

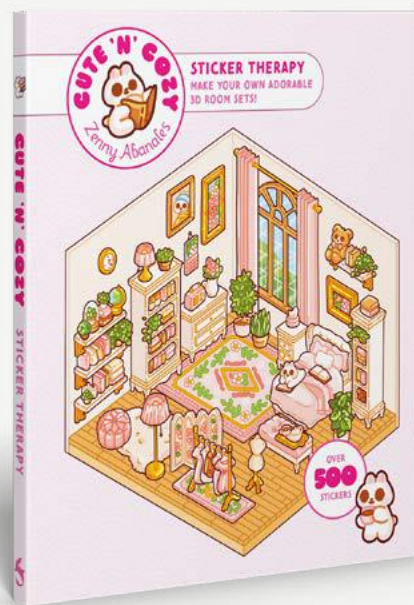
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Zenny Abanales designs unique hand-drawn character and doodle stickers from her home in a Victorian seaside resort in the northwest of England. As a child, she loved creating her own little storybooks and playing in imaginary worlds. Making a living from her doodles is a dream come true and she has built a successful online sticker and stationery shop called Papershire.

c. 560 illustrations
19.0 x 16.0 cm (7½ x 6⅜ in.)
54 pp Paperback
c. £16.99
Autumn 2025
Rights sold: French



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Cute 'n' Cozy Sticker Therapy

Make Your Own Adorable 3D Room Sets!

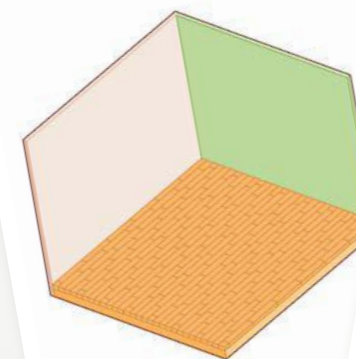
Illustrated by Zenny Abanales

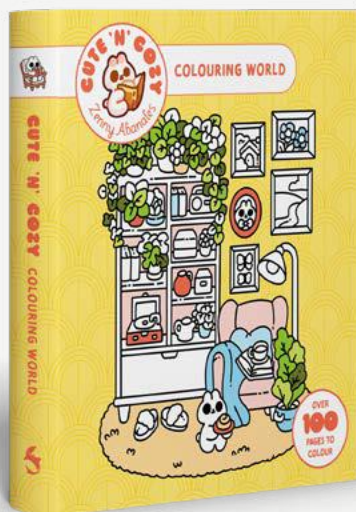
Relax into the latest craft-therapy craze for creating charming little scenes using adorable stickers.

- **In book form for the first time!** This collection stands out from the individual sheets that started the trend.
- **Taps into the cute trend** for cosy, kawaii-style characters and drawings.
- **Table-friendly, giftable format** at a price point that offers better value than individual sticker sets.

Welcome to a cosy world of absolute cuteness. Pick an empty room; furnish it, decorate it and fill it with furry little characters. Then carry on until you've created your own unique keepsake.

The book includes eight rooms or spaces: a kitchen, living room, bedroom, garden, bookstore, grocery store, boutique and café. Each comes with dozens of stickers – including furniture, doors and windows, pot plants, pictures and more – that you can combine to make a scene that's truly unique. With over 500 stickers, this book offers a quiet and creative pastime, providing hours of relaxing fun!





As a child, Zenny Abanales loved creating her own little storybooks and playing in imaginary worlds, so making a living from her cute character illustrations is a dream come true. Papershire, her successful online sticker and stationery shop, sells her unique hand-drawn character and cute-little-object stickers. This is her first colouring book. She lives in a Victorian seaside resort in the northwest of England.

c. 110 illustrations
16.5 x 13.5 cm (6½ x 5⅝ in.)
224 pp Paperback
c. £10.00
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Cute 'n' Cozy Colouring World

Zenny Abanales

This chunky little book is a package of cuteness. Make a little time for yourself and lose yourself in its pages!

- **Hits the trend:** escapist cosy colouring strikes a chord with Gen Z.
- **Quick to complete:** simple designs meet the need for easy 20-minute creative activities.
- **Shares branding with *Sticker Therapy*:** Zenny's art works equally well in sticker or colouring form.

Looking for a calming escape from stress? In these pages, you'll discover a cosy world of escapism, with bunnies reading books, gardening and lying in hammocks surrounded by flowers. Zenny's designs are small, simple and quick to complete, making this perfect for a young adult audience looking for a break from their phone. With over 100 inviting illustrations, it's a world of relaxing fun!

Coming soon

Cute 'n' Cozy Card Deck



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Floralicious A Colouring Frieze

Illustrated by Leila Duly

Arabian Nights A Colouring Frieze

Illustrated by Meel Tamphanon

A brand-new format for sophisticated colourists, designed for gifting.

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Leila Duly is a textile print designer and illustrator inspired by the natural world. Her colouring books, notecards and journals have won her a legion of colouring fans.



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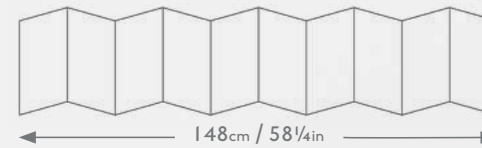
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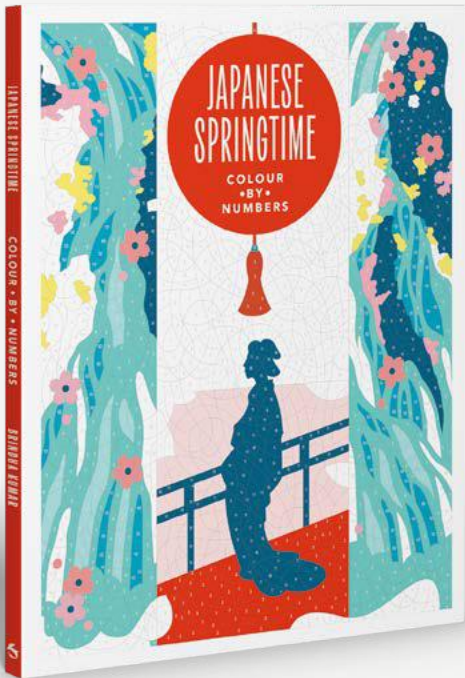
10 illustrated panels
21.0 x 14.8 cm (8 3/8 x 5 7/8 in.)
20 pp Paperback in protective pocket
c. £10.99
Spring 2026
Rights sold: German (Floralicious)

- A beautiful new colouring format with an innovative fold-out frieze on high-quality art paper.
- Reinvents the colouring book in a luxurious format.
- Impulse-buy price point will attract spontaneous gifting and self-purchases.

Talented illustrators Leila Duly and Meel Tamphanon have created intriguing line-art designs that will take you on a spectacular colouring journey – whether you love serene botanicals or classic tales of intrigue and adventure.

High-quality art paper, securely packaged in a luxuriously foiled cover, opens out to reveal a gorgeous frieze made up of ten connecting panels. Suitable for pencils, watercolours or markers, these designs will spark the imagination and satisfy the most exacting colourists.





Brindha Kumar is a London-based illustrator. Her Malaysian heritage has influenced the way she uses colours and emotions, and she loves to show a tongue-in-cheek representation of both modern and traditional society in her work. Brindha's varied client list includes Apple TV, Selfridges, *Rolling Stone*, Adobe, Adidas, *Harper's Bazaar* and *Tatler*.

20 illustrations
28.5 x 22.3 cm (11¼ x 8⅞ in.)
48 pp Paperback
c. £14.99
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Japanese Springtime Colour by Numbers

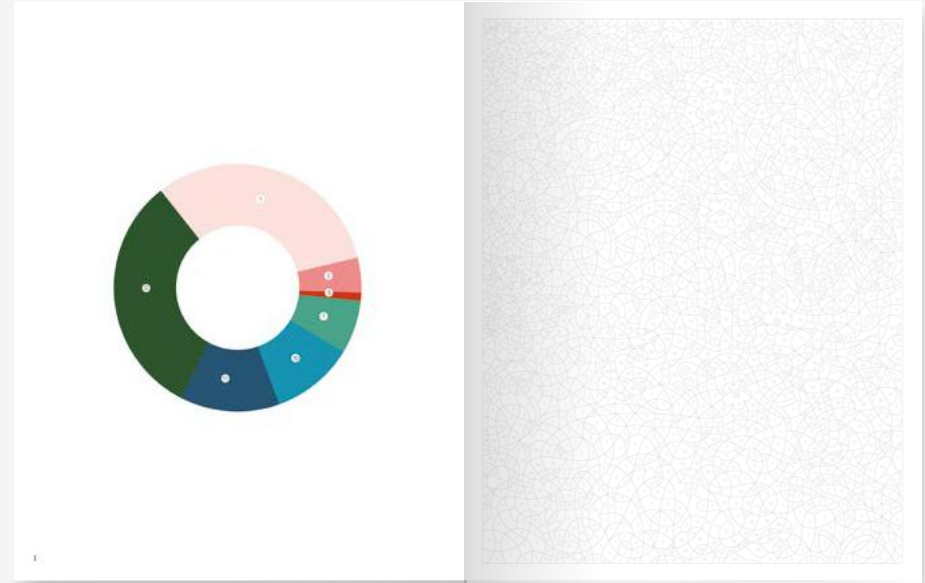
Brindha Kumar

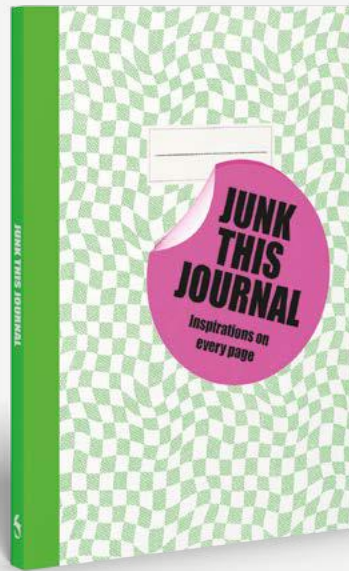
An old-school concept, reinvented in a stylish and elegant new package.

- Taking the colour-by-numbers concept upmarket, for an audience of creative and mindful colourists.
- A classy package, with surprising and sophisticated art from a successful contemporary illustrator.
- Everyone loved colouring by numbers as a child and will enjoy a nostalgic thrill when returning to it today.

Brindha Kumar provides both an intriguing sequence of images and evocative contemporary colour schemes, perfectly suited to the Japanese theme. Her striking combinations of colour and rich patterns make these pages irresistible for colourists seeking a fresh and modern take on this classic idea. Simply follow the numbered colour wheel to create your own gorgeous artwork!

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Eleanor Blatherwick has spent years working with some of the biggest creative trends in publishing, from adult colouring to collaging, doodling and sticker bombing. She is delighted to experience the joy of finding new creative outlets, again and again.

c. 100 illustrations
21.0 x 16.0 cm (8 1/8 x 6 3/8 in.)
128 pp Paperback
c. £12.99
Spring 2026
Rights sold: Dutch



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Junk This Journal

Inspirations On Every Page

Eleanor Blatherwick

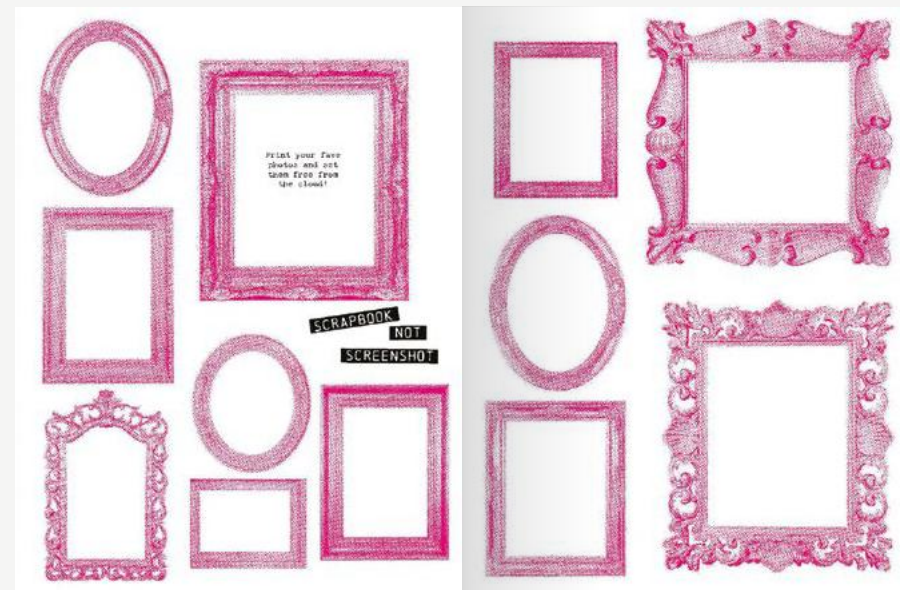
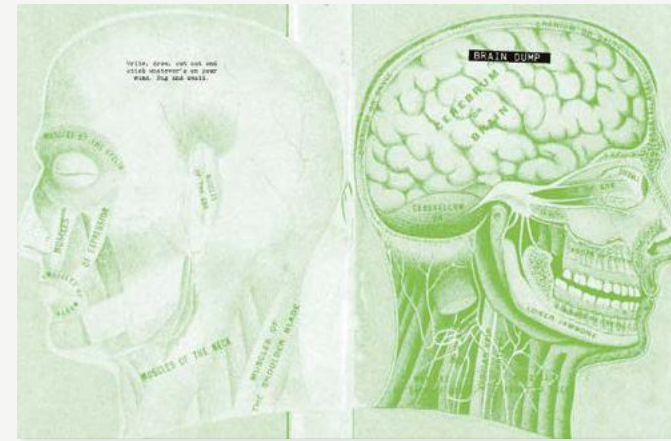
Prompts, backgrounds and ideas to get you started with junk journalling.

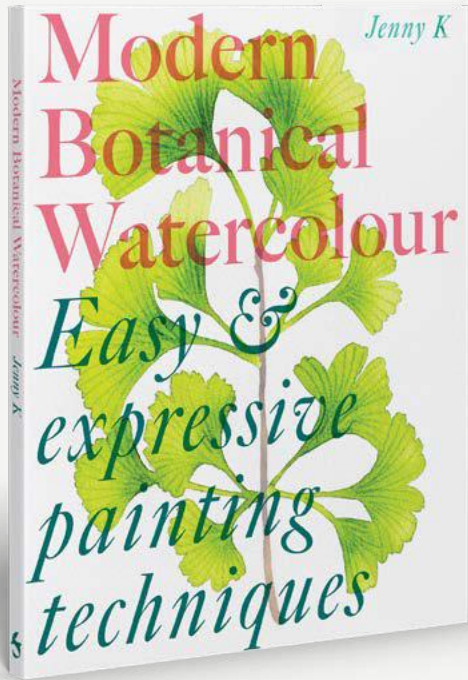
- **This Gen Z twist on scrapbooking** is trending on TikTok, with rapidly increasing searches for the term 'junk journal'.
- **It's been 15 years since the bestselling *Wreck This Journal*** was first published and the market is primed for a new creative take on visual journalling.
- **This is the essential companion** to Skittledog's growing line of high-quality junk-journal supplies.

Looking for a fun, creative hobby? Take a deep dive into TikTok or Instagram and you'll soon discover scrapbooking and junk journalling. *Junk This Journal* is a perfect introduction to the absorbing craft that's taking social media by storm, and is full of playful imagery and suggestions.

Packaged with a removable sticker on the cover and vivid, fluoro pink and green illustrations throughout, this fully customizable journal is ready for you to make every page your own. Complete the 'About me' section, then write, draw, stamp and stick whatever's on your mind. Follow the inspirational prompts to the letter – why not start a fruit sticker collection? – or just tear the pages out, collage all over them and spill paint on the carefully typeset tips. There are no rules!

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Jenny Kiker, based in South Florida, USA, majored in Illustration at Savannah College of Art and Design and worked for several years as a textile designer. In 2013, she began a full-time career painting botanicals, selling her prints and running watercolour courses for beginners. She is 'one to follow' on Instagram, and has a healthy following of 160k.

c. 300 illustrations
25.0 x 20.0 cm (9 7/8 x 7 7/8 in.)
112 pp Paperback
c. £14.99
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Modern Botanical Watercolour

Easy & Expressive Painting Techniques

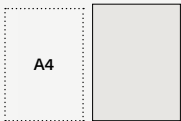
Jenny K

Botanical painting for beginners, in a fresh contemporary style.

- **Simple yet effective techniques** from an expert who knows how to make her subject accessible to beginners.
- **A range of techniques are introduced:** ink and watercolour, indigo patterns, single leaves and close-colour palettes.
- **A hugely popular teacher** who runs online courses in botanical painting techniques.

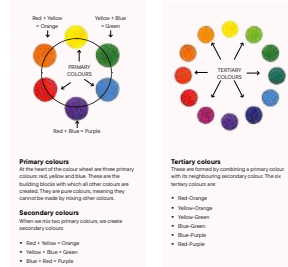
This book makes it easy for anyone to paint fabulous watercolours of botanical subjects. Jenny Kiker shares her most useful tricks and techniques, then presents a selection of simple projects in a variety of styles.

Avoiding complex layer-building techniques that take years to perfect, Jenny shows the reader how to create the kind of frame-worthy artworks – of leaves, flowers, cacti and tropical plants – that have made her an Instagram star. She has spent years teaching her techniques to beginners, so her exercises are focused and achievable, and she's made sure her students' favourite styles are included.



The Colour Wheel

The colour wheel can be seen as an artist's compass, guiding us through the vast spectrum of available hues. It is the foundation of colour theory, helping us mix and organize colours effectively.



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Warm & Cool Colours

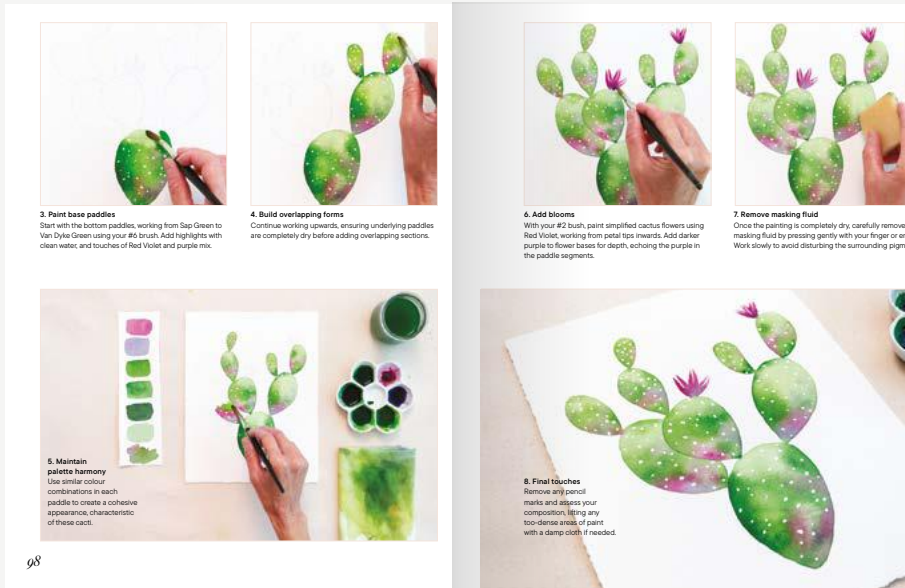
Colour is the essence of watercolour painting, evoking particular feelings and setting the mood of our artwork. It's crucial to understand the distinction between warm and cool colours.



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Analia Fratti runs Create and Grow Studio, where she designs hand-drawn stickers for journalling, planners and printables. Her little drawings convey her love of cosy spaces, nature and timeless details. She lives and works in Barcelona.

c. 400 illustrations
16.5 x 13.5 cm (6½ x 5½ in.)
224 pp Paperback
c. £12.00
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The Cozy Drawing Book

Analia Fratti

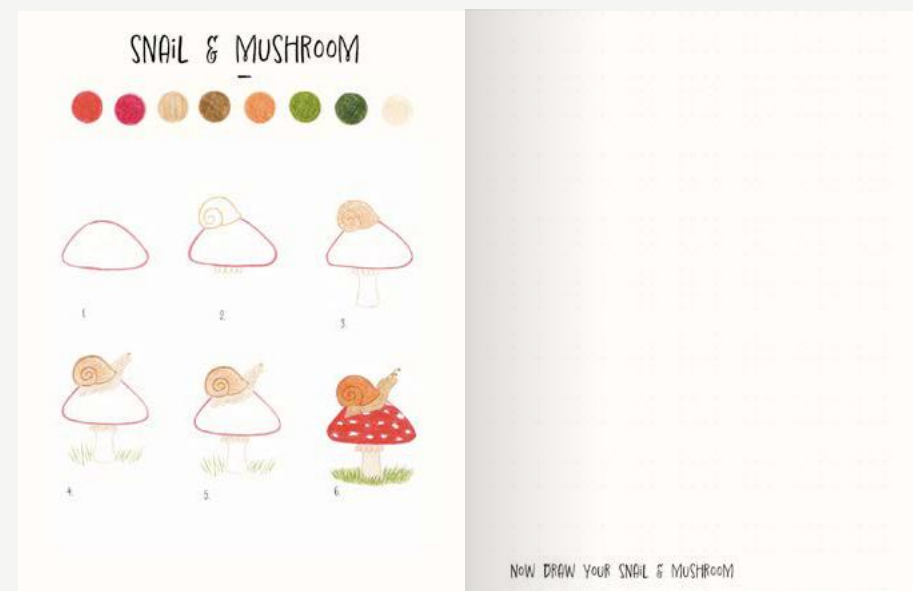
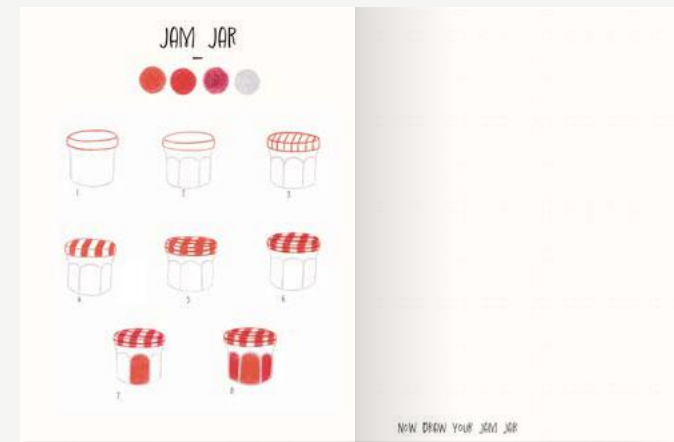
An easy-to-follow guide to drawing adorable little objects.

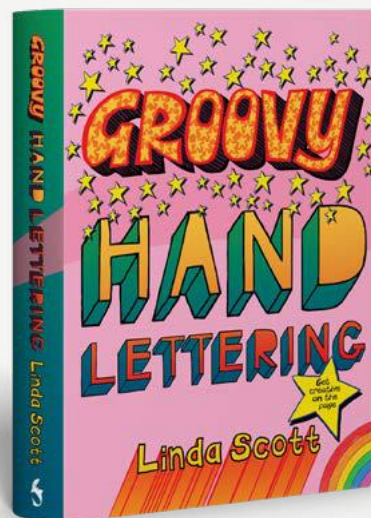
- A proven format that packs plenty of expertise into a small package.
- Classier, chunkier and more giftable than the competition.
- Taps into the current trend for all things cosy, fuzzy and *hygge*.

With the same chunky format and simple structure as the bestselling *Kawaii!*, this little book brings a warm and snuggly world to life using coloured pencils. Woollen socks, fireplaces, hot drinks, knitted sweaters, slippers, favourite books, sleepy cats and comfy chairs are all beautifully rendered in miniature by the talented illustrator Analia Fratti.

Each spread shows, in just four or five steps, how to build up a cute little picture in pencil. On the right-hand page there's space for you to practise them yourself by drawing right into the book. Followers of the cosiness trend will love this homely, creative and absorbing hobby.

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Linda Scott is an artist, illustrator and multi-published author, with books including *How to be the Best Bubble Writer Ever* and *The Monster Book of Bubble Writing*. Her vibrant art features retro colours and imagery, and fun bubble-written slogans. She lives and works in south-east London.

c. 200 illustrations
16.5 x 13.5 cm (6½ x 5⅝ in.)
224 pp Paperback
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Groovy Hand Lettering

Linda Scott

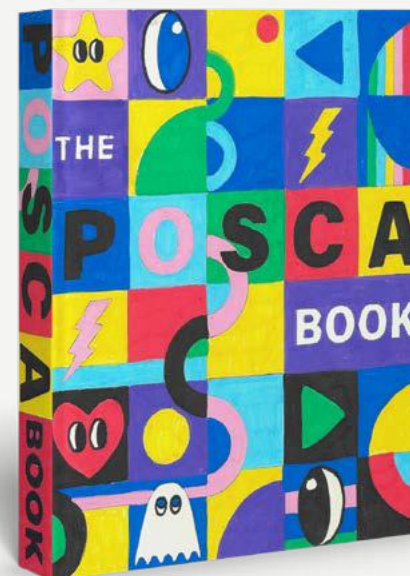
Loud, colourful and creative – this book of funky hand lettering will transform your scrapbooks and journals.

- Novelty hand-lettering styles are popular with young adults for their online videos and journals.
- Retro colours, styles and slogans are also a key trend.
- Presented in the popular cute-but-chunky format, which sets it apart from the competition.

With peace, love and rainbows galore, the retro styles and vibes of the 1960s and 1970s that Instagrammers and TikTokkers love are packed into this energetic book. Full of nostalgic examples and exercises, you can complete and practise them directly on the pages.

Linda Scott demonstrates four basic lettering styles: block, 3D, bubble and freestyle, and then takes them to the next level. Exploring endless variations and ideas in her unique style, she creates slogans, posters, motifs for clothing and badges, and much more.

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Curated by artist-editor Natalia Price-Cabrera, the book features step-by-step work-throughs by popular POSCA artists including Lizzie Kingdom, Mister Phil, Ray Dak Lam and many others. From fashion, fine art and design to skateboarding and graffiti, a wide selection of visual culture is represented.

c. 300 illustrations
19.0 x 16.0 cm (7½ x 6⅜ in.)
160 pp Paperback
c. £12.99
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Rights sold: Dutch



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The POSCA Book

Natalia Price-Cabrera

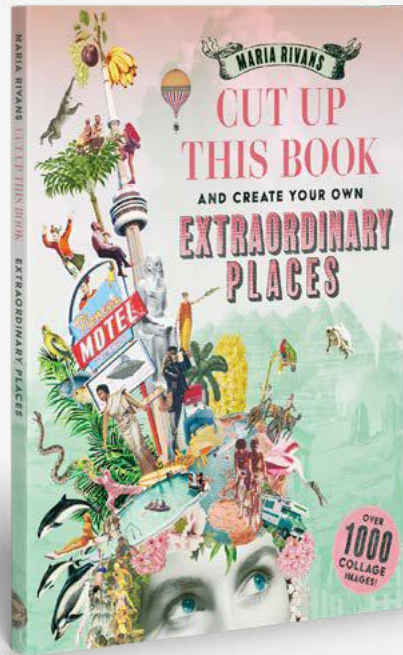
Step into a boundless world of colour with the paint markers that artists, designers and illustrators love.

- The first book on this exciting medium, exploring the full range of POSCA potential with a killer combination of showcase spreads and step-by-step instructions.
- POSCA pens are bestsellers in art supply stores, with legions of heavy users in the art, graphics, design and graffiti communities.
- The host of talented contributors will create real online buzz around publication.

Bold, dramatic and affordable, POSCA® paint markers have won huge popularity among professional and hobbyist artists everywhere. With their vivid, saturated colour, they work on a variety of surfaces. Whether using them on paper, wood, ceramics, fabrics, phone cases, walls, skateboards, clothing or shoes, you can achieve spectacular results.

This fun-packed little book showcases the best POSCA artists from around the world, demonstrating how they create their amazing work. Full of colourful inspiration, it will make a highly desirable gift and a tempting self-purchase for anyone starting to explore this joyful medium.

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Maria Rivans is a collage artist based in Brighton, UK. She curated the images for the bestselling *Extraordinary Things to Cut Out and Collage*, has exhibited her work internationally and has created books and jigsaw puzzles for Skittledog. Known for their surreal juxtapositions, Maria's collages reinvent narratives while spinning bizarre and dreamlike tales.

c. 1,000 illustrations
31.0 x 23.5 cm (12¼ x 9¾ in.)
128 pp Paperback
c. £16.99
Spring 2026
Rights sold: German, Spanish



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Cut Up This Book and Create Your Own Extraordinary Places

Maria Rivans

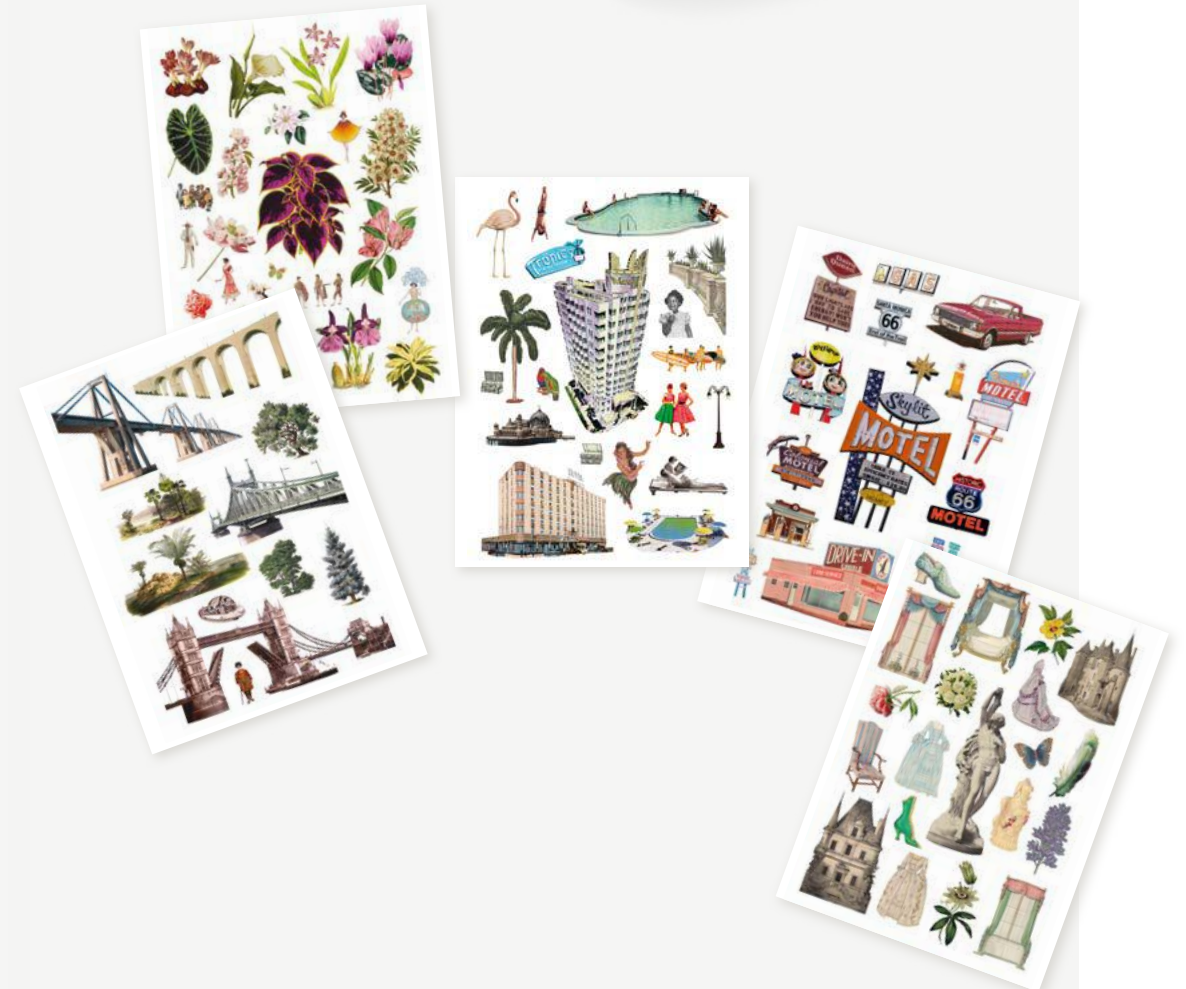
A brand-new collection of delightfully nostalgic collaging images, based on some truly extraordinary locations.

- **Sure to delight Maria's fans:** tens of thousands have fallen in love with collage thanks to her previous collections, creating their own artworks and decorating their junk journals.
- **Features seven exotic locations** and a wide range of surprising images celebrating the art of travel and discovery.
- **Includes a collage masterclass by Maria**, plus an inspirational collage for each destination, created from images in the book.

The fifth title in the successful *Cut Up This Book* series celebrates exotic and extraordinary locations, including strange scenes ranging from the depths of the ocean to the craters of the Moon. These imaginative settings provide the perfect inspiration for some dramatic and hilarious juxtapositions.

The book features helpful step-by-step demonstrations of collaging techniques and seven fabulous backgrounds on heavier paper. On the lighter paper are over 800 images to cut out and stick as you please. Place your astronaut on a beach, your picnickers on the ocean floor or your dinosaurs on the Moon! Once again, Maria Rivans has triumphed with a glorious collection to inspire her many collaging fans.

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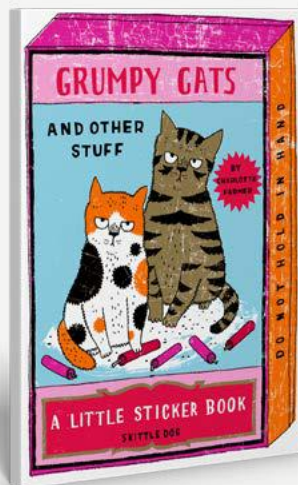
Vintage Matchboxes

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Celebrate a lost era of charming graphics with nostalgic designs from around the world. Indian elephants jostle with Japanese cherry blossoms and bold Soviet-era designs in a fiery collection of striking images.



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Grumpy Cats and other stuff

Charlotte Farmer / Spring 2026

Step into the slightly surreal world of Charlotte Farmer, featuring grumpy cats, novelty stamps and quite possibly a tuba player on a unicycle.



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New series

Little Sticker Books

The joy of stickering just got even better with this new range of unexpected, dinky collections.

c. 80 illustrations
15.3 x 11.0 cm (6 1/8 x 4 3/8 in.)
40 pp Paperback
c. £7.99

- A new series of mini sticker books, designed for POS retailing and display.
- Stickers are a big trend and this series will quickly build momentum, featuring nostalgic vintage ephemera as well as popular contemporary subjects.
- Strong, impactful covers and competitive pricing designed for gift and impulse purchasing.

From the creators of *The Ransom Note Sticker Book* comes this new series of giftable little sticker collections. Each title presents surprising, new, or rarely seen vintage art, guaranteed to brighten your journal, notebook, laptop or anything else you stick them onto!



Vintage Colour Palettes

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With everything from kimono design swatches to Victorian scientific charts, these stickers will make your pages pop with vibrant hues and tones. Pick them to match the mood of the moment.



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Stickers Against the Patriarchy

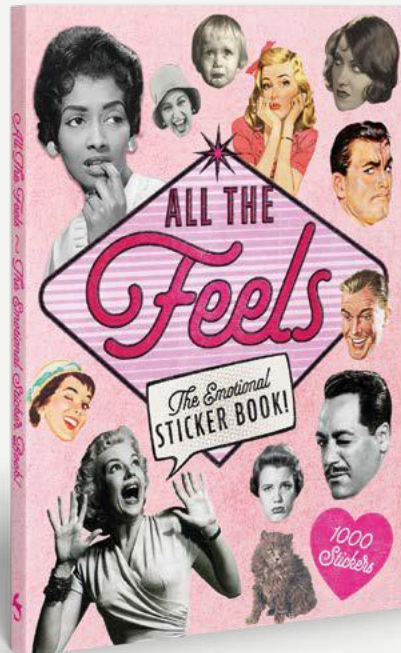
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From 'The Future is Female' to 'A Woman's Place is in the Boardroom', each of these sticky slogans delivers resistance and rebellion, with wit and visual panache.



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c. 1,000 illustrations
21.0 x 14.8 cm (8 3/8 x 5 7/8 in.)
88 pp Paperback
c. £14.99
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All The Feels The Emotional Sticker Book!

*A whole new way
to express your
emotions using fun
vintage stickers.*

- Hits the current trend for junk journaling perfectly.
- Unique, witty concept with immediate appeal.
- Shares the same retro aesthetic as the bestselling *Ransom Note Sticker Book*.

Junk-journal keepers, scrapbookers or anyone who loves stickering their stuff will enjoy finding expressive and witty uses for these cheeky stickers. This humorous collection communicates every possible emotion or reaction faster and more accurately than words ever could. You'll discover faces for every occasion: screaming dramatically, puzzled, bored, laughing, crying and rolling their eyes. Pick out a playful or ironic speech bubble to add even more drama!

I SEE WE FIND
OURSELVES
IN A STICKY
SITUATION



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Also available



The Ransom Note Sticker Book

c. 2,000 illustrations
21.0 x 14.8 cm (8 3/8 x 5 7/8 in.)
88 pp Paperback
c. £14.99



The Graffiti Alphabet Sticker Book

c. 1,000 illustrations
21.0 x 14.8 cm (8 3/8 x 5 7/8 in.)
88 pp Paperback
c. £14.99



Ye Olde Ransom Note Sticker Book

c. 1,200 illustrations
21.0 x 14.8 cm (8 3/8 x 5 7/8 in.)
88 pp Paperback
c. £14.99

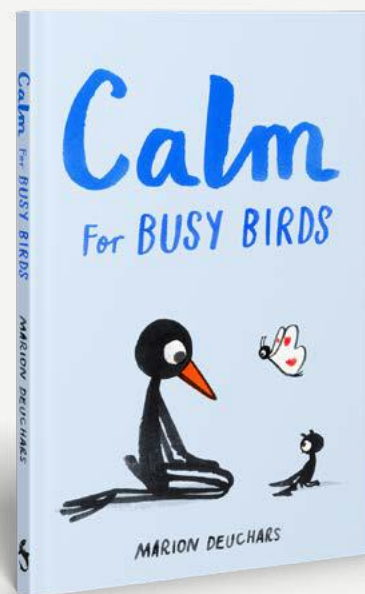


The Curious Collections Sticker Book

c. 1,000 illustrations
21.0 x 14.8 cm (8 3/8 x 5 7/8 in.)
88 pp Paperback
c. £14.99

LET ME TELL
YOU WHERE YOU
CAN STICK YOUR
FEELINGS!





Marion Deuchars' distinctive lettering and illustration has established her as one of the UK's leading visual creatives. She has won Gold and Silver awards from the Art Directors Club NY, and three D&AD Yellow Pencils. She has written numerous books for children, including *Let's Make Some Great Art*, *Bob the Artist*, *Art Play* and *Colour*. Her recent books for adults are *Yoga for Stiff Birds*, *How to be a Fit Bird* and *Make Every Day Creative*.

c. 300 illustrations
18.0 x 13.0 cm (7 1/8 x 5 1/8 in.)
80 pp Hardback
c. £10.00
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Calm for Busy Birds

Marion Deuchars

Bob the Bird guides us into a harmonious state in this charming continuation of the bestselling series.

- Third in the mini series of 'Bob' books for adults by bestselling author and illustrator Marion Deuchars.
- Unique, giftable approach to a strong lifestyle subject that will appeal to an older demographic.
- Third of three titles that will sit perfectly together in bookshops and other retail outlets.

Marion Deuchars expands her series of health and wellbeing books with a focus on achieving a calm and connected state. Accompanied by the wryly humorous Bob the Bird, she brings together mindfulness and meditation techniques, and encourages readers to find a little time in their day for their mental health.

Marion creates all aspects of the book, from quirky characters to the handwritten text, making this a truly authored title. It sits perfectly alongside *Yoga for Stiff Birds* and *How to be a Fit Bird* and makes an ideal gift.



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Also available



How to be a Fit Bird

Marion Deuchars

c. 300 illustrations
18.0 x 13.0 cm (7 1/8 x 5 1/8 in.)
88 pp Hardback
c. £10.00

Rights sold: Danish, Dutch, French, German, Slovak, Spanish (Catalan)

Bestseller!



Yoga for Stiff Birds

Marion Deuchars

c. 300 illustrations
18.0 x 13.0 cm (7 1/8 x 5 1/8 in.)
80 pp Hardback
c. £10.00

Rights sold: simplified Chinese, Czech, Danish, Dutch, French, German, Hungarian, Italian, Portuguese, Slovak, Spanish (Castilian and Catalan)

Bestseller!



Folko Kullmann, an internationally renowned expert in planting and garden design, is the author of numerous bestselling books, including *Square-Foot Gardening* (BLV) and *Gardening with Raised Beds* (Gräfe & Unzer). He is also President of the German Perennial Growers' Association.

Marianne Majerus is one of the world's leading garden photographers and has won multiple awards for her work, including World and European Garden Photographer of the Year.

c. 200 illustrations
21.5 × 16.5 cm (8½ × 6½ in.)
216 pp Hardback
c. £20.00
Spring 2026
Rights sold: German



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Small Garden Envy

Folko Kullmann, with photographs by Marianne Majerus

Showcasing enviable small gardens, inspiration and sound advice for planning and planting.

- A giftable, lifestyle approach to a subject that has been growing in popularity with homeowners.
- Spectacular photography of 47 different gardens, with planting details and practical advice.
- The little wink in the title lifts the subject above the humdrum of the how-to genre.

This desirable little book features 47 small gardens that will make you green with envy. Alongside stunning photography of each garden, it also contains the practical advice you need to create your own covetable outdoor haven. Showcasing a variety of garden styles – perennial meadows, cottage-style borders, drought-proof gravel gardens, architectural statement plants and more – the book is packed with ideas you'll want to steal.

Each garden has a striking opening spread, followed by another that breaks down the layout and planting, including the plant names, and gives you tips and tricks so you can try them yourself. Themed plant lists at the back of the book, along with their USDA climate zones, give you a handy tool for planning your planting and checking if a particular species will thrive in your local area.

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Meditation garden
This garden is a living retreat, encouraging mindfulness and connection to nature.

Drawing inspiration from the layered landscapes of Chinese and Japanese garden traditions, this peaceful hideaway allows natural elements to take centre stage. It mixes organic materials, soft lighting and carefully chosen features to create a secluded space for calm reflection. Sculptural tall shrubs like this wintled viburnum with laced branches provide shelter and privacy from above while still keeping the space open. They also offer dappled shade, making soothing patterns of light on the garden floor. Beneath these, lush but restrained plantings of large-leaved shrubs like oak-leaved hydrangea and Japanese maples, ferns and a few ornamental perennials like foxgloves together create a rich tapestry of textures. Evergreens, grafted plants and verdant foliage provide balance, their considered placement evoking the refined simplicity of Zen aesthetics. The layout is fairly asymmetrical, mimicking natural landscapes rather than more formal arrangements.

A thoughtfully placed bell sculpture hangs down from a branch, where it might gently chime as birds alight, its soft tone enhancing the meditative atmosphere. It is a focal point that blends with nature and promotes visual harmony. The aim in this garden is not simply decoration but balance, simplicity and a deep connection to the natural world.

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Plan an outdoor kitchen

Built-in grill

The grill is the heart of an outdoor kitchen. Choose one with integrated housing and a built-in sink and a time-saving gas tap. Stainless steel is durable, heat-resistant and easy to clean. Position the grill where cooking smoke will disperse easily, ideally with a windbreak on the upwind side.

Sink and water access

A sink is useful, especially if you're not very close to the house. By connecting your outdoor kitchen to your indoor plumbing, you can avoid a long walk to the kitchen sink.

Work surface

Work surfaces are best made of a material that is easy to clean and resistant to heat. Granite is a popular choice, but it can be expensive. A wooden work surface is also a good option.

Smart storage

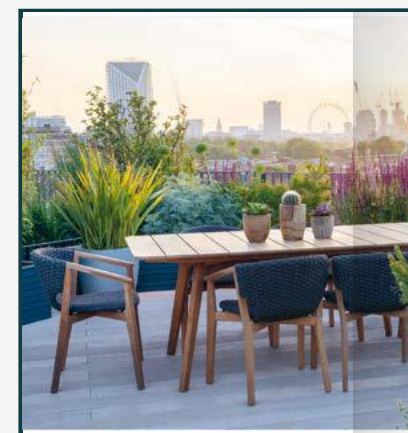
Outdoor kitchens are cluttered with tools and equipment. To keep the space looking clean and organized, use built-in storage for tools, pots, and other outdoor kitchen accessories.

Power and gas connections
If you're not close to the house, you'll need to run power and gas lines to the outdoor kitchen. This can be a challenge, but it's worth the effort to have a fully functional outdoor kitchen.

Grow herbs where you cook
Having fresh herbs on hand is a great idea. Consider growing herbs in pots or in a raised bed near the outdoor kitchen. This will make it easy to access them while cooking.

Don't forget the sun
Even the best outdoor kitchen is useless if it's in the shade. Make sure you have a sunny spot for your outdoor kitchen. This will make it a more enjoyable place to spend time.

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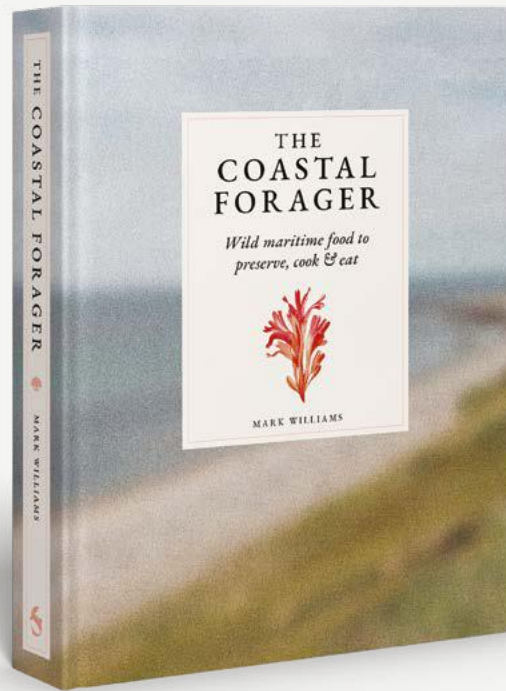
A roof with a view
This rooftop oasis balances resilience and beauty in the exposed conditions of a sky-high terrace.

With amazing views over the city and enjoying an abundance of golden evening light, this is a visually stunning outdoor space. However, full sun exposure comes with challenges like intense heat and rapid water evaporation, making this a high-maintenance rooftop garden. This rooftop terrace blends smart design with lush, drought-tolerant plants.

A weathered wooden deck forms the base of the design, its sherry effect echoing the tones of the city skyline. The natural textures of wood and stone materials in the outdoor dining set bring warmth and comfort. Large dark grey planters anchor the planting scheme, allowing a mix of Mediterranean and native species to thrive in the challenging rooftop conditions.

A tall cluster of olive trees at the end of the terrace plants, including Mediterranean dwarf palms, pines and perennials that reduce the heat and exposure of high-altitude settings. Bold architectural forms, such as New Zealand flax, add structure, while flowering cereals like Japanese iris introduce seasonal interest. The planting extends to the terrace's edge, where a transparent railing creates unobstructed views.

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Mark Williams has been teaching foraging for 35 years, is a founder member of The Association of Foragers and is one of the UK's leading wild-food educators. He regularly runs coastal foraging events on the shores of Dumfries and Galloway, where he lives.

Sofia Iva specializes in digital artwork inspired by natural botanical forms and processes. She works with clients for publishing, product packaging and advertising campaigns.

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The Coastal Forager

Wild Maritime Food to Preserve, Cook and Eat

Mark Williams,
Illustrated by Sofia Iva

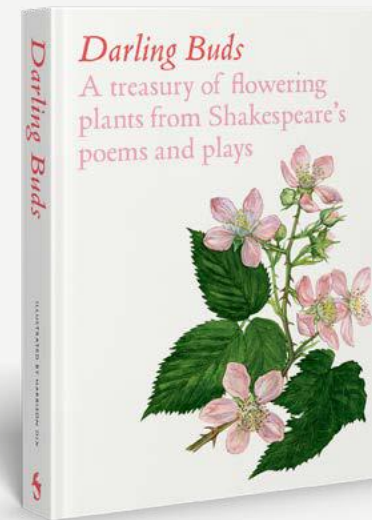
Discover the edible opportunities of our amazing North Atlantic coastlines: coastal plants, shellfish, seaweed and more.

- **Unique offering:** there's no other book with this scope.
- **Natural history and foraging topics** continue to be popular, along with increased interest in the natural world.
- **Mark is a fantastic communicator**, with great reach into the foraging community, and will be actively promoting the book.

To the knowing eye, the coast is an incredible source of nutrition and flavours – from aromatic maritime herbs and succulent coastal vegetables to umami-rich seaweeds and gourmet shellfish. Join professional foraging guide and wild-food chef Mark Williams on a gastronomic and ecological journey through a dazzling range of coastal habitats, learning how to safely identify, sustainably harvest and creatively cook with coastal wild foods.

Featuring a mix of stunning illustrations from Sofia Iva and informative, evocative photographs, the book includes over 40 recipes, seasonal tips and fascinating personal stories from Mark's own wild and rugged coastal home in Scotland. You'll fall in love with the flavours and nourishing abundance of our shorelines.

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Harrison Dix has enjoyed a long career as one of the UK's most distinctive visual artists. With numerous exhibitions to his name, he also taught at the Camberwell College of Arts in London, and now enjoys retirement in Henley. His series of botanical illustrations of Shakespearean verse is the fruit of a long gestation.

c. 120 illustrations
18.5 × 13.5 cm (7½ × 5½ in.)
176 pp Hardback
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Darling Buds

A Treasury of Flowering Plants From Shakespeare's Poems and Plays

Illustrated by Harrison Dix

Indulge yourself in a visual and poetic celebration of Shakespeare's finest botanical references.

- **Ideal for literary or horticultural gifting**, with an intriguing combination of art and evocative words.
- **Charming format:** fine paper, delicate watercolour illustrations, sprayed edges and cloth binding all maximize its gift appeal.
- **Features never-before-seen illustrations**, meticulously rendered in watercolour.

This beautifully giftable anthology of some of Shakespeare's most evocative verse is illustrated by botanical watercolours from the brush of Harrison Dix. Join him on an exploration of Shakespeare's many poetic references to flowering plants: each quotation is illustrated and every plant is given a short entry explaining its significance, symbolism and even medicinal or culinary uses.

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Maria Rivans is a collage artist based in Brighton, UK. She curated the images in the hugely successful *Extraordinary Things to Cut Out and Collage*, has exhibited her work internationally, and created a book and several unique jigsaw puzzles for Skittledog. Known for their surreal approach, Maria's collages are in a constant dialogue with cultures of the past, reinventing narratives while spinning bizarre and dreamlike tales.

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Alice's Adventures

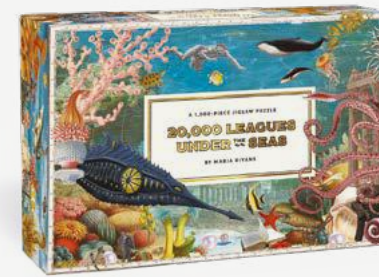
A 1000-Piece Jigsaw Puzzle

Maria Rivans

Tumble down the rabbit hole and into our most surreal jigsaw puzzle yet!

- **The perfect title for Maria:** Lewis Carroll's characters are widely loved and recognized, and step happily into Maria's surreal collage landscapes.
- **Literary-adjacent puzzles** appeal to bookshop browsers and the jigsaw-puzzle audience.
- **Strong international appeal:** Alice and the original books are loved the world over.

Toadstools, teapots, playing cards and chess pieces all spring gloriously to life in this surreal take on Lewis Carroll's beloved classics. Drawing inspiration from illustrators such as John Tenniel, Maria Rivans sets their creations loose in her own idiosyncratic Wonderland, blending characters and narratives from both *Alice in Wonderland* and *Through the Looking Glass*.

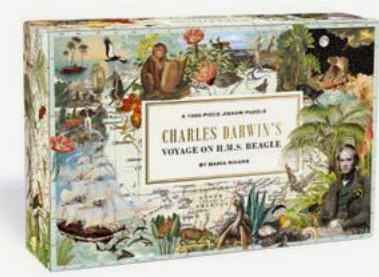


20,000 Leagues Under the Sea

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Charles Darwin's Voyage on H.M.S. Beagle

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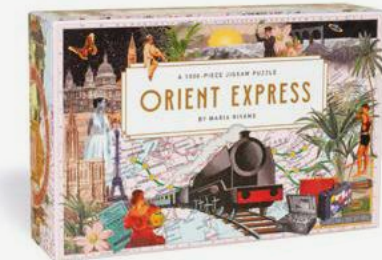


Road Trip!

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Orient Express

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Charlotte Farmer creates colourful illustrations of grumpy animals, often showcased on nostalgic packaging styles such as matchboxes and tins. Her jigsaw puzzle *Hot Stuff* is a UK bestseller and her soaps and matchboxes can be found on tables in many gift stores, both at home and abroad. Charlotte's books include *The Hipster Colouring Book*, *The Passive-Aggressive Colouring Book* and *The Museum of Me*.

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Puzzle: 68.5 x 49.0 cm
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The Well-Read Cat

A 1000-Piece Jigsaw Puzzle

Illustrated by Charlotte Farmer

Vibrant colour, literary humour and cats: a winning puzzle formula from one of Britain's most popular illustrators.

- **Puzzlers love colour:** Charlotte's signature palette of hot pinks, vibrant oranges and electric blues has won her a legion of fans and makes her puzzles stand out.
- **A light-hearted literary theme:** the humour in this puzzle is hard to resist, and the theme makes it a perfect gift for any literary lover.
- **Cats are a popular perennial** on the puzzle shelves, and these cats are more appealing than the competition.

This colourful puzzle, featuring the covers of eight beloved literary classics, will appeal to anyone who loves laughing at cats. Enjoy Charlotte Farmer's feline-inspired interpretations of *Purrsuasion*; *The Scratcher in the Rye*; *PAWS!; I, Clawdius*; *Cat 22*; *Hamlet*; 'Tabby or not Tabby'; *The Great Catsby* and *The Tail of Two Kitties*.



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Anna Higgie has a flair for combining luminous realism with confident brush and pencil marks. With a degree in fine art from the National Art School in Sydney, Australia, she is now based in Bristol, UK, and has a wide range of clients such as Penguin, *The Guardian* and Bloomingdales.

Box: 16.7 × 12.7 × 8.0 cm
(6⅝ × 5⅛ × 3¼ in.)
Puzzle: 48.0 × 34.0 cm
(19 × 13½ in.) + 8 pp booklet
c. £14.99
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Pride and Prejudice: The Opening Lines

A 500-Piece Jigsaw Puzzle

Anna Higgie

Rediscover this beloved novel, reimagined as a lively, literary jigsaw puzzle.

- Brings *Pride and Prejudice* to life with sensational art from a leading contemporary illustrator.
- Gorgeously packaged and plastic-free in the distinctive Skittledog box, with a poster and booklet.
- A literary gift or relaxing treat for yourself!

Centred around the famous opening lines, 'It is a truth universally acknowledged, that a single man in possession of a good fortune, must be in want of a wife...', this puzzle celebrates the story of Elizabeth Bennet's slow-burning relationship with Fitzwilliam Darcy, perhaps the best-loved novel in English literature.

This charming, brand-new illustration will delight nostalgic puzzlers. At its centre are the opening lines of the story, as if handwritten by the author, beautifully bringing words and image together – making this the ideal gift for any bibliophile or bookshop browser. There's even an informative booklet telling the story of Austen and her celebrated novel.

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Raised in the North Yorkshire countryside, **Emily Sutton** has become a star of modern-day illustration. With clients including the V&A, *The Telegraph*, Bloomsbury, Walker Books, Faber & Faber and Random House, she is fast becoming a household name. Trained at the Edinburgh College of Art, her work celebrates her childhood fascination with folk art and Victoriana, earning her a wide audience.

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The Secret Garden: The Opening Lines

A 500-Piece Jigsaw Puzzle

Emily Sutton

A beautiful celebration of the beloved children's classic novel.

- With its classic literary appeal, *The Secret Garden* is one of the best-loved of all children's books.
- The puzzle features sensational original art from Emily Sutton, one of the UK's finest illustrators.
- A desirable box, plus a poster and booklet, make this a standout gift – and it's plastic-free.

This brand-new illustration by Emily Sutton celebrates the story of Mary Lennox, the unloved orphan whose discovery of a neglected garden behind a locked door changes her life and those of everyone around her. The story unfolds in detailed illustrated scenes around the famous opening lines, 'When Mary Lennox was sent to Misselthwaite Manor to live with her uncle, everybody said she was the most disagreeable-looking child ever seen...'

Emily Sutton's charming illustration will delight nostalgic puzzlers. At its centre are the opening lines of the story, as if hand-written by the author, beautifully bringing words and image together – making this the ideal gift for any bibliophile or bookshop browser.

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Rebecca Harris returned to her first love, illustration, after a long career in graphic design and completed a master's degree at Falmouth University. Drawing inspiration from the Wiltshire countryside surrounding her home, she now creates illustrations and surface designs that celebrate nature and wildlife through rich colours and strong compositions.

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(10 1/8 x 6 5/8 x 3 1/4 in.)
Puzzle: 65.0 cm (25 5/8 in.)
diameter + 12 pp booklet
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Shakespeare's Birds

A 1000-Piece Circular Jigsaw Puzzle

Rebecca Harris

A stunning circular jigsaw puzzle featuring 45 birds mentioned by Shakespeare in his poetry and plays.

- The literary-adjacent topic makes this a natural puzzle for book lovers.
- Nature and wildlife, particularly birds, are perennially popular with puzzlers – especially in the spring.
- Plastic-free packaging and a beautifully designed box make this a perfect gift.

Shakespeare knew his birds and frequently referred to them in his works: 64 species are mentioned on over 600 occasions. This beautiful circular puzzle celebrates that legacy, showing a selection of 45 birds in wonderful detail.

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Shakespeare's Flowers

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Puzzle: 65.0 cm (25 5/8 in.)
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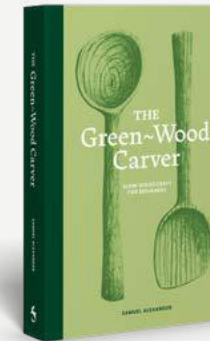
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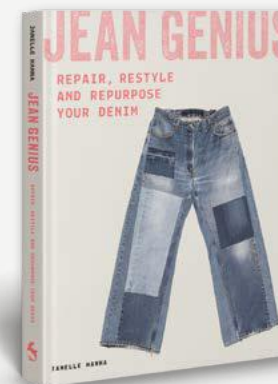
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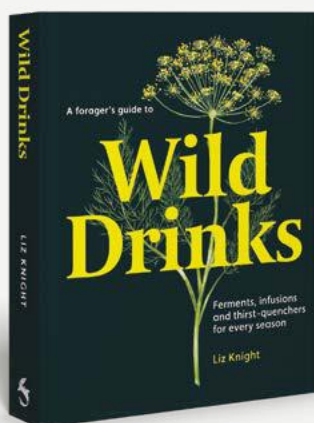
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A Forager's Guide to Wild Drinks

Liz Knight, Illustrated by Veronica Ballart Lilja

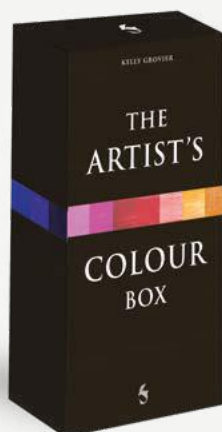
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The Christmas Party

Maria Rivans

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Puzzle: 68.5 × 49.0 cm
(27 × 19⅜ in.)
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Box: 18.0 × 9.7 × 4.5 cm
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