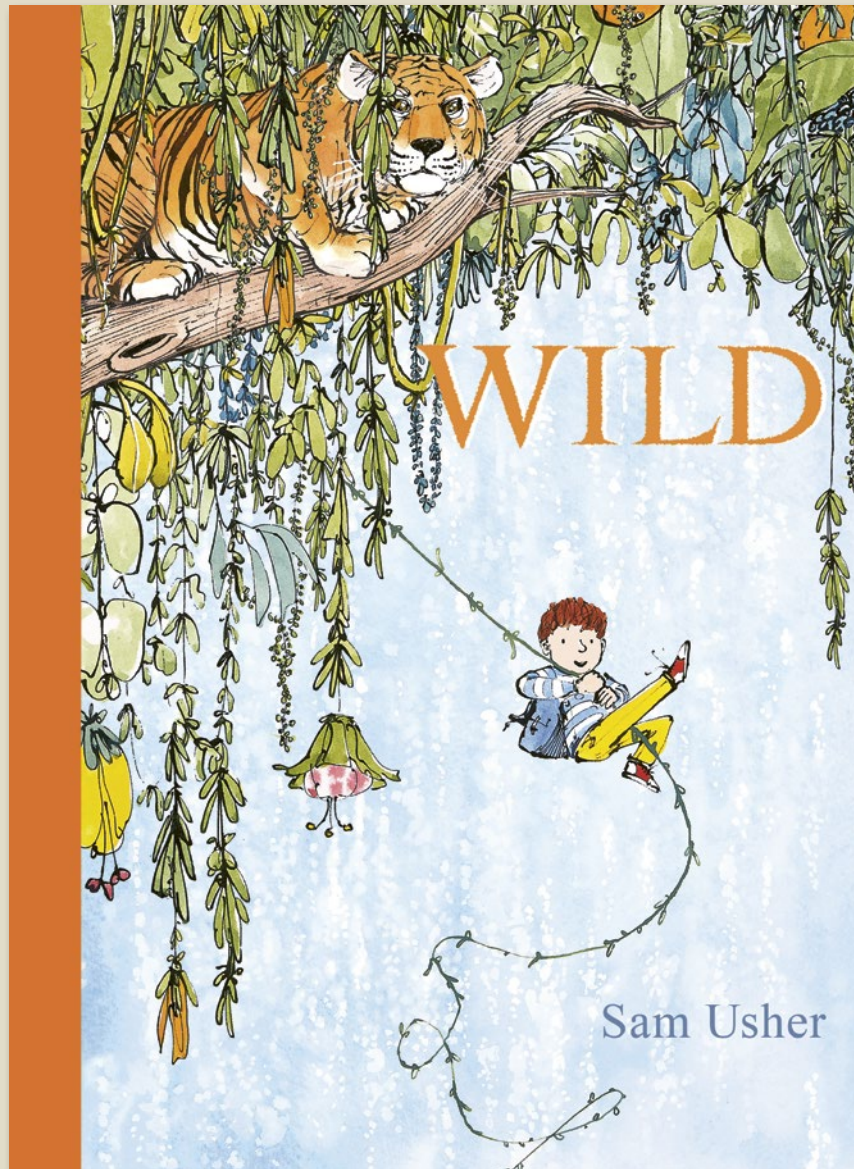
- Incredible tale from Greenaway Medal and Horn Book Award winner
- Over 30,000 copies sold (as of October 2022)
- Mr Barleycorn picks a green baby growing on his land, letting loose the incredible power of nature. When melons grow in the kitchen and apples sprout out of their television, Mrs Barleycorn says the Greenling has to go. But the bounty and beauty of nature has a strange power - the power to bring a whole community together.



But morning brings stranger becomings, beginning a Barleycorn gripe.

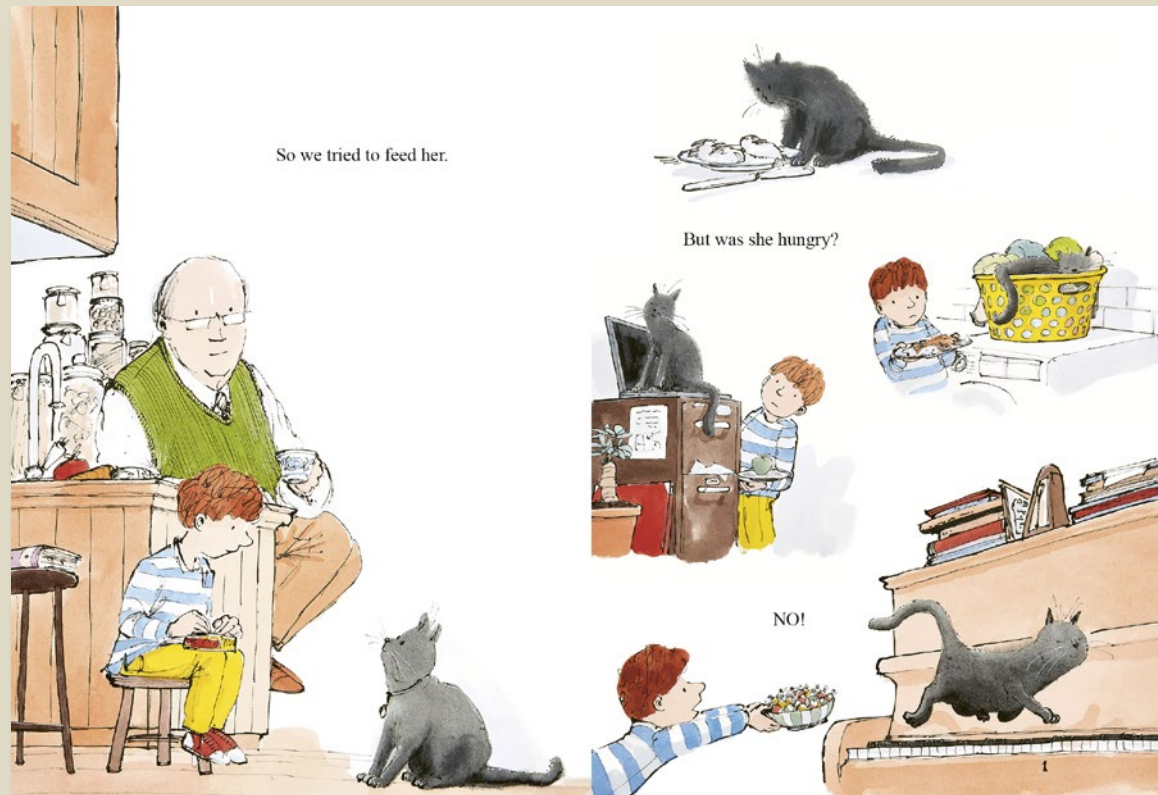
She says, "How will we cook breakfast today?" He says, "Them melons look ripe."

Pub Date	01/03/2016
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781783701872
H x W	247 x 287mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Levi Pinfold
Illustrator	Levi Pinfold
Extent	32pp
Rights Available	World



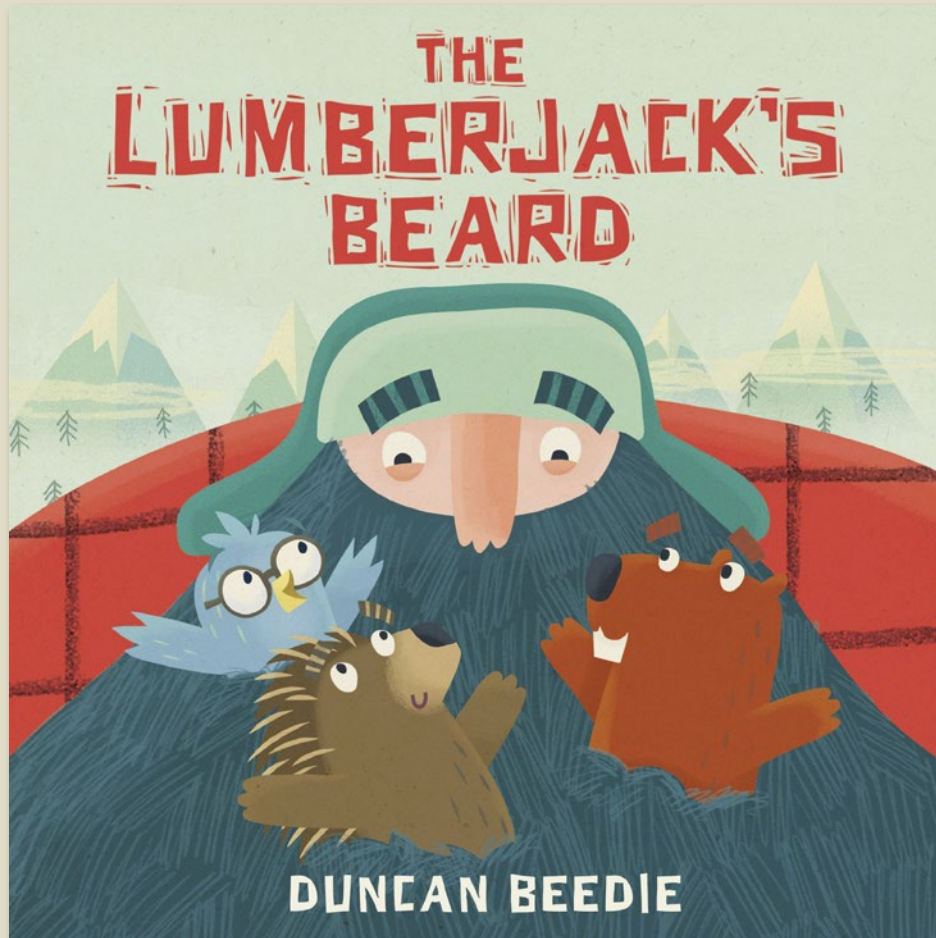
Boy and granddad discover the wonder of the natural world and look after a cat for a friend.

- Sam Usher's Nature quartet has sold over 44,500 copies worldwide. His Seasons quartet has sold over 201,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022).
- In this new series by Sam Usher, Boy and Grandad explore the natural world in a series of encounters with animals
- Usher explores living with nature and learning to enjoy the natural world, but letting it be FREE
- A joyful observation of a boy's special relationship with his grandfather



Pub Date	23/07/2020
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787416857
H x W	300 x 220mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Sam Usher
Illustrator	Sam Usher
Extent	40pp
Word Count	300 words
Rights Available	World

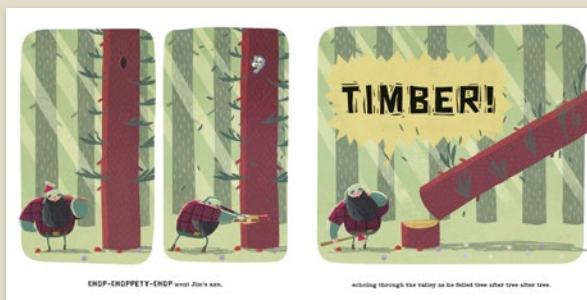
The Lumberjack's Beard



Jim the lumberjack houses creatures in his beard when he chops down their homes - with hilarious consequences

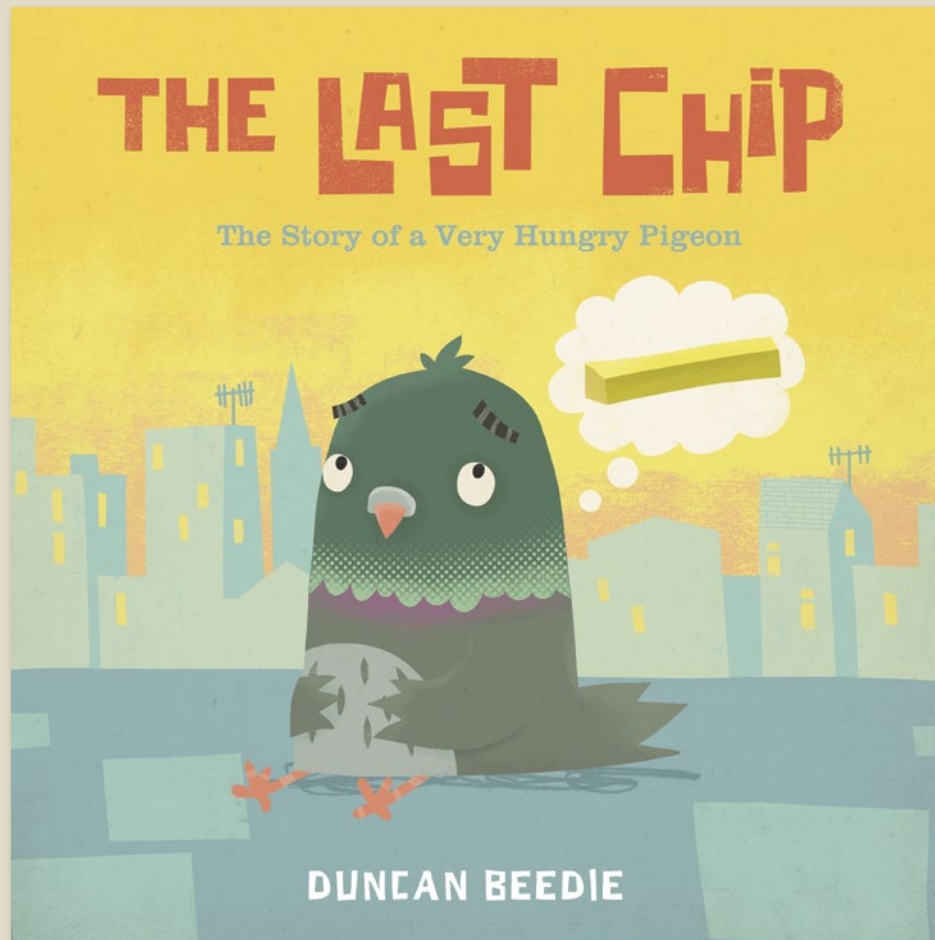
- Over 39,000 copies sold worldwide (as of July 2022)
- Shortlisted for the World Illustration Awards 2017, runner-up for Teach Primary Early Years Fiction Award and 3-star winner for the Early Years Excellence Children's Book Award 2017
- Modern, bold, appealing artwork
- A funny story with an important green message.
- A wonderful text to read aloud, which will appeal to both adults and children

The Lumberjack's Beard



Pub Date	12/01/2017
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781783706884
H x W	260 x 260mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Duncan Beedie
Illustrator	Duncan Beedie
Extent	40pp
Rights Available	World

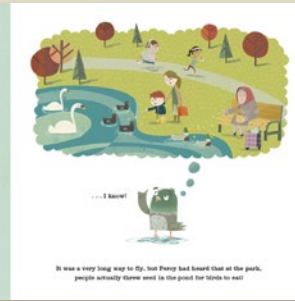
The Last Chip



Percy the little pigeon is hungry. Will he ever get something to eat?

- A thought-provoking picture book from a brilliantly creative and versatile author/illustrator, following on from *The Bear Who Stared* (sold over 40,000 copies worldwide as of July 2022) and *The Lumberjack's Beard* (sold over 39,000 copies worldwide as of July 2022).
- Duncan conveys important messages with humour and lightness of touch. Percy is the perfect little bird to highlight issues of hunger and homelessness
- *The Bear Who Stared* was shortlisted for the Waterstones Children's Book prize 2017 and *The Lumberjack's Beard* was shortlisted for the World Illustration Awards 2017, runner-up for Teach Primary Early Years Fiction Award and 3-star winner for the Early Years Excellence Children's Book Award 2017

The Last Chip



Pub Date	11/01/2018
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781783700622
H x W	260 x 260mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Duncan Beedie
Illustrator	Duncan Beedie
Extent	32pp
Rights Available	World

The Bear Who Stared



Nobody likes being stared at - as Bear soon finds out!

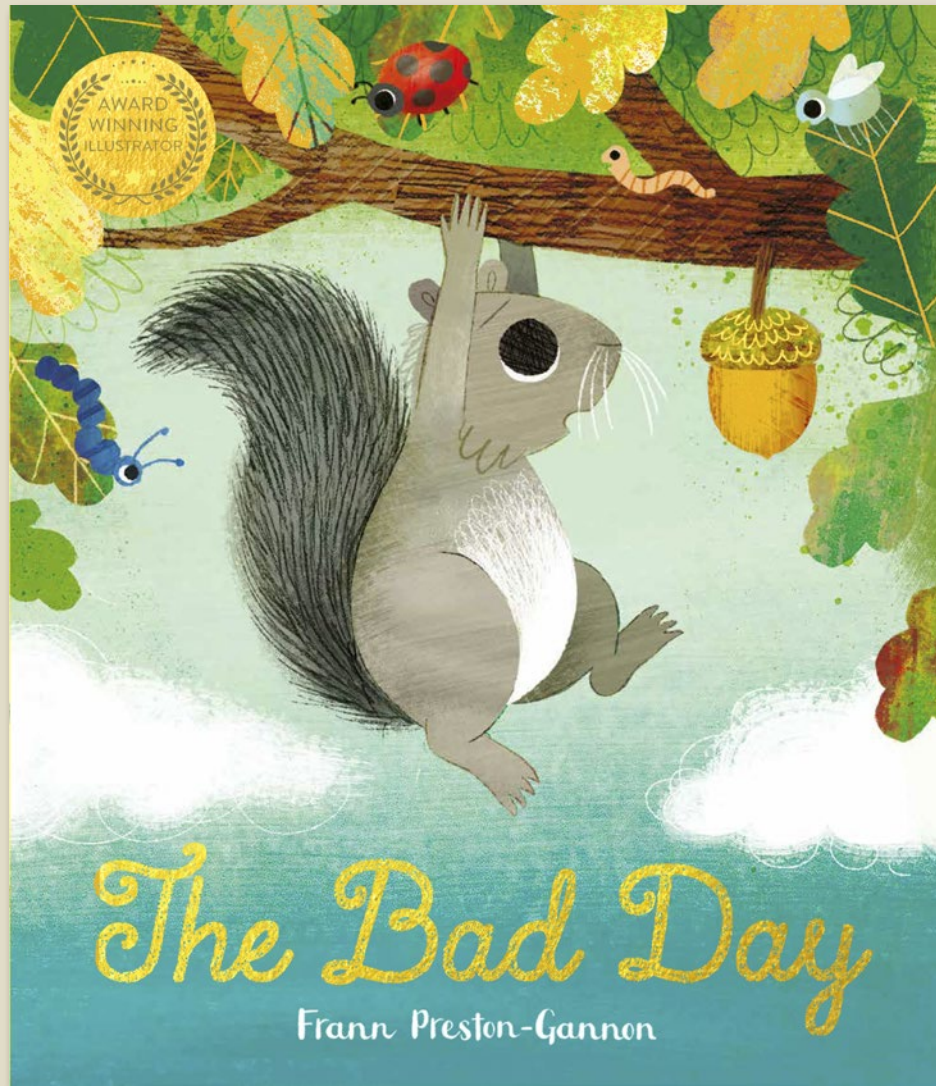
- Appealing bear character who learns an important lesson
- Fresh, charming artwork
- Shortlisted for the Waterstones Children's Book Prize.
- Over 40,000 copies sold worldwide (as of July 2022)

The Bear Who Stared



Pub Date	01/02/2016
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781783703753
H x W	287 x 247mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Duncan Beedie
Illustrator	Duncan Beedie
Extent	40pp
Rights Available	World

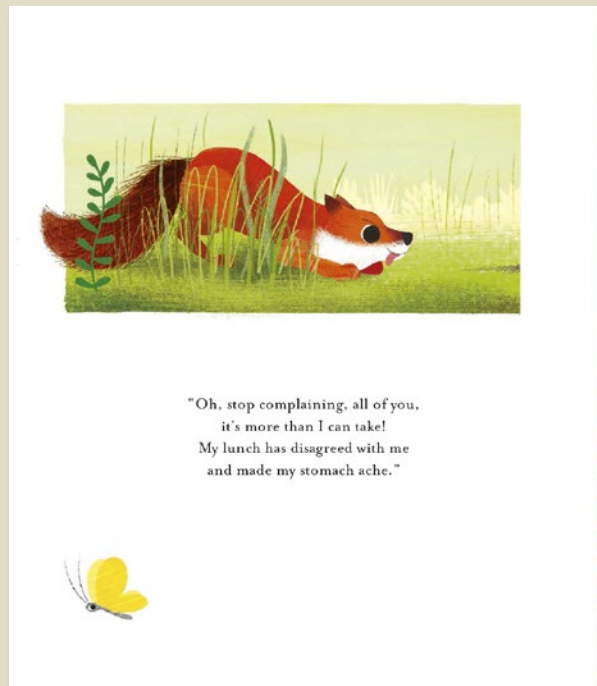
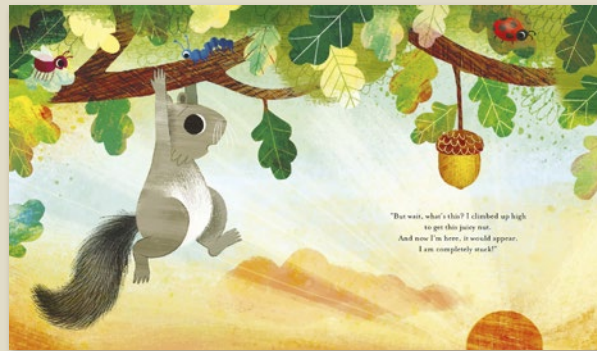
The Bad Day



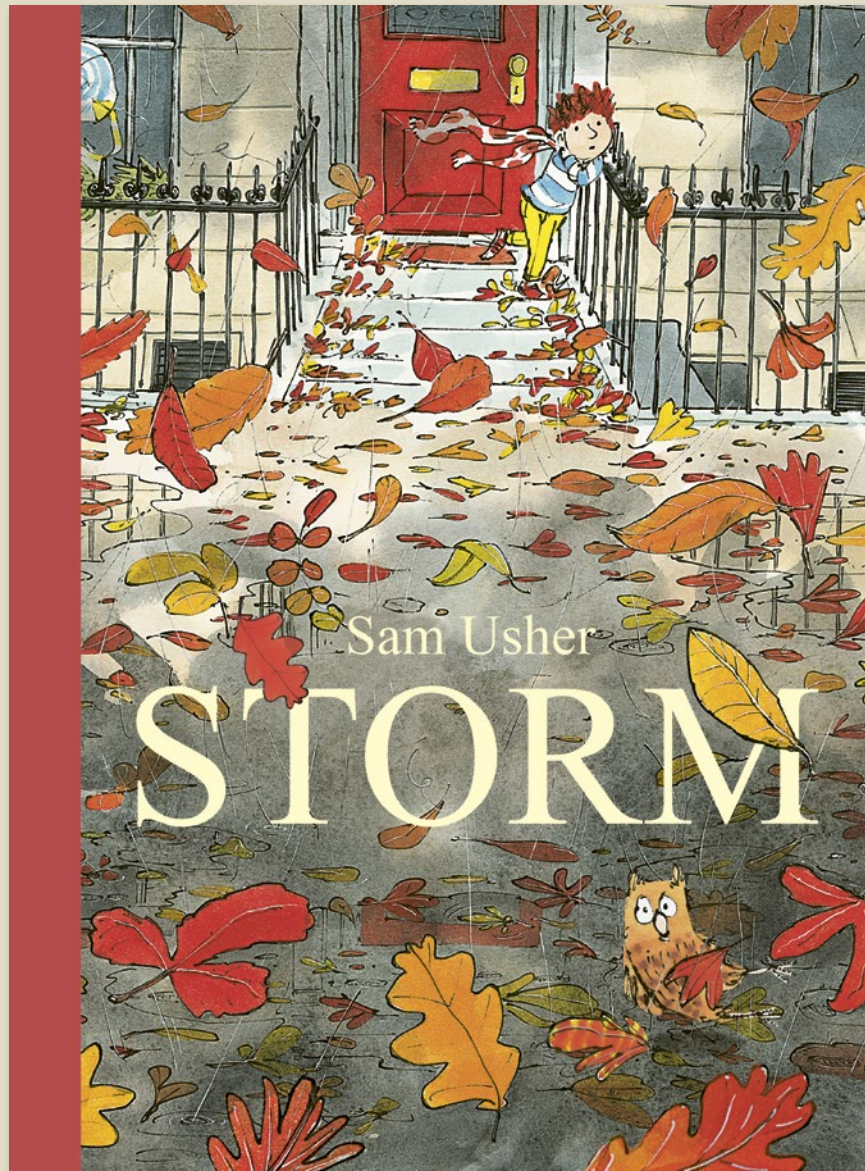
This hilarious story contains a powerful message about working together.

- A new picture book from Frann Preston-Gannon, illustrator of the bestselling *I am the Seed that Grew the Tree* (Nosy Crow) and Templar's *In the Swamp by the Light of the Moon* which has sold over 19,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022).
- Frann Preston-Gannon is a multi-award winning illustrator and author. In 2011 she was the first UK recipient of the Sendak fellowship. Her first picture book, *The Journey Home*, won the 2012 Waterstones Prize and *I am the Seed that Grew the Tree* was the 2019 Waterstones Gift of the Year.
- A light-touch, timely message about the value of collaboration helping those who need it.

The Bad Day



Pub Date	02/04/2020
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787416604
H x W	287 x 247mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Frann Pres- ton-Gannon
Extent	40pp
Word Count	400 words
Rights Available	World

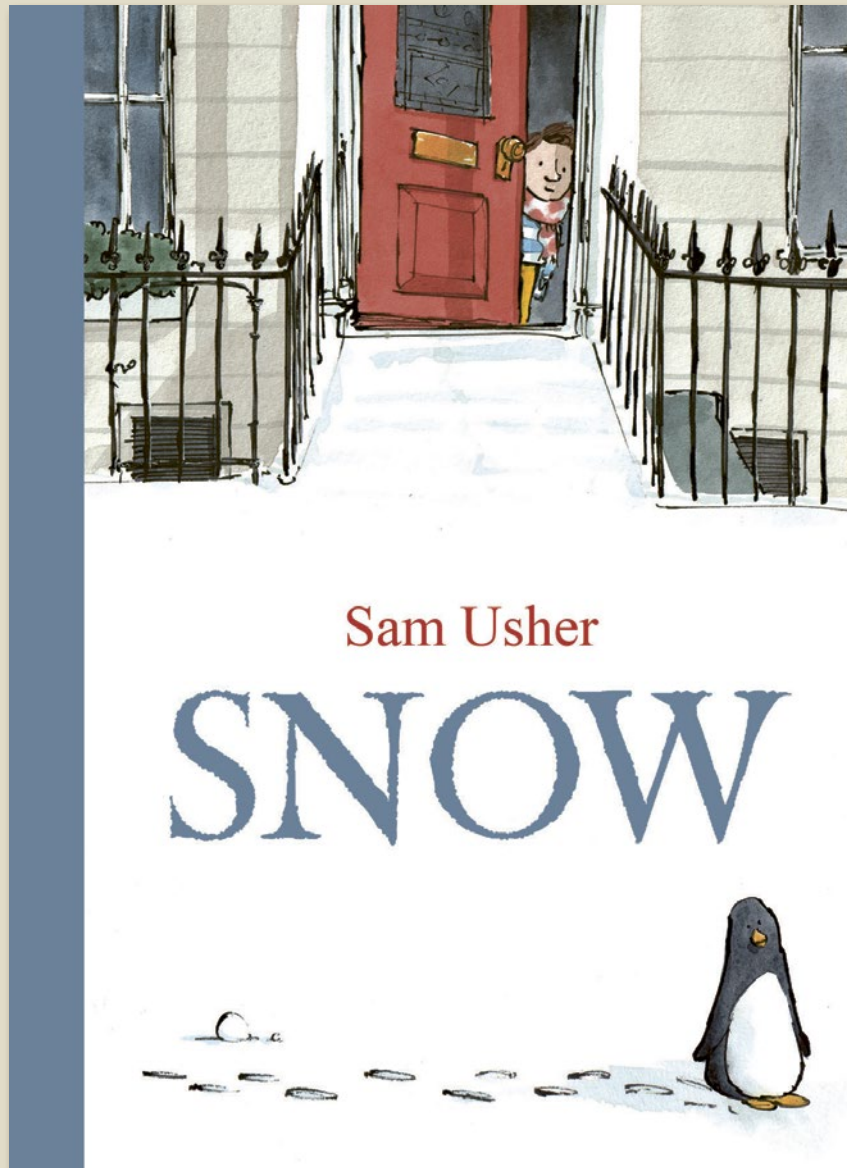


A boy and his granddad set off on a windy kite-flying adventure.

- Combined, the Seasons quartet has sold over 210,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022)
- A joyful observation of a boy's special relationship with his grandfather
- Dramatic illustrations bring a stormy day to life
- With embossing and spot-UV on cover
- The full Seasons quartet contains *Rain*, *Snow*, *Sun* and *Storm*.

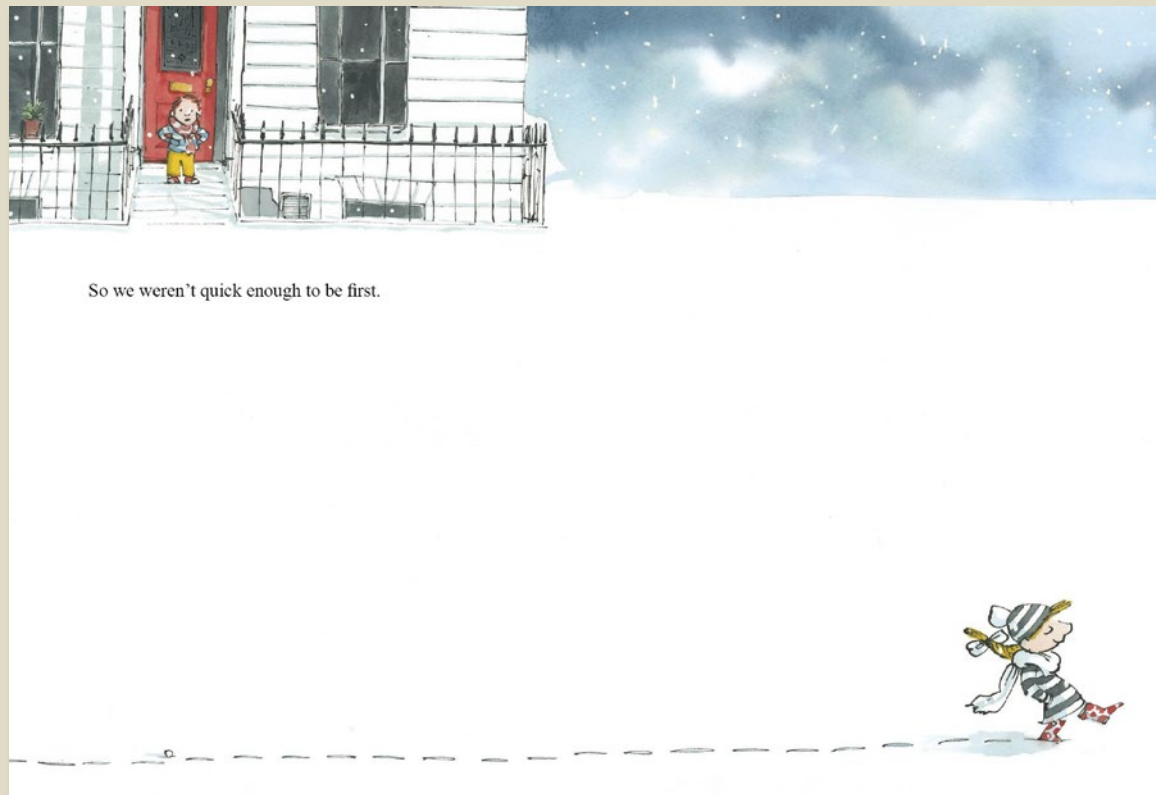
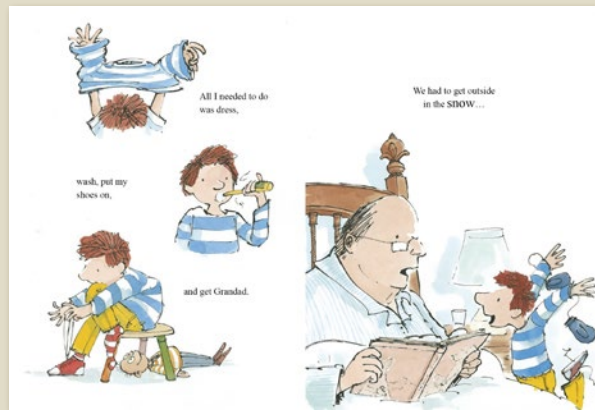


Pub Date	06/09/2018
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787412422
H x W	300 x 220mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Sam Usher
Illustrator	Sam Usher
Extent	40pp
Word Count	300 words
Rights Available	World



Join one boy (and his Granddad) off to enjoy their snow day in the park!

- Combined, the Seasons quartet has sold over 210,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022)
- A celebration of the special bond between children and their grandparents
- Sam Usher's gloriously funny illustrations bring the fun of snow day to life
- Children will immediately identify with the impatience to be out in the snow
- Beautiful debossed cover begs to be picked up and enjoyed
- The full Seasons quartet contains *Rain*, *Snow*, *Sun* and *Storm*.



Pub Date	01/10/2014
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781783700738
H x W	300 x 220mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Sam Usher
Illustrator	Sam Usher
Extent	40pp
Rights Available	World

Oof Makes an Ouch



A funny and poignant tale about friendship, forgiveness and the importance of communication.

- Fifth thought-provoking picture book from a brilliantly creative and versatile author/illustrator, following on from *The Bear Who Stared*, *The Lumberjack's Beard*, *The Last Chip* and *Molly's Moon Mission*.
- *The Bear Who Stared* was shortlisted for the Waterstone's prize 2017 and *The Lumberjack's Beard* was shortlisted for the World Illustration Awards 2017, runner-up for Teach Primary Early Years Fiction Award and 3-star winner for the Early Years Excellence Children's Book Award 2017
- A celebration of the importance of friendship - and communication!
- Cover treatment: Matt lam and foil

Oof Makes an Ouch



Pub Date	06/08/2020
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787416819
H x W	287 x 247mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Duncan Beedie
Illustrator	Duncan Beedie
Extent	40pp
Word Count	400 words
Rights Available	World

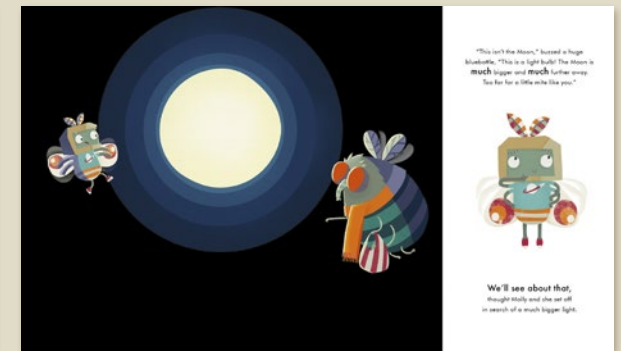
Molly's Moon Mission



**A hilarious story of
mothly endeavour
that celebrates the
spirit of adventure.**

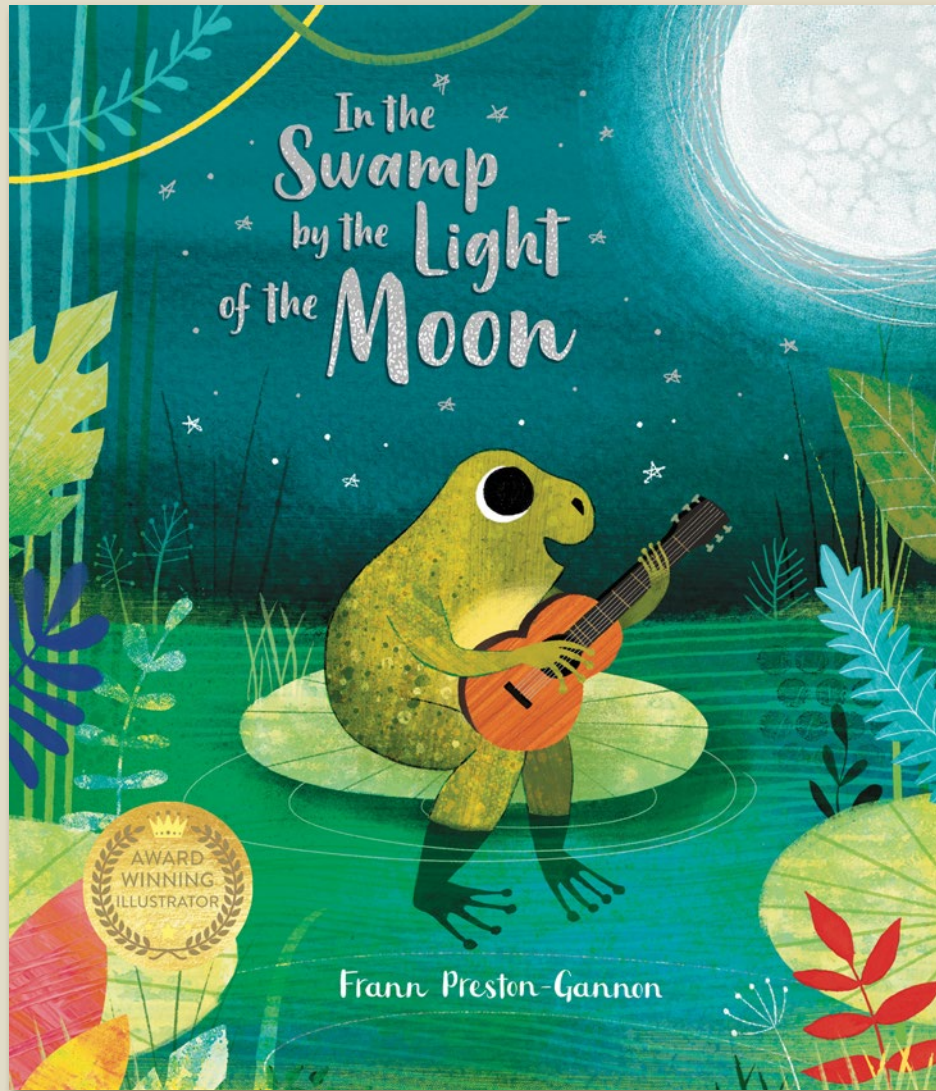
- Fourth thought-provoking picture book from a brilliantly creative and versatile author/illustrator, following on from *The Bear Who Stared*, *The Lumberjack's Beard* and *The Last Chip*
- *The Bear Who Stared* was shortlisted for the Waterstone's prize 2017 and *The Lumberjack's Beard* was shortlisted for the World Illustration Awards 2017, runner-up for Teach Primary Early Years Fiction Award and 3-star winner for the Early Years Excellence Children's Book Award 2017
- Featuring a funny and feisty female lead on a quest for adventure.
- Cover treatment: Matt lam and foil

Molly's Moon Mission



Pub Date	07/02/2019
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787413405
H x W	287 x 247mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Duncan Beedie
Illustrator	Duncan Beedie
Extent	40pp
Rights Available	World

In the Swamp by the Light of the Moon



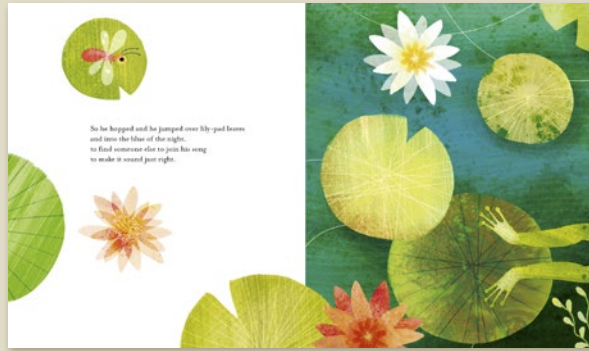
A lyrical picture book from the bestselling illustrator of *I am the Seed that Grew the Tree*.

- A lyrical read-aloud text and illustrations with atmospheric colours and loveable characters. A perfect bed-time book
- An inclusive message of the importance of listening to small voices
- Frann Preston-Gannon is a Greenaway nominated illustrator and recipient of the Sendak fellowship and illustrator of *I Am the Seed That Grew the Tree: A Nature Poem for Every Day of the Year* that has TCM sales 27,000.
- Cover treatment: Matt lam and foil
- Sold over 19,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022) and winner of Bank Street College of Education's 2020 Best Children's Book of the Year.

In the Swamp by the Light of the Moon



But all by himself his voice was so quiet
so he croaked and he let out a sigh,
"Hopping alone is not much fun,
what a lonely wee froggy am I."



So he hopped and he jumped over lily-pod leaves
and into the blue of the night,
to find someone else to join his song
to make it sound just right.



He found a friendly crocodile,
who was drumming and humming in time.
"My friend," he called, "will you sing with me?
Will you add your song to mine?"

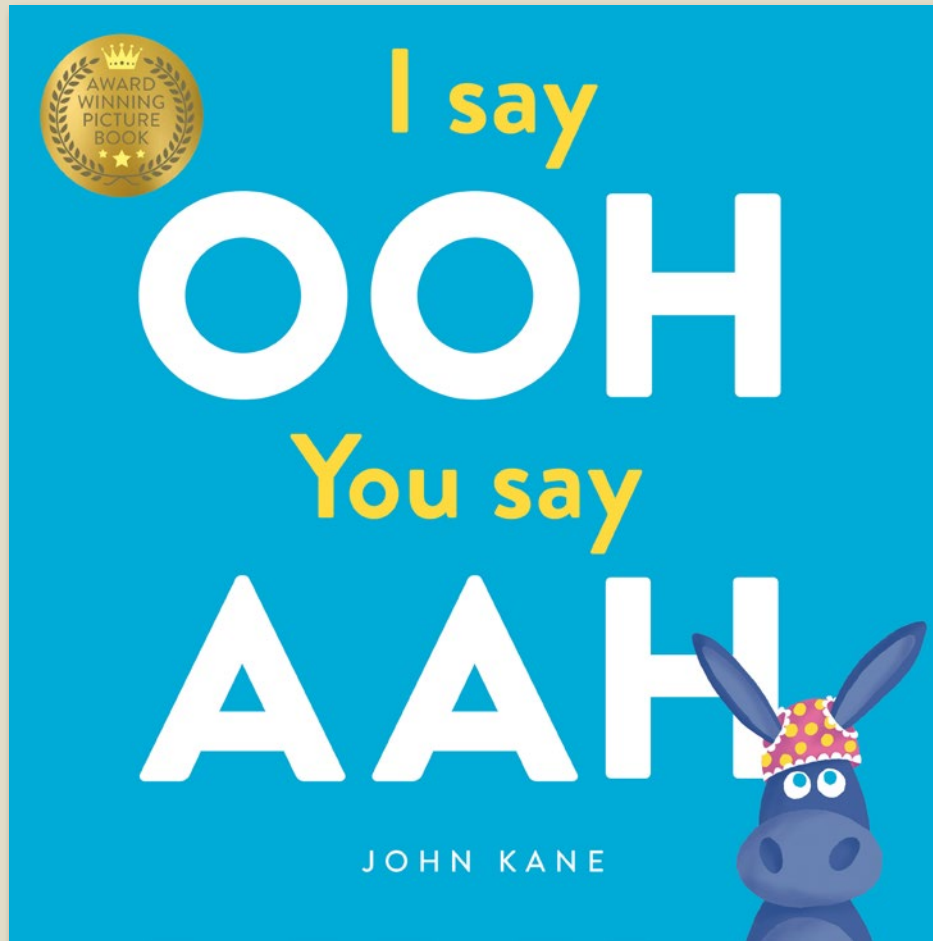
So the crocodile hummed
and beat his drum,
while the little frog sang his tune.

But something was wrong
as they both sang along
in the **swamp**
by the light of the
moon.



Pub Date	07/03/2019
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787413863
H x W	287 x 247mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Frann Pres- ton-Gannon
Illustrator	Frann PrestonGannon
Extent	40pp
Word Count	500 words
Rights Available	World

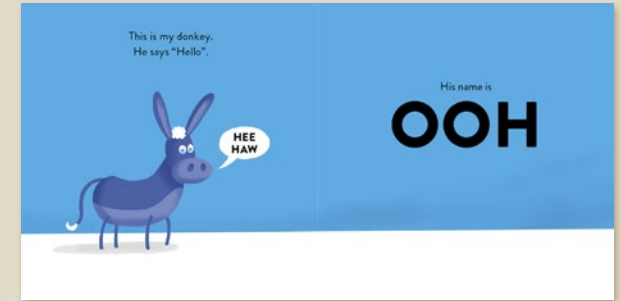
I say Ooh You say Aah



A madcap call-and-response picture book. This is interactive storytelling at its best.

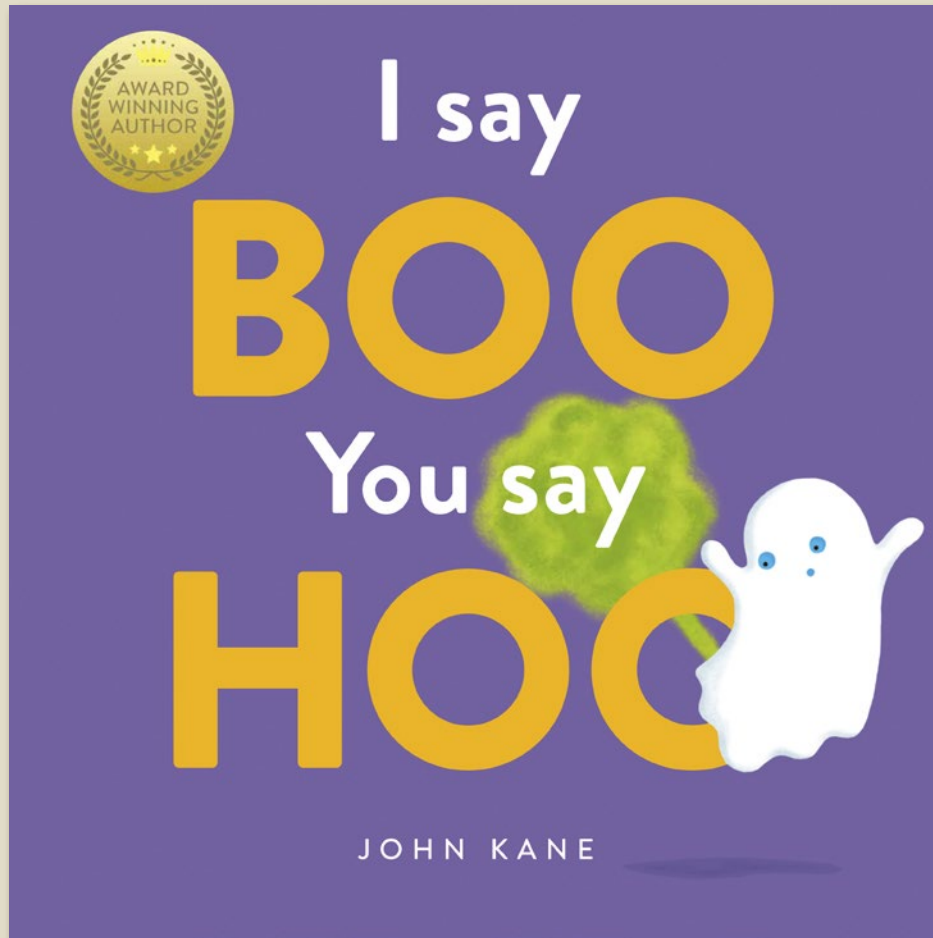
- Over 162,000 copies sold worldwide (as of July 2022)
- Winner of the English Association 4-11 picture book awards and the EOCT/SLS picture book awards.
- An interactive picture book. Children are invited to respond to contribute to the story with image-cure actions.
- Innovative storytelling: *The Book With No Pictures* meets *Aliens Love Underpants*
- Packed with humour to appeal to young readers, this is perfect for sharing with one child or a group

I say Ooh You say Aah



Pub Date	08/02/2018
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781783708727
H x W	260 x 260mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	John Kane
Illustrator	John Kane
Extent	48pp
Rights Available	World

I Say Boo, You say Hoo



A gloriously funny call-and-response picture book from the author of *I Say Ooh, You Say Aah!*

- John Kane's first book *I Say Ooh, You Say Aah* has 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 second to none. The humour and energy of these books resonates with young readers who can't get enough of this fun new way to share a book.
- Ideal for sharing with a group or with an individual child.

I Say Boo, You say Hoo



Pub Date	17/09/2020
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787415508
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Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	John Kane
Extent	48pp
Word Count	250 words
Rights Available	World

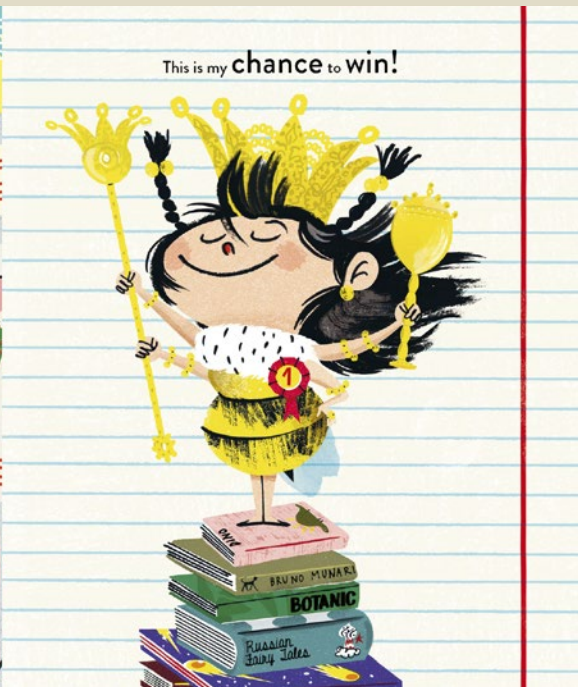
I Really Want to Win



The determined heroine of *I Really want the Cake* learns how to cope with competition.

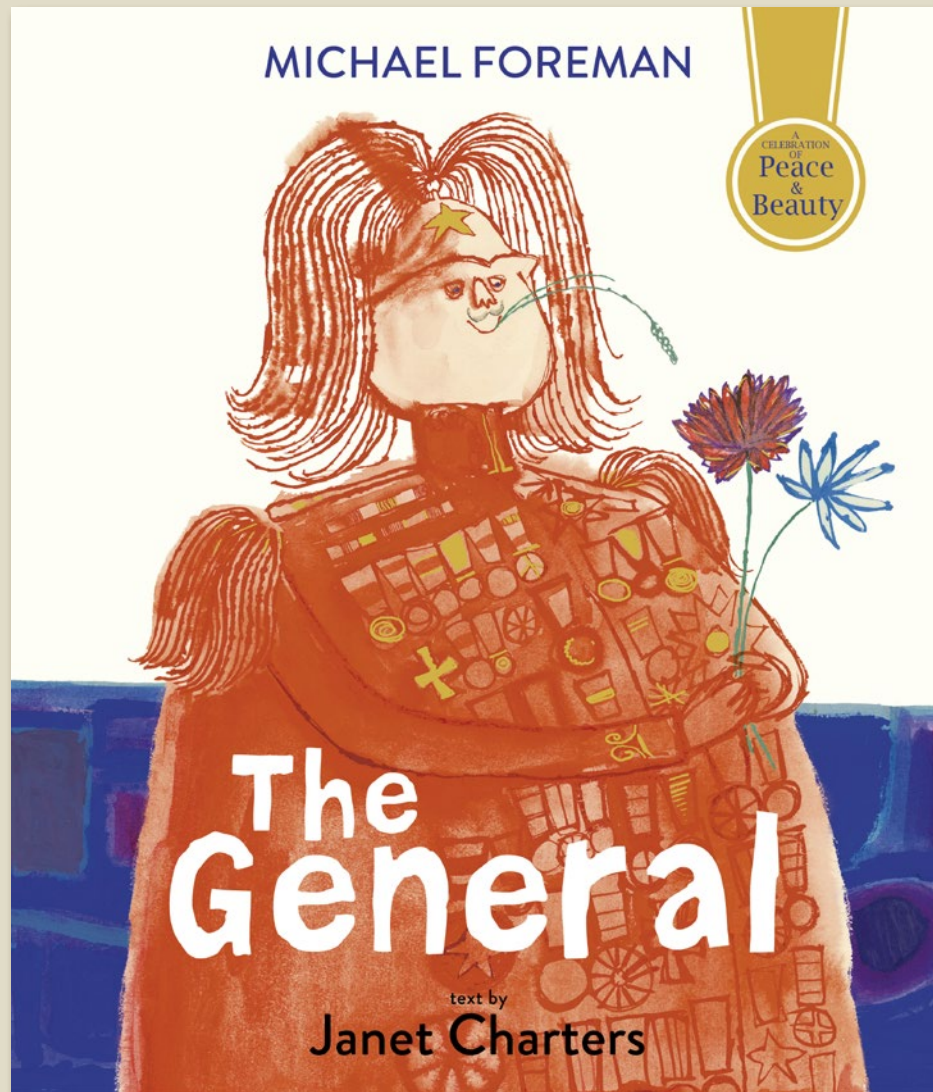
- An important story about competition and how to have a healthy attitude to it.
- Lucia Gaggiotti's expressive artwork combined with Simon Philip's galloping rhyming text combine to make the perfect comic picture book - with a serious message at its heart.
- The *I Really Want...* series has sold a combined total of over 100,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022)
- *I Really Want the Cake* was shortlisted for the Waterstones Prize.
- Simon Philip's first book *You Must Bring a Hat* (Simon and Schuster) was Sainsbury's Children's Book of the Year in 2016.

I Really Want to Win



Pub Date	13/06/2019
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787414112
H x W	265 x 228mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Simon Philip
Illustrator	Lucia Gaggiotti
Extent	40pp
Word Count	700 words
Rights Available	World

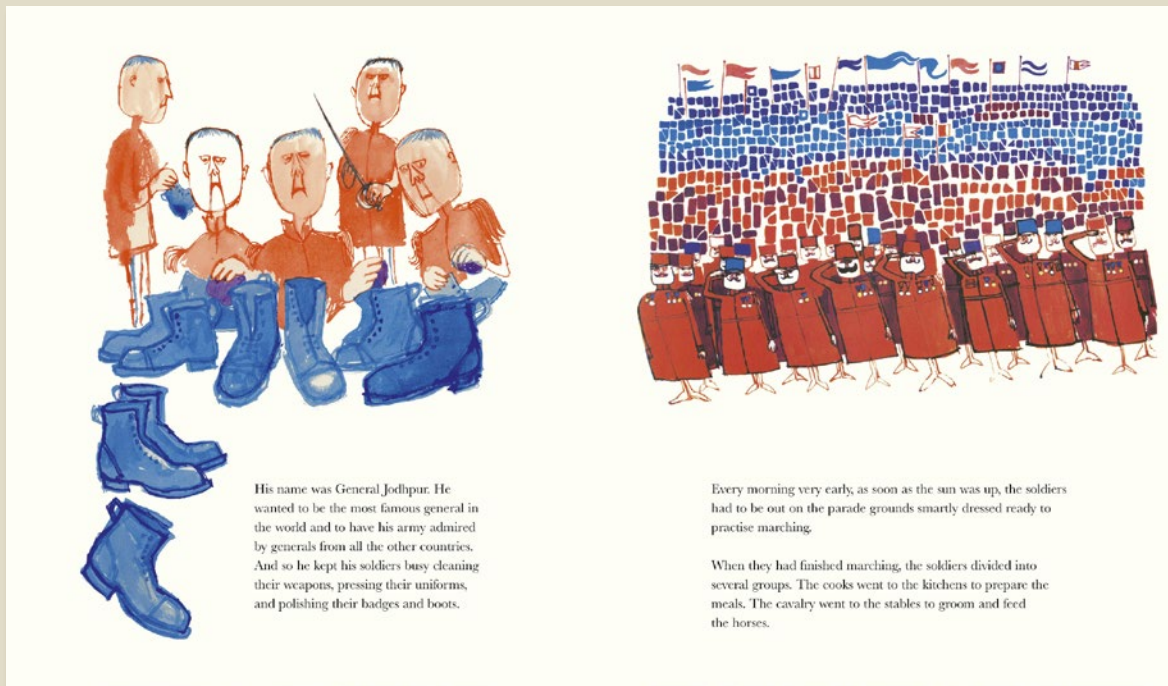
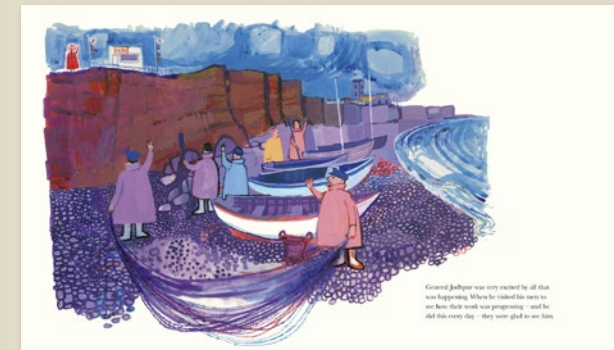
The General



Michael Foreman's debut picture book, first published in 1961, is reproduced in all its glory.

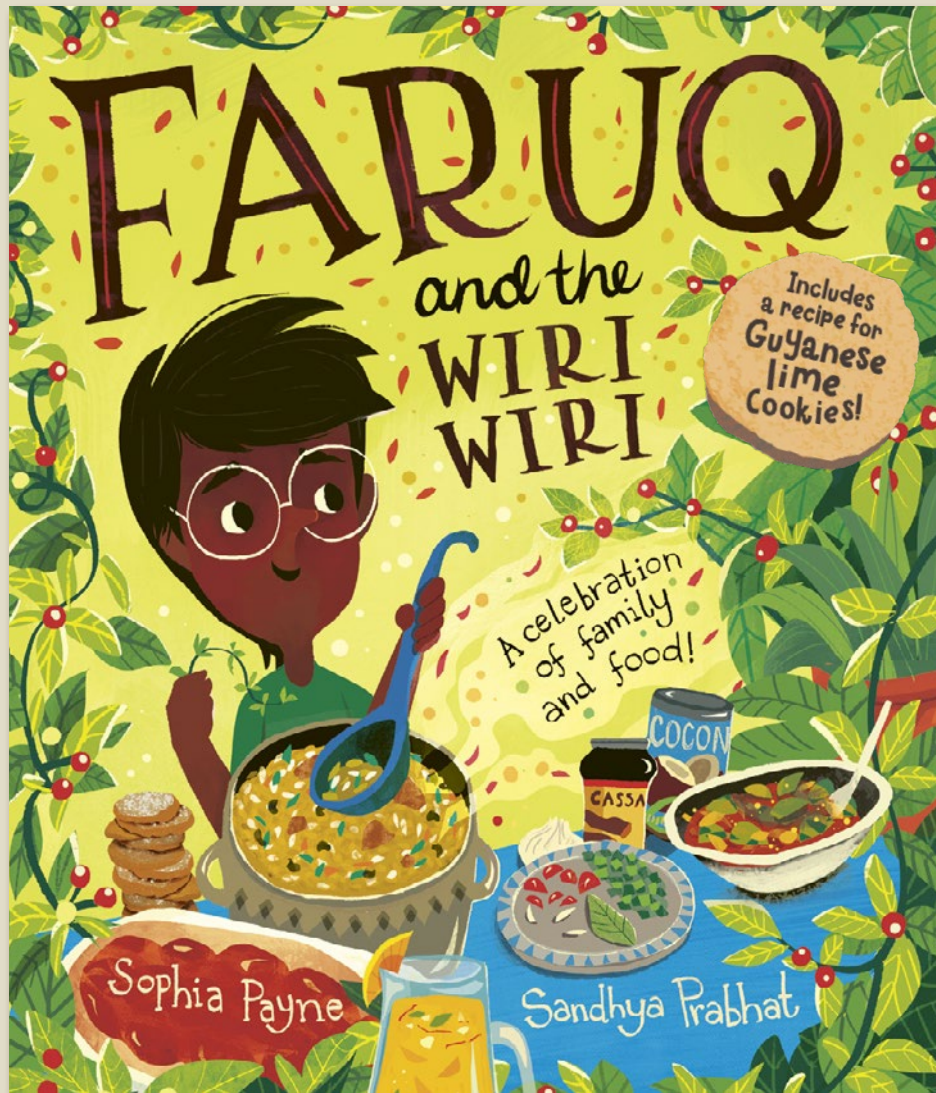
- Over 60 years since its first publication, this story about a tyrannical ruler who finds beauty in peace and manages to convince other world leaders to put down their guns and smell the flowers is as relevant now as it was then.
- The first book ever illustrated by the exceptional Michael Foreman OBE, one of the UK's best-loved and most prolific creators in children's books.
- Beautifully restored and reproduced, a children's book classic which will be treasured for generations to come.

The General



Pub Date	02/02/2023
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781848771604
H x W	265 x 228mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Michael Foreman
Extent	48pp
Word Count	1971 words
Rights Available	World

Faruq and the Wiri Wiri



A Caribbean celebration of family and food - with a spicy twist!

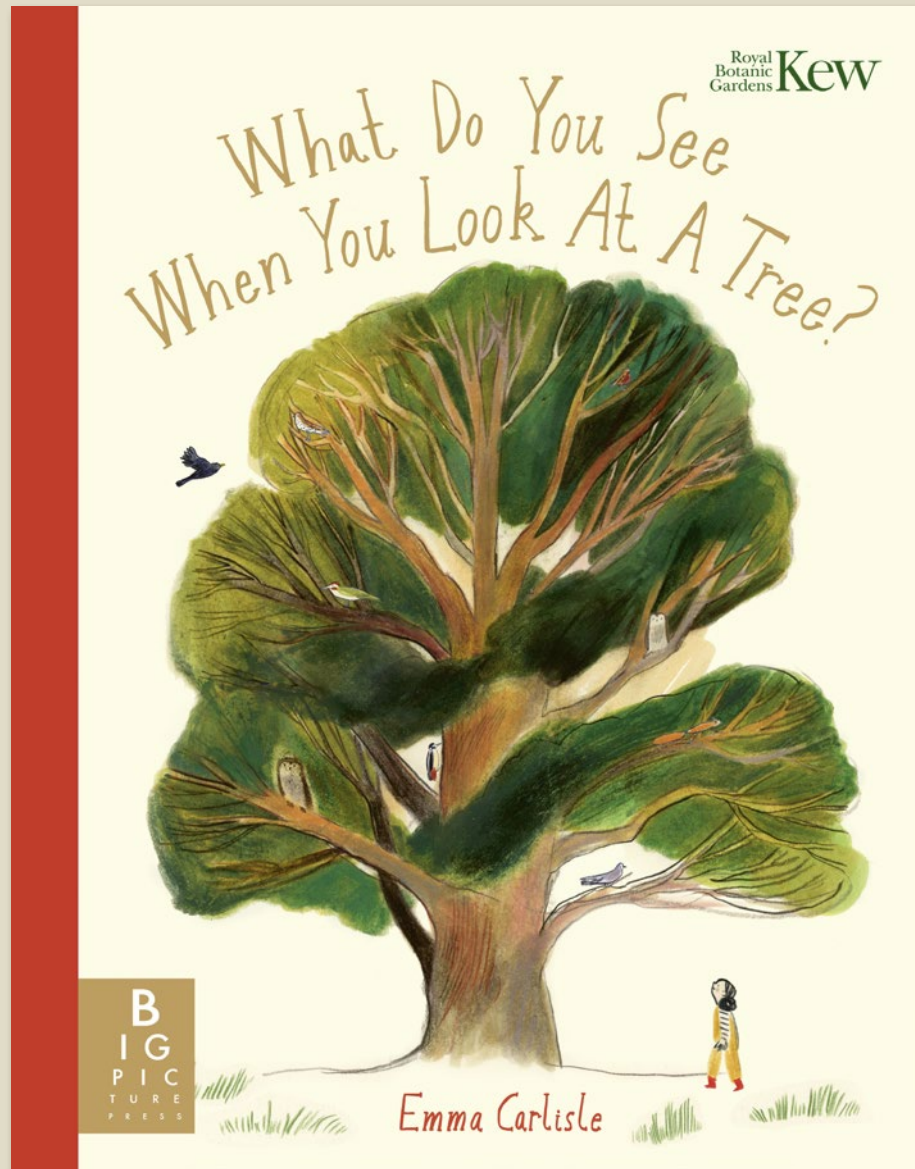
- A family-centred story that celebrates Caribbean culture and food by author Sophia Payne, whose distinct voice reflects her Indo-Guyanese heritage
- A picture book that challenges gender roles around cooking
- Stunning artwork from Sandhya Prabhat, an Indian illustrator based in California
- Includes a recipe for Guyanese Lime cookies!

Faruq and the Wiri Wiri



Pub Date	16/03/2023
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800782624
H x W	265 x 228mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Sophia Payne
Illustrator	Sandhya Prabhat
Extent	40pp
Word Count	1300 words
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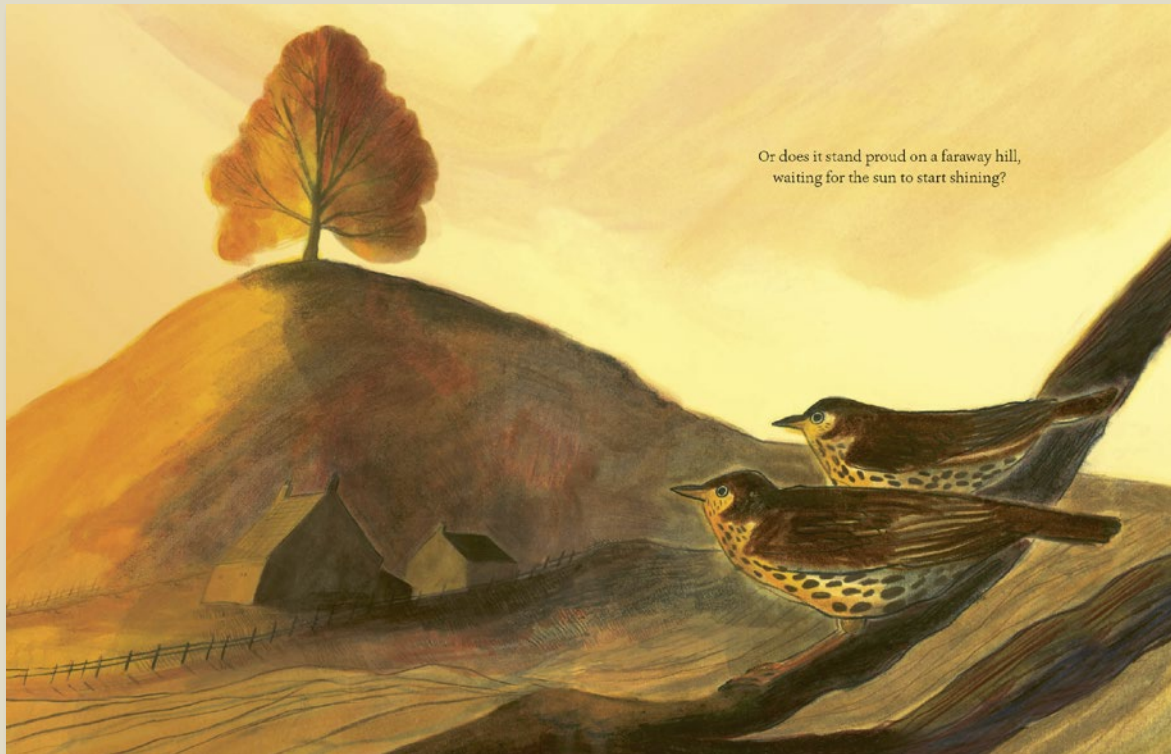
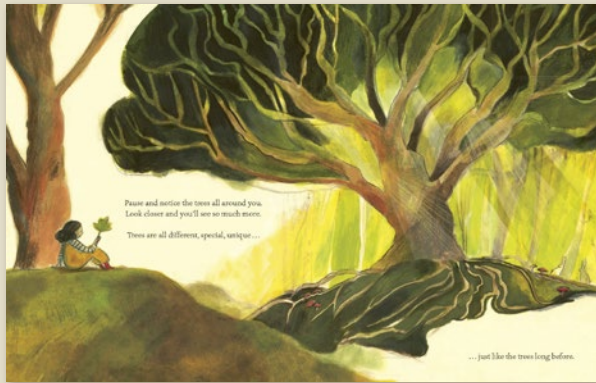
What Do You See When You Look At a Tree?



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

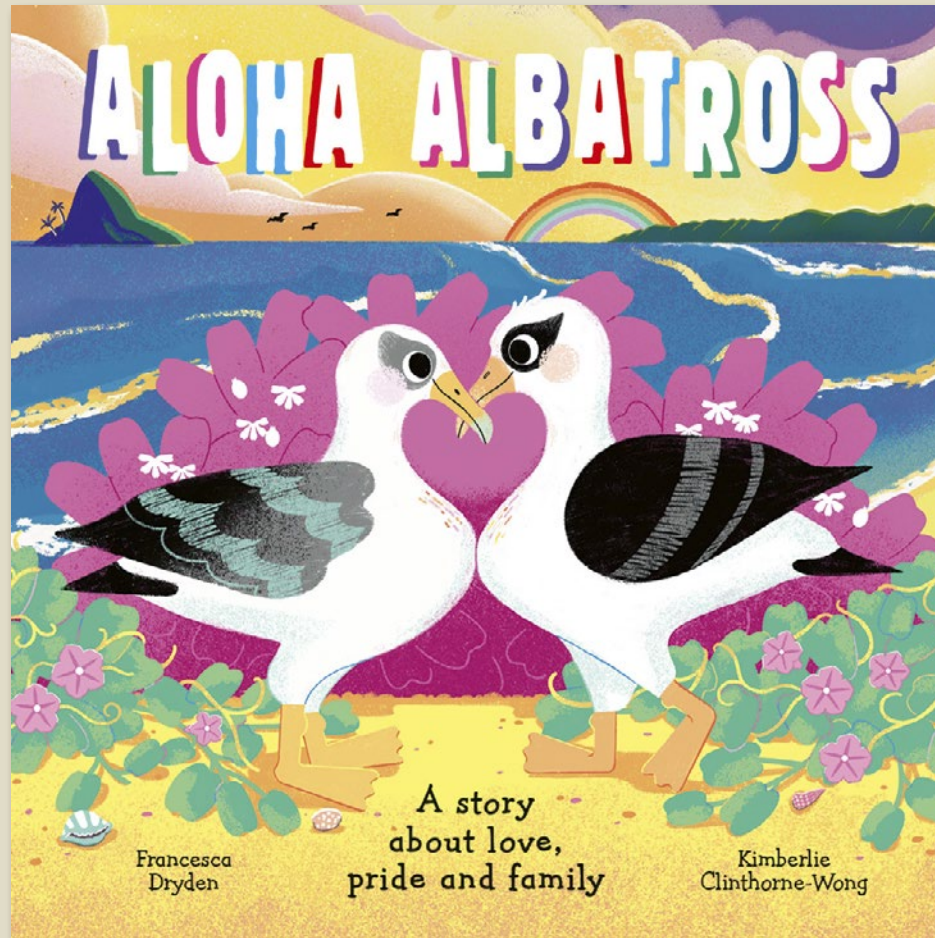
- Now available in beautiful paperback - with printed interior cover, flaps and 100% foil.
- In association with the Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew
- Critically acclaimed picture book by Greenaway and Flugge-nominated artist, Emma Carlisle

What Do You See When You Look At a Tree?



Pub Date	19/01/2023
Pub Price	£8.99
ISBN	9781800784383
H x W	300 x 235mm
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Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Emma Carlisle
Illustrator	Emma Carlisle
Extent	40pp
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Rights Available	World

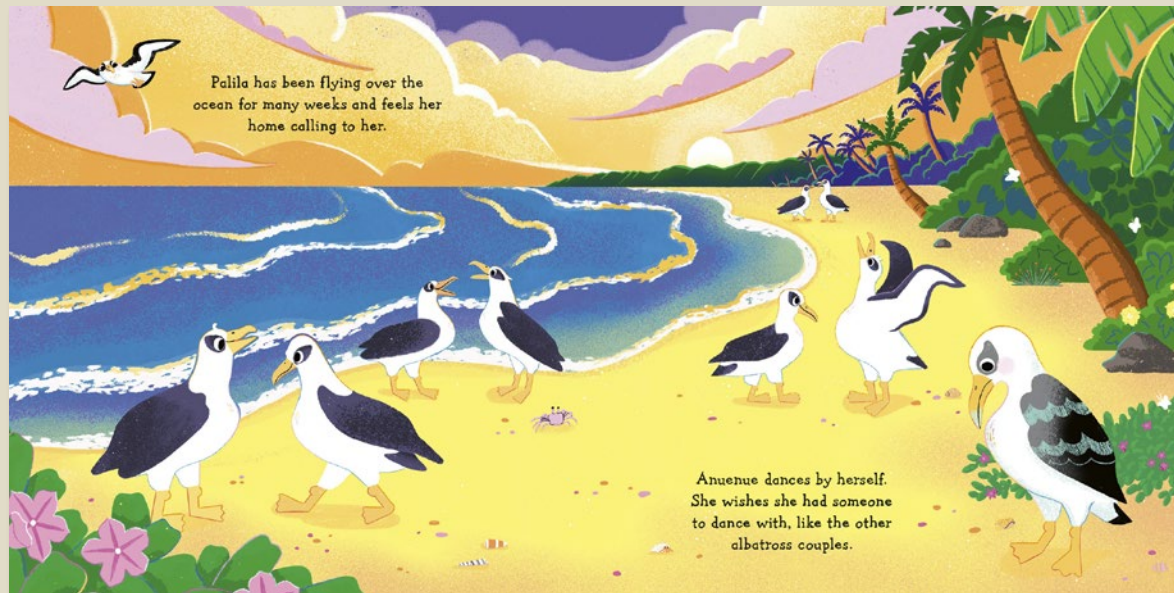
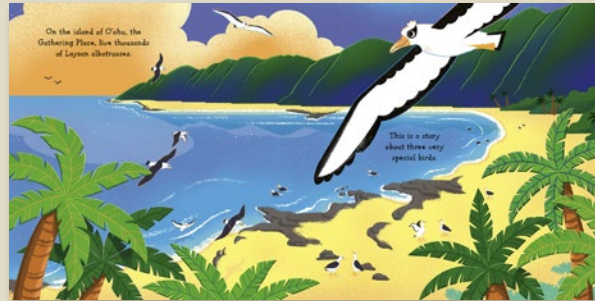
Aloha Albatross



A beautifully illustrated LGBTQ+ picture book celebrating the relationship between two female albatrosses.

- Lyrical text accompanied by artwork set against the dramatic backdrop of O’ahu, Hawaii.
- Based on the scientific observations of the Laysan Albatrosses of O’ahu, where up to 31% of pairs are female-female.
- Includes an information page by Dr Lindsay Young, a Wildlife Biologist who led the research into the Laysan Albatrosses.
- A celebration of same-sex parents and true love, this proud picture book publishes ahead of Pride Month (June 2023).

Aloha Albatross



Pub Date	25/05/2023
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800783768
H x W	250 x 250mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Francesca Dryden
Illustrator	Kimberlie ClinthorneWong
Extent	32pp
Word Count	650 words
Rights Available	World

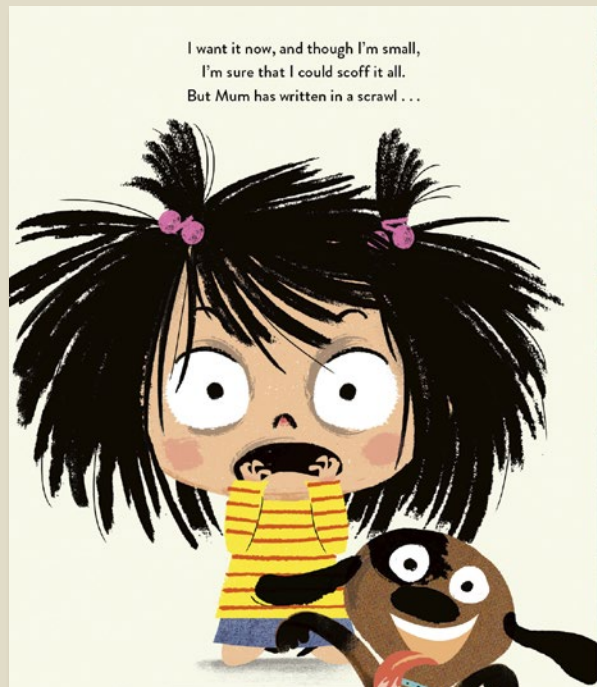
I Really Want the Cake



In this energetic picture book, a little girl tries to resist an amazing cake.

- A humorous rhyming story from picture book author, Simon Philip
- Delightful illustrations from Lucia Gaggiotti create a wonderfully mischievous book
- The *I Really Want...* series has sold a combined total of over 100,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022)
- Shortlisted for the Waterstones Prize.

I Really Want the Cake



Pub Date	10/08/2017
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781783708017
H x W	265 x 228mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Simon Philip
Illustrator	Lucia Gaggiotti
Extent	40pp
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Rights Available	World

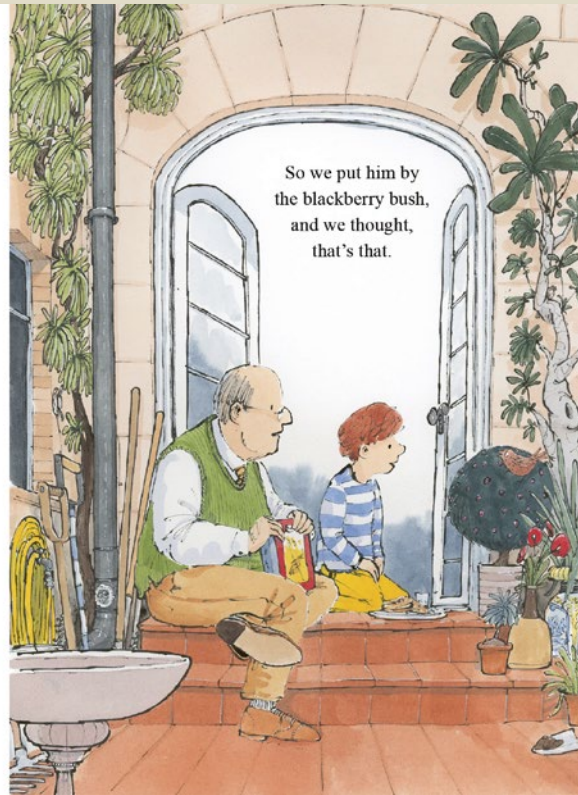
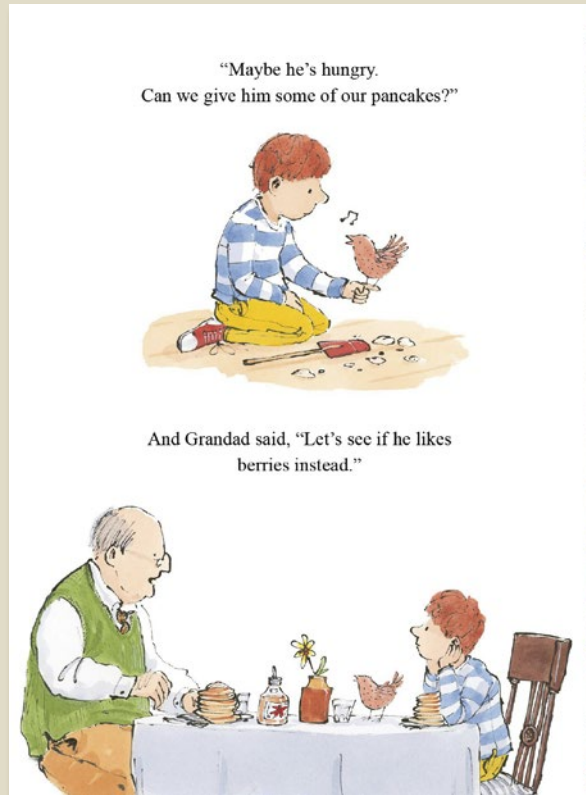
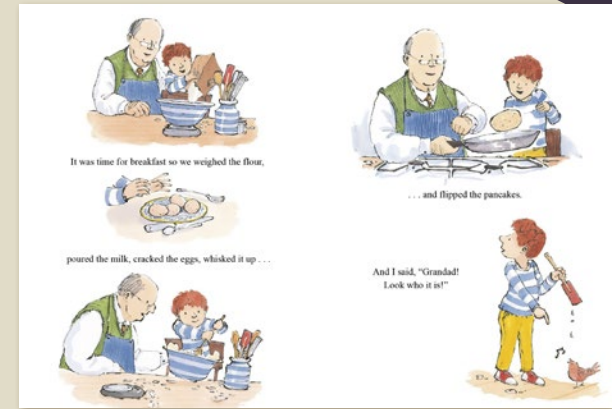
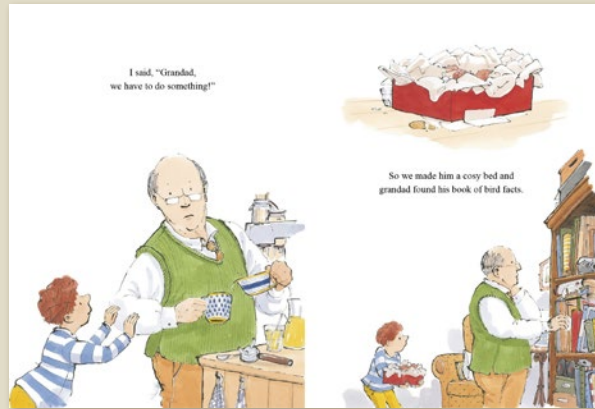
FREE



Boy and granddad discover the wonder of the natural world and take care of a little bird.

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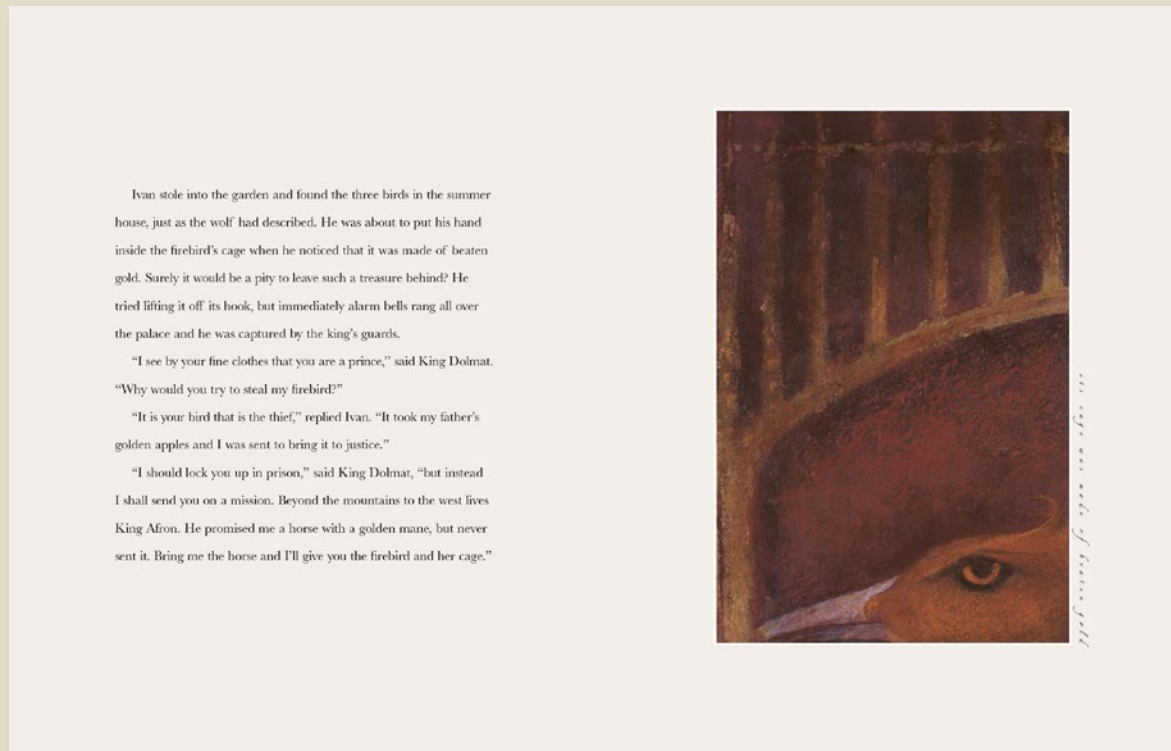
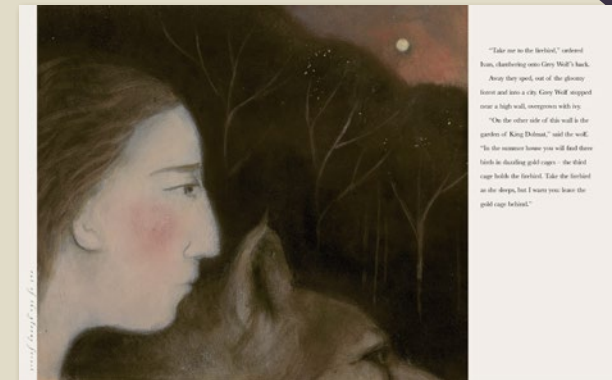
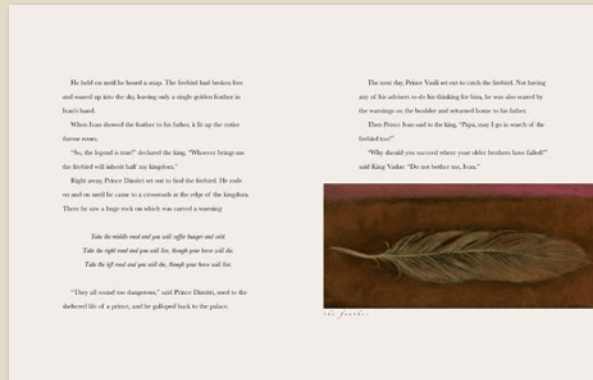


Pub Date	05/09/2019
Pub Price	£7.99
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Age Range	0-5 years
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Illustrator	Sam Usher
Extent	40pp
Word Count	300 words
Rights Available	World

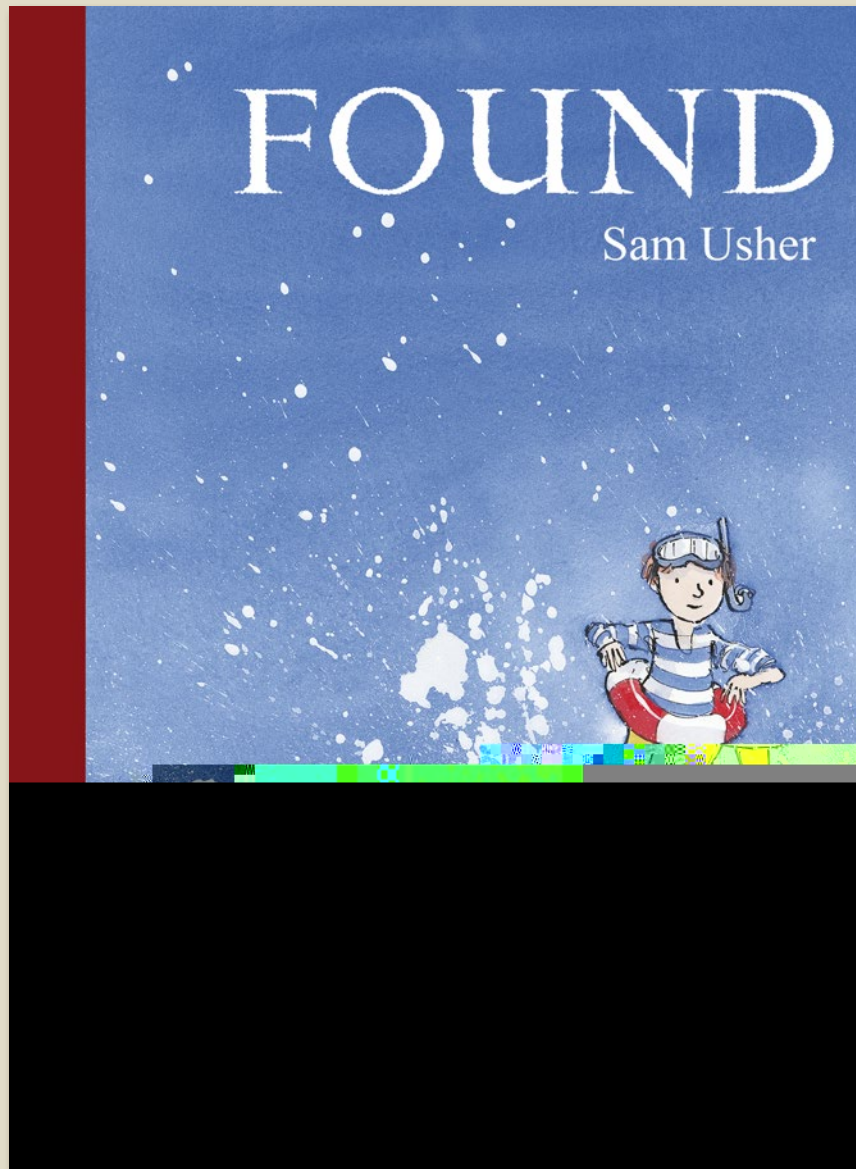


Retelling of a classic folktale that will fascinate young readers!

- Artist has illustrated the work of Poet Laureate Carol Ann Duffy
- Longlisted for Kate Greenaway Medal
- Winner of Aesop Accolade and Oppenheimer Toy Portfolio Award
- Spellbinding folktale, retold by a world class author with incredible painting illustrations.
- Gold foil cover and foiled firebird inside

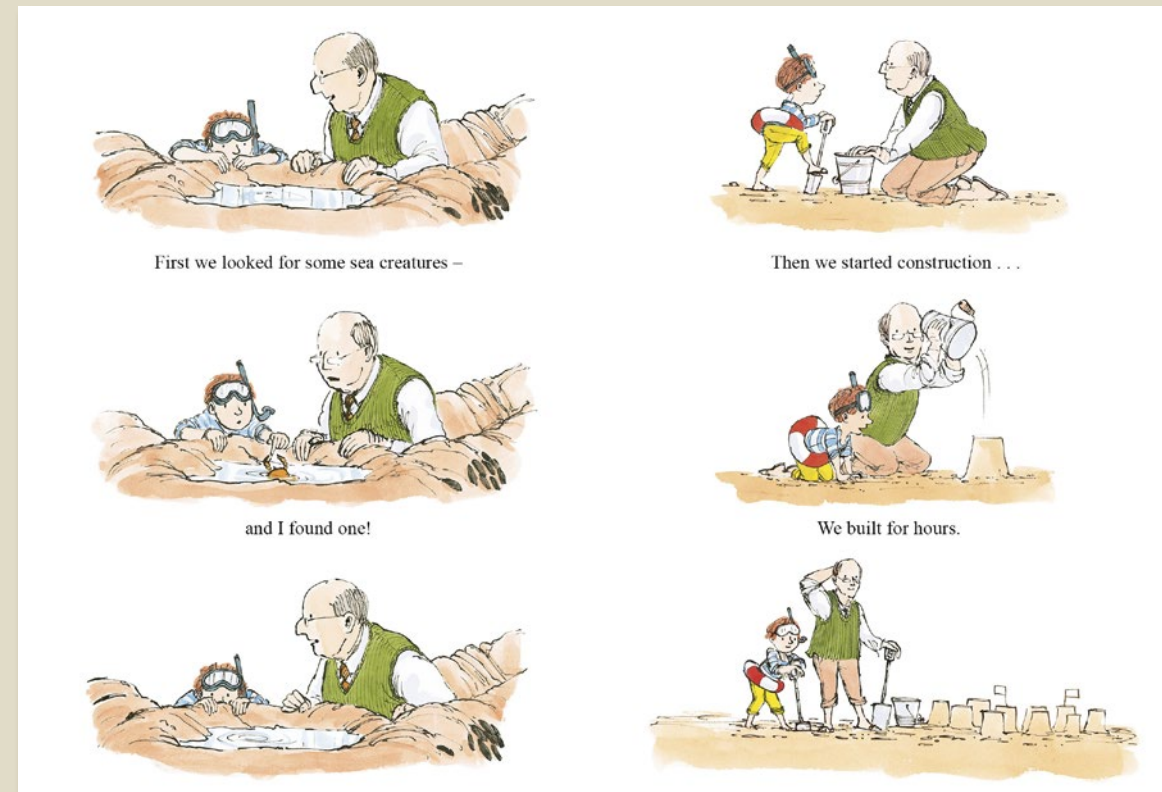
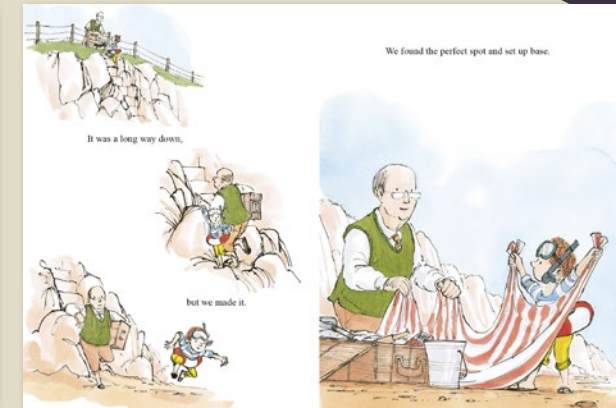
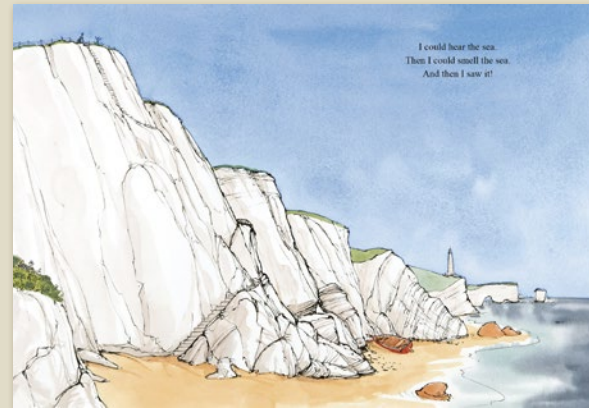


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Illustrator	Catherine Hyde
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Rights Available	United Kingdom



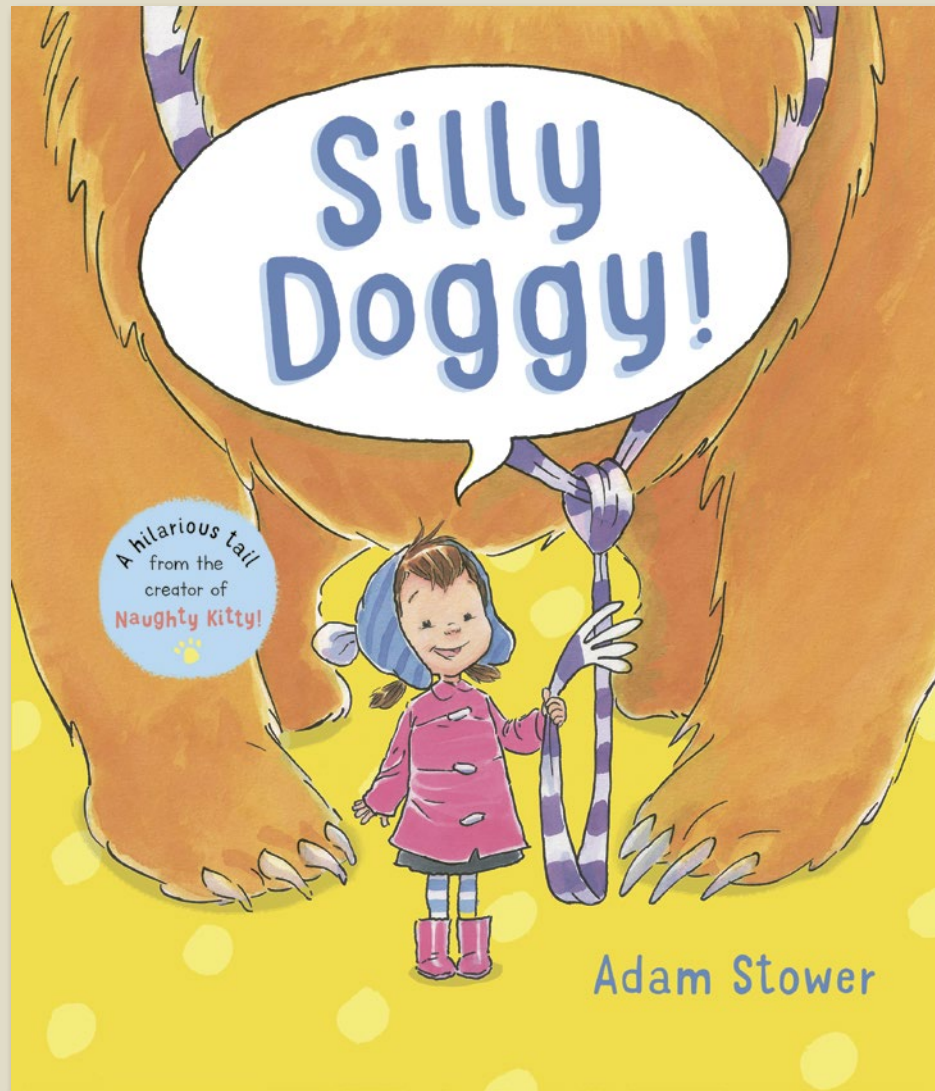
Boy and granddad discover the wonder of the natural world as they help to free a baby seal.

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- A joyful observation of a boy's special relationship with his grandfather
- Usher explores living with nature and learning to enjoy the natural world



Pub Date	15/09/2022
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800781207
H × W	300 × 220mm
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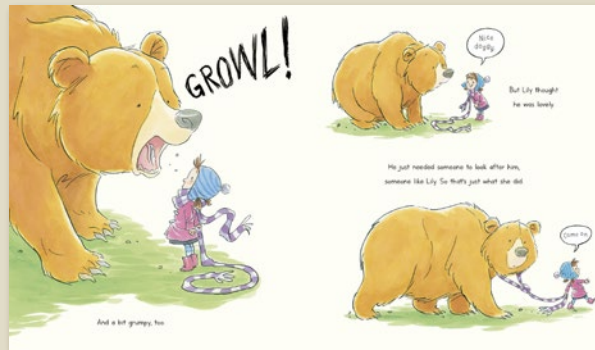
Silly Doggy!



A hilarious tale of mistaken identity and furry fun!

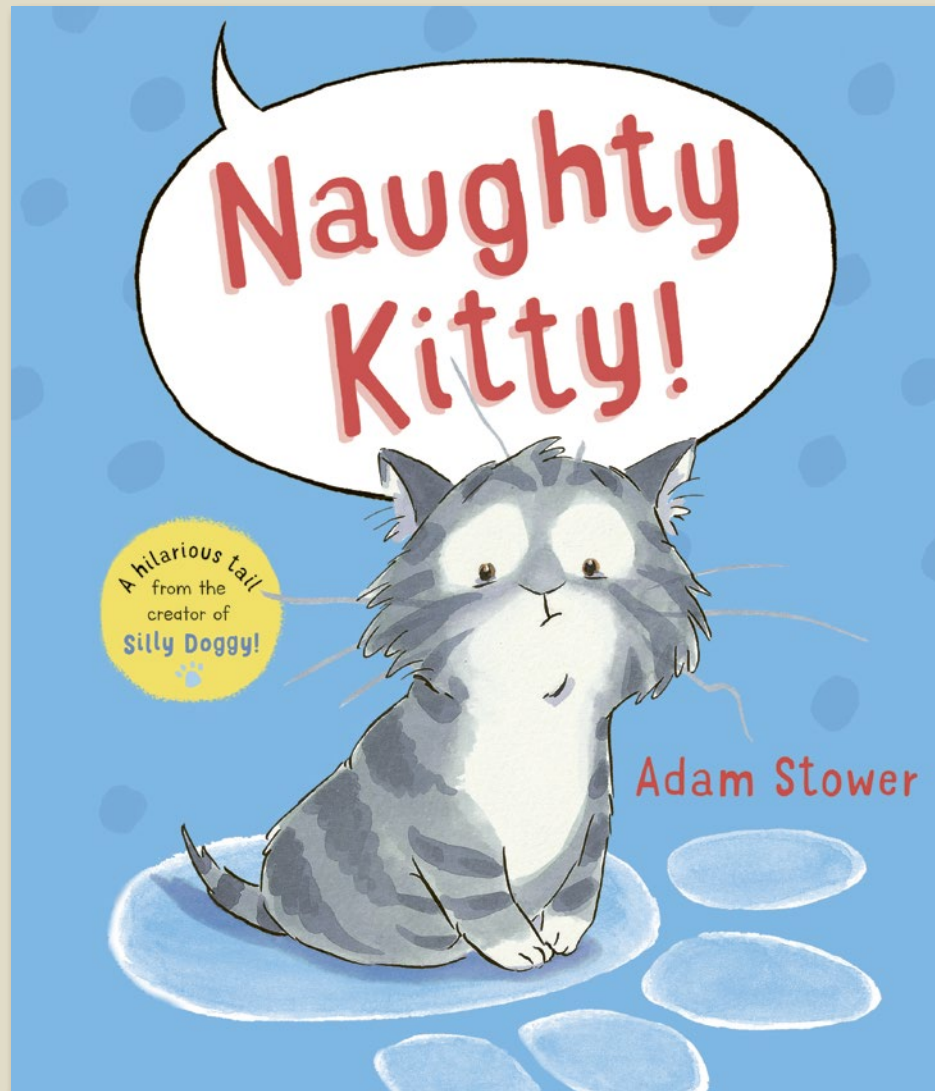
- Capitalises on Adam Stower's recent popularity following his David Walliams' picture books, bringing *Silly Doggy!* to a new generation of fans.
- Strong backlist title revamped with a beautiful new cover design.
- Winner of the Wanda Gag Read Aloud Book Award, the Schütterts Bilderbuch Bärchen, and the Dundee Picture Book Award.
- Both *Silly Doggy!* and its follow-up *Naughty Kitty!* were long listed for the Kate Greenaway.
- Hilarious and heartwarming, the perfect first-pet picture book for animal lovers up to 5 years old.

Silly Doggy!



Pub Date	18/08/2022
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800784161
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Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Adam Stower
Illustrator	Adam Stower
Extent	40pp
Rights Available	World

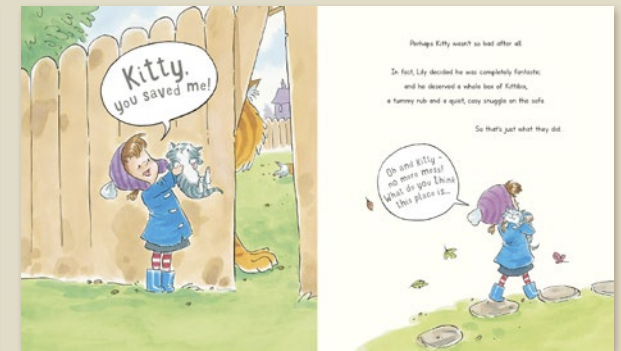
Naughty Kitty!



A purr-fect tale of mischief, misplaced blame, and laugh-out-loud *cat-*astrophes!

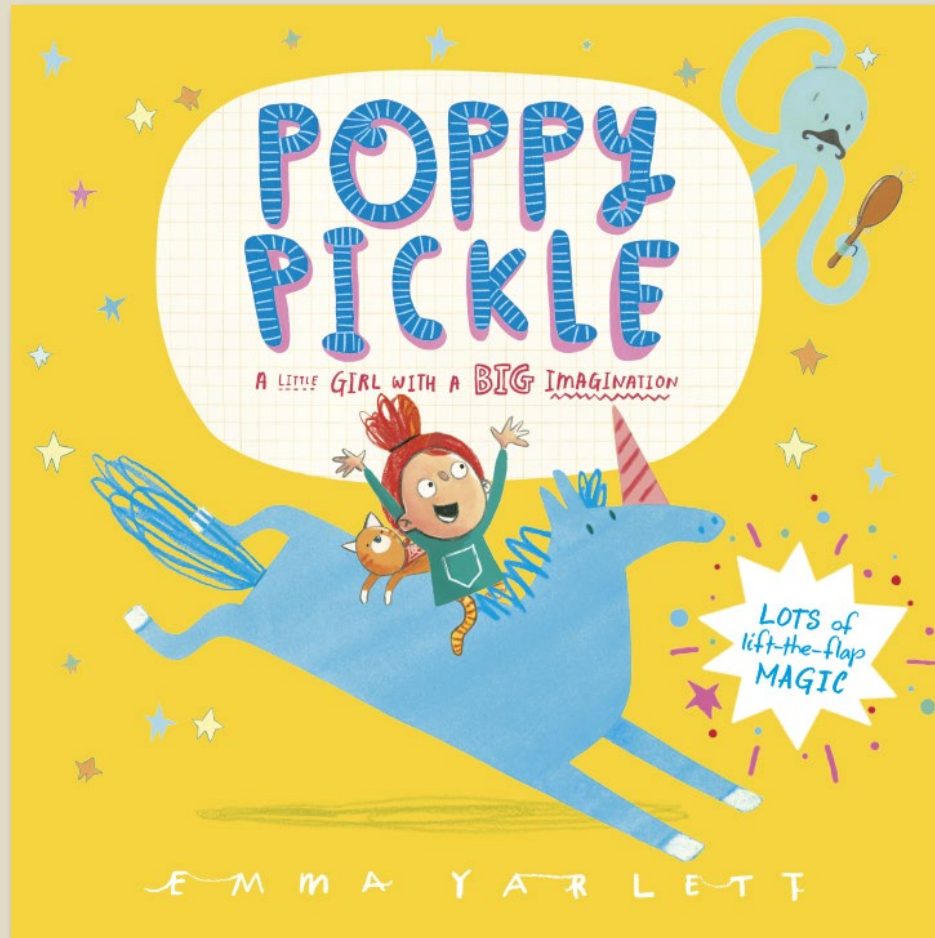
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Naughty Kitty!



Pub Date	18/08/2022
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800784154
H x W	265 x 228mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Adam Stower
Illustrator	Adam Stower
Extent	40pp
Rights Available	World

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.

The Fixer of Broken Things



What happens when the famous fixer of broken things finds a problem that she can't solve?

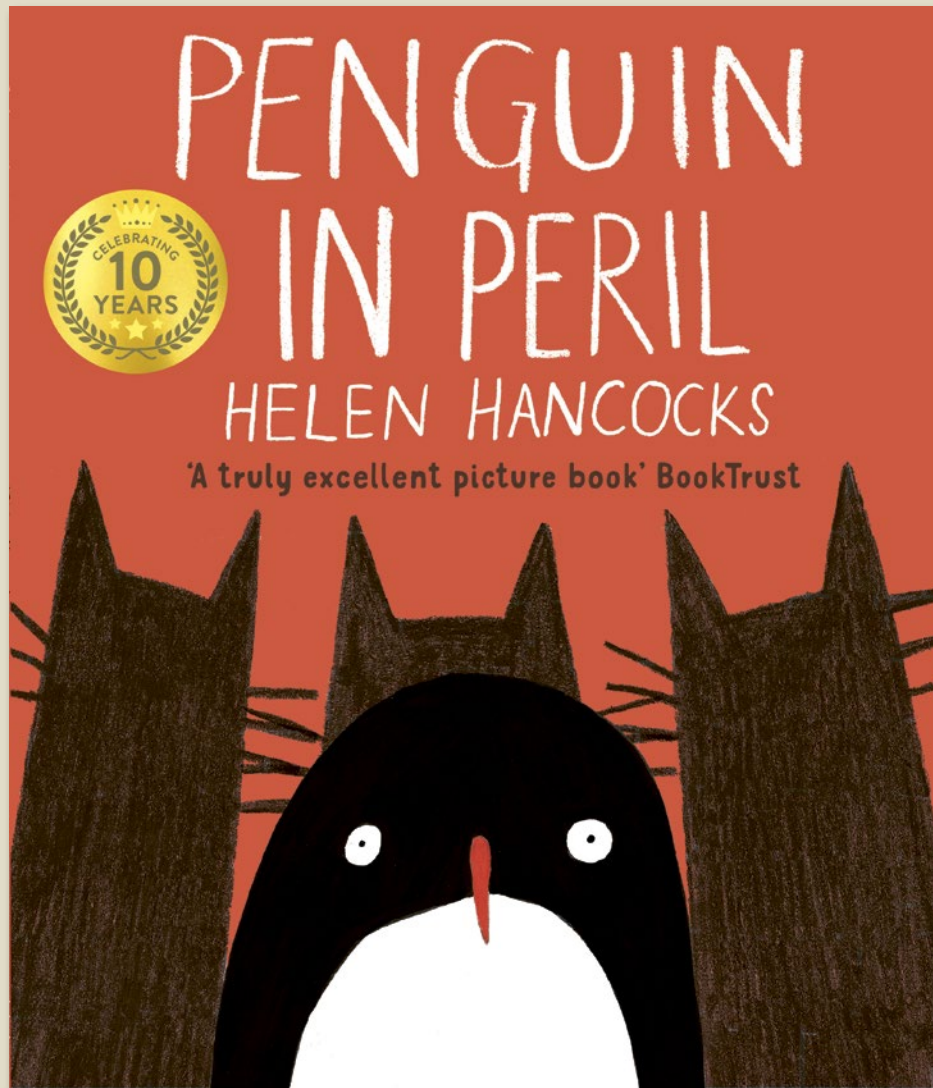
- From the author and illustrator of *Number 7 Evergreen Street*, winner of the Royal Institute Of British Architects' Student Choice & Teacher's Choice for 5-7 year olds
- Julia Patton is an up-and-coming picture book talent in both the UK and the US. Bartleby from *The Very Very Very Long Dog* (Sourcebooks) is on the Barnes and Noble character wall of fame in the US.
- A wonderful story about sadness and how talking to a support network can help. The 'broken thing' Bea finds is a clockwork heart and speaking about her problems is what makes it work again.

The Fixer of Broken Things



Pub Date	23/02/2023
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787418356
H x W	287 x 247mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Julia Patton
Extent	40pp
Rights Available	World

Penguin In Peril



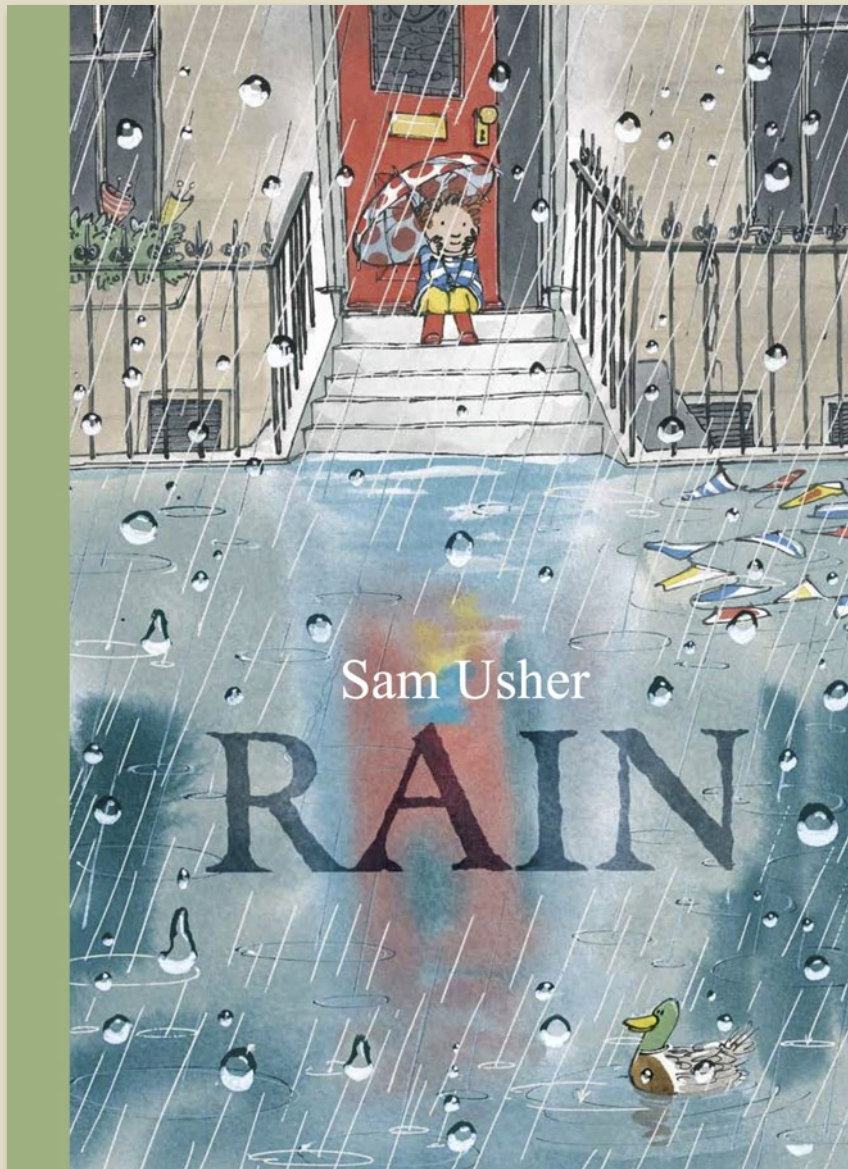
A hilarious story of three cats, a penguin, crime and punishment.

- Classic favourite animals for children are shown in an entirely new story
- Visually distinct, but fitting well among popular styles, and a sure hit for fans of Jon Klassen
- An thrilling story sure to entertain adults as much as children
- Over 28,000 copies sold worldwide (as of August 2022)

Penguin In Peril

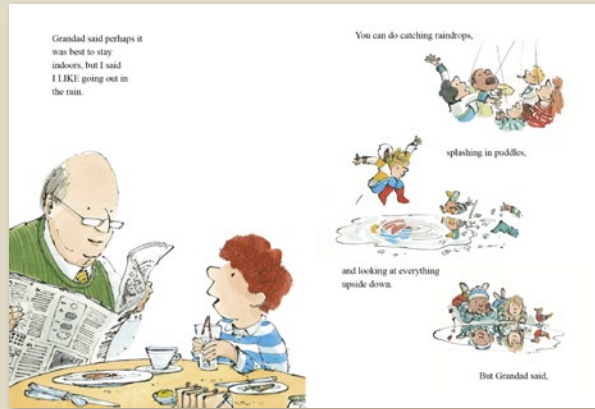


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Author	Helen Hancocks
Illustrator	Helen Hancocks
Extent	32pp
Rights Available	World

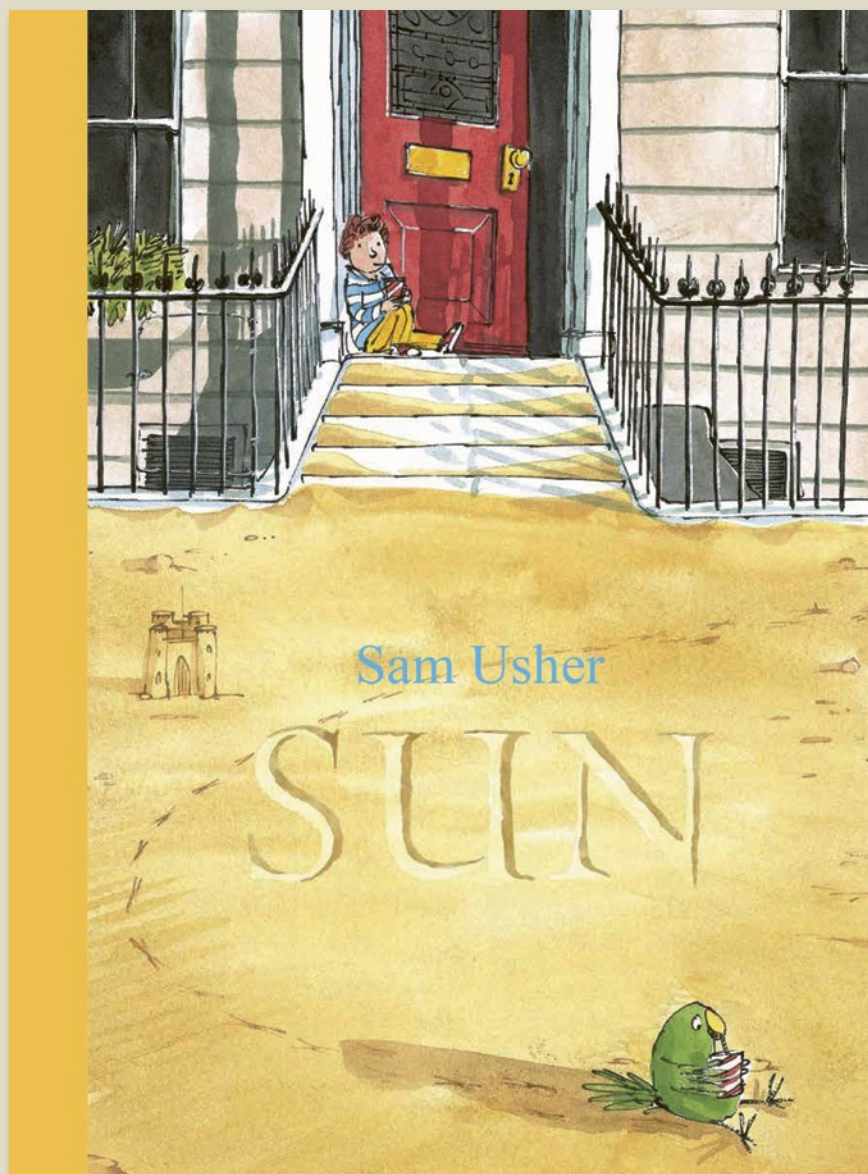


Sam and Grandpa brave the rain and floods, and have the best adventure ever

- *Rain* has sold over 60,000 copies worldwide. Combined, the seasons quartet has sold over 210,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022)
- The full quartet contains *Rain*, *Snow*, *Sun* and *Storm*.
- A joyful observation of a boy's special relationship with his grandfather
- Sam Usher's glorious illustrations bring the fun of a rainy day to life
- Children will identify with the cosiness of being inside while rain pelts down, and with the impatience to go outside and have an adventure!

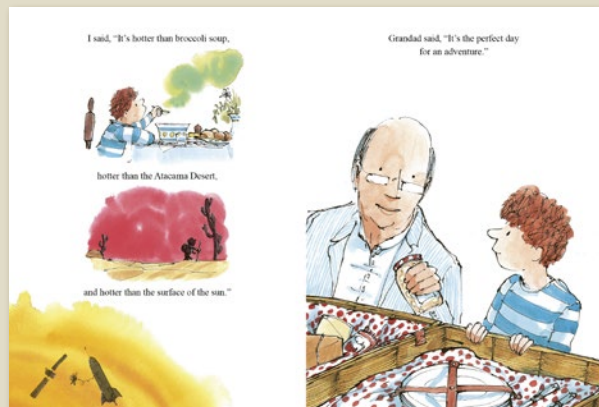


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Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Category	Picture Book
Author	Sam Usher
Illustrator	Sam Usher
Extent	40pp
Rights Available	World



A boy and his granddad set off on a scorching adventure!

- *Sun* has sold over 42,000 copies worldwide. Combined, the seasons quartet has sold over 210,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022)
- The full quartet contains *Rain*, *Snow*, *Sun* and *Storm*.
- A joyful observation of a boy's special relationship with his grandfather
- Stunning illustrations bring a boiling hot day to life



Pub Date	01/06/2017
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781783707959
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Age Range	0-5 years
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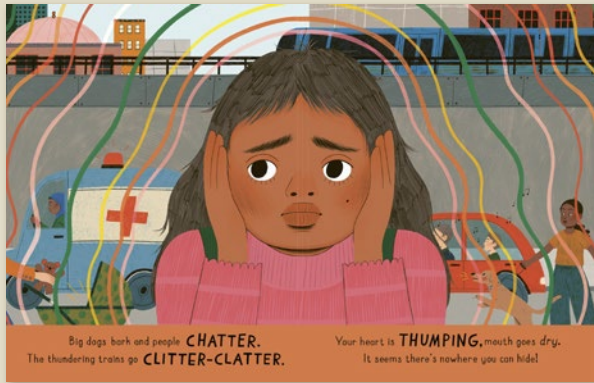
The Spaces In Between



Have you found the spaces in between? The secret places no one else has been? This beautiful picture book celebrates themes of anxiety and kindness. Now available in paperback.

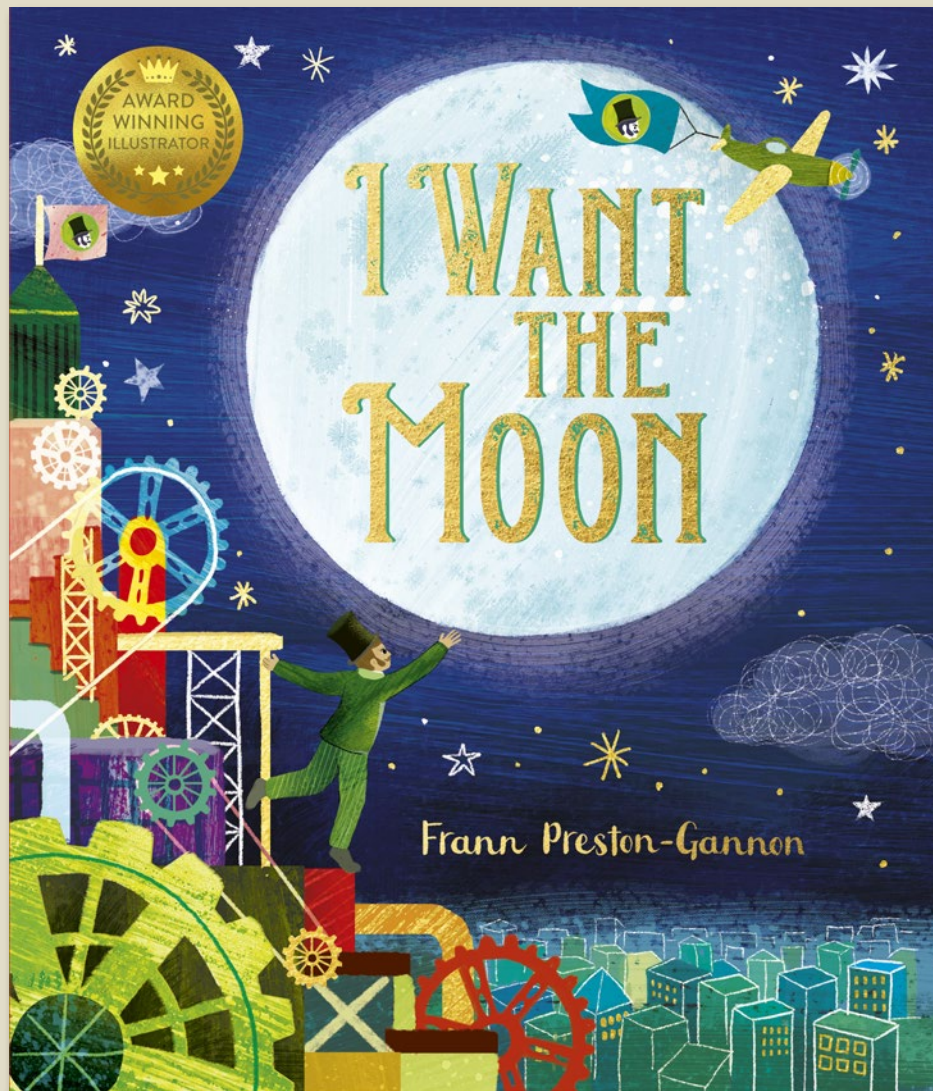
- Written by TED speaker, poet, activist and ex-secondary school teacher, Jaspreet Kaur
- Beautifully bright and busy artwork by award-winning illustrator, Manjit Thapp
- Non-fiction pages at the back of the book offer mindfulness tips and activities to try at home

The Spaces In Between



Pub Date	29/02/2024
Pub Price	£8.99
ISBN	9781800787056
H x W	280 x 215mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Jaspreet Kaur
Illustrator	Manjit Thapp
Extent	32pp
Word Count	1244 words
Rights Available	World

I Want the Moon



A wealthy man has everything he could ever want on Earth... and now he is reaching for the moon.

- Frann Preston-Gannon is a multi-award winning illustrator and author. In 2011 she was the first UK recipient of the Sendak fellowship. Her first picture book, *The Journey Home*, won the 2012 Waterstones Prize, *I am the Seed that Grew the Tree* was the 2019 Waterstones Gift of the Year and *In the Swamp by the Light of the Moon* was Bank Street College of Education's 2020 Best Children's Book of the Year.
- *The Swamp in the Light of the Moon* has sold over 19,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022)
- A captivating story with a message about the true value of things at its heart.

I Want the Moon



Pub Date	21/07/2022
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787419254
H x W	287 x 247
Binding	Portraitmm
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Frann Preston-Gannon
Extent	40pp
Word Count	500 words
Rights Available	World

The Robin and the Fir Tree



An exquisitely illustrated retelling of the Hans Christian Andersen story *The Fir Tree*.

- Helen Ward meets William Morris in a wonderfully illustrated long-form picture book
- A tale of a special friendship between a robin and a tree
- A timeless story about learning to value what you already have
- This reimagined classic makes the perfect Christmas gift
- Matt lam and 100% foil on cover
- Uses a special 5th colour on the interiors.

The Robin and the Fir Tree



One day, a tiny robin flew high above the forest, carefully carrying three velvet roses. She glided through the clear sky and disappeared amongst the trees.



In the centre of a clearing, a young fir tree woke up. He yawned, stretched, and stood off his cobweb-lace pyjamas. "What a beautiful morning it is!"

Just then, he saw something fluttering in the blue sky above him.

It was the robin. She swooped through his branches, scattering his pyjamas. Finally, she came to rest on a branch, where she carefully placed the roses. The fir tree smiled.

"Thank you, my little forest! What a beautiful gift! Where did you get such lovely things?"



From a garden on the edge of the forest, in a greenhouse with dancing raindrops inside, the robin chirped.

"I wish I could see such a place," the fir tree sighed. "I only ever see the green of the clearing and the tiny white flowers that grow here."

The next day the fir tree woke to find the roses withered in the morning sun. Above him, an arrow of green fire sought for the winter. The fir tree wished he could give them and see what they saw.

It was autumn. Many of the trees in the forest had already changed into their gold and orange leaves, but not the fir tree, he was greener than ever. "Every season will be just the same," he said. "There I long for something different to happen!"

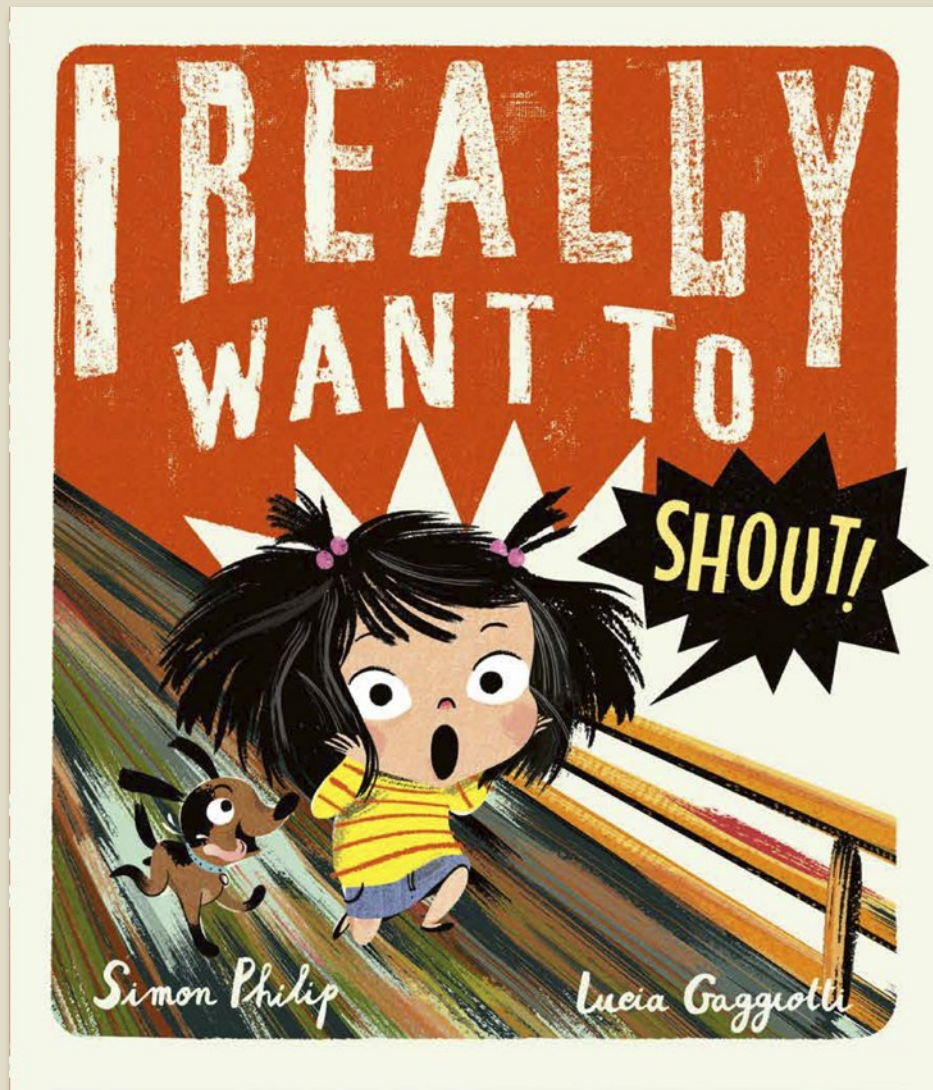


The next day, he had his wish. People arrived in a meadow beside the forest and started building strange wooden structures. All the creatures in the forest chatted about the new arrivals, but the most interested of all was the fir tree.

He strained and stretched to peek past the forest's edge, where he saw towers and a wheel being built. He turned to the robin, who often rested on his branches now, and said, "What are those wooden things? Have you seen anything like them before?"

Pub Date	12/11/2020
Pub Price	£14.99
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Age Range	5-7 years
Category	Picture Book
Author	Jason Jameson
Extent	64pp
Rights Available	World

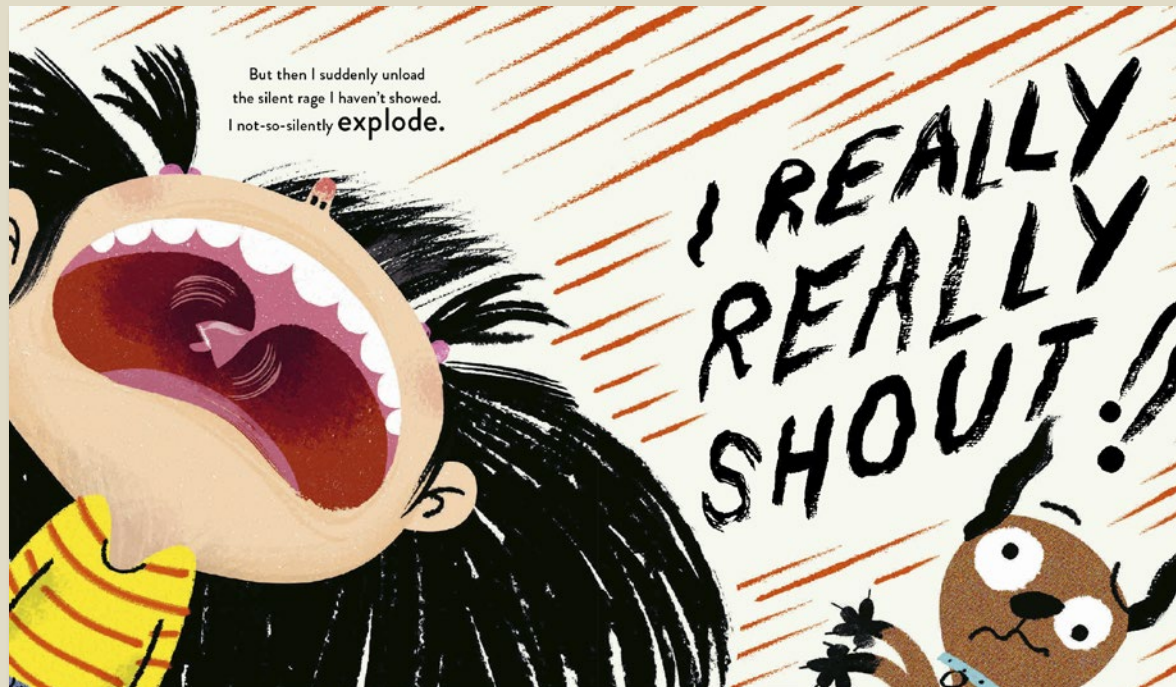
I Really Want to Shout



The determined heroine of *I Really want the Cake* learns big lessons about managing anger.

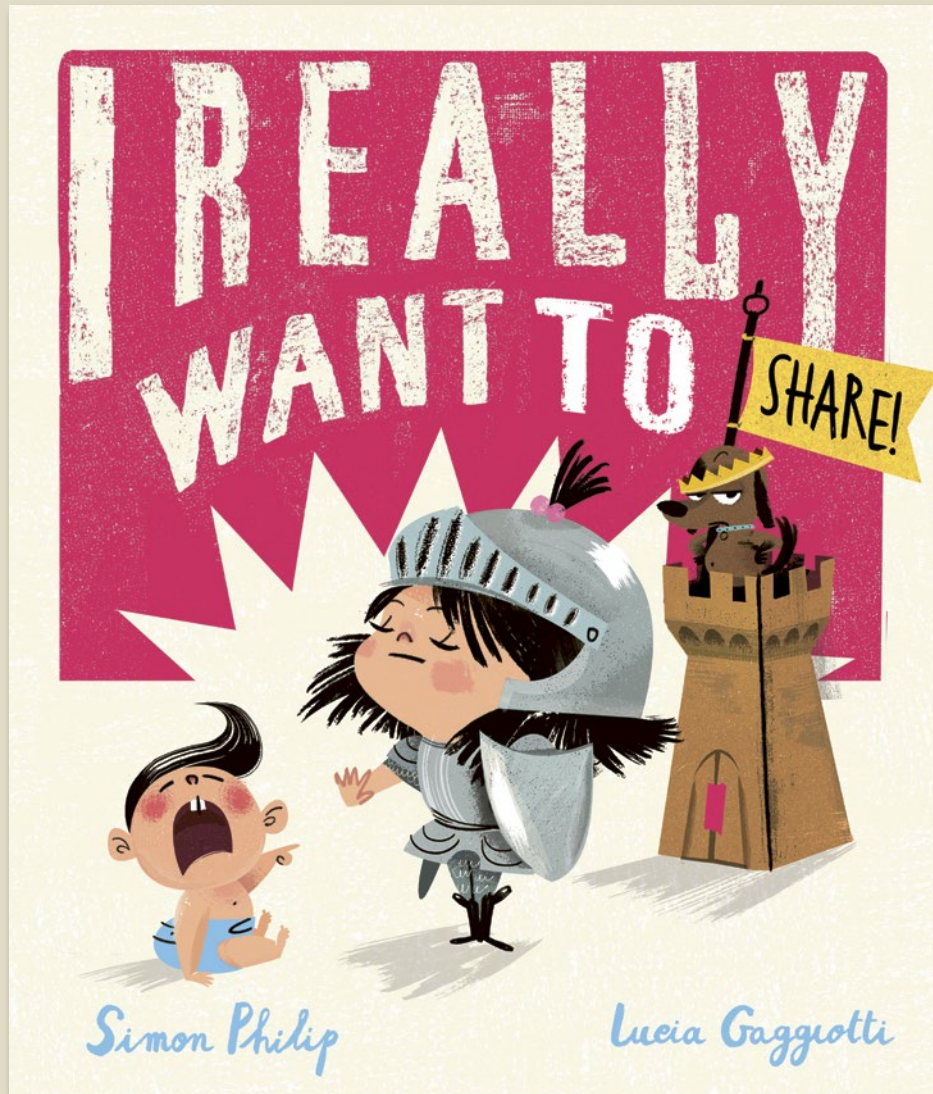
- Simon Philip's first book *You Must Bring a Hat* (Simon and Schuster) was Sainsbury's Children's Book of the Year in 2016.
- This picture book explores how children can learn to deal with anger in a light-hearted way.
- Lucia Gaggiotti's expressive artwork combined with Simon Philip's galloping rhyming text combine to make the perfect comic picture book - with a serious message at its heart.
- The *I Really Want...* series has sold a combined total of over 100,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022)
- *I Really Want the Cake* was shortlisted for the Waterstones Prize.

I Really Want to Shout



Pub Date	03/09/2020
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787416802
H x W	265 x 228mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Simon Philip
Illustrator	Lucia Gaggiotti
Extent	40pp
Word Count	800 words
Rights Available	World

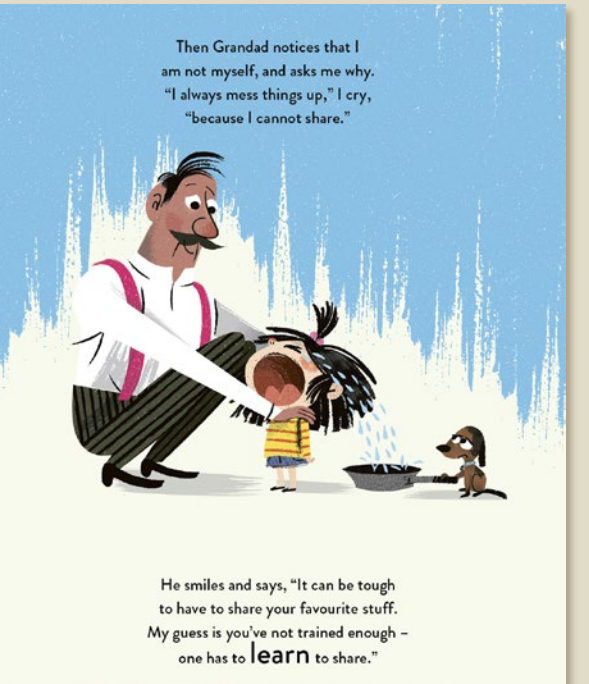
I Really Want to Share



A brilliantly funny take on growing families and introducing new siblings.

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I Really Want to Share



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Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800781726
H x W	265 x 228mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Category	Picture Book
Author	Simon Philip
Illustrator	Lucia Gaggiotti
Extent	40pp
Word Count	800 words
Rights Available	World

The Mega Magic Hair Swap!



Two little girls make a wish to change their hair, but learn that they are perfect just the way they are.

- Rochelle Humes' duo of picture books have sold over 57,000 copies in the UK (as of July 2022)
- Rochelle Humes is an English singer and TV presenter. Her Instagram account has over 1 million followers. She has just started presenting on Heart FM.
- Rochelle wrote this book herself - this authenticity will play well in this market and supports her approachable yet aspirational media profile.

The Mega Magic Hair Swap!



Pub Date	07/02/2019
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787413757
H x W	239 x 279mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Rochelle Humes
Illustrator	Rachel Suzanne
Extent	32pp
Word Count	450 words
Rights Available	World

The Night the Reindeer Saved Christmas



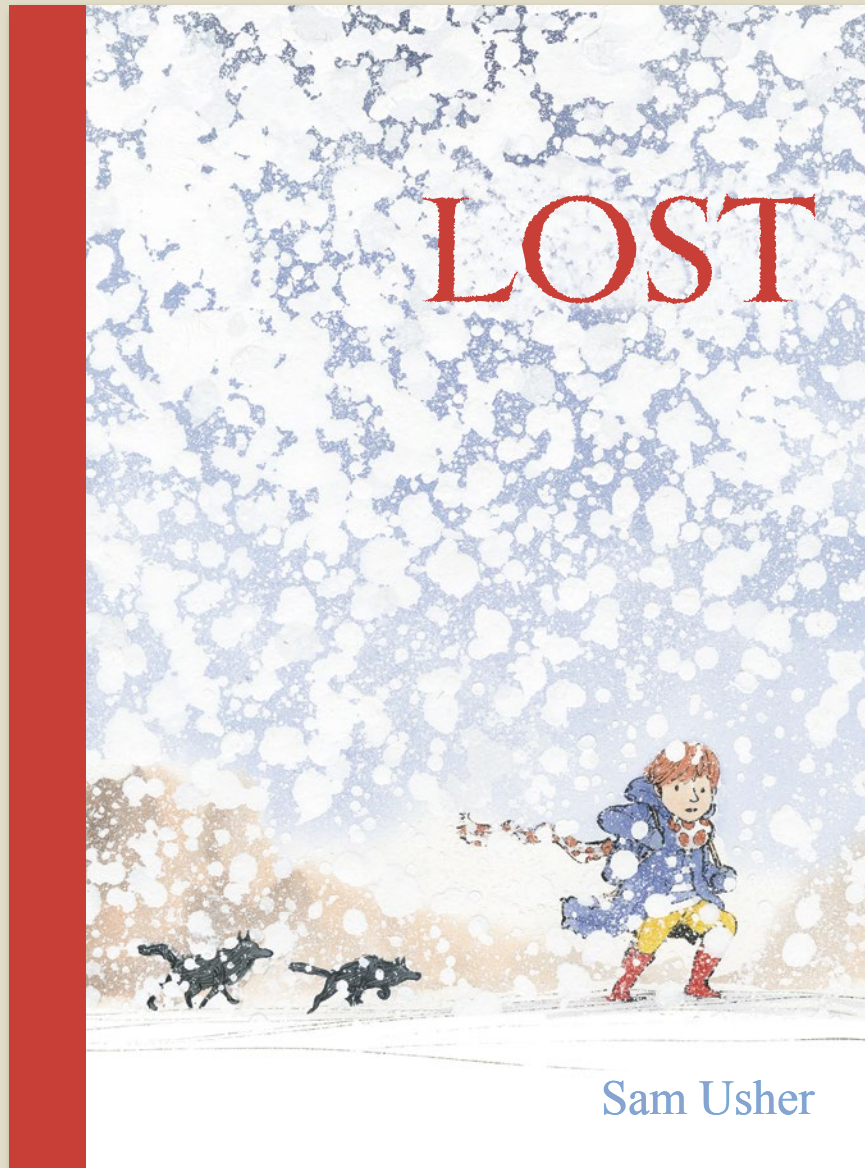
Find out how Santa Claus met his team of reindeer in this festive, feminist picture book.

- Includes a non-fiction section, explaining the various North Pole creatures encountered throughout the story.
- Carries a feminist message: Santa Claus's reindeer are female!
- Features an ethnically diverse Mr and Mrs Claus, and a cast of elves as you've never seen them before!
- Created by an all-female team: from the author and illustrator to the editor and designer.

The Night the Reindeer Saved Christmas

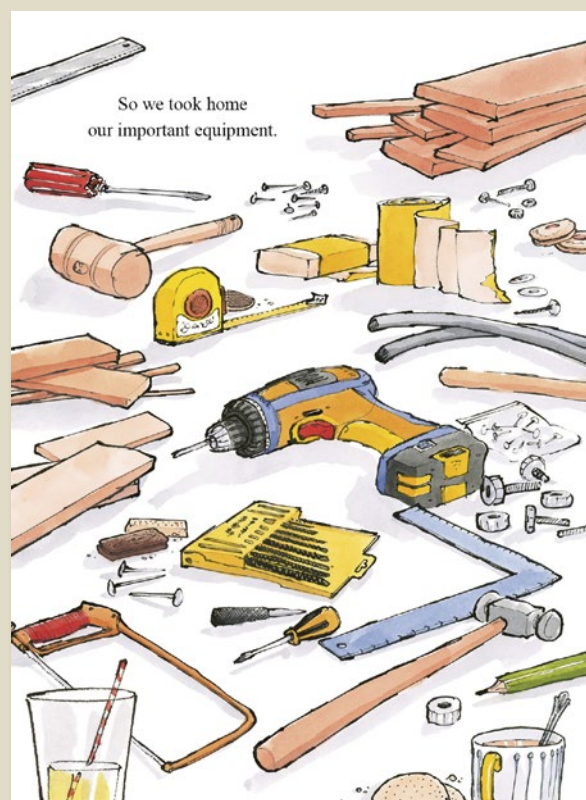


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Illustrator	Kasia Nowowiejska
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Word Count	900 words
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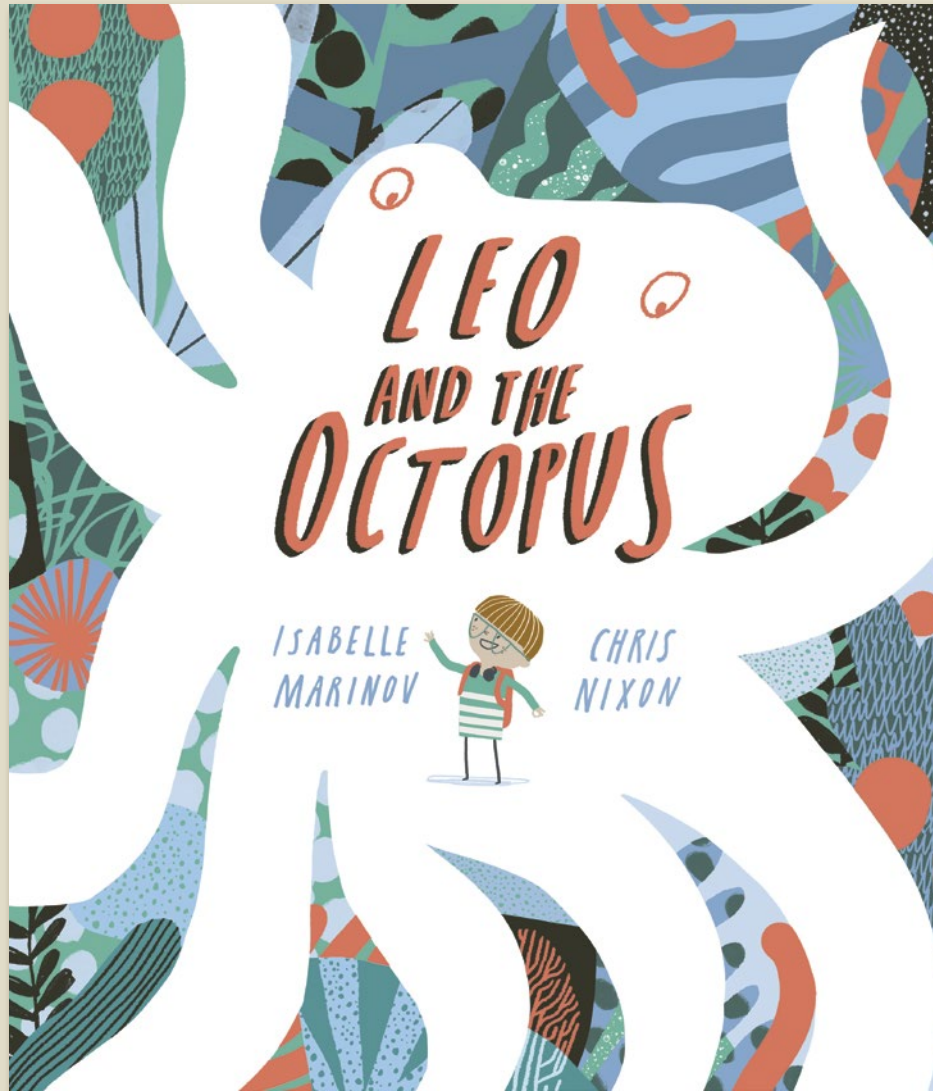
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- A joyful observation of a boy's special relationship with his grandfather
- With embossing and spot-UV on cover



Pub Date	30/09/2021
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787419872
H x W	300 x 220mm
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Extent	40pp
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Rights Available	World

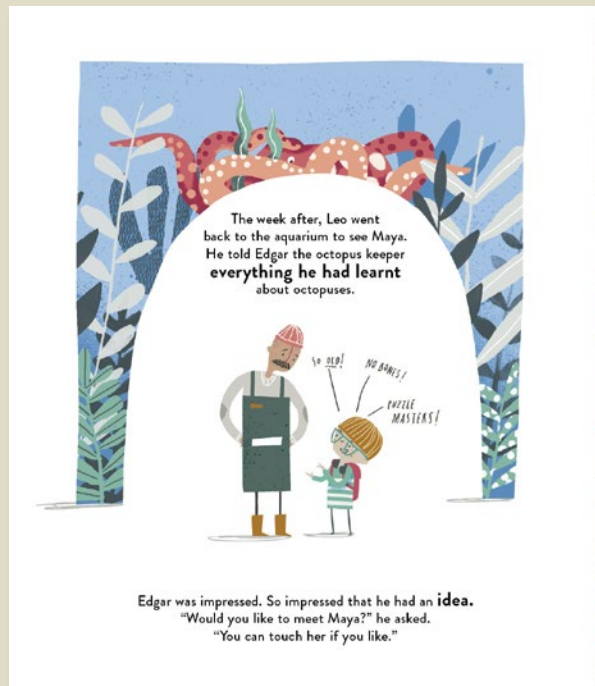
Leo and the Octopus



A stylish, sensitive picture book focusing on Asperger's Syndrome in a unique and humorous way.

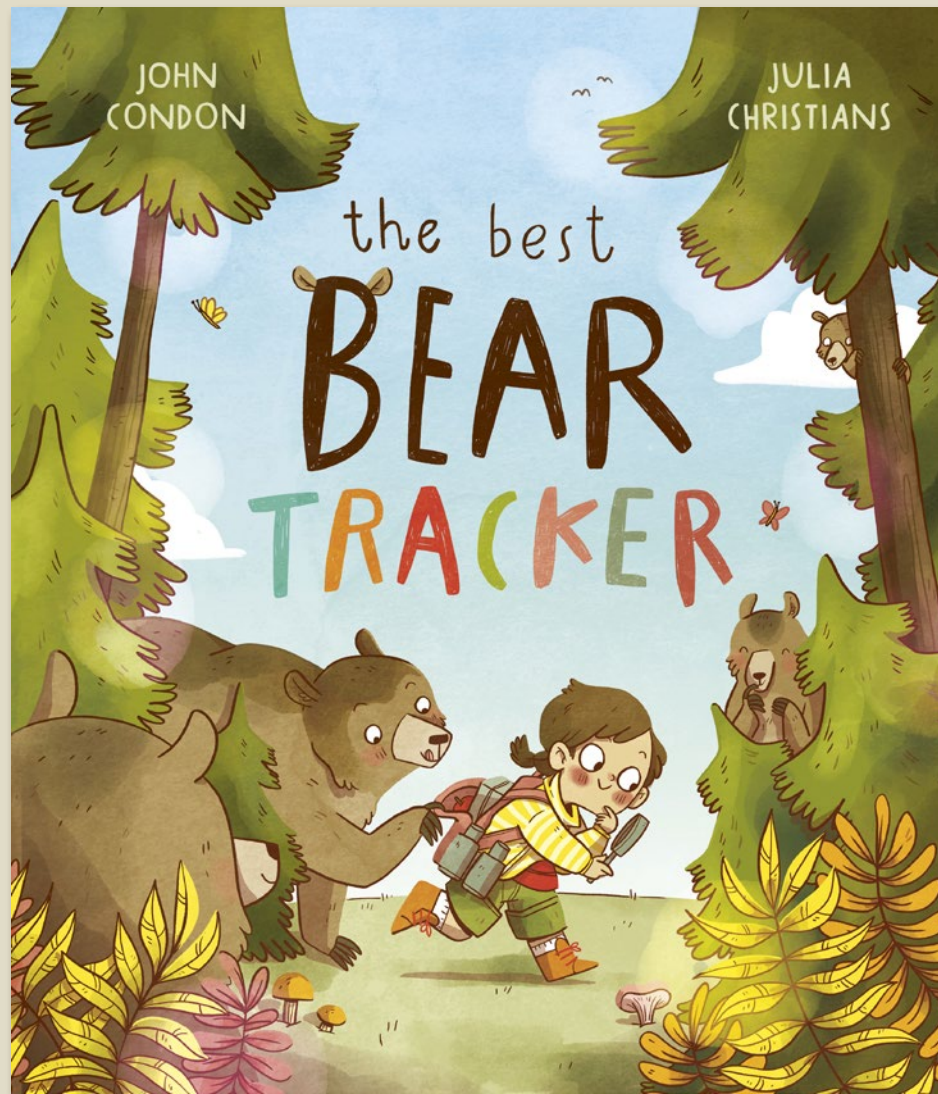
- Gently raises awareness of Asperger's Syndrome, featuring a friendly giant Pacific octopus and a curious child.
- Striking text by Isabelle Marinov and Chris Nixon's humorous illustrations bring the lovable characters to life.
- *"The sensitive descriptions throughout the book of what it is like to have autism are accurate and perceptive on so many levels" (Professor Tony Attwood, author of Asperger's Syndrome: A Guide for Parents and Professionals)*
- Over 47,000 copies sold worldwide (as of July 2022)

Leo and the Octopus



Pub Date	07/01/2021
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787416550
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Author	Isabelle Marinov
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Word Count	575 words
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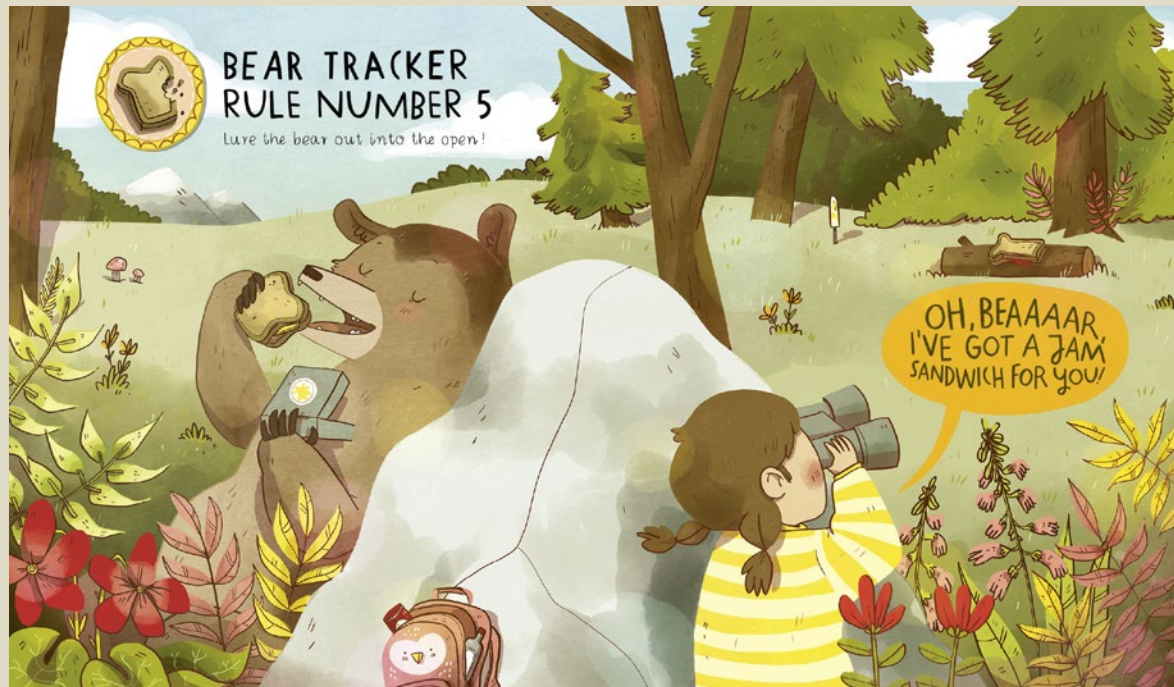
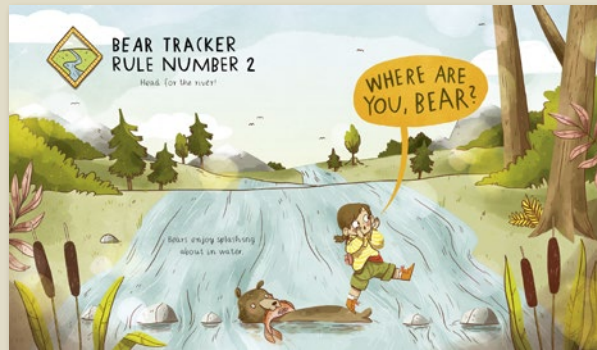
The Best Bear Tracker



The BEST BEAR TRACKER in the world is on the lookout! But can she find a bear?

- Emerging talent John Condon is an exciting addition to Templar's list
- A quick witted laugh-out-loud read, with some non-fiction elements included
- Humorous and vibrant artwork that children will love
- Cover treatments: matt lam and spot UV

The Best Bear Tracker



Pub Date	18/08/2022
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787418073
H x W	265 x 228mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	John Condon
Illustrator	Julia Christians
Extent	32pp
Word Count	400 words
Rights Available	World

The Mega Magic Teacher Swap



A heart-felt picture book about starting a new year at school.

- Rochelle Humes' duo of picture books have sold over 57,000 copies in the UK (as of July 2022)
- Rochelle Humes is an English singer and TV presenter. Her Instagram account has over 1 million followers.
- Themes of change and new beginnings will resonate with young children and their parents.

The Mega Magic Teacher Swap



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Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Rochelle Humes
Illustrator	Rachel Suzanne
Extent	32pp
Word Count	600 words
Rights Available	World

Lunar New Year Around the World



International celebrations of Lunar New Year

- Ideal introduction to Lunar New Year, as seen through the eyes of children living around the world.
- Beautifully illustrated non-fiction picture book, packed with fascinating facts.
- Written by the author of *Rise Up*, Amanda Li, winner of the Blue Peter Book Award 2020.

Lunar New Year Around the World



Pub Date	10/11/2022
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800782792
H x W	250 x 250 Squaremm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Amanda Li
Illustrator	Angel Chang
Extent	32pp
Word Count	700 words
Rights Available	World

The Night Flower



A beautifully illustrated tale about a desert flower that blooms for just one night a year...

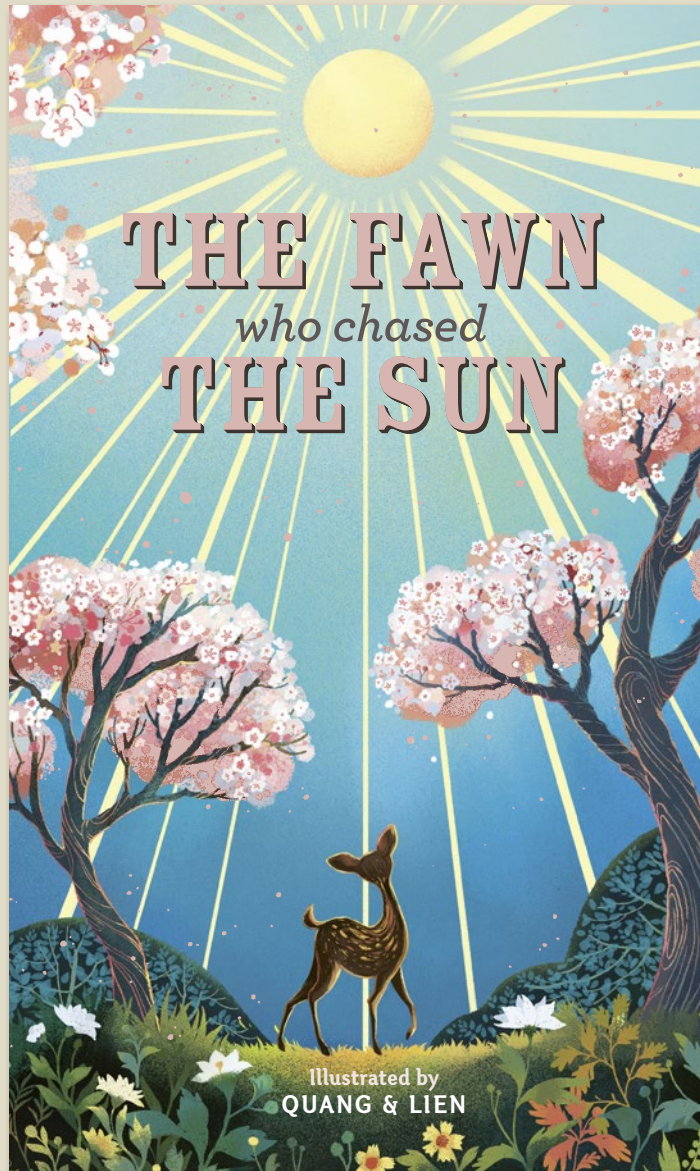
- Winner of the 2020 CBHL Annual Literature Award of Excellence in Children and Young Adult Literature
- A magical real-life tale from the natural world
- Gentle lyrical text is perfect for young readers
- Beautifully illustrated by talented illustrator Lara Hawthorne
- From the critically-acclaimed author and illustrator of *Alba the Hundred Year Old Fish* which has sold over 41,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022) *Ratty's Big Adventure* and *Herbert's Garden*

The Night Flower



Pub Date	31/03/2022
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787418318
H x W	280 x 216mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Lara Hawthorne
Illustrator	Lara Hawthorne
Extent	32pp
Word Count	1500 words
Rights Available	World

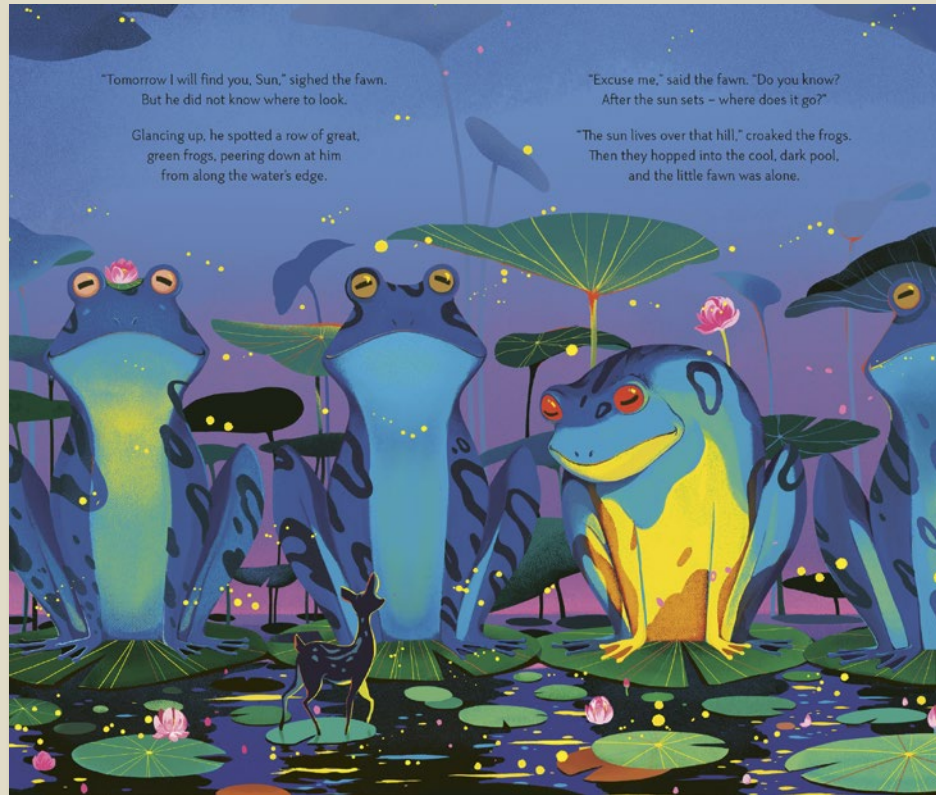
The Fawn Who Chased the Sun



A lushly illustrated storybook about savouring the miracles of the everyday.

- Lush, stylised illustrations from award-winning Vietnamese duo Quang and Lien
- A lyrical modern-day classic with the feel of a fable, delivering a gentle message about the dangers of losing sight of the things that really matter
- High production values and a beautifully foiled cover make this the perfect gift to treasure and enjoy

The Fawn Who Chased the Sun



Pub Date	10/11/2022
Pub Price	£14.99
ISBN	9781787410787
H x W	320 x 190mm
Binding	Hardback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Joanna McInerney
Illustrator	Phung Nguyen Quang and Huynh Thi Kim Lien
Extent	48pp
Rights Available	World

No Sleep for Bear



Bear is back in this sequel to *The Bear who Stared*.

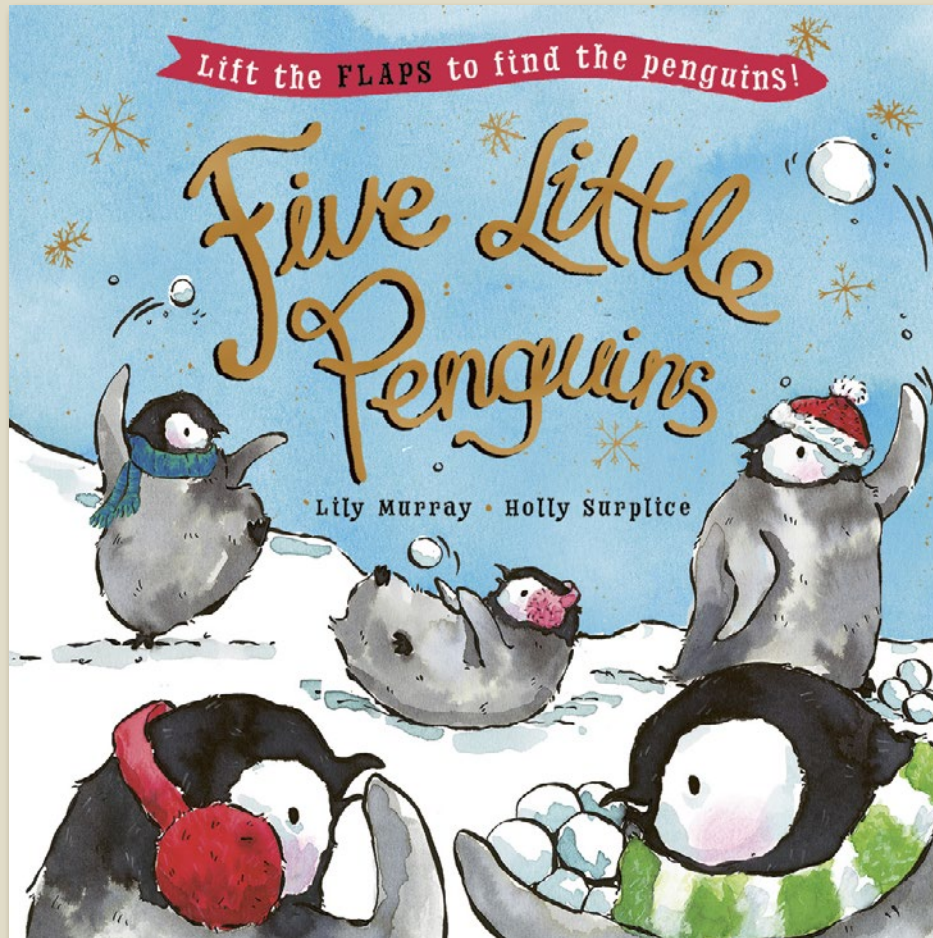
- A follow-up to the bestselling Waterstones Children's Book Prize shortlisted *The Bear Who Stared*, which has sold over 40,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022)
- Children will engage with the lovable bear who doesn't quite get things right
- Universal theme which will strike a chord with all parents
- A funny take on hibernation, a topic which is covered in the National Curriculum
- Illustrated with Duncan's trademark vibrant and quirky art style
- A perfect bedtime story

No Sleep for Bear



Pub Date	07/07/2022
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787419865
H x W	287 x 247mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Category	Picture Book
Author	Duncan Beedie
Illustrator	Duncan Beedie
Extent	40pp
Rights Available	World

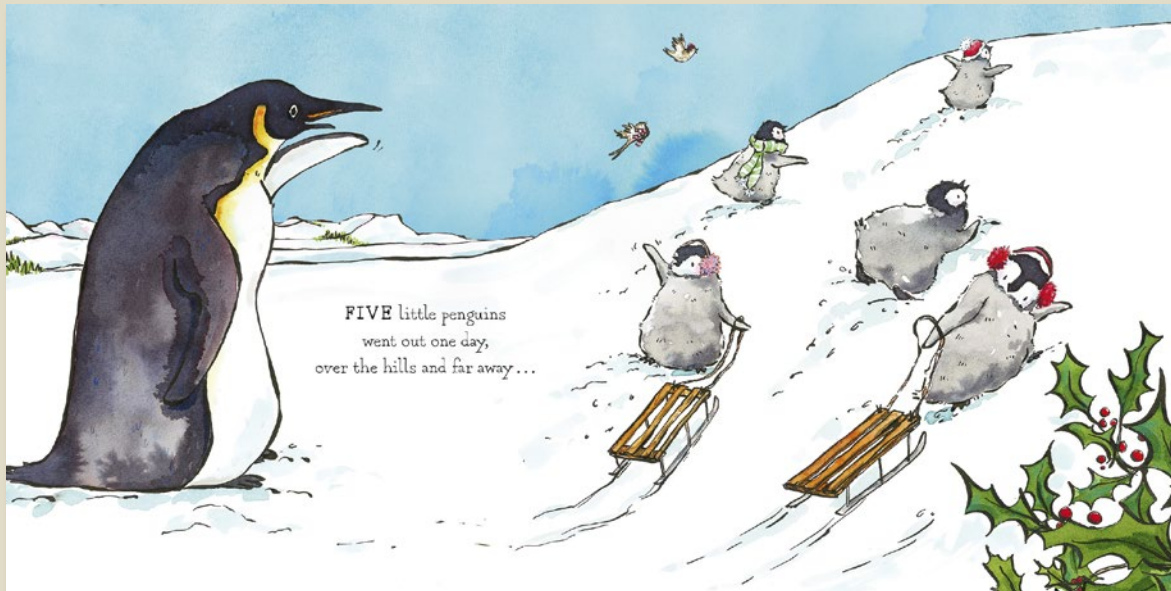
Five Little Penguins



A lift-the-flap Christmas book

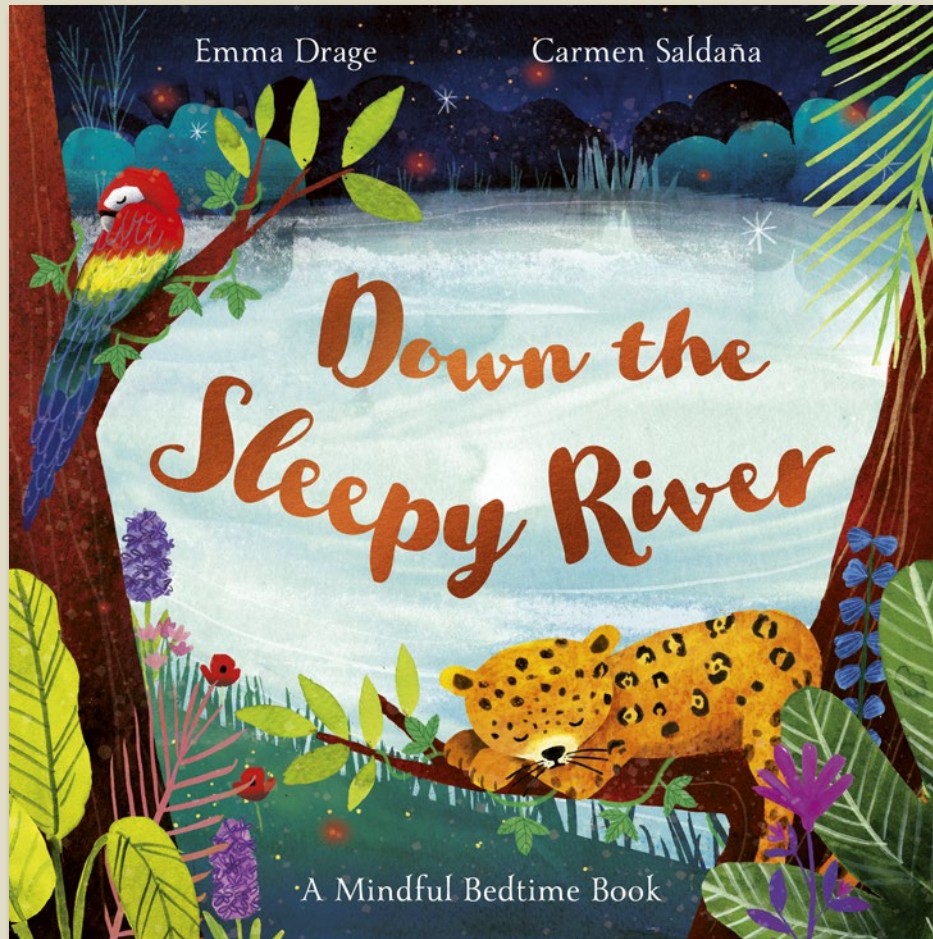
- Lift the flaps to find the penguins - with 20 flaps to lift
- Full of festive winter scenes, this is the perfect gift to give in the run-up to Christmas
- An engaging and affordable gift book for little readers 1+
- Written by Lily Murray, and beautifully illustrated by Holly Surplice, illustrator of *Guinea Pig Party* and *I Love You, Little One*
- Perfect for fans of *We're Going on an Elf Hunt*

Five Little Penguins



Pub Date	13/10/2022
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800782907
H x W	250 x 250mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Lily Murray
Illustrator	Holly Surplice
Extent	24pp
Rights Available	World

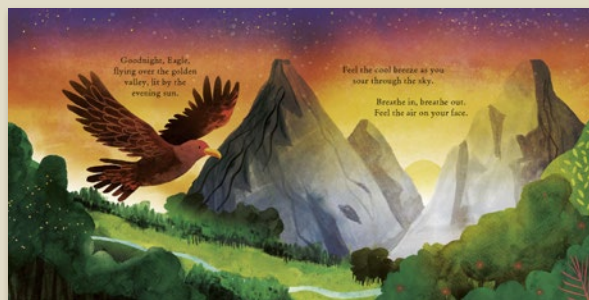
Down the Sleepy River



A calming bedtime picture book using simple mindfulness techniques.

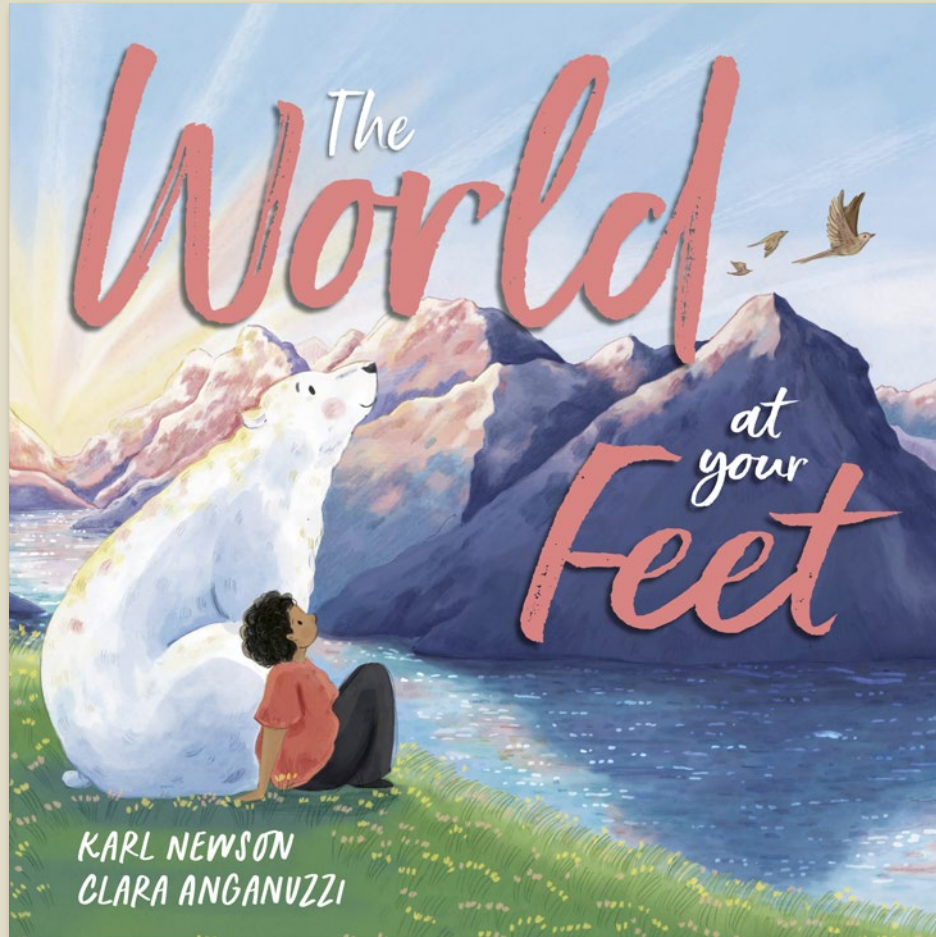
- This beautiful, relaxing book helps to create calm bedtimes.
- Uses mindfulness techniques to bring children's awareness to the present moment, let go of the day and settle down for a good night's sleep.

Down the Sleepy River



Pub Date	01/09/2022
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781800782457
H x W	250 x 250mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Emma Drage
Illustrator	Carmen Saldana
Extent	32pp
Rights Available	World

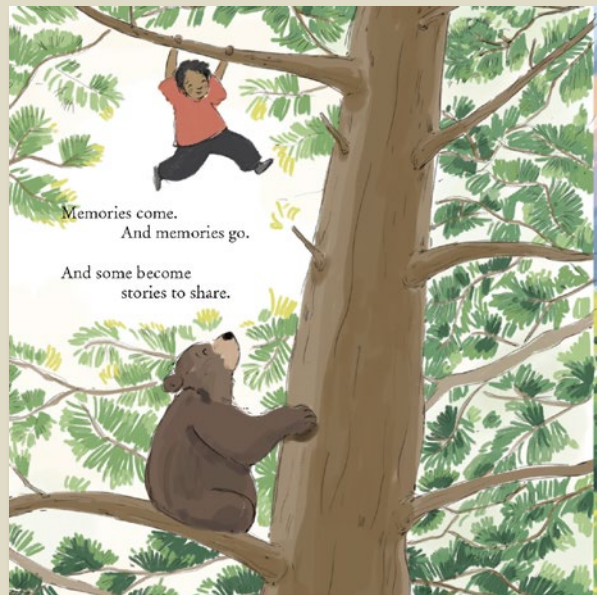
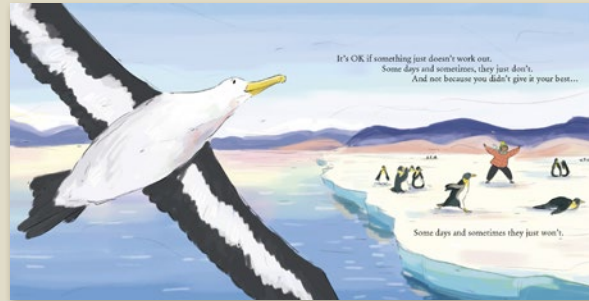
The World at Your Feet



An uplifting picture book about trying your best and being yourself.

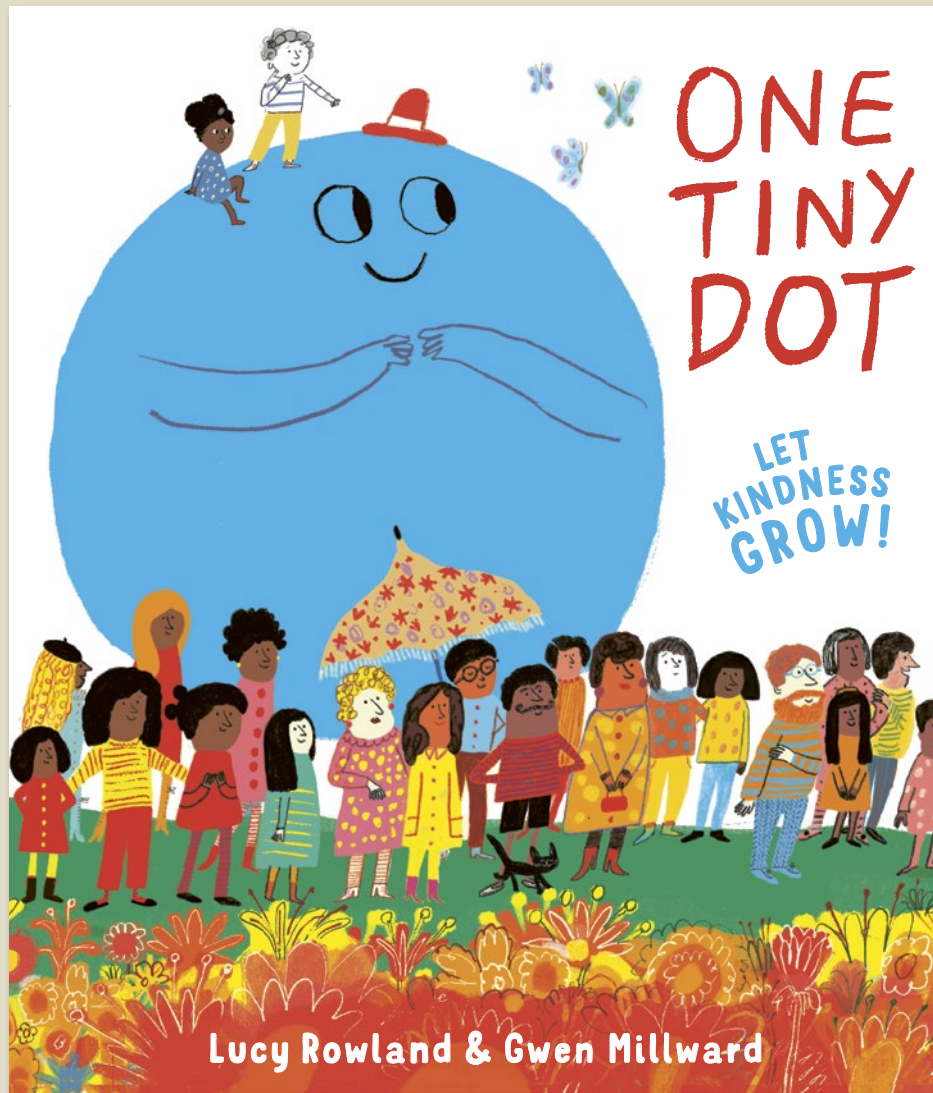
- Written by rising star and picture book author Karl Newson, whose previous titles include *I Am A Tiger* and *The Same But Different Too*.
- Complemented by the illustrations of Clara Anganuzzi (*Dear Earth*), the soft illustrations with a touch of humour will appeal to both parent and child.
- A beautiful picture book by the creators of *How to Mend a Friend*.

The World at Your Feet



Pub Date	04/08/2022
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781800780330
H x W	250 x 250mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Category	Picture Book
Author	Karl Newson
Illustrator	Clara Anganuzzi
Extent	32pp
Word Count	400 words
Rights Available	World

One Tiny Dot



A charming exploration of the power of kindness, embodied by a simple dot.

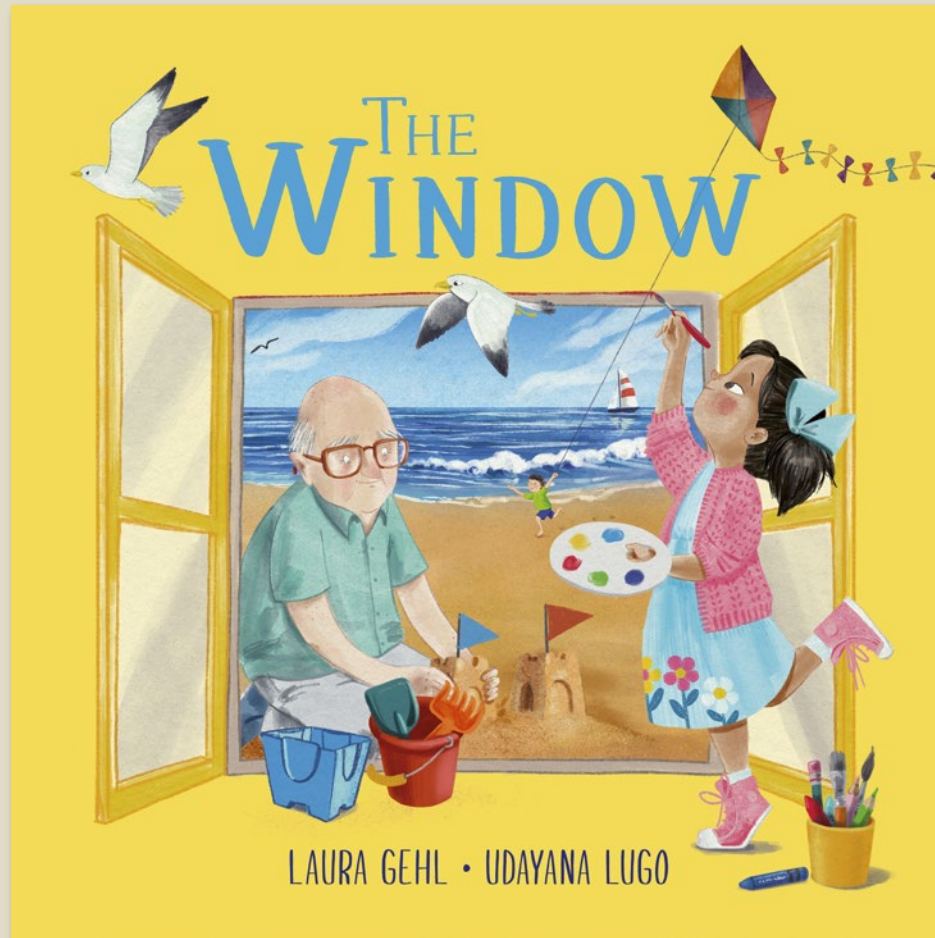
- A distinctive and creative treatment of emotions with an important message
- A warm narrative and deceptively simple allegory of kindness and its ability to spread joy to all
- Brought to life with Gwen Millward's stunning, bold and colourful art

One Tiny Dot



Pub Date	14/04/2022
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787418868
H x W	265 x 228mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	Adult
Author	Lucy Rowland
Illustrator	Gwen Millward
Extent	40pp
Rights Available	World

The Window



A touching exploration of grief.

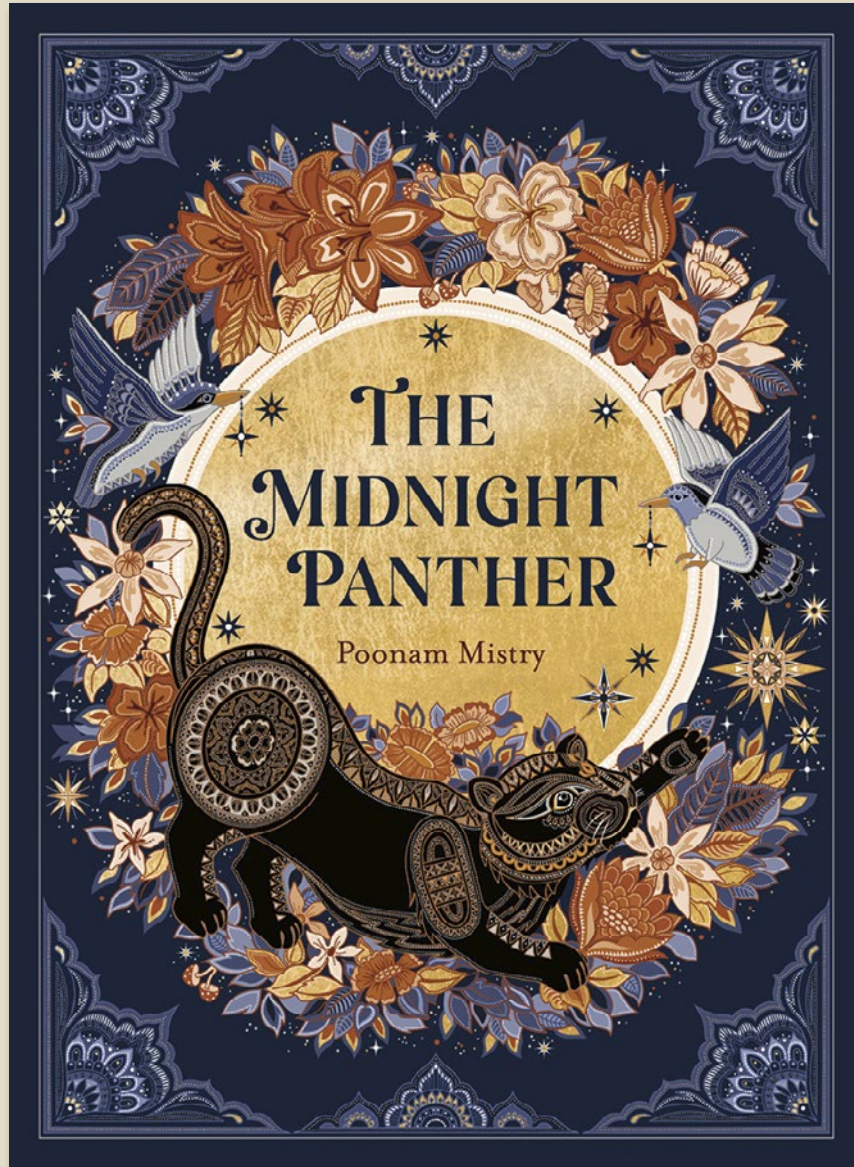
- A beautiful and poignant picture book on bereavement.
- Helps young children to explore the difficult emotions around losing a loved one and offers comfort and support with the grieving process.
- Celebrates the special bond between a grandparent and grandchild.
- A valuable resource for talking to children about love, illness, death, and the stages of grief.
- With notes for parents and guardians written by Dr Sharie Coombies, offering advice on supporting a child who is experiencing bereavement.

The Window



Pub Date	20/01/2022
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787419834
H x W	250 x 250mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Category	Picture Book
Author	Laura Gehl
Illustrator	Udayana Lugo
Extent	32pp
Word Count	500 words
Rights Available	World

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

The Book Family Robinson



A bookish family faces pirates.

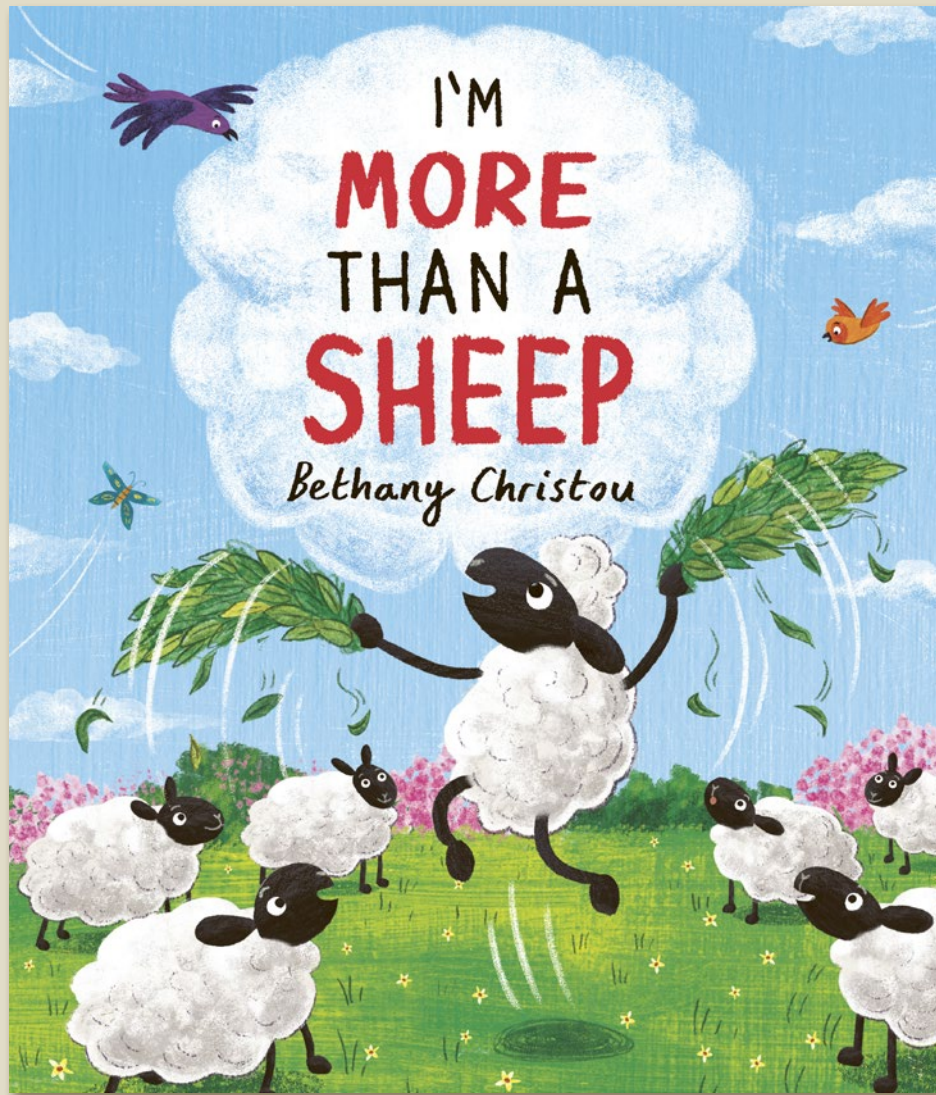
- A modern pastiche of a classic tale, updated for the readers of today
- A hilarious pirate adventure showing the true treasure of books
- The original 'Swiss Family Robinson' is soon to be a major Disney+ series

The Book Family Robinson



Pub Date	03/03/2022
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781800781313
H x W	247 x 287mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Jonathan Emmett
Illustrator	Sam Caldwell
Extent	32pp
Word Count	600 words
Rights Available	World

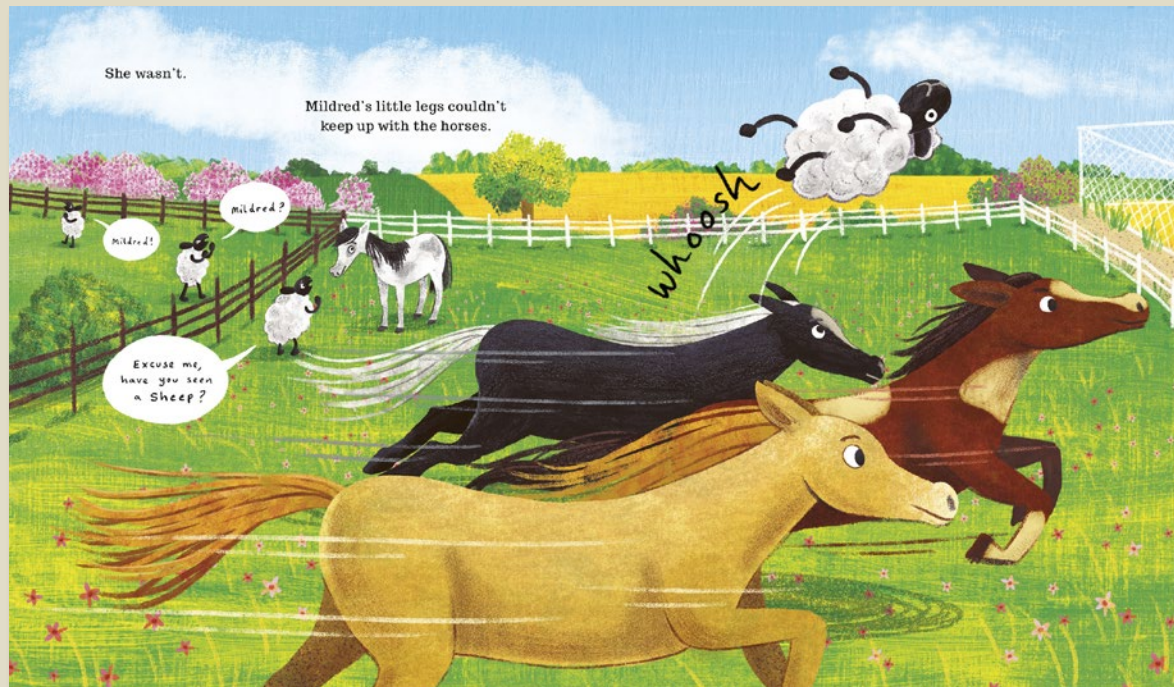
I'm More Than A Sheep



One sheep's farmyard odyssey.

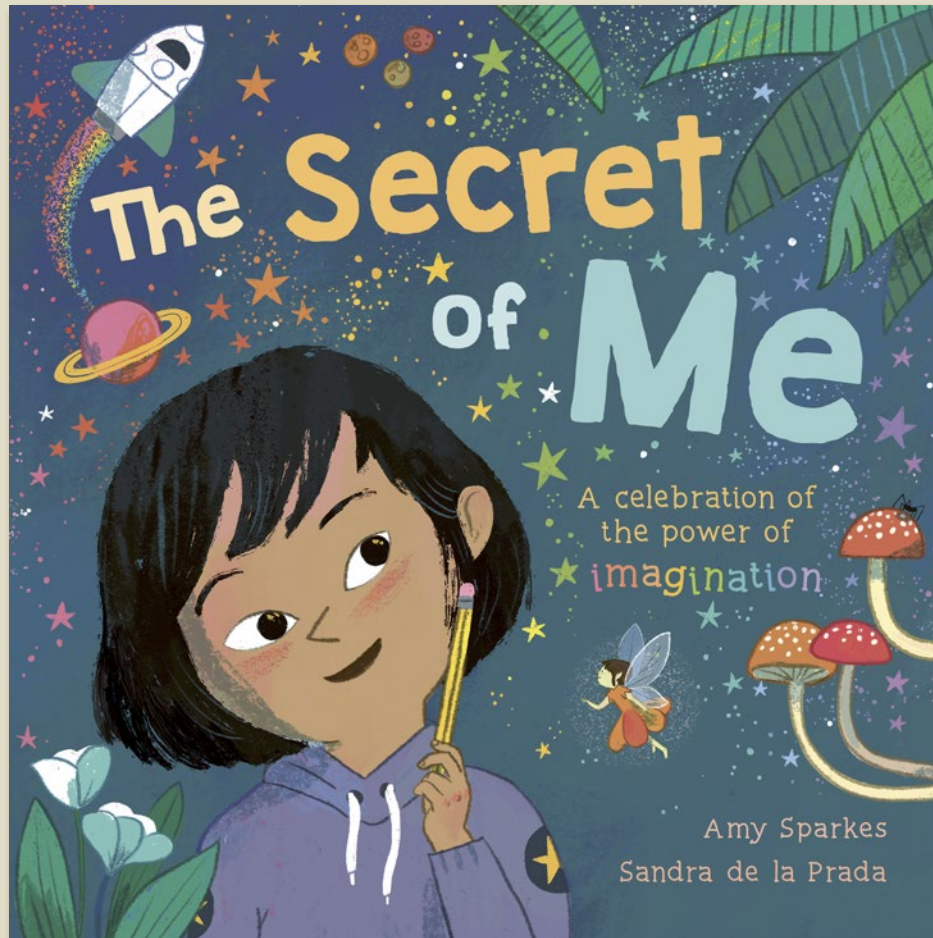
- Our third picture book with Bethany Christou, following *Nervous Nigel* and *Slow Samson* which has sold over 34,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022).
- A tale of identity, self-discovery and personal potential for children discovering their interests.
- A hilarious countryside adventure with a host of familiar animals

I'm More Than A Sheep



Pub Date	28/04/2022
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781800781603
H x W	265 x 228mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Category	Picture Book
Author	Bethany Christou
Illustrator	Bethany Christou
Extent	40pp
Word Count	750 words
Rights Available	World

The Secret of Me



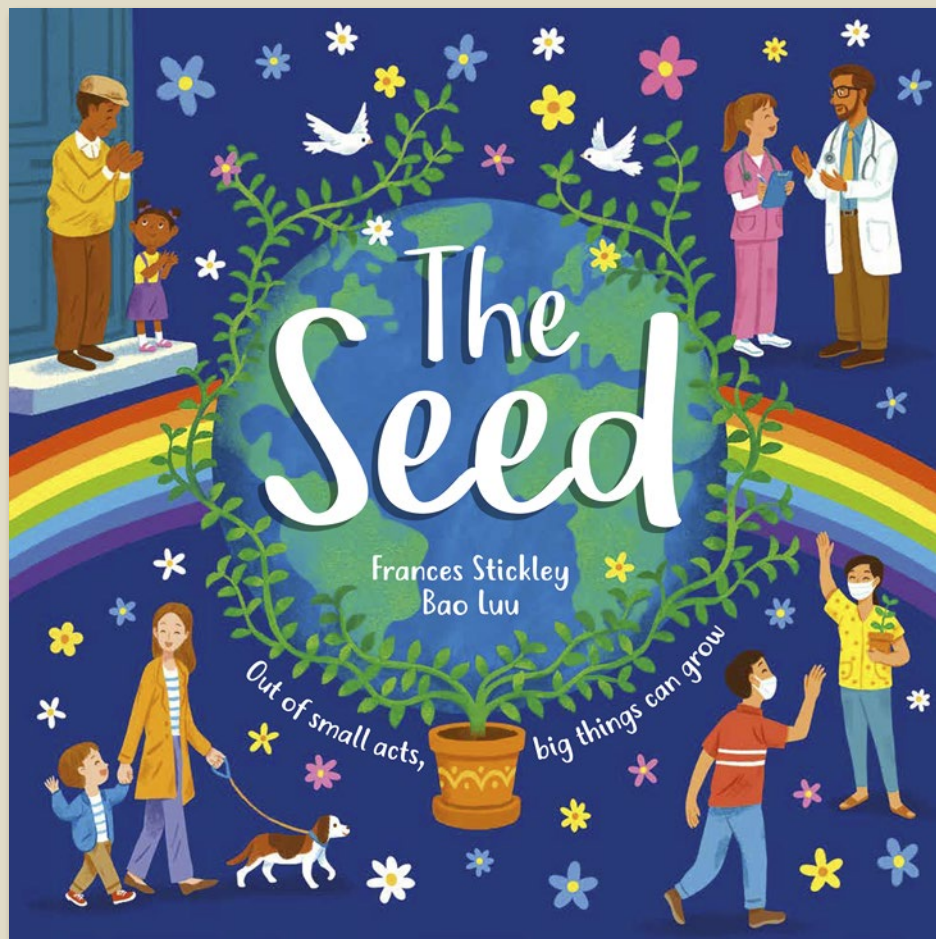
This uplifting picture book follows several children as they dream about what they might become when they are older.

- Celebrates diversity through a fantastic cast of characters.
- The concept of using your imagination and following your dreams will appeal to parents and children alike.
- Amy Sparkes is the author of many books for children, including *Do Not Enter the Monster Zoo*, the *Pirate Blunderbeard* series and the middle-grade series *The House At The Edge of Magic*.

The Secret of Me



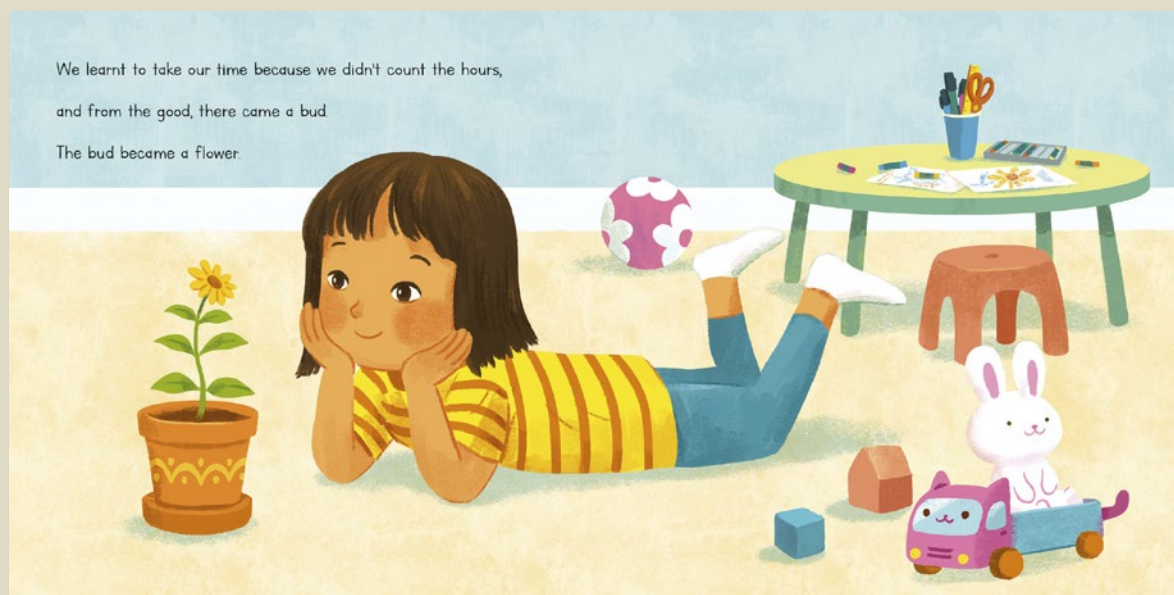
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Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787417304
H x W	250 x 250mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Category	Picture Book
Author	Amy Sparkes
Illustrator	Sandra de la Prada
Extent	32pp
Word Count	150 words
Rights Available	World



A reflection on the positive moments of lockdown and a hopeful look to the future.

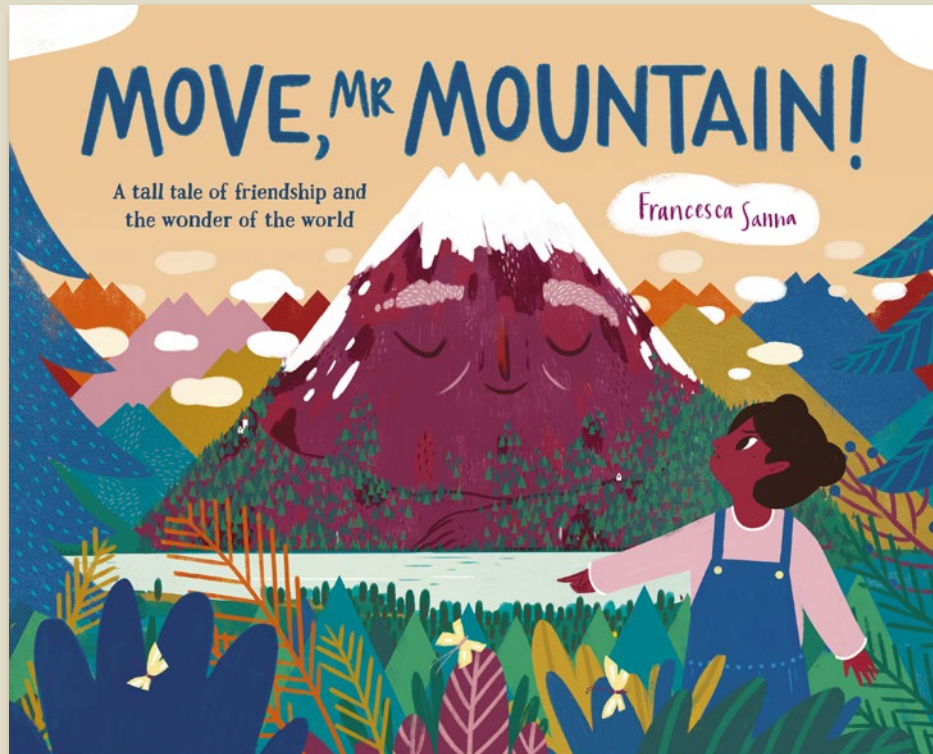
- Published to mark a year since many people worldwide experienced the first lockdown restrictions.
- A lyrical picture book that reflects on moments of joy during a difficult time.
- Written by Frances Stickley, author of Studio Press' *Daisy's Dragons*.

The Seed



Pub Date	01/04/2021
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787419445
H x W	250 x 250mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Category	Picture Book
Author	Frances Stickley
Illustrator	Bao Luu
Extent	32pp
Word Count	335 words
Rights Available	World

Move, Mr Mountain!



A beautiful story about unexpected friendships, consideration for others and the beauty the world has to offer.

- Francesca Sanna's *The Journey* was the winner of the 2017 Klaus Flugge Prize and also winner of the 2017 Amnesty CILIP Honour
- A beautiful story with a poignant message
- Matt lam and spot UV cover treatments

Move, Mr Mountain!



Pub Date	04/07/2024
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787418066
H x W	225 x 280mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Francesca Sanna
Illustrator	Francesca Sanna
Extent	32pp
Rights Available	World English Language

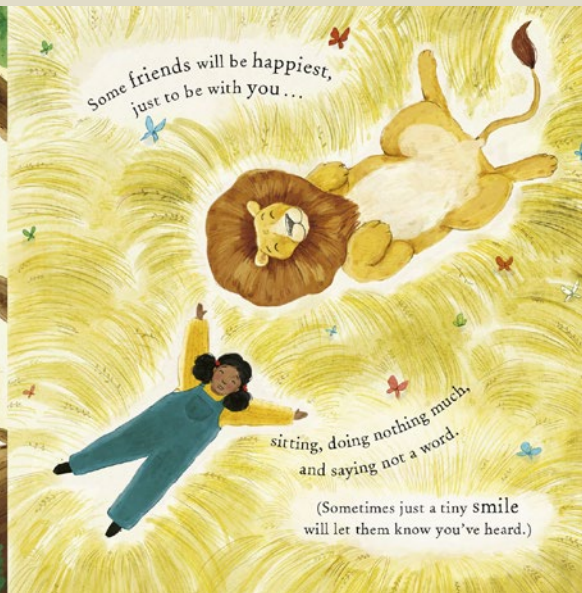
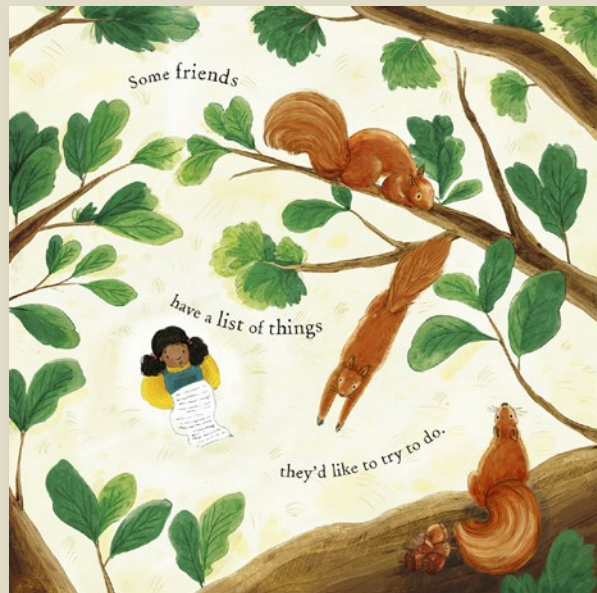
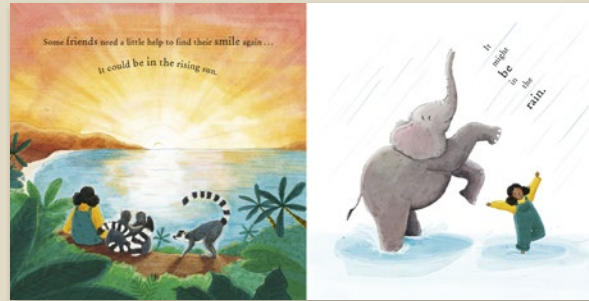
How To Mend a Friend



A heartfelt picture book that explains empathy, told in simple words.

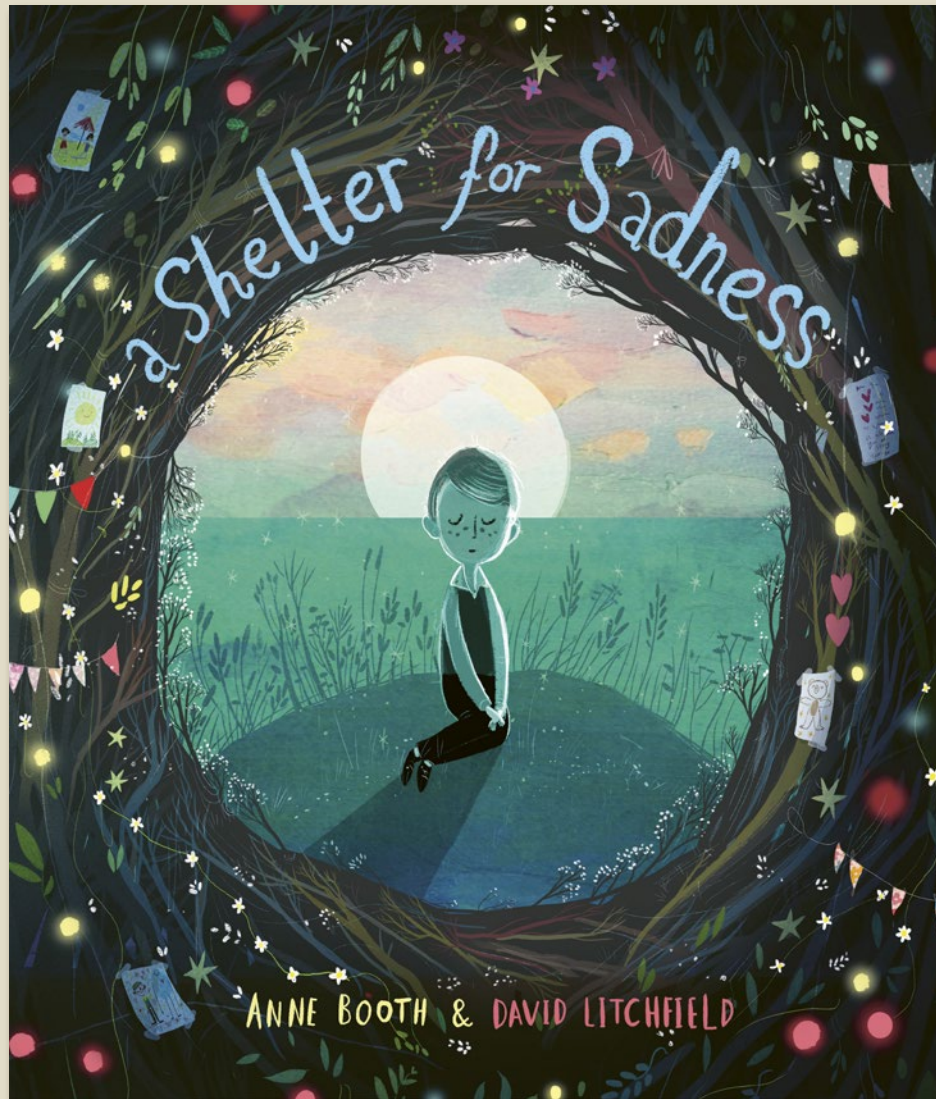
- Encourages empathy for a young audience and introduces simple concepts of mental wellbeing.
- Written by rising star and picture book author Karl Newson, whose previous titles include *I Am A Tiger* and *The Same But Different Too*.
- Complemented by the illustrations of Clara Anganuzzi (*Dear Earth*), the soft illustrations with a touch of humour will appeal to both parent and child.

How To Mend a Friend



Pub Date	10/06/2021
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787417717
H x W	250 x 250mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Category	Picture Book
Author	Karl Newson
Illustrator	Clara Anganuzzi
Extent	32pp
Word Count	374 words
Rights Available	World

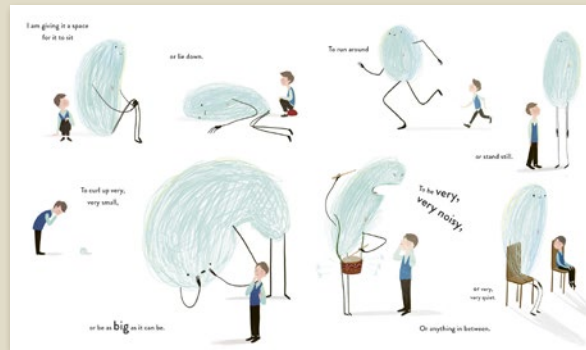
A Shelter for Sadness



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

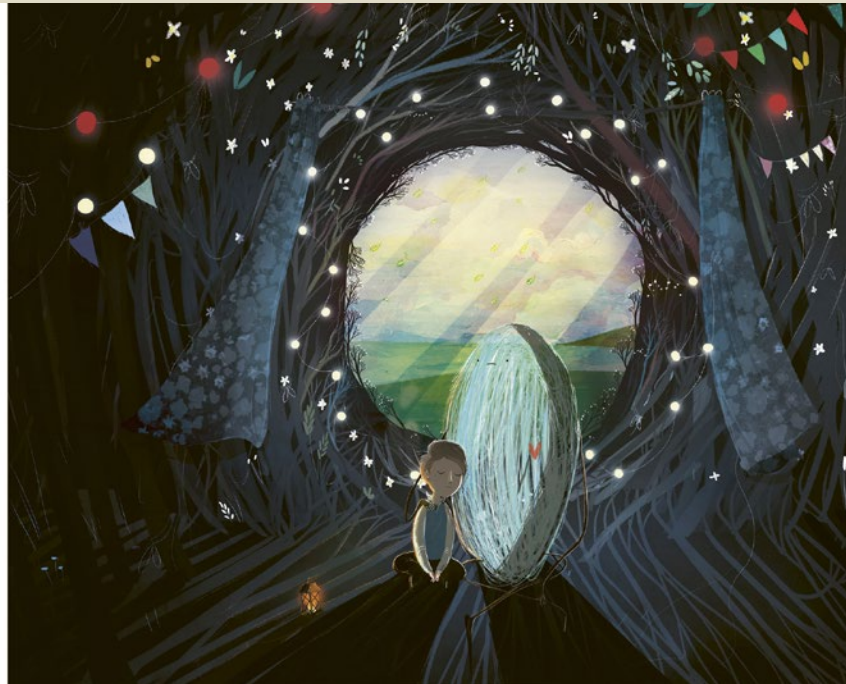
- Over 22,000 copies sold worldwide (as of July 2022)
- A poignant and heartwarming text addressing the hugely important and topical issue of sadness and depression
- Dealing with abstract emotions in an approachable and child-friendly way
- Anne Booth is known for the exceptional warmth and authenticity 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



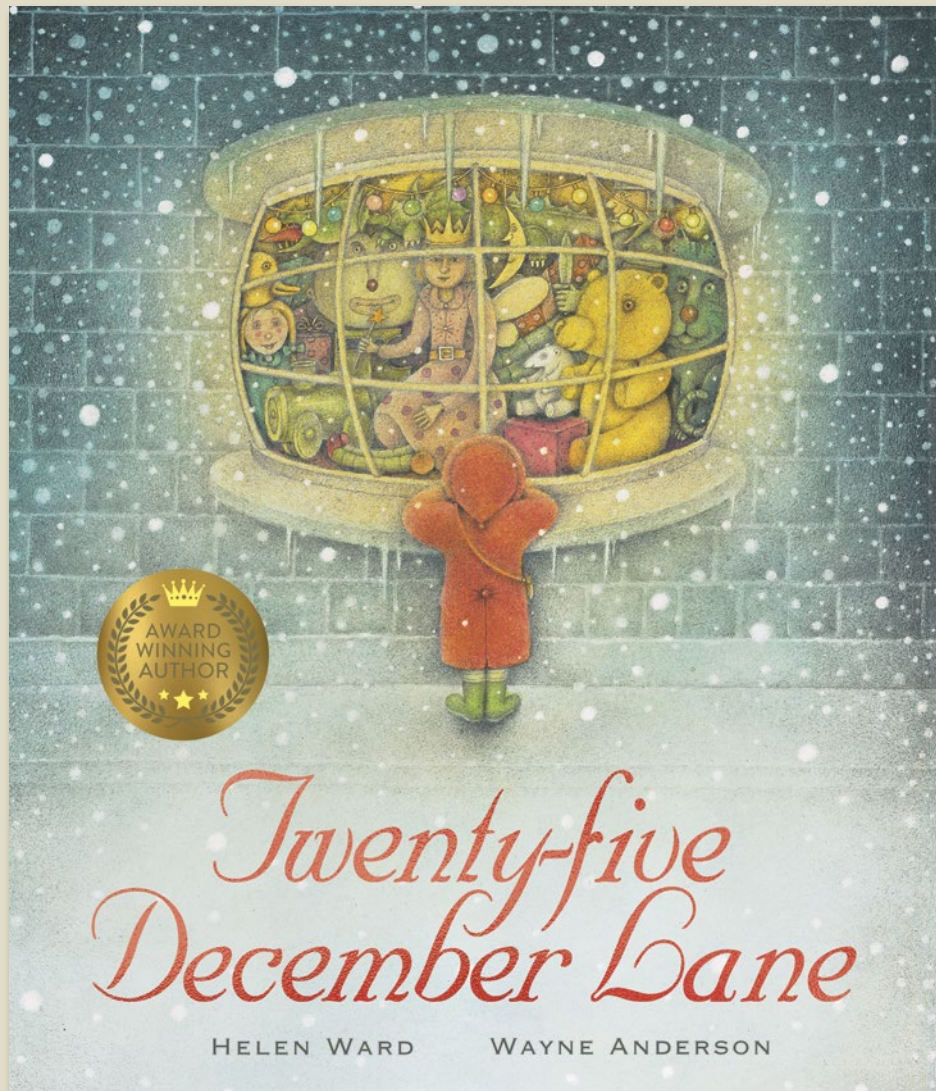
The shelter I will build for my Sadness will have light from the sun or from the moon and stars.

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.



Pub Date	24/02/2022
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781800780873
H x W	287 x 247mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Category	Picture Book
Author	Anne Booth
Illustrator	David Litchfield
Extent	40pp
Word Count	460 words
Rights Available	World

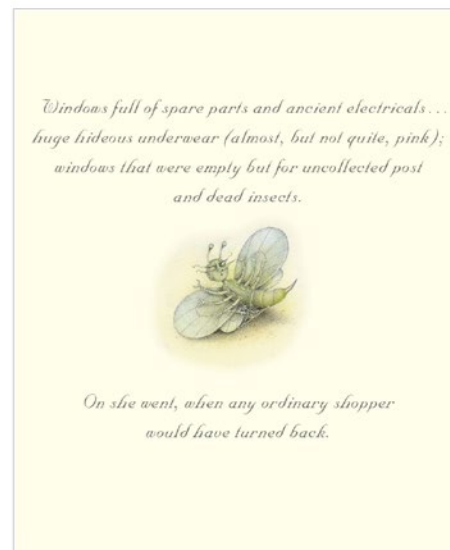
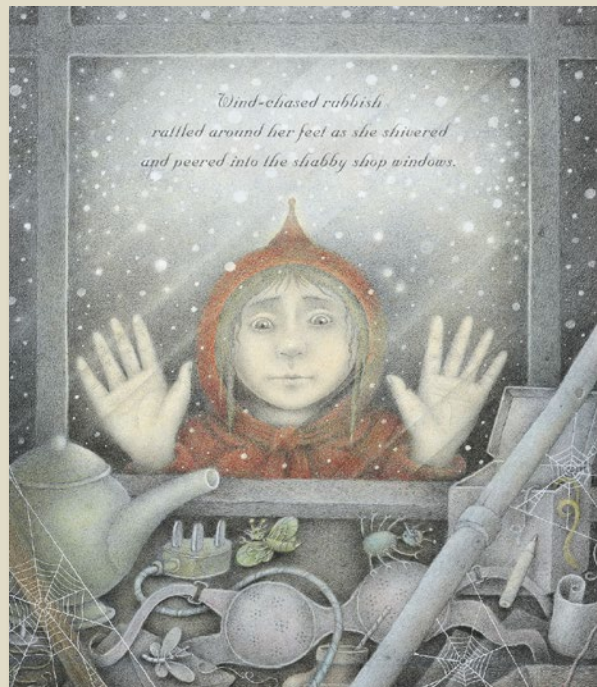
Twenty-Five December Lane



A girl looking for the perfect present finds a magical shop and meets a mysterious, white-bearded customer.

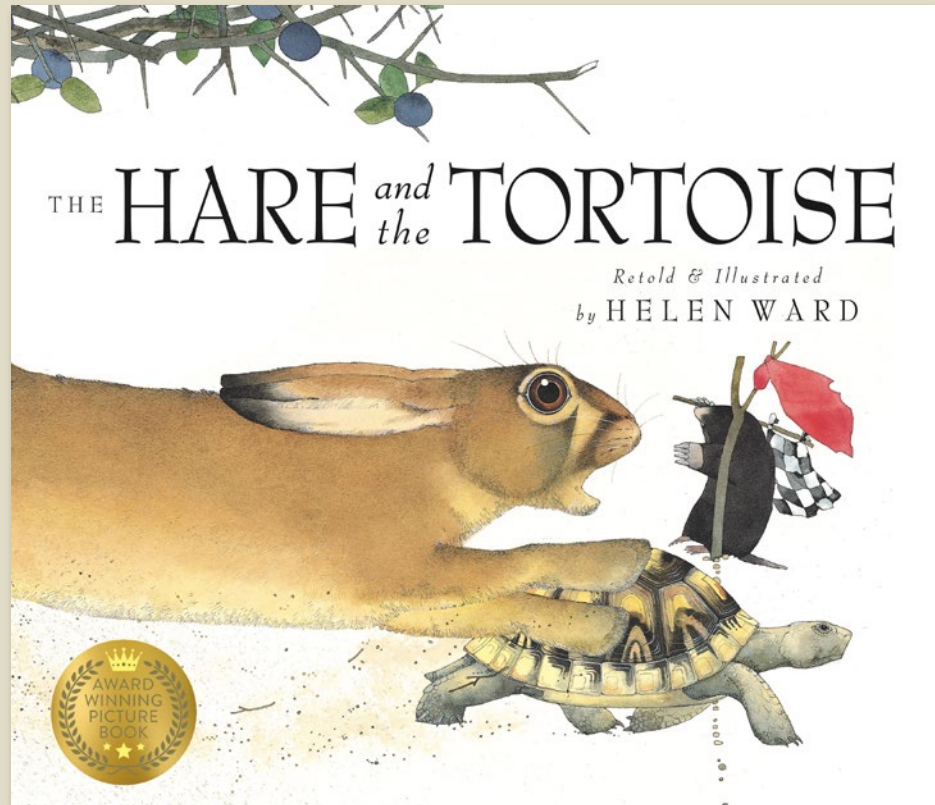
- Over 30,000 copies sold worldwide (as of July 2022)
- Created by the award-winning talents of Helen Ward and Wayne Anderson
- A perfect Christmas tale to show children the magic of the winter holidays
- A new reissue in the Templar range of Helen Ward's work, such as *The Cockerel and the Fox* and *The Hare and the Tortoise*
- Cover finishes: matt lam and two foils

Twenty-Five December Lane



Pub Date	28/10/2021
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787419841
H x W	287 x 247mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Helen Ward
Illustrator	Wayne Anderson
Extent	40pp
Word Count	650 words
Rights Available	World

The Hare and the Tortoise



**Award-winning
illustrator Helen
Ward's beautiful
retelling of the
classic fable.**

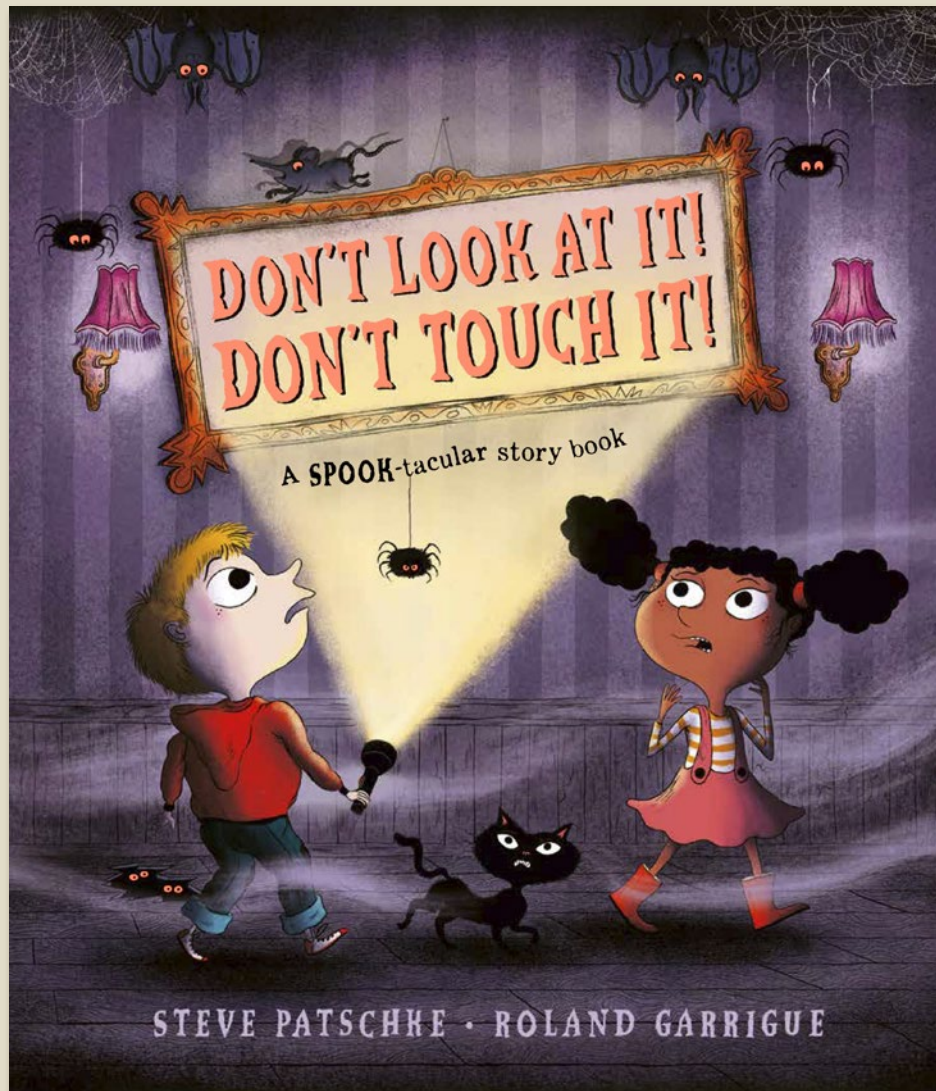
- Teaches children the timeless lesson that it is better to be slow and steady than race ahead without thinking
- A re-issue of a classic Templar backlist title
- Includes non-fiction educational material about the many animals included
- Illustrated by the award-winning Helen Ward, winner of the British National Art Library Award, the Walker Prize for Children's Illustration, and shortlisted for the 2003 Kate Greenaway Medal.

The Hare and the Tortoise



Pub Date	08/07/2021
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787419414
H x W	240 x 280mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Helen Ward
Extent	40pp
Word Count	2000 words
Rights Available	World

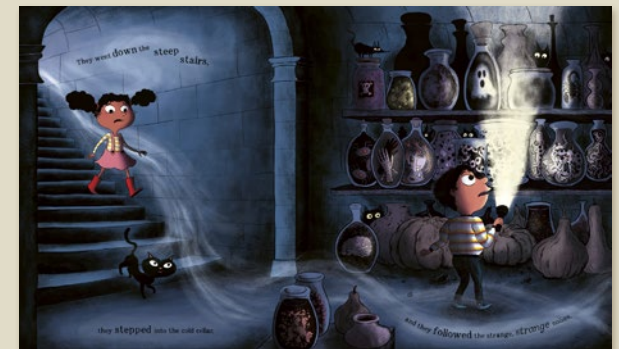
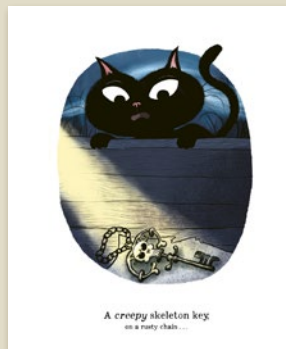
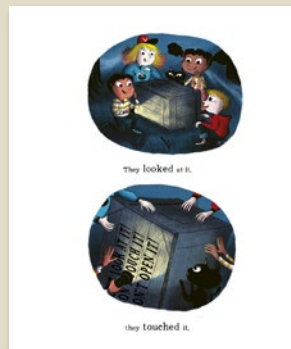
Don't Look At It! Don't Touch It!



A delightfully spooky picture book that's perfect for families at Halloween.

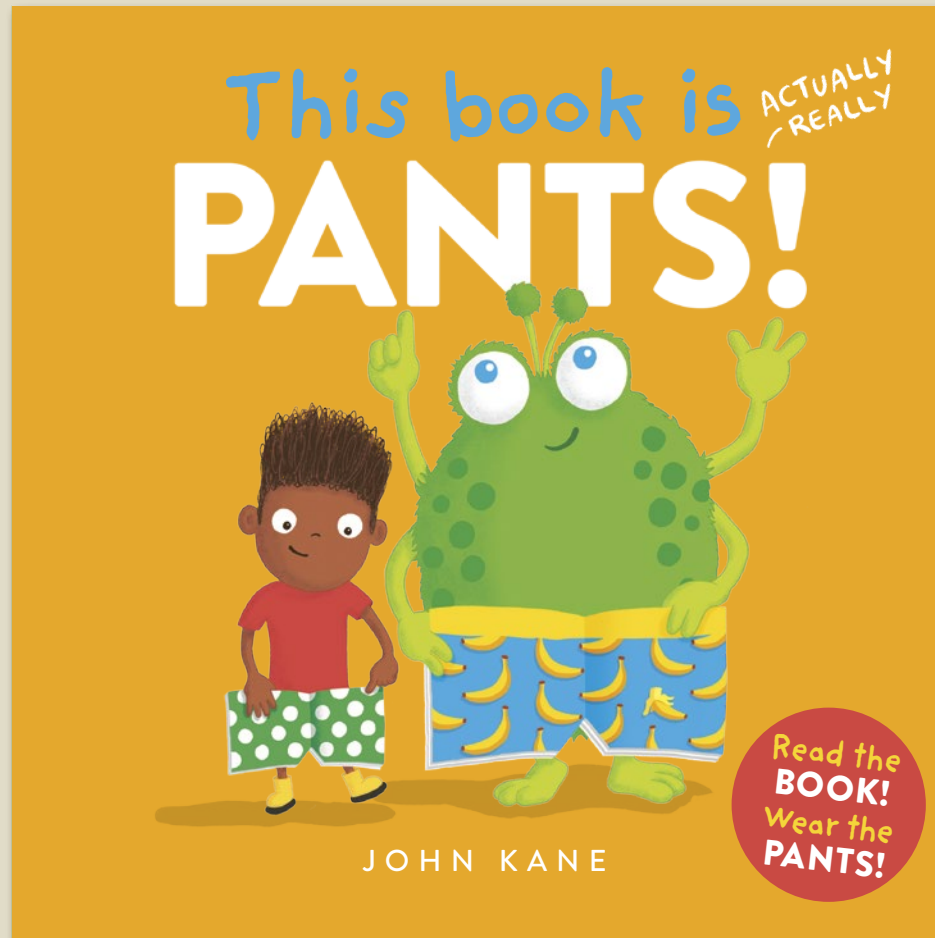
- A Halloween classic, this book can be read time and time again
- Perfect for families, with the right level of spookiness and humour to satisfy all ages
- Inky illustrations, pencil and watercolour give this a timeless feel
- Matt lam and fluoro pantone cover treatments

Don't Look At It! Don't Touch It!



Pub Date	16/09/2021
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787417359
H x W	265 x 228mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Steve Patschke
Illustrator	Roland Garrigue
Extent	40pp
Word Count	540 words
Rights Available	World

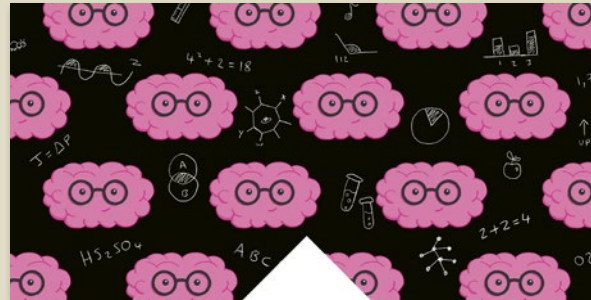
This Book is Pants



An intergalactic adventure with pants from the author of *I Say ooh, You Say Aah*.

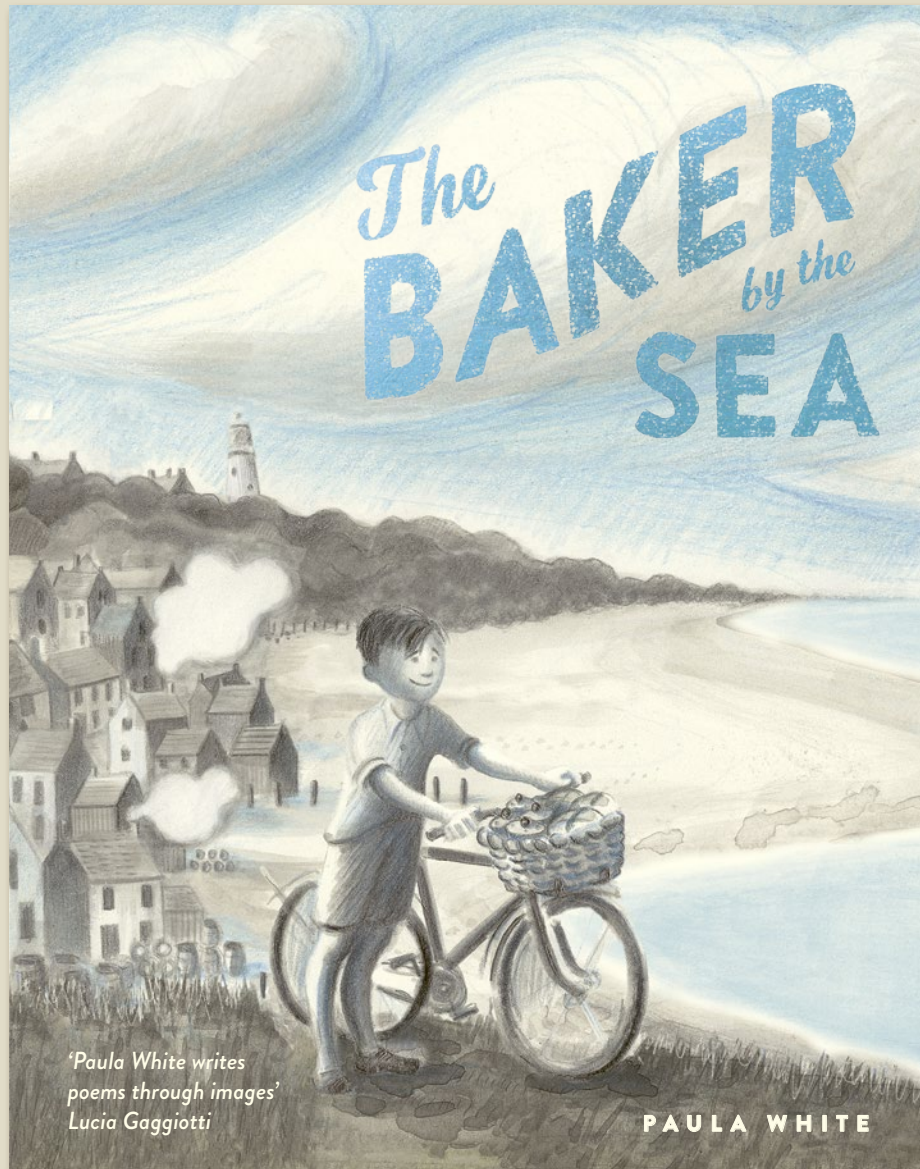
- From the author and illustrator of the bestselling *I Say Ooh, You Say Aah*, which has sold over 160,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022).
- *I Say Ooh, You Say Aah* won the English Picture Book Awards 4-& category; won the Children's and Teen choice Award in the US; and was shortlisted for the Irish Book Awards Children's Book of the Year.
- An interactive picture book with a die cut corner. When the book is open the pages become pairs of pants which follow the story and that readers can 'wear'.
- John Kane is a master of interactive storytelling and child-centric humour.

This Book is Pants



Pub Date	16/09/2021
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787419230
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Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	John Kane
Illustrator	John Kane
Extent	52pp
Word Count	400 words
Rights Available	World

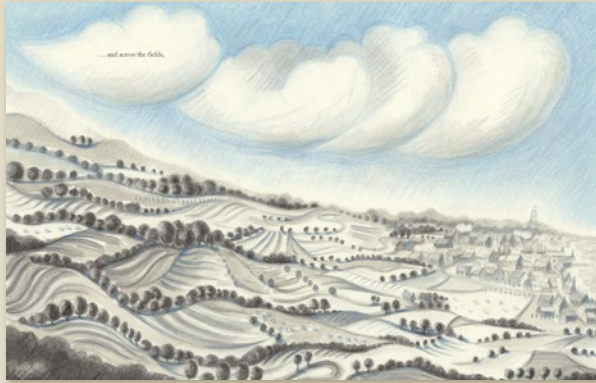
The Baker by the Sea



A seaside storybook about community and family

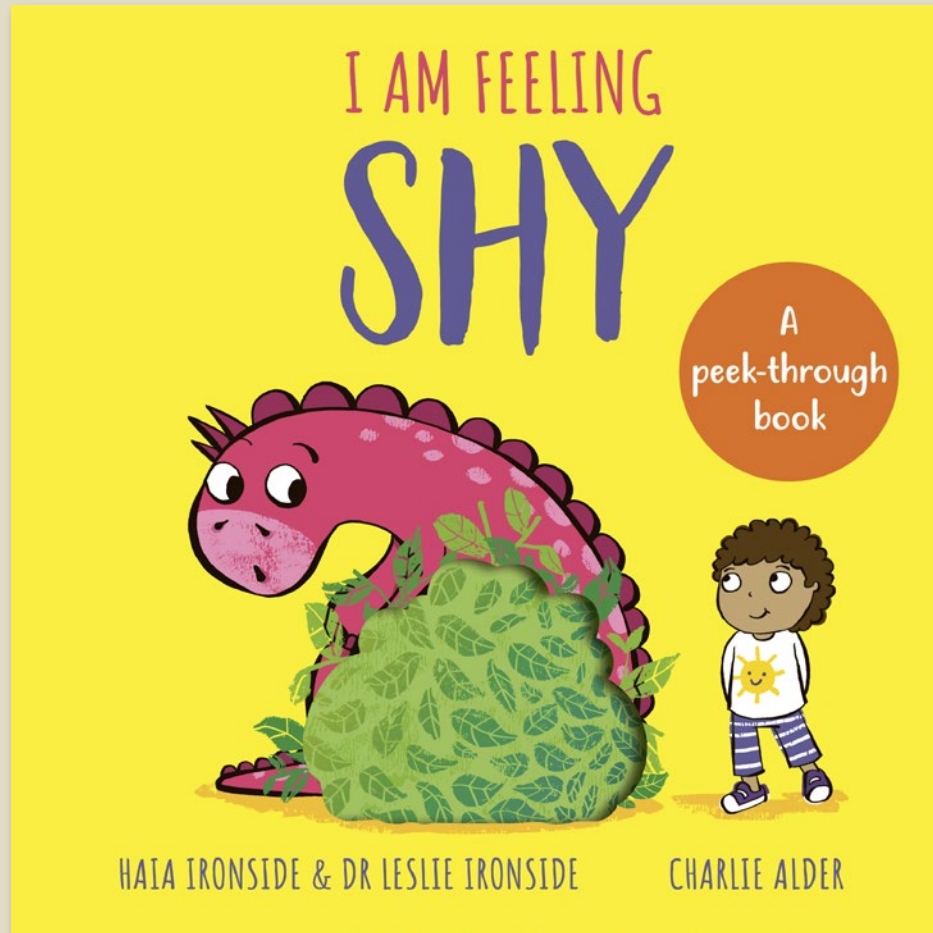
- Atmospheric pen-and-ink artwork from debut author and illustrator Paula White. Paula was winner of the 2019 Templar Design and Illustration Awards.
- Reminiscent of the Greenaway winning *Town is by the Sea* (Walker, 2018).
- The story offers a window onto the past, guiding us around the Beach Village 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	26/05/2022
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787419186
H x W	300 x 235mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Paula White
Illustrator	Paula White
Extent	40pp
Word Count	500 words
Rights Available	World

I Am Feeling Shy



A reassuring picture book about feelings.

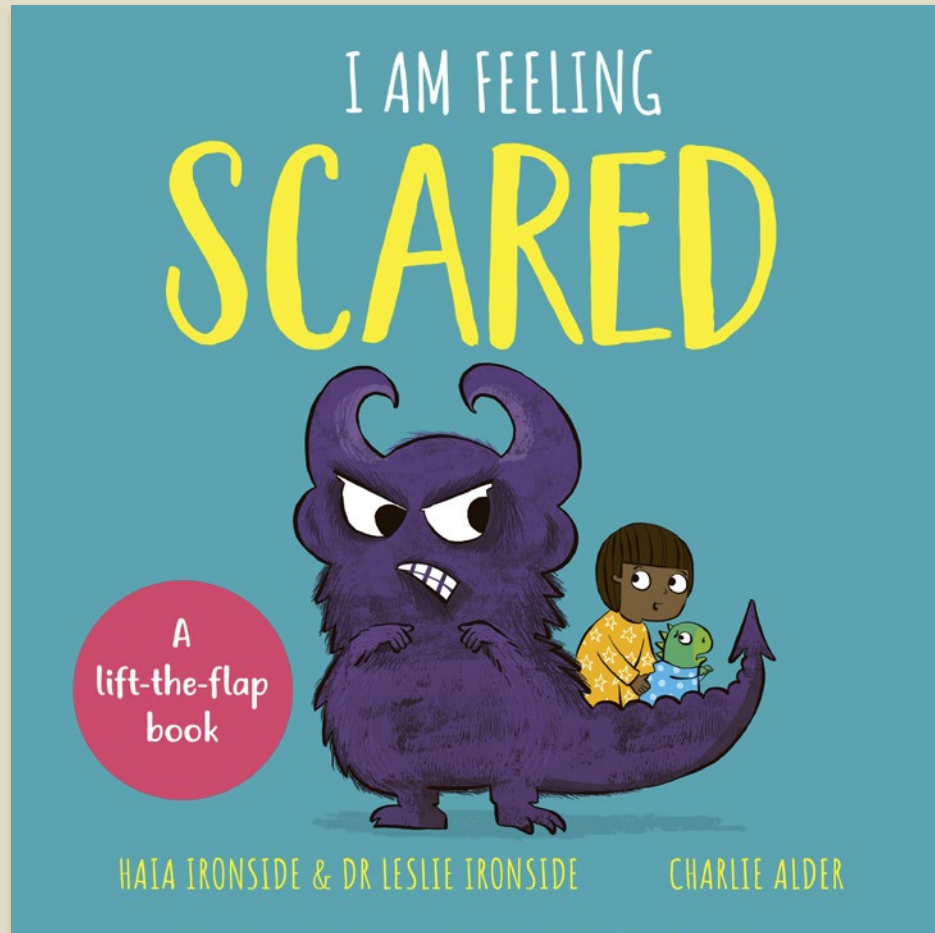
- With a die cut running throughout.
- Encourages discussion about, and normalisation of, difficult feelings for young children.
- Written by father-daughter duo, Dr Leslie Ironside and Haia Ironside - they combine their experience as psychotherapist and teacher to create this series.
- Also includes a 'notes for carers' spread at the back of the book, to empower adults to support the children under their care.
- Cover finish: mat lam with die-cut shape.

I Am Feeling Shy



Pub Date	27/04/2023
Pub Price	£8.99
ISBN	9781787417847
H x W	230 x 230mm
Binding	Hardback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Stephanie Milton Haia Ironside and Dr Leslie Ironside
Illustrator	Charlie Alder
Extent	32pp
Word Count	350 words
Translation Files	09/09/2022
Files To Printer	02/12/2022
Freight On Board	09/02/2023
Rights Available	World

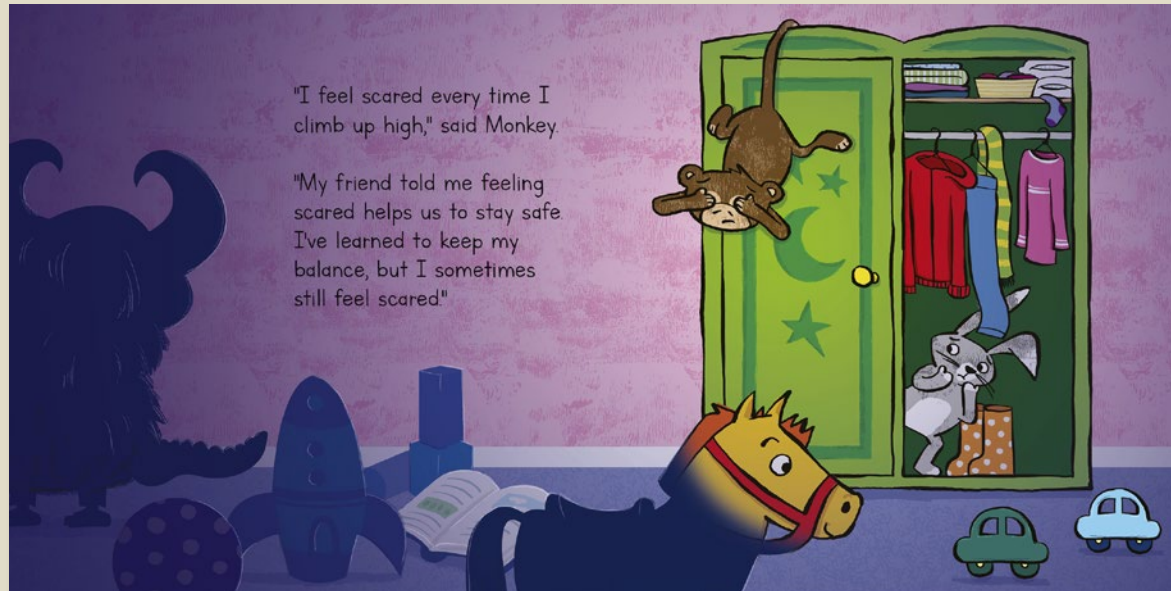
I Am Feeling Scared



A reassuring picture book about feelings.

- Encourages discussion about, and normalisation of, difficult feelings for young children.
- Written by father-daughter duo, Dr Leslie Ironside and Haia Ironside - they combine their experience as psychotherapist and teacher to create this series.
- Also includes a 'notes for carers' spread at the back of the book, to empower adults to support the children under their care.
- Cover finish: mat lam.
- With lift-the-flaps throughout.

I Am Feeling Scared



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Ratty's Big Adventure



A mysterious creature from a secluded volcano crater explores the outside world for the very first time.

- From the Greenaway-nominated author and illustrator of *The Night Flower*, which won the 2020 CBHL Annual Literature Award of Excellence in Children and Young Adult Literature and *Alba the Hundred Year Old Fish* which has sold over 41,000 copies worldwide (as of July 2022).
- Lara Hawthorne writes and illustrates some of the best narrative non-fiction on the market.

Ratty's Big Adventure



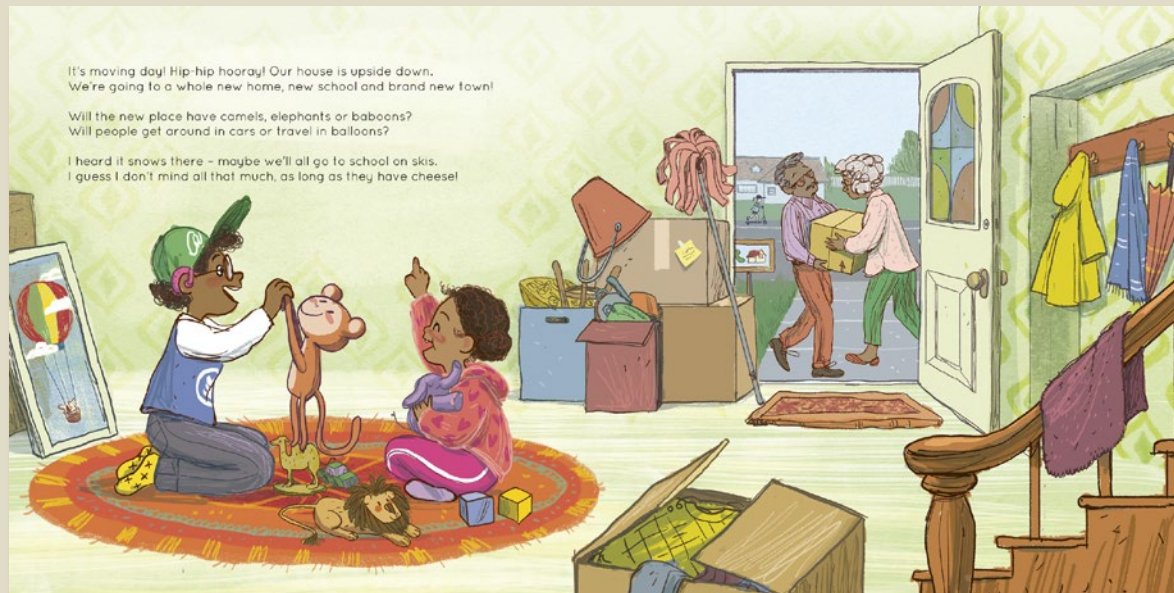
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Pub Price	£12.99
ISBN	9781787418769
H x W	280 x 216mm
Binding	Hardback
Age Range	5-7 years
Author	Lara Hawthorne
Illustrator	Lara Hawthorne
Extent	40pp
Word Count	800 words
Rights Available	World



Nine families worldwide move home.

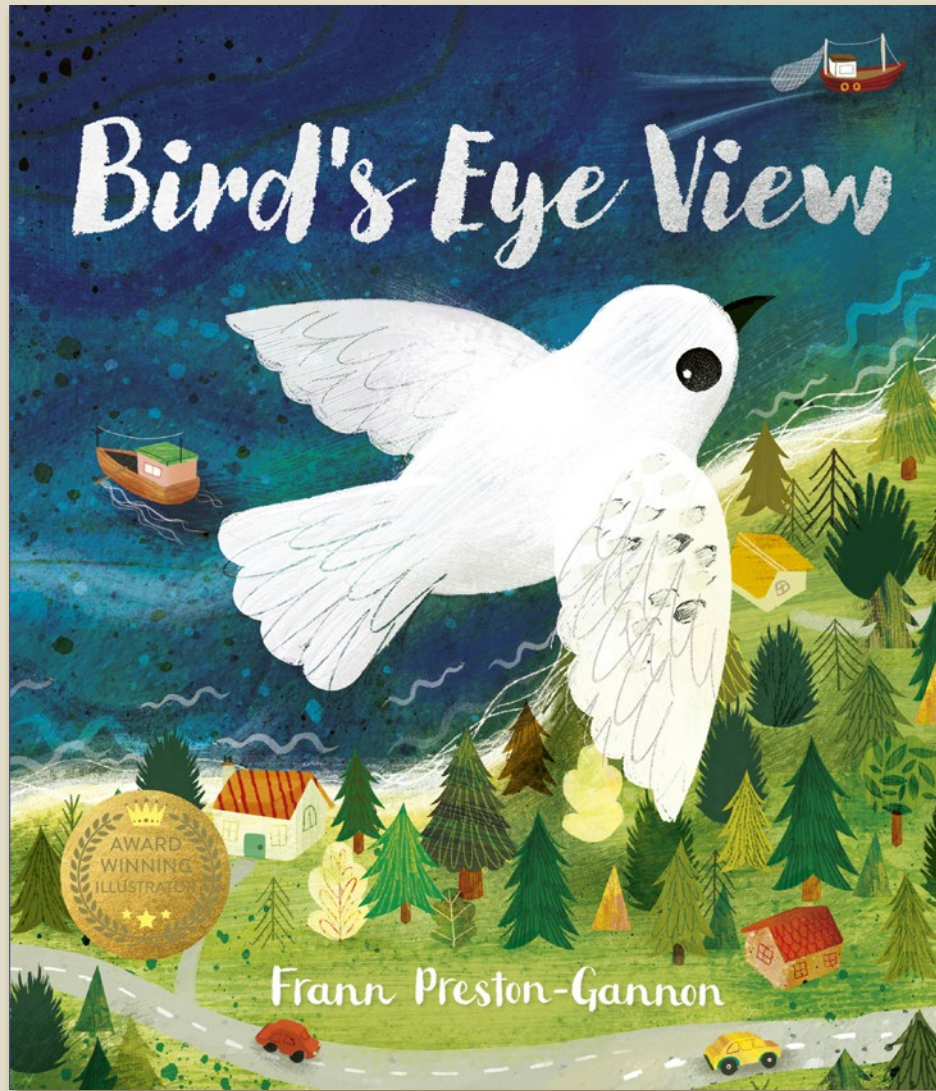
- In the UK, around 100,000 households move each month.
- This book aims to be inclusive, with a diverse range of family set-ups and homes.
- There are very few books available for young children that explore this life-changing event.
- Soft artwork and rhyming text make this a reassuring read, perfect for preparing young children for home moves.

We're Moving



Pub Date	31/03/2022
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787419421
H x W	250 x 250mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Category	Picture Book
Author	Adam and Charlotte Guillain
Illustrator	Zeynep Ozatalay
Extent	32pp
Word Count	670 words
Rights Available	World

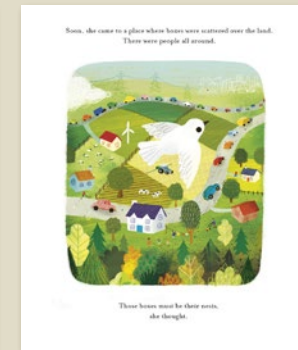
Bird's Eye View



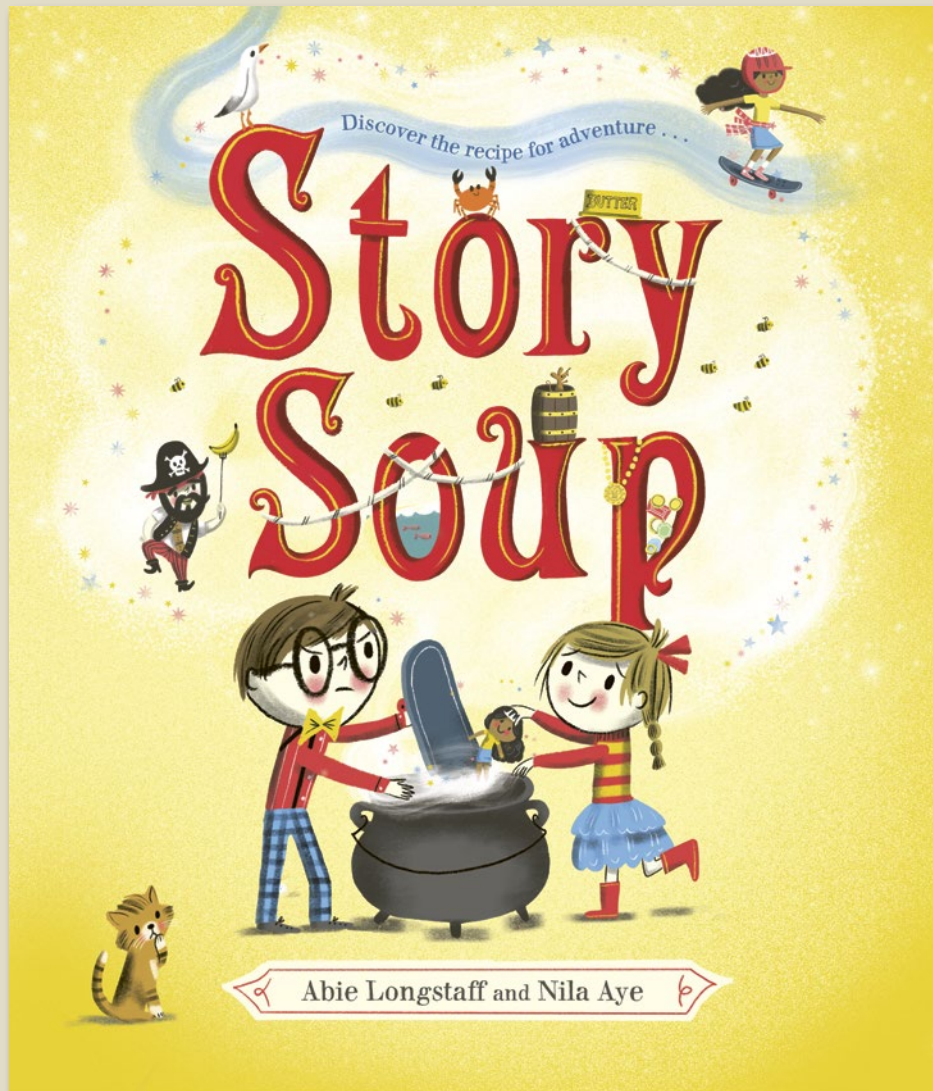
A warm, lyrical exploration of the many sides of humanity.

- Frann Preston-Gannon is a multi-award winning illustrator and author. In 2011 she was the first UK recipient of the Sendak fellowship. Her first picture book, *The Journey Home*, won the 2012 Waterstones Prize and *I am the Seed that Grew the Tree* was the 2019 Waterstones Gift of the Year.
- *In the Swamp by the Light of the Moon* won Bank Street College of Education's 2020 Best Children's Book of the Year in the US.
- A gentle, philosophical story with a message about kindness at its heart.
- Matt lam and foil

Bird's Eye View



Pub Date	05/08/2021
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787416840
H x W	287 x 247mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Frann Preston-Gannon
Illustrator	Frann PrestonGannon
Extent	40pp
Word Count	500 words
Rights Available	World



A picture book about how to brew an unexpected story.

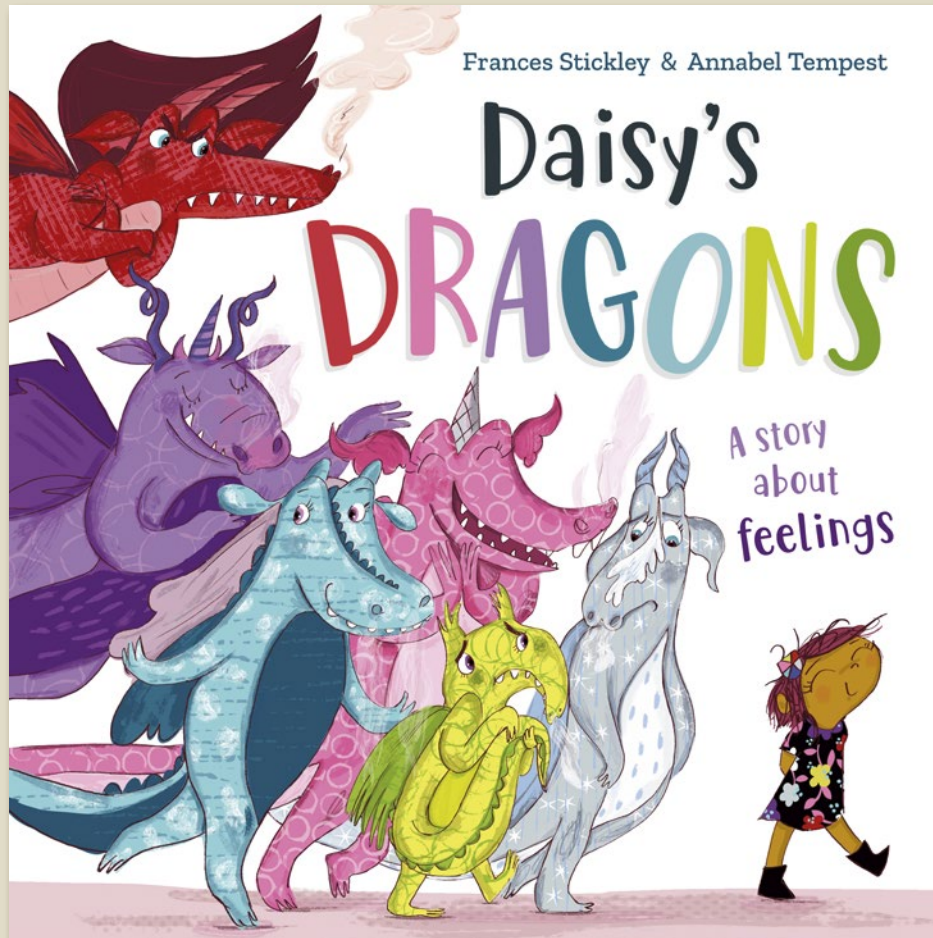
- A wonderfully imaginative story with a poignant message about learning to work together.
- Author of the Fairytale Hairdresser series, which has sold more than 290,000 copies through TCM
- Illustrated by Nila Aye, who illustrated Templar's Fearless Mirabelle

Story Soup



Pub Date	08/07/2021
Pub Price	£6.99
ISBN	9781787415591
H x W	287 x 247mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Category	Picture Book
Author	Abie Longstaff
Illustrator	Nila Aye
Extent	40pp
Word Count	900 words
Rights Available	World

Daisy's Dragons



A delightful picture book which explores the importance of emotions.

- Frances Stickley is a former primary teacher and now full-time writer. Her debut titles *Love you Always* and *What will you Dream of Tonight* were published in 2019.
- Annabel Tempest's illustrations bring a humour to the text, with colourful growing and shrinking dragons throughout.
- Thoughtful title which introduces children to the concept of positive and negative emotions and the importance of balance between the two.

Daisy's Dragons



Pub Date	19/08/2021
Pub Price	£7.99
ISBN	9781787418974
H x W	250 x 250mm
Binding	Paperback
Age Range	0-5 years
Author	Frances Stickley
Illustrator	Annabel Tempest
Extent	32pp
Word Count	720 words
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