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CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK THEME FOR 2016: Australia: Story Country 20th - 26th August 2016

20% OFF HIGHLIGHTS (1-20)

1. 65-Storey Treehouse, the (Andy Griffiths and Terry Denton) \$12.99 \$10.39ea Andy and Terry's amazing 65-Storey Treehouse now has a pet-grooming salon, a birthday room where it's always your birthday (even when it's not), a room full of exploding eyeballs, a lollipop shop, a quicksand pit, an ant farm, a time machine and Tree-NN: a 24-hour-a-day TV news centre keeping you up to date with all the latest treehouse news, current events and gossip. Well, what are you waiting for? Come on up!

2. 13-Storey Treehouse 3. 26-Storey Treehouse 4. 39-Storey Treehouse

5. 52-Storey Treehouse

6. Clementine's Bath (Annie White)\$24.99 \$19.99
Clementine runs away to escape a bath. NOT A BATH! thinks Clementine. She hides under the bed, behind the curtains and even in Baby's toybox. Can her family find her in time to give her a bath? 7. Counting Lions (Katie Cotton and Stephen Walton) \$27.95 \$22.36

Larger-than-life black and white drawings are paired with poetic texts that reveal the ways in which endangered creatures - including lions, elephants, giraffes, tigers, gorillas, penguins, Ethiopian wolves, macaws, turtles and zebras - live on Earth. Artworks by wildlife artist Stephen Walton are rendered in charcoal and give little ones the chance to get up close and personal with nature's wildest creatures.

8. Eye to Eye (Graeme Base)

Imagine you could soar high in the sky with an eagle or dive into the deep with a majestic blue whale. Come eye to eye with some of nature's most impressive creatures as Graeme Base takes you on a richly illustrated journey of imagination and possibility.

9. Favourite Mixed-Up Fairy Tales (Hilary Robinson and Sarah Horne) \$24.99 \$19.99 This ingenious split-page, spiral bound book lets you create your own hilarious versions of the most-loved rhymes. What would happen if the Pied Piper grew long hair and flew away with a yellow brick road? The total number of mix ups is 1728 combinations! Includes: The Pied Piper, The Little Mermaid, Pinocchio, Rapunzel, Tom Thumb, Rumpelstiltskin, The Gingerbread Man, Robin Hood, Thumbelina, Hansel and Gretel and The Frog Prince.

10. Grandpa's Great Escape (David Walliams) \$19.99 \$15.99

Jack's Grandpa ... wears his slippers to the supermarket, serves up tinned tongue for dinner and often doesn't remember Jack's name. But he can still take to the skies in a speeding Spitfire and save the day ...

An exquisite portrait of the bond between a small boy and his beloved Grandpa - this book takes readers on an incredible journey with Spitfires over London and Great Escapes through the city in a high octane adventure full of comedy and heart.

11. Iliad, The (Gillian Cross and Neil Packer)

The team behind The Odyssey now tell the story of the Trojan War. In return for securing her victory, the goddess Aphrodite helps Prince Paris abduct Helen, wife to the king of Sparta. Enraged, the king and his Greek allies wage war on the Trojans. Nine years later, the fighting still rages on, but the Greeks are beginning to quarrel among themselves - Achilles and Agamemnon's petty argument has dire consequences for everyone caught in the crossfire.

12. Marvels (Brian Selznick) \$34.99 \$27.99

Two seemingly unrelated stories - one in words, the other in pictures - come together with seamless, ingenious synergy! We open in 1766 with a visual story: Young Billy Marvel becomes the lone survivor of a shipwreck. Returned to London, he grows up in a theatre, where we follow the dramatic trials and triumphs of his progeny over five generations...We cut to 1990 with a narrative story: Lost and alone, and on the brink of expulsion from yet another boarding school, Joseph impulsively runs away to search for his best friend. He finds himself swept up with an erratic man in a strange and beautiful house full of secrets. 640 pages

13. My Dog Bigsy (Alison Lester)

From Australia's favourite picture-book creator, Alison Lester, comes this energetic story about a little dog who causes a big commotion. Meet my dog Bigsy. He's only small, but everyone knows he's the boss Each morning he visits the animals on the farm. Squawk, neigh, quack, moo, baa, oink, cluck, purr, ruff ruff ruff! What a lot of noise! And all because of Bigsy!

14. Piranhas Don't Eat Bananas (Aaron Blabey)

Hey there guys. Would you like a banana? What's wrong with you. Brian? You're a Piranha. Brian is a piranha. He is also a vegetarian. But do you think he can convince his family to join him?

15. Weirdo #5: Totally Weird (Anh Do) \$14.99 \$11.99ea Weir's back and TOTALLY WEIRD! The Camp Kangaroo Challenge is on, and Weir's team is up against Bella and the new kid, who has the coolest name ever . . . HANS SOME! Yep, that's really his name! Weir Do vs Hans Some! It won't be easy . . . but it will be funny!

16. Weirdo #1

18. Weirdo #3: Extra Weird 19. Weirdo #4: Super Weird

17. Weirdo #2: Even Weirder 20. Wombat Wins (Jackie French and Bruce Whatley) \$24.99 \$19.99

Forget Rio and the Olympic Games in 2016; for us it will be about a wombat ... winning. Yes, Mothball has become an athlete, albeit a little accidentally. In her never-ending quest for carrots, Mothball stumbles upon children at the local school competing in their school sports. And despite her somewhat limited physique and lack of training, Mothball manages to go home with a gold medal. Why puff and pant when you can eat, sleep and scratch?



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AUSTRALIAN PICTURE BOOKS (21-66)

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21. Adelaide's Secret World (Elise Hurst)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Adelaide leads a quiet life in the midst of the city. At night she listens to the song of the stars, but during the day she watches over the others like her: the still ones, the quiet ones, those who dance and dream alone. Little does Adelaide know that her secret world will soon be transformed into something unexpected and full of joy. A story about courage, change and finding your soul mates.

22. Are We There Yet? Lift the Flap and Say I Spy (Alison Lester)

I spy with my little eye something beginning with . . . Join Grace and their family as they travel around Australia in this lift-the-flap version of Alison Lester's much-loved, classic book, Are We There Yet? Specially adapted for younger children, this fun and playful story centres on everyone's favourite travelling game, I-spy!

23. As Big As You (Sara Acton)

Are we there yet?

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\$24.99 \$22.50

Claude is a large elephant. Finlay is a small one. Claude can trumpet so loudly, the earth shakes! Finlay can only squeak and spurt tiny fountains with his trunk. Will he ever be as big as Claude?

24. Be Brave, Pink Piglet (Phil Cummings and Sarah Davis)

\$14.99 \$13.50

A timid little piglet learns to be a brave explorer, confronting his fears and finding hilarity along the way - but still loves coming home to Mum. This warm and lively story will delight youngsters and parents alike with Phil Cummings' adorable characters and superb artwork from Crichton Award-winning illustrator Sarah Davis.

25. Being Agatha (Anna Pignataro)

When Agatha was born she had her father's nose and her mother's ears. When her relatives get together, it's clear that she doesn't quite fit in. And when she starts kinder, she realises just how different she is to everyone else....Then one day Miss Tibble, the kinder teacher, tells her class that like a snowflake, everyone is special in their own way. And, in the end, everyone agrees that Agatha is the best at being Agatha!

26. Belinda the Ninja Ballerina (Candida Baker and Mitch Vane)

\$15.95 \$14.36

It's every little girl's dream to be a ballerina, right? Well, not in the case of Belinda, the ninja ballerina. Enrolled in ballet classes against her will, Belinda would take a headstand over a pirouette any day. But nobody will actually listen to Belinda's protests that she wants to be a ninja, not a ballerina. That is until Belinda stages a one-girl protest and demands her rights. Her teacher has to put her thinking cap on and finally comes up with a solution that will keep everybody happy.

27. Blue Whale Blues (Pater Carnavas)

\$24.99 \$22.50

When Penguin hears Whale singing the blues, he tries to help. But how do you stop a blue whale feeling blue? A delightful story about a whale with bike trouble and the happy-go-lucky penguin who cheers him up.

28. Bob the Railway Dog (Corinne Fenton and Andrew McLean) \$24.95 \$22.46
The true story of a little dog who had adventure in his heart and the rattle of the rails in his soul. In the early days of the railway, when shiny new tracks were opening vast areas of Australia, there was an adventurous dog who was part of it all. As the tracks were being laid he was there on the train - riding in his favourite spot on top of the Yankee engine.

29. Bring a Duck (Lesley Gibbes and Sue Degennaro)

\$24.99 \$22.50 Birthday party at my place. Bring your own duck. Bear has never been to a duck party before! What does Pig have planned? Whatever happens, it's sure to be fantastic, fabulous, feather-tickling fun!

30. Creatures Of Dryden Gully, The (Ruth Hegarty and Sandi Harrold)

\$15.99 \$14.40

Mopoke welcomes some visitors to the valley, who have come from far away. Young Joey is just learning to hop, and is envious of these new special creatures - and wishes he too could stride across the valley.

31. Dinosaur Dump (Tim Miller and Matt Stanton)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Life's hard when there's only one toilet and all the dinos need to go! There's a dumping pterodactyl, a plopping stegosaurus and a T. rex who can't reach to wipe ... But when it's finally Mike's turn, could one tiny bowel movement end in disaster?

32. Emo the Emu (Tony Wilson and Lucia Mascuillo)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Emo the Emu is grumpy about everything. He is the grumpiest Emu in Humpty Doo. One day he meets Katie the Kangaroo and she takes him on a journey around Australia. When they return home, Emo surprises his family and tells them about how much he liked his trip and is no longer an unhappy Emu.

33. Emu's Halloween (Anna Mangan and David Cornish)

\$14.99 \$13.50

Emu wants to have a truly terrifying Halloween party but is worried that it will be as scary as a lamington. Luckily her friends are there to ensure that Emu has the most spooktacular night of the year.

34. Frog Finds a Place (Sally Morgan and Dub Leffler)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Ever since moonlight shone down on him in his pond, Frog has wanted to live up with the Moon and the stars. He works hard to get there, but although he tries and tries, it's a long way for a little frog...

35. How the Sun Got to Coco's House (Bob Graham)

\$24.95 \$22.46

The sun rises up behind a snowy peak and casts its mellow dawn light for the wandering polar bears. It skims across the icy water, touching a fisherman's hat and catching for a moment in the eye of a whale. It beams through the trees of frozen forests and makes shadows in a little girl's footsteps before gliding over cities, darting down lanes and waiting patiently for an old lady to open her window. The sun leaps whole countries, chasing the night, before bursting at last in a fanfare of warm golden light through Coco's window!

36-42. Journey of the Great Lake Series (Percy Trezise)

\$14.99 \$13.50ea

The adventures of three young children, Jadianta, Lande and Jalmor, who are blown away from their family on a raft and have to journey home through many tribal lands. In some lands they encounter help, in other lands danger.

36. Home of the Kadimakara People #1

40. Land of the Snake People #5

37. Land of the Dingo People #2

41. Land of the Kangaroo People #6

38. Land of the Magpie Goose People #3

42. Land of the Brolga People #7

39. Land of the Emu People #4

43. Kisses for Daddy: 10th Anniversary Edition (Frances Watts and David Legge) \$16.95 \$15.26 It's time for bed, but Baby Bear is grumbly. So when Daddy Bear asks for a bedtime kiss, Baby Bear refuses. What follows is a familiar scenario of cajoling a reluctant child through the evening routine. This tenth-anniversary special gift-edition is a playful and heart-warming story full of hugs and kisses, perfect for children and their daddies to share.

44. Man With Messy Hair (Pamela Allen)

\$24.99 \$22.50

There was a man with messy hair. He liked the mess. He didn't care. But his messy hair soon got him into all sorts of trouble! Perfect for acting and reading aloud, here is a fabulous new story from the inimitable Pamela Allen that children, their parents and their teachers will turn to time and time again.

45. Migaloo the White Whale (Mark Wilson)

\$24.99 \$22.50

In the warm tropical waters off the north Australian coast, a very special whale is born: Migaloo, the only all-white humpback whale in the world. As he and his pod make their annual migration to Antarctica, Migaloo discovers the beauty, wonder and danger of a whale's journey. Mark Wilson's exquisite illustrations capture the grace and intelligence of these extraordinary creatures.

46. My Amazing Dad (Ezekiel Kwaymullina and Tom Jellett)

\$24.95 \$22.46

If Dad doesn't mow the lawn like other dads, he might as well be brilliant at making mazes. My Amazing Dad pays homage to the bumbling dad who doesn't always fit the handyman stereotype, but who certainly knows how to turn the everyday into something exciting.

47. My Dad is a Giraffe (Stephen Michael King)

\$16.99 \$15.30

Is your dad big and tall, gentle and fun? Can you climb up his legs, over his head, slide down his neck and ride on his back? Maybe your dad is a giraffe!

48. My Dad Still Thinks He's Funny (Katrina Germein and Tom Jellett)

\$16.95 \$15.26

My dad says, "I've told you fifty million times, don't exaggerate." Dad is back by popular demand with more hilarious material. And yes, My dad STILL thinks he's funny.

DADDY 🙃

AUSTRALIAN PICTURE BOOKS (21-66)

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49. My Dead Bunny (Sigi Cohen and James Foley)"My dead bunny's name is Brad; his odour is extremely bad. He visits me when I'm in bed, but Bradley wasn't always dead ..." A hilarious rhyming tale about a zombie bunny who comes back to visit his owner.

50. Ollie and the Wind (Ronojoy Ghosh)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Sometimes the best things appear out of thin air The wind blows all day on Ollie's island. There aren't many people around, but there's lots of space to play. One day the wind steals Ollie's hat. Then it darts away with his scarf. But is the wind just naughty, or is it trying to tell Ollie something

51. Our Dog Knows Words (Peter Gouldthorpe and Lucy Goldthorpe)

\$24.99 \$22.50

How clever is your dog? Not as clever as ours. He knows words! He always knows just what we're saying to him. He knows, but does he always obey? A funny story about a clever (but not always obedient) dog, from a father-daughter team of dog lovers. \$24.95 \$22.46

52. Perfect (Danny Parker and Freya Blackwood)

On a perfect day, the hours stretch endlessly ahead. Scribbling with chalk, running with kites, digging for shells ... paddling, climbing, dreaming. Hour unfolds upon hour, with reassuring comfort and sleep beckoning at the end. Danny Parker captures the simplicity, spontaneity and freedom of an idyllic childhood and Freya Blackwood's paintings capture the light of a perfect summer day.

53. Pip and Pim (Ruth Hegarty and Sandi Harrold)

\$15.99 \$14.40

Pip and Pim, two young possums, are anxious to leave the safety of their tree and explore the nocturnal world.

54. Possum Magic Book and CD (Mem Fox)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Possum Magic, the classic story of Hush and Grandma Poss, is presented together for the first time with a CD recording of Mem Fox telling the story. On its first publication in 1983, Possum Magic was an instant success, and has been voted by booksellers as Australias best-selling childrens picture book. Hardback \$24.99 \$22.50

55. Remarkably Rexy (Craig Smith)

Everybody loves Rex. He is the most dazzling cat on Serengeti Street...The schoolkids who pass by are always impressed by his moves... until one day, an interloper threatens to take all the attention away...

56. Sad, The Dog (Sandy Fussell and Tull Suwannakit)

\$24.95 \$22.46

What does a dog need to feel loved and cared for? Mr and Mrs Cripps feed their dog, wash him, and even clean inside his ears. But they don't give him a name. So the dog names himself - SAD. What will it take to make SAD, the dog, happy?

57. Scarlett, Starlet (Emma Quay)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Scarlett loved to dance, and her house was always filled with rhythm. Her parents would clap along, and Little Jazzy Jo-Jo's paws would tap-tap-tap in time. But when Scarlett's dreams of dancing on a real stage finally come true, will she find her own rhythm? Will she shine like a star?

58. Seagull (Danny Snell)

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Seagull loves to fly. It makes her heart sing. But when she gets caught in a tangle of fishing line on the beach, Seagull can only watch as other birds fly effortlessly above. What can she do?

59. Suri's Wall (Lucy Estela and Matt Ottley)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Suri was different from the other children and the high wall that encircled their lives was Suri's only friend, her comfort and holder of whispered secrets. That was, until one day, when from the depths of human frailty, one small child's voice was enough to change Suri's view of their world inside the wall - and that which lay beyond it...

60. This and That (Mem Fox and Judy Horacek) \$19.99 \$18.00 The brilliant team that brought you the best-selling Where is the Green Sheep? have a new story to tell. A story of THIS, and a story of THAT.

61. Too Busy Sleeping (Zanni Louise and Anna Pignataro)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Eleanor longs to play with her baby brother, but newborn Reuben is always asleep. Will Eleanor wear out with waiting?

62. Two Birds on a Wire (Coral Vass and Heidi Cooper Smith)

\$14.99 \$13.50

Little Bird Blue and Little Bird Black refuse to share! Each wants to sit on the wire alone in this funny rhyming story.

63. Underneath a Cow (Carol Ann Martin)

\$24.99 \$22.50

And for all the animals sheltering underneath Madge the cow, there's no better place to be when you are caught in a Great Big, Terrible,

64. Visions of Ichabod X, The (Gary Crew and Paul O'Sullivan)

Who is Ichabod X? Is it true that he can see visions of the future of our endangered planet Earth? Gary Crew (author of the award winning The Watertower) and artistic genius Paul O'Sullivan invite readers to explore - and possibly discover - the meaning behind the haunting, futuristic visions of Ichabod X. **Ages 10+**

65. We All Sleep (Ezekiel Kwaymullina and Sally Morgan)

\$24.99 \$19.99

Against pink skies kookaburra calls . . . Acclaimed mother-and-son-team Sally Morgan and Ezekiel Kwaymullina take readers on a journey through a day, celebrating the interconnectedness of people and animals in lyrical language and sumptuous colour.

66. What's Up Mumu? (David MacKintosh) \$24.99 \$22.50

MuMu is not having a good day. Nothing can put things right. AND THAT'S THAT. Her best friend Lox knows her better than anyone, but does he have enough tricks up his sleeve to put things right? A rattly rollerocaster of a story from avarativishing for the best friend like. I avarative than a story of the law and the story of th this bright and witty story of friendship, patience and modern construction methods will have you wishing for a best friend like Lox.

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\$22.99 \$20.70

When the aliens crash-land in the jungle, they have no idea that they are about to stumble on the biggest stash of pants ever. Their glee knows no bounds! That is, until the prehistoric owners of the outsized stash turn up... A fabulous new book in the bestselling Underpants series which brings together aliens and dinosaurs into one interstellar, pantstastic adventure!

68. Bath Monster (Colin Boyd and Tony Ross)The bath monster is a fun concept Tony Ross and his son-in-law Colin Boyd came up with for making bath time more fun for kids. It's very child friendly and children will enjoy imagining the secret world of the monster below the floor boards, and the idea of the monster becoming a messy friend at the end.

69. Bear and the Piano, The (David Lichtfield)

One day, a young bear stumbles upon something he has never seen before in the forest. As time passes, he teaches himself how to play the strange instrument, and eventually the beautiful sounds are heard by a father and son who are picnicking in the woods. The bear goes with them on an incredible journey to New York, where his piano playing makes him a huge star. He has fame and fortune, but he misses the friends and family he has left behind.

70. Big Book of Love (Catherine Anholt and Laurence Anholt)

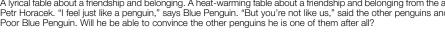
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All you need is love - whether you are big or small. Readers will delight in the pitch-perfect rhymes and detailed pictures with so much to spot and talk about; the friendly and familar depictions of everyday life will engage young children time and time again. Colours, transport, animals, cities, seasides and people of every kind dance through this charming book creating a romping, rhyming celebration of life for all to share.

71. Blue Penguin (Petr Horacek)

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A lyrical fable about a friendship and belonging. A heat-warming fable about a friendship and belonging from the award-winning illustrator Petr Horacek. "I feel just like a penguin," says Blue Penguin. "But you're not like us," said the other penguins and they left him all alone.





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OVERSEAS PICTURE BOOKS (67-116)

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72. Book (David Miles and Natalie Hoopes)

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FAIRYTALES for MR BARKER

\$24.99 \$22.50 In a world dazzled by the latest gadgets and mesmerized by Internet videos, the humble book seems like the most ordinary thing that could be. And perhaps it is until you learn to look closer . . . and closer . . . and closer . . . and you're suddenly in a world that only you can imagine. With soft, warm storytelling and stunning, whimsical illustrations, "Book" embarks the reader on an imaginative journey through the literary lands of fact and fiction.

73. Book of Feelings, A (Amanda McCardie and Salvatore Rubbino)

A Book of Feelings stars a brother and sister, Sam and Kate, and their dog, Fuzzy Bean. Sam and Kate know what makes them happy: cuddling Mum, reading a story with Dad, swimming, running and dancing... lots of things. But they don't feel happy all the time (nor does Fuzzy Bean), and in the course of the book we see them feeling grumpy, embarrassed, shy, nervous, frightened, sad and jealous.

74. Charlie and Lola: One Thing (Lauren Child)

I have this little sister Lola. She is small and very funny. Sometimes for a treat, Mum says, "We are going to the shops and you may choose one thing. "One thing to share?" says Lola. I say, "One thing for you and one thing for me, which means two actual things." Charlie and Lola return in a perfectly funny, perfectly formed picture book that sees top negotiator Lola take on numbers in everyday life and bend them to her endearing and unique will.

75. Charlie Piechart and the Case of the Missing Pizza (Marilyn Sadler and Erin Comstock)

Charlie Pie Chart is an adorable and funny character that brings fractions, percentages, and money alive. It's pizza night at Charlie's house. . . . With 6 pizza eaters, 3 sizes of pizza on the delivery menu, and 2 slices for everybody, there's bound to be at least 1 mystery! Can Charlie solve it? Yum!

76. Day the Crayons Came Home, The (Drew Daywalt and Oliver Jeffers) \$24.99 \$19.99 Watch out - the crayons are back and they're crosser than ever! One day Duncan receives a set of postcards from his crayons who have been lost, forgotten, broken - even melted in a clothes dryer and stuck to a pair of underpants! An hilarious text and joyful illustrations combine to show that crayons have feelings too in this laugh-out-loud sequel to bestselling picture book The Day the Crayons Quit.

77. Dinosaur Disco (Deborah Kelly and Daron Parton)

Stomp your feet at the Dinosaur Disco! Everyone is dancing at the disco. But then . . . The music stops. The ground shakes. Is the intruder looking for a dance . . . or his dinner? Twist your hips, not your tongue! Dinosaur Disco includes a pronunciation guide and fun dino facts.

78. Fairytales from Mr Baker (Jessica Ahlberg)

\$19.95 \$17.96

"Once upon a time, there was a troll," says Lucy. But Mr Barker isn't listening. He's off on his own fairytale adventure. Who will he and Lucy meet and will their story end happily ever after? A beautifully illustrated peep-through story book from Jessica Ahlberg, daughter of Allan and Janet Ahlberg - creators of the classic The Jolly Postman.

79. Felix Stands Tall (Rosemary Wells)

\$19.95 \$17.96

Felix has a new best friend! With take-charge Fiona, anything seems possible, and before Felix knows it, she sweeps him into singing and dancing with her as pixies in the Guinea Pig Jubilee talent show. But right after Felix's first-prize triumph, trouble waits in the wings. "Twinkletoes!" someone taunts, and Felix crumbles. Can he pull himself together and face down the bullies?

80. Flyaway (Lesley Barnes)

\$19.95 \$17.96

A young princess has a bird which she keeps trapped in a cage. One day, the bird escapes and she chases it round the castle and out into the garden. She manages to catch it but, realising that the bird wants to be free, she lets him go, and is rewarded when he comes back to visit her. This touching story about freedom has lift-flaps throughout to enable the reader to 'free' the bird themselves. Also has 10 things to count on every spread.

81. Follow Me (Ellie Sandall)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Full of fun and energy, this rhythmic, rhyming story by bright star Ellie Sandall stars some mischievous lemurs. It's time to wake up! Come down from the tree. Follow me, follow me, follow me! Follow the lemurs on their adventure through the jungle - what happens when they meet a snappy crocodile?

82. Footpath Flowers (Jonarno Lawson and Sydney Smith) \$24.95 \$22.46 In this wordless, beautifully illustrated picture book, a little girl collects wild flowers while her distracted father pays her – and their surroundings

- little attention. Each flower the little girl gathers becomes a gift for a person or animal, and whether the gift is noticed or ignored, both giver and recipient are transformed by their encounter. An ode to the importance of small things, small people and small gestures.

83. Friendshape (Amy Krouse Rosenthal and Tom Lichtenheld)

A triangle, circle, square and rectangle celebrate the gift of friendship... Friends shape who we are. They make us laugh. They fill us with fun. They stand by us during life's up and downs. And even when we disagree with our friends, if they're tried-and-true, they don't stay bent out of shape for long. This joyous story celebrates the simple beauties of friendship.

84. Happy (Pharrell Williams)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Grammy Award winner Pharrell Williams' super-hit song "Happy" is now a picture book. Pharrell Williams brings his beloved song to the youngest of readers in photographs of children across cultures celebrating what it means to be happy. All the exuberance of the song pulses from these vibrant photographs of excited, happy kids.

85. Happy in Our Skin (Frank Manushkin and Lauren Tobia)

Bouquets of babies sweet to hold: cocoa-brown, cinnamon, and honey gold. Ginger-coloured babies, peaches and cream, too splendid skin for me, splendid skin for you! A delightfully rhythmical read-aloud text is paired with bright, bustling art in this joyful exploration of the new skin of babyhood.

86. Hare and Tortoise: The Favourite Aesop's Fable (Alison Murray) \$24.99 \$22.50 Hare is the fastest on the farm. Tortoise is as slow as they go. So when they decide to have a race, Hare is certain to win . . . isn't he? The best-loved of all Aesop's Fables has been made all the more enchanting with Alison Murray's sense of fun, mischief and stylish charm.

87. Have You Seen Elephant? (David Barrow)

Elephant wants to play hide and seek. But you'll need to try your best, he's very good! Have You Seen Elephant? is perfect for sharing with children, who will love finding the elephant (and being better at it than the boy in the book!). Watch out for the dog and the tortoise, too...

88. I Love My Puppy (Giles Andreae and Emma Dodd)

\$24.99 \$22.50

This cute little bundle of joy joins this family who will love and care for him forever and the puppy brings fun and new responsibilities. The excitement of this big event is explored with warmth and wit,including familiar moments from chewed shoelaces to a walk in the park. Pitch-perfect rhyme and bold friendly art make this book great to share with even the youngest child.

89. Imaginary Fred (Eoin Colfer and Oliver Jeffers)

\$27.99 \$25.20

Sometimes, with a little electricity, or luck, or even magic, an imaginary friend might appear when you need one. An imaginary friend like Fred... Fred floated like a feather in the wind until a lonely little boy wished for him and found a friendship like no other. The perfect chemistry between Eoin Colfer's text and Oliver Jeffer's artwork make for a dazzlingly original colour gift book. 48 pages

90. I'm a Girl (Yasmeen Ismail)

\$15.99 \$14.40

The girl in this book likes to win, she likes to be spontaneous, fast and strong, and because she also likes to dress in t-shirt and shorts, she is forever getting mistaken for a boy. And when she meets a boy who likes wearing princess dresses and playing dolls, they both quickly discover that they share interests that are wide and varied. Who says that pink is for girls and blue is for boys?

91. I Will Love You Anyway (Mick and Chloe Inkpen)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Dog is very badly behaved - he destroys everything, chases cars and won't stop running away! But when he finds himself lost and alone there is one person he can count on.

92. Kitchen Disco (Clare Foges and Al Murphy)

At night when you are sleeping, There's a party in your house, It's a pumping, jumping, funky bash, When all the lights go out . . . When the sun goes down, the Kitchen Disco starts up - and all the fruit in the fruit bowl come out to play. There are lemons who break-dance, tangerines who twirl and some very over-excited apples. Kitchen Disco is a zany and hilarious rhyming picture book for young children, featuring a stunning holographic foil spread in the middle of the book.





OVERSEAS PICTURE BOOKS (67-116)

(RRP) (SCHOOL)

93. Lion Inside (Rachel Bright and Jim Field)

\$24.99 \$22.50

From Rachel Bright, and Jim Field, comes a feel good rhyming story about one little mouse trying to make himself heard and discovering along the way that even the smallest of us has the heart of a lion. Perfect for fans of Giraffes Can't Dance this stylish book from two contemporary stars really is something to shout about.

94. Lion Practice (Emma Carlisle)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Laura loves to practice. She's been a kangaroo, a parrot and a crocodile - but nothing beats lion practice! It's fun to leap, and run and roar really loud, isn't it? Laura's patient parents aren't so sure. So when Laura takes a lion-sized leap too far, she gets a telling off. But like all good lions, Laura soon bounces back and it isn't very long before her Mum, Dad and baby brother are joining in the game.

95. Meg and the Dragon (Jan Pienkowski and David Walser)

\$14.99 \$13.50

Meg and Mog set off on a brand-new adventure in search of a new teapot! Spells and magic abound in another weird and wonderful tale from this much-loved duo

96. Miss Hazeltine's Home For Shy and Fearful Cats (Alicia Potter and Brigitta Sif) \$24.95 \$22.46 Miss Hazeltine's Home for Cats helps all kinds of kitties - cats scared of mice, cats scared of birds; cats who can't pounce, cats who won't purr. From 'Bird Basics' to 'How Not to Fear the Broom', Miss Hazeltine runs her lessons all day long... Hold your tails high! Arch

your backs! Think good thoughts! But under the rug, or in the inky-black of under-the-bed, lurks little Crumb - the most fearful feline of all...a book about courage.

97. Nonsense Show, The (Eric Carle) Ducks growing out of bananas? A mouse catching a cat? What's wrong with this book? Yes, there's something strange, something funny and even downright preposterous on every page of this book. But it's not a mistake - it's nonsense! And it's also surrealism. From Eric Carle, comes a book to make children laugh and think, preparing them for a lifetime of loving both words and art.

98. Poles Apart (Jeanne Willis and Peter Jarvis)

\$22.99 \$20.70

Everybody knows that penguins belong at the South Pole and polar bears live at the North Pole-but what would happen if, one day, a family of picnicking penguins accidentally got lost? When the hapless Pilchard-Brown family find themselves at completely the wrong pole, they need Mr White, the friendly polar bear, to guide them all the way home.

99. Pout-Pout Fish and the Big-Big Dark BOARD BOOK **Deborah Diesen and Dan Hanna)**

\$14.99 \$13.50

Mr. Fish wants to help his friend Ms. Clam when she loses her pearl, but though he's fast as a sailfish, as smart as a dolphin, and as strong as a shark, Mr. Fish has a secret: he's scared of the dark! Very young children will swim along with Mr. Fish as he journeys deep into the ocean to new and mysterious places. They will discover, as Mr. Fish does, the power of friendship to light the way through the big-big dark.

100. Rain (Manya Stojic)

\$24.99 \$22.50

When rain comes to the parched African savanna, the animals use all their senses to track the storm. The porcupine smells rain in the air. The zebra sees lightning. The baboons hear thunder. The rhino feels the first drops. And the lion tastes the cool water. For a time, the grasslands abound with new green leaves, juicy fruits and fresh pools of water. But soon the hot sun dries out the land, and the animals must again wait for the next big rain.

101. Shark in the Park on a Windy Day (Nick Sharratt)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Just when you thought it was safe to go back in the park . . . Timothy Pope is blown this way and that way in the windy park - but among the whistling wind and blustering brollies, could that be a shark he spies through his telescope? Peep through the die-cut hole in the pages of the book to find out.

102. Shouty Arthur at the Seaside (Angie Morgan)

\$14.95 \$13.46

"I'm a little bit fed up, Edith," said Arthur. "You said the seaside was brilliant, but it's not!" "That's because you're being too shouty," said Edith. Shouty Arthur is the LOUDEST and MOST SHOUTIEST boy alive, and he loves adventure. But his shouting often scares off the most interesting part of any adventures, the animals. This time, he and his sister are off to the seaside for a day, hopefully full of sealife. But might shouting actually help this time?

103. Skunk, The (Mac Barnett and Patrick McDonnell)

\$19.95 \$17.96

When a skunk first appears in the man's doorway, it's a strange but possibly harmless occurrence. But then the man finds the skunk following him, and the unlikely pair embark on an increasingly frantic chase through the city, from the streets to the opera house to the fairground. What does the skunk want? Soon the man has bought a new house in a new neighborhood to escape the creature's attention, only to find himself missing something. .

104. Some Swell Pup or Are You Sure You Want A Dog? (Maurice Sendak)

\$19.99 \$18.00 When a puppy is abandoned on their doorstep, a boy and girl learn to survive the rigors of "parenthood" with the help of a cloaked canine stranger. Love, patience and understanding are the solutions in Sendak's cautionary comic book tale. First time in paperback.

105. Stay! A Naughty Dog Story (Alex Latimer)

Buster is a very difficult dog! He's messy, naughty and sometimes, well, just disgusting! But Ben thinks he's the best dog ever. When Ben goes on holiday with Mum and Dad, he tries to write down everything to help Grampa look after Buster - but will Ben remember the most important thing? And will Grampa survive?

106. Stick and Stone (Beth Ferry and Tom Lichtenheld)

When Stick rescues Stone from a prickly situation with a Pinecone, the pair become friends. But when Stick gets stuck, can Stone return the favour? Author Beth Ferry makes a memorable debut with a warm, rhyming text that includes a subtle anti-bullying message even the youngest reader will understand.

107. Ten Little Dinosaurs (Mike Brownlow and Simon Rickerty)

Ten little dinosaurs, hatching from their eggs, Blinking in the sunshine, stretching out their legs. "Look! Our mummy's sleeping. Shall we go explore? Ten little dinosaurs all say, "ROARRR!"Ten little dinosaurs set off in search of adventure. But what will the ten little dinosaurs od when then meet a grumpy triceratops? And a stomping diplodocus? And a HUNGRY t-rex? Meet all your favourite dinosaurs in this romping, stomping prehistoric adventure.

108. Tree (Britta Teckentrup)

Explore the beauty of the changing seasons in this timeless peek-through book with beautiful artwork from Britta Teckentrup and accompanying rhyming text. Following the life-cycle of a tree through spring, summer, autumn and winter, children will easily learn to recognise the signs of the seasons with this simple yet striking picture book.

109. What the Ladybird Heard Next (Julia Donaldson and Lydia Monks)

Once upon a farm lived a ladybird, and these are the things that she saw and heard. Those crafty robbers Hefty Hugh and Lanky Len are out of jail, and they're heading back to the farm with another cunning plan to cause trouble. They've been stealing eggs from the fat red hen, but now they're planning to steal the fat red hen herself! Fortunately the quiet, clever ladybird is on their trail, and she and her farm animal friends have a plan of their own!

110. Where, Oh Where, Is Rosie's Chick? (Pat Hutchins)

Rosie has lost her baby chick. She looks under the hen house. She looks behind the wheelbarrow. But little baby chick isn't there. But watch out Rosie - there's someone following you, and it's not just your baby chick!The funny sequel to the much-loved and bestselling Rosie's Walk, with the same element of danger and surprise that children so enjoy.

111. Where the Wild Things Are Book and CD (Maurice Sendack)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Read-along with the story in this book and CD edition! One night Max puts on his wolf suit and makes mischief of one kind and another, so his mother calls him 'Wild Thing' and sends him to bed without his supper. That night a forest begins to grow in Max's room and an ocean rushes by with a boat to take Max to the place where the wild things are. Max tames the wild things and crowns himself as their king, and then the wild rumpus begins.

112. Where's the Pair? (Britta Teckentrup)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Can you spot the Siamese cats? Where are the fish with matching fins? This fabulous follow up to stand-out title The Odd One Out features rhyming riddles accompanied by a complex patterned artwork, within which the answer lies. Never has a search-and-find game been so pleasing to the eye than with this stylish title from the masterful Britta Teckentrup, presented in an upmarket, contemporary format.





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OVERSEAS PICTURE BOOKS (67-116)

WHITE WATER

(RRP) (SCHOOL)

113. Whiffy Wilson The Wolf Who Wouldn't Go To Bed (Caryl Hart and Leonie Lord) \$24.99 \$22.50 Whiffy Wilson thinks bedtime is boring. He wants to stay up ALL night long, playing his saxophone, building forts and learning magic tricks. Big boys like Whiffy NEVER go to sleep! Luckily, Whiffy's clever best friend Dotty is on hand with cosy pyjamas, exciting bedtime stories and a yummy nighttime feast. And before long, Whiffy Wilson discovers that bedtimes are the BEST!

After a long bus ride into town with his grandmother on a scorching hot day, Michael runs to the water fountain to quench his thirst. But instead of refreshing him, the water tastes gritty and dirty. Dismayed, Michael begins to imagine that the water from the nearby "white" fountain is exactly the kind of water he would like to taste... Set in 1962 in the segregation-era South at the dawn of the civil rights movement, this moving and inspirational story, based on a real-life childhood experience of the author, shows how one epiphany opens up a whole world of possibilities.

115. Wild Swans (Jackie Morris)

This beautiful and lyrical extended version of the fairy tale 'The Wild Swans' by Hans Christian Andersen is the much anticipated companion to 'East of the Sun, West of the Moon'. With strong characterisation of the heroine and also with more rounded characterisation of the wicked stepmother than in the original version. Includes delicate watercolour paintings throughout.

116. World-Famous Cheese Shop Break-in, The (Sean Taylor and Hannah Shaw)\$24.95 \$22.46

Daddypops says it will be as easy as 123 to get into the Cheese Shop. First he tells his children to just walk through the door and get the cheese... But THAT doesn't work. Eventually Daddypops has his most brilliant idea ever. They will dig a tunnel to the Cheese Shop, and break through to the shop floor at dead of night. What could go wrong? In this laugh-out-loud story, the rats get the surprise of their lives when they pop out of their tunnel.

AUSTRALIAN NOVELS (117-236)

(RRP) (SCHOOL)

117. 300 Minutes of Danger (Jack Heath)

Seorge is trapped in a falling aeroplane with no engine and no pilot. Milla is covered with radioactive waste and her hazard suit is running out of air. Otto is in the darkest depths of the ocean, where something hungry is circling . . . 10 dangerous situations. 10 brave kids. 30 minutes to escape

118. At My Door (Deb Fitzpatrick)

When Poppy Campbell's dad opens the front door to find a small, very distressed child clinging to a green blanket, the family try their hardest to do the right thing. They make the little girl comfortable, call the police, and look after her while the authorities search for her family. Why has this happened? The cops are called in, nappies bought, old toys dug out, and friendships made.

119. Bad Guys #2: Mission Unpluckable (Aaron Blabey)

\$12.99 \$11.70

The BAD GUYS are back with a daring plan to rescue 10,000 chickens from a high-security cage farm! But how do you rescue chickens when one of you is known as The Chicken Swallower? Join the BAD GUYS as they refurn for more dodgy good deeds with a new member of the team. And watch out for the super villain who might just be the end of them!

120. Bad Guvs #1

\$9.95 \$8.96

121. Beauty is in the Walking, The (James Moloney)\$16.95 \$15.26

Everyone thinks they know what Jacob O'Leary can and can't do - and they're not shy about telling him either. But no one - not even Jacob - knows what he's truly capable of. And he's desperate for the chance to work it out for himself. When a shocking and mystifying crime sends his small country town reeling, and fingers start pointing at the newcomer, Jacob grabs the chance to get out in front of the pack and keep mob rule at bay. Ages 14+

122. Bella and the Wandering House (Meg McKinlay)

Bella is very surprised one morning to discover her house has moved in the night – not a lot, just a little. Her parents are too busy to notice, but even they can't pretend it's not happening when they wake up to find their house on the banks of a lake. Night after night the house moves and the family wakes to a new location. Unless Bella can solve the mystery, who knows where they'll end up?

123. Cleo Stories: Friend and a Pet, A (Libby Gleeson)

\$16.99 \$15.30

Cleo comes up with ingenious ways to make a new friend and find a pet. Cleo's best friend is away, her parents are busy, and there's nothing to do but count raindrops - or tidy her room. Just when she thinks she'll never cheer up, Cleo has an idea. Cleo longs for a pet but her mum and dad say no. Perhaps the answer is hidden somewhere unexpected.

124. Cleo Stories: Necklace and the Present

\$16.99 \$13.59

125-132. Cricket Australia: I Can Be (Phil Kettle and David Dunstan)

\$12.99 \$11.70ea

An official product of Cricket Australia, I Can Be ... is a series of intimate and inspirational guides for readers aged 8-12 who love cricket. Fun, funny and fully illustrated, these books will fire the imagination of every cricket-loving kid around Australia, mapping the cricket journeys of their favourite players from dreamy kids to international cricket stars.

125. Belinda Clarke

127. Fawad Ahmed

129.Holly Ferling

131. Meg Lanning

126. Ellyse Perry

128. Greg Chappell

132. Mitch Marsh 130. Ian Healy

133. Coco Banjo #2: Coco Banjo Has Been Unfriended (NJ Gemmell) \$14.99 \$13.50ea
It's time for school camp and some spectacular, Coco-licious adventures! But two problems could ruin everything...Jay Page is hiding his pet rat in his bag. Worse, Coco's best friend N wants to join Belle's group. Has Coco been UNFRIENDED? Can Miss Trample really

ban Coco from the disco? Could this camp get any worse? 134. Coco Banjo is Having a Yay Day

135. Cut Out, The (Jack Heath)

\$14.99 \$13.50

Fero isn't a spy, but he looks exactly like someone who is: Troy Maschenov - a ruthless enemy agent. What starts as a case of mistaken identity quickly turns into a complicated and dangerous plan. Fero is recruited to fight for his country. He will have to impersonate Troy, enter enemy territory, hunt down a missing agent and bring her home in time to prevent a devastating terror attack. Fero is in way over his head. Getting in is easy. Getting out alive is hard. Ages 12+

136. Danny Best: Full On (Jennifer Storer and Mitch Vane)

Danny Best doesn't just think he's The Best. He knows it! With his friends Fab, Clancy, Sticks, Dylan and Mae, plus trusty dog Pugsley, Danny turns every single day into one crazy adventure. For fans of BIG NATE, TOM GATES, WEIRDO, DIARY OF A WIMPY KID and CAPTAIN UNDERPANTS

137. EJ12 #20: True Light (Susannah McFarlane)

\$12.99 \$11.70

Two missions collide as EJ12 hunts for a secret SHADOW laboratory in the Arctic Circle

138. EJ Spy School #9: Birthday Secrets!(Susannah McFarlane)

\$7.99 \$7.20 Join Emma Jacks, 8, at Spy School! Agents have to learn to keep secrets. Sometimes birthday secrets are the hardest ones to keep....

139. Ella Diaries #5: Christmas Chaos (Meredith Costain and Danielle McDonald) \$12.99 \$11.70ea I'm Ella, and this is my diany. Ella can't wait to have Christmas at Moonlight Gardens Caravan Park, right on the beach, with her best friend Zoe, and her Summer Best Friends Forever Jessie and Ana. But when Ella's SBFF's go missing, she's dragged off to Krafty Kids Klass

(bleuchhh!) and a horrifically horrible thing happens, her perfect holiday turns into CHAOS! 140. Double Dare You #1

142. I Heart Pets #3

141. Ballet Backflip #2

143. Dreams Come True #4

144. Fairy Dancers (Natalie Jane Prior and Cheryl Orsini)

\$19.99 \$18.00

For every little girl who loves to dance, comes this lavishly illustrated storybook from award-winning Australian author Natalie Jane Prior and much-loved illustrator Cheryl Orsini. Every Saturday, with a hop, a skip and a magical twirl, Mia, Emma and Grace turn into ... fairy dancers! Enter their enchanted world of fun, friendship, fairy wings and dancing.



AUSTRALIAN NOVELS (117-236)

(RRP) (SCHOOL)

\$16.99 \$15.30

145. Flyaway Girls, The (Julia Lawrinson)

Chelsea is the hardest worker in her gymnastics club and she's determined to make the Nationals team, and then the Olympics. But new girl Telia has more natural talent. Chelsea gets jealous, which feels awful, because she really likes Telia, who isn't stuck-up like some other girls at gym. And it's not only envy that's bothering Chelsea – she's got family issues to worry about and her school friends are acting weird. It's time for Chelsea to figure out what's really important.

146. Fourteenth Summer of Angus Jack, The (Jen Storer and Lucinda Gifford)

Funny and a little bit scary; a bewitching blend of Norse mythology and urban fantasy. Following the death of their mother, Angus Jack and his sister, Martha, have moved to Australia with their father to start a new life. They end up living in a bayside suburb, next door to a peculiar old lady called Reafen, who is a second-hand dealer. To Angus and Martha, Reafen seems harmless enough. But who is she really and where did she get all the weird and creepy stuff in her shop?

147-148. Freddy Tangles (Jack Brand and Tom Jellett)

\$9.99 \$9.00ea

Freddy Tangles is an ordinary boy with more than his fair share of fears, and a whole lot of trouble heading his way in this humorous fiction for fans of Tom Gates and Big Nate.

147. Freddy Tangles: Champ or Chicken

148. Freddy Tangles: Legend or Loser

149. Freedom Ride (Sue Lawson)

\$17.99 \$16.20

Robbie knows bad things happen in Walgaree. But it's nothing to do with him. That's just the way the Aborigines have always been treated. In the summer of 1965 racial tensions in the town are at boiling point, and something headed Walgaree's way will blow things apart. It's time for Robbie to take a stand. Nothing will ever be the same. Based on the true events of the Freedom Ridé. This was a little known but very important event in Australia's history. It was pivotal in changing laws and rights for Australian Aboriginal people. **Age 13+**

150. Friday Barnes #3: Big Trouble (Rachel Spratt)

When Friday's father turns up out of the blue, he brings his daughter some distressing news - Friday's mother has been kidnapped! But who would want to kidnap a theoretical physicist? The Headmaster needs Friday's help too, when Highcrest Academy is thrown into chaos by the arrival of a beautiful new student - Princess Ingrid of Norway. Can Friday crack the case of her missing mother, reign in a royal brat and unmask the elusive Pimpernel? If it means she gets to ditch PE, then of course she can!

151. Girl Detective #1

152. Under Suspicion #2

153. Harry's Secret (Anita Heiss)

\$9.99 \$9.00

Harry has a secret. He loves to draw. You wouldn't think that would be a problem, but Harry's friend Gav thinks skateboarding, footy and fishing are cool, but art is definitely not. When Harry enters the local art competition, his talent is no longer hidden. Or is it?

154. Infinity Drake #2: Forbidden City, The (McNally, John) \$14.99 \$13.50ea Infinity Drake - Finn for short - is still ... well ... short. Only 9mm tall, in fact. But before Uncle AI can figure out how to return him to his normal size, another threat materialises that sends the gang to the other side of the world. Once again Finn is thrown into the action and finds himself on an impossible mission and a race against time: to save himself and stop the infection ... before it conquers mankind, one screen at a time ...

155. Sons of Scarlatti, The #1

156-159. Izzy Folau (David Harding)

\$14.99 \$13.50ea

Daniel and Jaydon have been given the chance of a lifetime to be coached by Australian rugby union star, Israel Folau. Join the Valley team in all of the trials and tribulations that go along with playing rugby.

156. Chance of a Lifetime #1

158. Pushed to the Limit #3 NEW 159. Standing Tall #4 NEW

157. Reality Check #2

and help the mermaids?

160. Keeper of the Crystals #3: Eve and the Mermaid's Tears (Jess Black and Celeste Hume) \$14.99 \$13.50ea Eve and Oscar find themselves in a world where cut throat pirates rule the waves and where the language of the sea is the only tongue spoken. It's the mermaids who need help. They're being captured so that their tears can be sold as treasure. But if these protectors of the ocean disappear then the balance of the ocean is upset and all marine life is under threat. Can Eve and Oscar find their sea legs

161. Eve and the Runaway Unicorn #1

162. Eve and the Fiery Phoenix #2

163. Kidglovz (Julie Hunt and Dan Newman)

\$24.99 \$22.50

KidGlovz is a musical genius. His gift is so precious that he's kept under lock and key. But when a young thief helps him escape, Kid must embark on a perilous journey through which he will discover the terrifying naturé of his talent. A spellbinding graphic fable about friendship and freedom, Hardback,

164-165. Kizmet (Frank Woodley)

\$9.99 \$9.00ea

From Frank Woodley, much-loved comedian, storyteller and talented artist, comes a hilarious series about an inquisitive young girl, a cheeky currawong bird and a bumbling detective. Unfortunately, when you're the personal assistant to Kizmet Papanicillo 'rest' is a word you only hear in sentences like 'You get the littlest burglar, I'll take care of the rest'.

164. Kizmet and the Case of the Smashed Violin #1

165. Kizmet and the Case of the Tassie Tiger #2

166. Laugh Your Head Off (Compilation)

This is an anthology of short, funny stories by nine of the top, award-winning authors in the kids' publishing world. The stories are for all kinds of kids - both girls and boys, and there are all kinds of stories. There's a story from Andy Griffiths about being a robot; a story from Jude Rossell about a cranky fairy; Tristan Bancks explores Nits and Naplan in his story 'NitPlan'. Hardback

167. Leo da Vinci vs the Ice-Cream Domination League (Michael Pryor)

\$14.99 \$13.50

Help! The Ice-cream Domination League is blowing up the world's ice-cream factories! Enter Leo da Vinci. Inventor, artist, genius and founder of Fixit International Inc., all at the age of ten. His team? Meet steam-powered Isaac, maths whiz and wise-cracking pig Ragnar, and Mina from school, who's super-handy with a hammer. The plan? Ready the Strikebird. Pack the Heat-seeking Cauliflower Missiles. Find out why Comet Big-Kahuna is heading for Earth. Stop the IDL before Mum calls you home for dinner. Start the cheesy launch music and hold on for your life .

168-171. Lily the Elf (Anna Branford and Lisa Coutts)

\$7.95 \$7.16ea

Lily lives in an elf house under a bridge that children walk over everyday on their way to school and back. Her house has a granny flat where her granny lives, right beside Lily and her Dad. A new series by the award-winning author of the much-loved Violet Mackerel books.

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169. Precious Ring

170. Elf Flute NEW

171. Wishing Seed NEW

172-175. Lola's Toy Box (Danny Parker and Guy Shield)

\$12.95 \$11.66ea

When Lola is given an old toy box, she discovers it's a magical passageway ... to a world where toys come to life! Do teddy bears really have picnics? Are plastic toys really nastier than soft ones? Follow Lola and her trusty but rather wonky learn-to-dress clown, Buddy, on their adventures in the Kingdom, where toys live when they aren't being played with in the real world. Age 5+

172. On the Story Sea

173. Patchwork Picnic

174. Plastic Palace

175. Treasure Trove

176. Luna Laboratorium, The (NJ Gemmell)

\$16.99 \$15.30

"Armed with the knowledge that their mum might still be alive, Kick, Bert, Scruff and Pin have vowed to find her. They'll comb the whole world if they have to! But it seems that Mum's last-known location was closer to home. So with a bewildered Uncle Basti in tow, and their mysterious friend Bone determined to tag along no matter what, the Caddy kids set off for Sydney. Secret tunnels and outback misadventures await!

177. Mapmaker Chronicles #3: Breath of the Dragon (AL Tait)

\$14.99 \$13.50ea

Quinn, Ash, Zain and the crew of the Libertas are racing against the clock to get back to Verdania before the King's deadline. Will they make it in time? Will Quinn complete the first map of the whole world? Will Zain bring back enough treasure to satisfy the King? Will they win the race to the end of the world? Or will their enemies stop them from getting back at all?

178. Race to the End of the World #1

179. Prisoner of the Black Hawk #2

AUSTRALIAN NOVELS (117-236)

(RRP) (SCHOOL)

180. Mates Great Australian Yarns: Butti Butti Bunyip, The (Dianne Bates and Greg Holdfeld) \$12.99 \$11.70 Nothing much ever happens in Butti Butti. That is, not until the huge hairy bunyip comes to town. Someone very brave will have to hunt

181. Mister Cassowary (Samantha Wheeler)

When Flynn and Dad arrive at Grandad Barney's banana farm, it's clear that Flynn has a lot of investigating to do. Everything in the place is a mystery, especially his grandad who died almost a year ago, and the strange dinosaur-like birds called cassowaries that make his dad so scared. Why won't Dad tell Flynn what happened? Can Flynn find out the truth about his grandad and the cassowaries before

182. Morris Gleitzman Collection (Morris Gleitzman)

\$16 99 \$15 30

Keith Shipley is a regular kid with Misery Guts for parents. Sick of gloomy life in London, he hatches a plan to move his even gloomier parents to sunny Australia. But when they arrive in Australia, his parents become Worry Warts. Fed up with their fretting and fussing, Keith comes up with a scheme to make them rich. Includes Misery Guts, Puppy Fat and Worry Warts.

183-186. Netball Gems (Lisa Gibbs)

\$12.99 \$11.70ea

A junior fiction series written in partnership with Netball Australia. Meet Maddy. Phoebe and their friends as they train and play with the Gems.

183. Hooked on Netball #1 184. Chase Your Goal #2 185. Pivot and Win #3 NEW 186. Defend to the End #4 NEW

187. New Australian #3: Sian (Dave Luckett)

\$15.99 \$14.40ea

Sian is the unlucky thirteenth child in a Welsh coalminer's family. Life is hard; her mother died after giving birth to her and her father is grief-stricken. Sian's eldest sister hatches a plan to take them both far away, to find a better life. It will be a long voyage across the ocean, but Sian is looking forward to a new start in a country where the sun shines and she can go to school every day instead of picking coal scraps for pennies.

188. Bridget #1 (James Moloney)

189. Kerenza #2 (Roseanne Hawke)

190. Obernewtyn Chronicles #7: Red Queen, The (Isobelle Carmody)

\$32.99 \$29.66 The time has come at last for Elspeth Gordie to leave the Land on her quest to find and stop the computer-machine Sentinel from unleashing the deadly Balance of Terror arsenal. But before she can embark on her quest, she must find a lost key; and although she has long prepared for this day, nothing is as she imagined. This is the final, dramatic volume in series of books that undoubtedly shines as one of the most fantastic, and fantastical, tapestries ever woven. Ages 13+

191. Olive of Groves #1 (Katrina Nannestad and Lucia Mascuillo)

\$19 99 \$18 00

Olive has always dreamed of attending boarding school, but Mrs Groves' Boarding School for Naughty Boys, Talking Animals and Circus Performers is not what she expected. To tell the truth, dear reader, it is not what anyone expected! The headmistress is completely bonkers and Pig McKenzie, school bully and all-round nasty swine, is determined to make Olive's life unbearable. Olive, however, is clever, sweet and kind, and soon gains loyalty and devotion, but will friendship and wits be enough when Pig McKenzie puts his Truly Wicked Plan into gear? Hardback

192. Peony Lantern, The (Frances Watts)

When Kasumi leaves her remote village for the teeming city of Edo, her life is transformed. As a lady-in-waiting in a samurai mansion she discovers a rare talent for art and falls in love with a young samurai. How could she ever return to the life of a simple mountain girl? But Kasumi must set aside her own concerns. Her country is on the brink of change and Edo is simmering with tension. Ages 12+

193. Pup Patrol #4: Outback Rescue (Darrel and Sally Odgers and Janine Dawson) Stamp, Ace and James are on the road again and headed up to Normanton in the Gulf of Carpentaria. But after all that rain from Cyclone Julia, some of the roads have flooded. The outback is a strange and lonely place and the Fourby pack are travelling carefully through the dusty desert. But who does that abandoned car belong to?

194. Farm Rescue #1

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195. Bush Rescue #2

196. Storm Rescue #3

197. Ranger's Apprentice - Early Years #1: Tournament at Gorlan, The (John Flanagan) \$18.99 \$17.10
Before they became the most famous Ranger in the land and the hard-working Ranger Commandant, Halt and Crowley were young friends determined to change the world. The scheming Baron Morgarath is drawing other power-hungry knights and barons to his banner. King Oswald is wasting away and, if gossip can be believed, Prince Duncan is causing havoc in the north. Halt and Crowley set out to find the prince and re-form the weakened Ranger Corps.

198-201. Scream (Jack Heath)

\$12.99 \$11.70ea

Welcome to Axe Falls, a town of mysterious disappearances, terrifying visions and unusual events. What is really going on in Axe Falls? And will anyone survive long enough to find out?

198. Human Flytrap #1 199. Spider Army #2 200. Haunted Book #3 NEW 201. Squid Slayer #4 NEW 202. Silver Shoes #6: Lights, Camera, Dance! (Samantha-Ellen Bound)

When an agent comes to Silver Šhoeś looking for the best junior dancers, everyone wants to strut their stuff. Although Ash acts like the class clown, she is desperate to get an interview. Luckily, her smooth dancehall moves grab the agent's attention, and faster than Ash can butterfly, she has a shot at dancing in the coolest hip hop star's new music video. But while Ash normally brings the attitude, on set her old Dance Art enemies are putting her off her game...

203. And All That Jazz #1

205. Breaking Pointe #3

207. Broadway Baby #5

204. Hit the Streets #2

206. Dance Till You Drop #4

208. Sing a Rebel Song (Pamela Rushby)

It's 1891. Maggie McAllister and her family are caught up in one of the most dramatic events in Australia's history: the Shearers Strike. The trouble that erupts between the Shearers Union, the pastoralists and the government has never been seen before on the quiet streets of Barcaldine. Maggie plays her part in the Unions struggle in no small way herself, through her writing. Her friends, a local pastoralist family, do not see things the same way...

209. Singing Bones, The (Shaun Tan)

\$35.00 \$31.50

In this beautifully presented volume, the essence of seventy-five fairy tales by the Brothers Grimm is wonderfully evoked by Shaun Tan's extraordinary sculptures. Nameless princes, wicked stepsisters, greedy kings, honourable peasants and ruthless witches, tales of love, betrayal, adventure and magical transformation: all inspiration for this stunning gallery of sculptural works. More suited to older readers.

210. Sister Heart (Sally Morgan)

A young Aboriginal girl is taken from the north of Australia and sent to an institution in the distant south. There, she slowly makes a new life for herself and, in the face of tragedy, finds strength in new friendships. Poignantly told from the child's perspective, Sister Heart affirms the power of family and kinship.

211. Sporty Kids: Soccer NEW (Felice Arena and Tom Jellett)

\$9.99 \$9.00ea

FWOOOOMP! It was a killer kick, straight through goals. Abby did a victory dance and skipped around Joe and Lizzie. Abby always wins at soccer. So why won't Pete join her team?

212. Footy

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213. Swimming

214. Tennis NEW

215. Star of Deltora #2: Two Moons (Emily Rodda)

\$15.99 \$14.40

Britta is now aboard the Star of Deltora with her three rivals for the Trader Rosalyn Apprenticeship. Nothing can prepare Britta for the terror that awaits her in the perilous, forbidden swamplands of Two Moons.

216. Shadows of the Master #1

\$9.99 \$9.00

217-220. The Gateway Series (Cerberus Jones)

\$14.95 \$13.46ea

The Gateway is an edgy new middle grade adventure series with a dash of sci-fi, designed for readers who are beyond the Zac Power stage but not quite ready for The Spiderwick Chronicles, Percy Jackson and Skulduggery Pleasant. Written by a team of authors including Chris Morphew, Rowan McAuley and David Harding. Writing under the pseudonym Cerebus Jones, each of these best-selling authors brings exciting talent to this unique writing process.

217. Four-Fingered Man #1

218. Warriors of Brin-Hask #2

219. Midnight Mercenary #3 220. Ancient Starship #4

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AUSTRALIAN NOVELS (117-236)

(RRP) (SCHOOL) \$19.95 \$17.96ea

221. The Tribe #3: Foretelling of Georgie Spider (Ambelin Kwaymullina)

The final book in this thrilling eco-dystopian series. A storm was stretching out across futures to swallow everything in nothing, and it was growing larger, which meant it was getting nearer...Georgie Spider has foretold the end of the world, and the only one who can stop it is Ashala Wolf. But Georgie has also foreseen Ashala's death. As the world shifts around the Tribe, Ashala fights to protect those she loves from old enemies and new threats. And Georgie fights to save Ashala. Georgie Spider can see the future, but can she change it? **Ages 13+**

222. Interrogation of Ashala Wolf #1

223. Disappearance of Ember Crow #2

224. Theophilus Grey and the Demon Thief (Catherine Jinks) Hardback

\$19.99 \$18.00 Twelve-year-old Theophilus Grey - Philo to his friends - heads a team of linkboys who guide Londoners home through the dank eighteenth-century alleys by the light of their torches. In the process, the boys pick up useful information for their master, Garnet Hooke, who runs a spy network from his sickbed. This gripping tale of spies, spells and secrets plunges the reader into a dark and perilous world where superstition clashes with the Age of Enlightenment.

225. Tiny Timmy #1: Soccer Superstar (Tim Cahill)

\$12.99 \$11.70

Tim tries out for his school team but keeps getting pushed off the ball and doesn't make the side. The coach tells him he's just not big enough to cut it with the other kids. Devastated, Tim tries some unconventional ways to make himself taller and comes to realise that although he isn't as big and tall as the other kids, he can jump really high. And because he's been practising so much, he has better skills than the other kids. Will it be enough to earn him a place in the team?

226. Truth About Peacock Blue, The (Roseanne Hawke)

\$15.99 \$14.40

A powerful story about one girl's fight for justice in Pakistan. Everything changes for Aster the night her brother dies. Suddenly she's the only hope of the family, and instead of an early marriage to a boy from her small village in Pakistan, her parents decide to send her to the government high school in her brother's place. Aster is excited about this unexpected opportunity for a career, but, as a Christian, she is unprepared for the difficulties of attending a Muslim school. Ages 13+

\$16.99 \$15.30

Robert Hoge was born with a tumour in the middle of his face, and legs that weren't much use. There wasn't another baby like him in the whole of Australia, let alone Brisbane. But the rest of his life wasn't so unusual: he had a mum and a dad, brothers and sisters, friends at school and in his street. He had doctors, too: lots of doctors who, when he was still very young, removed that tumour from his face and operated on his legs, then stitched him back together. UGLY is the true story of how an extraordinary boy grew up to have an ordinary life, and how that became his greatest achievement of all.

228. Under the Flame Tree (Karen Wood)

\$15.99 \$14.40

When Kirra leaves school to begin her first job on the station where she grew up, she is unimpressed to find herself partnered with a new employee who will barely speak to her. Daniel is undeniably cute, but he has a serious attitude problem and a mysterious past - there are whispers that he's fresh out of juvenile detention, but no one will tell her why. Daniel gradually thaws and reveals his secrets and Kirra starts to see beyond the moodiness to a boy she can believe in. But others remain wary of him, is Daniel worth fighting for? **Ages 13+**

229. Verity Sparks and the Scarlet Hand #3 (Susan Green)

\$16.95 \$15.26ea

Castlemaine, 1880. Verity is on holiday with Papa and her friends, but the fun soon comes to an end. A terrible crime has been committed. When Verity tries to investigate, her gift creates more mysteries than it solves. Why was a red glove left at the crime scene? Who is the ghostly woman following Verity? Is she connected to the kidnapping? Terrible secrets are being revealed. With her friends in danger, Verity needs all her courage and skill to solve the crime. But is that enough?

230. Truth About Verity Sparks, The #1

231. Verity Sparks. Lost and Found #2

232. Wilderness Fairies #5: Daisy's Gift (Jodie Wells-Slowgrove)

\$9.00ea

Daisy has found her Calling and her training is about to begin... But there's just so much to learn before Daisy will be allowed anywhere near a human. When her well-meaning curiosity leads her astray, Daisy finds herself in grave danger that could separate her from the Wilderness forever

233. Daisy's Quest #1 234. Daisy's New Wings #2 235. Daisy Takes Charge #3 236. Daisy's Secret #4

OVERSEAS NOVELS (237-394)

(RRP) (SCHOOL)



On all other nights, the train departs from Stain'd Station and travels to the city without stopping. But not tonight. You might ask, why is this night different from all other nights? But that's the wrong question. Instead ask, where is this all heading? And what happens at the end of the line? The final book in Lemony Snicket's bestselling series, All The Wrong Questions

238. Who Could That Be At This Hour? #1

240. Shouldn't You Be In School? #3

239. When Did You See Her Last? #2

241. An Eagle in the Snow (Michael Morpurgo)

Barney and his mother, their home destroyed by bombing, are travelling to the country when their train is forced to shelter in a tunnel from attacking German planes. There, in the darkness, a stranger on the train begins to tell them a story. A story about Bobby Byron, the most decorated soldier of WW1, who once had the chance to end the war before it even began, and how he tried to fix his mistake. But sometimes the right thing is hard to see - and even harder to live with...

242. Auggie and Me: Three Wonder Stories (RJ Palacio)

\$19.99 \$18.00

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AUGGIE & ME is a new side to the WONDER story: three new chapters from three different characters - bully Julian, oldest friend Christopher and classmate Charlotte - giving an insight into how Auggie has touched their own lives. Thought-provoking, surprising, infuriating, heartbreaking and heartwarming, AUGGIE & ME is a must-read for the thousands of readers who loved WONDER.

243-250. Beast Quest Series (Adam Blade)

\$12.99 \$11.70ea

An old enemy seeks revenge on Avantia's heroes, and the safety of the kingdom of Tangala is also under threat. Tom must find the Crown Jewels of Tangala, or Velmal's Beasts will destroy everything!

243. Wardok the Sky Terror #83 244. Xerik the Bone Cruncher #84 247. Styro the Snapping Brute #87

245. Plexor the Raging Reptile #85

248. Ronak the Toxic Terror #88 249. Solix the Deadly Swarm #89

246. Quagos the Armoured Beetle #86

250. Kanis the Shadow Hound #90

251. Beast Quest Bumper Edition #16: Yakorix The Ice Bear (Adam Balde)

\$12.99 \$11.70

In a frozen wasteland of ice and snow lurks a monstrous orange-eyed ice bear...Yakorix! Kensa the evil witch has conjured a legion of Ice Marauders to do her bidding, and now Tom and Elenna must defeat a horde of enemies to protect Avantia. Will they prevail in this new Quest?

252. Boy at the Top of the Mountain (John Boyne) \$19.99 \$18.00 When Pierrot becomes an orphan, he must leave his home in Paris for a new life with his Aunt Beatrix, a servant in a wealthy household at the top of the German mountains. But this is no ordinary time, for it is 1935 and the Second World War is fast approaching; and this is no ordinary house, for this is the Berghof, the home of Adolf Hitler. Quickly, Pierrot is taken under Hitler's wing, and is thrown into an increasingly dangerous new world: a world of terror, secrets and betrayal, from which he may never be able to escape.

253. Boy With Two Lives (Abbas Kazerooni)

\$15.99 \$14.40ea

When 10-year-old Abbas arrives in England to start a new life - having just fled conscription into the Iranian army and survived almost three months alone in Istanbul, Turkey, waiting for a visa - little does he know that his troubles have only just begun... Abbas's extraordinary resilience in the face of overpowering odds makes this true story from the internationally bestselling author of On Two Feet and Wings inspiring and unforgettable. Ages 12+

254. On Two Feet and Wings: One Boy's Amazing Story



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255. Captain Underpants and the Sensational Saga of Sir Stinks-a-Lot #12 (Dav Pilkey) \$14.99 \$11.99 George and Harold, and their doubles, Yesterday George and Yesterday Harold, have a good thing going. Two of them go to school, while the other two hide in the tree house and play video games all day -- then they switch! But when their malicious gym teacher, Mr. Meaner, creates a method of mind-control that turns their fellow students into attentive, obedient, perfect children, the future of all humanity will be in their hands!

256. Cat at the Wall, The (Deborah Ellis)

On Israel's West Bank, a cat sneaks into a small Palestinian house that has just been commandeered by two Israeli soldiers. The house seems empty, until the cat realises that a little boy is hiding beneath the floorboards. Should she help him? After all, she's just a cat. Or is she? Ages 12+

257. Codename Eagle (Robert Rigby)

\$16.95 \$15.26

After his failed escape to England across the Pyrenees, Paul Hansen is living, once again, in France. While the Germans blitz London and other major cities, Paul is getting more and more restless. Though he's part of the resistance movement, the past six months have been quiet. Then one night, like phantoms, they arrive by parachute: six men from the German Brandenburg Regiment, a special force of elite soldiers. Do they have information about Paul's father, who was mysteriously shot in London? Is Paul their target now? Ages 12+

258. Creepella Von Cacklefur #7: Suitcase Full of Ghosts (Geronimo Stilton)

Creepella is about to interview the famouse Hector Spector, who has come to Mysterious Valley with his Galloping Ghost Circus. But before she can, she has a mystery on her paws - someone is playing tricks and making messes all over Cacklefur Castle! Can she put a stop to these ghastly gags? For all titles in this series go to www.pegiwilliams.com.au

259. Daisy and the Trouble with Piggybanks (Kes Gray)

\$12.99 \$11.70

Daisy's getting into more trouble than ever before! When her best friend Gabby turns up at Daisy's house with the most awesome, immense, water-squirting micro-scooter Daisy's ever seen, Daisy knows she's got to have one too! Trouble is, they cost a LOT of money. So Daisy and Gabby hatch a money-making plan...

260. Daisy the Festival Fairy (Daisy Meadows)

Daisy the Festival Fairy makes sure that every summer is full of exciting things to do. But this year, a strange breeze is in the air, and an icy snowstorm threatens to ruin all the fun plans. Can Rachel and Kirsty help stop Jack Frost before festivals everywhere are ruined?

261-264. DC Comics: Beware The Batman (Various)

Bruce Wayne spent years learning crime-fighting techniques from his butler (and former secret agent) Alfred Pennyworth. Now he's ready to take on Gotham City's criminal underground as Batman!

261. In the Mouth of the Whale

263. Rule of Three

262. Law and Disorder

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264. Son of the Man-Bat

265. Demon Road (Derek Landy)

\$19.99 \$18.00

DEMON ROAD kicks off with a shocking opener and never lets up the pace in an epic road-trip across the supernatural landscape of America. Killer cars, vampires, undead serial killers: they're all here. And the demons? Well, that's where Amber comes in ... Sixteen years old, smart and spirited, she's just a normal American teenager until the lies are torn away and the demons reveal themselves... Ages 14+

266. Emily Windsnap and the Ship of Lost Souls #6 (Liz Kessler)

Welcome back to the world of Emily Windsnap! A school trip to a beautiful island plunges Emily and her friends into a new adventure. What is the secret of the mysterious ship that sometimes appears on the horizon, and does the answer lie in the lost city of Atlantis? Emily's adventures have been captivating fans for more than ten years, and this is the eagerly awaited sixth book in the bestselling series.

267. Tail of Emily Windsnap #1

270. Emily Windsnap and the Siren's Secret #4

268. Emily Windsnap and the Monster from the Deep #2 271. Emily Windsnap and the Land of the Midnight Sun #5 269. Emily Windsnap and the Castle in the Mist #3

272. Erth Dragons #1: Wearle (Chris D'Lacey)

The Wearle came to Erth to find out what happened to their previous group, who never returned. Gabrial, a young blue dragon, is desperate to prove his worth. But the dragons aren't alone in the mountains. Down beyond the scorch line, Ren, a young hom boy, is fascinated by the 'skalers'. But when he creeps into their territory, he sneaks out again with a wriggling baby wearling...Dragon and boy's fates combine in this stunning new fantasy series. Ages 11+

273-276. Far Out Fairy Tales (Various)

\$11.99 \$10.70ea

What do you get when classic fairy tales are twisted about, turned inside out, and reworked for the graphic novel format? Far Out Fairy Tales! Each fairy tale revision holds true to the spirit of the original while adding a modern twist to the classic tales we know and love.

273. Ninja-Rella

275. Snow White and the Seven Robots

274. Red Riding Hood Superhero

276. Super Billy Goats Gruff

277. Formerly Shark Girl (Kelly Bingham)

\$16.95 \$15.26ea

It's been a year since the shark attack that took Jane's arm, and with it, everything she used to take for granted. Her dream of becoming an artist is on the line, and everything now seems elusive, including her gorgeous, kind tutor, Max Shannon. Formerly Shark Girl picks up where Kelly Bingham's artful, honest debut novel left off, following Jane as she deals with a career choice, family changes, and her first real romance. Ages 13+

278. Shark Girl

279. Fuzzy Mud (Louis Sachar)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Fifth grader Tamaya Dhilwaddi and seventh grader Marshall Walsh have been walking to and from Woodridge Academy together since elementary school. But their routine is disrupted when bully Chad Hilligas challenges Marshall to a fight. To avoid the conflict, Marshall takes a shortcut home through the off-limits woods. Tamaya, unaware of the reason for the detour, reluctantly follows. They soon get lost. And then they find trouble. Bigger trouble than anyone could ever have imagined.

280. Gemini Force #2: Ghost Mine (MG Harris)

Ben Carrington's dream has become a reality: he's finally a member of Gemini Force. But, still suffering from the deaths of his parents, it's a bitter-sweet triumph. When news reaches GF1 of a gang of illegal 'ghost' miners trapped after a South African mining disaster, Ben is glad to spring into action with the team. But it soon emerges that the company, Auron, doesn't want its miners found. Ages 13+

281. Black Horizon #1

282. Geronimo Stilton #60: Treasure of Easter Island (Geronimo Stilton)

Holey cheese -- my sister, Thea, was in danger! She had travelled to Easter Island in search of a secret treasure, and now she needed my help. There was no time to lose! My friends and I hopped on a plane to begin our search, aided by a map and a mysterious riddle. What an exciting adventure! For all titles in this series go to www.pegiwilliams.com.au

283. Geronimo Stilton #61: Mouse House Hunter (Geronimo Stilton)

Sally Ratmousen broke some shocking news: The Rodent's Gazette was out of money and in danger of closing. Then Grandfather William broke even worse news to me: I needed to sell my comfy, cozy house in order to save our paper! How terrible! But could I sell it -- and find a new home -- in time to help?

284. Geronimo Stilton Cavemice #8: Surfing for Secrets (Geronimo Stilton)

A mysterious rodent has been shipwrecked on Mouse Island. He's a prehistoric pirate, and he's searching for a lost Stone Age treasure! Geronimo Stiltonoot and his family volunteer to help him on his dangerous hunt. Petrified cheese! Can they find the treasure without going extinct on the way? For all titles in this series go to www.pegiwilliams.com.au

285. Geronimo Stilton Classic Tales: Little Women (Geronimo Stilton)

\$14.99 \$13.50

The familiar and lovable world of Geronimo Stilton takes on an American classic, Little Women. While still maintaining the essential details of the original title, GS Classic Tales allows for kids to become fully engaged without having to commit to the original novel about four sisters and their mother in Civil War era America.

286. Geronimo Stilton Heromice #4: Perilous Plants, The

The Sewer Rats have created a breed of superplants that are taking over Muskrat City. And what's worse, they've captured Lady Wonderwhiskers, and are holding her prisoner. It's up to SuperStilton and Swiftpaws to save her - and figure out who she really is when she's not a crime-fighting Heromouse.

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287. Geronimo Stilton Spacemice #5: Rescue Rebellion (Geronimo Stilton)

Geronimo Stiltonix and his crew head to the planet Jurassix to warn its inhabitants of a giant comet heading straight toward them! But the creatures there turn out to be ferocious, dinosaur-like beasts . . . who like to eat rodents. Squeak! Can the spacemice save these aliens and still make it out alive? For all titles in this series go to www.pegiwilliams.com.au

288. Geronimo Stilton: Kingdom Of Fantasy #8 Phoenix of Destiny, The (Geronimo Stilton) \$19.99 \$18.00 I, Geronimo Stilton, had returned to the Kingdom of Fantasy on the wings of the Phoenix of Destiny! Blossom, Queen of the Fairies, needed my help once again. But Blossom was behaving strangely. She sent me off on quest after magical quest, each one more bizarre and dangerous than the last. It felt like my missions were building up to something truly terrible right under my snout. Could my friends and I put things right again?

289. Guys Read: Terrifying Tales (Jon Scieska) \$12.99 \$11.70
Be afraid, be very afraid of the sixth volume in the Guys Read Library. Eleven masters of suspense have come together to bring you a bone-chilling collection of original ghost stories, perfect for sharing around the campfire, reading under the covers with a flashlight, and scaring your friends' pants off. For all titles in this series go to www.pegiwilliams.com.au

290. Heroes of the Wild #6: Leopard's Tail, The (Nicola Davies)

\$11.95 \$10.76ea

Malik loves exploring the mountains near his village in Armenia, and he's never forgotten the leopard he once saw as a very young boy. But the night he hears a shot from a poacher's gun he knows his leopard is in grave danger. As Malik strives to find out who would want to kill such a beautiful creature, he uncovers a villainous plot that will mean not only the death of his rare and beloved leopard, but will harm every other living thing in the mountains too.

291. Elephant Road

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292. Lion Who Stole My Arm

293. Manatee Baby 294. Walking the Bear 295. Whale Who Saved Us

296. His Dark Materials #1: Northern Lights: Graphic Novel: Volume 1 (Phillip Pulman) \$32.99 \$29.66 Lyra Belacqua lives half-wild and carefree among the scholars of Jordan College, with her daemon familiar always by her side. But the arrival of her fearsome uncle, Lord Asriel, draws her to the heart of a terrible struggle – a struggle born of Gobblers and stolen children, witch clans and armoured bears. As she hurtles towards danger in the cold far North, Lyra never suspects the shocking truth: she alone is destined to win, or to lose, the biggest battle imaginable. Ages 13+

297. Judy Moody and Stink #3: Wishbone Wish, The (Megan McDonald and Peter Reynolds) \$24.95 \$22.46 The town's annual Turkey Trot race and festival is coming up, and Judy and Stink are training to win. Judy has decided that she is going to take home the big prize: a fat, juicy turkey. But what if they don't win a mouthwatering bird? What then? Flying turkey gizzards! Will the Moody family end up starving on T-day, like ye pilgrims of olde, or will Grandma Lou cook up a tasty Franksgiving solution? For all titles in this series go to www.pegiwilliams.com.au

298. Lockwood and Co #3: Hollow Boy, The (Jonathan Stroud)

Lockwood & Co. might be the smallest (some might say shambollic) Psychic Detection Agency in London. But its three agents - Lockwood, Lucy and George - are exceptional Talents. And they get results. When an outbreak of ghostly phenomena grows to terrifying levels in Chelsea, Scotland Yard is left baffled. Surely this is the perfect chance for them to show once and for all that they're actually the best in town? Well, that's if they can put aside their personal differences for long enough... Ages 12+

299. Screaming Staitrcase #1 \$18.99 \$17.10

300. Whispering Skull #2

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301. Magic in the Mix (Annie Barrows)

Miri and Molly were not always sisters, but thanks to the time-travelling magic of their family's home, they are now twins, and about to start settling down to a normal life when the house unleashes another challenge that sends them back into the past. And this time around they've got twice as much to lose.

302. Magisterium #2: Copper Gauntlet, The (Holly Black) \$19.99 \$18.00ea
Callum Hunt's summer break isn't like other kids'. His closest companion is a Chaos-ridden wolf, Havoc. His father suspects him of being secretly evil. And, of course, most kids aren't heading back to school in the magical world of the Magisterium ... It's not easy for Call ... and it gets even harder after he checks out his basement and discovers that his dad might be trying to destroy both him and Havoc...

303. Iron Trial #1

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304. Magnus Chase #1: Magnus Chase and the Sword of Summer (Rick Riordan) \$22.99 \$20.70

Magnus Chase has always been a troubled kid. Since his mother's mysterious death, he's lived alone on the streets of Boston, surviving by his wits. One day, he's tracked down by an uncle he's never met - a man his mother claimed was dangerous. His uncle tells him an impossible secret: Magnus is the son of a Norse god. The Viking myths are true. The gods of Asgard are preparing for war. When an attack by fire giants forces him to choose between his own safety and the lives of hundreds of innocents, Magnus makes a fatal decision. Sometimes, the only way to start a new life is to die . . .

305-310. Maisie Hitchins (Holly Webb)

\$12.95 \$11.66ea

From best-selling author Holly Webb comes a brand new series full of mystery and intrigue following the adventures of a very determined heroine and her dog! Discover the adventures of Maisie Hitchins, the pluckiest little detective in Victorian London, where she lives in her grandmother's boarding house, longing for adventure.

305. Case of the Feathered Mask #1

308. Case of the Vanishing Emerald #4

306. Case of the Secret Tunnel #2

309. Case of the Phantom Cat #5 NEW

307. Case of the Spilled Ink #3

310. Case of the Stolen Sixpence #6 NEW

311. Mango and Bambang #1: Mango and Bambang: The Not-a-Pig (Polly Faber and Clara Vulliamy)

\$17.95 \$16.16

A charming collection of four beautifully illustrated stories about the unlikely friendship between Mango, a little girl, and Bambang, an Asian tapir. Bambang is most definitely not-a-pig and is now lost in a very busy city. When the two unexpectedly meet, a friendship begins, filled with adventures, and of course, plenty of banana pancakes. Ages 7

312. Messenger of Fear #2: Tattooed Heart, The (Michael Grant)

\$22.95 \$20.66ea

Those who act out of selfishness and greed, and others who become violent because of prejudice and hate, pay the ultimate price. But Mara is constantly reminded that Messengers are serving their own kind of punishment-for every person who is offered justice, they wear a tattoo that symbolizes the heart of the crime. As Mara delves deeper into her harsh reality she discovers that in spite of the terror she and Messenger inflict, caring in this world is the hardest part.

313. Messenger of Fear #1

314. My Brother's Famous Bottom Takes Off! (Jeremy Strong)

\$14.99 \$13.50

5 ... 4 ... 3 ... 2 ... 1 ... Lift Off! My brother's famous bottom is going into space! Well, a video of it, anyway. And the best news is that the whole family gets to go to America to see the launch! We're going to climb the Empire State Building, ride in a helicopter, and eat gherkins for breakfast. Who knows, maybe we'll even get to meet the President ...

315. My Friend Twigs (Cliff McNish)

When her gran dies, Jess inherits Twigs - a talking cockatoo! Huge and hilarious, Twigs is Jess's best friend and, now she's starting at a new school, Jess needs a friend more than ever. But - Squawwwwk! - Twigs is noisy, and he's pushing Jess's dad to breaking point. Jess promised her gran she'd take care of Twigs, but can she make the new friends she needs to save the bird she loves? A heartwarming new story about the power of friendship.

316. My Great Success and Other Failures (Catherine Wilkins)

\$14.99 \$13.50

Jess's cartoons are actually beginning to take off. A local comic store wants to use them in a campaign and she is in danger of becoming really rather famous (at school). This leads to some tensions with her friends. Why can't people be happy for her? It's not as if success is going to her head, or anything. Or actually that it's anything like success at all.

317. My Sister the Vampire #16: Spooktacular (Sienna Mercer)

\$14.95 \$13.46

Olivia Abbott is used to vampires, after all, her twin sister lvy is one! But she's never believed in ghosts. That all changes at the Cafe Creative Halloween party, when Olivia meets a beautiful girl who's dressed in a strange red gown and behaving super spookily! lvy isn't convinced, until she learns the legend of the tragic Calhoun sisters, who died over 100 years ago. Could Franklin Grove be haunted? For all titles in this series go to www.pegiwilliams.com.au

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318. Nightmares! #2: Sleepwalker Tonic, The (Jason Segel) \$17.99 \$16.10ea
Since Charlie escaped from Netherworld, the land of nightmares, he's been sleeping soundly once more. But he can't shake the feeling that something strange is going on - his creepy stepmother's plant store is losing customers as everyone heads to the town of Orville Falls. Stranger still, Orvill Falls is suddenly full...of zombies? Charlie knows one thing for sure: things are about to get weird again.

319. Nightmares! #1

320. Percy Jackson and the Greek Heroes (Rick Riordan) \$22.99 \$20.66 In this gripping follow-up to Percy Jackson and the Greek Gods, demigod Percy Jackson tells the stories of twelve of the original Greek heroes in all their gory, bloodthirsty glory. Want to know who cut off Medusa's head? Which hero was raised by a she-bear? Who tamed Pegasus, the winged horse? Percy has all the answers.

321. Prince Fly Guy (Tedd Arnold)In the latest installment of Tedd Arnold's Fly Guy series, Buzz has a homework assignment to write a fairy tale and he asks Fly Guy to help. Fly Guy doesn't like to think of himself as some of Buzz's suggestions - an ugly troll, a smelly pig herder - so he becomes a handsome prince instead!

322. Princess In Black #2: Perfect Princess Party (Shannon Hale and Leuyen Pham) \$19.95 \$17.96 Today is Princess Magnolia's birthday party, and she wants everything to be perfect. But just as her guests are arriving... Brring! Brring! The monster alarm! Princess Magnolia runs to the broom closet, ditches her frilly clothes, and becomes the Princess in Black! She rushes to the goat pasture, defeats the monster, and returns to the castle before her guests discover her secret. But every time Princess Magnolia is about to open her presents, the monster alarm rings again!

323. Princess in Black #1

\$9.99 \$9.00

324. Rainbow Magic: Charlotte the Baby Princess Fairy (Daisy Meadows)\$9.99 \$9.00

Charlotte the Royal Princess Fairy helps make sure that all royal babies are happy, comfortable and snug in their cribs. But when Jack Frost steals her magical lion soft toy, babies everywhere are up all night crying! Can Kirsty and Rachel help get it back and stop the palace pandemonium?

325-328. Rainbow Magic the Helping Fairies (Daisy Meadows)

\$10.99 \$9.90ea

More titles in this ever popular series, centring on support services 325. Martha the Doctor Fairy #156

327. Perrie the Paramedic Fairy #158 328. Lulu the Lifeguard Fairy #159

326. Ariana the Firefighter Fairy #157

\$16.95 \$15.26

329. River and the Book, The (Alison Croggan) In our village we had two treasures: the River, which was our road and our god; and the Book, which was our history, our oracle and our soul. Simbala is a Keeper of the Book, the latest in a long line of women who can read the Book to find answers to the villagers' questions. As developers begin to poison the river on which the villagers rely, the Book predicts change. But this does not come in the form that they expect... Ages 12+

330. Ruby Redfort #5: Pick Your Poison (Lauren Child)

Ruby Redfort: undercover agent, code-cracker and thirteen-year-old genius - you can count on her when you're between a rock and a hard place. There's a lot to lose sleep over in Twinford: there's the snakes and the bivalves, but they aren't half as poisonous as the rumours. With so many twists and turns it's hard to know who to trust, particularly when no one trusts you. Will Ruby make it out in one piece? Well, happy endings are for fairy tales, bozo.

331. Look into my Eyes

\$14.99 \$13.50

333. Catch Your Death

\$14.99 \$13.50 \$14.99 \$13.50

332. Take Your Last Breath

\$14.99 \$13.50

335. School for Good and Evil #3: Last Ever After, The (Soman Chainai)

334. Feel the Fear

\$12.99 \$11.70ea

Once best friends, Agatha and Sophie were pulled apart like strangers, each in the arms of a boy, Good with Good, Evil with Evil, is their friendship lost forever after? But as they settle into their new lives, their story begs to be re-written, and this time, theirs isn't the only one. With the girls apart, Evil has taken over and the villains of the past have come back to change their tales and turn the world of Good and Evil upside down.

336. School for Good and Evil #1

337. World Without Princes #2

338-341. Sea Quest (Adam Blade) The city of Aguera has been infested with a plague of tiny robots that are controlling people's minds. Can Max and Lia find out who's

responsible and stop them, or will the people be doomed forever?

338. Fliktor the Deadly Conqueror #21

339. Tengal the Savage Shark #22

340. Kull the Cave Crawler #23 341. Gulak and the Gulper Eel #24

342-349. Secret Kingdom (Rose Banks)

\$12.99 \$11.70ea Queen Malice has cast her most dangerous spell yet! The wicked queen has cursed the Magic Hourglass and when the sand runs out,

all the magic will be gone from the Secret Kingdom forever! 342. Sparkle Statue #27 344. Pet Show Prize #29 346. Fairy Charm #31 348. Genie Wish #33

350. Secret Kingdom Special #7: Petal Parade (Rosie Banks)

343. Melody Medal #28 345. Twinkle Trophy #30 347. Mermaid Magic #32 349. Pixie Spell #34 \$12.99 \$11.70

Two sparkling stories in one! Jasmine, Summer and Ellie are invited to the Petal Parade, a gorgeous summer celebration of flowers and fun! But when Queen Malice curses the Secret Garden, the only way to break her spell is to discover her deepest, darkest secret . . . Can the girls stop Queen Malice and save the parade?

351. Secret of the Tombs #2: Dragon Path (Helen Moss)

\$14.99 \$13.50ea

Ryan Flint and Cleo McNeil are heading to China with their parents to examine an archaeological site. But when Cleo's grandmother tells them about a secret that haunts her past, they're plunged into a new mystery. Ryan thought he'd used up a lifetime's supply of adventure - now he's surrounded by fire-breathing dragons, ancient poisons and an army of terracotta warriors!

352. Secret of the Tombs #1: Phoenix Code

353. Skip School, Fly to Space (Stephan Pastis)

\$14.95 \$13.46

The irascible Rat is housemates with the affable but innocent Pig, who bears the brunt of Rat's cynical tirades but never turns to the dark side himself. Friends Goat, the wise one, and Zebra, the one who is constantly being targeted by the ever-annoying but ever-hapless Crocs, are joined by a changing troupe, including Guard Duck and Snuffles, the angry cat. With cartoons selected especially for young readers. Graphic Novel

354. Songbird Cafe Girls #2: Sunny Days and Moon Cakes (Sarah Webb) \$16.95 \$15.26ea Little Bird Island has been Sunny and Min's home ever since they were adopted from China. Sunny loves to spend time at the Songbird

356. Spirit Animals: Fall of the Beasts #1: Immortal Guardians (Eliot Schrefer)

Cafe, helping Alanna in the kitchen or finding a quiet corner to work on her drawings. Sunny's one wish is that she could speak to her friends - her anxiety means that it's impossible to speak to anyone except her sister, Min, and her parents. Sunny hopes that a trip to China might help to unlock her voice, but she is terrified that her family will discover the secret she's been hiding from them ever since her adoption.

355. Songbird Cafe Girls #1: Mollie Cinnamon is not a Cupcake

In the world of Erdas, when every child comes of age, they must discover if they have a spirit animal. In this continuation of the New York Times bestselling series a new threat has arisen.

357. Spy Cat #3: Safari (Andrew Cope)

\$14.99 \$13.50ea

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The purrifect spy is a pet with cat-titude. Exotic animals are being kidnapped from around the world and all clues lead to the mysterious Lord Large in his country manor house. Lara and the Spy Pups are sent to investigate, but they get caught by an awfully furrrmiliar bad guy. Now it's all up to Agent 009, otherwise known as Shakespeare the cat.

358. Spy Cat #1: Blackout!

359. Spy Cat #2: Summer Shocker



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360. Thea Stilton Special Edition #4: Cloud Castle (Geronimo Stilton) \$19.99 \$18.00ea The Thea Sisters have received an urgent message from their friend Will Mystery. The magical Land of Clouds is in danger. The mouselets must find out why the clouds are disappearing! Once they enter the kingdom through Mount Everest, the mice meet fairies, elves, and unicorns on their way to the majestic Cloud Castle. But who can the Thea Sisters count on to help solve the mystery?

361. Journey to Atlantis #1

362. Secret of the Fairies #2

363. Secret of the Snow #3

364. Timmy Failure #4: Timmy Failure: Sanitized For Your Protection (Stephan Pastis) \$17.95 \$16.16 Travelling halfway across the country to help your mother's boyfriend settle into his new job would be inconvenient for any detective, let alone the founder, president and CEO of Total Failure Inc, the world's greatest detective agency. Timmy has a case to solve, and nothing can stand in his way. If he is to arrest Corrina Corrina and solve the YIP YAP case, Timmy, his sidekick polar bear Total, and Molly Moskins must go on the run!

365. Mistakes Were Made #1 \$12.95 \$11.66 366. Now Look What You've Done #2 \$12.95 \$11.66

367. We Meet Again #3

\$17.95 \$16.16

368. Tombquest #3: Valley of Kings (Michael Northrop)

\$14.99 \$13.50

The tombs are opening, nothing can save Alex Sennefer's life. That's what all the doctors say, but his mother knows it's not true. She knows that the Lost Spells of the Eqyptian Book of the Dead can pull her son back from the brink. The problem? When she uses the spells, five Death Walkers are also brought back to life. An ancient evil has been unleashed. Long-dead mummies are awakening. New York City is overrun by menacing scorpions. Some tombs were meant to stay closed ...

369. Book of the Dead #1

\$7.99 \$7.20

370. Amulet Keepers #2

\$14.99 \$13.50

371. Travis Delaney Investigates #3: Snake Trap, The (Kevin Brooks)

\$14.99 \$13.50ea

Following a death-defying escape from the hands of a criminal overlord, young PI Travis Delaney thinks he might finally be getting closer to finding out who killed his parents, and why. But things are about to get a whole lot more deadly . . . One moment Travis is trapped in an armed face-off in the offices of Delaney Co, private investigators. The next terrorists have stormed the building and he's been abducted. Travis is quickly plagued by more questions than answers: how do you choose between saving your own life or saving the life of someone you love?

372. Ultimate Truth, The #1

373. Danger Game, The #2

374. Unicorne Files #2: Alexander's Army (Chris D'Lacey)After the success of his first assignment from the UNICORNE agency, 14-year-old Michael Malone is given another unexplained mystery to solve. When UNICORNE detect strange goings-on in a comic book shop, Michael is sent to investigate a task which is made all the more difficult by allies he can no longer trust. Ages 13+

375. Dark Inheritance #1

376. Urban Outlaws: Lockdown #3 (Peter Jay Black)

\$14.99 \$13.50ea

The Urban Outlaws have been betrayed - and defeated. Or so Hector thought when he stole the world's most advanced computer virus. But Hector will need to try much harder than just crossing the Atlantic if he wants to outsmart Jack and his team ...With the help of a shadowy figure known as The Shepherd, the Úrban Outlaws risk everything and head to the States. They plan to take Hector down and stop him from using the virus as the ultimate hacking tool - the world's secrets, and their own, are in his fingertips and if they don't act fast, our lives will be changed forever.

377. Urban Outlaws #1

378. Urban Outlaws: Blackout #2

379. Young Sherlock Holmes #8: Night Break (Andrew Lane)

\$16.99 \$15.30ea

Sherlock's mother has died, his father has disappeared in India and his sister is acting strangely. The Holmes family seems to be falling apart, and not even brother Mycroft can keep it together. But while Sherlock is worrying about all of this, a man living nearby vanishes in his own house while Sherlock and Mycroft are visiting. Where did he go, and what is the connection with a massive canal being built in Egypt? Ages 12+

380. Death Cloud #1

382. Black Ice #3

384. Snake Bite #5 385. Knife Edge #6

386. Stone Cold #7

381. Red Leech #2

383. Fire Storm #4

387. Zoe's Zoo Rescue #8: Cuddly Koala (Amelia Cobb and Sophie Williams)

393. Lucky Snow Leopard #6

\$9.99 \$9.00ea When Great-Uncle Horace brings back lost and homeless animals from his travels around the globe, it falls to Zoe and her mum, the zoo vet, to settle them into their new home. Zoe's good at this, because she can understand what they say and talk to them, too. But

388. Puzzled Penguin #1

390. Playful Panda #3

392. Eager Elephant #5

394. Pesky Polar Bear #7

389. Lonely Lion #2

that's a secret.

391. Silky Seal Pup #4

INFORMATION (395-447)

395. All About Money (Alvin Hall)

(RRP) (SCHOOL) \$19.99 \$18.00

Money might make the world go around, but only if you know how to use it. Find out about the world of business and economics, learning about how money works, from its history to how it grows. Readers will understand the money in their pocket, the cost of living

396. Amazing True Story of How Babies are Made (Fiona Katauskas)

\$19.99 \$18.00

This book is Fiona's brilliant response to finding herself reading the same sex-ed book to her son as her mother had read to her. That book is, of course, Peter Mayle's 1973 bestseller, 'Where Did I Come From?' Fiona's book captures all of the elements that made it such a success, but things have changed since the seventies, and Fiona's book is exactly what modern parents have been waiting for!

397. Atmospheric: The Burning Story of Climate Change (Carole Wilkinson)

We can't survive without Earth's atmosphere, yet most of the time we ignore it. We treat our atmosphere as a rubbish dump for our greenhouse gas emissions. Slowly but surely, what we are doing is changing Earth's climate. Atmospheric cuts through the many voices raised around climate change to tell the story of our atmosphere, what is putting our climate at risk and what we can do about it. This could be the most important book you read in your life. 256 pages

398-401. Australian Geographic History (Various)

\$24.99 \$22.50ea

An Australian history series written specifically with the new Australian History Curriculum in mind. Books in the series cover content for Year 4 - First Contacts, Year 5 - The Australian Colonies, Year 6 - Australia as a Nation.

398. Coming to Australia (Year 6) 399. Free Settlers (Year 5)

400. Hunger for Land (Year 4)

401. Milestones to Democracy (Year 6)

402. Can We Help? Kids Volunteering to Help Their Community (George Ancona) \$24.95 \$19.96 George Ancona celebrates the joy of kids giving back. In one after-school program, middle-school students mentor and tutor younger children. Via a special partnership, school children help professionals train assistance dogs for people with disabilities. Young humanitarians reading these accounts may well be inspired to find ways that they can help, too.

403. Can a Skeleton Have an X-Ray? (Kyle Hughes-Odgers)

\$24.99 \$22.50

How does sound taste? Do colours smell? Why do onions make me cry? Who builds the wings for birds to fly? Renowned artist Kyle Hughes-Odgers brings his unique vision to these and many other questions. From the practical to the philosophical, this book is guaranteed to fire young imaginations!



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404. Cars, Trains, Ships and Planes: Visual Encyclopedia (Dorling Kindersley)

\$39.99 \$35.96

A comprehensive kids' encyclopedia packed with photos of all modes of transportation, from classic cars and motorbikes to sailboats and spaceships Cars, Trains, Ships and Planes. Displays exciting vehicles that float, fly or speed across the land, including the record breakers - the fastest, largest, longest and costliest modes of transportation ever to zoom, sail or soar. Explore over 1,000 different vehicles and discover fun facts and figures for those who are revved up to read!

405. Fabulous Frogs (Martin Jenkins and Tim Hopgood)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Conservation biologist Martin Jenkins takes a funny and affectionate look at frogs around the world, from the mighty West African Goliath frog and colourful South American Poison Arrow frog to the south-east Asian Flying frog and the humble frog in your garden pond. Delight in the diversity and occasional weird behaviour of these small and much loved creatures. An engaging and informative book with captions, fact pages and an index.

406. Game On! 2016 (Compilation)

Learn all about the hottest games, how they were developed, and how to beat them. Full of high-res screenshots of all of the biggest games! Features information and statistics, tips and tricks for gamers, and interviews from gaming's biggest personalities, including game developers and pro gamers! Also included is a definitive list of the 50 biggest games of the year, and the ultimate guide to the biggest 50 coming in 2016.

407-412. Great Artists of the World (Alix Wood)

\$24.99 \$22.50ea

Great Artists introduces young readers to some of the world's great artists. The books feature easy-to-read text and some of the most famous examples of each artist's work, as well as photographs of places and people of importance.

407. Claude Monet

Fabulous Frogs

DON'T LIKE SNAKES

409. JMW Turner 410. Paul Cezanne

411. Rembrandt Van Rijn 412. Vincent Van Gogh

408. Edgar Degas

413. Great Big Cuddle: Poems for The Very Young, A (Michael Rosen and Chris Riddell) \$27.95 \$25.16 The poems in 'A Great Big Cuddle' fizz off the page with sound and rhythm, energy and laughter, as Rosen captures in the most remarkable way what it means to be very, very young. A child's world with all its details is vividly conjured up in the most memorable, playful language. It's a book that will be enjoyed by the oldest grown-up and the youngest child - and a future classic.

414-418. Green World Clean World (Ellen Lawrence)

\$24.99 \$22.50ea

Students will be familiar with terms such as global warming and pollution, but this new series gives them the opportunity to fully understand the problems and become a part of the solution. Readers will also learn how to help make sure our planet stays green and clean for the future, with activities and experiments, critical-thinking questions, and fascinating fact boxes keep the pace lively and interactive.

414. Dirty Air

416. Global Warming

418. Polluted Oceans

415. Garbage Galore

417. Poisoned Rivers and Lakes

\$22.99 \$20.70

This is the ultimate category-killer in videogames annuals. Whether you're an app aficionado, an MMO master or a die-hard retro gamer, you'll find show-stopping records, top 10 roundups, quick-fire facts and stats, and hundreds of amazing new images from all your

420. I (Don't) Like Snakes (Nicola Davies and Luciano Lozano)

419. Guinness World Records 2016: Gamer's Edition (Compilation)

\$24.95 \$22.46

A bold, bright and fascinating Nature Storybook about one of the world's most hated creatures - the snake! Perhaps it's the way they slither, or maybe it's their slimy, scaly skin... whatever the reason, many of us shiver at the thought of a snake - and so does the little girl in this book. But the rest of her family loves them and as they tell her more about snakes (did you know they have no eyelids, smell with their tongues and can swim?) she has a change of heart...

421. Knowledge Encyclopedia: Space (Dorling Kindersley)

Knowledge Encyclopedia Space! reveals jaw-dropping 3D images of planets, stars and much more. The perfect kids space book, packed with amazing space facts and NASA images revealing the wonders of the cosmos, from black holes to the big bang. See our universe in greater detail than ever before and bring the wonders of the cosmos to life. Fully up-to-date with the latest stunning images from NASA and Hubble.

422. Lego: Awesome Ideas (Dorling Kindersley)

\$39.99 \$31.99

LEGO® Awesome Ideas unlocks the secrets of LEGO building and shows you how to create a world from your imagination. Build up a themed world with each chapter, model by model, brick by brick, tying in with the worlds of The LEGO® Movie. Learn how to build a car, then an ambulance using the same techniques, then a set of traffic lights and other street furniture until you've created the Metropolis world.

423. Let's Knit! Learn To Knit With 12 Easy Projects (Dorling Kindersley)

\$19.99 \$18.00

From holding needles and knitting patterns to knitting stitches, Let's Knit teaches how to create your very own collection of cuddly creatures including cute kittens, beastly bats or soft sheep. Simple instructions and knitting patterns are easy-to-follow; the hard part is choosing which creature you want to make first!

424-428. Lifecycles (Camilla De La Bedoyere)

\$8.99 \$8.10ea

From kangaroos and sharks to chickens and sunflowers, each title in this series is packed with facts about a life cycle. Photographs show children the processes that animals and plants go through on their way to being fully grown.

424. Egg to Chicken

426. Pup to Shark

428. Seed to Sunflower

425. Egg to Penguin 429. Life in Colonial Australia (Marion Littlejohn)

427. Puppy to Dog

\$17.95 \$16.16

Life in Colonial Australia describes the day to day lives of ordinary people in Colonial Australia. What was life like for ordinary people in Colonial Australia? Can it really be called The Good Old Days when the work was backbreaking and the days were long, even for children? Life in Colonial Australia shows us exactly how it was.

430. Meet Sidney Nolan (Yvonne Mes and Sandra Eterovic)

\$24.99 \$22.50 Sidney Nolan is one of Australia's most admired and recognised visual artists. This is the story of how he developed his iconic Ned Kelly series of paintings, brought modernist art to Australia and took Australian art to an admiring international audience.

431. Movie Book, The (Dorling Kinderlsey)

Beginning with the iconic La Voyage Dans La Lune from 1902, right through to Richard Linklater's ground breaking Boyhood, The Movie Book explores the rich history of cinema. The Movie Book covers early visionaries of the 1900's and the golden age of black and white films, to international art-house and 21st-century sci-fi. From iconic quotes and film stills, to posters, biographies, movie memorabilia and narrative timelines, discover every aspect of your favourite movies.

432. Ocean: A Children's Encyclopedia (Dorling Kindersley)

\$35.00 \$31.50

Ocean: A Children's Encyclopedia reveals the secrets of the seas through stunning images and beautiful photography to engage and educate kids. From the Arctic to the Caribbean, tiny plankton to giant whales, sandy beaches to the deepest depths, discover the mysterious world beneath the waves. Topics are presented through a combination of fun graphics, interesting fact-boxes and high-quality photographs.

433. Platypus (Sue Whiting and Mark Jackson)

\$27.95 \$25.16

This edition to the Nature Storybooks series is about one of Australia's most puzzling and unique animals - the platypus. Platypus leaves his burrow in the riverbank and dives into the cool green pool. Platypus is always busy, always moving, looking for his next meal. Follow platypus as he plays, swims, dives and scurries around his riverbank home.

434. Stephen Biesty's to the Rescue! (Stephen Biesty)

See inside 8 amazing emergency vehicles with the master of cross-sections. Look inside an ambulance, police car, fire engine, rescue helicopter, waterbomber, lifeboat and more to find out their inner workings. With over 40 flaps to lift, Stephen Biesty brings his fantastic immersive artwork to a new younger age group in this interactive title.

435. Strange But True (Dorling Kindersley)

Did you know there's a plant that eats mice? That you can dip your toe in a rainbow-coloured river? Find out the where, why and how in Strange But True. Stuffed full of strange animals, peculiar weather and odd places, Strange But True unravels all these astonishing strange phenomena including clear scientific explanations.

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436-441. Tell Me What You Remember (Sarah Ridley)

The 'Tell me what you remember' series explores changes in living memory through photographs and memories.

436. Clothes 438. Food 437. Family Life NEW 439. Pastimes and Toys

440. School 441. Sport NEW

442-445. Unpacked (Various)

\$26.99 \$24.26ea

This series 'unpacks' some of the world's most fascinating countries, giving readers an insight into their culture, food, history and everyday life in a fun and highly accessible way. 442. Croatia: Unpacked 443. Denmark: Unpacked 444. Mexico: Unpacked 445. Poland: Unpacked

446. White Mouse: The Story of Nancy Wake, The (Peter Gouldthorpe)

\$26.99 \$24.30

The Gestapo called her The White Mouse and they wanted her, dead or alive. Nancy Wake was an Australian who joined the French Resistance during World War II and became the most wanted woman in France. Parachuting behind enemy lines, blowing up bridges and smuggling refugees across borders, Nancy fought fiercely against the enemy and became the most decorated Australian woman in any war.

447. Wonder Garden: Wander Through the World's Habitat

(Jenny Broom and Kristjana S Williams)

\$35.00 \$31.00

Open the gates of the Wonder Garden to explore five of Earth's most extraordinary habitats, each filled with incredible creatures and epic scenery. Trek through the Amazon Rainforest, travel to the Chihuahuan Desert, dive in the Great Barrier Reef, delve deep into the Black Forest and stand on the roof of the world - the Himalayan Mountains - to see nature at its wildest. Breathtaking, engraved illustrations bring to life Earth's spectacular Wonder Garden.

CHRISTMAS BOOKS (448-477)

(RRP) (SCHOOL)

448. 10 Minute Crafts for Christmas (Annalees Lim)

\$16.99 \$15.30

The projects are explained in easy-to-follow, step-by-step instructions, and are perfect for original ideas. Children can learn how to make felt stockings, a Christmas wreath, a Santa tree decoration, homemade Christmas decorations and candy cane christmas cards, along with lots of other great Christmas crafts for kids.

449. Christmas Eve Tree, The (Delia Huddy and Emily Sutton)

\$24.95 \$22.46

When the ugly little fir tree is taken to the city, no one wants to buy him; they prefer the big tall trees. But a homeless boy asks the he can take the tree, and down by the river in a cardboard box, decorated with a few candles, the tree finds itself at the centre of a magical Christmas Eve. A Christmas tale with a classic feel but a modern theme at its heart.

450. Christmas for Greta and Gracie (Yasmeen Ismail)

\$22.99 \$20.70

Greta and Gracie are sisters - Greta is chatty while Gracie is quiet and it's all fine until, one day, everything changes. It's nearly Christmas and together the sisters decorate the tree and shop for presents! But Greta, of course, always knows best - poor Gracie can't get a word in edgeways. Then on Christmas Eve, while Greta is quietly sleeping, Gracie hears a funny noise. Whatever could it be? This time, Greta is lost for words!

451. Christmas Miracle Of Jonathan Toomey, The (Susan Wojciechowski and PJ Lynch) \$16.95 \$15.26 Although Jonathan is the best woodcarver in the valley, he is always alone and never smiles. No one knows about the mementos of his lost wife and child that he keeps in an unopened drawer. But one early winter's day, a widow and her young son approach him with a gentle request - a request which leads to a joyful miracle. 20th Anniversary Edition

452. Christmas Peg, The (Cameron Williams and Matthew Martin) \$19.99 \$18.00 Wal tries to be good, he really does, but his bad behaviour lands him on Santa's Naughty List. And all he gets for Christmas is a peg. Can Wal ever change his ways? A Cautionary Tale.

453. Christmas Wish For Corduroy, A (BG Hennessy and Jody Wheeler)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Before he met Lisa, Corduroy was just a little bear in the toy department of a big store, waiting for somebody to take him home. It's almost Christmas and Corduroy wishes he could be a child's holiday gift - but he's a plain bear, and nobody seems to notice him. With warm humor and classic art, "A Christmas Wish for Corduroy" takes readers back to the beginning and shows how Corduroy became the beloved bear we know today.

454. Elmer's Christmas (David McKee) \$19.99 \$18.00 It's two days before Christmas Eve, the night Papa Red visits, and the young elephants are very excited. They choose a tree to decorate and prepare the presents for Papa Red to collect during the night to take to those who need them. But this year Elmer has a special treat in store for the young elephants, if they can keep quiet and out of sight...

455. Emily's Bush Christmas (Jackie French and Bruce Whatley)

\$14.99 \$13.50

The kangaroos are feeling bouncy, the echidnas are being prickly, the emus are feeling peckish and the possums are just hanging around. Only the Bunyip is gloomy. 'I'm mad and I'm mean! Bunyips don't like Christmas!' Meanwhile, Dawn and her chorus are playing Christmas carols, but somehow Emily Emu can't get a note right. Her musical mishaps float down to the creek, where the Bunyip lives... Originally titled Emily and the Big Bad Bunyip.

456. Home for Christmas (Jan Brett)

\$19.99 \$16.99

A wild little troll runs away from home because he doesn't want to do his chores. Rollo tries living with various woodland animals, but he finds out that there is no place like home, and returns to his family just in time for "the best Christmas ever."

457. Naughtiest Reindeer at the Zoo (Nikki Greenberg)

\$15.99 \$14.40

This Christmas, Ruby's family is visiting Granny and Pop, whose house full of breakable items is not the place for a very naughty reindeer. So Ruby is sent to the zoo for the holidays which is no fun at all for an excitable reindeer. So on Christmas Eve, Ruby opens all the enclosures hoping for fabulous festivities and feasting - and creates chaos! With all the animals on the loose, and Santa delayed from delivering all his presents - how can Ruby right her wrongs?

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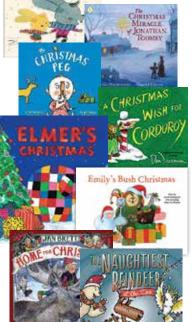
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