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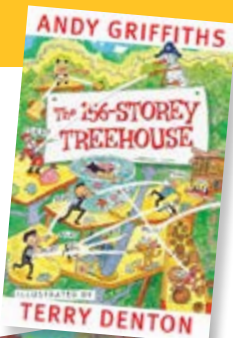
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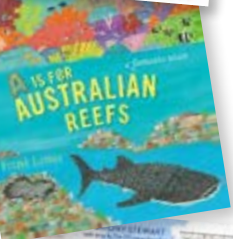
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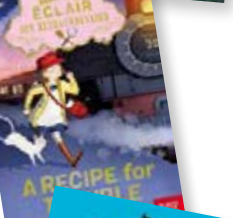
1. 156-Storey Treehouse, The (Andy Griffiths And Terry Denton) (RRP) (School)  
\$14.99 \$11.99  
Andy and Terry are celebrating Christmas in their 156-storey treehouse which now has 13 new storeys, including an aquarium wonderland, a wishing well, a world record breaking level, a TV quiz show hosted by Quizzy the quizzical quizbot, a lost property office, a lost sausage office, a super-stinky stuff level and the amazing mind-reading sandwich-making machine, which makes the perfect amazing sandwich for you - every single time! Well, what are you waiting for? Come on up! [Humour-Imagination-Creativity-Inventions AUSTRALIAN](#)



2. A Is For Australian Reefs (Frane Lessac) \$26.99 \$21.59  
A new dive into fascinating facts from best-selling, multi-award-winning author/illustrator Frane Lessac. Along the coastline of Australia, underwater reefs are bustling with the most amazing sea creatures living on the planet! A deep dive into the biodiversity of Australia's remarkable coastline from sharks to octopuses to dolphins and manta rays and seahorses - and the most famous reef of all - the Great Barrier Reef. [Alphabet-Australiana-Australian Animals-Reefs-Ocean AUSTRALIAN](#)



3. Accidentally Kelly Street (Tim O'Connor And Briony Stewart) \$24.99 \$19.99  
Accidentally Kelly Street, where friends and strangers sometimes meet Accidentally Kelly Street, I never thought life could be so sweet. A new family arrive at a new house on a new street in a new neighbourhood. Being new can feel lonely, but on Kelly Street the neighbours are warm and welcoming, and small acts of kindness go a long way. Soon enough, strangers have become friends, and a new house becomes a home. Briony Stewart's touching adaptation of the classic Australian hit 'Accidentally Kelly Street' brings Frente!'s song of optimism, belonging and community to a new generation. [Community-Belonging-Friendship-Kindness-Optimism AUSTRALIAN](#)



4. Alice Éclair, Spy Extraordinaire! #1: Recipe For Trouble, A (Sarah Todd Taylor) \$14.99 \$11.99  
Baker by day, spy by night - Alice Eclair leads an exciting double life! A mysterious message sends Alice on a mission aboard France's most glamorous train. She must uncover an enemy agent before they reach their final stop. But everyone on the train seems to be hiding something...Armed with her whisk, her wits and her will to succeed, Alice has a spy to catch. [Mystery-Adventure-Baking-France Age 8+](#)



5. All In A Day (Chihiro Takeuchi) \$26.99 \$21.59  
Follow the inhabitants of one very busy clock tower apartment building and retail space as they go through their day. There's so much to see and find in this upbeat, interactive story that highlights the importance of community. From the pizza delivery man to the young family and the baker to some surprise nighttime animal visitors, everyone has a place to be as we travel the day together. Questions throughout prompt the reader to engage with the illustrations and spot the changes that we see from one spread to another. [STEM-Maths-Time-Community](#)



6. Always, Clementine (Carlie Sorosiak) \$14.99 \$11.99  
Clementine is a genius. She can calculate pi to 69,689 places, dreams in Latin, and is a chess prodigy. Clementine is also a mouse. But when she escapes from the lab which has bred her, Clementine discovers that it's not enough to be the smartest mouse in history if she wants to survive in the real world - especially while the scientists who kept her are trying to recover their prize specimen. And so, together with her new human friends, Clementine must make a new life for herself... and find a way to earn her freedom - for good. [Animal Stories-Mice-Adventure-Perspective Age 8+](#)

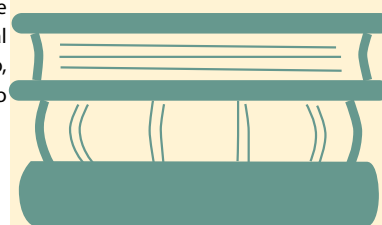
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### 7. Amazing Animal Journeys (Jennifer Cossins)

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A beautifully illustrated title chock-full of fascinating animal facts from our bestselling, CBCA award-winning Tasmanian children's author/illustrator, Jennifer Cossins, that focuses on 25 animal species from Australia and around the world with intriguing migration journeys. Did you know that Arctic terns have the longest migration of all birds, flying from the Arctic to Antarctica and back each year? Or that the wildebeest migration in east Africa is so vast it can be seen from outer space? Come along on these amazing animal journeys! Perfect for readers aged 7+ who delight in learning about the animal kingdom and the world around them.

[Animal Migration](#) AUSTRALIAN

### 8. Amazing Ash Barty, The (James Knight And Jules Faber)

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How would it feel to lift the trophy at the Australian Open? Find out what it takes to get so good - the training, the bigbreaks and the challenges along the way. Get inspired to findyour own passion and BE THE BEST YOU CAN BE! Every Amazing Sporting Hero has a story. Featuring easy-readtext and fun illustrations, this series is suitable for readers whoare happier out of the classroom than in it! Collect the whole series: [Amazing Pat Cummins](#), [Amazing SamKerr](#), [Amazing Dylan Alcott](#). [Biography-Famous People-Famous Women-Sport-Tennis](#) AUSTRALIAN

### 9. Amazing Dylan Alcott, The (Chris Maher And Jules Faber)

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How would it feel to be a Paralympian and named Australian ofthe Year? Find out what it takes to get so good - the training, the bigbreaks and the challenges along the way. Get inspired to findyour own passion and BE THE BEST YOU CAN BE! Every Amazing Sporting Hero has a story. Featuring easy-readtext and fun illustrations, this series is suitable for readers whoare happier out of the classroom than in it!Collect the whole series: [Biography-Famous People-Athletes-Disability-Paralympian](#) AUSTRALIAN

### 10. Amazing Pat Cummins, The (Chris Maher And Jules Faber)

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How would it feel to wear the baggy green and captain anAustralian cricket team? Find out what it takes to get so good - the training, the bigbreaks and the challenges along the way. Get inspired to findyour own passion and BE THE BEST YOU CAN BE! Every Amazing Sporting Hero has a story. Featuring easy-readtext and fun illustrations, this series is suitable for readers whoare happier out of the classroom than in it! [Biography-Famous People-Athletes-Cricket](#) AUSTRALIAN

### 11. Amazing Sam Kerr, The (James Knight And Jules Faber)

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How would it feel to hold the record as Australia's greatest goal scorer?Find out what it takes to get so good - the training, the bigbreaks and the challenges along the way. Get inspired to findyour own passion and BE THE BEST YOU CAN BE! Every Amazing Sporting Hero has a story. Featuring easy-readtext and fun illustrations, this series is suitable for readers whoare happier out of the classroom than in it! [Biography-Famous People-Famous Women-Sport-Football-Soccer](#) AUSTRALIAN

### 12. Bad Guys #16: Bad Guys: The Others? (Aaron Blabey)

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OK. A lot of the stuff we said on the back of the last episode was not true. We now admit that The Bad Guys is weird. We also admit that it features all the weird stuff we said it didn't. Plus there's now a whole bunch of even weirder stuff involving an over-sharing bat, a really scary new character who lives in the woods, and a strangely confident little guy with a mullet. So, uh, don't relax, maybe freak out a little and have your mind blown by the Bad Guys - Episode 16 ... [Humour For all books in this series type BAD GUYS](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au) AUSTRALIAN

### 13. Bin Chicken And The Christmas Turkey (Kate Temple)

\$17.99 ~~\$14.39~~

Bah humbug! The city is buzzing, shoppers run this way and that, there's carols and lights and a Santa Claus hat! But if a bird is clever... if a bird is a smartie... a bird can still have a fabulous Christmas party! Bin Chicken is in a flap and can't find any trash, but Bush Turkey knows exactly where to find a feast to gobble! [Christmas-Holidays-Summer-Australian Birds-Environmental Issues-Humour](#) AUSTRALIAN

### 14. Dangerous Business Of Being Trilby Maffat, The (Kate Temple)

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This is the dangerous story of Trilby Moffat, who took on one of the most treacherous jobs of all time. Well . . . outside of time, to be precise. For fans of Nevermoor and Lemony Snicket. You're reading the back of this book - good for you! But before you open it, you should know: this is NOT just any old book. THIS is a legal document. It contains a truthful record of how Trilby Moffat was accidentally promoted to the most important job that ever existed. The job of Time Keeper. A mystery illness is making people speak ancient languages and bake old-fashioned cakes. It is because of this strange illness that Trilby Moffat and her mother find themselves sitting on a train. Behind them are a number of things they will never see again, including a comfortable home, Trilby's school, a regular job and all the people they consider friends. Ahead of them is a surprise relative, an unusual inheritance, an opportunity that will never be repeated and a man in a top hat who will try to kill Trilby . . . more than once. [Fantasy-Adventure](#) Age 9+ AUSTRALIAN

### 15. Diary Of A Rescued Wombat: The Untold Story (Jackie French And Bruce Whatley)

\$24.99 ~~\$19.99~~

Celebrating the twentieth anniversary, this is the story of Mothball, one of the world's most famous wombats - and where it all began. She is small. She is scared. She is lost. She is a baby wombat who needs a home. She is Mothball, a wombat destined to become famous. This is the (almost) true story of one small wombat who learnt how to train her humans - and inspired the internationally best-selling picture book Diary of a Wombat by Jackie French and Bruce Whatley. [Humour-Wombats-Time-Months-Seasons](#) AUSTRALIAN

### 16. Diary Of A Wimpy Kid #17: Diper Overlode (Jeff Kinney)

\$14.99 ~~\$11.99~~

Greg Heffley is finding out that the road to fame and glory comes with some hard knocks. When he decides to tag along with his brother Rodrick's band, L ded Diper, Greg doesn't realize what he's getting into. But he soon learns that late nights, unpaid gigs, fighting between band members, and money troubles are all part of the rock 'n' roll lifestyle. Can Greg help L ded Diper become the legends they think they are? Or will too much time with Rodrick's band be a diper verl de? [For all books in this series type DIARY OF A WIMPY KID](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)



### 17. Digging Up Dad: And Other Hopeful (And Funny) Stories (Morris Gleitzman)

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Another winning set of short stories from one of our best-loved authors, on a theme for our times - kids helping adults to be their best selves. Funny hopeful stories just when we need all the hope and humour we can get! Brilliantly funny short stories for middle school readers from the ever-popular Morris Gleitzman, in the hilarious style of Give Peas a Chance, Pizza Cake and Snot Chocolate! [Short Stories-Humour-Hope](#) Age 9+ AUSTRALIAN

### 18. Evie And Rhino (Neridah McMullin And Astred Hicks)

\$18.99 ~~\$15.19~~

1891 On a stormy night off the coast of southern Australia, a ship transporting a cargo of exotic animals tosses and turns in enormous seas. Rhino senses they are in grave danger. . . Not far away, ten-year-old Evie and her grandfather shelter in their crumbling, once-grand old home. They know too well how deadly storms can be. When all is calm, Evie treks over the dunes to the sea and makes a discovery that will change her life, and Rhino's, forever. Will the tragedies of their pasts finally be put to rest? [Australian History-Animals-Nature-Family-Friendship](#) Age 9+ AUSTRALIAN

### 19. Football Legends 2023 (David Ballheimer)

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Football Legends 2023 showcases the top 100 stars currently active in top-flight club football. The book offers up-to-date facts and stats of players operating in Europe's elite leagues, with profiles presented using eye-catching info-graphics. The chapters are divided into player positions, namely defenders, midfielders, strikers, goalkeepers, plus a final chapter features the most successful coaches in the game today. The profile-per-page is visually arresting, packed with incisive data, which the reader can use to compare and contrast the achievements and technical merits of the current icons in world football. [Sport-Soccer-Football](#)

### 20. Funny Kid #11: Funny Kid Catastrophe (Matt Stanton)

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A new pet purchase becomes CATASTROPHIC. Laugh your head off with the super-popular Funny Kid series! Every kid wants to laugh, and Max is the boy who can make it happen. He's also the boy who absolutely, definitely, does not under any circumstances want a cat. So why did Mum and Dad just bring one home? Max is the funny kid ... but now a cat is here to ruin his life! Cat bums, cat claws, ticklish cats, piano-playing cats, cats that will run away and cats that won't (oh, and a jealous Duck in a jacuzzi) are just some of the things in store for Max and his friends in this brand-new Funny Kid adventure! [Humour](#) Age 11+ For all books in this series type FUNNY KID into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au) AUSTRALIAN

### 21. Guinness World Records 2023 (Compilation)

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3... 2... 1... We have lift-off on another fully revised and updated Guinness World Records annual! The 2023 edition takes readers on a journey that's out of this world, revealing the latest and greatest record-breaking achievements here on Earth and across the vast distances of space. Humanity's horizons are expanding once again, and our world is experiencing unprecedented change. Keeping up with this dizzying revolution are the Guinness World Records adjudicators, who've been busier than ever documenting the Officially Amazing. The result is Guinness World Records 2023! · We start with a tour of our Solar System and beyond, exploring astronomical superlatives in a chapter dedicated to the latest developments in the New Space Race. · Back down to Earth, we delve into the natural world to encounter the animal kingdom's mightiest and most bizarre beasts. · Get up close and personal with the most iconic human beings - the tallest, shortest, strongest and hairiest - and be amazed at the extraordinary skills on display from the world's greatest jugglers, rock-climbers, freestylers and mermaids (yes, mermaids!). · To celebrate the 150th anniversary of Jules Verne's Around the World in 80 Days, we dedicate a chapter to a whistlestop tour of our planet from the comfort of your armchair, pointing out recordworthy landmarks, tourist hot-spots and cultural phenomena. · Our team of gaming consultants and editors have picked out the Top 25 Greatest Gaming Records of All Time - does your favourite game get a mention? · We end with every significant new sporting achievement logged in the 30-page Sports section. [Facts-Science-Technology-Space-Human Body-Animals-Culture-Art-Countries-Multicultural](#)

### 22. Hats Of Marvello, The (Amanda Graham)

\$19.99 ~~\$15.99~~

A delightfully fantastical story for middle-grade readers that sparkles with magic and mystery. Perfect for Emily Rodda fans. No matter how much Olive longs for a pet rabbit, it's never going to happen. Not when she lives in an Australian country town where most people think they're a pest. So imagine Olive's shock when she unexpectedly finds not one, but one hundred and one rabbits. And one of them can talk! How Olive will ever be able to hide and protect the rabbits is going to be her greatest challenge, and all while preparing for the Year 5 play. At least she has her costume ready, although the old top hat she found in the local op-shop seems very odd ... [Fantasy-Magic-Mystery](#) Age 8+ AUSTRALIAN

### 23. Hot Dog! #13: Hot Dog! Soccer Time (Anh Do)

\$14.99 ~~\$11.99~~

Hotdog and his friends are training for the Kicker Cup! But Hotdog has little legs and can't kick very far. Lizzie isn't much better. Kev can really boot a ball ... but can't control where it goes! Will their new Bounce Boots help kick the team to victory?! [Friendship-Teamwork-Soccer-Football-Competition](#) Age 6+ For all books in this series type HOT DOG into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au) AUSTRALIAN

### 24. How We Came To Be: Surprising Sea Creatures (Sam Bayly)

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Why is a Deepsea Flounder as flat as a pancake? Why does the Prickly Footballfish have a fishing rod-like light on its head? Dive deep through the ocean zones to discover some of the most unusual creatures from the sea, and find out why they have come to look and behave the way they do. The first book in a new picture book series about unusual animal evolution stories, from award-winning and best-selling author and illustrator, Sami Bayly. [Evolution-Adaptation](#) AUSTRALIAN

### 25. Little People, Big Dreams: Helen Keller (Isabella Sanchez Vegara And Sam Rudd)

\$19.99 ~~\$15.99~~

Little Helen was curious and eager to learn about the world. After contracting an illness during childhood, she became deaf and blind at the age of one and was unable to talk. Helen and her family found ways to connect with each other, such as hand-signing. But when Anne Sullivan, a teacher, came into her life, Helen discovered more ways to communicate with the wider world, learning finger-spelling and how to talk. This saw her become the first deaf-blind person to earn a university degree, and led her to tour the world advocating for the rights of disabled people. [Famous People-Biography-Blindness-Deafness-Determination-Disability](#)

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26. **Meanwhile Back On Earth (Oliver Jeffers)**

\$27.99 **\$22.39**

A father takes his two children on a thrilling out-of-this-world adventure into space and invites them to look back at Earth and the conflicts that have taken place since the beginning of time. This becomes a brief history of the world and a whistle-stop guide to the universe, all rolled into one - and told with Oliver Jeffers's inimitable perspective, wit and exquisite artwork. Meanwhile Back on Earth gives a unique look at like life on Earth with a cosmic perspective - and an enduring message that what binds us together matters more than what sets us apart. A timely story for families everywhere.

27. **Meerkat Christmas (Aura Parker)**

\$19.99 **\$15.99**

Pure Christmas rhyming fun from the creator of the popular Meerkat Splash. Hip Hooray! It's Christmas Day! Come on, Meerkats, let's all play! Jumping, leaping, up, up, up. Meerkat pup, on pup, on pup! Join our ten Meerkat friends as they play a wobbly Christmas game. But who makes them crash?! [Christmas-Rhyming Text AUSTRALIAN](#)

28. **Mouse Heart (Fleur Hitchcock)**

\$14.99 **\$11.99**

This atmospheric thriller, full of daring stunts and sinister villains, is perfect escapism for 9+ readers. Mouse, a founding, loves her pieced-together family at the Moth Theatre fiercely. When their leading man, Walter, is wrongly arrested for murder, Mouse swears she'll free him. But another member of the cast has a secret identity - as a ruthless killer. As Mouse's investigation leads her ever closer to their true, deadly nature, can she outwit them without losing everything she holds dear? [Adventure-Thriller-Loyalty-Courage Age 9+](#)

29. **Nice Garry #1: Bowled Over (Nathan Bowled And David Williams)**

\$14.99 **\$11.99**

Inspired by the talent and passion Australian Test cricketer great Nathan Lyon has for the game, this is the story of an ordinary kid with an extraordinary gift. 'Nice one, Garry!' Ten-year-old Garry Keenan is about to discover he has a special cricketing ability, which is a dream come true, right? Well, it is, except that sometimes being first rate comes with all sorts of new challenges [Age 7+ AUSTRALIAN](#)

30. **Nice Garry #2: In A Spin (Nathan Lyon And David Williams)**

\$14.99 **\$11.99**

Inspired by the talent and passion Australian Test cricketer great Nathan Lyon has for the game, this is the story of an ordinary kid with an extraordinary gift. 'Watch out, Garry!' Garry Keenan is the most exciting new cricketer to play for the Youngstown Under-16s in years. But can a talented ten-year-old off-spinner help his team take on the most feared XI in the competition? [Cricket-Competition-Friendship Age 7+ AUSTRALIAN](#)

31. **Night We Got Stuck In A Story, The (Ben Miller)**

\$16.99 **\$13.59**

Lana and Harrison are staying with their grandparents, when they discover their favourite tree to play in is under threat. That night, a magical golden thread leads them up through the hollow of the tree into a storybook land, where wind and rain rage and a fearsome beast terrifies all who live there. When Harrison is kidnapped by the evil Spider Queen, Lana must do whatever it takes to find him, save the villagers and restore the balance of the storybook world, before the night is out. [Fantasy-Adventure-Magic-Stories Age 9+](#)

32. **Off To The Market (Alice Oehr)**

\$24.99 **\$19.99**

Sunday is market day. We are looking for pumpkin, apples, eggs, and bread. What else will we find? Where did it come from? And what will we make with it? Learn all about produce in this delightful child's tour of a food market, full of fun facts, delicious new discoveries, and charming characters. A loving ode to the people who bring food to our table and connection to our community, from acclaimed artist Alice Oehr. [Food-Markets-Cooking-Connection-Community-Food Miles AUSTRALIAN](#)

33. **One More Mountain: A Parvana Story (Ellis Deborah)**

\$16.99 **\$13.59**

In Kabul, 15-year-old Damsa runs away to avoid being forced into marriage by her family. She is helped by Shauzia who takes her to her friend Parvana's Green Valley school. It has been twenty years since Parvana and Shauzia had to disguise themselves as boys to support their families. And when the Taliban were defeated in 2001, they began to rebuild their lives. But everything changed in 2021 when the Taliban rose to power again and the restrictions they imposed had a devastating impact on women and girls and their hard-won freedoms. With little warning, Kabul airport is shut down and danger is everywhere. And when the Taliban come to Green Valley, Parvana sends Shauzia and Damsa and the other members of her little community away in search of safety, and must endure more devastation as Afghanistan is once again under siege. A hauntingly compelling story of courage, heartbreak and resilience. [Courage-Heartbreak-Resilience-Afghanistan-Taliban Age 11+](#)

34. **Raven's Song, The (Zana Fraillon)**

\$16.99 **\$13.59**

Shelby and her best friend Davy live quiet low-tech lives in a closed community that is made up of exactly three hundred and fifty kind, ethical people living on exactly seven hundred hectares. When they climb through a hole in the perimeter fence to venture into the surrounding jungle, what they find is more astonishing than anything they could have imagined. And when Shelby realises the terrible danger that is unfolding, it will take all of her daring and determination to ensure the past does not repeat itself. Intriguing, absorbing and spine-tinglingly good, The Raven's Song is a brilliant novel by two esteemed writers at the height of their powers. [Mystery-Climate Change-Speculative Fiction Age 10+ AUSTRALIAN](#)

35. **Real Pigeons #10: Real Pigeons Stay Coo (Andrew Mcdonald And Ben Wood)**

\$15.99 **\$12.79**

Ever wonder why pigeons always act so weird? It's because they're out there chasing the bad guys and saving your butts! The Real Pigeons are great crime-fighters - because most people ignore pigeons. But when a video of the pigeons goes online, they are suddenly FAMOUS. It's much harder to solve mysteries when everyone is always watching. And there are MANY mysteries that need solving. Like who has committed a SLIME CRIME? How did a flock of ROLLING PIGEONS vanish into thin air? And why would anyone try to catch FRILLBACK in a cage? Can the Real Pigeons STAY COO in the spotlight? Or are their crime-fighting days over? [Detective-Mystery-Humour-Investigation Age 6+ For all books in this series type REAL PIGEONS into the search field at www.pegwilliams.com.au AUSTRALIAN](#)



**36. Reindeer And The Submarine: Inspired By True Event (Beverley McWilliams)** \$16.99 ~~\$13.59~~  
 'Sometimes things have to change even though we might not want them to.' An orphaned reindeer with no antlers, Pollyanna is raised by Igor, a Sami herder, and is more at home in the company of people than other reindeer. When she discovers Igor is leaving for war, Pollyanna decides to follow, but en route, she is captured and gifted to the crew of a British submarine, the HMS Trident. Life onboard the Trident brings more than a few surprises, and Pollyanna - with her love of food - gets into all kinds of mischief. But she also makes friends, becomes part of the crew, and uses her courage and cheekiness to comfort her companions in the dark days of the war. Eventually all journeys come to an end however, and Pollyanna finds herself facing a new adventure. A timeless story of bravery, hope and facing change, as told by Pollyanna, the real-life reindeer who proves that heroes come in all shapes and sizes. "A beautiful story filled with hope, humour and melt-your-heart moments. Pollyanna is one of the most charming animals I have ever met in a book." [True Stories-War-World War 2-Adventure-Hope-Bravery-Perspective](#) **Age 9+** AUSTRALIAN

**37. Runt (Craig Silvey And Sara Action)** \$19.99 ~~\$15.99~~  
 Annie Shearer lives in the country town of Upson Downs with her best friend, an adopted stray dog called Runt. The two share a very special bond. After years evading capture, Runt is remarkably fast and agile, perfect for herding runaway sheep. But when a greedy local landowner puts her family's home at risk, Annie directs Runt's extraordinary talents towards a different pursuit - winning the Agility Course Grand Championship at the lucrative Krumpets Dog Show in London. However, there is a curious catch: Runt will only obey Annie's commands if nobody else is watching. With all eyes on them, Annie and Runt must beat the odds and the fastest dogs in the world to save her farm. Runt is a heart-warming and hilarious tale of kindness, friendship, hurdles, hoops, tunnels, see-saws, being yourself and bringing out the best in others. [Friendship-Kindness-Hope](#) **Age 8+** AUSTRALIAN

**38. Smarty Pup #1: Friends Fur-Ever (Anh Do And Anton Emdin)** \$15.99 ~~\$12.79~~  
 Lily's new pup JJ is kind of clumsy, but something about his smiley face makes her really happy inside. So you can imagine Lily's surprise when she wakes up to discover that JJ can TALK and is SUPER SMART. In fact, he might have the smartest brain in the whole wide world! A PAWS-itively brilliant new series from much-loved author Anh Do. Featuring an amazing lenticular animated cover and bonus stickers! [Animal Stories-Dogs](#) AUSTRALIAN

**39. Speedy Sloth, The (Rebecca Young And Heath Mckenzie)** \$19.99 ~~\$15.99~~  
 It was finally time for the event of the year, Spike couldn't believe it - the great race was here! The other sloths said it couldn't be done, but Spike didn't care, she was ready to run! From award-winning creators Rebecca Young and Heath McKenzie, comes this inspiring story to celebrate all winners ... especially those who don't come first. The official story chosen for ALIA National Simultaneous Storytime 2023, to be celebrated all across Australia and New Zealand! [Rhyming Text-Competition](#) AUSTRALIAN

**40. Three Billy Goats Gruff, The (Mac Barnett And Jon Klassen)** \$24.99 ~~\$19.99~~  
 I am a troll. I live to eat. I love the sound of hooves and feet and paws and claws on cobblestones. For that's the sound of meat and bones! What lives under the bridge? A terrifying troll who is always hungry! And this troll loves to gobble up anyone who dares to cross the bridge, but his favourite of all is billy goat: goat rump in a honey glaze, curried goat and goat smeared on toast — you name it, this troll loves it! So, when the three Billy Goats Gruff decide to clip clop clip clop across the bridge, the troll is already imagining all the scrumptious ways to fill his belly. But what if the troll is about to underestimate those seemingly sweet goats ... And bite off more than he can chew! [Fairytale-Rhyming Text](#)

**41. Tiny Light, A (Alison Lester)** \$19.99 ~~\$15.99~~  
 The perfect bedtime story from Australia's most loved-picture book creator When you go to bed tonight, be sure to leave a tiny light so Twinkles in the Milky Way can find you when they come to play ... This gentle story offers both wonder and comfort, and feels like a reassuring hug at bedtime. Children everywhere will love the magic of the Twinkles! [Rhyming Text-Bedtime-Sleep](#) AUSTRALIAN

**42. Today You Changed The World! (Maggie Hutchings And Evie Barrow)** \$24.99 ~~\$19.99~~  
 It wasn't on the radio but today in a town like yours ... Indie changed the world. You might not have heard about it, but every single day, tiny acts of kindness make a huge difference all around us. From Bella, who stands up for what's right, to Li, who shares his gift with others, the smallest of actions can be enough to make the world a better place. From the critically-acclaimed team behind I Saw Pete and Pete Saw Me and Enough Love? comes a powerful invitation for kids to make change for themselves and for others. [Kindness](#) AUSTRALIAN

**43. Tom Gates #20: Tom Gates: Happy To Help (Eventually) (Liz Pichon)** \$17.99 ~~\$14.39~~  
 A feel-good, laugh-out-loud, packed-with-pictures Tom Gates story! It's Tidy Up Saturday, but Tom is very busy relaxing and not helping out much. Until he spots the art box of his dreams in a shop window and everything changes. He's suddenly focused on earning extra pocket money and helping with everything. But nothing quite goes to plan. Washing and shrinking Delia's clothes isn't a good start. And the hours spent carefully cleaning cars with Derek are ruined overnight when a storm hits Oakfield Town, causing even more chaos. At this rate it's going to take a million years for Tom to get the art box of his dreams ... or will it? **Age 9+**  
 For all books in this series type TOM GATES into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

**44. Very Clever Bear, The (Nick Bland)** \$17.99 ~~\$14.39~~  
 The circus has arrived in the Jingle Jangle Jungle and Bear's friends have the perfect circus acts. Can Bear come up with a very clever trick of his own? [Rhyming Text](#) AUSTRALIAN

**45. Waiting For The Storks (Katrina Nannestad)** \$19.99 ~~\$15.99~~  
 I don't want to remember the truck, or the night I was taken, or the family I left behind. I am not a sad Polish girl. I am a good and happy German girl. I am. I am. I am. It's the Second World War and Himmler's Lebensborn Program is in full flight when eight-year-old Zofia Ulinski is kidnapped by the Germans. She has blonde hair and blue eyes, just like the other Polish children taken from their families and robbed of their names, their language, their heritage. But when Zofia is adopted into a wealthy and loving German family, it is easier, it is safer to bury her past, deep down, so everything is forgotten. Until the Polish boy arrives. And the past comes back to haunt her. [Historical-World War 2-Lebensborn Program-Family-Loss](#) **Age 11+** AUSTRALIAN

(RRP) (School)

**46. We Disagree About This Tree (Ross Collins)**

\$24.99 ~~\$19.99~~

Bear and Mouse have finally overcome their differences and are living together in perfect harmony . . . until it's time to decorate the Christmas tree! Bear wants dazzling lights, while Mouse prefers gigantic baubles . . . and, wait a minute, did Mouse just put a MANATEE on the top?! A topsy-turvy tree is definitely THE LAST STRAW and it looks as if Christmas is RUINED. But maybe, just maybe, Bear and Mouse can reach a compromise in time . . . ? [Rhyiming Text-Christmas](#)

**47. Welcome To Our Country: Back On Country (Adam Goodes And David Hardy)**

\$24.99 ~~\$19.99~~

'Where are we going again?' asks Lucy. 'Back on Country,' says Mum. 'Where we're going is where your nanna comes from, where we come from. Our Country is special to us. You'll see.' It's Lucy and David's first time back on Country. They meet their cousins and Elders, and see special places, learn local language words and hear stories as old as time. Join them to feel the strength that comes from being back on Country. [Aboriginal Studies-Culture-Family-Connection-Country AUSTRALIAN](#)

**48. When Things Went Wild (Tom Mitchell)**

\$14.99 ~~\$11.99~~

When Kit's family move to a crumbling house in the Scottish Highlands, he's got a lot to deal with - terrible Wi-Fi, a new school in the middle of nowhere, and, as always, his annoying little brother, Jack. But it's not until the brothers find a strange object on the moors that Kit's problems really begin. A policewoman comes knocking, and the boys learn that they have found a tracker that has been removed from the leg of a golden eagle. The illegal killing of these majestic birds is all too common, and now a pair of nesting eagles are under threat. Kit and Jack start to investigate, soon joined by Tamora - the most popular girl in school - and her younger sister, Bea. Who is trying to harm the eagles, and why? Chief suspects are landowner Lord Cavendish, local farmer McNab and sinister game keeper Mosby . . . Can the city kids cope with the country - and catch the culprit? [Mystery-Adventure-Humour-Animal Conservation Age 9+](#)

**49. Where Does My Food Come From? (Annabel Karmel And Alex Willmore)**

\$24.99 ~~\$19.99~~

A fully illustrated non-fiction picture book that lets readers discover how their favourite foods are grown and made - with exclusive recipes from Annabel Karmel for each one. Images from renowned children's artist Alex Willmore make each food cheekily spring to life on the page, telling the story of its creation to the reader. Find out how eggs, cheese, tomatoes, pasta, strawberries, honey and chocolate are grown and made, and enjoy the fun, step-by-step food activities in each section too. Best of all, Annabel includes two fantastic, child-friendly recipes for each food. They're perfect for getting kids to create and eat wonderful meals with their favourite food - and for getting fussy eaters to try new foods too. [Food-Food Production-Gardening-Cooking-Recipes](#)

**50. Zola And The Christmas Lights (Melina Marchetta And Deb Hudson)**

\$19.99 ~~\$15.99~~

This year, Zola and Alessandro are going to decorate the street with Nonno Nino's Christmas lights. Zola's house and Boomerang Street haven't had Christmas lights for two years. But this year, Zola and Alessandro want to continue the tradition. They've learned a lot about tradition lately - and how some families have different beliefs, and others celebrate Christmas differently. And with the help of their family and friends, this Christmas Boomerang Street is going to shine! [Christmas-Community-Kindness-Hope-Tradition-Beliefs-Culture AUSTRALIAN](#)

## AUSTRALIAN PICTURE BOOKS

**51. All The World Says Goodnight (Jess Racklyeft)**

\$19.99 ~~\$18.00~~

White owls may soar while you're asleep. And fish may sparkle from the deep But many creatures need rest too. Dream of them and they'll dream of you. Across the world each night, beds are made for sleeping. A bee is tucked up in a rose. A fish is rocked by the gentle tide. A bear snuggles in her den. A koala rests on a branch. And otters hold hands as they float downstream . . . Say goodnight to all of these animals and more in this sumptuous bedtime lullaby from Jess Racklyeft. [Bedtime-Sleep-Lullabies](#)

**52. Battle Mum (Zoe Foster Blake And Adele K. Thomas)**

\$19.99 ~~\$18.00~~

A hilarious new story from Zoe Foster Blake that celebrates children's love of play fighting and acting out imaginary battles, except this time it's Mum who wants to play and she never wants to stop! Ana and Louis are tired after a long day at school and kinder. They just want to watch TV . . . but Mum wants to play battle! She has a whole bunch of new moves to try out and there's simply no stopping her. 'Just FIVE minutes!' pleads Mum. 'Pleasepleaseplease?' So the kids drag themselves off the couch. Mum PROMISES not to be too rough and that there will be absolutely NO TICKLING. So Ana and Louis prepare to take on Battle Mum! Hopefully they can complete the game before Dad gets home . . . and wants to play too! [Humour-Play Fighting-Imaginary Play](#)

**53. Beaver and the Beasts , The (Patrick and Noah Guest and Kate Moon)**

\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

The beasts have travelled thousands of miles to converge for this important meeting: there's the minotaur from Greece, trolls from France, a Yeti from Mt Everest and a werewolf from London. Their leader - the Loch Ness Monster - is calling an international emergency; children across the world don't believe in them any more. But before they tackle the crisis, they have a bigger problem on their hands in the form of a cheeky little beaver. A story about facing your fears and keeping your sense of wonder, The Beaver and the Beasts is Patrick Guest's first book with his son Noah.

**54. Beside The Sea (Kerri Day And Jess Racklyeft)**

\$26.99 ~~\$24.30~~

Nan and me beside the sea. Is it time? Soon. A grandmother and child eagerly await some special visitors. However, it soon becomes rescue time when some lost baby turtles are in danger. Everyone is needed to save the day. Will they save the babies in time? The wonder of welcoming nesting turtles ashore comes beautifully to life in this gentle story of family, community and caring for the environment. [Marine Turtles-Light Pollution-Family-Community-Environmental Issues](#)



(RRP) (School)

55. Best Hiding Place, The (Jane Godwin And Sylvia Morris)

\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

Archie has found the best hiding place. But after a while, it feels too quiet. Is the game still on? Has Archie been forgotten? From bestselling author Jane Godwin and emerging illustrator Sylvia Morris comes a rich and atmospheric story that captures the highs and lows of hide-and-seek, and the joy of being found.

56. Billie's Super Dooper Adventures: Billie's Treasury Of Kindergarten Adventures (Sally Rippin And Alias Coburn)

\$29.99 ~~\$27.00~~

Billie is smart, cheeky and loves to use her huge imagination! Join Billie as she turns her kinder into a tropical jungle, delicious bakery and hospital for cuddly creatures. Billie's imagination takes her everywhere - from the depths of the ocean to outer space. There's always time to play when Billie's around! What amazing adventures will she get up to today? This stunning hardback treasury includes five stories that celebrate imaginative play at preschool, kindergarten, kindy or prep. [Starting School-Kindergarten](#)

57. Charlie's Whale (Libby Gleeson And Hannah Sommerville)

\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

Charlie loved the sea. He loved the seashells and seahorses, the sharks and the stingrays, the crabs and the crayfish. He loved the gentle waves that crept up onto the sand and tickled his toes. He loved the huge wild waves that crashed onto the sand and made the beach tremble. But most of all he loved the whales. An elegant and classic picture book text from one of Australia's most respected and awarded authors for children about a little boy who just wants to see a real whale.

58. Claris: The Secret Crown (Megan Hess)

\$26.99 ~~\$24.30~~

The card had no address - just one special clue: a small golden crown. Claris knew what to do! Claris and her best friend, Monsieur, are in London, looking for an exclusive club! But what will they discover once they start following the clues? The sixth book in the world of Claris: The Chicest Mouse in Paris, the best-selling picture book series from acclaimed fashion illustrator Megan Hess.

59. Clyde The Greyhound (Beck Feiner And Robin Feiner)

\$24.99 ~~\$19.99~~

Sometimes Clyde feels like a square dog in a round hole ... Lucy adores her adopted greyhound. She takes him on spa dates and gives him toys, the best organic meals, a whole wardrobe of strange outfits, and even a flashy new name! But why isn't he happy yet? From the bestselling team behind If I Was Prime Minister and Aussie Legends Alphabet comes an endearing story about staying true to ourselves. [Animal Stories-Dogs-Rescue Dogs-Pets](#)

60. Come Over To My House (Eliza Hull And Daniel Gray-Barnett)

\$24.99 ~~\$19.99~~

Come Over To My House is a delightful picture book that explores the home life 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. [Family-Home-Friendship-Disability-Inclusivity-Rhyming Text](#)

61. Frank's Red Hat (Sean E Avery)

\$25.99 ~~\$23.40~~

A story about never giving up on your talents, because even though what you do may not be appreciated right now, it may be in time. Possibly by someone you'd least expect. Frank is a penguin with ideas. Mostly terrible ones. That's why his fellow penguins are nervous when he shows them his strange new creation. Something they'd never seen or expected to see in their cold and colourless Antarctic world - a red hat. [Persistence-Determination-Creativity-Lateral Thinking-Humour](#)

62. Grug Plays Cricket (Ted Prior)

\$9.99 ~~\$9.00~~

Cricket is another ball game altogether with Grug! This classic Aussie hero is back from the bush to enchant a new generation of youngsters! Ted Prior's bestselling Grug series is beloved by early readers and parents alike and has sold more than a million copies in Australia alone. His first story was published in 1979 and Ted went on to write 34 more stories featuring Grug and his adventures with his other bush friends, Cara and Snoot.

63. Herman Crab (Peter Helliar And Matt Shanks)

\$20.99 ~~\$18.90~~

Meet Herman Crab. Herman is a bit of a hermit. He lives alone and spends his days not seeing or talking to anyone - and that's the way he likes it. He likes having breakfast alone. He likes doing his crabercises alone. He likes watching his favourite TV show, alone. That is until the day a bubbly crab named Sandy scuttles her way into his life ... Herman Crab is Peter Helliar's DEBUT picture book and is packed full of Peter's trademark humour with underlying themes of friendship and loneliness. [Friendship-Loneliness-Hermit Crabs](#)

64. Leggy Peggy (Laura Albulario And Abi Fraser)

\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

long-legged, dancing toucan discovers it is hard to fit in when you are born to stand out. Deep in the jungle, young Peggy the toucan grows unusually long, pink legs. She is different to the others and spends her days trying - and failing - to fit in. Things change for Peggy when she discovers the wonderful world of cancan dancing and accepts that she was born to stand out. Through jaunty rhyme, quirky, freehand digital illustrations and unique characters, Leggy Peggy shows the power of resilience, the benefits of overcoming self-doubt, and the magic of being unique. [Rhyming Text-Onomatopoeia-Resilience-Acceptance-Uniqueness](#)

65. Mazy Moviestar (Isla Fisher And Pauls Bowles)

\$19.99 ~~\$15.99~~

In a gilded kennel lives a famous movie star named Mazy. While other dogs chase sticks at the park, Mazy chases her acting dreams. But then one morning Mazy's agent delivers bad news. They are only giving acting jobs to pedigrees now. Can Mazy embrace what it is that makes her special and find her perfect role? [Humour](#)

**66. Moon Sailors (Naomi Woodward And Rachel Gregg)**\$24.95 ~~\$22.46~~

Bed sheets billow in solar winds, as we cast our boat adrift . . . moon sailors in search of treasure, perched on pillow seats. Two children go on a journey of imagination, past constellations of whales to the rockpools of the moon and the extraordinary creatures that dwell within. [Marine Creatures-Astronomy-Oceanography](#)

**67. On The Way To School (Vikki Conley And Lucia Masciullo)**\$26.99 ~~\$24.30~~

Every day, children all over the world are travelling to school – by bus, by canoe, through valleys, over mountains and snow. How do you get to school? With themes of diversity and culture, On the Way to School celebrates the joy and challenges of travelling to school. [Diversity-Culture-School-Friendship](#)

**68. Our Home On Wheels: A Big Trip Around Australia (Jessica Parry-Valentine)**\$19.99 ~~\$18.00~~

The quintessential Australian road trip meets vanlife in this family adventure, celebrating our diverse landscape through the gleeful gaze of a child. Mum and Dad told me they've got a wild plan . . . We're exploring Australia in a snug little van. Ride along with Hunter as she discovers beaches and billabongs, paddocks and plains, forests and dugouts, and even underwater worlds. With a home on wheels and the open road ahead, a big adventure awaits.

**69. Owl And Star (Helen Milroy)**\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

Helen Milroy's latest picture book invites readers to realise the magic of the stars. Owl loved the sparkle of the stars. He would sit out on his tree at dusk and wait for them to appear. One evening, Owl became worried. His favourite little star had not shown herself. Owl searched far and wide. Where could Little Star be? [Night Sky-Stars](#)

**70. Please Handle With Care (Coral Vass And Tull Suwannakit)**\$26.99 ~~\$24.30~~

Bear is having a bad day. Nothing is going right, and he wishes he was somewhere else . . . a long way from home. What will it take for Bear to feel better? An uplifting tale about a bear discovering what truly matters at the end of the day. [Feelings/Emotions-Empathy-Resilience-Growth Mindset](#)

**71. Plume: Festival Seeker (Tania McCartney)**\$26.99 ~~\$21.59~~

Throughout the year, the world is plump with astonishing festivals and Plume loves them all! Journey alongside this adventurous, colour-loving penguin as he jumps aboard the Albatross Express to enjoy a range of enchanting events across the globe. Stare in wonder at the Up Helly Aa fire festival in Scotland and the freaky Day of Masquerade in Costa Rica. Get messy at the squelchy Boryeong Mud Festival in South Korea or La Tomatina tomato battle in Spain. Scatter a rainbow of colour during Holi in India or enjoy a celebration of gifts, sweets and kindness at Eid al-Fitr in Algeria. A year of wonder and excitement culminates in Plume's favourite festival of them all – Christmas! Will his reluctant penguin friends join him for the celebrations? [Celebrations-Festivals](#)

**72. Posey Pearl Is A Curious Girl (Fifi Box And Adam Ming)**\$20.99 ~~\$18.90~~

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 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! [Curiosity-Kindness](#)

**73. Snap! (Anna Walker)**\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

Frog thinks there's no one else in the forest, but you never know what's just around the corner ... Celebrated creator Anna Walker, invites us to hear with our eyes as we follow frog on a rollicking escapade in this perfect pre-school soundscape. [Humour](#)

**74. Sometimes You Have To Be A Little Bit Naughty (Tim Minchin And Steve Antony)**\$19.99 ~~\$15.99~~

If you're stuck in your story and want to get out, you don't have to cry, you don't have to shout. Even if you're little you can do a lot, you mustn't let a little thing like little stop you. We're told we have to do as we're told, but surely, sometimes you have to be a little bit ... naughty! Inspired by the much-loved song from Tim Minchin, composer-lyricist of Matilda the Musical. [Humour](#)

**75. Tale Of Two Brians, A (Al Murphy)**\$17.99 ~~\$16.20~~

In this breathtaking new adventure, our hero, Brian, meets another blue duck! But is his exotic and mysterious new friend a good friend? [Humour-Friendship](#)

**76. To Greenland (Pip Smith And Beau Wylie)**\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

Would you like to visit the land of your dreams? Where hats can be boats, and eels sell ice-cream? Will Llewyn and Ellie find their way through the grey to the wonderful, colourful Greenland? This fabulous story, told in rhyme, stars Llewyn, who lives in an extremely grey and monotonous world. When he meets a green elephant, Ellie, who has incredible stories of travelling to Greenland — a land of jellyfish lights that swim through the sky, and hills made of ice-cream that roll on for miles — he decides to make the journey with her to discover the land for himself. [Dreaming-Perseverance-Monotony-Teamwork-Community-Harmony-Friendship-Imagination](#)

**77. Two Puggles (Michelle Guzel And Andrew Plant)**\$24.95 ~~\$22.46~~

When Mum's two puggles left the burrow, everyone whispered, 'That's the strangest platypus ever.' But then Spike tackles a feral cat to save his family, and everything changes. Not only is he the bravest puggle, he's also the luckiest. [Australian Animals-Platypuses-Echidnas-Family-Individuality-Tolerance](#)

**78. Welcome, Little One (Sophie Beer)**\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

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. [New Baby-Family](#)





(RRP) (School)

79. Worst Dog In The World, The (Michel Streich)

\$17.99 \$16.20

I really, really, really wanted a dog. But I got Piper ... the worst dog in the world. Piper doesn't know how to play fetch, she doesn't want to learn any tricks, she hates being in the car and frolicking at the beach with the other dogs. She loathes baths and really doesn't want a tummy tickle! Luckily though, as soon as Piper feels ignored she starts returning a little love ... and that's when we realise what she really likes to do ... [Humour-Dogs-Cats](#)

## OVERSEAS PICTURE BOOKS



80. Ballet Kids (Holly Sterling)

\$27.99 \$25.20

My toes tingle with excitement. It's ballet class today! Snowflakes are falling softly outside when Thomas and his friends arrive at Mr Elliot's dance studio. Prancing and whirling and twirling around the room, the boys and girls perfect their steps - first and second position, plies, curtsies and more. Then, it's time for the most exciting moment ... picking out costumes for their first ever performance: The Nutcracker! Joyful and spirited, this young celebration of dancing is inspired by the author's time learning ballet as a child, and will have little dancers, and aspiring dancers, pointing their toes and joining in. [Ballet-Ballet School-Inclusivity](#)



81. Books Aren't For Eating (Carlie Sorosiak And Manu Montoya)

\$27.99 \$25.20

How can Leopold, goat and bookstore owner, find the perfect book for a fellow goat-one the visitor will enjoy reading, not munching? Leopold the goat owns a delightful bookstore, and he has a talent for matching his customers with the ideal book-an adventure story for the girl in the rain boots, a novel about gnomes for the man who loves to laugh, and a book of birds for the woman in the feathered hat. But one day, another goat arrives and proceeds to eat every book Leopold offers. Can Leopold find just the right one to tempt this reluctant reader? [Books-Reading-Bookshops](#)



82. Bookworms (Nyanda Foday And Joelle Avelino)

\$29.99 \$27.00

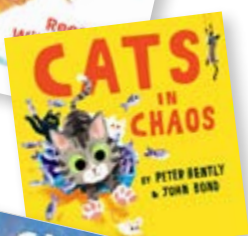
What does a book mean to those who search for acceptance and understanding? A place to find friends, feel part of a family, or to be your true self. A good book takes you to new worlds, the right one shows you can exist in this one. So for all bookworms - lovers of books - the world is waiting for you. [Books-Stories-Reading-Inclusivity-Diversity-Acceptance-Understanding](#)



83. Busy Betty (Reece Witherspoon And Xindi Yan)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Busy Betty has always been busy ... even when she was just a baby! When Betty gives Frank a big hug, she realizes he needs a bath, PRONTO! Her best friend, Mae, is coming over, and Betty can't have the smelliest dog in the whole world! But giving Frank a bath is harder than she thought and just when everything seems impossible, with Mae's help, Betty learns she can accomplish anything with perseverance, teamwork, and one great idea.



84. Cats In Chaos (Peter Bently And John Bond)

\$19.99 \$18.00

In the dark of night, as their owners sleep, the cats of the city are all headed to one place: Catsby's Great Circus! Step this way and see conjuring cats, felines that fly, Siamese that swing from above, and don't miss the mighty PURRCULES CLAW. But with so much activity, it only takes one little mouse in the wrong place to put the whole circus in chaos... This jaunty rhyming text from hugely popular, award-winning author, Peter Bently, with brilliantly witty illustrations from John Bond, creator of the Mini Rabbit books, will have children laughing out loud! [Cats-Humour-Calamity](#)



85. Cloud Babies (Eoin Colfer And Chris Judge)

\$27.99 \$25.20

Erin's favourite game is spotting animals in the clouds with her mum and dad - everything from foxes and polar bears to little rabbits! She calls them her 'cloud babies'. One day, Erin falls very ill. She has to spend a long time in hospital but she still manages to find comfort and joy in spying cloud babies through the windows with her new hospital friends. When Dr Bernadette tells Erin that even though there would still be some "hospital days", she can now go home, she is so excited. But being back at school is not at all what she expected. So much has changed. Erin must reconcile the comforting, safe world she has built for herself inside the hospital with the world outside that has now become unfamiliar to her. But with her Mum and Dad's love and guidance, and with the support of her school teacher and friends, Erin realizes that by sharing her world, and her cloud babies, she will find happiness in being herself once more. Sensitively told and vibrantly brought to life on the page, this is a truly powerful source of guidance, acknowledgement and, ultimately, comfort. [Imagination-Hospital-School-Friendship](#)



86. Colours, Colours Everywhere (Julia Donaldson And Sharon King-Chai)

\$29.99 \$27.27

Follow a little girl as she paints her own adventure with her bright blue tree frog companion. With luscious green trees to climb and red hot air balloons to sail away in, children will delight in the rhyming text and vibrant artwork while learning about different colours. A truly beautiful gift, this is an absolute must for the family bookshelf. [Rhyming Text-Art-Colours-Imagination](#)



87. Dealing With Feeling: Saving Piku (James Sellick And Craig Shuttlewood)

\$26.99 \$24.30

One morning Pal is teaching Piku how to sing when the Beast suddenly shows up. Fear quickly spreads through the colony and the dads do everything they can to protect their little ones. Will they be able to keep them safe? [Feelings/Emotions-Fear-Anxiety](#)



88. Eco Girl (Ken Wilson-Max)

\$29.99 \$27.00

Eve loves all the trees in the forest near her home. She feels their magic, but her favourite is the Baobab tree. If only she could talk to the trees! Then, on a birthday visit to Grandma, deep in the forest, Eve gets a magical surprise. What could it be? It's something that Eve must take care of, something that will connect her for ever with the forest she loves. Happy birthday, Eco Girl! [Multicultural-Africa-Environmental Issues-Trees-Conservation-Baobab Trees](#)

(RRP) (School)

**89. Friends (Daniela Sosa)**

\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

Celebrate the wonder of new friends, old friends and everything-in-between friends in this joyful, resonant picture book. [Friendship](#)

**90. Gecko And The Echo, The (Rachel Bright And Jim Field)**

\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

Goldy wants one thing, and one thing only - to be a STAR. On the sunny island this gecko calls home, it's always THE GOLDY SHOW, morning 'til night. But when you're dazzled by the limelight, it's easy to lose sight of the world around you. And when Goldy's performance starts to go wrong, the little gecko discovers that friendship means so much more than fame. Because when you treat the world with love, then love will come echoing back. [Kindness-Friendship-Fame-Love-Rhyming Text](#)

**91. Goldilocks And The Three Crocodiles (Michael Rosen And David Melling)**

\$19.99 ~~\$18.00~~

A fabulously funny take on a classic story from two giants of children's books! Goldilocks and her little dog are off on an adventure, looking for that house again - the one with the chairs, the porridge and beds. The sound of the sea calls to them and before they know it, they have found quite a different sort of a house . . . there are bowls, and chairs and sort-of beds . . . plus some rather unexpected and hilarious inhabitants! [Twisted Fairytales](#)

**92. Grizzled Grist Does Not Exist, The (Juliette Maciver And Sarah Davis)**

\$27.99 ~~\$25.20~~

It's the class trip to Dismal Hills wilderness. The children aren't worried about the legendary Grizzled Grist who lives here; they're excited to show off their outdoor skills-foraging, climbing, trapping. No one's impressed with Liam's skill of hiding. But it turns out a hider can see what others think does not exist. A hider moves with soundless ease and treads as softly as the breeze. At times, a hider barely breathes-but what is this the hider sees? When the children and their frazzled teacher walk confidently into disaster, little Liam saves the day-a triumph for the quiet child no one notices. [Rhyming Text](#)

**93. Heart Of A Giant, The (Hollie Hughes And Anna Wilson)**

\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

Get ready for an epic journey of friendship and discovery from the bestselling author of The Girl and the Dinosaur. There's a shape up in the hills, where a giant's said to sleep, beneath a grassy blanket, on a bed of moss and peat . . . Then, one day, the sleeping giant wakes - and a small boy called Tom is plunged into an unforgettable adventure. Along the way, he'll discover what it means to be a true friend - and that even an ordinary boy can have the heart of a giant. With a beautiful rhyming text by bestselling Hollie Hughes, author of The Girl and the Dinosaur, and gorgeous illustrations from debut talent Anna Wilson, this beautiful book is an unmissable treat! [Friendship-Courage-Adventure](#)

**94. Home For Grace (Kathryn White and Rachel Dean)**

\$29.99 ~~\$27.00~~

A compassionate introduction to homelessness, and the need for kindness, understanding and friendship. No one knows who Grace is. One day, she appeared in a shop doorway in a sleeping bag, with a cat called Luna, surrounded by strange things. When Jess and her mum strike up a friendship with Grace, Jess has questions: why did she leave her home? Does she have enough to eat? And what happens when the cold weather comes? [Homelessness-Kindness-Understanding-Refugees-Friendship-Empathy](#)

**95. I Am Me: A Book Of Authenticity (Susan Verde And Peter H. Reynolds)**

\$22.99 ~~\$18.39~~

Embrace individuality and being your authentic self in this companion to New York Times bestsellers I Am Human and I Am Love! Sometimes I stand out in a crowd. Sometimes I am not seen at all, and I feel alone. I start to ask myself, why can't I blend in? Fit the mold? But when I stop and look, I see nothing in this world is exactly the same. Sometimes we hide who we really are to conform to the way we think we are supposed to be in the world. Sometimes we compare ourselves to others and feel we don't fit in. But when we realize we are something to be celebrated, and we proudly live out loud as our true selves, we can make our unique mark on the world—and share our joy! From the New York Times bestselling team behind the I Am series comes a bighearted celebration of individuality, of being comfortable in our own skin, respecting others for who they are, living authentically, and loving ourselves. For anyone who's ever felt like too much or not enough, I Am Me is an affirming reminder that difference is what makes life beautiful—and that each of us matters, just as we are. [Individuality-Difference](#)

**96. I Love My Teacher (Todd Parr)**

\$12.99 ~~\$11.70~~

Teachers are amazing! They teach you new things, make you laugh, and help you meet new friends. They always encourage you to do your best. They make the classroom a great place to be! A perfect gift for Teacher Appreciation Day bursting with positivity about school and the people who make it special, I Love My Teacher! is sure to become a classroom and at-home favorite. [Teachers](#)

**97. Little Book Of Joy, The (Dalai Lama And Rafael Lopez)**

\$27.99 ~~\$25.20~~

Two friends, the late Archbishop Desmond Tutu and His Holiness the Dalai Lama, share this uplifting picture book story about their childhoods, showing young readers how to find joy even in uncertain times. This is a charming story of how every child has joy inside them, even when it sometimes hides, and how we can find it, keep it close, and grow it by sharing it with the world. This picture book adaptation of the international bestseller, The Book of Joy, is full of the humour, friendship, and deep affection between two spiritual leaders. It is a timely gift for challenging times and a reminder that joy is abundant - no matter what challenges we face - if we only know how to find it. [Feelings/Emotions-Joy](#)

**98. Luminous: Living Things That Light Up The Dark (Julia Kuo)**

\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

When it's dark out, we need light to see. But what if your body could make its own light? From fungi to glow worms to deep-sea fish, Julia Kuo shines a light on the wondrous natural phenomenon that is bioluminescence.

**99. Magic Of Flight, The (Nicola Davies And Lorna Scobie)**

\$29.99 ~~\$27.00~~

Our skies are full of life! From bats and birds to bees and beetles, the air around us is buzzing with amazing flying creatures. Explore how and why animals fly, and the many ways in which this incredible ability has helped them flourish on our beautiful planet, in this beautiful book from award-winning non-fiction specialist Nicola Davies. Packed with fascinating facts and incredible illustrations to pore over again and again, this stunning large-format hardback is the perfect gift to inspire children to treasure our planet's precious biodiversity. [Flight-Flying Creatures](#)



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### 100. My Name Is A Story (Ashanti And Monica Mikai)

\$29.99 \$27.00

From Grammy Award-winning singer Ashanti comes an empowering story about a girl who learns to love her unique name. First days aren't easy for a girl with a name like Ashanti. It feels like no one can pronounce it correctly! But with some encouragement from her mom, Ashanti spells her name and learns just how special it is. A is for awesome, S is for sunsets, H is for hand games, A is for art... Inspired by Ashanti's own experience, this delightful picture book shares the joy that one child finds in her name. A perfect pick for classrooms and all story times! [Culture-Identity-Bullying-Microaggression-Racism-Diversity](#) [Culture-Identity-Bullying-Microaggression-Racism-Diversity](#)

### 101. Nala's World (Dean Nicholson And Frann Preston-Gannon)

\$26.99 \$24.30

A heartwarming picture book based on the incredible true story of social media sensation and round-the-world-cyclist Dean Nicholson and his trusty cat companion, Nala. When Dean Nicholson found an abandoned kitten by the side of the road one day, he hadn't bargained on the lessons he'd learn from his unlikely companion, Nala. Both curious, independent, resilient and adventurous, they were a perfect match - and so together, they set off to travel around the world. This inspirational true story, with an underlying message about loving and caring for animals, will show young readers everywhere that you can find friendship in the most unlikely places. With gorgeous illustrations from winner of the Waterstones Gift of the Year, Frann Preston-Gannon, and also featuring photos of Dean and Nala's real-world adventures. Dean and Nala's story has become a social media and publishing phenomenon. Dean's book for adults, Nala's World, spent two weeks on the Sunday Times' bestseller list and has been translated into twenty-five languages. [True Stories-Animal Stories-Cats-Cycling-Travel-Friendship](#)

### 102. Need A House? Call Ms Mouse! (George Mendoza And Doris Susan Smith)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Welcome to the enchanting world of Henrietta, architect mouse. Her detailed designs are a visual feast, and will delight every imagination. All the animals want to live in a house designed by Henrietta, because she is the only mouse in the world who understands exactly what makes a squirrel or a rabbit, a caterpillar or a frog feel at home. This exquisitely illustrated love song to creativity will fast become a household favourite. [STEM-Architecture-Creativity-Design](#)

### 103. One And Everything (Sam Winston)

\$29.99 \$27.00

Once there were many stories in the world. Some had beautiful sunsets, some lived at the bottom of the sea, and some were simply about dogs. Until one story decided that it was going to be the most important story ever. It called itself the One and started to consume every other story in existence. Soon it seemed that the One was all that was left ... or was it? Inspired by the Endangered Alphabets project, aimed at preserving cultures by sharing their unique scripts, author-illustrator Sam Winston uses writing systems such as cuneiform, Canadian aboriginal, Egyptian hieroglyphs and ogham to illustrate this book in his signature typography-based style, using symbols and letters that have relayed the world's stories over the centuries. [Stories-Language-Culture-Endangered Languages-Written Language](#)

### 104. Oona And The Shark (Kelly Dipucchio And Michelle Figueroa)

\$14.99 \$13.50

Oona is one determined little mermaid, but she faces her biggest challenge yet in trying to make friends with Stanley the shark. Whatever will she do? A fun-filled and gorgeously illustrated celebration of friendship, creativity and perseverance. Oona loves to share her inventions with her friends. They're big and bold and loud - just like her! But there's one underwater creature who doesn't seem to enjoy Oona's company, or her creations. And that's Stanley the shark! Oona's latest hopping, chopping and popping inventions just make him angry. Oona may not know what Stanley likes, but she does know what he doesn't. And maybe that's a good place to start. Because mermaids never stop trying ... not when there's a friend out there to make. [Mermaids-Friendship-Creativity-Perseverance-STEAM-Inventions](#)

### 105. Penguin Huddle (Ross Montgomery And Sarah Warburton)

\$27.99 \$25.20

A charming and playful picture book told with humour and heart from the brilliant team behind Ten Delicious Teachers. The penguin pack play all day long. And when the sun goes down, and the night grows cold and dark..."PENGUIN HUDDLE!" The penguins squeeze and squish together to stay warm and cosy. But one night, there is a freezing gale. And the next morning ... the penguins are stuck! They are frozen together like a giant penguin ice pop. What a penguin MUDDLE! Nobody in the Antarctic can figure out how to unstick them. But Pipsqueak, the smallest penguin of them all, has a brilliant idea... They must adventure out of their snowy home to a vibrant city across the great, gleaming ocean to solve their penguin puzzle. This light-hearted tale of jolly penguins big and small is a celebration of friendship, community spirit and helping those in trouble. [Problem Solving-Friendship-Humour](#)

### 106. People Need People (Benjamin Zephaniah And Nila Aye)

\$26.99 \$24.30

To walk to, To talk to, To cry and rely on, People will always need people ... From the creators of Nature Trail comes an uplifting picture book about the power of people, and the importance of connecting with others. This timely poem reminds us all to be kind to one another. Written by legendary poet, Benjamin Zephaniah, one of The Times' top 50 British post-war writers. Beautifully illustrated by Nila Aye. [Poetry-Connection-Community](#)

### 107. Pick A Story: A Pirate Alien Jungle Adventure (Sarah Coyle And Adam Walker-Parker)

\$14.99 \$13.50

The first in a sparkling new series of 'pick your own' picture book adventures! Do you love pirates? How about aliens? And jungle animals? Find them ALL in the pages of this laugh-out-loud interactive adventure! Vincent's dog, Trouble, has DISAPPEARED and he needs YOUR help. Has Trouble been stolen by aliens? Or pilfered by pirates? Is she exploring the jungle? It's up to YOU to decide! Discover not one but THREE fun-filled worlds in this PICK A STORY adventure. You'll find twists and turns, hilarious characters ... and decisions to make on every page. So what are you waiting for? Come on in and join the fun! [Interactive-Adventure-Humour](#)

**108. Planet Football (Michelle Robinson And Chris Mouls)**\$27.99 ~~\$25.20~~

Jackson LOVES football. He plays it. He watches it. He eats it. He sleeps it! Jackson lives and breathes football - he knows all the players, the fixtures, the scores. Then, one grey stormy day, Jackson kicks his ball, and it goes up ... and up ... and UP! All the way to the moon! Overnight, Jackson becomes an international footballing sensation, and before you know it, he's kicked ALL of the Earth's footballs into space. The moon-folk - the aliens! - don't know the rules of the game, but they become football mad all the same. It's up to Jackson to bring football home... [Football-Soccer-Family-Community](#)

**109. Quacks Like A Duck (Stephanie Campisi And Maria Lebedeva)**\$29.99 ~~\$27.00~~

Petunia the platypus heads to her first party since arriving from Australia. She has the present, a party hat, and a pavlova, but it's a costume party and she doesn't have a costume! Everyone asks what she's supposed to be: 'Are you a duck?' 'Do you have webbed feet?' 'Can you lay eggs?' Even without a costume, Petunia stands out, and all of the other party guests give her a full-on identity crisis! Will she, with her weird quirks, ever fit in? For anyone who has ever felt out of place - from moving to a new country to moving to a new school - Quacks Like a Duck is a charming tale of acceptance and individuality that will have you laughing and embracing your own quirks and differences with pride. [Acceptance-Identity-Individuality](#)

**110. Rainbow Fish And The Storyteller (Marcus Pfister)**\$32.99 ~~\$29.70~~

A sparkling book about tall tales! When Rainbow Fish meets a new friend, Humbert, he isn't sure what to think. Humbert tells all kinds of strange stories: Somewhere at the bottom of the ocean there's a plug! There's a blue whale living near here . . . and he's going to eat up all of our food. But before Rainbow Fish and his friends panic, they realize that Humbert just likes to make up tall tales. Rainbow Fish and his friends soon come up with an idea that might make them all happy-even Humbert. [Friendship-Tall Tales-Storytelling](#)

**111. Search For The Giant Arctic Jellyfish, The (Chloe Savage)**\$27.99 ~~\$25.20~~

A moving tale of grit, endurance and self-belief to inspire young explorers and dreamers from a stunningly talented debut. Dr Morley is about to embark on a quest to the northernmost tip of the world, to discover a creature that everyone talks about but nobody has ever seen: The Giant Arctic Jellyfish. After years of research and hard graft, she gathers together a highly trained crew and a boat full of specialist equipment, and sets sail for the vast icy scapes of the Arctic. Will she find what she is searching for? Or will it find her? From debut author-illustrator Chloe Savage comes a beautifully detailed adventure into the unknown, sure to captivate the imagination of young explorers. [Adventure-Exploration-Arctic-Arctic Animals](#)

**112. Spoonful Of Frogs, A (Casey Lyall And Vera Brosgol)**\$29.99 ~~\$27.00~~

Frogs are the most important ingredient in a witch's favorite treat-but they are also the hardest to get into the cauldron! From acclaimed author Casey Lyall and Caldecott Honor artist Vera Brosgol, A Spoonful of Frogs is a humorous and wholly original picture book-and a winning recipe for readers who loved Dragons Love Tacos and Room on the Broom. A witch's favorite treat is frog soup. Luckily, it's healthy and easy to make. To give it that extra kick and a pop of color, the key ingredient is a spoonful of frogs. But how do you keep the frogs on the spoon They hop, they leap, they hide . . . and they escape. What is a poor witch to do Casey Lyall is a master of comedic timing with her deceptively simple and energetic text, and Caldecott Honor winner Vera Brosgol's vibrant, hilarious illustrations make the witch-and the frogs!-practically leap off the page. The solution to the witch's dilemma will surprise and delight young readers and their parents alike. Teeming with laughter and hijinks, A Spoonful of Frogs is pure fun from beginning to end. A must-have for young readers, parents, witches, frog-lovers, and aspiring chefs. [Humour-Calamity-Witches](#)

**113. This Book Is Not A Present (Max Greenfield And Mike Lowery)**\$19.99 ~~\$15.99~~

We all know kids who carry a book everywhere they go. Kids who can't stop reading, even if it's long after bedtime. Kids who love nothing more than sitting quietly in the corner, turning page after page... This book is a love letter to all the other kids. The ones who wouldn't dream of asking for a book as a present. The ones who unwrap the box hoping to find anything—a dog, a skateboard, even socks—besides a book. Packed with clever, fourth-wall-breaking gags from Max Greenfield (New Girl) and eye-popping art from New York Times bestselling illustrator Mike Lowery, this ideal read-aloud may not wag its tail or come with wheels, but it's sure to have even the most reluctant bibliophiles laughing all the way to the end. [Humour](#)

**114. Three Wishes, The (Anthony Browne)**\$27.99 ~~\$25.20~~

If you had three wishes, what would you wish for? Anthony Browne is back with a brilliantly funny story with a moral message at its heart. Lambert, Hilda and Ros are bored on the sofa, watching tv and a little bit grumbly. . . However after a surreal turn of events, the three friends are visited by a mysterious blue fairy who gives them more than they bargained for. Be careful what you wish for, it might just come true... The Three Wishes is a hilarious twist on a tale that focuses on the importance of being content and present in the moment. [Cautionary Tale-Humour-Morals](#)

**115. Tomatoes In My Lunchbox (Costantia Manoli And Magdalena Mora)**\$32.99 ~~\$29.70~~

A child, newly arrived in another country, feels displaced, lonely, and a little scared on her first day of school. Her name doesn't sound the way she's used to hearing it. She knows she doesn't fit in. And when she eats her whole tomato for lunch, she can feel her classmates observing her—and not quite understanding her. But sometimes all it takes is one friend, one connection, to bring two worlds together, and gradually the girl, her tomato, and her full name, start to feel at home with her new friends and community. This emotionally sweeping debut picture book by Costantia Manoli, with vibrant art by Magdalena Mora, artfully captures feelings of displacement and the joy that comes from forging new friendships. [Migration-Displacement-Connection-Friendship](#)

**116. Well Done, Mummy Penguin (Chris Haughton)**\$27.99 ~~\$25.20~~

Mummy Penguin is off to find a fishy dinner for her family. She has to swim very fast, climb a slippery cliff - cu-crunch, cu-crunch, cu-crunch - and even tiptoe past some sleeping seals... Shh! All the while, Little Penguin looks on in awe and says: "Well done, Mummy Penguin!" The icy - and treacherous! - Antarctic landscapes are breathtaking in this funny and exciting celebration of all that mothers do, and all that mothers are. [Penguins-Antarctic-Mums-Mothers-Humour-Suspence](#)



**117. What Are Words, Really? (Alexi Lubomirski And Carlos Aponte)**\$29.99 ~~\$27.00~~

Perfectly pitched to the youngest child, Alexi Lubomirski's whimsical text is a gentle reminder that words have power—the power to hurt or to heal, to make someone feel small or feel tall. Carlos Aponte's buoyant illustrations, in dazzling primary colors and bold black line, pair with a dynamic text design to create a visual symphony. An eye-catching appeal to our better natures, this inspired meditation on the purpose and power of words encourages children to choose them well—and use them wisely—to spread kindness, joy, and love. [Feelings/Emotions-Words-Kindness-Positivity-Meditation-Affirmations](#)

**118. What The Macaw Saw (Charlotte Guillain And Sam Usher)**\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

Told in gentle rhyming verse, this beautiful non-fiction picture book follows the story of a flock of colourful macaws as they live their lives in the Amazon rainforest. Through the voice of one of the macaws, we hear about the bounty of the rainforest, as well as the challenges they have faced - threatened by the destruction of their home through machinery and forest fires to make room for vast plantations. Still, there are some areas where the land is protected and they can live a life of freedom among the trees... perhaps in the future, humans will learn the true value of the forest once again? Accompanying non-fiction pages at the end of the book include information on an endangered macaws, the importance of the rainforest, and the causes of deforestation, as well as what we can do to help. [Narrative Non Fiction-Rhyming Text-Birds-Macaws-Endangered Animals-Endangered Species-Amazon-Amazon Rainforest-Deforestation](#)

**119. Woman Who Turned Children Into Birds, The (David Almond And Laura Carlin)**\$27.99 ~~\$25.20~~

She made her marks. She whispered her words. Then she said, "Go on. Be happy. Up you go." When Nanty Solo comes to town, she says she can turn children into birds. The parents are skeptical, but the children want to fly. And before very long, everyone does. A celebratory, lyrical story that will make your heart and imagination soar. Written by internationally acclaimed author David Almond and brought to life in glorious uplifting paintings by award-winning illustrator Laura Carlin. [Imagination-Creativity-Inspiration-Joy](#)

## AUSTRALIAN NOVELS

**120. Berani (Michelle Kadarusman)**\$16.99 ~~\$15.30~~

Malia has had a privileged upbringing in Indonesia, but now her mother wants to return to her own family on the other side of the world. Malia is determined to stay in Indonesia, her home. Besides, if she leaves, how can she fight for her country's precious rainforests? Ari knows he is lucky to be going to school and competing on the chess team, even if it means working long hours at his uncle's restaurant. And he's horribly worried about Ginger Juice, his uncle's orangutan. The too-small cage where she lives is clearly hurting her body and her mind, but where else can she go? The rainforest where she was born is a palm oil plantation now. The choices Malia and Ari make will have consequences for themselves, Ginger Juice and others, if they are courageous enough to choose. A powerful story about a standing up for what you believe no matter what the cost. [Orangutans-Endangered Animals-Endangered Species-Captivity-Rainforests-Indonesia](#) Age 9+

**121. Bookseller's Apprentice, The (Amelia Mellor)**\$19.99 ~~\$15.99~~

See a whole new side to Amelia Mellor's magical Melbourne in this action-packed prequel to *The Grandest Bookshop in the World*. Twelve-year-old Billy Pyke has a talent for sorting things out, whether it's his chaotic family home or the busy book stall at Paddy's Market. In 1871, the market is the loud, smelly, marvellous heart of Melbourne, and Billy is delighted to work at the book stall there for the eccentric Mr Cole. When his new friend Kezia warns him of a sinister magician called the Obscurosmith, Billy can't believe her stories of magical deals gone horribly wrong - until he sees them happening. And the night that the Obscurosmith crosses a terrifying and dangerous line, Billy realises something: if he wants the Obscurosmith stopped, he'll have to do it himself. Award-winning author Amelia Mellor delivers another race-against-time adventure in this action-packed prequel to *The Grandest Bookshop in the World*. Loaded with tricks, riddles, magic and mayhem, *The Bookseller's Apprentice* is perfect for Mellor fans and newcomers alike. [Historical-Mystery-Adventure-Bookshops-Magic](#) Age 10+

**122. Dragon Girls #8: Phoebe The Moonlight Dragon (Maddy Mara)**\$12.99 ~~\$11.70~~

The Night Dragons are united in friendship and in a shared mission: They must save the Magic Forest from the evil Fire Sparks. They are out to ruin the delicate balance that exists between night and day—and only the Night Dragons can stop them! Phoebe has a special task ahead of her. She must spread her wings and rescue the Dreamlets, magical creatures who create dreams for all the forest animals. Can Phoebe overcome her fears to help save nighttime? [Fantasy-Dragons](#) Age 7+ For all books in this series type DRAGON GIRLS into the search field at [www.pegiwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegiwilliams.com.au)

**123. Dusty In The Outwilds (Rhiannon Williams And Martina Heiduczek)**\$22.99 ~~\$18.39~~

Dusty has grown up hearing whispers about her mysterious aunt Meg, who went off to live 'out wild' and never returned. Yet Dusty's father refuses to discuss what happened - and her only clue is a photograph of her aunt as a young girl with a strange, monkey-like creature on her shoulder. But when Dusty learns that her family's beloved bushland property might be sold, she's convinced that only Meg could stop it happening. So Dusty sets off to find her ... and that's when she discovers what 'out wild' really means. The Outwilds are beguiling. Dangerous. And full of creatures Dusty half-remembers from old bedtime stories - beautiful, but deadly. Is Meg still out there? And even if she is, how will Dusty bring her home? [Fantasy-Adventure](#) Age 9+

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124. Ella At Eden #8: Shadow Pony, The (Laura Sieveking And Danielle Mcdonald) \$15.99 \$14.40

When the Eden College equestrian team need an extra member, Ella volunteers. She hasn't ridden much, but she loves horses and wants to support her best friend, Zoe. But when Ella joins the team at their equestrian camp, she keeps seeing a mysterious horse on the horizon. Some say he's not real. Others say he's a ghost. Can Ella help ride Eden College to victory and find out who the shadow pony belongs to? [Friendship-Horse Riding-Sportsmanship-Courage-Mystery](#) Age 9+ For all books in this series type ELLA AT EDEN into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

125. Ella Diaries #26: Fundraising Frenzy (Meredith Costain And Danielle Mcdonald) \$14.99 \$13.50

Warning: You are about to read my utterly biggest secrets. Can I trust you? OK then. I'm Ella, and this is my diary. There's a new girl at school! Her name is Lily and she loves turtles and bouncing on trampolines, just like Ella. She's also an amazing swimmer! So when Ella and her friends find out what the letters 'CF' next to Lily's photo in the sick bay mean, they come up with the perfect idea for their school's annual Fundraising Frenzy. [Friendship-Cystic Fibrosis](#) Age 8+ For all books in this series type ELLA DIARIES into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

126. Fartboy #8: Bin Juice Of Destiny (Adam Wallace And James Hart) \$14.99 \$13.50

The most awful, terrible, unmanigable thing has happened to Sparkletown! The take-away shops are being targeted by two despicable villains, Composto and Bin Juice! Now there's nothing on the menu but ... brussels sprouts! Bleugh! It's up to Fartboy to master the ultimate farting power, before Sparkletown becomes nothing but a pile of steaming compost! [Toilet Humour](#) For all books in this series type FARTBOY into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

127. Furball #1: Spy Cat (Adrian Beck And Kristy Lund-White) \$14.99 \$11.99

It's Garfield meets James Bond! Furba/1 is the hilarious new junior fiction series about a spy cat on a mission to save the city. Despite being the world's most famous spy, Furball is happiest napping or snacking. But when he and his spy friends, Jade and Kit, visit a waterpark on their day off, they learn Furball's greatest enemy is using the park as a secret base! Can Furball and his friends stop them before they flood the city? Or will Furball get distracted by the snack bar? Readers of The Bad Guys and Real Pigeons will love this highly illustrated series, created by bestselling author, Adrian Beck. Jam-packed with laughs and brimming with action, Furball will have kids rolling on the floor with laughter and immediately asking for more. [Humour-Cats-Spies](#) Age 6+

128. Girl Called Corpse: An Elston-Fright Tale, The (Reece Carter) \$16.99 \$15.30

'Find the thing the Witches call a treasure,' says Old Man, 'and you'll get back all those memories you're missing.' With a body made of wax, seaweed for hair and polished abalone shells for eyes, Corpse is bound to haunt the Witches' sea shack forever. She has no memory of the kid she was before she was snatched and ended up on the rock-that-doesn't-exist. But the delivery of an unexpected message sets Corpse off on a surprising quest, searching for answers to the old and familiar questions that have filled her not-brain since the day she first woke up a ghost. Questions about her name. Questions about her family. With only her eight-legged friend Simon for company, Corpse heads into the unknown. There will be danger - cruel Witches, a silver-eyed sea monster and a cunning Merchant with a hungry grin - but Corpse is not afraid. She'll stop at nothing to uncover the truth about her past. Only some answers, it turns out, are much closer than she thinks. [Friendship-Family-Compassion-Ghosts-Witches](#) Age 9+

129. Inflatables #2: Mission Un-Poppable (Beth Garrod And Chris Danger) \$12.99 \$11.70

Cactus knows there is something not quite ripe about new float Avocado. So when she discovers he's actually a two-faced Avocadon't and he's planning to take over the park, her mission is clear. But can Cactus convince the inflata-gang to help her stop Avocadon't and save the spray before it's too late?! [Graphic Novel-Humour](#) For all books in this series type INFLATABLES into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

130. Koori Princess (Anita Heiss) \$16.99 \$15.30

An insightful and humorous story of a young girl's determination to be who she wants to be. Karan rolls her eyes. 'What's this year's theme? Oh no, let me guess,' she looks into the distance, pretending to ponder the possibilities. Sarcastically she asks, 'Is it ... could it possibly be ... a princess party?' Teish is a sassy, soon-to-be 7-year-old and the apple of her dad's eye. She believes more than anything, that she is a Disney princess. Her older siblings, Karan and Kim, like to remind her that she isn't. Teish is determined to believe that she can be whoever she wants to be. With the help of boisterous, irreverent cousins and friends, a princesses-of-colour party with all the trimmings and an adventure to the beach, Teish teaches her family that she can be a princess and remain true to herself. But will her siblings accept her being a feisty Koori Princess? [First Nations-Self Esteem/Resilience-Confidence-Imagination-Self Acceptance-Humour-Princesses](#) Age 7+ ABORIGINAL NOVEL

131. Little Ash #5: Little Ash: Party Problem! (Ash Barty And Jade Goodwin) \$9.99 \$9.00

Australian tennis superstar Ash Barty teams up with Jasmin McGaughey and Jade Goodwin to bring young readers this fun and exciting new illustrated series about school, sport, friendship and family. Ash and James have been invited to their friend's birthday. It's a dress-up party and they're going as their favourite mega sports stars. Of course, Ash is dressed as a tennis player! But when Ash loses her favourite tennis racquet, she is so worried. Even with James's help, will she ever find it? [Sport-Tennis-Birthday Parties-Birthdays](#) Age 5+ For all books in this series type LITTLE ASH into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

132. Little Ash #6: Little Ash: Lost Luck! (Ash Barty And Jade Goodwin) \$9.99 \$9.00

Australian tennis superstar Ash Barty teams up with Jasmin McGaughey and Jade Goodwin to bring young readers this fun and exciting new illustrated series about school, sport, friendship and family. Ash has a big tennis game coming up, but on the day of the match she wakes up on the wrong side of bed. Everything seems too hard, and Ash just can't seem to look on the bright side. Will she let her miserable mood ruin her chances at winning? [Sport-Tennis-Competition-Feelings/Emotions](#) Age 5+





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133. Magnolia Moon #3: Courage Of Magnolia Moon, The (Edwina Wyatt)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Magnolia Moon is very good at finding courage. And when you've fought with your best friend and your grandma is sick, it will take great courage to find a way forward. Magnolia Moon returns with a story of the great daring it takes to be ten years old (almost eleven). Whether she's helping a friend be brave, standing up to bullies or helping out at home, Magnolia shows readers how a little bit of courage can make life magical. A lyrical and imaginative tale which highlights everyday wonders through Magnolia's curious and observant nature. Friendship-Imagination-Bullying-Courage Age 9+ For all books in this series type MAGNOLIA MOON into the search field at www.pegwilliams.com.au

134. Miss Mary-Kate Martin's Guide To Monsters #2: Trouble With The Two-Headed Hydra, The (Karen Foxlee)

\$14.99 \$13.50

Mary-Kate and her mother are visiting Galinios, an idyllic Greek Island filled with history and surrounded by the shimmering Aegean Sea. An ancient mosaic has been unearthed at the local sardine processing plant and Professor Martin must investigate, leaving Mary-Kate to enjoy a few days of sunshine and antiquity. But a message asking for help changes everything. A wrecked boat and smashed jetty have recently disrupted life on this tranquil island and point to a monster-sized mystery. Could the local legend of the Two-Headed Hydra be more than a story? If so, what could make this historically serene sea creature so angry? Armed with her glitter pens and strawberry-scented notebook, Miss Mary-Kate Martin is determined to find answers. She might be scared of heights, but there is no problem too big for her to solve. Fantasy-Adventure-Monsters-Myth-Honesty-Greed-Anxiety Age 8+ For all books in this series type MISS MARY-KATE MARTIN'S GUIDE TO MONSTERS into the search field at www.pegwilliams.com.au

135. Neverlanders Graphic Novel (Tom Taylor)

\$22.99 \$20.70

Bee and her fellow runaways are their own found family. So when a stranger named Paco saves her life, Bee invites him to join their crew, thinking he's another lost teen. The truth is Paco's not just a lost teen, he's a Lost Boy from Neverland. And he needs Bee and the others to come back with him. When the group is then spirited away by a foul-mouthed Tinker Bell, they discover that Neverland is not some fun-filled hideaway. It's a war zone under siege by a horde of pirates with a merciless new leader who will stop at nothing to steal the land's magic. Tink leads a fairy army that barely holds them at bay. Peter Pan is gone. And rest of the Lost Boys have been killed. Paco is all that remains ... but he hopes that this group of teens will become the new Lost Ones. These young runaways may be Neverland's only hope - but they're about to learn that it'll take a lot more than happy thoughts to win a war. Graphic Novel-Adventure-Pirates-Magic Age 11+

136. Pugnacious And Scuttlebutt: Ready, Set, Itch! (Adam Wallace And Wayne Bryant)

\$14.99 \$13.50

A pugnacious Pug. A butt-scuttling Greyhound. An unlikely friendship... IF they can both avoid being captured by infamous dog catcher, S.M. Ellybutt, that is. Readers of The Bad Guys and Real Pigeons will want to race, race, race through these pages! Not another cute dog story - this book has bite! Pugnacious is witty, wily and wanting to pick a fight! Scuttlebutt would just like the itch on his butt to disappear. This can't be the start of a friendship, surely? In the hands of New York Times best-selling author, Adam Wallace - yes, it is! Animal Stories-Dogs-Humour Age 6+

137. Ranger's Apprentice: The Royal Ranger #6: Arazan's Wolves (John Flanagan)

\$18.99 \$17.10

John Flanagan gets spooky in the latest adventure in the New York Times bestselling Ranger's Apprentice The Royal Ranger series! Will and Maddie are sent to neighbouring kingdom Celtica to investigate reports of terrifying direwolves - an ancient species thought to be extinct. What they discover is even more of a threat - a sorceress who has enslaved direwolves and Wargals to her will and is building an army of creatures both living and supernatural. For all books in this series type RANGER'S APPRENTICE into the search field at www.pegwilliams.com.au

138. School Of Monsters: Bruno Won't Dance (Sally Rippin And Chris Kennett)

\$9.99 \$7.99

Bruno is a talented dancer, but he's too shy to bust a move in front of his classmates ... until a special guest visits the school! Welcome to the School of Monsters: the funniest, silliest and most accessible series for first readers! Start by reading only the last word on every line and work your way up to reading the whole story. With tumbling rhymes and an infectious sense of humour, the weird and wonderful students at the School of Monsters are guaranteed to spark a love of reading! For all books in this series type SCHOOL OF MONSTERS into the search field at www.pegwilliams.com.au

139. School Of Monsters: Pip Loves To Cook (Sally Rippin And Chris Kennett)

\$9.99 \$7.99

Cooking is Pip's favourite thing to do. But when she accidentally follows the wrong recipe, it's a disaster ... or is it? Welcome to the School of Monsters: the funniest, silliest and most accessible series for first readers! Start by reading only the last word on every line and work your way up to reading the whole story. With tumbling rhymes and an infectious sense of humour, the weird and wonderful students at the School of Monsters are guaranteed to spark a love of reading!

140. Seven Wherewithal Way #2: Across The Ice And Into The Jungle (Samantha-Ellen Bound)

\$17.99 \$16.20

Full of heart-in-your-mouth action, unforgettable characters and folklore-inspired magic that feels both fresh and familiar, this is the second instalment in the epic 4-book portal fantasy series Seven Wherewithal Way. Rebellion is brewing in the Realms, and Ferd is on a mission to discover who is behind it all. So when Wherewithal receives word of an attack in the Realm of Jungle, Celeste finally has her chance for another adventure. But when they go to investigate, the portal plummets them not into a tropical jungle but a freezing lake. Somehow, they've ended up in the treacherous Realm of Ice. Magic-Mystery-Adventure Age 10+ For all books in this series type SEVEN WHEREWITHAL WAY into the search field at www.pegwilliams.com.au

(RRP) (School)

141. Silver Leaves (Gladys Milroy)

\$24.99 \$22.50

A beautiful story about conservation, working together and hope. Owl and Night Parrot are nocturnal. They have a lovely big tree well away from all the noisy birds ... until one day they are woken up by the birds fighting over space in their tree. Owl is very angry, until they discover the poor birds' trees have been cut down. After a meeting, Night Parrot suggests they look for a seed to grow a tree big enough for everyone. Crow comes back with the biggest gumnut and they plant it, water it and sit around it waiting for it to grow. Meanwhile Night Parrot meets lonely Goanna who is guarding the last red berry bush. When Night Parrot tells Goanna their story, Goanna cries silver tears. It is these silver tears that Goanna leaves for Night Parrot to take back to water the gumnut. Magically, the gumnut grows overnight into a magnificent tree with room for everyone – and the leaves on top of the tree are silver – like a beacon for all other birds who need refuge. [First Nations-First Nations Philosophies-Conservation-Teamwork-Hope](#) ABORIGINAL NOVEL

142. Space Kids #2: Blast Off! (Aleesah Darlison)

\$12.50 \$11.25

It's the inaugural Milky Way Space Race and teams from around the world converge on race host, Misty Space Station, to compete. When billionaire inventor, Cooper Borgstein and his son, Finn, invite the Space Kids to race with them in their blaster ship, Ventura, it's an opportunity too good to pass up. But when competitors take it too far and push the rules and each other to the limit, lives are put in danger. Things spiral out of control and it's up to Nash and the other Space Kids to save the day. [Science Fiction-Space-Humour-Mystery-Friendship](#) Age 8+ For all books in this series type SPACE KIDS into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

143. The Champ #2: Rock 'N' Roll (Anh Do)

\$15.99 \$14.40

Summer used to always be picked last for a sports team, but one day her life changed forever. Now she has the skills and abilities of the greatest sports stars who ever lived. Now she is THE CHAMP! When everyone's favourite rock band is kidnapped by the mysterious Book Witch, it's up to Summer and her sidekick Ice-Cream Boy to save the day. Go, Champ! Go! [Adventure-Mystery-Sport](#) Age 8+ For all books in this series type THE CHAMP into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

144. The Underdogs #4: Rock 'N' Roll Over (Kate Temple And Shiloh Gordon)

\$14.99 \$13.50

The Underdog Detective Agency has a proud tradition of sniffing out trouble (and sniffing each other's butts). Detective Barkley (a dog) and Detective Fang (a cat) are cleaning up the mean streets of Dogtown one crime at a time! When the DogAid music festival arrives in Dogtown, the Underdogs are called in to help rock legend Mick Wagger of the Rolling Bones! Mick's golden guitar is missing. Has it been stolen? If so, by who? And why? With many rival musicians in town it could be almost anyone! Was it Justin Beaver? Or maybe it was Catty Perry? Can the Underdog's crack the case and help the show go on? [Adventure-Detective-Investigation](#) Age 6+ For all books in this series type THE UNDERDOGS into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

145. Tiny Timmy #14: Time To Celebrate! (Tim Cahill And Heath Mckenzie)

\$14.99 \$13.50

Uh oh, bad news – it looks like Tiny Timmy is out of form! It seems the harder he tries, the less chance he has of scoring a goal! What's going on?! Then Coach Cruz, a new assistant, joins the team, and he's got some great ideas to get Timmy scoring again! Can Timmy keep fighting to get back in the goals? Find out in Book 14 of the best-selling series from Socceros Legend, Tim Cahill! For all books in this series type TINY TIMMY into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

146. When One World Ends: Apocalypse Fiction By Young Australian Survivors (Compilation)

\$16.99 \$15.30

It's the end of the world as we know it ... catastrophes abound in this anthology of end times tales by young Australian writers! Delve into their doomsday imaginations and find out what the future holds in poems, stories, games, activities, and illustrated omens of what's to come. Fifteen young editors, mentored by children's author Oliver Phommavanh and publishing industry professionals, have assembled a collection of armageddon-themed fiction unlike anything you've ever seen. The collection includes 15 intrepid tales and poems written by young Australian writers between the ages of 8 and 12, alongside a hilarious contribution from Andy Griffiths. [Short Stories](#) Age 10+

147. Wild Life #2: Line In The Sand, A (Laura Bunting And Philip Bunting)

\$15.99 \$14.40

In the paw-sizzling heat of summer, Wombat and Roo need to cool their toasted toes. They find themselves on a beautiful beach with more than enough ocean for everyone. But there is one very little problem ... Quokka thinks he owns the beach. And he is not in the mood for sharing. [Australian Animals-Humour-Individuality-Acceptance](#) Age 7+ For all books in this series type WILD LIFE into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

148. Willa And Woof #2: Birthday Business (Jacqueline Harvey And Anne Yi)

\$12.99 \$10.39

Adventure, imagination and loads of fun. Willa's best old-age-friend Frank hates birthdays, but that's not going to stop her from throwing him the greatest surprise party ever! Willa plunges headlong into party planning and things immediately start to go wrong. She'll need all her problem-solving skills (with the help of Tae, her best same-age friend, and her trusty sidekick Woof) to save the celebration! Can Willa pull off the surprise? [Birthdays-Friendship-Problem Solving](#) Age 6+ For all books in this series type WILLA AND WOOF into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

149. Worst Week Ever #3: Wednesday (Eva Amores And Matt Cosgrove)

\$15.99 \$14.40

Justin Chase sure has, and this is it! Monday really socked, Tuesday blew up, but now it's ... Wednesday! His cat is still mysteriously missing. He's an unintentional internet sensation. And right now sharks are circling as he's stranded in a heart-stopping, skin-crawling, jaw-dropping, seriously shocking S.O.S situation with his unbelievably annoying arch-enemy! [Humour](#) Age 8+ For all books in this series type WORST WEEK EVER into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)



# YOUNGER NOVELS

(RRP) (School)

## 150. Carnival Of The Clocks (Nick Sharratt)

\$12.99 \$11.70

On a dark winter's evening at the end of December, something strange is happening in the school playground. Lessons finished long ago, but there are lots of children still at school and they're all carrying ... clocks! Clocks of every shape and size - big, small, round and square, heart-shaped, star-shaped. What's going on? Join the children and find out as they celebrate the winter solstice on the shortest day of the year - marching through the town in the Carnival of the Clocks! [Winter Solstice-Dyslexic Friendly](#) BARRINGTON STOKE LITTLE GEMS Age 6+

## 151. Dimple And The Boo (Pip Jones)

\$12.99 \$10.39

Dimple the gnome is upset and he doesn't know how to talk about it - but then along comes the Boo ... Yucky cabbage pie! Mean Mrs Miskin! Stupid spelling test! Oh dear, Dimple the Gnome is having a very bad day and he just can't find the right words to tell anyone how he's feeling. Then Dimple finds the Boo, who lets everyone know what's going on. But the Boo's rude words and naughty noises just get Dimple into trouble. Can Dimple find another way to express himself? [Feelings/Emotions-Mental Health-Gnomes-Dyslexic Friendly](#) BARRINGTON STOKE LITTLE GEMS Age 6+

## 152. Dinosaur Club #5: Compsognathus Chase, The (Rex Stone)

\$12.99 \$11.70

Jamie has just moved to Ammonite Bay, a stretch of coastline famed for its fossils. Lots of dinosaur fans visit Ammonite Bay to search for fossils, and Jamie is one of the biggest dinosaur fans ever. He's a member of the Dinosaur Club - a network of kids around the world who share dinosaur knowledge. In this adventure, Jamie and Tess learn not to judge a book by its cover when they meet a group of Compsognathus. Although they look cute, they turn out to be angry little predators. The chase is on! [Adventure-Dinosaurs](#) Age 6+ For all books in this series type [DINOSAUR CLUB](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

## 153. Duck's Backyard (Ulrich Hub and Jorg Muhle)

\$17.99 \$16.20

A duck spends her days limping around her backyard with the help of a crutch until one day a blind hen stumbles in, lost, and persuades the duck to embark on an adventurous journey. The duck will guide the hen; the hen will steady the duck's wonky leg. They leave together for a place where their most secret wishes will come true. The pair come upon astonishing obstacles along the way - a wild forest, a cavernous gorge and many differences of opinion. The hen starts to wish she'd taken a guide dog rather than a duck! When the two finally arrive at their destination after all the hardships, they realize that their own backyard plus a little imagination offers as much adventure as a whole world. [Friendship-Humour-Disability](#) Age 6+

## 154. Elephant And Piggie Like Reading: It's A Sign! (Jarrett Pumphrey And Jerome Pumphrey)

\$22.99 \$20.70

One, Two, Kat, and Four are starting a club, and every member is good at something! Except naming clubs. If only there were some kind of sign about what their club should be called! For all books in this series type [ELEPHANT AND PIGGIE LIKE READING](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

## 155. Fairy Forest School #3: Snowflake Charm, The (Olivia Brook)

\$12.99 \$11.70

Poppy Merrymoss is going on a school trip to the Magic Mountains with her best friends Ninad Cleardrop and Rose Seedpip. But evil Lady Nightshade (disguised as her teacher Ms Webcap) is coming too, and when the Snow Fairies magical Snowflake Charm is stolen, Poppy knows just who's taken it. Without the charm, the snowflake fairies can't use their magic to help the local Artic Foxes and the school trip is ruined! Can Poppy, Ninad and Rose find the Snowflake Charm and reveal Ms Webcap's evil identity before it's too late? [Fairies-Magic-Nature](#) Age 7+ For all books in this series type [FAIRY FOREST SCHOOL](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

## 156. Geronimo Stilton: Kingdom Of Fantasy #15: Golden Key, The (Geronimo Stilton)

\$22.99 \$20.70

For the first time ever the magic of the Kingdom of Fantasy reaches the streets of New Mouse City!!! For all books in this series type [GERONIMO STILTON: KINGDOM OF FANTASY](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

## 157. Geronimo Stilton Reporter #11: Mystery On The Rodent Express Graphic Novel (Geronimo Stilton)

\$16.99 \$15.30

Geronimo Stilton is granted a special interview with the great Sourishi, who lives in isolation and rarely gives interviews. To reach him, Geronimo and company must take the Rodent-Express, a steam engine that zigs and zags across perilous terrain and steep mountains. But, during the journey, Bugsy Wugsy mysteriously disappears! Can Geronimo crack the case before the end of the line? It won't be easy when all the passengers are now suspects. Based on the hit animated series! For all books in this series type [GERONIMO STILTON REPORTER](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

## 158. Luma And The Hiccapping Dragon (Leah Mohammed)

\$12.99 \$11.70

Two more stories about Luma and her cheeky pet dragon. Timir has the hiccups. Nothing seems to stop them. Small bursts of flame keep bursting from his nostrils and causing mayhem everywhere they hit. Luma is sure it has something to do with the flame charm on her bracelet - but has no idea what. It's time to find out! And that's not the only discovery to be made. When practising for a dog show in the garden Timir realises something very unexpected: he can fly. But Luma feels worried - what if Timir flies away and never comes back? Is she brave enough to trust Timir and let him spread his wings? [Dragons-Humour](#) Age 6+

**159. Magnificent Mabel: Magnificent Mabel And The Very Important Witch**  
(Ruth Quayle And Julia Christians)

\$12.99 ~~\$11.70~~

Sometimes life isn't fair for Mabel Chase. Like for instance she isn't allowed to go Trick or Treating on HALLOWEEN because she has to visit a relative. And even though there's a monster living under her bed, her parents STILL won't let her have a brand-new high-up bunk bed which wouldn't have ANY hiding spots for monsters. And at school NO-ONE takes her seriously when she spots aliens in the playground. But none of that matters in the end ... because Mabel is still MAGNIFICENT. [Short Stories-Humour Age 6+](#) For all books in this series type [MAGNIFICENT MABEL](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

**160. Princess Minna #3: Big Bad Snow Day, The**  
(Kirsty Applebaun And Sahar Haghgoo)

\$14.99 ~~\$13.50~~

Princess Minna lives in Castle Tall-Towers with the King and Queen, Raymond the Wizard and her best dragon friend, Lorenzo. There are often mix-ups and mishaps in the kingdom and Princess Minna loves to sort them out! She can tame unicorns, kiss frogs and fight dragons (apart from Lorenzo) and she is very good at fixing things before it's time for bed. In The Big Bad Snowy Day, snow has fallen overnight and poor Granny Hoody is snowed in! Princess Minna has to fix things. But Granny Hoody lives in the dark forest and there's a big bad wolf who lives there too. Can Princess Minna find Granny's cottage or will she stray from the path and meet the WOLF instead? [Princesses-Wizards-Dragons-Early Reader Age 6+](#) For all books in this series type [PRINCESS MINNA](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

**161. Pug Who Wanted To Be An Elf, The (Bella Swift)**

\$14.99 ~~\$13.50~~

Have yourself a Peggy little Christmas! The world's favourite pug is back with a funny and festive story. Peggy and her family have won a dream winter holiday to Lapland! But sadly, Dad's work means that he can't go with them. Chloe is sad because their trip won't be as special if her whole family isn't together for Christmas. Peggy knows there's only one person who can help them - Santa Claus! Can she find a way to become an elf and work some Christmas magic? [Christmas Age 7+](#)

**162. Sidney Makes A Wish (Lisa Thompson And Jess Rose)**

\$12.99 ~~\$11.70~~

Friendship appears where it's least expected in this heartwarming Little Gem from award-winning author Lisa Thompson. When Sidney spots a wishing well in the long grass on his way to school, he thinks he might have found the answer to the problems he's having with his friend Billy. If he can just wish for exactly the right thing, then surely Billy will want to be friends with him again? But as Sidney makes his wishes, what he doesn't realise is that the friend he's longing for has been there all along ... [Friendship-Wishes-Dyslexic Friendly Age 6+](#)

**163. Too Small Tola #3: Too Small Tola Gets Tough (Atinuke And Onyinye Iwu)**

\$14.99 ~~\$13.50~~

Tola may be small, but she's very determined! Too Small Tola lives in a flat in Lagos with her sister, Moji, who is very clever, her brother, Dapo, who is very fast, and Grandmummy, who is very bossy. One day Tola discovers the secret of multiplication and division. She is so happy! But then there is news of a deadly virus, and news of lockdown too. Moji goes away to live and study with her teacher and Dapo goes off to live and work with his boss. Grandmummy cannot go out to work so Tola does instead. Tola goes to live with a wealthy couple, the Diamonds. She cleans and washes and scrubs, scrubs, scrubs. She befriends the other workers too. But she soon learns that even the wealthy Dimonds have problems of their own. And when it comes to solving them, Tola proves once again how kind and clever, mighty and resourceful she truly is. [Short Stories-Pandemic-Lockdown-Family-Problem Solving-Nigeria-Africa Age 7+](#) For all books in this series type [TOO SMALL TOLA](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

**164. Unipiggle The Unicorn Pig #6: Fairy Freeze (Hannah Shaw)**

\$9.99 ~~\$9.00~~

Meet the princess who loves breaking the rules and her Royal Unicorn, who happens to be a pig! Princess Pea and Unipiggle are thrilled when it snows! They can't wait to party at the Twinkleland Palace Snow Ball. But the Festive Fairies haven't delivered their usual sparkle and cheer across the kingdom. And without it, the Snow Ball can't go ahead. Where could the fairies be? It's up to Princess Pea and Unipiggle to find out and save the Snow Ball! [Adventure-Magic](#) For all books in this series type [UNIPIGGLE THE UNICORN PIG](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

**165. Woodland Magic #2: Deer In Danger (Julie Sykes And Katy Riddell)**

\$11.99 ~~\$10.80~~

The Keepers are a secretive tribe of little people who live in the middle of Whispering Woods, caring for the countryside and rewilding it when humans (or Ruffins as they know them) are careless with it. Young Keepers Cora and Jax are trainees who need to prove themselves or risk being sent back to school. Intent on their task of building a hedgehog highway by making holes at the bottom of fences on a new housing estate, they come upon a deer trapped in the foundations of a building site. Their woodland magic isn't strong enough to help the deer escape, but they will not be able to complete their task if they try to get help for the deer. For all books in this series type [WOODLAND MAGIC](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

**166. Zoe's Rescue Zoo: Adventurous Arctic Fox, The**  
(Amelia Cobb And Sophy Williams)

\$12.99 ~~\$11.70~~

Zoe loves living at her uncle's rescue zoo because there's always something exciting going on. And Zoe also has an amazing secret... She can actually TALK to the animals! There's a new arctic fox at the zoo and she loves adventure! When the animals' presents go missing, can she help Zoe solve the mystery and save the day? Another fantastic title in the perfect series for young animal lovers, beautifully illustrated throughout by Sophy Williams. Have you read Zoe's other adventures? Check out The Runaway Reindeer, The Talkative Tiger, The Rowdy Red Panda and many more titles here! [Animal Stories Age 6+](#) For all books in this series type [ZOE'S RESCUE ZOO](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)



# MIDDLE NOVELS

(RRP) (School)

## 167. Ajay And The Mumbai Sun (Varsha Shah)

\$18.99 \$17.20

Abandoned on the Mumbai railways, Ajay has grown up with nothing but a burning wish to be a journalist. Finding an abandoned printing press, he and his friends Saif, Vinod, Yasmin and Jai create their own newspaper: The Mumbai Sun. As they hunt down stories for their paper, the children uncover corruption, fight for justice and battle to save their slum from bulldozers. But against some of the most powerful forces in the city, can Ajay and his friends really succeed in bringing the truth to light? Not to mention win the most important cricket match ever ... A high-stakes adventure story full of heart, written against the backdrop of modern India. [Journalism-Social Justice-Integrity-India](#) [Age 9+](#)

## 168. Animorphs Graphic Novel #3: Encounter: Graphic Novel (Katherine Applegate And Chris Grine)

\$17.99 \$16.20

When Tobias and his friends were given the power to morph, they were also given an important warning: Never stay in a morph for more than two hours. But Tobias broke the time limit, and now he's trapped in the body of a hawk ... forever. When he discovers an important Yeerk secret, Tobias knows he has to do everything in his power to destroy it. But to do so, he'll have to contend with a part of himself that's wrestling for dominion. A part that isn't human. For Tobias, the fight against the Yeerks is more pressing than ever — not just for humankind, but for his own humanity. [Graphic Novel-Science Fiction-Aliens-War](#) [Age 9+](#) For all books in this series type ANIMORPHS GRAPHIC NOVEL into the search field at [www.pegiwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegiwilliams.com.au)

## 169. Barry Loser Graphic Novel#1: Total Winner! Graphic Novel (Jim Smith)

\$16.99 \$15.30

The Barry Loser series is ten years old and Barry, Bunky, Nancy and the gang are off on a series of new adventures - in full colour graphic novel format and with 'how to draw' sections to help you make your own comic books! In the first book, Barry has had enough of being a loser and wants to prove he's a Total Winner, but when his parents ban him from gaming he has to think outside of the box ... Barry also has a new cat called French Fries - the keelest cat ever amen.

## 170. Booked Graphic Novel (Kwame Alexander And Dawud Anyabwile)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Like lightning/you strike/fast and free/legs zoom/down field/eyes fixed/on the checkered ball/on the goal/ten yards to go/can't nobody stop you/can't nobody cop you... Twelve-year-old Nick is a football-mad boy who absolutely hates books. In this graphic novel adaptation of the acclaimed verse novel, football, family, love, and friendship take centre stage as Nick tries to figure out how to navigate his parents' break-up, stand up to bullies, and impress the girl of his dreams. These challenges - which seem even harder than scoring a tie-breaking, game-winning goal - change his life, as well as his best friend's. [Graphic Novel-Soccer-Football-Family-Separation-Friendship](#) [Age 10+](#)

## 171. Book Of Legends, The (Lenny Henry)

\$16.99 \$15.30

Two ordinary kids are about to go on one extraordinary adventure! Bran and Fran love living with their mum, who is the storyteller at the Once Upon a Wow bookstore in their small Midlands town. But when mum goes missing and her stories turn out to be a portal to another world, they're going to have a huge, magical adventure on their hands. Luckily, they have Wilma, the Wizard's Wife, and Zack, the wisecracking Zebracorn, to help them on their journey. And they're going to need help because there are evil princes, mud monsters and Viking armies all standing in their way... [Fantasy-Adventure-Magic-Stories](#) [Age 9+](#)

## 172. Book That No One Wanted To Read, The (Richard Ayoade And Tor Freeman)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Have you ever thought about how it feels to be a book? To be left under a whiffy pant pile or shelved, forever collecting dust? To have your pages bent backwards or your spine BROKEN? What if you don't have a sparkly unicorn or dragon adorning your cover - who will pick you out of the bookshop then? This is the story of the sadly neglected Book That No One Wanted To Read - can its destiny change when it finally meets the right reader? Spoiler alert: yes. [Humour](#) [Age 8+](#)

## 173. Boy In The Post, The (Holly Rivers)

\$17.99 \$16.20

Siblings Orinthia and Seafra Shaloo accept a summer job from eccentric Grandy, who has collected a menagerie of furry and feathered posties known as animails. The children are especially fond of Geronimo, a homing pelican. But when the big bird fails to return from a delivery, Taber - the youngest sibling - is devastated; so much so, he mails himself to New York, where Geronimo was sent. Orinthia and Seafra follow suit, stealing a precious stamp and hopping in a freight crate - and soon all are embarked on an extraordinarily daring first-class adventure ... [Adventure](#) [Age 9+](#)

## 174. Beastheart #2: Conjuror (Adam Blade)

\$16.99 \$15.30

To escape your destiny, first you must escape your past ... A battle is coming between the armies of the new-Kind and the human rebels. Ancient scrolls foretell the Cleansing, when balance will be restored between the enemies. But will this mean the annihilation of all humans, or the triumph of the humans over their new-Kind oppressors? Jonas journeys to the rebels' undercover base. He is torn between embracing his role as Master of the Kind and finding the truth about his past. His golden armour helps him control his forbidden magic powers, but also reveals secrets he has hidden from himself - secrets he might rather not know. Lana must have all her wits about her to navigate the deceptions and schemes of court. As her magical powers grow, she must understand how to keep her family safe while preventing the Cleansing from wiping out humanity. But as she glimpses deeper into the Netherplane, will she repeat the fate of her mother, and go crazy from her visions? Gael is advising the human rebels in their secret stronghold. Gael believes the only hope of a peaceful rebalance is through trusting in Jonas. Only Jonas with his links to the old-Kind can hold off the might of the new-Kind. But can Jonas trust his own powers? Beastheart: Conjuror is a thrilling fantasy adventure set in a world ruled by a complex hierarchy of creatures known as the new-Kind with magical or elemental powers. [Fantasy-Adventure-Magic](#) [Age 10+](#) For all books in this series type BEASTHEART into the search field at [www.pegiwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegiwilliams.com.au)

(RRP) (School)

175. Butterfly Club #2: Mummy's Curse, The (Ma Bennett)

\$14.99 \$13.50

The adventures of the time-travelling Butterfly Club continue... Luna, Konstantin and Aidan travel to Egypt's Valley of the Kings in 1922 where an Egyptologist called Harold Carter is about to discover Tutankhamun's mummy. The time thieves have twenty-four hours to find out where Carter plans to dig and get to Tutankhamun first. But they find themselves grappling with the uncertainty of a world poised between two world wars and all the while a curse that they created seems to be taking on a life of its own... Adventure-Time Travel-Egypt-Tutankhamun Age 9+ For all books in this series type BUTTERFLY CLUB into the search field at www.pegwilliams.com.au

176. Case Of The Runaway Brain, The (Nick Sheridan)

\$14.99 \$13.50

There's always a mystery to solve in Snoops Bay! When a child escapes Madame Strang's Academy for Incredibly Irritating Children in the dead of night, Madame Strang, her cool and calculating right-hand man, Mr Grule, and her overweight sausage dog, Mangler, will do anything to track him down. But friends Riz and Olly know a good story when they see one, and with the help of runaway Drew Hill, the trio are soon on a mission to uncover the secret that Madame Strang is so desperate to keep... one that involves a dastardly brainwashing invention and an academy full of plain and perfectly behaved children. Mystery-Humour

177. Cat's Cradle #1: Golden Twine, The (Jo Rioux)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Centuries ago, a rift was opened that let monsters into the world of Galatea. At least, that's how the story goes. Suri loves monsters—studying their lore, telling stories about them (for a fee), and—she hopes—one day taming them. Unfortunately, no one takes an orphan street urchin who travels with a merchant camp very seriously. But Suri's self-confidence, cleverness, and ambition serve her well when a mysterious new wagon joins her camp—holding something very big, very loud, and very monstrous. Graphic Novel-Fantasy-Adventure Age 8+

178. Christmas Carrolls, The (Mel Taylor-Bessent)

\$14.99 \$11.99

Wish it could be Christmas every day? Well, for nine-year-old Holly Carroll and her family, it is! Living her merriest life in a house with year-round fairy lights and Christmas trees, a carol-singing toilet and a diva donkey who thinks he's a reindeer, home-schooled Holly tries to spread cheer wherever she goes. But when she goes to a new school with a singing Santa backpack and first day Christmas cards (during a heatwave in September!), she realises not everyone shares her enthusiasm for spreading cheer. In fact, when the neighbours try to remove the Carrolls from the street and Holly discovers a group of children that may not get a Christmas at all, her snowglobe world begins to crack. Is the world's most Christmassy girl about to lose her Christmas spirit? Christmas-Christmas Spirit-Friendship-Humour Age 8+

179. Clash Graphic Novel (Kayla Miller)

\$17.99 \$16.20

There's a new kid in town! From the moment Natasha sets foot in class, it's clear she's one of the coolest kids in sixth grade. Everyone wants to be her friend, including Olive... but things might not be so easy. Olive tries her best to befriend Nat, but it seems like the only thing they have in common is that they both want to hang out with Olive's friends! Watching as Natasha gets closer with some of her best buds, Olive can't help but worry that they're starting to like Nat more than they like her... and who could blame them? Nat is just that cool... and Olive is, well, just Olive. Graphic Novel-Friendship-Belonging-Insecurity Age 8+

180. Clock Of Stars #3: Greatest Kingdom, The (Francesca Gibson And Chris Riddell)

\$17.99 \$16.20

The thrilling third volume in the bestselling middle-grade trilogy, beautifully illustrated throughout by Chris Riddell. Step through the door in the tree and into another breathtaking adventure... When Annesha's hunt for the greatest kingdom brings her into our world, Imogen and Marie know it's bad news. But Annesha isn't their only problem. Mum's boyfriend, Mark, is sick and getting sicker, thanks to the monsters he accidentally carried home. Can the girls escape Annesha and find a cure for Mark before it's too late? Their quest will take them through the door in the tree and further than ever before, into the magical lands of Nedobyt beyond. But there is more to this kingdom than meets the eye. Miro, Imogen and Marie must learn its secrets if they're to save their families - and stop Annesha once and for all... Adventure-Magic For all books in this series type CLOCK OF STARS into the search field at www.pegwilliams.com.au

181. Consequence Girl, The (Alastair Chisholm)

\$15.99 \$14.40

The world of Colony is in ruins. No one knows what caused society to begin tearing itself apart - but the secret may lie with Cora, a girl living on the mountainside far away from others. Cora possesses the power to see back in time, from an event back to its causes. Even more incredibly, sometimes she can change events. But the present is looking for Cora, and she is forced on the run - and must decide who she is, what she can do... and how to fix the future. Science Fiction-Adventure-Fantasy Age 10+

182. Creepover Graphic Novel: Truth Or Dare Graphic Novel (Pj Night)

\$19.99 \$18.00

The bestselling You're Invited to a Creepover middle grade series comes to graphic novels with this first book about a bone-chilling sleepover game gone ghostly. During a round of Truth or Dare, Abby Miller confesses her crush on Jake Chilson. The only people who know her secret are her friends at the sleepover—and whoever sent her a text message in the middle of the night warning her to stay away from Jake... or else! But Abby isn't going to stay away from Jake, especially not after he asks her to the school dance. As the night of the dance comes closer, some very creepy things start happening to Abby. Someone definitely wants to keep her away from Jake. Is it a jealous classmate or, as Abby begins to suspect, could it be a ghost? Graphic Novel-Horror Age 8+

183. Creepover Graphic Novel: You Can't Come In Here! Graphic Novel (Pj Night)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Emily Hunter loves hanging out with her new neighbors. From their decked-out rec room to their almost-professional guitar playing, Drew and Vicky Strig are super cool. Since Drew and Vicky are homeschooled, Emily's other friends haven't gotten to know them yet. So Emily comes up with a plan for everyone to meet—a big party and sleepover at her house! But as Emily gets ready for the party, she begins to wonder about Drew and Vicky. They won't let Emily into certain rooms in their house. And a wolf howls on their lawn every night. Is it only Emily's overactive imagination or are the new neighbors more than just a little strange? Graphic Novel-Horror Age 8+



(RRP) (School)

184. Cuckoo Summer (Jonathan Tulloch)

\$18.99 \$17.10

Summer 1940. As the cuckoo sings out across the Lake District, life is about to change for ever for local boy Tommy and his friend Sally, the mysterious evacuee girl who lives on the neighbouring farm. When they find a wounded Nazi airman in the woods, Sally persuades Tommy not to report it but to keep the German hidden. This starts a chain of events that leads to the uncovering of secrets about Sally's past and a summer of adventure that neither child will ever forget. [War Stories-World War 2-Adventure-Evacuees-Strength-Adversity-Courage](#) Age 10+

185. Cupcake Diaries Graphic Novel: Katie And The Cupcake Cure Graphic Novel (Coco Simon)

\$18.99 \$17.10

The bestselling Cupcake Diaries series is now available in graphic novel format! In this adaptation of the first book, after her best friend moves on, Katie finds a new group of friends and they form the Cupcake Club. Katie is miserable when her best friend is invited to join the Popular Girls Club and Katie is left out. Is there an Unpopular Girls Club she can join? Luckily, Katie finds her way with a great new group of friends—Mia, Emma, and Alexis—and together they become the Cupcake Club. Sometimes starting from scratch turns out to be the icing on the cupcake. [Graphic Novel-Friendship](#) Age 8+

186. Cupcake Diaries Graphic Novel: Mia In The Mix Graphic Novel (Coco Simon)

\$18.99 \$17.10

When Mia arrives at her new school, her goal is to be open to and friendly with everyone, but everyone at Park Street School fits into a clique. When the Popular Girls Club takes an interest in Mia's awesome fashion style and wants to recruit her, Mia must decide between them and her great new Cupcake Club friends. It's like choosing between her divorced mom and dad and her old house and new house. Is it always going to be Mia in the middle, or can she mix it up? Fun, bright, full-color graphic panels tell the story with the same humor and heart as the original novel. [Graphic Novel-Friendship](#) Age 8+

187. Dandelion (Jean Ure)

\$14.99 \$13.50

When twelve-year-old Lily is walking to school one day, a very unusual girl appears out of nowhere! It is 1953 and this stranger is dressed in a green sparkly dress, purple tights with orange swirls and has bright yellow hair sticking up like a dandelion. As quickly as she appears, she disappears again into thin air! Lily rushes to tell her best friends Tara and Geraldine about this strange encounter, and they begin an investigation to solve the mystery. Could it be that the girl is from the future? And what does she want with Lily? [Family-Friendship-Time Travel](#) Age 9+

188. Day My Family Disappeared, The (Jo Simmons And Lee Cosgrove)

\$12.99 \$11.70

Bob Bunyon is fed up. In a family full of artists and performers, he's the one with no talent, the one bypassed by the creativity gene - and his four siblings just won't let him forget it. Finally sick of being taunted for being so "normal", Bob wishes that his family would all just disappear, but he doesn't really expect his wish to come true ... When he wakes the next day to find everyone gone, Bob's initial delight quickly turns to worry. Does he have supernatural powers? Is he the only survivor of a zombie apocalypse or an alien invasion? Gathering all his courage, and employing survival skills learned from TV endurance shows, Bob sets out to find his missing family ... [Humour-Adventure-Family-Dyslexic Friendly](#) BARRINGTON STOKE Age 8+

189. Deadly Expeditions: Deadly Race To The South Pole: Graphic Novel, The (John Micklos)

\$15.99 \$14.40

In 1910 Sir Robert Falcon Scott led a team of Englishmen racing to be the first people to reach the South Pole. Amidst frigid temperatures and raging winds Scott and four others made it to the pole only to find that another team had gotten there first. Low on morale and facing ever-plunging temperatures the trek home would prove a harrowing task. Find out if Scott and his men ever made it back home from their frigid adventure. [Graphic Novel-True Stories](#) Age 8+

190. Deadly Expeditions: Disastrous Wrangel Island Expedition: Graphic Novel (Katrina M. Philips)

\$15.99 \$14.40

In 1921 Inupait seamstress Ada Blackjack joined a group of four white men who wanted to establish a trading post on Wrangel Island in the freezing Arctic Ocean. The explorers were stranded on the island when their return ship was forced to turn back due to ice. Facing harsh conditions and dwindling food supplies the men died one by one but Ada remained. Find out how she alone managed to survive the disastrous expedition. [Graphic Novel-True Stories](#) Age 8+

191. Deadly Expeditions: Doomed Search For The Lost City Of Z: Graphic Novel (Cindy Rodriquez)

\$15.99 \$14.40

Percy Fawcett was a mapmaker and an adventurer. In the early 1900s he spent years mapping out the jungles of South America. Fawcett became obsessed with the idea of a lost city of gold hidden deep in the jungle. At the age of 57 Fawcett left on a quest to find the Lost City of Z. The men were never heard from again. Untangle the clues left behind. [Graphic Novel-True Stories](#) Age 8+

192. Deadly Expeditions: Vanished Northwest Passage Arctic Expedition: Graphic Novel (Lisa Bolt Simons)

\$15.99 \$14.40

In 1845 Sir John Franklin commanded two ships on an expedition to find a Northwest Passage from England through the Arctic and over to Asia. If successful, the route would be a faster way to get goods from Asia to Europe and back. But success was not in the cards for Franklin's expedition. Only recently the sunken ships were discovered in the icy Arctic waters. What happened to Franklin and his men and what messages did they leave behind. [Graphic Novel-True Stories](#) Age 8+

193. Diary Of A Minecraft Zombie #37: Haunted Hall Of Mirrors, The (Zack Zombie)

\$9.99 \$9.00

Ever wonder what life is like for a Minecraft Zombie? When Zombie finds out about a cursed carnival, he and his friends decide to investigate! But when strange things start happening and even spookier things are uncovered in the search for the truth, Zombie must discover who is behind the creepy encounters. Are ghosts real or is there a simple explanation? And who or what is chasing them around the carnival? Age 8+ For all books in this series type DIARY OF A WIMECRAFT ZOMBIE into the search field at [www.pewilliams.com.au](http://www.pewilliams.com.au)

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194. Diary Of A Roblox Pro #3: Obby Challenge (Ari Avatar)

\$9.99 \$9.00

Ari is just a regular avatar from Blockville who loves hanging out with his two best friends — Zeke, an obby and parkour pro, and Jez, the ultimate hacker and Queen of Tech. Ari can't believe his luck. Zeke's dad is taking them to see the epic new obby he has built for the army! But the school bully, Trip, is there too. When Trip climbs the obby and dares Ari to join him, Ari thinks it's just harmless fun. But the design of the obby means they have to finish it. Can Trip and Ari finish the obby? Or will it be game over for both of them? Age 8+ For all books in this series type DIARY OF A ROBLOX PRO into the search field at www.pegwilliams.com.au

195. Diary Of An Accidental Witch (Perdita Cargill And Katie Saunders)

\$16.99 \$15.30

I'M AT WITCH SCHOOL! Now would be a really good time to discover I can do magic... Bea Black has just moved to Little Spellshire, a town with a magical secret. When her dad accidentally enrolls her at the local witch school, she has to get to grips with some interesting new classes, like, NOW! Also on her to do list? Make friends, look after the grumpy class frog AND do everything humanly magically possible to stay on a broom... But with the Halloween Ball on the horizon, will she be able to master her wand skills in time to WOW? And more importantly can she keep her newfound magical abilities a secret from dad? Witches-Magic-Diary Format Age 8+

196. Dog Squad #2: Cat Crew (Chris Grabenstein)

\$14.99 \$13.50

When trouble calls . . . it's Dog Squad to the rescue! But when calamity calls . . . call in Cat Crew! Fred, the loveable stray who became the star of the hit streaming sensation, DOG SQUAD, is back and working on a new show-Cat Crew! But wait a second-there's something funny about these felines! And something suspicious about their animal trainer. Is this cat crew being electronically controlled?!?! And what exactly is the evil trainer plotting? Can Fred save the day . . .and the cats?! It's time for an all paws on deck top-secret rescue mission! Detective-Mystery-Crime-Investigation-Humour-Dogs-Cats-Calamity Age 8+ For all books in this series type DOG SQUAD into the search field at www.pegwilliams.com.au

197. Dogs Of The Deadlands (Anthony Mcgowan)

\$16.99 \$15.30

Chernobyl, 1986. Without humans, how will dogs survive? As humans fled the nuclear disaster, they were forced to leave their pets behind. Without people, nature began to return to the woods surrounding the power plant - lynx and bear and wolves. But the overgrown forest is no place for dogs. Can Zoya, and her pups Misha and Luka, learn to survive in the deadlands? And will Zoya ever find her way home to her beloved owner? Animal Stories-Dogs-Survival-Chernobyl-Perspective Age 10+

198. Dragon In The Bookshop, The (Ewa Jozefkowicz)

\$16.99 \$15.30

An old Polish city fizzes with fear. The townsfolk are at the mercy of a dragon who lurks in the cave below the castle... Konrad's dad always used to say, 'There is a character in a book somewhere that matches you almost entirely. It's just a matter of finding them'. Konrad never expected the 'finding' to involve stepping right into a story, and he never expected his dad not to be there with him. After his dad's death, Konrad stops speaking. Not a word at home or school as the year rolls by. But that begins to change when he meets Maya on the beach he loved to explore with Dad. She doesn't mind his silence. It gives her a chance to be heard, because at home no one seems to notice her. When the pair go on a last visit to Konrad's family bookshop before it's sold, they soon get lost in the pages of Konrad's favourite book of folk tales. Whisked back in time to quest with a dragon, they must find themselves and their voices, as well as a happy end to the story in the book and in real life. Adventure-Magic-Medieval-Polish Folklore-Poland Age 9+

199. Dragon Realm #5: Dragon Destiny (Katie Tsang)

\$14.99 \$13.50

All eyes are on Billy and his friends after the Dragon Realm collapses and is exposed to the Human Realm. In their search for a new home for the dragon population, they learn of the Hidden Realm, a secret so well guarded that only one dragon knows how to locate it . . . Glorious Old. But convincing her to trust them comes with its own problems, not to mention the introduction of an evil new baddie and their band of human-hating dragons. With trouble round every corner, what destiny is in store for Billy and the group? Fantasy-Dragons Age 10+ For all books in this series type DRAGON REALM into the search field at www.pegwilliams.com.au

200. Elemental Detectives, The (Patrice Lawrence)

\$18.99 \$17.10

The first book in an exhilarating, entertaining, empowering new fantasy adventure series set to ignite young imaginations. Step into a London lit up by Elemental spirits: the fiery Dragons, the airy Fumis, the watery Chads and the earthbound Magogs. But humans have been causing chaos, mess, noise and pollution for centuries. What if the Elementals could slow down this new world . . . or stop it all together? The revenge-fueled Shepherdess brings a sleeping sickness down on the city with the destruction of society in her sights. Marisee and Robert are the Elemental Detectives chasing clues to avoid catastrophe: they must face a dangerous riddling dragon, the ghosts of Hyde Park, the plague monster that rises from the Serpentine, and a whole host of other fantastical creatures in their mission to stop the Shepherdess and prevent London slumbering for all eternity ... Fantasy-Adventure Age 9+

201. Enola Holmes Graphic Novels #2: Enola Holmes: Graphic Novels Book 2 (Serena Blasco)

\$26.99 \$24.30

In Book 2 of the series, Enola is back on the case, deciphering clues and developing leads in each of three new mysteries. What she doesn't know is that she, too, is being pursued - by her own brother! Once again, Sherlock Holmes' brilliant, strong-willed younger sister takes centre stage in this delightfully drawn graphic novel based on Nancy Springer's bestselling mystery series. London, 1889. A woman is being held prisoner while she awaits a forced marriage. Another has been kidnapped, and yet another disappears... As Enola seeks to rescue the three women, her brother embarks on a quest of his own. When Sherlock receives a mysterious package, he knows he'll need Enola's help to decipher its meaning. In the end, the three Holmes siblings will have to work together to answer the question that started it all: What happened to their mother? Book Two contains three engrossing mysteries: The Case of the Peculiar Pink Fan, The Case of the Cryptic Crinoline, and The Case of the Baker Street Station. Graphic Novel-Mystery For all books in this series type ENOLA HOLMES GRAPHIC NOVELS into the search field at www.pegwilliams.com.au



**202. Everest: Reaching The Roof Of The World (David Long And Stefano Tambellini) \$14.99 \$13.50**

Everest is the world's highest mountain, towering like an icy giant over the Himalayas. For the millions of people living nearby, it has always been a magical place, known as "Goddess Mother of the World" or the "Peak of Heaven". To explorers and adventurers, it represents a perilous but thrilling challenge to be conquered. In this exhilarating account by award-winning author David Long, he looks back at the first attempts by international mountaineers to reach the fabled summit, many of which ended in death and disaster. [True Stories-Everest-Mountaineering-Himalayas-Dyslexic Friendly](#) **BARRINGTON STOKE** Age 9+

**203. How To Steal The Mona Lisa (Bethany Walker And Jack Noel) \$18.99 \$17.10**

At Mia's new school, the lack of art is criminal. It's The Thomas Crown Affair meets the Da Vinci Code in a Tom Gates package. With a usual suspects ending! Unlike most parents, Mia's parents are delighted to find out that the local secondary school's art department has lost its funding and will close down. Mia loves art, just like her Granny, but her parents are dead-set against her 'wasting her time' with anything creative. To make matters worse, Mia's already a laughing stock at school for having believed one of her (now-former) best friend Jake's cockamamie conspiracy theories about the local optician and trying to get everyone to destroy their lenses. But there's more to this school than meets Mia's (still-blurry) eye. **Age 8+**

**204. Hy-Larious Hyena! (Nazeem Hussain) \$16.99 \$13.59**

Harry is one Hy-larious hyena, with unstoppable, legendary LOL-powers ... until one prank goes way too far and everyone nearly becomes lion lunch. Is it time for Harry to finally get serious? Hye-No! **Humour** Age 7+

**205. Into Goblyn Wood (Anna Kemp And David Wyatt) \$16.99 \$15.30**

Fairies are real, but their power is waning ... Embark on the adventure of a lifetime and discover the magic of Goblyn Wood, with the first book in a major new fantasy series for fans of Nevermoor and Podkin One-Ear! Are you ready to enter Goblyn Wood ... ? Hazel has always known she was different, but she doesn't know where she came from. When her best friend Pete is kidnapped by strange creatures, she must gather her courage and enter Goblyn Wood, a forest inhabited by fairies. But their magic is being drained away, and Hazel soon realises that her own power is the key to saving both Pete and her new friends. Embarking on an epic journey of discovery, can Hazel restore the balance of the fairy realm? [Fantasy-Fairies-Magic](#) Age 8+

**206. Journey Back To Freedom (Catherine Johnson) \$14.99 \$13.50**

Born in what is now Nigeria in 1745, Olaudah Equiano's peaceful childhood was brought to an abrupt end when he was captured and enslaved aged 11. He spent much of the next eight years of his life at sea, seeing action in the Seven Years' War. When he was finally able to buy his freedom, he went on to become a prominent member of the abolition movement and in 1789 published one of the first books by a Black African writer. Journey Back to Freedom focuses on Equiano's early life, demonstrating the resilience of the human spirit. [True Stories-Slavery-Slaves-Olaudah Equiano-Abolitionist-Writer-Dyslexic Friendly](#) Age 9+

**207. Keeper Of The Lost Cities #9: Stellarlune (Shannon Messenger) \$16.99 \$15.30**

Sophie Foster changed the game. Now she's facing impossible choices: When to act. When to trust. When to let go. Her friends are divided and scattered, and the Black Swan wants Sophie to focus on their projects. But her instincts are leading her somewhere else. Stellarlune – and the mysterious Elysian – might be the key to everything. But finding truth in the Lost Cities always requires sacrifice. And as the Neverseen's plans sharpen into terrifying focus, it appears that everyone has miscalculated. The Lost Cities' greatest lie could destroy everything. And in the battle that follows, only one thing is certain: nothing will ever be the same **Age 11+** For all books in this series type **KEEPER OF THE LOST CITIES** into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

**208. Last Cuentista, The (Donna Barba Higuera) \$16.99 \$15.30**

Habia una vez ... There lived a girl named Petra Pena, who wanted nothing more than to be a storyteller, like her abuelita. But Petra's world is ending. Earth will soon be destroyed by a comet, and only a few hundred scientists and their children - among them Petra and her family - have been chosen to journey to a new planet. They are the ones who must carry on the human race. Hundreds of years later, Petra wakes to this new planet - and the discovery that she is the only person who remembers Earth. A sinister Collective has taken over the ship during its journey, bent on erasing the sins of humanity's past. They have systematically purged the memories of all aboard - or purged them altogether. Petra alone now carries the stories of our past, and with them, any hope for our future. Can she make them live again? An unforgettable journey through the stars, to the very heart of what makes us human. [Science Fiction-Folklore-Mexican Folklore-Storytelling](#)

**209. Last Kids On Earth #7: Last Kids On Earth And The Forbidden Forests, The (Max Brallier And Douglas Holgate) \$14.99 \$13.50**

The highly-anticipated eighth book in the #1 New York Times, Wall Street Journal, and USA Today bestselling series. Picking up after Quint and Dirk's Hero Quest, the Last Kids are happily reunited—but quickly faced with a monstrous new mission. Inside an other-dimensional fortress, the evil Thrull, alongside a vile new villain, is carrying out a sinister plan. Jack, Quint, June and Dirk must make their own plans to infiltrate the stronghold before Thrull gets any closer to completing the mysterious Tower, a structure that could ultimately spell doom for this dimension. [Humour-Monsters-Zombies-Adventure](#) Age 8+ For all books in this series type **LAST KIDS ON EARTH** into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

**210. Last Kids On Earth: June's Wild Flight (Max Brallier And Douglas Holgate) \$14.99 \$13.50**

Told from June's point of view-and set between the shattering events of The Midnight Blade and The Skeleton Road-June's Wild Flight brings new characters, high-stakes action, and stunning revelations. The Midnight Blade ended with a shocking twist: a long-missing villain has returned and now has an army of the dead at his command! Jack, June, Quint, and Dirk have battled the worst kind of monsters, zombies, and cosmic servants, but an endless horde of animated skeletons is next-level. While the kids plan their next move, an unexpected threat emerges and June gets separated from her friends, dragged miles away from Wakefield to a town overgrown with monstrous vines and never-before-seen creatures. Drawing on her post-apocalyptic survival and action skills-and with the help of some odd new companions-June attempts to make her way back home. But not before she uncovers critical information about the mysterious "Tower." Information that the future of our world may hinge upon ...

### 211. Last Kids On Earth: Quint And Dirk's Hero Quest (Max Brallier And Douglas Holgate)

\$14.99 ~~\$13.50~~

June Del Toro went on a wild flight in a super-rad solo episode; now get ready for the dynamic duo: it's Quint and Dirk! Picking up after the events of The Last Kids on Earth and the Doomsday Race, adventure abounds as the best buddies encounter new monsters and embark on a postapocalyptic quest for the ages. You won't want to miss this essential Last Kids story that includes crucial details about the next book in the series! Told in a mixture of text and black-and-white illustration, this is the perfect series for any kid who's ever dreamed of starring in their own comic book or video game.

### 212. Leila And The Blue Fox (Kiran Milwood Hargrave And Tom Se Freston)

\$26.99 ~~\$24.30~~

She was very tired. She lay down, her soft head on her soft paws. The sunset licked her face. The snow covered her like a blanket. Fox wakes, and begins to walk. She crosses ice and snow, over mountains and across frozen oceans, encountering bears and birds beneath the endless daylight of an Arctic summer, navigating a world that is vast, wild and wondrous. Meanwhile, Leila embarks on a journey of her own - finding her way to the mother who left her. On a breathtaking journey across the sea, Leila rediscovers herself and the mother she thought she'd lost, with help from a determined little fox. Based on the true story of an Arctic fox who walked from Norway to Canada in seventy-six days, a distance of two thousand miles, this compelling, emotional and beautifully illustrated story is the perfect gift for 9+ readers. [True Stories-Animal Stories-Arctic Fox-Arctic-Family-Journey](#) Age 9+

### 213. Lost Girl King, The (Catherine Doyle)

\$14.99 ~~\$13.50~~

Amy and Liam Bell have been packed off to stay at Gran's house in the wilds of Connemara for the summer. Out for a walk on the first morning of their holiday, they trace the flight of a hawk to a nearby waterfall - only to watch the bird disappear through it. Intrigued, the children follow and soon realise they've discovered the entrance to Tir na nOg, the legendary land of eternal youth. But they've been tricked. Almost immediately Liam is captured by a troop of headless horsemen who take him to Tarlock, the ruling sorcerer of Tir na nOg, who is seeking the bones of a human child for a sinister new spell. Packed with edge-of-your seat adventure, incredible imagination, humour and warmth, The Lost Girl King is the rare kind of story that has you reading long past lights out.

[Adventure-Fantasy-Imagination-Humour](#)

### 214. Magicborn (Peter Bunzl And Maxine Lee-Mackie)

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The Curse is changed. You'll never know. The truth is lost. The lie will grow. The year is 1726 and the Royal Sorcerer of England is on the hunt for those who are Magicborn. When Tempest is captured, she is taken to Kensington Palace alongside a boy like her, Thomas. Trapped, Tempest and Thomas find their magic flickering to life and, with it, long-buried memories. For they are the lost prince and princess of Fairyland, bound by a deadly curse. But now the fairies are coming to get them, and with the truth revealed... can they both survive? The first in a sumptuous and enthralling new historical-fantasy adventure series from the bestselling author of The Cogheart Adventures. [Magic-Adventure-Historical-Fantasy](#) Age 9+

### 215. Magic's Most Wanted (Tyler Whitesides)

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Magic is closer than you ever thought possible in this madcap middle grade adventure perfect for fans of James Riley and Chris Grabenstein. For Mason Mortimer Morrison, life isn't so magical. His dad was just sent to jail, his grades have been plummeting from meh to yikes, and, oh yeah, two officers from some organization called Magix just showed up to arrest him in the middle of fourth period. Talk about bad luck. Mason knows he's innocent. But in order to clear his name, he's going to need the help of a plucky Magix junior detective and a cantankerous talking bunny-and a little bit of magic. [Adventure-Magic](#) Age 9+

### 216. Max Magic (Stephen Mulhern And Begona Fernandez Corbalan)

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ANYTHING IS POSSIBLE! Max Mullers loves doing magic tricks - his gran has taught him everything he knows! But his tricks aren't enough to keep Bottley the Bully off his back. Then a run-in with Bottley at his parents' market stall gets Max into even bigger trouble - now the notorious East End gangsters the Crayfish Twins are after him! If Max is going to get out of this one, he'll need A MIRACLE. Fortunately for Max, with magic . . . anything is possible! [Friendship-Family-Magic](#)

### 217. Me, My Brother And The Monster Meltdown (Rob Lloyd Jones)

\$14.99 ~~\$13.50~~

Comedy chaos breaks loose when two brothers' imaginary monsters come to life - in the supermarket! All the adults are freaking out. Giant monsters are smashing up supermarkets across the country. The army can't stop them and the prime minister is hiding in panic. A colossal six-headed gingerbread man, a massive emoji poo, a gigantic bouncing bum... Top scientists have no idea where they come from - or why they seem to hate supermarkets so much. But nine-year-old Otis has an idea. The creatures are exactly the same as drawings by his five-year-old brother, Jago: what if Jago brought his crazy creations to life with a magic pen? But their parents won't listen, so it's up to Otis and his pals to sort this monster mess out! [Humour-Adventure-Monsters](#) Age 7+

### 218. Meg And Merlin: Showing Off (Tanya Landman And Sonia Albert)

\$12.99 ~~\$11.70~~

When Meg and Merlin go to the local horse show they enter the Handy Pony class - a fun test of how well horse and rider work together. Meg is looking forward to it until stuck-up Sam Houseman - a girl from school - rides into the ring. Meg's day seems ruined. But then she discovers that people, like ponies, can sometimes be very surprising ... [Friendship-Horses-Horse Lovers-Dyslexic Friendly](#) Age 9+ [BARRINGTON STOKE](#)

### 219. Middle School #15: Middle School: Winter Blunderland (James Patterson)

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Sometimes middle school feels like a dangerous mission in the cold, unforgiving tundra. Sometimes it literally is. Will Rafe survive his most (frost)biting adventure yet? Things heat up at Hills Village Middle School when Rafe gets an invitation from Dr. Daria Deerwin to join a research study on polar bears. How many times in life do you get a chance to come face-to-face with a real polar bear in the wild? Rafe is ready to find out! Alaska is pinkie-freezing, hair-freezing, snot-freezing cold, but Rafe might be headed for a meltdown. He's spending every waking moment with Penelope, who he definitely has a crush on, and a polar bear Dr. Deerwin is tracking goes missing...with poachers on the tundra. It's up to Rafe, Penelope, and their new friends to save the day in Rafe's coolest adventure yet. [Humour-Adventure-Activism-Environmental Issues](#) For all books in this series type MIDDLE SCHOOL into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)



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### 220. Midwinter Burning (Tanya Landman)

\$17.99 \$16.20

Alfie Wright? Alfie Wrong, more like. Alfie has never really fitted in anywhere - he doesn't have any friends, and even his mum seems embarrassed of him. So when he's evacuated to a farm in rural Devon run by kind old Aunt Bell and her gentle giant of a son, Alfie can't believe his luck. The War seems a long way off, and among the cows and pigs and geese Alfie's happier than he's ever been - especially when he makes friends with one of the local boys, Snidge. But Snidge, for all his friendliness, is not all he appears. And the mystery that surrounds him seems to be connected to the Midwinter Burning, an annual ritual held at the Standing Stones, high up on the cliffs. Aunt Bell says it's all just a bit of harmless superstition, but when Snidge goes missing, Alfie finally discovers who his friend really is - and relives the true horror of the legend... [Historical-Time Slip](#) Age 9+

### 221. Ministry Of Unladylike Activity, The (Robin Stevens)

\$16.99 \$15.30

The start of a thrilling new mystery series from the number-one-bestselling, award-winning author of Murder Most Unladylike. Britain is at war, and a secret arm of the British government called the Ministry of Unladylike Activity is training up spies. And who better to become a spy than a child? A child can go places, see things and listen in on conversations in a way that no adult ever can. Enter May Wong and her friends. Trained up at the Ministry, they soon embark upon their first mission- masquerading as evacuees, they are sent to a wealthy manor house to spy on the owner, who is suspected of working for the enemy. And then the murder happens... [Historical-Mystery-World War 2-Spies](#) Age 10+

### 222. Mischief And Mayhem #2: Cursed Bunny Graphic Novel, The (Ken Lamug)

\$18.99 \$17.10

Missy already defeated her former best friend, the supervillain Melvira, in an epic showdown, so how hard can making friends at middle school be? But when a "reformed" Melvira suddenly enrolls at Missy's school and wants to run for student body president ... Missy knows in her gut that Melvira and her league of supervillains must be up to evil again. After food fights and catfights, Missy and Melvira land in detention together, where they're reminded of how great their friendship used to be. And maybe they could they be friends again-but that didn't go so well the first time ... Then a cursed bunny head begins to turn their town into zombies, and the two may have to team up once more to fight the greater evil. Can the former best friends turned archenemies still be true sisters-in-trouble? [Superheroes-Humour-Graphic Novel](#) Age 8+ For all books in this series type MISCHIEF AND MAYHEM into the search field at [www.pegiwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegiwilliams.com.au)

### 223. Misunderstandings Of Charity Brown, The (Elizabeth Laird)

\$16.99 \$15.30

Charity Brown's life is about to change - her family have been left a huge, rambling house by a mysterious benefactor, and her parents want to move in and throw open its doors to the needy. Only recently back from hospital after months of isolation with polio, Charity is over-protected and lonely as the only child still at home. Her family are very religious - her sisters are called Faith and Hope, and her brother Ted is studying to be a preacher - so she's both excited and nervous at the thought of sharing her family and new home with strangers. It's a recipe for confusion, joy and endless misunderstandings, including with the new neighbours, an Austrian family with a daughter just Charity's age . . . [Historical-Post WW2-Coming Of Age-Religion-Friendship-Empathy-Connection](#) Age 9+

### 224. Murder At Snowfall (Fleur Hitchcock)

\$16.99 \$15.30

When Lucas and Ruby find an abandoned trunk covered in snow, Lucas says there's bound to be a body inside. Ruby laughs but what if he's right? Nervously she starts to open it, and immediately wishes she hadn't. From that moment on, they're drawn into a thrilling mystery, one that they have to solve before the falling snow smothers all trace of wrongdoing.. [Mystery-Murder](#) Age 10+

### 225. Mystery Of The Missing Mum, The (Frances Moloney)

\$14.99 \$13.50

One day, Jake wakes up to a different world: his mum seems to have vanished into thin air! Whilst his Grandma's snoring in the kitchen and his older sister Rose is spending hours getting ready for school, it's down to Jake to start the search for his mum by making a list of places she might be: Tesco? The EU? Hospital? The Bahamas? [Mystery-Family-Humour-Anxiety](#) Age 9+

### 226. New Dragon City (Mari Mancusi)

\$18.99 \$17.10

No one predicted the dragon apocalypse. The dragons came suddenly and decimated the world as we knew it, including New York City. Now, three years later, Noah, his hardcore survivalist father, and a ragtag group of survivors are barely scraping by in this new reality. At least for the few months the dragons are hibernating, until it's no longer safe aboveground. Noah has seen the damage these creatures can do firsthand. When it comes to dragons: It's kill or be killed. But a chance encounter between Noah and a young dragon forces him to question everything he thought he knew. With rumours spreading that there's a group of survivors living in harmony with dragons instead of hiding underground, Noah teams up with his fire-breathing ally to find out if peace between humans and dragons is really possible. But the division runs deeper than scales versus skin because trying to follow his heart might just cost Noah his family too. If Noah and his father can't see eye-to-eye, can he really get humans and dragons to? [Action-Adventure-Survival-Dragons](#) Age 9+

### 227. No Place For Monsters (Kory Merritt)

\$18.99 \$17.10

Nothing is out of place in the quiet suburban town of Cowslip Grove. But kids have been going missing - and only Levi and Kat have noticed. It's up to them to save the missing kids before a hidden evil swallows the town whole. [Horror-Monsters](#) Age 8+

### 228. One Jar Of Magic (Corey Ann Haydu)

\$14.99 \$13.50

Magic is like a dream. Delightful. Terrifying. Unreal. Rose Alice Anders is Little Luck. Lucky to be born into the Anders family. Lucky to be just as special and magical as the most revered man in town-her father. The whole town has been waiting for Rose to turn twelve, when she can join them in their annual capturing of magic on New Year's Day and become the person she was born to be. But when that special day finally comes, Rose barely captures one tiny jar of magic. Now Rose's dad won't talk to her anymore and her friendships have gotten all twisted and wrong. So when Rose hears whispers that there are people who aren't meant for magic at all, she begins to wonder if that's who she belongs with. Maybe if she's away from all the magic, away from her dad telling her who she's meant to be, who she has to be, Rose can begin to piece together what's truly real in a world full of magic. [Family-Magic-Destiny-Secrets-Identity-Expectations-Parental Abuse](#) Age 11+

**229. One Kid's Trash (Jamie Sumner)**\$16.99 **\$15.30**

From the acclaimed author of Roll with It and Tune It Out comes a funny, moving, and "not to be missed" (Kirkus Reviews, starred review) middle grade novel about a boy who uses his unusual talent for decoding people's trash to try to fit in at his new school. Hugo is not happy about being dragged halfway across the state of Colorado just because his dad had a midlife crisis and decided to become a ski instructor. It'd be different if Hugo weren't so tiny, if girls didn't think he was adorable like a puppy in a purse and guys didn't call him "leprechaun" and rub his head for luck. But here he is, the tiny new kid on his first day of middle school. When his fellow students discover his remarkable talent for garbology, the science of studying trash to tell you anything you could ever want to know about a person, Hugo becomes the cool kid for the first time in his life. But what happens when it all goes to his head?

[New School-Fitting In-Acceptance-Kindness-Garbology](#) **Age 8+**

**230. Pages And Co #5: Treehouse Library, The (Anna James)**\$19.99 **\$15.99**

As Tilly and Milo hurtle towards their final showdown with the Alchemist, the stakes are higher than ever – though there is always time for hot chocolate! Milo Bolt is ready to be the hero of his own story. With Uncle Horatio trapped in an enchanted sleep by the power-hungry Alchemist, he sets off with his new friend Alessia to find a cure and save them all. Their journey leads them to the magical treehouse home of the Botanist, the Alchemist's arch-rival. Against the clock, they hunt for the cure, foraging in The Secret Garden, challenging Robin Hood and facing off against the Jabberwocky. But the Alchemist will stop at nothing to unlock the powerful secrets of The Book of Books, and Tilly, Pages & Co. and the whole world of imagination are under threat. As unexpected truths are revealed, a battle for the fate of bookwandering is set in motion . . . [Reading-Books-Mystery-Magic](#) **Age 9+** For all books in this series type PAGES AND CO into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

**231. Peanut Jones #2: Peanut Jones And The Twelve Portals (Rob Biddulph)**\$16.99 **\$15.30**

This second title in the funny, exciting adventure series for boys and girls of 8 to 12 fizzles with magic, danger, friendship and art. It is fully illustrated throughout by Rob, the creative genius behind #DrawWithRob. Some legends are born, some are drawn . . . Famous works of art are disappearing from all over the world. One moment they are there, the next, they have crumbled to dust. Peanut Jones and her friends suspect it might have something to do with the magical world of Chroma and the wicked Mr White's plot to wipe out colour, art and creativity. It's time to head back to the Illustrated City and help the resistance fight back. Praise for the first title in the series Peanut Jones and the Illustrated City: 'Peanut Jones is AWESOME. I loved this book from start to finish - the story is packed with twists and turns, and Rob's illustrations are full of wit and warmth [Humour-Adventure-Magic-Creativity-Friendship](#) **Age 9+** For all books in this series type PEANUT JONES into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

**232. Phoebe And Her Unicorn #15: Unicornado Graphic Novel (Dana Simpson)**\$19.99 **\$18.00**

A new school year means many things for nine-year-old Phoebe Howell and her unicorn best friend, Marigold Heavenly Nostrils. They prepare for a school dance (lame!), meet new friends (ghosts and gnomes and goblins, OH MY!), and even experience a rare supernatural phenomenon called a Unicornado! In fact, sometimes things get almost too magical. Marigold's presence attracts pixies, talking birds, and a sphinx, turning Phoebe's house into a magical sylvan glen. And Marigold even briefly transforms Phoebe into a goblin. Whether they're trick-or-treating, singing showtunes, or casting new spells, every day for Phoebe and Marigold is an adventure thanks to the power of friendship. [Graphic Novel-Unicorns-Friendship-Magic-School](#) **Age 7+** For all books in this series type PHOEBE AND HER UNICORN into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

**233. Resist (Tom Palmer)**\$14.99 **\$13.50**

As the brutal Second World War stretches on with no end in sight, life for ordinary Dutch people in the Nazi-occupied Netherlands is fraught with peril and hardship. There is very little to eat and the population lives under the constant threat of arrest and enslavement. After the murder of her beloved uncle and the capture of her brother by the Germans, Edda is determined to do anything she can to help the resistance fight back against their oppressors. But what can a teenage girl do and how much risk is she willing to take? Award-winning author Tom Palmer shines a light on the incredible work of the WWII Dutch resistance, in a story inspired by the childhood of Hollywood legend Audrey Hepburn. [World War 2-Nazi Occupation-Dutch Resistance-Dyslexic Friendly](#) **Age 10+**

**234. Ride On Graphic Novel (Faith Erin Hicks)**\$24.99 **\$22.50**

Victoria thought all she wanted in life was to ride, train, and study horses. But after all the pressure from competitions, and a falling out with her best friend Taylor, Victoria takes a step back from everything. She starts attending Edgewood Stables, a smaller riding facility, with the goal to renew her love for horses. But of course things could never be simple. At Edgewood Stables she is faced with the challenge of schooling a new horse named Quinn while dealing with the rocky personality of Norrie, the queen bee who is making everyone ignore Victoria. Things come to a head at the Waverly Stable's annual schooling show, where Victoria has to compete with Quinn and also face her ex-best friend! [Graphic Novel-Horses-Horse Riding-Competition-Friendship](#) **Age 10+**

**235. Running Out Of Time (Simon Fox)**\$16.99 **\$15.30**

Alex can steal time. The most he can take at the moment is fifteen seconds, which is not a lot. His grandmother took almost three minutes once, and she told him she's done more, but he never saw it. When Alex and his father are forced to flee their home to escape a brutal government, they begin a life-threatening journey across Europe. But when they are separated before they can reach Britain, Alex finds himself alone, with only his extraordinary gift to keep him alive. [Adventure-Thriller-Survival](#)

**236. Solve Your Own Mystery: Monster Maker, The (Gareth Jones And Louise Forshaw)**\$16.99 **\$15.30**

One puzzling mystery. Several slippery suspects. Endless possibilities! Welcome to Haventry, a town where the ordinary and extraordinary collide! With ghosts, werewolves and zombies living side by side, trouble is always brewing. And when a fiendish crime is committed, YOU are the detective in charge of the case. Dr Franklefin's precious Monster Maker has gone missing and there are lots of suspects! Along with your yeti partner, it's up to YOU to find the culprit. Should you trail Bramwell Stoker, the terrifying vampire, or Grundle and Grinola, the mischievous goblin twins? Should you follow up a lead about the cunning witches? Or will investigating the doctor's monstrous son Monty lead you to the thief? YOU decide! With hundreds of paths to choose from and no dead ends, you'll solve the mystery every time! [Interactive-Mystery](#) **Age 8+**



**237. Some Sunny Day (Adam Baron)**\$14.99 **\$13.50**

Cymbeline Igloo is BORED. Bored of home learning, bored of lockdown, bored of not being able to DO anything. And to make things even worse, his mum accidentally gave away his favourite football shirt. But then Mrs Stebbings, the beloved school cook, is taken into hospital, and suddenly coronavirus seems much closer to home. When Cym starts a project all about Mrs Stebbings' childhood in World War II, he can't know that it's the beginning of something incredible and even dangerous. Exploring the place where her street once stood, he finds a tent, a strange girl wearing HIS SHIRT, and a mystery that will change absolutely everything. Because the past is more present than Cymbeline can possibly know - and the most amazing thing is how much one small person can do RIGHT NOW... [Hope-Kindness-History-World War 2](#) Age 10+

**238. Space Band (Tom Fletcher)**\$22.99 **\$20.70**

George, Neila and Bash are the worst band on Earth. George wants them to be brilliant - but Neila has stage fright, and Bash is too distracted by his obsession with stars, aliens and faraway planets. But what they lack in talent and confidence, they make up for in heart. They're determined to blow their friends away at their school Battle of the Bands contest. But the moment they start to play... They're beamed up into space!!! Now the kids face an even bigger challenge: Battle of the Bands, but the intergalactic version. They're competing against alien bands from every galaxy! And if they don't win, they might never make it home again... Can the worst band on Earth become the best band in the universe? [Humour-Aliens-Music](#) Age 9+

**239. Space Blasters #1: Suzie Saves The Universe (Kate Tsang)**\$14.99 **\$13.50**

Save the universe in the awesome and hilarious new space-themed adventure series from bestselling authors Katie and Kevin Tsang! Suzie Wen LOVES gadgets and inventing things - but her inventions don't always turn out how she expects... And when Suzie invents the Super 3DTV Gizmo she ends up getting transported into her favourite TV show - Space Blasters! On board the space ship with Captain Jane, Spaceman Jack and alien with attitude Five-Eyed Frank, Suzie is soon exploring new planets - like the smelly Planet Cheddar - and meeting plenty of aliens. But when moons start disappearing, it's up to Suzie to save the universe. Can she put her inventing skills to use? And will she ever get home? [Humour-Space](#) Age 8+

**240. Spaceboy (David Walliams)**\$22.99 **\$18.39**

The 1960s. Ruth loves climbing trees, making a mess and throwing stones. But the thing she loves most is SPACE. The girl is OBSESSED. She spends her days reading comics about alien invasions, doodling UFOs, watching B-movies about Earth being invaded by creatures from Mars... and gazing at the stars through her old, battered telescope. Until one night, Ruth creeps out of bed in the attic room of her rickety old farmhouse to watch the stars - and is just dozing off when she spots something blazing across the sky. Something that looks like a flying saucer! Is she dreaming? No! And the flying saucer is on fire... But when the UFO crash-lands in the cornfield, and Ruth rushes to help, she finds a mystery - and an adventure - beyond her wildest dreams... [Adventure-Mystery-Humour](#) Age 8+

**241. Spooked #1: Theatre Ghosts, The (Steven Butler And Claire Powell)**\$14.99 **\$13.50**

Welcome to Cod's Bottom - the sleepy seaside town with a secret! Meet an unusual cast of ghosts in a laugh-out-loud new middle-grade series by the bestselling author of The Nothing to See Here Hotel. Perfect for fans of The Danger Gang and The Boy Who Grew Dragons. There's nothing out of the ordinary about ten-year-old Ella Griffin. Nothing at all... until she's forced to move to the seaside town of Cod's Bottom and everything changes. In search of adventure, Ella stumbles into an old abandoned theatre, but all is not as it seems. Because the theatre isn't empty, it's haunted by weird and wonderful ghosts, and they need her help to save them! [Ghosts-Ghost Stories-Spooky](#) Age 8+

**242. S.T.E.A.L.T.H #2: Ice Breaker (Jason Rohan)**\$16.99 **\$15.30**

When an armoured train with a top secret cargo is hijacked by terrorists in the Austrian Alps, and an avalanche cuts off all help, British Intelligence is forced to call on its youngest recruits to mount a dangerous rescue mission with the clock ticking down. Can Arun, Donna and Sam save the world and get back to school before anyone notices they've missed maths... again? Arun, Donna and Sam are ordinary school kids with an extraordinary secret. They are S.T.E.A.L.T.H., a crack team of agents in charge of the most cutting-edge piece of tech the world doesn't know exists: MANDROID. Always flying under the radar, they solve crimes, prevent disasters and rescue the innocent - and they STILL have to get their homework in on time! [Adventure-Action](#) Age 10+ For all books in this series type S.T.E.A.L.T.H into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

**243. Sunny #2: Swing It, Sunny Graphic Novel (Jennifer Holm And Matthew Holm)**\$18.99 **\$17.10**

When life's got you down, swing up! Summer's over, and it's time for Sunny Lewin to enter the strange and unfriendly hallways of... middle school. When Gramps calls her from Florida to ask how she's doing, she always tells him she's fine. But the truth is that Sunny is not having the best time. Not only is the whole middle school thing confusing, but life at home is confusing. Sunny misses her brother Dale, who's been sent away to boarding school. But when Dale comes back on vacation, Sunny still misses him... because he's changed. Luckily, Sunny's got her best friend and a mysterious new neighbour on her side. She is NOT going to let all the confusion get her down. [Graphic Novel-Friendship-Humour-Secrets-Communication-School-Halloween](#) Age 9+ For all books in this series type SUNNY into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

**244. Super Secret Diary Of Holly Hopkinson #3: Just A Touch Of Utter Chaos (Charlie P. Brooks)**\$14.99 **\$13.50**

These are the third memoirs Holly Hopkinson, aged ten - except without any of the rubbish adults usually put in, thank you very much. Welcome to volume III of my memoirs - with me, Holly Hopkinson, still in the middle of flipping nowhere, and still on the brink of MULTIPLE CATASTROPHES, like my parents announcing that we might be moving STATESIDE. Good thing my sister is still into organising protests, thank you very much. PLUS Mum is about to lose what little money we have left on a vegetable shop, there's been a biscuit-fight fiasco in the village and a family secret I uncovered means my suitcase is packed, my goodbyes are prepared - life is cruel at ten. But fear not because with the help of my Magic Pocket Watch I might get an ACTUAL FACTUAL ROCK STAR to play with my brother's band! Oh yes. The middle of nowhere, AKA Lower Goring, could be about to hit the news headlines again... [Family-Humour-Magic](#) Age 8+ For all books in this series type SUPER SECRET DIARY OF HOLLY HOPKINSON into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

### 245. Theodora Hendrix #3: Theodora Hendrix And The Snare Of The Shadowmongers (Jordan Kopy and Chris Jevons)

\$14.99 ~~\$13.50~~

Theodora, Sherman and Dexter are off to the Big Apple for the holidays, and they cannot wait! However, if Dracula and Mummy thought an overseas trip would keep Theodora safe from bad monsters with sinister intentions, they were wrong. For New York is teeming with Shadowmongers – sly, shadowy creatures controlled by the most sinister foe of all. A foe who wants nothing more than to see the Monstrous League of Monsters brought down ... and Theodora with it. [Fantasy-Magic-Monsters Age 8+](#) For all books in this series type [THEODORA HENDRIX](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

### 246. There's A Dog In My Brain #2: Dog Show Disaster (Caroline Green And Rikin Parekh)

\$14.99 ~~\$13.50~~

CAUTION: contains misbehaving mutts and lots of laughs... When Dudley the dog wishes he could eat all the cakes in the kitchen, he magically swaps bodies with his owner, ten-year-old Danny. Now Danny's the one who has to be on his best behaviour and Dudley's off the leash! But disaster awaits when both Danny and Dudley go up against ruthless dog trainer Rex Power and his perfect pooch, Princess Fenella at the local dog show... Second canine bodyswap caper featuring Danny - the boy trapped in a dog's body - and Dudley - the hapless dog who's hopeless at being human. [Humour-Animals Stories-Dogs-Adventure Age 7+](#) For all books in this series type [THERE'S A DOG IN MY BRAIN](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

### 247. Upside Down River #3: Upside Down River: Hannah's Journey (Jean-Claude Mourlevat)

\$14.99 ~~\$13.50~~

Hannah has lost almost everything she ever loved, apart from one beautiful songbird. But the bird seems to be dying. So Hannah sets out on an incredible adventure to find the magical upside down River Qjar, whose waters can give her beloved bird eternal life. She journeys across deserts and over dizzyingly high mountains, lives an entire lifetime in the blink of an eye, braves the terrifying Forest of Oblivion, and is mistaken for a long-lost princess. And along the way, Hannah meets Tomek, an ordinary boy who will follow her extraordinary quest... A sequel to Tomek's Journey, this modern classic is now available to read in English for the very first time. Translated by Ros Schwartz. [Fantasy-Adventure-Magic-Journey Age 9+](#) For all books in this series type [UPSIDE DOWN RIVER](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

### 248. Up To No Ghoul Graphic Novel (Cullen Bunn And Cat Farris)

\$22.99 ~~\$20.70~~

In this thrilling and spooky middle grade graphic novel companion to *The Ghoul Next Door* by New York Times bestselling author Cullen Bunn and Cat Ferris, Lavinia and Grey team up again to solve the town's mystery. Ever wake up in the middle of the night to awful nightmares about vampires When a mysterious blood bank rolls into town, Grey can't help but get an eerie feeling. Could it be linked to his nightmares about vampires After some investigating, Grey learns it's something more sinister than he could ever imagine . . . and there's only one creature who can help him-Lavinia Despite the fact they are forbidden to talk to one another again, this spooky mystery is bigger than any promises between the ghouls and humans. This fun, lightly spooky adventure is a good Halloween read but is also the perfect graphic novel read all year round. It's a wonderful escape from everyday life, providing readers with a good scare and plenty of laughter. [Graphic Novel-Friendship-Adventure-Supernatural-Spooky-Humour Age 9+](#)

### 249. Virtually Christmas (David Baddiel)

\$14.99 ~~\$13.50~~

The HILARIOUS new novel and the year's most perfect festive gift - from million-copy bestselling author David Baddiel It used to be the most WONDERFUL time of the year, but for years Christmas has been taken over by Winterzone. All the things that made Christmas special are gone: the human connection, the baubles passed down through generations, even the rubbish cracker jokes. Instead, Christmas is run by robots, while 3D holograms of Santa Claus called Santavatars check if you've been naughty or nice - and on Christmas Eve, all of the presents are delivered by ZoneDrones instead of Santa's reindeer! But when they stumble on a curious clue, eleven-year-old Etta and her friend Monty find themselves thrown into a fight to bring back Christmas. Racing against time and against the might of Winterzone, they must find the real Santa - before the true meaning of the festive season is lost forever . . .

### 250. Weird Kid (Greg Van Eekhout)

\$14.99 ~~\$13.50~~

Jake Wind is trying to stay under the radar. Whose radar Anyone who might be too interested in the fact that he has shapeshifting abilities he can't control. Or that his parents found him as a ball of goo when he was a baby. Keeping his powers in check is crucial, though, if he wants to live a normal life and go to middle school instead of being homeschooled (and if he wants to avoid being kidnapped and experimented on, of course). Things feel like they're going his way when he survives his first day of school without transforming and makes a new friend. But when mysterious sinkholes start popping up around town-sinkholes filled with the same extraterrestrial substance as Jake-and his neighbours, classmates, and even his family start acting a little, well, weird, Jake will have to learn to use his powers in order to save his town. [Humour-Action-Friendship-Identity-Shapeshifting Age 10+](#)

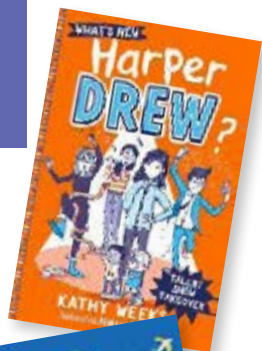
### 251. What Comes Next (Bob Buyea)

\$14.99 ~~\$13.50~~

From the beloved author of the MR. TERUPT series comes this stand-alone middle-grade novel about a girl who is dealing with the tragic loss of her best friend, and the dog that helps her forge new friendships and find happiness once again. Twelve-year-old Thea and her family are moving to a new town for a fresh start--her parents' bright idea. To Thea, it feels like running away. She lost her best friend, Charlie, in a tragic accident, and in the painful aftermath, she has gone mute. Her two younger sisters, however, are excited about moving, especially after their dad promises that the family will get a rescue puppy. This doesn't change Thea's mind, though, until Jack-Jack bounds into her life and makes it clear that he is no ordinary dog. As she bonds with Jack-Jack, and as the dog's mischievous ways steer her toward someone she can confide in, Thea opens up to the possibility of new friendships and forgiveness, and comes to believe in what cannot be fully explained. [Death/Bereavement-Grief-Loss-Traumatic Mutism-Friendship-Forgiveness-Dogs Age 10+](#)



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252. What's New Harper Drew #2: Talent Show Takeover (Kathy Weeks)

\$16.99 \$15.30

My name is Harper Drew. I wasn't sure I was going to carry on with this journal. I started it in the summer holidays to write down the mayhem happening around me. I thought it might have calmed down by now but I should have known better! For starters there is a snake on the loose in my neighbourhood - a 6ft Python called Betty to be exact, my dad's decided to re-tile the bathroom and NOBODY is allowed in there, and my older brother Troy seems to be constantly kitted out in expensive designer clothing. I'm the only one who has noticed he's acting shifty ... But I need to focus on organising a talent show to raise money for the local foodbank. It's going to be great ... apart from the fact Troy seems to care more about gaining more followers, aka his "DesTroyers" on his YouTube channel, than he does about helping me out. Can Harper find a way to show her brother that kindness is more important than being popular? [Family-Humour-Journal Age 8+](#) For all books in this series type WHAT'S NEW HARPER DREW into the search field at [www.pegiwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegiwilliams.com.au)



253. You Don't Know What War Is (Yeva Skalietska)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Everyone knows the word 'war'. But very few understand what it truly means. When you find you have to face it, you feel totally lost, walled in by fright and despair. Until you've been there, you don't know what war is. This is the gripping, urgent and moving diary of young Ukrainian refugee Yeva Skalietska. It follows twelve days in Ukraine that changed 12-year-old Yeva's life forever. She was woken in the early hours to the terrifying sounds of shelling. Russia had invaded Ukraine, and her beloved Kharkiv home was no longer the safe haven it should have been. It was while she and her granny were forced to seek shelter in a damp, cramped basement that Yeva decided to write down her story. And it is a story that the world needs to hear. Yeva captured the nation's heart when she was featured on Channel 4 News with her granny as they fled Ukraine for Dublin. In You Don't Know What War Is, Yeva records what is happening hour-by-hour as she seeks safety and travels from Kharkiv to Dublin. Each eye-opening diary entry is supplemented by personal photographs, excerpts of messages between Yeva and her friends and daily headlines from around the world, while three beautifully detailed maps (by Kharkiv-native Olga Shtonda) help the reader track Yeva and her granny's journey through Europe. You Don't Know What War Is is a powerful insight into what conflict is like through the eyes of a child and an essential read for adults and older children alike. [True Stories-Diary-War-Ukraine-Refugees Age 10+](#)

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254. 11 Words For Love (Randa Abdel-Fattah And Maxine Beneba Clarke)

\$24.99 \$22.50

There are eleven words for love, and my family knows them all. A family flees their homeland to find safety in another country, carrying little more than a suitcase full of love. As their journey unfolds, the oldest child narrates 11 meanings for love in Arabic as her family show, and are shown, all different kinds of love in their new home, and they also remember the love they have for their homeland and for those left behind or lost along the way. In the Arabic language, there are over 50 words describing the degrees of love. That's 50 stories, 50 life-worlds. This lyrical and heartwarming book takes you on a journey through 11 of these Arabic expressions for love. [Refugees-Home-Family-Loss-Arabic-Love](#)



255. Amazing Structures: Amazing Ancient Structures (Caroline Thomas)

\$28.99 \$26.10

From ancient fish traps to colossal amphitheatres come on a journey through some of the world's most ancient structures. Discover the secrets of Stonehenge and the treasures of the Pyramids then walk the Great Wall of China and meet the Terracotta Warriors. [Architecture-Buildings-Ancient Civilisations AUSTRALIAN](#)



256. Amazing Structures: Amazing Historic Structures (Caroline Thomas)

\$28.99 \$26.10

From the clifftop Quarantine Station to the most beautiful mausoleum in the world come on a journey through some of the world's most interesting historical structures. Discover the real story behind Transylvania's most famous castle then venture to the canal city of Amsterdam or visit Vatican City. [Architecture-Buildings AUSTRALIAN](#)



257. Amazing Structures: Amazing Modern Structures (Caroline Thomas)

\$28.99 \$26.10

From twisted towers to grassy rooftops come on a journey through some of the world's most inspired modern structures. Discover how sustainable design is shaping urban futures and how past events have reshaped design for our safety. Tour a futuristic city and discover a clever desert oasis. [Architecture-Buildings AUSTRALIAN](#)



258. Amazing Structures: Amazing Unusual Structures (Caroline Thomas)

\$28.99 \$26.10

Discover an egg-shaped building - or is it an illusion - a giant steel nest and a house with a waterfall falling right through its middle Explore some of the most unusual structures in the world then meet the architects that inspired these amazing creations. [Architecture-Buildings AUSTRALIAN](#)



259. Art Is Everywhere (Ellie Chan And Liv Bargman)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Art is everywhere. It's in our galleries, on our streets and even in our homes. Under the playful guidance of Keith, a world-renowned art historian (who also happens to be an ostrich), this book encourages young readers to use the basic tools of visual analysis when studying art, giving them the eyes to see art outside of the restrictions of a gallery. This book aims to show that art isn't always about classical paintings and knowing the right answers. It's about making up your own mind, seeing things from a different angle and - most importantly - having fun with it. With text by Professor Eleanor Chan, this is a joyful introduction to art history. [Art-Artists-Art History-Opinion](#)

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**260. Australia's Remarkable Wildlife: Koala (John Lesley)**

\$28.99 \$23.19

The cute and cuddly koala sleeps all day eats a very limited diet and is facing threats from many sources. Find out all about their way of life and the special adaptations that make gum tree forests their only habitat. **AUSTRALIAN** For all books in this series type **AUSTRALIA'S REMARKABLE WILDLIFE** into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

**261. Being You: A First Conversation About Gender (Megan Madison And Andy Passchier)**

\$24.99 \$22.50

A picture book edition of the bestselling board book about gender, offering adults the opportunity to begin important conversations with young children in an informed, safe, and supported way. A board book bestseller - now in picture book! Developed by experts in the fields of early childhood development and activism against injustice, this topic-driven book offers clear, concrete language and imagery to introduce the concept of gender. This book serves to normalize and celebrate the range of gender identities, preferences, and pronouns, and recognize the institutionalized ideas about gender that feminists are working to correct. While young children are avid observers and questioners of their world, adults often shut down or postpone conversations on complicated topics because it's hard to know where to begin. Research shows that talking about issues like race, gender, and our bodies from the age of two not only helps children understand what they see, but also increases self-awareness, self-esteem, and allows them to recognize and confront things that are unfair, like discrimination and prejudice. These books offer a supportive approach that considers both the child and the adult. Illustrative art accompanies the simple and interactive text, and the backmatter offers additional resources and ideas for extending this discussion. [Gender-Gender Identity](#)



**262. Big Book Of Exhibits, The (Joan-Maree Hargreaves And Liz Rowland)**

\$29.99 \$27.00

A curated cabinet of curiosities and collections from around the world. This gorgeously illustrated full-colour hardback is a cabinet of curiosities in its own right, showcasing a range of significant museums, collections and exhibits from Australia and around the world. From some of the oldest objects in the world, to an underwater museum in Mexico and a collection of the world's smallest books in Russia, this book includes over 50 exhibitions from past to present. It covers controversial exhibits, world-famous artefacts, surprising and unusual objects, playful and pretend museums made by artists, as well as some of the more weird and wonderful exhibits from private collectors. Covering a wide range of topics, from art, technology, the natural sciences, medicine, and the cultures of everyday life, this book is for readers aged 9+ with an interest in the weird and wonderful world around them. [History-Artefacts-Museums](#)



**263. Big Book Of Mysteries, The (Tom Adams And Yas Imamura)**

\$29.99 \$27.00

Does the Loch Ness monster really exist? What ever happened to the crew of the Mary Celeste? And where exactly are the Hanging Gardens of Babylon? Get ready to be amazed as you uncover the world's greatest mysteries, from Bigfoot to the Bermuda Triangle. Including alien abductions, haunted houses, mind-blowing natural phenomena and much more, this book will explain the extraordinary - unless the extraordinary can't be explained, of course. Then you'll just have to make up your own mind . . . With atmospheric artwork, compelling case studies and a seriously stand-out neon cover, this is a haunting collection of mysteries that you won't be able to put down. [Mysteries-Unexplained-Aliens-Ghosts-Bigfoot](#)



**264. Big Feelings And What They Tell Us (Rebekah Ballagh)**

\$29.99 \$27.00

Mikah feels so sad . . . Chloe's feeling angry . . . Charlie feels anxious . . . Feelings are messages from the heart! Big Feelings helps you to understand your emotions, how they make you feel and how you can manage them. Includes strategies and resources for parents, caregivers and teachers.



**265. Brilliant Minds: 30 Dyslexic Heroes Who Changed Our World (Shannon Meyerkort And Amy Blackwell)**

\$35.00 \$31.50

Did you know that some of the world's greatest minds struggled at school? Here are thirty people who may not have been top of their class but who have used their dyslexia to their advantage and changed the world for the better. Read about the ways that these record-breakers, game-changers and risk-takers managed their dyslexia, persevered through hardships and followed their passions to great success. Be inspired by people like Agatha Christie, Richard Branson, Jamie Oliver, Erin Brockovich, Muhammad Ali and Steven Spielberg. This book is an empowering reminder for all kids struggling at school that they can achieve great things with their brilliant minds. [Famous People-Biography-Dyslexia-Perseverance-Determination](#)



**266. Celebrate With Me! Recipes, Crafts And Holiday Fun (Laura Gladwin And Dawn M Cardona)**

\$42.99 \$38.70

Come celebrate at the table of artists, designers and chefs with this book as you hear the stories, eat the food and make crafts with chefs, artists and designers from around the world. This joy-filled collection of recipes, crafts, stories and games celebrates festivals and holidays all around the world. Celebrations happen in many different ways. Have you ever decorated a tree at solstice, cooked dumplings for Mother's Day or made a paper dragons for Lunar New Year? A book to help us learn about other cultures, connect with the passing seasons and bring meaning to the year. [Multicultural-Celebrations-Culture-Festivals](#)



**267. Come Together: Things Every Aussie Kid Should Know (Isaiah Firebrace And Jaelyn Biunaiwai)**

\$24.99 \$22.50

Come Together is a heart-warming, debut picture book for children aged 5 and up from pop artist Isaiah Firebrace, inspired by his petition to the Australian Government calling for Aboriginal history to be taught in every classroom. In this essential book, Isaiah, a Yorta Yorta and Gunditjmarra man, establishes a foundation of First Nations knowledge with 20 key topics. Alongside bright and contemporary illustrations by Mununjali and Fijian artist Jaelyn Biunaiwai, Isaiah connects us to each topic through his own personal story and culture, from the importance of Elders to the Dreaming. At once accessible and engaging, Come Together will make every Aussie kid proud that we are home to the longest continuing culture on Earth! [Aboriginal Studies-First Nations-First Nations People-Culture-Australian History](#)





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268. Eco-Crafts: 40 Fun Earth-Friendly Projects (Marcy Morin)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Wait Don't toss that milk jug or cardboard cup into the recycling bin yet And hang on to those old jeans shrunken sweaters and stained T-shirts. Give cardboard paper plastic and clothing completely new uses as you make one-of-a-kind eco-creations with 40 fun ideas. A pet bed party pinata suncatcher and more crafts are just a snip fold or stitch away-- [Art/Craft-Recycling](#)

269. Everyday Play (Kate Ritchie)

\$27.99 \$25.20

"There is so much to do every day, but there's always room to play. Kate Ritchie has created the ultimate collection of recipes, activities and ideas for families. By celebrating the wonder of nature, the power of creativity and the pure joy of playing together, this book shows how easy it is to make every day feel a little extraordinary. Why don't you . . . Cook the best-ever brownies, perfectly scrambled eggs or the ultimate cheese toastie? Make a paper plane, a comic or a spooky Halloween costume? Create the perfect day at the beach, a book club with friends and a garden from scratch? [Cookbook-Cooking-Art/Craft-Imagination-Play-Nature](#)

270. Explore Your World: Creepiest Crawly Critters

(Tim Flannery And Jessie Willow Tucker)

\$34.99 \$31.50

Get ready to get up close and personal with the creepiest crawly critters with real-life explorer and scientist, Professor Tim Flannery. You may think you know all that's around you, but look closer and dig deeper –you'll discover a cast of the scariest (but very cool!) background characters in your life. Why would a millipede glow in the dark? How much is a litre of scorpion venom worth? Why would a male redback sacrifice himself? How many mites live on your body? Which creepy crawly lives on the moon? It's time to face your fears – you're about to find out! From the authors of the best-selling Explore Your World series comes a brand-new compendium to enthrall and enlighten readers. Each page is packed with vibrant illustrations and bursting with bizarre facts about the most terrifying yet amazing little creatures living around you (or maybe even on you!) – prepare to gasp, laugh and squirm in disgust! [Insects-Minibeasts-Bugs AUSTRALIAN](#)

271. Girl Who Drew Butterflies, The (Joyce Sidman)

\$19.99 \$18.00

In this beautiful nonfiction biography, a Robert F. Sibert Medal winner, the Newbery Honor-winning author Joyce Sidman introduces readers to one of the first female entomologists and a woman who flouted convention in the pursuit of knowledge and her passion for insects. One of the first naturalists to observe live insects directly, Maria Sibylla Merian was also one of the first to document the metamorphosis of the butterfly. Richly illustrated throughout with full-color original paintings by Merian herself, The Girl Who Drew Butterflies will enthrall young scientists. Bugs, of all kinds, were considered to be "born of mud" and to be "beasts of the devil." Why would anyone, let alone a girl, want to study and observe them The Girl Who Drew Butterflies answers this question. [Famous People-Famous Women-Biography-STEM-Science-Entomologist-Naturalist-Scientific Illustrator-Butterflies-Lifecycles-Maria Sibylla Merian](#)

272. Globetrotters: Singapore (Jane Hunchey)

\$28.99 \$23.19

Let's go Globetrotters This exciting series takes students around the world country by country. Inside each book you'll find maps statistics fun facts and photographs as well as current information on the people culture and landscape of each country. [Asian Studies-Singapore-Asia-Culture AUSTRALIAN](#) For all books in this series type [GLOBETROTTERS](#) into the search field at [www.pigiwilliams.com.au](http://www.pigiwilliams.com.au)

273. Globetrotters: Thailand (Jane Hunchey)

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Let's go Globetrotters This exciting series takes students around the world country by country. Inside each book you'll find maps statistics fun facts and photographs as well as current information on the people culture and landscape of each country. [Asian Studies-Thailand-Asia-Culture AUSTRALIAN](#)

274. Globetrotters: Vietnam (Jane Hunchey)

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275. Greek Myths For Little Children (Rosie Dickens And Sara Ugolotti)

\$24.99 \$22.50

A beautifully illustrated story collection, perfect for reading aloud. Five famous Greek myths, specially selected and retold for younger children. Meet foolish King Midas, the wise goddess Athena and the musician Arion, find out what was inside Pandora's box and discover how the hero Heracles cleaned some VERY smelly stables. [Myths and Legends-Greek Myths](#)

276. If Tigers Disappeared (Lily Williams)

\$32.99 \$29.70

Deep in the Biligirangana Hills in India, a fierce creature roams. This landscape is home to animals that are slithery smart hidden and ... LOUD like the roar of a tiger. There are nine subspecies of tigers, but three are now extinct. They all play a very important role in keeping nature in balance. But, due to expanding human populations, poaching, and more, they're in danger. What would happen if tigers disappeared completely? Join Lily Williams as she tracks the devastating reality of what our world might look like without tigers. [Endangered Animals-Endangered Species-Tigers-Habitats-Ecosystems](#)

277. Lifesize Baby Animals (Sophy Henn)

\$16.99 \$15.30

Let's go on a LIFESIZE adventure! Step into the book and see how you measure up against some of the world's most amazing BABY animals. Go eye to eye with a baby blue whale, snuggle up with some red panda cubs and open the FOLD-OUT PAGES to discover a LIFESIZE baby African elephant! This interactive non-fiction adventure features LIFESIZE illustrations of some of the smallest and largest baby animals in the world and invites children to think about how they compare with these amazing creatures. [Animals-Size-STEM](#)

### 278. Little People, Big Dreams: Anna Pavlova (Isabella Sanchez Vegara And Sue Downing)

\$19.99 ~~\$18.00~~

In this book from the critically acclaimed, multimillion-copy bestselling Little People, BIG DREAMS series, discover the true story of Anna Pavlova. Little Anna fell in love with ballet after watching a performance with her mother. At the age of just nine-years-old, she auditioned for the famous Imperial Ballet! But... she was rejected. The set-back didn't stop Anna - she auditioned again a year later and was accepted into the company. Although ballet was her passion, it didn't always come easily to her, and she worked fiercely to become the best. After her training was complete, she performed across Russia and later formed her own company with which she toured the world. The story of Anna Pavlova, one of the greatest dancers to have ever lived, teaches us that with hard work, our talents can take us wherever we want to go. This inspiring book features stylish and quirky illustrations and extra facts at the back, including a biographical timeline with historical photos and a detailed profile of the star's life. [Biography-Famous People-Famous Women-Ballet-Ballerina](#) For all books in this series type [LITTLE PEOPLE, BIG DREAMS](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)

### 279. Little People, Big Dreams: Dwayne Johnson (Isabella Sanchez Vegara And Lirios Bou)

\$19.99 ~~\$18.00~~

Born into a family of Samoan and Black wrestlers, little Dwayne travelled with his parents and watched his family fight in the ring. Although, he much preferred the football field to wrestling! He trained hard and worked to become a football player, signing with the Calgary Stampeders as a linebacker. But he was cut from the team after just two months. A natural athlete, Dwayne decided to follow in the footsteps of his father and grandfather and decided to pursue professional wrestling. Taking on the persona of 'The Rock' as a wrestler in the WWE, he won 16 championships and millions of fans. After a huge wrestling career, he tried his hand at acting... and today is one of the biggest film stars that Hollywood has ever seen! [Famous People-Biography-Wrestling-WWE-Athlete-Actor](#)

### 280. Little People, Big Dreams: Marcus Rashford (Isabella Sanchez Vegara And Guilherme Karsten)

\$19.99 ~~\$18.00~~

When Marcus was a kid, he had a family that loved him and a talent for football. His mum, Melanie, worked long hours to provide for her family, but sometimes she would go without food herself to make sure that her children had enough to eat. With his mum's support, Marcus pursued his dreams and progressed through the youth academy at Manchester United Football Club. He worked hard and trained for years to reach the top of the game, making his debut in the Premier League in 2016. But no matter how successful he became, he never forgot where he came from and his experience as a hungry child. When schools were closed during the Coronavirus pandemic of 2020, the situation left schoolchildren without free meals that they would have had. And so Marcus took it upon himself to lead a nation-wide campaign to ensure that no child would go without food.

### 281. Little People, Big Dreams: Queen Elizabeth (Isabella Sanchez Vegara And Melissa Lee Johnson)

\$19.99 ~~\$18.00~~

In this book from the critically acclaimed Little People, BIG DREAMS series, discover the life of Queen Elizabeth II, the longest reigning monarch of modern times. [Biography-Famous People-Famous Women-Royalty-Monarchs-Queens-England](#)

### 282. Little People, Big Dreams: Terry Fox (Isabella Sanchez Vegara And T Connor)

\$19.99 ~~\$18.00~~

Meet Terry Fox, the brave young man who would not give up in his quest to give other cancer sufferers hope, despite all odds. Part of the beloved Little People, BIG DREAMS series, this inspiring and informative little biography follows the courageous life of Terry, who despite being diagnosed with cancer at age 17 and later losing a leg to the disease, was determined to do something special. A massive sports fan all his life, Terry decided he would run an epic marathon across Canada, aiming to raise \$ 1 for every person in the country. After 143 days of continuous running (Terry ran the equivalent of one marathon a day in his journey) he had to stop running due to then effects of his cancer. Although he died nine months later, he left behind a huge legacy - the annual Terry Fox Run is still a global event and \$750 million has been raised for cancer research in his name. This moving book features stylish and quirky illustrations and extra facts at the back, including a biographical timeline with historical images and a detailed profile of this brave young man's life. [Biography-Famous People-Humanitarian-Cancer-Cancer Research Activist-Amputee-Determination-Courage](#)

### 283. Mathematics For Beginners (Compilation)

\$19.99 ~~\$18.00~~

Explore the many ways maths can help make sense out of life. Can maths make people rich on the stock market? Can formulas to predict which sports teams will win more games? Can equations explain the mysteries of the universe? The short answer to all these is YES. This book explores and explains the ways that the tools of mathematics help people to make sense of the world around them, to predict the future and, just maybe, how to make life itself better. [STEM-Maths](#)

### 284. Muddy Chef, The (Penny Whitehouse)

\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

This is a recipe book, but instead of food you'll find unlickable lasagna, mud and seed cupcakes and nature's nachos! Nature play and mud kitchens are fun and a great way for kids to get creative outdoors. The Muddy Chef embraces the switch from screen-time to green-time, with outdoor play and mud kitchens being accessible to everyone with a bit of outdoor space, dirt and water. [Nature Play-Imagination](#)

### 285. National Geographic Kids: Everything Dogs: Canine Facts, Photos And Fun To G (Compilation)

\$16.99 ~~\$15.30~~

Full of facts for every young dog lover Playful pups, furry friends, cute companions! It's time to learn everything about dogs. Packed with facts and photos, it's ideal for kids who want to learn about different breeds, brush up on their doggy communication skills and anyone who simply loves all things canine! [Dogs](#) For all books in this series type [NATIONAL GEORGAPHIC KIDS](#) into the search field at [www.pegwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegwilliams.com.au)



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**286. National Geographic Kids: Fact For Every Day Of The Year, A (Compilation)**

\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

The perfect gift to entertain kids all year round! Be amazed and astounded with a new fact every single day of the year. With 365 fascinating facts on everything from animals and nature to science, space, the world and more. Did you know that red-eyed tree frogs have three eyelids? That candy floss was actually invented by a dentist? Or that on the 4th November 1922, Ancient Egypt's most famous pharaoh was discovered? You'll find a perfect mix of random trivia and 'on this day' facts, plus tons of colourful photos to entertain all year round. [Facts-General Knowledge](#)

**287. National Geographic Kids: Top Tens: 150 Fun And Fact-Filled Lists (Compilation)**

\$19.99 ~~\$18.00~~

Get ready for a whole bunch of fascinating facts and staggering stats! Bursting with 150 fun and fact-filled lists about animals, space, the world, history, technology and lots more. Explore the top ten coolest caves. Reach new heights with the world's tallest buildings. Discover the cutest critters on planet earth. Marvel at the cleverest computers ever made [Facts-General Knowledge](#)

**288. Passionate About Penguins (Owen Davey)**

\$29.99 ~~\$27.00~~

Did you know that penguins can hold their breath for over half an hour? Or that they can swim four times faster than an Olympic swimmer? And they don't just live in icy Antarctica! You can find them on sandy beaches in South Africa and other more tropical locations too. Dive into this fascinating illustrated guide to our feathered friends, the penguins. From the tiny fairy penguin that is no bigger than a ruler, to the emperor penguin that is over a metre tall, find out where they live, what they eat and how we can protect them. [Penguins-Habitats-Environmental Issues](#)

**289. Science Inquiry: How Do Pushes And Pulls Affect Motion? (Lisa Bolt Simons)**

\$16.99 ~~\$15.30~~

You push your friend while they swing. You pull open a door. What happens when you push or pull an object? Let's investigate pushing and pulling forces [STEM-Science Age 8+](#)

**290. Science Inquiry: How Do We Classify Materials? (Yvonne Pearson)**

\$16.99 ~~\$15.30~~

Scientists put things into groups so they are easier to study. Materials have different properties. What are they, and how they are grouped? Let's investigate materials! [STEM-Science Age 8+](#)

**291. Science Inquiry: How Do We Use Light? (Emily Rajj)**

\$16.99 ~~\$15.30~~

Light is all around us. What is light? Where does it come from? How does it help us see? Readers investigate and read straightforward text accompanied by vibrant photos to learn all about light. [STEM-Science-Light Age 8+](#)

**292. Science Inquiry: How Is Sound Made? (Yvonne Pearson)**

\$16.99 ~~\$15.30~~

Sounds can be loud. Sounds can be soft. We use our ears to hear all kinds of sounds. But how is sound made? Let's investigate to find out about sound. [STEM-Science-Sound Age 8+](#)

**293. Social Media Survival Guide (Compilation)**

\$14.99 ~~\$13.50~~

Managing life, relationships and mental health on any social media platform. Empower your kids to stay safe online with this fun, comprehensive guide for kids aged 10+. Packed with entertaining illustrations alongside practical information, the Social Media Survival Guide answers questions about all aspects of social media - the good AND the bad - making it a must-have tool for young people (and parents) to help navigate the online world safely and confidently and learn the best approaches to taking care of themselves. Content includes:- In-depth coverage of a range of important and difficult issues young people face including: body image, appearance-enhancing filters, influencers, sexual content and mental health- Uses recognisable themes rather than platform specifics, making the content relevant long-term- Tips on how to set up accounts safely and best manage privacy and messaging settings- Addressing your persona, online reputation, and relationships- Understanding fake news and information- How to handle online bullying, as well as avoiding trolls- Also includes links to professionally approved websites with more advice and support- Expert advice from children's online charity, Childnet International [Social Media-Digital Citizenship-Mental Health-Body Image-Online Safety Age 10+](#)

**294. Stories To Read Aloud (Felicity Brooks And Richard Johnson)**

\$19.99 ~~\$18.00~~

A classic collection of fairy tales with captivating illustrations. Perfect for storytime, this collection of ten traditional and much-loved stories includes The Princess and the Pea, Jack and the Beanstalk, Goldilocks and the Three Bears and Little Red Riding Hood. Beautifully designed pages with Richard Johnson's enchanting illustrations bring each tale to life. Includes an introduction to the stories and notes on where they came from. [Fairytales-Short Stories](#)

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A captivating story of the remarkable, but critically endangered, swift parrot — one of the fastest parrots in the world! Swifty grows from a hatchling to a fledgling in the blue-gum forests of Tasmania. She is then ready to make a challenging migration, following the blossom trail across Bass Strait to mainland south-eastern Australia. Swifty faces many threats and dangers, but she must return home. Will she make it? Fly with Swifty in this beautifully illustrated story, and learn how to spot a swift parrot and help protect them. [Australian Birds-Migration-Endangered Species-Conservation-Narrative Non Fiction Age 6+](#)

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[Magic Tricks-Illusions](#) AUSTRALIAN

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The No.1 football series - over 1 million copies sold! This is the story of Declan Rice, the young midfield destroyer for West Ham United and the England national team. Discover how the player who was released by Chelsea's youth academy didn't let that get in the way of his dreams; of one day representing his nation. Discover how the two-footed, high energy pressing, combative midfielder, decided to represent England over Republic of Ireland and proved his skill at the highest level, becoming a West Ham hero and a star for his country. Ultimate Football Heroes is a series of biographies telling the life stories of the biggest and best footballers in the world and their incredible journeys from childhood fan to superstar professional player. Written in fast-paced, action-packed style these books are perfect for all the family to collect and share. [Sport-Football-Soccer-Biography](#) For all books in this series type [ULTIMATE FOOTBALL HEROES](#) into the search field at [www.pegiwilliams.com.au](http://www.pegiwilliams.com.au)

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The No.1 football series - over 1 million copies sold! Gareth Southgate was once just a boy with a big England dream. But he knew he couldn't get there without hard work. He trained every day, honed his defensive qualities and quickly became a formidable centre-back for club and country. He went on to guide Middlesbrough, as captain, to a first major trophy in 128 years! His leadership qualities as a player would transform him into a manager. Discover how Southgate put the penalty pain of Euro 96 behind him and inspired the Three Lions through his kindness, tactical rigour and positive mindset, to their first ever the UEFA Euro final. [Sport-Football-Soccer-Biography](#)

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What do you call an Englishman at the Qatar 2022 World Cup final? A referee! From the No.1 bestselling football series comes the Ultimate Football Heroes Joke Book - just in time for the summer! The UFH Joke book is here and it's the ultimate collection of the funniest footy puns and gags, one-liners and anecdotes you're ever likely to find. Whether young readers wish to impress their friends with the silliest football jokes or try their luck on an unsuspecting adult, this joke book is the perfect past time to share with all your family & friends. [Joke Books-Sport-Soccer-Football](#)

302. **We Are All Neighbours (Alexandra Penfold And Suzanne Kaufman)**

\$24.99 \$22.50

Let's go walking down our street. Friends and neighbours here to greet. Oh so many folks to meet. We are all neighbours here. Welcome to a neighbourhood where everyone is welcome. A neighbourhood where children of every culture play together, sharing food and laughter, and learning from each other's traditions. A neighbourhood where diversity is a strength. From the creators of the no.1 New York Times bestselling All Are Welcome comes a triumphant picture book that celebrates diversity, kindness and the power of community. Here, we are ALL neighbours! [Community-Diversity-Belonging-Kindness](#)

303. **What Do You Think? (Matthew Syed)**

\$22.99 \$20.70

The third children's book by bestselling mindset author and two-time Olympian, Matthew Syed will help readers to find their voice, flex their social superpowers, and speak up with kindness and confidence. What if you could disagree with someone without it turning into the argument of the century? I'm here to tell you that it can be done. If you are the kind of person who... -Avoids disagreements because you don't want to fall out -Gets too embarrassed to say that you've changed your mind -Feels so overwhelmed that you don't know what to think...then this book is for you. What do YOU think? will help young readers to discover what is influencing their ideas, from peer pressure to fake news. They'll learn how to form and change opinions, and how to debate their views with empathy. Readers will see how debates and disagreements can give you new ideas, stronger friendships, and help change the world for the better. I know you have loads of incredible thoughts and ideas and the world deserves to hear your voice. I want to know... what do you think? [Communication-Critical Thinking-Opinion](#) Age 9+

304. **Where In The World Are You? (Marie G Rohde)**

\$27.99 \$25.20

Where are you in the world? Can you imagine what your home would look like if you saw it from above and zoomed out further, and further, and further...? Join the mischievous pet cat on a journey of discovery that encourages young readers to think about their place in the world. Inspired by the feeling of being trapped inside and imagining the world beyond during the worldwide lockdowns, this enjoyable picture book reminds us that even when we are apart, we are all connected. The world keeps turning, a cat keeps purring and children will find their happy place in the world. Age 5+ [Perspective-Geography-Place](#)



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### 305. Why Is The Sky Blue? (Dorling Kindersley)

\$32.99 \$29.70

This enthralling early encyclopedia answers more than 200 questions that children ask about science. This revised edition of DK's science encyclopedia answers children's biggest questions about scientific exploration, covering forces and energy, materials, the human body, the living world, and our planet. Why does chocolate melt? Where does wind come from? How do we know dinosaurs existed? This fully-updated, fact-packed kids' book, ideal for ages 7-9, answers all kinds of questions children have about how the world works, and some they hadn't thought of! Divided into chapters, it covers all aspects of science, from animals, plants, and the human body to forces and magnets, light, sound, and space. Each page asks a new question, and answers it with clear, simple text alongside amazing pictures, providing engaging information to help kids understand all the basics about biology, chemistry, and physics. DK's Do you know about Science is the ideal science book to spark curiosity and amaze any child interested in the world of scientific discovery. [General Knowledge-Science-STEM-Encyclopedia Age 7+](#)

### 306. Wonderful Wasps (Katrina Germein And Suzanne Houghton)

\$24.99 \$22.50

What do you know about wasps? There are wasps that shimmer in shades of bright blue and green. There are some without wings — and some almost too tiny to see. Some capture spiders, while others nest in fruit or mud. With over 12 000 species found in Australia, Wonderful Wasps brings the beauty and importance of native wasps to life, and reminds us every creature matters in its own wonderful way. [Insects-Minibeasts-Bugs-Wasps-Australian Native Wasps-Pollination-Ecosystems AUSTRALIAN](#)

### 307. Wonders Under The Sun: Collection Of Daytime Creatures (Tai Snaith)

\$29.99 \$27.00

Some animals are part of a Gangly Gang whilst others belong to the Woolly Wanderers; there are also Legless Legends, Spotted Bottoms and Magic Mimics. These are just a few of the quirky groupings artist Tai Snaith uses to categorise over 270 of her favourite diurnal animals from around the world. Each animal is drawn to scale and uses people and body parts as comparison. The Arctic bumblebee is the width of an eye, the sulphur-crested cockatoo is the length of an arm, and the wild yak is taller than a basketball player! Including facts and information about the curious creatures found within, Wonders Under the Sun is a delightfully illustrated field guide for all the aspiring explorers, artists, environmentalist and taxonomists. [AUSTRALIAN](#)

### 308. Yes! No! A First Conversation About Consent (Megan Madison And Isabel Roxas)

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A picture book edition of the bestselling board book about consent, offering adults the opportunity to begin important conversations with young children in an informed, safe, and supported way. A board book bestseller - now in picture book! Developed by experts in the fields of early childhood development and activism against injustice, this topic-driven book offers clear, concrete language and imagery to introduce the concept of consent. This book serves to normalize and celebrate the experience of asking for and being asked for permission to do something involving one's body. It centers on respect for bodily autonomy, and reviews the many ways that one can say or indicate "No." While young children are avid observers and questioners of their world, adults often shut down or postpone conversations on complicated topics because it's hard to know where to begin. Research shows that talking about issues like race, gender, and our bodies from the age of two not only helps children understand what they see, but also increases self-awareness, self-esteem, and allows them to recognize and confront things that are unfair, like discrimination and prejudice. These books offer a supportive approach that considers both the child and the adult. Illustrative art accompanies the simple and interactive text, and the backmatter offers additional resources and ideas for extending this discussion. [Protective Behaviour-Consent-Boundaries](#)

## CHRISTMAS

### 309. Chaos Before Christmas, The

\$15.99 \$14.40

Elroy McChristmas and his friends are about to sit their final test before Santa decides the best job for each elf. But when it's time to show off their skills, the classroom erupts into chaos! Can Elroy and his classmates restore calm before Santa arrives? With the rhyming style of Clement C. Moore's classic A Night Before Christmas, this timeless tale will take you on a thrilling adventure to Elf School.

### 310. Colin The Christmas Meat Pie (Colin Buchana And Carla Martell)

\$17.99 \$16.20

You'll see him at the footy game or at a family dinner. He's a tasty pastry classic, a chunky lunchtime winner. But when it came to Christmas, Colin gave a sigh, For nobody at Christmas wanted Colin the Meat Pie. It's Christmas Eve, and nobody needs a meat pie. Or do they? It's up to Colin the Meat Pie to save Christmas for Santa and the elves! [Christmas-Humour](#)

### 311. Father Christmas And The Three Bears (Lou Peacock And Margarita Kukhtina)

\$19.99 \$15.99

It's Christmas Eve and Father Christmas has fallen asleep at the Three Bears' cottage but NOTHING will wake him. It's up to Baby Bear and the Fairy-Tale Rescue Rangers to deliver the last presents so EVERY child gets a gift. But how will they cross the Roaring Rushing River, navigate the Deepest Darkest Wood and get past the Most Monstrous Mountain . . . all before the children wake up on Christmas morning?

### 312. Jingle Belly

\$14.99 \$13.50

Eddie is a Wonder Dog — this is absolutely true, but Eddie likes to make a mess and he's pretty naughty too! When Eddie gets loose on Christmas Eve, there's no telling what kind of mischief he'll get up to. Can he be caught before he ruins everyone's Christmas or will he surprise everyone with a very special Christmas treat?

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### 313. Kid Christmas Of The Claus Brothers Toy Shop (David Litchfield)

\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

This charming tale tells the story of little Nicky Claus, who wanted to make every child happy, just for one day. Nicky Claus works with his three uncles in the Claus Brothers Toy Emporium. Uncle Hanz makes the toys, Uncle Louis checks them and Uncle Levi adds the... what's the scientific term for it? Ah, yes. The magic! For each toy made at the Emporium has a special sparkle that means it will find the child it is perfect for. One day, Nicky notices a young girl with her face pressed up to the glass. When she disappears, he follows her and finds her living on the streets with lots of other children, none of whom can afford a toy. Nicky vows that for one night only, every child will have the toy of their dreams and - with the help of his uncles and some flying reindeer - the legend of Father Christmas is born. [Christmas-Christmas Spirit-Father Christmas-Homelessness-Kindness-Generosity](#)

### 314. Santa Mouse Makes A Christmas Wish

\$12.99 ~~\$11.70~~

Life at the North Pole is exciting and different for Santa Mouse, who has become Santa's littlest helper. Santa Mouse is full of Christmas joy, so he can't wait to find out the best way to help the others at Santa's workshop. First, he tries his paws at toy making with the elves, but it's not quite right. Then he joins the present wrapping station, but it's still not a good fit. Can Santa Mouse find his true calling?

### 315. Snowman And The Snowdog

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The Snowman flies again in this follow-up to the much-loved Christmas classic - now celebrating its 10th anniversary! Billy and his mum have moved into a new house just before Christmas, but Billy isn't very full of festive cheer, as his beloved old dog has passed away. So when the snow falls and Billy starts to build a Snowman, he knows exactly what to do - he builds a Snowdog too! Then, later that night, something magical happens... and Billy embarks on the most wonderful snowy adventure.

### 316. Swallow In Winter (Timothee De Fombell and Thomas Campi)

\$24.99 ~~\$22.50~~

On a quiet Christmas night, a swallow takes flight from Africa, searching for something it cannot quite name. A disenchanted driver sits alone in his yellow truck, yearning to be home. And a man walks through the snowy streets, feeling utterly alone. But when the three destinies meet, it seems their search for hope, belonging and kindness has finally ended. An atmospheric and heart-warming story, perfect for this very special time of year. 64 pages [Hope-Humanity-Loneliness-Immigration-Companionship-Kindness-Belonging-Christmas](#)

### 317. Through The North Pole Snow (Polly Faber And Richard Jones)

\$27.99 ~~\$25.20~~

A beautiful gift picture book about a little white Arctic fox meeting Father Christmas, charmingly illustrated by Richard Jones. On a cold winter night a little fox burrows deep in the snow looking for something to eat and a place to rest. She finds herself falling down into a warm, cosy house and meeting a kind old man with a great round belly and a fox-white beard. As the months pass she helps him collect letters and make toys until Christmas Eve, when she is taken on a snowy, moonlit journey across the world and discovers who her new friend really is. This tender story of friendship brings home the true meaning of Christmas. [Christmas-Father Christmas](#)

### 318. Twelve Cats Of Christmas, The (Feather Flores And Carrie Liao)

\$29.99 ~~\$23.99~~

On the fourth day of Christmas, my true love gave me cats: FOUR on the gifts, THREE dressed up, TWO batting bows, and a kitten under the tree. From chasing ribbons and shredding paper to cuddling by the fire and climbing the Christmas tree (uh-oh), the sweet and mischievous kitties of this take on the classic 'Twelve Days of Christmas' carol teach readers of all ages to celebrate the holiday season in feline fashion. With festive illustrations and text that invites readers to read it (or sing it!) aloud, this charming Christmas picture book is guaranteed to delight any cat lover. These cute cats will steal your heart - and your cookies for Santa! [Christmas-Humour](#)

### 319. Twelve Days Of Christmas Island, The (Teresa Lagrange)

\$19.99 ~~\$18.00~~

Christmas Island is home to hundreds of species of birds, native plants and wildlife, many of which are not found anywhere else in the world. In this version of the much-loved Christmas song we celebrate the unique birds that live on this wild and remote island from the bright-red plumage of the Frigatebird to the iridescent green of the Emerald Dove. Depicting the rare and special birds of this remote part of Australia, The Twelve Days of Christmas Island is a uniquely Australian Christmas book to be cherished and read year after year. [REISSUE Christmas-Australia-Australian Birds](#)

### 320. Very Play School Christmas, A (Jan Straddling And Jemma Robaard)

\$19.99 ~~\$18.00~~

Have a Merry Christmas with your favourite friends from Play School. The toys are on their way to Jemima's caravan park to spend the holidays together. Join them for classic Play School fun as they bring to life the joy of an Australian Christmas. With illustrations by bestselling artist Jemma Robaard, A Very Play School Christmas is a picture book to treasure this holiday season. [Christmas](#)

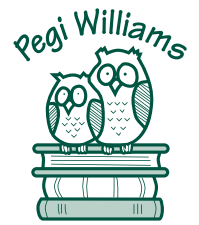




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