

WINDY WASHING DAY

YVONNE LOW, ILLUSTRATED BY KATE TALBOT

- Yvonne Low was a finalist in the 2021 SCBWI Australian Picture Book Illustrator Awards and won a 2021 ASA/Copyright Agency Mentorship Award, for her graphic novel/picture book project. *Windy Washing Day* marks her debut as a picture book author

Age range 4 to 7

How an ordinary day becomes extraordinary...

It's a dry, sunny day and perfect for hanging out the laundry. But what happens when an unexpected wind pulls the washing off the line and carries it next door – to the Zoo! Will the animals give up their new-found clothes and can all the washing be returned safely?



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MidnightSun Publishing | HB | 32pp |
AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99



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About the author and illustrator:

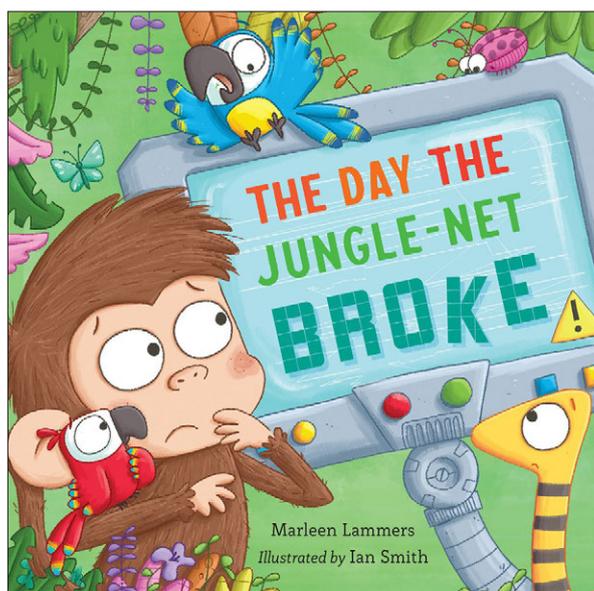


Yvonne Low is a writer, illustrator and award-winning fine artist, creating picture books, poetry and junior fiction. While nature is her main inspiration, through her background in the performing arts as a dancer and choreographer, theatre, film, music and foreign cultures also feed her imagination. Her work is whimsical and often has a dash of humour and wordplay.



Kate Talbot is an Australian-born, New Zealand-based children's book writer and illustrator. Working digitally, she is passionate about instilling a love for stories and storytelling in little people and hopes to nurture life-long readers and artists through her quirky characters and vibrant illustrations.





THE DAY THE JUNGLE-NET BROKE
 MARLEEN LAMMERS, ILLUSTRATED BY IAN SMITH

- Introduces children to the importance of boundaries with technology and is a good starting point to talk about the healthy balance between activities on and offline
- Fun animal characters
- Hilarious illustrations throughout by award-winning illustrator Ian Smith

Age range 3 to 6

When the jungle-net breaks, Miles the Monkey panics.

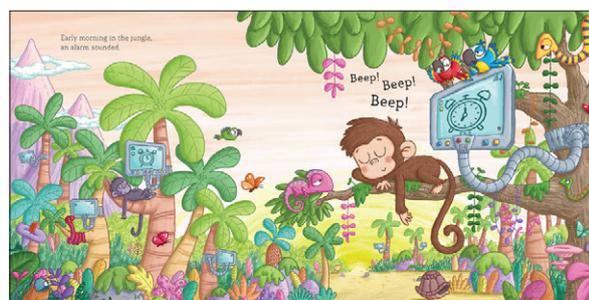
Without his i-tree, how will he tree-time his family? How will he order bananas from his Just Peel app? It feels disastrous.

But with all this time on his hands, and no screens around, Miles discovers there's a bit more to a good monkey-life than he realised.



9781923331105 | September 2025 | New Frontier | HB
 | 28pp | 254x254mm | AU \$26.99 | NZ \$32.99

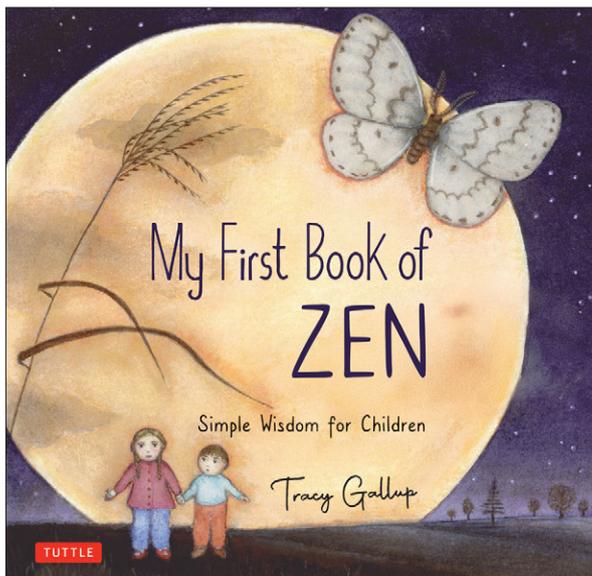
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About the author and illustrator:

Marleen Lammers is a writer with a huge passion for children's literature. She is a bit of an accidental nomad; she grew up in the Netherlands, but has been doing the expat thing for almost twenty years. She has spent most of that time in various countries in Southern Africa, working with nonprofits, and co-founding a couple of travel companies. She now travels between South Africa, the UK and Cyprus with her partner and two sons, and mostly tries to avoid cold weather. She's happiest when writing fun children's stories, preferably in the sun, preferably barefoot.

Ian Smith was born and raised in a little village in the West Midlands. While growing up, he spent much of his time playing in the mud with his plastic dinosaurs, reading about dinosaurs or chasing his little sisters while pretending to be a dinosaur. But even more than dinosaurs, he loved to draw. He always knew he wanted to be an artist (or a dinosaur!) When he got a bit older and the house had run out of walls for him to scribble on, he moved to Bristol to study for a BA in illustration at the University of the West of England. Since then, he's continued to draw and write funny stories, creating characters like the ones that had fired his imagination as a child, and before he knew it, he'd turned into an illustrator (and not a dinosaur after all).



9784805318980 | September 2025 | Tuttle Publishing
| HB | 32pp | 254x254mm | AU \$29.99

DISCOUNT: GEN

MY FIRST BOOK OF ZEN

Simple Wisdom for Children

TRACY GALLUP

- A beautifully illustrated book for children ages 8 and up introducing the gentle and peaceful message of Zen through 12 charming stories
- Features 27 full-colour watercolour illustrations reflecting the beauty and simplicity of the world around us
- This book is intended to instill in young readers an appreciation for the beauty of nature and a gratitude for life's simple pleasures
- Author and illustrator Tracy Gallup is the illustrator of *My First Book of Haiku Poems*, which won the 2019 Skipping Stones Honor Award, the 2020 Northern Lights Book Award, and was chosen for the 2020 Notable Poetry Book and Verse Novel list by the National Council of Teachers of English

Age range 5 to 9

Follow two children on a gentle journey as they receive notes and messages from their mother, discovering the beauty and wisdom of Zen along the way.

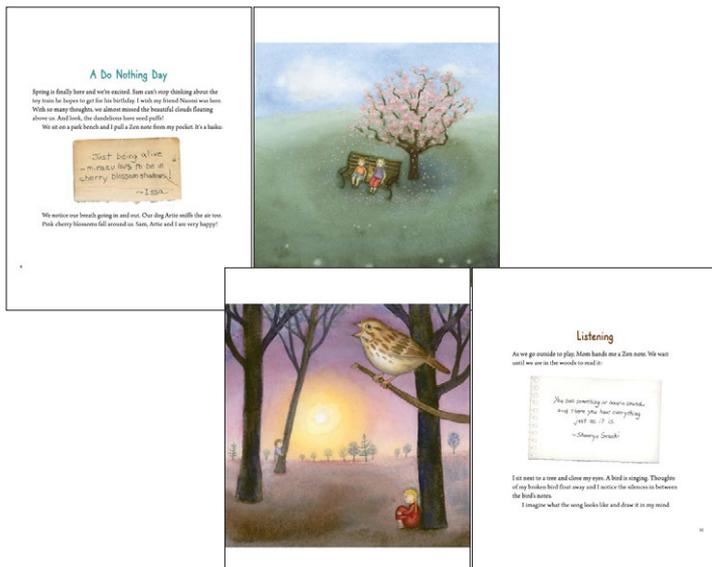
Change is in the air.

Oak leaves are gently falling like hands waving. Hello trees. You will soon have a change of outfit, with lacy, delicate branches reaching for the sky.

My First Book of Zen is an invitation for young minds to explore the gentle teachings of Zen philosophy. Through a day in the life of two children, young readers encounter messages of presence, kindness, and connection to the world around them.

Each of the nine moments encourages curiosity and reflection, helping children develop an appreciation for nature's beauty and the peace found in still moments. Enchanting watercolour illustrations by award-winning artist Tracy Gallup paint the soft moods of Zen and capture a sense of inner calm. Each image is paired with a thoughtful message and a quote from an inspirational thinker – like the haiku master Issa, Zen philosophers D.T. Suzuki and Alan Watts, or the Dalai Lama – offering a quiet space for reflection.

A perfect book for bedtime and fostering moments of calm, *My First Book of Zen* sows the seeds of inner harmony, compassion, gratitude, and a lasting love for the natural world.



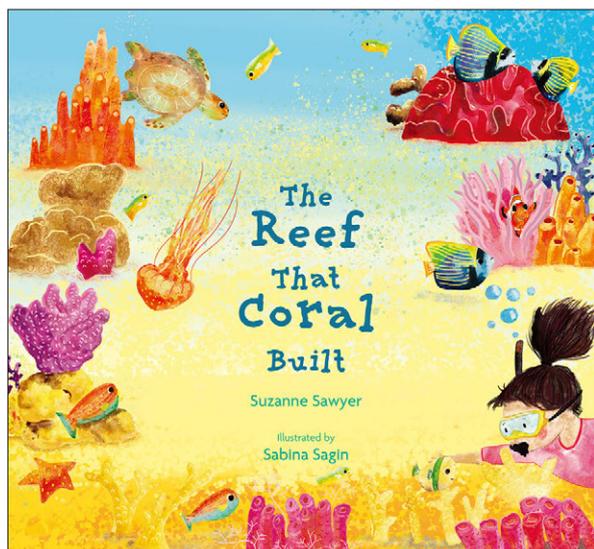
Also available:

MY FIRST BOOK OF HAIKU POEMS

ESPERANZA RAMIREZ-CHRISTENSEN, ILLUSTRATED BY TRACY GALLUP



9784805315156 | March 2019 | Tuttle Publishing | HB | 48pp
| 254x254mm | AU \$29.99 | DISC: GEN



THE REEF THAT CORAL BUILT

SUZANNE SAWYER, ILLUSTRATED BY SABINA SAGIN

- A factually based and engaging examination of life in a coral reef. Perfect for schools and young explorers
- Explores the importance of conservation and the impact humans have on this intricate ecosystem
- Richly detailed and vivid illustrations heighten the impact of the story and its message to care for and understand our coral reefs
- Expand the reach of this story with Teacher Notes, featuring discussion prompts and fun activities for children

Age range 5+

An exploration of various creatures' role in the vibrant, delicate, and complex coral reef ecosystem.

Dive into *The Reef That Coral Built*, a captivating aquatic tale inspired by *The House that Jack Built*. From tiny coral polyps to reef sharks and manta rays, each turn of the page reveals how every element and creature has an important role in the delicate and complex ecosystem of the reef. Through its engaging rhyme, children will discover how everything on the reef shares a connection, how life is sustained under the waves, and what humans can do to protect this incredible environment.



9781760362966 | September 2025 |
Starfish Bay Children's Books | HB | 40pp
| 240x260mm | AU \$26.99



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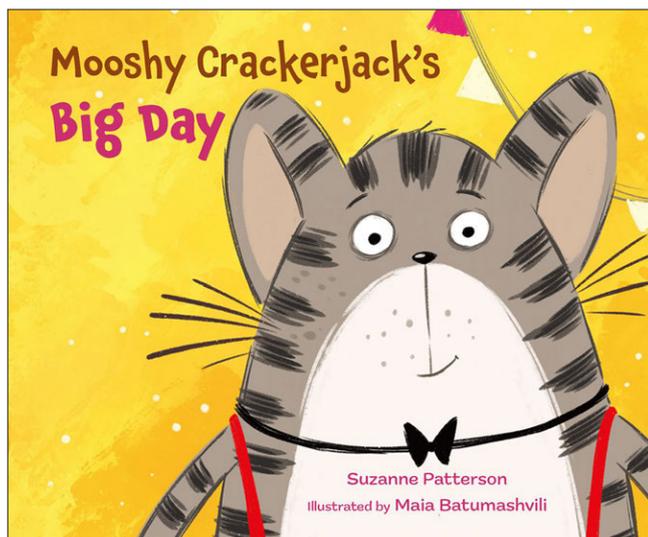
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(Melbourne)



About the author and illustrator:

Suzanne Sawyer has a miniature rainforest attached to her house in Sandpoint, Idaho, USA. Her rainforest is a greenhouse filled with hundreds of tropical orchids from exotic places around the world. Sawyer has a degree in Social Science, graduate level work in Marine Science and is a long-time member of the American Orchid Society.

Sabina Sagin was born in Melbourne, Australia. Classic children's stories, history, adventure, and nature inspire much of her work. She holds degrees in Communication Design and Music. Growing up, she was surrounded by dogs and other pets, and her British bulldog Rosie keeps her company while she writes and illustrates stories for the next generation of readers.



MOOSHY CRACKERJACK'S BIG DAY
 SUZANNE PATTERSON, ILLUSTRATED BY
 MAIA BATUMASHVILI

- A funny and appealing story about a mishap-laden birthday that children will love
- Touches on themes of patience and the importance of friends and family
- Hilarious illustrations that are full of character, bringing out the joy and fun of this wonderful story
- Expand the reach of this story with Teacher Notes, featuring discussion prompts and fun activities for children

Age range 4+

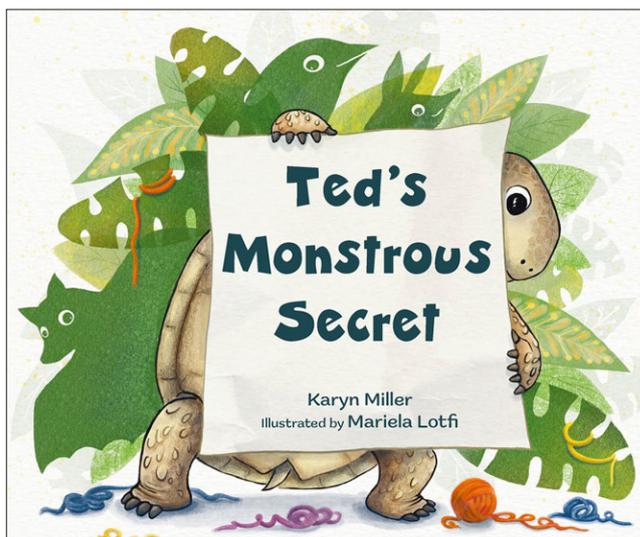
Mooshy Crackerjack's birthday goes hilariously wrong as he tries – and fails – to stay out of trouble.

Mooshy Crackerjack is determined to stay out of trouble and have the best birthday ever – but everyone seems to have forgotten! Although his family are busy preparing something special, it isn't for him, and with each step Mooshy takes, mayhem follows. From an icing disaster to a soggy balloon mishap, nothing goes right. Has anyone actually remembered his birthday? Or will there be a surprise in store? Join Mooshy in this delightfully illustrated and hilarious adventure about family, friendships, and the joy of surprises.



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9781760362690 | September 2025 | Starfish Bay | HB | 40pp | 210x255mm | AU \$26.99 | DISC: GEN



TED'S MONSTROUS SECRET
 KARYN MILLER, ILLUSTRATED BY
 MARIELA LOTFI

- This heartwarming tale of self-acceptance will encourage children to embrace their unique qualities and find confidence in who they are
- Ted's journey explores themes of empathy, inspiring children to support others and show kindness
- Engaging illustrations that convey the warmth and character of this wonderful story
- Expand the reach of this story with Teacher Notes, featuring discussion prompts and fun activities for children

Age range 5+

A turtle with a unique quality decides to show kindness to others who feel different.

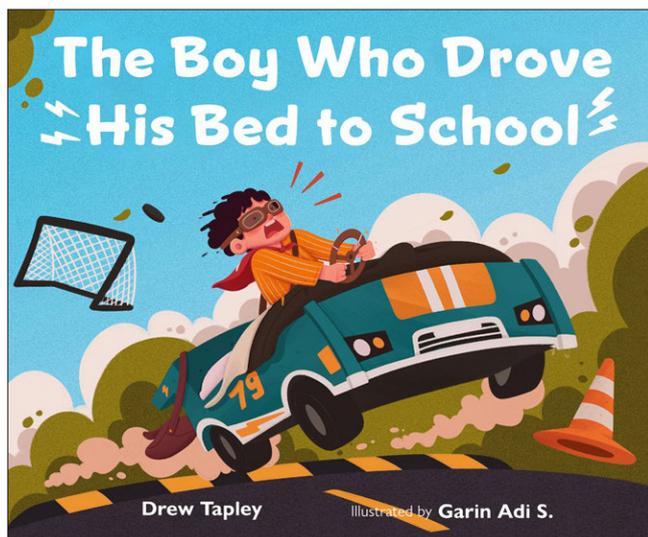
Ted is a turtle with a perfectly flat shell, so he wears a backpack and vest to fit in. But that doesn't stop others from teasing him. Rather than dwell on his sadness, Ted decides to help other animals who feel different, leaving them special notes as encouragement. From a lonely bat to a brightly coloured lizard, Ted's kindness spreads through the forest. But when an accident leaves him stuck on his back, he discovers the kindness he has given will return to him in a most unexpected way. A beautifully illustrated and heartwarming tale about self acceptance and empathy.



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9781800361041 | September 2025 | Tiny Seed Publishing | HB | 32pp | 210x155mm | AU \$26.99 | DISC: GEN





THE BOY WHO DROVE HIS BED TO SCHOOL

DREW TAPLEY, ILLUSTRATED BY GARIN ADI S.

- Children will love this outrageous and entertaining story that turns reluctance into an epic adventure
- Celebrates independent thinking, such as problem solving and resilience
- Bright, imaginative illustrations that convey the dynamic details of this delightful tale
- Expand the reach of this story with Teacher Notes, featuring discussion prompts and fun activities for children

Age range 5+

A boy who doesn't like getting out of bed in the morning drives his bed all the way into school.

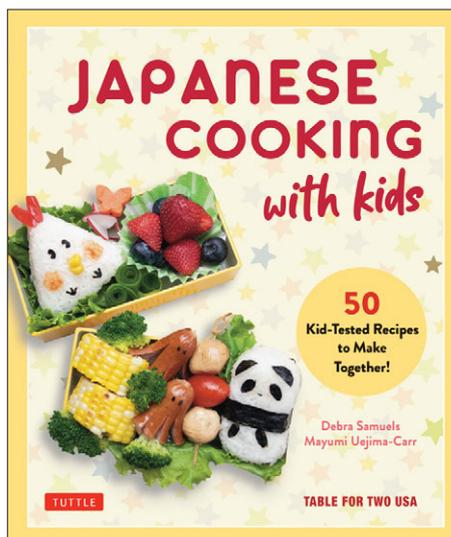
Ben doesn't really do mornings. He would much rather stay tucked up in bed. So, when his mother calls that it's time for school, Ben does something totally different – he drives his bed down the stairs, through the kitchen, and off to school! On his journey, Ben learns the rules of the road and gives a friend a lift, but what will everyone think when he turns up at school in a bed?

The Boy Who Drove His Bed to School is a wildly imaginative and amusing story about having big ideas.



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9781760362911 | September 2025 | Starfish Bay Children's Books | HB | 40pp | 210x255mm | AU \$26.99 | DISC: GEN



JAPANESE COOKING WITH KIDS

50 Kid-Tested Recipes to Make Together!

DEBRA SAMUELS, MAYUMI UEJIMA-CARR, PHOTOGRAPHS BY YUMI KOMATSUDAIRA

- A kid-friendly introduction to Japanese cooking for ages 8 to 14 by an expert chef and one of America's leading food writers
- Presents 50 delicious and healthy Japanese recipes and activities – from Pot Stickers and Sushi Rice in Tofu Pockets to Fried Chicken Bento Boxes and Glazed Mochi Balls
- Teaches kids the principles of healthy Japanese cuisine, the importance of appearance and presentation, as well as basic Japanese dining etiquette

Age range 8 to 14

Kid-friendly Japanese meals you can make together and get everyone to enjoy eating healthier!

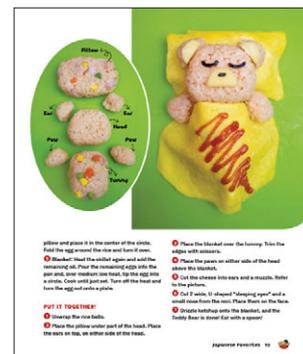
Japanese Cooking with Kids is the perfect way for you and your kids to learn about Japanese cooking while having fun in the kitchen – and to get them excited about eating healthier meals. Some of these dishes may even become their new favourites!

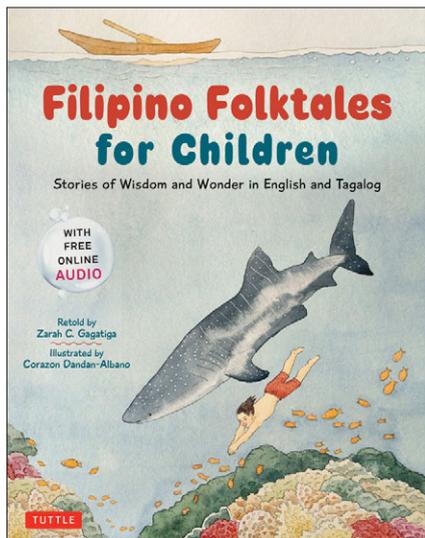
Each chapter in this book contains a fun, hands-on activity like counting to ten in Japanese while washing your hands, growing your own green onions or making your own chopstick rests!



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9784805317891 | September 2025 | Tuttle Publishing | HB | 128pp | 241x203mm | AU \$34.99 | DISC: GEN





FILIPINO FOLKTALES FOR CHILDREN

Stories of Wisdom and Wonder in English and Tagalog

ZARAH C. GAGATIGA, ILLUSTRATED BY CORAZON DANDAN-ALBANO

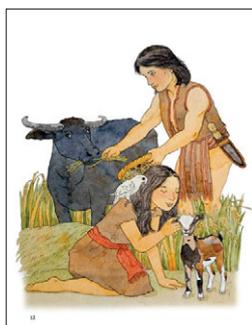
- The latest addition to Tuttle’s bilingual children’s series presents seven classic Filipino folktales retold in English and Tagalog, featuring popular Filipino tales including the ‘The Monkey and the Turtle’ and ‘Malakas and Maganda’
- A great resource for heritage language learners as well as those less familiar with the Philippines
- Includes free online recordings of the stories, a glossary and online lessons

Age range 5 to 13

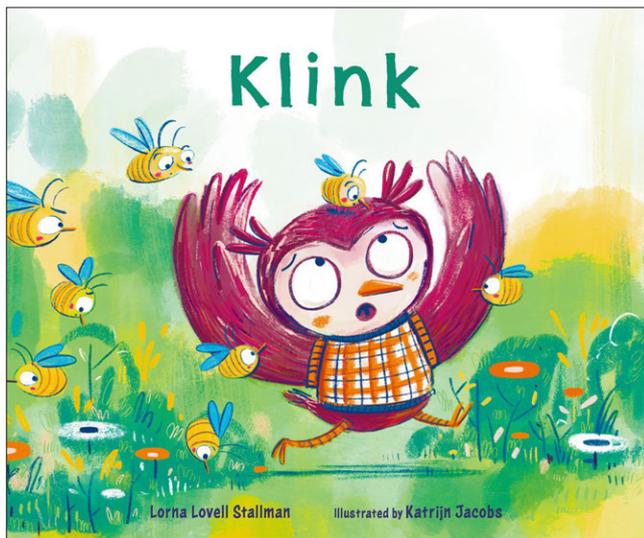
A beautifully illustrated collection of Filipino folktales to share in Tagalog and English!

Drawn from the rich folklore of the Philippines, these seven exciting tales are filled with magical creatures, captivating gods and goddesses, and the remarkable acts of ordinary people. Children and parents alike will love the stories and their whimsical watercolour illustrations.

Carefully crafted by an award-winning author to match the literacy level and interests of young readers, these stories touch on universal themes of accountability and the need to balance freedom with good choices.



9780804856133 | September 2025 | Tuttle Publishing | HB | 80pp | 279x216mm | AU \$29.99 | DISC: GEN



KLINK

LORNA LOVELL STALLMAN, ILLUSTRATED BY KATRIJN JACOBS

- A heartwarming adventure that shows readers that with a little self-belief, everyone can find courage in a difficult situation
- Bouncy lyrical rhyme that will delight readers
- Perfect for reading out loud
- Dynamic illustrations that are full of character will engage and thrill readers
- Expand the reach of this story with Teacher Notes, featuring discussion prompts and fun activities for children

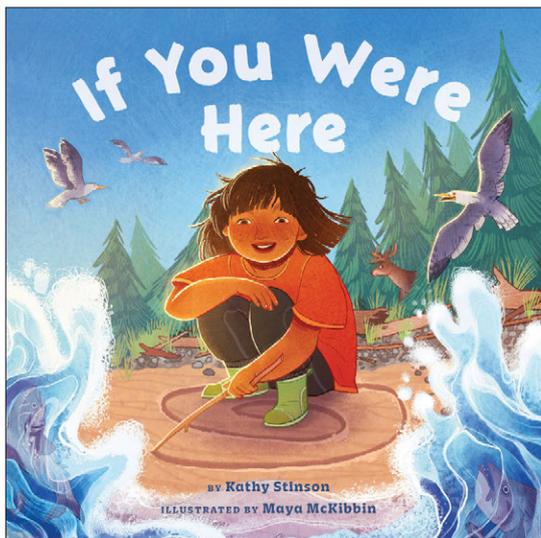
Age range 5+

A jittery young owlet must find courage to save his siblings from danger.

Klink is a jittery young owlet who is afraid of just about everything – his wrinkly feet, what to eat, but most of all, cats. His brave brother Dash and sassy sister Tink love to tease him, but when a game of pirates leaves the three in danger and a sly predator creeps closer, it’s down to Klink to muster his courage and prove that he is not a worrywart! An exciting adventure of bravery, self-discovery, and sibling bonds that features vivid illustrations, *Klink* will prove that even the smallest of us can be mighty heroes!



9781760362560 | September 2025 | Starfish Bay Children’s Books | HB | 40pp | 210x255mm | AU \$26.99 | DISC: GEN



IF YOU WERE HERE

KATHY STINSON, ILLUSTRATED BY MAYA MCKIBBIN

- This heartwarming picture book is the perfect book for helping a child navigate loss, or missing someone that can't be there with them, and can help them understand the emotions that they may experience
- The text and artwork encourages mindfulness in nature, including using all of our senses and understanding the importance of being in tune with our emotions

Age range 3 to 7

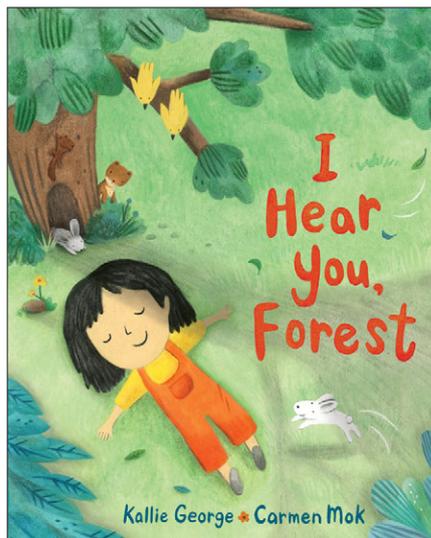
*I wish I could show you...
this great big meadow,
like a sea of lacy clouds...*

In this beautiful ode to nature and mindfulness, a child sets out to explore the environment around their home, using all their senses. Yet, someone important is missing, someone the child wishes could be there on the journey.

Expressive text by Kathy Stinson leaves room for readers' own interpretations about who the child in the story might be missing, while Indigenous illustrator Maya McKibbin's gorgeous images capture the lush beauty of the natural world and the tenderness of a child's emotions.



9781771649926 | September 2025 | Greystone Kids | HB | 40pp | 229x229mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN



I HEAR YOU, FOREST

KALLIE GEORGE, ILLUSTRATED BY CARMEN MOK

- A playful and poetic picture book that encourages kids to have empathy for, and a connection with, nature and all living things
- Encourages kids to listen to not just others, but also their surroundings and all parts of the natural world in order to create self-awareness and mindfulness
- First in new environmental series: The first installment in a series that explores varying environments and ecosystems

Age range 3 to 7

This playful yet calming book about wonderful forest sounds is the perfect gift for introducing kids to loving – and respecting – the natural world around them.

The forest has lots to say...if you listen.

When a child steps into the forest, her ears are open and her heart is too. She listens carefully and hears marvelous things. She hears the rustling of leaves sharing their secrets. She hears a beetle balancing on a branch. And the more she listens, the more she learns.

I Hear You, Forest is an excellent resource for outdoor education, classroom learning and homeschooling.



9781771647380 | September 2025 | Greystone Kids | PB | 36pp | 254x203mm | AU \$17.99 | NZ \$19.99 | DISC: GEN

NO ONE IS HOME

MIKOLAJ PA, ILLUSTRATED BY GOSIA HERBA, TRANSLATED BY SCOTIA GILROY

- **This heartfelt picture book features diverse characters and celebrates when communities come together**

Age range 4 to 8

Leo and Kimbo are best friends. Despite living on opposite sides of the city, they meet almost every day. But today is a very special day: it's Kimbo's birthday!

Leo decides to surprise his friend with a birthday present and so heads off to meet up with Kimbo across the busy city. But little does Leo know that Kimbo is headed to Leo's house! Will they ever get to celebrate together?

There is so much to see in this zany city: there's a bug parade, a shop selling rhymes, a busy bakery selling cream puffs and ice cream, a Robo-Dog dancing in the park, and so much more!

9781778402180 | September 2025 | Greystone Kids | HB | 48pp | 292x235mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN



UNDERWATER PARK

Learning about Sea Animals

HELENA HARASTOVA, ILLUSTRATED BY JUSTYNA HOLUBOWSKA-CHRZASZCZAK

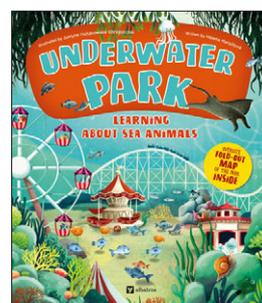
- **Sea creatures act as amusement park workers and visitors, including a large, engaging fold out map of the park**

Age range 3 to 6

Dive into an imaginative underwater amusement park where sea creatures take on fun roles, teaching kids fascinating facts about ocean life through playful, interactive storytelling.

Explore a whimsical underwater amusement park where sea creatures transform into playful workers and visitors, each with a unique job. From cuttlefish stamping fins with ink at the entrance to turtles supervising the playground in the coral reef, every corner of this park is bustling with life

9788000074412 | September 2025 | Albatros Media | HB | 32pp | 259x231mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN



MISSION MOON

An Illustrated Guide to Space Exploration

SARAH MÜHLEBACH, TRANSLATED BY MARSHALL YARBROUGH

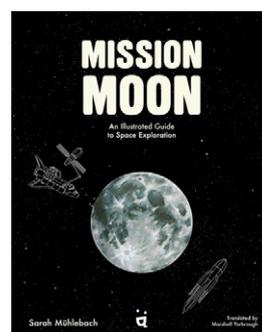
- **A history of space travel with unique emphasis on the moon, including achievements from nations around the globe, including the Artemis moon program, scheduled for 2025 and 2026**

Age range 8 to 11

In anticipation of the upcoming Artemis moon landings, launch into this gorgeously illustrated exploration of space – and discover the incredible feats of technology and imagination that got us to the lunar surface.

For almost all of time, the moon lay untouched. Then the race into space brought human visitors, spacecraft and a new age of exploration. *Mission Moon* engages young readers by telling this ongoing adventure with particular emphasis on the moon.

9783039640829 | September 2025 | Helvetiq | HB | 72pp | 269x210mm | AU \$34.99 | NZ \$39.99 | DISC: GEN



LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR

CHRIS SINGLETON, WITH RYAN G. VAN CLEAVE, ILLUSTRATED BY JAYRI GOMEZ

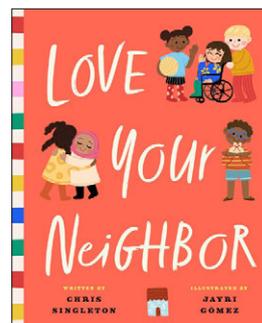
- An important message for today with concrete examples in lyrical form
- Award-winning author and inspirational speaker Chris Singleton encourages young children to love, love, love and gives us all some concrete action verbs to inspire and guide us

Age range 3 to 8

But HOW do I love my neighbour? Turn love into a verb.

Readers are asked to consider...

*But WHO is my neighbour? Can I pick and choose?
What if my neighbour doesn't LOOK like me?
What about those who don't ACT like me?
But HOW do I love my neighbour?*



9781638192268 | September 2025 | Bushel & Peck | HB | 32pp | 254x203mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN

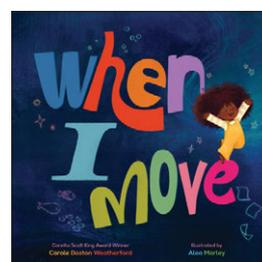
WHEN I MOVE

CAROLE BOSTON WEATHERFORD, ILLUSTRATED BY ALEA MARLEY

- The joyfully rhymed text will inspire young readers with the upbeat message of imagining all the possibilities the world has to offer
- Boston Weatherford, known for her renowned works of nonfiction, is now writing for a younger audience

Age range 3 to 8

An ode to being active and dramatic play. For fans of Ruth Krauss's *I Can Fly* and Ashley Spires's *The Most Magnificent Thing*, this picture book will inspire young readers to getting moving and start imagining!



Simple, engaging rhymes will inspire little ones to jump, run, and explore the limitless possibilities of their imagination in this energising ode to movement by award-winning author Carole Boston Weatherford.

9781454945543 | September 2025 | Union Square Kids | HB | 40pp | 254x254mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN

COME HOME TO MY HEART

RILEY REDGATE

- Riley Redgate is a seasoned, versatile, highly respected YA author and is poised to break out with this brilliantly crafted novel with a strong, timely, issue-driven hook
- Gloria's struggle with the realities of homelessness after being kicked out by her parents is gut-wrenching and a critical examination of an overlooked issue, particularly among LGBTQ+ teens

Age range 14+

Gorgeous in its sincerity and its precision – in its raw, honest depiction of what it feels like to be a gay teen in a world that says that you don't deserve a home.

Gloria Forman and Xia Harper go to the same high school in a small South Carolina town, but they couldn't be more different. While Gloria is part of the popular, Christian crowd, Xia sleeps through class, antagonises anyone who dares talk to her, and buries herself in books that help her pretend she's somewhere else – anywhere that being lesbian wouldn't be a waking nightmare.



9781454957119 | September 2025 | Union Square & Co | HB | 336pp | 209x139mm | AU \$34.99 | NZ \$39.99 | DISC: GEN

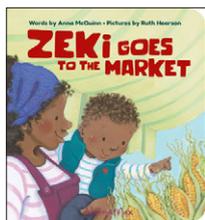
ZEKI GOES TO THE MARKET

ANNA MCQUINN,
ILLUSTRATED BY RUTH
HEARSON

- Perfect gift for babies
- Celebrates food and fresh produce
- Celebrates time spent with family

Age range 1+

Zeki, let's go to the market! The stalls are a feast for the senses: spices for Zeki to smell, honey buns to taste, belly butter to touch and oodles of noodles to take home. It's a busy and tasty day!

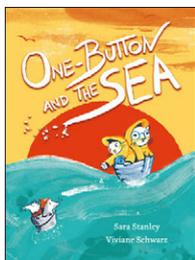


9781907825613 | September 2025 | Alanna Max | BH | 24pp | 200x185mm | AU \$17.99 | DISC: GEN

ONE-BUTTON AND THE SEA

SARA STANLEY, VIV SCHWARZ

- Now with Teachers Notes and Resources. Perfect for the classroom!
- Going to sea is a metaphor for so many topical traumas: refugees, flooding, lockdown, bereavement



Age range 4+

'Grandpa, tell me the story again of when we went to sea. That's a BIG story, One-Button.

How does it begin? It begins with the uprooting...

And so Grandpa tells the story of how he and One-Button and their whole community were uprooted from their everyday lives, and how they all had to take to sea in different boats. Until one day everything changed, and they were able to return home and resume their previous lives...different, but the same.

9781915252609 | August 2024 | Scallywag Press | HB | 32pp | 275x226mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN

WHAT'S LOVE ALL ABOUT, MINIMONI?

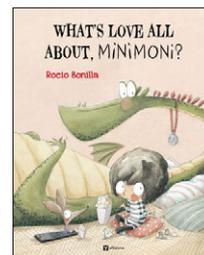
ROCIO BONILLA

- A funny, quirky adventure that playfully uncovers the true essence of love
- Minimoni's quest introduces love in a fun and accessible way, encouraging kids to think about and understand emotions
- Great for parent-child bonding and conversations about love and relationships

Age range 3 to 6

Join young Minimoni and her dog Max on a whimsical adventure as they explore the concept of love, discovering its big and small wonders along the way.

Little Monica, affectionately known as Minimoni, sets off on a delightful adventure to unravel the mystery of love alongside her loyal dog, Max.

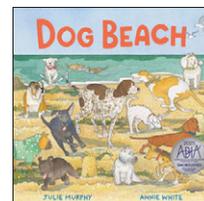


9788000074658 | September 2025 | Albatros Media | HB | 32pp | 300x241mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN

DOG BEACH

JULIE MURPHY,
ILLUSTRATED BY ANNIE
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- A humorous and fun-loving story of dogs frolicking at a quintessential Aussie beach, featuring a cast of whimsical and zany dogs in all shapes and sizes



Age range 4 to 6

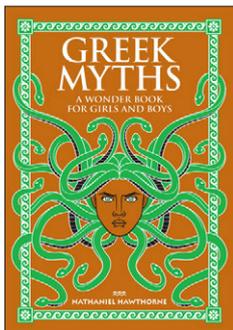
****Shortlisted, ABIA's 2025, Small Publisher's Children's Book of the Year****

Going to the beach is a big part of Australian culture and, for many people, so are dogs! This book doubles the fun, celebrating all of the different types of dogs that Australians love, from working dogs to lap dogs. Follow them as they run amuck along the sunny shores of Australia.

With bright and dreamy illustrations by Annie White, this short, rhythmic story will capture the attention of all beach and dog loving children, and even their parents!

9781922507709 | November 2024 | National Library of Australia | HB | 32pp | 260x260mm | AU \$24.99 | NZ \$29.99 | DISC: GEN

Barnes & Noble Collectible Classics Back in Stock!



GREEK MYTHS: A WONDER BOOK FOR GIRLS & BOYS
NATHANIEL HAWTHORNE

Age range 10 to 13

Greek Myths: A Wonder Book for Girls and Boys features six classic tales written especially for children by Nathaniel Hawthorne.

9781435158146 | March 2015 | Barnes & Noble Inc | HB | 216pp | 203x159mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN

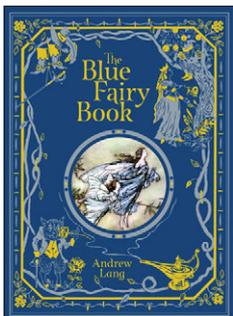


HEIDI
JOHANNA SPYRI

Age range 10 to 13

This edition of Johanna Spyri's classic novel features illustrations in full colour by Jessie Wilcox Smith.

9781435144668 | August 2017 | Barnes & Noble Inc | HB | 344pp | 210x162mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN



THE BLUE FAIRY BOOK
ANDREW LANG,
ILLUSTRATED BY H. J. FORD, G. P. J. HOOD

Age range 10 to 13

The first of 12 volumes of fairy tales collected by renowned folklorist Andrew Lang.

9781435162174 | June 2017 | Barnes & Noble Inc | HB | 440pp | 203x165mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN

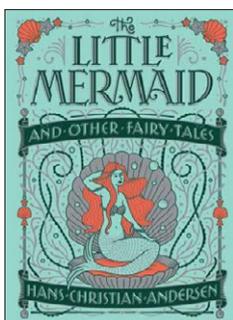


TWENTY THOUSAND LEAGUES UNDER THE SEA
JULES VERNE

Age range 10 to 13

A gorgeous edition of Jules Verne's landmark of science fiction and wonder, featuring full-colour art by Milo Winter.

9781435162150 | May 2016 | Barnes & Noble Inc | BG | 480pp | 203x159mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN



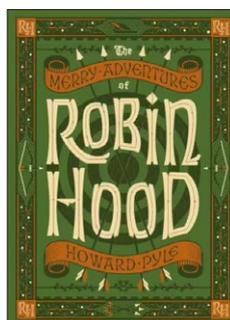
THE LITTLE MERMAID AND OTHER FAIRY TALES

HANS CHRISTIAN ANDERSEN

Age range 10 to 13

Hans Christian Andersen is one of the world's most popular storytellers, and his fairy tales are among the best-loved works of literature.

9781435163683 | September 2016 | Barnes & Noble Inc | BG | 320pp | 203x171mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN



THE MERRY ADVENTURES OF ROBIN HOOD

HOWARD PYLE

Age range 10 to 13

This edition features more than 40 full-colour illustrations by author Howard Pyle that bring the timeless text to life.

9781435144743 | November 2016 | Barnes & Noble Inc | BG | 456pp | 203x159mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN





NATIONAL SCIENCE WEEK 2025

Decoding the Universe
9 to 17 August 2025



SPACEWARP

Colliding Comets and Other Cosmic Catastrophes

FRED WATSON

- Australia's very own Astronomer-at-Large Fred Watson embarks on a mind-boggling tour of the Universe for kids
- Quirky non-fiction that inspires children about astronomy and space science in a light-hearted way



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Age range 10+

With incredible illustrations by Fred himself, and a mix of mind-boggling facts, *Spacewarp* is a fascinating book that kids will love – and parents and friends will undoubtedly learn a thing or two as well!

'Astronomy was the first science, so why not start here?' – Dr. Karl, award-winning author and science communicator

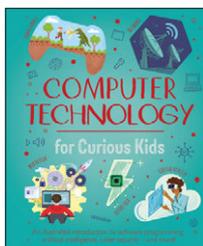
9781742237282 | November 2021 | NewSouth | PB | 288pp | 210x135mm | AU \$32.99 | NZ \$37.99 | DISC: GEN

COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY FOR CURIOUS KIDS

An illustrated introduction to software programming, artificial intelligence, cybersecurity – and more!

CHRIS OXLADE,

ILLUSTRATED BY NIK NEVES



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- Beautifully illustrated, accessible guide to computer science

Age range 8+

Upgrade your tech knowledge with this beautifully illustrated, inspirational, and accessible guide to the fascinating field of computing. From the simplest software to electronic brains, and from smartphone apps to social media and video games, there are gigabytes of data for you to unravel.

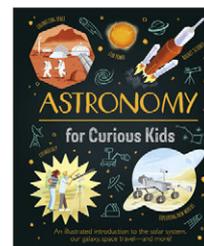
9781486318360 | March 2024 | CSIRO Publishing | HB | 128pp | 280x225mm | AU \$32.99 | NZ \$37.99 | DISC: GEN

ASTRONOMY FOR CURIOUS KIDS

An illustrated introduction to the solar system, our galaxy, space travel – and more!

GILES SPARROW,

ILLUSTRATED BY NIK NEVES



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- Beautifully illustrated, accessible guide to the world of astronomy

Age range 8 to 12

Look up to the stars and observe the wonders of outer space with this beautifully illustrated, inspirational, and accessible introduction to astronomy. Visit other planets in our solar system, steer a course through the constellations, and head away from our galaxy to unlock the secrets of interstellar space.

Take a tour of the night sky and the wonders of the Universe with *Astronomy for Curious Kids*.

9781486318384 | March 2024 | CSIRO Publishing | HB | 128pp | 280x225mm | AU \$32.99 | NZ \$37.99 | DISC: GEN

HOW TO SURVIVE ON MARS

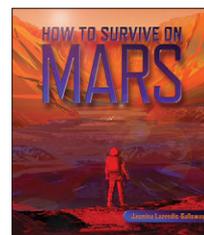
JASMINA LAZENDIC-GALLOWAY

- Explores what humans would need to do and the challenges we'd need to overcome to live on Mars

Age range 8 to 12

Get ready for lift-off on a Martian adventure!

Have you ever imagined living on another planet? *How to Survive on Mars* explores whether we could live on this rocky planet, deep in the solar system. But with no air to breathe, water to drink, food to eat and not enough sunlight to keep us warm, living on Mars is going to be challenging! But it just might be possible.



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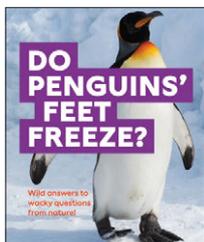
9781486314669 | August 2022 | CSIRO Publishing | PB | 120pp | 250x215mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN

 **national science week 2025**

DO PENGUINS' FEET FREEZE?

Wild answers to wacky questions from nature!

NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM
LONDON, ENGLAND



- Tales of the unexpected from every corner of the natural world, in a Q & A format
- Wild and whimsical facts which prove nature is stranger than fiction

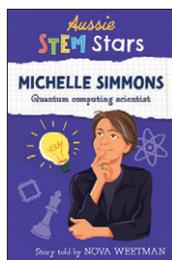
Age range 9+

Do Penguins' Feet Freeze? is a wonderfully weird collection of questions and answers about our natural world, written by the expert team at the Natural History Museum, London. Packed with colourful images throughout, this book reveals:

- Why do rabbits eat their own poo?
- How do polar bears stay warm?
- Can dolphins talk to each other?
- And more!

9781486317820 | August 2023 | CSIRO Publishing | PB | 96pp | 228x190mm | AU \$27.99 | NZ \$32.99 | DISC: GEN

AUSSIE STEM STARS: MICHELLE SIMMONS
Quantum computing scientist
NOVA WEETMAN



- Strong role model and inspiration to young scientists to dream the impossible
- Narrative non-fiction as a tool for educating children, proving that it can be as fun and interesting as fiction

Age range 10 to 13

Growing up in London, Michelle's interests frequently bumped up against expectations of girls which she pushed through, including her love of playing soccer and chess, and later, her passion for science and technology.

Professor Simmons is well-known for creating the field of atomic electronics. Since 2000 she established the Centre of Excellence for Quantum Computation and Communication Technology dedicated to the making of tiny atomic-scale devices in silicon and germanium.

9781925893496 | October 2023 | Wild Dingo Press | PB | 176pp | 198x129mm | AU \$15.99 | NZ \$17.99 | DISC: GEN

TARDIGRADES

Nature's Toughest Survivors
ANNE MORGAN, ILLUSTRATED
BY JENNIFER FALKNER



- Explores the survival superpowers of tardigrades, which are almost impossible to kill and can survive being dessicated, exposed to space and boiled!

Age range 5 to 9

Tardigrades are one of the toughest creatures in nature! These tiny little animals, nicknamed 'moss piglets' or 'water bears', have incredible survival superpowers.

They've been found in astonishing places, from the top of a mountain to the bottom of an ocean. They've even survived a trip into space!

Tardigrades: Nature's Toughest Survivors showcases these astounding little creatures and their remarkable ability to survive.

9781486316052 | October 2024 | CSIRO Publishing | HB | 32pp | 250x250mm | AU \$24.99 | NZ \$29.99 | DISC: GEN

AUSSIE STEM STARS: SUZY URBANIAK
Volcano hunter and STEAM warrior
CRISTY BURNE



- Teacher's notes available. A perfect series for school libraries or home bookshelves
- A fresh and unique series that focuses on our Australian STEM heroes

Age range 9 to 12

Geologist Suzy Urbaniak is a limbo-dancer, a crepe-baker, a risk-taker and a question-asker. Winner of the 2016 Prime Minister's Prize for her out-of-the-box teaching, Suzy is all about passion, innovation, and doing things your own way.

Because life is what's out there, in #therealclassroom

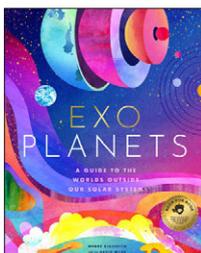
9781925893786 | February 2023 | Wild Dingo Press | PB | 176pp | 198x129mm | AU \$15.99 | NZ \$17.99 | DISC: GEN

EXOPLANETS

A Visual Guide to the Worlds Outside Our Solar System

BUSHEL & PECK BOOKS

- An introduction to hundreds of worlds outside our solar system!
- Includes essential information on planetary composition, date of discovery, name, and more



Age range 9 to 12

You know all about the planets near Earth, but what about the planets outside our solar system? How are they discovered? Could there be life? Find out in *Exoplanets!*

NASA has confirmed the existence of over 5,000 exoplanets (planets that lie outside of our solar system), and that number is growing! *Exoplanets*, the first book of its kind for kids, is a visually packed guidebook to the exoplanets of our universe.

9781638190981 | June 2023 | Bushel & Peck | HB | 40pp | 305x241mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN

SUPER OCEAN WEEKEND

The Ultimate Underwater Adventure

GAËLLE ALMÉRAS, TRANSLATED BY DAVID WARRINER

- Splashes of blue backdrops the pages and bright pops of colour creates an incredibly unique reading experience
- Reveals the mysterious world of oceanography – from how oceans form to water cycles – and explores how we can protect those who call it home



Age range 7 to 12

This nonfiction graphic novel for kids 7+ takes readers on an aquatic expedition into the Earth's oceans. Get ready for the ultimate underwater adventure into ocean science and marine biology!

Friends Castor and Squeak are camping out on a rocky island with Orni and her cousin, Echid, when they begin to wonder: what really goes on in the depths of the oceans?

9781778400681 | October 2024 | Greystone Kids | HB | 172pp | 247x203mm | AU \$34.99 | NZ \$39.99 | DISC: GEN

THE SUN AND THE PLANETS

A 3-D Solar System with Planets!

ILLUSTRATED BY PATRICIA GEIS

- Up-to-date science
- Exciting interactive parts: pup-ups, sliders, fold-outs, and more
- The perfect gift for young space enthusiasts



Age range 5 to 10

Filled with pop-ups, pull-outs, sliders, and foldouts, this interactive nonfiction book about our Solar System will blow children's minds.

It provides updated information with amazing detail and lots of moving parts that will bring a smile to readers' faces. As children greet the celestial bodies designed by Patricia Geis, they will learn facts about each and how they affect our daily lives.

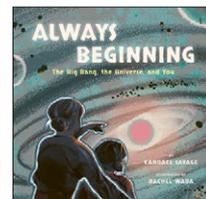
9781638192084 | November 2023 | Bushel & Peck | HB | 14pp | 305x216mm | AU \$45.00 | NZ \$49.99 | DISC: GEN

ALWAYS BEGINNING

The Big Bang, the Universe and You

CANDACE SAVAGE, ILLUSTRATED BY RACHEL WADA

- An excellent book for kids curious about how we got here, and how the world was created
- Features a timeline of our universe's history, from the Big Bang and the formation of planets up to the Age of Mammals and early humans



Age range 4 to 8

For kids with big questions comes a mesmerising celebration of the universe and our place in it, perfect for STEM learning.

The story of the universe is enough to send our minds spinning with wonder! This awe-inspiring picture book explores the science behind the start of our universe and how we came to be a part of it, from the Big Bang and the beginning of life on Earth all the way up until today.

9781771648431 | September 2024 | Greystone Kids | HB | 44pp | 229x229mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN