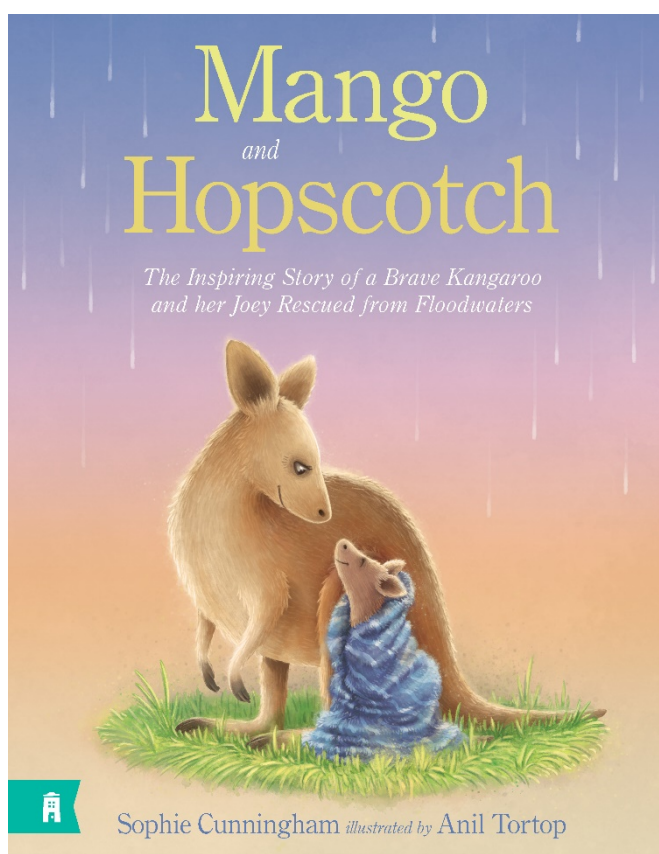


Mango and Hopscotch - The Inspiring Story of a Brave Kangaroo and her Joey Rescued from Floodwaters

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Mango and Hopscotch live in a beautiful tropical forest on the banks of a big river. Together, they munch on grass and lounge in the shade.

One day, while the mob graze quietly, drops of rain start to fall. Lightning flashes, thunder rumbles. Soon it is pouring. And then the river bursts its banks ...

Inspired by amazing true stories, this is the tale of a brave kangaroo and her joey rescued from floodwaters.

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Comprehension Questions to Ask Preschoolers to Year 1 Students

1. Where do Mango and Hopscotch live?
2. What sort of things does Hopscotch like to do with the other joeys in the mob?
3. What falls from the sky for days and days in the story?
4. How does Hopscotch feel when she tumbles into her mum's pouch after the rain starts falling?
5. Name some of the animals the mob of kangaroos meet sheltering at the house.
6. What makes kangaroos good swimmers?
7. How does Max rescue the kangaroos?
8. Where does Max take Mango and Hopscotch?
9. How do you think Hopscotch felt when Max came to help?
10. What will Hopscotch teach the new joey one day?

