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She'll Be the Sky

Poems by Women and Girls

Ella Risbridger, Anna Shepeta

Key Selling Points

A giftable classic with sumptuous finishes including cloth binding, full color illustrations throughout, textured paper jacket, ribbon marker, and head and tail bands

An outstanding collection of women's poetry including works by household names like Carol Ann Duffy and Wendy Copy, as well as newer contemporary poets such as Nikita Gill and Yrsa Daley-Ward

From talented anthologist, Ella Risbridger

Fully illustrated throughout with gorgeous, atmospheric artwork from Anna Shepata

Features poems from current US poet Laureate Ada Limón and 2022 Laureate Joy Harjo.

Summary

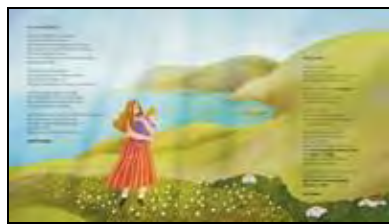
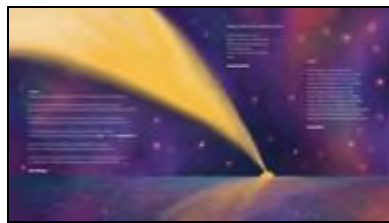
From well-loved poets — including Maya Angelou, Wendy Cope, Lucille Clifton, and Christina Rossetti — to newer voices — such as Amanda Gorman, Yrsa-Daley Ward, and Amineh Abou Kerech — this outstanding collection from talented anthologist Ella Risbridger has poems for every mood and every moment. Ella's selection is wide-ranging but accessible and will appeal to poetry lovers both young and old alike.

Contributor Bio

Ella Risbridger is a writer from London. Her first cook book, *Midnight Chicken (& Other Recipes Worth Living For)*, was named a *Book Of The Year 2019* by half a dozen different publications, including The Times, The Daily Mail, and The Observer. She is also the author of the children's book, *The Secret Detectives*.

Anna Shepeta is an illustrator, painter, and ceramicist. Anna enjoys portraying strong female characters and the fighting spirit! When she's not creating magical art, Anna likes to bake rainbow cookies and watch detective series. And she really likes making to-do lists.

Illustrations



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Hardcover Picture Book

144 Pages
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Ages 4 to 12, Grades P to 7
Juvenile Nonfiction / Poetry
JNF042000
10.8 in H | 9.7 in W



Hen in the Bed

Katrina Charman, Guilherme Karsten

Key Selling Points

A hilarious interpretation of the popular "Ten in the Bed" rhyme featuring a cast of zany animal characters

Split-page novelty format (similar to *The Very Hungry Caterpillar*) adds fun as each animal tumbles out of bed with every page turn

Cozy bedtime ending

Bright, stylish, brilliantly chaotic illustrations from award-winning illustrator Guilherme Karsten

Summary

There were 10 in the bed and the speckled hen said, "Roll over! Roll over!"

Count the funny animal friends as they noisily roll, flop, and tumble out of bed, one by one, in this clever split-page picture book.

As the bed gets emptier, bedtime gets more and more chaotic.

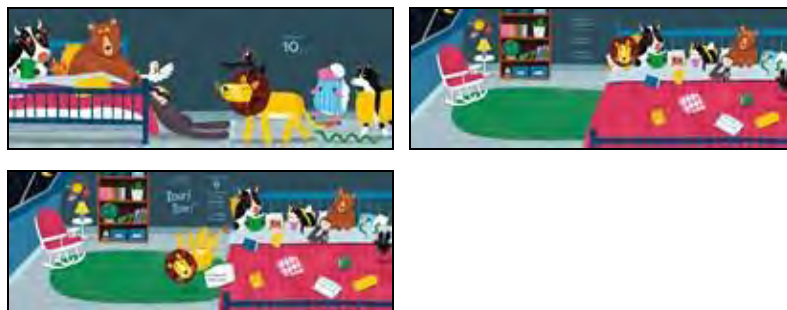
Will anyone EVER get any sleep?

Contributor Bio

Katrina Charman has spent her life surrounded by books ever since her first visit to the library when she was tiny. She now lives in a house full of bookshelves and continues to fill them with books that she has written. When she's not writing for children, you can find Katrina cuddled up with one of her fluffy cats and a good book or plucking cat hairs off her clothes. She lives in Wokingham, England.

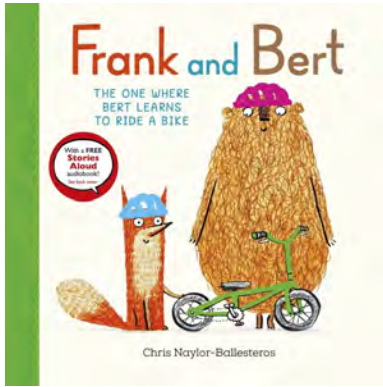
Guilherme Karsten won a national contest for new children's book illustrators in 2010 and has been working with illustrations ever since. After illustrating many books for other authors, he started writing his own books in 2017. Guilherme's work has been published worldwide and has received various accolades, including the Jabuti Award and the Golden Pinwheel Grand Award. Guilherme lives in Blumenau, in southern Brazil.

Illustrations



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Juvenile Fiction / Bedtime & Dreams
JUV010000
12 in H | 8.7 in W



Frank and Bert: The One Where Bert Learns to Ride a Bike

Chris Naylor-Ballesteros

Key Selling Points

Learning to ride a bike is never easy but Bert finds that with Frank behind him, he is soon flying!

With neon ink throughout, this entertaining story about friendship is packed with comedy and heart.

Chris Naylor-Ballesteros, the bestselling creator of *The Suitcase* and *Out of Nowhere*.

Summary

But there's one little problem.

Bert is very slow and always wobbles.

Uh-oh.

But what if being fast isn't everything?

Maybe — just maybe — Frank will find that by being a kind and thoughtful friend he can give Bert all the confidence he needs . . .

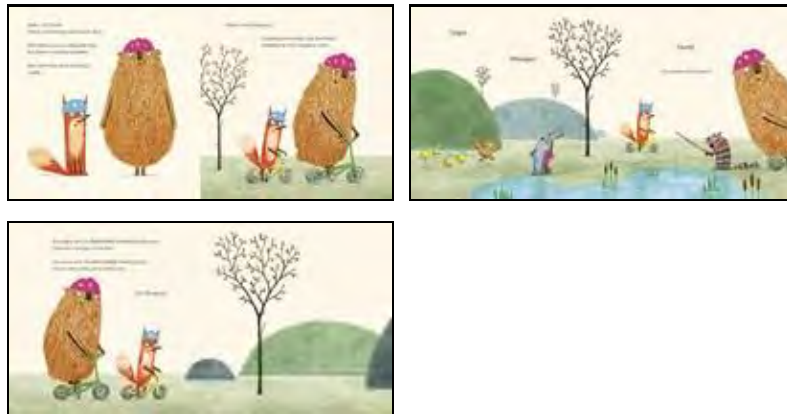
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Hardcover Picture Book

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Print Run: 30K
Ages 4 to 8, Grades P to 3
Juvenile Fiction / Social Themes
JUV039060
Series: Frank and Bert
10.6 in H | 10.6 in W

Contributor Bio

Chris Naylor-Ballesteros is originally from Bradford, England, and studied illustration and graphic design at Bradford College of Art. When his children were small, Chris realized he loved the picture books he read to them — sometimes even more than his children did — and has since written and illustrated many books. Chris lives with his family and pet dog near Limoges, in France.

Illustrations





Every Bunny is a Yoga Bunny

Emily Ann Davison, Deborah Allwright

Key Selling Points

A funny, charming story featuring yoga poses and mindfulness techniques to help young readers relax and feel calm
With lively artwork full of warmth and texture from Deborah Allwright, bestselling and award-winning illustrator of *There is No Dragon in This Story* and *The Night Pirates*

Written with consultation from yoga instructor Elizabeth Jenner

Features step-by-step instructions at the end of the book so little ones can stretch, breathe, and feel calm with Yo-Yo after enjoying the story

Summary

When Grandpa teaches Yo-Yo, Roly, and Flo how to do yoga, there's one little bunny who finds it very hard. Yo-Yo just can't stop fidgeting, wiggling, and giggling! But when Yo-Yo finds herself lost in the forest, she remembers Grandpa's yoga shapes.

And as she crouches down like a frog, stretches up tall like a tree, and stands still like a mountain, her worries slowly begin to disappear, as she finds her way home . . .

Simple step-by-step instructions (written with consultation from a yoga instructor) at the end show children how to stretch, feel calm, and be a yoga bunny too.

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Hardcover Picture Book

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Ages 2 to 5, Grades P to K
Juvenile Fiction / Health & Daily Living
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10.6 in H | 10.6 in W

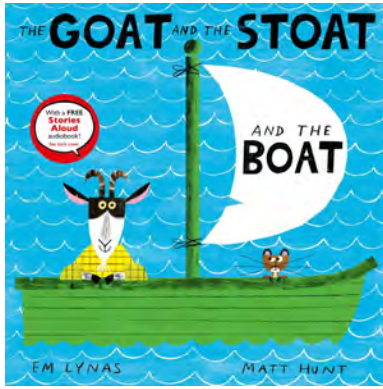
Contributor Bio

Emily Ann Davison spent her childhood writing. It's therefore no surprise that she became an author, it just took her a little while to get there. When she isn't writing, she can be found playing the piano, having adventures with her family, or daydreaming about what stories to write next. She is never seen without a cup of tea. Emily lives with her daughter, husband, and dog in Kent, England.

Deborah Allwright started illustrating as a child and now has more than 40 picture books and several awards with her name on them. When she's not drawing, painting, or snipping paper, you'll find her riding horses, swimming in the sea, or searching for bats and moths. She lives with her partner and two cats in London, England.

Illustrations





The Goat and the Stoat and the Boat

Em Lynas, Matt Hunt

Key Selling Points

Features bright neon artwork and colorful, hilarious characters
Tongue-twister text will inspire giggles in any read aloud

Simple introduction to rhyme for young readers and young listeners

Summary

Stoat is very happy alone in a boat when along comes Goat. In a colorful coat...determined to float WITH Stoat and SHARE the boat. When Stoat tries to chase Goat out of the boat, it becomes trickier to stay afloat.

Uh-oh!

Will Stoat and Goat end up in the moat? And will Goat's colorful coat be ruined?

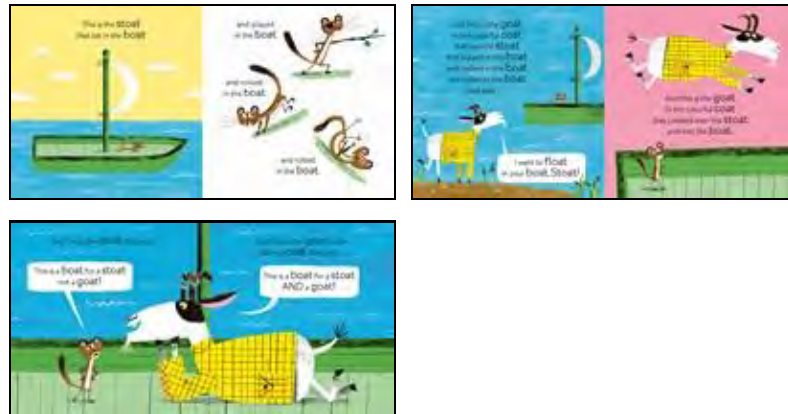
Featuring a hilarious, tongue-twister text, slapstick humor, bright neon artwork, and colorful characters.

Contributor Bio

Em Lynas is a children's author with a love of silly poetry, magic, dragons, and folklore. She has been a shoe store assistant, a teacher, and educational publisher, and now, an author of funny books. She is the author of *The Cat and the Rat and the Hat*, which was nominated for the UK Literary Association Book Award in 2023. Em lives by the seaside with her husband in Cleveland, England.

Matt Hunt graduated from the Birmingham School of Art, and from there, developed a love for children's illustration. He works in mixed media, using paint, pens, crayons, and digital methods. His book *Message in a Bottle* was nominated for the Kate Greenaway Award, and his work has also been shortlisted for many other awards as well. Matt lives with his wife and son in Worcestershire, England.

Illustrations



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Juvenile Fiction / Humorous
Stories
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The Quickest Bedtime Story Ever!

Louise Fitzgerald, Kate Hindley

Key Selling Points

From award-winning illustrator of *The Littlest Yak*, Kate Hindley

The speediest bedtime story you will ever read?—?it's only ten words long!

This hilarious and engaging bedtime story will help to settle down even the most restless readers

Summary

Welcome to the quickest bedtime story ever! Your little one will be asleep in seconds.

But wait! There are a couple of things you must do first:

Have you warmed up your reading voice?

And plumped the pillows?

What about the teddy bears? Have you organized them yet?

Getting ready for a story is serious business, I'll have you know . . .

This hilarious and engaging bedtime story will help to settle down even the most restless readers.

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Juvenile Fiction / Bedtime &
Dreams
JUV010000
11.4 in H | 9.8 in W

Contributor Bio

Louise Fitzgerald works as a freelance acting and performing arts coach, with a focus in devising and improvisation for all ages and abilities. Louise performed in theater globally before training as a teacher in 2008. She is passionate about working with young people and specializes in imaginative play and creative thinking. Louise lives with her husband, son, and daughter in Kent, England.

Kate Hindley is an award-winning children's book illustrator. She studied Illustration at Falmouth University and went on to work as a surface pattern designer in Northampton, England. Her first book, *The Great Snortle Hunt*, written by Claire Freedman, was nominated for the Kate Greenaway Medal in 2012. Since then, Kate's work has won numerous awards. She lives with her husband and son in Worcestershire, England.

Illustrations





The Girl Who Planted Trees

Caryl Hart, Anastasia Suvorova

Key Selling Points

An empowering and uplifting tale for our time by award-winning author Caryl Hart about the power of hope, determination, and community
Featuring a warm grandchild-grandparent relationship at its center

Engaging central character and direct addresses to the reader will encourage children to tackle global issues and realize that, in the words of Greta Thunberg, "No one is too small to make a difference."

Perfect for fans of the acclaimed picture book *Greta and the Giants* by Zoë Tucker and Zoe Persico

By *Girls Can Do Anything!* author Caryl Hart

Summary

When a small girl discovers there was once a lush forest on the great gray mountain, she is determined to plant as many new trees as she can. And even though the blazing sun shrivels the new shoots and fierce storms wash away all her hard work . . . she never, EVER gives up.

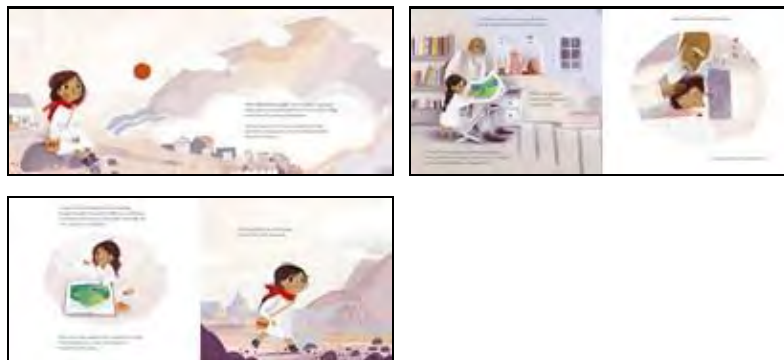
A powerful and hopeful story about how one girl's dream inspires a whole village and how, together, they can create something incredible.

Contributor Bio

Caryl Hart is an award-winning children's author who writes picture books and young fiction. She runs creative literacy workshops for schools, libraries, communities, and festivals. *The Girl who Planted Trees* won Teach Early Years Best Picture Book Award 2022 and was chosen as one of the best books of 2022 by the Waterstones Children's Laureate, Joseph Coelho. Her books are published in numerous languages all over the world. Caryl loves walking in the hills, cycling, and wild swimming. She lives with her family in Sheffield, England.

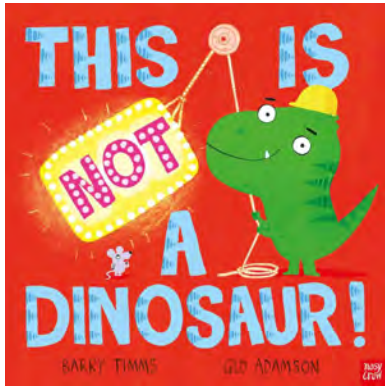
Anastasia Suvorova has been drawing, dreaming, and inventing stories since early childhood. She makes illustrations for books, magazines, and games. Most of her illustrations are created digitally, and she is inspired by shape and color, and the lightness and movement found in nature. Anastasia is very fond of reading and traveling, as well as of plants and flowers.

Illustrations



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Juvenile Fiction / Recycling &
Green Living
JUV063000
11.8 in H | 10.1 in W



This is NOT a Dinosaur!

Barry Timms, Ged Adamson

Key Selling Points

Dinosaurs as you've never seen them before! A hilarious rhyming story with a heart-warming twist on a favorite theme

With neon ink throughout, this book is sure to stand out among tough competition

Exciting duo Barry Timms and Ged Adamson have done it again in this fantastic follow-up to *This is NOT a Unicorn*

A delightful read aloud featuring adorable characters and colorful scenes galore

Summary

Join the fun and discover that having a dinosaur for a friend is one BIG, hilarious adventure!

This fabulously funny story has stacks of appeal for all children. Look out for haunted houses, prehistoric creatures, silly fish, sparkling teeth, and LOTS of fun and friendship.

With wonderful wordplay and a sweet relationship at its heart, this is NOT a dinosaur book to be missed!

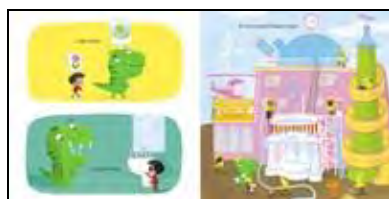
Includes a free Stories Aloud audio recording. Just scan the QR code and listen along!

Contributor Bio

Ged Adamson was born in Liverpool, England and as a child he was obsessed with drawing, listening to music, and making up tunes. In 2016, his story about a short-sighted dog, *Douglas, You Need Glasses!* received rave reviews and became his breakthrough picture book. Ged has since written and illustrated many books including *Shark Dog!* and *A Fox Found a Box*. He lives in with his partner Helen and their son Rex in London, England.

Barry Timms grew up in Cornwall, England. In the late 90s, Barry moved to London to study Fine Art at Central Saint Martins. By a twist of fate, he later secured an editorial job at Walker Books. He's been editing children's books ever since. More recently, Barry has been writing picture books of his own. He loves the puzzle of structuring a story over so few pages. Even better is the rush of excitement when a solution lands in the shower, or while walking the streets of South London. That's a feeling worth its weight in gold.

Illustrations



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Hardcover Picture Book

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Ages 2 to 5, Grades P to K
Juvenile Fiction / Animals
JUV002060
Series: This is NOT a ...
10.6 in H | 10.6 in W



The Elephant Detectives

Ged Adamson

Key Selling Points

A warm, humorous story with a touching twist, written and illustrated by Ged Adamson, author-illustrator of *Douglas, You Need Glasses!* and *Bird Hugs*. Children will love to spot Alan's elephant hiding on each page.

Fun-loving characters and a quirky detective narrative make the perfect story for all children.

Summary

Alan's elephant is missing!

Eddie the Elephant Detectives is on the case.

But they just might be missing some important clues . . . can you help them?

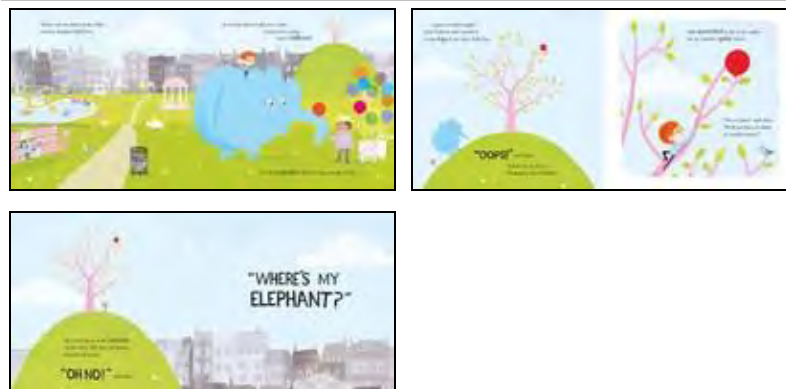
Together, they examine donut shops, investigate dinosaur bones, and search the skies from a cable car, but they can't find him anywhere!

Will Alan EVER find his elephant? Will he make a new friend along the way?

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Illustrations



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Ages 2 to 5, Grades P to K
Juvenile Fiction / Humorous
Stories
JUV019000
9.8 in H | 10.6 in W



My BIG Playbook

Ingela P Arrhenius

Key Selling Points

A fantastically fun introduction to early-learning first concepts
Large format board book with 10 felt flaps, die-cuts on every page, and a surprise mirror ending

For fans of the 5-million-copies sold *Felt Flaps* series

Soft, durable felt flaps for little hands — easy to tug, but difficult to break

Summary

With bright, stylish artwork from bestselling children’s book illustrator Ingela P. Arrhenius, this BIG playbook is perfect for sharing with older babies and toddlers. How many ladybugs can you count? What color are the strawberries? Where is the cat hiding? And finally, where are you?

A vibrant large-format board book introducing early-learning concepts and encouraging interactive play, with 10 soft felt flaps, die-cuts to feel on every page, and a surprise mirror ending.

Contributor Bio

Ingela P. Arrhenius graduated from art school in the early 90s and has been working as an illustrator ever since. Ingela has created patterns for fabrics, wallpaper, and stationery, as well as packaging and home accessories. She has also collaborated with several toy producers around the world. Her love of retro style, typography, and color is reflected in all her work. Ingela lives with her husband (an author) and two sons in Stockholm, Sweden.

Illustrations



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Board Book

12 Pages
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Ages 0 to 3, Grades P to P
Juvenile Nonfiction / Concepts
JNF013030
10.2 in H | 10.2 in W



Baby's First Cloth Book: Cuddly Ladybug

Ingela P Arrhenius

Key Selling Points

Cheerful illustrations by beloved children's illustrator Ingela Arrhenius
High-contrast characters that babies can see as their vision is beginning to develop

Perfect for baby showers, Mother's Day, and Father's Day

Engaging for older babies as well, with a variety of characters to meet throughout

Aids in development of image and word recognition, dexterity, and speech

Simple, interactive text that can be read aloud again and again

Summary

Ingela Arrhenius' cheerful creatures are back in a whole new light! *My First Cloth Book: Cuddly Ladybug* is illustrated in the first shades and colors that babies can perceive as they develop vision in the retina and optic nerve: black, white, and red. The simple and interactive text makes for an engaging read aloud experience.

With 7 different smiling characters to find, this book will also appeal to older babies who can practice image and word recognition, as well as dexterity and speech.

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Rag Book

8 Pages
Print Run: 25K
Ages 0 to 3, Grades P to P
Juvenile Fiction / Animals
JUV002000
6.3 in H | 6.3 in W

Contributor Bio

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Illustrations





The Great Big Egg Hunt

Ekaterina Trukhan

Key Selling Points

Multiple sturdy flaps to lift on every single page

Simple narrative story featuring cute springtime animal characters, with contemporary graphic artwork from Ekaterina Trukhan

Learn and practice names of animals and household items

Summary

Today is an exciting day. It's time for a great big egg hunt adventure!

Follow Rabbit as she sets off on an exciting lift-the-flap egg hunt adventure. But all is not quite as it seems . . . Will Rabbit ever find any eggs to put in her basket? Or will she find something even better along the way?

With lots of sturdy flaps to lift on every page and a simple story introducing cute animal characters, this delightful springtime board book is full of surprises and perfect for springtime.

Contributor Bio

Ekaterina Trukhan creates illustrations for children's books, magazines, and products. She is also the author of several children's books. She graduated from Camberwell College of Arts in London and she now lives the digital nomad life traveling with her husband and their dog.

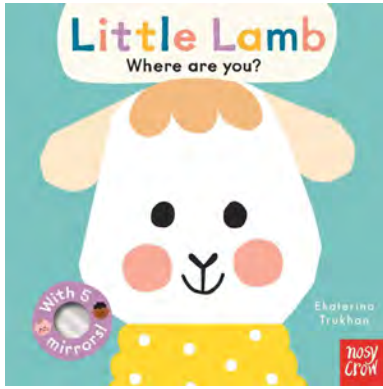
Illustrations



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Board Book

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Print Run: 50K
Ages 0 to 3, Grades P to P
Juvenile Fiction / Holidays &
Celebrations
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7.9 in H | 7.9 in W



Baby Faces: Little Lamb, Where Are You?

Ekaterina Trukhan

Key Selling Points

ENGAGING AND DURABLE INTERACTIVE FEATURES: Readers can tug on sturdy card flaps found on every spread and find themselves in the mirror behind each flap
INCLUDES FREE AUDIOBOOK AND SING-ALONG: Every book in the Baby Faces series includes access to the Nosy Crow audio program Stories Aloud; readers can scan the QR code on the back cover to listen and sing along to the familiar "Finger Family" tune

ENCOURAGING SENSORY SKILL DEVELOPMENT: Every spread offers an opportunity for practicing mirror play and facial recognition skills

CHEERFUL FARM ANIMAL ILLUSTRATIONS: Ekaterina Trukhan's illustrations introduce readers to bright and cheerful baby farm animals: a piglet, calf, chick, and a lamb

LITTLE LAMB JOINS THE BABY FACES SERIES: Other books in the series include *Where Are You, Little Dog?*; *Where Are You, Little Bear?*; and *Where Are You, Little Lion?*

Summary

A new spin on the popular "Finger Family" rhyme, featuring large card flaps which are easy for even the littlest hands to grab!

Babies will enjoy finding their own face on every page and flipping through Ekaterina Trukhan's bright and cheerful farmyard friends. A baby pig, cow, chick, and lamb interact with readers throughout as they encourage babies to lift the flap and discover a hidden mirror on every spread, enhancing mirror play and development of facial recognition.

Contributor Bio

Ekaterina Trukhan creates illustrations for children's books, magazines, and products. She is also the author of several children's books. She graduated from Camberwell College of Arts in London and she now lives the digital nomad life traveling with her husband and their dog.

Illustrations



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Juvenile Fiction / Concepts
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Series: Baby Faces
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Baby Faces: Little Tiger, Where Are You?

Ekaterina Trukhan

Key Selling Points

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CHEERFUL JUNGLE ANIMAL ILLUSTRATIONS: Ekaterina Trukhan's illustrations introduce readers to bright and cheerful baby jungle animals

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Summary

A new spin on the popular "Finger Family" rhyme, featuring large card flaps which are easy for even the littlest hands to grab!

Babies will enjoy finding their own face on every page and flipping through Ekaterina Trukhan's bright and cheerful jungle friends. A baby tiger and others interact with readers throughout as they encourage babies to lift the flap and discover a hidden mirror on every spread, enhancing mirror play and development of facial recognition.

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Contributor Bio

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Illustrations





Make Tracks: Farm

Johnny Dyrander

Key Selling Points

Action-packed series of chunky board books featuring things that go
Trace different types of transportation around the tracks with a moving slider on each spread

Learn simple vehicle vocabulary with clear diagrams and helpful text prompts to encourage discussion

Featuring Johnny Dyrander's bold and friendly artwork

Scan the Stories Aloud QR code on the back cover to read along

Summary

Get to know four different things that go in this chunky board book with sliders.

Then make tracks as you trace each vehicle around the farm.

Learn vehicle vocabulary with simple first words, clear diagrams, and helpful text prompts to encourage discussion. Then, drive 4 different types of transportation around the farm. The perfect book for children who love tractors and being in the driver's seat!

Other titles in the series include: *Make Tracks: Building Site*, *Make Tracks: Cars*, and *Make Tracks: Trucks*.

Contributor Bio

Johnny Dyrander was born and raised above the Arctic circle in northern Sweden and grew up surrounded by reindeer and the northern lights. He's been working as an illustrator since he finished his studies at the University College of Arts, Crafts, & Design. When he's not spending time in his office illustrating, Johnny likes to travel and spend time with his family. He builds things out of wood with quite mixed results.

Illustrations



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Board Book

10 Pages
Print Run: 50K
Ages 0 to 3, Grades P to P
Juvenile Nonfiction / Lifestyles
JNF033000
Series: Make Tracks
7 in H | 8 in W



Make Tracks: Trucks

Johnny Dyrander

Key Selling Points

Action-packed series of chunky board books featuring things that go
Trace different types of transportation around the tracks with a moving slider on each spread

Learn simple vehicle vocabulary with clear diagrams and helpful text prompts to encourage discussion

Featuring Johnny Dyrander's bold and friendly artwork

Scan the Stories Aloud QR code on the back cover to read along

Summary

Get to know four things that go in this chunky board book with sliders.

Then make tracks as you trace each vehicle along the roads.

Learn vehicle vocabulary with simple first words, clear diagrams, and helpful text prompts to encourage discussion. Then, drive 4 different types of transportation around the farm. The perfect book for children who love trucks and being in the driver's seat!

Other titles in the series include: *Make Tracks: Building Site*, *Make Tracks: Cars*, and *Make Tracks: Farms*.

Contributor Bio

Johnny Dyrander was born and raised above the Arctic circle in northern Sweden and grew up surrounded by reindeer and the northern lights. He's been working as an illustrator since he finished his studies at the University College of Arts, Crafts, & Design. When he's not spending time in his office illustrating, Johnny likes to travel and spend time with his family. He builds things out of wood with quite mixed results. He lives in Stockholm, Sweden.

Illustrations



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JNF057030
Series: Make Tracks
7 in H | 8 in W



This Book Will Make You An Artist

Ruth Millington, Ellen Surrey

Key Selling Points

Accessible text written by art historian and critic, Ruth Millington, author of art book, *Mus*

Vibrantly illustrated in full color, a visual tour de force from Los Angeles illustrator Ellen Surrey

A beautifully produced hardback with cloth-effect cover

Summary

Jam-packed with imaginative ideas for all kinds of creative crafts . . . this book will make YOU an artist!

Pick up your pencils, collect your collage materials, and take inspiration from 25 of the world's best-known artists in this fact-filled book full of activities.

Discover famous masterpieces through the included photographs of real works of art — from ancient cave painting to contemporary performance — and lots more in between!

Contributor Bio

Ruth Millington is an art historian and author, researching and writing about great artists, muses, and masterpieces. She has appeared on TV and radio, telling stories about Surrealism, Frida Kahlo, and other artists from around the world. When she is not working, Ruth loves to read, sing along to music, and decorate her home with lots and lots of art. She also likes to drink tea and paint pictures, and sometimes dips brushes in her mug by accident! She was brought up on the sunny island of Bermuda but now lives in the much rainier Birmingham, England.

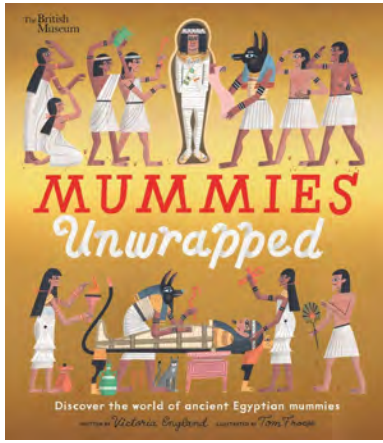
Ellen Surrey is an illustrator who enjoys blending her love of mid-century design with vintage children's books. She also enjoys finding beauty in the past and colorfully sharing it with a contemporary audience. She's illustrated many books about inspiring people, including Dolly Parton! Her work has appeared in *The New York Times*, *The New Yorker*, and *The Los Angeles Times*. When she isn't working, Ellen enjoys watching old movies and visiting her favorite thrift stores. She lives in sunny Los Angeles, California.

Illustrations



Nosy Crow
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Pub Date: 2/6/2024
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Hardcover Picture Book

64 Pages
Print Run: 20K
Ages 8 to 12, Grades 3 to 7
Juvenile Nonfiction / Art
JNF006070
9.8 in H | 11.4 in W



Mummies Unwrapped

Victoria England, Tom Froese



Key Selling Points

Written with input from some of the world's leading Egyptologists from the British Museum

Eye-catching, gold foil jacket

Wonderfully detailed illustrations from the illustrator of *The Castle the King Built*, Tom Froese

Our title focuses heavily on the mummification process as done by actual, ancient Egyptians, rather than on a Western "discovery" angle.

Nosy Crow
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Pub Date: 4/2/2024
\$19.99/\$24.99 Can.
Hardcover Picture Book

64 Pages
Print Run: 20K
Ages 8 to 12, Grades 3 to 7
Juvenile Nonfiction / History
JNF025010

11.4 in H | 9.8 in W

We do have one spread that discusses Western fascination with Egyptian mummies from the Middle Ages through modern times. Readers will encounter this spread after seeing page after page detailing the artful, worshipful care that went into the mummification process, making the subject ripe for discussion. The text on this spread covers both "why" mummies were unwrapped (entertainment, curiosity, research, to make and sell products) and "how" (not with care or respect). The text does not shy away from listing the ways that hundreds of mummies were lost and destroyed over time due to Western interest.

Summary

Find out the answers to these questions (and many more!) in this gruesome guide to the mummification process. Filled with fascinating detail, you'll uncover secrets of the embalmers, tales of the tomb robbers, and even what happened when pets were mummified! Meet some famous mummified remains from around the world, from Tutankhamun to the "unlucky mummy," and find out what happened when archaeologists unwrapped mummified remains thousands of years after they were buried. Illustrations of sarcophagi, gilded burial masks, and Egyptian friezes will inspire and delight young Egyptologists in the making.

With a glorious gold foil cover and quirky color illustrations on every page, children aged 7+ will enjoy learning lots more about mummies!

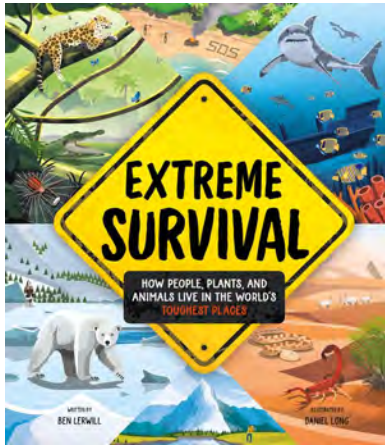
Contributor Bio

Victoria England has been writing and editing children's books for over 12 years. She enjoys writing books that combine her love of fun and silliness with her passion for finding out facts. Victoria is based in London, England.

Tom Froese is an award-winning illustrator, teacher, and speaker. He loves making pictures that make people smile. Tom is known for lively characters and scenes created with expressive shapes, bright colors, and printmaking-inspired textures. He's worked for big and small companies around the world, making pictures for airports, books, magazines, and even hockey pucks and Christmas tree decorations. In his spare time, he loves to get outside and run. Tom lives with his family near **Vancouver, BC, Canada**.

Illustrations





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Hardcover Picture Book

64 Pages
Print Run: 15K
Ages 8 to 12, Grades 3 to 7
Juvenile Nonfiction / Adventure & Adventurers
JNF002000
11.4 in H | 9.8 in W

Extreme Survival

How People, Plants, and Animals Live in the World's Toughest Places

Ben Lerwill, Daniel Long

Key Selling Points

Written by well-known travel and wildlife expert Ben Lerwill

A unique, striking, and entertaining new approach to learning about habitats and animals around the world

Includes top tips for conservation and climate awareness for each habitat, showing how we can all help these places survive, too

Summary

Discover how to navigate the vast Australian outback, keep yourself alive in a sandstorm in the Arabian desert, avoid a bear attack in a North American forest, explore the dark depths of the Atlantic Ocean, and even perform a spacewalk in orbit!

Find out how the people, plants, and animals who live in these incredible places have learned to survive, and what we can do to help protect these amazing environments for the future.

Come on an intrepid adventure to the world's most extreme places:

- Arctic Circle
- North American Forests
- The Depths of the Ocean
- Amazon Rainforest
- Pacific Desert Island
- The Alps
- Arabian Desert
- African Savannah
- The Himalayas
- Australian Outback
- Antarctica
- Outer Space

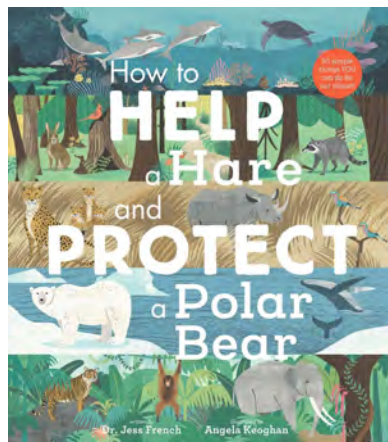
Contributor Bio

Ben Lerwill has been a freelance travel writer for over 15 years. His work has appeared in more than 50 international publications, from *The Sunday Times* to *National Geographic Traveler*. Ben's passions include the outdoors, music, wildlife, running, and reading. He's happiest when he's on a long family walk and his children haven't yet taken all the snacks. He lives near Oxford, England.

Daniel Long is an illustrator based in Norfolk, England, who has been working there since he graduated from college in 2014. His work is heavily influenced by the natural world, whether that be the dinosaurs of the Jurassic period, spider monkeys and jaguars in the Amazon Rainforest, or the kingfishers and otters of his local Norfolk Broads. When not illustrating, Daniel can be found procrastinating, playing guitar, or exploring the coastline with his dog Hendrix.

Illustrations





How to Help a Hare and Protect a Polar Bear

50 simple things YOU can do for our planet!

Jess French, Angela Keoghan

Key Selling Points

An interesting, inspiring, and timely book teaching children about wildlife around the world and what we can all do to save endangered species

Meticulously researched facts, tips, and activities from author, zoologist, and veterinarian Dr. Jess French

Illustrations inspired by Angela Keoghan's career in photography and lifetime in rural New Zealand

Summary

From beetles and butterflies to porpoises and polar bears, animals and habitats all over the world need our protection. This book is full of simple everyday ways for you to help save the environment.

Learn how to help critters in your own backyard or spread the word about endangered animals further from home, as you discover all the little things you can do to make a big difference. Featuring creatures from 9 incredible different habitats—forests, deserts, swamps, freshwater, coastlines, oceans, savannahs, jungles, and mountains.

Filled with animal facts and plenty of practical, creative little ways that nature enthusiasts can make a BIG difference.

Contributor Bio

Dr. Jess French

Veterinary surgeon, zoologist, children's TV host, and author — Jess loves all animals, and she loves the natural world they live in, too. She thinks it is very important that we all work hard to protect the natural world, and she hopes that the wonderful children that read her books will be kind enough to educate the grown-ups they meet about animals, the environment, and what we can do to save them. Jess has a degree in Zoology from University College London, as well as degrees in Veterinary Medicine and Surgery from the University of Nottingham. She is children's ambassador for the Norfolk Wildlife Trust and a patron of Norwich Science Festival. She lives with her family and pets in the countryside in Norfolk, England.

Angela Keoghan

A former photographer turned illustrator from New Zealand, Angela's illustrations are inspired by her childhood, which was spent surrounded by animals, drawing, reading, and exploring the rural pastures of her home in the Waikato. Her layered, whimsical illustrations are created in a mixture of media both on and off the computer. Angela currently lives with her husband and business partner Jayden in the beautiful New Zealand countryside.

Illustrations



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Juvenile Nonfiction / Recycling &
Green Living
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