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NEW RELEASES (1-17)

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1. An Aussie Year (Tania McCartney)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Meet Ned, Lily, Zoe, Kirra and Matilda-Australian children representing a multicultural blend of culture and race that typifies our beautiful country. They are taking you through a year in the life of Australian kids, from celebrations to traditions to events, to our everyday way of life. They are Australia.

2. Australia's Greatest People and Their Achievements (Lindsay Knight)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Australia is a young country, but in the short time since our recorded history began we have achieved remarkable wealth and prosperity across many areas of life. Many of the people in this book came from humble beginnings, but worked hard to achieve their dreams. These stories will show you that with hope and dedication, almost anything is possible.

3. My First Animalia (Graeme Base)

\$19.99 \$18.00

My First Animalia celebrates the magic of Animalia in a playful introductory format for the very young, specially created by Graeme Base. So turn the pages, lift the flaps and rediscover the world of Animalia through fresh eyes - it's the alphabet as only Graeme Base knows how!

4. My Merry Christmas (Rosie Smith and Bruce Whatley)

\$16.99 \$15.30

Whether big or small, feathered or furry, everyone loves coming together at Christmas! When Christmas comes we hang stockings and sing carols . . . what about you? Beautifully illustrated with delightful animals, My Merry Christmas captures the fun of coming together at Christmas time.

5. Picnic (John Burningham)

\$24.95 \$22.46

One day Boy and Girl go out for a picnic. They meet all sorts of creatures along the way - some come with them and some chase them, but whatever happens, today will be a day for Adventure!

6-13. Santa is Coming to Series (Steve Smallman)

\$9.99 \$9.00ea

Have you been good? Are you ready to go to sleep? Then Santa is coming to town! Read about what happens to Santa when he visits Australia. With illustrations detailing landmarks and places that are quintessentially Australian, children will love seeing Santa leave the North Pole to come to their very own city!

6. Santa is Coming to Adelaide

10. Santa is Coming to Perth

7. Santa is Coming to Australia

11. Santa is Coming to Sydney

8. Santa is Coming to Brisbane

12. Santa is Coming to Tasmania

9. Santa is Coming to Melbourne

13. Santa is Coming to the Outback

14. Starting School (Jane Godwin and Anna Walker)

\$24.99 \$19.99

Tim, Hannah, Sunita, Joe and Polly are all off to school for the first time. Would you like to meet them and see how they go? There are new friends to make, fun ways to learn, and lots of different things to discover.

15. Waiting for Hugo (Amanda Niland and Claire Richards)

\$25.95 \$23.36

The central character is a young boy who has an obsessive interest which dominates his life and that of his family. This is a trait often present in children who have an Autism Spectrum Disorder. The story is narrated by Hugo's older sibling, who grapples with acceptance of her brother's eccentricity. Hugo's obsession and consequent skill with numbers brings rewards for him and his sister, so that the story ends positively, celebrating Hugo's unique abilities.

16. WeirDo (Anh Do)

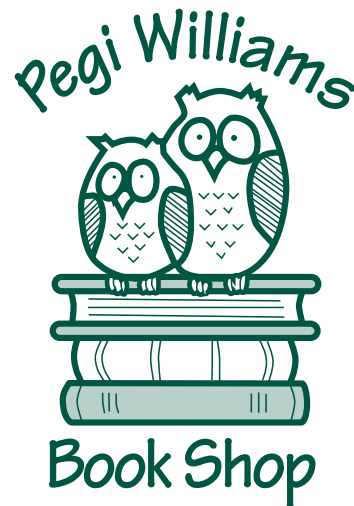
\$12.99 \$11.70

My parents could have given me any first name at all, like John, Kevin, Shmevin . . . ANYTHING. Instead I'm stuck with the worst name since Mrs Face called her son Bum. Meet Weir Do. No, that's not a typo, that's his name! Weir Do's the new kid in school. With an unforgettable name, a crazy family and some seriously weird habits, fitting in won't be easy. . . but it will be funny!

17. Wombat Goes To School (Jackie French and Bruce Whatley)

\$24.99 \$22.50

She sleeps. She eats. She scratches - and finds a hole. When Mothball discovers a new hole, it unexpectedly leads her to the local school. The children learn that wombats love carrots and grass, while Mothball learns that lunch boxes contain very few carrots, that sports sheds can be a good place to have a nap, and that when you're brown and round, it's not a good idea to get too close to a ball . . .



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AUSTRALIAN PICTURE BOOKS (18-50)

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18. Baby Bedtime (Mem Fox and Emma Quay)

\$24.99 \$22.50

A gentle, heartwarming picture book to share and treasure from picture book masters Mem Fox and Emma Quay. There comes a time for sleeping, and our sleepy time is now... So fall asleep, my angel, with a kiss upon your brow. Written in gentle, rhythmic rhyme, Baby Bedtime is the perfect winding-down story to read aloud before bed.

19. Banjo and Ruby Red (Libby Gleeson and Freya Blackwood)

\$24.95 \$22.46

A funny and touching story of antagonism and love by award-winning author Libby Gleeson, with illustrations by internationally acclaimed Freya Blackwood. Freya Blackwood's stunning illustrations perfectly capture the endearing personalities of boisterous Banjo and head-strong Ruby Red.

20. Bella's Bad Hair Day (Stephen Michael King)

\$24.99 \$19.99

Bella has woken up to find that things are not as they should be. But her mother is busy painting, and her father is playing his baby grand piano. Doesn't anyone realise it's going to be a horrible, horrific, horrendous hair day? The hairdresser wants to cut it all off, except for one little curl. What is Bella to do?

21. Bouncing Ball, The (Deborah Kelly and Georgia Perry)

\$19.95 \$17.96

Try to keep up with the bouncing ball as it travels down the street, between two cars, into a gutter, down a storm drain ... This picture book will delight young readers as they follow the adventures of the bouncing ball through colourful fields and cities, past animals, cars, boys and girls.

22. Boy on the Page (Peter Carnavas)

\$24.99 \$19.99

A small boy lands on the page and, quite by accident, discovers the joy and wonder of life.

23. Colour for Curlews (Renee Tremi)

\$19.95 \$15.96

An adorable cast of Australian birds introduce readers to the joy of colours and the principles of colour mixing. It all starts out innocently enough when two curious curlews discover a stash of artist's paints and brushes. Who could resist this opportunity to dab a little colour here and there? Certainly not these birds, and soon enough it's a free-for-all.

24. Dance Teacher, The (Simon Milne and Chantal Stewart)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Isabelle loves to dance. She practises her five positions over and over again. But does she have what it takes to achieve her dream, and one day become a prima ballerina? Celebrating the joy of dance and the role inspirational teachers can play in our lives.

25. Davy and the Duckling (Margaret Wild and Julie Vivas)

\$24.99 \$22.50

When the baby duck hatched, the first thing it saw was Davy. It fluffed its feathers – and started following Davy everywhere. Around the farmyard, under the apple trees and all the way home. A gentle and moving story about the love between a little boy and the duckling that stays with him all of its life.

26. Esther's Rainbow (Kim Kane and Sara Acton)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Esther spies a rainbow peeking out from under her chair... and then it's gone. She looks for colours in everything she sees, finding a different rainbow colour each day of the week - but will she find her rainbow again? A warm and joyous family story about exploring the world, from two award-winning creators.

27. Extraordinary Mr Qwerty, The (Karla Strambini)

\$27.95 \$25.16

Mr Qwerty worries that his ideas might seem strange ... so he keeps them under his hat. But extraordinary ideas refuse to stay hidden for long.

28. Fat Ferdie (Pamela Allen)

\$24.99 \$22.50

'Fat Ferdie is a scary beast because of what he likes to eat. Read the book and you will see that his dinner climbs a tree! This light-hearted book is colourful, playful, a little cheeky and very funny. Fat Ferdie is an instantly likeable character who children will love. Pamela Allen's jaunty rhyme makes this a fantastic read-aloud book.

29. Greatest Father's Day of All, The (Anne Mangan and Tamsin Ainslie)

\$14.99 \$13.50

A companion title for THE GREATEST MOTHERS DAY OF ALL that focuses on Dads - and one Dad in particular who miscalculates Fathers Day, but isn't disappointed when the big day arrives!

30. Kissed by the Moon (Alison Lester)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Part poem, part lullaby, this gentle story celebrates a baby's wonder at our beautiful world. From much-loved Australian Children's Laureate Alison Lester comes a timeless book to share and to treasure.

31. Little Big (Jonathan Bentley)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Being little is no good. That's because being big is better. Except when being little is best of all.

32. Little Piggy's Got No Moves (Phillip Gwynne and Tom Gellet)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Monkey does the moonwalk. Peacock does the cha-cha-cha. But all Little Piggy does is worry. That's because he can't dance at all! But with a little help from his friends, Piggy discovers that there's nothing wrong with dancing to a different beat.

33. Lucy Goosey (Margaret Wild and Ann James)

\$14.95 \$13.46

She is so terrified of getting lost in the huge sky that she refuses to leave with the others. Only when her mother reassures her that no matter what happens, she will always come looking for Lucy Goosey, does Lucy Goosey feel brave enough to make the flight?

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

\$24.95 \$22.46

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.

35. My First Day of School (Meredith Costain and Michelle Mackintosh)

\$25.95 \$23.36

My First Day at School follows the experiences and emotions of four very different children from their first teary farewells to their parents through to the joy of making new friends and the discovery that school can be an exciting and enjoyable place, however challenging.

36. Once Tashi Met a Dragon (Anna Fienberg and Kim Gamble)

\$24.99 \$22.50

In this fabulous full-colour picture book, Tashi rides on a white tiger to the top of the mountain to see why the dragon is not sending the rains to his village.

37. Pirate Who Had To Pee, The (Tim Miller and Matt Stanton)

\$24.99 \$22.50

The toilet is broken onboard Captain Bones' ship and Pirate Pete needs to pee! It's a race back to town across a vast amount of water. But with all the splashing, dripping and swirling, will Pete be able to hang on?

38. Puppy Playtime 123 (Celeste Walters and Adele Jaunn)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Billy the Bitzer has lost his toy bone. He knows he left it in the park, but where? One by one, more and more puppies race into the park. Who will find the bone ... and will Billy get it back?

39. Rainforest Lullaby (Sally Odgers and Lisa Stewart)

\$24.99 \$22.50

In the drowsing tropic scene Tree frog's clinging green-on-green Snuggled safe till the sun slips down Ringtail Possum's sleeping sound. All the animals sleep soundly in the comfort of the rainforest.



AUSTRALIAN PICTURE BOOKS (18-50)

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40. Ruby Red Shoes Goes to Paris (Kate Knapp)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Ruby and her grandmother Babushka are off to Paris for a holiday! When they arrive they go and meet Babushka's brother, Monsieur Gaspar Galushka, who loves hats as much as Ruby loves red shoes. And with Monsieur is his grandson, Felix, who becomes Ruby's guide while she is in Paris. Together the two young hares zip around Paris on Felix's racy red scooter taking in all of the beautiful sights that Paris has to offer.

41. Rules of Summer (Shaun Tan)

\$24.99 \$22.50

This is a deceptively simple story about two boys, one older and one younger, and the kind of rules that might govern any relationship between close friends or siblings. Rules that are often so strange or arbitrary, they seem impossible to understand from the outside. Yet through each exquisite illustration of this nearly wordless narrative, we can enjoy wandering around an emotional landscape that is oddly familiar to us all.

42. Silver Buttons (Bob Graham)

\$27.95 \$25.16

At 9.59 on Thursday morning, Jodie draws a duck. Just as she is about to add one final silver button to the duck's boots, her little brother takes his first step. At this exact same moment, a man buys bread, a soldier leaves home, a baby is being born... Here is a book, a story, a philosophy so simply told and yet - in true and inimitable Bob Graham style - so rich with emotion and meaning.

43. Standing in for Lincoln Green (David MacKintosh)

\$24.99 \$22.50

What if you could have a handy stand-in to do all the things that you don't want to do? Lincoln Green has a double, someone who looks just like him. He has much more important things to do than tidying up, putting away and sorting out, so they're all going on the list for his trusty stand-in. You Know Who doesn't like doing those things either, so it isn't long before Lincoln Green finds himself in BIG trouble...!

44. Swap, The (Jan Ormerod and Andrew Joyner)

\$24.95 \$22.50

Caroline Crocodile's baby brother dribbles. But all Mama crocodile Ever says is how Gorgeous he is. Caroline is very jealous. So she goes to the Baby shop and tries to swap her dribbly brother for a new baby. The trouble is, there's just something not quite right with any of them...

45. Swim in the Sea, A (Sue Whiting and Meredith Thomas)

\$27.95 \$25.16

Will Bruno and his family have a perfect day at the beach? Bruno was too excited for his jam toast. Today was his Big Day. Today, Bruno was going for a swim. A swim in the sea - the big blue sea. But will he be brave enough?

46. This Little Piggy Went Dancing (Margaret Wild and Deborah Niland)

\$19.99 \$18.00

The little pigs we know so well from the familiar nursery rhyme now do all sorts of unexpected things - and the ones who stay home or have none are not forlorn or missing out! Watch them hula, jump, skip, zoom and whiz until the last little piggy runs 'wee wee wee all the way home'!

47. This Way Up (Kylie Dunstan)

\$25.95 \$23.36

Grace's life has been turned upside down. Her family is moving countries again. Everything she owns is packed into a cardboard box and on its way 'home'. But home is not quite the place Grace had remembered. She has to find her way back to feeling 'at home' in her new/old surroundings. Being reunited with her beloved grandparents is the turning point.

48. Three Wallabies Gruff, The (Yvonne Morrison and Heath McKenzie)

\$14.95 \$13.46

A family of wallabies flees the dusty plains in search of a home that's leafy and cool. They can't believe their luck when they stumble upon a place with luscious green trees and a sparkling pool. There's just one problem. A fearsome Yowie lives under the bridge! Are the wallabies clever enough to ensure their own slice of paradise?

49. Welcome Home (Christina Booth)

\$26.95 \$24.26

Welcome Home is the story of a young boy and a whale as she swims into the river harbour seeking safety and a resolution to the violent past relationship between whales and man. This story does not avoid the facts but ends with hope and reconciliation, using history to show the consequences of our actions and choices.

50. Wombat's Go On Camp (Roland Harvey)

\$24.99 \$22.50

The Wombats are going on their first camp ever, with their teachers Mrs Nott and Ms Annabel. Join them as they explore, build, cook, perform, climb, jump, scare each other silly and have the time of their lives.

OVERSEAS PICTURE BOOKS (51-93)

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51. Animal Crackers Fly the Coop (Kevin O'Malley)

\$14.99 \$13.50

Hen is tired of the same old tricks down on the farm. Her funny bone just isn't tickled by laying eggs and eating feed. That's when she decides to fly the coop and pursue her dream to open a comedy club. Along the way, Hen meets Dog, Cat, and Cow - who are also stuck between a farm and funny place - and together they follow their joke-telling dreams, resulting in some fowl adventures in comedy. A wacky reimagining of the Grimm classic, The Bremen Town Musicians.

52. Ann and Nan are Anagrams (Mark Shulman and Adam Mcauley)

\$22.95 \$20.66

Robert (or Bert) thought he had his hands full when his mom and dad were palindromes. But now, his Grandma Reagan is in anagram danger! In fact, his sisters, Ann and Nan, and almost every other thing in his world, have become anagrams. Can Robert (or Bert) figure out the answer to his word dilemma—or is he fated to live a scrambled life?

53. Archie's Holiday (Domenica More Gordon)

\$22.99 \$20.66

Oh I do like to be beside the seaside . . . Archie is packing for his holiday. Oh I do like to be beside the sea . . . That's it! Suitcase packed. Or is it? What if it rains? La, la, la, la, la . . . What if someone gets poorly? Tum-ti-tum . . . What if . . . ? What if . . . ? Hmmmm . . . Back to the drawing board. Discover whether Archie ever makes it on holiday in this second book in the irresistibly stylish Archie series.

54. Bears, Bears, Bears (Martin Waddell and Lee Wildish)

\$24.99 \$19.99

Ruby likes bears. So she puts up a sign inviting them to call. She isn't content with just one bear though - she wants more and more and more. But, as Ruby soon discovers, you can have too much of a good thing

55. Billy the Goat's Big Breakfast (Jez Alborough)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Nat the Cat makes some lovely homemade bread for her friends to share. But Billy the Goat is too greedy to wait for the bread to bake - and he gulps down a sneaky mouthful of the delicious-looking dough...Soon his tummy has swollen up like a fresh loaf of bread. What will Nat the Cat say when she finds out?

56. Book of Dreams, The (Shirin Adl)

\$27.95 \$25.16

A colourful and imaginative journey through the night, this unique picture book is for sharing at bedtime or any time. Dreams come in many different shapes and forms. Some dreams are pleasantly simple, some dreams are confusing - and some are scary. But dreams make our night times more exciting. What do you think you will dream about tonight?

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57. Carnivores (Aaron Reynolds and San Santat)

\$22.95 \$20.66

Plant eaters can be so cruel! What's a carnivore to do? The Lion, Great White Shark and Timber Wolf start a club to find a way to make friends with the herbivores. But it's hard to keep friends when they're all so tasty!

58. Cat, the Mouse and the Runaway Train, The (Peter Bentley and Steve Cox)

\$24.99 \$22.50

When a naughty little mouse steals cheese from the station master, a battle between cat and mouse follows! But they put their differences aside when a big, red steam train comes tearing down the track straight towards them!

59. Chamelia and the New Kid In Class (Ethan Long)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Chamelia is a chameleon who loves to stand out in a crowd. She's always the star of the show, especially at school. But when a new kid in class becomes the centre of attention, Chamelia feels left out. Can she figure out how to beat her competition? Or will she learn to share the spotlight and make a new best friend.

60. Dinosaur Rescue (Penny Dale)

\$24.99 \$22.50

When a dinosaur train is heading for trouble, who should you call? Dinosaur Rescue, of course! This dashing, flashing, racing, chasing book features vibrant illustrations and a rhythmic text with lots of sounds for young readers to make.

61. Drat That Cat! (Tony Ross)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Suzy the cat is always getting into trouble much to the annoyance of her family. She can never do anything right! So Suzy decides to teach her family a lesson and make them realise just how much they love her.

62. Duck in the Truck (Jez Alborough)

\$14.99 \$13.50

The truck is well and truly stuck, but luckily help is at hand in the form of a Frog. When the Frog and the Duck fail to eject the truck, they enlist the help of a Sheep who just happens to be passing by in his green jeep. But even the might of the sheep can't move the truck. Fortunately, there is a nearby lake and at this very moment a clever goat floats by relaxing in his boat. He devises a cunning plan which does indeed set the truck free

63. Elmer and the Whales (David McKee)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Elmer and his cousin Wilbur decide to go to the coast to see the whales. But their journey becomes far more of an adventure than they expected, when they find themselves lost at sea. Can the whales help them back to shore?

64. Frog Who Lost His Underpants, The (Juliette MacIver and Cat Chapman)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Hopping through the jungle, this way, that way. Frog is in a frenzy, scattering the ants. Teddy's looking too now, this place, that place. Will they ever find those jolly underpants?

65. Further Adventures of the Owl and the Pussy-cat (Julia Donaldson and Charlotte Voake)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Julia Donaldson, revisits Edward Lear's favourite rhyme in this wonderful new story set in a nonsensical land full of adventure. When their beautiful golden ring is stolen, the Owl and the Pussy-cat must travel far from the safety of the Bong-tree glade as their search for the thief leads them across the Sea, to the Chanky Bore and beyond.

66. Great Balloon Hullabaloo, The (Peter Bentley and Mei Matsuoka)

\$26.95 \$24.26

When Simon the squirrel's mum sends him off to the shop, Simon decides to fly to the moon in Old Uncle Somerset's hot air balloon in search of cheese. Shopping in outer space is very exciting, but proves to be a bit of a distraction . . .

67. Hugless Douglas Book and CD (David Melling)

\$19.99 \$18.00

A delightful CD and paperback edition of the bestselling picture book narrated by Alan Davies. Douglas is a huggable, lovable young brown bear who wakes up one morning in need of a hug. He goes to try and find one but none of them seem quite right. Join Douglas on his search for the perfect bear hug!

68. I Got This Hat (Jol Temple and Jon Foye)

\$24.99 \$22.50

I got this hat in China, I got this hat from a miner, I got this hat from a deep-sea diver, I got this hat from a racing-car driver... Hats. Only the headless dislike them. Everyone else loves wearing them! In this fun title we take a peek at the world around us through the playful medium of hats.

69. Journey (Aaron Becker)

\$27.95 \$25.16

A lonely girl draws a magic door on her bedroom wall and through it escapes into a world where wonder, adventure and danger abound. Red marker pen in hand, she creates a boat, a balloon and a flying carpet which carry her on a spectacular journey ... who knows where? Wordless Picture Book

70. Lifetime (Lola Schaefer and Christopher Silas Neal)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Learn about all the wondrous things that can happen in just one lifetime. This book collects animal information not available anywhere else—and shows all 30 roosting holes, all 200 spots, and, yes!, all 1,000 baby seahorses in eye-catching illustrations. A book about picturing numbers and considering the endlessly fascinating lives all around us.

71. Little Mouse's Big Book of Beasts (Emily Gravett)

\$24.99 \$19.99

Little Mouse has found a new book, and this time it's full of scary creatures. Undaunted, he bravely sets about removing or altering all the scariest bits: cosy mittens to cover the lion's claws, ruby lips to replace the shark's teeth – and he even pole vaults out of the way of the bear! Full of flaps, jokes and Gravett's trademark wit, with a brilliantly satisfying ending.

72. Little Red Hood (Marjolaine Leray and Sarah Ardozzon)

\$16.99 \$15.30

Stylish and very funny, this book retells the famous story in an unexpected way. The wolf is still big and bad, but he also happens to be really, really dumb. Little Red Hood questions the wolf's personal hygiene before tricking her predator into his demise. This is one savvy little red hood.

73. Little Red Writing (Joan Holub and Melissa Sweet)

\$22.95 \$20.66

A hilarious re-telling of Little Red Riding Hood, in which a brave little red pencil finds her way through the many perils of story composition, faces a ravenous pencil sharpener (the Wolf 3000), and saves the day. This smart, entertaining book combines a lot of silly jokes with a satisfying story and an insightful exploration of children's writing process.

74. Memory Tree, The (Britta Teckentrup)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Fox has lived a long and happy life in the forest. One day, he lies down in his favourite clearing, takes a deep breath and falls asleep for ever. Before long, Fox's friends begin to gather in the clearing. One by one, they tell stories of the special moments that they shared with Fox. And, as they share their memories, a tree blooms, big and strong, eventually watching over all the friends, just as Fox did when he was alive. This gentle and comforting tale celebrates life and the memories that are left behind when a loved one dies.

75. My Daddy Ate an Apple Book and CD (Craig Smith and Scott Tulloch)

\$16.99 \$15.30

So what happens if you eat an apple with a green worm inside? Not just any worm, of course, but a fuzzy one, a buzzy one, a great big fat juicy one! Children will love this story about Daddy Zebra's trip to hospital-and the surprise ending!

76. My Dinosaur Dad (Paul Ruth)

\$15.99 \$14.40

This Dad is spiky. This Dad is prickly. This Dad is knobby. This Dad is tickly. This Dad is gentle. This Dad is kind. This Dad is best ... because this Dad is mine! There are all sorts of Dads ... but only one is the best!



OVERSEAS PICTURE BOOKS (51-93)

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77. Peck, Peck, Peck (Lucy Cousins)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Little woodpecker has just learnt how to peck and - ooh! yipee! - what fun it is! Off he goes, on his first big pecking adventure, and he peck peck pecks his little heart out. He pecks the hat and then the mat, the tennis racket AND the jacket ... just LOOK at all the holes he has made! A stunning new picture book title from Lucy Cousins.

78. Princess Penelope and the Runaway Kitten (Alison Murray)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Follow Princess Penelope as she runs through the palace and the palace grounds, including a maze, garden and the royal stables, chasing her naughty runaway kitten - the kitten is all tangled up with wool, which makes a crazy pink glitter trail behind her as she leaps and jumps through the book.

79. Promise, The (Nicola Davies and Laura Carlin)

\$27.95 \$25.16

On a mean street in a mean city, a thief tries to snatch an old woman's bag. But she finds she can't have it without promising something in return - to "plant them all". When it turns out the bag is full of acorns, the young thief embarks on a journey that changes her own life and the lives of others for generations to come.

80. Send for a Superhero (Michael Rosen and Katharine McEwen)

\$24.95 \$22.46

A bedtime read turns into a very funny superhero adventure in this exciting blend of picture book and comic book storytelling.

81. Splash, Anna Hibiscus! (Atinuke and Lauren Tobia)

\$29.95 \$26.96

Anna has left her mango tree - and she's at the beach! Phew, it is hot. But what better way to cool off than by playing in the jumpy, splashy waves? "Come and splash in the waves with me!" shouts Anna Hibiscus. But everyone is much too busy to wave-jump! Anna shouts happily and cheers bring everyone to the water. "Why didn't you call us?" they shout!

82. Sugarlump and the Unicorn (Julia Donaldson and Lydia Monks)

\$24.99 \$22.50

When Sugarlump the rocking horse wishes to see the world, a magical unicorn with a silver horn and sparkling blue eyes turns him into a real horse. But after trotting around the farm, galloping around a racetrack and even dancing at the circus, Sugarlump learns to be careful what he wishes for and realises how much he misses the children he left behind.

83. Ten Little Pirates (Mike Brownlow and Simon Rickerty)

\$24.99 \$22.50

This fun-filled rhyming story, which incorporates counting backwards from ten to one, is great to share with young children who are learning about numbers. The colourful, humorous illustrations feature objects to spot and count on every page. With a bouncy, rhythmic text and lots of great sound words, this piratical adventure is perfect for sharing again and again.

84. That Is Not a Good Idea (Mo Willems)

\$24.95 \$19.96

This is the story of a hungry fox who meets a plump goose. The fox can't believe his luck so he asks the goose to go for a stroll. Suddenly, a little chick pops up warning the protagonist: "That is NOT a good idea!" All too late! This fox is on a roll and next, he invites the goose back to his house tucked away in the deep, dark woods, and...

85. Toys Galore (Peter Stein and Bob Staake)

\$24.95 \$22.46

If you're game, open up the world's wackiest toy chest, where anything and everything can turn into nonstop, action-packed fun. Once again, Peter Stein's playful verse and Bob Staake's uproarious illustrations come together in an explosion of color and whimsy, while imagination takes centre stage as the best toy of all.

86. Two Nests A Happy Story About Separated Families (Laurence Anholt and Jim Coplestone)

\$16.95 \$15.26

Written in rhyme, and with great sensitivity, this is a lovely story to help explain to very young children why family separation is sometimes necessary - and to show that it can lead to happiness for everyone.

87. Very Noisy House (Julie Rhodes and Korky Paul)

\$27.95 \$25.16

This rickety old house can be very noisy. Clomp! Clomp! Clomp! Goes the old lady's walking stick. In the room above, the dog wonders if that noise is a knock at the door - Woof! Woof! Woof! And that wakes up the ginger cat in the room above who thinks the dog is chasing her - Meow! Meow! Meow! Follow the riotous noises on each floor of the creaky old house.

88. Walk in the Park (Anthony Browne)

\$14.95 \$13.46

One day Smudge and Charles (two very different children) take walks to the park with their dogs, Albert and Victoria. The dogs race off and chase each other around the park, while Smudge and Charles become the best of friends. First published in 1977, this is one of the first books by acclaimed picture book creator, Anthony Browne. Reprint

89. We're Going on a Picnic! (Pat Hutchins)

\$14.95 \$11.96

It's a perfect day for a picnic so Hen picks some berries, Goose picks some apples and Duck picks some pears. Then the three friends set off to look for the perfect spot to enjoy their feast. But the three friends aren't the only ones who are hungry. As the picnic basket gets lighter and lighter, readers will be laughing harder and harder. Reprint

90. What is Part This, Part That? (Harriet Ziefert)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Song-like rhyming text invites readers to guess what different components add up to. For example, when you're on the equator you're part south and part north, and a certain kind of chair is part back and part forth (a rocking chair). The collage art further expresses the concept that, from stones to sticks, the world is indeed a marvellous mix.

91. Xander's Panda Party (Linda Sue Park and Matt Phelan)

\$19.95 \$17.96

Xander Panda is planning a party, a dandy panda party! But he has to change the plans and send more and more invitations as the guest list grows and grows. Xander is frantic. His party won't stay planned! But with the help of his new friend Amanda, Xander finally gives the perfect party that everyone in the zoo will remember forever.

92. Yoko Finds Her Way (Rosemary Wells)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Yoko and her mama are going on a trip to Japan! Yoko helps Mama get to and through the airport by reading signs along the way. By the time they get to their gate, Mama is exhausted. While Mama naps, Yoko goes to the washroom. But "Oh, no!" Yoko takes the wrong exit and finds herself in a completely different part of the terminal. Will she be able to follow the signs back to her mama?

93. You're a Rude Pig, Bertie! (Claudia Boldt)

\$14.95 \$13.46

Bertie is the most vain, rude and outspoken pig you'll ever meet. He can't help offending his friends and pretty soon he doesn't have any left. But a beautiful bunny and a disastrous party all lead Bertie to a startling realization, and a change of heart...

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Andy and Terry's amazing treehouse has 13 new levels including a chocolate waterfall, a non-erupting active volcano, an opera house, a baby-dinosaur petting zoo, a not-very-merry merry-go-round, an X-Ray room, a disco with light-up dance floor, the world's scariest roller-coaster and a top secret 39th level that hasn't even been finished yet!

95. 13-Storey Treehouse \$9.99 \$9.00 **96. 26-Storey Treehouse \$12.99 \$11.70**

97-98. Arky Steele (Coombe Eleanor) \$14.99 \$13.50ea

Arky Steele is a not your average 12-year-old: his mother is an adventurer and his father is an archaeologist. With them, he travels the world hunting for ancient treasures and trying to stay one step ahead of their nemesis, evil billionaire Goran Rulec.

97. Guardian of the Tomb #1 **98. Cursed City, The #2**

99. Ava Anne Appleton #1: Accidental Adventurer (Wendy Harmer and Andrea Edmonds) \$9.99 \$7.99

Everything is A-OK in the world of Ava Anne Appleton. She lives with her mum, dad and her dog Angus, at number 3A Australia Avenue. Life is perfectly orderly-just how she likes it. But then, the Appleton family heads off on a grand adventure for a whole year. Ava is horrified! But when Ava meets the wild and zippy Zander, she starts to wonder - maybe this adventurous life, and a little bit of disorder, mightn't be so bad after all!

100. Billie B Mystery #2: Code Breaker (Sally Rippin) \$9.95 \$8.96ea

One day Billie and Jack find a note hidden under a rock at school. It seems to be written in code! It's time the two friends put their code-breaking skills to the test.

101. Spooky House #1

102. Bloodhound Boys #1: Great Blood Bank Robbery: Graphic Novel (Andrew Cranna) \$19.95 \$17.96

Deep under the Earth's crust, near Skull River City, a terrible crime has been committed -- the city's supply of blood has been stolen from the blood bank. Rocky (a werewolf-kid) and Vince (a vampire-kid) decide they must investigate to help save their friend Gretel Ghoul, who suffers from a rare blood disorder. But who could be behind the crime?

103. Book of You #1: Jodie (Randa Abdel-Fattah) \$16.99 \$15.30

Best friends Jodie, Rania and Deyana can't believe what they have found in the school library-a mysterious book that writes itself, just for them. Jodie's life is difficult enough-her father is in a new relationship and she's trying to get used to having a step-sister. The advice the book is giving her is so confusing. Who is the ghostly writer? What does she want?

104. Caesar the War Dog #2: Operation Blue Dragon (Stephen Dando-Collins) \$16.95 \$15.26ea

Caesar and his handler, Ben, discover a bomb at the Sydney Opera House, targeted at the visiting Secretary-General of the United Nations. A little later, while on a peace mission in Afghanistan, the Secretary-General's helicopter goes down and he is captured by the Taliban. Caesar, Ben and Charlie join an international team to rescue him. Will they succeed?

105. Caesar the War Dog #1

106. Clemetine Rose and the Farm Fiasco #4 (Jacqueline Harvey) \$12.95 \$11.66ea

It's time for Clemmie to go on her first school excursion! When Aunt Violet comes along to help out, no-one is sure just how helpful she'll really be. Things get a little out of control when Aunt Violet and Mrs Bottomley go missing and Joshua is cornered by Ramon the feisty ram. Will Clemetine and her friends escape from Ramon and find the missing ladies too?

107. Clemetine Rose and the Surprise Visitor #1 **109. Clemetine Rose and the Perfect Present #3**

108. Clemetine Rose and the Pet Day Disaster #2

110. Conspiracy 365 Black Ops #3: End Game (Gabrielle Lord) \$14.99 \$13.50ea

Shadow Island's volcano is erupting and Cal and Ryan are trapped on the island with the evil Damien Thoroughgood, who will stop at nothing to fulfil his deadly plan. After surviving in the jungle and outwitting his enemy for so long, Cal risks losing his brother and everything he's worked towards. Will Cal agree to a criminal mission to save his brother's life?

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113. Creatures of Magic (Maree Fenton-Smith and Lilly Piri) \$19.99 \$18.00

Witches next door. Strange transformations in the night. Hooded figures on the street. And a new friend. When Violet Brown and her magical family move in next door, Anna's world becomes much more exciting - and dangerous. Violet needs her help to fight off the Inquisitors who want to destroy her family. But can Violet be trusted?

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A new series from children's book legend Paul Jennings and brilliant cartoonist Andrew Weldon. Ricky is an ordinary boy, who dreams of being famous. And he has a secret that might just help him realise his dream. Because Ricky can fly. Truly. He can really fly. But there's a hitch. He can only fly when absolutely no one is looking.

114. Falling For It and the Kangaroo Key Ring #1 **116. Haircut and Just a Nibble # 3**

115. Magician Never Tells and Elephant Bones, A #2 **117. Hobby Farm and Seeing Red #4**

118. EJ12: Spooked! (Susannah McFarlane) \$12.99 \$11.70

In different castles all over England, centuries-old sovereigns have been stolen. All at the stroke of midnight. It will take the new SHINE STARS to crack the biggest SHADOW plot so far. Special Agent EJ12 will have to fight her fears and lead her team in her scariest night mission yet.

119. Eric Vale: Off the Rails #3 (Michael Gerard Bauer) \$14.99 \$13.50ea

Eric is in trouble this time. Principal Porter thinks he has gone completely OFF THE RAILS! But Eric's side of the story must be told. It all started with a book called All About Aliens that his best friend Chewy borrowed from the school library. But it all just went downhill from there. . .

120. Eric Vale: Epic Fail #1 **121. Eric Vale: Super Male #2**

122. Extra Time (Morris Gleitzman) \$16.99 \$15.30

When 13-year-old Matt is discovered impressing the livestock in an Aussie country town with his remarkable soccer skills, he's offered the chance of a lifetime - a try-out at one of Europe's biggest and most glamorous soccer clubs. His younger sister Bridie goes with him as his manager and tells us their story - warts, goals and all.

123. Figaro and Rumba and the Cool Cats (Anna Fienberg and Stephen Michael King) \$19.99 \$18.00

Figaro and Rumba are old friends. And their new friends are the cats who run the Cool Cats Cafe. Customers come from everywhere to try their chicken empanadas, and to swoon beneath the spell of their singing and steel guitars. An exciting adventure starring the irrepressible Figaro and his cat-friend Rumba, an entertaining picture book in five chapters.

124. Flora's War (Pamela Rushby) \$18.95 \$17.06

It's 1915 and sixteen-year-old Australian, Flora Wentworth, is visiting Cairo with her archaeologist father. Flora's comfortable life is turned upside down when a hospital visit thrusts her into the realities of World War 1. She is soon transporting injured soldiers and helping out exhausted nurses - managing to fall in love along the way. As Flora battles to save lives and find her own, a tragic misunderstanding changes everything. Age 12+



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125. Four Seasons of Lucy McKenzie, The (Kirsty Murray)

\$14.99 \$13.50

A gripping time-slip adventure set in a hidden valley. 11-year-old Lucy travels across the river of time to fight fires, battle floodwaters and discover the meaning of true friendship. Age 9+

126-133. Girl v the World (Various)

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This is a funny, inspiring and heartwarming series about thirteen-year-old girls taking on the world. Because you've got to be strong to take it on. No-one escapes thirteen unscathed – not even the best-looking, most popular people with the straightest teeth and shiniest hair. The best you can do is be true to yourself, even when everything's changing. Age 13+

126. Holy Crushamoly NEW

129. Invisible Me

132. Things I Don't Know

127. How to Boost Your Profile

130. It's Not Me, It's You

133. Waiting For It

128. I Heart You, Archie De Souza

131. Sophie Bennett Saves the Planet NEW

134. Hidden Series #1: Ice Breaker, The (Lian Tanner)

\$18.99 \$17.10

12-year-old Petrel is an outcast, the lowest of the low on an ancient icebreaker that has been following the same course for 300 years. In that time, the ship's crew has forgotten its original purpose and broken into three warring tribes, the Cooks, the Officers and the Engineers. Everyone has a tribe except Petrel but Petrel is a survivor. She lives in the dark corners of the ship, trusting no one. That is, until a boy is discovered, frozen on an iceberg, and brought onto the ship.

135. Holiday of a Lifetime: Disaster Diary! (De Kantzow Megan and Kat Chadwick)

\$15.99 \$14.40

When her parents announce the family is going on the Holiday of a Lifetime instead of renovating the kitchen, Anna is convinced it will be one disaster after another. She wants to believe the lucky seahorse charm her Gran gave her will be protection enough but when her Gran falls ill and her Dad must fly home, Anna begins to question her belief in luck.

136. Horrendo's Curse: GRAPHIC NOVEL (Anna Fienberg and Remy Simard)

\$14.99 \$13.50

No-one, living or dead, was ever more polite than Horrendo. In all his eleven years he'd never said a rude word to anyone. But was his mother proud of her charming son? Not at all! For Horrendo lived in a cruel world where kind words were as rare as dragons' teeth, and pirates stole away twelve-year-old boys from under their mothers' noses...

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The Caddy kids are having the best time. Dad's away hunting and eldest sister Kick is looking after Scruff, Pin and Bert - and they're loving it. Until they find out their father is missing . . . This is the story of how four loud, grubby urchins from the Aussie outback find themselves in the heart of London, where the first peacetime Christmas after the six long, hard years of World War II promises to be a big one.

138. Last Thirteen, The #1 (James Phelan)

\$7.50 \$6.75

Kidnapped from school and finding out his parents aren't who he thinks they are, Sam is suddenly running from danger at every turn. With his life and identity shattered, Sam's salvation is tied to an ancient prophecy. He is in the final battle to save the world, up against an enemy plotting to destroy us all. He alone can find the last 13.

139. Lightning Strikes: Barking Mad (Rena Hayward)

\$12.95 \$11.66

Alex really wants a pet to take to the school Pet Parade, so when he finds Pepper, he thinks all his wishes have come true. But when weird things start to happen, Alex begins to suspect that there is more to this pup than meets the eye...

140. Lightning Strikes: Camp Crazy (Trudie Trewin)

\$12.95 \$11.66

Daks and his mates are back. When the boys go camping in Poo's backyard - the national forest - they stumble across a crazy woman living up the mountain. She raves about aliens and people not being real. But the boys begin to suspect that she is just faking. Is Jungle Jill what she seems to be?

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\$14.99 \$13.50ea

When Colt accidentally kills a brand new Rat Dog worth \$100,000, his nemesis, Officer Katt, seeks revenge - right when Colt's superpowers have suddenly disappeared. She steals the thing that matters most to Colt, and when he sets out to find it, he uncovers some dark secrets - and reveals some truths about himself that could change his life forever.....

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143. Singing Ape #2

144. Secret Super Hero #3

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151. Pterodactyl Stole My Homework, A #2

153. Plesiosaur Broke My Bathtub, A #5 NEW

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Samuel is the only ordinary human boy in a world full of magic. Adopted by goblins, he dreams of being just like them: with their wicked sense of humour, love of farts and fighting, and amazing inventions. He is determined to get into the Goblin Academy and prove just how goblin he is. But things don't go according to plan...

156-163. Our Australian Girl (Various)

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160. Meet Ruby #1 (1930)

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161. Ruby and the Country Cousins #2

158. Lina at the Games #3

162. School Days for Ruby #3

159. Lesson for Lina #4 NEW

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John Flanagan makes a spectacular return to the world of Ranger's Apprentice - but what has happened since you last saw Will and his friends might shock you! The final book of the Ranger's Apprentice series raises the stakes higher than ever. Is Will on his last mission for the Ranger Corps?

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169. Sorcerer in the North, The #5

173. Halt's Peril #9

166. Burning Bridge, The #2

170. Siege of Macindaw, The #6

174. Emperor of Nihon-Ja, The #10

167. Icebound Land, The #3

171. Erak's Ransom #7

175. Lost Stories, The #11

168. Oakleaf Bearers #4

172. Kings of Clonmel, The #8

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176. Romance Diaries #2: Stella (Jenna Austen)

\$14.99 \$13.50ea

Written in diary format, this is a completely fresh take on the themes in Jane Austen's classic *Pride and Prejudice*. From the outside, Stella has it all. She's inherited her mum's multi-million dollar empire, Fletcher Media, she gets to hang out on fashion shoots and lunch with celebrities rather than go to school. When Alex Dudek, the son of Polish immigrants, starts as an intern, he immediately takes Stella for a spoilt rich airhead. And Stella thinks he's nothing more than a cold indie snob. But when they're forced to work together, they can't help but get to know each other a little better... Could Alex have misjudged Stella? And will Stella let go of her pride long enough to admit she might have been wrong about Alex?

177. Romance Diaries #1: Ruby

178. Samurai Kids #8: Black Tengu (Sandy Fussell)

\$15.99 \$12.76

The Samurai Kids are finally back in Japan. But not at their ryu in the Tateyama Mountains. Instead, Sensei has taken them to the snowy lands of Ezo - the place of his birth. The place where Sensei must face his demons and right the terrible wrong that has tormented him. Will Niya have the courage to help Sensei as he promised?

179. Shimmer (Jennifer McBride and Lynda Nixon)

\$14.99 \$13.50

Kora is a powerful genie sent away against her will. Her homeland is threatened and she's been banished to earth for her own safety. David's life is in chaos and Kora might be just what he needs. But commanding a genie is notoriously tricky—especially when she's also an angry teenage girl. Unable to move more than 100 metres apart, and with their loved ones in danger, Kora and David must learn that the best way of helping themselves is to first help each other.

180. Smooch and Rose (Samantha Wheeler)

\$14.95 \$13.46

When Rose and Gran save a baby koala from a pack of blood-hungry dogs, they call him Smooch, because he loves to cuddle. With the help of wildlife carer, Carol, Rose and her dog Lizzie look after Smooch until he is old enough to make the trees on their strawberry farm his home. Rose is deliciously happy - living on the farm and looking after bush babies is her dream come true! But things change for the worse when Gran gets a disturbing letter from the bank.

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The sixth and final book in this high-octane thriller series. Dom has the last Herculean task to perform...or lose a pound of flesh. The Debt's orders are clear: take a human life and the debt will be repaid.

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192. Truly Tan #3: Spooked (Jen Storer)

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Tan and the Chosen Few have another mystery on their hands... The 'stonies' (stone animal statues) around Peppercorn Valley have been mysteriously disappearing. But who would steal them? What could the thief want with a stone emu or flamingo? This mystery is truly baffling! It's a good thing Tan has the mind of a Great Detective...

193. Truly Tan #1

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198. Violet Vanishes

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Violet Mackerel loves Clover Park. She especially loves to collect acorns from under the big old OAK TREE. But the OAK TREE is going to be cut down. Violet does NOT think this is a good idea! The OAK TREE is important. It is worth trying to SAVE. And Violet hopes her POCKET PROTEST will be just the thing to save it.

200. Wish Bird, The (Gabrielle Wang)

\$14.99 \$13.50

Oriole's beloved Wishbird is dying and she must leave the Forest of Birds to save him. But in the City of Soulless there are traitors everywhere, and when Oriole is captured, only a street orphan can help her. Can Oriole and Boy save Soulless and its bewitched king, or will the city's darkness prove too great even for magic?

OVERSEAS NOVELS (201-352)

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201. 39 Clues: The Unstoppable #1: Nowhere to Run (Jude Watson)

\$17.99 \$16.10

The Cahill family has a secret. For five hundred years they have guarded the 39 Clues-thirty-nine ingredients in a serum that transforms whomever takes it into the most powerful person on earth. If the serum got into the wrong hands the disaster would rock the world. So certain Cahills have always made it their mission to keep the serum safe, buried, locked away. Until now....

202-215. Adventure Island #14: Mystery of the Phantom Lights (Helen Moss)

\$14.99 \$13.50ea

Something strange is afoot on the moors above Castle Key - sinister noises, lights in the sky and mysterious figures moving in the dark. Are aliens invading, as Jack suspects? Could it be smugglers, as Emily thinks? Or is there another explanation? Scott, Jack, Emily and Drift the dog are on the case!

202. Mystery of the Whistling Caves #1

203. Mystery of the Midnight Ghost #2

204. Mystery of the Hidden Gold #3

205. Mystery of the Missing Masterpiece #4

206. Mystery of the Cursed Ruby #5

207. Mystery of the Vanishing Skeleton #6

208. Mystery of the Dinosaur Discovery #7

209. Mystery of the Drowning Man #8

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213. Mystery of the Black Salamander #12

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216. Adventures of Captain Underpants Full-Colour Edition (Dav Pilkey)

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The first Captain Underpants adventure as you've never seen it before - in full colour! Meet Captain Underpants! His true identity is SO secret even HE doesn't know who he is! This special edition will include an all-new sixteen-page bonus section that will reveal the origin of Captain Underpants!

217. All the Wrong Questions #2: When Did You See Her Last? (Lemony Snicket)

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In the fading town of Stain'd-by-the-Sea, young apprentice Lemony Snicket has a new case to solve when he and his chaperone are hired to find a missing girl. Is the girl a runaway? Or was she kidnapped? Was she seen last at the grocery store? Or could she have stopped at the diner? Is it really any of your business? These are All The Wrong Questions...

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

219. Ashtown Burials #2: Drowned Vault, The (ND Wilson)

\$14.95 \$13.46

Cy and Tigs are not well liked since losing the Dragon's Tooth to the nefarious Dr. Phoenix. The Tooth is the only object in the world capable of killing the long-lived transmortals, and Phoenix has been tracking them down one-by-one, and murdering them. The surviving transmortals, led by legendary warrior Gilgamesh of Uruk, descend on Ashtown in force, demanding justice. Cy and Tigs find themselves on the run in a desperate search to locate Phoenix and regain the Tooth. They uncover an evil even more dangerous than Phoenix, one that has been waiting for centuries to emerge.

220. Dragon's Tooth

\$16.95 \$15.26

221. Ask Amy Green #6: Wedding Belles (Sarah Webb)

\$16.95 \$15.26

Wedding fever! Amy's mum is preparing to tie the knot with Dave - but while everyone's been caught up in confetti and cake, the groom has gone AWOL. Meanwhile, Amy's boyfriend, Seth, isn't speaking to her, her best friend, Mills, is having yet more boy trouble and Aunt Clover has a huge secret... Can Amy's life get any more complicated?

222-224. Awesome Animals Series (Various)

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Here are the next 3 instalments of the wonderful AWESOME ANIMALS series, perfect for younger readers

222. Llama Drama: In It To Win It (Rose Impey)

224. Penguin Pandemonium: Christmas Crackers (Jeanne Willis)

223. Otter Chaos: Dam Busters (Michael Broad)

225. Beast Quest Bumper Edition: Anoret the First Beast (Adam Blade)

\$15.99 \$14.40

Tom faces his greatest challenge yet: the legendary First Beast, Anoret, has been turned evil by the treacherous witch Kensa. Can Tom defeat an ancient terror before Avantia is ruined? Another special, action-packed bumper instalment of Tom's adventures, featuring Beasts old and new!

226. Big Nate: I Can't Take It! (Lincoln Peirce)

\$14.95 \$13.46

Nate Wright is a wisecracking 11-year-old who knows he's destined for greatness. Nate is the star of Big Nate, the daily and Sunday comic strip that made its debut in 1991. Nate's a sixth-grade chess prodigy, a self-described genius, and the all-time record holder for detentions in school history. He's often in hot water with his teachers and classmates, but Nate's winning personality and can-do attitude always make him a big hit with readers. Graphic Novel

227. Cherub Special Edition: Dark Sun (Robert Muchamore)

\$14.99 \$13.50

Who would believe that a kid at a sleepover could be a spy? CHERUB: Dark Sun is a short novel aimed at new readers to CHERUB, originally written for World Book Day and now made available in print again by popular demand! To go with it are three stories never before seen in print: The Switch, CHERUB at Christmas and Kerry's First Mission.

228. Daisy and the Trouble With Burglars (Kes Gray)

\$12.95 \$11.66

No matter the occasion, Daisy just can't help getting into trouble! When three actual burglaries happen in Daisy's town, Daisy is beside herself with excitement. Two houses and the fish and chip shop have been broken into (and lots of cods and haddocks have been stolen). Together with Gabby and Dylan, she forms her own detective agency.

229. Dear Dumb Diary Year Two #4: What I Don't Know Might Hurt Me (Jim Benton)

\$9.99 \$9.00ea

Dear Dumb Diary, before school, Isabella had me fix her hair in the girls' bathroom. It's black and thick and glossy, like the majestic hair on a lion if that was black. She had a test later, and she had written the answers on a slice of baloney in the sandwich she brought for lunch. If the teacher saw her, she could just eat the sandwich and destroy the evidence. But she wasn't thinking, and accidentally ate her lunch while I was doing her hair. Beauty can really make you hungry...

230. Hasn't This Gone on Long #1

232. Nobody's Perfect, I'm as Close as it Gets #3

231. Super Nice are Super Annoying #2

233. Demon Dentist, The (David Walliams)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Make your appointment if you dare... Demon Dentist is a jaw-achingly funny and teeth-chatteringly thrilling tale about an evil dentist who has an over-the-top devotion to teeth extractions and how one special boy and his dreamer dad finally stand up to this drilling-crazed villain.

234. Diary of Dorkius Maximus in Egypt (Tim Collins)

\$12.95 \$11.66ea

When Dorkius is invited by Julius Caesar on a trip to Egypt he's in for one big adventure. Dorkius encounters the 13-year-old King Ptolemy (that spoolie brat) and his not-so-beautiful sister Cleopatra, whom he introduces to Caesar and thus brings about one of the greatest love stories of all time (it involves a carpet), and ultimately the defeat of the pharaoh...

235. Diary of Dorkius Maximus #1

236. Dirty Bertie: Scream! (Alan MacDonald and David Roberts)

\$10.99 \$9.90

The boy with the nose-pickingly disgusting habits - is back for another helping of comic chaos! Join Bertie as he builds his very own haunted house, livens up a weekend in the country and is put under the spotlight at a spelling contest!

237. Emily Feather #2: Emily Feather and the Secret Mirror (Holly Webb)

\$12.99 \$11.70ea

Emily Feather-the ordinary girl in an extraordinary family. Emily knows about the other worlds that lie behind the odd doors in her house. She knows that her family are the gatekeepers of those doors and that her family are actually fairies. Emily wishes she had fairy powers too. Especially to deal with the bullies at school. If only she could find a way to take some of the magic with her...

238. Emily Feather and the Enchanted Door #1

239-240. Fangs Vampire Spy (Tommy Donbavand)

\$11.95 \$10.76ea

Join Special Agent Fangs Enigma - the world's greatest vampire spy - and his werewolf sidekick Puppy Brown as they battle society's worst criminal monsterminds. Second in a new series of comedy horror adventures.

239. Operation: Golden Bum #1

240. Codename : The Tickler #2

241-243. Faraway Tree Series (Enid Byton)

\$9.95 \$8.96ea

When Joe, Beth and Frannie move to a new home, an Enchanted Wood is on their doorstep. And when they discover the Faraway Tree, that is the beginning of many magical adventures! Join them and their friends Moonface, Saucepan Man and Silky the fairy as they discover which new land is at the top of the Faraway Tree.

241. Enchanted Wood, The #1

243. Folk of the Faraway Tree, The #3

242. Magic Faraway Tree, The #2

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244. Flaxfield Quartet #4: Starborn (Toby Forward) **\$19.95 \$17.96ea**

When Tadpole, a young roffle, decides to leave the deep world and venture Up Top for the first time, he just wants to see the stars. But instead he finds himself caught up in a terrible war, the final showdown between good magic and evil. He joins Sam, Tamrin and the other wizards as they risk their lives to defeat Ash once and for all...

245. Dragonborn **246. Fireborn** **247. Doubleborn** **\$14.99 \$13.50**

248. Forever Whale, the (Sarah Lean)
Hannah adores her Grandad. The trouble is, Grandad has Alzheimers. He keeps trying to tell Hannah a story about a whale, but it's all jumbled up. Then Grandad has a stroke and he can't remember anything, not even Hannah. It's like he's lost inside himself. Determined to get Grandad back, Hannah sets out to make a film that will remind him of his life - and in so doing, starts to piece together an extraordinary story about a whale that connects Grandad's childhood to her own.

249. Gallagher Girls #6: United We Spy (Ally Carter) **\$16.99 \$15.30**

Cammie Morgan has lost her father and her memory, but in the conclusion to the best-selling Gallagher Girls series, she finds her greatest mission yet. Cammie and her friends finally know why the terrorist organization called the Circle of Cavan has been hunting her. Now the spy girls and Zach must track down the Circle's elite members to stop them before they implement a master plan that will change Cammie forever. Go to www.pegiwilliams.com.au for all books in this series

250. Geek Girl is Back #2: Model Misfit (Holly Smale) **\$14.99 \$13.50ea**

Harriet knows that modelling won't transform you. She knows that being as uniquely odd as a polar bear isn't necessarily a bad thing (even in a rainforest). And that the average person eats a ton of food a year, though her pregnant stepmother is doing her best to beat this. What Harriet doesn't know is where she's going to fit in once the new baby arrives. With summer plans ruined, modelling in Japan seems the perfect chance to get as far away from home as possible. Can geek girl find her place on the other side of the world or is Harriet lost for good? Age 12+

251. Geek Girl **252. Geronimo Stilton #54: Get Into Gear, Stilton! (Geronimo Stilton)** **\$12.99 \$11.70**

I, Geronimo Stilton, was selected by the mayor to give a special driving demonstration-but my drivers' licence had expired! I had only a week to relearn everything to pass the test for a new one. Little did I know that my lessons would introduce me to a talking robot car! It was up to us to stop a thief and make the roads safer for everyone.

253. Geronimo Stilton #55: Golden Statue Plot, The (Geronimo Stilton) **\$12.99 \$11.70**

Rancid rat hairs, the pirate cats are coming to town! They're planning on stealing New Mouse City's Statue of Liberty and taking it back to Cat Island. They think it's completely made of gold! My friends and I are determined to protect our city's precious symbol. But can we stop these fearsome felines?

254. Geronimo Stilton Kingdom of Fantasy #5: Volcano of Fire, The (Geronimo Stilton) **\$19.99 \$18.00ea**

I, Geronimo Stilton, was amazed to find myself in the Kingdom of Fantasy for a fifth time. The elves had called me there. The Volcano of Fire had been mysteriously reawakened! On top of that the Princess of the Fairies had been kidnapped. I knew I had to help-and my friends were ready to join me. We set off through new realms to rescue the princess and save the Kingdom from destruction. What an adventure!

255. Kingdom Of Fantasy #1 **257. Amazing Voyage #3**

256. Quest for Paradise #2 **258. Dragon Prophecy #4**

259. Guys Read #4: Other Worlds (Jon Scieszka) **\$12.99 \$11.70ea**

Blast off with: 'Percy Jackson and the Singer of Apollo' an all-new and exclusive tale from Rick Riordan 'A Day in the Life' by award-winning author/illustrator Shaun Tan 'Rise of the RoboShoes' by Tom Angleberger of Origami Yoda fame and many more weird and wonderful stories by legendary writers.

260. Funny Business #1 **261. Thriller #2** **262. Sports Pages #3**

263. Hero (Sam Angus) **\$14.99 \$13.50**

In the dark days of war, even a horse can be a hero. It is 1940. As the war escalates and London becomes a target for German bombs, Dodo and her little brother Wolfie are evacuated to the country, away from everything they know. After weeks of homesick loneliness, they come across an orphaned foal. Their days are suddenly full of life and excitement again, but the shadow of war looms over their peaceful existence, and soon Hero must live up to his name...

264. Heroes of Olympus #4: House of Hades, The (Rick Riordan) **\$19.99 \$18.00**

At the conclusion of The Mark of Athena, Annabeth and Percy tumble into a pit leading straight to the Underworld. The other five demigods have to put aside their grief and follow Percy's instructions to find the mortal side of the Doors of Death. If they can fight their way through the Gaea's forces, and Percy and Annabeth can survive the House of Hades, then the Seven will be able to seal the Doors both sides and prevent the giants from raising Gaea. But, Leo wonders, if the Doors are sealed, how will Percy and Annabeth be able to escape?

265. Lost Hero #1 **\$16.95 \$15.26** **267. Mark of Athena #3** **\$19.99 \$18.00**

266. Son of Neptune #2 **\$16.95 \$15.26**

268. Hetty Feather Adventure #3: Emerald Star (Jacqueline Wilson) **\$16.95 \$15.26**

A fantastic new adventure for brave, feisty Hetty Feather. Since leaving the Foundling Hospital, Hetty has seen her fair share of drama, excitement, tragedy and loss. After the death of her beloved mama, she sets off to find a real home at last - starting with the search for her father. But Hetty is no longer a simple country girl, and begins to fear she'll never truly belong anywhere. Could a more exciting future lie ahead for Hetty?

269. Hiccup Horrendous #11: How to Betray a Dragon's Hero (Cressida Cowell) **\$13.99 \$11.19**

High up in the treacherous mists of the Murderous Mountains, Hiccup and the Company of the Dragonmark are in hiding. The witch's Spydragons are guarding the shores of Tomorrow - but Hiccup is determined to become King of the Wilderwest. Can Hiccup dodge the dragons and steal the King's Things back from Alvin before the Doomsday of Yule?

270. Illuminated Adventures of Flora and Ulysses, The (Kate DiCamillo and KG Campbell) **\$19.95 \$17.96**

It begins with a tragic accident that has unexpected consequences. The squirrel never saw the vacuum cleaner coming, but self-described cynic Flora Belle Buckman, who has read every issue of the comic book Terrible Things Can Happen to You!, is just the right person to step in and save him. A laugh-out-loud story filled with eccentric, endearing characters, novel format, interspersed with comic-style graphic sequences and full-page illustrations.

271. Infinity Ring #5: Cave of Wonders (Matthew Kirby) **\$14.99 \$13.50**

Europe is in the grip of the Dark Ages but there is a light in the dark-Baghdad. The great city has become a centre of learning, populated by scholars, merchants and explorers from all across the known world. But danger lurks in the desert...and Dak, Sera and Riq must act fast to save the world's greatest library from utter destruction.

272. Ivy and Bean Make the Rules #9 (Annie Barrows and Sophie Blackall) **\$9.95 \$8.96**

It's Spring Break and Bean's older sister, Nancy, is going to Girl Power 4-Ever Camp, where she will do Crafts and Music and Dance and other secret things that Bean will never know about because you have to be eleven to go to Girl Power 4-Ever Camp. Bean doesn't care. She doesn't want to go to camp. She wouldn't go even if they begged her. Bean and Ivy can make their own camp--their own better camp! - Camp Neanderthal Flaming Arrow.



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273-274. Katie Woo (Fran Manushkin)

Hil! I'm Katie Woo. I'm 6 years old and am in 1st grade. Join me on my adventures with my friends and family.

\$10.99 \$9.90ea

273. Katie Woo Celebrates **NEW**

274. Katie Woo Don't Be Blue **NEW**

275. Little Prince: Graphic Novel (Joann Sfar and Sarah Ardizzone)

\$16.95 \$15.26

A stunning and bold graphic adaptation from Antoine de Saint-Exupry's exceptional, iconic and classic children's book *Le Petit Prince*. A lone pilot stranded in the desert is awoken by a little prince, and they become friends. The prince comes from a tiny nameless planet far away. All that exists on his planet are three volcanoes and a flower. Yet, when the flower became difficult to please, like and understand, the little prince left in search of new friends and places. And only when face to face with the absurdities of the adult world, does he finally realize how special all that he has really is to him.

276. Lockwood and Co #1: Screaming Staircase, The (Jonathan Stroud)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Hauntings are our business . . . Ghosts crowd the streets and houses of London. Anthony Lockwood, with his slightly grumpy deputy George, and his junior field operative Lucy, make up LOCKWOOD & CO, the small, shabby yet talented ghost-hunting agency. After a series of calamitous investigations into the supernatural go awry, the team are desperate to prove themselves. Their opportunity comes in the form of a terrifying ghost, the Red Duke. But little do they know what perils lie in store for them at the haunted Bliss Hall . . .

277. Manatee Baby (Nicola Davies)

\$11.95 \$10.76

The day Manuela and her father spear a manatee, Manuela's life changes for ever. She has dreamed of this moment - only the most skilful hunters ever get near these elusive creatures. But the reality of the killing shocks her, and when she realizes the dead manatee has a little calf and that it has been wounded, she vows to look after it.

278. Mission: Survival #5: Claws of the Crocodile (Bear Grylls)

\$14.95 \$13.46ea

When Beck Granger follows a mysterious clue to the town of Broome, it is just the beginning of an adventure that will force him into some of his toughest survival challenges yet! Beck must battle raging storms, ravenous crocodiles, cunning villains and a secret that may link back to the death of his parents many years ago...

279. Gold of the Gods #1

281. Sands of the Scorpion #3

280. Way of the Wolf #2

282. Tracks of the Tiger #4

283-285. My Brother the Werewolf (Sienna Mercer)

\$14.95 \$13.46ea

In this spin-off series from *My Sister the Vampire*, a new set of twins will have readers howling with laughter. To their classmates, Daniel and Justin are identical twin brothers. But in fact they couldn't be more different. On their 13th birthday, one is destined to turn into a werewolf. This full moon is going to change everything.

283. Cry Wolf #1

284. Puppy Love #2

285. Howloween! #3

286. My Parents Are Out of Control (Pete Johnson)

\$14.95 \$13.46

Louis doesn't think much of it when his mum and dad ask him for tips on how to be cool. In fact, he thinks it's pretty funny watching them bump fists and use words like 'safe', 'sick' and 'wicked'. Until Dad turns up outside Louis's new school dressed like a rapper. Suddenly they're trying to friend Louis and his classmates on Facebook, and wearing baseball caps backwards. Louis and his best friend Maddy are horrified. Mum and Dad have taken things too far and action is needed!

287. Pinocchio (Michael Morpurgo and Emma Chichester Clark)

\$19.99 \$18.00

I thought it was about time that I, Pinocchio, told you my story... So begins this stunningly beautiful interpretation of the classic story. Michael Morpurgo channels Pinocchio's words to tell the famous puppet's story in his own inimitable, cheeky and always funny way.

288. Romeo and Juliet: Graphic Novel (Gareth Hinds)

\$22.95 \$20.66

She's a Capulet. He's a Montague. But when Romeo and Juliet first meet, they don't know they're from rival families and when they find out, they don't care. Their love is honest and raw and all-consuming. But it's also dangerous. How much will they have to sacrifice before they can be together?

289. Ruby Redfort #3: Catch Your Death (Lauren Child)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Tigers are roaming the streets of Twinford, and it looks like someone has deliberately released some very rare and very dangerous animals. Things are going to get wild - and Ruby is going to get badly lost in the wilderness. The question is: will she ever make it out alive? Well, as always, you wouldn't want to bet against her...

290. Look Into my Eyes #1

\$14.99 \$13.50

291. Take Your Last Breath #2

\$14.99 \$13.50

292. Russian Roulette (Anthony Horowitz)

\$22.95 \$18.36

The exciting prequel to the bestselling Alex Rider series, charting the journey of a young assassin. A gripping insight into the teenage life of Yassen Gregorovich, set against a backdrop of violence and corruption. From Yassen's training to become a deadly assassin, to his later orders to kill a young Alex Rider, this gripping adventure will be the deadliest yet...

293. Secret Garden, The (Frances Hodgson Burnett and Inga Moore)

\$24.95 \$22.46

When orphan Mary Lennox arrives from India to live with her uncle, everyone at Misselthwaite Manor thinks her a most disagreeable child. Then one day she discovers a secret garden, locked and hidden for ten years. With the help of a young boy called Dickon and her spoilt, invalid cousin, Colin, Mary brings the garden back to life; and as she does, the mystery behind it is revealed.

294. Seven Wonders #2: Lost In Babylon (Peter Lerangis)

\$16.99 \$15.30

The second book in a seven-book series, chronicling the adventures of Jack McKinley and his race to find the Loculi that have been hidden in the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World. In *Lost in Babylon*, Jack travels to the Hanging Gardens of Babylon, where he discovers a world out of time and is faced with a dilemma unlike any he'd ever imagined.

295. Skulduggery Pleasant #8: Last Stand of Dead Men (Derek Landy)

\$19.99 \$15.99

War has finally come. But it's not a war between good and evil, or light and dark - it's a war between Sanctuaries. For too long, the Irish Sanctuary has teetered on the brink of world-ending disaster, and the other Sanctuaries around the world have had enough. Allies turn to enemies, friends turn to foes, and Skulduggery and Valkyrie must team up with the rest of the Dead Men if they're going to have any chance at all of maintaining the balance of power...

296. Sleeping Baobab Tree, The (Paula Layden)

\$16.95 \$15.26

One morning twelve-year-old Fred wakes up with an unaccountable sense of foreboding, which his friend Bul-Boo, one of the twins from next door, insists is just in his imagination. However, the feeling persists - and grows stronger when Fred's terrifying great-granny, Nokokulu, asks him to accompany her on a trip to an ancient burial site known as the Place of Death. Then Bul-Boo overhears her parents talking about patients going missing from her mothers AIDS clinic, and when one of the patients turns out to be Fred's Aunt Kiki, the children suddenly view Nokokulu's trip in a different light.



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297. Spirit Animals #1: Wild Born (Brandon Mull)

\$6.50 \$5.85

Four children separated by vast distances all undergo the same ritual watched by cloaked strangers. Four flashes of light erupt, and from them emerge the unmistakable shapes of incredible beasts - a wolf, a leopard, a panda, a falcon. Suddenly the paths of these children - and the world - have been changed forever. Enter the world of Erdas where every child who comes of age must discover if they have a spirit animal - a rare bond between human and beast...

298. Stage School #7: Olivia's Curtain Call (Lyn Gardner)

\$14.99 \$13.50

Olivia and her friends are auditioning for a production of Romeo and Juliet in the West End. It makes Olivia realise just how much she wants to be an actress, like her mum was. But her father asks her to perform with him in a high-wire stunt instead. How can she choose between her parents? And love is in the air at the Swan School of Theatre and Dance. But when the curtain falls, will everyone get their fairytale happy ending?

299-304. Stargirl Academy (Vivien French)

\$11.95 \$10.76ea

Lily, Ava, Madison, Emma, Sophie and Olivia are all training to be fairy godmothers at Stargirl Academy under Fairy Mary McBee. Every spell they learn must be put to use helping somebody to earn them a star on their magical necklace - when the necklace is full they'll be real Stargirls!

299. Lily's Shimmering Spell #1

301. Sophie's Shining Spell #3

303. Emma's Glittering Spell #5

300. Madison's Starry Spell #2

302. Ava's Sparkling Spell #4

304. Olivia's Twinkling Spell #6

305. Starring Jules #2: (In Drama-Rama) (Beth Ain and Anne Keenan Higgins)

\$11.99 \$10.70ea

In this second hilarious chapter book about eight-year-old Jules Bloom, Jules has to navigate complicated friendships and spine-tingling stage fright as her star finally begins to rise.

306. Starring Jules (As Herself) #1

307. Stay Where You Are and Don't Leave (John Boyne)

\$21.95 \$19.76

The day the First World War broke out, Alfie Summerfield's father promised he wouldn't go away to fight - but he broke that promise the following day. Four years later, Alfie doesn't know where his father might be, other than that he's away on a special, secret mission. Then, while shining shoes at King's Cross Station, Alfie unexpectedly sees his father's name - on a sheaf of papers belonging to a military doctor...

308. Thea Stilton and the Spanish Dance Mission #16 (Thea Stilton)

\$12.99 \$11.70

The Thea Sisters are visiting friends in Spain when a mysterious theft turns their trip into an investigation! They end up hot on the trail of a secret treasure. The mouselets are in for an incredible adventure full of flamenco dance!

309. Thea Stilton Special Edition #2: Secret of the Fairies (Thea Stilton)

\$19.99 \$18.00ea

Thea Stilton and the Thea Sisters are on an expedition to the fantastical Land of Erin. While they are searching for a missing friend they learn that the land itself is in peril! The mouselets are ready to help. On their journey, they encounter fairies, pixies and other magical creatures - some helpful, but some out to trick them! Can the Thea Sisters save the Land of Erin before it's too late? It's an adventure full of mystery and friendship!

310. Journey to Atlantis, The #1

311. Thea Stilton: Revenge of the Lizard Club Graphic Novel (Geronimo Stilton)

\$14.99 \$13.50

It's election time at Ratford College and the candidates from the Lizard and Gecko student clubs face some challenges if they want to get elected as president. Certainly not helping matters is the arrival of a mysterious black ship off the shores of the island...and it's trying to pollute the beach! The girls must use all their investigative skills to root out the connection between the ship and the campaign. The fates of the election and their beautiful island home are at stake!

312. Through My Eyes: Amina: A Novel (JL Powers)

\$15.99 \$14.40ea

The year is 2011, and Somalia's civil war has been raging for two decades. Amina's world is shattered when government forces come to arrest her artist father and rebel forces kidnap her brother. Can Amina use her own street art to provide a voice for others like herself?

313. Through My Eyes: Shahana: A Novel (Rosanne Hawke)

314. Time Riders #8: Mayan Prophecy (Alex Scarrow)

\$16.99 \$15.30ea

Liam O'Connor should have died at sea in 1912. Maddy Carter should have died on a plane in 2010. Sal Vikram should have died in a fire in 2026. But all three have been given a second chance - to work for an agency that no one knows exists. Its purpose: to prevent time travel destroying history...

315. Time Riders #1

318. Eternal War #4

321. Pirate Kings #7

316. Day of the Predator #2

319. Gates of Rome #5

317. Doomsday Code #3

320. City of Shadows #6

322. Tom Gates: Extra Special Treats (Not) #6 (Liz Pichon)

\$15.99 \$14.40ea

It's really cold outside and we're hoping it's going to snow. Yeah! Derek and I could make a snow Rooster and have a snowball fight (look out, Delia!). Granny Mavis has started to knit me a new winter jumper but by the looks of things I'm not sure it's going to fit...

323. Brilliant World of Tom Gates #1

326. Tom Gates: Genius Ideas (Mostly) #4

324. Excellent Excuses and Other Good Stuff #2

327. Tom Gates Is Absolutely Fantastic #5

325. Everything's Amazing (Sort Of) #3

328. Trouble In Toadpool (Anne Fine)

\$14.95 \$13.46

Bliss! A lovely, quiet, nothing-to-do and nothing-on-the-calendar Sunday . . . Well, that's until bossy Aunt Susan - an unstoppable force - is on the phone insisting that Harry and his family come down to help her at a local event she's promised to organise: the Great Toadpool Show. It means swinging from a trapeze. Or walking on stilts. Or riding a unicycle. Aunt Susan has no idea of the mayhem she's about to unleash.

329. Tunnels #6: Terminal (Roderick Gordon)

\$19.99 \$18.00ea

In this sixth and concluding book of the Tunnels series the Styx and their cohorts of deadly Armagi have swept across England, leaving death and devastation in their wake. It seems nothing can stop them now. Only a miracle can save the day and, in the inner world at the centre of the earth, Will and Elliott might just have stumbled upon one as they uncover ancient secrets that are fundamental to all human and Styx life.

330. Tunnels #1

332. Freefall #3

334. Spiral #5

331. Deeper #2

333. Closer #4

335. Walking the Bear (Nicola Davies)

\$11.95 \$10.76

Zaki lives in northern India. His father mistreats his wife and children and the family's dancing bears. Zaki wants all the bears to be free. With the help of his mother and sister, the old bear is taken to a sanctuary for retired bears while Zaki runs away to the forest with the cubs. When he returns to his family, he finds his father's cruel rule has finally been overturned. His mother has a new way of making a living - and Zaki and his sister can go to school at last.

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336. Whatnot, The (Stefan Bachmann)

\$19.99 \$18.00ea

Bartholomew Kettle couldn't save his sister. He watched her be pushed through the door between worlds, into the icy forest of faery. He saw her take someone's hand. And he promised that he would find her. But what if he can't? And what if the sinister forces who were hunting them both haven't given up, but are just biding their time? Stefan Bachmann spins a consuming tale of magic, of good and evil, of family, and of figuring out where you belong.

337. Peculiar, The #1

338-345. Willard Price Adventure (Willard Price)

\$14.95 \$13.46ea

Written more than 50 years ago these books are as popular as ever with adventure loving readers.

338. Amazon Adventure 340. Diving Adventure 342. Lion Adventure 344. Volcano Adventure
339. Cannibal Adventure 341. Gorilla Adventure 343. Tiger Adventure 345. Whale Adventure

346. Wimpy Vampire Strikes Back, The (Tim Collins)

\$14.95 \$13.46

Nigel Mullet is just your average fifteen-year-old immortal vampire: he likes to play video games, laze about, awkwardly pursue girls, write in his diary and occasionally save the day. But now Nigel finds himself in charge of the vampire coven on the remote island of Hirta, a responsibility he's not particularly enjoying. Can he prove himself a leader of men (even though he's really not that bothered)? And will he get the girl? Age 12+

347-349. Wishing Chair Series (Enid Blyton)

\$9.95 \$8.96ea

Jump aboard the Wishing-Chair and whizz off on three magical adventures! When Mollie and Peter go to buy their mother a birthday present, they discover the most extraordinary thing - a chair that can fly and grant wishes!

347. Adventures of the Wishing-Chair #1

349. More Wishing-Chair Stories #3

348. Wishing-Chair Again #2

350. World of Norm #5: May Be Contagious (Jonathan Meres)

\$12.99 \$11.70

Norm is back! And he knows that it's just going to be one of those days... Before long a dog-related injury prevents him from biking, and an old "friend" threatens the one thing even more important to Norm than his bike. And we're not talking pizza! Upset plans and upset stomachs...Norm's out of luck. And it may be contagious!

351. You Don't Know Me (Sophia Bennett)

\$17.99 \$16.20

What happens if you betray your best friend on TV in front of millions? The whole world lines up to judge you. It was all so good. Sasha and Rose are best friends in a band, singing together. Right up to the finals of Killer Act, when the judges tell them one of them must go. Suddenly their friendship is put to the ultimate test...Age 13+

352. Young Sherlock Holmes #6: Knife Edge (Andrew Lane)

\$16.99 \$15.30

Something sinister is afoot in the house in the west of Ireland in which Sherlock is staying. There are frightened whisperings among the servants and the house's owners are clearly scared. But who - or what? - has terrified them so much that nobody will speak out? Go to www.pegiwilliams.com.au for all books in this series.

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353. 100 Most Feared Creatures (Compilation)

\$9.99 \$9.00

Who fights off killer creatures by spraying acid-filled blood from their eyes? How does the slender deep-sea gulper swallow prey twice its size? Who sucks out body fluids with its short, sharp mouthparts? Dare to discover the world's most ferocious creatures and uncover the deadliest of facts.

354-355. Australia's Most Dangerous (Kathy Riley)

\$14.99 \$13.50ea

Take a look at Australia's most dangerous animals in this new series. Packed full of detailed illustrations, beautiful images, interesting fact files, information and much more!

354. Sharks

355. Spiders

356. Big Book of Dinosaurs (Robert Irwin)

\$19.95 \$17.96

Join Robert Irwin, Dinosaur Hunter as he tracks down the greatest dinosaurs of all time, learning just how these mighty creatures lived and roamed planet Earth. Journey with Robert as he visits the world's most renowned fossil museums and sites. Packed full of fascinating facts about the prehistoric era.

357. Big Ideas That Changed the World (Dorling Kindersley)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Incredible inventions and the stories behind them. Big Ideas That Changed the World is all about the inventions that don't just change the way we do things but change the world we live in. From matches to mobiles, antibiotics to the flexible drinking straw, marvel at some of the world's most amazing discoveries that have made a sensation.

358. Big Red Kangaroo (Claire Saxby and Graham Byrne)

\$27.95 \$25.16

An exciting new addition to the narrative non-fiction series Nature Storybooks, about big red kangaroos. Far inland, the sun floats on the waves of a bake-earth day. Big Red and his mob of kangaroos wait for night-time when they can search for food. Young male kangaroos wait too - ready to challenge Red and take his place as leader.

359. Burning the Bails (Krista Bell and Ainsley Walters)

\$19.99 \$18.00

Burning the Bails recounts for the first time the true story behind the Ashes: that wooden bails were burnt by Lady Janet Clarke on Christmas Eve 1882 at her home, 'Rupertswood', in Sunbury, Victoria, after a social cricket match between some local lads and the visiting England team.

360. DK Knowledge Encyclopedia (Dorling Kindersley)

\$39.99 \$36.00

An encyclopedia like no other, the DK Knowledge Encyclopedia uses the latest CGI technology to help you explore everything you've ever wanted to know more about, covering space, Earth, nature, the human body, history and culture, and science and technology in incredible detail. From 3D images of the sun and the inside of a shark to a 3D DNA strand and a model of Shakespeare's globe, this is an amazing visual introduction to human knowledge. 390 pages.

361-364. Eyewonder Series (Dorling Kindersley)

\$9.99 \$9.00ea

These books feature astonishing photography exhibiting subjects within their natural setting, offering a whole new level of information through powerful images. Each title contains activities perfect for the young inquiring mind.

361. Dinosaurs

363. Reptiles

362. Planes

364. Whales and Dolphins

INFORMATION (353-384)

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365. First Animal Encyclopedia (Anita Ganeri)

\$19.99 \$18.00

From giant giraffes to tiny tiger cubs, find out all about some of the world's most amazing animals with this informative first guide and reference book. Packed with brilliant photography, fun facts and top animal tips, learn, explore and be amazed by animals big and small.

366. It Can't Be True (Dorling Kindersley)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Explore a world of subjects, from the tiniest microchips to the massive, swirling planet Jupiter, with stunning photographs and images to help you visualise and understand each comparison. Easy-to-read headlines and simple explanations, amazing pictures and graphics that describe incredible facts, this book will satisfy the most curious of children.

367. Lego Play Book: Ideas to Bring Your Bricks to Life (Dorling Kindersley)

\$39.99 \$36.00

LEGO® Play Book contains a collection of all-new LEGO building ideas that will inspire LEGO fans. Organised in imaginatively themed chapters, covering everything from a LEGO safari and life under the sea to extreme sports and beach scenes. Over 200 building ideas and tips, including suggestions for 'ten-minute builds' and 'cool brick' features.

368. Let's Play! Poems About Sports and Games (Debjani Chatterjee and Shirin Adl)

\$27.95 \$25.16

This brand new anthology covers a culturally diverse selection of sports and games from around the world. The poems are by contemporary and classic poets from many different cultures. The book also includes information about all the sports and games.

369. Meet Captain Cook (Ray Murdie and Chris Nixon)

\$19.95 \$17.96

Captain Cook was the first European to discover the eastern coast of Australia. Along with his crew on the HMB Endeavour, Cook set out from England with royal orders to look for signs of the great southern land known as Terra Australis, which they chartered in 1788.

370. Mindbenders (Dorling Kindersley)

\$29.99 \$27.00

Discover how to pick up a marble without touching it or find yourself without any control over your own arms! With instructions and explanations, you'll understand how over 60 challenges work and be able to amaze friends and family with your craftiness.

371. More Stories from the Billabong (James Vance Marshall and Francis Firebrace)

\$34.95 \$31.46

James Vance Marshall and Francis Firebrace have once again collaborated to bring us a companion book to Stories from the Billabong. How did turtle get his shell? Why do young koalas cling to their mothers' backs? How was the mighty Murray River created? Ten witty retellings of legends from the Yorta Yorta people to delight readers of all ages.

372. Orchard Book of Greek Myths (Geraldine McCaughrean and Emma Chichester Clark)

\$24.99 \$22.50

Celebrating the 21st birthday of this highly-respected introduction to the best-loved Greek stories, this new edition is generously reformatted and has a beautiful new cover.

373-378. Our Stories (Various)

\$17.95 \$16.16ea

Further titles in this popular Australian History series with interesting facts about our past and present.

373. Canberra: Federal Capital

376. For Valour: Australia's Victoria Cross

374. Child Convicts

377. Great Aussie Inventions

375. Eureka Stockade

378. So You Want to be Prime Minister?

379. Papa and the Olden Days (Ian Edwards and Rachel Tonkin)

\$16.95 \$15.26

I like it when Papa tells stories about the olden days. There were no radios or TVs, instead families would sing around pianos. Rather than cars, everybody rode horses. The townspeople even had to make their own bread and bricks because the nearest city was far away. Although it was long ago, Papa still remembers those days with a smile.

380. Predators (Priddy Bicknell)

\$9.99 \$9.00

From the venomous box jellyfish to the vicious piranha, Predators takes a close-up look at some of the deadliest, fastest and most powerful creatures on our planet. With essential facts to absorb about each animal, such as size, habitat and preferred prey. Illustrated with incredible full-colour photography. Inspirational read for fact-hungry kids.

381-382. Real World Maths (Compilation)

\$14.99 \$13.50ea

The titles in this series use maths skills learnt in the classroom in real-life puzzle solving scenarios, helping readers develop the appreciation of the wider relevance of maths. Go to www.pegiwilliams.com.au for more titles in this series.

381. Dinosaur Dig NEW

382. Firefighters to the Rescue NEW

383. Welcome to My Country (Burarrwanga Laklak)

\$18.99 \$17.10

Laklak Burarrwanga and family invite you to their Country, centred on a beautiful beach in Arnhem Land. Its crystal waters are full of fish, turtle, crab and stingray, to hunt; the land behind has bush fruits, pandanus for weaving, wood for spears, all kinds of useful things. 224 pages

384. What's In There? All About Before You Were Born

(Robie E Harris and Nadine Bernard Westcott)

\$24.95 \$22.46

Gus and Nellie have some exciting news: there's going to be a baby in their family! Join them through the seasons as they watch their mother's pregnancy with fascination and curiosity while awaiting the birth of their new baby sibling. Combining accessible, humorous, and accurate illustrations; conversations between the two siblings; and a factual text, here is the ideal book to help young children understand the baby's development and birth process.

CHRISTMAS BOOKS (385-407)

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385. 100 Christmas Things to Make and Do (Fiona Watt)

\$16.99 \$15.30

Including simple, step-by-step instructions for novel cookery and craft projects including snowball truffles, bouncing snowmen, Christmas tree decorations and an advent calendar designed as a castle. Will keep excited children occupied in the run-up to Christmas.

386. 1001 Things to Spot at Christmas (Gillian Doherty and Teri Gower)

\$16.99 \$15.30

Young children will love to spot all of Santa's little helpers crafting beautiful Christmas toys and gifts in this brand new seasonal addition to the popular 1001 Things to Spot series. Join Scarf the penguin on his visit to Santa's Christmas village full of snowball fights and Winter Games as well as Santa's delicious Christmas feast.

387. Blossom Possum and the Christmas Quacker (Gina Newton and Christina Booth)

\$19.99 \$18.00

It was Christmas Eve down under Koala Claws' last stop for the night. 'I'm sooo hot and tired,' he thought. 'A quick nap will see me right.' Blossom Possum and her friends try everything they can to wake Koala Claws, but he is fast asleep. Can they save Bush Christmas?



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- 388. Christmas Cooking (Rebecca Gilpin)** **\$12.99 \$11.70**
 Recipes include chocolate truffles, cheesy Christmas stars and coconut mice. Illustrated with easy to follow step-by-step instructions; also includes gift-wrapping ideas to make delicious treats into wonderful Christmas gifts.
- 389. Christmas Things to Stitch and Sew (Fiona Watt)** **\$9.99 \$9.00**
 Includes festive projects such as a reindeer collage, Christmas stockings, hanging star decorations and a beautiful fabric holly wreath. Suitable for children who are just beginning to learn how to sew or those who already have some experience, each activity is clearly illustrated with easy-to-follow step-by-step instructions.
- 390. Christmas Wombat (Jackie French and Bruce Whatley)** **\$14.99 \$13.50**
 It's Christmas! And it's Christmas for Mothball the Wombat, too. She eats, she sleeps, she scratches, but on Christmas Eve ... Created by writer Jackie French and illustrator Bruce Whatley, CHRISTMAS WOMBAT is another irresistible picture book by this extraordinary award-winning pair.
- 391. Dear Father Christmas (Alan Durant and Vanessa Cabban)** **\$16.95 \$15.26**
 When Holly sees a man who looks like Father Christmas, she decides to write him a letter: "Dear Father Christmas - is it snowing in Lapland? Please answer. Love Holly." And so begins the start of a touching penpal friendship with Father Christmas himself in which Holly learns about the magic of elves, reindeer and life in Lapland, as well as getting some very special Christmas surprises.
- 392. Ella and Olivia: Christmas Surprise (Yvette Poshoglian)** **\$7.99 \$7.20**
 Meet Ella and Olivia. Big sister. Little sister. Best friends. Ella and Olivia are sisters. Ella is seven years old. Olivia is five-and-a-half years old. They live with their mum and dad and little brother Max. Ella and Olivia can't wait until Christmas! But will their secret plan to open their presents early ruin the Christmas surprise?
- 393. Father Christmas Comes Up Trumps (Nicholas Allan)** **\$14.95 \$13.46**
 Father Christmas is back, and this time he's had three helping of sprouts! As he tries to deliver the presents, his tummy rumbles, gurgles and groans, but Father Christmas knows he must keep it in - he doesn't want to wake anyone up! Will he come up TRUMPS?
- 394. I Love You Father Christmas (Giles Andreae and Emma Dodd)** **\$24.99 \$22.50**
 I love you, Father Christmas, In your big red suit, With your bright silver buckle, and your black shiny boots. The excitement of Christmas is perfectly captured through one little boy's boundless enthusiasm. The joyful rhyme and bold, stylish art make this a must-have book for anyone who can't wait for Father Christmas to set off on his sleigh.
- 395. Little Robin's Christmas (Jan Fearnley)** **\$14.95 \$13.46**
 It's a week before Christmas and Little Robin has a warm vest for each frosty day. But he meets seven chilly friends and soon has no vests left for himself. Poor Robin huddles on a roof . . . until Father Christmas comes to the rescue and, as a reward for his kindness, gives Little Robin a red vest to keep forever.
- 396. Matilda Saves Santa Claus (Alex Field and Sophie Norsa)** **\$24.95 \$22.46**
 While out looking for the perfect Christmas tree, Matilda stumbles upon Santa in need of some assistance. But can a mouse save Christmas?
- 397. My Christmas Crackers (Bronwen Davies)** **\$9.99 \$9.00**
 What do monkeys sing at Christmas time? Jungle Bells! What do elves learn at school? The elfabet! What is Santa's dog called? Santa Paws! An illustrated book of Christmas jokes for all young comedians!
- 398. Nanny Piggins Guide to Conquering Christmas, The (Rachel Spratt)** **\$15.95 \$14.36**
 This is not a survival guide to Christmas. This is a guide to conquering the Yuletide season! That's right, it is time to take a stand - don't suffer through another year of brussels sprouts, gift-wrapped socks and slobbery kisses from great aunts who forget to put their teeth in. Take control of your Christmas and put the happy back in your holiday!
- 399. Naughtiest Reindeer, The (Nikki Greenberg)** **\$15.99 \$14.40**
 It's the night before Christmas and Rudolf is sneezing his little red nose off. So Santa needs another reindeer to help pull the sleigh. Rudolf's sister Ruby is a little reindeer who always finds herself in BIG trouble. Will she find a way to bring her best behaviour? Or will she bring chaos to Christmas Day?
- 400. Night Before Christmas, The (Clement Moore and Holly Hobbie)** **\$24.99 \$22.50**
 In her fresh imagining of Clement C. Moore's timeless classic, acclaimed watercolorist Holly Hobbie introduces an entirely new character to capture the magic and heighten the wonder of this exciting, mysterious time. Her inimitable illustrations glow with warmth and feeling and will transport you to a place where anything can happen.
- 401. Rainbow Magic: Robyn the Christmas Party Fairy (Daisy Meadows)** **\$12.99 \$11.70**
 It's Christmas Eve, and Rachel Walker and Kirsty Tate are very excited. They're helping to organise a big Christmas party! There's going to be jolly carols, a festive feast and a special ballet performance. Or that was the plan, until Jack Frost stole Robyn the Christmas Party Fairy's magical objects...
- 402. Santa's Secret (Mike Dumbleton and Tom Jellett)** **\$14.95 \$13.46**
 What does Santa get up to after all the presents have been delivered? An adorable Christmas picture book with a cheeky Australian twist. The Christmas presents have all been delivered, but Santa is back on his sleigh. What is he up to? Where is he going? Quick ... hop on board. Let's find out.
- 403. Secret Kingdom Special Edition: Christmas Ballerina (Rosie Banks)** **\$12.99 \$11.70**
 Ellie, Summer and Jasmine are getting ready for their Christmas celebrations when the Magic Box summons them to the Secret Kingdom. Their old friend King Merry is in trouble again - his wicked sister Queen Malice has cast another of her horrible spells on him!
- 404. Smallest Gift of Christmas, The (Peter Reynolds)** **\$24.95 \$22.46**
 In Peter H. Reynolds whimsical Christmas story, young Roland learns that more isn't always better - and rediscovers the magic of home.
- 405. Twelve Days of Christmas Island, The (Teresa Lagrange)** **\$19.99 \$18.00**
 Australia's Christmas Island is home to hundreds of species of birds, native plants and wildlife, many of which are not found anywhere else in the world. In this version of the much-loved Christmas carol, The Twelve Days of Christmas, we count down to Christmas and celebrate the unique birds that live on this wild and remote island.
- 406. We Wish You a Ripper Christmas Book and CD (Colin Buchanan and Roland Harvey)** **\$19.99 \$18.00**
 We wish you a ripper Christmas, A full-bore ripper Christmas, A deadset ripper Christmas, And a snappy new year! Wombat Santa has lost his naughty and nice list! See if the other Aussie animals can help Wombat Santa find it in time to deliver the presents and make this a really ripper Christmas! Sing along with the bonus CD performed by Colin Buchanan!
- 407. Where's Santa? Around the World (Louis Shea)** **\$15.99 \$14.40**
 Santa is off on a well-deserved holiday around the world! But he is being followed by Nat, the World's Naughtiest Child, who is trying to steal his naughty-and-nice list. Can you find Santa first or will Naughty Nat manage to track him down and get her hands on the magic list?

