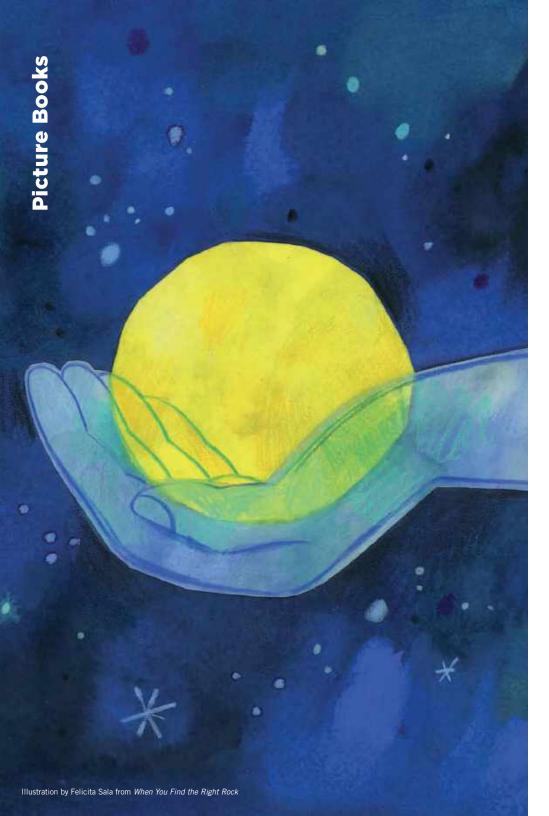


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ANYTHING

By Rebecca Stead, illustrated by Gracey Zhang

A magical book about the way wishes create a space in our hearts—big enough for hope, big enough for home, big enough for the future. Newbery Award—winning author Rebecca Stead's debut picture book explores the bravery it takes to meet uncertainty and to hope. With art from acclaimed artist Gracey Zhang, Anything paints a tender picture of a father and daughter moving into a new home that will resonate with every young reader who wishes the world could be less challenging. It is also a powerful reminder that sometimes making a wish is a way of telling ourselves we're ready

for something new.

Jacketed hardcover, \$17.99, 9 x 12 in, 48 pp, ages 3 - 5, full-color illustrations throughout, Spring 2025

Also illustrated by Gracey Zhang:



The Upside Down Hat \$17.99 • 9781452182025 Rights sold: Simplified Chinese/CITIC Press



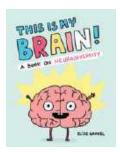
HOW TO SPOT A MERMAID

By Jane Yolen, illustrated by Sally Deng

Everyone wants to be friends with a mermaid, but you can only befriend one once you spot one. And who better to teach you how than fantasy writer superstar Jane Yolen? Mermaids are the most mysterious and charming creatures of them all. As you know, they can be shy, and they scare easily, so finding one can be tricky business. But if you find the right body of water, sit very still, and

are willing to share your goldfish crackers, you might just be lucky enough. Once you've seen a mermaid, you've achieved the first step to maybe, possibly, forming a one-of-a-kind friendship. This funny step-by-step guide with unique insight into what mermaids are and how they behave will appeal to parents and kids for its hook, humor, and eye-catching illustrations. Teachers and librarians will love how it models observational science/fieldwork and be delighted to have a new Jane Yolen title!

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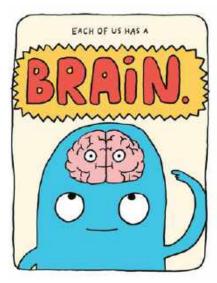
THIS IS MY BRAIN A Book on Neurodiversity By Elise Gravel

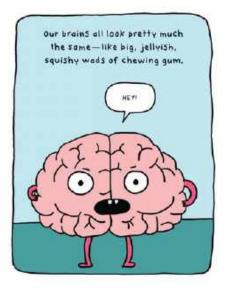
Each of us has a brain. Though all our brains look pretty the same, every brain works differently.

In this seriously funny book, Elise Gravel celebrates the many wonderful ways humans think and illustrates that learning how different brains think, feel, and act can help us grow ... and keep our brains happy! Using her distinctive comic-style art and her unique talent to explain complicated information in simple and

hilarious ways, Gravel explores the many different jobs the brain does and how each person's brain works uniquely. This is accessible non-fiction with a fun and entertaining overview of neurodiversity that will appeal to educators, parents, and kids.

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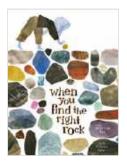


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Killer Underwear Invasion \$14.99 • 9781797214917 Rights sold:

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WHEN YOU FIND THE RIGHT ROCK

By Mary Lyn Ray, illustrated by Felicita Sala

Somewhere a rock is waiting for you. Maybe it is a rock from the heart of a mountain, that will remind you of how big you are inside, too. Maybe it is a rock washed by the sea, that knows all about the

backs and forths and ups and downs of things. Maybe it is a small rock, just the right size to close your hand around, and know that the rock is with you, and it is just right. Poet Mary Lyn Ray and artist Felicita Sala offer a marvelous exploration of the special relationship children find with the natural world, and the fascination and friendship they find in special rocks.

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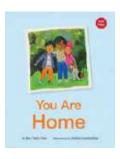


THE MOON MOVED IN

By Sue Soltis, illustrated by Sonia Sánchez

A gorgeously written and illustrated story of friendship and patience and our power to connect, even from far away. Stella has nearly given up hope that anyone will ever come live in the empty house next door—but then the Moon moves in. The Moon doesn't bring a moving truck, and it has nothing to hang on its walls. But the Moon does love to garden, and Stella loves keeping it company. Between the Moon's snap peas and Stella's earthworms, an unlikely friendship begins to bloom—until they realize there are many others who need the Moon just as much.

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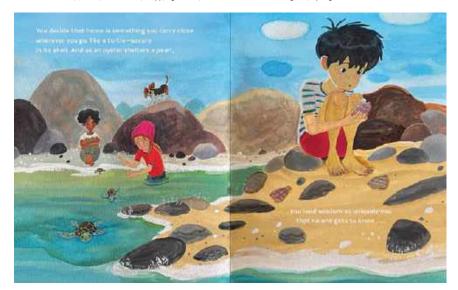


YOU ARE HOME

Bu Bex Tobin Fine, illustrated by Andrés Landazábal

A beautifully written book that will reassure and inspire young readers going through housing transitions, as well as anyone who has ever looked for—and finally found—a home. When a child loses her home, she embarks on a journey toward rebuilding not only her sense of place but her sense of belonging. As she meets other children living in various housing situations, she wonders: What is home? Is it a place? A person? Is it the stories we tell or the artwork we create? Or is home a feeling, a sense of connection and. ultimately, hope?

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CONSTRUCTION SITE: GARBAGE CREW TO THE RESCUE!

By Sherri Duskey Rinker, Illustrated by AG Ford

The construction crew is back and ready to help renovate! Working together with new friends—garbage trucks, roll-off trucks, container delivery trucks, and more!—they'll help refurbish old homes, setting up dumpsters and garbage cans; sorting trash, recycling, and compost; and transporting the garbage away.

A fleet of heroes, in they drive; the whole earth shakes as they arrive. Rumbling, roaring, rolling through, they're big and strong (and stinky, too!) It's the mighty GARBAGE CREW!

In this latest picture book in the series that has thus far placed every book on the NYT bestseller list, the construction crew embarks on a new and exciting adventure: renovating rundown houses! With the help of garbage trucks (front loaders! side loaders! rear loaders!), the team is ready to clean up mounds of paper, junk, and trash; rotten food, all gross and smashed; bottles, cans in every size; and things ... they just can't recognize! Sherri Duskey Rinker's playful rhyming text and AG Ford's vibrant illustrations make cleaning up fun from start to finish. Little construction fans will love watching trucks, both familiar and new, work together as a team to rescue these rundown houses and turn them into renovated homes.

Jacketed hardcover, \$18.99, 10 x 9 5/8 in, 44 pp, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024

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Goodnight, Goodnight **Construction Site** \$16.99 • 9780811877824 34 foreign editions!

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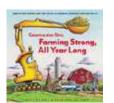
Crew. Coming Through! \$17.99 • 9781797204727 Rights sold: Chinese (Simplified)/ Chronicle Bridge, Japanese/ Child Honsha, Korean/Blue Wing Publishing, Polish/ Wydawnictwo Nasza, Russian/ Wydawnictwo Nasza, Russian/ Kariera, Ukrainian/Artbooks



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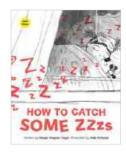


Construction Site: Farming Strong, All Year Long \$17.99 • 9781797213873 Rights sold:

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Construction Site: Taking Flight! \$17.99 • 9781797221922 Rights sold: Chinese (Simplified)/ Chronicle Bridge, French (Canada)/Scholastic Canada. Japanese/Child Honsha. Polish/Wydawnictwo Nasza. Ukrainian/Artbooks Publishing



HOW TO CATCH SOME ZZZZS

By Megan Lloyd, illustrated by Jade Orlando

It's bedtime! But what if you don't feel ready to go to sleep? What can you do to catch your Zzzzzzs? This charming and funny book, by an up-and-coming illustrator, is the perfect way to help kids settle down, get ready for bed and find their way to dreamland.

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IN BETWEEN PLACES

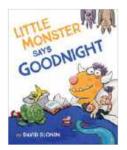
By Alex Killian, illustrated by Grady McFerrin

Sometimes you know just where you are going. Sometimes you don't. Sometimes you find yourself in an in-between place. A place that is neither here or there. A place where you can go up or down, left or right. So how do you know which way to go.

This lyrical and thought-proving book reminds us all that sometimes we just need to take a leap and we might find ourselves exactly where we need to be.

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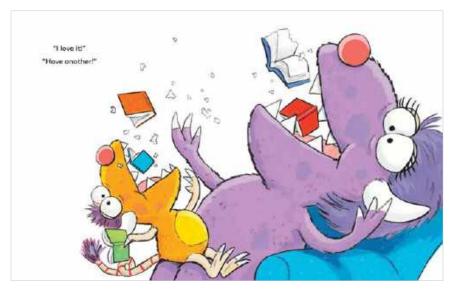


LITTLE MONSTER SAYS GOODNIGHT

By David Slonim

Getting ready for bed is a blast, thanks to a relatable little monster who does things, well, just a little differently ...With Momster's help, Little Monster gets ready for bed: he brushes his fangs (leaving gobs of fang paste everywhere), enjoys some bedtime books (as in, he eats them), and asks his parents to see if there's a monster under the bed (there is—good!). That's right—even monsters must get ready for bed, and Little Monster's nighttime rituals will encourage all little monsters to go to sleep!

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HUGGED BY THE NIGHT

By Harold Green, Illustrated by Karabo Poppy

Spoken-word poet Harold Green's debut picture book *Hugged by the Night* is at once a reassuring lullaby for bedtime fears and an affirmation of the beauty and power of Black identity. As darkness settles over the forest, three animals gaze up at the Night Sky and wonder how they, too, can be as confident, proud, and fearless as She is. Hearing their wishes, the Sky takes the animals into her arms and, with a gentle embrace, bestows each one with a powerful and transformative gift. Soothing and richly lyrical, Harold Green brings his vibrant poeticism to this new folktale. With luminous art

by Karabo Poppy, *Hugged by the Night* is at once a reassuring lullaby for bedtime fears and an affirmation of the beauty and power of Black identity.

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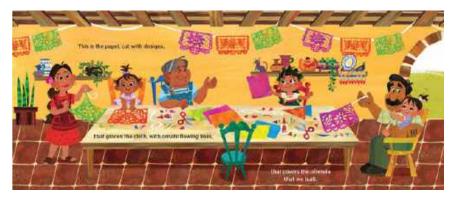
THE OFRENDA THAT WE BUILT

By Jolene Gutiérrez and Shaian Gutiérrez, illustrated by Gabby Zapata

It is Día de Muertos—the Day of the Dead—and the family ofrenda is at the center of the celebration! Inspired by the popular nursery rhyme "The House Jack Built," The Ofrenda That We Built invites readers to learn about, and celebrate, the Day of the Dead as a

family builds a colorful ofrenda. With warmth and energy, this spirited picture book is a joyful ode to family traditions and the memory of loved ones who have passed but whom we continue to remember.

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DARK NIGHTS AND GLOWING LIGHTS A Muslim Book of Opposites By Hena Khan, illustrated by Mehrdokht Amini

This fourth addition to the highly successful Concepts of the Muslim World series explores Islamic culture through the concept of opposites. Accessible and original, this book introduces children to opposites in relation to the basic principles of Islam. Through

beautiful mixed-media illustrations and rhyming read-aloud text, opposites are demonstrated as things that can be seen in everyday Muslim culture, such as the hot burning oud incense and the barakah (blessing) of cold rain. Featuring informative backmatter in the same vein as the previous books in the series, this book will appeal to educators looking for picture books about Islam or world religions and families eager to explore diverse religions with their kids or looking for picture books that reflect their own culture/faith.

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Also available:



Golden Domes And Silver Lanterns: A Muslim Book Of Colors \$17.99 • 9780811879057



Crescent Moons And Pointed Minarets: A Muslim Book Of Shapes \$17.99 • 9781452155418



One Sun And Countless Stars: A Muslim Book Of Numbers \$17.99 • 9781452182728



MERRY CHRISTMAS, ZOO

By Lola M. Schaefer, Lisa Eickholdt, Laura Watkins

"The Night Before Christmas" goes to the zoo! Inspired by true events, this picture book celebrates the magic of Christmas and the spirit of giving. It's Christmas at the zoo, and all the animals are in for a spectacular holiday surprise! Inspired by real events (yes, some zookeepers create a holiday experience for the animals!), this spirited picture book takes the youngest of readers on a magical

journey behind the scenes of a zoo as Santa and his helpers prepare to surprise the elephants, tigers, hippos, and more. Narrated in a playful rhyming text inspired by the classic "The Night Before Christmas," this picture book is sure to bring holiday cheer with its open-hearted celebration of creativity and generosity.

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BLACK BOY, RISE

By Brynne Barnes, illustrated by Bryan Collier

This empowering anthem celebrates the beauty of black boyhood in all its brilliance and complexity. Who told you to leap, black boy, like a rainbow stretched in sky? In today's America, black boys are too often shamed and shunned for expressing emotions (from joy to anger, sadness, and fear), expected to achieve despite

the systems that set them up for failure, and taught that others can—and will—hurt them with no consequences. This poetic picture book does not shy away from the terrible truths in America's past and present treatment of black boys, but it also refuses to stay weighed down. In this moving anthem of hope and joy, poet Brynne Barnes and four-time Caldecott honoree artist Bryan Collier offer a way to reclaim the narrative of black boyhood and show it for all it truly is: the richness of the past, the tenacity of the present, and the magnificent promise of the future.

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Black Girl Rising \$16.99 • 9781452164878



I ATE UP ALL THE RICE

By Do Nguyet Ha, illustrated by Le Phuong Quynh

Read the world to change the world! This artful picture book is about a picky eater who learns to love rice when he is touched by magic that teaches him about the grain's rich history. Originally published in Vietnam by the nonprofit Room to Read, the book is beautifully revised for this global edition. Minh is a picky eater, but when he accidentally spills his bowl of rice, he finds himself ushered into a magical alternate reality: he's inside the Vietnamese folktale "The Magic Grain of Rice"! As he tends and harvests the rice himself, he learns the mythology around rice and why it is

so much work to grow. Steeped in magical realism, this parable about food waste and climate change is perfect for picky eaters—and rice lovers, too!

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THERE'S ALWAYS ROOM FOR MORE

By Christina Shawn, illustrated by Shahrzad Maydani

Families grow and change, but what if you aren't ready to welcome in a new parent, puppy, or baby sister? Change can certainly be scary, but even a full heart has room to grow. With the zany fun of *Bathe the Cat* and the heartfelt warmth of *Stella Brings the Family*, this delightful tale proves there is always space for more love ... even if some family members drool!

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MARIAM DREAMS The Story of Mariam Al-Shaar, Soufra, and a Food Truck of Hope By Leila Boukarim, illustrated by Sona Avedikian

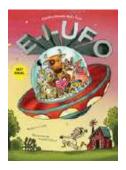
An unforgettable story about how one woman can make a tremendous difference. This picture book biography tells the story of Mariam Al-Shaar, who founded Soufra, an NGO catering company

that employs women in the refugee camp Bourj el Barajneh in Beirut, Lebanon, which was established in 1948 to accommodate displaced Palestinians. Soufra's goal is to help the women in the camp connect to their culture and make a living. Through Soufra, Mariam is helping build a community while proving that each of us can make a difference in other people's lives. A moving, poignant story with current and historical importance, this book will start conversation about women, about refugees, and about Palestine, while appealing to people of all backgrounds.

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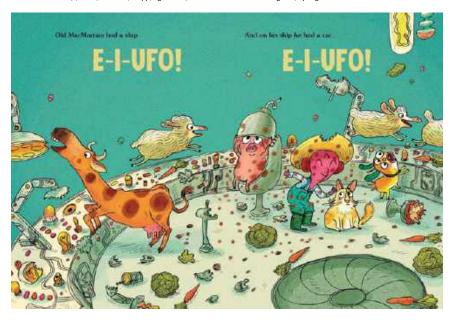
E-I-UFO OLD MACDONALD HAD A FARM

By Zach von Zonk, illustrated by Benjamin Chaud

In this laugh-out-loud intergalactic twist on the classic children's song, Old MacDonald had a farm—that is, until an alien spirits it away in his UFO. Now, Old MacMartian has a farm—in outer space—and young readers will delight in the (literally) out-of-this-world hijinks that ensue when cows, pigs, sheep, and more create chaos in the alien's realm! This mash-up of a familiar tale with the zaniness of a farm in space will delight young readers and their parents. A humorous picture book by debut author Zach von Zonk, paired with the invitingly playful style of notable illustrator Benjamin Chaud (*The Bear's Song* and *I Didn't Do My Homework*

 $Because\dots$ series), this is a perfect extension of our successful farm-themed publishing and celebrates the timeless appeal of a classic nursery rhyme.

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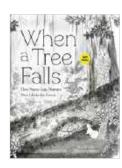
The Untold True Story of Extraordinary Rescue from World War II

By Elizabeth Brown, illustrated by Melissa Castrillón

Everyone knows Oskar Schindler and his famous list, but few have heard of Aristides de Sousa Mendes—a Portuguese diplomat who saved thousands in World War II and whose story is only starting

to be better known. Now, a gorgeous picture book biography tells the true and powerful story of Mendes, who, against his government's commands, helped refugees flee France to Portugal to escape the Nazis. In one of the greatest acts of individual rescue in all of WW II, Mendes saved tens of thousands of people, including the artist Salvador Dalí and H.A. and Margret Rey, the creators of *Curious George*. He and his family would pay dearly for it, but Mendes never regretted his actions, believing to the very end of his life that every life is worth saving. As the Talmud states, "He who saves a single life, saves the world entire."

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WHEN A TREE FALLS How Nurse Logs Nurture New Life in the Forest By Kristen Pendreigh, illustrated by Elke Boschinger

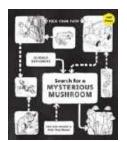
A tree sways in the forest, soaking up the sun. She is a place to grow, to rest, and to shelter. But what happens after a tree falls? The answer will surprise you and make your heart soar. This lyrical non-fiction picture book explores the life of a tree from its days lifting up toward the light, housing wildlife in its boughs, to its remarkable second act after having fallen due to wildfire or drought or just having lived out its long life. A tree's second life is often as a nurse log, which is key to a forest's survival. Nurse logs provide a

nutrient-rich space for new seedlings to thrive, shelter small animals, and host different species of fungi, lichens, mosses, and ferns. And, over time, a new tree's roots wrap around the log, beginning the cycle anew.

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SEARCH FOR A MYSTERIOUS MUSHROOM

By Amy Seto Forrester and Andy Chou Musser

New in the series of exciting pick-your-path STEM adventures for emerging readers! A group of mycologists are going on an expedition around the world in search of a mysterious mushroom. They want to know more about these elusive fungi, and they need your help! Choose a location and all the tools and equipment you'll need for your search. But be careful—not every path leads where you expect. Whatever path you pick, you'll see and learn amazing things. Colorful comic-panel images and action-packed text hold

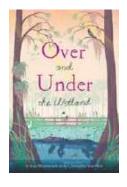
enticing appeal for kids as they choose their adventure and visit wondrous new habitats across the globe.

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OVER AND UNDER THE WETLAND

By Kate Messner, illustrated by Christopher Silas Neal

The acclaimed author-illustrator team behind *Over and Under the Snow* returns to explore the wonders of the wetlands in this latest addition to the narrative nonfiction series!

Award-winning duo Kate Messner and Christopher Silas Neal return in this latest addition to the Over and Under series, this time exploring the rich, interconnected ecosystem of a sawgrass marsh. Set in the tropical wetlands of the Florida Everglades, this narrative nonfiction offering will dive into the astonishingly biodiverse world of herons and alligators, crayfish and panthers, and more!

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Also available:



Over and Under the Snow \$17.99 • 9780811867849



Over and Under the Pond \$17.99 • 9781452145426



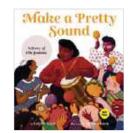
Over and Under the Rainforest \$18.99 • 9781452169408



Over and Under the Canyon \$18.99 • 9781452169392



Over and Under the Waves \$18.99 • 9781797203478



MAKE A PRETTY SOUND

A Story of Ella Jenkins

By Traci N. Todd, illustrated by Eleanor Davis

A beautiful picture book biography about Ella Jenkins, "The First Lady of Children's Folk Song," and her contribution to children's music education. Ella Jenkins is considered the first lady of children's music. At a time when children's music was mostly novelty songs and movie soundtracks, she believed that music could be a powerful tool to teach. From the very beginning, she believed that a child's natural curiosity and good nature could be fed by introducing them to the folk

rhythms, music, and dance of cultures from all over the world. This book tells Ella's story from the time she was a young child, first learning about music through her Uncle Flood playing harmonica, to her encounters with racial discrimination, and finally her involvement with the folk music movement and her discovery that music could be a powerful tool to teach children and bridge cultures, leading her to perform and work with children on all seven continents (including Antarctica!).

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THE NEXT SCIENTIST

The Unexpected Beginnings and Unwritten Future of the World's Great Scientists

By Kate Messner

The award-winning Kate Messner is back with a compendium of the world's greatest scientists when they were kids! This fascinating exploration of what scientists did before they were scientists—

whether they were starting small as tinkerers or gazing up at the night sky—powerfully brings across that the scientists of the future could be practically anyone . . . including you.

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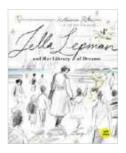




Also available:



The Next President \$18.99 • 9781452174884



JELLA LEPMAN AND HER LIBRARY OF DREAMS

By Katherine Paterson, illustrated by Sally Deng

From the beloved author Katherine Paterson, winner of both the Astrid Lindgren Memorial and Hans Christian Andersen Awards, comes an inspiring, exciting, and true story of books used to transform young lives. Jella Lepman returned to a war-ravaged Germany in 1945 with the mission to restore a sense of childhood and innocence to children who had only known years of conflict and violence. She did so by making available children's books she had begged from publishers the world over. That collection would

become the foundation of the International Youth Library, and her work would lead to the creation of the International Board on Books for Young People (IBBY).

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SMASH, CRASH, TOPPLE, ROLL!

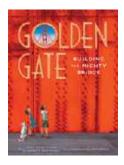
The Inventive Rube Goldberg, or How to Build One Life in Comics, Six Simple Machines, and Infinite Hilarious, Complicated Contraptions

By Catherine Thimmesh, illustrated by Shanda McCloskey

A testament to the joy and value of play, Rube Goldberg's career has inspired thousands and thousands of crazy experiments—chain reactions that have fired the imaginations of inventors of all ages.

In this illustrated biography of Rube Goldberg, readers are introduced to the playful mind of the cartoonist himself, examples of simple machines that demonstrate the laws of physics, and the inspiration to start inventing themselves. Goldberg's life, art, and legacy are animated in a playful, highly visual way in this fun, smart, inspiring book for committed tinkerers, budding engineers, and all kinds of playful inventors! Written by acclaimed nonfiction author Catherine Thimmesh, *Smash*, *Crash*, *Topple*, *Roll!* shares vibrant content about an inventive life as well as inspiration for building machines of one's own.

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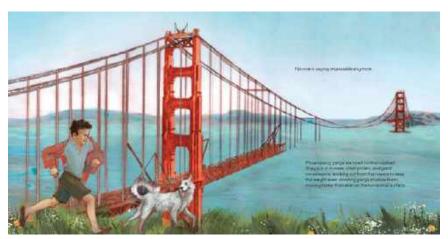


GOLDEN GATE

By Elizabeth Partridge, illustrated by Ellen Heck

The internationally recognized landmark and symbol of San Francisco finally gets a gorgeous picture book—a great fit for tourists, California schools, and anyone who left their heart in the city by the bay. Elizabeth Partridge and Mark Siegel vividly portray the awe-inspiring and groundbreaking construction of the beloved landmark and symbol of San Francisco. Built across a treacherous strait during the Great Depression, the completion of the Golden Gate Bridge was truly a testament to the power of hope and perseverance and the potential of human ingenuity to defy the odds.

Jacketed hardcover, \$19.99, 9 x 12 in, 56 pp, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024







SAFE CROSSING

By Kari Percival

How does an amphibian cross the road? With the help of the Amphibian Migration Team! Artful nonfiction about a citizen scientist who acts as a crossing guard for migrating amphibians and eventually helps build them a tunnel to safety! Every spring, frogs and salamanders must travel from their upland homes to the

woodland pools where they were born to mate. Unfortunately, roads constructed through their habitat have made the journey dangerous for these slow-moving animals. Many never reach their destination. But with the help of the Amphibian Migration Team, there is hope for a safe crossing.

Inquisitive and motivational, this nonfiction picture book by Kari Percival offers a peek at the challenges amphibians face to survive and reproduce and the ways young citizens can speak up to defend the environment.

Jacketed hardcover, \$18.99, 11 x 9 in, 48 pp, Fall 2024







Board Books

HELLO HELLO OPPOSITES

By Brendan Wenzel

Caldecott Honor-winning illustrator Brendan Wenzel's irresistible animal images take the spotlight in this new series of concept board books for young children, based on his award-winning picture book Hello Hello. Say HELLO to learning fun! A parade of wild animals

walks, swims and flies across the sturdy pages of this colorful book. Read the playful text. Find the opposites. Marvel at the incredible array of animals – big and small – on planet earth. A key at the end of the book identifies each animal for those who want to learn even more.

Board book, \$9.99, 8 ½ x 6 in, 30 pp, ages 2 - 4, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024

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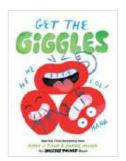
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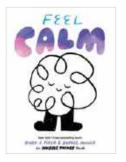


GET THE GIGGLES

By Andy J. Pizza, Sophie Miller

Bring on the giggles with this wonderfully wacky board book from the creators of *Invisible Things*. Do you know how to tell a heehee from a ha-ha? Do you (or your grown-up) need a little giggle or a giant guffaw? Whatever laugh you're looking for, this book will show you how to find it.

Board book, \$9.99, 5 x 7 in, 20 pp, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024



FEEL CALM

By Andy J. Pizza, Sophie Miller

From the creators of *Invisible Things*, this hands-on board book leads toddlers on a whimsical and reassuring journey from chaos to calm. When you feel mad, sad, scared, and tangled deep inside, how do you get the knots out? Follow along, tracing the loops and swirls of this tactile reading experience to help little ones learn to identify and unwind feelings of chaos and find their way back to calm.

Board book, \$9.99, 5 x 7 in, 20 pp, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024

Also available:



Invisible Things

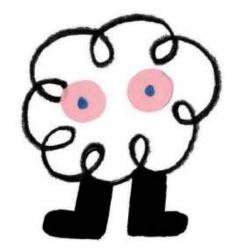
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Invisible Things Flashcards \$14.99 • 97817972152114

This is Chaos.



It is a busy, messy, loud Thing.



VROOM VROOM CARS

By Marc Boutavant

Cars are on the move in this exciting board book from internationally acclaimed picture book creator Marc Boutavant! Vroom, vroom! Cars speed ahead, rushing toward the finish line in this colorful, fast-paced story. Toddlers will delight in the eyecatching illustrations of adorable racers and vehicles as they go fast, slow, and everything in between. Marc Boutavant has illustrated a wide range of books and games, including <code>Mouk, All Aboard Train Puzzle</code>, and the beloved <code>Woodland Dreams</code> and <code>Wake Up</code>, <code>Woodlands</code> by Karen Jameson.

Board book, \$8.99, $8\,^{3}/_{8}$ x 6 in, 20 pp, ages 0 - 3, full-color throughout, Spring 2025



MY HAIR IS LIKE YOURS

By Photographs by St. Clair Detrick-Jules, illustrated by Tabitha Brown

From the creator behind My Beautiful Black Hair and My Hair is Like the Sun, this playful rhyming board book celebrates the joy of seeing yourself in the ones you love and embracing your unique self. Cornrows, curls, fros, and swirls! How do you wear your hair? Featuring photographs of real children whose hairstyles match those of family and friends, little ones will love seeing themselves

mirrored in these pages and in the world around them. Beautifully photographed by St. Clair Detrick-Jules, and with vibrant illustrations by Tabitha Brown, this timeless book celebrates community and joyful self-expression.

Board book, \$8.99, 7 x 7 in, 20 pp, full color photographs and illustrations throughout, Fall 2024

Also available:



My Hair is Like the Sun \$8.99 • 9781797221793





STELLA AND MARIGOLD BOOK 1

By Annie Barrows, illustrated by Sophie Blackall

From the bestselling creators of Ivy + Bean comes a new chapter book series about two small girls with very big imaginations.

There is the whole world, and in it, there is a city, and in that city, there's a house, and in that house, there are two half-houses, and in one of those half-houses, there lives a pair of sisters named Stella and Marigold. Stella, who's seven, and Marigold, who's four, do all the regular things—like going to school, playing, getting sick sometimes, and sometimes going to the zoo—but even the most regular things have a secret side. There's something that happened

with a blanket. And what about the wolves, a terrible storm and two brave children (maybe one named Stella and one named Marigold)? Did those things really happen? Open this book and discover for yourself.

Jacketed hardcover, \$14.99, 6 x 8 in, 104 pp, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024

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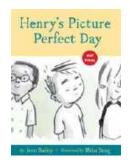


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HENRY'S PICTURE PERFECT DAYBook 3

By Jenn Bailey, illustrated by Mika Song

The warmly humorous and heartfelt adventures of Henry, a boy on the autism spectrum, continue in this delightful new entry in the early chapter book series based on the award-winning picture book *A Friend for Henry*. The third book in the series follows Henry as he navigates friendships, classroom conundrums, and the ups and downs of daily life as a sweet and sensitive first grader. On class picture day, Henry thinks his biggest problem is his new shirt with the scratchy collar and long sleeves. But when Henry's tooth

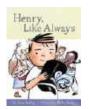
gets loose—and then gets lost!—he realizes that a picture-perfect picture day might look a little bit different than he thought. Readers of all kinds will relate to and delight in seeing the world through Henry's eyes in these gentle, classic-feeling stories, delivered with empathy and charm by author Jenn Bailey and illustrator Mika Song.

Jacketed hardcover, \$14.99, 6 x 8 in, 48 pp, ages 6 - 9, 2-color illustrations throughout, Spring 2025

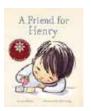
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Henry, Like Always, Book 1 \$14.99 • 9781797213897



A Friend for Henry \$16.99 • 9781452167916 Rights sold: Korean/Book & Solution Co.





INVISIBLE THINGS FEELINGS FLASH CARDS

By Andy J. Pizza, Sophie Miller

From the creators of Invisible Things, these wonderfully imaginative flash cards offer countless playful ways for kids to explore and express their emotions. What Invisible Things will you discover today? This delightful deck of 21 flash cards introduces different Invisible Things or feelings—plus 1 blank make-your-own. Each character card has a picture of an Invisible Thing on one side and a fun description on the reverse. With bold colors and a list of ideas for how to use them, these flash cards are a playful, creative way for parents and caregivers to talk about the many Invisible

Things that kids experience every day!

Flashcards, \$14.99, 5 ½ x 6 7/8 x 1 5/8 in, 20 pp, 21 flashcards, Fall 2024





VROOM VROOM CARS PUZZLE

By Marc Boutavant

Hit the road with a turbo-fueled, illustrated mix-and-match carthemed puzzle by international picture book star Marc Boutavant (creator of the TV series Mouk). Arrange a collection of cars and other vehicles in countless ways! This floor puzzle is ideal for toddlers as they mix and match a variety of cars, trucks, and tractors with the cutest creatures driving, riding, and vrooming away. The puzzle pieces lend themselves well to free play, too, as they are ideally sized for small hands. Marc Boutavant

has illustrated a wide range of books and games, including Mouk, All Aboard Train Puzzle, SkyHigh Building Puzzle, and the beloved Woodland Dreams and Wake Up, Woodlands by Karen Jameson. His work has also appeared in The New York Times and The New Yorker. He lives in Paris, France.

Puzzle, \$14.99, 7 5/s x 5 in, ages 2+, box with a hinged lid, 12 puzzle pieces with art on both sides, full-color illustrations, Spring 2025



KIDQUEST:

The game where kids find out what grown-ups were like as kids!

By Ariane de Bonvoisin, Everest van der Zwan

What were the adults kids love like as kids? *KIDQUEST* helps kids find out! With 100 cards in eight categories (Home, School, Friends, Work, Personality, Inner Life, Big Life, and Humor), kids ask adults thoughtful as well as "just for fun" questions. The result? More connected relationships, and lots of laughs! Perfect for game night, car rides, bedtime, or during a meal-anytime, really! A bonus game component lets kids give points to an adult's responses and a

"Celebration" card lets kids ask for anything they want! Let the kid questing begin!

Deck, \$12.95, 3 3/4 x 3 1/8 in, Box with 112 cards and instruction sheet, Fall 2024



CONSTRUCTION SITE: A THANKFUL NIGHT By Sherri Duskey Rinker, illustrated by Helen Morgan

Reflect on the gift of gratitude with the construction crew in another heartwarming seasonal board book—the perfect gift for little readers! Following up on the success of the previous holiday board books in the series, here comes a gratitude-themed board book featuring the construction characters kids know and love. This heartwarming holiday story will center giving thanks and the

sense of plenty at the construction site, sure to make the holiday even more special for little construction fans everywhere.

Lift-the-flap board book, \$12.99, 7 x 7 in, 16 pp, Fall 2024



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Construction Site: Spring Delight \$12.99 • 9781797204314



FLORA AND FRIENDS COLORS By Molly Idle

Brighten your day with the help of Flora and her rainbow of feathered friends, inspired by the Caldecott Honor–winning Flora and the Flamingo. Birds of a feather learn colors together! An instant hit upon its release, Flora and the Flamingo now celebrates over ten years in print. In this vibrant new board book, Flora takes toddlers on a twirl through all the colors of the rainbow. Featuring big flaps to play with, this interactive board book will delight young children as they learn simple concepts in the charming company of Flora and her friends.

Board book, \$12.99, 6 x 9 in, 20 pp, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024



Also available:



Flora and Friends ABC \$12.99 • 9781797200583



LITTLE WITCH'S ORACLE DECK By Ariel Kusby

Fantasy fans and witches-in-training can find magical insight and inspiration with this beautiful, whimsical oracle deck by the creator of The Little Witch's Book of Spells. The Little Witch's Oracle Deck is an accessible divination tool for kids who want to explore the enchantment and mystery of oracles and fortune-telling. More accessible than traditional tarot, this oracle deck is designed in an intuitive, easy-to-understand format that pulls on universal archetypes all kids naturally understand, like the Dragon, the Best Friend, the Dream, and the Star. Each card is paired with a magical

message and a ritual suggestion, which allow the user to connect deeply with the meaning of the card. A perfect companion to The Little Witch's Book of Spells, this deck is a tool that encourages little witches to look at situations through different perspectives, develop intuition, and listen to inner wisdom in order to make healthy decisions, all while adding a dash of magic to their lives.

Box deck, \$18.95, 3 ¾ x 5 ½ in, 45 pp, 48 full-color cards, booklet, Fall 2024



Also available:



Little Witch's Book of Spells \$17.99 • 9781452174570

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CHRISTMAS CHEER IS EVERYWHERE By Wednesday Kirwan

Hide—and find—heartwarming Christmas treats! Just turn the wheel and play! Christmas cheer really is everywhere! An interactive wheel in this holiday-themed book hides Christmas surprises amid a variety of spirited scenes: From inside stockings to behind ornaments on the Christmas tree and more! After the treat is hidden, it's time to guess where it resides! Play again and again for heaps of Christmas cheer!

Lift-the-flap board book, \$10.99, 8 x 8 in, 10 pp, 16 flaps, 4 wheels, Fall 2024

Also available:



Eggs are Everywhere \$17.99 • 9781452174570



Hearts are Everywhere \$10.99 • 9781797210681



Guess Which Hand \$10.99 • 9781452163598



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