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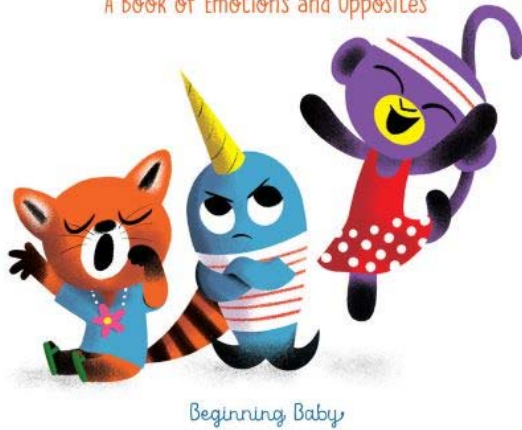
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# A Day Full of Feelings

A Book of Emotions and Opposites



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## A Day Full of Feelings

Beginning Baby  
by Chronicle Books

**New in the Beginning Baby board book series: Join an adorable group of animal friends for a day at school that's full of feelings! Whether they are sad or glad, shy or excited, the friends know it's important to express their many emotions.**

Welcome to Beginning Baby, a line of novelty board books and gifts designed to give little ones a bright start! Vetted by early childhood experts and thoughtfully created with input from parents and caregivers, each Beginning Baby book explores educational concepts tied to early learning milestones, building a foundation for a strong beginning.

A sweet and energetic cast of animal characters guides babies through early learning concepts in a playful way that reinforces ideas through rhythm and repetition and engages eyes and hands with flaps, moving parts, mirrors, or tabs. With its irresistible interactive elements, colorful and decorative designs, and strong educational framework, Beginning Baby makes growing and learning for babies as easy as playing and dreaming.

In *A Day Full of Feelings*, each character learns that it's okay to feel a certain way and that with the help of friends, everyone can express their emotions safely. A delightful picture book that encourages empathy and understanding, this feelings book makes a special gift or self-purchase for just the right moment in a child's and a parent's life.

**FEELINGS ARE UNIVERSAL:** Every day is full of many feelings! Whether it's sadness or happiness, fear or laughter, or (...)

## Author Bio

A graphic designer and bona fide plant geek based in Perth, Western Australia, Scott Cain is a certified gardening guru and has appeared on Gardening Australia.

Chronicle Books

On Sale: Oct 17/23

7 x 7 • 20 pages

**9781797218441** • \$11.99 • CL - Board Book, full-color illustrations throughout

Juvenile Fiction / Social / Emotions & Feelings • Ages 0-3 years

Series: Beginning Baby

## Notes

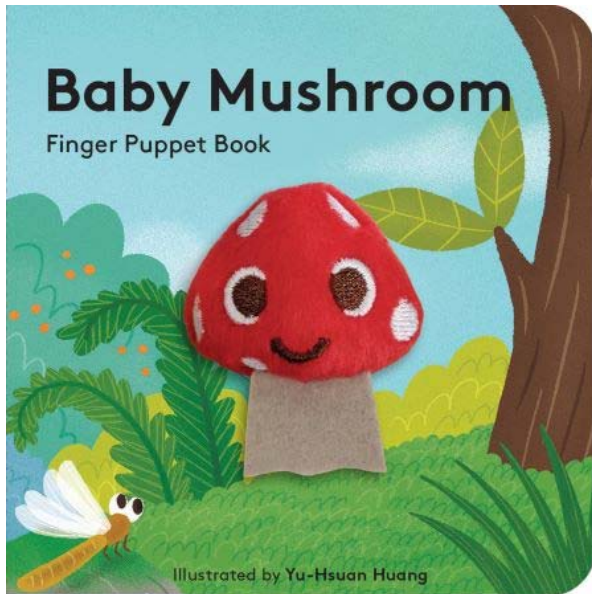
## Promotion



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### Baby Mushroom: Finger Puppet Book

illustrated by Yu-Hsuan Huang

**Bursting with color and charm, this adorable finger puppet book lets inquisitive babies and toddlers touch, feel, and explore their growing world.**

Newborns will love snuggling up with this adorable baby mushroom! With irresistibly cute art and sweet, simple text, this forest-themed offering from the bestselling Baby Finger Puppet series is guaranteed to delight parents and toddlers alike. Featuring a plush finger puppet that peeks into each lovingly illustrated page, *Baby Mushroom* offers parents and children a fun, interactive way to play and read as they build a lifelong love of books (and nature!) together.

OVER 7 MILLION COPIES SOLD IN THE SERIES! The Finger Puppet books are a trusted series for new parents and gift-givers.

**PERFECT NEW BABY GIFT:** This little mushroom book is just the thing for baby showers and birthdays! Pair with baby mushroom clothes or a cute mushroom decor item to create an adorable and memorable gift.

**PLAYTIME MEETS LEARNING:** A simple storyline shares themes of forest life, while a colorful cloth finger puppet offers a chance for little hands to build motor skills.

**NEW FUNGI FRIENDS:** A sweet introduction to the world of mushrooms, *Baby Mushroom* is sure to delight nature lovers of all ages.

**STURDY AND SECURE:** Never worry about losing this soft plush finger puppet, which is permanently attached to the back cover of the book.

Perfect for:

- Parents, grandparents, and caregivers looking for a hands-on way to entertain their little ones

- Gift-givers searching for cute, distinctive presents for birthday parties, baby showers, or holidays
- Nature lovers, mushroom hunters, and forest and plant enthusiasts of all ages
- Fans of the Baby Finger Puppet series
- Anyone seeking an interactive and educational gift for young children

### Author Bio



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Chronicle Books

On Sale: Aug 29/23

4.33 x 4.33 • 12 pages

**9781797220215** • \$11.99 • BK - Novelty Book, full-color images throughout, die-cut board book with attached plush finger puppet

Juvenile Fiction / Animals / Baby Animals • Ages 0-3 years

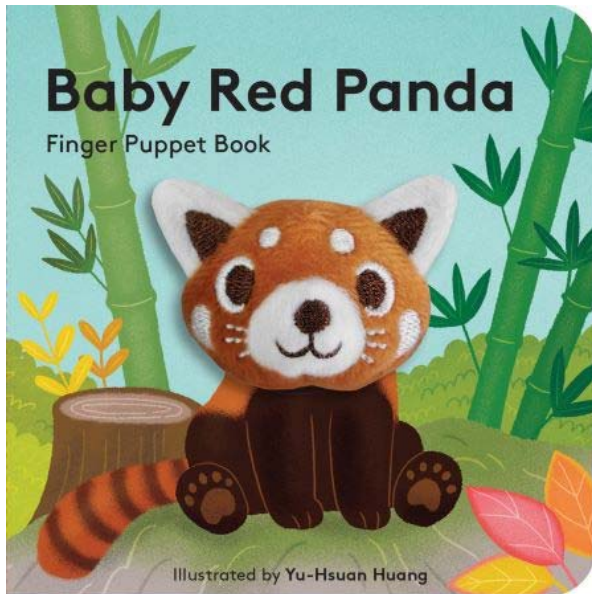
Series: Little Finger Puppets

### Notes

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### Baby Red Panda: Finger Puppet Book

illustrated by Yu-Hsuan Huang

**Bursting with color and charm, this adorable finger puppet book lets inquisitive babies and toddlers touch, feel, and explore their growing world.**

Newborns will love snuggling up with this sweet baby animal friend! Follow Baby Red Panda through the gentle rhythms of its day as it explores the treetops and nibbles on bamboo. Featuring a plush finger puppet that peeks into each lovingly illustrated page, this latest entry in the bestselling Finger Puppet series offers parents and children a fun, interactive way to play and read as they build a lifelong love of books together.

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**PERFECT NEW BABY GIFT:** This little red panda book is just the thing for baby showers and birthdays! Pair with a red panda onesie or red panda stuffed animal to create an adorable and memorable gift.

**PLAYTIME MEETS LEARNING:** A simple storyline provides an introduction to this lovable animal, while a colorful cloth finger puppet offers a chance for little hands to build motor skills.

**ADORABLE ANIMAL FRIENDS:** From exploring the sunny treetops to curling up under the stars, toddlers will be enchanted by Baby Red Panda's everyday adventures.

**STURDY AND SECURE:** Never worry about losing this soft plush finger puppet, which is permanently attached to the back cover of the (...)

### Author Bio

Yu-Hsuan Huang, also known as Smallx2, is an illustrator and artist from Taichung City, Taiwan, where she lives with her family and cats.

Chronicle Books

On Sale: Aug 29/23

4.3 x 4.3 • 12 pages

**9781797220222** • \$11.99 • BK - Novelty Book, full-color images throughout, die-cut board book with attached plush finger puppet

Juvenile Fiction / Animals / Baby Animals • Ages 0-3 years

Series: Little Finger Puppets

### Notes

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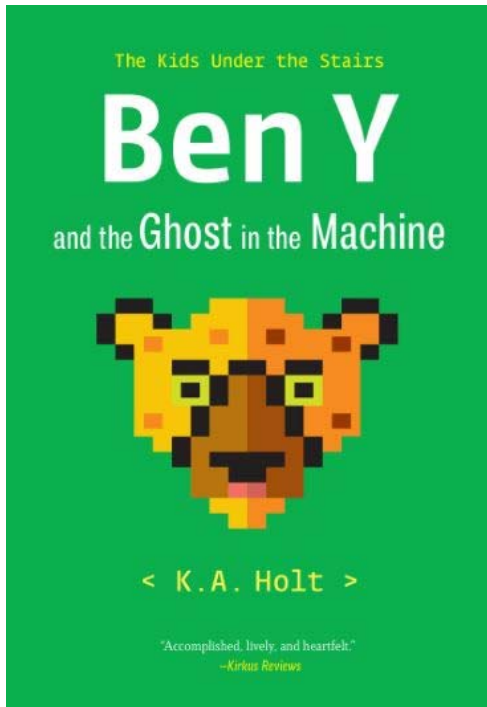


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### Ben Y and the Ghost in the Machine

The Kids Under the Stairs

by K.A. Holt

**The second book in the Kids Under the Stairs series is now available in paperback! A heartwarming, laugh-out-loud novel-in-verse that tells an authentic story about friendship, family, and personal identity.**

Ben Y's just about had it with school. Every corner she turns, she's being called Benita," getting Dress Coded by Mr. Mann for some supposedly inappropriate item of clothing, or running into the ineffable, inescapable, indefinable Ace-who makes her feel weird, weirdly seen, and strangely at peace, all at once. Even her best buds-Ben B, Jordan J, and Javier, the kids under the stairs-all seem far too content following the rules and making their school newspaper under the attentive direction of their beloved teacher, Ms. J.

And home's no better. Last year, Ben Y's older brother died, and the family is still very much learning how to cope-if by coping you mean coming home to cry at lunch, or secretly building a friendship bracelet empire, or obsessively visiting a chatroom to talk to Benicio's ghost. But when Benicio suddenly starts typing back, Ben Y must act-fast, hard, and *now*. What happens when those actions collide, buried family feelings are exposed, and Ben Y's own deepest secrets become impossible to hide?

With a lovable cast of characters and full of raw emotion, this novel-in-verse celebrates different types of intelligence and shows how every kid deserves to become their own "divergent" self.

**NEW UNDERSTANDING OF IDENTITY:** The main character in this book is struggling to figure out how she defines herself, both on the inside (...)

### Author Bio

K.A. Holt is the author of *Rhyme Schemer*, *House Arrest*, *Knockout*, *Redwood and Ponytail*, and the Kids Under the Stairs series, along with several other books for young people. She lives in Austin, Texas, and is active within the vibrant Texas writing community.

Chronicle Books

On Sale: Aug 15/23

5.62 x 8.12 • 440 pages

**9781797219493** • \$14.99 • PB - Paperback, black-and-white illustrations throughout

Juvenile Fiction / Social / Self-Esteem & Self-Reliance

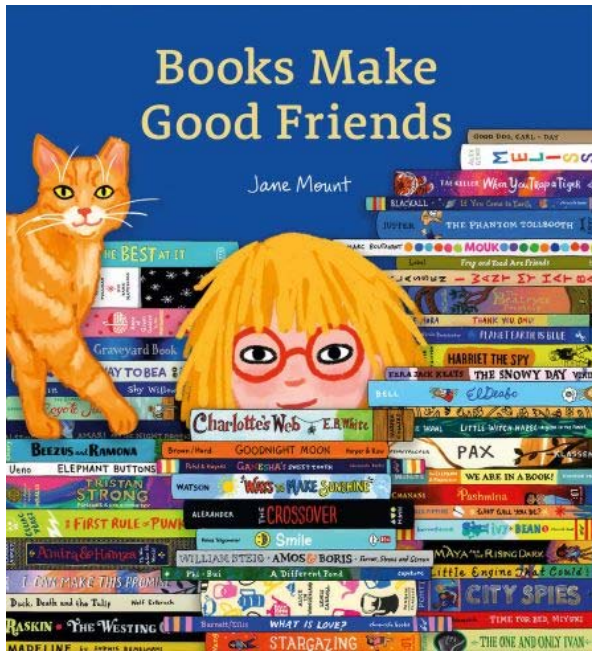
• Ages 10-12 years

Series: The Kids Under the Stairs

### Notes

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## Books Make Good Friends

A Bibliophile Book

by Jane Mount

This new picture book from beloved author-illustrator Jane Mount celebrates the avid reader, demonstrates how books make you better, and reassures anyone who has been anxious or uncertain about facing the real world.

Lotti isn't sure she wants to make friends. She's shy, and she doesn't really know how. While everyone around her is playful, outgoing, and loud, Lotti prefers a quiet place and a book to read. Lotti LOVES books. To her, books are full of magic and aren't as scary as new friends. But perhaps Lotti's books can show her how to find magic in everyday moments, and maybe the friends she can share this magic with are closer than she thinks.

Iconic *Bibliophile* creator Jane Mount makes her children's book debut in this imagination-driven story of a shy booklover's attempts to open her mind and find joy with the people around her. This journal-esque narrative-which includes fun recommended reads on each page-celebrates the avid reader, demonstrates how books make you better, and reassures anyone who has been anxious or uncertain about facing the real world.

Perfect for enthusiastic and reluctant readers alike!

FOR ALL TYPES OF READERS: The story's main character, Lotti, is shy and struggles to make friends, but her imagination and love for reading take her to faraway places and introduce her to new friends. Readers of all tastes will find a relatable character in Lotti and enjoy the diverse books she reads-from fiction and nonfiction to novels and picture books. There's (...)

## Author Bio

Jane Mount is an illustrator, designer, writer, and thingmaker, and she particularly makes things for people who love books. She is the founder of Ideal Bookshelf ([idealbookshelf.com](http://idealbookshelf.com)); the author and illustrator of *Bibliophile: An Illustrated Miscellany*; and the illustrator and co-author, with Jamise Harper, of *Bibliophile: Diverse Spines*. She lives in a log cabin on Maui, Hawai'i, with her husband, three weird cats, and a speckled dog. She really loves books.



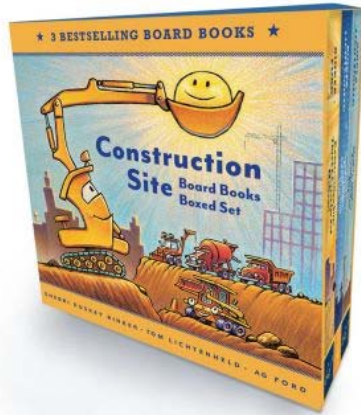
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Chronicle Books  
On Sale: Nov 7/23  
9.5 x 10.5 • 48 pages  
9781797209654 • \$28.99 • CL - Hardcover, full-color illustrations throughout, jacketed  
Juvenile Fiction / Books & Libraries • Ages 5-8 years

## Notes

## Promotion





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### Construction Site Board Books Boxed Set

by Sherri Duskey Rinker, illustrated by Tom Lichtenheld and AG Ford

**Three bestselling board books from the Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site series are now available in one boxed set!**

Join Excavator, Bulldozer, Kid McGear, and the rest of the crew in this set of tales from the construction site! Playful rhyming text and vibrant illustrations make these books surefire favorites for construction fans everywhere.

Contains these beloved and bestselling titles:

*Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site*

*Mighty, Mighty Construction Site*

*Construction Site: Three Cheers for Kid McGear!*

Whether familiar favorites or new discoveries, the stories in this sturdy board book collection are sure to delight the youngest construction fans and their families, making for a memorable new baby, birthday, or holiday gift!

**BESTSELLING CHILDREN'S AND TODDLER BOOK SERIES:** More than 7 million copies sold across the series!

**A BEDTIME CLASSIC:** With its soothing rhythm and gentle, nighttime palette, *Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site* has become a cherished favorite at bedtime for kids and parents alike.

**JOYFUL READ-ALoud:** Sherri Duskey Rinker's rollicking rhymes make for a tremendously satisfying read-aloud experience, perfect for energetic kids who love construction.

**TEACHES TEAMWORK:** Just like all the stories in the Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site series, these books emphasize (...)

### Author Bio

Sherri Duskey Rinker is the author of many bestsellers, including *Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site*; *Steam Train, Dream Train*; *Mighty, Mighty Construction Site*; *Construction Site on Christmas Night*; *Construction Site: Three Cheers for Kid McGear!*; *Construction Site Mission: Demolition!*; *Construction Site: Road Crew, Coming Through!*; and *Construction Site: Farming Strong, All Year Long*. Sherri lives with her photographer husband and two sons in the Chicago area.

Tom Lichtenheld is the illustrator of #1 *New York Times* bestsellers *Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site* and *Steam Train, Dream Train*.



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On Sale: Aug 15/23

6 x 5.75 • 98 pages

**9781797219462** • \$36.00 • BC - Board Book, full-color illustrations throughout, 3 board books, closed slipcase  
Juvenile Fiction / Transportation / Cars & Trucks •

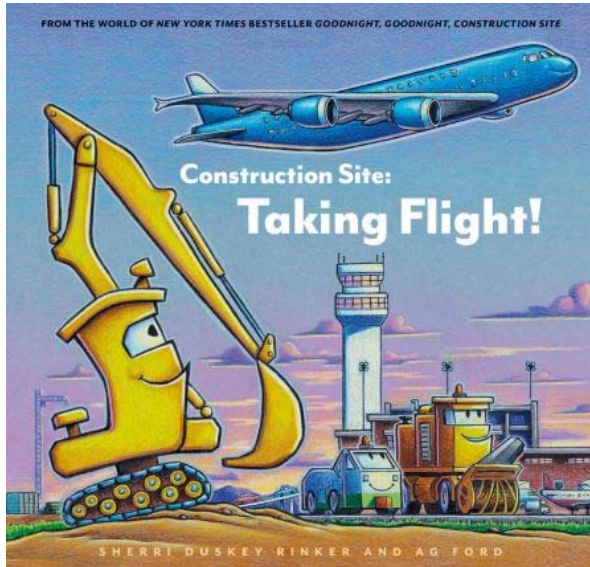
Ages 2-4 years

Series: Goodnight, Goodnight Construction Site

### Notes

### Promotion





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## Construction Site: Taking Flight!

by Sherri Duskey Rinker, illustrated by AG Ford

**Get ready for takeoff! This addition to the beloved *New York Times* bestselling *Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site* series features the same fan-favorite trucks in an exciting new setting: a bustling airport!**

When an airport needs an expansion, the Construction Site crew is on the job! With help from fun new vehicles from the airport, they'll build new roads and runways, prep planes for their trips, and clean up after a surprise snowstorm.

The airport is a busy place—Belt Loader, Tractor, Snowplow, and many other vehicles pull the planes, pump the fuel, move the luggage, maintain the runways, and much more. Working together, the team will get all the planes in the air in time for a sweet and sleepy *goodnight*.

Sherri Duskey Rinker and AG Ford, the author-illustrator team behind many bestselling *Goodnight Construction Site* books, bring their playful rhyming text and vibrant illustrations to another exciting tale of teamwork, sure to satisfy construction fans everywhere.

**THE SKY IS THE LIMIT:** An airplane book to delight toddlers at home and on the go! Special new vehicles help the original crew fuel the planes, maintain the runways, clear away snow, and build a BIG new airport wing so that everyone can get where they are going.

**ROLLICKING READ-ALoud:** Sherri Duskey Rinker's bouncing, energetic rhymes make for a tremendously satisfying read-aloud experience, perfect for active kids who love construction.

**TEACHES TEAMWORK:** Just like all the stories in (...)

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AG Ford, a recipient of the NAACP Image Award, has illustrated many award-winning books for children, including the *New York Times* bestsellers *Construction Site on Christmas Night*; *Construction Site: Three Cheers for*



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Chronicle Books

On Sale: Sep 26/23

10 x 9.63 • 44 pages

**9781797221922** • \$26.99 • CL - Hardcover, full-color illustrations throughout, jacketed

Juvenile Fiction / Transportation / Cars & Trucks •

Ages 3-5 years

Series: Goodnight, Goodnight Construction Site

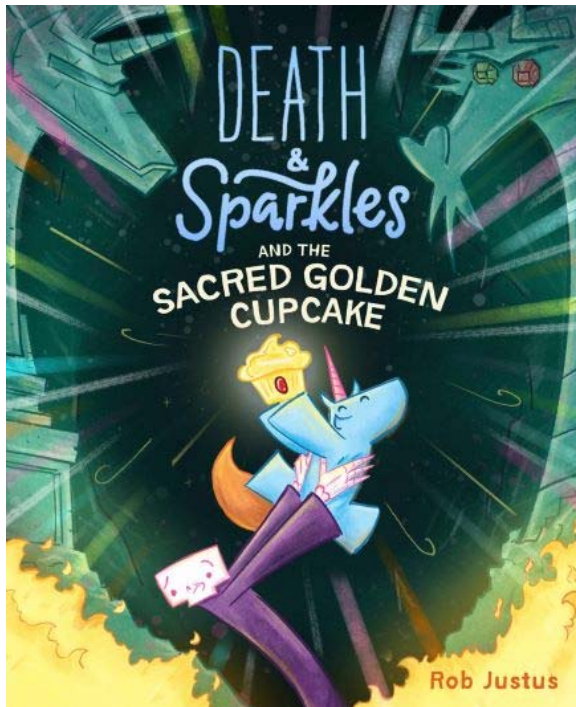
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### Death & Sparkles and the Sacred Golden Cupcake

Book 2

by Rob Justus

**Death and Sparkles are back in their second hilarious adventure! This zany yet philosophical graphic novel features a most unlikely pair of BFFs: Death, a grim reaper who's never had a friend, and Sparkles, the Last Unicorn, a celebrity influencer who is somehow immune to Death's touch.**

Death and Sparkles never imagined they would become besties for life . . . or rather, death. And they didn't expect to get pulled into another wild adventure so soon. But when Sparkles's horn begins to glow mysteriously and the pair discovers a message left by his unicorn parents, Death reluctantly follows Sparkles on a search to find out what it all means.

Sparkles is 100 percent sure the answer will be revealed through some hard-hitting, epic dance moves. Death wants to make sure there is minimal collateral damage. With nothing but golden cupcake bling as their compass, they embark on a journey into the depths of the sewers.

Wacky chaos ensues once again for the BFFs in this continuation to the Death & Sparkles book series as a unicorn, a grim reaper, and a group of vengeance-driven mole men hoping to steal Sparkles's golden cupcake face off!

**HILARIOUS BUDDY COMEDY KIDS COMIC:** Move over, Wayne and Garth! Move over, Beavis and Butt-Head! Readers will love this spin on the classic mismatched buddy dynamic featuring two of the most powerful beings around: the guy in charge of taking everyone's life when it's their time and the most magical creature still in existence on Earth. Never have two beings been less alike or more adorable.

PERFECT FOR RELUCTANT READERS (...)

### Author Bio

Rob Justus, formerly an award-winning market researcher, is a self-taught author-illustrator who raised himself on a classic diet of comics and Saturday morning cartoons. He lives and doodles near Ottawa, Canada.



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6 x 7.5 • 368 pages

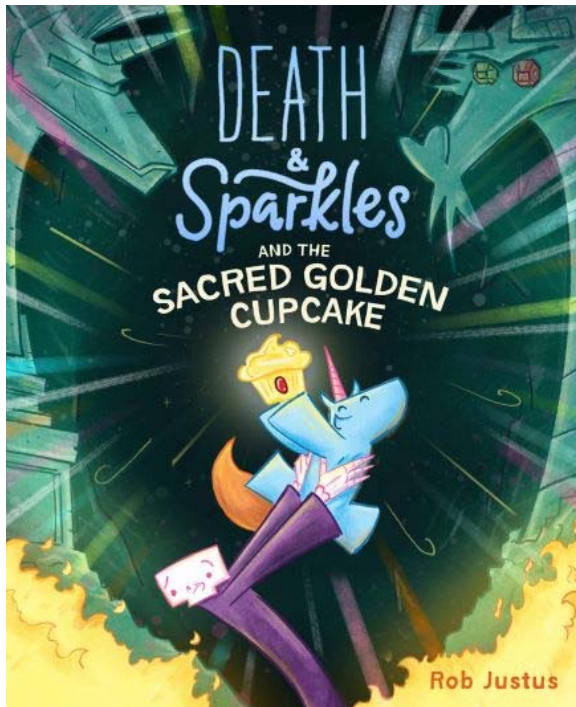
**9781797206387** • \$22.50 • PB - Paperback, Full-color illustrations throughout, unjacketed paperback  
Juvenile Fiction / Comics & Graphic Novels / Humorous • Ages 10-14 years  
Series: Death & Sparkles

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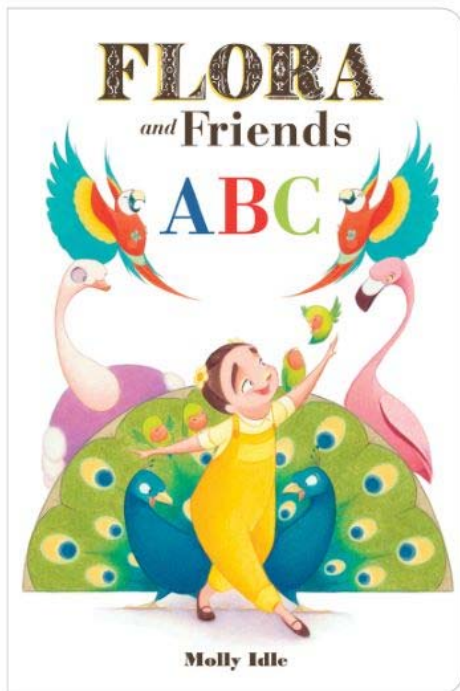
**9781797206370** • \$34.99 • CL - Hardcover, Full-color illustrations throughout, unjacketed hardcover  
Juvenile Fiction / Comics & Graphic Novels / Humorous • Ages 10-14 years  
Series: Death & Sparkles

### Notes

### Promotion







### Flora and Friends ABC

by Molly Idle

**Fly through the alphabet with the help of Flora and her feathered friends, inspired by the Caldecott Honor-winning *Flora and the Flamingo*.**

A bird lover's alphabet! Learn the ABCs with Flora and meet an abundance of new feathered friends, from A to Z!

An instant hit upon its release, *Flora and the Flamingo* now marks its ten-year anniversary in print. Flora, its beloved star, takes center stage in this vibrant new ABC book that celebrates all kinds of friendships. From imaginary friends to those who are there for you in fair weather and fowl, Flora has bird buddies for each letter of the alphabet.

Featuring big flaps to play with, this interactive board book will delight young children as they learn simple concepts in the charming company of Flora and her friends.

**FLORA RETURNS:** The beloved star of Molly Idle's Caldecott Honor Award-winning *Flora and the Flamingo* is back in this new alphabet board book which celebrates friendships of all feathers!

**LIGHTLY EDUCATIONAL:** Parents and children will delight in this gentle introduction to early concepts in a simple and artful way.

**DURABLE TODDLER BOOKS:** Rounded, thick board construction and sturdy flaps make this book both resistant to damage and perfect for little hands.

**BIRD BOOK FOR KIDS:** Perfect for bird lovers, and featuring a different bird on each page, the fun never ends with new friends who stay by your side. For more feathery fun, pick up (...)

### Author Bio

Molly Idle is the Caldecott Honor-winning creator of *Flora and the Flamingo*. Molly is an early bird, and most mornings you can find her in her workshop in Tempe, Arizona, with her family's four loquacious lovebirds, scribbling away on her next book. To learn more about Molly and her work visit [IdleIllustration.com](http://IdleIllustration.com).

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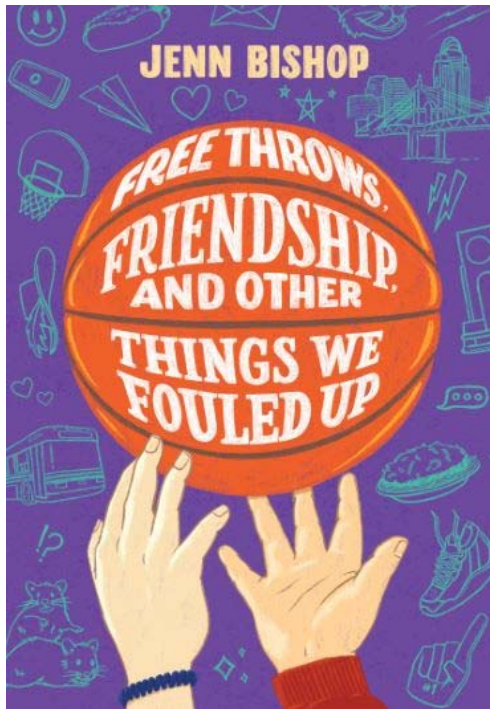
6 x 9 • 34 pages

**9781797200583** • \$19.50 • CL - Board Book, full-color illustrations throughout, 5 gatefold flaps  
Juvenile Fiction / Concepts / Colors • Ages 0-3 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Free Throws, Friendship, and Other Things We Fouled Up

by Jenn Bishop

**Competitive basketball takes center court in this fast-paced novel about two girls finding the truth about themselves and their families against the backdrop of middle school and college hoops.**

Cincinnati, Ohio, lives and dies by college basketball, with two elite Division I rivals separated by a mere three miles. Rory's dad just secured a new coaching gig at the University of Cincinnati, so it means yet another school and move for her, only this time to her dad's hometown. Rory's life revolves around basketball; she's never had a close friend outside of it. Could this be a chance for a fresh start?

Abby has always lived in Cincinnati, where her dad grew up playing ball and now coaches at Xavier University. But Abby has recently retreated from basketball after a frustrating season that left her confidence in shambles. This year, she finds herself on the outside looking in when it comes to her former teammates, and she could seriously use a new friend.

The coaches' daughters connect over their shared love of the game when Abby chaperones Rory on her first day of school. But when Abby's dad practically forbids their friendship because of something that happened between him and Rory's dad when they were younger, Abby and Rory have no choice but to move their budding friendship underground.

Can the two of them get to the bottom of what went down between their dads in the 1990s before history repeats itself?

**SPORTS BOOKS FOR GIRLS:** This book stars two protagonists who love basketball in their own ways and features a spectrum of (...)

### Author Bio

Jenn Bishop is the author of many middle-grade novels and a former children's librarian. She received her MFA in Writing for Children & Young Adults from the Vermont College of Fine Arts. She lives in Cincinnati, Ohio, where she and her husband have season tickets for the University of Cincinnati men's basketball team. Visit her online at [jennbishop.com](http://jennbishop.com).

Chronicle Books

On Sale: Oct 24/23

5.63 x 8.13 • 304 pages

9781797215617 • \$26.99 • CL - Hardcover, jacketed  
Juvenile Fiction / Girls & Women • Ages 10-14 years

### Notes

### Promotion





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### Ganesha's Great Race

by Sanjay Patel and Emily Haynes

The sweets-loving elephant Ganesha and his mouse companion are back! And this time you'll meet Ganesha's family, too, as they race around the world in this adorable companion to the bestselling *Ganesha's Sweet Tooth*.

From the creator of the Oscar-nominated Pixar short *Sanjay's Super Team* and Netflix's *Ghee Happy*!

In Sanjay Patel's world, the bold, bright colors of India leap off the page and screen. *Ganesha's Sweet Tooth* introduced a fresh and funny picture book retelling of how Ganesha came to help write the epic poem of Hindu literature, the Mahabharata. Now Ganesha is back in a delightful new adventure!

When his brother Kartikeya challenges him to a race around the world, Ganesha knows he cannot win with speed. He may not be as fast as Kartikeya, but clever Ganesha knows that every problem has more than one solution! A celebration of the dynamic bond between siblings and a loving tribute to family, *Ganesha's Great Race* is the story of their most famous contest and will delight readers with a tale of muscles, mangoes, and the meaning of the world.

**DIVERSE CHILDRENS BOOKS:** Featuring lovable characters and a light narrative, this book provides a fresh and accessible way for families who practice Hinduism to see themselves and celebrate, and for other children to learn about religions and cultures that are different from their own.

**NOTABLE CREATOR:** Sanjay Patel produced a short based on his life, *Sanjay's Super Team* (...)

### Author Bio

Sanjay Patel is an illustrator, animator, and director, as well as the creator of *Ghee Happy*, a collection of books, animation, and paper products that marry his whimsical style and graphic cuteness with the awesome universe of Hindu deities. During his twenty-year career at Pixar Animation Studios, he worked on numerous feature films and directed the short film *Sanjay's Super Team*, for which he earned an Academy Award nomination. Most recently, he created an animated preschool show for Netflix called *Ghee Happy*. He lives in Los Angeles with his wife (see below) and their two sons.

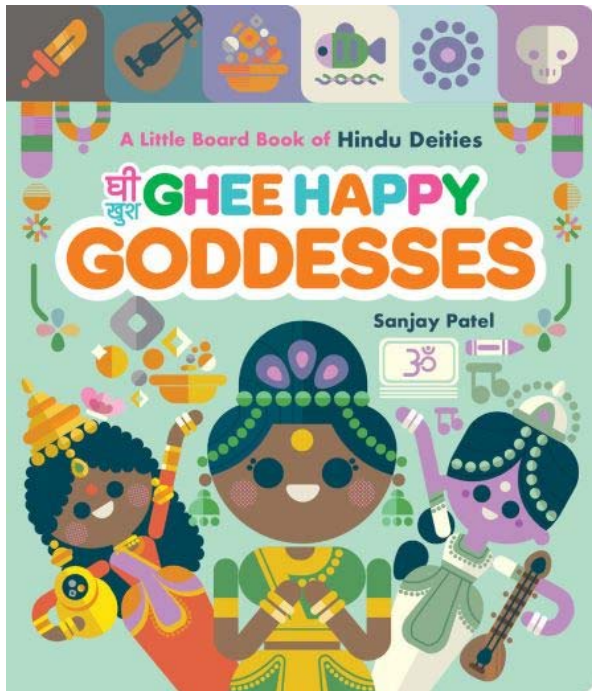


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Juvenile Fic / Religious / Hindu • Ages 5-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Ghee Happy Goddesses

A Little Board Book of Hindu Deities

by Sanjay Patel

**A vibrantly illustrated board book inspired by Sanjay Patel's animated Netflix show, *Ghee Happy*, featuring Hindu deities as toddlers!**

In the world of Sanjay Patel, creator of the Oscar-nominated Pixar short *Sanjay's Super Team*, the bold, bright colors of India leap off the page and screen. In his new children's book, drawn from Indian mythology, you'll meet the many faces (and arms) of the mighty Hindu goddesses!

With dynamic illustrations and colorful tabs for each goddess, this eye-catching board book introduces the youngest readers to Hindu goddesses Durga, Saraswati, Lakshmi, Ganga, Parvati, and Kali. Get them together, and anything is possible.

**INSPIRED BY THE NETFLIX SHOW:** The same deities in this book are featured in Sanjay Patel's Netflix show, which stars the Hindu gods and goddesses as tiny toddlers in preschool!

**NOTABLE CREATOR:** Patel produced a short based on his life, *Sanjay's Super Team*, with Pixar, and Netflix's *Ghee Happy* series. His brand, Ghee Happy, has reached an eager audience with books, museum exhibitions, and merchandise. He is also the author of the popular picture book *Ramayana*, a twenty-first century retelling of a classic 2500-year-old story.

**VIBRANT & GIFTABLE:** *Ghee Happy Goddesses* and companion volume *Ghee Happy Gods* are perfect for baby showers and first birthdays, as families welcome their own little goddesses and gods to the world and introduce them to the Hindu deities.

**DIVERSE CHILDRENS BOOKS:** Featuring lovable characters and a light narrative, this (...)

### Author Bio

Sanjay Patel is an illustrator, animator, and director, as well as the creator of Ghee Happy, a collection of books, animation, and paper products that marry his whimsical style and graphic cuteness with the awesome universe of Hindu deities. During his twenty-year career at Pixar Animation Studios, he worked on numerous feature films and directed the short film *Sanjay's Super Team*, for which he received an Academy Award nomination. Most recently, he created an animated preschool show for Netflix called *Ghee Happy*. He lives in Los Angeles with his wife and their two sons.



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Chronicle Books  
On Sale: Oct 24/23  
6 x 7 • 16 pages

**9781797224930** • \$13.50 • CL - Board Book, full-color images throughout, 7 tabs along the top, foil-stamped cover  
Juvenile NonFic / Religion / Hinduism • Ages 0-3 years

### Notes

### Promotion







### Ghee Happy Gods

A Little Board Book of Hindu Deities

by Sanjay Patel

**A vibrantly illustrated board book inspired by Sanjay Patel's animated Netflix show, *Ghee Happy*, featuring Hindu deities as toddlers!**

In the world of Sanjay Patel, creator of the Oscar-nominated Pixar short *Sanjay's Super Team*, the bold, bright colors of India leap off the page and screen. In his new children's book, drawn from Indian mythology, you'll meet the many faces (and arms) of the mighty Hindu gods!

With dynamic illustrations and colorful tabs for each god, this eye-catching board book introduces the youngest readers to Hindu gods Ganesha, Shiva, Brahma, Vishnu, Rama, and Krishna. Get them together, and anything is possible.

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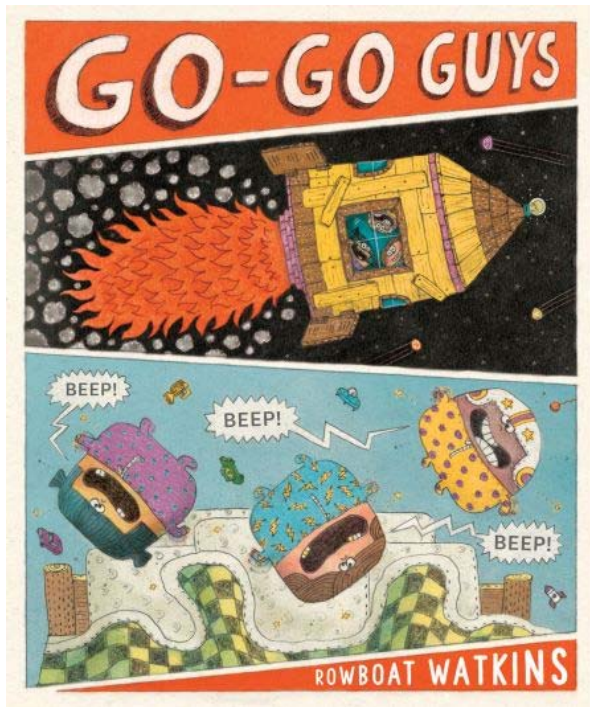
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### Notes

### Promotion





### Go-Go Guys

by Rowboat Watkins

**Beloved author Rowboat Watkins's vivid comic-style take on a universal dilemma-bedtime!**

New from the beeping brain of Rowboat Watkins, award-winning author of much-loved children's picture books including *Rude Cakes*, *Mabel: A Mermaid Fable*, and *Big Bunny*. This comic-style adventure follows the Go-Go Guys from *beep-beep*-bed to the Moon and *beep-beep*-back again.

So . . . what do Go-Go Guys do best?

Well . . . GO-GO-GO! They never rest.

Because their brains go

BEEP!

BEEP!

BEEP!

They simply will not go to sleep.

Will the Go-Go Guys ever STOP? Kids and parents who know how hard it is to wind down for bed will enjoy every moment of this zany rhyming read-aloud that will elicit endless giggles!

**GOODNIGHT ALREADY:** Parents and kids alike will recognize the perennial and universal dilemma that comes with bedtime, or any time kids need to be quiet and still.

**COMIC-STYLE ART:** Comic-strip panels, inventive illustrations, and fun dialogue bubbles make this cosmic (...)

### Author Bio

Rowboat Watkins is a recipient of the Sendak Fellowship and the Ezra Jack Keats New Illustrator Award. He lives with his family in Brooklyn, but you can also visit him at [www.rowboatwatkins.com](http://www.rowboatwatkins.com).

Chronicle Books

On Sale: Sep 19/23

7.5 x 9 • 48 pages

**9781797205717** • \$23.99 • CL - Hardcover, full-color illustrations throughout, jacketed

Juvenile Fiction / Imagination & Play • Ages 6-9 years

### Notes

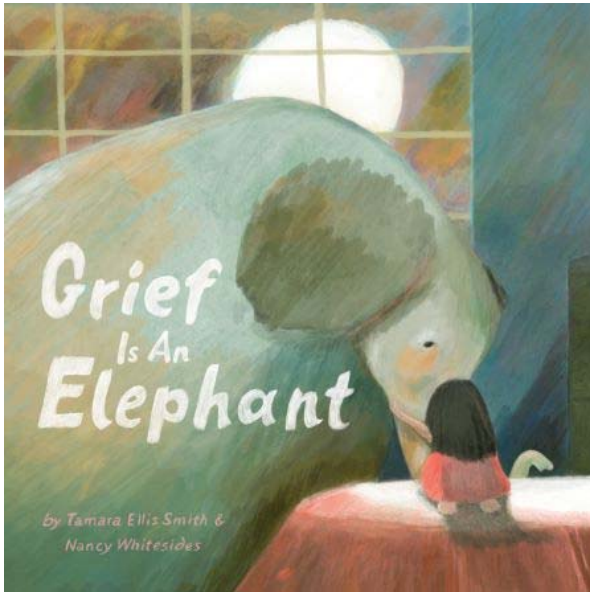
### Promotion



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LEAD

### Grief Is an Elephant

by Tamara Ellis Smith, illustrated by Nancy Whitesides

**An imaginative and heartfelt book that reminds us that there is no loss without love.**

When Grief first arrives, it is like an elephant-so big that there is hardly room for anything else. But over time, Grief can become smaller and smaller-first a deer, then a fox, a mouse, and finally a flickering firefly in the darkness leading us down a path of loving remembrance.

This lyrical work is an empathetic and comforting balm for anyone who is experiencing grief, be it grieving the loss of a loved one or losses in the world around us.

**REASSURING FEELINGS BOOK:** Children can often feel confused by their emotions. The gentle voice and soft illustrations in this book help to make these emotions feel less frightening, and the hopeful ending provides a reassuring message that grief will transform over time.

**TIMELESS REFLECTION ON GRIEF:** The perennial themes of grief and sadness, as well as the graceful art style, make this perfect for anyone who is dealing with feelings of loss, whether that involves the loss of a loved one, grieving a pet, managing emotions during or after moving or being displaced, or responding to losses in a community or the larger world.

**ACCESSIBLE:** The (...)

### Author Bio

Tamara Ellis Smith earned her MFA in Writing for Children and Young Adults from the Vermont College of Fine Arts. She lives in Richmond, Vermont, with her family.

Nancy Whitesides is an author and self-taught illustrator born and raised in the Philippines. She now lives in California.

Chronicle Books

On Sale: Oct 24/23

9 x 9 • 36 pages

**9781797212258** • \$26.99 • CL - Hardcover, full-color illustrations throughout, jacketed

Juvenile Fiction / Social / Death & Dying • Ages 3-5 years

### Notes

### Promotion



Raincoast Books



### Hearts Are Everywhere

by Chronicle Books, illustrated by Wednesday Kirwan

**Hide-and-find-hearts for Valentine's Day or any day! Just turn the wheel, lift the flaps, and play!**

First, turn the wheel to hide the heart, then lift the flaps to find it in this delightful activity book for curious kids.

An interactive wheel hides brightly colored hearts across a variety of sweet scenes. After the heart is hidden, it's time to guess where it is. Lift the flap for the reveal in this game-in-a-book, then play again (and again) for hours of heartfelt fun!

**A PLAYFUL GAME IN A BOOK:** This interactive novelty book will keep kids engaged as they turn a wheel to hide and seek bright hearts under colorful flaps.

**VALENTINE'S GIFT FOR TODDLERS:** Hearts truly are everywhere in this interactive book, ideal for Valentine's Day and celebrating love every day.

**GREAT GIFT FOR YOUNG READERS:** Sweet scenes, surprises, and heaps of hearts will delight kids and their parents.

Perfect for: • Gift-givers seeking a sweet Valentine's Day book for kids

- Unique, interactive gift for baby or toddler
- Parents, grandparents, and caregivers looking for a fun way to keep young children engaged
- Readers who enjoy lift-the-flap board books

### Author Bio

Wednesday Kirwan is an award-winning artist who has been illustrating and writing books for children for more than a decade. She is the illustrator of *Farm Lullaby*, by Karen Jameson, and *Eggs Are Everywhere*. She lives with her husband and daughter in the Santa Cruz Mountains in California.

Chronicle Books

On Sale: Dec 5/23

8 x 8 • 10 pages

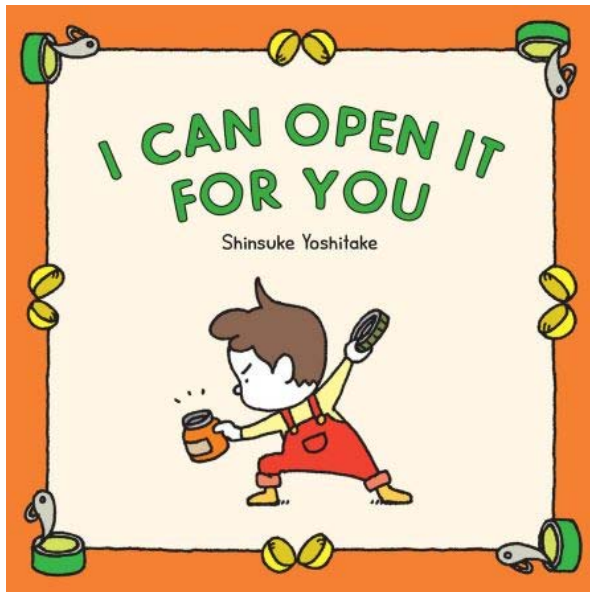
**9781797210681** • \$16.50 • BK - Novelty Book, novelty board book with wheel and flaps throughout, full-color illustrations throughout.

Juvenile Nonfiction / Games & Activities / Questions & Answers • Ages 2-4 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### I Can Open It for You

by Shinsuke Yoshitake

**From acclaimed author-illustrator Shinsuke Yoshitake comes a humorous picture book about the empowering possibilities of growing up and a child's imagination!**

Akira has a problem: He is too small to open packages by himself. He still needs grown-ups to help him.

But one day, perhaps one day soon, he'll be able to open so many things without anyone's help-and not just packages. When that time comes, he'll make amazing discoveries and maybe even save the day with his new skills. There is so much to look forward to!

With humor and wit, acclaimed author-illustrator Shinsuke Yoshitake explores a child's feelings about growing up: the push and pull of relying on parents while striving to learn and do things by oneself. The youngest of readers will relate, while discovering the many ways that they can open up exciting new experiences at this very moment!

**CELEBRATES THE PARENT-CHILD CONNECTION:** Growing up means embracing so many exciting opportunities! Parents will appreciate the reassuring messages of love and support as they seek to open new doors for their children, just as kids learn to do so for themselves!

**PROMOTES CURIOSITY AND CREATIVE THINKING:** Laugh-out-loud and imaginative scenarios will inspire young readers to think about their own futures, dream up big ideas, and embrace (...)

### Author Bio

Shinsuke Yoshitake is the author-illustrator of many award-winning picture books, including *New York Times* Notable Children's Book of the Year *There Must Be More Than That!*, *New York Times* Best Illustrated Children's Book of the Year *The Boring Book*, *I Can Be Anything*, *I Won't Give Up My Rubber Band*, and *I Can Explain*. His books have been translated into more than ten languages. He lives in Japan.

Chronicle Books

On Sale: Sep 26/23

8 x 8 • 52 pages

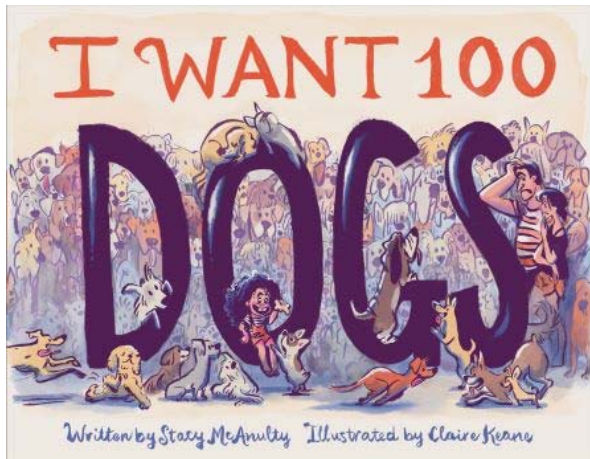
**9781797219943** • \$23.99 • CL - Hardcover

Juvenile Fiction / Social / Emotions & Feelings • Ages 3-5 years

### Notes

### Promotion





LEAD

### I Want 100 Dogs

by Stacy McAnulty, illustrated by Claire Keane

**In this funny, feel-good first-pet book, one aspiring dog owner and her parents ponder-in wildly imaginative and hilarious detail-all the best and worst outcomes of bringing home more dogs than you can (literally) shake a stick at.**

A young girl proclaims, "I want 100 dogs." In a twist, her parents agree, but they have just one question: Where will 100 dogs sleep? Our protagonist revises her request to 90 dogs. But how does one *walk* 90 dogs? A silly, subtractive counting tale and an over-the-top ode to the joys (and woes) of canine company, this sweet and surprising story proves that no matter how boundless your enthusiasm, when it comes to finding the perfect pet, sometimes less really *is* more.

Written by bestselling author Stacy McAnulty and illustrated with vintage flair by Claire Keane, this clever and funny picture book will be a new favorite for readers and pet lovers everywhere-whether you have no dogs, one dog, or one dog too many!

**PERFECT FIRST-PET BOOK:** Bursting with humor and charm, this is *the* book for any child who has ever longed for a pet (or ten . . . or twenty) and for families gently establishing realistic pet expectations.

**FUN AND FUNNY COUNTING BOOK:** This fun-to-read picture book delivers the extra benefit of being a reverse counting book! Kids will delight in counting down the number of dogs in this clever tale that subtly demonstrates counting by tens. And, yes, you really can count the dogs on each page!

**GIFT-WORTHY:** With its sweet, timeless humor and (...)

### Author Bio

Stacy McAnulty wants 100 dogs but hasn't been able to convince her family-yet! She is the author of more than 30 books for children, including the picture book *Earth! My First 4.54 Billion Years* and the middle-grade novel *The Miscalculations of Lightning Girl*. McAnulty lives in North Carolina with her family and as many pups as she can sneak into the house. The count is currently three.

Claire Keane studied graphic design at Ecole Superieure d'Arts Graphiques in Paris, France, where she lived for eight years until she moved to Los Angeles to work at Walt Disney Animation Studios. During her ten-year tenure there, she designed for *Tangled*, *Frozen*, *Enchanted*, and other films. Now she is the author and illustrator of many books for children, including *Little Wonder*.



Chronicle Books

On Sale: Oct 31/23

11 x 8.5 • 40 pages

**9781797214405** • \$26.99 • CL - Hardcover, full-color illustrations throughout, jacketed

Juvenile Fiction / Animals / Dogs • Ages 3-5 years

### Notes

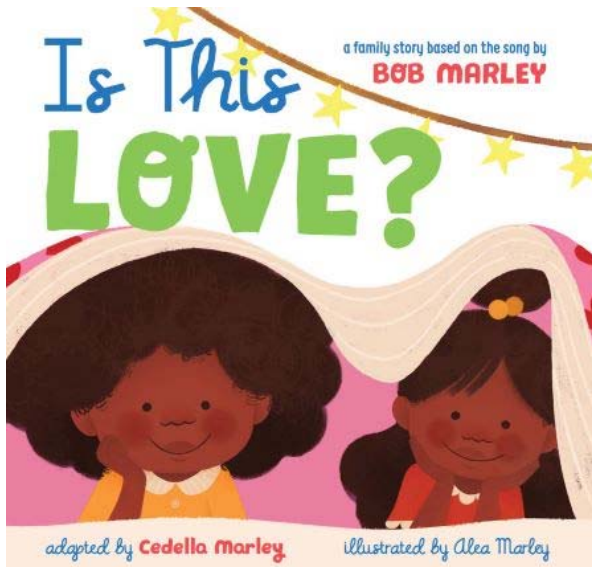
### Promotion



Raincoast Books

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LEAD

### Is This Love?

by Bob Marley and Cedella Marley, illustrated by Alea Marley

Relive the magic of Bob Marley's most beloved songs in this newest picture book adaptation!

*Is this love?*

*Is this love that I'm feeling?*

Bob Marley's music has captured the hearts and souls of families around the world. This sweet adaptation of one of his best-loved songs is a heartwarming tale of an older child's love for a younger sibling.

From the moment she sees her baby sister, big sister knows just what she's going to do: love her and treat her right, every day and every night. Playing together, watching over her, standing by her through thick and thin . . . big sister does it all because, yes, this is love that she's feeling.

Adapted by Cedella Marley, Bob Marley's eldest child, and exuberantly illustrated by Alea Marley, *Is This Love?* is a joyful ode to the unshakeable love shared by all those who call one another family.

**BOB MARLEY FANS:** This new addition to the series based on the lyrics of famed reggae musician Bob Marley introduces his music and ideals to the youngest of readers while inspiring nostalgia in older ones.

**DIVERSE CHILDREN'S BOOKS:** Filled with upbeat illustrations and lyrical text, *Is This Love?* makes a terrific read-aloud for families or (...)

### Author Bio

Bob Marley is notable not only as the man who put reggae on the global map but as a statesman in his native Jamaica who famously brought together the country's warring factions. He passed in 1981. In 1994, Marley was inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, and in 2001, he was posthumously awarded the Grammy Lifetime Achievement Award. Today, Bob Marley remains one of the 20th century's most important and influential entertainment icons, and his lifestyle and music continue to inspire new generations as his legacy lives on through his music. For more information, visit [bobmarley.com](http://bobmarley.com) and [facebook.com/bobmarley](https://facebook.com/bobmarley).

Cedella Marley's life has always been rooted in music and culture. As the eldest child of Bob Marley, she has dedicated herself to keeping her father's message and memory alive. She is a musician as well, performing internationally with the three-time Grammy Award-winning Melody Makers, and has released her own music. For more information, visit [cedellamarley.com](http://cedellamarley.com).



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Chronicle Books

On Sale: Nov 21/23

10 x 9.63 • 36 pages

**9781452171739** • \$25.99 • CL - Hardcover, full-color illustrations throughout, jacketed

Juvenile Fiction / Performing Arts / Music • Ages 3-5 years

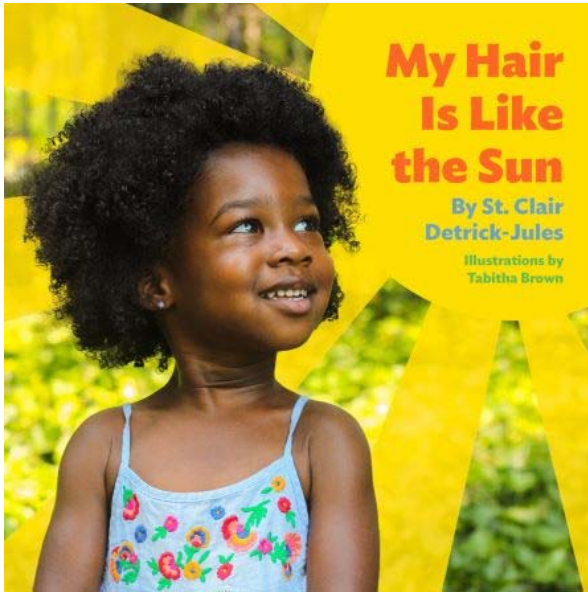
Series: Bob Marley by Chronicle Books

### Notes

### Promotion



Raincoast Books



LEAD

### My Hair Is Like the Sun

by St. Clair Detrick-Jules, illustrated by Tabitha Brown

**From the creator of *My Beautiful Black Hair*, this joyful board book celebrates the natural beauty of Black hair in all its shapes, styles, and textures!**

*My hair is like the sun . . . the stars . . . the ocean!* From curls that wind like rivers to coils that shimmer like stars, this book featuring photographs of real children and their natural hairstyles encourages little ones to see themselves reflected in the wonders of nature. Tenderly written and stunningly photographed by St. Clair Detrick-Jules, and with vibrant illustrations by Tabitha Brown, this timeless book shares a sweet and powerful message of self-love.

**CELEBRATE BLACK JOY:** These sweet rhymes and simple metaphors empower young children of color and serve as beautiful morning affirmations or a bedtime lullaby to build confidence and self-esteem.

**FUN AND PHOTOGRAPHIC:** Babies love looking at other babies! By presenting photographs of real kids with real hair textures and shapes, this book offers children of color a powerful sense of recognition and affirmation.

**DIVERSITY AT HOME AND SCHOOL:** With beautiful photographs and joyous flowing text, this book will be a welcome addition to any nursery bookshelf, preschool classroom, or library.

Perfect for: • Parents and grandparents seeking positive children's self-esteem books

- Fans of *Hair Love* and *Black Girl Magic*
- Baby shower and birthday gift givers
- Preschool teachers and librarians
- Anyone looking for empowering board books by Black creators

### Author Bio

St. Clair Detrick-Jules is an award-winning filmmaker, photographer, author, activist, and speaker. She has been featured in the *Washington Post*, *Washingtonian* magazine, BuzzFeed News, the *Christian Science Monitor*, NPR's *Strange Fruit*, and elsewhere. She is the author of *My Beautiful Black Hair*, which showcases photographs and stories of Black women embracing their crowns. Detrick-Jules currently resides in her hometown of Washington, D.C.



Chronicle Books

On Sale: Jul 11/23

7 x 7 • 20 pages

**9781797221793** • \$13.50 • CL - Board Book, full-color photographs and illustrations throughout

Juvenile Fiction / Concepts / Body • Ages 0-3 years

### Notes

### Promotion



Raincoast Books





### North Pole Village

by Sabrina Makhsimova, by (artist) Dinara Mirtalipova

**Take a tour of the North Pole with these three adorable board books in one gifty package!**

Step into a pocket-sized winter wonderland with this whimsical Christmas village . . . made of books! The trifold case opens up to reveal three cleverly disguised books nestled into a magical wintry village with three charming locations just waiting to be explored.

Warm up inside Mr. Klaus's cozy cottage, share cocoa with a friendly polar bear, and take a peek inside the toymakers' workshop to meet Mr. Klaus's tiniest secret helpers on their busiest night of the year. Each gorgeously illustrated book contains a fun-to-read holiday story, while the pocket-book sleeve can act as a festive backdrop for play when open or snap shut into a satisfyingly compact, easy-to-shelve package.

Created by a talented mother-daughter duo, this beautifully crafted North Pole Christmas village is a unique delight for holiday read-aloud or stocking stuffers for kids.

**3-BOOKS-IN-1:** This clever board book set includes three toddler books- *Mr. Klaus's House*, *Polar Bear's Nook*, and *Toymakers' Workshop*-tucked into a trifold case with magnetic closure.

**HOLIDAY GIFTS AND STOCKING STUFFERS:** With a festive front cover, this winter wonderland set is the perfect gift for children, children-at-heart, and collectors of all things Christmas! Priced under \$15, this set of high-quality shaped board books is a terrific value.

**READ, PLAY & DISPLAY:** Read each delightful children's book (...)

### Author Bio

Sabrina Makhsimova has been writing poems since elementary school. She is a creative person, interested in art and music, and loves reading fiction. She started working on writing this book when she was nine years old. A burgeoning writer and poet, she is now in middle school and excited about her first published book. She lives in snowy Northeast Ohio with her family.

Dinara Mirtalipova is an award-winning folk illustrator and designer. Born and raised in Tashkent, Uzbekistan, she uses a wide range of materials and tools, like carving lino blocks, gouache, acrylics, and many others. She is the illustrator of numerous books, including *Woven of the World* and *Russian*



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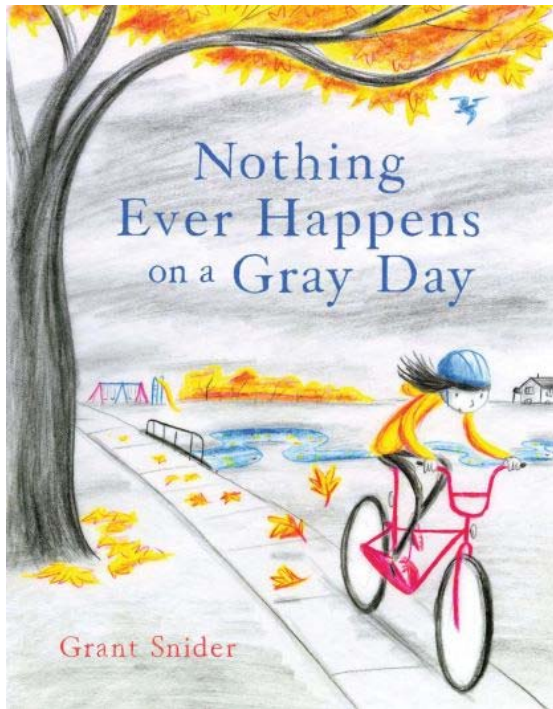
4 x 6 • 3 pages

**9781452177731** • \$22.50 • BK - Novelty Book, 3 books  
in a trifold case with one pocket for each book, foil  
embossed cover, magnetic closure  
Juvenile Fiction / Holidays & Festivals / Christmas •  
Ages 2-4 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Nothing Ever Happens on a Gray Day

by Grant Snider

**With fantastic bursts of color and lyricism, Grant Snider explores the extraordinary within the ordinary in this ode to seemingly boring days and the wonders that emerge for anyone open to seeing them.**

The sky is gloomy and the world feels like it's asleep . . . but perhaps all that's required for adventure is a bit of curiosity and patience. After all, an everyday stroll can become an adventure in the blink of an eye.

On a day when even the rain is too bored to fall, ride alongside a girl on her rickety bicycle through the familiar scenes of her neighborhood as she rediscovers the colors—a splash of yellow, a flash of red, a flutter of blue—that can be found even when all seems monochrome. In this artful picture book that celebrates do-nothing days and solitary adventures, readers learn how embracing quiet stillness with openness and curiosity can make space for unexpected encounters, meaningful detours, and some of life's most unforgettable moments. With luminous illustrations that practically glow on the page, Grant Snider takes readers on a visual journey they'll want to return to again and again.

**TEACHING MINDFULNESS FOR KIDS:** Grant Snider's luminous illustrations will captivate even the most restless young readers, while the story subtly teaches the benefits of patience, silent observation, and mindful awareness.

**CONNECTING WITH NATURE:** Both art and story will inspire children to approach nature with reverence and wonder, explore the outdoors, and (...)

### Author Bio

Grant Snider is an orthodontist by day, finding hidden hours to write, draw, and create cartoons and picture books, including *What Color Is Night?*, *What Sound Is Morning?*, and *One Boy Watching*. He grew up riding his bike around town with his twin brother, exploring the creeks and parks of Derby, Kansas. Today he loves finding hidden trails and green spaces in Wichita, Kansas, where he lives with his family.

Chronicle Books

On Sale: Sep 5/23

8.5 x 11 • 44 pages

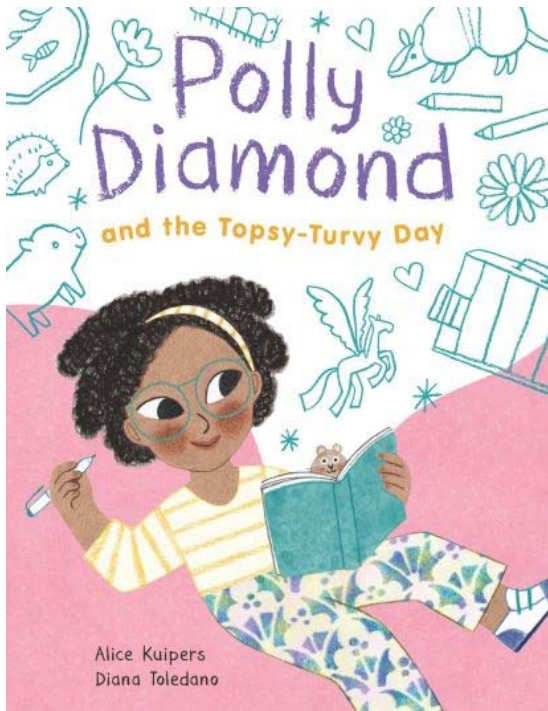
**9781797210896** • \$26.99 • CL - Hardcover, PMS inks, jacketed

Juvenile Fiction / Nature & The Natural World / Weather • Ages 5-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### **Polly Diamond and the Topsy-Turvy Day**

Book 3

by Alice Kuipers, illustrated by Diana Toledano

**One aspiring writer plus one magic book. It all adds up to a whole lot of trouble.**

Polly Diamond is back in the third book about the magical mix-ups of Polly and her notebook, Spell!

In this delightfully funny and magical chapter book series, Polly and Spell have all kinds of adventures together because whatever Polly writes in Spell comes true! But when they join forces to help get the best class pet ever, they get more than they bargained for. Can Polly come up with the right words to save the day?

**EVERYDAY MAGIC:** A creative mashup of relatable family and school life with just a dash of magic make this series a hit with early chapter book readers.

**A RELATABLE PROTAGONIST:** Polly isn't perfect but when she makes mistakes, she always sets things right. And she *is* the perfect sister, friend, and classmate.

**INSPIRES A LOVE OF BOOKS:** Kids will love Polly and adults will love that Polly inspires a love of reading. Filled with book lists, these books will have readers searching the shelves for Polly's favorite titles.

**GREAT FOR CLASSROOMS AND SCHOOL LIBRARIES:** The reading lists, writing prompts, school setting, and class pet element make this a perfect classroom choice.

**AN EASY PICK FOR NEWLY INDEPENDENT READERS:** With lots of action (...)

### **Author Bio**

Alice Kuipers is the author of twenty books for young adults and children that have been published in thirty-four countries. Born in London, she now lives in Canada with her partner, the author Yann Martel; their four children; and their dog, Bamboo. Alice has writing tips and ideas for budding writers on her website, including a free course for young writers. Learn more about her at [www.alicekuipers.com](http://www.alicekuipers.com).

Diana Toledano's name is pronounced Deanna because she is from Spain. Like Polly, she has curly hair and wears glasses. In addition to working as an



Chronicle Books

On Sale: Aug 22/23

6 x 8 • 112 pages

**9781452184685** • \$22.50 • CL - Hardcover, black-and-white illustrations throughout, unjacketed

Juvenile Fiction / Science Fiction, Fantasy, Magic •

Ages 7-10 years

Series: Polly Diamond

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### Purring, Rolling, Stretching

by Chihiro Ishizu, illustrated by Nanako Matsuda

Follow a day in the life of an adorable pet cat in this charming board book, the *purr*-fect read for young readers learning about animals or a favorite family pet.

Purr and play the day away with a new feline friend! This adorable board book is a celebration of all things cat. Each whimsical spread invites the littlest readers to experience a day in the life of a house cat, encouraging opportunities to imitate feline behaviors and reflect on the rhythms of their own days—from stretching to playing to eating, and more!

**CATNIP FOR KIDS WHO LOVE CATS:** If there's one universally beloved animal with timeless appeal, it's the endlessly endearing cat. Every child who has or has dreamed of having a pet cat will be enticed by this cute kitty and its charming, everyday antics.

**STAND-OUT ART:** An appealing color palette and distinctive illustration style set this cat board book apart. The youngest of readers will adore this artful and relatable take on cats.

**PURR -FECT GIFT FOR ANY OCCASION:** From the colorful, engaging art to humorous cat moments throughout, this board book will make an exceptional year-round gift for any kid who loves cats.

Perfect for: • Parents and caregivers of kids who love cats

- Parents, grandparents, and caregivers of toddlers who are learning about animals
- Gift-givers seeking an irresistible board book for young children
- Fans of Japanese board books and gifts
- Readers of such favorites as *They All Saw a Cat*, *The Cat in the Hat*, and *Pete the Cat* board books

### Author Bio

Chihiro Ishizu is an author, poet, and translator of children's books. Her work has won numerous awards, including the BolognaRagazzi award. She lives in Japan.

Nanako Matsuda is a painter and a picture book illustrator. She lives in Japan.

Chronicle Books

On Sale: Aug 1/23

8.1 x 7.4 • 26 pages

9781797219929 • \$11.99 • CL - Pantone colors thr  
Juvenile Fiction / Animals / Cats • Ages 0-3 years

### Notes

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### Shira and Esther's Double Dream Debut

by Anna E. Jordan

The switcheroo fun of *The Parent Trap* meets the showbiz spirit of *The Marvelous Mrs. Maisel* in this timeless coming-of-age story about family, friendship, and following your dreams.

When Shira and Esther first meet, they can hardly believe their eyes. It's like looking in a mirror! But even though they may look identical, the two girls couldn't be more different. Shira dreams of singing and dancing onstage, but her father, a stern and pious rabbi, thinks Shira should be reading prayers, not plays. Esther dreams of studying Torah, but her mother, a glamorous stage performer, wishes Esther would spend more time rehearsing and less time sneaking off to read books. Oy vey! If only the two could switch places . . .

Would Shira shine in a big-time televised talent show? Would Esther's bat mitzvah go off without a hitch? What's a little deception, when it means your dreams might finally be within reach? One thing is certain: Shira and Esther are going to need more than a little *chutzpah* to pull this off. But if they do, their double dream debut is sure to be the performance of a lifetime.

**FUNNY AND HEARTFELT FRIENDSHIP BOOK:** Brimming with heart and humor, this unforgettable novel from a compelling new voice in young adult literature will make readers laugh, cry, and come back for more knishes.

**FAMILY, FRIENDS, AND COMMUNITY:** Themes of connection, unity, and the need for belonging will resonate with readers of all backgrounds.

**JEWISH COMING-OF-AGE:** This book represents and celebrates many ways of being Jewish while also inviting non-Jewish readers (...)

### Author Bio

Anna E. Jordan is an author, poet, bookseller, and educator who lives in the Washington, DC, area. This is her first novel.

Chronicle Books

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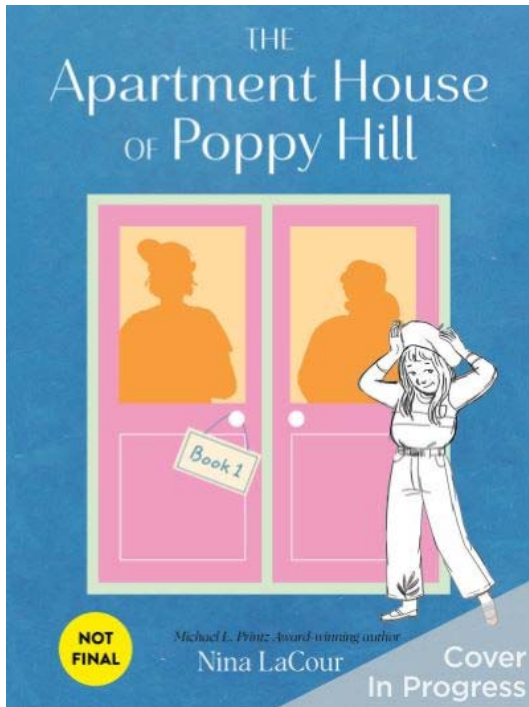
5.62 x 8.12 • 332 pages

**9781797215655** • \$26.99 • CL - Hardcover, jacketed  
Juvenile Fiction / Social / Self-Esteem & Self-Reliance  
• Ages 8-12 years

### Notes

### Promotion





LEAD

### **The Apartment House on Poppy Hill** by Nina LaCour, illustrated by Sonia Albert

**A charming new chapter book by bestselling author Nina LaCour.**

Welcome to 1106 Wildflower Place: It is no ordinary apartment house, but you, reader, are no ordinary visitor. So, please, come in!

Two new tenants have just arrived, and nine-year-old Ella is determined to help them settle in. Who better to teach them about the glitchy lights and the nighttime noises? After all, Ella knows all the neighbors. Well, almost all. No one has met the mysterious Robinsons who live on the top floor. Will a special neighborly celebration change all that? This bighearted chapter book by bestselling author Nina LaCour, highlighted by lively illustrations throughout, celebrates community, friendship, family, and home. It is a place of walking dogs that aren't yours, keeping surprises secret, and making everyone feel welcome.

Here, the eccentric joy of Armistead Maupin's *Tales of The City* merges seamlessly with the antic fun of *Ivy + Bean*, the family tenderness of *The Penderwicks*, and the madcap adventure of *Eloise* in an irresistible story that will leave you eager for the next one!

**BESTSELLING, AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR:** Nina LaCour is a highly acclaimed author of both YA and adult novels. This is her first novel for younger readers and a terrific introduction of a talented writer to the next generation.

**HILARIOUSLY UNIVERSAL:** Ella is a strong protagonist that readers of all ages and genders will love. She is bighearted, curious, and just a tad mischievous.

DIVERSE (...)

### **Author Bio**

Nina LaCour is the bestselling and award-winning author of the acclaimed young adult novels *We Are Okay*, which received the Printz Award and was selected by *Time Magazine* as one of its 100 Best YA Books of All Time, *Hold Still*, *The Disenchantments*, and *Everything Leads to You*, as well as the adult novel *Yerba Buena*. Born and raised in the East Bay, LaCour crossed the bridge to receive her undergraduate degree from San Francisco State University and then crossed back to Oakland to receive an MFA in Creative Writing at Mills College. She now lives in San Francisco with her wife and their daughter.



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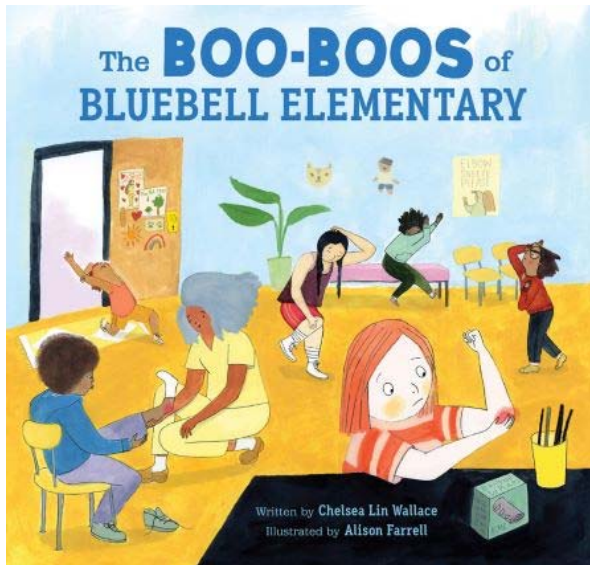
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On Sale: Nov 7/23  
6 x 8 • 132 pages  
**9781797213736** • \$22.50 • CL - Hardcover, black-and-white illustrations throughout, jacketed  
Juvenile Fiction / Social / Friendship • Ages 7-10 years

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**







### The Boo-Boos of Bluebell Elementary

by Chelsea Lin Wallace, by (artist) Alison Farrell

**A rollicking read-aloud featuring a wide cast of characters coming to the school nurse for help with their hilariously dramatic bumps, runny noses, and many other colorful complaints!**

Kids at Bluebell don't feel well-  
Gus is sad, and Benny fell.  
Splinters, lice, a paper cut,  
throw-up, bumps, a hungry gut.  
Charlee's tooth won't wiggle free!  
But there's someone to go to-Miss Peatree!

The big feelings and minor dilemmas of elementary school are no match for this hilarious, delightful cast of characters and the untiring compassion of Miss Peatree. One after another, students pile into her office to get fixed up-whether they need a Band-Aid for a bumped knee or a solution for a touch of homesickness. Even the principal visits with an urgent paper cut!

With irresistible, hilarious rhyme and endlessly lively art, Chelsea Lin Wallace and Alison Farrell showcase the humor of elementary school's many little problems and the gentle good sense that puts everything right.

**HILARIOUS HUMOR FOR ALL AGES:** This genuinely funny picture book for kids will tickle adults, too. It's tongue (...)

### Author Bio

Chelsea Lin Wallace is a proud member of SCBWI, CBW-LA, and the 12x12 Challenge. She lives in Los Angeles, California, with her family.

Alison Farrell is the author-illustrator of *Cycle City*, *Bicycle Bash*, and *The Hike*, as well as the illustrator of Kristen Tracy's Animal Story board book series, among other books for children. She lives in Portland, Oregon. Learn more about her at [www.drawdrawdraw.com](http://www.drawdrawdraw.com).

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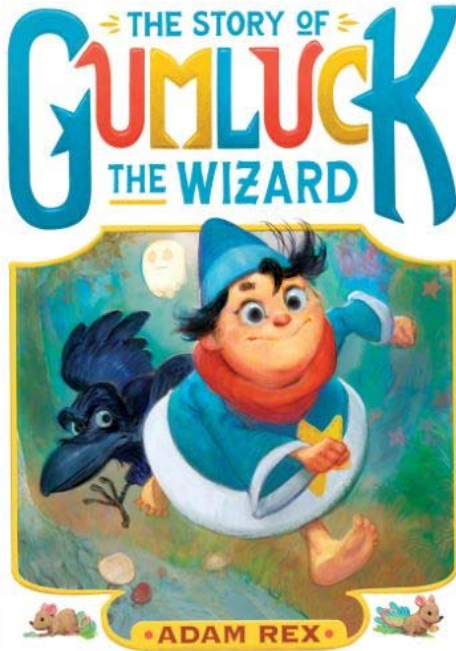
**9781797210810** • \$26.99 • CL - Hardcover, full-color illustrations throughout, jacketed hardcover

Juvenile Fiction / Humorous Stories • Ages 5-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion





LEAD

### The Story of Gumluck the Wizard

Book One

by Adam Rex

**Meet Gumluck the Wizard, the star of a new chapter book series by the inimitable Adam Rex!**

This is a story about magic, if you like that kind of thing. It is also a story about a ghost with amnesia, an unpopular fairy, an ungrateful little town, and an extremely wise and helpful raven (who happens to be a pretty talented storyteller). But mostly, it is about a friendly little wizard who lives inside a big hill and really, really, really wants to be a hero. His name is Gumluck, and he is a bumbling noodlehead.

In this tall tale about a short wizard, celebrated author Adam Rex proves once and for all that the biggest heroes often come in the smallest nightgowns.

Perfect for: • Fans of Adam Rex

- Parents and grandparents seeking funny children's book series
- Teachers and librarians looking for engaging children's fantasy and magic books
- Anyone looking for fantasy chapter books
- Readers who enjoy Chris Colfer's *A Tale of Magic*, the Unicorn Academy series, and *Magic Tree House* books

### Author Bio

Adam Rex is the author and illustrator of many beloved picture books and novels, including *The True Meaning of Smekday* and the *New York Times* bestseller *Frankenstein Makes a Sandwich*. He has also illustrated the work of many other authors, including Jon Scieszka, Mac Barnett, Jeff Kinney, Kate DiCamillo, Eoin Colfer, Christopher Paul Curtis, Paul Feig, and Neil Gaiman. He lives in Tucson, Arizona. See more about him at [www.adamrex.com](http://www.adamrex.com).

Chronicle Books

On Sale: Aug 15/23

5.5 x 7.13 • 140 pages

**9781797213231** • \$22.50 • CL - Hardcover, black-and-white illustrations throughout, unjacketed

Juvenile Fiction / Science Fiction, Fantasy, Magic •

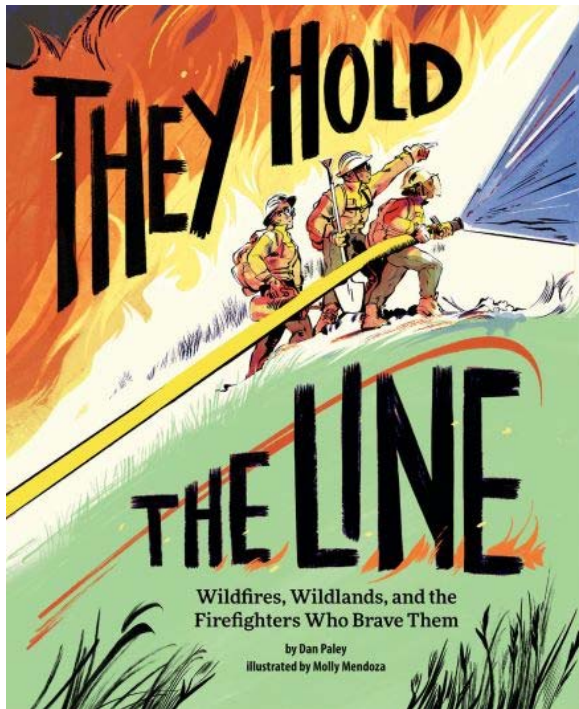
Ages 6-9 years

Series: Gumluck the Wizard

### Notes

### Promotion





### They Hold the Line

Wildfires, Wildlands, and the Firefighters Who Brave Them

by Dan Paley, illustrated by Molly Mendoza

**A tribute to the unsung heroes of firefighting that takes readers along on a high-stakes mission to battle one of the deadliest natural disasters.**

*A lone figure stands on a tower, watching and waiting. Lightning strikes. Tree bark sparks. A wisp of white smoke rises in the distance. It is time to act.*

Frightening images of raging wildfires top the daily news. On the ground, smoke fills the air as people prepare to flee their homes ahead of encroaching flames. Who helps to get this crisis under control? And what do these heroes do? They hold the line.

*They Hold the Line* delivers a dramatic inside look at the work of the highly trained first responders who risk their lives to fight wildfires. From hotshot handcrews to those who support them, wildland firefighters serve as stewards of the land, managing the health of our forests and the safety of our communities.

Powerfully written by Dan Paley and brought vividly to life by artist Molly Mendoza, this compelling and informative book explores wildland firefighters' complex jobs in a fascinating and approachable way. Thoroughly researched and packed with graphics, labels, sidebars, vocabulary, scientific concepts, historical facts, and so much more, *They Hold the Line* is (...)

### Author Bio

Dan Paley has an undergraduate degree in geography and planning and a graduate degree in science writing. He was inspired to create this book when, looking from the doorstep of his family home at fire on a distant ridge, he reassured his three young sons that expert firefighters were there to help. He lives with his family in Irvine, California. Learn more at [danpaley.com](http://danpaley.com).

Molly Mendoza explores the complexities of interpersonal relationships through their work and strives to portray those feelings that we just can't shake, depicting emotions from fiery anger to the roar of joy through rhythmic mark and bold color. Their practice has expanded into comics, editorial work, painting, and murals. When they aren't telling stories or drawing big tears, they are probably hanging out with their cat, Doodle. They currently live in Portland, Oregon. Learn more at [mollymendoza.com](http://mollymendoza.com).



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9 x 11 • 44 pages

**9781797214504** • \$28.99 • CL - Hardcover, full-color illustrations throughout, jacketed

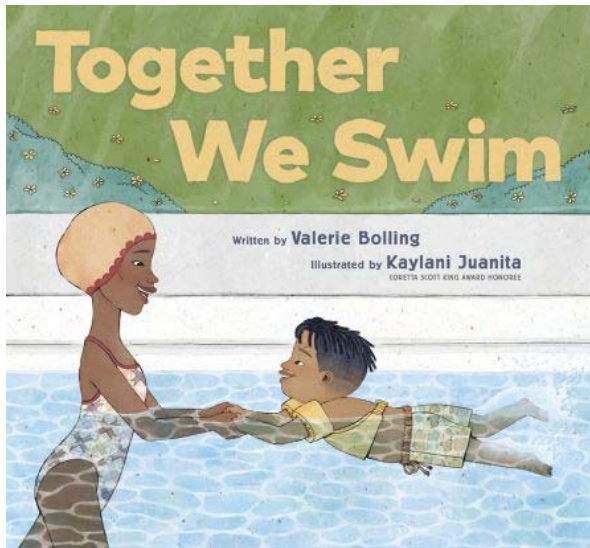
Juvenile Nonfiction / Science & Nature / Disasters •

Ages 7-10 years

### Notes

### Promotion





LEAD

### Together We Swim

by Valerie Bolling, illustrated by Kaylani Juanita

**A joyful, encouraging ode to a mother and son's relationship and the unforgettable experience of a child's first swimming lessons.**

Jumping into the water can be more than a little scary! But with Mom's steady arms there's no fear of sinking. With a kick, a splash, and his family's cheers of encouragement, one determined boy finds his groove, making waves in this fun-filled day at the pool.

Embrace the feeling of accomplishment in this joyous, reassuring story about perseverance and new experiences. With lyrical rhyming text and vibrant illustrations, *Together We Swim* is destined to become a family read-aloud favorite!

**VIBRANT & JOYFUL:** Rhythmic text paired with dynamically illustrated kicks, flutters, and splashes against a palette of deep blue create a bright portrait that is both encouraging and warm for any child learning to swim.

**A HELPFUL GUIDE FOR NEW SWIMMERS:** The perfect book for any child facing nervous excitement or trepidation about learning to swim!

**THE JOY OF A FIRST SWIM LESSON:** Who can forget the first time they learned how to swim? This book is a nostalgic nod for parents and one they will be eager to share with their young one learning how to swim.

**A GREAT READ ALOUD:** This lyrical, upbeat text is a great fit for story time in any household.

**PERFECT GIFT FOR MOM:** If you're looking for a Mother's Day (...)

### Author Bio

Valerie Bolling has been an educator for over twenty-seven years. Valerie serves as the co-chair of the NESCBWI Equity and Inclusion Team and is a member of SCBWI, the Authors Guild, and NCTE. She lives in Stamford, CT, and you can find her at [valeriebolling.com](http://valeriebolling.com).

Kaylani Juanita illustrates inclusive picture books, such as *Ta-Da! When Aiden Became a Brother*, and *Magnificent Homespun Brown*, for which she received the Coretta Scott King Illustrator Honor Award. Her mission as an artist is to support the stories of the underrepresented and create new ways for people to imagine themselves. She currently lives in Fairfield, CA. You can find her at [kaylanijuanita.com](http://kaylanijuanita.com).



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Chronicle Books

On Sale: Aug 15/23

9.5 x 8.75 • 40 pages

**9781797212494** • \$25.99 • CL - Hardcover, full-color illustrations throughout, jacketed

Juvenile Fiction / Family / General (See Also Headings Under Social Situations) • Ages 3-5 years

### Notes

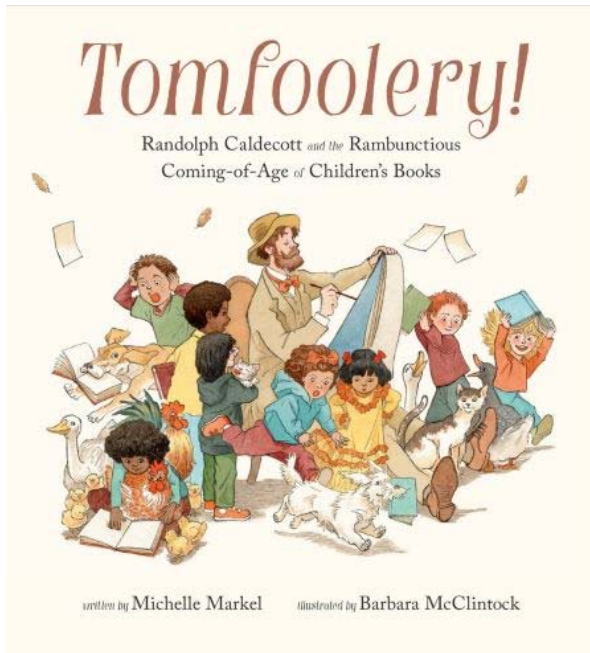
### Promotion



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### Tomfoolery!

Randolph Caldecott and the Rambunctious Coming-of-Age of Children's Books

by Michelle Markel, illustrated by Barbara McClintock

**Meet Randolph Caldecott, the artist who revolutionized picture book illustration and for whom the prestigious Caldecott medal is named! From acclaimed picture book creators Michelle Markel and Barbara McClintock comes a lively, humorous, and energetically informative biography that celebrates the spirit of storytelling in art.**

Quick! If you don't move fast, you'll miss him-there he goes-Randolph Caldecott, future famous illustrator. His *sketchbook* is full of hurly-burly: wild weather, frisky animals, and people so sprightly they can barely hold onto the pages. But in the 1850s, there were no *children's books* like that. Not yet.

Many books are published, but their pictures look stiff, full of pretty poses and cluttered scenery. No one has imagined how much fun an illustrated book *could* be because the future hero of children's book illustration is still just a lad. Join Michelle Markel and Barbara McClintock for a riotous adventure through the seminal history of children's books-their art, their joy, and the man who changed them for good.

[Tomfoolery *noun* : silliness, shenanigans, buffoonery, skylarking, or pranks]

**FASCINATING TRUE STORY:** This picture book biography introduces readers to the man who redefined children's books, transforming the reading experience of people all around the world! Anyone who loves history, biographies, or books for children will find themselves charmed by this lively look at the life of Randolph Caldecott.

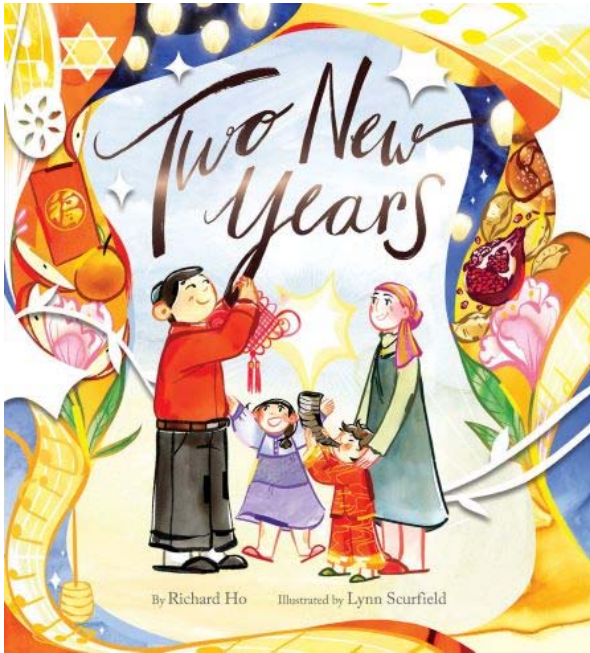
**WHIMSICAL AND ENGAGING:** Full of verve and fun, humor and dynamic vocabulary, this book is history with pure delight, sure to engage even the most reluctant readers!

**FUN AND INSPIRING GIFT BOOK:** With compelling visual storytelling and an inspiring role (...)

### Author Bio

Michelle Markel writes informative, enjoyable children's books at her home in Los Angeles, California. She's the author of *Tyrannosaurus Math* (a CCBC Choices Reading List selection), *The Fantastic Jungles of Henri Rousseau* (a PEN/Steven Kroll Award winner and a Parents' Choice Gold Award winner), and *Brave Girl: Clara and the Shirtwaist Makers' Strike of 1909* (a Jane





### Two New Years

by Richard Ho, illustrated by Lynn Scurfield

**This warm and welcoming New Year celebration invites readers to learn about Rosh Hashanah and Lunar New Year traditions and to reflect on the rich blends of cultures and traditions in their own lives.**

For this multicultural family, inspired by the author's own, two New Years mean twice as much to celebrate! In the fall, Rosh Hashanah, the Jewish New Year, offers an opportunity to bake challah, dip apples in honey, and lift voices in song. In the spring, Lunar New Year brings a chance to eat dumplings, watch dragon dances, and release glowing lanterns that light up the sky.

With bright, joyful prose and luminous illustrations, Richard Ho and Lynn Scurfield invite readers of all backgrounds to experience the beauty of two New Year traditions, paying homage to the practices that make each unique while illuminating the values of abundance, family, and hope that they share.

Full of opportunities to reflect on the rich blends of cultures and traditions in our lives, this moving picture book is a beautiful reminder that, at heart, our celebrations might not be so different after all.

**TWO BEAUTIFUL NEW YEAR CELEBRATIONS:** This book is brimming with opportunities for readers to learn about cultures different from their own—from Jewish readers learning about Lunar New Year, to Chinese readers learning about Rosh Hashanah, to readers from other cultures being invited to experience (...)

### Author Bio

Richard Ho is Chinese, Jewish, and an author . . . in any order you wish! His previous books include *The Lost Package*, illustrated by Jessica Lanan, and *Year of the Cat*, illustrated by Jocelyn Li Langrand. He loves to craft stories about diverse cultures and the delightful ways they intertwine. He and his proudly multicultural family live in the melting pot of New Jersey.

Lynn Scurfield's work is defined by bright colors, fun textures, and strong emotions. In their spare time, Lynn enjoys knitting, watching tours of beautiful houses online, and going on hikes with Taro, her small (but barksy) dog. Lynn resides in Toronto, Canada.

Chronicle Books

On Sale: Aug 8/23

9.5 x 10.5 • 44 pages

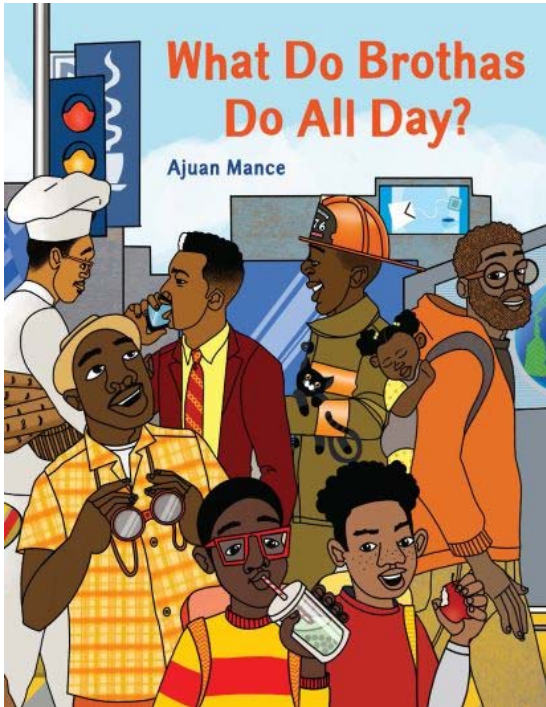
**9781797212814** • \$28.99 • CL - Hardcover, foil-stamped cover, full-color illustrations throughout, jacketed

Juvenile Fiction / Holidays & Festivals / General • Ages 3-5 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### What Do Brothas Do All Day?

by Ajuan Mance

Inspired by Richard Scarry's *What Do People Do All Day?*, these joyous portraits of Black men engaged in everyday life celebrate the deep roots and rich cultures of African American communities.

*Have you ever wondered . . .*

*What do brothas do all day?*

*Brothas drive. Brothas dance. Brothas work. Brothas listen. And brothas love .*

Scarry's now-classic book, first published in 1968, is a richly illustrated guide to the places, jobs, and activities that defined the daily lives of grown-ups. Author-illustrator Ajuan Mance created *What Do Brothas Do All Day?*, like Scarry, in response to children's innate curiosity about the activities and experiences of others, but also to meet the longing many kids have for characters and communities that look and feel like the people and places they know.

This joyous reflection of real Black men and boys engaged in everyday life is a gift for Black kids who rarely see themselves reflected in the pages of a book and an affirmation of their world and the people who populate it. From grocery shopping and waiting for a trim at the barbershop to singing, dancing, and laughing with friends, Mance captures the beauty in the ordinary, affirming the enduring strength of the Black community.

DIVERSE BOOKS FOR KIDS: This picture book features real Black men the (...)

### Author Bio

Ajuan Mance is a visual artist, author, editor, and professor of English at Mills College in Oakland, California. Inspired by Richard Scarry's *What Do People Do All Day?*, she created the groundbreaking series 1001 Black Men, a collection of portraits produced over six and a half years that evolved into this book. She is a prolific maker of zines and comics and the author of *Living While Black: Portraits of Everyday Resistance*. You can learn more about her work at [ajuanmance.com](http://ajuanmance.com).

Chronicle Books

On Sale: Nov 14/23

9 x 11 • 44 pages

**9781797215051** • \$26.99 • CL - Hardcover, full-color illustrations throughout, jacketed

Juvenile Fiction / People & Places / US / African-American • Ages 5-8 years

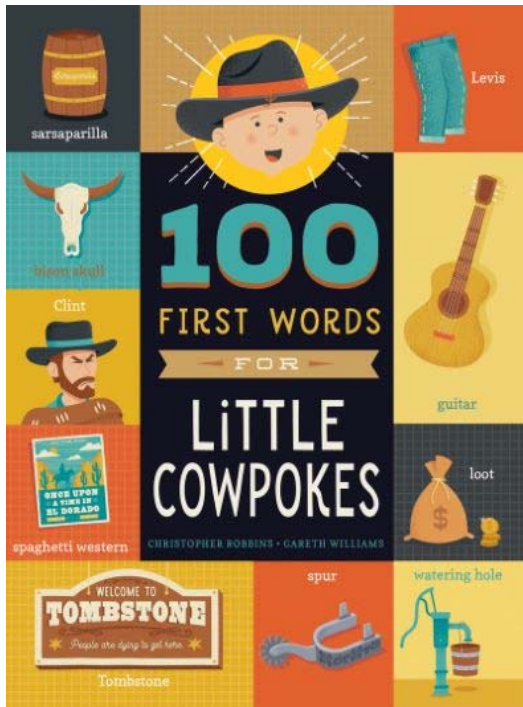
### Notes

### Promotion



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### 100 First Words for Little Cowpokes

by Christopher Robbins, illustrated by Gareth Williams

If ya'll are fixin' to raise those youngins right, this here book is the best in the West! Say Howdy" to *100 First Words for Little Cowpokes*, a plumb pretty little primer for tenderfoots learnin' their first words! Forget yellow-bellied words like *apple* and *dog*. Your little varmints are ready for *pommel*, *bolo*, and *Dodge*. Packed with hilarious illustrations and 100 words every baby buckaroo needs to know, *100 First Words for Little Cowpokes* is the perfect board book for boot-wearin' families everywhere. Tarnation!

### Author Bio

Christopher Robbins is the founder and president of Familius and the cofounder of Hummingbird Digital Media. He is married to his Familius partner and acquisitions editor, Michele Robbins, and they reside in Sanger, California, with their nine children.

Gareth Williams lives in London with his amazing wife. From an early age he's loved to draw, and that passion continues to this day. It's something he still can't believe he gets to do for a living. Gareth has illustrated everything from editorial illustrations to children's books

Familius

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8 x 6 • 16 pages

9781641709897 • \$14.99

Juvenile Nonfiction / Lifestyles / Farm & Ranch Life •

Ages 0-3 years

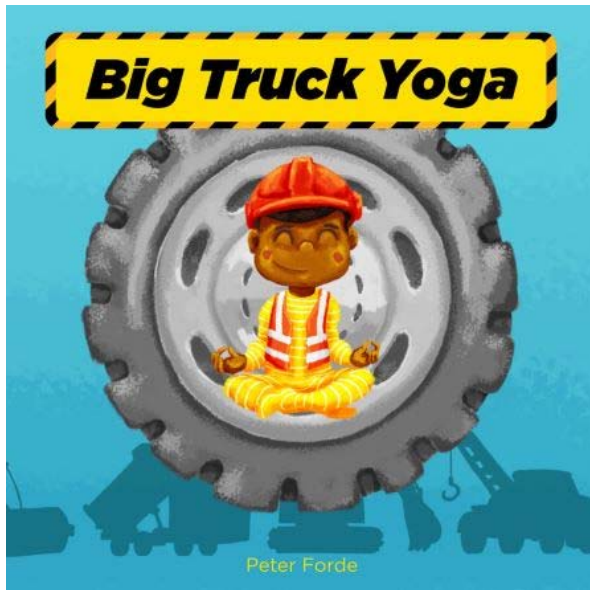
Series: 100 First Words

### Notes

### Promotion







### Big Truck Yoga by Peter Forde

Honk! Honk! Find your balance with some help from your favorite construction vehicles. With child-friendly yoga poses that mirror different trucks, *Big Truck Yoga* encourages both movement and stillness in young children, along with a healthy dose of imagination!

"*Big Truck Yoga* is both clever and adorable. We love Peter Forde's wonderful and unique illustrations. *Big Truck Yoga* will surely be a hit for any child, but especially those who love trucks and moving their body." - **Tara Hungerford & Eric Hogan, Creators of the hit CBC Kids television series, The Gumboots Kids**

### Author Bio

Location: Vancouver, BC

Peter Forde has many chapters to his artistic endeavors and flicks through them like an animated flip book. Seeding with comic books, growing through fine art, evolving as an art teacher, branching into mural art, and blooming into illustration, Peter loves his visual expression. Growing up in Ireland gave Peter an appreciation for play, the arts, and family life. There, he got his BFA at DLIADT, which grounded his diverse approach to art. He travelled to London to receive his MA in Digital Arts at Camberwell College of Art, and then went on to become a high school teacher and earn his Certificate in Education. Beautiful Vancouver, BC, is where Peter, his family, and their dog now call home. This is where you can find Peter on his bike, in his studio, or at the library with his kids. This book is inspired by Peter's own children's efforts to harness their active strength into inner strength.

Familus

On Sale: Sep 5/23

7 x 7 • 16 pages

Full-color illustrations

**9781641709989 • \$14.99**

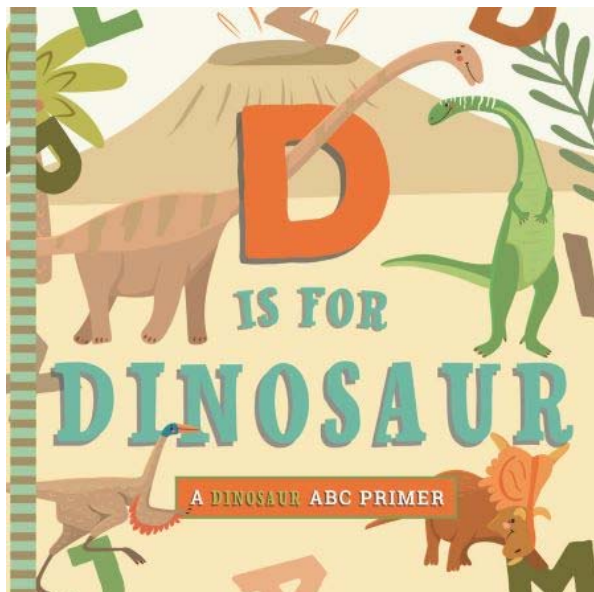
Juvenile Fiction / Transportation / Cars & Trucks •

Ages 0-3 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### D is for Dinosaur

by Christopher Robbins, illustrated by Volha Kaliaha

*A is for allosaurus*

*B is for brachiosaurus*

*C is for carnotaurus . . .*

Take a trip back in time to the Mesozoic Era when dinosaurs walked the earth! With G for gigantosaurius, P for pachycephalosaurus, and X for xenoceratops, the ABCs have never been so T-riffic! Every little dino lover will have a roaring good time learning dinosaur names all the way down to zalmoxes.

### Author Bio

Christopher Robbins is the founder and president of Familius and the cofounder of Hummingbird Digital Media. He is married to his Familius partner and acquisitions editor, Michele Robbins, and they reside in Sanger, California, with their nine children.

Volha Kaliaha is a vector designer and illustrator from Minks, Belarus. Motherhood enhanced her life as an artist, helping her to imagine the world from a child's perspective and to see magic in simple things

Familius

On Sale: Nov 7/23

7 x 7 • 20 pages

**9781641709873 • \$14.99**

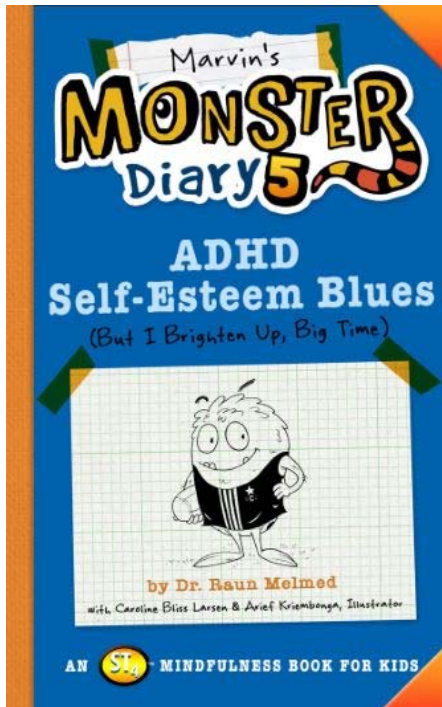
Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals / Dinosaurs & Prehistoric  
Creatures • Ages 0-3 years

Series: ABC Primer

### Notes

### Promotion





### Marvin's Monster Diary 5

ADHD Self-Esteem Blues

by Raun Melmed, with Caroline Bliss Larsen, illustrated by Arief Kriembonga

It looks like it's going to be a great year for Marvin! He's captain of the garbageball team at school, the Monstrocity Minotaurs, and he's happy to be back with all of his friends for another season. But when the first few practices are roaring failures, Marvin starts to wonder if he's really cut out for the job. After a pick-me-up from Grammasaurus and a major boost of self-confidence, he bites off more than he can chew by signing up for jazz band, Garden Uglification club, and the school play. Join Marvin as he learns that self-esteem needs to come from within, and sometimes we need to know our limits as well as our talents.

Marvin's hilarious doodles and diary entries chronicle his delightful adventures, misadventures, and eventual triumph in a funny, relatable way. It's the one series on ADHD and associated issues that kids will actually want to read!

### Author Bio

Raun D. Melmed, MD, FAAP, a developmental and behavioral pediatrician, is the director of the Melmed Center in Scottsdale, Arizona, and co-founder and medical director of the Southwest Autism Research and Resource Center.

Caroline Bliss Larsen is a children's book author and full-time editor. To clear her head of words from time to time, she likes to Irish dance, play games, and snuggle her nieces, nephew, husband, and delightfully clingy cat.

Familius

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8 x 5 • 112 pages

Black and white spot illustrations throughout

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Juvenile Fiction / Concepts / Senses & Sensation •

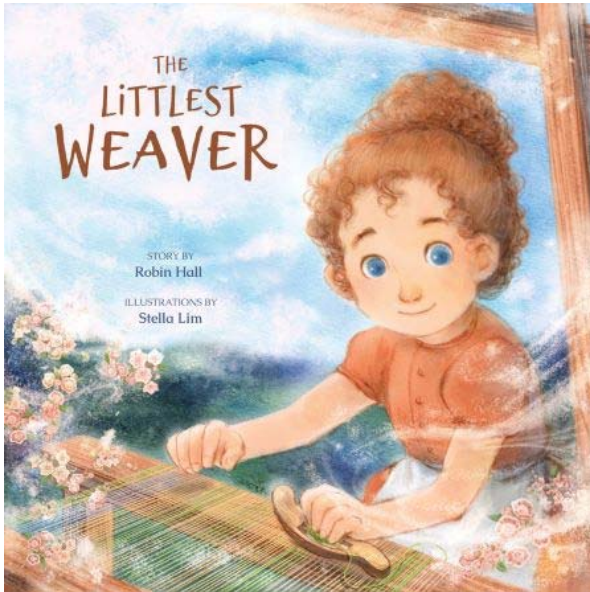
Ages 4-6 years

Series: Monster Diaries

### Notes

### Promotion





### The Littlest Weaver

by Robin Hall, illustrated by Stella Lim

*Far from the sea*

*in the hills and hollers of Appalachia's great Southern Highlands  
lived Laurel, the littlest weaver, and her pa.*

*Together they wove story rugs filled with honeysuckle and summer sunshine.  
For Laurel, though small, had a gift for weaving as if her mama's angel hands  
guided hers.*

Laurel and her father weave beautiful rugs for the people of their mountain town. When a stranger moves to town with sadness in his eyes and a lonely doll on his table, Laurel wants to help. With gorgeous illustrations of the natural beauty of the Appalachian Mountains and depictions of the Appalachian weaving tradition, *The Littlest Weaver* shows us how to hold space for grief and warms your heart like a woven blanket.

### Author Bio

Robin Hall lives on a tiny farm in North Carolina with one handsome husband, five children, four dogs, three weaving looms, and too many chickens to count. She holds an MFA in Writing from Vermont College of Fine Arts and believes everyone has a need to create, whether it be the best loaf of bread, a beautiful rug, or a story to share.

Stella Lim is an illustrator who lives in Seoul, South Korea. She has illustrated many picture books, including *Spin a Scarf of Sunshine*, *Little Blue Bunny*, and *Sora's Seashells*. She lives with her family in a house surrounded by a little forest.

Familius

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10 x 10 • 32 pages

9781641709774 • \$26.99 • cl

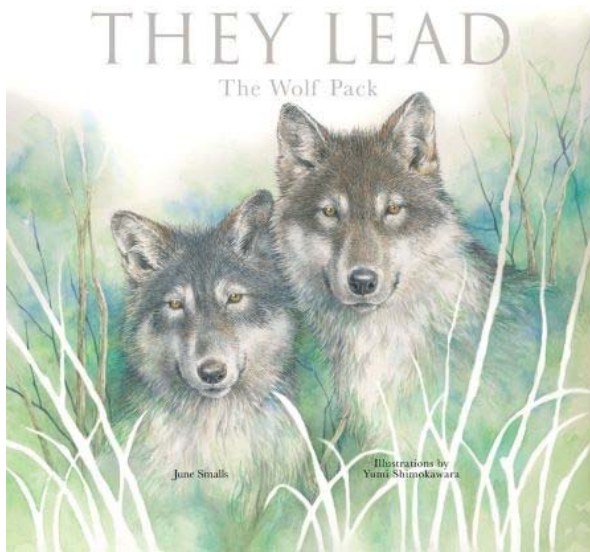
Juvenile Fiction / Social / Death & Dying • Ages 4-6  
years

### Notes

### Promotion







### They Lead

The Wolf Pack

by June Smalls, illustrated by Yumi Shimokawara

*They are the leaders.*

*The creators of the pack.*

*She digs the den, where their young will grow.*

*He patrols the territory and brings her food while she cares for the helpless pups.*

*As seasons pass, and new litters arrive, the pack grows and all work together to raise the young.*

A wolf's piercing howl can carry up to 10 miles, raising goosebumps on even the most intrepid camper's skin. But the gray wolf is far from a simple predator. An incredible combination of teamwork and instinct has helped wolf packs survive, despite being endangered in most of North America. With a mother wolf and father wolf leading the pack-their family-together, the cubs grow and learn the skills they need to start their own pack someday. With stunning, lifelike illustrations and facts on each page for grownups or older children who want a deeper dive, this beautiful picture book is a monument to these majestic packs.

### Author Bio

Yumi Shimokawara is an illustrator, picture book writer, and animal lover living in Japan. Yumi studied Japanese literature in college and then studied painting while doing various jobs

Familius

On Sale: Sep 5/23

10 x 10 • 32 pages

9781641709743 • \$26.99 • cl

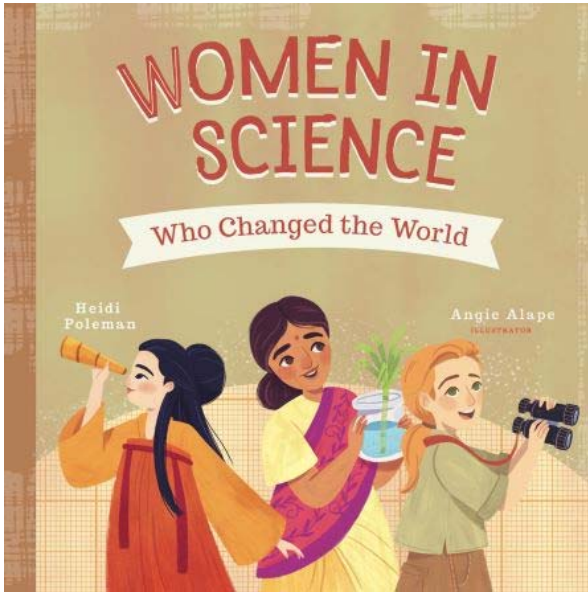
Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals / Wolves & Coyotes •

Ages 4-6 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Women in Science Who Changed the World

by Heidi Poleman, illustrated by Angie Alape

From the innovations of Janaki Ammal to the careful observations of Jane Goodall, *Women in Science Who Changed the World* is a young child's first introduction to the diverse, extraordinary women who used their brilliant minds to change the world of science forever. Simple text and adorable illustrations tell the contributions of eight scientists: **Maria Sibylla Merian, Wang Zhenyi, Mary Anning, Marie Curie, Janaki Ammal, Katherine Johnson, Jane C. Wright, and Jane Goodall.** A quote from each scientist is included on each spread along with colorful, delightful artwork.

### Author Bio

Heidi Poelman received her degrees in communication from Brigham Young University (BA) and Wake Forest University (MA). Heidi and her husband, Scott, live in Utah with their four bright-eyed children. Learn more at [www.heidipoelman.com](http://www.heidipoelman.com).

Familus

On Sale: Sep 5/23

7 x 7 • 16 pages

Full color illustrations

**9781641706452 • \$14.99**

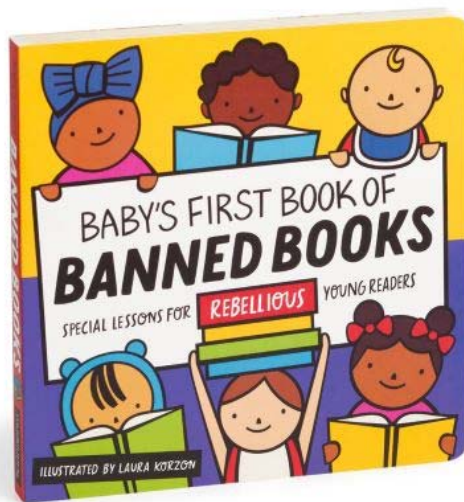
Juvenile Nonfiction / Biography & Autobiography /

Women • Ages 2-4 years

### Notes

### Promotion





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LEAD

### Baby's First Book of Banned Books

by Mudpuppy, by (artist) Laura Korzon

Baby's First Book of Banned Books by Laura Korzon is Mudpuppy's introduction to key lessons learned through some infamously banned books like *The Diary of Anne Frank* and *To Kill A Mockingbird*. With simple illustrations and simple messages, the book contains a glossary and explanation of each book featured.

- 28 pages
- Trim: 7 x 7, 18 x 18 cm
- Makes the perfect gift for rebellious young readers!
- All Mudpuppy products adhere to CPSIA, ASTM, and CE Safety Regulations
- Greyboard contains 90% recycled paper. Printed with nontoxic, soy-based inks

### Author Bio

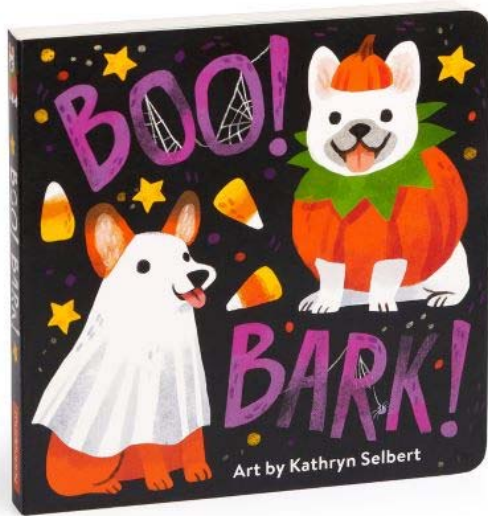
Laura Korzon is an artist, illustrator, and designer, born and raised in Lancaster, Pennsylvania. She graduated from Rhode Island School of Design in 2010 and spends her days creating colorful graphics for cards, stationery, clothing, and more. Laura was born in 1988 in Lancaster, Pennsylvania - United States. She studied Illustration at the Rhode Island School of Design and graduated in 2010. After graduating, Laura worked as a print designer for Dansko, just outside of Philadelphia. She has created graphics throughout her internship, but most of the time she helped the design team choose fabrics for their products. She had the opportunity to be a buyer and visit trade shows in New York. During this time, she realized that she wanted to be on the other side of her illustration work. So she picked a job at a small stationery company in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, where she created greeting card designs and managed her line of wedding invitations. After dedicating herself to it for two years, she decided to launch and work on her own. In recent years, she has focused most of her energy on wedding invitations and work for local brands, and has continued to create as many personal works as she has been able to.

Galison Mudpuppy  
On Sale: Jul 11/23  
12.79 x 7.31 • 26 pages  
**9780735380165** • \$14.99  
Ages 0-5 years

### Notes

### Promotion





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LEAD

### Boo Bark! Board Book

by Mudpuppy, by (artist) Kathryn Selbert

The Boo Bark! Board Book by Kathryn Selbert is Mudpuppys Halloween themed book with adorable costume-clad dogs exploring pumpkin patches and making friends with spiders! Follow these puppies and bark along throughout the spooky scenes to celebrate some festive Autumn traditions. a - 22 pages a - Trim: 5.5 x 5.5, 14 x 14 cm a - Makes the perfect Autumn addition to your Halloween bookshelf! a - All Mudpuppy products adhere to CPSIA, ASTM, and CE Safety Regulations a - Greyboard contains 90% recycled paper. Printed with nontoxic, soy-based inks

### Author Bio

Kathryn Selbert is an award winning freelance illustrator and designer currently living in Montclair, NJ with her french bulldog Margot and tea loving partner. She earned her BFA in Illustration from the Rhode Island School of Design. While attending RISD, she completed a children's book design internship at Sterling Publishing.

She creates illustrations for children, pattern, greeting cards, stationery and events. In her free time, Kathryn is a devoted plant mom and undertaker of overly ambitious baking and cooking projects. Her work is inspired by the people she meets in her everyday life, our colorful world, flora and fauna, and having fun.

Galison Mudpuppy

On Sale: Jul 11/23

5.5 x 5.5 • 22 pages

**9780735377523** • \$13.50

Juvenile Fiction / Holidays & Festivals / Halloween •

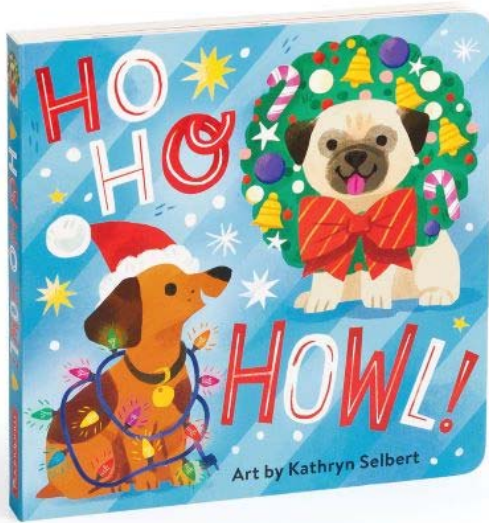
Ages 0-5 years

### Notes

### Promotion







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LEAD

### Ho Ho Howl! Board Book

by Mudpuppy, by (artist) Kathryn Selbert

The Ho Ho Howl! Board Book by Kathryn Selbert is Mudpuppy's Holiday themed book with wonderful dogs getting ready for winter! Follow these puppies and bark along throughout the cheerful scenes to celebrate some festive Winter traditions.

- 22 pages
- Trim: 5.5 x 5.5, 14 x 14 cm
- Makes the perfect Winter addition to your Holiday bookshelf!
- All Mudpuppy products adhere to CPSIA, ASTM, and CE Safety Regulations
- Greyboard contains 90% recycled paper. Printed with nontoxic, soy-based inks

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Galison Mudpuppy

On Sale: Aug 15/23

5.5 x 5.5 • 22 pages

9780735379091 • \$13.50

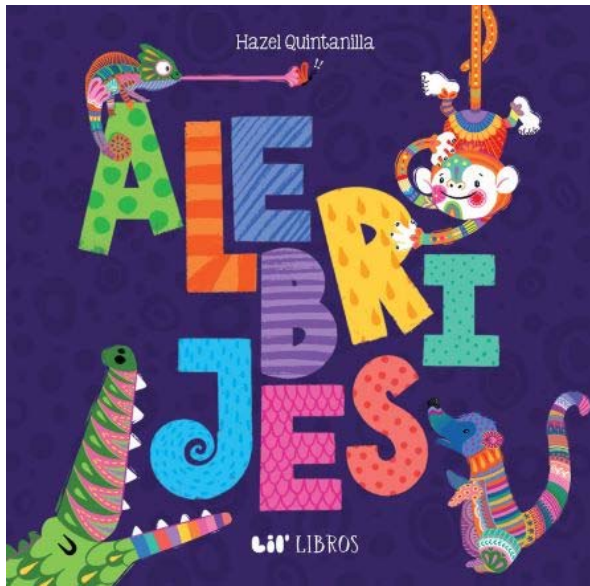
Juvenile Fiction / Holidays & Festivals / Christmas •

Ages 0-5 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Alebrijes: Animals / Animales

by Created by Lil' Libros, illustrated by Hazel Quintanilla

**Introduce your little ones to a range animals and in their alebrije form in both English & Spanish!**

Through the vibrant, mystical imagery of alebrijes, this board book will introduce your little ones to their first set of animals in both English and Spanish!

Parents will adore this bilingual English-Spanish board book as it'll colorfully interpret the animals we know best in their magical, fantastical form of an alebrije - just in time for Dia de Muertos

### Author Bio

**Hazel Quintanilla** has been drawing since she was little and used to carry a pencil and a small notebook in a cute furry bear face purse that her mom bought for her. She also carried cheese cubes in it (ewww!). When she grew up, she decided to follow her passion and studied graphic design, followed by an MA where she specialized in illustration. She has produced work for numerous brands, magazines, and books, illustrating over a hundred children's books published in the United States and worldwide. Hazel loves animals, pj's, and her iPad, in which she produces most of her art. She's the proud mom of 9 dogs and really loves her job and enjoys putting the bold colors and cute shapes living in her mind on paper

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Jul 18/23

6.75 x 6.75 • 22 pages

4/c Illustrations t/o

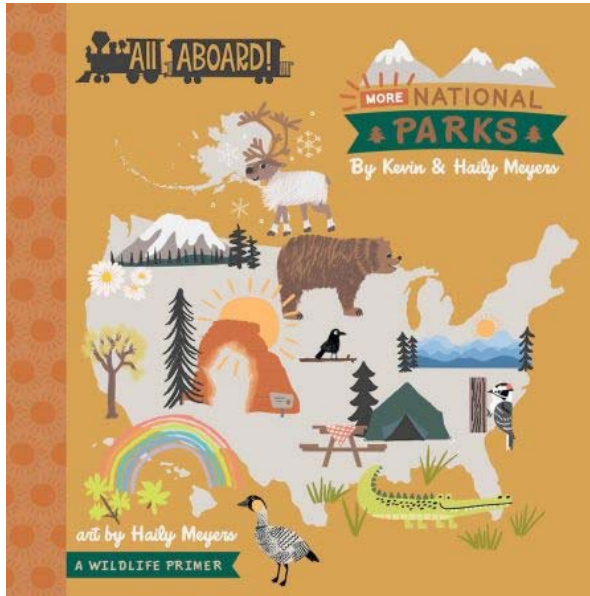
**9781948066846 • \$17.99**

Juvenile Fiction / Legends, Myths, Fables / Caribbean  
& Latin American • Ages 4-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### All Aboard! More National Parks

A Wildlife Primer

by Haily Meyers and Kevin Meyers

**Climb on the train and explore nine more national parks in the All Aboard! series, and be sure to spot the wildlife living there.**

Turn story time into an adventure while traveling through nine more national parks in *All Aboard! More National Parks* by Lucy Darling's Haily and Kevin Meyers. See if you can find the bugs, birds, and other wildlife hiding in their national park homes.

This book explores different parks from *All Aboard! National Parks* (Spring 2016) by visiting these national treasures:

- Glacier National Park
- Arches National Park
- Bryce Canyon National Park
- Shenandoah National Park
- Everglades National Park
- Denali National Park
- Hawaii Volcanoes National Park
- Joshua Tree National Park
- Mount Rainier National Park

### Author Bio

**Haily** and **Kevin Meyers** are the husband and wife team behind the dazzling boutique baby product line - Lucy Darling ([lucydarling.com](http://lucydarling.com)). Haily's design work can be seen on their unique monthly sticker designs, nursery art prints, baby memory books, and multiple baby products. Their work has been featured in *Pregnancy and Newborn* magazine, *Red Tricycle*, *Babiekins Magazine*, *Cool Mom Picks*, *KIWI* magazine, *Mollie Makes* magazine, *Fresh Style* magazine, *Mom Trends*, HGTV Canada, and specialty baby shops worldwide. They live in Scottsdale, Arizona

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Sep 26/23

6.87 x 6.87 • 22 pages

4/c Illustrations t/o

9781423665137 • \$17.99

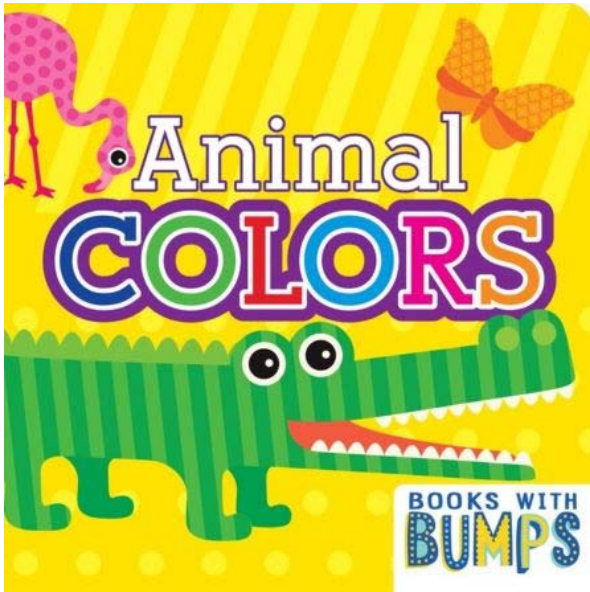
Juvenile Fiction / Sports & Recreation / Camping &  
Outdoor Activities • Ages 0-3 years

Series: Lucy Darling

### Notes

### Promotion





### **Books with Bumps Animal Colors**

A Whimsical Touch & Feel Book

by Created by 7 Cats Press

Get ready to learn all about colors in this adorable touch-and-feel book full of cool vehicles and silly animals in every shade of the rainbow!

- Bumpy format creates a tactile experience that little kids love!
- Fun images with bright, contrasting colors are perfect for small children.
- *Books with Bumps* series also includes *Ocean Counting*, *Vehicle Colors*, and *Vehicle Counting*

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Aug 1/23

7 x 7 • 14 pages

**9781635604177** • \$11.99

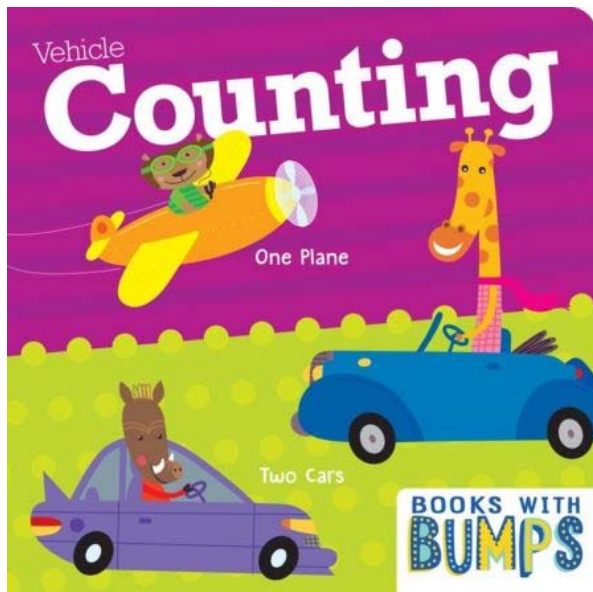
Juvenile Fiction / Concepts / Colors • Ages 0-3

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**







### Books with Bumps Vehicle Counting

Learn Your Numbers with This Adorable Touch & Feel Book  
by Created by 7 Cats Press

Lions and giraffes - start your engines! Get ready to learn all about numbers in this adorable touch-and-feel book full of cool vehicles and silly animals. Make counting fun with this unique early-learning gem!

- Bumpy format creates a tactile experience that little kids love!
- Fun images with bright, contrasting colors are perfect for small children.
- *Books with Bumps* series also includes *Ocean Counting*, *Vehicle Colors*, and *Animal Colors*

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Aug 1/23

7 x 7 • 14 pages

9781635604184 • \$11.99

Juvenile Fiction / Concepts / Counting • Ages 0-3

### Notes

### Promotion





LEAD

### Celebrating Chinese New Year

A Bilingual Book in English and Mandarin with Traditional Characters, Zhuyin, and Pinyin

by Lacey Benard and Lulu Cheng, illustrated by Lacey Benard

**For families looking for an informative and fun book to introduce their bitty babes to the traditions of everyone's favorite holiday: Chinese New Year. Readers will also learn family names in two languages while highlighting Chinese culture!**

Chinese New Year is the most important holiday in Chinese culture.

*Celebrating Chinese New Year* is a bilingual English and Mandarin Chinese book that introduces the various traditions that take place - from buying new clothes to special foods and decorations. Children will enjoy seeing different family members preparing for and celebrating the holiday together, and the included family tree is a great visual for teaching the names of different family members.

The eye-catching and unique artwork - made from adorable paper cut-outs - encourages reading and makes it fun to learn new vocabulary

### Author Bio

Meet **Lulu Cheng**, a wife, mom of 2 bitty babes, with her newest title - Bitty Bao Boss. Since her bitty babes were born, Lulu has worked hard to embed Chinese language and culture into everything that they do. Lulu's struggle to find cute bilingual Chinese books for her kids' bedtime soon evolved into a #bigbittydream to make Chinese board books of her own for families just like hers. She looks forward to sharing her journey of parenting, homemade Chinese teaching resources, and some late night bookmaking with you. A firewife, mom of a wee bitty babe, and the other half of the dynamic Bitty Bao Duo - meet **Lacey Benard**. As an American-Born-Chinese woman, raised without the gift of Chinese as a second language, Lacey is hoping to now prioritize language acquisition for her bitty babe through bilingual books, cultural events, and their school district's Mandarin dual immersion program. Lacey can often be found in the middle of the night hand cutting tiny bits of paper into cute images for the Bitty Bao books and hopes that you enjoy seeing them come to life in the books as much as she does

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Nov 7/23

6.5 x 6.5 • 22 pages

4/c Illustrations t/o

9781958833148 • \$17.99

Juvenile Nonfiction / Holidays & Festivals / Other, Non-Religious • Ages 0-5 years

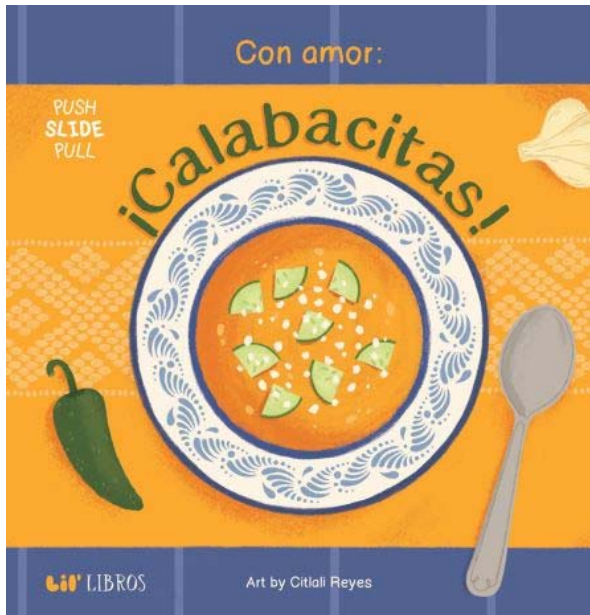
### Notes

### Promotion



Raincoast Books

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### **Con Amor: Calabacitas!** illustrated by Citali Reyes

Calabacitas for one, calabacitas for all!

Together, let's learn how to cook this dish from scratch with no kitchen needed. Little ones will have the opportunity to saute their squash, whisk together milk and cheese, add a hint of peppers, and so much more with this new interactive recipe book.

Parents will find this bilingual English-Spanish board book a flavorful choice for their little ones so they can bring to life the childhood memories with this famous Mexican dish that everyone continues to enjoy.

### **Author Bio**

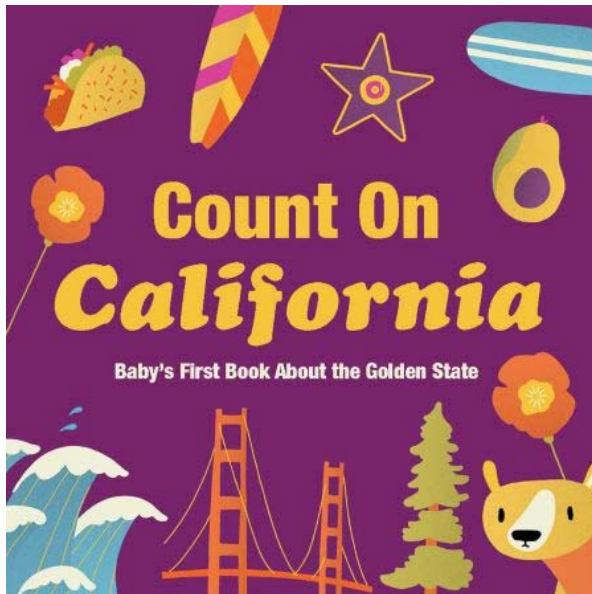
Citali Reyes, born and raised in Mexico, loved to doodle as a child. It was after studying architecture that she was drawn toward the enchanting world of illustration and chose to become a full-time illustrator. Citali enjoys telling stories through pictures, and her work is strongly influenced by the culture and vibrant colors of her country. She has partnered with Lil' Libros to illustrate more than 15 popular bilingual picture books for children in their board book collection.

Gibbs Smith  
On Sale: Oct 24/23  
6.75 x 6.75 • 22 pages  
4/c Illustrations t/o  
**9781948066556** • \$23.99  
Juvenile Nonfiction / Health / General • Ages 0-5

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### Count on California

Baby's First Book About the Golden State

illustrated by Nicole LaRue

Learning about California is as easy as 1, 2, 3 in this charming board book designed to introduce babies and toddlers to iconic symbols of the Golden State reimagined in Nicole LaRue's quirky, modern style. Covering everything from grizzlies to avocados, surfboards to stars on the Walk of Fame, *Count On California* is the perfect gift for little Californians and tiny tourists alike.

Covering everything from grizzlies to avocados, surfboards to stars on the Walk of Fame, this bright board book makes learning about California as easy as 1, 2, 3! Illustrator Nicole LaRue's charming, modern style depicts iconic Golden State symbols for toddlers to count. A perfect baby gift or vacation souvenir, this fresh and contemporary take on the 31st state will be a hit with little learners

### Author Bio

**Nicole LaRue** is a graphic designer, illustrator, and author. She believes every person, no matter their age or status, can help create positive social change. Called upon at the eleventh hour to create the official logo for the 2017 Women's March on Washington, Nicole is no stranger to mighty work. Her clients include Chronicle Books, Abrams Books, Oxford University Press, Compendium, Madison Park Greetings, Johnson & Johnson, Chatbooks, Tiny Prints, DC Shoes, Spumoni Studio, American Eagle, and more. See her work at [SmallMadeGoods.com](http://SmallMadeGoods.com). Nicole resides in Salt Lake City, Utah

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Sep 26/23

6.87 x 6.87 • 22 pages

9781423665274 • \$19.50

Juvenile Nonfiction / Concepts / Counting • Ages 0-3 years

### Notes

### Promotion







### Count on New York City

Baby's First Book About the Big Apple

illustrated by Nicole LaRue

Covering everything from subway cars to taxi cabs, bagels to hot dog carts, this bright board book makes learning about New York City as easy as 1, 2, 3! Illustrator Nicole LaRue's charming, modern style depicts iconic Big Apple symbols for toddlers to count. A perfect baby gift or vacation souvenir, this fresh and contemporary take on NYC will be a hit with little learners.

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Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Oct 1/23

6.88 x 6.88 • 22 pages

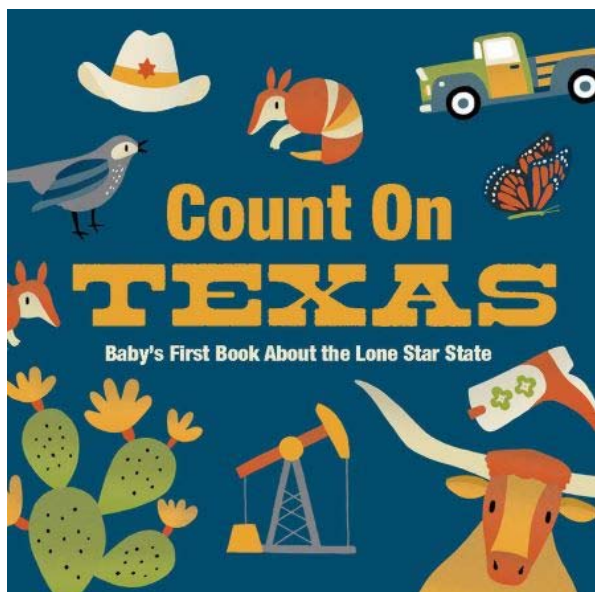
**9781423665281** • \$19.50

Juvenile Nonfiction / Concepts / Counting

### Notes

### Promotion





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TO ENRICH AND INSPIRE HUMANKIND

### Count on Texas

Baby's First Book About the Lone Star State

illustrated by Nicole LaRue

Learning about Texas is as easy as 1, 2, 3 in this charming board book designed to introduce babies and toddlers to iconic symbols of the Lone Star State. Covering everything from longhorns to armadillos, pickup trucks to cowboy boots, *Count On Texas* is the perfect gift for little Texans and tiny tourists alike.

Covering everything from longhorns to armadillos, pickup trucks to cowboy boots, this bright board book makes learning about Texas as easy as 1, 2, 3! Illustrator Nicole LaRue's charming, modern style depicts iconic Lone Star State symbols for toddlers to count. A perfect baby gift or vacation souvenir, this fresh and contemporary take on the 28th state will be a hit with little learners

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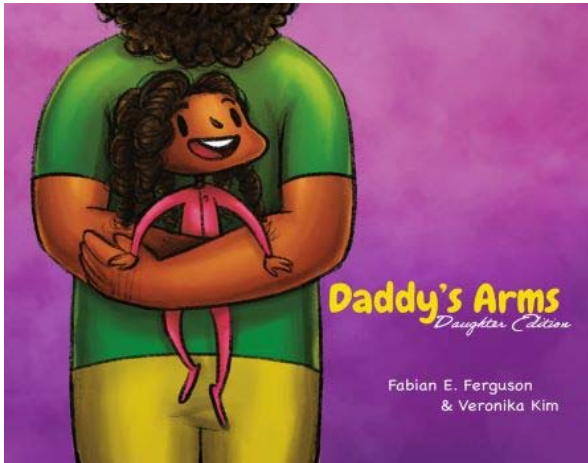
**9781423665298** • \$19.50

Juvenile Nonfiction / Concepts / Counting • Ages 0-3 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Daddy's Arms: Daughter Edition

Hardcover

by Fabian E. Ferguson, illustrated by Veronika Kim

**This picture book is a sweet, uplifting celebration of a Black father and his daughter's imagination and underscores the power of a dad's loving presence in his daughter's life.**

*Daddy's Arms: Daughter Edition* is a fun children's book that tells the story of a little girl's adorable and amusing everyday interactions with her dad. Whether it's playtime, bath time, or bedtime, this wildly imaginative child has her dad's arms take center stage for every fantastic new adventure.

This book celebrates the bond between father and child as well as the joys of fatherhood. Parents and guardians will certainly enjoy reading *Daddy's Arms* to kids, just as much as kids will enjoy listening to them

### Author Bio

**Fabian Ferguson** an independent author-publisher and proud owner of F. Ferguson Books, a children's book company devoted to uplifting Black authors and Black lead characters. Driven by his passion for creating stories for his son that he wished he had had as a child, in 2018, Fabian wrote *Daddy's Arms* about a father and son's adventures and launched his own publishing company, F. Ferguson Books LLC, shortly after.

Fabian is a first-generation Panamanian-American, born and raised in Brooklyn, NY. He now lives with his wife and children in Atlanta, Georgia. You can still find him photographing the occasional wedding while being inspired by his children for his next storybook with more Black lead characters

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Sep 26/23

9 x 7 • 28 pages

Color Illustrations Throughout

9781736162170 • \$22.50 • cl

Juvenile Fiction / Family / General (See Also Headings Under Social Situations) • Ages 0-5 years

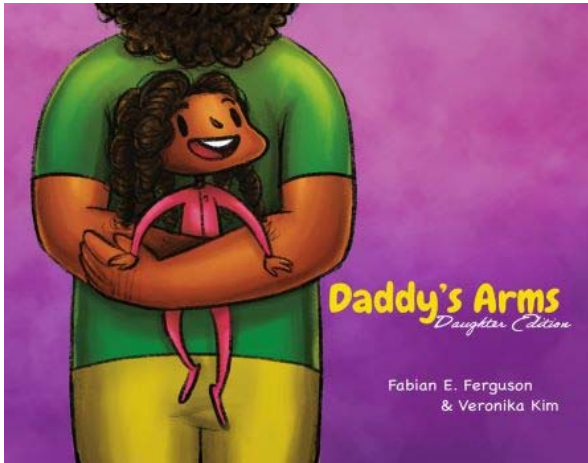
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Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Sep 26/23

9.25 x 7.25 • 28 pages

Color Illustrations Throughout

**9781736162163** • \$16.50

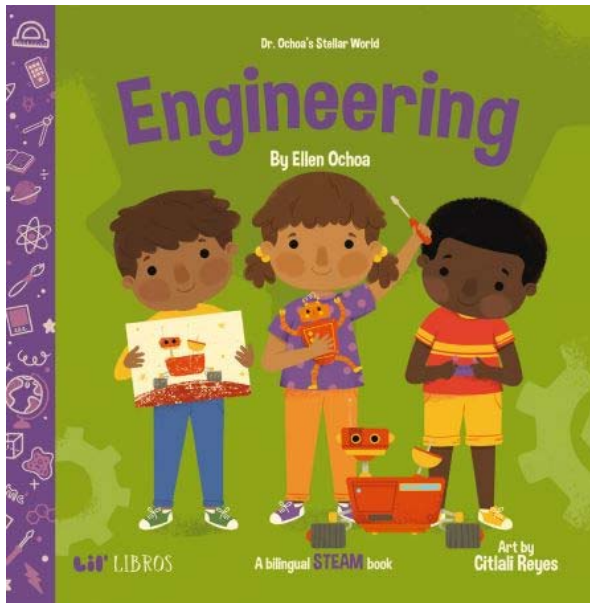
Juvenile Fiction / Family / General (See Also Headings Under Social Situations) • Ages 0-5 years

### Notes

### Promotion







### Dr. Ochoa's Stellar World: Engineering by Ellen Ochoa, illustrated by Citlali Reyes

**Introduce your little ones to your little ones to Dr. Ochoa's stellar world - and how there are little engineers within them all!**

Joining *Dr. Ochoa's Stellar World* series' comes the third letter in STEAM, *Dr. Ochoa's Stellar World: Engineering*. Little ones will learn how engineers use their imaginations to achieve space explorations, like sending rockets back to the moon or programming rovers to roam the lands of Mars.

Parents will adore this bilingual English-Spanish board book as it will introduce little ones about the imagination and innovation behind engineering and how it brings us closer to understanding the inner workings of space exploration

### Author Bio

**Ellen Ochoa** became the first Latina to go to space when she served on a nine-day mission aboard the Space Shuttle Discovery in 1993. She has flown on four missions, spending a total of 41 days in space. She completed her 30-year career at NASA by serving as the 11th Director of NASA's Johnson Space Center in Houston, TX and is honored to have six schools named after her. Now living in Boise, ID with her husband and dog Felix, with their two grown sons nearby, she continues to be an ambassador for science and engineering education, especially engaging kids and adults from groups who are underrepresented in those fields.

**Citlali Reyes** is a Mexican illustrator. Since she was a child, she always loved doodling and telling stories through images; this drew her to the enchanting world of illustration where she has resided for almost ten years. In 2014, she partnered with Lil' Libros to create their first three books and over time she has illustrated more than thirty bilingual children's books for the publisher. Now she finds herself in a new adventure of creating her first book as both author and illustrator. When she is not drawing for countless hours, Citlali enjoys reading, stargazing, or playing around with her camera

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Oct 3/23

6.75 x 6.75 • 22 pages

4/c Illustrations t/o

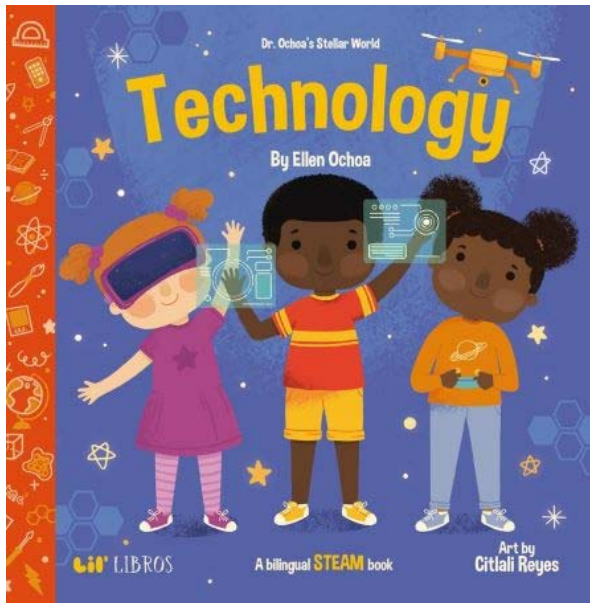
**9781948066303 • \$19.50**

Juvenile Nonfiction / Science & Tech / General • Ages  
0-5 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Dr. Ochoa's Stellar World: Technology

by Ellen Ochoa, illustrated by Citlali Reyes

**Introduce your little ones to Dr. Ochoa's stellar world - and how innovations in technology help us learn and problem-solve in both English and Spanish!**

Joining *Dr. Ochoa's Stellar World: We Are All Scientists* is the next letter in STEAM, *Dr. Ochoa's Stellar World: Technology*! Your future tech wizards will learn of the endless possibilities computers, algorithms, and coding can advance the world around them.

Parents will adore this bilingual English-Spanish board book as it introduces little ones through the resourceful and ingenious ways technology works within the world to make our lives easier

### Author Bio

**Ellen Ochoa** became the first Latina to go to space when she served on a nine-day mission aboard the Space Shuttle Discovery in 1993. She has flown on four missions, spending a total of 41 days in space. She completed her 30-year career at NASA by serving as the 11th Director of NASA's Johnson Space Center in Houston, TX and is honored to have six schools named after her. Now living in Boise, ID with her husband and dog Felix, with their two grown sons nearby, she continues to be an ambassador for science and engineering education, especially engaging kids and adults from groups who are underrepresented in those fields.

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Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Oct 3/23

6.75 x 6.75 • 22 pages

4/c Illustrations t/o

9781948066297 • \$19.50

Juvenile Nonfiction / Technology / General • Ages 0-5 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Everyday Colors

A Colorful Kawaii Board Book

by Created by 7 Cats Press

With adorable animals in the popular kawaii-style art, this first-concepts colors book is the perfect addition to any young child's learning library.

- Glittery foil on the cover adds an extra sensory element.
- Compact size is perfect for little hands.
- Makes an ideal gift, stocking stuffer, or Easter basket stuffer.
- Series also includes *Everyday Foods*, *Everyday Alphabet*, and *Everyday Counting*

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Aug 1/23

7 x 7 • 14 pages

**9781635604191** • \$11.99

Juvenile Fiction / Concepts / Colors • Ages 0-3

### Notes

### Promotion





**GIBBS SMITH**  
TO ENRICH AND INSPIRE LEARNING

### Everyday Counting

Learn Your Numbers with This Adorable Book

by Created by 7 Cats Press

With adorable animals in the popular kawaii-style art, this first-concepts counting book is the perfect addition to any young child's learning library.

- Glittery foil on the cover adds an extra sensory element.
- Compact size is perfect for little hands.
- Makes an ideal gift, stocking stuffer, or Easter basket stuffer.
- Series also includes *Everyday Foods*, *Everyday Alphabet*, and *Everyday Colors*

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Aug 1/23

7 x 7 • 14 pages

**9781635604207** • \$11.99

Juvenile Fiction / Concepts / Counting • Ages 0-3

### Notes

### Promotion







### Everyday Heroes

A Bilingual Book in English and Mandarin with Traditional Characters, Zhuyin, and Pinyin

by Lacey Benard and Lulu Cheng, illustrated by Lacey Benard

**For families looking for a fun way to teach children about the community workers in their neighborhood, this book creatively uses common Asian foods to not only captures their bitty babe's attention to teach them career words in two languages, but also celebrate Chinese culture!**

Children love role-playing and learning about different careers.

*Everyday Heroes* is a bilingual English and Mandarin Chinese book that introduces children to 20 different important community workers. Children and adults alike will be delighted to find their favorite Asian foods playfully dressed up as the everyday heroes they see each day.

The eye-catching and unique artwork - made from adorable paper cut-outs - encourages reading and makes it fun to learn new vocabulary

### Author Bio

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Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Nov 7/23

6.5 x 6.5 • 22 pages

4/c Illustrations t/o

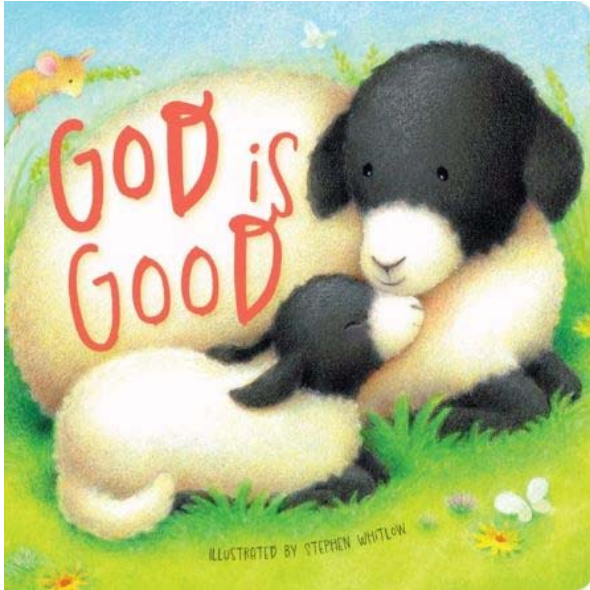
9781958833131 • \$17.99

Juvenile Nonfiction / Careers • Ages 0-5 years

### Notes

### Promotion





**GIBBS SMITH**  
TO ENRICH AND INSPIRE HUMANKIND

### God is Good

A Celebration of the Lord

by Created by 7 Cats Press

This tender story teaches children about God's blessings. As Little Sheep walks through the farm and observes the baby animals with their parents, she learns that God is peace, God is love, and God is good.

- Embossing throughout adds a touch-and-feel sensory element that babies and toddlers love.
- Traditional, gentle art is perfect for this inspirational story about God's love.
- Convenient size for carrying along to church to keep your little one occupied

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Aug 1/23

7 x 7 • 14 pages

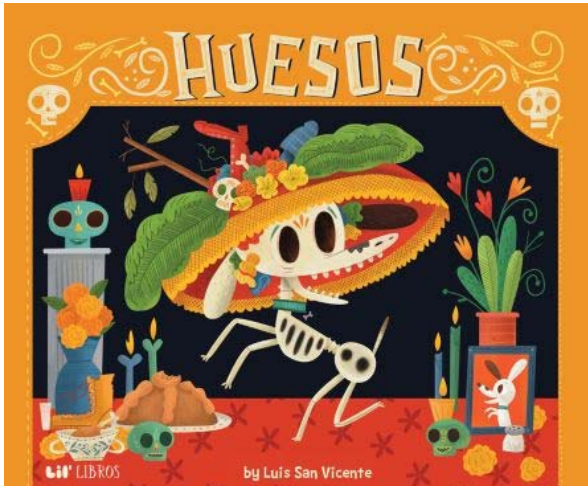
**9781635604245 • \$11.99**

Juvenile Fiction / Religious / Christian / Animals • Ages  
3-7

### Notes

### Promotion





**GIBBS SMITH**  
TO ENGLISH AND ESPañOL - UNABRIDGED

### Huesos

by Luis San Vicente, illustrated by Luis San Vicente

**Introduce your little ones in both English and Spanish to the strong bond between a human and their pet - and how one passing away will never do them apart!**

It is Dia de Muertos, and as Huesos - a small skinny dog - mourns the loss of Abuelo, he witnesses a glowing passageway to a new world: the afterlife! Standing in the midst of a crowd of catrins and catrinas is Abuelo waiting to greet Huesos with loads of love and joy. Together, they embark on a mischievous journey through the magical city for an adventure that will only occur for one night every year.

Parents will adore this bilingual English-Spanish hardcover as it explores the beloved relationship between a human and their pet and how the significance and importance of Dia de Muertos holds enough power to bring them back together - even if it's for one more day

### Author Bio

Born in Mexico City, the eldest son of Don Miguel and Dona Pilar, **Luis San Vicente** showed a devotion to drawing since his childhood and embedded artwork on notebooks, papers, desks, and any surface that allowed ink or pencil. With childhood ambition, he studied graphic communication design at UAM. For almost twenty years, he worked as the coordinator of the art department of the Reforma newspaper. He has illustrated more than 50 children's books for publishers in Mexico, the United States, Spain, Slovakia, Argentina, Croatia, Poland, China, Colombia, and Venezuela. His work has been recognized with several national and international awards, having won twice the catalog of illustrations for children and youth and been the recipient of the Noma-Concours Encouragement Prize. You can find him on his Instagram (@luis\_sanvicente\_ilustrador) or follow his work at <https://www.behance.net/luissanvicente>. He currently resides in Mexico

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Sep 5/23

11 x 9.5 • 32 pages

4/c Illustrations t/o

9781948066761 • \$28.99 • cl

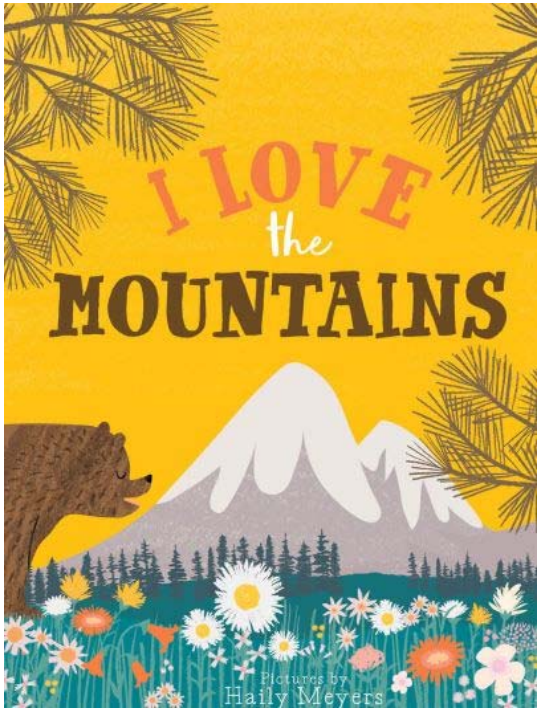
Juvenile Fiction / Action & Adventure • Ages 4-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion



Raincoast Books



### I Love the Mountains

illustrated by Haily Meyers

Whether read as a bedtime story or sitting around a campfire, this board book version of the popular picture book *I Love the Mountains* will quickly become a favorite mountain adventure set to a song.

*I love the mountains, I love the rolling hills,  
I love the flowers, I love the daffodils,  
I love the fireside, when all the lights are low,  
Boom-dee-ah-da, Boom-dee-ah-da,  
Boom-dee-ah-da, Boom-dee-ah-da. . .*

Take a walk in the mountains with the board book version of *I Love the Mountains* and sing this rollicking song, whether it's a beloved campfire tradition or a brand-new rhyme for you. Little ones will love the bouncing melody and the Meyers's adorable illustrations, and parents will love the nostalgia of simpler times and summer camp songs

### Author Bio

**Haily** and **Kevin Meyers** are the husband and wife team behind the dazzling boutique baby product line - Lucy Darling ([lucydarling.com](http://lucydarling.com)). Haily's design work can be seen on their unique monthly sticker designs, nursery art prints, baby memory books, and multiple baby products. Their work has been featured in *Pregnancy and Newborn* magazine, *Red Tricycle*, *Babiekins Magazine*, *Cool Mom Picks*, *KIWI* magazine, *Mollie Makes* magazine, *Fresh Style* magazine, *Mom Trends*, HGTV Canada, and specialty baby shops worldwide. They live in Scottsdale, Arizona

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Sep 12/23

6.38 x 8.37 • 34 pages

4/c Illustrations t/o

**9781423665090 • \$19.50**

Juvenile Fiction / Sports & Recreation / Camping &  
Outdoor Activities • Ages 3-8 years

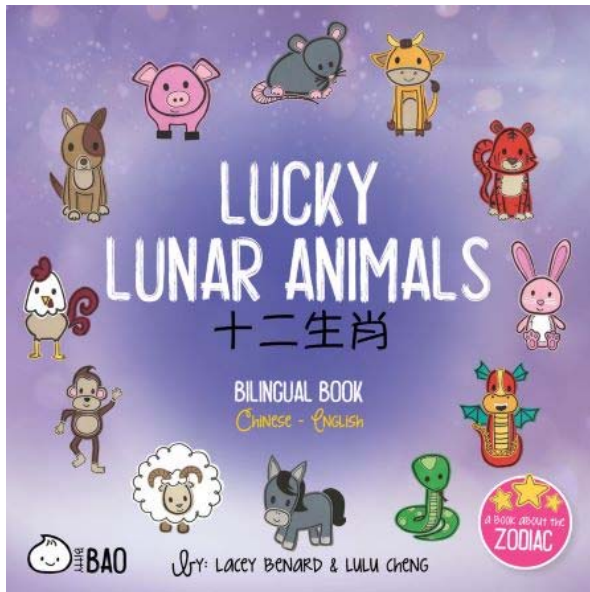
Series: Lucy Darling

### Notes

### Promotion







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### Lucky Lunar Animals

A Bilingual Book in English and Mandarin with Traditional Characters, Zhuyin, and Pinyin

by Lacey Benard and Lulu Cheng, illustrated by Lacey Benard

**For families in search of an engaging and interactive Chinese zodiac book for their bitty babes that not only captures their attention and teaches various animal names in two languages, but also celebrates Chinese culture!**

The Chinese zodiac is based on a story of a great race amongst animals. *Lucky Lunar Animals* takes readers through the 12-animal cycle to discover the personality traits of each in both English and Mandarin Chinese. Readers will also be able to use the included chart to determine their own zodiac animal based on their birth year.

The eye-catching and unique artwork - made from adorable paper cut-outs - encourages reading and makes it fun to learn new vocabulary

### Author Bio

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Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Nov 7/23

6.5 x 6.5 • 22 pages

4/c Illustrations t/o

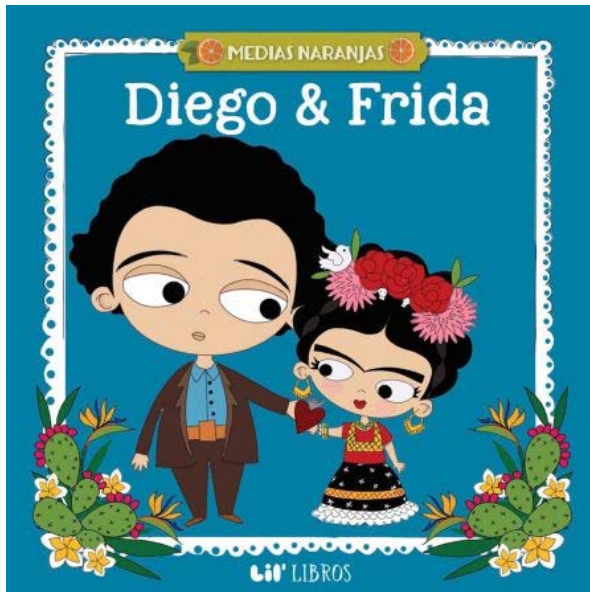
9781958833155 • \$17.99

Juvenile Nonfiction / Holidays & Festivals / Other, Non-Religious • Ages 0-5 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Medias naranjas: Diego and Frida

illustrated by Ellia Ana Hill

Introduce your little ones to famous other halves, or medias naranjas, such as Diego and Frida, who conquered the art world together in both English and Spanish!

#### Introduce your little ones in English and Spanish to Diego Rivera and Frida Kahlo, known together as the Elephant and the Dove.

Who's your other half, your media naranja?

Muralist Diego Rivera and artist Frida Kahlo were each other's muses and peculiar halves. This iconic creative couple has left the art world ablaze with their murals, paintings, and sweet love stories. They will be forever known by their nicknames of the Elephant and the Dove. Frida's Casa Azul in Mexico holds all their memories inside its walls and lives forevermore in history. Parents will adore this bilingual English-Spanish hardcover as it introduces little ones to the iconic artists, Diego Rivera and Frida Kahlo, and the lasting impact they left in Mexico and beyond!

### Author Bio

**Ellia Ana Hill** is a Puerto Rican cut paper illustrator and artist. She creates hand-cut whimsical illustrations from a mix of vintage and modern papers. Her work is influenced by her familia, pop culture, toys, retro goodness, curly hair, and childhood adventures. Ellia earned a BFA from the Milwaukee Institute of Art and Design with an emphasis on illustration and creative writing. She has participated in gallery shows by Netflix, Disney, *American Horror Story*, Hasbro, and more - all the while raising 6 kids with her husband. Ellia and her family live in Milwaukee, WI

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Oct 10/23

6.75 x 6.75 • 22 pages

4/c illustrations t/o

**9781948066129 • \$17.99**

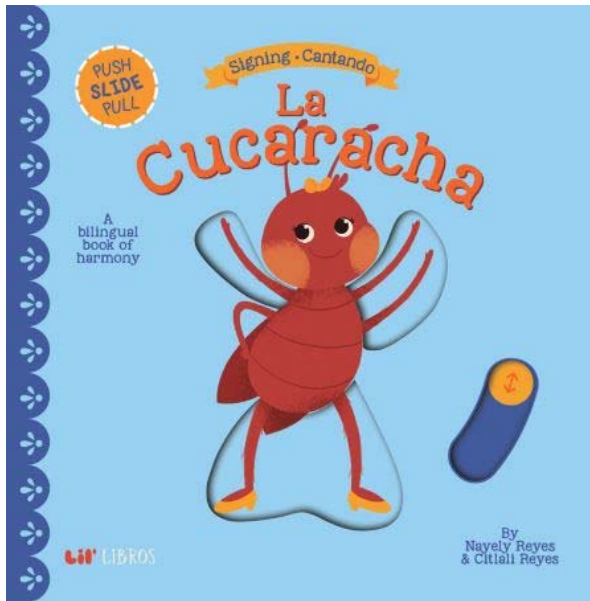
Juvenile Nonfiction / Biography / People Of Color •

Ages 0-5 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Singing / Cantando: La Cucaracha

by Nayeli Reyes, illustrated by Citlali Reyes

**Introduce your little ones to the lively song, La Cucaracha, in both English and Spanish - with mechanisms!**

Grab your dancing shoes and set up your radios. It's time to put on a show! Following our beloved board book, *Singing - Cantando: De colores*, comes the newest addition to the series, *Singing - Cantando: La Cucaracha*. This interactive songbook will introduce little ones to the classic Mexican-American nursery rhyme, La Cucaracha, in English and Spanish. They will learn how to twist and twirl, alongside La Cucaracha, as she dances her way through the song's beat.

Parents will love this bilingual English-Spanish board book because it will teach little ones the lyrics to one of Mexico's most beloved folk songs, but to mimic the dance and beat of this lively cockroach using the book mechanisms that bring it to life

### Author Bio

**Nayeli Reyes** was born in Mazatlan, Mexico. She is Emilio's mother, a chef, and a photographer specializing in brand photography. She recalls devouring any book that came into her hands at a young age, with a special weakness for children's books. Now she's trying to share the joy of reading with her son, Emilio. She likes to combine her love for books with cooking, creating recipes inspired by literature for her YouTube channel. In her spare time, you may find her doing DIY projects, such as crochet, watercolor, or origami, baking sourdough bread, and playing with Emilio and her husband Alejandro.

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Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Sep 12/23

6.75 x 6.75 • 40 pages

4/c illustrations throughout

9781948066464 • \$22.50

Juvenile Nonfiction / Music / General • Ages 2-4 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Some Cats

illustrated by Lydia Nichols

**An ode to the many moods of the beloved housecat, this colorful, chunky board book is a work of art meant to be displayed face-out on nursery bookshelves.**

*Silly or serious, awake or at rest, to those who love them, all cats are the best.* The cats in this bright, playful board book come in all shapes, colors, and sizes - but they don't let their differences keep them from having fun together. Every page turn reveals a new layer to Lydia Nichols's adorable depiction of a home full of cats - some elegant, some goofy, but each adorable in their own way. Perfect for cat lovers of all ages, this rhyming story is a celebration of our furry feline friends.

*Some Cats* is part of the LAYERED VIEW board book series celebrating the ways in which our differences make the world a diverse place. Whether examining the unique needs of every flower in a garden or the special qualities of every puppy in a dog park, every die-cut page of a LAYERED VIEW book adds a level to the story - all building to one gorgeous, multi-dimensional scene perfect for displaying on a bookshelf or a bedroom shelf. Rich with special effects like foil and embossing, LAYERED VIEW board books are a beautiful, playful way to introduce new perspectives to the little learners in your life

### Author Bio

**Lydia Nichols** is an illustrator who has worked with a number of clients, including Google, Girl Scouts, MoMA, *Cricket* magazine, Hasbro/Playskool, and more. She is the author of numerous children's books, including *Halloween Trick or Treat: A Colors Book* by RP Kids. She lives near San Francisco

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Oct 24/23

8.5 x 8.5 • 12 pages

9781423665175 • \$25.99

Juvenile Fiction / Animals / Cats • Ages 0-3 years

### Notes

### Promotion







**GIBBS SMITH**  
TO ENRICH AND INSPIRE LEARNING

### Space

Coloring Book

by by (artist) Hanna Karlzon

**A fun, whimsical children's coloring book that explores the wonders of space and the universe from Sweden's coloring book sensation, Hanna Karlzon.**

Come on an exciting adventure among the stars. Board the spacecraft, start the engines, and journey to unexplored planets, meeting some crazy aliens along the way!

Let's go!

Drawn in her highly regarded detailed style, coloring book enthusiasts will love getting lost in Hanna's magical illustrations

### Author Bio

**Hanna Karlzon** has an art teaching degree from Umea University and has run her own business as a freelance designer since 2013. *Space* is her second coloring book for kids. She lives in Umea, Sweden

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Jul 4/23

7.5 x 9 • 40 pages

1/c illustrations t/o

**9781423665229** • \$14.99 • pb

Ages 5-10 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Sweet Baby Series Breakfast 6x6 Bilingual

A High Contrast Introduction to Mealtime

by Created by 7 Cats Press

Give your little one's developing brain some food for thought! Adorable images introduce mealtime vocabulary to babies and toddlers. Newborns and young infants will be captivated by the black and white aspects, and older babies will be able to perceive the high-contrast colors as they learn mealtime vocabulary.

- High-contrast images stimulate babies' vision and brain development.
- Provides an engaging activity for tummy time.
- Makes a perfect gift for a baby shower or for new parents.
- Series also includes *Sweet Baby: Lunch/El almuerzo*, *Sweet Baby: Dinner/La cena*, plus all three titles in English-only versions.

Adorables imagenes introducen el vocabulario de la hora de comer a bebes y ninos pequenos. Los recién nacidos y los bebes pequenos quedaran cautivados por los aspectos en blanco y negro, y los bebes mayores podran percibir los colores de alto contraste a medida que aprenden el vocabulario de la hora de comer.

- Las imagenes de alto contraste estimulan la vision y el desarrollo cerebral de los bebes.
- Proporciona una actividad atractiva para el tiempo boca abajo.
- Es un regalo perfecto para un baby shower o para nuevos padres.
- La serie tambien incluye *Sweet Baby: Lunch/El almuerzo*, *Sweet Baby: Dinner/La cena*, ademas de los tres titulos en versiones solo en ingles

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Aug 1/23

6 x 6 • 10 pages

9781635604214 • \$10.50 • BH - Board book

Juvenile Fiction / Cooking & Food • Ages 0-2 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Sweet Baby Series Breakfast 6x6 English

A High-Contrast Introduction to Mealtime

by Created by 7 Cats Press

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- Provides an engaging activity for tummy time.
- Makes a perfect gift for a baby shower or for new parents.
- Series also includes *Sweet Baby: Lunch*, *Sweet Baby: Dinner*, plus all three titles in bilingual English-Spanish versions

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Aug 1/23

6 x 6 • 10 pages

9781635604146 • \$10.50

Juvenile Fiction / Concepts / Colors • Ages 0-2

### Notes

### Promotion





### Sweet Baby Series Dinner 6x6 Bilingual

A High Contrast Introduction to Mealtime

by Created by 7 Cats Press

Give your little one's developing brain some food for thought! Adorable images introduce mealtime vocabulary to babies and toddlers. Newborns and young infants will be captivated by the black and white aspects, and older babies will be able to perceive the high-contrast colors as they learn mealtime vocabulary.

- High-contrast images stimulate babies' vision and brain development.
- Provides an engaging activity for tummy time.
- Makes a perfect gift for a baby shower or for new parents.
- Series also includes *Sweet Baby: Breakfast/El desayuno*, *Sweet Baby: Lunch/El almuerzo*, plus all three titles in English-only versions.

Adorables imagenes introducen el vocabulario de la hora de comer a bebes y ninos pequenos. Los recién nacidos y los bebes pequenos quedaran cautivados por los aspectos en blanco y negro, y los bebes mayores podran percibir los colores de alto contraste a medida que aprenden el vocabulario de la hora de comer.

- Las imagenes de alto contraste estimulan la vision y el desarrollo cerebral de los bebes.
- Proporciona una actividad atractiva para el tiempo boca abajo.
- Es un regalo perfecto para un baby shower o para nuevos padres.
- La serie tambien incluye *Sweet Baby: Lunch/El almuerzo*, *Sweet Baby: Dinner/La cena*, ademas de los tres titulos en versiones solo en ingles

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Aug 1/23

6 x 6 • 10 pages

9781635604238 • \$10.50 • BH - Board book

Juvenile Fiction / Cooking & Food • Ages 0-2 years

### Notes

### Promotion







### Sweet Baby Series Dinner 6x6 English

A High Contrast Introduction to Mealtime

by Created by 7 Cats Press

Give your little one some food for thought! Adorable images introduce mealtime vocabulary to babies and toddlers. Newborns and young infants will be captivated by the black and white aspects, and older babies will be able to perceive the high-contrast colors as they learn mealtime vocabulary.

• High-contrast images stimulate babies' vision and brain development.

• Provides an engaging activity for tummy time.

• Makes a perfect gift for a baby shower or for new parents.

• Series also includes *Sweet Baby: Breakfast*, *Sweet Baby: Lunch*, plus all three titles in bilingual English-Spanish versions

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Aug 1/23

6 x 6 • 10 pages

9781635604160 • \$10.50

Juvenile Fiction / Cooking & Food • Ages 0-2

### Notes

### Promotion





### Sweet Baby Series Lunch 6x6 Bilingual

A High Contrast Introduction to Mealtime

by Created by 7 Cats Press

Give your little one's developing brain some food for thought! Adorable images introduce mealtime vocabulary to babies and toddlers. Newborns and young infants will be captivated by the black and white aspects, and older babies will be able to perceive the high-contrast colors as they learn mealtime vocabulary.

- High-contrast images stimulate babies' vision and brain development.
- Provides an engaging activity for tummy time.
- Makes a perfect gift for a baby shower or for new parents.
- Series also includes *Sweet Baby: Breakfast/El desayuno*, *Sweet Baby: Dinner/La cena*, plus all three titles in English-only versions.

Adorables imagenes introducen el vocabulario de la hora de comer a bebes y ninos pequenos. Los recién nacidos y los bebes pequenos quedaran cautivados por los aspectos en blanco y negro, y los bebes mayores podran percibir los colores de alto contraste a medida que aprenden el vocabulario de la hora de comer.

- Las imagenes de alto contraste estimulan la vision y el desarrollo cerebral de los bebes.
- Proporciona una actividad atractiva para el tiempo boca abajo.
- Es un regalo perfecto para un baby shower o para nuevos padres.
- La serie tambien incluye *Sweet Baby: Breakfast/El desayuno*, *Sweet Baby: Dinner/La cena*, ademas de los tres titulos en versiones solo en ingles

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Aug 1/23

6 x 6 • 10 pages

9781635604221 • \$10.50 • BH - Board book

Juvenile Fiction / Cooking & Food • Ages 0-2 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Sweet Baby Series Lunch 6x6 English

A High Contrast Introduction to Mealtime

by Created by 7 Cats Press

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Gibbs Smith

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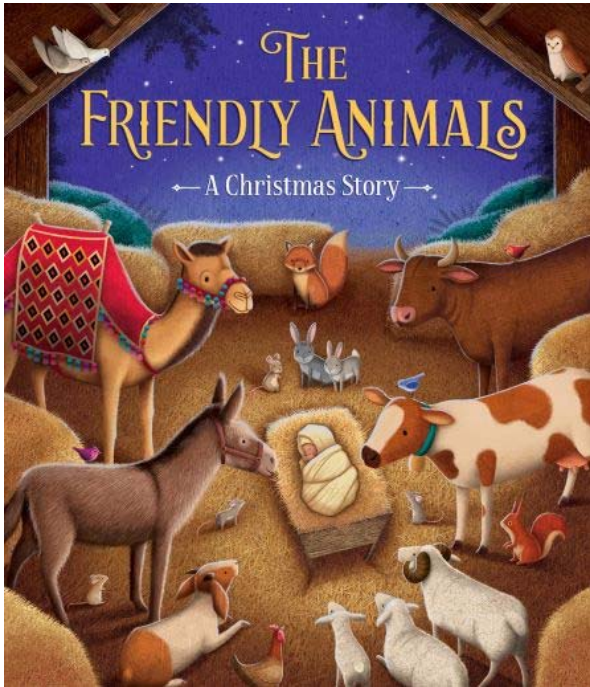
**9781635604153** • \$10.50

Juvenile Fiction / Cooking & Food • Ages 0-2

### Notes

### Promotion





**GIBBS SMITH**  
TO ENRICH AND REPAIR HUMANITIES

### The Friendly Animals

A Christmas Story

illustrated by James Newman Gray

**A gentle retelling of the first Christmas through the perspective of the animals in the barn who offered their own gifts to the baby Jesus. Joyful and sweetly illustrated, *The Friendly Animals: A Christmas Story* is perfect for those looking to teach little ones about the nativity.**

*The Friendly Animals: A Christmas Story* is taken from a centuries-old folk song now brightly and gently illustrated. This traditional Christmas story is perfect to read to small children during the holidays to teach about the nativity and the heart-felt gifts the animals at the manger gave to baby Jesus, sharing their kindness and love

### Author Bio

Born and raised in Sheffield, England, **James Newman Gray** studied illustration at Wolverhampton University after a childhood spent sketching and painting. He went on to have a long career as an in-house illustrator for several greeting card publishers, including Hallmark cards, working on branded characters and also on original illustration. Over the years, this taught him to develop many different styles and to work in many different media. Although a large part of James' illustrations are done digitally now, he still likes to do line-art in his sketchpad and get the paints out and make marks

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Sep 12/23

9 x 10.5 • 32 pages

**9781423665144** • \$28.99 • cl

Juvenile Fiction / Holidays & Festivals / Christmas •

Ages 3-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion







### The Other Santa

by Carol Lynn Pearson

Kindling kindness and generosity isn't just for Christmas Day or Santa Claus; the gifts of time and love are given throughout the year by the other Santa: you!

### Author Bio

Carol Lynn Pearson is the author of more than forty books and plays, including *Goodbye, I Love You* and *I'll Always Be Your Daughter*. She has been a guest on "The Oprah Winfrey Show," and "Good Morning, America," and was featured in *People Magazine*. She lives in Walnut Creek, California.

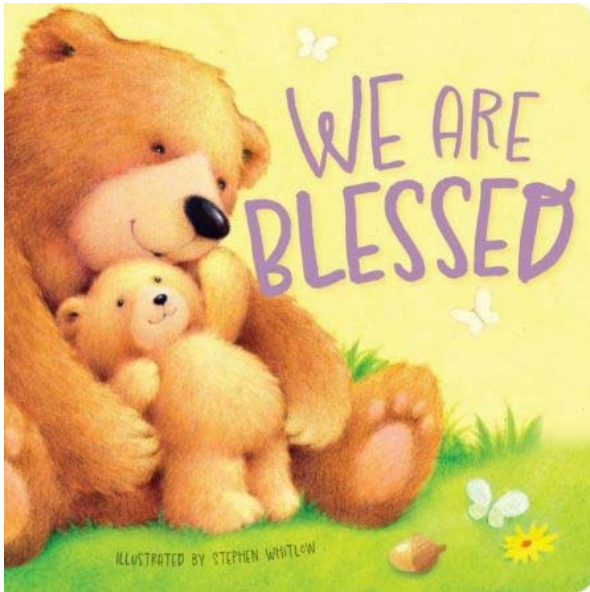
Jane Sanders is a New York City-based illustrator providing charming art for a myriad of clients such as the *New York Times*, *Sterling Publishers*, *Educational Insights*, *Easter Seals*, *Pyrex* and *Parents Magazine*. She resides in Forest Hills, Queens, New York.

Gibbs Smith  
On Sale: Sep 7/23  
9 x 10  
**9781423658436** • \$25.99 • cl  
Juvenile Fiction / Social / General

### Notes

### Promotion





**GIBBS SMITH**  
TO ENRICH AND INSPIRE HUMANKIND

### **We Are Blessed**

A Book of Gratitude to God

by Created by 7 Cats Press

Children will learn about God's greatness and love as they read this sweet story . As Little Bear ventures out for a walk, he observes the neighborhood animals interacting with their babies. He ponders God's goodness, and upon returning home, Little Bear realizes that God has blessed us all."

- Embossing throughout adds a touch-and-feel sensory element that babies and toddlers love.
- Traditional, gentle art is perfect for this inspirational story about God's love.
- Convenient size for carrying along to church to keep your little one occupied

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Aug 1/23

7 x 7 • 14 pages

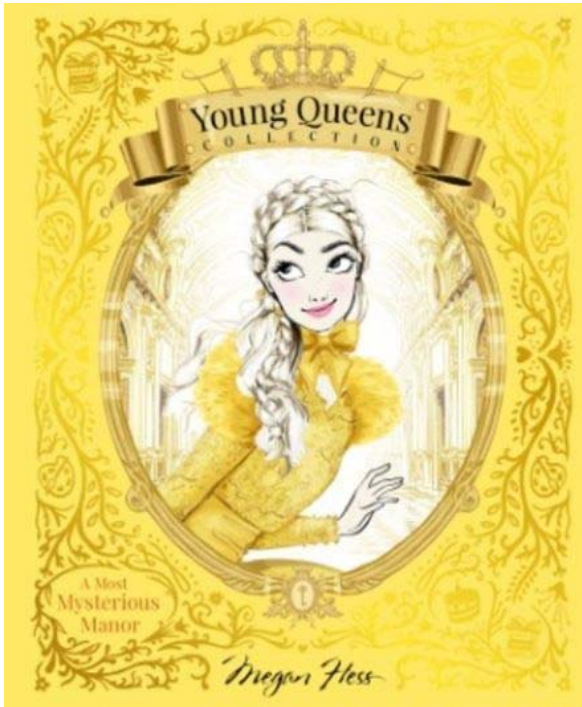
**9781635604252 • \$11.99**

Juvenile Fiction / Religious / Christian / Animals • Ages  
3-7

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### **A Most Mysterious Manor** by Megan Hess

Stories stitched and spun with gold, in far-off lands, forever told.  
From tiny huts to kingdoms wide, every girl has a Queen inside.

Best-selling illustrator Megan Hess shines in this astonishing new collection of original fairy tales about young girls discovering their own power. Each enchanting story will be set in a decadent faraway land, with uplifting themes that will resonate with young girls – and no Prince Charmings!

In *A Most Mysterious Manor*, a girl called Poppy Grace is waiting for her best friend Bella to come back so that they can play together again. But when she hears a mysterious creak coming from somewhere in her manor, Poppy starts to explore – and soon discovers that she can have fun on her own too . . .

A surprising and mischievous fairy tale about independence and making your own fun, with a twist!

### **Author Bio**

Megan Hess is an internationally acclaimed fashion illustrator. Her prestigious clients include Vogue, Vanity Fair, Harper's Bazaar, The New York Times, Chanel, Dior, Cartier, Prada, Fendi, Louis Vuitton and Tiffany & Co. Her bestselling fashion books and beloved Claris series for children have sold over 1.5 million copies worldwide.

Hardie Grant

On Sale: Sep 5/23

9.1 x 11 • 32 pages

**9781761212659** • \$29.99 • cl

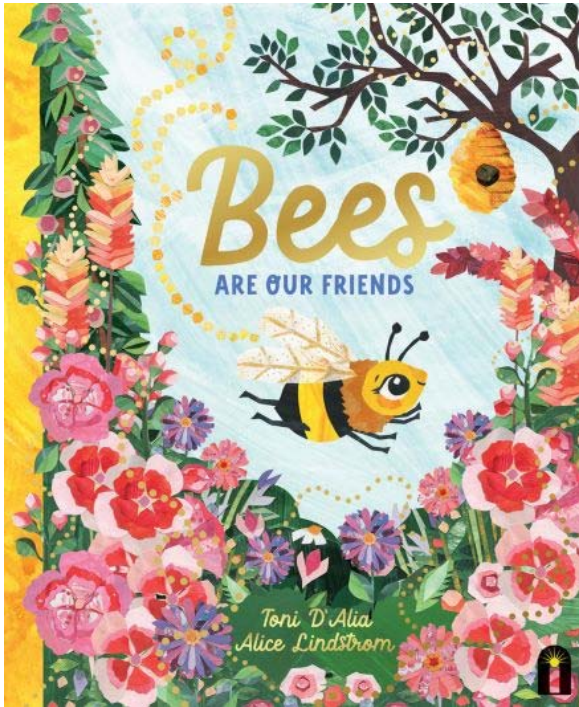
Juvenile Fiction / Social / Friendship • Ages 3 years and up

Series: Young Queens Collection

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### Bees Are Our Friends

by Toni D'Alia, illustrated by Alice Lindstrom

Bees Are Our Friends invites readers into a stunning garden to admire the hard work of one little bee. As the bee pollinates the garden, vibrant flowers and ripe fruit and vegetables burst to life around her.

Down in the garden,  
up high in a tree,  
is a busy beehive . . .  
and one little bee.

Written in irresistible rhyme by Toni D'Alia, and lavishly illustrated by Alice Lindstrom, young readers will pore over this perfect introduction to these essential insects.

### Author Bio

Toni D'Alia is a Melbourne-based author of children's books and contemporary fiction. With a background in primary education, Toni writes heartwarming stories to inspire, educate, empower and entertain. Her children's stories have humor, heart and a gentle focus on wellbeing and the environment.

Alice Lindstrom studied Philosophy, graduating with a Bachelor of Humanities from the University of Adelaide. Shortly after, Alice completed a Bachelor of Design at the National Institute of Dramatic Art (NIDA). After working as a theatre designer in Sydney, Alice returned to the University of Adelaide and completed a Masters of Museum Studies and a Graduate Diploma in Art History. Alice works in paper collage, using cut-and-paste techniques, painting and preparing the paper before cutting and assembling it to create textured and painterly collages. Alice's aesthetic draws on diverse influences, including mid-century illustration and design, folk art as well as Modern art movements.

Hardie Grant

On Sale: Sep 5/23

8.9 x 10.8 • 24 pages

9781761210488 • \$28.99 • cl

Juvenile Fiction / Animals / Insects, Spiders, Etc. •

Ages 3 years and up

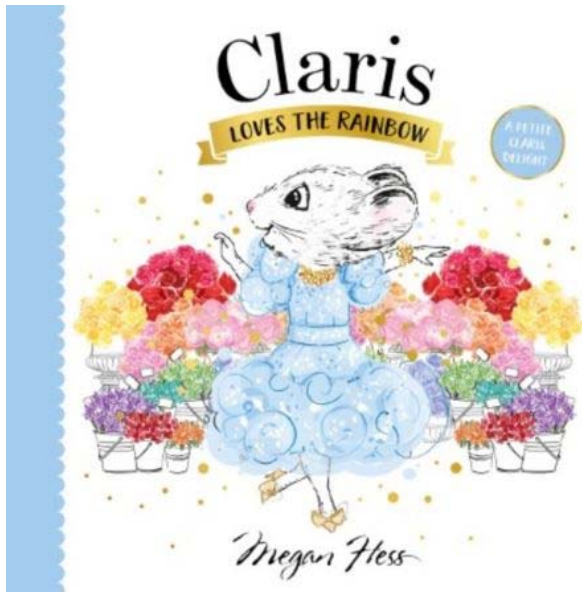
Series: Our Friends in the Garden

### Notes

### Promotion







LEAD

### **Claris Loves the Rainbow** by Megan Hess

Claris Loves the Rainbow is a celebration of the colors in the world, from Claris's chic fashion to the gorgeous streets of Paris. From pink to green and everything in between! Join Claris, the chicest mouse in Paris, as she celebrates the rainbow.

Inspired by the best-selling Claris collection by internationally acclaimed fashion illustrator, Megan Hess.

For ages 1+

### **Author Bio**

Megan Hess is an acclaimed art director and illustrator who works with some of the most prestigious designers and luxury brands around the world, such as Chanel, Dior, Cartier, Prada, Fendi, Louis Vuitton and Tiffany & Co. Her beloved Claris series for children has grown to include the World of Claris picture books.

Hardie Grant

On Sale: Oct 3/23

7.7 x 7.7 • 20 pages

**9781761212543 • \$19.50**

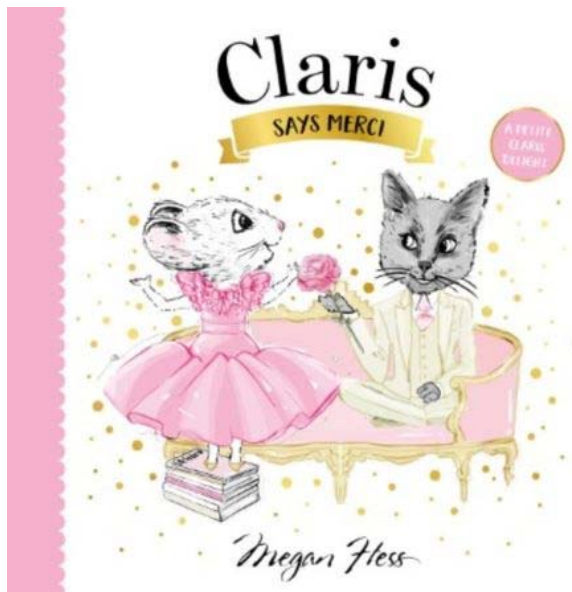
Juvenile Fiction / Concepts / Colors • Ages 1 years and up

Series: Petite Claris

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





LEAD

### **Claris Says Merci** by Megan Hess

Claris Says Merci is a gentle board book guide to learning your manners, with a smattering of French vocab to sweeten the experience. Claris loves to be kind – and knows you do too! Practice your manners and some stylish French words with the chicest mouse in Paris.

Inspired by the best-selling Claris book series by internationally acclaimed fashion illustrator, Megan Hess.

For ages 1+

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Hardie Grant

On Sale: Oct 3/23

7.75 x 7.75 • 20 pages

**9781761212536** • \$19.50

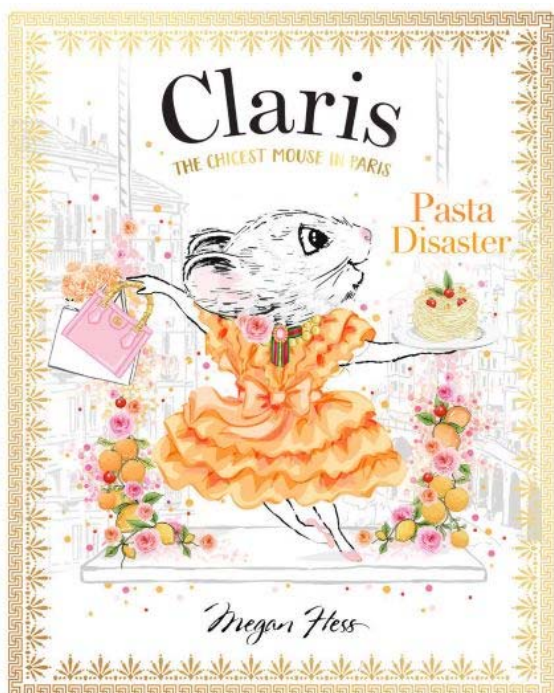
Juvenile Fiction / Social / Manners & Etiquette • Ages 1 years and up

Series: Petite Claris

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### **Claris: Pasta Disaster**

Claris: The Chicest Mouse in Paris

by Megan Hess

Ciao! Claris and Monsieur are in Italy!

But what happens when a pizza delivery bike takes them on a cat and mouse chase around town?

The seventh book in the world of Claris: The Chicest Mouse in Paris, the best-selling picture book series from acclaimed fashion illustrator Megan Hess.

### **Author Bio**

Megan Hess is an acclaimed art director and illustrator who works with some of the most prestigious designers and luxury brands around the world, such as Chanel, Dior, Cartier, Prada, Fendi, Louis Vuitton and Tiffany & Co. Her beloved Claris series for children has grown to include the World of Claris picture books.

Hardie Grant

On Sale: Oct 24/23

9.1 x 11 • 48 pages

**9781761210884** • \$29.99 • cl

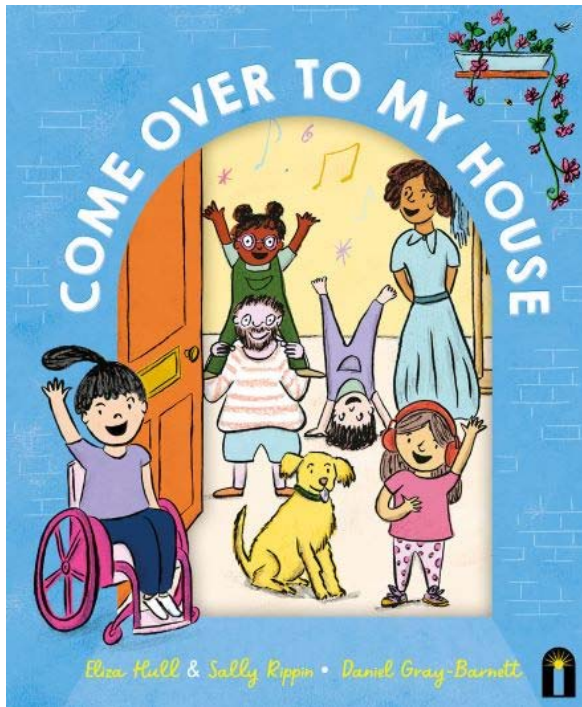
Juvenile Fiction / Social / Friendship • Ages 3 years and up

Series: Claris

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





Hardie Grant  
On Sale: Aug 1/23  
8.9 x 10.8 • 32 pages  
Full-color Illustrations throughout  
**9781761212680** • \$28.99 • cl  
Juvenile Fiction / Social / Special Needs • Ages 3 years and up

### Notes

### Promotion



### Come Over to My House

CBCA Notable Book

by Eliza Hull and Sally Rippin, illustrated by Daniel Gray-Barnett

Come Over To My House is a delightful picture book that explores the home lives of children and parents who are Deaf or disabled.

Co-written by disability advocate Eliza Hull and bestselling author Sally Rippin, the inclusive rhyming text authentically explores the characters' various disabilities.

A cast of friendly characters invite friends over for a play – there's fun to be had, food to eat and families to meet!

Come over to my house. Come over and play!  
I'll show you around, you can stay the whole day.  
We'll swing on the swing-set and splash in the pool.  
Then I'll race you inside where my bedroom is cool.

Featuring a gorgeous die-cut cover, bright illustrations and a diverse cast, this is a must-read for all families.

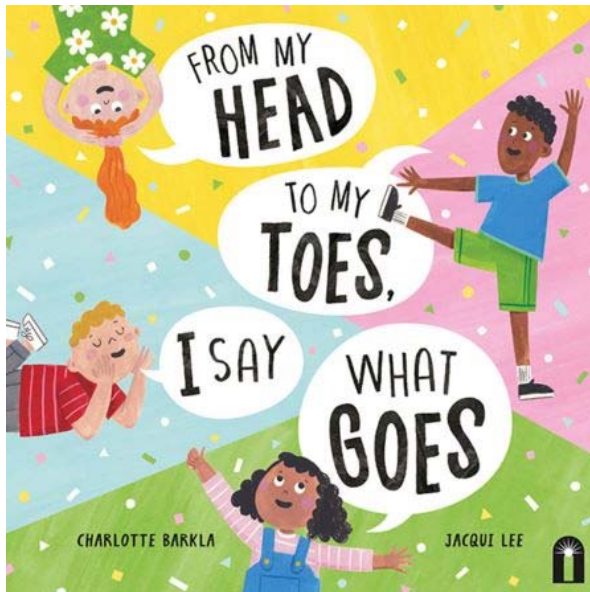
### Author Bio

Sally Rippin is one of Australia's best-selling and most-beloved children's authors. She has written over 50 books for children and young adults, and her mantle holds numerous awards for her writing. Best known for her Billie B Brown and Hey Jack!, and Polly and Buster series, Sally loves to write stories with heart, as well as characters that resonate with children, parents and teachers alike.

Eliza Hull is a producer and musician based in Victoria. She has written music for American TV shows Awkward, Teen Wolf and Saving Hope, and is currently writing the film score for Australian feature film Swallow. Most recently, Eliza produced an eight-part podcast series, We've Got This, on parenting with a disability, for the ABC – as well as a podcast series on disability and relationships for ABC Radio National. Eliza is a proud disabled woman, with a physical disability. She is the Access and Inclusion Coordinator for Arena Theatre.







### **From My Head to My Toes I Say What Goes**

by Charlotte Barkla, illustrated by Jacqui Lee

From My Head to My Toes, I Say What Goes! is a light-hearted exploration of boundaries, nestled in a fun and lively story.

I might say YES to pillow fights;  
a kiss when I'm tucked in at night.

I might say NO to climbing high,  
a tickling game or a hug goodbye.

The book discusses consent and control for a young audience, through a story that is bold and beautiful, loud and proud.

With the feel-good factor turned up to eleven, it also celebrates individualism, inclusivity and empathy.

### **Author Bio**

Charlotte Barkla is a Brisbane-based writer who has worked as a civil engineer, physics teacher and full-time butler/chef/servant (to her two young children). She now writes children's books. As well as dreaming up funny stories over a cup of coffee, Charlotte's favorite things include autumn leaves, family bike rides and travel. Her first three children's books were published in 2020, including her debut picture book *All Bodies Are Good Bodies*. Jacqui Lee is an illustrator and designer currently working in London. She's an alumna of the Alberta University of the Arts and originally from Canada. Her illustrations are focused on storytelling and are inspired by the world around her – cityscapes, street scenes, people, animals, and food are all frequent subjects. Her work is fun, cheerful, and aims to bring a smile to people's faces.

Hardie Grant

On Sale: Aug 1/23

9.6 x 9.6 • 32 pages

Full-color Illustrations throughout

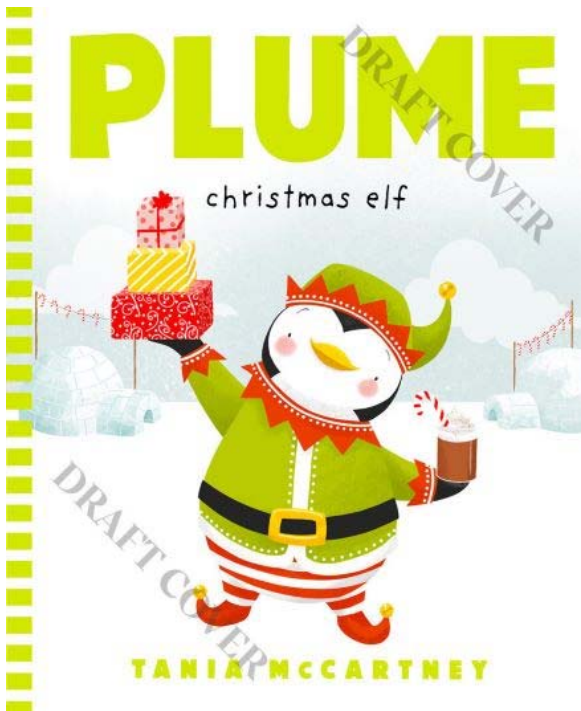
**9781760508142** • \$28.99 • cl

Juvenile Fiction / Concepts / Body • Ages 3 years and up

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### **Plume: Christmas Elf** by Tania McCartney

Plume: Christmas Elf is a sparkly picture book that celebrates the joy and magic of Christmas around the world – all wrapped up with a visit to Santa's workshop in the North Pole.

It's Christmas in Antarctica and our favorite travelling penguin is popping with festive excitement. There are gifts to wrap, cards to write, fairy lights to untangle and gingerbread to bake. Ava of the Albatross Express is extra busy. The penguins are buying up big, decking their halls with the biggest and best gifts of all. But things go awry when Ava arrives with terrible news. Santa's workshop is in trouble and toy production has stopped! With a little help from his penguin friends, Plume is off to the North Pole. Can he help Santa and make children's wishes come true?

Join the adorable Plume as he decks the ice halls with joy this Christmas.

### **Author Bio**

Tania McCartney is a book creator. She has made well over 60 books for children and adults, and has illustrated, edited and designed many of them too. Her works have both shortlisted and won an array of awards, and have reached the hands of children in over 20 countries around the globe. A children's literacy ambassador and the founder of Kids' Book Review, Tania spends her time writing, drawing, reading (and sometimes working) from her studio in Canberra, Australia. A voracious traveler, she has lived in Paris, London and Beijing. Plume: Christmas Elf is her fourth book in the Plume series, encouraging children's curiosity about the world around them.

Hardie Grant

On Sale: Oct 17/23

9.1 x 11 • 40 pages

9781741177923 • \$28.99 • cl

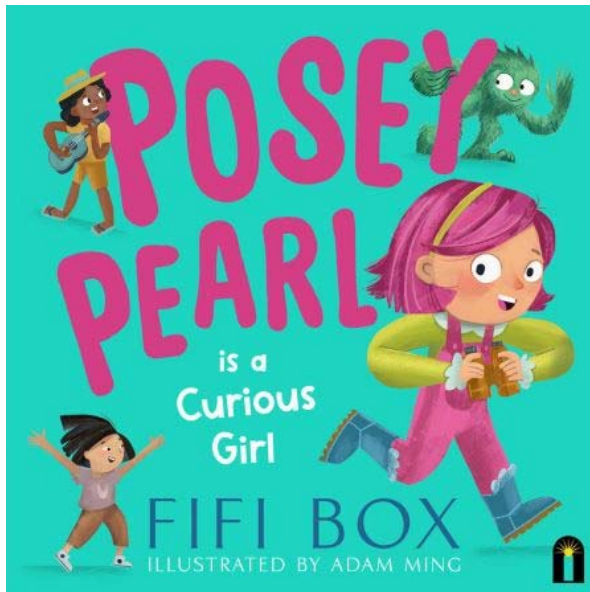
Juvenile Fiction / Holidays & Festivals / Christmas

Series: Plume

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### **Posey Pearl is a Curious Girl** by Fifi Box, illustrated by Adam Ming

In a quiet little town called Tilbury Down  
was a mysterious noise in the air.  
While the town slept, the eerie sound crept  
over roofs and through the dark square.

When Posey Pearl hears a strange song coming from afar in her little town,  
she thinks, just maybe, it's someone who needs a home. But what she finds at  
the end of her journey – and along the way – is quite unexpected!

### **Author Bio**

Fifi Box is one of the most popular radio and television personalities in Australia. She's a breakfast radio host, a regular guest host on Australian prime-time television show, *The Project* and a newspaper columnist. She's also appeared on Australia's *Dancing with the Stars*. When her daughter was born 2013, Fifi featured on the cover of a weekly magazine sans makeup. She has since gone on to become an advocate for women who want to challenge society's extreme beauty standards and embrace their natural beauty. Adam Ming grew up on Penang Island, Malaysia, a tropical paradise of world heritage buildings and the best street food. Adam's illustration style is joyful and energetic with a comic sensibility and his clients include Scholastic, Harper Collins, Bloomsbury, Wern & Rook and Substack.

Hardie Grant

On Sale: Aug 1/23

9.6 x 9.6 • 24 pages

Full-color Illustrations throughout

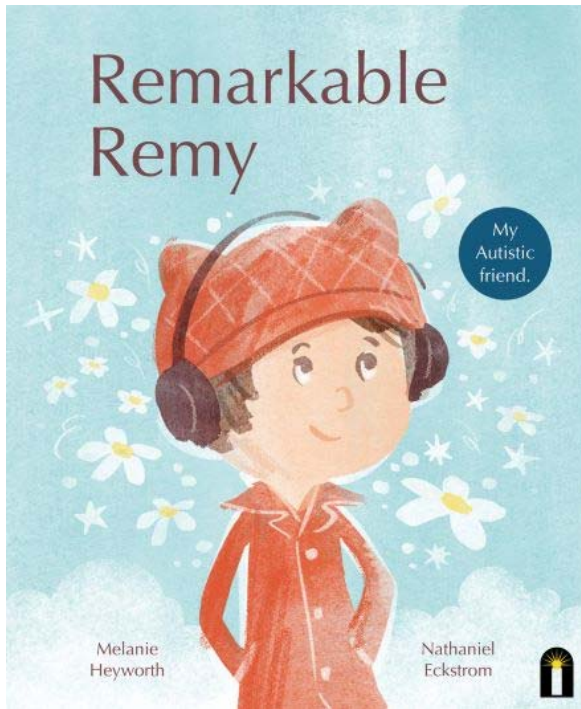
**9781760508760** • \$28.99 • cl

Juvenile Fiction / Action & Adventure • Ages 3 years  
and up

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### Remarkable Remy

by Melanie Heyworth, illustrated by Nathaniel Eckstrom

Remarkable Remy is a warm and optimistic story that introduces an Autistic character to a young audience. The story helps explain the Autistic brain – how it works a little differently and how unique it is – and how our neurodivergent friends make the world remarkable!

My best friend's name is Remy.

I think Remy is remarkable.

Remy is Autistic. That means Remy's brain works differently to my brain.

I love that Remy is different to me, because Remy can teach me new ways to experience the world.

A picture book for both Autistic and non-Autistic readers aged 3 and up, Remarkable Remy illuminates the experiences and strengths of Autistic people, and the joys of having Autistic friends.

### Author Bio

Dr Melanie Heyworth founded Reframing Autism, a company run by and for Autistic people and their families and allies. It is dedicated to creating a world in which the Autistic community is supported to achieve acceptance, inclusion and active citizenship.

Reframing Autism combines capacity-building and leadership development with education, research, resource development, mentoring and support to strengthen the Autistic community. Reframing Autism has built strong online communities, with close to 40,000 followers on Facebook and 12,000 followers on Instagram, and more than 12,000 followers on LinkedIn and 3000 Twitter followers. In addition, the company has more than 2000 website subscribers (who receive regular newsletters and EDM), a podcast (which has had more than 1500 downloads), and a YouTube channel.

Nathaniel Eckstrom is an illustrator based in Sydney, Australia. He has worked on a number of children's picture books including The Ricker Racker Club, Road Trip and Stubborn Stanley. Nathaniel has also illustrated for a number of commercial clients including Cadbury, the ABC, SBS and King Island Dairy.

Hardie Grant

On Sale: Sep 12/23

8.9 x 10.8 • 32 pages

9781761210372 • \$28.99 • cl

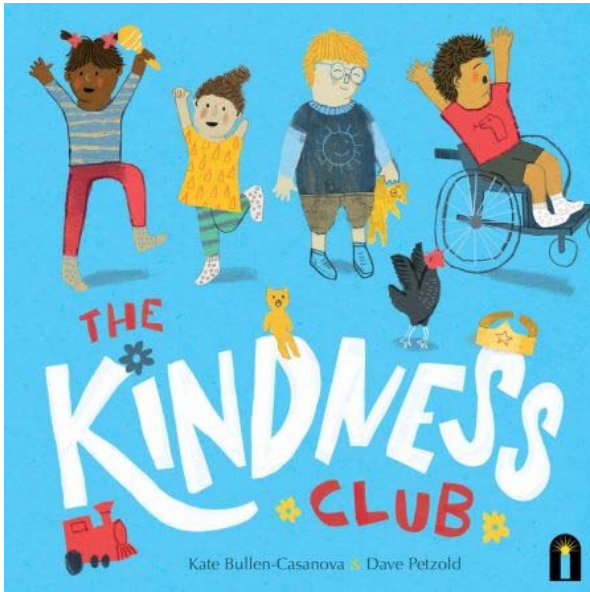
Juvenile Fiction / Social / Special Needs • Ages 3 years and up

### Notes

### Promotion







### The Kindness Club

by Kate Bullen-Casanova, illustrated by Dave Petzold

Say hello to The Kindness Club! A diverse cast of friendly characters welcome a new kid to their preschool and show them how all types of fun and emotions are for everyone. The Kindness Club depicts familiar activities and scenarios that readers can expect at preschool or kindergarten, but challenges age-old assumptions that boys will be boys and girls will be pretty.

With uplifting rhyme and a playful art style, kids will have a ball poring over each page. Great for kids ages 3 and up, and perfect for pre-schoolers and kinder new starters.

### Author Bio

Kate Bullen-Casanova lives in Melbourne, Australia, with her two young children. After seven years working in women's activism, including time at UN Women and the International Women's Development Agency, Kate now brings her passion for gender equality to the world of early childhood education through her online community Future Feminists.

Dave Petzold is an author and illustrator from Lennox Head, Australia. His illustrations, often playful and goofy, embrace the little things that go unnoticed – the things we take for granted. He uses graphite pencil, ink, oil paint and digital collage in his art. His first picture book, *Seven Seas of Fleas*, published by Starfish Bay Publishing, was shortlisted for the 2021 CBCA New Illustrator Award.

Hardie Grant

On Sale: Sep 5/23

9.6 x 9.6 • 32 pages

9781761210440 • \$28.99 • cl

Juvenile Fiction / School & Education • Ages 3 years and up

### Notes

### Promotion







LEAD

### Welcome, Little One by Sophie Beer

Welcome, little one, to our little world.  
We've been waiting a whole lifetime to meet you.

Beautifully and boldly illustrated, *Welcome, Little One* is all about introducing a new baby to their little world. There's the blanket to keep them warm, the family dog who will teach them friendship and the bedroom window as a gateway to wonder and adventure.

Inspired by Sophie Beer's own experience of becoming a parent, *Welcome, Little One* delightfully weaves all the heartfelt dreams a parent hopes for their child into a sweet book for both to treasure.

### Author Bio

Sophie Beer is an award-winning illustrator living in Brisbane, Australia. She completed a dual degree in Law and Creative Industries with distinction at Queensland University of Technology, but found her true calling in children's and editorial illustration after winning the 2016 SCBWI Penguin Random House Portfolio Award. Reveling in color, shape and texture, she lives by one simple rule: art should never be boring. Sophie has sold over 500k copies of her books across the US.

Hardie Grant

On Sale: Sep 5/23

9.6 x 9.6 • 24 pages

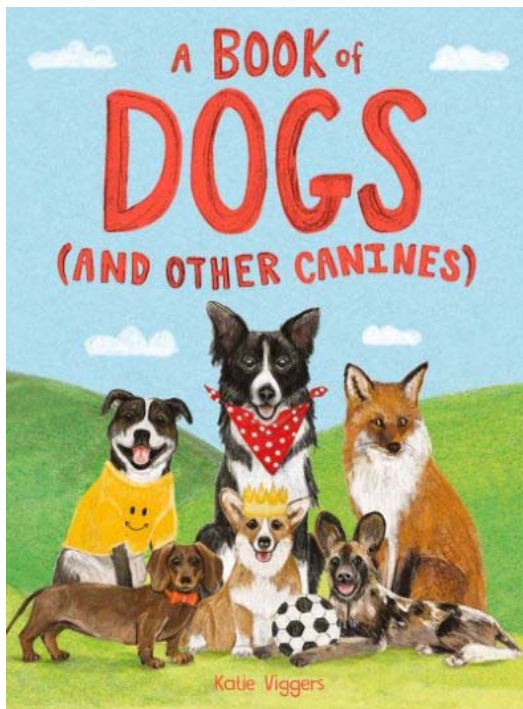
9781761211331 • \$28.99 • cl

Juvenile Fiction / Family / New Baby • Ages 1 years and up

### Notes

### Promotion





### **A Book of Dogs (and other canines)**

by Katie Viggers

Do you know the difference between a sight and a smell hound? Can you tell your pug from your poodle? From faithful family pet to wild pack animal, discover all there is to know about our canine friends (and their wild relatives) in this charming compendium of dogs from author/illustrator Katie Viggers. With quirky illustrations and fascinating facts, *A Book of Dogs* is the perfect introduction for children to this much-loved animal.

### **Author Bio**

Katie Viggers is a London-based illustrator and the founder of Eightbear, a company that produces an original and witty range of animal books and A prints to appeal to kids and adults alike

Laurence King Publishing

On Sale: Sep 19/23

32 pages

32 full colour

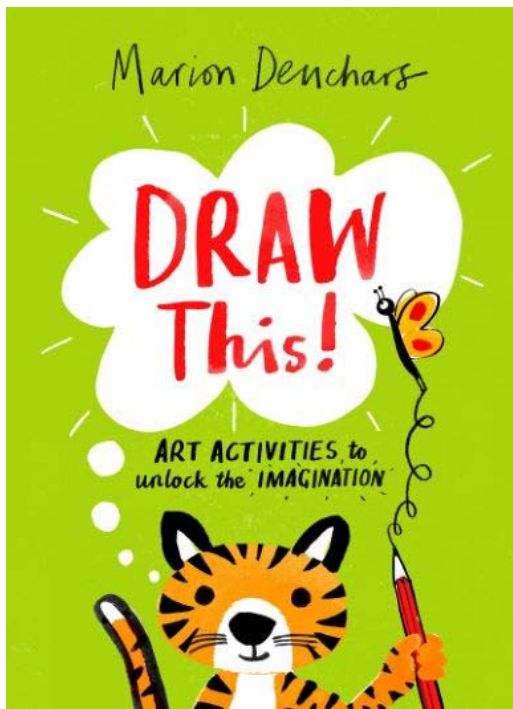
**9781510230385** • \$28.99 • cl

Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals / Dogs • Ages 4-6 years

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### Draw This!

Art Activities to Unlock the Imagination

by Marion Deuchars

You're in charge! Let your mind run free and draw, paint and scribble your way through this fun and imaginative activity book.

With over 20 activities, prompts and step-by-step drawing activities built in throughout, children will learn how to draw a whole host of animals, from foxes and rabbits to owls and elephants, and then create visual stories for their creatures to come to life in. Perhaps the rabbit wants to be a superhero, or fox has a party to attend.

Created by award-winning illustrator Marion Deuchars, each spread features easy-to-follow steps and plenty of space for children to experiment and practise in.

### Author Bio

Author of the best-selling Let's Make Some Great Art series, Marion Deuchars has a globally recognisable illustration style. Her hand-lettering and illustrations have been used on advertising campaigns from Samsung to HP, and her books have won six awards for design and illustration. She is a member of the Alliance Graphique Internationale

Laurence King Publishing

On Sale: Aug 17/23

64 pages

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9781510230200 • \$19.50 • pb

Juvenile Nonfiction / Art / Drawing • Ages 6-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Feel the Force

Revealing the Physics Secrets that Rule the Universe

by Mike Barfield

Following *The Element in the Room* and *That's Life!* this fun and beautiful book will have young scientists unlocking the world of Physics, seeing how the same physical laws which govern the wider universe are also at play much closer to home. Covering motion, forces, gravity, energy, and much more, this engaging and accessible guide is complete with history comics to bring the stories to life and hands-on experiments to try at home. Get ready for an adventure as we reveal the rules that run the universe, all from the comfort of your kitchencounter!

### Author Bio

Mike Barfield is a comic writer, cartoonist, poet and performer. Winner of the Blue Peter Book Awards 2021 (Best Book with Facts), Mike has worked in TV, radio, books and magazines - as well as schools, libraries and museums

Laurence King Publishing

On Sale: Oct 3/23

64 pages

9781510230446 • \$29.99 • cl

Juvenile Nonfiction / Comics & Graphic Novels /

Science & Nature • Ages 9-11 years

### Notes

### Promotion





LEAD

### Hello Fungi

A Little Guide to Nature

by Nina Chakrabarti

**Get outside and explore the fascinating world of fungi with this beautifully illustrated pocket guide for children.**

Did you know that fungi are not quite plant, not quite animal, and not quite bacteria, but a unique organism in a kingdom all of their own? Beautiful gallery-style pages showcase a fascinating world of fungi, including glow-in-the-dark fungi, the funky fungi that give off the strongest smell, and the most colorful fungi. Fun off-the-page activity spreads include how to make a spore print and a recipe for delicious store-bought mushrooms on toast.

With tips on mushroom identification (including the ones to avoid!), fungi-based activities to enjoy, and a guide to the most colorful and unusual mushrooms, this little book will provide hours of pleasure, both indoors and out.

Be inspired to go outdoors and get up close with nature with this brand-new series from internationally bestselling illustrator Nina Chakrabarti.

### Author Bio

Nina Chakrabarti studied illustration at Central Saint Martin's College and The Royal College of Art, London. She uses line drawing to explore her love of the decorative arts, inspired by her past in Calcutta, India, where she grew up, and the exuberance of London, where she now lives and works

Laurence King Publishing

On Sale: Sep 19/23

48 pages

9781510230460 • \$16.50 • cl

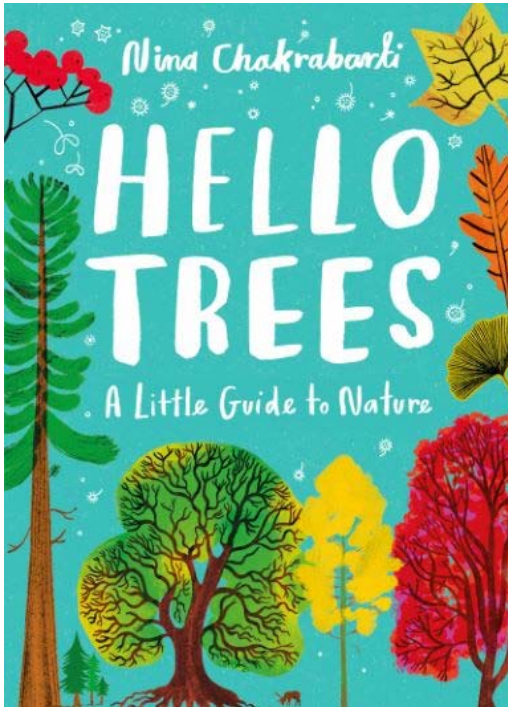
Juvenile Nonfiction / Science & Tech / Environmental  
Science & Ecology • Ages 6-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion







### Hello Trees

A Little Guide to Nature

by Nina Chakrabarti

**Get outside and explore the magnificent world of trees with this beautifully illustrated pocket guide for children.**

Witness a tree's growth from seed to sapling and discover how trees come together to support each other in forests in this beautiful pocket guide to nature. Illustrated gallery-style pages show children how to identify a tree from its seeds, take a closer look leaf function and shape, and highlights some of the oldest and the tallest trees from around the world.

A book to inspire budding naturalists aged 6 and up, *Hello Trees* also includes fun off-the-page activities for children to try, including growing a tree from an avocado seed and creating amazing art by painting leaves and bark rubbing.

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Laurence King Publishing

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48 pages

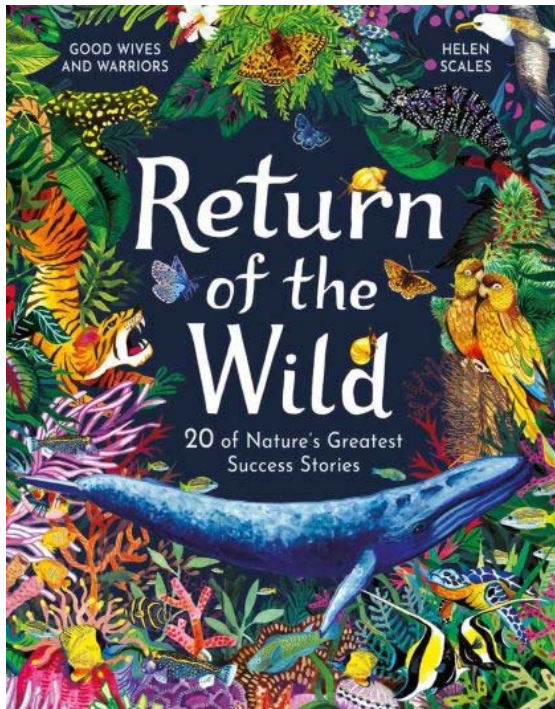
9781510230484 • \$16.50 • cl

Juvenile Nonfiction / Nature / Trees & Forests • Ages 6-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Return of the Wild

20 of Nature's Greatest Success Stories

by Helen Scales, illustrated by Good Wives & Warriors

Discover the extraordinary ways nature has come back from the brink in this collection of 20 environmental success stories from around the world, written by Dr Helen Scales and beautifully illustrated by Good Wives and Warriors. From humpback whale populations thriving again in the freezing seas of Alaska and the recovery of kiwi populations in New Zealand, to the setting up of tiger sanctuaries and reserves in India and return of elephant seals from 'extinction', this book plants a message of hope and shows children that positive change is possible.

As well as the 20 recovery stories, *Return of the Wild* teaches children about the different habitats that animals and plants around the world call home - oceans, forests, deserts and more - and introduces them to the real people supporting endangered species. Finishing off with small tips on what children at home can do to help the wild world, from wearing eco-friendly sunscreen while swimming in the sea to using less single use plastic, this book reassures children that there are many ways to protect and save our planet from environmental harm.

### Author Bio

Dr Helen Scales is a marine biologist, writer, and public broadcaster. She's written several books including *Spirals in Time: The Secret Life and Curious Afterlife of Seashells* which is a *Guardian* bestseller, shortlisted for the Royal Society of Biology books prize and selected as book of the year by *The Economist*, *Nature*, *The Times* and *Guardian* as well as BBC Radio 4's Book of the Week. She has written for National Geographic, the *Guardian*, *New Scientist*, *BBC Wildlife* magazine and *BBC Focus*, among others, and also presents the *Earth Unscrewed* podcast. She's been a frequent guest on Brian Cox's *Infinite Monkey Cage Podcast*. Helen gives talks for schools, bookshops and science and literary festivals. She's also spoken at Google, the Royal Institute and has a Ted Talk called 'Stories from the Ocean'. She teaches marine biology and science writing at Cambridge University and is scientific advisor for the marine conservation charity Sea Changers.

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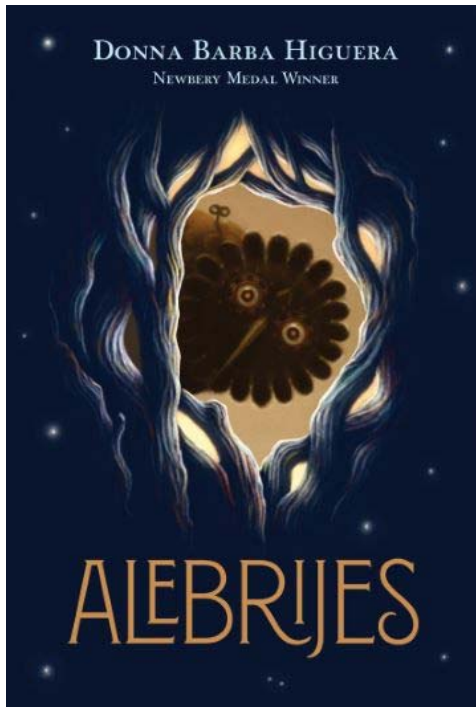
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Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals / Endangered • Ages 8-10 years

### Notes

### Promotion





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5.5 x 8.25 • 336 pages  
**9781646142637** • \$28.99 • CL - HC - Hardcover  
Juvenile Fiction / Science Fiction • Ages 10-14 years

### Notes

### Promotion



LEAD

### Alebrijes

by Donna Barba Higuera

The next stunning novel from Donna Barba Higuera, author of Newbery and Pura Belpre Award-winning *The Last Cuentista*

*This is the story as it was told to me by Leandro the Mighty.*

For 400 years, Earth has been a barren wasteland. The few humans that survive scrape together an existence in the cruel city of Pocatel - or go it alone in the wilderness beyond, filled with wandering spirits and wyrms. They don't last long.

13 year-old pickpocket Leandro and his sister Gabi do what they can to forge a life in Pocatel. The city does not take kindly to Cascabel like them - the descendants of those who worked the San Joaquin Valley for generations.

When Gabi is caught stealing precious fruit from the Pocatelan elite, Leandro takes the fall. But his exile proves more than he ever could have imagined - far from a simple banishment, his consciousness is placed inside an ancient drone and left to fend on its own. But beyond the walls of Pocatel lie other alebrijes like Leandro who seek for a better world - as well as mutant monsters, wasteland pirates, a hidden oasis, and the truth.

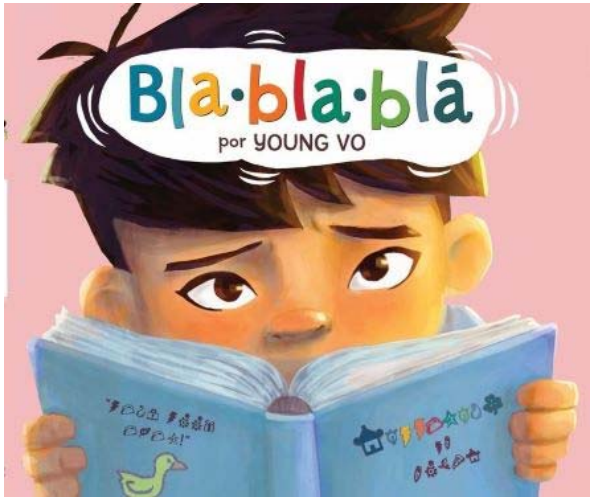
From Donna Barba Higuera, Newbery and Pura Belpre Medal-winning author of *The Last Cuentista*, comes another novel to astonish us and create a whole new imaginative world, that holds a mirror to our own.

### Author Bio

**Donna Barba Higuera** grew up in Central California and now lives in the Pacific Northwest. She has spent her entire life blending folklore with her experiences into stories that fill her imagination. Donna is the author of *El Cucuy Is Scared, Too!*; the forthcoming *The Yellow Handkerchief*; *Lupe Wong Won't Dance*, winner of a Pura Belpre Honor and a PNBA award; and *The Last Cuentista*, winner of the Newbery Medal and the Pura Belpre Medal.

Visit her at [www.dbhiguera.com](http://www.dbhiguera.com).





### Blablaba

(Gibberish Spanish Edition)

by Young Vo, translated by Gabriella Aldeman

It's Dat's first day of school in a new country! Dat and his Mah made a long journey to get here, and Dat doesn't know the language. To Dat, everything everybody says - from the school bus driver to his new classmates - sounds like gibberish. How is Dat going to make new friends if they can't understand each other? Luckily there's a friendly girl in Dat's class who knows that there are other ways to communicate, besides just talking. Could she help make sense of the gibberish?

Es el primer día de clase de Dat en un nuevo país. Dat y Ma han hecho una larga travesía para llegar aquí, pero Dat no sabe hablar el idioma. Para Dat, todo lo que dicen todas las personas a su alrededor, desde el conductor del autobús escolar hasta sus nuevos compañeros de clase, suena a blablaba. Como hará Dat nuevos amigos sin poder hacerse entender? Por suerte, en la clase de Dat, hay una compañera muy amigable que sabe que no siempre hay que hablar para poder comunicarse. Con su ayuda, podrá Dat entender tanto blablaba?

### Author Bio

**Young Vo** learned to draw before he could write. He drew a lot of characters, then began to write stories for them. There were not many job choices that he could make, so he decided to be an animator, illustrator, and author. Now he writes and draws his stories before the sun rises, then during the day, he animates. Follow him @youngvoart.

**Young Vo** aprendió a dibujar antes de saber escribir. Dibujo muchos personajes y luego empezó a escribir sus historias. No tenía muchas opciones de trabajo, así que decidió ser animador, ilustrador y autor. Ahora dibuja y escribe historias antes de que salga el sol, y luego, durante el día, hace animaciones.

Levine Querido

On Sale: Aug 8/23

10 x 8.5 • 40 pages

9781646142811 • \$25.99 • CL - HC - Hardcover

Juvenile Fiction / Social Issues / Emigration &

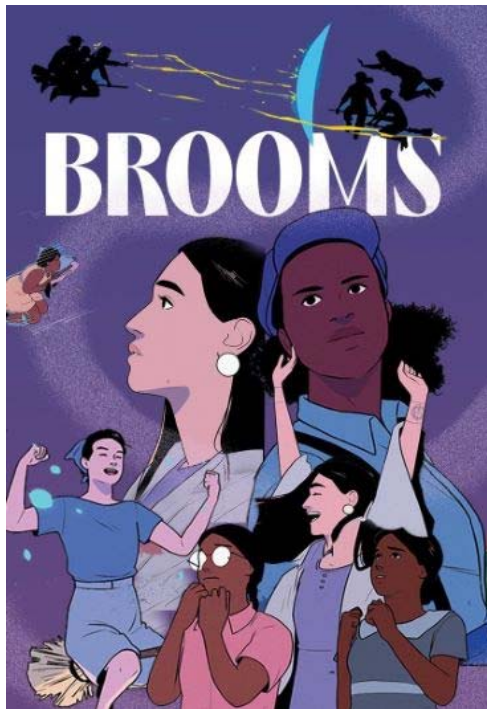
Immigration • Ages 4-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion







LEAD

### Brooms

by Jasmine Walls, illustrated by Teo DuVall

It's 1930s Mississippi. Magic is permitted only in certain circumstances, and by certain people. Unsanctioned broom racing is banned. But for those who need the money, or the thrills. . . it's there to be found.

Meet Billie Mae, captain of the Night Storms racing team, and Loretta, her best friend and second-in-command. They're determined to make enough money to move out west to a state that allows Black folks to legally use magic and take part in national races.

Cheng-Kwan – doing her best to handle the delicate and dangerous double act of being the perfect "son" to her parents, and being true to herself while racing.

Mattie and Emma - Choctaw and Black - the youngest of the group and trying to dodge government officials who want to send them and their newly-surfaced powers away to boarding school.

And Luella, in love with Billie Mae. Her powers were sealed away years ago after she fought back against the government. She'll do anything to prevent the same fate for her cousins.

Brooms is a queer, witchy Fast and the Furious that shines light on history not often told – it's everything you'd ever want to read in a graphic novel.

### Author Bio

Jasmine Walls is a writer, artist, and editor with former lives in professional baking and teaching martial arts. She still bakes (though she's pretty rusty at martial arts) and has a deep love for storytelling, creating worlds, and building tales about the characters who inhabit them. Along with Levine Querido, she has works published with Boom! Studios, Capstone, Oni Press, The Atlantic, and The Nib. She lives in California with two dogs and a large stash of quality hot chocolate.

Teo DuVall is a queer Chicanx comic artist and illustrator based in Seattle, WA. They graduated in 2015 with a BFA in Cartooning from the School of Visual Arts and have had the immense pleasure of working with Levine Querido, HarperCollins, Dark Horse, Chronicle Books, Scholastic and more. He has a passion for fantasy, aesthetic ghost stories, and witches of color, and loves being able to create stories for a living. Teo lives with his partner, their two pets - a giant, cuddly pit-bull, and a tiny, ferocious cat - and a small horde of houseplants.



Levine Querido

On Sale: Oct 10/23

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YA Fic / Comics & Graphic Novels / Fantasy • Ages 12

-18 years

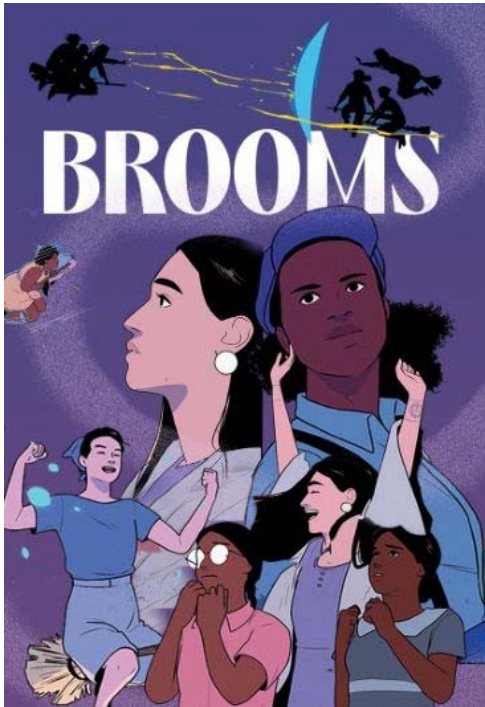
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### Promotion



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Levine Querido

On Sale: Oct 10/23

6.38 x 9.25 • 224 pages

9781646142675 • \$37.99 • CL - HC - Hardcover

YA Fic / Comics & Graphic Novels / Fantasy • Ages 12

-18 years

### Notes

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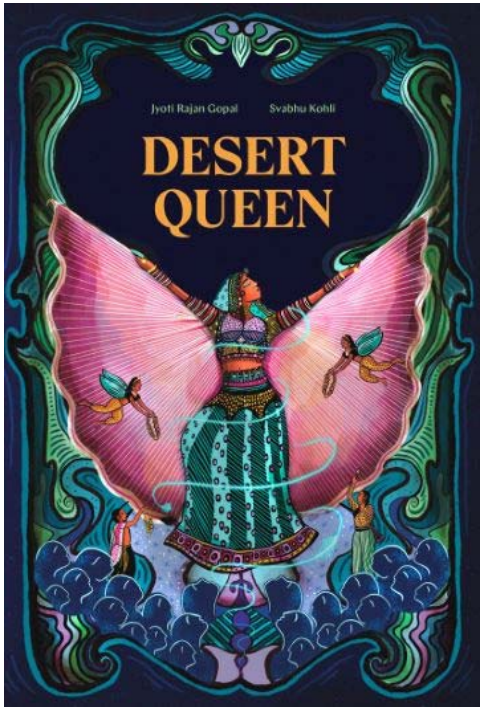
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On Sale: Oct 3/23  
7.5 x 11 • 50 pages  
**9781646142620** • \$28.99 • CL - HC - Hardcover  
Ages 4-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion



### Desert Queen

by Jyoti Rajan Gopal, illustrated by Svabhu Kohli

This picture book biography in verse follows the life of beloved Rajasthani drag performer Queen Harish, known as the Whirling Desert Queen of Rajasthan. Lit by an inner fire and propelled by a family tragedy, Harish defied the gender conventions of middle class Indian life, battled discrimination and intimidation, and eventually grew up to dance with Bollywood movie stars and on stages across the world.

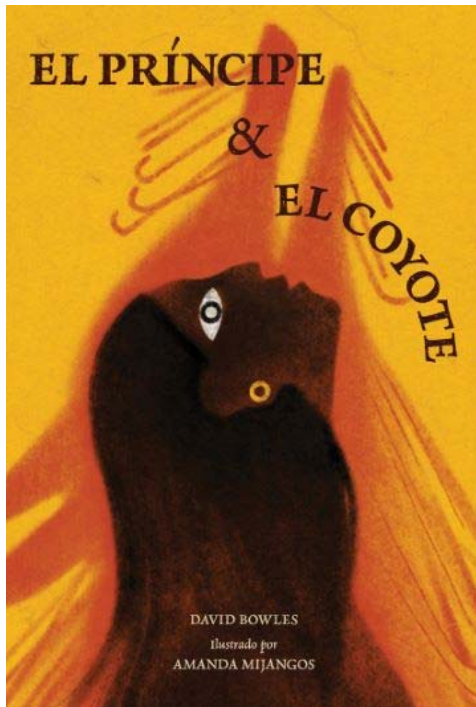
Jyoti Gopal's rhythmic phrases evoke the particular sounds and beats of the music Harish danced to, and capture the passions and conflicts of his life. The poignant and inspiring tale is interpreted by internationally acclaimed Rajasthani artist Svabhu Kohli in kohl-black lines and shapes and brilliant jewel-like colors.

### Author Bio

**Jyoti Rajan Gopal** is the author of *American Desi* and *My Paati's Saris*. Growing up, she lived in Thailand, Indonesia, Myanmar, India and China. She now lives in New York, in a quirky old Victorian in Yonkers, with her husband, where they raised their two daughters. Her favorite place in the house is the wrap around porch where she loves to gather with family or friends, read, write and drink coffee.

**Svabhu Kohli** is an visual storyteller. His practice focuses on the intersection of magical realism, conservation and art as a medium to understand our relationship with the universe and its complex life forms. He has illustrated for Google Doodle, The Guardian and GQ. *The Desert Queen* is his first book for children.





Levine Querido

On Sale: Sep 26/23

6 x 9 • 336 pages

9781646142774 • \$19.50 • PB - PB - Paperback

YA Fic / Action & Adventure / General • Ages 12-18 years

### Notes

### Promotion



### El principe y el coyote

(The Prince and the Coyote Spanish Edition)

by David Bowles, illustrated by Amanda Mijangos

Mexico. 1418.

Meet Prince Acolmiztli. Puma of the Acolhua People. Heir to his father's throne. Half Acolhuan, half Mexico. Singer. Warrior. Poet. Sixteen years old.

And now, betrayed. A palace plot, placed by the deadly Tepaneca Empire, kills his mother and siblings, puts his father's army into retreat, and sends Prince Acolmiztli into a treacherous exile. Battling hunger, snow-swept mountains, and the machinations of the city-states all around him, Prince Acolmiztli vows revenge. It will take years, but he will return to seek justice. And he'll do it with a new name:

Nezahualcoyotl. Fasting Coyote. One of the most legendary figures in history.

From the award-winning comes a heart-pounding historical epic that is *Gladiator* meets the *Song of Achilles* - *The Count of Monte Cristo* set in pre-Columbian Mexico. Illustrated throughout gorgeously by Amanda Mijangos, *The Prince & the Coyote* brings to life one of Mexico's most treasured heroes - Nezahualcoyotl - in a story that will thrill readers far and wide.

### Author Bio

David Bowles es un autor y traductor mexicoamericano del sur de Texas. Entre sus multiples titulos premiados se encuentran Cuentos sagrados de America; Serpiente emplumada, corazon del cielo: mitos de Mexico; Flower, Song, Dance: Aztec and Maya Poetry; y Noche antigua. David actualmente se desempeña como vicepresidente del Instituto de Letras de Texas.

Amanda Mijangos was born in Mexico City, graduated from the Faculty of Architecture, and studied illustration in Mexico and Buenos Aires. She has illustrated literature and poetry in books and magazines for people of all ages and gives drawing and illustration workshops for all audiences. Her work has been recognized with awards from countries near and far.





LEAD

### Elatsoe

by Darcie Little Badger, illustrated by Rovina Cai

(...)

### Author Bio

**Darcie Little Badger** is a Lipan Apache writer with a PhD in oceanography. Her critically acclaimed debut novel, *Elatsoe*, was featured in *TIME* as one of the best 100 fantasy books of all time. *Elatsoe* also won the Locus Award for Best First Novel and was a Nebula, Ignyte, and Lodestar finalist. Her second fantasy novel, *A Snake Falls to Earth*, received the Newbery Honor, was a LA Times Book Prize Finalist, and was longlisted for the National Book Award. Darcie is married to a veterinarian named Taran.

Levine Querido

On Sale: Oct 17/23

5.5 x 8.25 • 368 pages

**9781646142767** • \$19.50 • PB - PB - Paperback

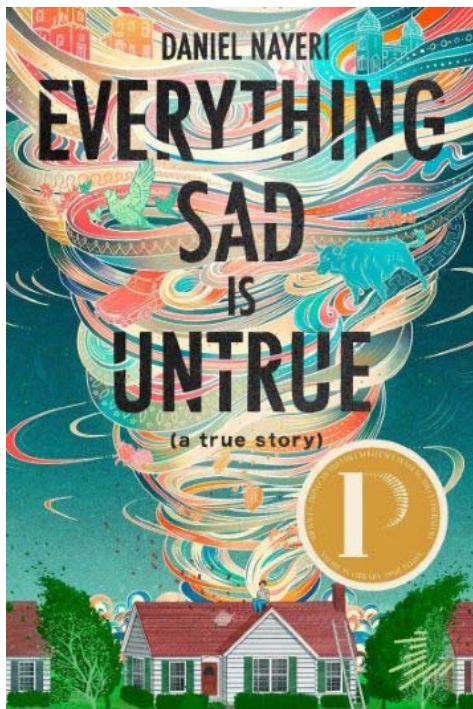
YA Fic / People & Places / United States / Native American • Ages 12-18 years

### Notes

### Promotion







LEAD

### Everything Sad Is Untrue

(a true story)

by Daniel Nayeri

(...)

### Author Bio

**Daniel Nayeri** was born in Iran and spent a couple of years as a refugee before immigrating to Oklahoma at age eight with his family. His autobiographical novel, *Everything Sad is Untrue (a true story)* was the winner of the Michael L. Printz Award, the Christopher Medal, and the Middle Eastern Book Award. He is a former publisher, editor, and pastry chef. He lives with his wife and son in an Airstream in one of America's great National Parks.

Levine Querido

On Sale: Aug 8/23

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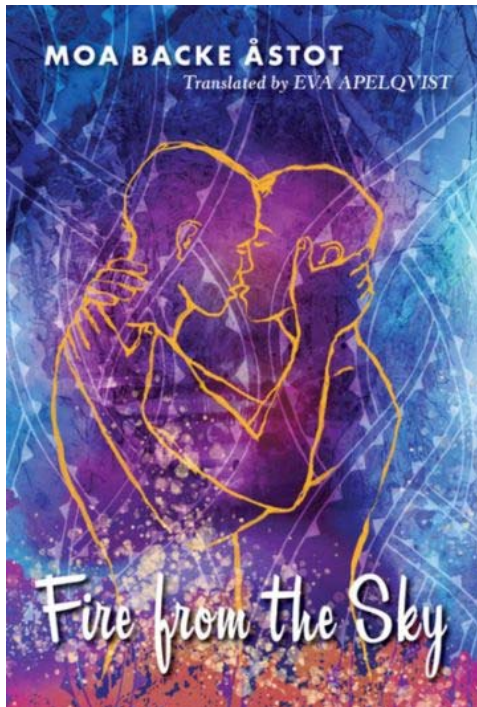
**9781646142729** • \$19.50 • PB - PB - Paperback

Juvenile Fiction / Biographical / General • Ages 10-12 years

### Notes

### Promotion





Levine Querido

On Sale: Sep 19/23

5.5 x 8.25 • 208 pages

9781646142484 • \$29.99 • CL - HC - Hardcover

YA Fic / Romance / LGBT • Ages 12-18 years

### Notes

### Promotion



LEAD

### Fire From the Sky

by Moa Backe Astot, translated by Eva Apelqvist

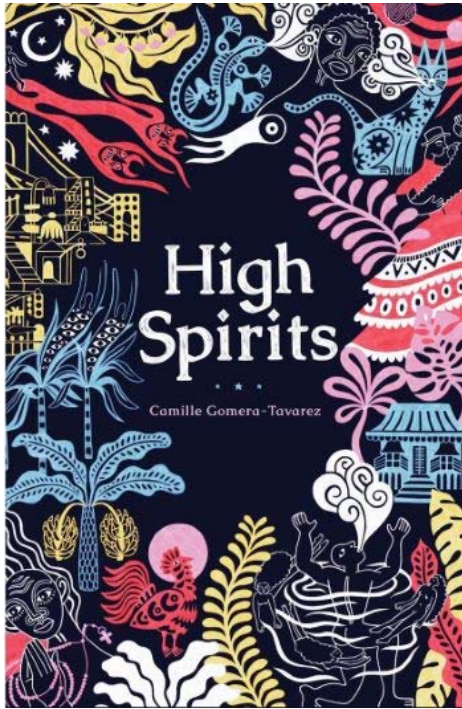
Ante's life has been steeped in Sami tradition. It is indisputable to him that he, an only child, will keep working with the reindeer. But there is something else too, something tugging at him. His feelings for his best friend Erik have changed, grown into something bigger. What would people say if they knew? And how does Erik feel? And Erik's voice just the push of a button away. Ante couldn't answer, could he? But how could he ignore it? *Fire From the Sky* is a sharp and intelligent story about heritage, family ties and age-old commitments to the past. But also about expectations, compassion, feelings that course through your body like electricity.

### Author Bio

**Moa Backe Astot**, born in 1998 in Malmberget, is Sami and a reindeer owner. She has studied creative writing at Umea University and Jakobsberg Folk School's well-regarded creative writing program. She has received a number of awards for her writing, among them one from Sveriges Radio in 2018 for her short story, "A Small Red Drop." She lives in Jokkmokk. *Fire From the Sky* is her debut novel.

In addition to being a writer and a translator, with children's and young adult books published in the United States and Sweden, **Eva Apelqvist** has worked with many different aspects of book creation and distribution, among them, a publishing house, a library and an independent bookstore. Her latest translation is the young adult novel *Fire from the Sky* by Swedish author Moa Backe Astot. The setting for the novel is northern Sweden, north of the Arctic Circle, which is, interestingly, the very area where her parents grew up and a place that she often visited growing up. Eva lives in Duluth, Minnesota, with an office overlooking the majestic Lake Superior.





Levine Querido

On Sale: Sep 5/23

5.5 x 8.25 • 224 pages

9781646142743 • \$19.50 • PB - PB - Paperback

YA Fic / People & Places / Caribbean & Latin America

• Ages 12-18 years

### Notes

### Promotion



### High Spirits

by Camille Gomera-Tavarez

Pura Belpre Honor Book

BEST OF THE YEAR

Chicago Review of Books \* Kirkus \* Los Angeles Public Library

Publishers Weekly Flying Start

*High Spirits* is a collection of eleven interconnected short stories from the Dominican diaspora, from debut author Camille Gomera-Tavarez.

It is a book centered on one extended family - the Belens - across multiple generations.

It is set in the fictional small town of Hidalpa - and Santo Domingo and Paterson and San Juan and Washington Heights too.

It is told in a style both utterly real and distinctly magical - and its stories explore machismo, mental health, family, and identity.

But most of all, *High Spirits* represents the first book from Camille Gomera-Tavarez, who takes her place as one of the most extraordinary new voices to emerge in years.

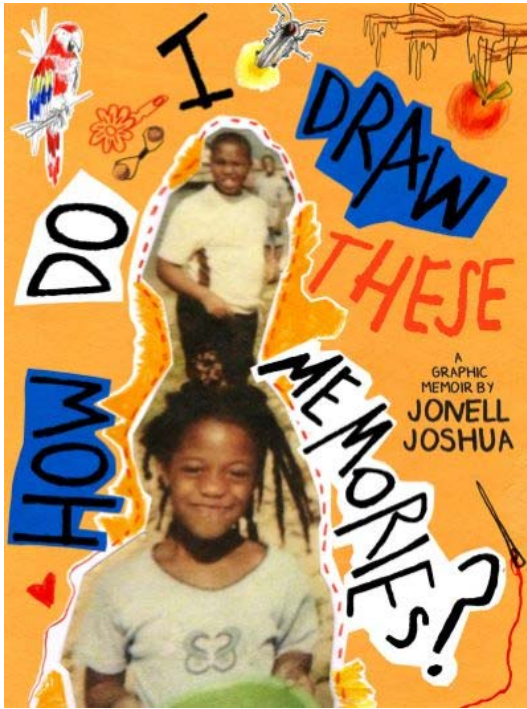
For fans of (...)

### Author Bio

**Camille Gomera-Tavarez** is an Afro-Dominican writer, designer, and creative from New Jersey. She has a BFA in Graphic Design & Creative Writing from the Maryland Institute College of Art and is currently based in Philadelphia, PA. Her debut short story collection, *High Spirits*, received critical acclaim and was named a Pura Belpre Honor Book.

**Author Residence:** Philadelphia, PA





Levine Querido

On Sale: Nov 14/23

6 x 8 • 272 pages

9781646142712 • \$37.99 • CL - HC - Hardcover

Comics & Graphic Novels / NonFic / Biography & Memoir • Ages 12-18 years

### Notes

### Promotion



### How Do I Draw These Memories?

A Graphic Memoir

by Jonell Joshua

Jonell Joshua spent her childhood shuttling back and forth between Savannah and New Jersey - living in grandparents' homes during the times her mother, struggling with mental illness, could not take care of her and her brothers. Together the family found a way to keep going even in the darkest of times.

*How Do I Draw These Memories?* is a graphic novel memoir about nostalgia, faith, the preciousness of life, and unconditional love.

From Jonell's devastatingly brilliant pen as a writer and an artist, it plumbs the depths of what family can be, and how joy and hope can be found in the most ordinary and extraordinary moments.

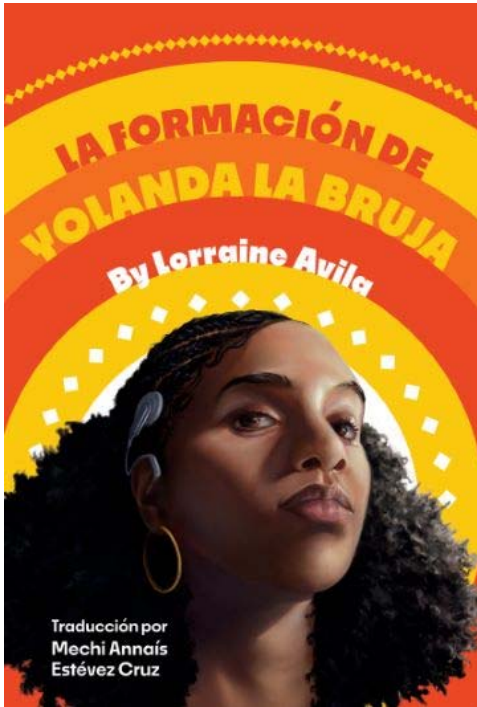
### Author Bio

**Jonell Joshua** found her calling for art at a young age - precisely 2nd grade - after she found her mother's art portfolio in the bedroom of her childhood home. Hoping to emulate her mother's talents, soon after, Jonell started drawing kid's portraits in the cafeteria during lunch. In later years she dove deeper into the arts, continuing to create in and out of school, finding ways to express herself and connect with others.

Today Jonell is an award-winning illustrator based in Brooklyn, New York. She has worked with clients including *The New York Times*, *The Washington Post*, *New York Magazine*, and *NPR*.







Levine Querido

On Sale: Nov 7/23

5.5 x 8.25 • 384 pages

9781646142781 • \$19.50 • PB - PB - Paperback

YA Fic / Magical Realism • Ages 12-18 years

### Notes

### Promotion



### La formacion de Yolanda la bruja

(The Making of Yolanda La Bruja Spanish Edition)

by Lorraine Avila, translated by Mechi Annais Estevez Cruz

Elizabeth Acevedo has said that reading Lorraine Avila feels like an UPPERCUT to the senses." We couldn't agree more. We have never encountered an author with prose of this sensitivity and fire.

Yolanda Alvarez is having a good year. She's starting to feel at home Julia De Burgos High, her school in the Bronx. She has her best friend Victory, and maybe something with Jose, a senior boy she's getting to know. She's confident her initiation into her family's bruja tradition will happen soon.

But then a white boy, the son of a politician, appears at Julia De Burgos High, and his vibes are off. And Yolanda's initiation begins with a series of troubling visions of the violence this boy threatens. How can Yolanda protect her community, in a world that doesn't listen? Only with the wisdom and love of her family, friends, and community - and the Brujas Diosas, her ancestors and guides.

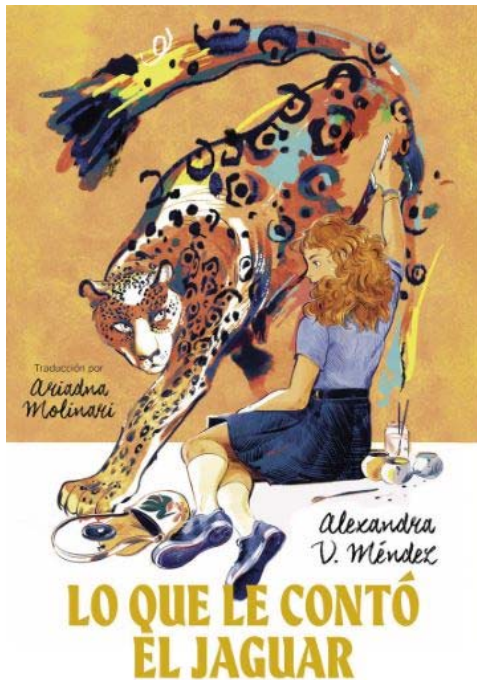
*The Making of Yolanda La Bruja* is the book this country, struggling with the plague of gun violence, so desperately needs, but which few could write. Here Lorraine Avila brings a story born from the intersection of race, justice, education, and spirituality that will capture readers everywhere.

### Author Bio

**Lorraine Avila (she/they)** is a storyteller. She was born and raised in the Bronx, NY, and is a first generation Dominican-American. Avila spent a decade as an educator in the K-12 education system. She has a BA from Fordham University in English, an MA in Teaching from New York University, and an MFA from the University of Pittsburgh. *The Making of Yolanda La Bruja* / *La formacion de Yolanda la bruja* is her YA debut.

**Mechi Annais Estevez Cruz** is an Afro-indigenous, queer Dominicana. Oriunda de Nueva York, she moved back" to the Dominican Republic where she now resides permanently. She is a writer, a language teacher, a community organizer, and an activist.





### Lo que le conto el jaguar

(What the Jaguar Told Her Spanish Edition)

by Alexandra V. Mendez, translated by Ariadna Molinari

Jade is starting eighth grade in a new city-Atlanta. She just wants to go back to Chicago, where her friends are. Where her Abuela lives.

But Jade does like walking to her new school on the trail that winds through the woods behind her house, where lush flowers bloom and soft leaves rustle beneath her feet. In the forest, Jade feels protected. Sometimes, it's as if it's listening to her.

There, Jade meets Itztli, an elderly storyteller who exists between dreams and reality. In the golden afternoons when Itztli appears, he steps out of the forest as a lithe, agile jaguar. But when he speaks to Jade, he is a wise old man who makes intricate works of art and tells her ancestral stories of Mexico. At first, Itztli's stories feel far removed from Jade's life. But as her Abuela suddenly falls ill, two towers come crashing down in New York City, and Jade becomes someone or something she doesn't yet understand, Itztli's stories take on new meaning. Jade must learn to have patience and strength to become who she was always meant to be, as the stirrings of an ancient power awaken within her.

What the Jaguar Told Her is a lyrical debut about growing up in the midst of change, and a magical cultural homecoming.

### P R A I S E

**#9733; Explores themes of identity, friendship, crushes, loss, and looking for answers to life's toughest questions in sumptuous detail. A thoughtful, richly woven tapestry illuminating the pains and (...)**

### Author Bio

**Alexandra V. Mendez** es una escritora, maestra y erudita que fue criada bilingue en Decatur, Georgia, con raíces familiares en Mexico y Mississippi. Se graduo de Harvard University con un enfoque en Historia y literatura y tiene un doctorado de Columbia University en Culturas Latinoamericanas e Ibericas. *What the jaguar told her* es su debut literario.

Levine Querido

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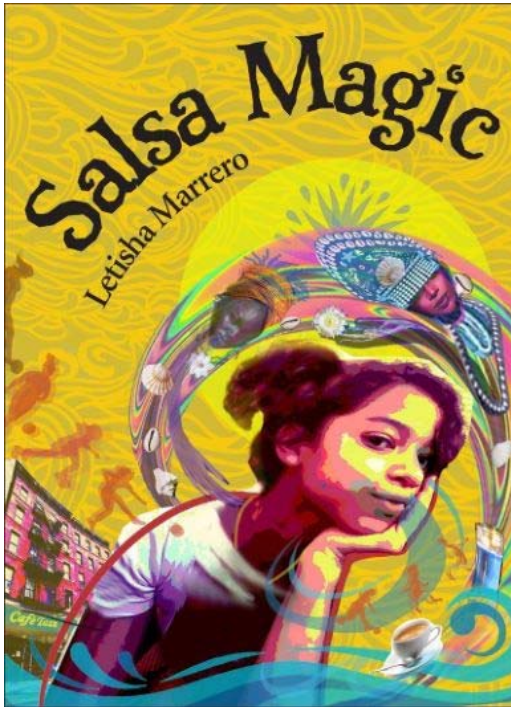
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Ages 10-14 years

### Notes

### Promotion





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On Sale: Aug 29/23  
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Juvenile Fiction / Family / Multigenerational • Ages 8-12 years

### Notes

### Promotion



### Salsa Magic by Letisha Marrero

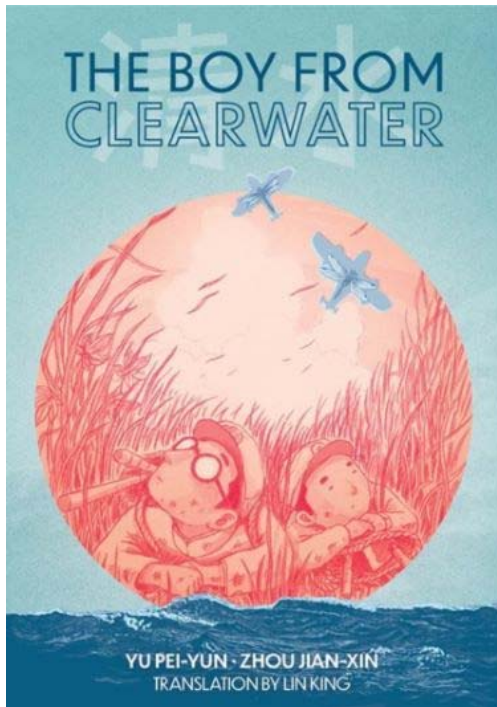
Thirteen-year-old Maya Beatriz Montenegro Calderon has vivid recurring dreams where she hears the ocean calling her. Mami's side of the family is known as "Los Locos," so maybe she actually is going crazy. But no time for that; the family business is where it's at. Whenever Maya, her sister Salma, and her three cousins, Ini, Mini, and Mo, aren't at school, you can usually find three generations of Calderones at CafeTaza, serving up sandwiches de pernil, mofongo, and the best cafes con leche in all of Brooklyn.

One day, an unexpected visit from the estranged Titi Yaya from Puerto Rico changes everything. Because Yaya practices santeria, Abuela tells Maya and the other Calderon children are told to stay away from her. But If la viejita is indeed estranged from the family, why does Maya feel so connected to this woman she has never met before? And who is this orisha named Yemaya? On top of figuring all this out, Maya has a budding soccer career to consider, while fending off the local bully, and dealing with nascent feelings toward her teammate. But through it all, there's that alluring connection to a forbidden ancient practice-filled with a pantheon of Yoruban gods and goddesses-that keeps tugging at her, offering her a new perspective in life, tying her past to her present and future. Which path will Maya choose to fulfill her destiny?

### Author Bio

**Letisha Marrero** has been a writer and editor for more than 20 years across all media and genres. As a culture critic and entertainment journalist, she has written for Latina magazine, The Source, Vibe, NBC, Nickelodeon, and more. Of Puerto Rican and Black Dominican descent, Letisha hails from New York City by way of Southern California. Mom to a super dope human teenager and a majestic but moody blue-eyed dog, Letisha currently lives in Maryland. This is her first novel.





### The Boy from Clearwater

Volume 1

by Yu Pei-Yun, illustrated by Zhou Jian-Xin, translated by Lin King

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**Yu Pei-yun** graduated from the Department of Foreign Language, National Taiwan University and holds a doctoral degree in Human Science from Ochanomizu University, Japan. Currently teaching at the Graduate Institute of Children's Literature at National Taitung University, she is devoted to the studies of Children's Literature and Culture. Yu also writes, translates, critiques, curates exhibitions about and plans the publication of children's literature.

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**Lin King** is a writer and translator from Taipei, Taiwan. Her work has



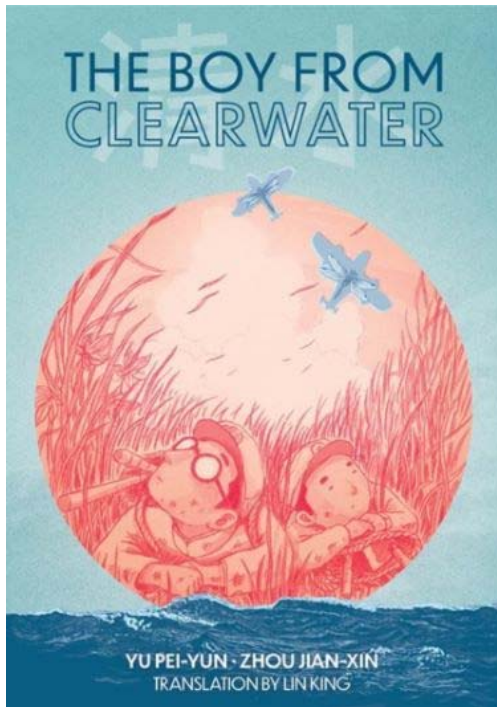
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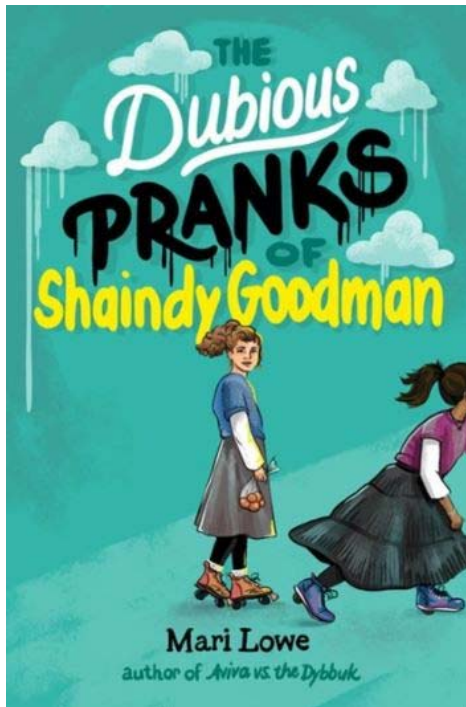
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### Notes

### Promotion



### The Dubious Pranks of Shaindy Goodman

by Mari Lowe

SHAINDY is a twelve-year-old Orthodox Jewish girl who struggles in school and has no good friends. She watches with envy as her next-door neighbor, GAYIL, excels socially and academically. They have little to do with each other, and it comes as a surprise when Shaindy looks out her window one September evening and sees Gayil staring out at her from her own window with a sign reading want to know a secret?

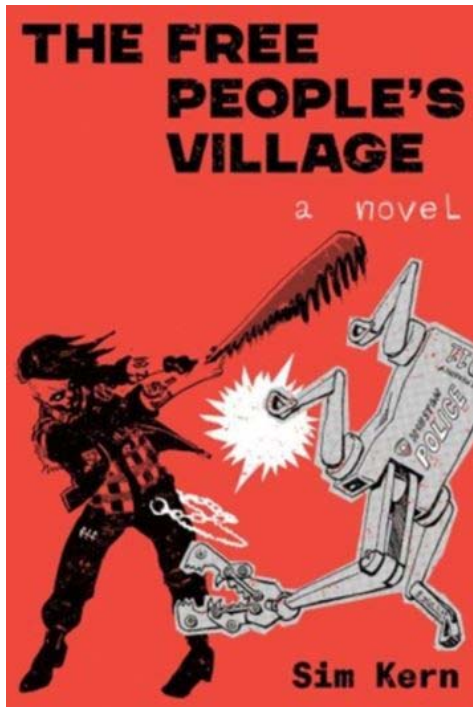
The secret (at first) is that Gayil has a key fob that will allow them to break into their school after hours. Together, they set up a harmless prank in their classroom. But under Gayil's instigation the mischief becomes malice, and Shaindy sees that the pranks and humiliations are targeted only at certain girls. But what could they have in common? With the fear of Gayil's fury and her own reluctance growing, Shaindy comes to the terrifying conclusion that if she can't figure out how to stop it, the next target could be her.

One of our editors commented: This was like an eleven year old version of Mean Girls with the psychological thrill of Jennifer's Body. Think Heathers, but Veronica and JD are in the sixth grade (and no one dies, because this is middle grade). Yom Kippur functions both as the countdown that looms on the horizon of the story, and also a potential moment of healing for the girls at the end.

### Author Bio

**Mari Lowe** has too little free time and spends it all on writing and escape rooms. As the daughter of a rabbi and a middle school teacher at an Orthodox Jewish school, she looks forward to sharing little glimpses into her community with her books. She lives in New York with her family, menagerie of pets, and robotic vacuum.





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5.88 x 9 • 400 pages

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Fiction / Science Fiction / General • Ages 12 years and up

### Notes

### Promotion



### The Free People's Village

by Sim Kern

**Beautiful, brilliant, and unflinching, *The Free People's Village* will both inspire you and devour you. . . in the best possible way."** - Nicky Drayden, author of *Escaping Exodus* and *The Prey of Gods*

**From environmental journalist Sim Kern, comes the eat-the-rich climate fiction you won't want to put down:** In an alternate 2020 timeline, Al Gore won the 2000 election and declared a War on Climate Change rather than a War on Terror. For twenty years, Democrats have controlled all three branches of government, enacting carbon-cutting schemes that never made it to a vote in our world. Green infrastructure projects have transformed U.S. cities into lush paradises (for the wealthy, white neighborhoods, at least), and the Bureau of Carbon Regulation levies carbon taxes on every financial transaction.

English teacher by day, Maddie Ryan spends her nights and weekends as the rhythm guitarist of Bunny Bloodlust, a queer punk band living in a warehouse-turned-venue called "The Lab" in Houston's Eighth Ward. When Maddie learns that the Eighth Ward is to be sacrificed for a new electromagnetic hyperway out to the wealthy, white suburbs, she joins "Save the Eighth," a Black-led organizing movement fighting for the neighborhood. At first, she's only focused on keeping her band together and getting closer to Red, their reckless and enigmatic lead guitarist. But working with Save the Eighth forces Maddie to reckon with the harm she has already done to the neighborhood—both as a resident of the gentrifying Lab and as a white teacher in a predominantly Black school.

When police respond to Save the (...)

### Author Bio

**Sim Kern** is a Gulf Coast author and environmental journalist. Their debut horror novella, *Depart, Depart!*, was selected for the Honor List for the 2020 Otherwise Award, and their short story collection, *Real Sugar is Hard to Find*, was hailed in a starred review by *Publishers Weekly* as, a searing, urgent, but still achingly tender work that will wow any reader of speculative fiction." As a journalist, they report on petrochemical polluters and drag space billionaires.

Sim spent ten years teaching English to middle and high schoolers in Houston, Texas, before shifting to writing full-time. They live near Brays Bayou with their spouse, two kids, and a very good dog.





### The Girl, the Ring, & the Baseball Bat

by Camille Gomera-Tavarez

**Rosie:** Capricorn. Does great in class. Wants nothing more than to get into the prestigious Innovation Technical Institute and kiss this awful school goodbye. Her talisman: a magical jacket from her mother's past that gets people to do whatever she says.

**Caro:** Taurus. Rosie's older sister. Always been closer to their estranged father - and always butted heads more with their strict mother. A trip to Dominican Republic for her father's wedding leads her deep into family history that clears up any illusions about her parents she's ever had. Her talisman: a baseball bat that fixes whatever it breaks.

**Zeke:** Certified Triple Pisces. Up in cold-ass Jersey City living with his aunt after his grandmother dies and his father moves to London to take care of his mother. He crushes on EVERYone - he knows he'll find happiness in love, and maybe a way out of this depression. His talisman: a manifestation stone that will make anyone fall in love with him.

Rosie, Caro, and Zeke - and their talismans - find themselves intertwined in a magical, hilarious, and whip-smart Outsiders for the modern day, written by Camille Gomera-Tavarez, a 2022 Publishers Weekly Flying Start.

### Author Bio

**Camille Gomera-Tavarez** is an Afro-Dominican graphic designer, illustrator, and authoress from Clifton, NJ. She graduated with a BFA in Graphic Design and a minor in Creative Writing from the Maryland Institute College of Art.

Her first book, *High Spirits*, was a Publishers Weekly Flying Start, earned three starred reviews, and called a soulfully crafted debut."

Visit her at [www.cgtdesign.net](http://www.cgtdesign.net).

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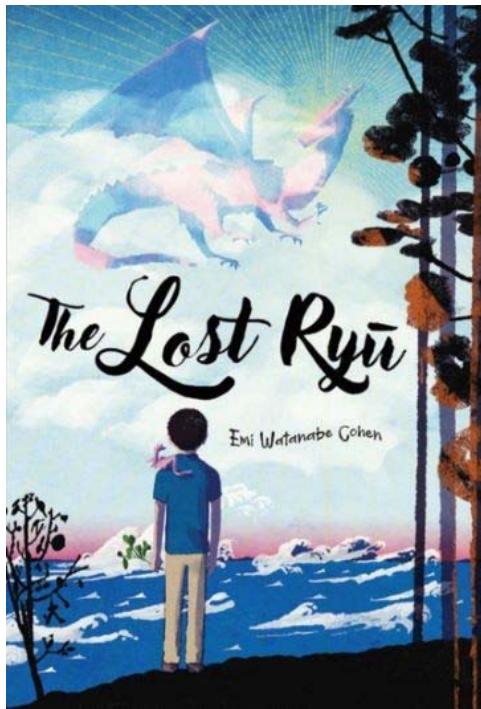
YA Fic / Magical Realism • Ages 12-18 years

### Notes

### Promotion







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5.5 x 8.25 • 208 pages

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Ages 8-12 years

### Notes

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### The Lost Ryu

by Emi Watanabe Cohen

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**BEST OF THE YEAR:**

Chicago Public Library \* Kids' Indie Next List

A story of multigenerational pain, magic, and the lengths to which we'll go to protect the people we love.

Kohei Fujiwara has never seen a big ryu; in real life. Those dragons all disappeared from Japan after World War II, and twenty years later, they've become the stuff of legend. Their smaller cousins, who can fit in your palm, are all that remain. And Kohei loves his ryu; Yuharu, but. . .

. . . Kohei has a memory of the big ryu; He knows that's impossible, but still, it's there, in his mind. In it, he can see his grandpa - Ojiisan - gazing up at the big ryu; with what looks to Kohei like total and absolute wonder. When Kohei was little, he dreamed he'd go on a grand quest to bring the big ryu; back, to get Ojiisan to smile again.

But now, Ojiisan is really, really sick. And Kohei is running out of time.

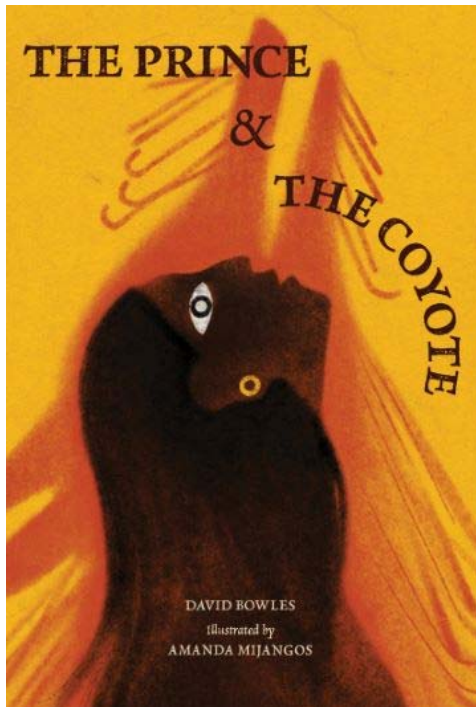
Kohei needs to find the big ryu; now, before (...)

### Author Bio

**Emi Watanabe Cohen** wrote her first novel when she was 12 years old - the most complete draft she can find clocks in at 234,780 words. That's over 1,000 pages! Thankfully, her editing skills have improved since then. Her more recent work involves Jewish and/or Japanese folklore, complicated families, and a dash of improbable magic. She is a graduate of Brandeis University, where she studied Creative Writing. Her debut novel, *The Lost Ryu*, was an official Indie Next Selection.

**Author Residence:** Chicago, IL





Levine Querido

On Sale: Sep 26/23

6 x 9 • 336 pages

9781646141777 • \$29.99 • CL - HC - Hardcover

YA Fic / Action & Adventure / General • Ages 12-18 years

### Notes

### Promotion



### The Prince and the Coyote

by David Bowles, illustrated by Amanda Mijangos

1418 - Pre-Columbian Mexico

Fifteen-year old crown prince Acolmiztli wants nothing more than to see his city-state of Tetzco thrive. A singer, poet, and burgeoning philosophical mind, he has big plans about infrastructure projects and cultural initiatives that will bring honor to his family and help his people flourish. But the two sides of his family, the kingdoms of Mexico and Acolhuacan, have been at war his entire life - after his father risked the wrath of the Tepanec emperor to win his mother's love.

When a power struggle leaves his father dead and his mother and siblings in exile, Acolmiztli must run for his life, seeking refuge in the wilderness. After a coyote helps him find his way in the wild, he takes on a new name - Nezahualcoyotl, or fasting coyote" ("Neza" for short).

Biding his time until he can form new alliances and reconnect with his family, Neza goes undercover, and falls in love with a commoner girl, Sekalli. Can Neza survive his plotting uncles' scheme to wipe out his line for good? Will the empire he dreams of in Tetzco ever come to life? And is he willing to risk the lives of those he loves in the process?

This action-packed tale blends prose and poetry - including translations of surviving poems by Nezahualcoytl himself, translated from classical Nahuatl by the author. And the book is packed with queer rep - queer love stories, and a thoughtful (...)

### Author Bio

**Amanda Mijangos** was born in Mexico City and is the founder of the illustration studio Cuarto para las 3. Her work has been recognized with awards several times and in 2017 she was the winner of the VIII Iberoamerica Illustra Catalog.

**David Bowles** is the award-winning author and translator of more than two dozen books for children and teens, among them *They Call Me Guero*, *My Two Border Towns*, and *The Sea-Ringed World*. His work has been published in multiple anthologies, plus venues such as *The New York Times*, *School Library Journal*, *Translation Review*, and the *Journal of Children's Literature*. In 2019, David co-founded the activist movement Dignidad Literaria to fight for the literary and cultural dignity of Latinx people in US publishing and education.





Levine Querido

On Sale: Nov 7/23

5.5 x 8.5 • 288 pages

9781646142705 • \$29.99 • CL - HC - Hardcover

YA Fic / Lgbt • Ages 12-18 years

### Notes

### Promotion



### The Queer Girl is Going to Be Okay

by Dale Walls

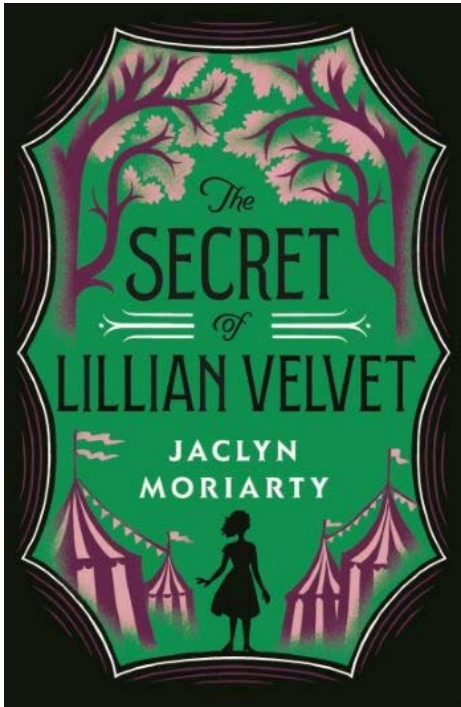
Queer Love. Something Dawn wants, desperately, but does not have. But maybe, if she can capture it, film it, interview the people who have it, queer love will be hers someday. Or, at least, she'll have made a documentary about it. A documentary that, hopefully, will win Dawn a scholarship to film school. Many obstacles stand in the way of completing her film, but her best friends Edie and Georgia are there to help her reach her goal, no matter what it takes.

A touching and joyous story of queer friendship and girlhood set in the vibrant city of Houston, *THE QUEER GIRL IS GOING TO BE OKAY* will make you laugh, make you cry, and make you believe that eventually, everything will be okay.

### Author Bio

**Dale Walls** is a culture writer, curator, and art historian based in San Francisco. They are currently pursuing an art history PhD and are a Knight-Hennessy Scholar at Stanford University. Dale has written for Teen Vogue, Artsy, and Google Arts and Culture and is a 2022 Lambda Literary Fellow. *The Queer Girl Is Going To Be Okay* is their debut novel.





Levine Querido

On Sale: Sep 26/23

6 x 9 • 444 pages

**9781646142613** • \$29.99 • CL - HC - Hardcover  
Juvenile Fiction / Science Fiction, Fantasy, Magic •  
Ages 8-12 years

### Notes

### Promotion



### The Secret of Lillian Velvet

by Jaclyn Moriarty

Here are only a few of the wonderful, strange, and mysterious elements in this breathtaking visit to the Kingdoms and Empires: A very proper girl named Lillian Velvet, living a very lonely life with a nasty Grandmother. A jar of coins, each with the power to take Lillian on a journey to a different time and place. . . and also to grant a single wish. A small boy in a barn about to be crushed to death by a load of hay. A family, each member in mortal danger, who are strangers to Lillian (but whom clever readers will recognize). And a web of dangerous magic closing tight around all. Who IS this Lillian Velvet? And what is her secret?

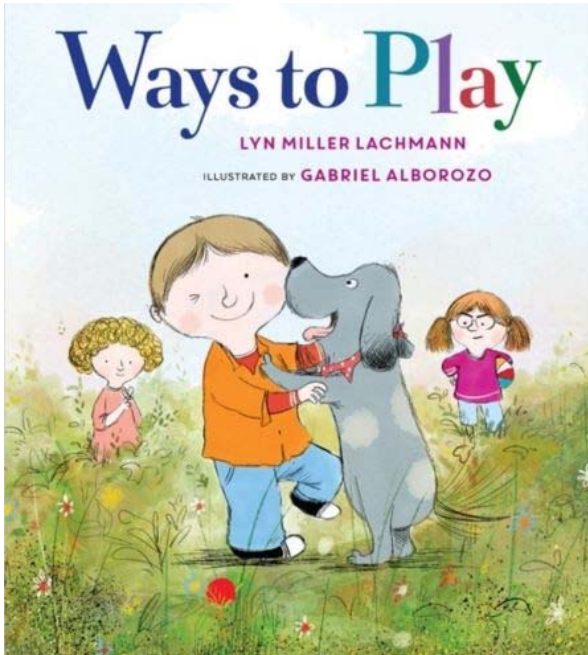
Only Jaclyn Moriarty has the ability to make readers laugh, even while they grip the sides of their chairs in suspense. In **THE SECRET OF LILLIAN VELVET** she is at the height of her storytelling powers, spinning, spinning, spinning seemingly disparate elements until all is revealed as one delicious, tantalizing whole.

### Author Bio

**Jaclyn Moriarty** is the award-winning author of uniquely creative and readable books for adults and young readers including *The Year of Secret Assignments*, the *Colors of Madeleine* trilogy, *The Extremely Inconvenient Adventures of Bronte Mettlestone*, and *The Stolen Prince of Cloudburst*. One of the talented and popular Moriarty sisters (including Liane and Nicola), Jaclyn lives in Sydney, Australia. She is very fond of chocolate, blueberries, and sleep.







### Ways to Play

by Lyn Miller-Lachmann, illustrated by Gabriel Alborozo

Riley has plenty of ways to play; like lining up dolls and stuffies by size and shape. Tearing up newspapers and making piles into mountains, using sharp crayons to draw big swirly patterns. But bossy cousin Emma thinks those ways are wrong, wrong, and wrong. And she makes no bones about letting Riley know exactly what her opinion is. Fortunately, Charlie the dog is on hand to help with a breakthrough demonstration that there are MANY ways to play; and all of them are right.

Based on experiences that Lyn Miller Lachman had growing up as an Autistic child and illustrated with the humor, tenderness and understanding that perhaps only an artist like Gabriel Alborozo, himself an Autistic creator, could bring, here is an empowering validation of the value of individual expression. And a whole lot of fun.

### Author Bio

**Lyn Miller-Lachmann** is an author, translator, and teacher. Her books for teens and younger readers include *Gringolandia*, *Rogue*, *Torch*, *She Persisted: Temple Grandin*, and the verse novel *Moonwalking*, co-authored with Zetta Elliott. She lives in New York City, where she helps raise her twin grandchildren and advocates for the autistic community.

**Gabriel Alborozo** is a cartoonist and illustrator based in East Sussex. Over the years his work has appeared regularly in numerous magazines and papers, including *Private Eye*, *Punch*, *the Spectator*, *Prospect*, and *the Oldie*, but his first love is and has always been creating art for children. He has illustrated several books for children, including Martha Brokenbrough's *This Old Dog*

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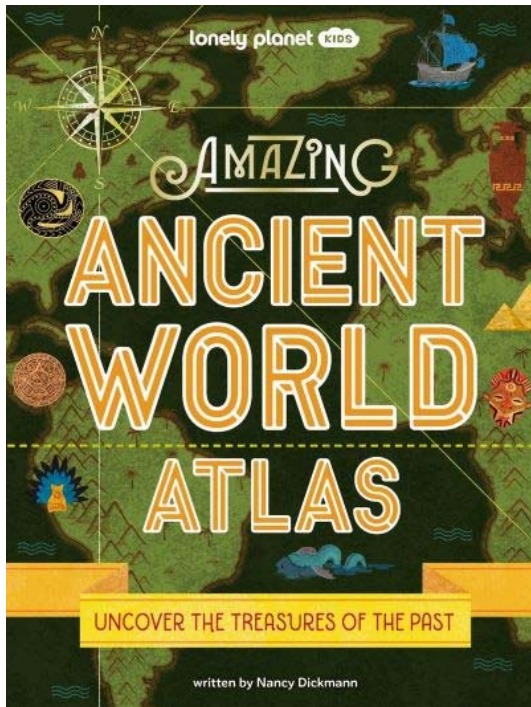
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Juvenile Fiction / Imagination & Play • Ages 4-7 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Lonely Planet Kids Amazing Ancient World Atlas 1 1 by Nancy Dickmann

Unearth our ancient world, continent by continent, with this amazing kids atlas. Explore over 40 historical cultures, societies and civilizations from across the planet. Mind-blowing maps bring history to life and show the rise and fall of mighty empires over time. Also discover where the remains of our planet's ancient history can be found today!

From Mesopotamia, China and Rome to Egypt, Australia and the Aztec world, this definitive guide to our ancient world takes kids on a tour across our historical planet and explains the first settlements; how ancient civilizations rose and fell; archaeologists at work; technological innovations; writing systems and so much more. Bursting with vibrant imagery and original artwork, budding history buffs can use the awesome maps and timeline to navigate their way through our fascinating past.

Inside ***Amazing Ancient World Atlas***:

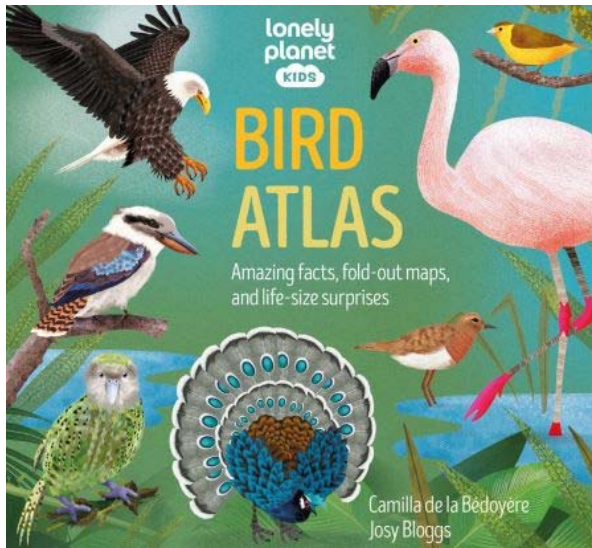
- **Comprehensive historical coverage for kids** traces the spread and rise of human civilizations and epic empires across the world, continent by continent
- **Lost cultures, civilizations and societies** explained with historical and geographical context to support comprehension and learning
- **Handy maps, original artwork and wow-factor photographs** to keep young readers entertained
- **Weird and wonderful historical facts** for kids to impress their friends with
- **Covers** cultures, civilizations and societies across Western Asia; Central, Southern and Eastern Asia; Europe, Asia, Africa, North America, South America and Oceania

*Amazing Ancient World Atlas* is the third in Lonely Planet Kids' *Amazing Atlas* series (including the *Amazing World Atlas* and the *Amazing Night Sky Atlas*), written by Nancy Dickmann with expert insights from Dr John Haywood, a Fellow of the Royal Historical Society of Great Britain. Perfect (...)

### Author Bio

NANCY DICKMANN is an experienced author and publisher of non-fiction books for children, specializing in science. She has a particular interest in space and has commissioned or written more than a dozen books about the topic, and in doing so has had the privilege to interview astronomers, a





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### Lonely Planet Kids Bird Atlas 1

by Lonely Planet Kids

Take to the skies and meet the world's most amazing birds. Navigate your way across the continents using colour-coded maps and discover birds of prey, birds of paradise, aquatic birds and more. Kids can open full-page gatefolds and lift smaller flaps to reveal surprises and fascinating glimpses into the lives of our feathered friends.

Stretch your wings for an epic journey around the globe and discover the many incredible birds that share our planet. Use the handy maps and diagrams to understand more about each bird's natural habitat and track impressive migration routes for those that travel extraordinary distances. Learn about their spectacular courtship displays, mind-blowing nest-building techniques and the environmental changes that threaten their way of life. This is the ultimate book for children - and grown ups - who are wild about wildlife.

Inside *Bird Atlas*:

**-Packed with original artwork, beautiful illustrations and stunning photography** that make this vibrant and engaging book a must-read for kids aged 8+

**-Detailed and insightful maps and diagrams** that guide readers from continent to continent, showing them where the birds live and how they spend their lives

**-Fun lift-the-flap and actual-size elements** to entertain curious minds

**-Features popular and lesser-known birds** including eagles, falcons, ostriches, penguins, hummingbirds, birds of paradise, seabirds, garden birds, flightless birds, aquatic birds and many more

**-Covers regions:** North America, South America, Europe, Africa, Asia, Oceania, Arctic & Antarctic

*Bird Atlas* is the latest book in Lonely Planet Kids' novelty atlas series following on from *Dinosaur Atlas*, *Bug Atlas* and *Ocean Animal Atlas*. Written by Camilla de la Bedoyere (...)

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals / Birds • Ages 9-12 years

Series: Creature Atlas

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### Lonely Planet Kids Let's Play Sports 1

by Lonely Planet Kids

Embark on a fun-filled sporting journey with this lift-the-flap book for young readers. Find famous and lesser-known games and sports from across the continents and learn how children around the world play. From ice hockey in Canada, baseball in the USA to kabaddi in India - discover interactive surprises and beautiful illustrations on every page.

Packed with super-cool artwork and fascinating insights, curious kids aged 3-5 + can explore 8 vibrant sporty scenarios, each set in a different country, with flaps that lift to reveal hidden team uniforms, behind-the-scenes imagery of stadiums and more. This one-of-a-kind book is a brilliant introduction to the world of sports for children who love to play.

Inside *Let's Play Sports*:

- **Interactive lift-the-flap feature** that reveals the inside of stadiums, sports equipment and uniforms
  - **8 scenes of people playing sports** from all over the globe, providing a fun glimpse into the awesome ways kids, grown-ups and teams compete in friendly games
  - **Famous and lesser-known games and sports** that show how other cultures play together and spend time with one another
  - **Easy-to-understand insights** into the history of particular sports and games
  - **Beautifully illustrated** to keep curious minds entertained and engaged
  - **Covers:** A Canada (winter sports like ice hockey and snowboarding), USA (adventures at a baseball game), Brazil (beach sports like volleyball and beach), UK (seaside games, crazy golf and skateboarding), Cameroon (soccer and - stockings), India (cricket and kabaddi), Australia (water sports like surfing and paddleboarding), New Zealand (touch-rugby and a haka performance)
- Let's Play Sports* is the latest book in the (...)

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8.5 x 8.5 • 16 pages

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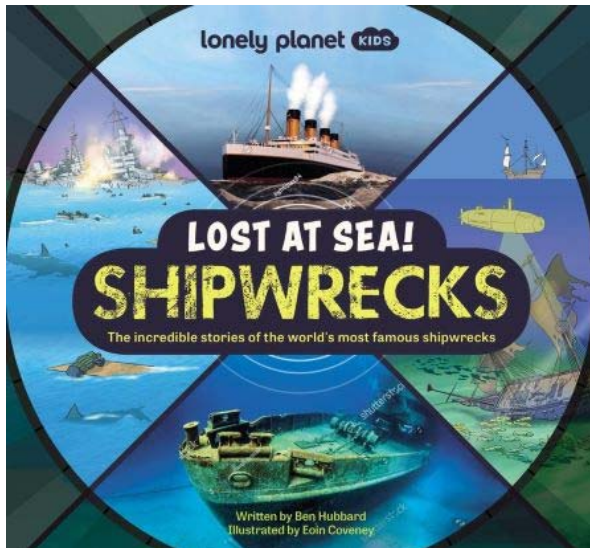
Juvenile Nonfiction / Social Studies / Customs, Traditions, Anthropology • Ages 3-5 years

### Notes

### Promotion







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### Lonely Planet Kids Lost at Sea! Shipwrecks 1

by Lonely Planet Kids

Discover over 12 gripping retellings of notable shipwrecks in this mind-blowing kids book packed with heroic escapes, daring rescues and danger on the high seas. Find amazing illustrations, historic photography and interactive elements that reveal extra twists and surprises: a must-buy for curious minds fascinated by dramatic real-life events.

Did you know there are over three million shipwrecks lying beneath the world's seabeds? Unearth more than 12 legendary stories buried with each wreck and learn about the ship's original mission; the period it sailed in; the day it all went wrong; and the moment the ship was discovered at the bottom of the ocean. From *the Mary Rose*; *the Queen Annes Revenge*; and *HMS Terror*; to the most famous of all, *RMS Titanic* - readers aged 8+ will delight in unfolding the book's interactive pages that bring these historical stories to life.

Inside **Lost at Sea! Shipwrecks** :

-**Over 12 dramatic retellings of shipwrecks** throughout history and across the world

-**Stunning original artwork, illustrations and photography** accompany each story

-**Insightful details, unique facts and observations** examine the ship's purpose, the period it was built, its original appearance, the day it sank and the moment it was found

-**Lift-the-flaps, open the gatefolds and other novelty elements** keep readers engaged and reveal extra imagery and information

-**Covers:** *The Punic Ship Of Marsala* (Mediterranean Sea, Italy; 3rd century BCE); *A Roskilde 6 Viking Ship* (Denmark; 11th century CE); *The Mary Rose* (English Channel, England; 1545); *Vasa* (Stockholm Harbour, Sweden; 1628); *San JosA* (Cartagena, Colombia; 1708); *Queen Annes Revenge* (North Carolina, USA; 1718); *HMS Terror* (Canada; 1845); *SS Yongala* (...)

### Author Bio

**Written by: Ben Hubbard**

Ben has written over 130 books, covering subjects that range from the ocean to space and pets. He has previously authored Lonely Planet Kids titles including *The Complete Guide to Space Exploration*, *Kids Survival Guide* and *Ocean Animal Atlas*.

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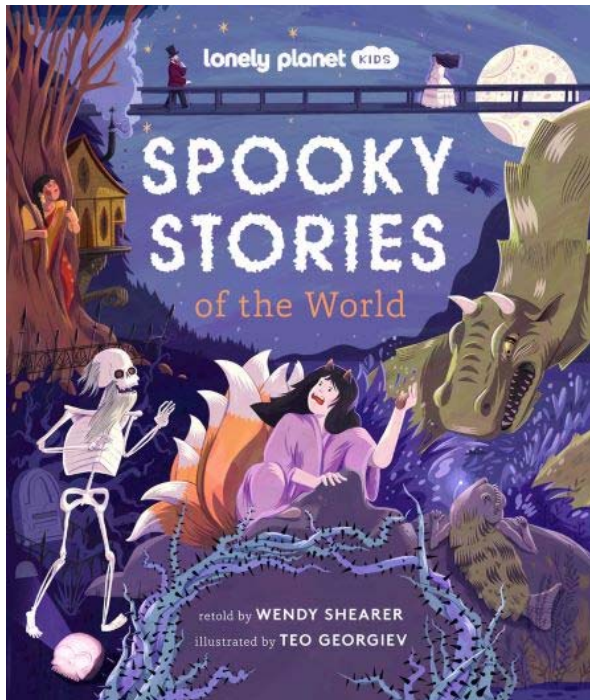
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### Lonely Planet Kids Spooky Stories of the World 1

by Wendy Shearer

This spine-tingling collection of spooky stories features over 20 eerie tales from across the globe. Discover bewitching retellings of ghost- and monster-filled myths regaled with ghoulish relish, and journey continent-by-continent through this haunting book. With shocks and twists like you wouldn't believe - are you brave enough to read them all?

Packed with mind-boggling mysteries, unexplained enigmas and traditional stories that are sure to send shivers down your spine, *Spooky Stories of the World* is the ultimate feast for Halloween-loving kids and readers in search of a fright. Meet vampires, werewolves and fearsome monsters that hide in the shadows in this one-of-a-kind round-the-world collection of hair-raising tales.

Inside ***Spooky Stories of the World***:

-20 fang-tastic stories from around the world featuring new versions of traditional tales from various cultures and countries

-Arranged continent by continent with spooky illustrations, original artwork and simple locator maps throughout

-Chilling tales include: The Lagahoo (Trinidad & Tobago), The Luz Mala (Argentina), The Basilisk of Vilnius (Lithuania), The King and the Juju Tree (West Africa), The Ghost Wife (Bangladesh), The Bunyip (Australia)

*Spooky Stories of the World* is the much-anticipated follow-up to *Myths and Legends of the World*. Written by British-Guyanese author and professional storyteller Wendy Shearer, and illustrated by the Finland-based Bulgarian artist Teo Georgiev, this is the perfect book for curious kids in search of a creepy kick to their reading list and is probably best read with the lights left on. . . Its Halloween in a book!

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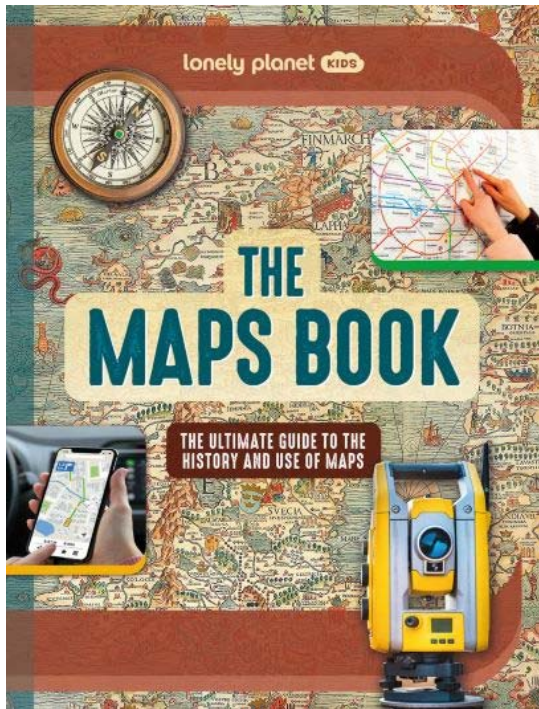
### Author Bio

Wendy Shearer is a professional storyteller who tells African and Caribbean tales. Her storytelling has been heard at venues across the UK, including Shakespeare's Globe, The Royal Academy of Arts, The British Museum, Museum of London and Royal Festival Hall. The stories she tells are inspired by a childhood filled with Afro-Caribbean tales passed down by her Guyanese Grandmother. Her love for epic tales was harnessed during her first degree in Classical Studies at Surrey University. She lives in London.



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### Lonely Planet Kids The Maps Book 1

by Joanne Bourne

Explore the amazing world of maps from the first sketches on cave walls to real-time maps on phones. Discover their incredible history and marvel at ancient maps, war maps, weather maps and even interactive maps from computer games. Packed with awesome facts, kids will soon learn how to read maps and symbols - plus learn how to make their own!

Wow-factor maps, astounding historic photographs and lively text make this incredible map book the ultimate gift for kids - and grown ups too. Insightful case studies including Winston Churchills Map Room and John Snows groundbreaking 1854 cholera map will fascinate readers and aid learning; while unusual maps of the night sky, wildlife, populations, time-zones and even famous maps from literature and video games show the full breadth of the many mind-blowing maps in existence.

Inside *The Maps Book* :

- **An exciting journey through the history of maps** including ancient maps, the first ever world map, the mapping of the world wars and beyond

- Vibrant artwork, unusual maps, historic photos and engaging text**bring the world of maps to life

- Fascinating case studies** aid learning and comprehension

- Revolutionary modern maps**explained in detail covering GPS, online maps, streetview, 3D mapping, magnetic-field maps, map apps on phones, flight radar maps and other uses of modern cartography

- Making maps, using mapping tools**and understanding more about the equipment cartographers use to create and design maps

- How to read a map**including longitude and latitude, grid lines, contour lines, symbols and keys as well as directions for using a compass - plus how to make your own map

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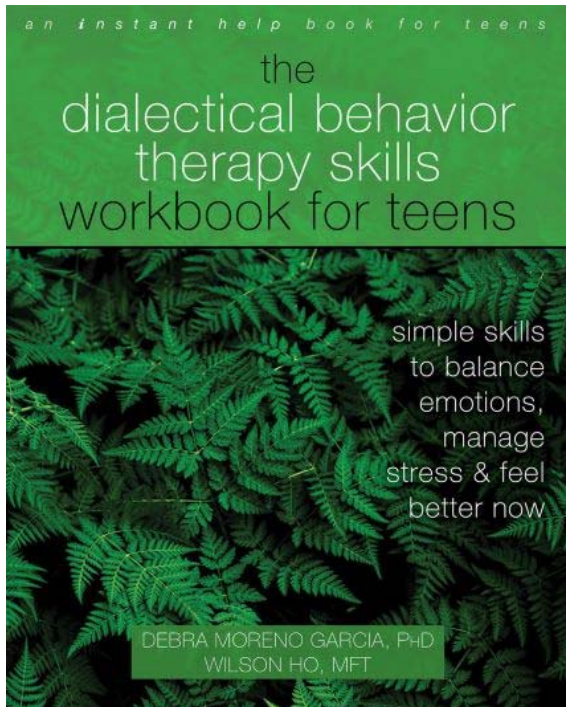
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## The Dialectical Behavior Therapy Skills Workbook for Teens

Simple Skills to Balance Emotions, Manage Stress, and Feel Better Now

by Debra Moreno Garcia, PhD and Wilson Ho, MFT

**An essential and engaging dialectical behavior therapy (DBT) workbook to help teens manage stress and deal with emotions in healthy ways.**

Do you feel completely stressed out *all* the time? Do you struggle to find the words to describe your feelings or find it difficult to keep your emotions in check? Are you looking for ways to improve your mental health? If so, you aren't alone. Being a teen in today's world is tough. Between school, friends, social media, and an unpredictable real world, there's plenty to feel stressed about. The good news is you can easily learn a few simple skills that will make a huge difference in how you manage your emotions. This workbook-written just for teens-can help.

In *The Dialectical Behavior Therapy Skills Workbook for Teens*, you'll learn effective methods for coping with stress and improving your overall well-being. You'll discover the four core skills of DBT-**mindfulness, distress tolerance, emotion regulation, and interpersonal effectiveness**-and find ways to put these skills into action each day to help you reduce stress, find emotional balance, make friends, and be your best.

The book is packed with:

- Tips to help you prevent emotional overwhelm
- Activities to help foster self-reflection and awareness
- Strategies to help you identify emotional triggers
- Ways to soothe stress in body and mind

If you're a teen and you're struggling, know that you aren't alone. This workbook will give you the tools you need to stay grounded, build resilience, and thrive. Why not get started today?

## Author Bio

**Debra Garcia, PhD**, is a faculty member in the psychology department at California State University, Los Angeles. She has worked with children, adolescents, and their families for more than twenty-five years in clinical and research settings. Garcia's adolescent stress and wellness research at CSULA focuses on dimensions of adolescent stress, generational communication patterns, family well-being, and advocacy for healthy school climates. She also conducts psychometric research for the development of new stress measures and assessments authenticated by the voice of teens and college students. Garcia is a community leader, speaker, and advocate for healthy neighborhoods and infrastructure systems for marginalized youth with minority status.



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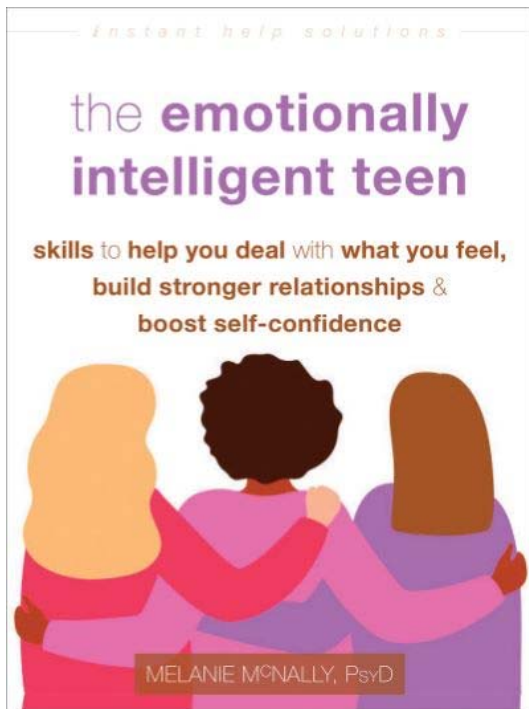
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## The Emotionally Intelligent Teen

Skills to Help You Deal with What You Feel, Build Stronger Relationships, and Boost Self-Confidence  
by Melanie McNally, PsyD

**Build a solid foundation for mental health and wellness with this fun and engaging guide-just for teens!**

Do you ever feel misunderstood? Do you get upset easily, or struggle to manage difficult thoughts and feelings like sadness, anger, frustration, or worry? Does it feel like everything is just too stressful? If so, you're far from alone. Many teens struggle to balance their emotions and manage stress. The good news is that your generation is keenly aware of the importance of mental health. Awareness is a great first step, but you also need solid skills to successfully navigate your complex world, be your best, and reach your goals. This book can teach you those skills!

In this friendly guide, psychologist Melanie McNally offers proven-effective tools to help you cultivate *emotional intelligence* -the ability to identify and express your emotions in healthy ways. You'll gain a greater understanding of the connection between your emotions and your behavior, learn how to stay calm during stressful or anxiety provoking situations, and discover tips to help you manage conflict with your friends, family, teachers-or anyone in your life. You'll find foundational skills to help you:

- Increase motivation
- Practice emotional self-awareness
- Identify your feelings
- Manage your moods
- Decrease your stress levels
- Set authentic and attainable goals

Emotions are powerful things. By learning to understand and balance your own emotions, you'll be empowered to take control of your goals, your dreams, and your mental well-being-now and into the future!

*In these increasingly challenging times, kids and teens need mental health resources more than ever. With more than 1.6 million copies sold worldwide, Instant Help Books are easy (...)*

## Author Bio

**Melanie McNally, PsyD**, is a licensed clinical psychologist and life coach who helps tweens, teens, and young adults become the superheroes of their life stories. She is a strong advocate for teen mental health, and was a White House panelist where she spoke about youth mental health needs. She is founder of Destination You, a place where tweens, teens, young adults, and their parents get support through virtual coaching, teletherapy, virtual groups, self-guided programs, and other resources.



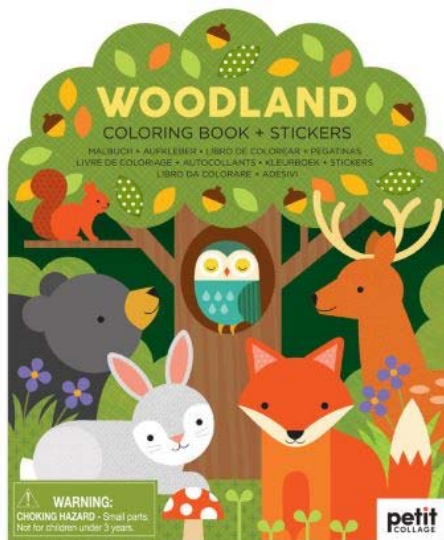
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### Woodland Coloring Book + Stickers

by Petit Collage

Get your coloring pencils ready for this wild Woodland Coloring Book from Petit Collage.

Color in the woodland scenes featuring playful rabbits, busy bears, and a whole forest full of friendly creatures! When you're done, decorate them with over 100 woodland-themed stickers.

Perfect for ages 4+, this coloring book will encourage hours of creative fun.

Made using FSC paper and printed with vegetable inks.

**KIDS' COLORING BOOK** - Encourage creativity, imagination, and exploration with the Woodland Coloring Book from Petit Collage. Kids can create the outdoor scenes of their dreams by coloring in the bright pages of cute line illustrations.

**INCLUDES OVER 100 REUSABLE STICKERS** - There are over 100 colorful paper stickers inside that can be used to bring the finishing touch to your woodland creations!

**PLAY & DEVELOPMENT** - Coloring and sticker activities help develop children's hand-eye coordination, color and shape recognition, and fine motor skills. Plus, they encourage imagination, creativity, and independent play.

**THOUGHTFULLY DESIGNED** - Beautifully designed with original illustrations, this coloring book is made using FSC paper and printed with vegetable inks.

**PETIT COLLAGE** - Petit Collage is all about good design. We combine a modern aesthetic with environmentally conscious manufacturing to create bold, thoughtful products to delight little ones. We strive to make our products beautiful and fun in equal measure.

Petit Collage

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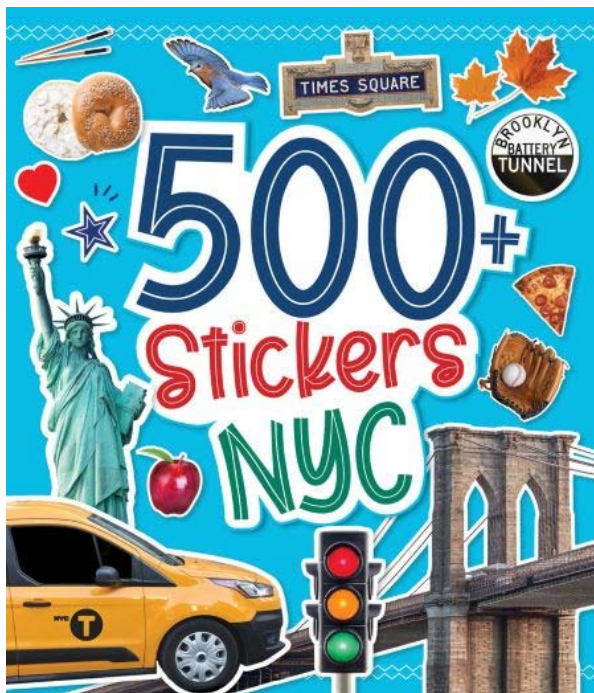
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### 500 Stickers: NYC

by duopress labs

If you are looking for a book with more New York City stickers than this one, fuggedaboutit!

This is the ultimate, most complete, and most awesome book of stickers for Big Apple fans. If you are a New Yorker, this book is for you. If you are visiting New York City, this book is for you. And if you dream of New York City, this is totally for you!

With 500 reusable stickers, this is the everything bagel of sticker books, featuring all that makes New York City so special, from buildings and famous landmarks, to zoo animals and city pigeons, to hot dogs and bagels, and of course the best pie on the planet (pizza, that is).

Use them on your phone, notebook, water bottle, and more to create your own work of art; these reusable, easy-to-peel stickers are all yours to enjoy!

### Author Bio

duopress labs creates innovative books and gifts for children and adults.

Recent titles include the TummyTime®, Terra Babies, SmartFlash(TM), Pop Out, and High-Contrast series; The Belly Sticker Book; 100 Pablo Picassos; My Fridge; and A Good Deck.

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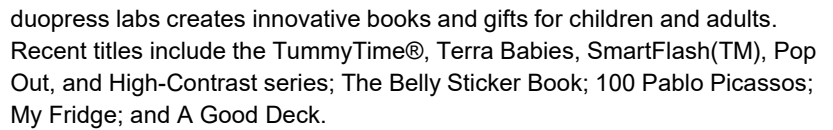
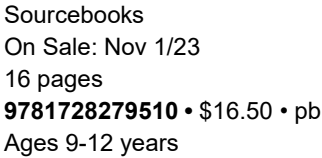
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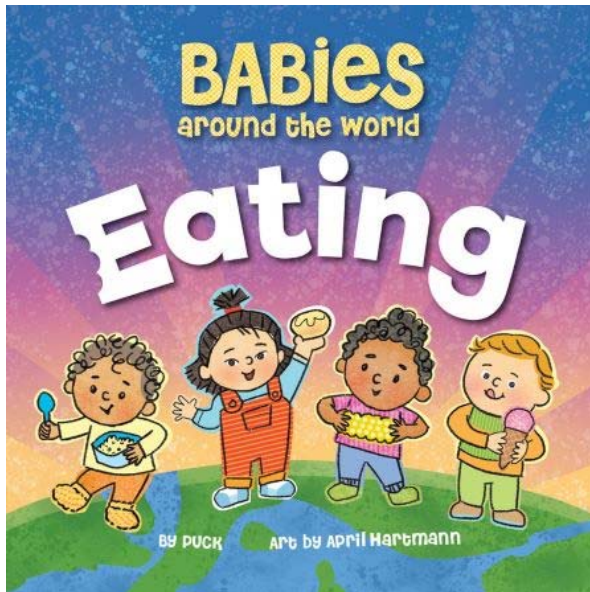




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### Babies Around the World Eating

by duopress labs and Puck, illustrated by April Hartmann

Sushi, corn on the cob, tacos, and curry! Come along on a trip around the world with a group of babies excited to show us their yummy foods and unique traditions. The journey takes us from a farmers' market in the United States (hamburgers, apples) to a floating market in Thailand (pad thai, chicken satay), with stops in Mexico, Greece, India, China, and many more countries. These children welcome us into their homes with friendly greetings and tasty treats in an uplifting trip around this deliciously diverse planet.

Featured countries in order of appearance in the book:

- United States
- Mexico
- Peru
- Italy
- Greece
- Morocco
- China
- Japan
- Thailand
- India

### Author Bio

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Puck is the author of dozens of children's books, including New York Baby and My Foodie ABC. He is also the creative chief behind duopress labs, the company responsible for book series like TummyTime, Terra Babies at Home, Pop Out Books, and many more.

April Hartmann is an illustrator, animator, graphic designer, and writer. She earned her BFA in Illustration at the College for Creative Studies in Detroit, and has been a professional illustrator for more than 25 years. Her artwork is featured in kids' magazines, on toys and packaging, and she has illustrated many books for children. The Dream Keepers" is her first book as a published author. You can find more of her illustrations on Instagram @aprilhartmanncreations and her website at [www.ahcreations.com](http://www.ahcreations.com).





### California Baby

by Jerome Pohlen, illustrated by Kyle Reed

Here come the California babies, ready to give you a tour of their home state in this appealing board book!

Spirited and charming images pair with quirky text to introduce young readers to a group of smart, active, stylish, and just plain silly tots enjoying life in California. From the Hollywood sign to the marketplace on Olvera Street and the gnarly beaches, this entertaining book is an essential introduction to the fun, arts, and diversity in store for the babies of California.

And the fun doesn't end there. CALIFORNIA BABY includes oodles of amusing activities and educational reading tips to help parents enjoy the book with their children over and over again!

- Features bonus tie-in activities in the back for every page, perfect to engage children ages 0-4
- Learn more about your home or favorite place to visit and recognize local landmarks, food, slang, and more on every page
- Gift it as a baby shower or first birthday gift, perfect for new parents or grandparents to read aloud to your little one

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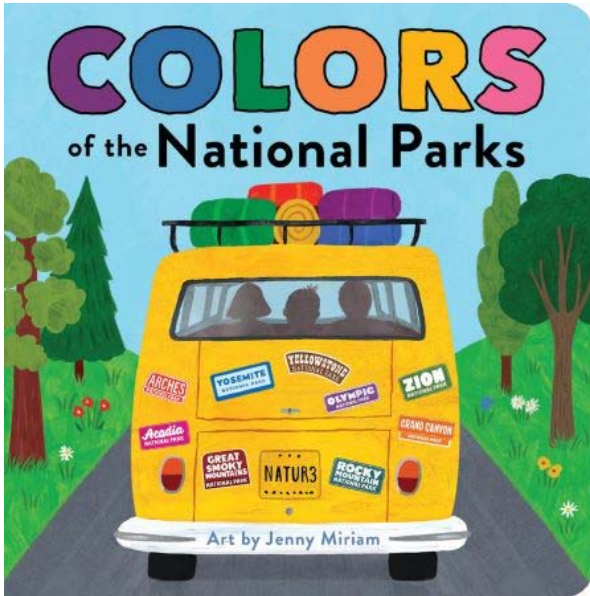
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Series: Local Baby Books

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### Colors of the National Parks

by duopress labs, illustrated by Jenny Miriam

Brown elk cruise the land in Yellowstone while black bears roam in Yosemite. The green cactus thrives in Zion, and the white-tailed ptarmigan flies above the Rocky Mountains. Come with us on a trip around America's national parks, a world full of colors, wildlife, and incredible landscapes. With simple text and bright illustrations, this sturdy board book is the perfect introduction to the ten most visited national parks in the United States for curious babies and toddlers.

National parks in the order in which they're featured:

- Olympic
- Yellowstone
- Yosemite
- Zion
- Grand Canyon
- Arches
- Rocky Mountain
- Great Smokey Mountains
- Acadia

### Author Bio

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Jenni Miriam is an illustrator based in the wonderfully creative city of Bristol in the United Kingdom. Growing up in the mysterious and magical county of Cornwall, she found true joy and artistic inspiration in the nature that surrounded her. From this inspired beginning, she went on to study art and design, graduating with a bachelor of arts honors degree in graphic and packaging design, followed by a master of arts degree in multimedia.

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### Michigan Baby

by Shirley Vernick, illustrated by Ryan Wheatcroft

Here come the Michigan babies, ready to give you a tour of their home state in this appealing board book!

Spirited and charming images pair with quirky text to introduce young readers to a group of smart, active, stylish, and just plain silly tots enjoying life in Michigan. From singing Motown at Hitsville U.S.A. to the Grand Rapids Children's Museum and Coneys at the lake, this entertaining book is an essential introduction to the fun, arts, and diversity in store for the babies of Michigan.

And the fun doesn't end there. MICHIGAN BABY includes oodles of amusing activities and educational reading tips to help parents enjoy the book with their children over and over again!

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### Author Bio

Shirley Vernick is the award-winning author of five novels and almost 20 board books for children. A graduate of Cornell University and an alumna of the Radcliffe Writing Seminars, she is committed to creating books that inspire curiosity and a love of learning.

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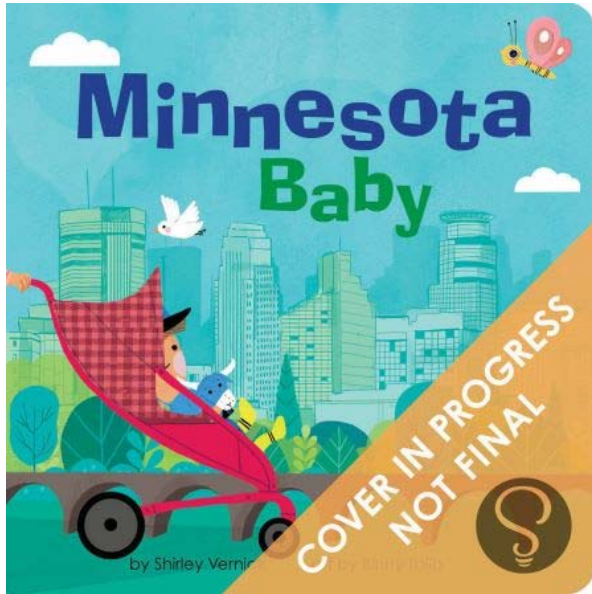
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### Minnesota Baby

by Shirley Vernick, illustrated by Binny Talib

Here come the Minnesota babies, ready to give you a tour of their home state in this appealing board book!

Spirited and charming images pair with quirky text to introduce young readers to a group of smart, active, stylish, and just plain silly tots enjoying life in Minnesota. From the Mall of America to the adorable lemurs at the Como Park Zoo and Conservatory and the Stone Arch Bridge, this entertaining book is an essential introduction to the fun, arts, and diversity in store for the babies of Minnesota.

And the fun doesn't end there. MINNESOTA BABY includes oodles of amusing activities and educational reading tips to help parents enjoy the book with their children over and over again!

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### Ohio Baby

by Shirley Vernick, illustrated by Lucy Semple

Here come the Ohio babies, ready to give you a tour of their home state in this appealing board book!

Spirited and charming images pair with quirky text to introduce young readers to a group of smart, active, stylish, and just plain silly tots enjoying life in Ohio. From the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame to Buckeye candies and the scenic Cuyahoga Valley National Park, this entertaining book is an essential introduction to the fun, arts, and diversity in store for the babies of Ohio. And the fun doesn't end there. OHIO BABY includes oodles of amusing activities and educational reading tips to help parents enjoy the book with their children over and over again!

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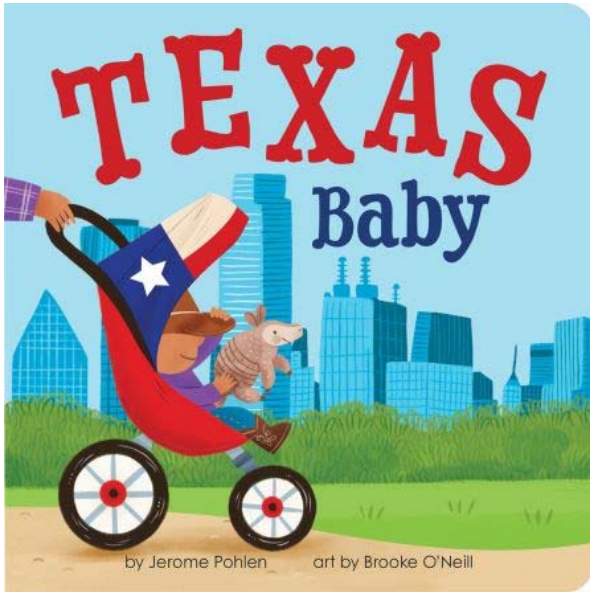
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### Texas Baby

by Jerome Pohlen, illustrated by Brooke O'Neill

Here come the Texas babies, ready to give you a tour of their home state in this appealing board book!

Spirited and charming images pair with quirky text to introduce young readers to a group of smart, active, stylish, and just plain silly tots enjoying life in Texas. From the Alamo to the towering derricks and the out of this world NASA Johnson Space Center, this entertaining book is an essential introduction to the fun, arts, and diversity in store for the babies of Texas. And the fun doesn't end there. TEXAS BABY includes oodles of amusing activities and educational reading tips to help parents enjoy the book with their children over and over again!

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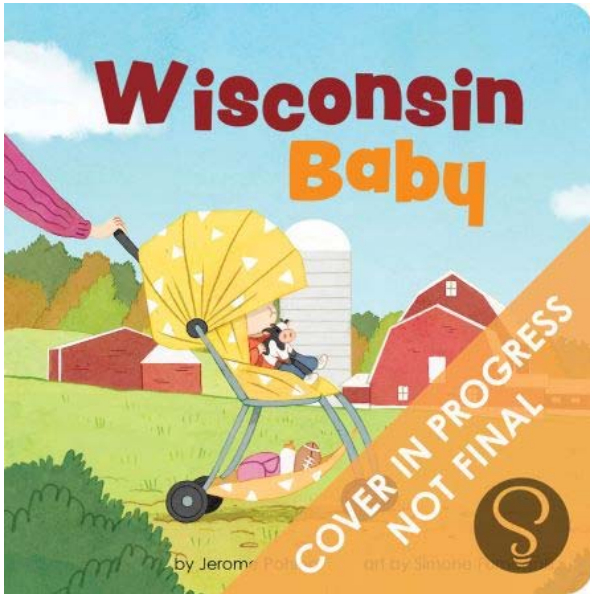
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### Wisconsin Baby

by Jerome Pohlen, illustrated by Simone Fumagalli

Here come the Wisconsin babies, ready to give you a tour of their home state in this appealing board book!

Spirited and charming images pair with quirky text to introduce young readers to a group of smart, active, stylish, and just plain silly tots enjoying life in Wisconsin. From the popular state fair to the splashy waterparks at the Dells and Milwaukee County Zoo, this entertaining book is an essential introduction to the fun, arts, and diversity in store for the babies of Wisconsin.

And the fun doesn't end there. WISCONSIN BABY includes oodles of amusing activities and educational reading tips to help parents enjoy the book with their children over and over again!

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### ABCs of Colorado

by Sandra Magsamen

From A to Z, Colorado is an amazing place to be! Children and parents alike will be delighted to see their favorite landmarks and landscapes in a book that is not only educational, but speaks to the heart. The ABCs of Colorado will invite Little Ones to explore their home and discover how wonderful their world is!

### Author Bio

Sandra Magsamen is a world-renowned artist, author, and designer whose products and ideas have touched millions of lives. Her books and stories are a heartfelt reminder that it's the people and moments in our lives that make life so wonderful!

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Ages 0-10 years

Series: ABCs Regional

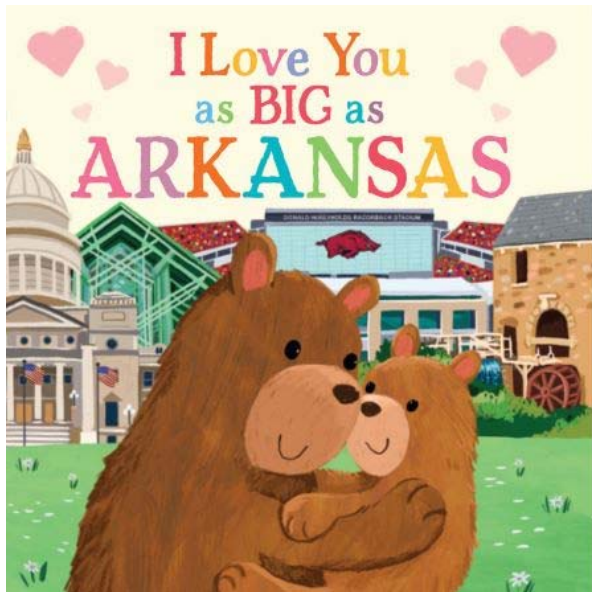
### Notes

### Promotion



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### I Love You as Big as Arkansas

by Rose Rossner, illustrated by Joanne Partis

Celebrate the places you and Baby love in the Natural State! Show your little one that Arkansas is where the heart is in this snuggle-worthy board book for babies and toddlers.

Treasure the special bond between a parent and child in this sweet I love you book for little ones. Adorable illustrations and clever rhymes highlight all the places that you and Baby love about Arkansas from Little Rock to Fayetteville. Filled with cute baby animals, heartfelt sentiment, and lyrical rhymes, this board book for ages 1-4 is the perfect way to share that, no matter where you go, with love you will always feel at home!

- Ideal read-aloud story for children and parents: Features charming rhyming text to help you share a special together moment with your little one
- Discover your home state: Spot your favorite local landmarks such as The Old Mill, Donald W. Reynolds Razorback Stadium, Walton Five and Dime, and more
- Highly giftable: A wonderful Valentine's Day gift for babies, gift for new parents, baby showers, birthdays, Mother's Day, Father's Day, Christmas, holiday stocking stuffer, Easter baskets, or for any occasion

I LOVE YOU AS BIG AS ARKANSAS, WITH MY WHOLE ENTIRE HEART.  
TOGETHER HERE WITH YOU IS ALWAYS BETTER THAN APART.

### Author Bio

ROSE ROSSNER is a writer and children's book author who lives with her son and her husky named Dino.

Joanne Partis has illustrated over 30 children's books. She lives in West Sussex, England, with her husband, three children, three cats, and four chickens.

Sourcebooks

On Sale: Sep 1/23

24 pages

9781728274416 • \$14.99

Juvenile Fiction / People & Places / US / General •

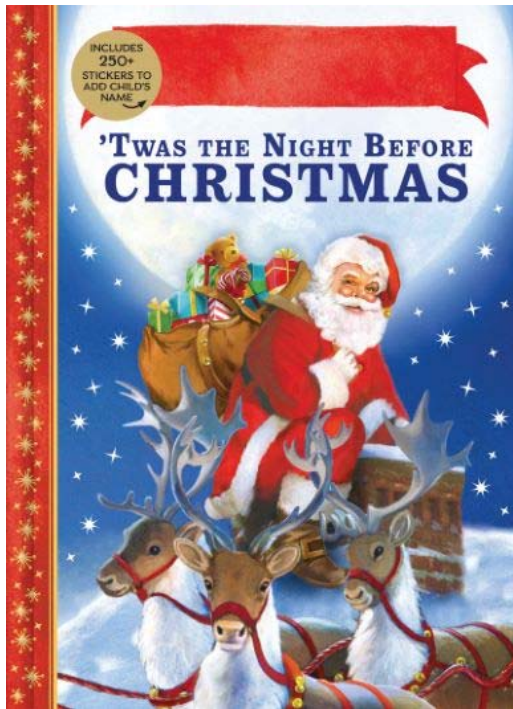
Ages 1-4 years

Series: I Love You as Big as

### Notes

### Promotion





### 'Twas the Night Before Christmas

illustrated by Lisa Alderson

Add your child's name to create a personalized 'Twas the Night Before Christmas story!

It's the night before Christmas and you're nestled snug in your bed. Your stocking is hung by the chimney with care - will Santa visit your house? Follow Santa's journey in this magical retelling of a Christmas classic starring YOUR CHILD! This unique personalized storybook keepsake makes the perfect stocking stuffer and Christmas gift for toddlers and children ages 3-7!

Includes:

- 250+ festive stickers including letters that can be used to add YOUR CHILD'S NAME
- Space to fill in YOUR CHILD'S NAME throughout the classic holiday story
- Fun write-in Christmas sticker activity that makes this a memento to keep
- Adorable illustrations and a heartwarming story put a new spin on a time-honored tale to celebrate 200 years of the beloved Clement C. Moore poem

### Author Bio

Lisa Alderson is originally from Lancashire, England. Since childhood she has been obsessed with the beauty of nature and all pretty things.

Sourcebooks

On Sale: Oct 1/23

32 pages

9781728277530 • \$22.50 • cl

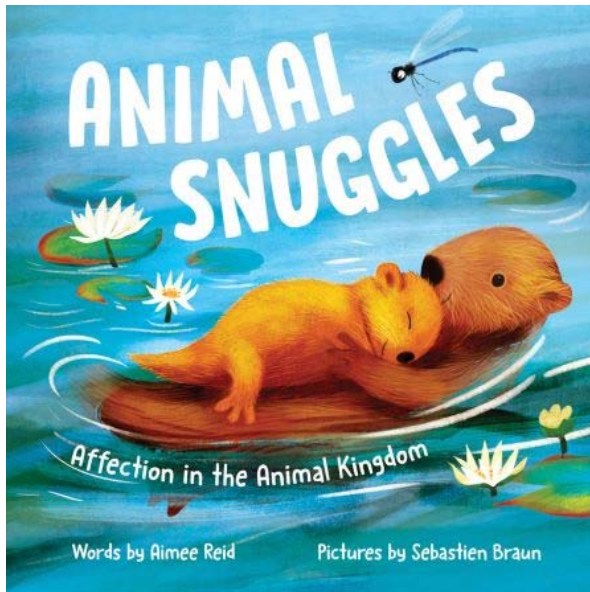
Juvenile Fiction / Holidays & Festivals / Christmas •

Ages 3-7 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Animal Snuggles

Affection in the Animal Kingdom

by Aimee Reid, illustrated by Sebastien Braun

This heartwarming, lullaby-like nonfiction picture book combines animal facts with a comforting message of love and belonging. Back matter about ways specific animals show love is included. Perfect for homes, schools, and libraries!

BELLY TO BELLY  
CHEEK TO CHEEK  
ELBOW TO ELBOW  
BEAK TO BEAK.  
IN A HOTDESERT,  
NOSE TO NOSE.  
ON A COLD SNOW DRIFT,  
TOES TO TOES.

### Author Bio

Location: Toronto, Canada

Aimee Reid is an author with a background in education and editing. She taught high school English, Music, and Special Education before she began writing for children. Aimee's picture books include *Mama's Day with Little Gray*, *You are My Friend: The Story of Mister Rogers and His Neighborhood*, *Welcome Home*, and *First Morning Sun*. As a child, Aimee was a voracious reader and could often be found - curled in a corner, tucked in the crook of a tree limb, or crouched by a book rack in the grocery store aisle - carried away to the world of a book. Now Aimee sends her own stories out into the world. It brings her great joy to think of other children nestled on a lap or cuddled on a couch reading good books to share. She lives in Toronto, Canada, with her family. Visit her website at [aimeereidbooks.com/blog](http://aimeereidbooks.com/blog) and follow her on Twitter @aimeereidbooks.

French Illustrator Sebastien Braun studied fine and applied arts at Strasbourg University. He then taught applied arts before becoming a freelance illustrator, first of all for editorial clients in Paris. When Sebastien moved to London in 2000 he developed his illustrations for children and since then has been working exclusively on children's picture books. Sebastien's clients include: Egmont, Nosy Crow, Simon & Schuster, Little Tiger Press, Harper Collins US, Scholastic and many more.



Sourcebooks

On Sale: Nov 7/23

40 pages

9781728275406 • \$22.50 • cl

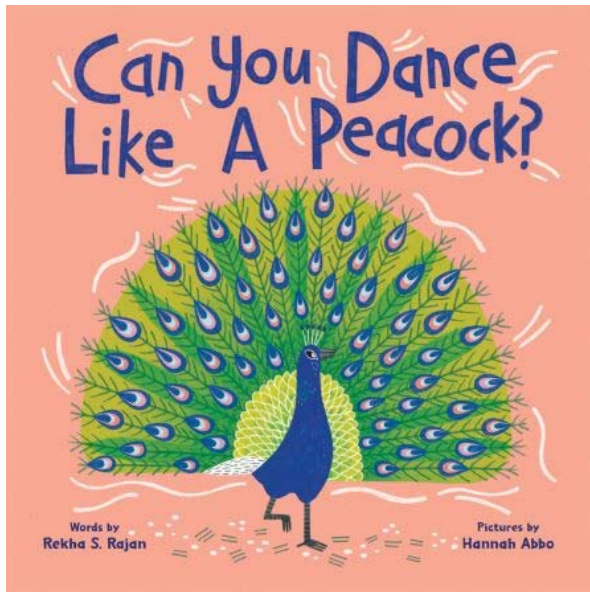
Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals / Baby Animals • Ages 4-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion







### Can You Dance Like a Peacock?

by Rekha Rajan, illustrated by Hannah Abbo

Learn about animals and get grooving with this fun and lively picture book from a renowned STEAM expert and arts educator!

Discover the amazing ways that animals use movement to communicate! Lighthearted text and vibrant illustrations teach readers how peacocks strut and honeybees waggle, and even invites kids to get up and try out some animal-inspired dance moves themselves!

### Author Bio

Dr. Rekha S. Rajan is a musician, author and educator. Her children's books include *Amazing Landmarks*, the board book series, *This is Music*, and the chapter book series, *Disaster Squad*. Rekha lives in Chicago with her husband, three children, two dogs and three birds, and loves to watch the hawks, coyotes and deer that dance across her backyard. Visit her at [rekhasrajan.com](http://rekhasrajan.com)

Hannah Abbo is a self-taught, award-winning illustrator from the United Kingdom. She currently lives with her partner, child and (slightly) overweight cat in Lisbon, Portugal. When she's not drawing she loves making ceramics in a local studio, visiting the botanical gardens, and rollerblading.

Sourcebooks

On Sale: Sep 5/23

40 pages

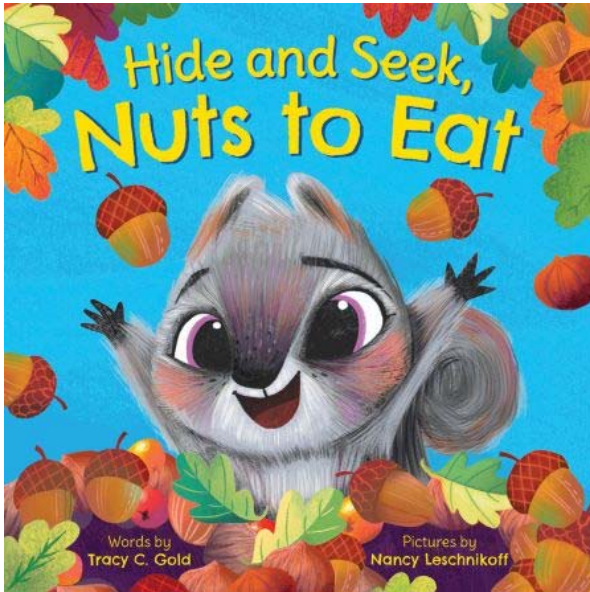
9781728264233 • \$28.99 • cl

Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals / General • Ages 4-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Hide and Seek, Nuts to Eat

by Tracy Gold, illustrated by Nancy Leschnikoff

An adorable rhyming book with educational nonfiction elements woven in. Perfect for homes, classrooms, and libraries!

Follow along as one squirrel hides seeds, nuts, and berries that her neighbors will seek later! Scientific back matter about squirrel hoarding and different types of squirrels from around the world included.

BRRRRR! IT'S GETTING COLDER NOW.  
MY COAT BEGINS TO GROW.  
TIME TO START MY WINTER STASH  
BEFORE THE FREEZING SNOW!  
ALL MY FRIENDS LIKE STEALING FOOD,  
WHICH ISN'T VERY KIND.  
I'LL BE SMART AND HIDE A TON  
FOR US TO SEEK AND FIND.  
SNIFF! I FIND SOME ACORNS. YUM!  
I STASH THEM IN THE GROUND.  
NEXT, COME SPINNING MAPLE SEEDS.  
I POUNCE. I LEAP. I BOUND!

### Author Bio

Tracy C. Gold loves writing books that celebrate sweet moments in family life and the natural world. Her past books include *Everyone's Sleepy but the Baby* from Familius, and *"Trick or Treat, Bugs to Eat"* from Sourcebooks. She also publishes essays, short stories, and poems. Tracy earned her MFA at the University of Baltimore and her bachelors in English from Duke University. She is the Published and Listed Member coordinator for the MD/DE/WV region of SCBWI. When Tracy is not writing or editing, she's playing with her daughter, riding horses, or enjoying gardening at her home in Baltimore, MD.

Nancy Leschnikoff is an illustrator-designer based just outside of London in Kent. Growing up with her father who was also a professional illustrator, Nancy learned early on that doodling (all the time!) was her thing. She went on to study design and illustration at Nottingham Trent University, which led immediately to design studio work followed by 15 years as a children's book designer at Usborne Publishing.

Her hand-drawn digital style, confident layout and typography skills, and bold approach to color have led to a variety of work in publishing and other design genres such as licensing, advertising, branding and packaging. She has a quirky sense of humor that translates into her art, and she loves to work on projects that make children giggle.



Sourcebooks

On Sale: Sep 5/23

40 pages

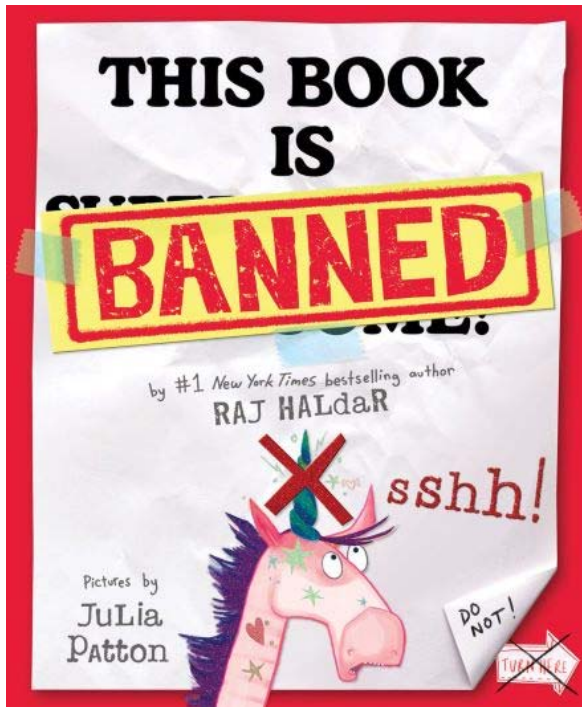
9781728235370 • \$16.50 • cl

Juvenile Nonfiction / Concepts / Seasons • Ages 4-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion





LEAD

### This Book Is Banned

by Raj Haldar, illustrated by Julia Patton

Banning books is downright dangerous - and if you manage to make it to the end of this book, you might just find out why.

From #1 NEW YORK TIMES bestselling author of P IS FOR PTERODACTYL Raj Haldar comes a hilarious and thoughtful new picture book that underscores the importance of the fight against censorship in schools and libraries across the country

This is a book about <s>dinosaurs.</s> NO IT'S NOT. DINOSAURS ARE NOT ALLOWED.

Oh. This is now a book about <s>avocados!</s> SORRY. WE DELETED THOSE TOO.

FINE. This book is about - NOPE! FORBIDDEN! BANNED!

Maybe you shouldn't even try reading this book. . . But what could possibly be inside?

Discover just what happens when we aren't allowed to freely share and explore ideas with this funny, self-referential picture book romp that kids (and grown-ups) will want to read over and over again.

### Author Bio

Better known by his stage name Lushlife, Raj Haldar is an American rapper, composer, and producer from Philadelphia, PA. He's also the #1 New York Times bestselling author of P Is for Pterodactyl. Connect with him on Twitter @lushlifemedia.

Sourcebooks

On Sale: Sep 26/23

40 pages

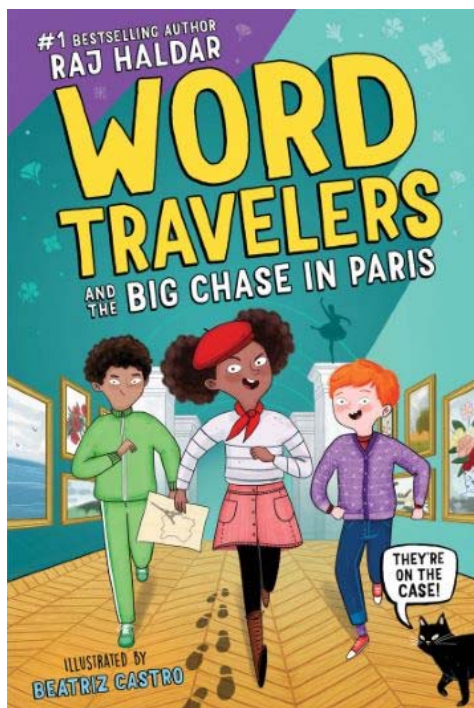
9781728276564 • \$28.99 • cl

Ages 4-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Word Travelers and the Big Chase in Paris

by Raj Haldar

**Sacre bleu! Get ready to say oui oui to adventure with the Word Travelers as they head to France in this action-packed mystery from #1 New York Times bestseller Raj Haldar!**

Eddie and Molly-Jean are once again transported to a new country and must use their knowledge of language to help a new friend solve a mystery--this time in France!

While visiting an art museum with their class, the AEB (Awesome Enchanted Book) whisks Eddie and Molly-Jean to Paris to help stop an art thief! The two best friends race around France in search of a cat burglar known as The Ballerina while they discover the hidden stories behind common words.

### Author Bio

Better known by his stage name Lushlife, Raj Haldar is an American rapper, composer, and producer from Philadelphia, PA. He's also the #1 New York Times bestselling author of P Is for Pterodactyl. Connect with him on Twitter @lushlifemedia.

Sourcebooks

On Sale: Nov 7/23

112 pages

9781728271088 • \$8.99 • pb

Juvenile Fiction / Action & Adventure • Ages 7-10 years

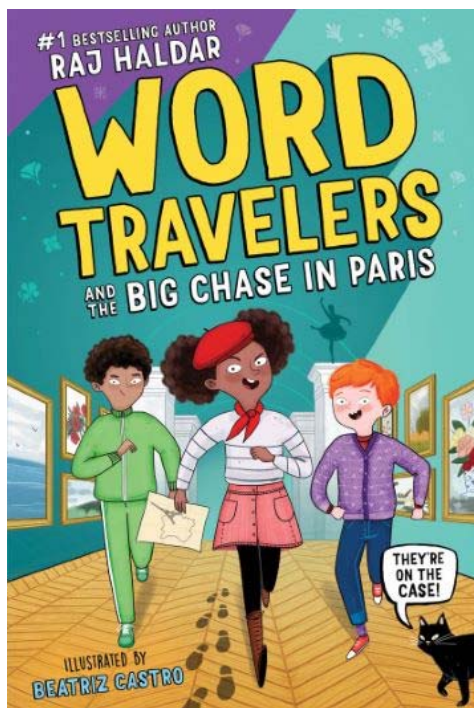
Series: Word Travelers

### Notes

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Sourcebooks

On Sale: Nov 7/23

112 pages

9781728271071 • \$25.99 • cl

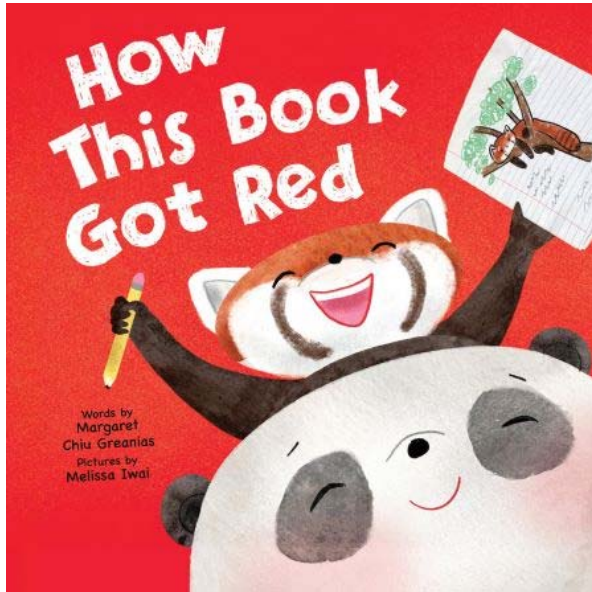
Juvenile Fiction / Action & Adventure • Ages 7-10 years

Series: Word Travelers

### Notes

### Promotion





LEAD

### How This Book Got Red

by Margaret Chiu Greanias, illustrated by Melissa Iwai

**None of the panda books are ever about red pandas!**

**Red wants to change that.**

When Red discovers a new book about pandas, she can't wait to read it! Except it's about only one kind of panda, and red pandas are completely left out. Red never gets to read stories about pandas like herself! So she decides to take matters into her own paws and write her own book.

But when Red looks around, it seems like the only kind of pandas the world sees are the black and white kind. Will anyone want to read about red pandas? It's up to Red to finish her story and find out.

### Author Bio

Margaret Chiu Greanias is the author of the picture books *Amah Faraway* and *Maximillian Villainous*. The daughter of Taiwanese immigrants, she grew up in New York, Texas, and California. She now lives in the San Francisco Bay Area with her husband and three children.

Melissa Iwai is a children's book author and illustrator who incorporates both traditional and digital media into her art. Her picture books include *Dumplings for Lili*, *Soup Day*, *Pizza Day*, *Chanukah Lights Everywhere*, *My Snow Globe*, *Let's Go to the Hardware Store*, *Thirty Minutes Over Oregon*, and many more! She is also the author and illustrator of the Geisel Honor *I Can Read* series, *Gigi* and *Ojiji*. When she's not working, Melissa loves to cook and develop her own recipes. She lives in Brooklyn with her husband and son.

Sourcebooks

On Sale: Oct 1/23

9 x 9 • 40 pages

**9781728292892** • \$13.50 • pb

Juvenile Fiction / Social / Self-Esteem & Self-Reliance

### Notes

### Promotion



Raincoast Books



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### How This Book Got Red

by Margaret Chiu Greanias, illustrated by Melissa Iwai

**None of the panda books are ever about red pandas!**

**Red is going to do something about that.**

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But sometimes Red wonders if the only kind of pandas the world sees are the black and white kind. What if nobody wants to read her book? Red must find the courage to finish her story.

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Sourcebooks

On Sale: Oct 1/23

40 pages

9781728265650 • \$28.99 • cl

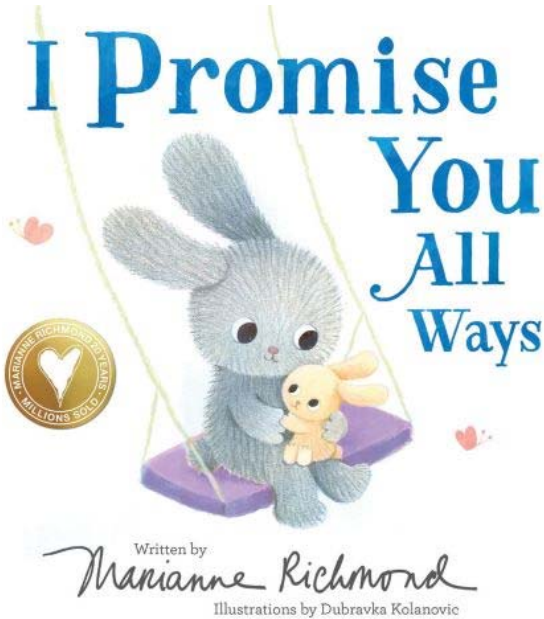
Juvenile Fiction / Social / Self-Esteem & Self-Reliance

• Ages 4-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### **I Promise You All Ways**

by Marianne Richmond, illustrated by Dubravka Kolanovic

**A heartwarming promise of unconditional love from any guardian to their beloved little ones from bestselling author, Marianne Richmond!**

*From the first moment of you,*

*I counted the ways,*

*I made you a promise*

*For all of your days.*

From the classic children's book author who has touched the lives of more than six million readers over two decades, *I Promise You All Ways* is a sweet celebration of the never-ending, unshakeable love for a child. This tender message cheerfully shows a child that whether they are happy, sad, grumpy or glad, they are always loved.

### **Author Bio**

Beloved author and illustrator MARIANNE RICHMOND has touched the lives of millions for nearly two decades through her award winning books, greeting cards, and other gift products that offer people the most heartfelt way to connect with each other. She lives in the Nashville area. Visit [www.mariannerichmond.com](http://www.mariannerichmond.com).

Dubravka Kolanovic is a children's book illustrator based in Croatia. She studied at the Savannah College of Art and Design and the Academy of Fine Arts in Zagreb.

Sourcebooks

On Sale: Sep 5/23

26 pages

**9781728275871 • \$13.50**

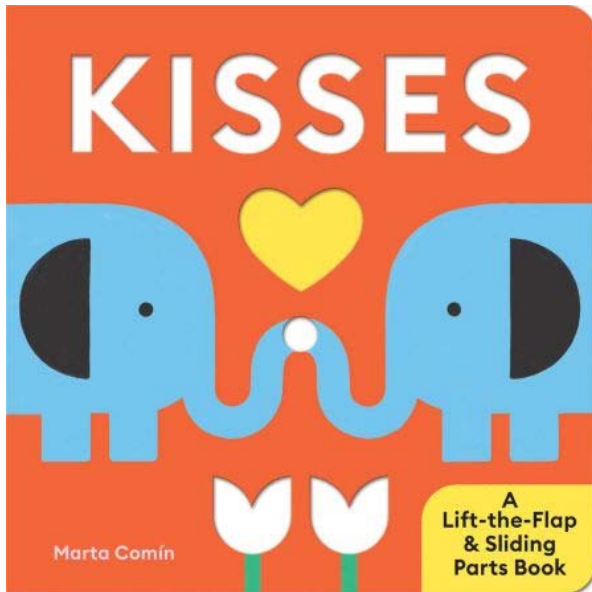
Juvenile Fiction / Family / Parents • Ages 2-8 years

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**







### Kisses

A Lift-the-Flap & Sliding Parts Book

by Marta Comin

Everyone shares kisses – birds, ducks, elephants, bees, and people! Pull, slide, and spin to help everyone share kisses! A delightfully colorful, highly interactive gift book that people will want to share.

In a garden full of flowers

five bees fly through the air.

They say, BUZZ, BUZZ, SMOOCH.

Here's a tulip we can share.

In the house a little child

gets ready for the night.

Everyone says, HUG, HUG, KISS.

Sleep tight till morning light.

### Author Bio

Marta Comin is a Spanish writer and illustrator. She holds a degree in fine arts from the Polytechnic University of Valencia.

Sourcebooks

On Sale: Dec 5/23

8 x 8 • 16 pages

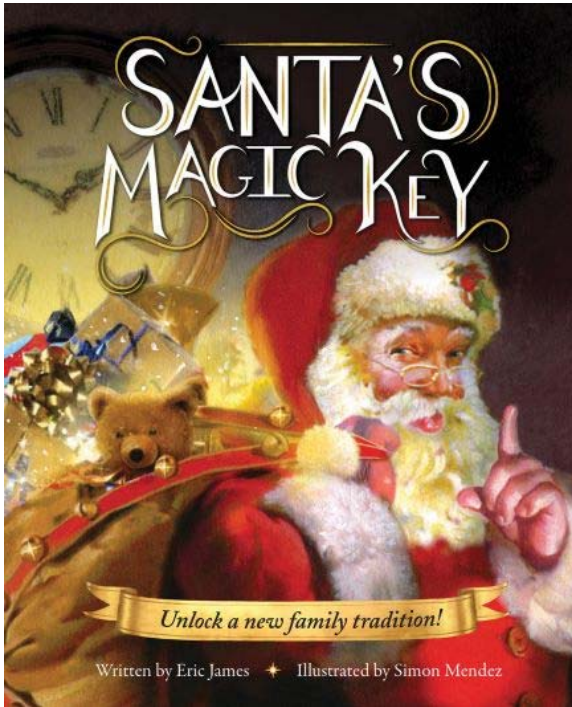
9781728264530 • \$26.99

Juvenile Fiction / Animals / General • Ages 1-5 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### **Santa's Magic Key**

by Eric James, illustrated by Simon Mendez

It's an age-old question.

How does Santa get into every house around the world. . . not matter what doors, locks, chimneys, or windows exist?

Add a new classic to your holiday collection with this magical tale that reveals how Santa can always spread gifts and joy on Christmas Eve by using his magical key.

### **Author Bio**

Eric James is a children's book author, word tickler, and champion asparagus thrower. You can find him online at [www.ericjames.co.uk](http://www.ericjames.co.uk). He lives in Bath, England, with his family.

Sourcebooks

On Sale: Oct 1/23

32 pages

**9781728294100** • \$11.99 • pb

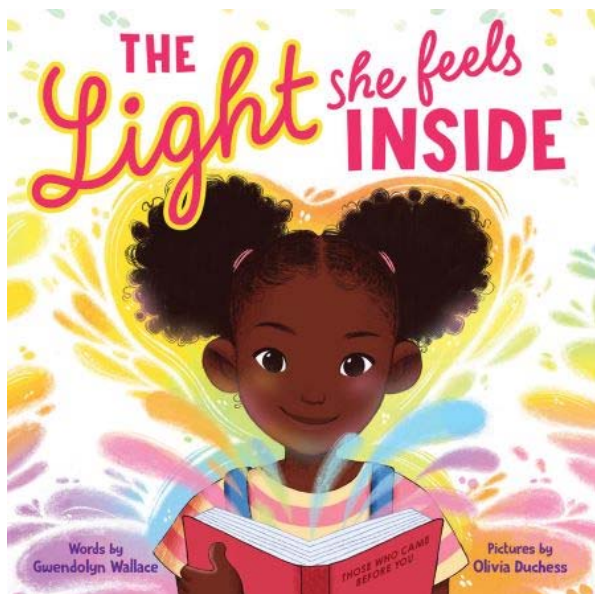
Juvenile Fiction / Holidays & Festivals / Christmas •

Ages 4-9 years

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





LEAD

### The Light She Feels Inside

by Gwendolyn Wallace, illustrated by Olivia Duchess

How will Maya create a brighter world? By learning to honor her glowing feelings, just like Black women have done throughout history!

Maya feels a warm glow when she picks strawberries in the community garden, hears music in her neighborhood, or spends time with the people she loves.

She feels a different kind of glow when she gets pushed down on the playground, overhears her family worrying about bills, and sees her favorite cousin stopped by police. Sometimes that glowing seems like too much to carry.

But Maya is learning that others feel the same glowing light. Black women throughout history, like Ida B. Wells, Nina Simone, June Jordan, and Maya's own ancestors, found ways to honor these glowing feelings. They were guided by their light to make a difference. The light Maya feels inside is an important part of her that she'll share as she works toward a brighter world.

### Author Bio

Gwendolyn Wallace was born and raised in Danbury, Connecticut and graduated from Yale University. She can usually be found gardening, exploring used bookstores, or listening to the radical impulses of young children.

Sourcebooks

On Sale: Oct 3/23

9.25 x 9.25 • 40 pages

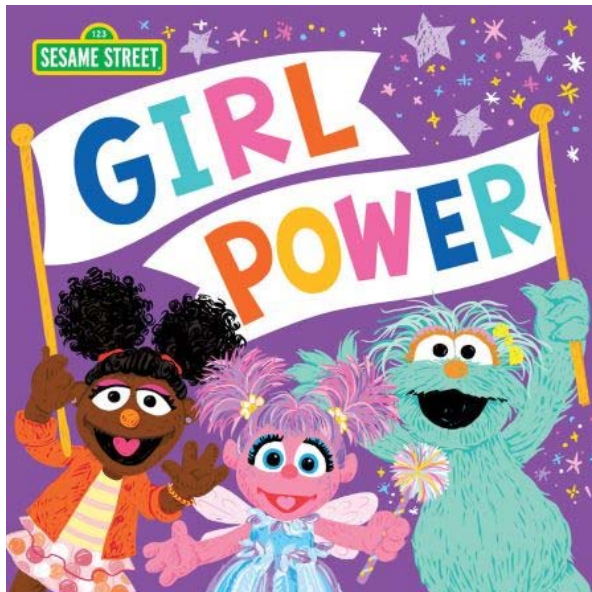
**9781728239798** • \$28.99 • cl

Juvenile Fiction / People & Places / US / African-American • Ages 4-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### Girl Power

by Sesame Workshop and Erin Guendelsberger, illustrated by Marybeth Nelson

You are kind. You are smart. You are strong. Believe in the power of girls with this inspiring picture book for kids!

Join Abby, Rosita, Zoe, and their Sesame Street friends as they discover all the remarkable things they are and can do every day. This empowering book for little girls features bright art, positive affirmations, and sweet rhymes full of encouragement while touching on themes of kindness, courage, perseverance, and more. A celebration of their extraordinary potential, this heartwarming story reminds young girls that they are treasured, always enough, and change the world. . . just by being themselves!

Why readers love GIRL POWER :

- A wonderful read aloud to encourage toddlers and kids ages 3-7 to dream big and believe in themselves
- The perfect book gift for birthdays, graduation, basket stuffers, or any occasion celebrating a special girl in your life!
- Includes a bonus spread of daily affirmations to promote self-esteem, self-love, and confidence
- Great for bedtime or sharing a special moment between moms, grandmas, and girls

DEAR REMARKABLE GIRL, THIS STORY'S FOR YOU!  
LET'S CELEBRATE ALL OF THE THINGS YOU CAN DO.  
NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS, YOU GET TO BE YOU.  
JUST FIND WHAT YOU LOVE AND GO SEE IT THROUGH!

### Author Bio

Sesame Workshop is the nonprofit educational organization behind the world-renowned children's program Sesame Street. With the mission of helping kids grow smarter, stronger, and kinder, Sesame Workshop has worked with educators to develop programs tailored to the unique needs of children all over the world. Sesame Workshop works to teach the whole child, providing lessons on topics from ABCs and 123s to health, emotional well-being, and respect.

ERIN GUENDELSBERGER is the NEW YORK TIMES and USA TODAY bestselling author of LITTLE RED SLEIGH and writes children's stories and poems. She studied writing at Hamline University and Bowling Green State University and now pursues adventure in Ohio with her husband, daughters, and a cat named Hennimore.

Sourcebooks

On Sale: Oct 1/23

40 pages

9781728261409 • \$16.50 • cl

Juvenile Fiction / Girls & Women • Ages 3-7 years

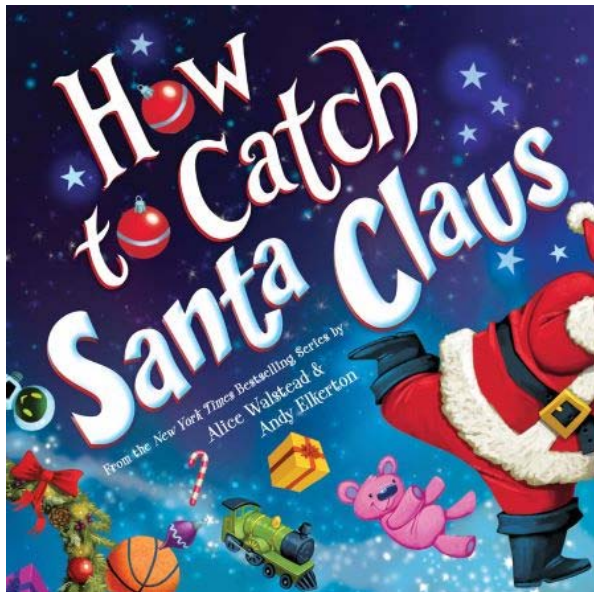
Series: Sesame Street Scribbles

### Notes

### Promotion







LEAD

### How to Catch Santa Claus

by Alice Walstead, illustrated by Andy Elkerton

It's time to deck the halls and set your traps in this new Christmas adventure from the NEW YORK TIMES and USA TODAY bestselling How to Catch series!

Do you have what it takes to catch jolly old St. Nicholas himself? Santa Claus is getting ready to deliver presents to children around the world, but the wily How to Catch Kids have set traps galore! With the help of his trusty Reindeer and Elf, Santa will have to use all his festive magic to avoid being caught. Poised to become a new holiday tradition, this merry picture book is filled with silly rhymes and illustrations sure to delight young readers and educators alike with STEAM concepts and classic hilarity and chaos. The perfect Christmas gift or holiday stocking stuffer for children ages 4-10!

IT'S CHRISTMAS EVE! I AM ALMOST THERE! I KNOW YOU'VE HATCHED A PLAN.

SO WHEN YOU HEAR MY HO-HO-HO, TRY TO CATCH ME IF YOU CAN!

Also in the How to Catch Series:

- HOW TO CATCH AN ELF
- HOW TO CATCH A REINDEER
- HOW TO CATCH A SNOWMAN
- HOW TO CATCH A GINGERBREAD MAN
- HOW TO CATCH A UNICORN
- and more!

### Author Bio

Alice Walstead is a children's book author who loves to make kids smile with her stories.

Andy Elkerton is a children's book illustrator who loves to create creatures that are impossible to catch! He is known for his work on the NEW YORK TIMES bestselling How to Catch series and is based in the United Kingdom.

Sourcebooks

On Sale: Sep 1/23

40 pages

9781728274270 • \$19.50 • cl

Juvenile Fiction / Holidays & Festivals / Christmas •

Ages 4-8 years

Series: How to Catch

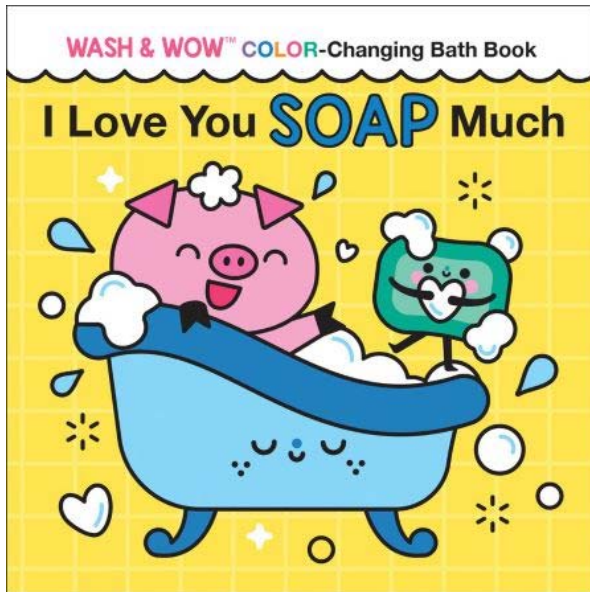
### Notes

### Promotion



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LEAD

### I Love You Soap Much

Wash & Wow Color-Changing Bath Book

by Rose Rossner and Clementine Derodit

**Add soap much fun to your little one's bath time routine with this unique color-changing bath book from the hit Punderland series!**

Make a splash at bath time with this punbelievably unique bath book for babies and toddlers!

I soap you know I love you so! From the USA TODAY bestselling Punderland series that created the hit book I LOVE YOU LIKE NO OTTER comes an amazing bath time experience for children! Filled with heartfelt rhymes, adorable animal illustrations, and a fun effect that magically changes art from black and white to vibrant full color when wet, this padded, waterproof, and wipe-clean bath book is perfect for together time with your adora-bubble little one!

Wash & Wow(TM) is a specialty color surprise format that floats, works in any temperature water, and comes in a plastic polybag with hanging tab. Great for bath time play, a distraction while changing, a car seat toy, or even bedtime read aloud, this sweet book made for little hands makes a wonderful gift for baby showers, Valentine's Day, Easter baskets, birthdays, holiday stocking stuffers, or any time of year!

BEING WITH YOU IS A SPLASH,  
YOU'RE THE BUBBLES TO MY BATH!

More charming stories from Punderland, the perfect gift for any occasion:

- LET'S GET THIS POTTY STARTED
- I LOVE YOU LIKE NO OTTER - A USA TODAY bestseller!
- SOMEBUNNY LOVES YOU - A USA TODAY bestseller!
- DONUT GIVE UP
- YOU MAKE MY HEART GO VROOM!
- and more!

### Author Bio

ROSE ROSSNER is a writer and children's book author who lives with her son and her husky named Dino.

Clementine Derodit is an illustrator based in Lyon, France. With roots in graphic design, her passion for character design led her to pursue illustration full-time. She works from her home studio creating characters, patterns, and



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• Ages 0-3 years

Series: Punderland

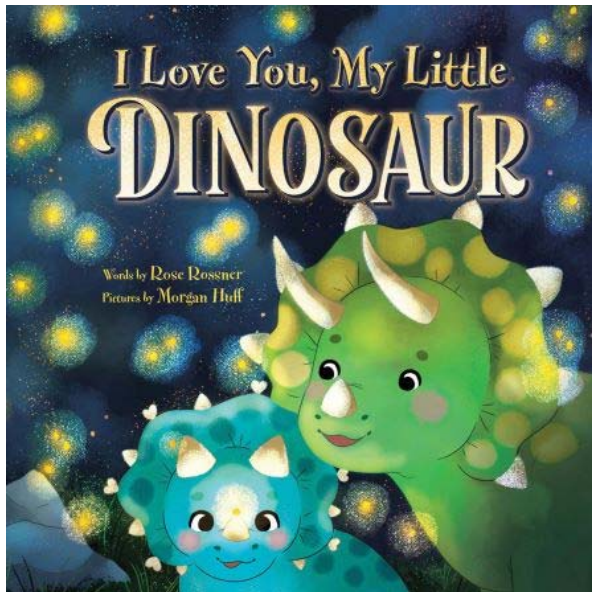
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### Promotion



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### **I Love You, My Little Dinosaur**

by Rose Rossner, illustrated by Morgan Huff

Encourage your little dinosaur to let out their proudest roar in this touching picture book for kids!

Celebrate your favorite little dino and what makes them fiercely one-of-a-kind in this inspiring book about unconditional love. Filled with vibrant art of dinosaurs like TRICERATOPS, T. REX, STEGOSAURUS, and more, this heartfelt self-esteem story features affirmational encouragement as a child grows and touches timeless themes of kindness, perseverance, courage, and dreaming big. Perfect for sharing with your roarsome dinosaur to show just how much joy they bring, this sweet read aloud will become a favorite bedtime story for children, parents, and grandparents alike!

YOU'RE FIERCE AND STRONG, MY DINOSAUR, IN ALL YOU SAY AND DO.

AND I HOPE YOU'LL ALWAYS REMEMBER I LOVE YOU THROUGH AND THROUGH. . .

THE BEST ENCOURAGEMENT BOOK GIFT FOR:

- Children ages 3-7 who love dinosaur stories!
- Holiday stocking or Easter basket stuffers
- Preschool and kindergarten graduations
- Mother's and Father's Day "I love you" gifts for parents and grandparents
- Boys' and girls' birthdays
- and more!

### **Author Bio**

ROSE ROSSNER is a writer and children's book author who lives with her son and her husky named Dino.

Morgan Huff is a children's book illustrator and author based in the Pacific Northwest. She writes and illustrates picture books as well as graphic novels for middle-grade audiences. She enjoys working on many different kinds of books, but her favorites have magical scenes, luscious backgrounds, and girl power themes. When she is not creating art, she enjoys writing stories, gardening, baking, and spending time with her husband and dog, and sipping iced coffee.

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On Sale: Dec 5/23

8 x 8 • 40 pages

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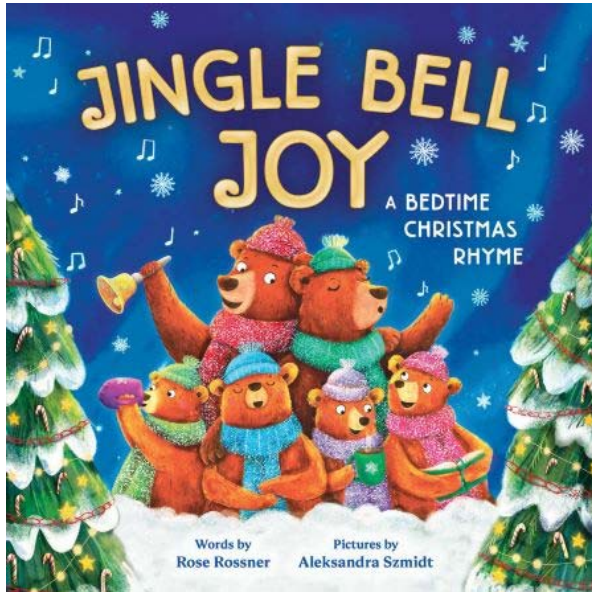
Juvenile Fiction / Animals / Dinosaurs & Prehistoric •

Ages 3-7 years

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### Jingle Bell Joy

A Bedtime Christmas Rhyme

by Rose Rossner, illustrated by Aleksandra Szmidt

Ring in the joy of the season with this heartwarming Christmas rhyme for kids based on beloved classic carols!

CHRISTMAS IS MUSIC. CHRISTMAS IS JOY. Celebrate the most wonderful time of the year in this heartfelt holiday picture book based on popular carols! Parents, grandparents, and caregivers will love spreading some jingle bell joy and sharing songs of the season with this unique read aloud for kids ages 3-7, featuring nods to favorite lyrics from Jingle Bells, "Deck the Halls," "The 12 Days of Christmas," "Joy to the World," and more! Filled with beautiful animal illustrations and a sweet message of love and joy, this charming, one-of-a-kind book is the perfect Christmas gift for children, stocking stuffer to share the festive spirit with loved ones, or bedtime story to wait for Santa in the countdown to Christmas.

Plus, includes bonus QR code in the back to find the full lyrics to all of the classic carols referenced inside!

LET'S DECK THE HALLS WITH HOLLY AND CHEER,

THE JOLLIEST SEASON IS FINALLY HERE!

FOLLOW ALONG IN MERRY MEASURE.

CHRISTMAS HAS SO MUCH TO TREASURE!

### Author Bio

ROSE ROSSNER is a writer and children's book author who lives with her son and her husky named Dino.

Aleksandra Szmidt is an award-winning children's book illustrator who grew up in the south of Poland before journeying across the world to live in New Zealand. Adept in both digital and traditional techniques, Aleksandra works from her home studio, and her deep emotional connection to her art brings her immense joy. Her love of drawing children, animals, and landscapes takes her back to the fun and adventures of her own childhood. She loves to add layers of magic and humor that are more imagination than reality.

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On Sale: Oct 1/23

40 pages

9781728265872 • \$16.50 • cl

Juvenile Fiction / Holidays & Festivals / Christmas •

Ages 4-7 years

### Notes

### Promotion







LEAD

### LEGO(R) DC Comics Super Heroes Batman VS Harley Quinn

by with AMEET Sp. z o.o.

A new VS" format from LEGO® DC Comics Super Heroes combines interactive play with exciting adventures. 2 action-packed books, 2 LEGO® minifigures, and pop-up play scene set the stage for the ultimate LEGO DC Comics Super Heroes showdown!

Harley Quinn(TM) is plotting some silly schemes and only Batman(TM) can stop her from causing chaos in Gotham City! Race through two interactive books and then watch as your stories leap to life with the included LEGO® minifigures and 3D pop-up playset!

Including 2 action-packed books, 2 LEGO minifigures (Batman and Harley Quinn), and a pop-up play scene, this set will inspire creative play and encourage kids to imagine new adventures featuring their favorite heroes from the world of LEGO DC Comics Super Heroes.

- Unique format includes a 3D double-sided gatefold panorama and 2 LEGO® DC Comics Super Heroes minifigures with accessories for hours of imaginative play

- Diorama play scene sets the stage for the ultimate minifigure match-up while 2 interactive books encourage creative play

- A great holiday gift for boys and girls, Christmas stocking or Easter basket stuffer, family activity gift, or birthday gift for kids ages 6 and up

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### Author Bio

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On Sale: Sep 19/23

40 pages

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Juvenile Fiction / Activity Books • Ages 6 years and up

### Notes

### Promotion





LEAD

### LEGO(R) Harry Potter(TM) Magical Year at Hogwarts by with AMEET Sp. z o.o.

A brand-new format featuring 3 minifigures, minibuilds, and a pop-up diorama provides hours of interactive play in the world of LEGO® Harry Potter(TM)! Lead your favorite LEGO® Harry Potter(TM) characters through a year at Hogwarts(TM) with this amazing new activity box format. Featuring 3 minifigures (Harry, Ron, and Hermione), minibuilds, and a pop-up play diorama, this new format allows you to experience a magical school year from the time students board the Hogwarts Express in the fall, to when they return home for summer holiday. Also features a book with fun facts and anecdotes that will help readers discover the mysteries of Hogwarts including the fascinating teachers, amazing spells, a house tournament, and other special school moments!

- New format includes 3 LEGO® Harry Potter(TM) minifigures (Harry, Ron, and Hermione), minibuilds, and an amazing pop-up diorama for hours of imaginative and interactive play
- Contains a book with fun facts and stories that encourage creative play
- Makes the perfect gift for Christmas or any time of year - a great holiday gift for boys and girls, Christmas stocking stuffer, family activity gift, or birthday gift for kids ages 6 and up

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Sourcebooks

On Sale: Oct 1/23

96 pages

9781728272788 • \$37.99 • cl

Juvenile Fiction / Holidays & Festivals / Christmas •

Ages 6 years and up

### Notes

### Promotion





LEAD

### LEGO(R) Ninjago(R) 5-Minute Builds

by with AMEET Sp. z o.o.

Spark imagination and discover over 100 great build ideas and creative challenges in this ultimate 5-minute activity book featuring the world of LEGO® NINJAGO®!

LEGO® building has never been faster or more fun! This unique and interactive book is packed full of exciting games and exclusive mini model ideas, with each activity specifically designed to take no longer than five minutes - PLUS LEGO® bricks to help you build! These amazing activities encourage creativity while strengthening a love for books and building. Featuring the world of LEGO® NINJAGO®, this super-interactive book is perfect for everything from busy days and after school activities to LEGO® birthday parties and family game nights.

- Features over 100 creations and challenges that can be completed in five minutes and includes a 70-piece basic LEGO® brick kit to make exclusive mini models
- Combines awesome activities including single player and whole group games with the exciting world of LEGO® NINJAGO®
- A great holiday gift for boys and girls, Christmas stocking or Easter basket stuffer, family activity gift, or birthday gift for kids ages 6 and up

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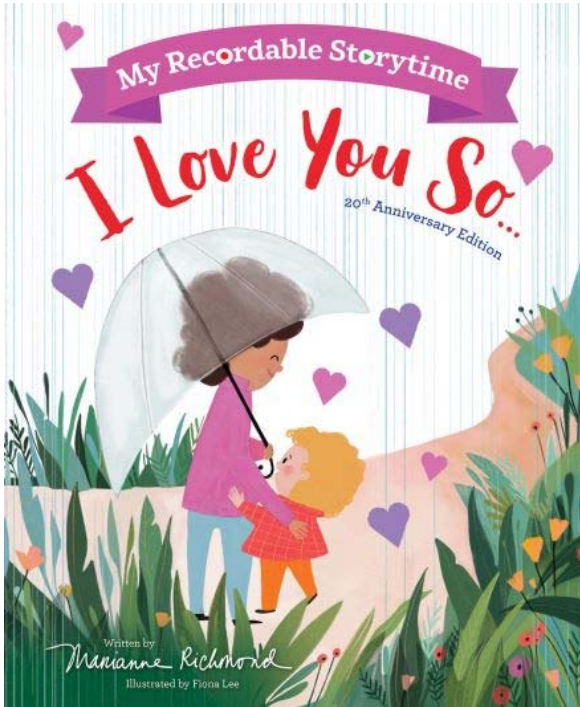
Juvenile Fiction / Activity Books • Ages 6 years and up

### Notes

### Promotion







### **My Recordable Storytime: I Love You So**

by Marianne Richmond, illustrated by Fiona Lee

Create lifelong memories with My Recordable Storytime - where every story has a familiar voice.

Celebrate 20 years of I LOVE YOU SO! This adorable classic puts into words the indescribable joy of unconditional love. Loved ones will now be able to capture this joy forever with MY RECORDABLE STORYTIME: I LOVE YOU SO . Featuring 40 recordable pages, this book allows readers to embrace a child from near or far away with a heartwarming reminder that love is for always.

- RECORDABLE DEDICATION PAGE allows reader to provide their own heartfelt personalized message
- MY RECORDABLE STORYTIME books are INSTANT KEEPSAKES that families will cherish forever
- A meaningful baby shower or pregnancy gift, birthday gift, Valentine's Day gift, Mother's or Father's Day gift, Easter basket or holiday stocking stuffer, or way to say "I love you" any time of year

### **Author Bio**

Beloved author and illustrator MARIANNE RICHMOND has touched the lives of millions for nearly two decades through her award winning books, greeting cards, and other gift products that offer people the most heartfelt way to connect with each other. She lives in the Nashville area. Visit [www.mariannerichmond.com](http://www.mariannerichmond.com).

Sourcebooks

On Sale: Nov 1/23

40 pages

**9781728282497** • \$37.99 • cl

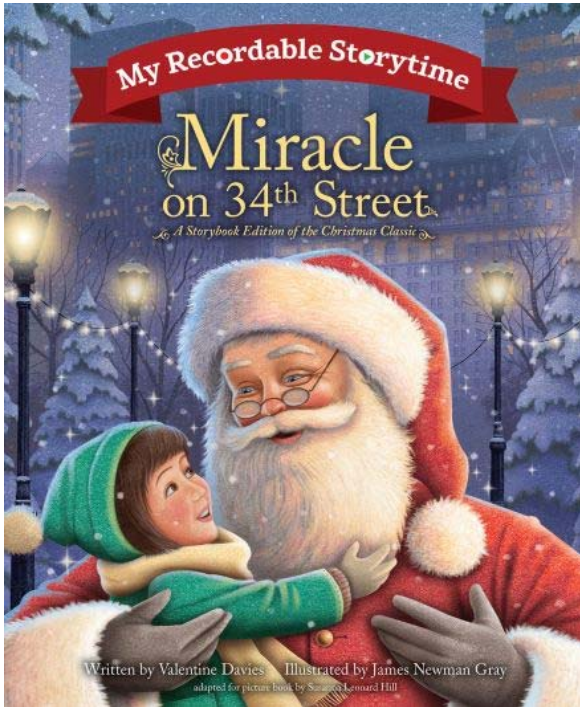
Juvenile Fiction / Family / Parents • Ages 3 years and up

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**







### **My Recordable Storytime: Miracle on 34th Street**

by Valentine Davies Estate and Susanna Leonard Hill,  
illustrated by James Newman Gray

Create a new Christmas tradition with My Recordable Storytime - where every story has a familiar voice.

Experience the magic of Valentine Davies' 70-year-old classic Christmas story in a new recordable format! For a little girl named Susan Walker, Christmas could be any other day. She doesn't believe in Santa Claus or magic or miracles of any kind. But when she meets Kris Kringle and tells him what Christmas gifts she most wishes for, Susan finds herself hoping that maybe, just maybe, he is the real thing. Based on the original holiday classic, *Miracle on 34th Street* is a timeless, heartwarming children's book about generosity, imagination, and the spirit of Christmas. . . if you just believe. MY RECORDABLE STORYTIME: MIRACLE ON 34TH STREET allows readers to capture this nostalgic holiday tale and create a new family tradition that will be enjoyed for years to come.

- RECORDABLE DEDICATION PAGE allows reader to provide their own heartfelt personalized message
- MY RECORDABLE STORYTIME books are INSTANT KEEPSAKES that families will cherish forever
- The perfect Christmas gift or holiday stocking stuffer; also makes a meaningful baby shower, pregnancy, or birthday gift

### **Author Bio**

Valentine Davies (August 25, 1905 - July 23, 1961) was an American film and television writer, producer, and director. He wrote the story for the 1947 film *Miracle on 34th Street*, which was given screen treatment by director George Seaton and received an Academy Award for Best Story. Davies also novelized the story, publishing a novella in conjunction with the film release.

Susanna Leonard Hill is the New York Times bestselling author of *Moon's First Friends*, as well as many other award-winning books for children. She does frequent school and library visits, teaches picture book writing, and offers picture book critiques. She lives in New York's Mid-Hudson Valley with her children and two rescue dogs.

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9781728282510 • \$37.99 • cl

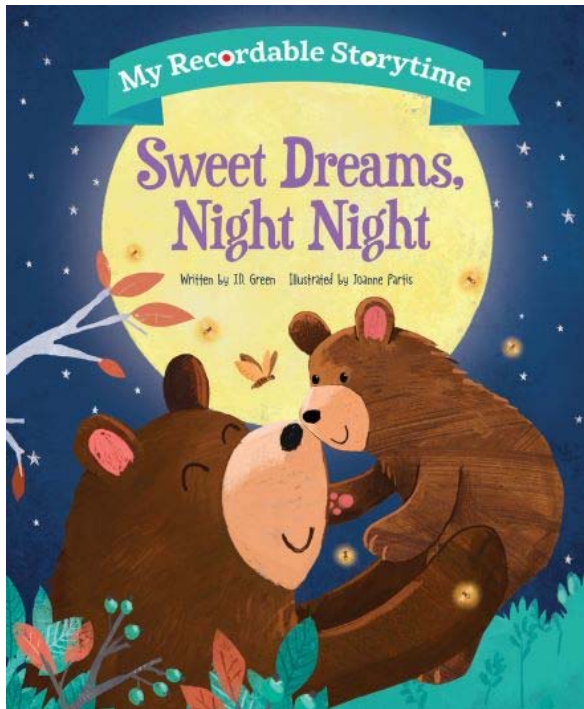
Juvenile Fiction / Holidays & Festivals / Christmas •

Ages 4-9 years

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### **My Recordable Storytime: Sweet Dreams, Night Night** by JD Green, illustrated by Joanne Partis

Create lifelong memories with My Recordable Storytime - where every story has a familiar voice.

Nothing is more special than being able to lull a loved one to sleep with a sweet bedtime story. These precious bedtime memories can now be captured forever with MY RECORDABLE STORYTIME: SWEET DREAMS, NIGHT NIGHT .

Featuring 40 recordable pages, this book allows readers to settle down each night and share a sweet story with the ones they love.

- RECORDABLE DEDICATION PAGE allows reader to provide their own heartfelt personalized message
- MY RECORDABLE STORYTIME books are INSTANT KEEPSAKES that families will cherish forever
- A meaningful baby shower or pregnancy gift, birthday gift, Valentine's Day gift, Mother's or Father's Day gift, Easter basket or holiday stocking stuffer, or way to say "I love you" any time of year

### **Author Bio**

JD Green is a Bristol born programmer turned author. He has vowed to continue writing in rhyme until such a time as he finds a way to surreptitiously slip 'discombobulated' into one of his books.

Joanne Partis has illustrated over 30 children's books. She lives in West Sussex, England, with her husband, three children, three cats, and four chickens.

Sourcebooks

On Sale: Nov 1/23

40 pages

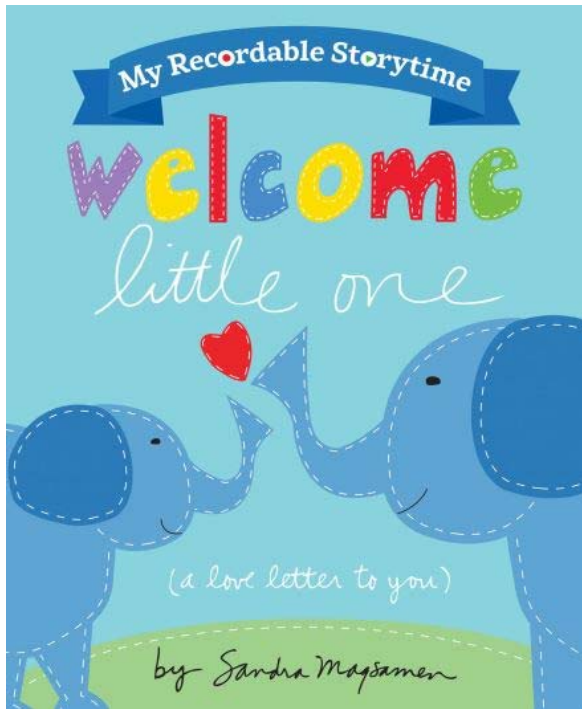
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Juvenile Fiction / Bedtime & Dreams • Ages 3-7 years

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### My Recordable Storytime: Welcome Little One

by Sandra Magsamen

Create lifelong memories with My Recordable Storytime - where every story has a familiar voice.

For parents, the arrival of a newborn child is an event filled with the promise of love, joy, and a lifetime of memories. Loved ones will now be able to capture these precious memories forever with MY RECORDABLE STORYTIME: WELCOME LITTLE ONE . Featuring 40 recordable pages, this book allows readers to express the love they have for the little one in their life through storytelling.

- RECORDABLE DEDICATION PAGE allows reader to provide their own heartfelt personalized message
- MY RECORDABLE STORYTIME books are INSTANT KEEPSAKES that families will cherish forever
- A meaningful baby shower or pregnancy gift, first birthday gift, Valentine's Day gift, Mother's or Father's Day gift, Easter basket or holiday stocking stuffer, or way to say I love you"any time of year

### Author Bio

Sandra Magsamen is a world-renowned artist, author, and designer whose products and ideas have touched millions of lives. Her books and stories are a heartfelt reminder that it's the people and moments in our lives that make life so wonderful!

Sourcebooks

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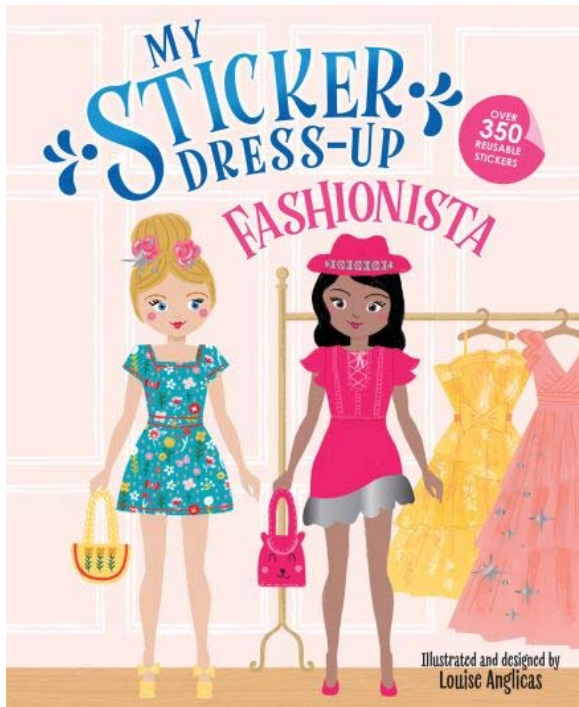
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Juvenile Fiction / Family / New Baby • Ages 3 years and up

### Notes

### Promotion





### **My Sticker Dress-Up: Fashionista**

illustrated by Louise Anglicas

Dress and accessorize all the fabulous FASHIONISTAS in this beautiful My Sticker Dress-Up activity book!

Children will enjoy screen-free fun with this amazing sticker book that encourages hours of unlimited imagination and play. Follow the fashionistas as they select stunning gowns and accessories before jetting off to Paris for a fabulous fashion show! A lookbook allows children to select and save all their favorite fashionista moments. With 5 pages of reusable stickers, children will love exploring their creativity by creating their own outfits, scenes, and of course - STYLE!

- Contains over 350 reusable stickers for multiple dress-up options
- Outfits and accessories can be used on multiple figures, so children experience unlimited creativity
- Makes a wonderful birthday gift, holiday stocking stuffer, Easter basket stuffer, or any celebration gift

### **Author Bio**

Louise Anglicas graduated in 2004 and has been working as an illustrator ever since! She has worked on a variety of projects from children's books to greeting cards to toy design. Her home studio is located in Gloucestershire, UK.

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44 pages

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Ages 4-8 years

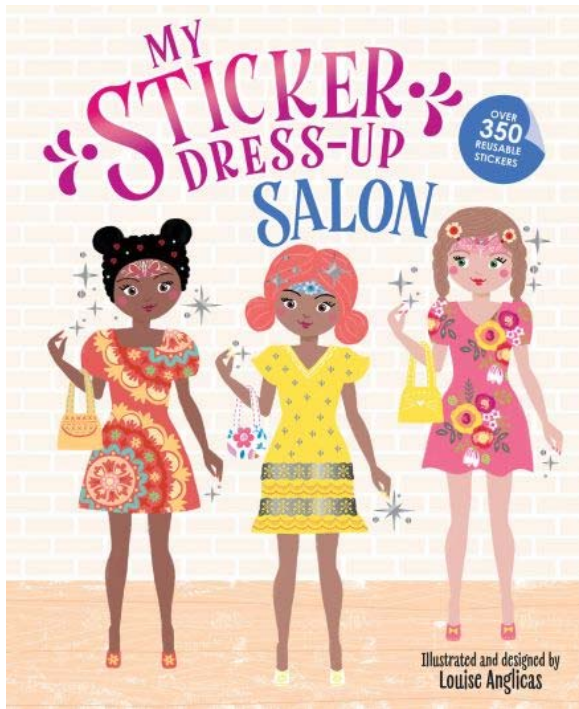
Series: Sticker Dress-Up

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**







### **My Sticker Dress-Up: Salon**

illustrated by Louise Anglicas

Have a fabulous day at the SALON in this beautiful My Sticker Dress-Up activity book!

Children will enjoy screen-free fun with this amazing sticker book that encourages hours of unlimited imagination and play. Enjoy the full salon experience including hair, nails, makeup, and clothes! A lookbook allows children to select and save all their favorite salon moments. With 5 pages of reusable stickers, children will love exploring their creativity by creating their own accessories, outfits, and of course - STYLE!

- Contains over 350 reusable stickers for multiple dress-up options
- Outfits and accessories can be used on multiple figures, so children experience unlimited creativity
- Makes a wonderful birthday gift, holiday stocking stuffer, Easter basket stuffer, or any celebration gift

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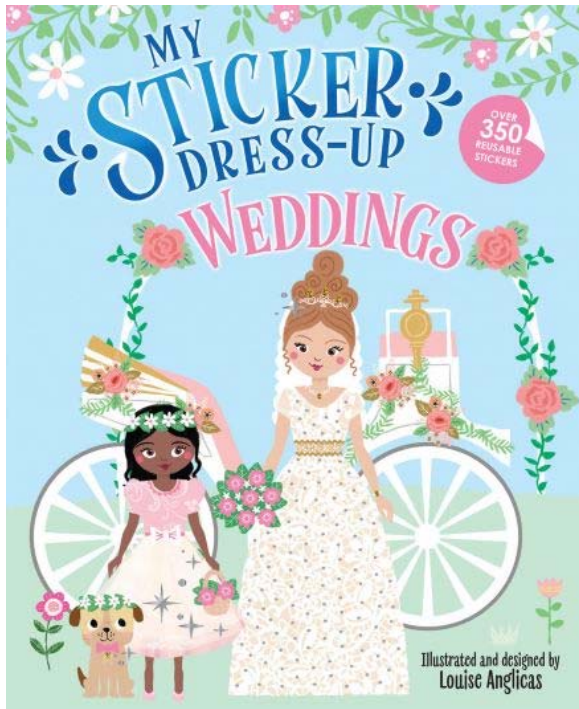
Ages 4-8 years

Series: Sticker Dress-Up

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### **My Sticker Dress-Up: Weddings**

illustrated by Louise Anglicas

Dress and accessorize all the beautiful BRIDES in this stunning My Sticker Dress-Up activity book!

Children will enjoy screen-free fun with this amazing sticker book that encourages hours of unlimited imagination and play. Follow the Bride and her wedding party as they pick out dresses, flowers, and cake, and then walk down the aisle and enjoy the wedding day! An album allows children to select and save all their favorite wedding moments. With 5 pages of reusable stickers, children will love exploring their creativity by creating their own outfits, scenes, and of course - WEDDING STYLE!

- Contains over 350 reusable stickers for multiple dress-up options
- Outfits and accessories can be used on multiple figures, so children experience unlimited creativity
- The perfect gift for bridesmaids and flower girls; also makes a wonderful birthday gift, holiday stocking stuffer, Easter basket stuffer, or any celebration gift

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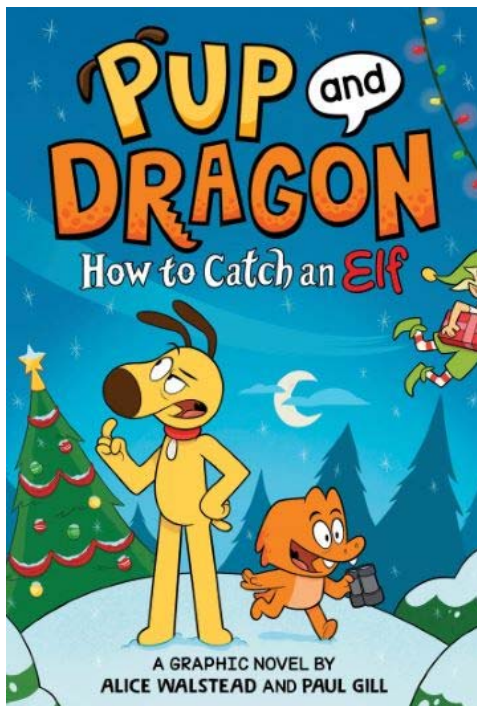
Ages 4-8 years

Series: Sticker Dress-Up

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### **Pup and Dragon: How to Catch an Elf**

by Alice Walstead, illustrated by Paul Gill

From the creators of NEW YORK TIMES and USA TODAY bestselling How to Catch books come the first exhilarating Christmas adventure in a new graphic novel series!

Pup has boundless energy and endless optimism; Dragon is cool and thoughtful but always up for adventure . . . together, they are best friends who are always there for one another. In their first adventure, they are trying to catch one of Santa's little helpers - only Dragon has no idea what a Santa is let alone an elf.

Bursting with colorful art and funny text that is sure to appeal to How to Catch lovers and new young readers alike, PUP AND DRAGON: HOW TO CATCH AN ELF is sure to bring extra cheer to your holidays this year!

### **Author Bio**

Alice Walstead is a children's book author who loves to make kids smile with her stories.

Sourcebooks

On Sale: Sep 5/23

64 pages

**9781728270517** • \$19.50 • cl

Juvenile Fiction / Comics & Graphic Novels /

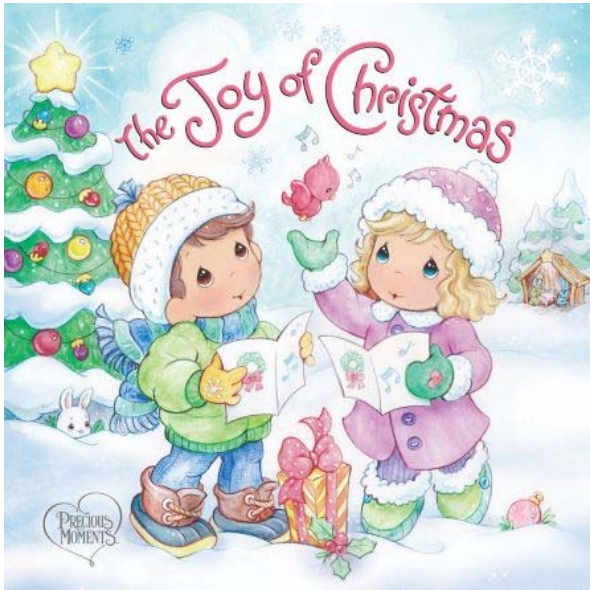
Humorous • Ages 6-9 years

Series: How to Catch

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### The Joy of Christmas

by Precious Moments and Jamie Calloway-Hanauer, illustrated by Kim Lawrence

Celebrate the special joy of Christmas in this touching picture book from Precious Moments!

Spending time together, drinking hot cocoa, singing carols - Christmas really is a wonderful time of year! But what is the real reason for the merry season? Come along in this delightfully sweet book and discover how many of the greatest gifts, like God's grace and love all around us, are not found beneath the tree. A heartfelt religious read-aloud for the whole family to enjoy while making special memories this year!

With endearing rhymes and warm illustrations, this uplifting Christian book is the perfect gift or stocking stuffer for toddlers and kids ages 3-7 during the holidays or at any time of the year, a message that will live in your child's heart for many Christmases to come.

SANTA GIVES GIFTS, AND YOUR FAMILY DOES TOO,  
BECAUSE OF THE GIFT FROM ABOVE THAT'S BEEN GIVEN TO YOU.  
WHILE CHRISTMAS IS FUN AND YOU LOVE YOUR NEW TOYS,  
THE SEASON'S REAL GIFTS ARE LOVE, PEACE, AND JOY.

### Author Bio

Known as the most recognized inspirational brand, Precious Moments has touched the world with its figurines, artwork, gift cards, books, and other merchandise. The brand's mission is to help others share love to make the world a better place, which Precious Moments has been accomplishing since the 1970s.

Jamie Calloway-Hanauer is a writer and editor currently working on her Masters of Divinity at Chicago Theological Seminary. Her background as a public interest attorney serves her well as she writes about issues of poverty, gender equality, disability, and social and juvenile justice. She blogs at <http://jamieallowayhanauer.com>, and you can connect with her on Facebook or Twitter @JamieHanauer.

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On Sale: Oct 1/23

40 pages

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Juvenile Fiction / Holidays & Festivals / Christmas •

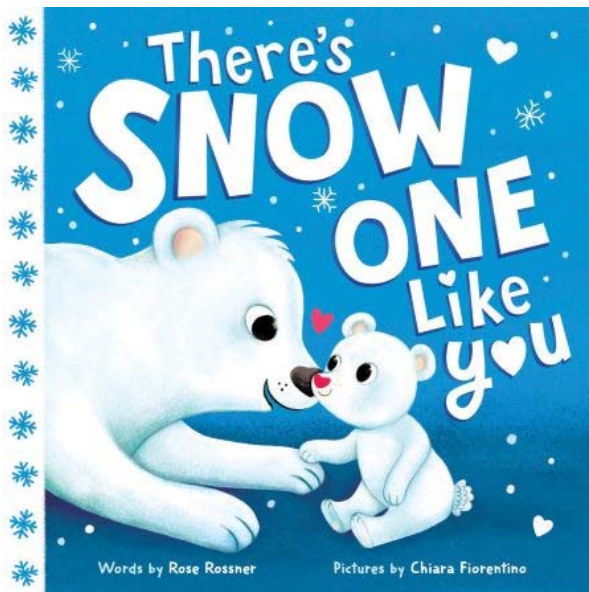
Ages 3-7 years

### Notes

### Promotion







LEAD

### There's Snow One Like You

by Rose Rossner, illustrated by Chiara Fiorentino

Share the sweetness of a winter punderland with the one you love snow much in this charming board book for babies and toddlers!

There's snow place like home with the coolest kid you know! Celebrate the magic of snow and all of the best things about the winter season in this new addition from the USA TODAY bestselling Punderland series that brought you I LOVE YOU LIKE NO OTTER! Combining beautiful illustrations of polar bears, snowflakes, snowmen, ice skates, penguins, and more adorable characters with sweet and punny rhymes, THERE'S SNOW ONE LIKE YOU offers a timeless message of love and encouragement for your little one. Perfect for sharing with someone worth melting for, this heartwarming self-esteem story makes a cozy read aloud, winter gift for kids, snow day activity, baby shower gift, or Christmas book for children ages 0-3 - made for little hands!

IN A WINTER PUNDERLAND, I LOVE YOUR HUGS ON CHILLY DAYS.  
THERE'S SNOWMAN AS KIND, LOVE AT FROST SIGHT AND ALWAYS.  
More charming stories from Punderland, the perfect gift for any occasion:

- I LOVE YOU LIKE NO OTTER - A USA TODAY bestseller!
- SOMEBUNNY LOVES YOU - A USA TODAY bestseller!
- YOU'RE THE APPLE OF MY PIE
- YOU MAKE MY HEART GO VROOM!
- YOU SHAMROCK MY WORLD
- and more!

Sourcebooks

On Sale: Oct 17/23

24 pages

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Juvenile Fiction / Concepts / Seasons • Ages 0-3 years

Series: Punderland

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### Author Bio

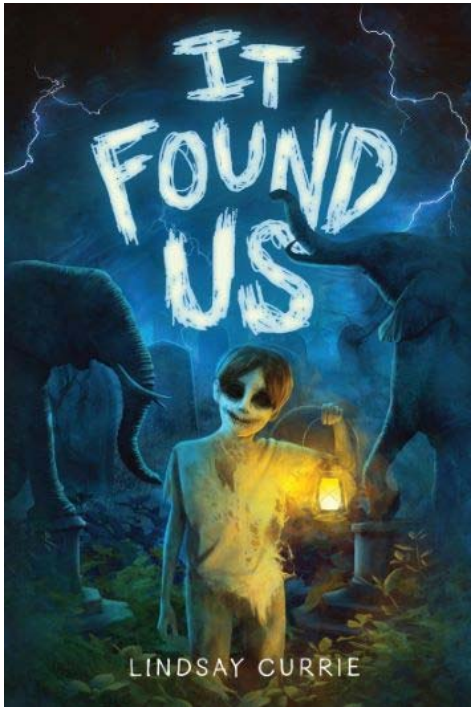
ROSE ROSSNER is a writer and children's book author who lives with her son and her husky named Dino.

Chiara Fiorentino is a children's book illustrator born in the Italian countryside. After studying at European Institute of Design of Turin, she worked as a freelance illustrator for advertising agencies and publishers. She loves colorful atmospheres, takes inspiration for her palette from natural tones, and is fascinated by underwater creatures and whimsical animals. When she doesn't draw, Chiara loves taking long walks, knitting, and chatting with friends.



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### It Found Us

by Lindsay Currie

From the author of *Scratch Scratch* and *The Girl in White* comes a new spooky mystery about a girl detective who must decode a series of ominous clues tied to a century-old tragedy to find a missing teenager before it's too late. . . . Twelve-year-old Hazel Woods has always had an unusual knack for sleuthing. Some may call it snooping, but all she really wants is to solve mysteries around town. So, when she not-so-accidentally overhears her brother Den planning to sneak into the cemetery at night for an epic game of hide-and-seek, she decides to secretly tag along. This seems like the perfect opportunity to investigate the claims that the cemetery is haunted. But the moment the game ends, Hazel realizes something is very, very wrong. From her hiding spot in the bushes, she overhears that her brother's best friend, Everett, is missing. Everyone else was found by the seeker but there's no sign of Everett anywhere. It's as if he just . . . vanished. Hazel and Den are determined to find Everett before it's too late. But as they begin to unravel the terrifying clues that started appearing since that night in the graveyard—eerie whispers that sound like someone counting, the intermittent smell of smoke, and the cold, lost presence that follows them everywhere, she's not sure what they are dealing with. But Everett needs more than search parties and scent-tracking dogs to find him, especially if his disappearance is tied to the history of the cemetery, and the lost, century-old spirits that might still be trapped there.

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Juvenile Fic / Ghost Stories • Ages 8-13 years

### Notes

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### Author Bio

Lindsay lives in Chicago, Illinois with her husband and three kids. She loves coffee, Halloween, Disney World and things that go bump in the night! She is the author of *Scratch Scratch*, *What Lives in the Woods*, *The Girl in White*, and *The Peculiar Incident on Shady Street*. Visit her online at [lindsaycurrie.com](http://lindsaycurrie.com)





### Knights and Bikes: Wheels of Legend

by Gabrielle Kent

More friendship, magic, and laugh-out loud adventure in this hilarious chapter book series!

A new mystery has rolled onto Penfurzy Island, and the Rebel Bicycle Club are ready to investigate! Nessa, Demelza, and their goose, Captain Honkers, are excited to explore a traveling carnival that's come to Penfurzy, and soon they befriend Jack, the son of the carnival owner. But strange things are happening too, like odd tremors that shake the island! Does it have anything to do with the fact that the carnival comes to Penfurzy only every ten years? It's up to the friends to do what they do best: save the day from a fate worse than homework.

An adventure with twists, turns and gross-out trailer park invaders guaranteed to make you laugh!

### Author Bio

Gabrielle's first job was in videogames working on games for PC, Playstation and Xbox, before spending sixteen years as a university lecturer teaching students how to make videogames. She currently lives in the North East of England with her husband, daughter, and Bengal cat, Kali - Destroyer of Sofas.

Sourcebooks

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Juvenile Fiction / Science Fiction, Fantasy, Magic •

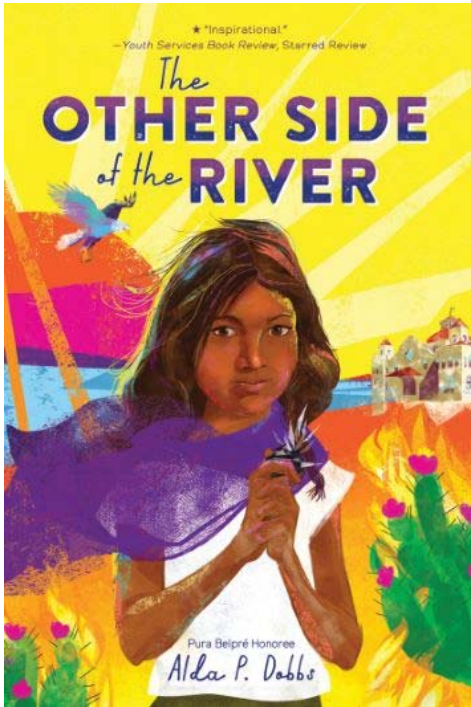
Ages 8-12 years

Series: Knights and Bikes

### Notes

### Promotion





### The Other Side of the River

by Alda P. Dobbs

From the award-winning author of BAREFOOT DREAMS OF PETRA LUNA, Alda P. Dobbs, comes a compelling new novel about building a new life in America. Strong and determined, Petra Luna returns in a story about the immigrant experience that continues to be relevant today.

Petra Luna is in America, having escaped the Mexican Revolution and the terror of the Federales. Now that they are safe, Petra and her family can begin again, in this country that promises so much. Still, twelve-year-old Petra knows that her abuelita, little sister, and baby brother depend on her to survive. She leads her family from a smallpox-stricken refugee camp on the Texas border to the buzzing city of San Antonio, where they work hard to build a new life. And for the first time ever, Petra has a chance to learn to read and write.

Yet Petra also sees in America attitudes she thought she'd left behind on the other side of the Rio Grande - people who look down on her mestizo skin and bare feet, who think someone like her doesn't deserve more from life. Petra wants more. Isn't that what the revolution is about? Her strength and courage will be tested like never before as she fights for herself, her family, and her dreams.

Petra's first story, BAREFOOT DREAMS OF PETRA LUNA, was a New York Public Library Book of the Year and a Texas Bluebonnet Master List Selection.

Dobbs' wrenching debut, about family, loss, and finding the strength to carry on, illuminates the harsh realities of war, the heartbreaking disparities between the poor and the rich, and the racism faced by Petra and her (...)

### Author Bio

Alda P. Dobbs is as passionate about connecting children to their past, their communities, and nature as she is about writing. Alda lives with her husband and two children outside Houston, Texas.

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Juvenile Fiction / Social Issues / Emigration & Immigration • Ages 8-12 years

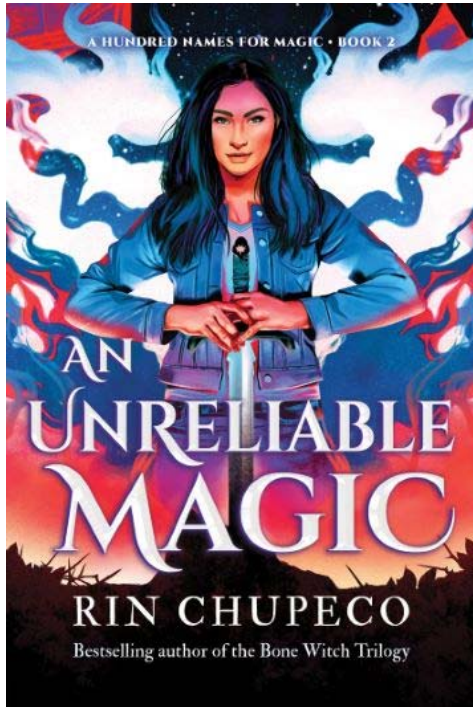
Series: Barefoot Dreams of Petra Luna

### Notes

### Promotion







### An Unreliable Magic

by Rin Chupeco

This second book in the A Hundred Names for Magic trilogy is not your average fairytale. An unforgettable alternative history fairy-tale series from the author of The Bone Witch about found family, modern day magic, and finding the place you belong.

It's been six months since the lost city of Avalon was thawed and retaken. And Alex is doing his best to be a good leader, even though he's not entirely sure what he's doing. He needs all the help he can get, which is why his best friend, Tala, is by his side. Unfortunately, when the Nameless Sword in the stone appears suddenly in the castle courtyard, it brings a new set of problems. Avalon custom dictates that anyone is free to try to pull it out, attracting people from all walks of life and leaving the kingdom vulnerable to attack.

Attempts to infiltrate Avalon begin in the form of mysterious portals that start appearing without warning bringing nightwalkers, ice maidens, and even a surly dragon.

When the Snow Queen comes out of the woodwork with an unlikely ally and attempts to open a portal to the legendary Buyan, a long-lost country whose life-giving waters could make her even more powerful, Alex, Tala, and their friends will have to work together to stop her, even after their biggest betrayal leaves them broken.

Gripping, fantastical, and delightfully funny, AN UNRELIABLE MAGIC is perfect for readers looking for:

- young adult magic, mythology, and folklore
- LGBTQ representation
- diverse characters
- creative new takes on classic stories
- fresh and dazzling world building

Praise for WICKED AS YOU WISH :

Glorious." - SHELF AWARENESS

"Combining legends, myths, fairy tales, and classic (...)

### Author Bio

Despite uncanny resemblances to Japanese revenants, Rin Chupeco has always maintained their sense of humor. Raised in Manila, Philippines, they keep four pets: a dog, two birds, and a husband. They've been a technical writer and a travel blogger but now make things up for a living. They are the author of The Girl from the Well, The Suffering, The Bone Witch trilogy, and the A Hundred Names for Magic trilogy. Connect with Rin at [rinchupeco.com](http://rinchupeco.com).

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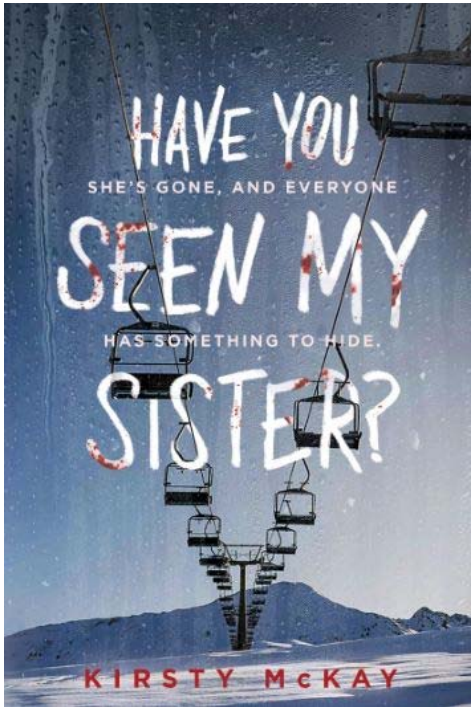
YA Fic / Fantasy / Contemporary • Ages 14-18 years

Series: A Hundred Names for Magic

### Notes

### Promotion





### Have You Seen My Sister?

by Kirsty McKay

Gaia Gill is the last person in the world anyone would expect to go missing. Beautiful, athletic, and recently accepted to a prestigious college, she has everything to look forward to - but the night of her going-away party at the Moon Mountain ski resort, she disappears.

Gaia's younger sister Esme is supposed to be flying back to England with her family after the party, but she can't leave with Gaia missing - especially because nobody remembers Gaia leaving the party. Or if they do, they're not saying. Everyone at the lodge has their own secrets: the little rich girl, the ex-boyfriend, the ski instructor, the failed reality star.

Esme's out of her depth searching the dark, dangerous forests and icy slopes of Moon Mountain, until she teams up with a local boy who promises to help her. The clock is ticking, and it's down to Esme to piece the clues together and work out who - if anybody - is telling the truth.

### Author Bio

Kirsty is a former actress and has written children's plays for commercial theatre. In 2008, she won SCBWI's competition to find new writers. She was born in the UK, but now lives in Boston, USA, with her husband and daughter. She is the author of *The Assassin Game* and *Have You Seen My Sister*. Visit [kirstymckay.com](http://kirstymckay.com) for more.

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352 pages

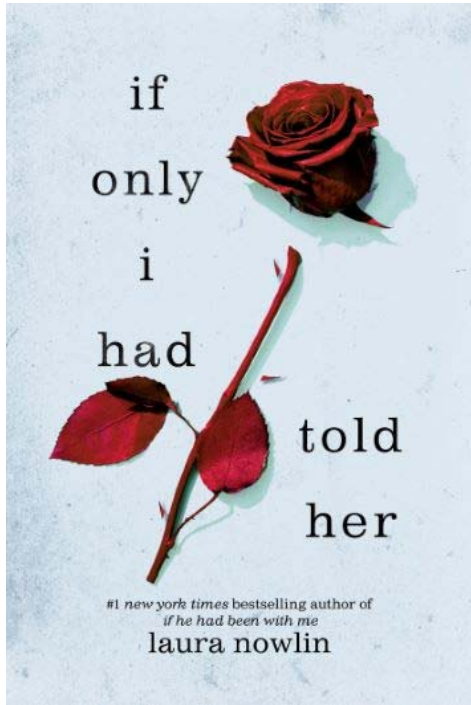
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YA Fic / Thrillers & Suspense • Ages 12-17 years

### Notes

### Promotion





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### If Only I Had Told Her

by Laura Nowlin

An intensely emotional and gripping companion novel to Laura Nowlin's USA TODAY and NEW YORK TIMES Bestselling novel IF HE HAD BEEN WITH ME about the love that both breaks and heals us. Perfect for fans of Colleen Hoover and Jenny Han.

IF ONLY I'D TOLD HER THAT I LOVED HER YEARS AGO, THEN I WOULDN'T BE HERE NOW.

Finn has always loved Autumn. She's not just the girl next door or his mother's best friend's daughter, she is his everything. But she's not his girlfriend. That's Sylvie, and Finn would never hurt her, so there's no way Autumn could know how he truly feels.

Jack, Finn's best friend, isn't so sure. He's seen Finn and Autumn together. How could she not know? And how is he supposed to support and protect Finn when heartache seems inevitable?

Autumn surrounds herself with books and wants to write her own destiny - but one doesn't always get a new chapter and fate can be cruel to those in love. Told through three different perspectives, IF ONLY I HAD TOLD HER is a love story brimming with truth, tragedy, and the unexpected bonds that heal us.

### Author Bio

Laura Nowlin holds a B.A. in English with an emphasis in Creative Writing from Missouri University. When she isn't at home agonizing over her own novels, Laura works at the public library, where the patrons give her plenty of inspiration for her writing. She lives in St. Louis with her musician husband, neurotic dog, and psychotic cat.

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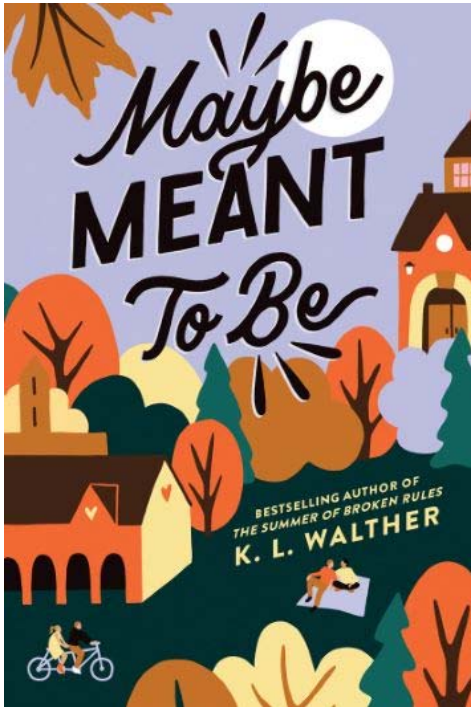
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YA Fic / Romance / Contemporary • Ages 14-18 years

### Notes

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### Maybe Meant to Be

by K. L. Walther

IF CHARLIE AND SAGE ARE MEANT TO BE, WHY CAN'T SAGE STOP KISSING CHARLIE'S BROTHER?  
AND WHY CAN'T CHARLIE STOP THINKING ABOUT KISSING THE NEW BOY AT SCHOOL?

Everyone at the Bexley School believes that Sage Morgan and Charlie Carmichael are meant to be. Even though Charlie seems to have a new girlfriend every month, and Sage has never had a real relationship, their friends and family all know it's just a matter of time until they realize that they are actually in love.

When Luke Morrissey shows up on campus his presence immediately shakes things up. Charlie and Luke are drawn to each other the moment they meet, giving Sage the opportunity to spend time with Charlie's twin brother, Nick. But Charlie is afraid of what others will think if he accepts that he has much more than a friendship with Luke. And Sage fears that if she lets things with Nick get too serious too quickly, they won't be able to last as a couple outside of high school and miss their chance at forever. The duo will need to rely on each other and their lifelong friendship to figure things out with the boys they love.

### Author Bio

K.L. Walther was born and raised in the rolling hills of Bucks County, Pennsylvania surrounded by family, dogs, and books. Her childhood was spent traveling the northeastern seaboard to play ice hockey. She attended a boarding school in New Jersey and went on to earn a B.A. in English from the University of Virginia. She is happiest on the beach with a book, cheering for the New York Rangers, or enjoying a rom-com while digging into a big bowl of popcorn and M&Ms. She is the author of *If We Were Us*, *The Summer of Broken Rules*, *What Happens After Midnight*. Visit her online at [klwalther.com](http://klwalther.com)

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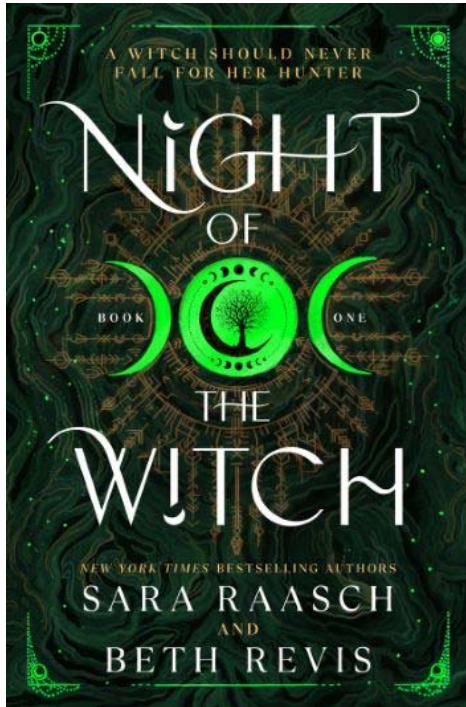
YA Fic / Romance / Romantic Comedy • Ages 14-18 years

### Notes

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### Night of the Witch

by Sara Raasch and Beth Revis

A witch and a hunter. Vengeance is their mission. Love is their destiny.

Fritzi is a witch. A survivor of a brutal attack on her coven, she's determined to find her only surviving family member and bring the hexenjagers - zealot witch hunters - to justice for the lives they ended. To do this, she will need to take down their leader - Kommandant Dieter Kirch.

Otto is a hexenjager and a captain, the second in command to Dieter Kirch - but that's just his cover. Years ago, the hexenjagers burned his innocent mother alive and since then, he has been planning a move against the witch hunters that tore his family apart. And now the time has come for them to pay for what they've done.

When Fritzi and Otto are unexpectedly thrown together, neither is sure they can trust the other, despite their common enemy. But all they have is one another, and they both crave revenge. As truths come to light and trust shifts, Fritzi and Otto uncover a far more horrifying plot at the center of the hexenjager attacks . . . but their own growing feelings for each other may be the most powerful magic of all.

### Author Bio

SARA RAASCH has known she was destined for bookish things since the age of five, when her friends had a lemonade stand and she tagged along to sell her hand-drawn picture books too. Not much has changed since then: her friends still cock concerned eyebrows when she attempts to draw things, and her enthusiasm for the written word still drives her to extreme measures. She is the New York Times bestselling author of the Snow Like Ashes series, These Rebel Waves, and These Divided Shores. You can visit her online at [www.sararaaschbooks.com](http://www.sararaaschbooks.com) and @seesarawrite on Twitter.

BETH REVIS is a New York Times bestselling author with books available in more than twenty languages. She writes science fiction, fantasy, and contemporary novels, including Across the Universe, Star Wars: Rebel Rising, Give the Dark My Love, and A World Without You. A native of North Carolina, Revis lives in a rural corner of the state with her son and husband.



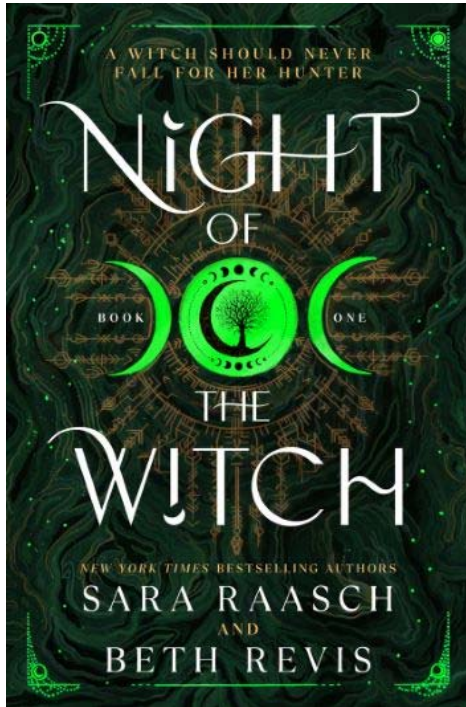
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### Night of the Witch

by Sara Raasch and Beth Revis

NEW YORK TIMES bestselling authors Sara Raasch and Beth Revis weave a tale of romance, vengeance, and magic in this start to the Witch and Hunter duology, an epic enemies to lovers fantasy romance.

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When Fritzi and Otto are unexpectedly thrown together, neither is sure they can trust the other. The reluctant truce fueled by their common enemy takes them from the city at the heart of the hexenjagers' power to the wild and mysterious Black Forest. As old truths come to light and new dangers are revealed, Fritzi and Otto uncover a horrifying magical plot at the center of the hexenjager attacks that leads back to Kommandant Kirch . . . but their own growing feelings for each other may be the most powerful magic of all.

Praise for NIGHT OF THE WITCH :

Set against the backdrop of the Medieval German Witch Trials, Raasch and Revis weave a fantasy and heart-pounding tale full of history, love, witchcraft, and war that will have you (...)

### Author Bio

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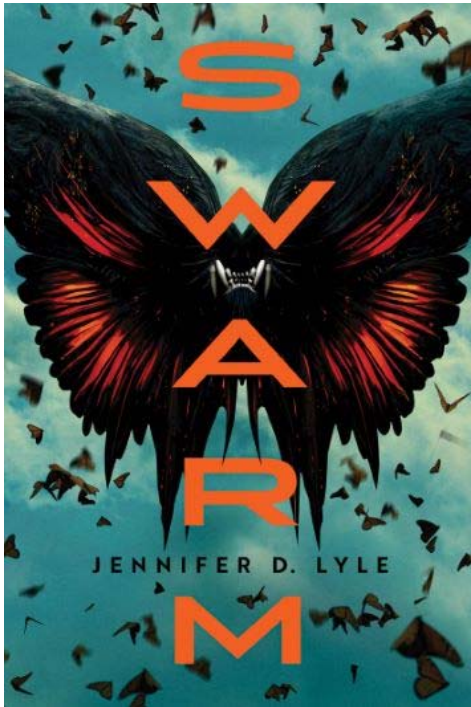
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### Swarm

by Jennifer Lyle

On a sunny September morning, the creatures first appear. Shur sees one of them hovering outside the window in history class: it looks like a giant butterfly, at first too beautiful and strange to seem like a threat. But when emergency alerts light up everyone's phones around her, she realizes something very, very wrong is happening outside. These. . . THINGS are everywhere.

By the time Shur makes it back to her house with her brother, Keene, and their two best friends, it's clear they must face whatever comes next on their own. A terrifying species the world's never seen before has suddenly emerged, and few living things are safe. As the creatures swarm and attack outside, life for Shur and her friends becomes a survival game. They board the windows, stockpile supplies, and try to make sense of the news reports for as long as the power stays on.

Yet nothing can prepare them for what follows. The butterflies are only the beginning. The next onslaught will be deadlier, and even closer to home.

### Author Bio

Jennifer D. Lyle is a graduate of the University of Hartford's English program and in her final semester of MFA study at Western New England University. *SEASON OF THE BUTTERFLY* is her debut.

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336 pages

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YA Fic / Action & Adventure / Survival Stories • Ages  
14-18 years

### Notes

### Promotion





## Tag, You're Dead

by Kathryn Foxfield

From the bestselling author of COME OUT, COME OUT, WHATEVER YOU ARE and GOOD GIRLS DIE FIRST comes an entertaining new thriller filled with knife-edged tension, twists you won't see coming, and contestants who will do anything to win - even something deadly.

When teen social media influencer Anton Frazer stages a live-streamed, citywide game of Tag where the prize is to become one of his live-in personal assistants, his fans go wild.

Outfitted with body cams, GPS trackers, and pressure sensors to keep tally of who's disqualified, contestants are split into Chasers and Runners then let loose into the night-covered urban jungle to hunt each other down. While the whole world watches.

Four contestants, however, have alternative motives for joining the game, secret reasons to want to win despite the risk: money, obsession, fame. . . and revenge. One of them will stop at nothing to be the victor at the end of this adrenaline- and fear-fueled night.

Praise for COME OUT, COME OUT, WHATEVER YOU ARE

Mystery-loving readers will keep turning the pages to uncover the characters' secrets and learn the truth. . . A fun read for readers who prefer mild suspense and enjoy reality TV settings." - KIRKUS REVIEWS

Praise for GOOD GIRLS DIE FIRST

"Foxfield's focus on social niches and escalating suspense will appeal to fans of Karen McManus." - PUBLISHERS WEEKLY

"This gothic-inspired thriller with nods to Agatha Christie and Daphne du Maurier will keep readers on the edge of their seats and turning pages as quickly as they can. It is immersing, puzzling, and unpredictable, with a surprise ending (...)

## Author Bio

KATHRYN FOXFIELD is the critically acclaimed and best-selling author of Good Girls Die First and Come Out, Come Out, Whatever You Are, which have been translated into multiple languages. She lives in Oxford, England.

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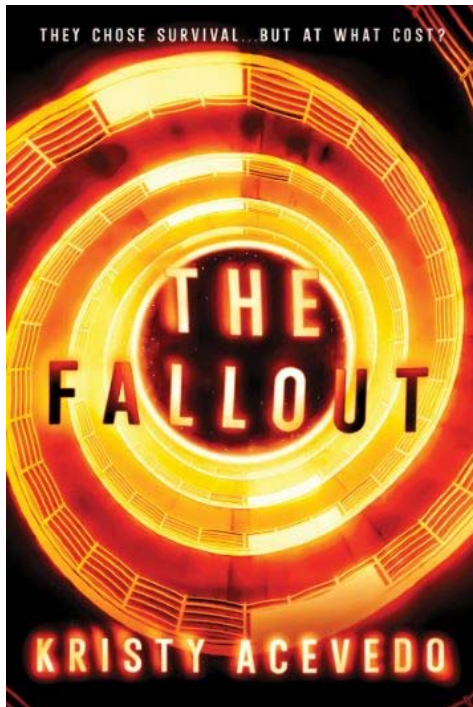
Ages 14-18 years

## Notes

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### **The Fallout** by Kristy Acevedo

They chose survival. . . but at what cost? A fast-paced, empowering YA dystopian novel for anyone who's ever felt betrayed, then came back stronger. The sequel to THE WARNING .

Senior year would have been stressful enough without an apocalypse. When the holograms arrived, allegedly offering safe passage to those who stepped through their vertexes, Alexandra Lucas thought going or staying would be the hardest decision of her life. She was wrong.

Because she is the one person who knows the truth, a truth that will change everything: the holograms lied.

Alex can't deny this new world is mesmerizing. Holo technology lets her customize everything from her clothes to her surroundings. But she can't let it distract her from searching for her boyfriend, best friend, and brother. They need to know what happened. Because there's a rebellion brewing, and every utopia has a breaking point. What price must they all pay to survive?

Praise for THE FALLOUT :

An absolute mind bender." - SCHOOL LIBRARY JOURNAL

"It's a rare treat to see a protagonist who suffers from an anxiety disorder, showing readers humanizing frailty even in the context of a technologically advanced world. It is Alex's strength, sense of humor, and vulnerability that make this read compelling." - KIRKUS REVIEWS

Praise for THE WARNING :

"A fast-paced adventure that will keep readers- compulsively turning pages to see what happens next." - SCHOOL LIBRARY JOURNAL, starred review

"An engrossing exploration of what if. . ." - VOYA MAGAZINE

Finalist for the 2017 Philip K. Dick Science Fiction Award

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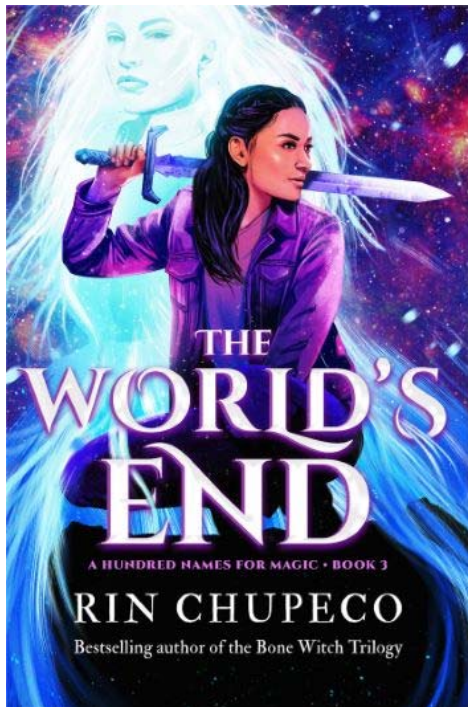
YA Fic / Dystopian • Ages 12-18 years

Series: Warning

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### The World's End

by Rin Chupeco

It's been three months since the Snow Queen and OzCorp infiltrated Maidenkeep and nearly seized the Nine Maidens. Ryker is still unconscious after the Snow Queen attacked him and is being monitored at the hospital. Abigail Fey's curse has far-reaching consequences, and many in the Royal States has been using it to stir unrest and hostilities against Avalon. When the Adarna, a firebird-like creature appears in Avalon, the gang discovers it is one of seven magical artifacts that the Snow Queen has been searching for, in her bid to open a portal to Buyan. Determined to find the artifacts first the Bandersnatchers find information about the other five artifacts: the Lotus Lantern in China, the tamatabeko in Japan, the Pied Piper's Flute and the Singing Bone in Germany, and the raskovnik at World's End, the site where Peter Pan and Captain Hook had fought and had destroyed. The final relic is a portal somewhere inside Wonderland. But the Snow Queen will stop at nothing to get to the relics first. And when one of their own is killed in the fight it takes everything they have to continue the fight to save Avalon once and for all.

### Author Bio

Despite uncanny resemblances to Japanese revenants, Rin Chupeco has always maintained their sense of humor. Raised in Manila, Philippines, they keep four pets: a dog, two birds, and a husband. They've been a technical writer and a travel blogger but now make things up for a living. They are the author of *The Girl from the Well*, *The Suffering*, *The Bone Witch* trilogy, and the *A Hundred Names for Magic* trilogy. Connect with Rin at [rinchupeco.com](http://rinchupeco.com).

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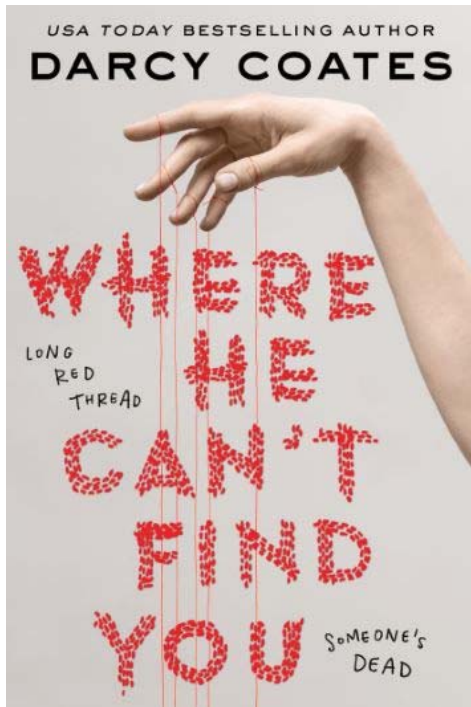
YA Fic / Fantasy / Contemporary • Ages 14-18 years

Series: A Hundred Names for Magic

### Notes

### Promotion





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### Where He Can't Find You

by Darcy Coates

From USA TODAY bestselling horror/thriller author Darcy Coates comes the chilling legend of a monster no one can escape.

DON'T WALK ALONE, OR THE STITCHER WILL FIND YOU.

Abby Ward lives in a town haunted by disappearances. People vanish, and when they're found, their bodies have been dismembered and sewn back together in unnatural ways. But is it the work of a human killer. . . or something far darker?

DON'T STAY OUT LATE, OR THE STITCHER WILL TAKE YOU.

She and her younger sister live by a strict set of rules designed to keep them safe - which is why it's such a shock when Hope is taken. Desperate to get her back, Abby tells the police everything she knows, but they claim their hands are tied.

DON'T CLOSE YOUR EYES, OR THE STITCHER WILL REMAKE YOU.

With every hour precious, Abby and her friends are caught in a desperate game of cat and mouse. They have to get Hope back. Quickly. Before too much of her is cut away. And before everything they care about is swallowed up by the darkness waiting in the tunnels beneath the home they thought they knew.

Chilling Reads by Darcy Coates:

The Haunting of Ashburn House

The Haunting of Blackwood House

Voices in the Snow

The Whispering Dead

From Below

Gallows Hill

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YA Fic / Horror • Ages 14-18 years

### Notes

### Promotion

### Author Bio

Darcy Coates is the USA Today bestselling author of *Hunted*, *The Haunting of Ashburn House*, *Craven Manor*, and more than a dozen horror and suspense titles. She lives on the Central Coast of Australia with her family, cats, and a garden full of herbs and vegetables. Darcy loves forests, especially old-growth forests where the trees dwarf anyone who steps between them. Wherever she lives, she tries to have a mountain range close by.



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### A Little Round Panda on the Big Blue Earth

by Tory Christie, illustrated by Luciana Navarro Powell

In the middle of a Chinese forest, a baby panda munches on bamboo. Where is his place on the big, blue Earth? This richly illustrated poem illuminates a unique geographical perspective, showcasing China's environment. Take in ever-widening views from forest to terraced farms to village and city, country, continent, ocean, and finally the planet in space. Endsheets include a map of Asia labeling places shown.

### Author Bio

Tory Christie is a real scientist by day and secretly writes children's books at night. When it is light outside, she studies rocks and water. After dark, she writes silly science stories that kids and grownups can laugh about. Check out her latest series, *Curious McCarthy*, and explore science with Curious and her zany family. Tory Christie grew up in a large family, but her family was nothing like the McCarthys - honestly. The McCarthys are completely fiction - really. Tory Christie lives in Fargo, North Dakota with her medium-sized family. Find out more at: [www.torychristie.com](http://www.torychristie.com).

Luciana Navarro Powell (Bellingham, WA) has created art since childhood. The colors, vibrancy, and warmth of her native Brazil infuse her work with a sunny optimism, humor, and warm human - animal/landscape interactions. As an immigrant, she wants all kids to be able to see themselves in her art. *Light Speaks* is her sixteenth children's book.

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Sciences / Geography • Ages 6-7 years

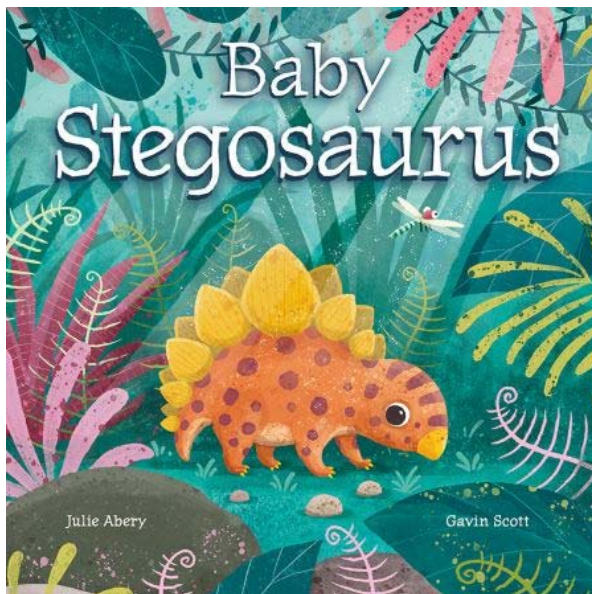
Series: Big Blue Earth

### Notes

### Promotion







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### **Baby Stegosaurus**

by Julie Abery, illustrated by Gavin Scott

Baby Stegosaurus travels with the herd, munching on plants. When a volcano erupts, the dinosaurs run, but Baby Stegosaurus can't keep up and is swept downriver. It'll take luck (and some help from Mama) to bring the little dino back to the herd. Written by former preschool teacher Julie Abery and infused with Gavin Scott's warm illustrations depicting the Jurassic era, this book in the Baby Dinosaurs board book series will delight babies and toddlers and demand to be read again and again.

### **Author Bio**

Julie Abery is a children's author and early childhood educator. Originally from England, she has spent half of her life living in Europe, immersing herself in new languages and cultures. She currently lives in Switzerland.

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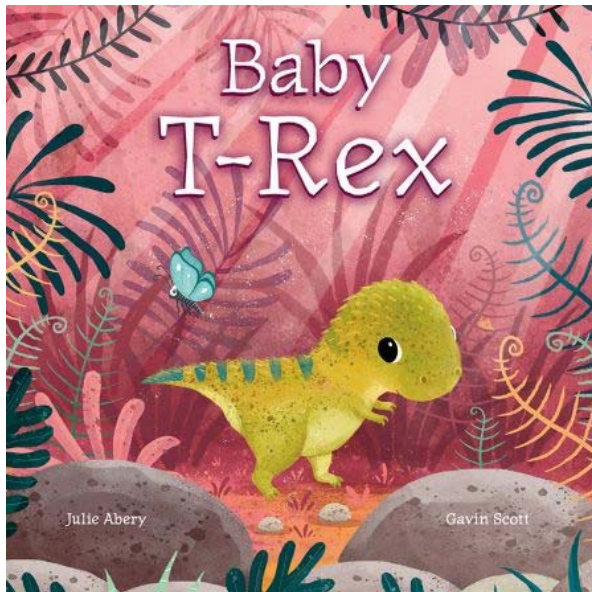
Juvenile Fiction / Animals / Baby Animals • Ages 0-5 years

Series: Baby Dinosaurs

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





THE CREATIVE COMPANY

### **Baby T. Rex**

by Julie Aberly, illustrated by Gavin Scott

Baby T. rex hatches and explores the prehistoric world. Of particular interest is another egg that has rolled from the T. rex nest and gotten stuck in a hole. It'll take luck (and some help from a turtle) for the little dinosaur to rescue their sibling.

Written by former preschool teacher Julie Aberly and infused with Gavin Scott's warm illustrations depicting the late Cretaceous era, this book in the Baby Dinosaurs board book series will delight babies and toddlers and demand to be read again and again.

### **Author Bio**

Julie Aberly is a children's author and early childhood educator. Originally from England, she has spent half of her life living in Europe, immersing herself in new languages and cultures. She currently lives in Switzerland.

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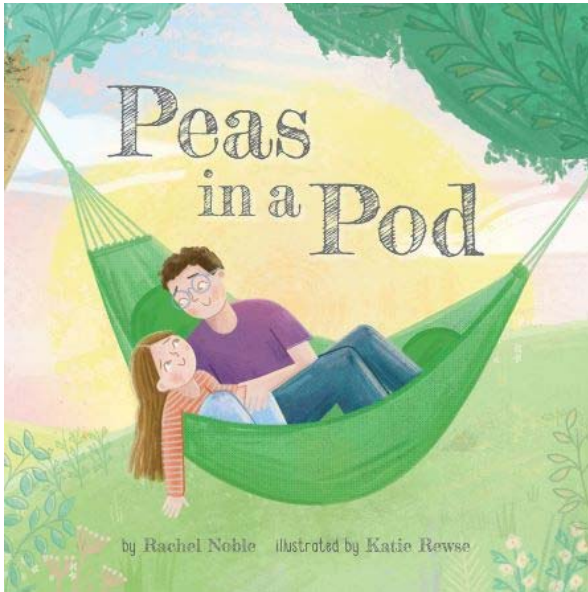
Juvenile Fiction / Animals / Baby Animals • Ages 0-5 years

Series: Baby Dinosaurs

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





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### Peas in a Pod

by Rachel Noble, illustrated by Katie Rewse

Sophie is finally getting used to having just her Dad around after her mother died. Things are going smoothly - Sophie and her dad are like two peas in a pod. But when Sarah and her dog Billy come along, everything changes. Will there be room for more peas in the pod?

Written by Rachel Noble and illustrated by Katie Rewse, this picture book will help any child who has had to adjust to a parent having a new partner.

### Author Bio

Rachel Noble has worked as a producer, journalist, and presenter for many years. Her debut picture book, *Finn's Feather*, was illustrated by Zoey Abbott. She lives in Australia with her family, where she is always watching, learning, and laughing. Visit her at <http://rachelnobleauthor.com/>.

Katie Rewse is an illustrator based on the south coast of the UK, in Bournemouth. She graduated from a Masters Degree in Illustration at the Arts University Bournemouth in 2017. Whilst studying, Katie was longlisted in the House of Illustration and Folio Society Book Competition, and shortlisted for the Batsford Prize. She is the illustrator of *Blessings for Your Baptism*.

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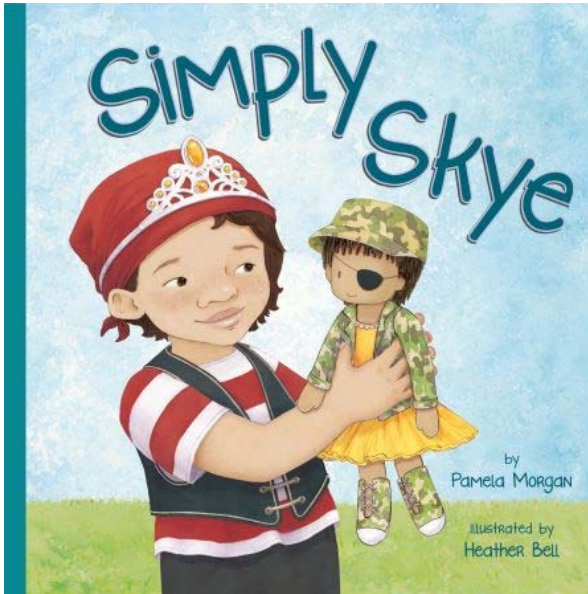
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Juvenile Fiction / Family / Stepfamilies • Ages 7-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion





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### Simply Skye

by Pamela Morgan, illustrated by Heather Bell

Avi's doll Skye is not a boy or a girl. Neither is Avi. But what will their family think? Avi uses Skye to explore gender expression and identity and also to discover how their family will react to Avi's own nonbinary identity. Breaking gender stereotypes, Avi's clothing choices and actions show their brother, sister, and parents who they really are as their family gradually understands and accepts Avi's identity.

As the mother of a nonbinary child, author Pamela Morgan wanted to make the books her child wasn't finding on bookshelves. She is a fierce advocate for transgender rights and an award-winning author and playwright. Illustrator Heather Bell grew up playing tea party, war, and squirrel adventures. The labels "girl" and "boy" never fully fit as Heather felt like both. It would be years before Heather heard the term "non-binary" and felt understood and seen. As a proud member of the LGBTQ+ community and a mother, illustrator Heather Bell sensitively portrays Avi's story with relatable emotions and family dynamics.

A touching story of self-acceptance, *Simply Skye* is a great starting point for discussions of diversity and understanding others and building SEL skills.

The Creative Company

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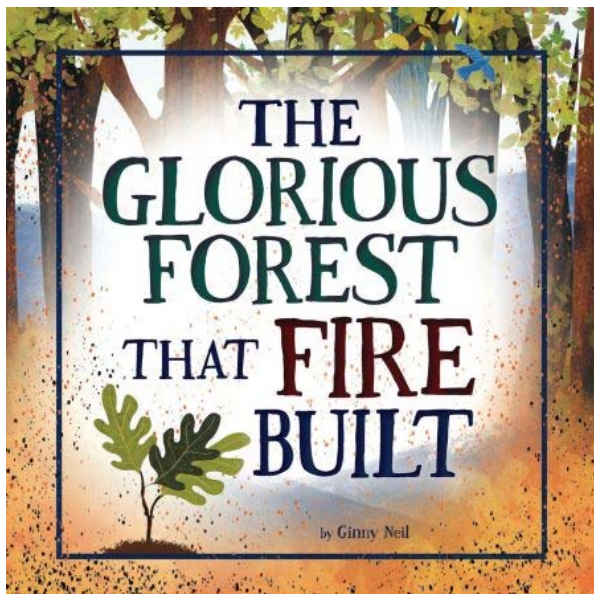
Juvenile Fiction / Family / Parents • Ages 7-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion







THE CREATIVE COMPANY

### **The Glorious Forest that Fire Built**

by Ginny Neil, illustrated by Ginny Neil

A wildfire roars through the forest, leaving nothing but ashes until seeds sprout from deep below. Root by root and seed by seed, the forest rises again. In this lyrical cumulative nonfiction story about forest succession, readers will learn that forest fires are critical to forest health and that the end of a tree's life provides the opportunity for new life. Back matter explains the timeline of the forest cycle in more detail.

Ginny Neil is an author, illustrator, award-winning teacher, and master naturalist. When she's not slogging through a marsh, trying to spot spring peepers or chasing errant sheep across mountains and meadows, she manages an outdoor learning lab, teaches STEM to elementary and middle school students, and writes about all the things and people that make Earth such a fun and fascinating place to live. *The Glorious Forest that Fire Built* is her first picture book.

The Creative Company

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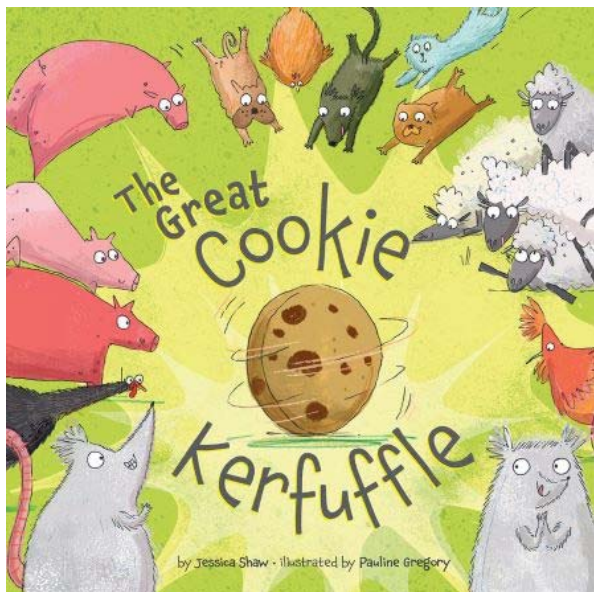
Juvenile Nonfiction / Science & Nature / Disasters •

Ages 7-8 years

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





THE CREATIVE COMPANY

### **The Great Cookie Kerfuffle**

by Jessica Shaw, illustrated by Pauline Gregory

A friendly little farm breaks into chaos as increasing numbers of farm animals fight over a dropped cookie, until there's trouble overhead! United against a common enemy, the animals learn that friendship and taking care of each other is more important than winning a fight.

Written by debut picture book author Jessica Shaw and illustrated by Pauline Gregory, this book counts groups of animals from 1 to 10 and back down again and makes a great read-aloud for friendship-themed story times.

### **Author Bio**

Pauline Gregory is a Devon-based illustrator, living by the sea. She specializes in children's literature. Following her passion, Pauline graduated from Plymouth College of Art with an honors BA in illustration.

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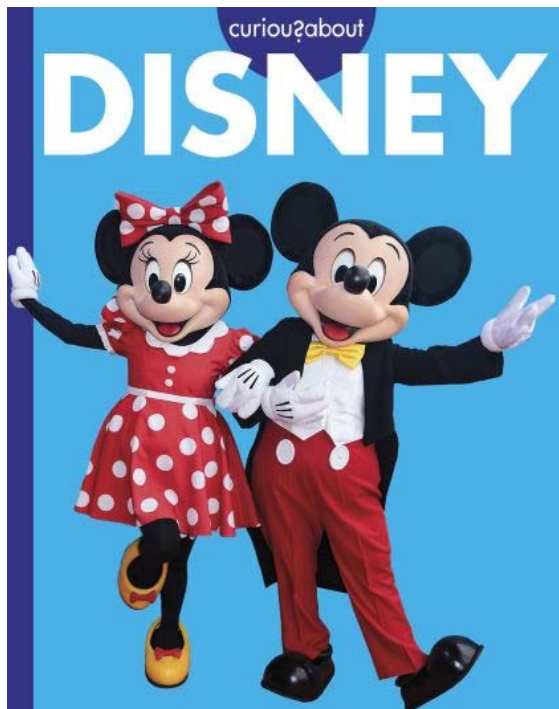
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Juvenile Fiction / Animals / Farm Animals • Ages 7-8 years

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





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### Curious about Disney

by Rachel Grack

What was the first Disney movie? How are animated movies made? Spark kids' natural curiosity with an inquiry-based exploration of the brand that makes their favorite movies.

Disney is known for its blockbuster movies. The magic comes from its storytelling, but there's more to know about this iconic entertainment brand. Kid-friendly text takes readers behind the scenes to answer questions about the Disney brothers, animated films, Disney parks, characters, and more! Simple infographics draw in browsers and visual learners.

A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a mini media literacy lesson on research skills. Includes glossary and index.

The Creative Company

On Sale: Aug 8/23

7 x 9 • 24 pages

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Juvenile Nonfiction / History / General • Ages 7-8 years

Series: Curious about Favorite Brands

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### Curious about LEGO

by Rachel Grack

Who invented LEGOs? What is the biggest LEGO structure ever built? Spark kids' natural curiosity with an inquiry-based exploration of the brand that makes their favorite building bricks.

LEGO" comes from the Danish words that mean "play well." Kids love building sets and their own creations out of simple bricks, but there is more to this iconic toy brand. Kid-friendly questions and answers give readers an inside look at LEGO's history, brick making, set designing, movies, biggest models, and much more! Simple infographics draw in browsers and visual learners.

A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a mini media literacy lesson on research skills. Includes glossary and index.

The Creative Company

On Sale: Aug 8/23

7 x 9 • 24 pages

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Juvenile Nonfiction / History / General • Ages 7-8 years

Series: Curious about Favorite Brands

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THE CREATIVE COMPANY

### Curious about Minecraft

by Rachel Grack

What are mobs and who is Steve? Spark kids' natural curiosity with an inquiry-based exploration of their favorite video game brand.

Players build, mine, and explore the three-dimensional block worlds of Minecraft, but there is more to this best-selling sandbox game. Kid-friendly questions and answers give readers an inside look at Minecraft's creation, play modes, YouTube tips, real-world applications, and much more! Simple infographics draw in browsers and visual learners.

A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a mini media literacy lesson on research skills. Includes glossary and index.

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Games & Activities / Video &

Electronic Games • Ages 7-8 years

Series: Curious about Favorite Brands

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### Curious about Nintendo

by Rachel Grack

How did Mario get his name? Could you get paid to play video games? Spark kids' natural curiosity with an inquiry-based exploration of the brand that makes their favorite game consoles.

Did you know Nintendo started out making Japanese playing cards? Its first video game did okay, but the release of Donkey Kong in 1981 was a hit! Since then, the iconic company has become the biggest video game brand in the world. Kid-friendly questions and answers give readers an inside look at Nintendo's early electronics, popular games, creation of Mario, theme parks, and much more. Simple infographics draw in browsers and visual learners.

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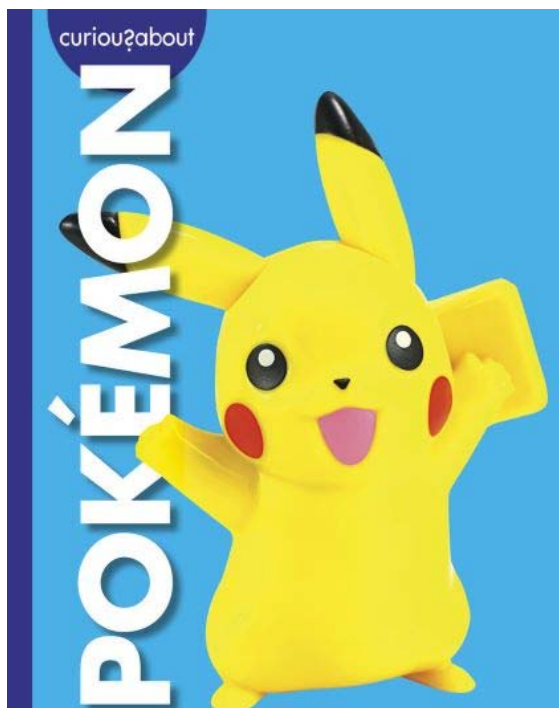
Juvenile Nonfiction / Games & Activities / Video &  
Electronic Games • Ages 7-8 years

Series: Curious about Favorite Brands

### Notes

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THE CREATIVE COMPANY

### Curious about Pokemon

by Rachel Grack

How many Pokemon are there really? Which is the most powerful Pokemon? Spark kids' natural curiosity with an inquiry-based exploration of the brand that makes their favorite battling game.

Pokemon is short for pocket monsters. In the game, trainers capture and battle Pokemon to become the champion, but there is more to this iconic game brand. Kid-friendly questions and answers give readers an inside look at the creation of Pokemon cards and video games; the different stats, types, and evolutions; how to build a Pokedex; and much more! Simple infographics draw in browsers and visual learners.

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Juvenile Nonfiction / History / General • Ages 7-8 years

Series: Curious about Favorite Brands

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### Curious about YouTube

by Rachel Grack

How do YouTubers make money? What makes a video go viral? Spark kids' natural curiosity with an inquiry-based exploration of their favorite video-sharing brand.

Unboxing videos, catchy tunes, and silly challenges - kids can't get enough YouTube videos, but there's more to this social media platform. Kid-friendly questions and answers give readers an inside look at who created YouTube, its quick rise in popularity, what it takes to become a famous YouTuber, and much more! Simple infographics draw in browsers and visual learners.

A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a mini media literacy lesson on research skills. Includes glossary and index.

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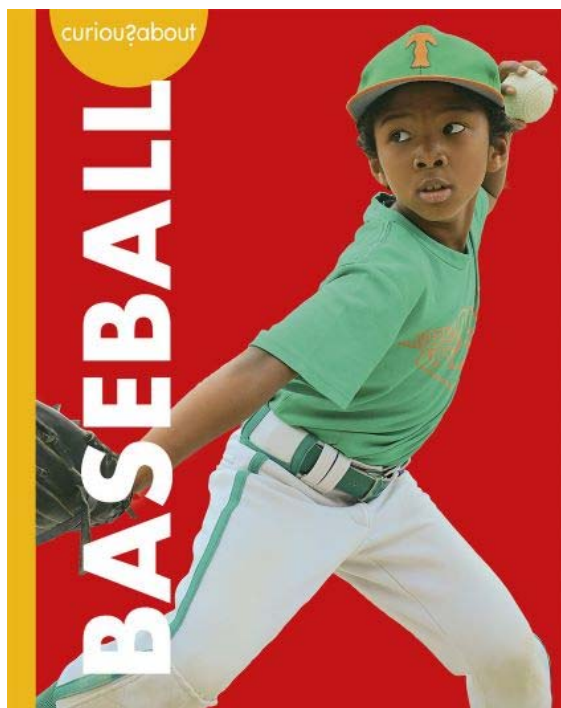
Series: Curious about Favorite Brands

### Notes

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THE CREATIVE COMPANY

### Curious about Baseball

by Thomas K. and Heather Adamson

Get kids ready to play ball! What's the difference between the infield and outfield? How many ways can you get an out? Conversational questions and answers share what kids can expect when they join a baseball team, including what gear to pack, some basic rules of play, and what those secret hand signals mean. Did You Know" fact boxes and infographics catch sports fans' attention and are a hit with visual learners. A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a mini media literacy lesson on research skills. Includes glossary and index.

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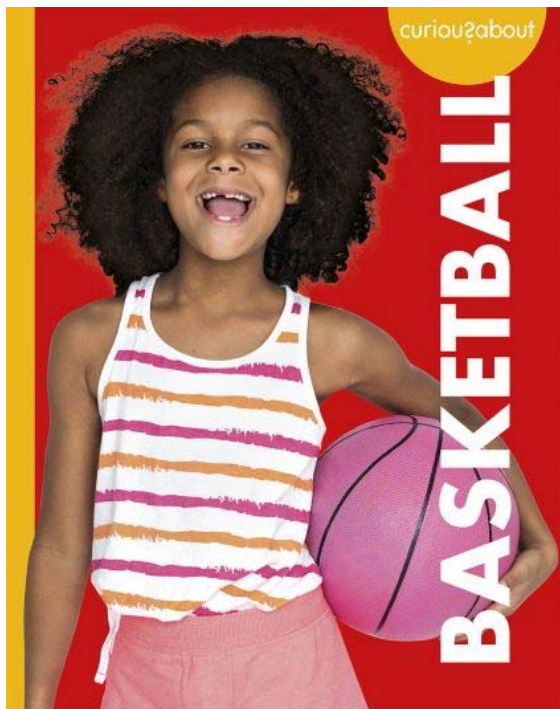
Juvenile Nonfiction / Games & Activities / Questions & Answers • Ages 7-8 years

Series: Curious about Sports

### Notes

### Promotion





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### Curious about Basketball

by Joe Tischler

Get kids ready to shoot some hoops! What position should you play? Do you need special basketball shoes? Conversational questions and answers share what kids can expect when they join a basketball team, including what gear to pack, some basic rules of play, and how a team works together to score points. Did You Know" fact boxes and infographics draw in sports fans and visual learners. A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a mini media literacy lesson on research skills. A Stay Curious! feature models research skills while simple infographics support visual literacy. Includes glossary and index.

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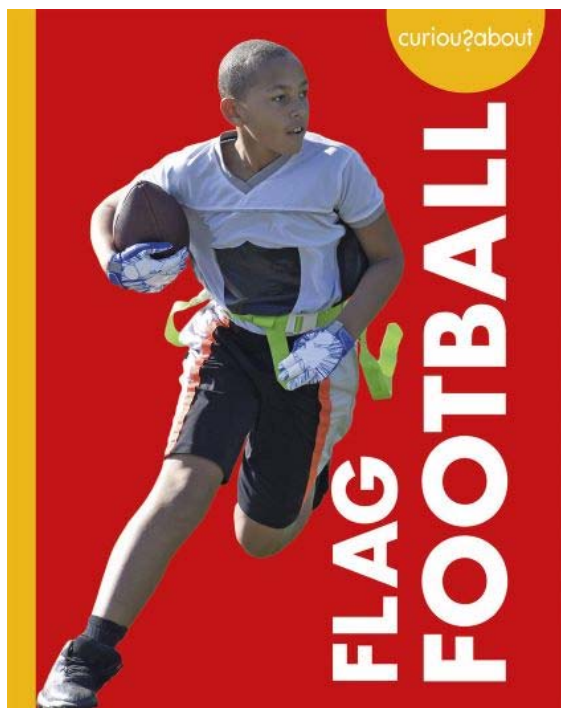
Juvenile Nonfiction / Games & Activities / Questions & Answers • Ages 7-8 years

Series: Curious about Sports

### Notes

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THE CREATIVE COMPANY

### Curious about Football

by Thomas K. and Heather Adamson

Get kids ready for the gridiron! What's the best way to throw a football? How do you tackle" in flag football? Conversational questions and answers share what kids can expect when they join a flag football team, including what gear to pack, some basic rules and plays, and what the defense and offense do. "Did You Know" fact boxes and infographics catch sports fans' attention and help visual learners tackle new concepts. A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a mini media literacy lesson on research skills. Includes glossary and index.

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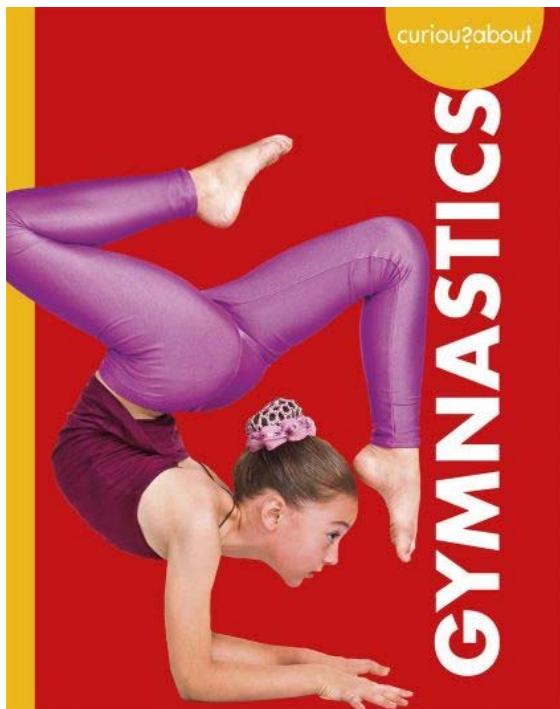
Juvenile Nonfiction / Games & Activities / Questions & Answers • Ages 7-8 years

Series: Curious about Sports

### Notes

### Promotion





THE CREATIVE COMPANY

### Curious about Gymnastics

by Thomas K. and Heather Adamson

Get kids ready to jump, flip, and tumble around! How do gymnasts jump so high? What is a gymnastics meet like? Conversational questions and answers share what kids can expect when they join gymnastics, including what clothes to wear, some basic skills and scoring, and what the different events for boys and girls are. Did You Know" fact boxes and infographics help visual learners stick the landing on learning new concepts. A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a mini media literacy lesson on research skills. Includes glossary and index.

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Games & Activities / Questions & Answers • Ages 7-8 years

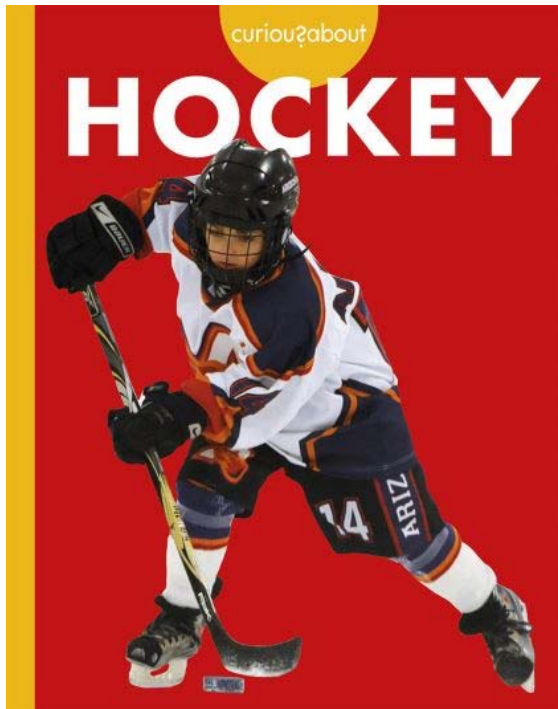
Series: Curious about Sports

### Notes

### Promotion







THE CREATIVE COMPANY

### Curious about Hockey

by Lisa M. Bolt Simons

Get kids ready to pass the puck! How early is hockey practice, and why do players need all those pads? Conversational questions and answers share what kids can expect when they join a hockey team, including important gear to pack, what position to play, and some basic rules to know. Did You Know" fact boxes and infographics catch sports fans' attention and help visual learners learn new concepts. A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a minimedia literacy lesson on research skills. Includes glossary and index.

### Author Bio

Lisa M. Bolt Simons has published more than 60 nonfiction children's books, as well as four middle grade choose your path novels and an adult history book. She's twice received an Honorable Mention for the McKnight Artist Fellowship for Writers in Children's Literature. She's also received two Minnesota State Arts Board grants and other accolades for her writing. Lisa is a proud mom to her science- and math-minded twin daughter and son. Originally from Colorado, Lisa lives in Minnesota with her husband, who also loves to read.

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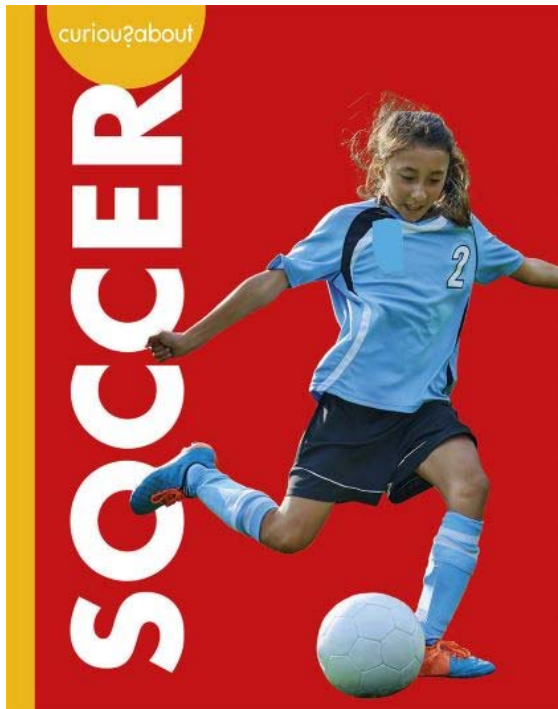
Juvenile Nonfiction / Games & Activities / Questions & Answers • Ages 7-8 years

Series: Curious about Sports

### Notes

### Promotion





THE CREATIVE COMPANY

### Curious about Soccer

by Lisa M. Bolt Simons

Get kids ready for to hit the soccer field! How many kids are on a team? Why do players wear cleats? Conversational questions and answers share what kids can expect when they join a soccer team, including what gear to pack, some basic rules of play, and different kicks for passing and scoring. Did You Know" fact boxes and infographics catch sports fans' attention and help visual learners score on new concepts. A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a mini media literacy lesson on research skills. Includes glossary and index.

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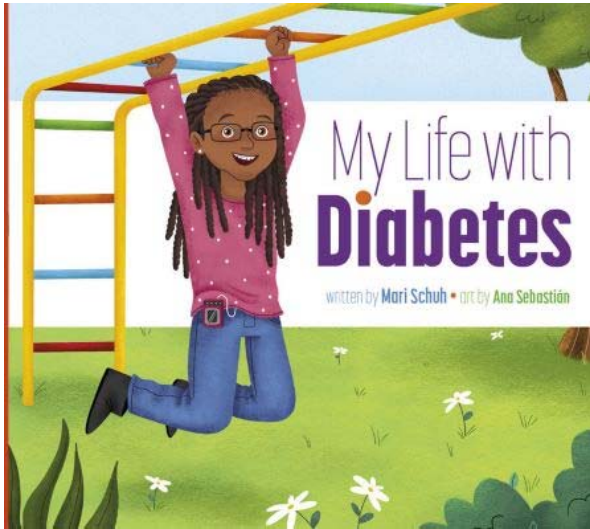
Juvenile Nonfiction / Games & Activities / Questions & Answers • Ages 7-8 years

Series: Curious about Sports

### Notes

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THE CREATIVE COMPANY

### **My Life with Diabetes**

by Mari Schuh, illustrated by Ana Sebastian

Meet Tiana! She likes gymnastics, cooking, and drawing. She also has diabetes. Tiana is real and so are her experiences. Learn about her life in this illustrated narrative nonfiction picture book for elementary students.

Kids are naturally curious about differences. Tiana sheds light on her life, with the help of experienced children's author Mari Schuh. Tiana is not defined by diabetes, but she does some things differently, like needing to test her blood sugar before meals. Let Tiana tell you a little about her life.

Colorful, realistic illustrations and a dyslexic-friendly font promote accessibility. Includes tips for kids about interacting with someone who has diabetes.

### **Author Bio**

Mari Schuh's love of reading began with cereal boxes at the kitchen table. Today, she is the author of hundreds of nonfiction books for beginning readers, covering topics from tomatoes to tornadoes. Mari lives in the Midwest with her husband and their super sassy house rabbit. Learn more about her at [marischuh.com](http://marischuh.com).

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Health / Diet & Nutrition • Ages 7

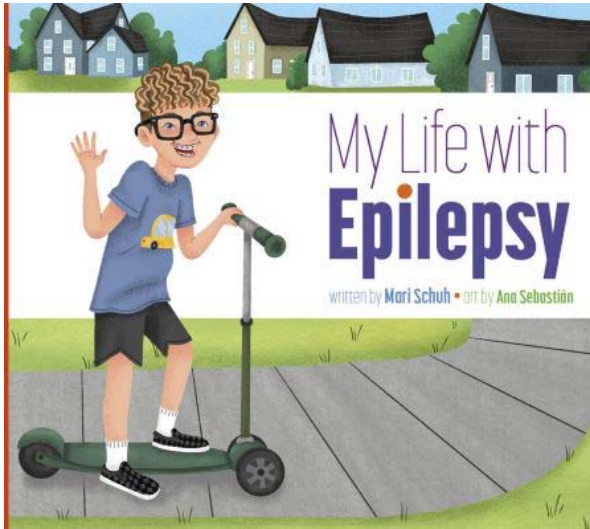
-8 years

Series: My Life With...

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





THE CREATIVE COMPANY

### **My Life with Epilepsy**

by Mari Schuh, illustrated by Ana Sebastian

Meet Max! He likes riding his scooter and playing with his dog. He also has epilepsy. Max is real and so are his experiences. Learn about his life in this illustrated narrative nonfiction picture book for elementary students.

Kids are naturally curious about differences. Max sheds light on his life, with the help of experienced children's author Mari Schuh. Max is not defined by his disorder, but he sometimes misses school and always needs an adult with him in case he has a seizure. Let Max tell you a little about his life.

Colorful, realistic illustrations and a dyslexic-friendly font promote accessibility. Includes tips for kids about interacting with someone who has epilepsy.

### **Author Bio**

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Social Situations / Special Needs

• Ages 7-8 years

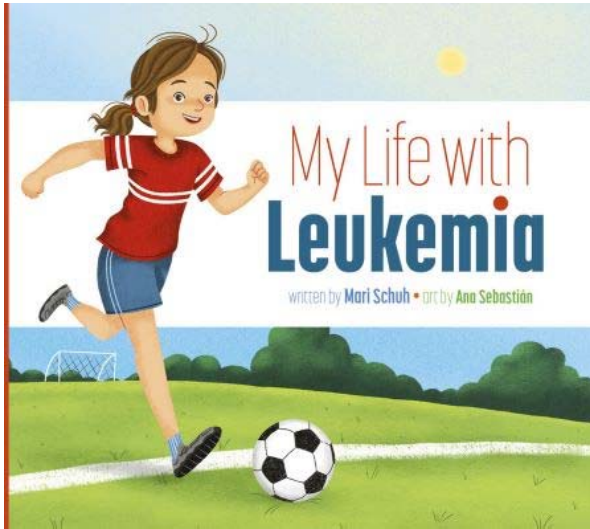
Series: My Life With...

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**







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### **My Life with Leukemia**

by Mari Schuh, illustrated by Ana Sebastian

Meet Jocelyn! She likes soccer and dinosaurs. She is also a leukemia survivor. Jocelyn is real and so are her experiences. Learn about her life in this illustrated narrative nonfiction picture book for elementary students.

Kids are naturally curious about differences. Jocelyn sheds light on her on her life fighting childhood cancer, with the help of experienced children's author Mari Schuh. Jocelyn is not defined by leukemia, but she still has side effects from chemotherapy. Let Jocelyn tell you a little about her life.

Colorful, realistic illustrations and a dyslexic-friendly font promote accessibility. Includes tips for kids about interacting with someone who has leukemia.

### **Author Bio**

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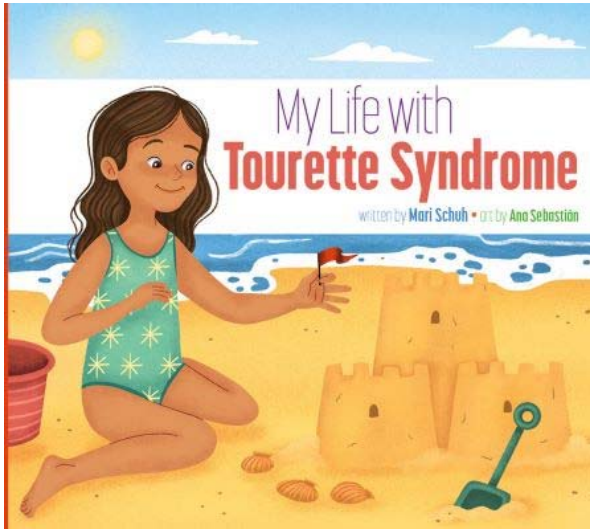
Juvenile Nonfiction / Health / General • Ages 7-8 years

Series: My Life With...

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





THE CREATIVE COMPANY

### **My Life with Tourette Syndrome**

by Mari Schuh, illustrated by Ana Sebastian

Meet Emma! She loves riding roller coasters and playing at the beach. She also has Tourette syndrome. Emma is real and so are her experiences. Learn about her life in this illustrated narrative nonfiction picture book for elementary students.

Kids are naturally curious about differences. Emma sheds light on her life, with the help of experienced children's author Mari Schuh. Emma is not defined by Tourette syndrome, but she has some challenges dealing with tics. Let Emma tell you a little about her life.

Colorful, realistic illustrations and a dyslexic-friendly font promote accessibility. Includes tips for kids about interacting with someone who has Tourette syndrome.

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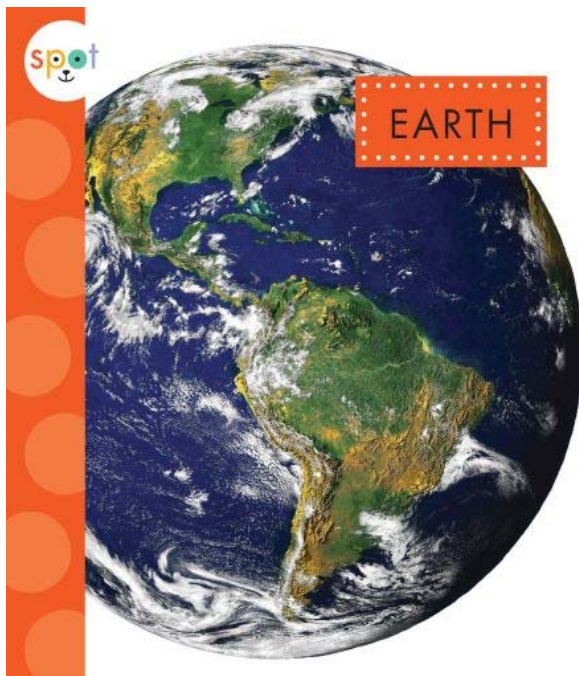
Juvenile Nonfiction / Social Issues / Depression & Mental Illness • Ages 7-8 years

Series: My Life With...

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### Earth

by Alissa Thielges

Earth - home sweet home. Developing readers find out what makes our planet unique in this low-level search-and-find beginning reader.

With liquid water and an abundance of life, Earth has many features that we have yet to find anywhere else in the universe. Early readers discover new vocabulary about Earth's geography and space features, such as the moon and satellites that orbit this blue planet.

A search-and-find feature reinforces new concepts to build reading success while close-up images captivate young astronomers. A great early STEM book to inspire science learning for kindergartners and first graders.

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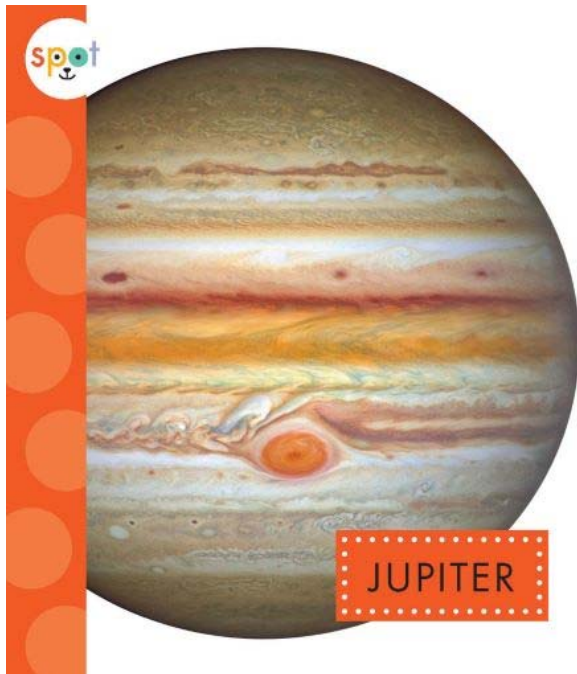
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### Jupiter

by Alissa Thielges

Jupiter - big and colorful. Developing readers learn about the mighty gas giant's key features in this low-level search-and-find beginning reader.

Fifth from the sun, Jupiter's size makes it the king planet of our solar system. Its iconic Great Red Spot is bigger than Earth! Early readers discover new vocabulary about Jupiter's weather, place in the solar system, and satellites, such as its biggest moon and NASA's probe, Juno.

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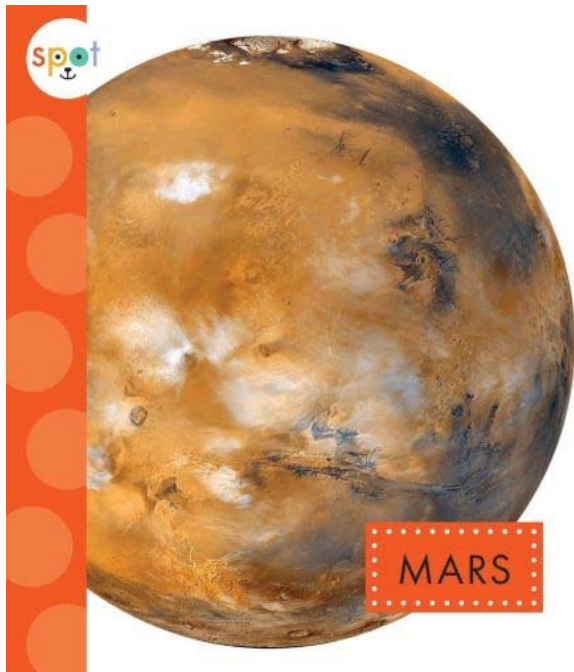
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### Mars

by Alissa Thielges

Mars - our mysterious red neighbor in space. Developing readers learn key features about Mars in this low-level search-and-find beginning reader.

Scientists have been studying Mars for many years. It is one of the most explored planets, right after Earth. Early readers discover new vocabulary about Mar's geography, such as the tallest volcano in the solar system and what makes the dirt look red, and the latest rover to land there.

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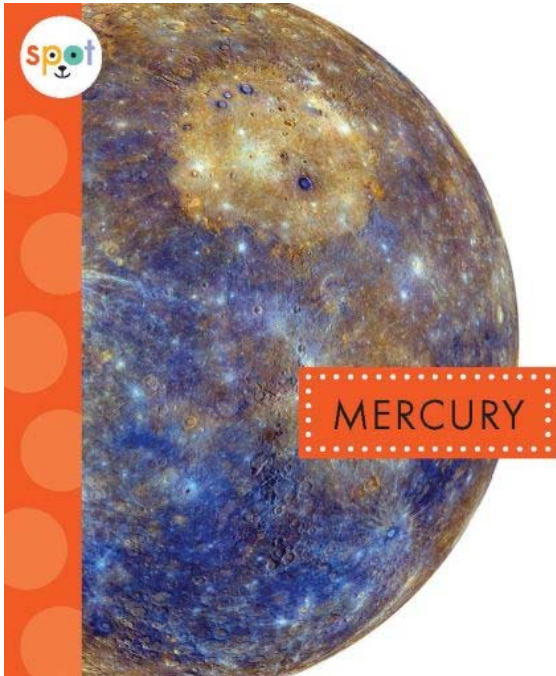
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### Mercury

by Alissa Thielges

Mercury - rocky and hot. Developing readers learn about our solar system's smallest planet and its key features in this low-level search-and-find beginning reader.

Orbiting closest to our sun, Mercury is about the size of Earth's moon. Its gray, wrinkly surface is covered in craters and cliffs. Early readers discover new vocabulary about Mercury's geography, place in the solar system, and latest spacecraft to visit it.

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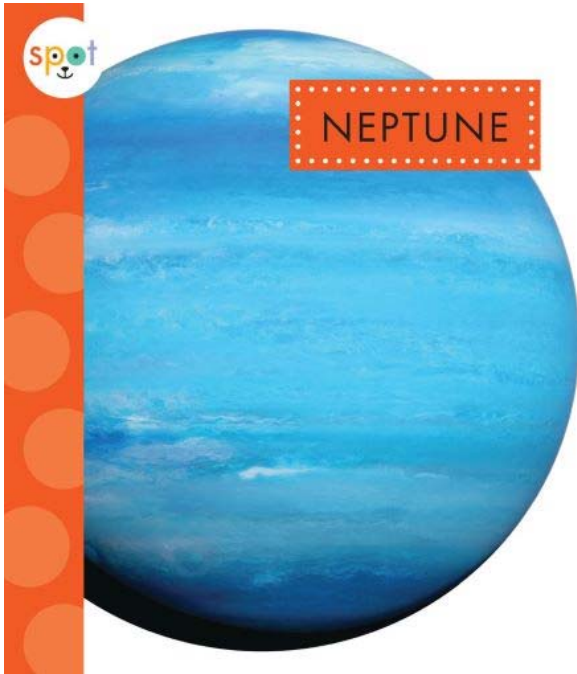
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### Neptune

by Alissa Thielges

Neptune - blue, cold, and dark. Developing readers learn about the ice giant's key features in this low-level search-and-find beginning reader.

Get out your telescopes! Far, far away from our sun's reach, Neptune slowly orbits in our solar system. This blue planet has windy storms and 14 moons. Early readers discover new vocabulary about Neptune's features, including facts about its biggest moon, Triton, and the spacecraft that once took pictures of it.

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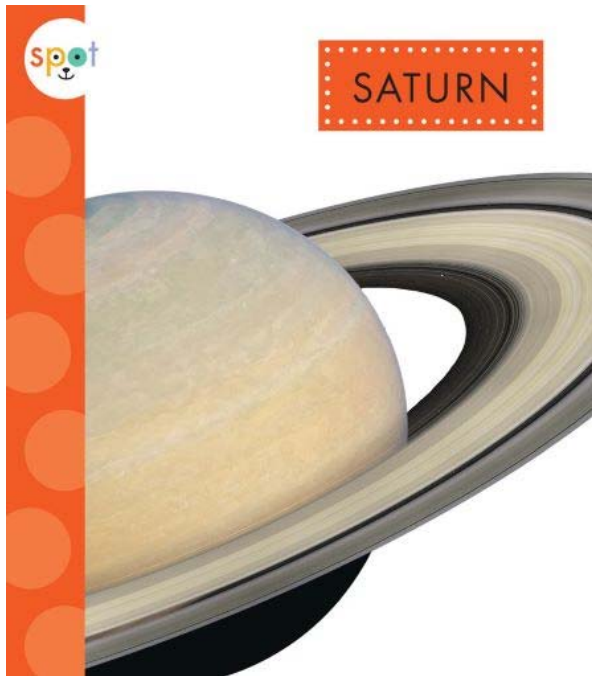
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### Saturn

by Alissa Thielges

Saturn - large and ringed. Developing readers learn about the gas giant's key features in this low-level search-and-find beginning reader.

Most famous for its dazzling rings, Saturn also has a hexagon-shaped storm at its north pole. Early readers discover new vocabulary about the second-largest planet in our solar system, including facts about its biggest moon, Titan, and the latest NASA probe.

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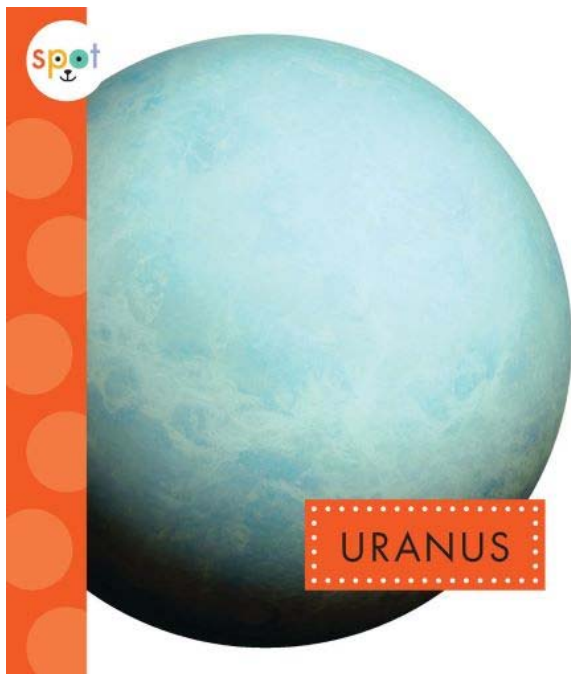
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### Uranus

by Alissa Thielges

Uranus - cold and icy. Developing readers learn about the ice giant's key features in this low-level search-and-find.

Uranus is one cool planet. Seventh from the sun, Uranus orbits on its side. Its blueish-green color comes from its clouds, and when it storms, diamonds rain down! Early readers discover new vocabulary about this planet in our solar system, including facts about its weather, faint rings, and the only spacecraft to fly by it.

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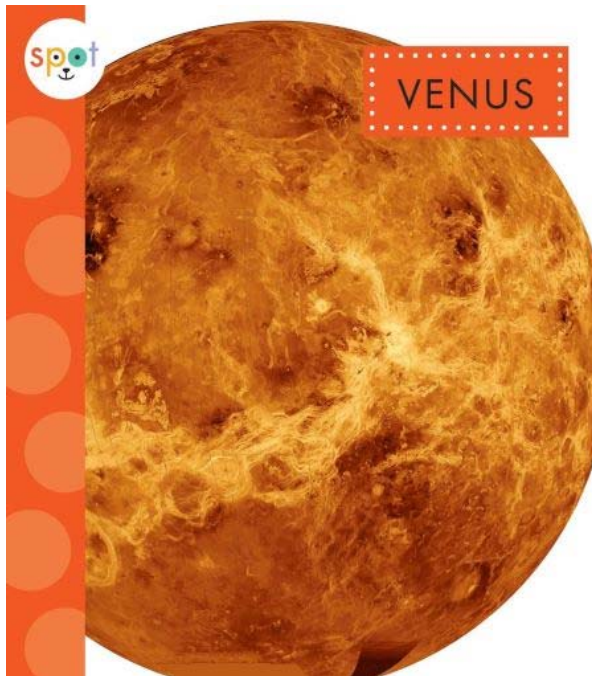
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### Venus

by Mari Schuh

Venus - hot and cloudy. Developing readers learn about the rocky planet's key features in this low-level search-and-find beginning reader.

Venus isn't the closest to the sun, but thanks to its thick clouds that trap heat, it's the hottest! This rocky planet has a large, iron core and looks like a bright star in the night sky. Early readers discover new vocabulary about the second planet in our solar system, including facts about its geography, atmosphere, and a spacecraft that once studied it.

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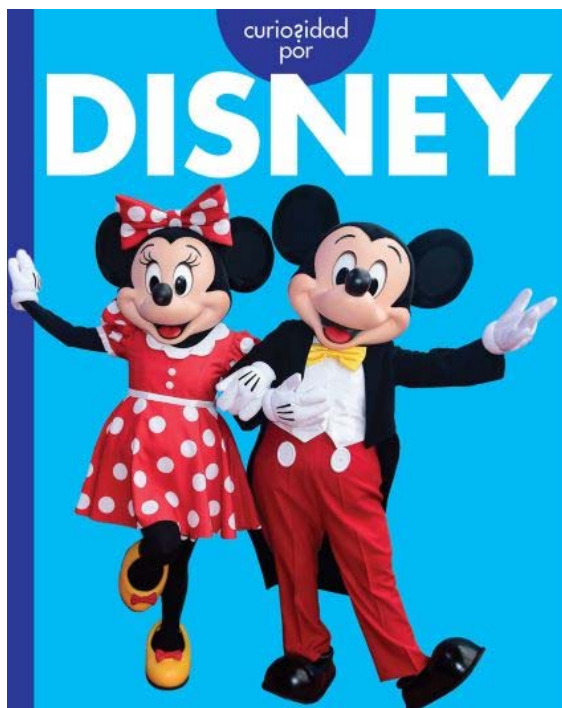
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### Curiosidad por Disney

by Rachel Grack

What was the first Disney movie? How are animated movies made? Spark kids' natural curiosity with an inquiry-based exploration of the brand that makes their favorite movies.

Disney is known for its blockbuster movies. The magic comes from its storytelling, but there's more to know about this iconic entertainment brand. Kid-friendly text takes readers behind the scenes to answer questions about the Disney brothers, animated films, Disney parks, characters, and more! Simple infographics draw in browsers and visual learners.

A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a mini media literacy lesson on research skills. Includes glossary and index.

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### Curiosidad por LEGO

by Rachel Grack

Who invented LEGOs? What is the biggest LEGO structure ever built? Spark kids' natural curiosity with an inquiry-based exploration of the brand that makes their favorite building bricks.

LEGO" comes from the Danish words that mean "play well." Kids love building sets and their own creations out of simple bricks, but there is more to this iconic toy brand. Kid-friendly questions and answers give readers an inside look at LEGO's history, brick making, set designing, movies, biggest models, and much more! Simple infographics draw in browsers and visual learners.

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### Curiosidad por Minecraft

by Rachel Grack

What are mobs and who is Steve? Spark kids' natural curiosity with an inquiry-based exploration of their favorite video game brand.

Players build, mine, and explore the three-dimensional block worlds of Minecraft, but there is more to this best-selling sandbox game. Kid-friendly questions and answers give readers an inside look at Minecraft's creation, play modes, YouTube tips, real-world applications, and much more! Simple infographics draw in browsers and visual learners.

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### Curiosidad por Nintendo

by Rachel Grack

How did Mario get his name? Could you get paid to play video games? Spark kids' natural curiosity with an inquiry-based exploration of the brand that makes their favorite game consoles.

Did you know Nintendo started out making Japanese playing cards? Its first video game did okay, but the release of Donkey Kong in 1981 was a hit! Since then, the iconic company has become the biggest video game brand in the world. Kid-friendly questions and answers give readers an inside look at Nintendo's early electronics, popular games, creation of Mario, theme parks, and much more. Simple infographics draw in browsers and visual learners.

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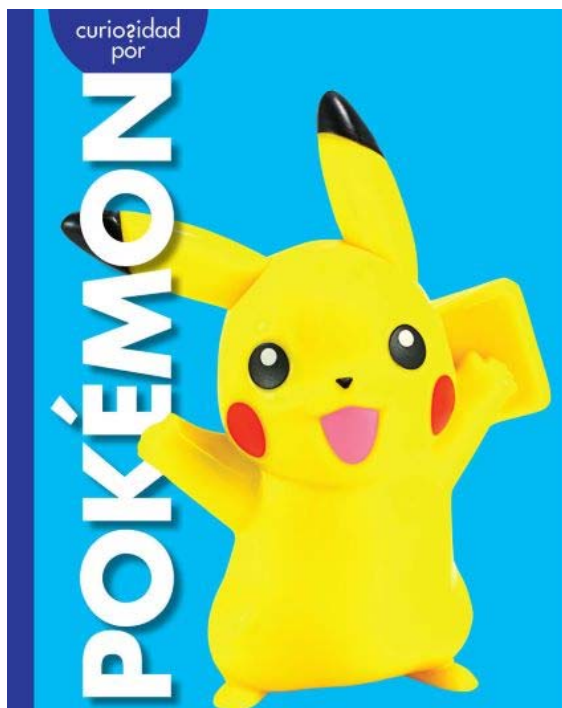
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### Curiosidad por Pokemon

by Rachel Grack

How many Pokemon are there really? Which is the most powerful Pokemon? Spark kids' natural curiosity with an inquiry-based exploration of the brand that makes their favorite battling game.

Pokemon is short for pocket monsters. In the game, trainers capture and battle Pokemon to become the champion, but there is more to this iconic game brand. Kid-friendly questions and answers give readers an inside look at the creation of Pokemon cards and video games; the different stats, types, and evolutions; how to build a Pokedex; and much more! Simple infographics draw in browsers and visual learners.

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### Curiosidad por YouTube

by Rachel Grack

How do YouTubers make money? What makes a video go viral? Spark kids' natural curiosity with an inquiry-based exploration of their favorite video-sharing brand.

Unboxing videos, catchy tunes, and silly challenges - kids can't get enough YouTube videos, but there's more to this social media platform. Kid-friendly questions and answers give readers an inside look at who created YouTube, its quick rise in popularity, what it takes to become a famous YouTuber, and much more! Simple infographics draw in browsers and visual learners.

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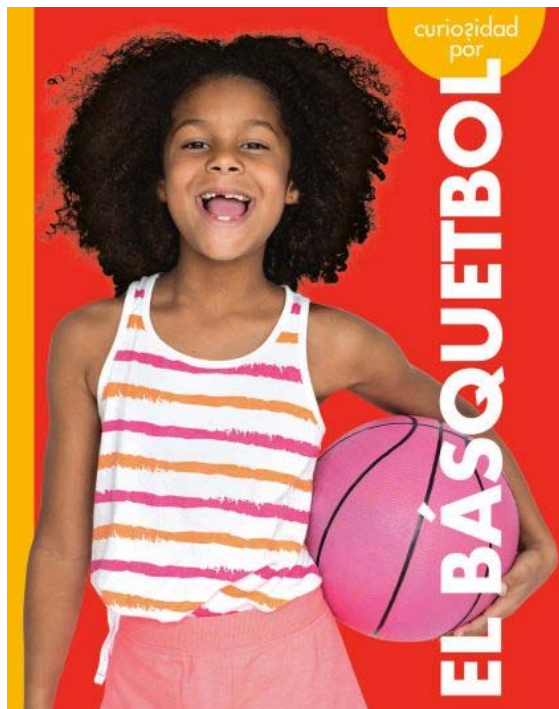
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### Curiosidad por el basquetbol

by Joe Tischler

Get kids ready to shoot some hoops! What position should you play? Do you need special basketball shoes? Conversational questions and answers, translated into Spanish, share what kids can expect when they join a basketball team, including what gear to pack, some basic rules of play, and how a team works together to score points. Did You Know" fact boxes and infographics draw in sports fans and visual learners. A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a mini media literacy lesson on research skills. A Stay Curious! feature models research skills while simple infographics support visual literacy. Includes glossary and index. North American Spanish translation.

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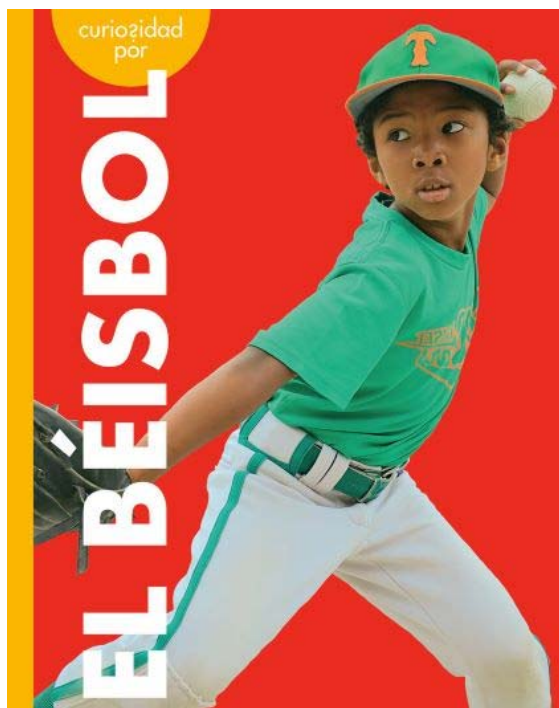
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### Curiosidad por el beisbol

by Thomas K. and Heather Adamson

Get kids ready to play ball! What's the difference between the infield and outfield? How many ways can you get an out? Conversational questions and answers, translated into Spanish, share what kids can expect when they join a baseball team, including what gear to pack, some basic rules of play, and what those secret hand signals mean. Did You Know" fact boxes and infographics catch sports fans' attention and are a hit with visual learners. A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a mini media literacy lesson on research skills. Includes glossary and index. North American Spanish translation.

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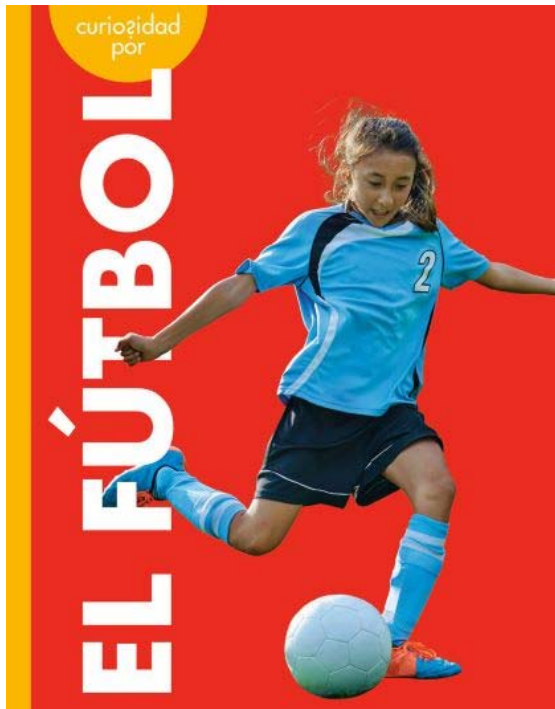
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### Curiosidad por el futbol

by Lisa M. Bolt Simons

Get kids ready for to hit the soccer field! How many kids are on a team? Why do players wear cleats? Conversational questions and answers, translated into Spanish, share what kids can expect when they join a soccer team, including what gear to pack, some basic rules of play, and different kicks for passing and scoring. Did You Know" fact boxes and infographics catch sports fans' attention and help visual learners score on new concepts. A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a mini media literacy lesson on research skills. Includes glossary and index. North American Spanish translation.

### Author Bio

Lisa M. Bolt Simons has published more than 60 nonfiction children's books, as well as four middle grade choose your path novels and an adult history book. She's twice received an Honorable Mention for the McKnight Artist Fellowship for Writers in Children's Literature. She's also received two Minnesota State Arts Board grants and other accolades for her writing. Lisa is a proud mom to her science- and math-minded twin daughter and son. Originally from Colorado, Lisa lives in Minnesota with her husband, who also loves to read.

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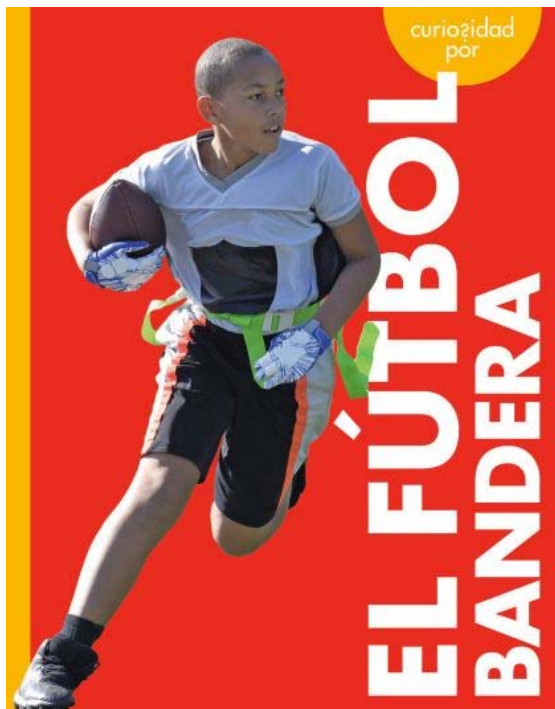
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### Curiosidad por el fútbol americano

by Thomas K. and Heather Adamson

Get kids ready for the gridiron! What's the best way to throw a football? How do you tackle" in flag football? Conversational questions and answers, translated into Spanish, share what kids can expect when they join a flag football team, including what gear to pack, some basic rules and plays, and what the defense and offense do. "Did You Know" fact boxes and infographics catch sports fans' attention and help visual learners tackle new concepts. A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a mini media literacy lesson on research skills. Includes glossary and index. North American Spanish translation.

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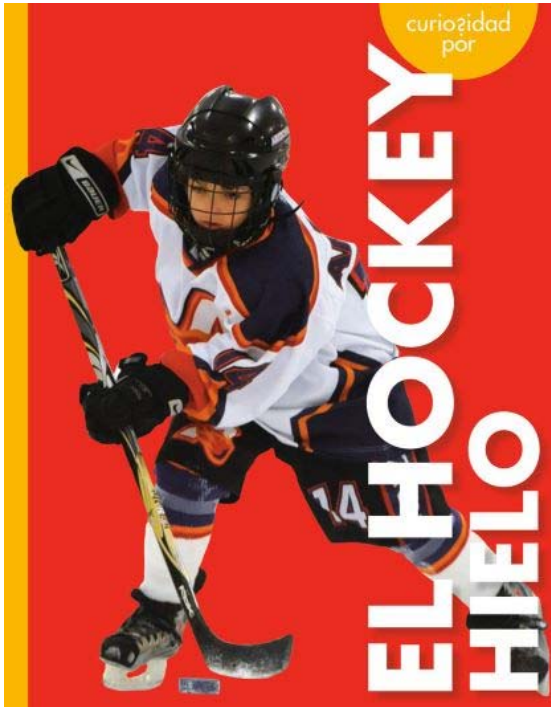
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### Curiosidad por el hockey hielo

by Lisa M. Bolt Simons

Get kids ready to pass the puck! How early is hockey practice, and why do players need all those pads? Conversational questions and answers, translated into Spanish, share what kids can expect when they join a hockey team, including important gear to pack, what position to play, and some basic rules to know. Did You Know" fact boxes and infographics catch sports fans' attention and help visual learners learn new concepts. A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a mini media literacy lesson on research skills. Includes glossary and index. North American Spanish translation.

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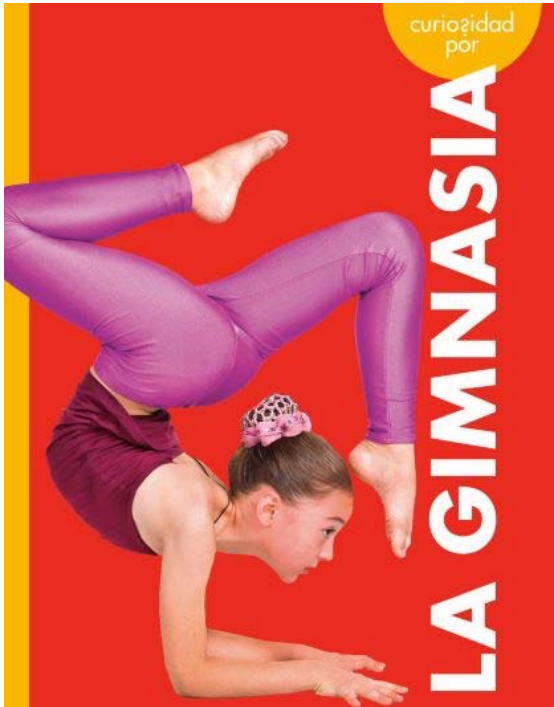
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### Curiosidad por la gimnasia

by Thomas K. and Heather Adamson

Get kids ready to jump, flip, and tumble around! How do gymnasts jump so high? What is a gymnastics meet like? Conversational questions and answers, translated into Spanish, share what kids can expect when they join gymnastics, including what clothes to wear, some basic skills and scoring, and what the different events for boys and girls are. Did You Know" fact boxes and infographics help visual learners stick the landing on learning new concepts. A Stay Curious! feature encourages kids to keep asking questions while doubling as a mini media literacy lesson on research skills. Includes glossary and index. North American Spanish translation.

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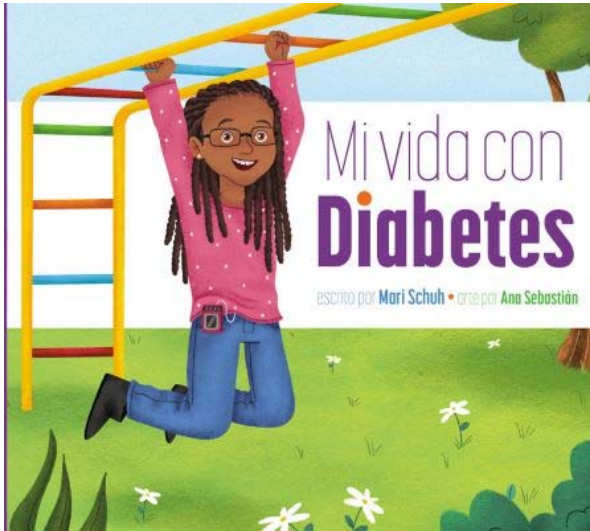
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### **Mi vida con diabetes**

by Mari Schuh, illustrated by Ana Sebastian

Meet Tiana! She likes gymnastics, cooking, and drawing. She also has diabetes. Tiana is real and so are her experiences. Learn about her life in this Spanish translation of *My Life with Diabetes*, an illustrated narrative nonfiction picture book for elementary students.

Kids are naturally curious about differences. Tiana sheds light on her life, with the help of experienced children's author Mari Schuh. Tiana is not defined by diabetes, but she does some things differently, like needing to test her blood sugar before meals. Let Tiana tell you a little about her life.

Colorful, realistic illustrations and a dyslexic-friendly font promote accessibility. Includes tips for kids about interacting with someone who has diabetes.

### **Author Bio**

Mari Schuh's love of reading began with cereal boxes at the kitchen table. Today, she is the author of hundreds of nonfiction books for beginning readers, covering topics from tomatoes to tornadoes. Mari lives in the Midwest with her husband and their super sassy house rabbit. Learn more about her at [marischuh.com](http://marischuh.com).

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### **Mi vida con epilepsia**

by Mari Schuh, illustrated by Ana Sebastian

Meet Max! He likes riding his scooter and playing with his dog. He also has epilepsy. Max is real and so are his experiences. Learn about his life in this Spanish translation of *My Life with Epilepsy*, an illustrated narrative nonfiction picture book for elementary students.

Kids are naturally curious about differences. Max sheds light on his life, with the help of experienced children's author Mari Schuh. Max is not defined by his disorder, but he sometimes misses school and always needs an adult with him in case he has a seizure. Let Max tell you a little about his life.

Colorful, realistic illustrations and a dyslexic-friendly font promote accessibility. Includes tips for kids about interacting with someone who has epilepsy.

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### **Mi vida con leucemia**

by Mari Schuh, illustrated by Ana Sebastian

Meet Jocelyn! She likes soccer and dinosaurs. She is also a leukemia survivor. Jocelyn is real and so are her experiences. Learn about her life in this Spanish translation of *My Life with Leukemia*, an this illustrated narrative nonfiction picture book for elementary students.

Kids are naturally curious about differences. Jocelyn sheds light on her life fighting childhood cancer, with the help of experienced children's author Mari Schuh. Jocelyn is not defined by leukemia, but she still has side effects from chemotherapy. Let Jocelyn tell you a little about her life.

Colorful, realistic illustrations and a dyslexic-friendly font promote accessibility. Includes tips for kids about interacting with someone who has leukemia.

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### **Mi vida con síndrome de Tourette**

by Mari Schuh, illustrated by Ana Sebastian

Meet Emma! She loves riding roller coasters and playing at the beach. She also has Tourette syndrome. Emma is real and so are her experiences. Learn about her life in this Spanish translation of My Life with Tourette Syndrome, an illustrated narrative nonfiction picture book for elementary students.

Kids are naturally curious about differences. Emma sheds light on her life, with the help of experienced children's author Mari Schuh. Emma is not defined by Tourette syndrome, but she has some challenges dealing with tics. Let Emma tell you a little about her life.

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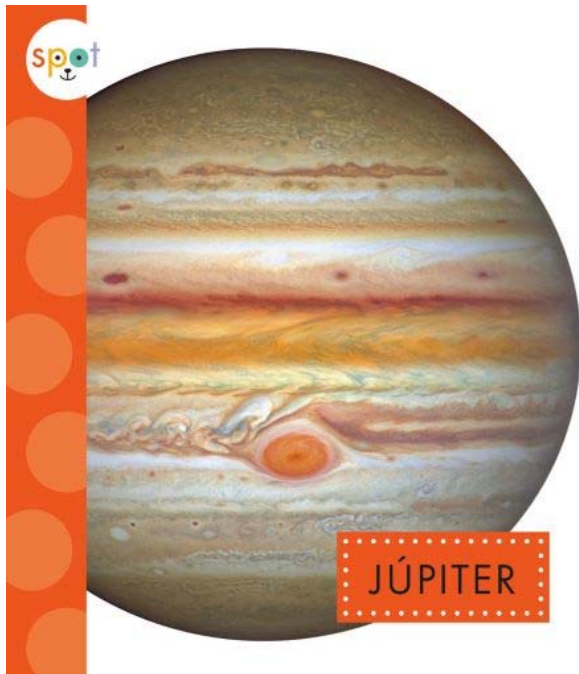
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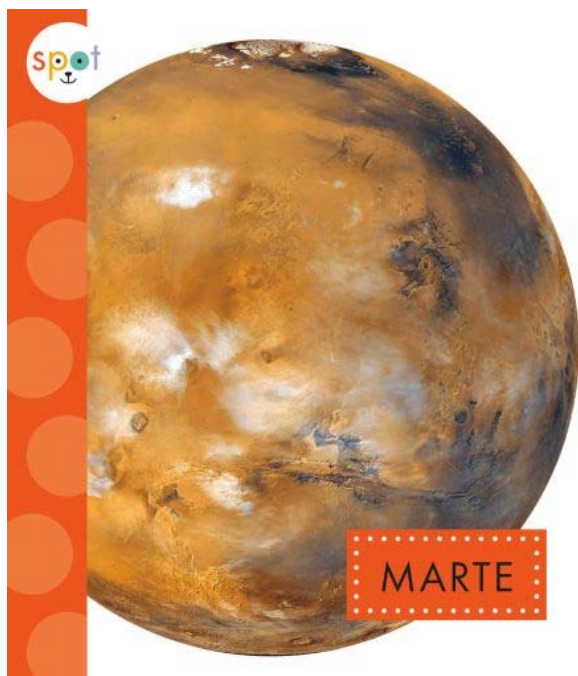
Juvenile Nonfiction / Readers / Beginner • Ages 5-6  
years

Series: Nuestro sistema solar

### Notes

### Promotion





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### **Marte** by Alissa Thielges

Mars - our mysterious red neighbor in space. Developing readers learn key features about Mars in this low-level Spanish beginning reader.

Scientists have been studying Mars for many years. It is one of the most explored planets, right after Earth. Early readers discover new science vocabulary about Mar's geography, such as the tallest volcano in the solar system and what makes the dirt look red, and the latest rover to land there.

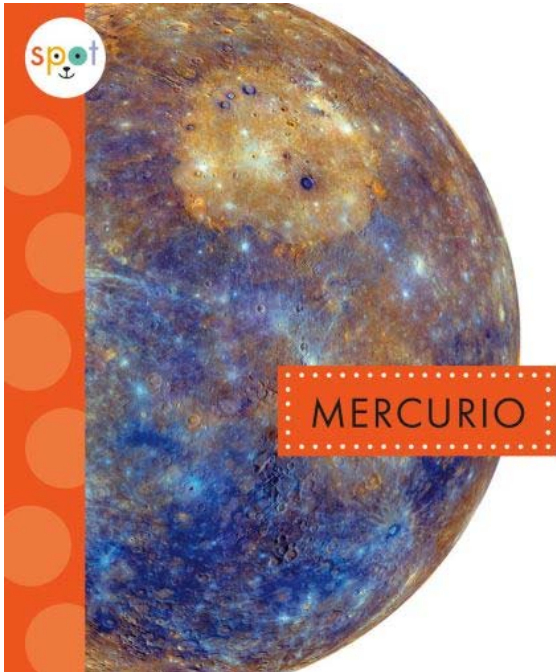
A search-and-find feature reinforces new concepts to build reading success while close-up images captivate young astronomers. A North American Spanish translation.

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Readers / Beginner • Ages 5-6  
years  
Series: Nuestro sistema solar

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





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### Mercurio

by Alissa Thielges

Mercury - rocky and hot. Developing readers learn about our solar system's smallest planet and its key features in this low-level Spanish beginning reader.

Orbiting closest to our sun, Mercury is about the size of Earth's moon. Its gray, wrinkly surface is covered in craters and cliffs. Early readers discover new science vocabulary about Mercury's geography, place in the solar system, and latest spacecraft to visit it.

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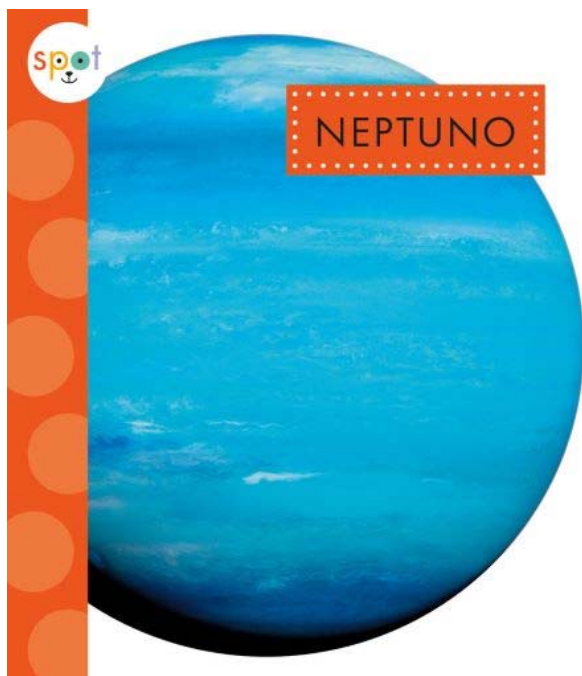
Series: Nuestro sistema solar

### Notes

### Promotion







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### Neptuno

by Alissa Thielges

Neptune - blue, cold, and dark. Developing readers learn about the ice giant's key features in this low-level Spanish beginning reader.

Get out your telescopes! Far, far away from our sun's reach, Neptune slowly orbits in our solar system. This blue planet has windy storms and 14 moons. Early readers discover new science vocabulary about Neptune's features, including facts about its biggest moon, Triton, and the spacecraft that once took pictures of it.

A search-and-find feature reinforces new concepts to build reading success while close-up images captivate young astronomers. A North American Spanish translation.

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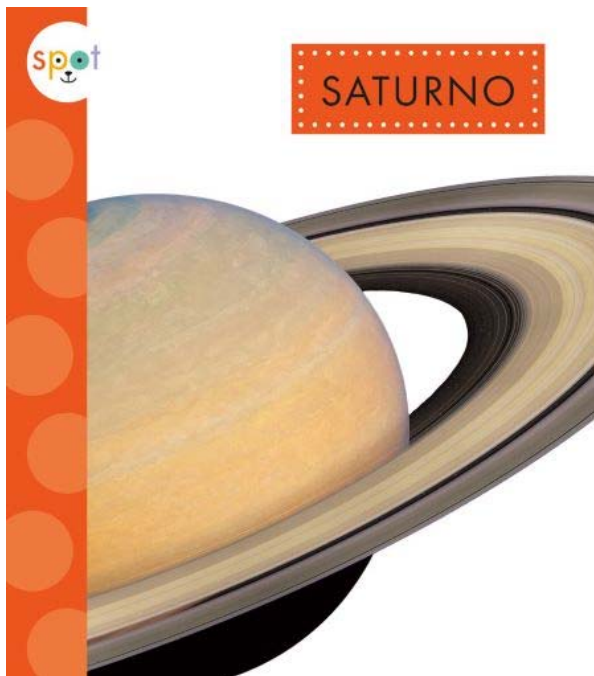
Juvenile Nonfiction / Readers / Beginner • Ages 5-6 years

Series: Nuestro sistema solar

### Notes

### Promotion





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### Saturno

by Alissa Thielges

Saturn - large and ringed. Developing readers learn about the gas giant's key features in this low-level Spanish beginning reader.

Most famous for its dazzling rings, Saturn also has a hexagon-shaped storm at its north pole. Early readers discover new science vocabulary about the second-largest planet in our solar system, including facts about its biggest moon, Titan, and the latest NASA probe.

A search-and-find feature reinforces new concepts to build reading success while close-up images captivate young astronomers. A North American Spanish translation.

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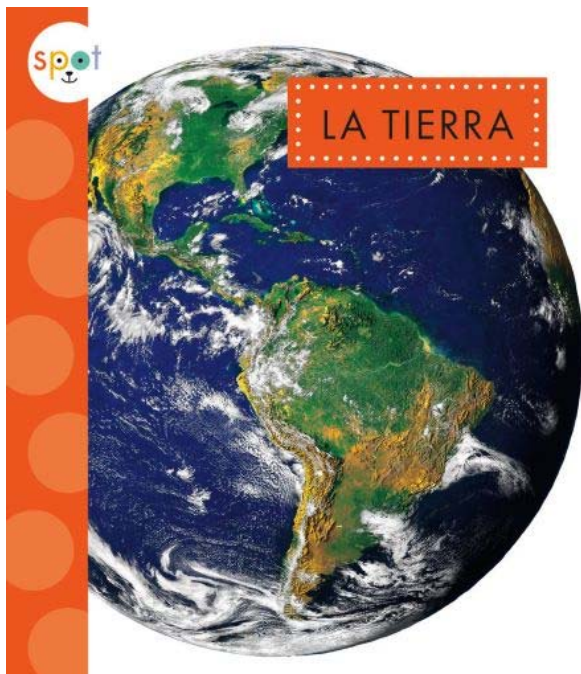
Juvenile Nonfiction / Readers / Beginner • Ages 5-6  
years

Series: Nuestro sistema solar

### Notes

### Promotion





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### Tierra

by Alissa Thielges

Earth - home sweet home. Developing readers find out what makes our planet unique in this low-level Spanish beginning reader.

With liquid water and an abundance of life, Earth has many features that we have yet to find anywhere else in the universe. Early readers discover new science vocabulary about Earth's geography and space features, such as the moon and satellites that orbit this blue planet.

A search-and-find feature reinforces new concepts to build reading success while close-up images captivate young astronomers. A North American Spanish translation.

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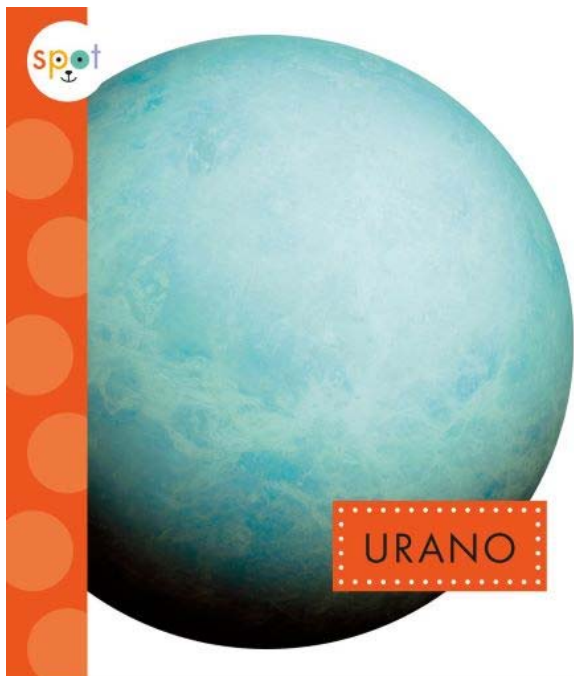
Juvenile Nonfiction / Readers / Beginner • Ages 5-6  
years

Series: Nuestro sistema solar

### Notes

### Promotion





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### Urano

by Alissa Thielges

Uranus - cold and icy. Developing readers learn about the ice giant's key features in this low-level Spanish beginning reader.

Uranus is one cool planet. Seventh from the sun, Uranus orbits on its side. Its blueish-green color comes from its clouds, and when it storms, diamonds rain down! Early readers discover new science vocabulary about this planet in our solar system, including facts about its weather, faint rings, and the only spacecraft to fly by it.

A search-and-find feature reinforces new concepts to build reading success while close-up images captivate young astronomers. A North American Spanish translation.

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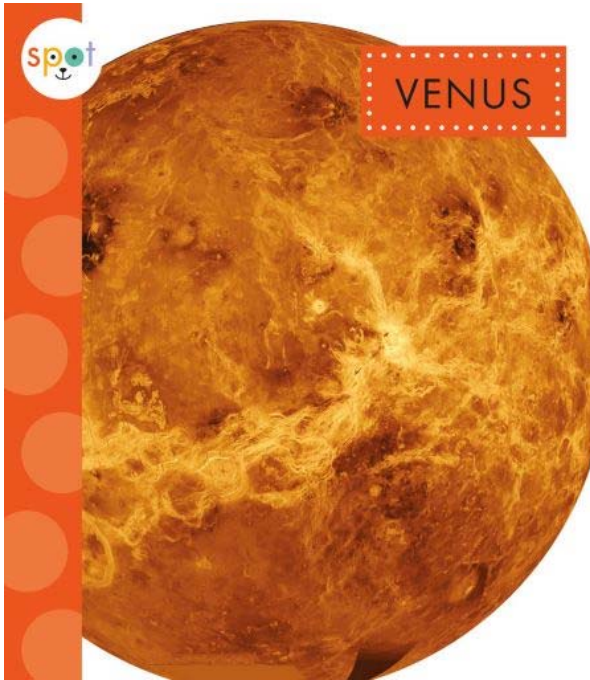
Juvenile Nonfiction / Readers / Beginner • Ages 5-6 years

Series: Nuestro sistema solar

### Notes

### Promotion





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### Venus

by Mari Schuh

Venus - hot and cloudy. Developing readers learn about the rocky planet's key features in this low-level Spanish beginning reader.

Venus isn't the closest to the sun, but thanks to its thick clouds that trap heat, it's the hottest! This rocky planet has a large, iron core and looks like a bright star in the night sky. Early readers discover new science vocabulary about the second planet in our solar system, including facts about its geography, atmosphere, and a spacecraft that once studied it.

A search-and-find feature reinforces new concepts to build reading success while close-up images captivate young astronomers. A North American Spanish translation.

### Author Bio

Mari Schuh's love of reading began with cereal boxes at the kitchen table. Today, she is the author of hundreds of nonfiction books for beginning readers, covering topics from tomatoes to tornadoes. Mari lives in the Midwest with her husband and their super sassy house rabbit. Learn more about her at [marischuh.com](http://marischuh.com).

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Readers / Beginner • Ages 5-6 years

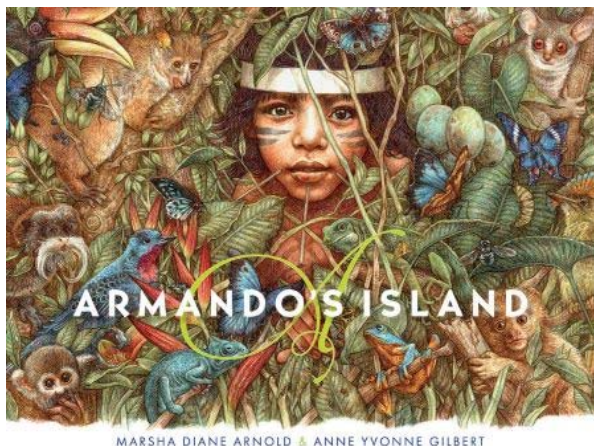
Series: Nuestro sistema solar

### Notes

### Promotion







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### Armando's Island

by Marsha Diane Arnold, illustrated by Anne Yvonne Gilbert

Armando's home is the rainforest - he knows its sights, smells, tastes, and sounds. He even knows its moods. From the bottom of the forest floor to the top of the emergent layer, the trees are also home to a multitude of creatures. When outsiders begin laying claim to and destroying the surrounding landscape, the displaced animals find refuge with Armando in the only remaining pocket of untouched forest, his island." As people come in and animals are forced out, this poignant tale shows the cumulative and disastrous effects of Amazonian deforestation.

### Author Bio

Anne Yvonne Gilbert is one of the most prolific and acclaimed illustrators practicing today. Born and raised in Northumberland, England, Anne Yvonne Gilbert studied at Newcastle College of Art and Liverpool College of Art. After lecturing full-time for five years she became a freelance illustrator in 1978 and has worked with many of the major publishing houses and design groups worldwide. She lives in Toronto, Canada.

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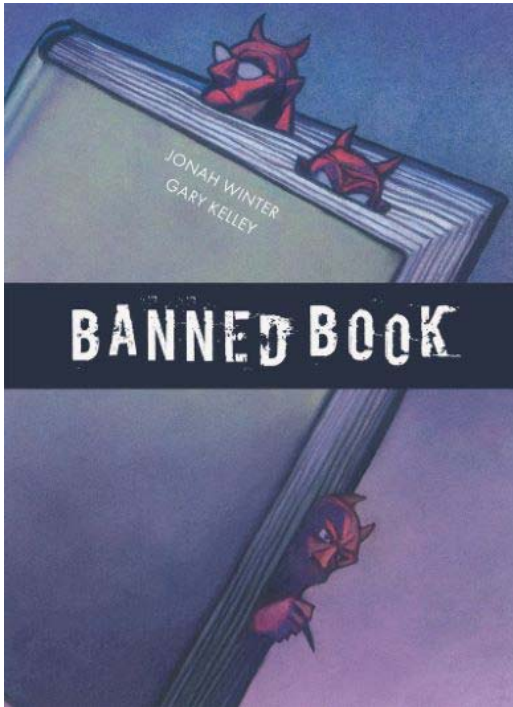
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Juvenile Nonfiction / Nature / Trees & Forests • Ages 8-10 years

### Notes

### Promotion





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### Banned Book

by Jonah Winter, illustrated by Gary Kelley

The words were dangerous." For as long as people have been expressing their opinions in writing, there have been those in positions of power who have succeeded in censoring those thoughts. In this timely and provocative parable, a book is first subjected to redaction, then removal from a library. What becomes of a banned book? Is it really just landfill fodder in the end? Readers must decide for themselves.

### Author Bio

Jonah Winter is the award-winning author of more than forty nonfiction picture books that promote environmental awareness and social and racial justice. Among them are *The Snow Man*; *The Little Owl & the Big Tree: A Christmas Story*; *Oil*; *The Secret Project*; *Ruth Bader Ginsburg: The Case of R.B.G. vs. Inequality*; *My Name is James Madison Hemings*; *Barack*; *The Founding Fathers!*; and *Lillian's Right to Vote*, a Jane Addams Children's Book Award recipient and Kirkus Prize finalist.

Gary Kelley is an award-winning illustrator. His books include *Next Year*, *The Navajo Code Talkers*, and *Harlem Hellfighters*, all published by Creative Editions. He lives in Cedar Falls, Iowa.

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8.25 x 11.38 • 32 pages

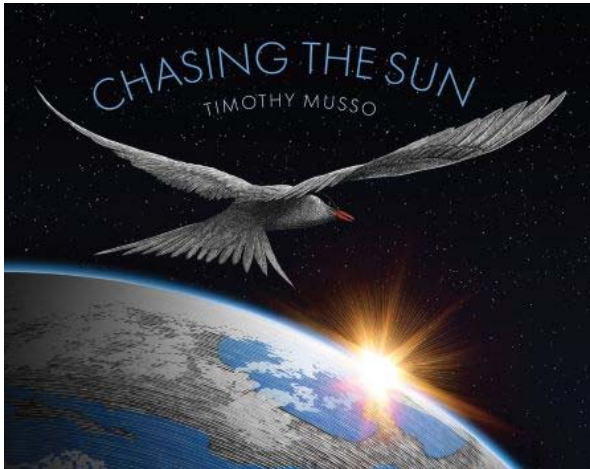
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Juvenile Fiction / Books & Libraries • Ages 9-10 years

### Notes

### Promotion





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### Chasing the Sun

by Timothy Musso, illustrated by Timothy Musso

An Arctic tern can fly as many as 50,000 miles in its annual migration, and as this bird chases summer across the hemispheres, it sees more sunlight than any other living thing. In this luminous celebration of such astonishing aerial feats, author and visual artist Timothy Musso charts the migratory path of an Arctic tern family with intricately designed woodcut illustrations that propel the reader along as a partner on a most incredible journey. Back matter expands on the poetic text with additional details about the Arctic tern and other animals.

### Author Bio

Timothy Musso is an artist and naturalist who exhibits work internationally. The themes of his artwork are inspired by international cross-country backpacking in remote locations. On a trip to the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge, he encountered the Arctic tern. His fascination with nature, innate curiosity, and preferred medium of woodcut printing coalesced to create Chasing the Sun. This is his first picture book.

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On Sale: Aug 8/23

11.75 x 9.25 • 40 pages

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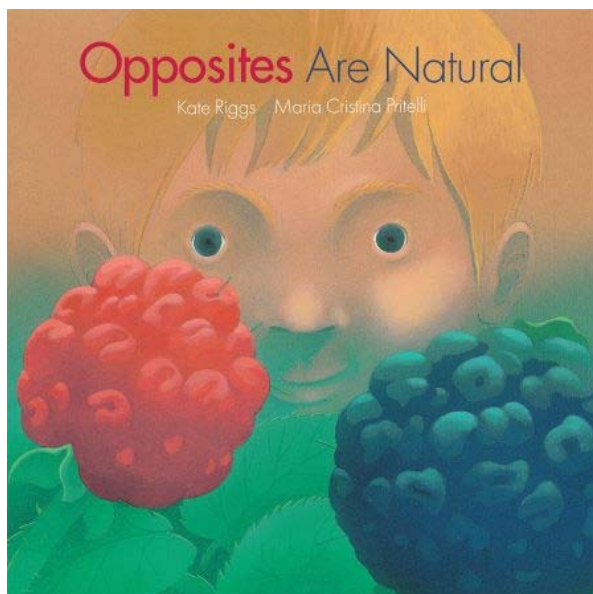
Juvenile Nonfiction / Science & Tech / Zoology • Ages

9-10 years

### Notes

### Promotion





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### Opposites Are Natural

by Kate Riggs, illustrated by Maria Cristina Pritelli

The process of life is a natural progression filled with opportunities to observe, compare, and contrast - foundational skills the youngest of learners can grasp with the help of Creative Editions board books. As a forest grows and changes in the illustrations before their eyes, children will be able to conceptualize the more subtle characteristics of opposite pairings in nature and point out the differences.

### Author Bio

Kate Riggs is a Minnesota-based editor and author of children's and young adult nonfiction books. In 2012, her book *Dolphins (Amazing Animals)* was honored as the winner of the Maryland Blue Crab Young Reader Award for Transitional Nonfiction.

Maria Cristina Pritelli is a self-taught Italian artist who began illustrating children's books after being inspired by the work of artist Giacinto Gaudenzi. In addition to being published internationally, her work has been selected multiple times for the Illustrators Exhibition at the Bologna Children's Book Fair. She lives in Gabicce Mare, Italy, with her husband and two children.

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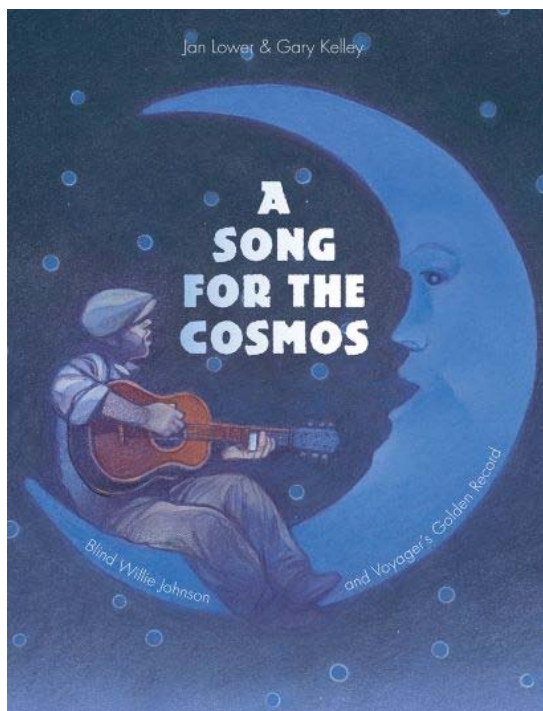
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Juvenile Nonfiction / Nature / Trees & Forests • Ages 0-5 years

### Notes

### Promotion





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### A Song for the Cosmos

by Jan Lower, illustrated by Gary Kelley

Blues guitarist Blind Willie Johnson led a hardscrabble life, but in 1977, NASA's Voyager spacecrafts were launched, carrying a golden record to introduce planet Earth to the cosmos, and one of his songs became the defining anthem.

### Author Bio

Jan Lower is the author of several forthcoming nonfiction picture books for children, including *A Song for the Cosmos*. Before becoming a children's writer, Jan worked as a lawyer in Washington, DC, for several years. She received an MFA in Writing for Children and Young Adults from the Vermont College of Fine Arts.

Gary Kelley is an award-winning illustrator. His books include *Next Year*, *The Navajo Code Talkers*, and *Harlem Hellfighters*, all published by Creative Editions. He lives in Cedar Falls, Iowa.

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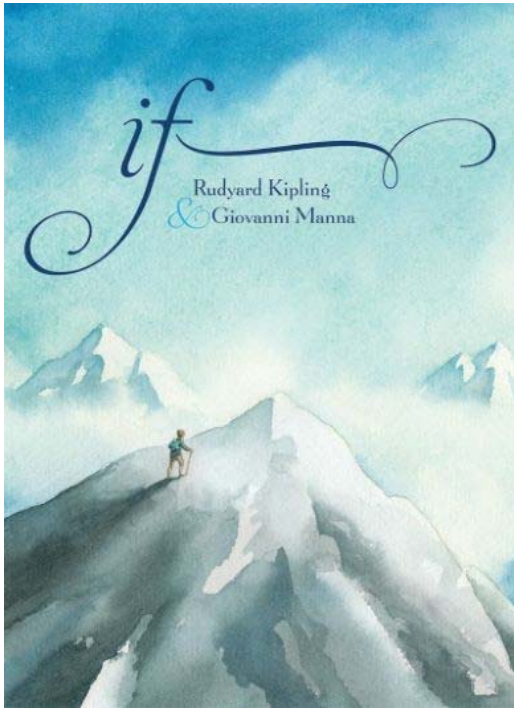
Ages 8-10 years

### Notes

### Promotion







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### If -

by Rudyard Kipling, illustrated by Manna Giovanni

When Rudyard Kipling wrote the poem "If -" in 1909, he was addressing his 12-year-old son, John, who would die in battle a few short years later during World War I. The famous author's words, encouraging a code of living based on good morals, soon inspired a nation, and in recent years, the poem has been voted one of Great Britain's favorites.

Italian illustrator Giovanni Manna melds the innocence of childhood with the motivational sentiments expressed by Kipling's words in this tender watercolor portrayal of fatherly advice that's sure to become a cherished gift for graduations and other rites-of-passage moments.

### Author Bio

Rudyard Kipling (1865 - 1936) was an English author famous for an array of works like 'Just So Stories,' 'If' and 'The Jungle Book.' He received the 1907 Nobel Prize in Literature.

Italian artist Giovanni Manna has created illustrations for more than 80 children's books. His work has been featured in exhibitions throughout Italy and internationally. A longtime instructor of watercolor, he was awarded the Andersen Prize for best Italian illustrator in 2003.

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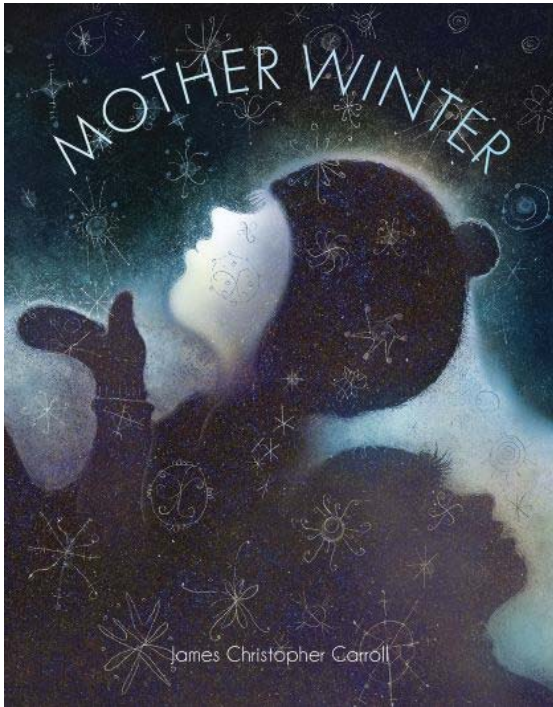
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Juvenile Nonfiction / Boys & Men • Ages 8-9 years

### Notes

### Promotion





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### **Mother Winter**

by James Christopher Carroll, illustrated by James Christopher Carroll

A poetic personification of the winter season, Mother Winter goes walking on the longest cold night," inviting the reader along to experience chill winds, icy ponds, white snowdrifts, and other quiet wonders.

### **Author Bio**

J. (Jim) Carroll's work has been displayed around the world, including at the Leonardo da Vinci Museum of Science & Technology in Milan and at the United Nations in NYC. He has been an instructor at the School of Visual Arts and at the Massachusetts Museum of Modern Art. His work has also been featured in Zoom, HOW, PRINT and Communication Arts magazines.

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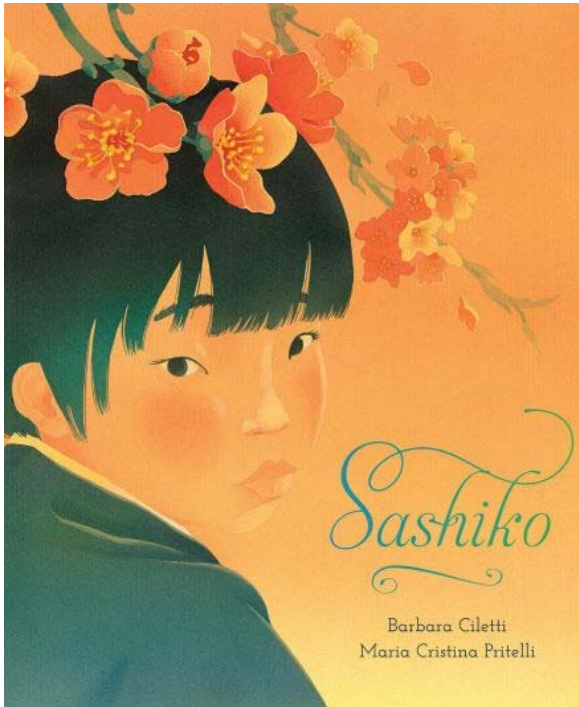
Juvenile Fic / Poetry (See Also Stories In Verse) •

Ages 9-10 years

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### **Promotion**





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### Sashiko

by Barbara Ciletti, illustrated by Maria Cristina Pritelli

The elegant textile art of sashiko is celebrated in this picture book about the embroidery style's origins as a way to strengthen the jackets of fishermen from Awaji Island.

### Author Bio

Barbara Ciletti fell in love with books at the age of three and dedicated her life to teaching children their importance. She has more than three decades of publishing experience and is the author of more than 20 books for adults and children. Barbara lives in Colorado, where she regularly provides workshops about publishing, bookmaking, and storywriting for school children.

Maria Cristina Pritelli is a self-taught Italian artist who began illustrating children's books after being inspired by the work of artist Giacinto Gaudenzi. In addition to being published internationally, her work has been selected multiple times for the Illustrators Exhibition at the Bologna Children's Book Fair. She lives in Gabicce Mare, Italy, with her husband and two children.

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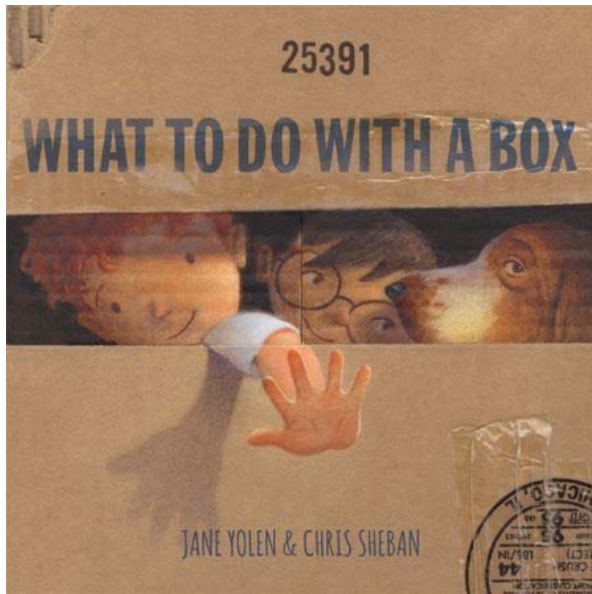
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Juvenile Fiction / Historical / Asia • Ages 8-9 years

### Notes

### Promotion





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### What to Do with a Box

by Jane Yolen, illustrated by Chris Sheban

Jane Yolen poetically reminds young readers that a simple box can be a child's most imaginative plaything as artist Chris Sheban illustrates its myriad and magical uses.

### Author Bio

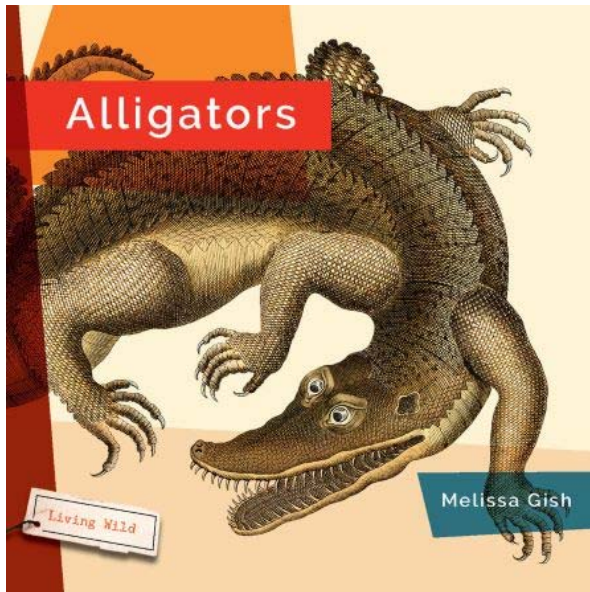
Jane Yolen is an award-winning author, poet, and teacher. She has written more than 365 books, including *What to Do with a Box*, illustrated by Chris Sheban, and the Caldecott Medal-winning *Owl Moon*, illustrated by John Schoenherr. The Educational Book & Media Association honored her significant contributions with its 2018 Jeremiah Ludington Award.

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**9781682772959** • \$18.00 • pb  
Juvenile Fiction / Books & Libraries • Ages 7-8 years

### Notes

### Promotion





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### Alligators

by Melissa Gish

Pearly whites flash . . . Strong jaws snap . . . Meet the alligator! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Alligators* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this remarkable reptile. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an American Indian legend about the alligator adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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11-12 years

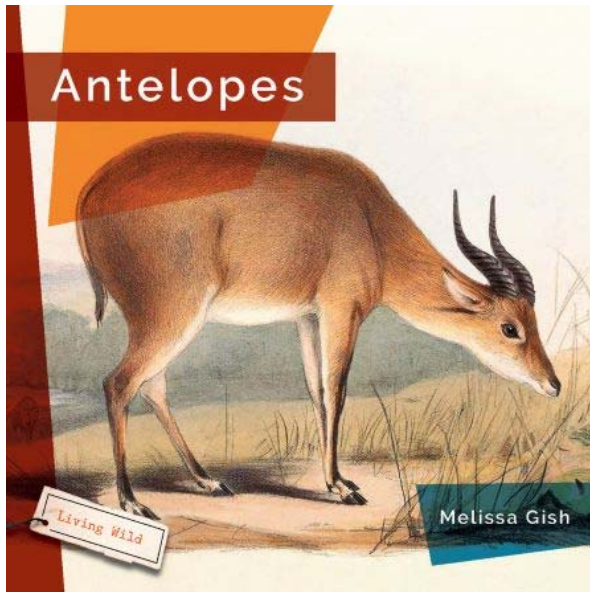
Series: Living Wild

### Notes

### Promotion







THE CREATIVE COMPANY

### Antelopes

by Melissa Gish

Skinny legs blur . . . Split hooves fly . . . Meet the antelope! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Antelopes* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of the marvelous members in this group of African mammals, from gazelles to wildebeest. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an antelope tale from South Africa adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

The Creative Company

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11-12 years

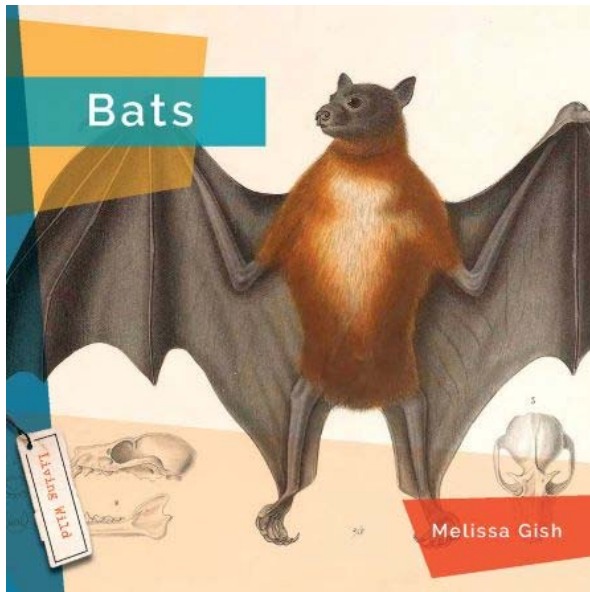
Series: Living Wild

### Notes

### Promotion



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### Bats

by Melissa Gish

Body swoops low . . . Thin wings flap . . . Meet the bat! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Bats* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous flying mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an ancient Aztec creation story about the bat adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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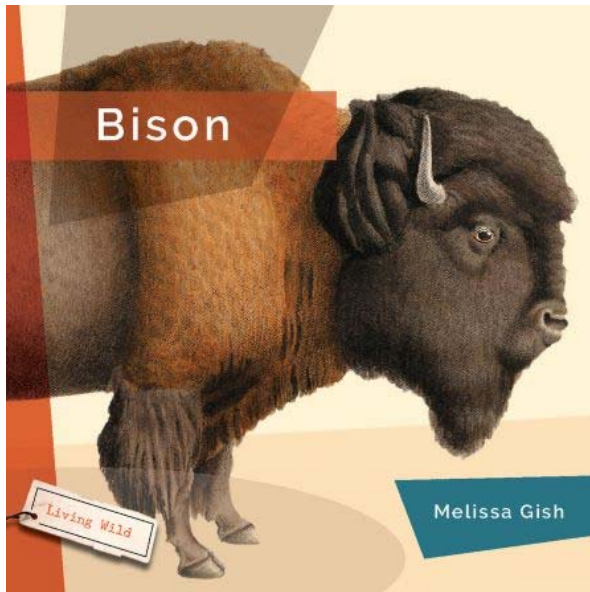
Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals / General • Ages 11-12 years

Series: Living Wild

### Notes

### Promotion





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### **Bison** by Melissa Gish

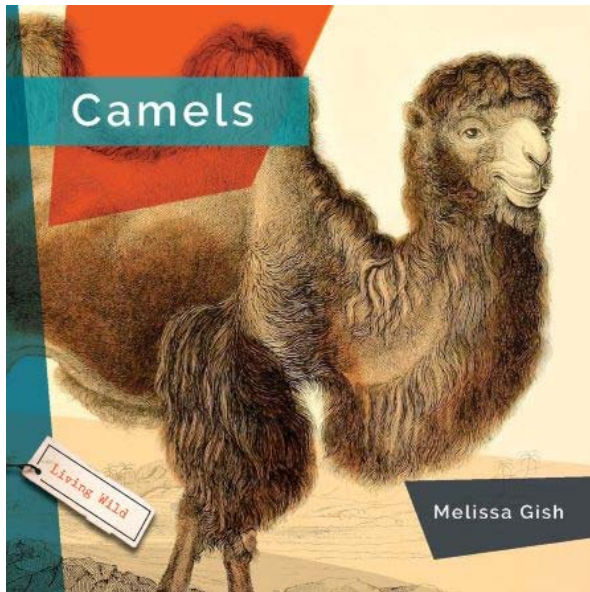
Massive head bellows . . . Split hooves stomp . . . Meet the bison! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Bison* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an American Indian tale about the bison adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals / General • Ages 11-12  
years  
Series: Living Wild

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### Camels

by Melissa Gish

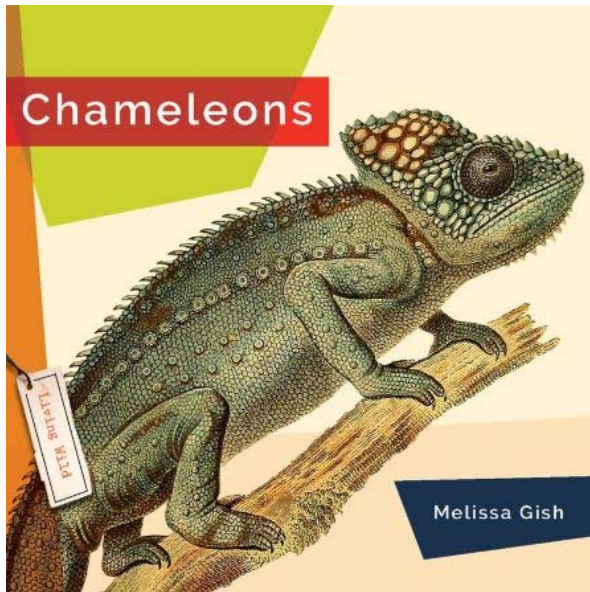
Wide feet plod . . . Large hump sways . . . Meet the camel! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Camels* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous desert mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a Mongolian tale about the camel adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals / General • Ages 11-12  
years  
Series: Living Wild

### Notes

### Promotion





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### Chameleons

by Melissa Gish

Pebbled skin shimmers . . . Sticky tongue snaps . . . Meet the chameleon! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Chameleons* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this remarkable reptile. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the colorful lizard's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a chameleon tale from the Zulu people of Africa adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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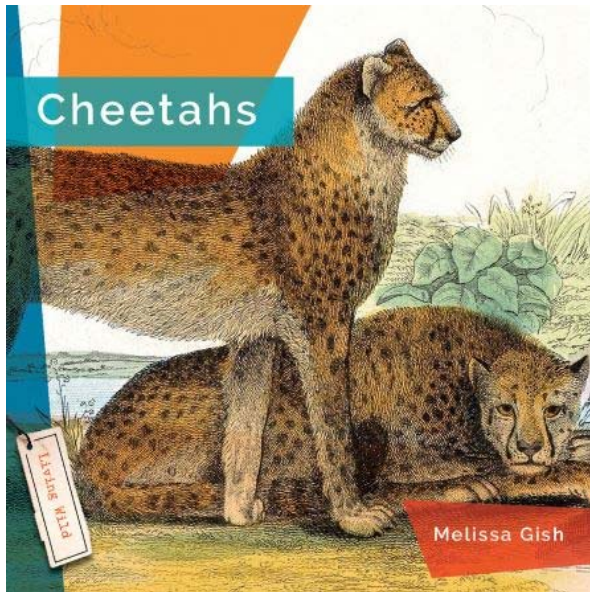
Series: Living Wild

### Notes

### Promotion







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### Cheetahs

by Rachael Hanel

Amber eyes glisten . . . Spotted fur blurs . . . Meet the cheetah! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Cheetahs* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous African mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the big cat's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a cheetah tale from the Zulu people of Africa adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Science & Tech / Zoology • Ages

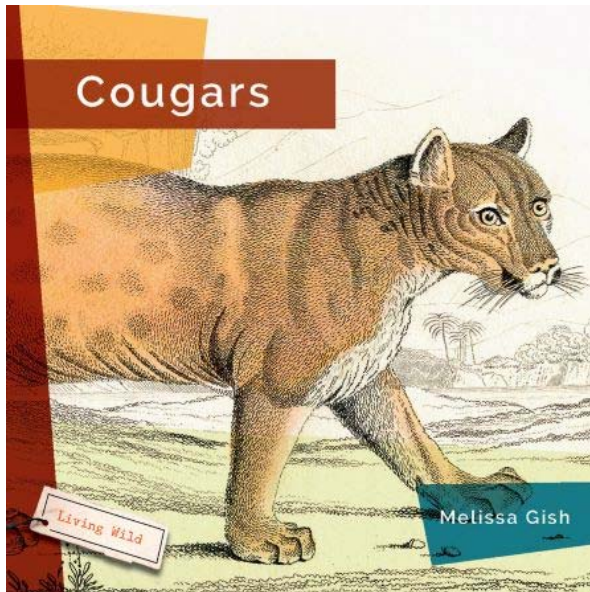
11-12 years

Series: Living Wild

### Notes

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### Cougars

by Melissa Gish

Muscles flex. . . Keen teeth tear . . . Meet the cougar, also known as puma, panther, or mountain lion! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Cougars* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the big cat's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an American Indian tale about the cougar adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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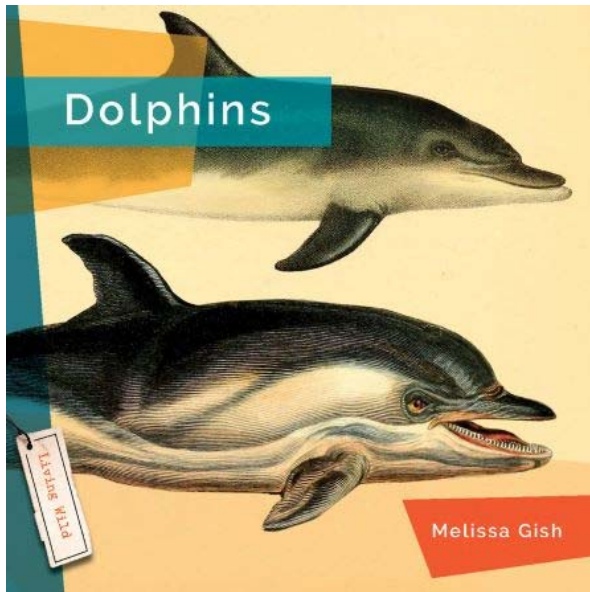
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### Dolphins

by Jason Skog

Sleek body jumps . . . Twin flippers splash . . . Meet the dolphin! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Dolphins* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous marine mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an ancient Greek tale about the ocean-dwelling dolphin adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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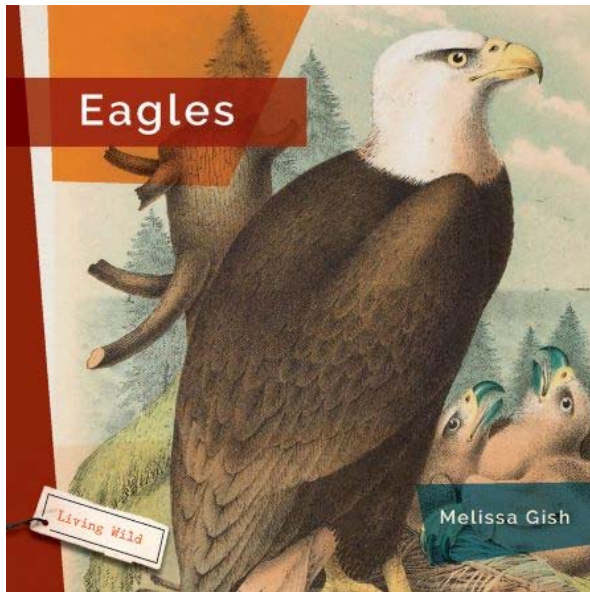
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### Eagles

by Melissa Gish

Feathered wings unfold . . . Fierce talons grip . . . Meet the eagle! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Eagles* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of these brilliant birds of prey. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the birds' relationships with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an eagle myth from the indigenous people of the Pacific Northwest adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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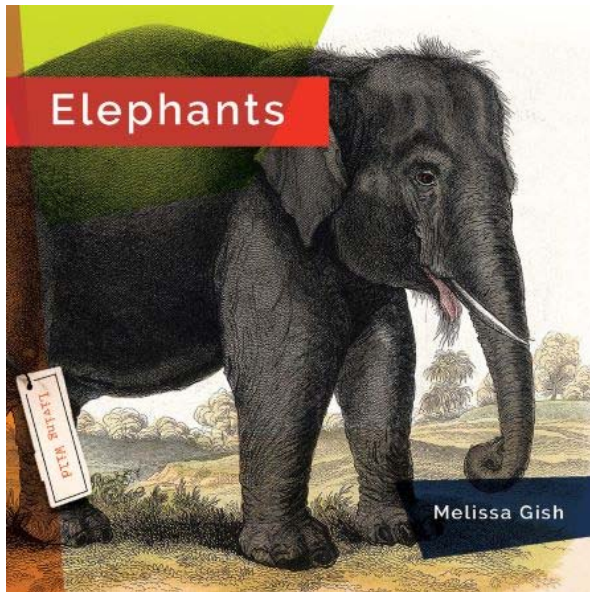
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### Elephants

by Melissa Gish

Big ears flap . . . Raised trunk trumpets . . . Meet the elephant! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Elephants* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous mammal of Africa and Asia. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an Indian folk tale about a white elephant adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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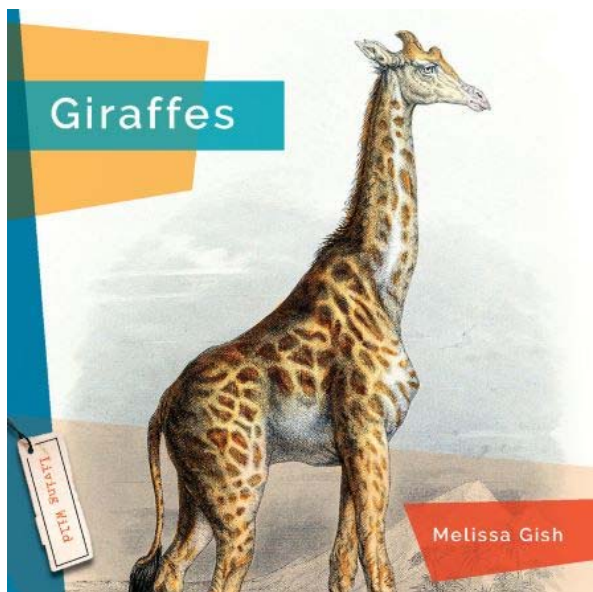
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### Giraffes

by Nicole Helget

Long neck stretches . . . Knobby legs gallop . . . Meet the giraffe! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Giraffes* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous African mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a Tanzanian tale about the giraffe adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

### Author Bio

Nicole Helget is the author of many books for adults and children, including *The End of the Wild*, a New York Times Editor's Choice. She works as a manuscript coach and consultant. She lives on a farm in southern Minnesota with her human and animal family.

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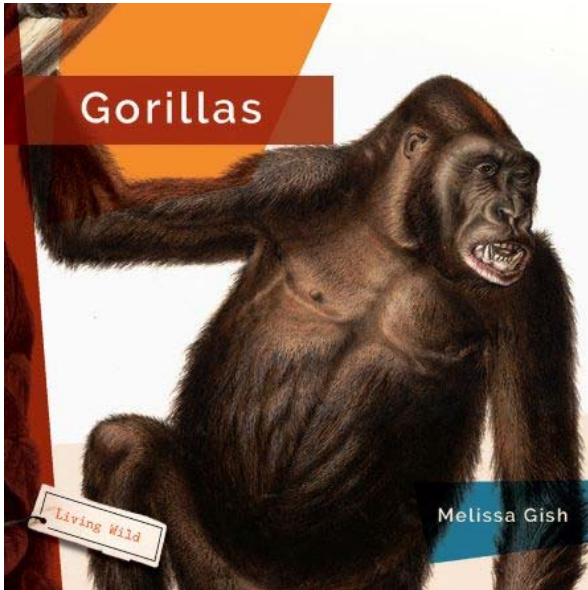
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### Gorillas

by Melissa Gish

Hairy arms knuckle-walk . . . Broad chest heaves . . . Meet the gorilla! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Gorillas* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous African mammal from the Primates order. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the great ape's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a gorilla tale from the Congo River region adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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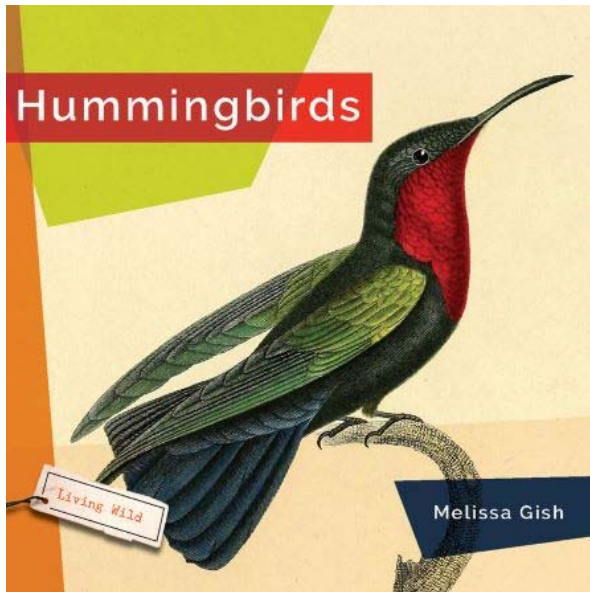
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### Hummingbirds

by Melissa Gish

Tiny feathers glimmer . . . Mini wings whirl . . . Meet the hummingbird! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Hummingbirds* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this brilliant bird. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a hummingbird tale from the Maya people adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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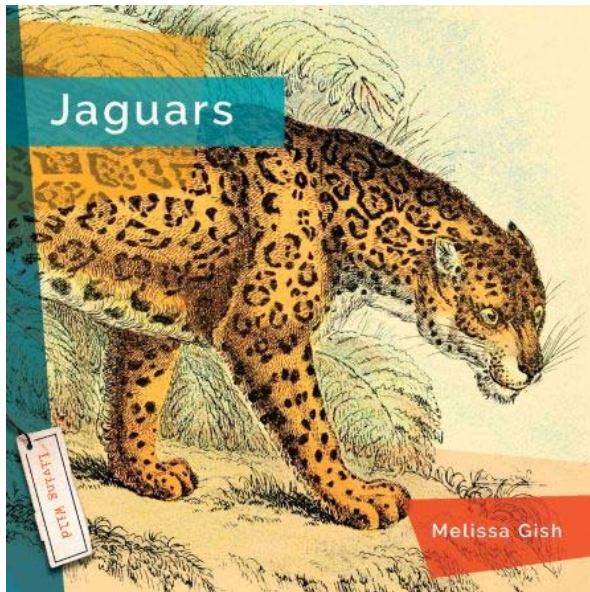
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### Jaguars

by Melissa Gish

Broad feet creep . . . Pointed teeth gleam . . . Meet the jaguar! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Jaguars* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the big cat's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a jaguar tale from Brazil adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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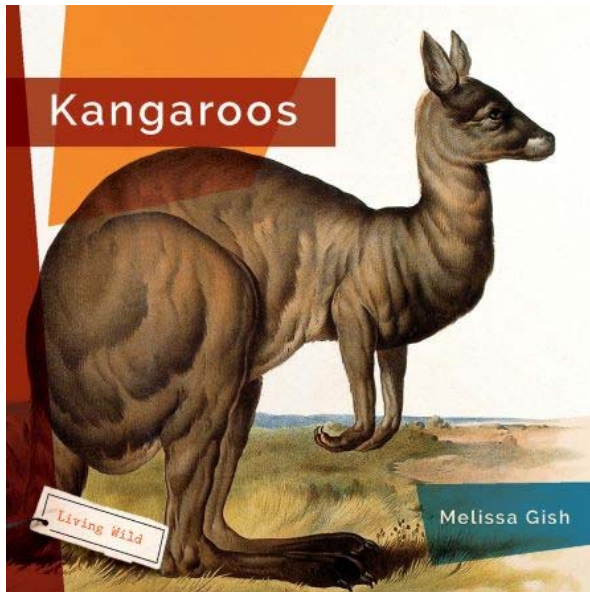
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### Kangaroos

by Melissa Gish

Springy legs hop . . . Thick tail bounces . . . Meet the kangaroo! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Kangaroos* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous Australian mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the marsupial's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a kangaroo tale from the Aboriginal people of Australia adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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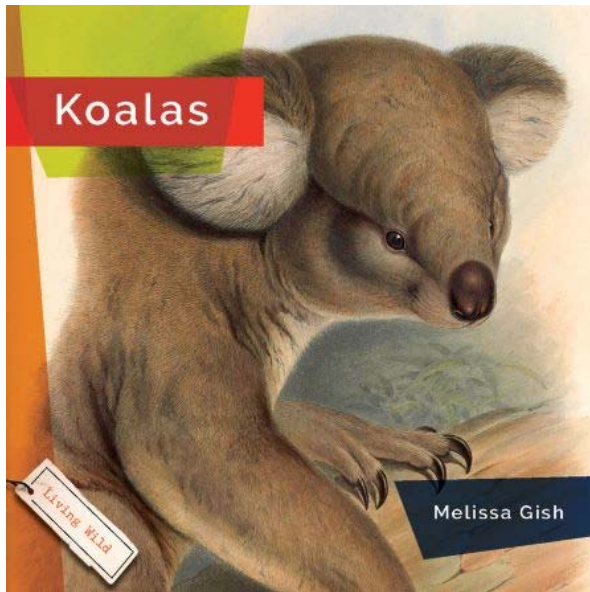
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### Koalas

by Rachael Hanel

Forked tongue flickers . . . Sharp claws rip . . . Meet the Komodo dragon! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, Komodo Dragons treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this remarkable reptile. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the lizard's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an Indonesian folk tale about the Komodo dragon adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title. q

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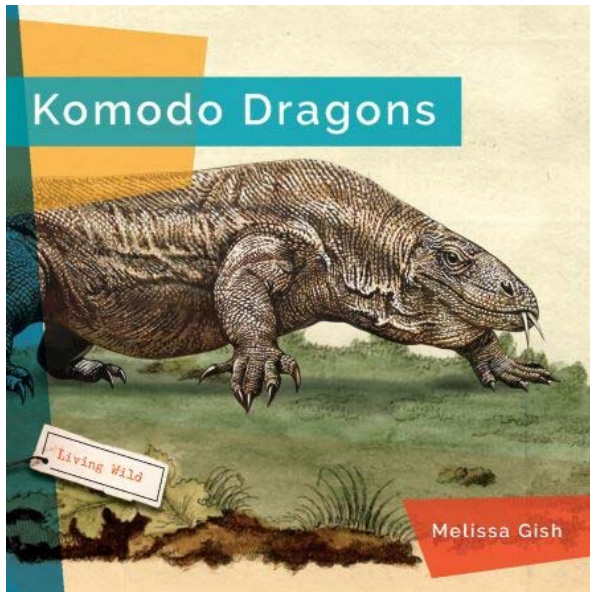
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### Komodo Dragons

by Melissa Gish

Forked tongue flickers . . . Sharp claws rip . . . Meet the Komodo dragon! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Komodo Dragons* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this remarkable reptile. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the lizard's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an Indonesian folk tale about the Komodo dragon adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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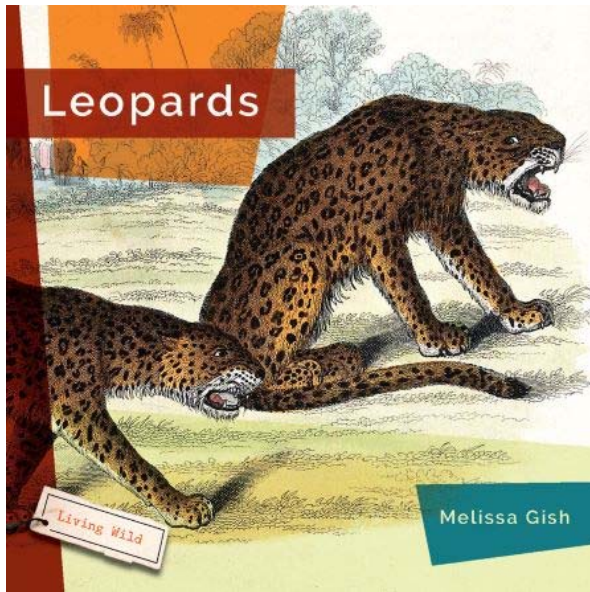
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### Leopards

by Melissa Gish

Padded feet sneak . . . Spotted coat glows . . . Meet the leopard! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Leopards* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the big cat's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a leopard tale from the Zulu people of Africa adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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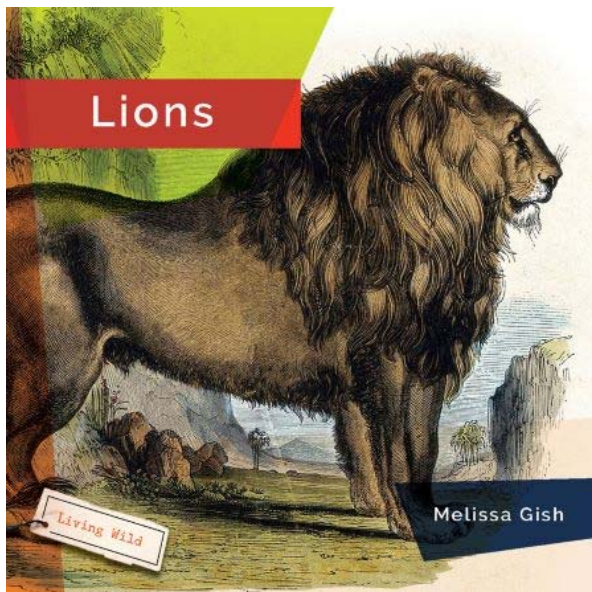
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### Lions

by Rachael Hanel

Lush mane flows . . . Deep roar echoes . . . Meet the lion! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Lions* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous African mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the big cat's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while Aesop's fable *The Lion and the Mouse* adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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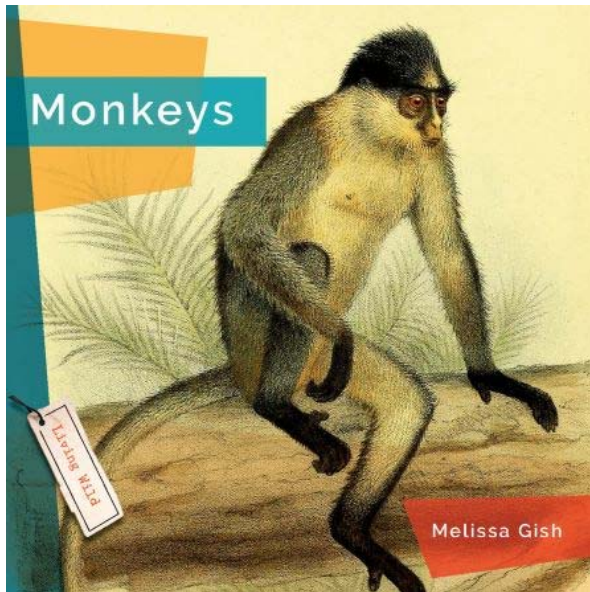
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### Monkeys

by Melissa Gish

Long tail curls . . . Hands grip and grab . . . Meet the monkey! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Monkeys* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of these marvelous mammals from the Primates order. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animals' relationships with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a monkey tale from Ghana adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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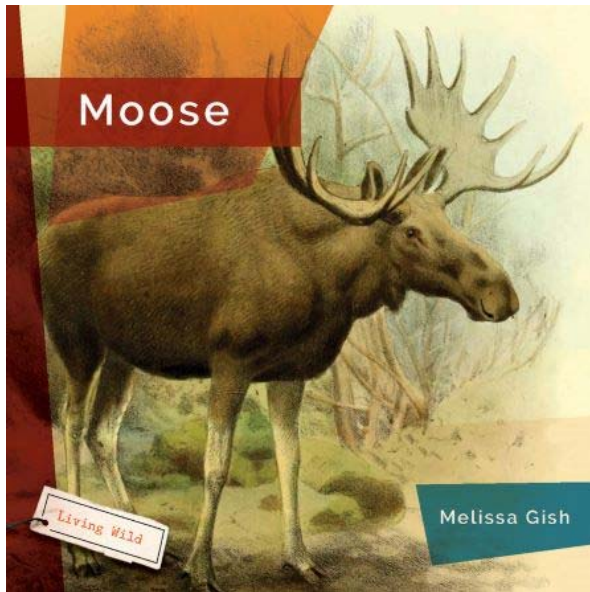
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### Moose

by Melissa Gish

Branching antlers rise . . . Brawny shoulders bulge . . . Meet the moose! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Moose* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this magnificent mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an American Indian tale about the moose adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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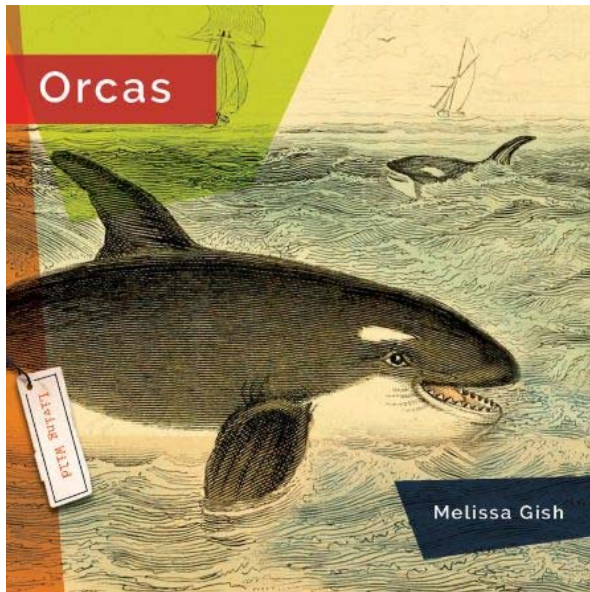
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### Orcas

by Melissa Gish

Black-and-white skin glistens . . . Blowhole puffs . . . Meet the orca, also known as the killer whale! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Orcas* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous marine mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, ocean habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an orca tale from the Tlingit people of Canada adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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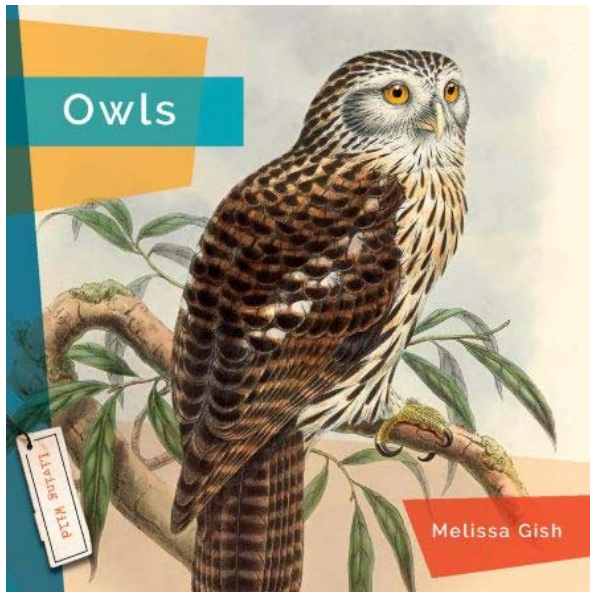
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### Owls

by Melissa Gish

Feathered head swivels . . . Wide eyes stare . . . Meet the owl! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Owls* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of these bewitching birds. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animals' relationships with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an owl tale from the Cherokee people adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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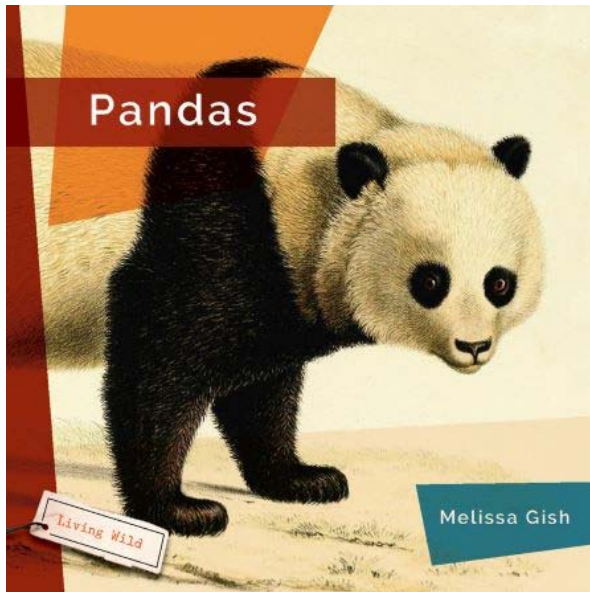
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### Pandas

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Black eyes blink . . . Teeth grind bamboo . . . Meet the panda! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Pandas* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous Asian mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the bear's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an ancient Chinese folk tale about the panda adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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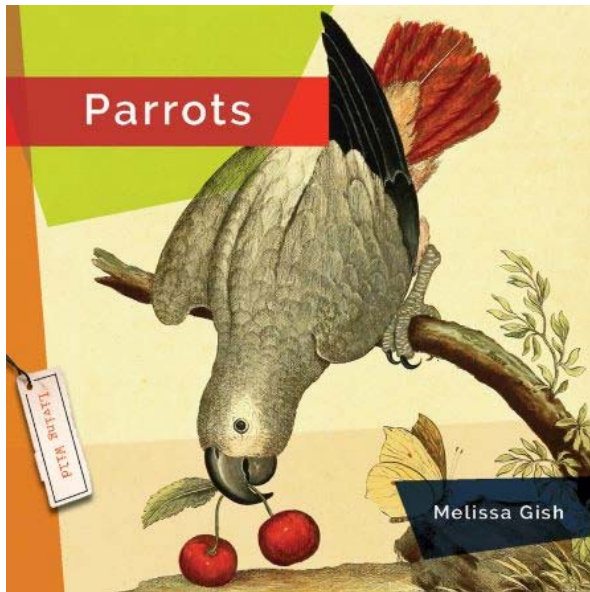
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### Parrots

by Rachael Hanel

Vibrant feathers flutter . . . Rounded bill crunches . . . Meet the parrot! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Parrots* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this group of brilliant birds, including macaws and parakeets. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the birds' relationships with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a parrot myth adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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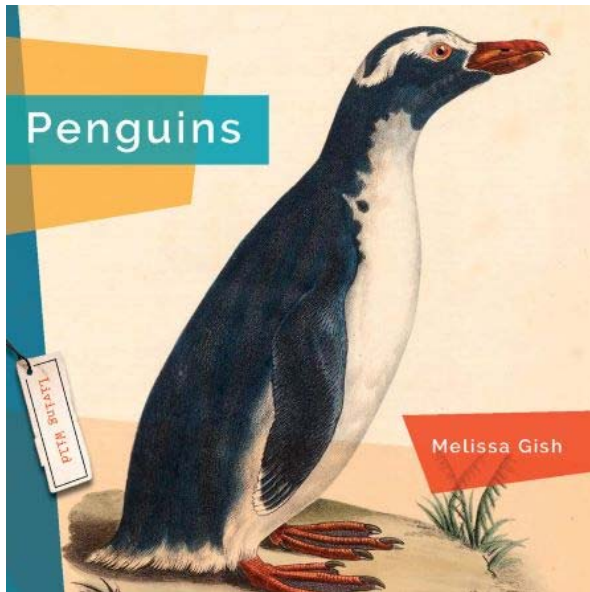
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### Penguins

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Short legs waddle . . . Flightless wings flap . . . Meet the penguin! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Penguins* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of these bubbly Antarctic birds. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the birds' relationships with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a discussion of why there are so few penguin myths and folk tales adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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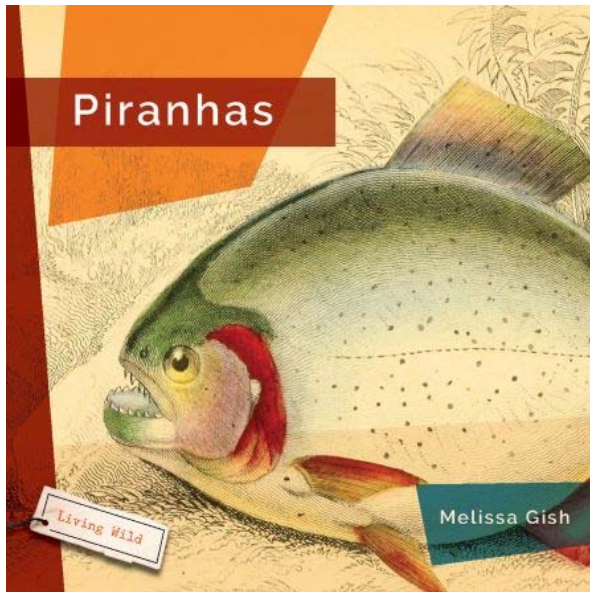
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### **Piranhas**

by Melissa Gish

Scaly body thrashes . . . Razor teeth rip . . . Meet the piranha! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Piranhas* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this fearsome freshwater fish. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a piranha tale from Brazil adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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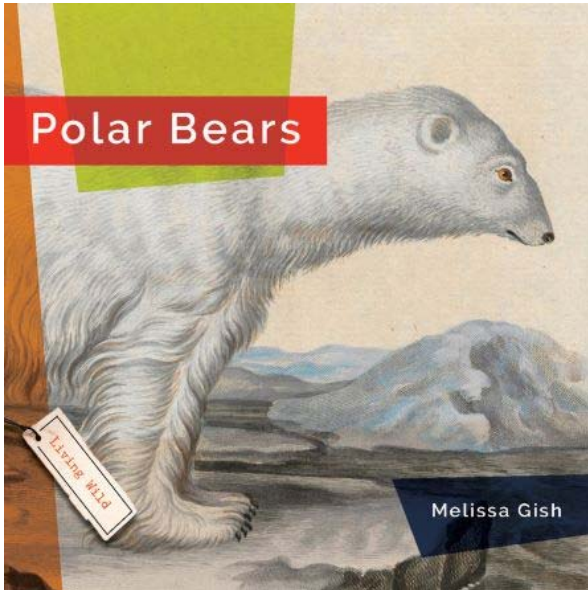
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### Polar Bears

by Rachael Hanel

White furry head shakes . . . Webbed paws paddle . . . Meet the polar bear! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Polar Bears* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous Arctic mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an Inuit tale about the polar bear adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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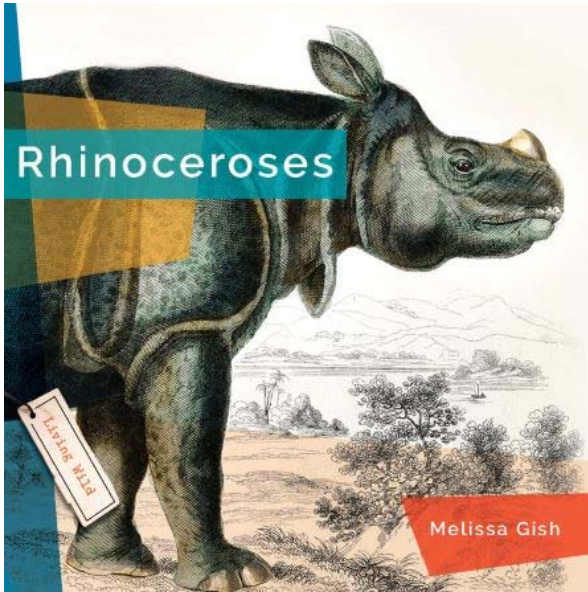
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### Rhinoceroses

by Melissa Gish

Heavy feet pound . . . Nose horn" charges . . . Meet the rhinoceros! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Rhinoceroses* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this mighty mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a Malaysian folk tale about the rhino adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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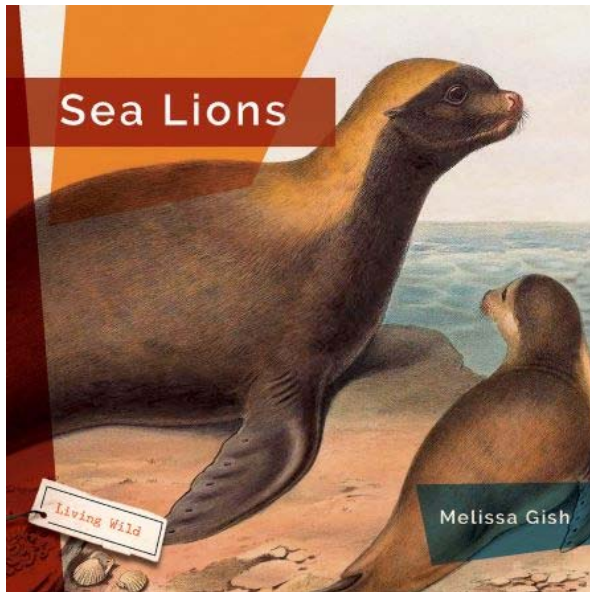
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### Sea Lions

by Melissa Gish

Long whiskers wiggle . . . Flippers clap and splash . . . Meet the sea lion! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Sea Lions* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous marine mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, ocean habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an ancient Ainu tale about the sea lion adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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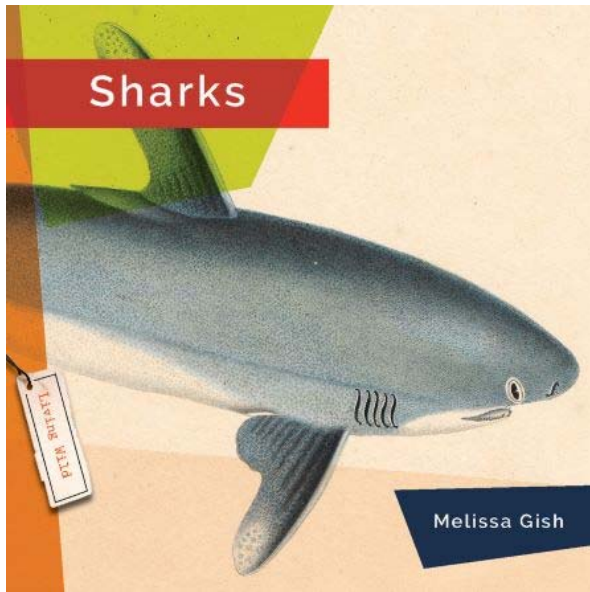
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### Sharks

by Melissa Gish

Dorsal fin rises . . . Jagged teeth chomp . . . Meet the shark! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Sharks* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of these fantastic fish. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, ocean habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the marine predators' relationships with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a Hawaiianshark tale adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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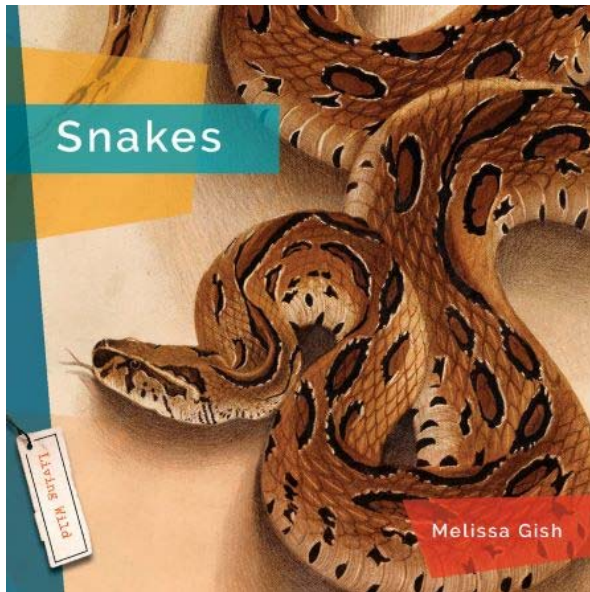
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### Snakes

by Teresa Wimmer

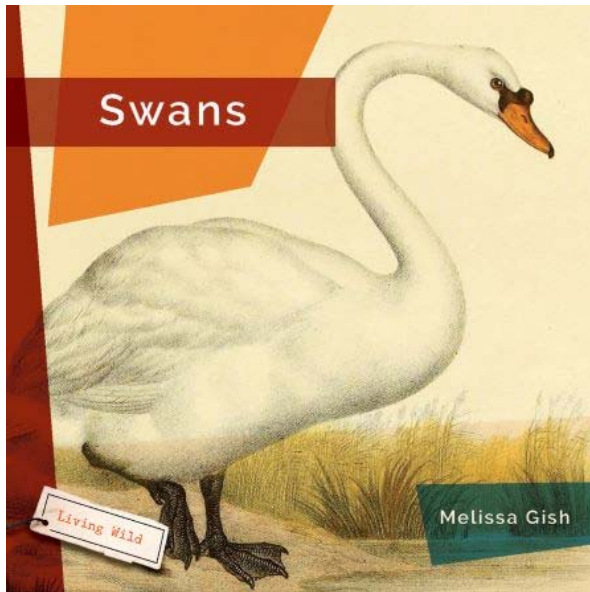
Ropelike body coils . . . Forked tongue flickers . . . Meet the snake! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Snakes* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this group of remarkable reptiles, including anacondas and vipers. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animals' relationships with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an American Indian tale about the snake adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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### Swans

by Nicole Helget

White feathers glide . . . Long neck curves . . . Meet the swan! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Swans* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of these beautiful birds. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animals' relationships with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a swan myth from ancient Greece adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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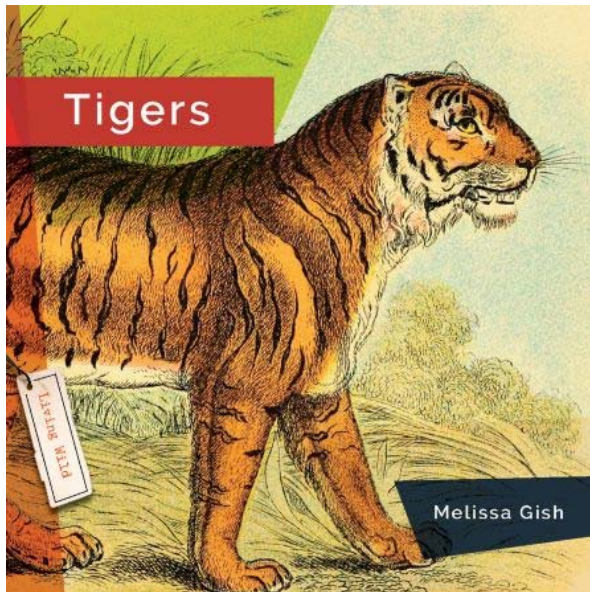
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### Tigers

by Rachael Hanel

Striped fur ripples . . . Toothy mouth growls . . . Meet the tiger! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Tigers* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this majestic mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the big cat's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a Vietnamese tale about the tiger adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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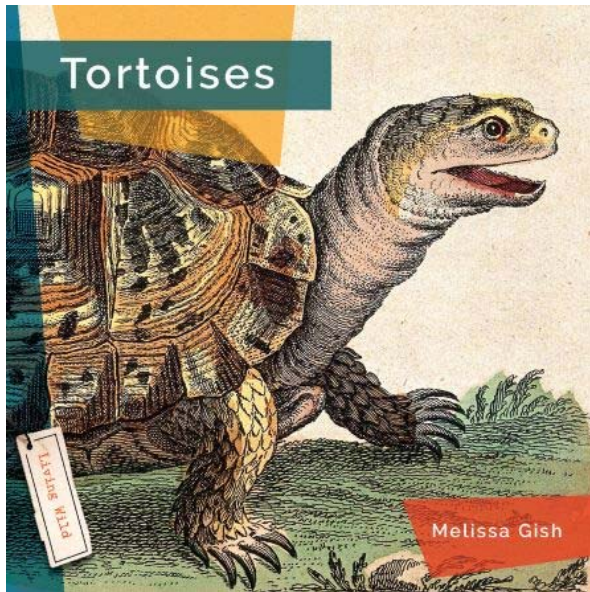
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### Tortoises

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Heavy shell creeps . . . Clawed feet dig . . . Meet the tortoise! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Tortoises* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this remarkable reptile. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a Brazilian legend about the tortoise adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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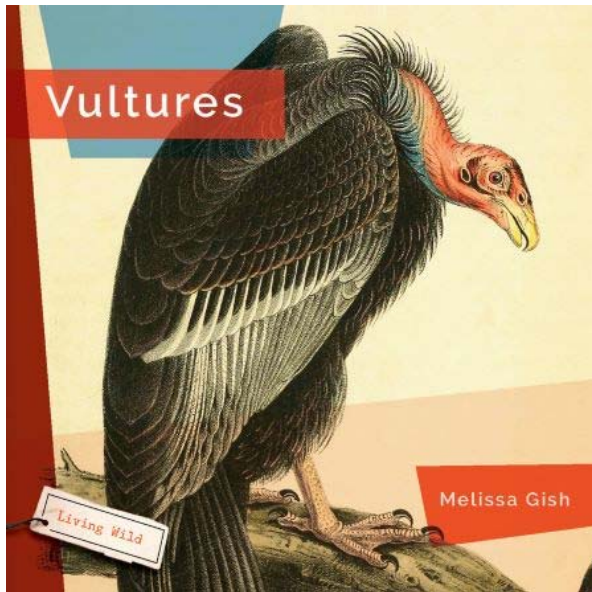
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### Vultures

by Melissa Gish

Wide wings stretch . . . Hooked beak tears . . . Meet the vulture! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Vultures* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of these big birds of prey. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the scavenging raptors' relationships with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a vulture myth from the Cherokee people adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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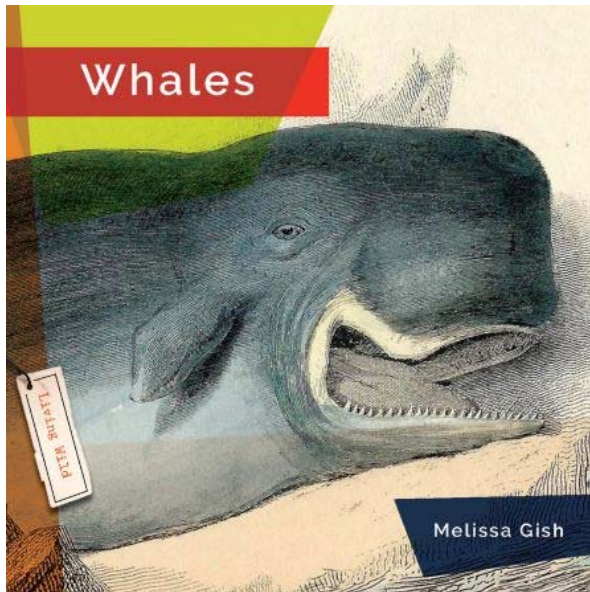
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Series: Living Wild

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### Whales

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Tail flukes wave . . . Blowhole spouts . . . Meet the whale! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Whales* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of these mighty marine mammals. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, ocean habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animals' relationships with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a Japanese fable about the whale adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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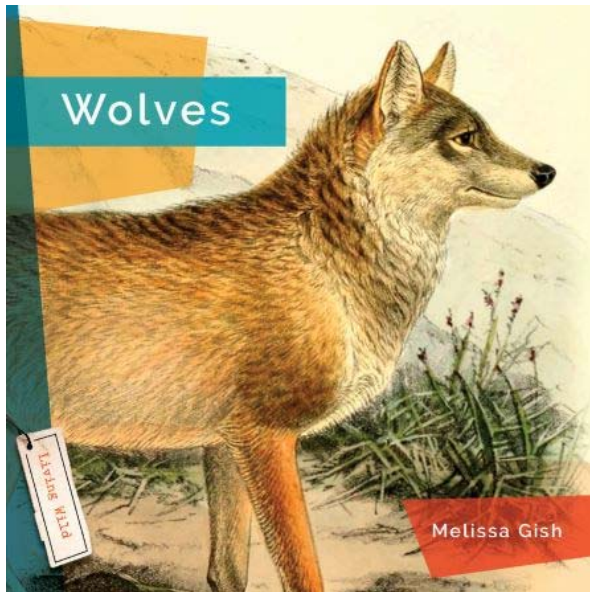
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### Wolves

by Teresa Wimmer

Pointy ears twitch . . . Uprturned head howls . . . Meet the wolf! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Wolves* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the canine predator's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an American Indian wolf legend from the Suquamish people adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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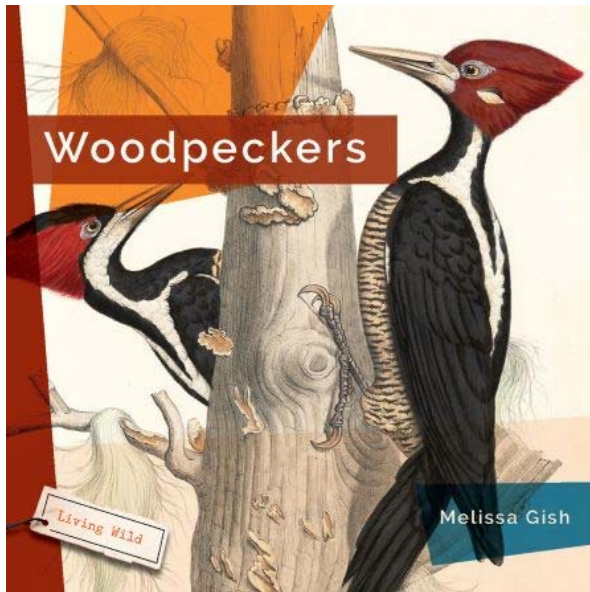
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### Woodpeckers

by Melissa Gish

Feathered head blurs . . . Hard beak hammers . . . Meet the woodpecker! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Woodpeckers* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of these wood-boring birds. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animals' relationships with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an American Indian woodpecker tale from the Lenape people adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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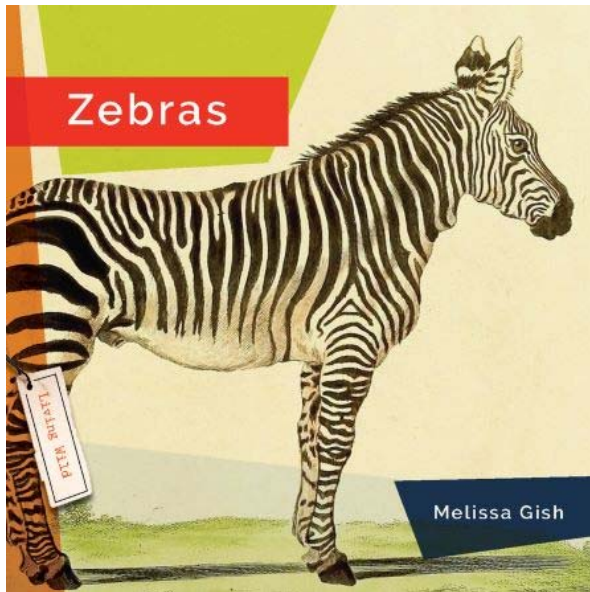
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### Zebras

by Melissa Gish

Striped legs gallop . . . Stiff mane quivers . . . Meet the zebra! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Zebras* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous horse-like African mammal. It covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a zebra myth from Botswana adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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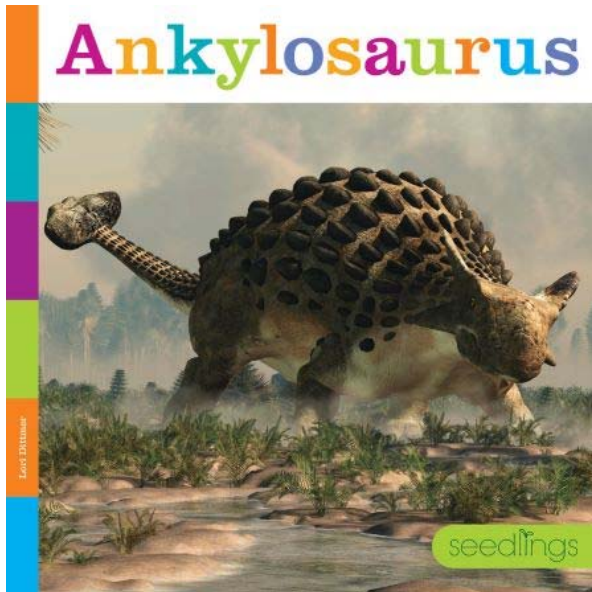
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### Ankylosaurus

by Lori Dittmer

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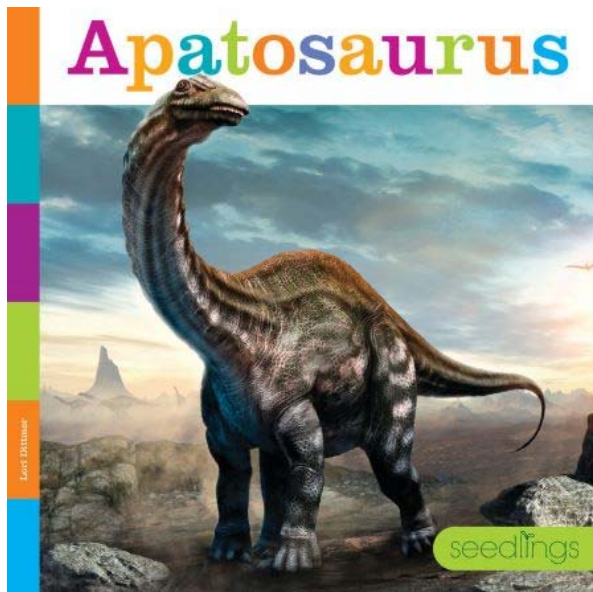
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### **Apatosaurus**

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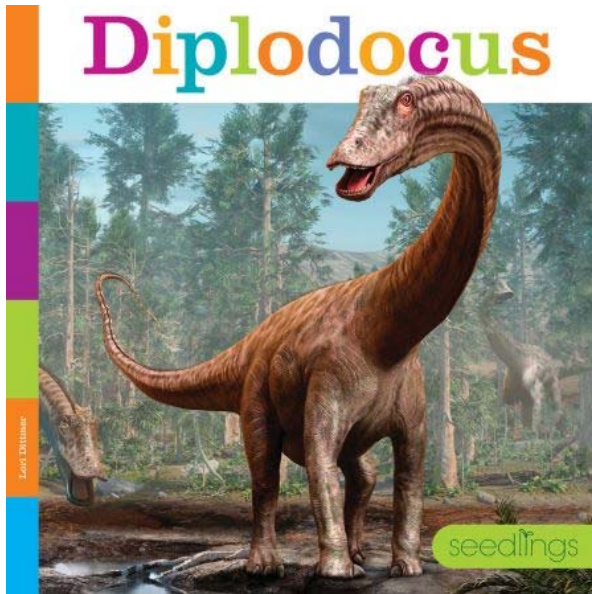
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### **Diplodocus** by Lori Dittmer

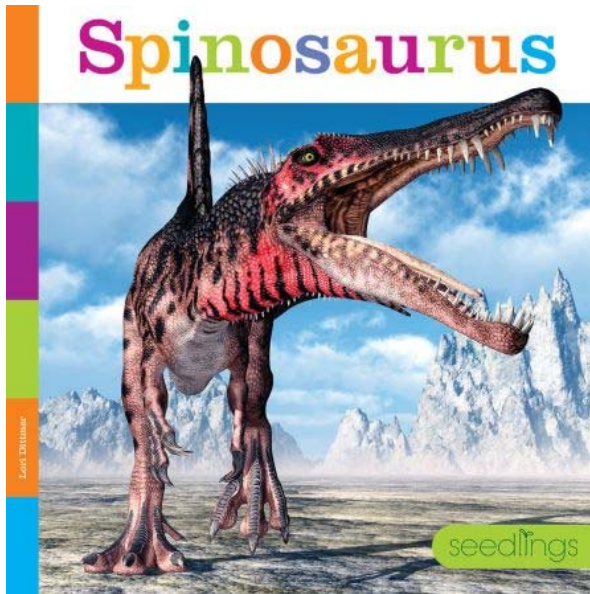
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### **Spinosaurus** by Lori Dittmer

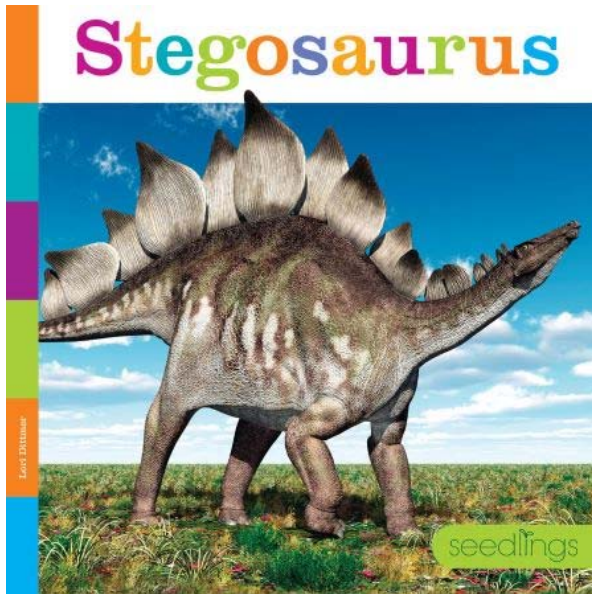
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### Stegosaurus

by Lori Dittmer

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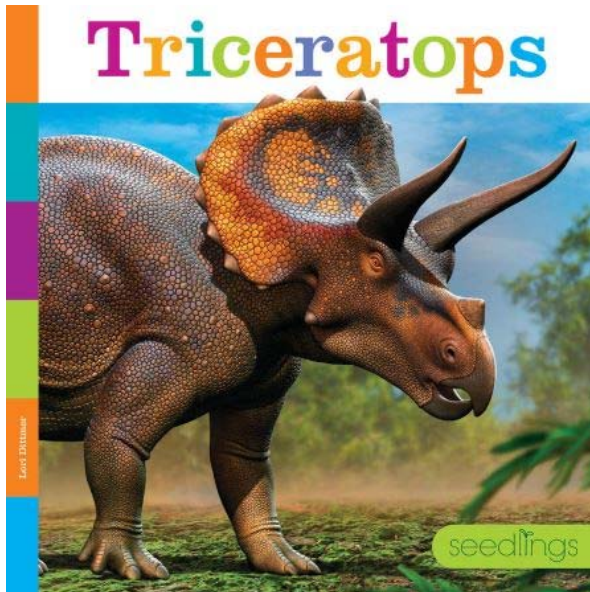
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### **Triceratops** by Lori Dittmer

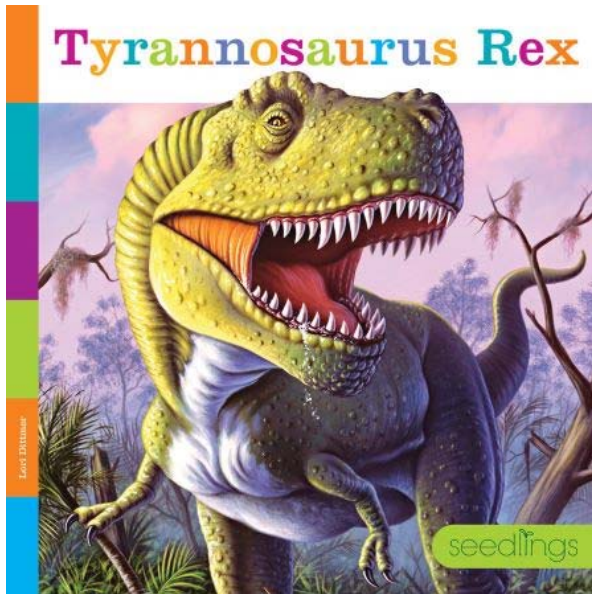
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### **Tyrannosaurus Rex**

by Lori Dittmer

Hello, Tyrannosaurus rex (or T. rex, if you prefer)! Young learners are introduced to this large-skulled predatory dinosaur in a beginning STEM reader that's perfect for curious kids. Dynamic images and carefully leveled, clear text highlight how the extinct carnivore from the Late Cretaceous Period looked, what it ate, and when its fossils were discovered. Part of the Seedlings series from Creative Education, Tyrannosaurus Rex plants seeds of knowledge about prehistoric animal life. Includes a glossary, further resources, and a labeled image guide featuring major body parts from teeth to tail.

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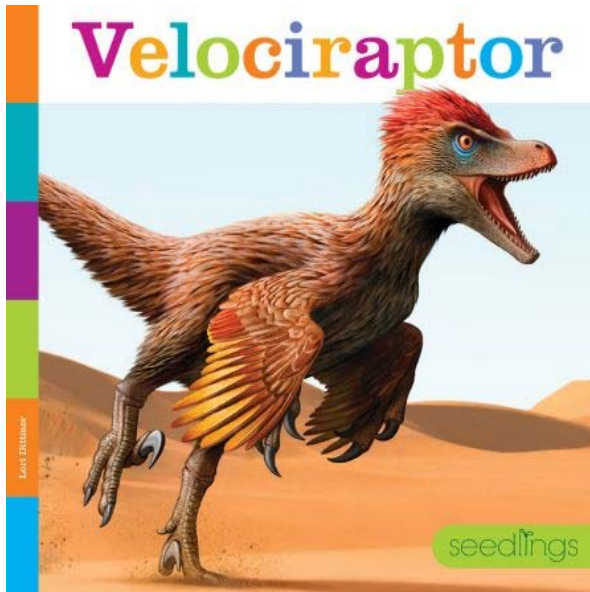
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### **Velociraptor** by Lori Dittmer

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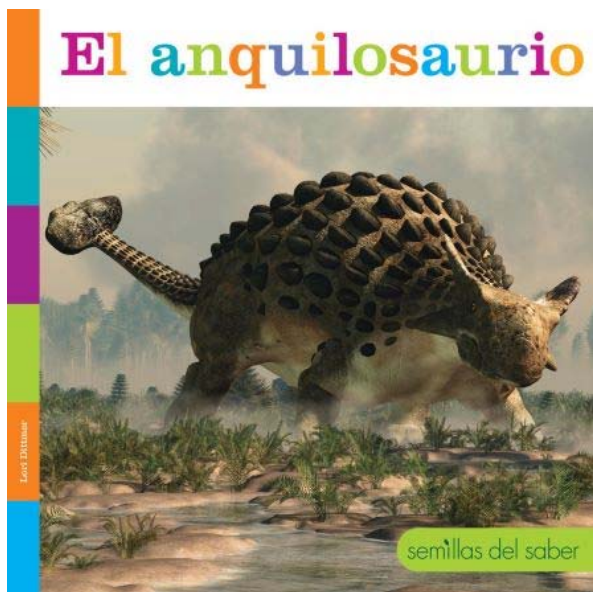
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### El anquilosaurio

by Lori Dittmer

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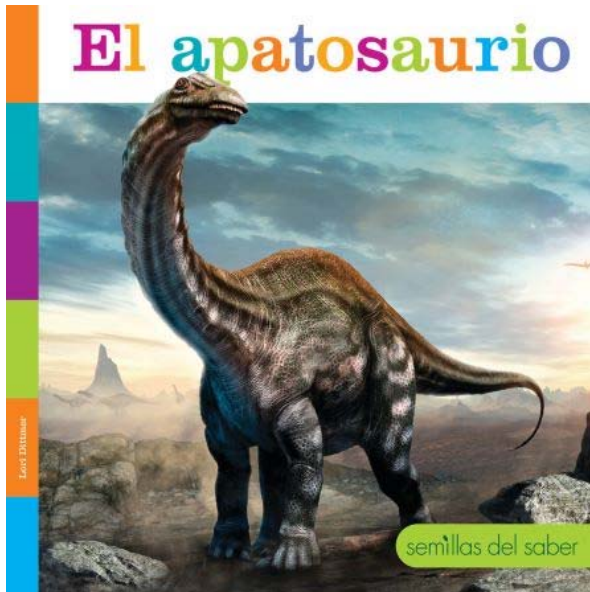
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### **El apatosaurio** by Lori Dittmer

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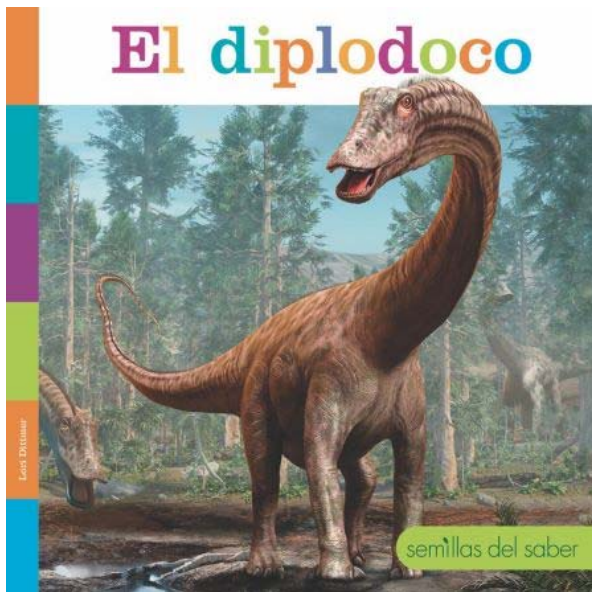
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### **El diplodocus** by Lori Dittmer

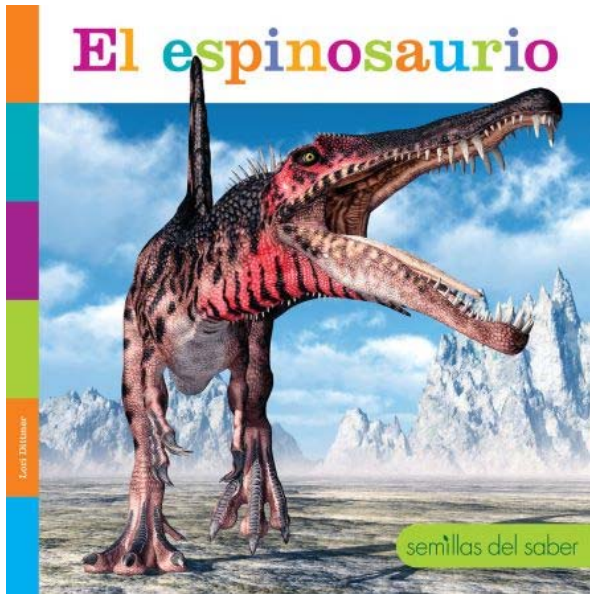
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### El espinosaurio

by Lori Dittmer

Hola, Spinosaurus! Young learners are introduced to this large sail-backed dinosaur in a beginning STEM reader that's been translated into North American Spanish. Dynamic images and carefully leveled, clear text highlight how the extinct carnivore from the Late Cretaceous Period looked, what it ate, and when its fossils were discovered. Part of the Seedlings series from Creative Education, Spinosaurus plants seeds of knowledge about prehistoric animal life. Includes a glossary and a labeled image guide featuring major body parts from toothy snout to paddlelike tail.

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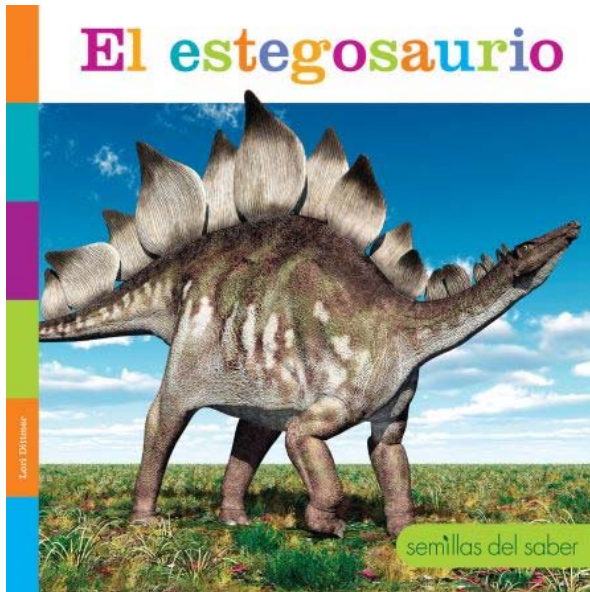
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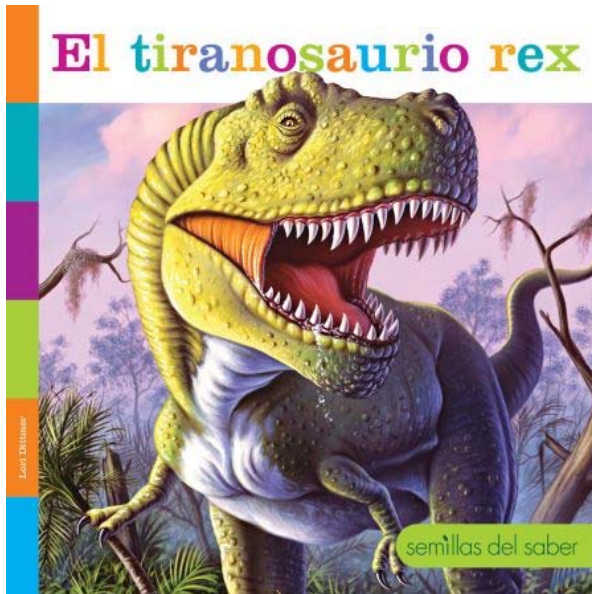
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### El tiranosaurio rex

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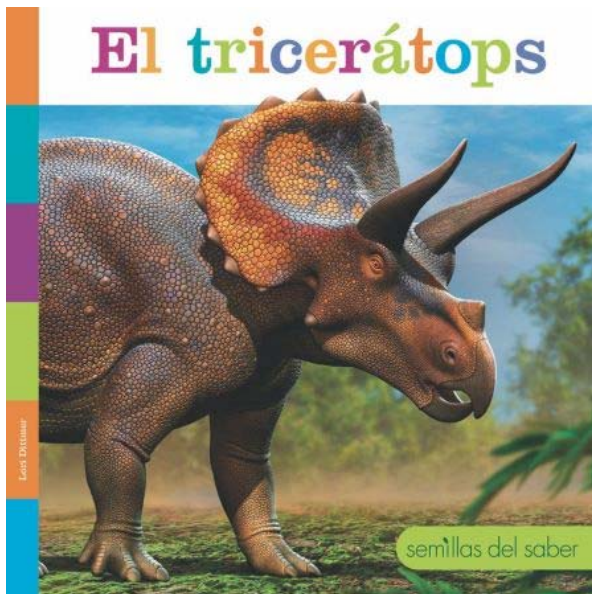
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### El triceratops

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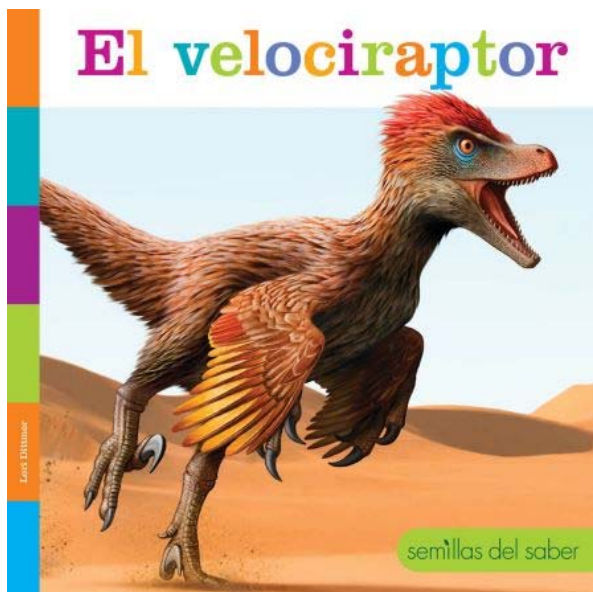
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### El velociraptor

by Lori Dittmer

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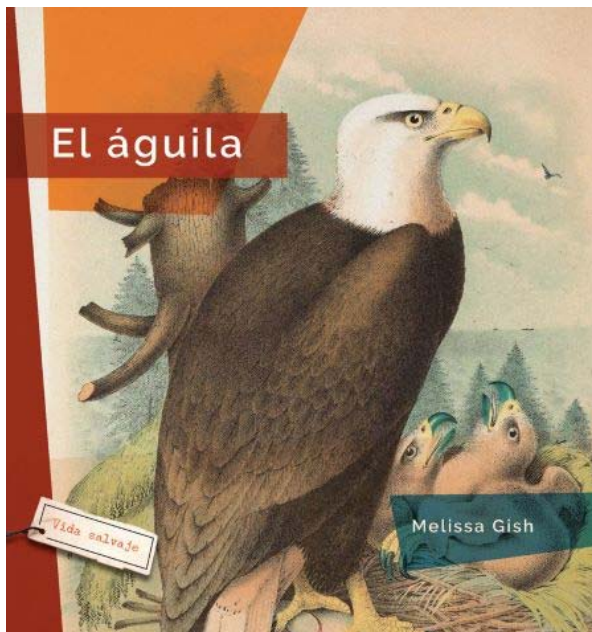
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### **El águila** by Melissa Gish

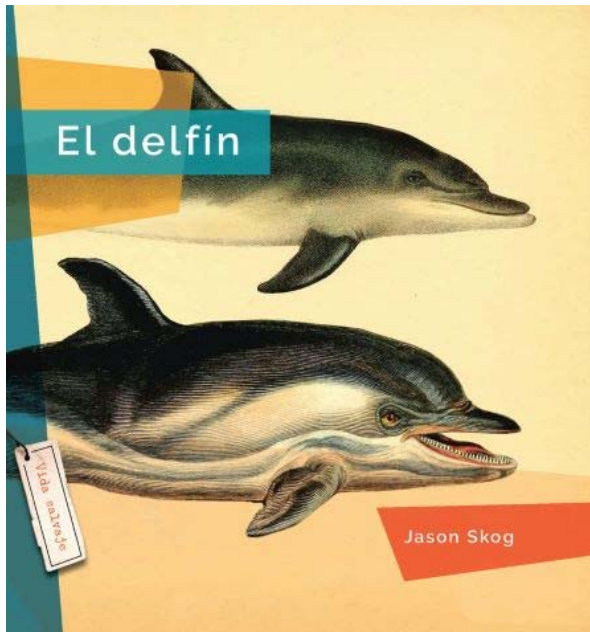
Feathered wings unfold . . . Fierce talons grip . . . Meet the eagle! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Eagles* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of these brilliant birds of prey. Translated into North American Spanish, it covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the birds' relationships with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an eagle myth from the indigenous people of the Pacific Northwest adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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### **El delfín** by Jason Skog

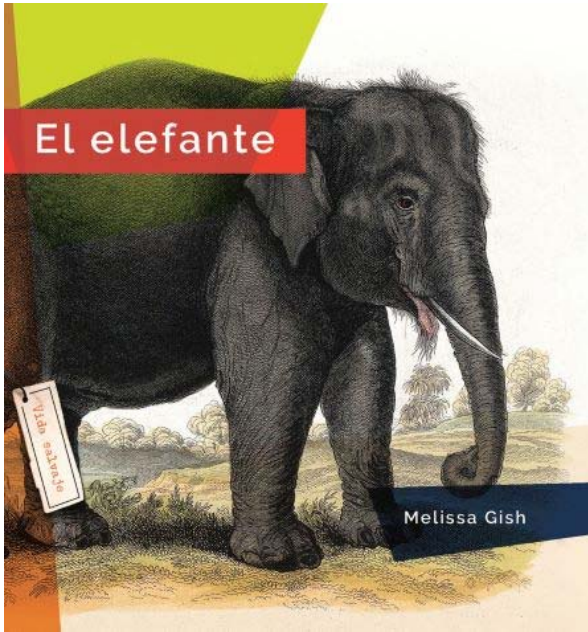
Sleek body jumps . . . Twin flippers splash . . . Meet the dolphin! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Dolphins* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous marine mammal. Translated into North American Spanish, it covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an ancient Greek tale about the ocean-dwelling dolphin adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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### El elefante

by Melissa Gish

Big ears flap . . . Raised trunk trumpets . . . Meet the elephant! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, Elephants treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous mammal of Africa and Asia. Translated into North American Spanish, it covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an Indian folk tale about a white elephant adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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### **El gorila** by Melissa Gish

Hairy arms knuckle-walk . . . Broad chest heaves . . . Meet the gorilla! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Gorillas* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous African mammal from the Primates order. Translated into North American Spanish, it covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the great ape's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a gorilla tale from the Congo River region adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

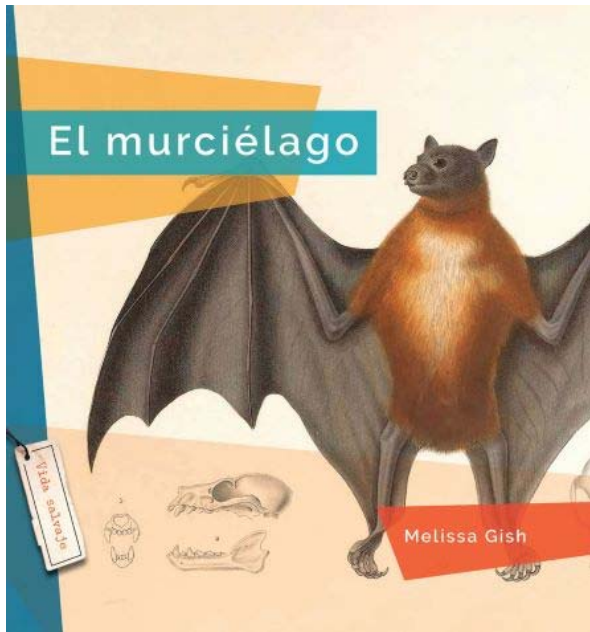
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**9781682773017** • \$20.99 • pb  
Juvenile Nonfiction / Science & Tech / Zoology • Ages  
10-12 years  
Series: Vida salvaje

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### **El murciélago** by Melissa Gish

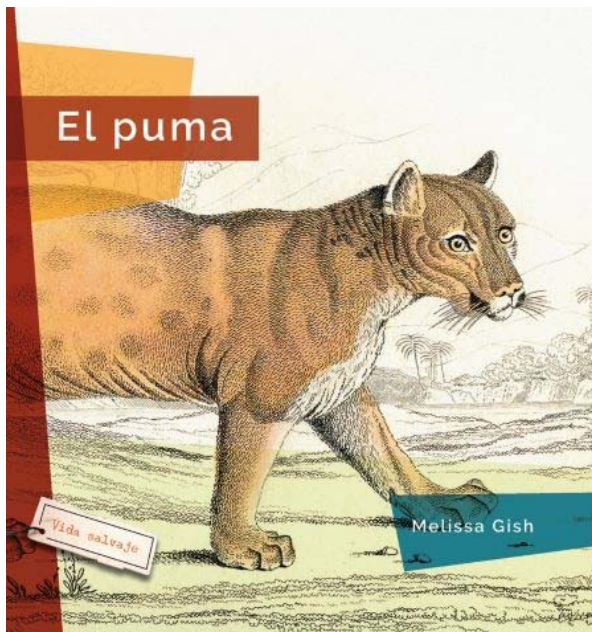
Body swoops low . . . Thin wings flap . . . Meet the bat! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Bats* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this marvelous flying mammal. Translated into North American Spanish, it covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animal's relationship with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an ancient Aztec creation story about the bat adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals / General • Ages 11-12  
years  
Series: Vida salvaje

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





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### **El puma** by Melissa Gish

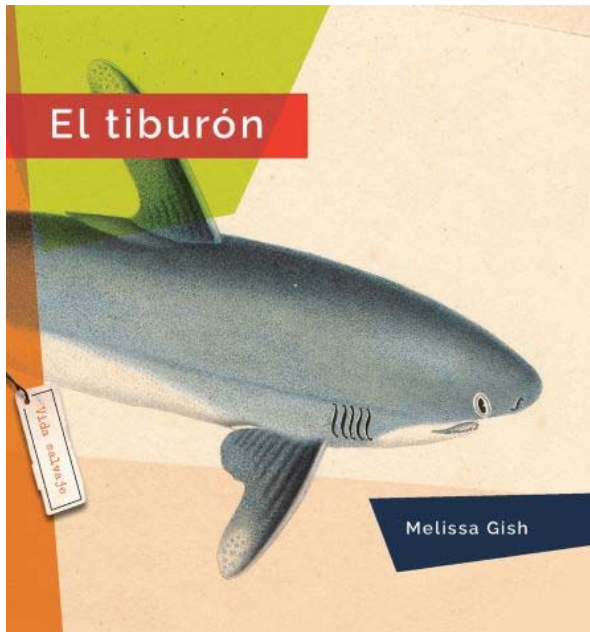
Get to know the furry, feathery, scaly wild animals with whom we share our planet! Translated into North American Spanish, this in-depth, middle-grade nonfiction series profiles mammals, reptiles, amphibians, birds, and fish with vivid photos and facts about their life cycles, diets, and habitats. Built on solid life science with the aid of sidebars, a range map, and a glossary, each title also includes a folk tale about the featured creature, adding a cross-curricular cultural layer to the text.

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Science & Tech / Zoology • Ages  
10-12 years  
Series: Vida salvaje

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### El tiburón

by Melissa Gish

Dorsal fin rises . . . Jagged teeth chomp . . . Meet the shark! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Sharks* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of these fantastic fish.

Translated into North American Spanish, it covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, ocean habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the marine predators' relationships with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while a Hawaiian shark tale adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Science & Tech / Zoology • Ages

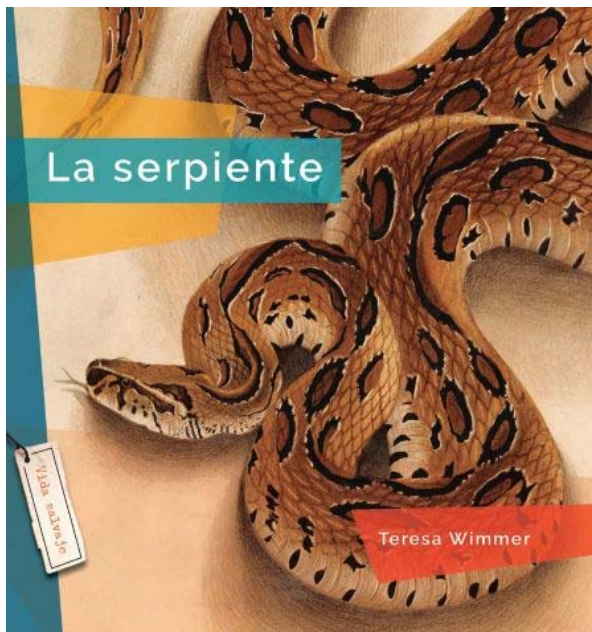
10-12 years

Series: Vida salvaje

### Notes

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### **La serpiente** by Teresa Wimmer

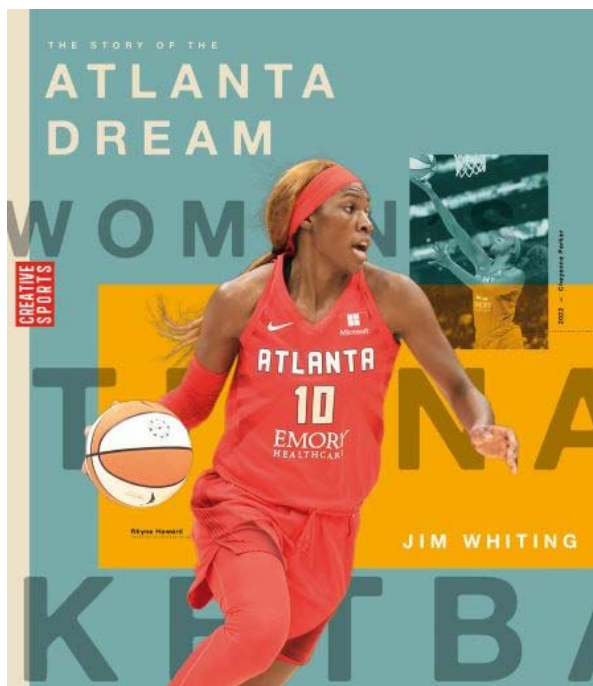
Ropelike body coils . . . Forked tongue flickers . . . Meet the snake! Brimming with vivid photos and scientific facts, *Snakes* treats middle-grade researchers and wild animal lovers to a comprehensive profile of this group of remarkable reptiles. Translated into North American Spanish, it covers zoology topics such as anatomy, diet, habitat, and life cycle, as well as species conservation efforts and the animals' relationships with humans throughout history. Sidebars, a range map, and a glossary support the main text, while an American Indian tale about the snake adds a cross-curricular cultural layer to the title.

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals / General • Ages 10-12  
years  
Series: Vida salvaje

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### The Story of the Atlanta Dream

The WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops: Atlanta Dream  
by Jim Whiting

Introduce young basketball fans to the extraordinary history of the WNBA's Atlanta Dream with a photo-laden narrative of the team's greatest successes. Beginning with the franchise's early years, readers get the highlights of the team's superstars and memorable seasons as well as its playoff runs. A colorful layout drives home the action, and sidebars capture unforgettable moments and players, such as Angel McCoughtry and Tiffany Hayes. Middle grade sports fans experience their favorite professional women's basketball teams like never before in this title from the Creative Sports series. Includes a table of contents and index.

The Creative Company

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Women • Ages 9-10 years

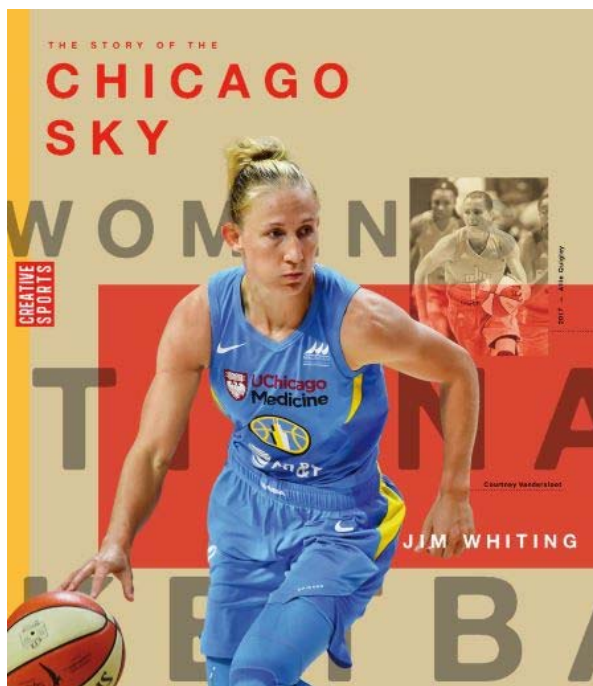
Series: WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops

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THE CREATIVE COMPANY

### The Story of the Chicago Sky

The WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops: Chicago Sky  
by Jim Whiting

Introduce young basketball fans to the extraordinary history of the WNBA's Chicago Sky with a photo-laden narrative of the team's greatest successes. Beginning with the franchise's early years, readers get the highlights of the team's superstars and memorable seasons as well as its playoff runs and recent championship title. A colorful layout drives home the action, and sidebars capture unforgettable moments and players, such as Sylvia Fowles and Courtney Vandersloot. Middle grade sports fans experience their favorite professional women's basketball teams like never before in this title from the Creative Sports series. Includes a table of contents and index.

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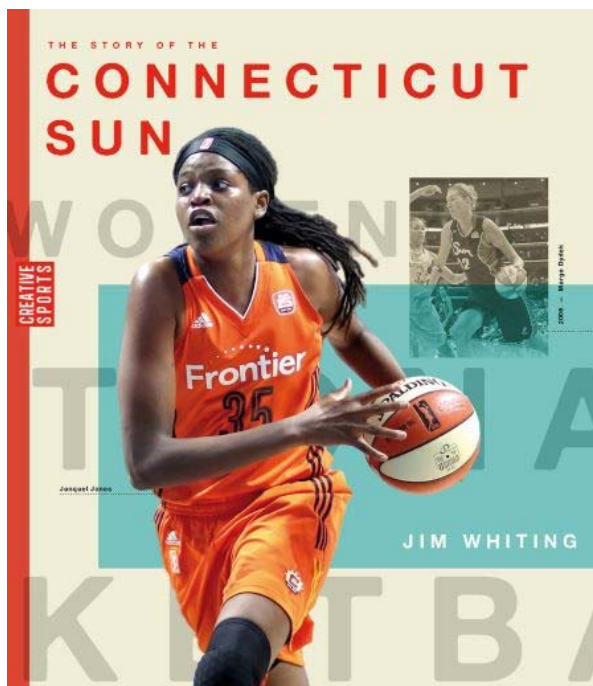
Women • Ages 9-10 years

Series: WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops

### Notes

### Promotion





THE CREATIVE COMPANY

### The Story of the Connecticut Sun

The WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops: Connecticut Sun  
by Jim Whiting

Introduce young basketball fans to the extraordinary history of the WNBA's Chicago Sky with a photo-laden narrative of the team's greatest successes. Beginning with the franchise's early years, readers get the highlights of the team's superstars and memorable seasons as well as its playoff runs and recent championship title. A colorful layout drives home the action, and sidebars capture unforgettable moments and players, such as Sylvia Fowles and Courtney Vandersloot. Middle grade sports fans experience their favorite professional women's basketball teams like never before in this title from the Creative Sports series. Includes a table of contents and index.

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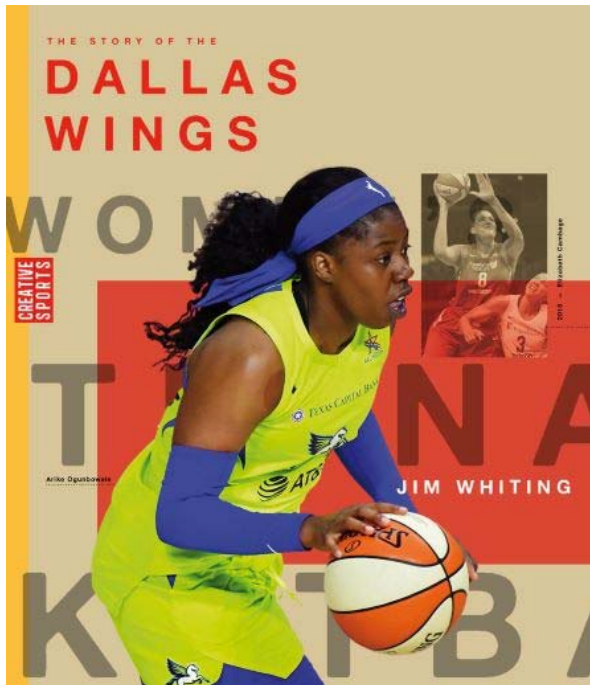
Women • Ages 9-10 years

Series: WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops

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### The Story of the Dallas Wings

The WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops: Dallas Wings  
by Jim Whiting

Introduce young basketball fans to the extraordinary history of the WNBA's Indiana Fever with a photo-laden narrative of the team's greatest successes. Beginning with the franchise's early years, readers get the highlights of the team's superstars and memorable seasons as well as its playoff runs and one championship title. A colorful layout drives home the action, and sidebars capture unforgettable moments and players, such as Tamika Catchings and Katie Douglas. Middle grade sports fans experience their favorite professional women's basketball teams like never before in this title from the Creative Sports series. Includes a table of contents and index.

The Creative Company

On Sale: Aug 8/23

9 x 10 • 32 pages

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Biography & Autobiography /

Women • Ages 9-10 years

Series: WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops

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### The Story of the Indiana Fever

The WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops: Indiana Fever  
by Jim Whiting

Middle grade sports fans witness the buzzer-beating action of their favorite WNBA teams in these photo-driven narratives. Thrilling text and photos capture on-court professional women's basketball action through the years, highlighting superstars, championships, and phenomenal plays. Legends of the Hardwood" sidebars focus on unforgettable moments or players in each team's history.

The Creative Company

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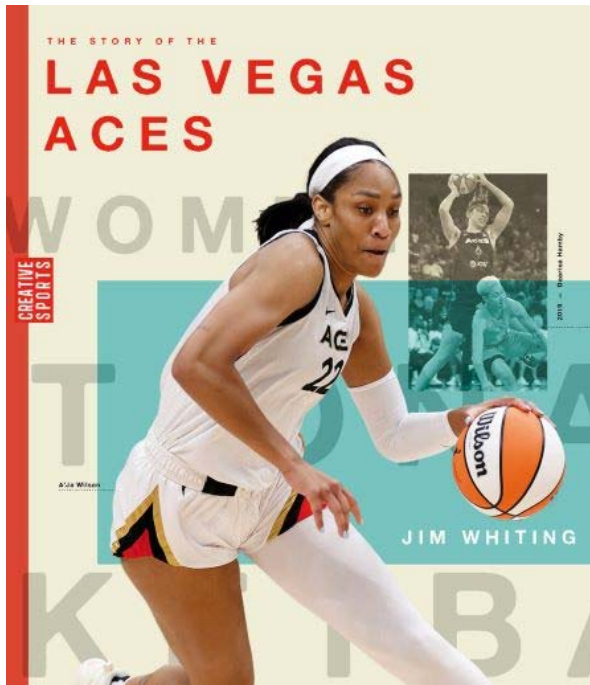
Women • Ages 9-10 years

Series: WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops

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### The Story of the Las Vegas Aces

The WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops: Las Vegas Aces  
by Jim Whiting

Introduce young basketball fans to the extraordinary history of the WNBA's Indiana Fever with a photo-laden narrative of the team's greatest successes. Beginning with the franchise's early years, readers get the highlights of the team's superstars and memorable seasons as well as its playoff runs and one championship title. A colorful layout drives home the action, and sidebars capture unforgettable moments and players, such as Tamika Catchings and Katie Douglas. Middle grade sports fans experience their favorite professional women's basketball teams like never before in this title from the Creative Sports series. Includes a table of contents and index.

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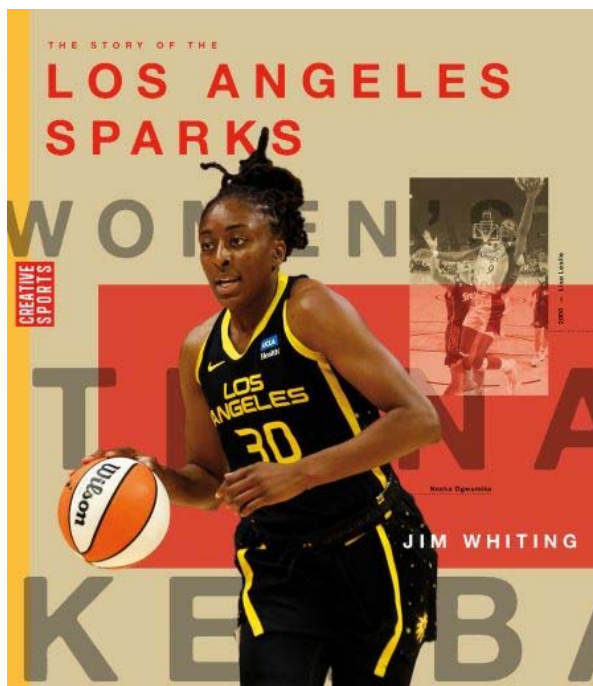
Series: WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops

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### The Story of the Los Angeles Sparks

The WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops: Los Angeles Sparks  
by Jim Whiting

Introduce young basketball fans to the extraordinary history of the WNBA's Minnesota Lynx with a photo-laden narrative of the team's greatest successes. Beginning with the franchise's early years, readers get the highlights of the team's superstars and memorable seasons as well as its playoff runs and four championship titles. A colorful layout drives home the action, and sidebars capture unforgettable moments and players, such as Maya Moore and Seimone Augustus. Middle grade sports fans experience their favorite professional women's basketball teams like never before in this title from the Creative Sports series. Includes a table of contents and index.

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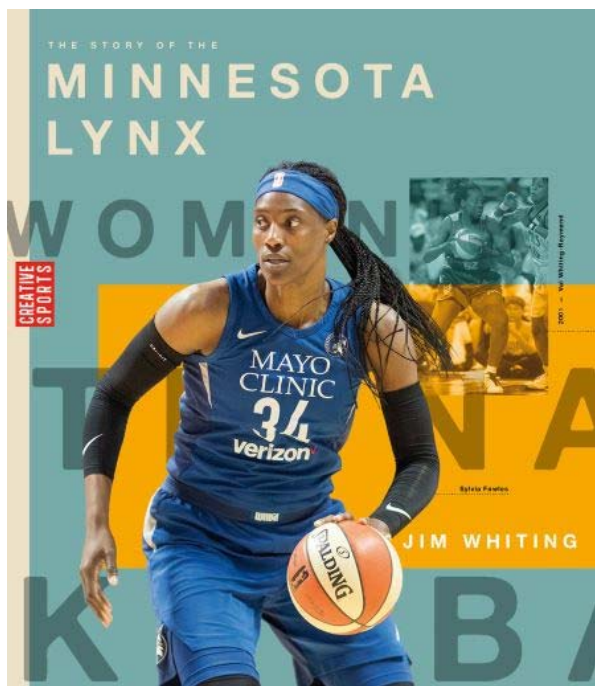
Women • Ages 9-10 years

Series: WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops

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### The Story of the Minnesota Lynx by Jim Whiting

Introduce young basketball fans to the extraordinary history of the WNBA's Minnesota Lynx with a photo-laden narrative of the team's greatest successes. Beginning with the franchise's early years, readers get the highlights of the team's superstars and memorable seasons as well as its playoff runs and four championship titles. A colorful layout drives home the action, and sidebars capture unforgettable moments and players, such as Maya Moore and Seimone Augustus. Middle grade sports fans experience their favorite professional women's basketball teams like never before in this title from the Creative Sports series. Includes a table of contents and index.

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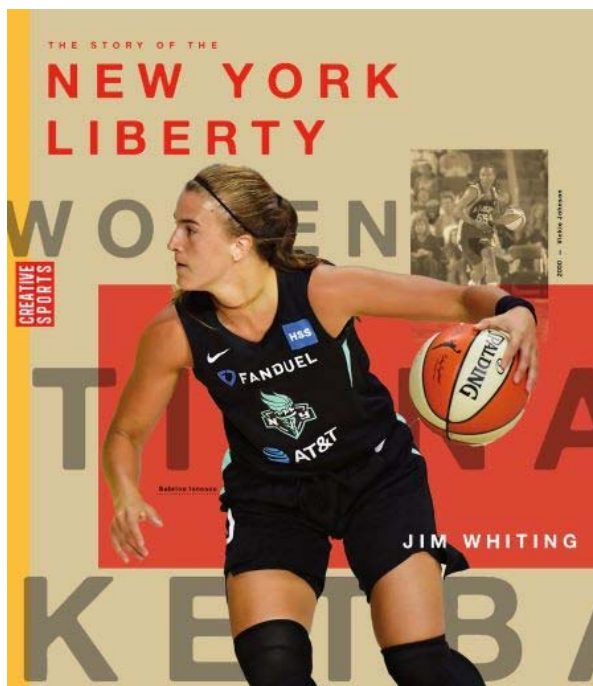
Women • Ages 9-10 years

Series: WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops

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### **The Story of the New York Liberty** by Jim Whiting

Introduce young basketball fans to the extraordinary history of the WNBA's New York Liberty with a photo-laden narrative of the team's greatest successes. Beginning with the franchise's early years, readers get the highlights of the team's superstars and memorable seasons as well as its playoff runs. A colorful layout drives home the action, and sidebars capture unforgettable moments and players, such as Vickie Johnson and Sabrina Ionescu. Middle grade sports fans experience their favorite professional women's basketball teams like never before in this title from the Creative Sports series. Includes a table of contents and index.

The Creative Company

On Sale: Aug 8/23

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Biography & Autobiography /

Women • Ages 9-10 years

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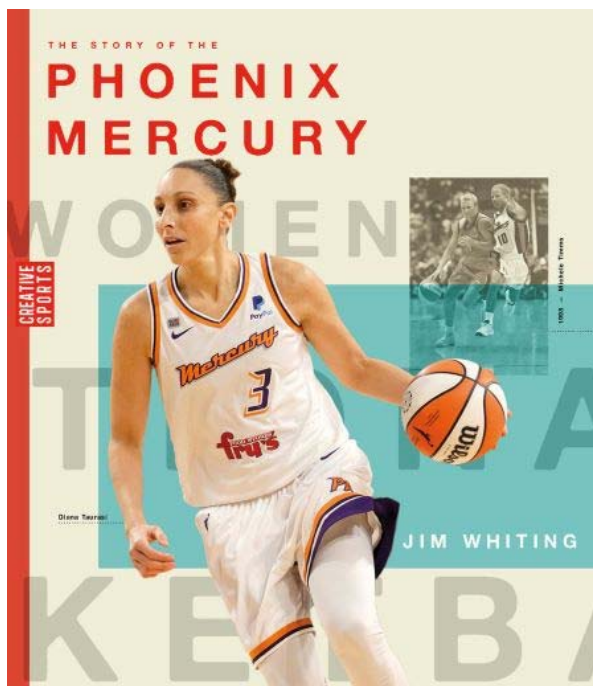
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### The Story of the Phoenix Mercury by Jim Whiting

Introduce young basketball fans to the extraordinary history of the WNBA's Phoenix Mercury with a photo-laden narrative of the team's greatest successes. Beginning with the franchise's early years, readers get the highlights of the team's superstars and memorable seasons as well as its playoff runs and three championship titles. A colorful layout drives home the action, and sidebars capture unforgettable moments and players, such as Diana Taurasi and Penny Taylor. Middle grade sports fans experience their favorite professional women's basketball teams like never before in this title from the Creative Sports series. Includes a table of contents and index.

The Creative Company

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Women • Ages 9-10 years

Series: WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops

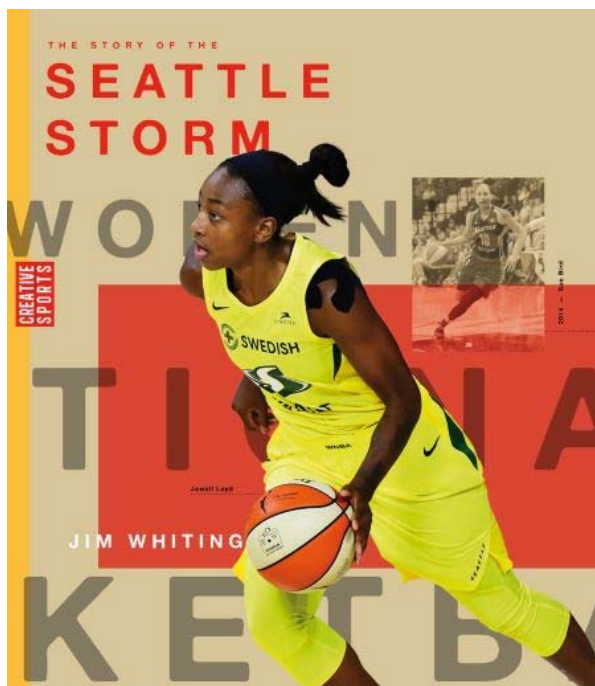
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### The Story of the Seattle Storm by Jim Whiting

Introduce young basketball fans to the extraordinary history of the WNBA's Seattle Storm with a photo-laden narrative of the team's greatest successes. Beginning with the franchise's early years, readers get the highlights of the team's superstars and memorable seasons as well as its playoff runs and four championship titles. A colorful layout drives home the action, and sidebars capture unforgettable moments and players, such as Sue Bird and Breanna Stewart. Middle grade sports fans experience their favorite professional women's basketball teams like never before in this title from the Creative Sports series. Includes a table of contents and index.

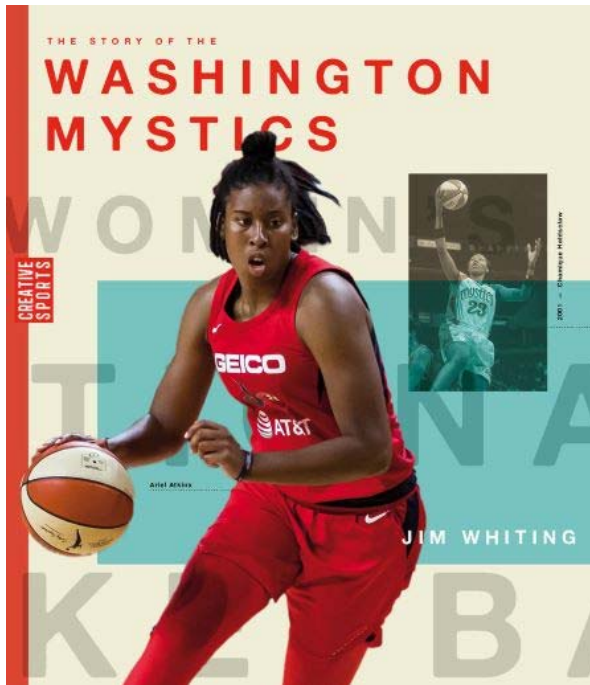
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Juvenile Nonfiction / Biography & Autobiography /  
Women • Ages 9-10 years  
Series: WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops

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### The Story of the Washington Mystics by Jim Whiting

Introduce young basketball fans to the extraordinary history of the WNBA's Washington Mystics with a photo-laden narrative of the team's greatest successes. Beginning with the franchise's early years, readers get the highlights of the team's superstars and memorable seasons as well as its playoff runs and one championship title. A colorful layout drives home the action, and sidebars capture unforgettable moments and players, such as Emma Meesseman and Elena Delle Donne. Middle grade sports fans experience their favorite professional women's basketball teams like never before in this title from the Creative Sports series. Includes a table of contents and index.

The Creative Company

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9 x 10 • 32 pages

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Biography & Autobiography /

Women • Ages 9-10 years

Series: WNBA: A History of Women's Hoops

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### **Baby Basics: My Cuddly Bunny A Soft Cloth Book for Baby**

illustrated by Lucie Bruneliere

#### **An adorable plush bunny friend to snuggle with!**

This super-soft, durable cloth book is the perfect companion for babies and little ones. The gentle, reassuring story offers baby and caregivers the chance to bond in a warm and loving way. • Made from durable, non-toxic soft plush fabric that's machine-washable

- Perfect baby gift
- Cute and whimsical illustrations little ones will love

#### **A wonderful addition to baby's first library collection! • Fun family read-aloud books**

- Books for baby to 3 years old
- Baby shower gift

### **Author Bio**

Lucie Brunelliere began her career as an illustrator for magazines, but now concentrates on illustrating children's books. She lives in Strasbourg, France.

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On Sale: Aug 8/23

8.25 x 11.25 • 8 pages

**9782408045050** • \$25.99 • novelty book

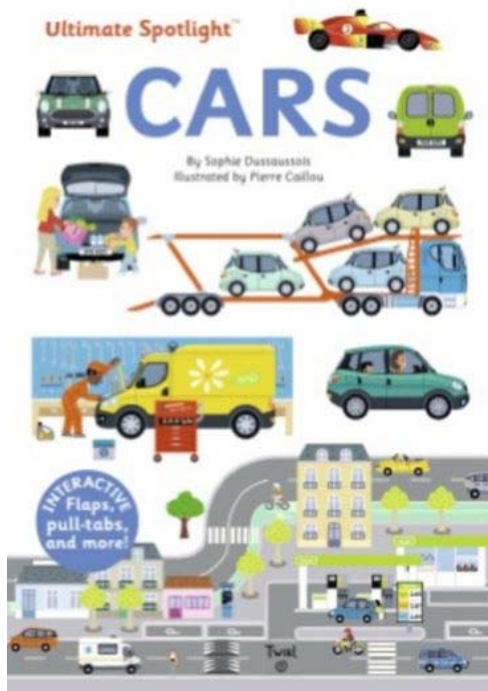
Juvenile Fiction / Animals / Rabbits • Ages 0-3 years

Series: Baby Basics

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### Cars

by Sophie Dussaussois, illustrated by Pierre Caillou

**Interactive and engaging, Ultimate Spotlight: *Cars* gives children a closer look at the ins and outs of this beloved vehicle!** Explore what's inside a car, how a car is made, and even get in on the excitement of a race track.

- Flaps! Pull-tabs! Pop-ups! Lots of interactive and moveable parts
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- Great family and classroom read-aloud book
- Books for 5 and up
- Books for kindergarten and early elementary school students

### Author Bio

Sophie Dussaussois is an editor at Editions Milan, She lives in Toulouse, France.

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On Sale: Aug 22/23

7.5 x 10.5 • 12 pages

**9791036357275** • \$28.99 • cl

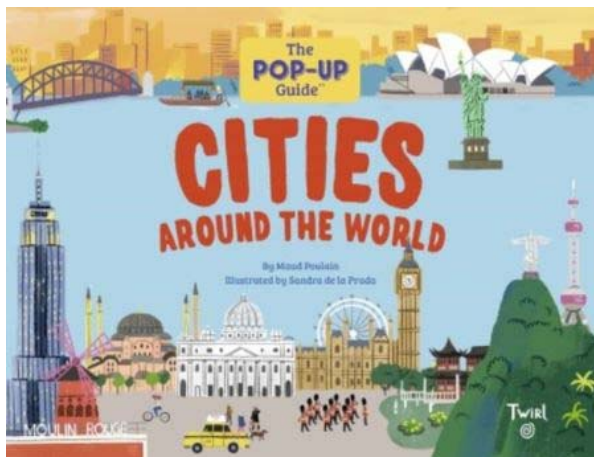
Juvenile Nonfiction / Cars & Trucks • Ages 5-99 years

Series: Ultimate Spotlight

### Notes

### Promotion





### Cities Around the World

by Maud Poulain, illustrated by Sandra de la Prada

**A unique look at some of the world's most beautiful cities:** The iconic landmarks of New York City, Rio de Janeiro, Cape Town, London, and other international cities fill the eye-opening pages of this Pop-Up Guide™. Featuring the Empire State Building, Copacabana Beach, Big Ben, and many more attractions, the multilayered 3-D scenes encourages children to explore further!

- Descriptive text and labeled illustrations for quick and easy learning
- Built-in elastic bands that allow readers to prop open and display their favorite scene
- Sturdy construction that's perfect for at-home or on-the-go.

**Fans of the Pop-Up Guide™ series will also enjoy the other books in the series, *Space*, *Vehicles*, *Natural Wonders*, and *Animal s*.**

- Pop-up books for
- Educational books for children aged 3 to 5
- Books for preschool and kindergarten children

### Author Bio

Maud Poulain is an author and editor of childrens' books. She lives and works in Paris, France.

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10 x 7.5 • 18 pages

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Lifestyles / City Life • Ages 3-5

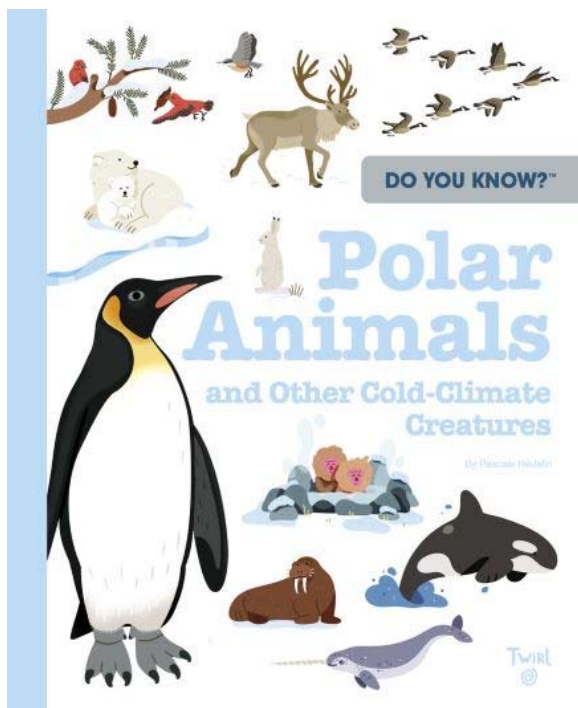
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Series: The Pop-Up Guide

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### Do You Know?: Polar Animals and Other Cold-Climate Creatures

by Pascale Hedelin, illustrated by Didier Balicevic and Maelle Cheval

**What type of animals live in the cold regions? How do they survive in extreme temperatures?** The Do You Know?(TM) series provides in-depth looks at a wide range of popular subjects. Appealing to children who want to know everything, each thought-provoking book features

- 96 pages of engaging and educational answers to many popular questions
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- Educational content reviewed by experts

**Fans of this book will also enjoy others in the same series, including *Boats, Music, Jobs, Trains, Dinosaurs, Oceans, Space, Vehicles, Earth, and Animals*.**

- Great family and classroom read-aloud book
- Books for 5 and up
- Books for kindergarten and early elementary school students

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On Sale: Oct 10/23

8 x 95 • 96 pages

**9782408046200** • \$25.99 • cl

Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals / General • Ages 5 years and up

Series: Do You Know?

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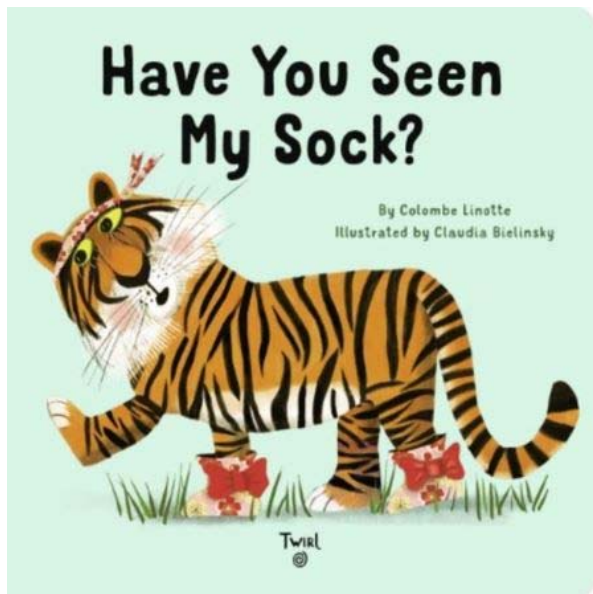
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### Have You Seen My Sock?

by Colombe Linotte, illustrated by Claudia Bielinsky

**A colorful and amusing simple whodunit!** Engaging, rhyming text tells about socks that have mysteriously disappeared: socks of all colors, shapes, and patterns. Just where could they have gone? Readers will squeal with delight when they find out!

- \* Builds children's cognitive abilities and stimulates creative thinking
- \* Encourages curiosity
- \* Helps develop recognition of different colors, patterns, and shapes
- \* Matching game reaffirms observation skills

***Have You Seen My Sock?* is an irresistible board book that children will want to read again and again!**

- Fun family read-aloud books
- Books for children aged 0 to 3
- Books for toddlers and preschool children

- \* Simple, fun mystery with cheerfully rendered animals
- \* Gentle introduction to pattern, color, and shape recognition
- \* Includes a memory game to reaffirm object identification and observation skills

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7 x 7 • 20 pages

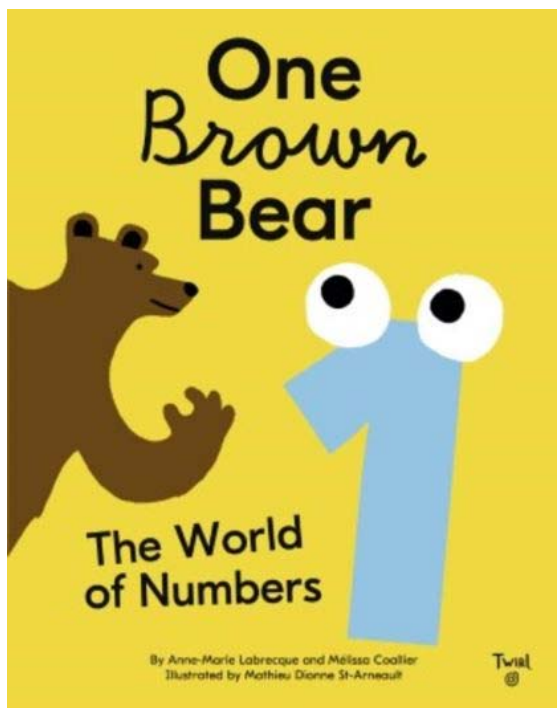
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Juvenile Fiction / Imagination & Play • Ages 0-3 years

### Notes

### Promotion





### **One Brown Bear: The World of Numbers**

by Anne-Marie Labrecque and Melissa Coallier, illustrated by Mathieu Dionne St-Arneault

**A lively and colorful introduction to learning about numbers and counting:**

Puppies, penguins, bees, and many more cheerful animals help children recognize numbers and learn to count. With the help of words and pictures, children can easily make the connection between the numbers and images from 1 through 20. • Encourages numeracy development, helping young children become enthusiastic learners

- A built-in counting game that develops observation skills and boosts confidence
- A fun number-learning adventure!
- Includes a bonus! The numbers 21 to 100 are included in the back pages

**One Brown Bear helps young children develop pre-math skills.** • Great family and classroom read-aloud

- Books for children aged 3 to 5
- Books for preschool and kindergarten children

\*Introduces numbers and counting

\*Builds numeracy and pre-math skills

\*Encourages counting with fingers and use of manipulatives to develop confidence and fluency in learning early math concepts

\*Bright, colorful illustrations engage children and help them remember

\*Numbers are presented as digits and words, and with images of dice and fingers

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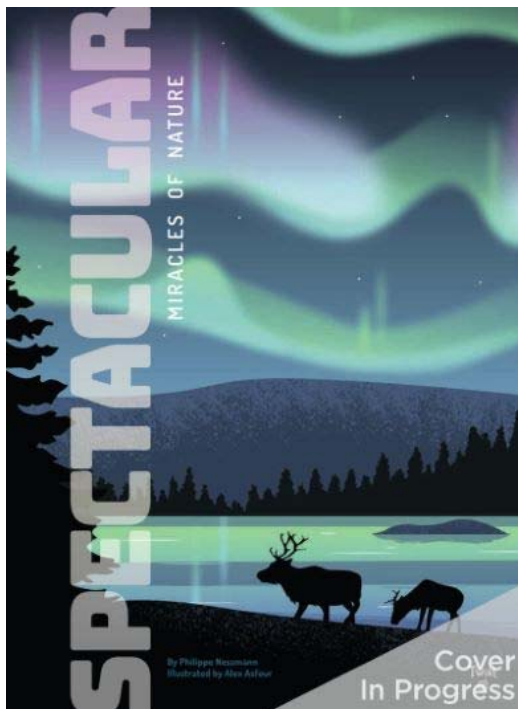
**9791036358517** • \$25.99 • cl

Juvenile Fiction / Concepts / Counting • Ages 0-3 years

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





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### **Spectacular: Miracles of Nature**

by Philippe Nessmann, illustrated by Alex Asfour

**Discover Earth's amazing beauty!** Pink lakes, giant crystal caves, ice flowers, and polar lights are some of the spectacular natural phenomena featured in this large format book. The stunning illustrations are accompanied by fascinating facts about the phenomena and the science behind them.

- Supersized spreads with eye-catching illustrations that capture readers' attention
- Bite-sized explanations about each phenomena
- Educational content reviewed by experts

***An indispensable resource for any child's library!***

- Great family and classroom read-aloud book.
- Nonfiction books for kids
- Educational books for elementary school students

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On Sale: Sep 19/23

9.5 x 13.5 • 48 pages

**9782408045036** • \$29.99 • cl

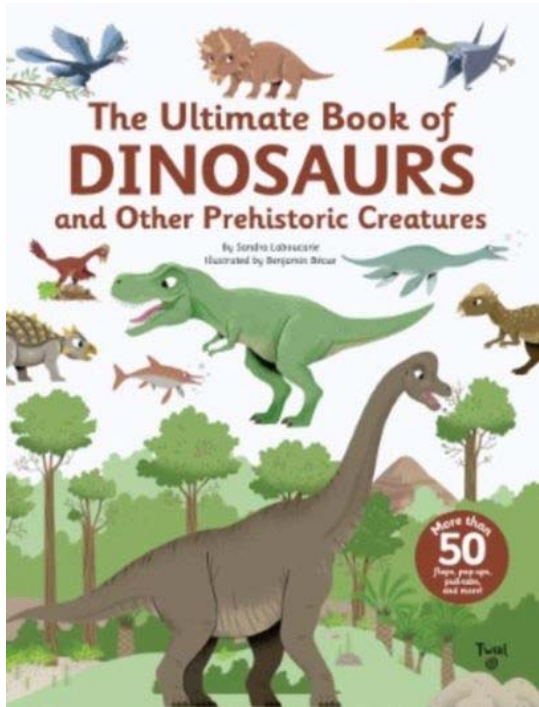
Juvenile Nonfiction / Science & Tech / Earth Sciences •

Ages 5 years and up

### **Notes**

### **Promotion**





### The Ultimate Book of Dinosaurs and Other Prehistoric Creatures

by Sandra Laboucarie, illustrated by Benjamin Becue

#### Discover the fantastic world of dinosaurs!

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### Author Bio

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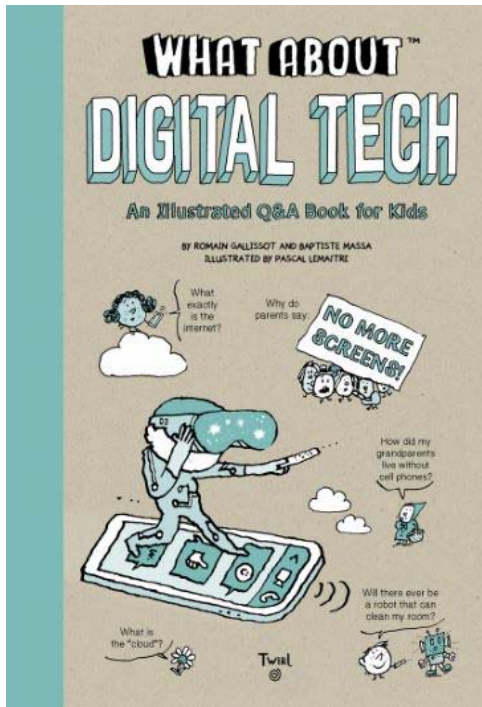
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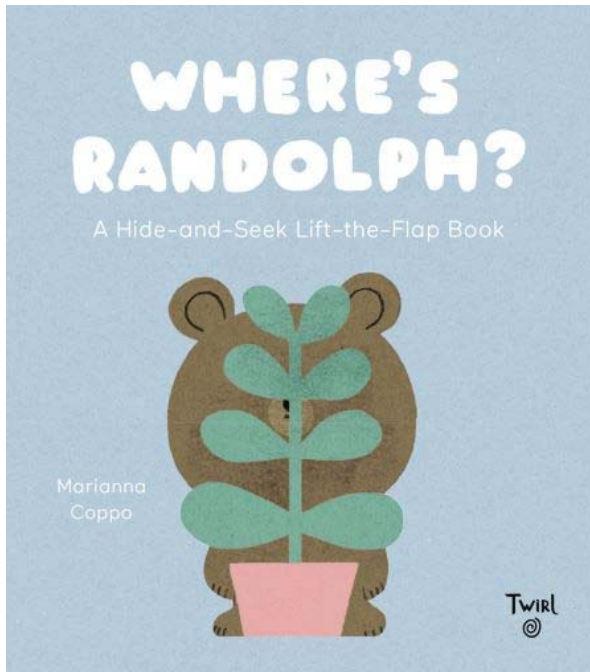
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