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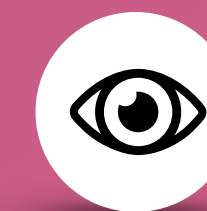
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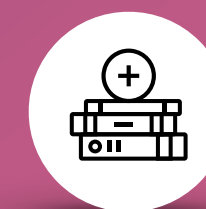
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PICTURE BOOKS





MEANWHILE BACK ON EARTH

OLIVER JEFFERS

HERE WE ARE
IS TRANSLATED
INTO 33
LANGUAGES

HERE WE ARE
AND WHAT WE'LL
BUILD ARE BOTH
NEW YORK TIMES
BESTSELLERS

INTRODUCING THE OUT-OF-THIS-WORLD COMPANION TO
INTERNATIONALLY AND PHENOMENALLY BESTSELLING PICTURE BOOKS
HERE WE ARE AND *WHAT WE'LL BUILD*!

A father takes his two children on a thrilling journey into space, inviting them to take a look back at Earth and the battles that have taken place there since the beginning of time. Can he show them that what binds us together matters more than what might set us apart?

A brief history of the world and a whistle-stop tour of the universe, all in one, told with Oliver's trademark wit, lightness of touch and unique perspective on life. This spectacular cosmic view of the world and its history will be eagerly anticipated by fans of international bestsellers *Here We Are* and *What We'll Build*.

AUTHOR INFO

Oliver Jeffers is an outstanding talent and has won many high-profile awards, including the Nestlé Smarties Book Prize Gold Award, the Blue Peter Book of the Year and the Irish Children's Book of the Year. He lives and works in Brooklyn, New York.

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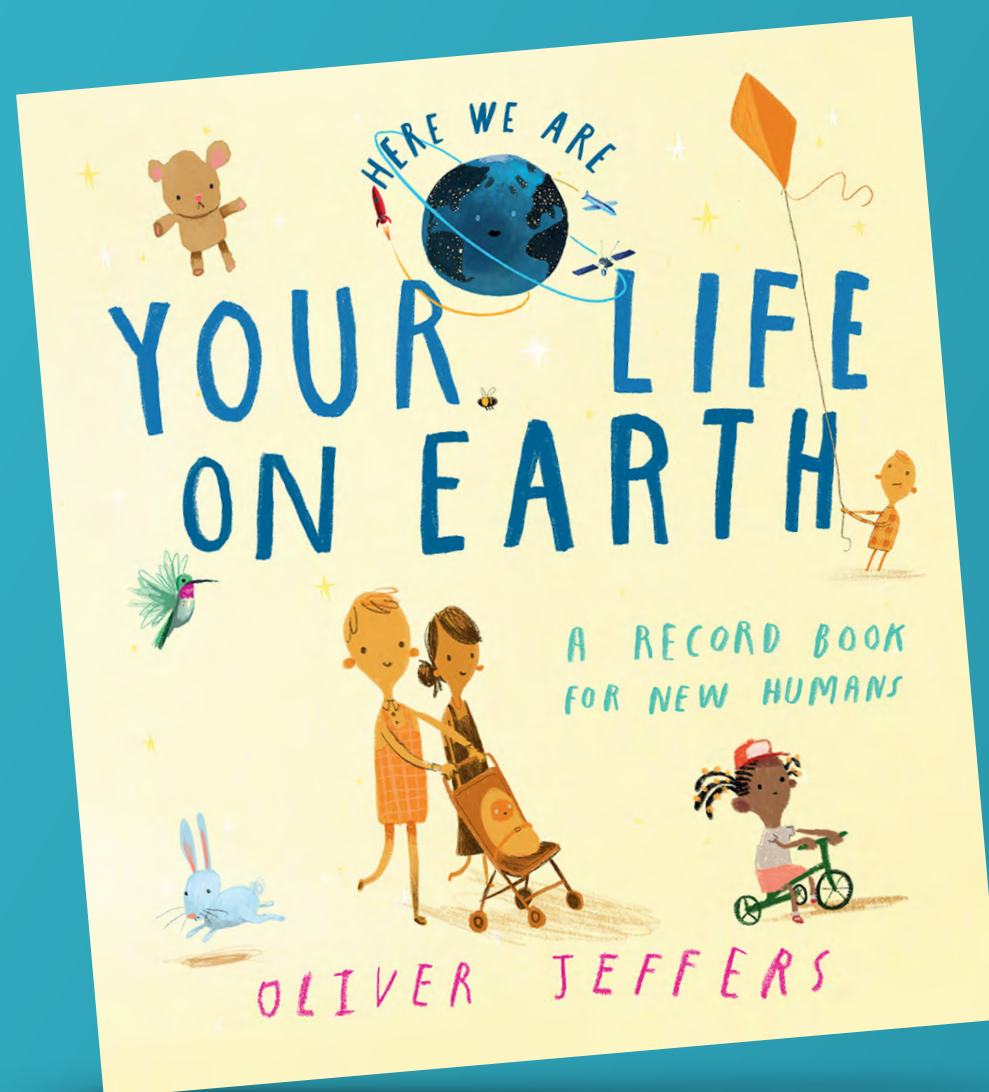
HERE WE ARE BABY RANGE

OLIVER JEFFERS

IRRESISTIBLE INSPIRATIONAL BABY GIFT BOOKS TO WELCOME NEWBORNS
TO OUR PLANET – PERFECT FOR FAMILIES TO TREASURE FOREVER!

BASED
ON THE NO. 1
NEW YORK TIMES
BESTSELLER!

HERE WE ARE
HAS BEEN
TRANSLATED
INTO 33
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YOUR LIFE ON EARTH: A RECORD BOOK FOR NEW HUMANS

*Well, hello. Welcome to this planet.
We call it Earth. We're glad you
found us.*

Inspired by the exceptional, award-winning global picture-book phenomenon, *Here We Are*, this baby record book includes five pockets and spaces for baby's footprints and photographs. Perfect for cherishing memories of a little one's arrival on Planet Earth!

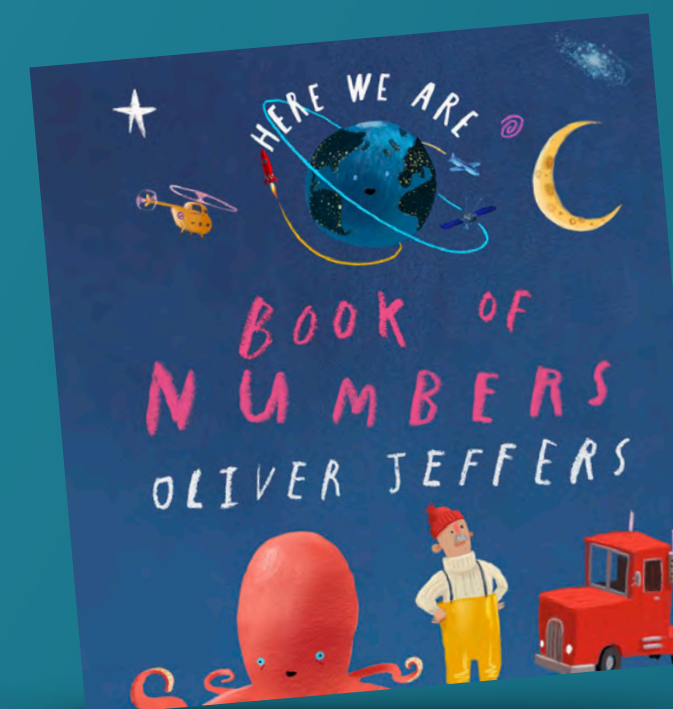
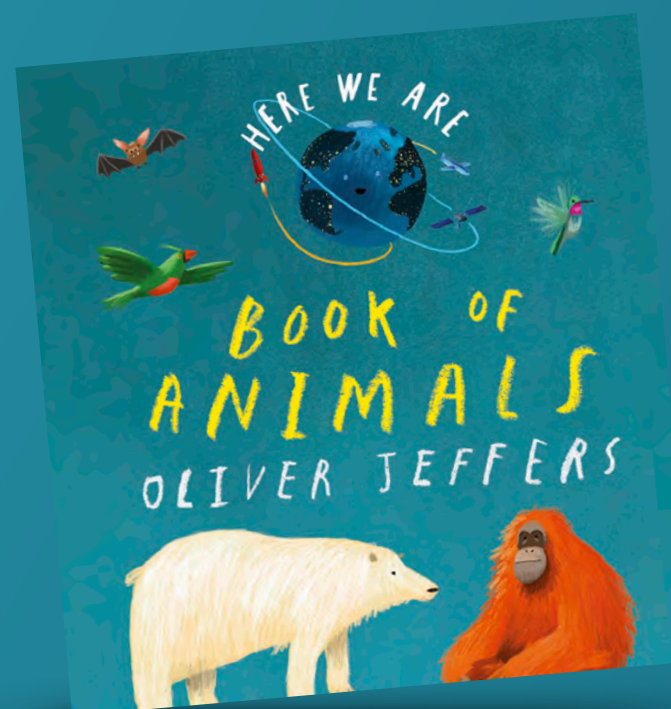
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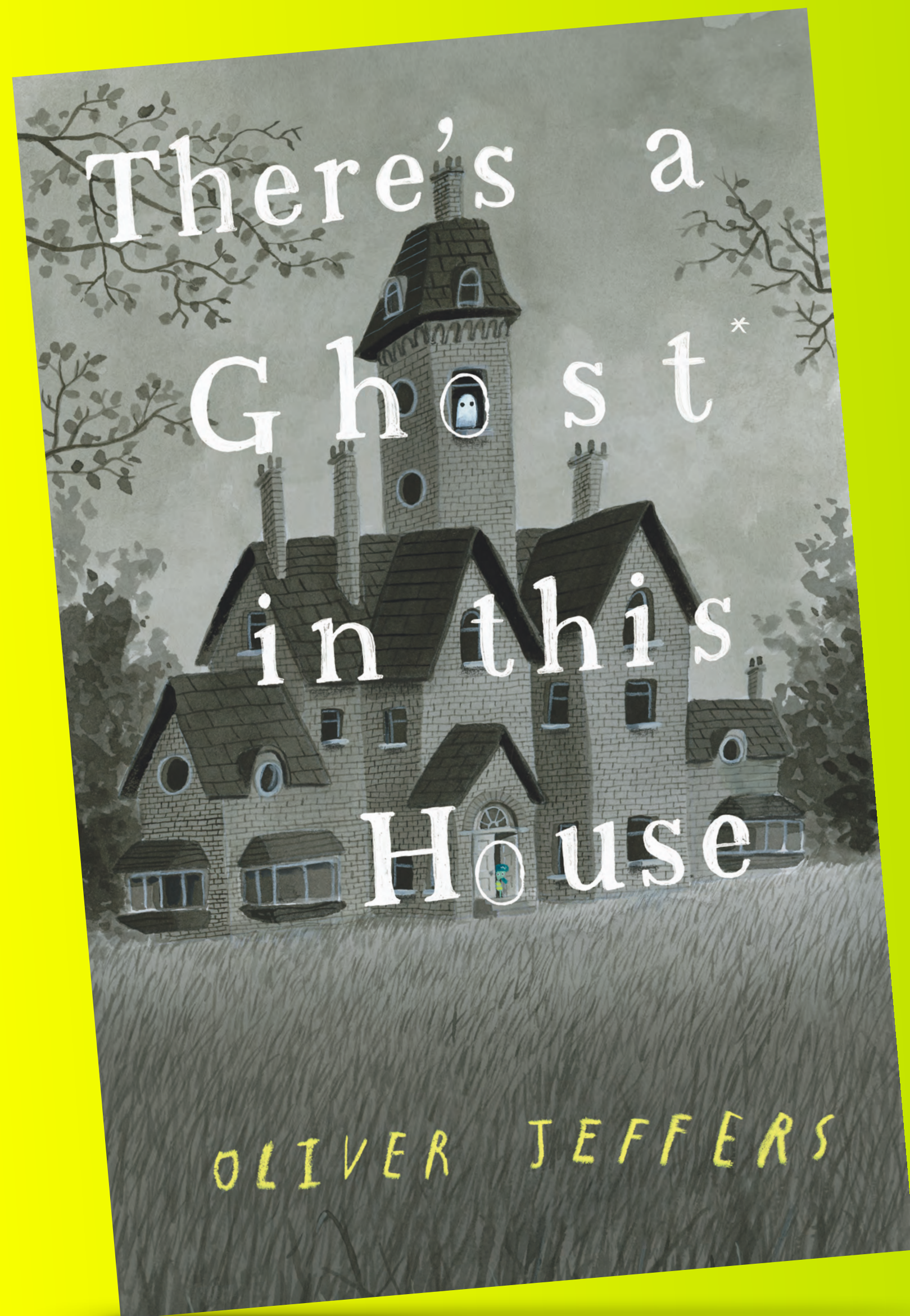


HERE WE ARE BOARD BOOKS

An irresistible set of simple concept board books introducing children to all that is wonderful about life on Planet Earth. Perfect for the youngest of nature lovers!

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COPIES IN 48
LANGUAGES!

THERE'S A GHOST IN THIS HOUSE

OLIVER JEFFERS

A CAPTIVATING PICTURE BOOK WITH INTERACTIVE TRANSPARENT PAGES,
FROM WORLD-RENOWNED PICTURE BOOK ARTIST OLIVER JEFFERS –
PERFECT FOR HALLOWEEN AND BEYOND!

Hello, come in.

Maybe you can help me?

A young girl lives in a haunted house, but has never seen a ghost. Are they hard to see? She'd love to know! Turn the transparent pages to help her on a captivating ghost hunt, from behind the sofa, right up to the attic. With lots of funny surprises and incredible illustrations, this unique book will entertain young readers over and over again!

AUTHOR INFO

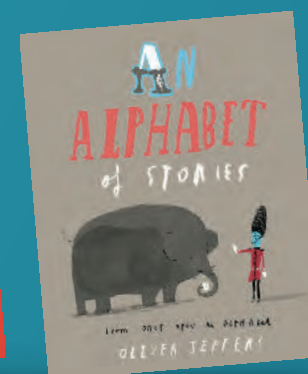
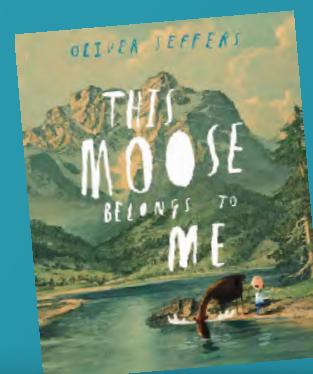
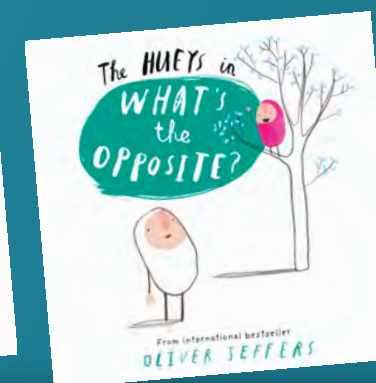
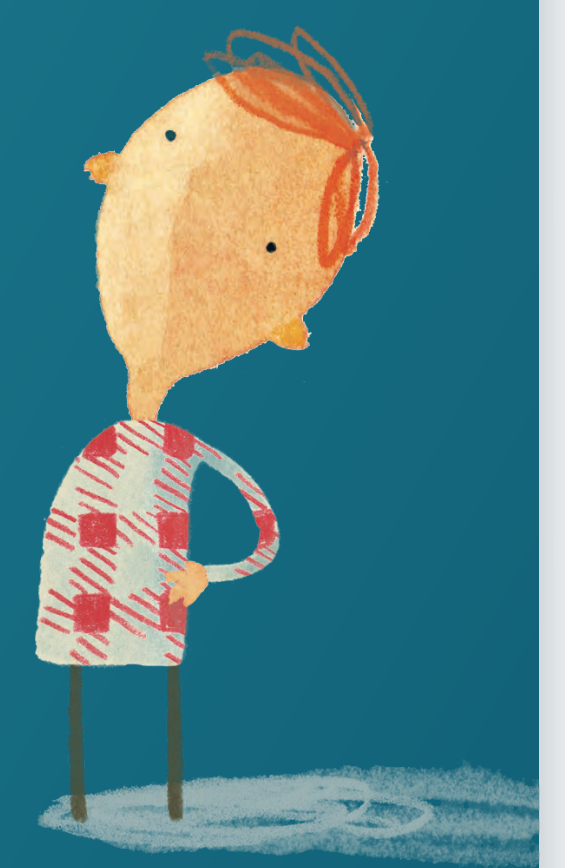
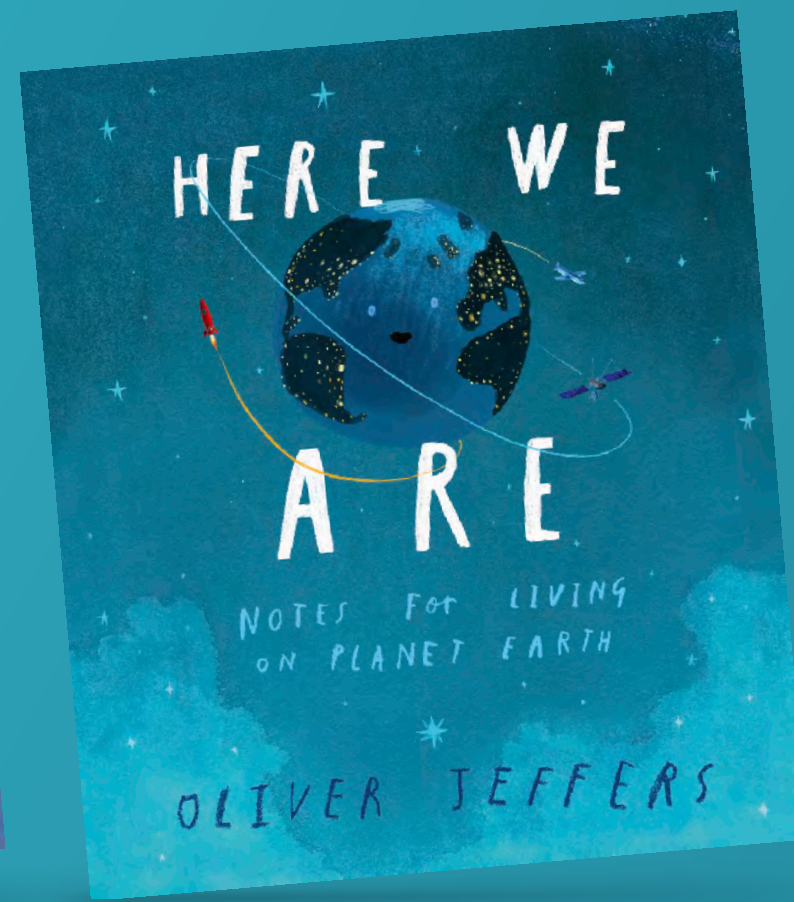
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OLIVER JEFFERS

A WEALTH OF INCREDIBLE STORIES
FROM A PICTURE-BOOK PHENOMENON



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A LITTLE FEAR

LUKE SCRIVEN

FROM Hugely exciting debut author and illustrator Luke Scriven comes an utterly charming and wonderfully reassuring tale about confronting your fears.

When Sam lets in a little fear one night, he's sure it won't be any bother. But before he knows it, the fear has grown and grown and grown. Until even the sunniest of sunny days doesn't feel very sunny any more. There's only one thing for it. Sam must try and be a little bit brave . . .

Beautifully and simply told, this is a tale that will resonate with parents and children alike – from a debut talent that is one to watch!

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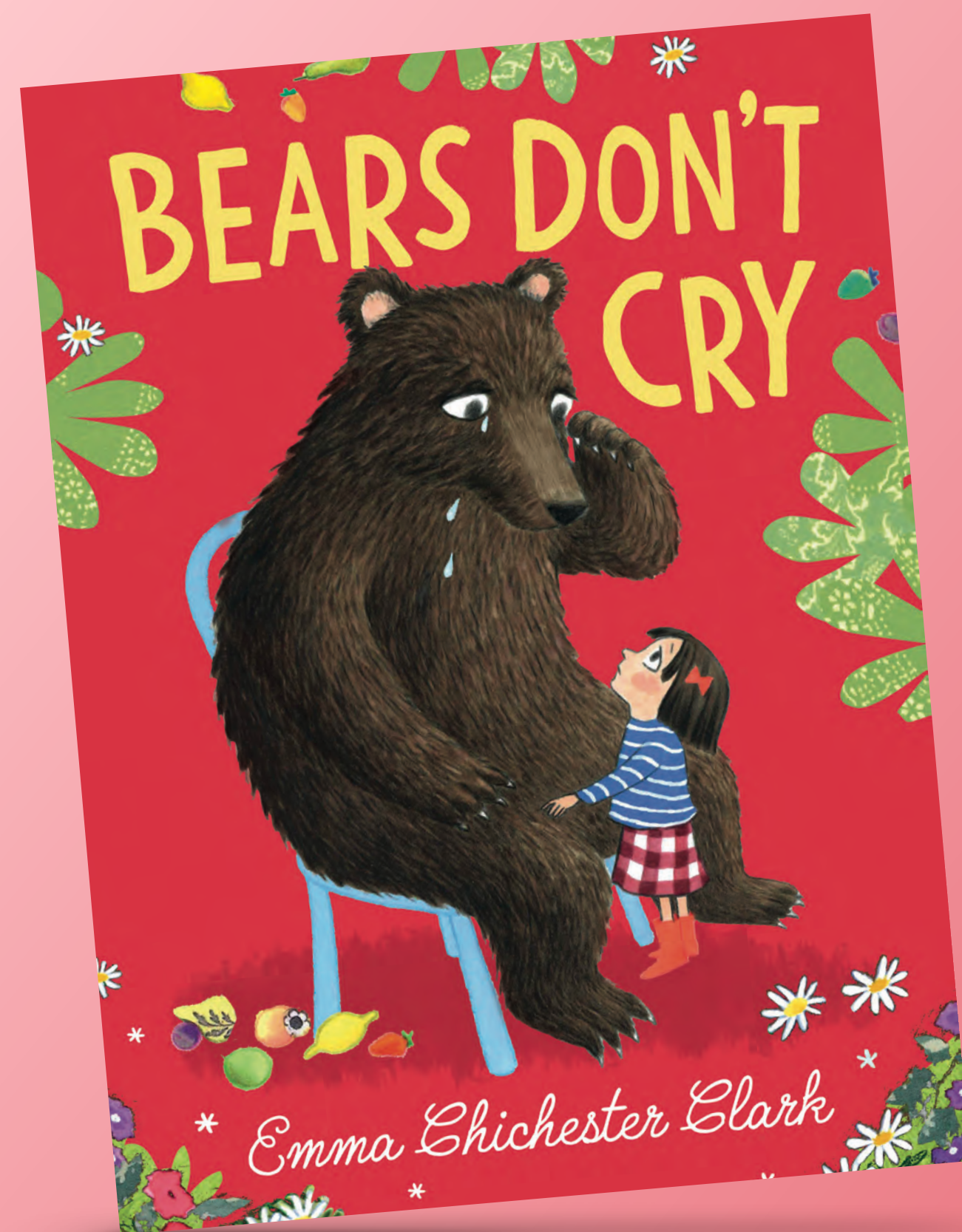
A Little Brave is Luke's very first picture book. He works traditionally using a mix of gouache and watercolours to create his characters. Luke lives in Bath in South West England.

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MULTI-BOOK DEAL

EXCITING DEBUT AUTHOR ILLUSTRATOR!

EMMA'S BOOKS
HAVE BEEN
TRANSLATED INTO
21 LANGUAGES!



BEARS DON'T CRY

EMMA CHICHESTER CLARK

EMMA CHICHESTER CLARK'S BELOVED CHARACTER, GEORGE THE BEAR, IS BACK IN ANOTHER GLORIOUSLY ILLUSTRATED, HEARTFELT AND WITTY TALE.

When George the bear ventures out to the library, he wonders why everyone is in such a rush. Where are they all going? And why won't anybody stick around long enough to answer his questions?

But when George has an accident and lands in the fountain, everyone roars with laughter. Poor George. But bears don't cry, do they?

A heart-warming, feel-good story about friendship and seeing the best in all that's around us. Wittily told and with glorious illustrations from one of today's best-loved picture book creators.



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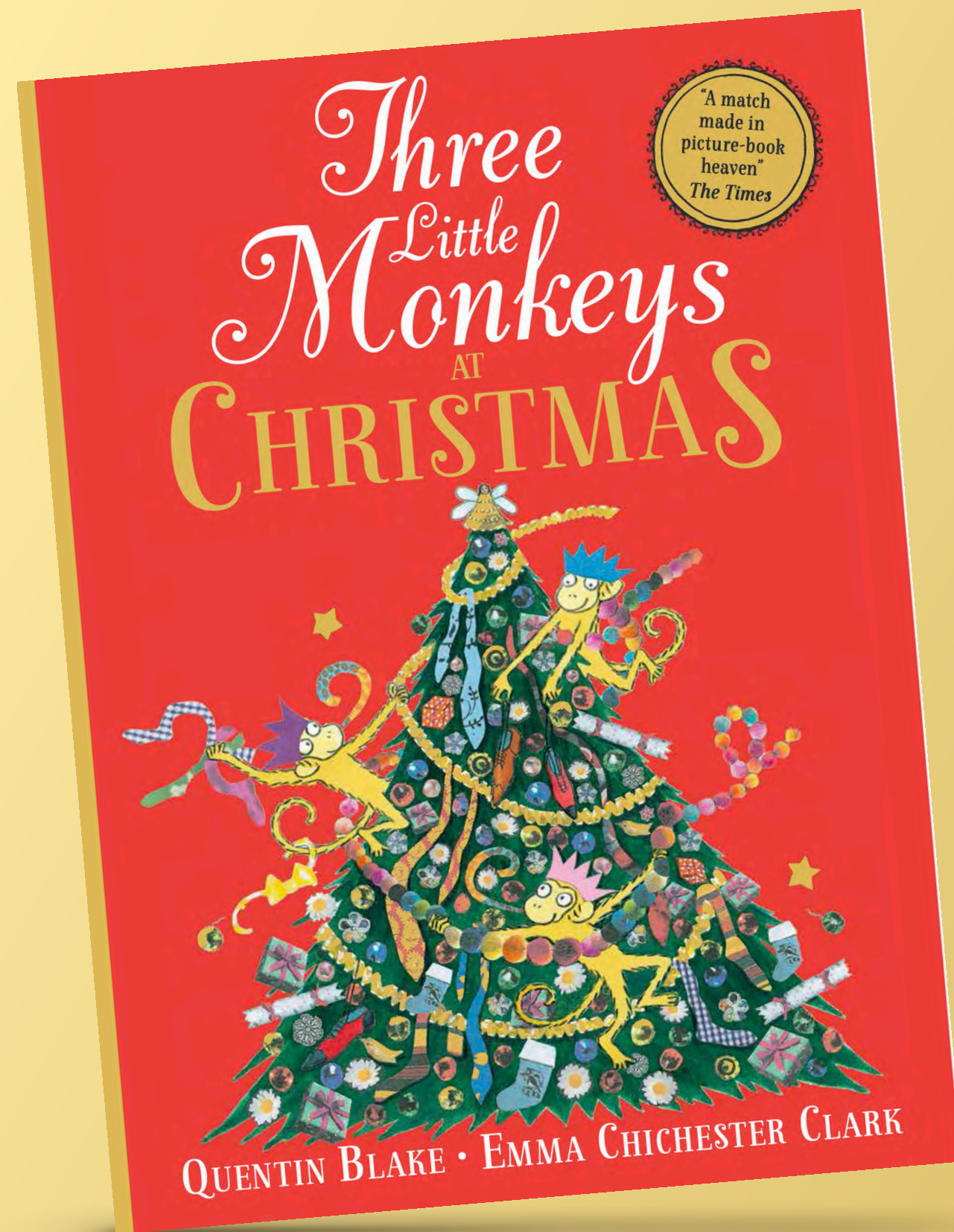
Emma Chichester Clark studied at the Royal College of Art, where she was taught by Quentin Blake. She has created many classic children's books, including those about the much-loved Blue Kangaroo.

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*"A match made
in picture-book
heaven"*
THE TIMES



THREE LITTLE MONKEYS AT CHRISTMAS

QUENTIN BLAKE &
EMMA CHICHESTER CLARK

A WICKEDLY FUNNY NEW FESTIVE ADVENTURE FROM A STELLAR PICTURE-BOOK COLLABORATION!

Hilda Snibbs takes her three mischievous little monkeys to stay with her Uncle Gilbert for Christmas. Among many amazing things, Uncle Gilbert's prized possession is an ancient golden teapot, so the little monkeys must be very good. But what is supposed to be a traditional holiday is soon filled with chaos! Hilda begins to regret bringing the three little monkeys with her – until, one night, their antics come in very handy . . .

Quentin Blake's delightfully funny story is brought to life by Emma Chichester Clark's beautiful mixed-media illustrations in this irresistible follow-up to *Three Little Monkeys* and *Three Little Monkeys Ride Again*.

AUTHOR INFO

Emma Chichester Clark studied at the Royal College of Art, where she was taught by Quentin Blake. She has created many classic children's books, including those about the much-loved Blue Kangaroo.

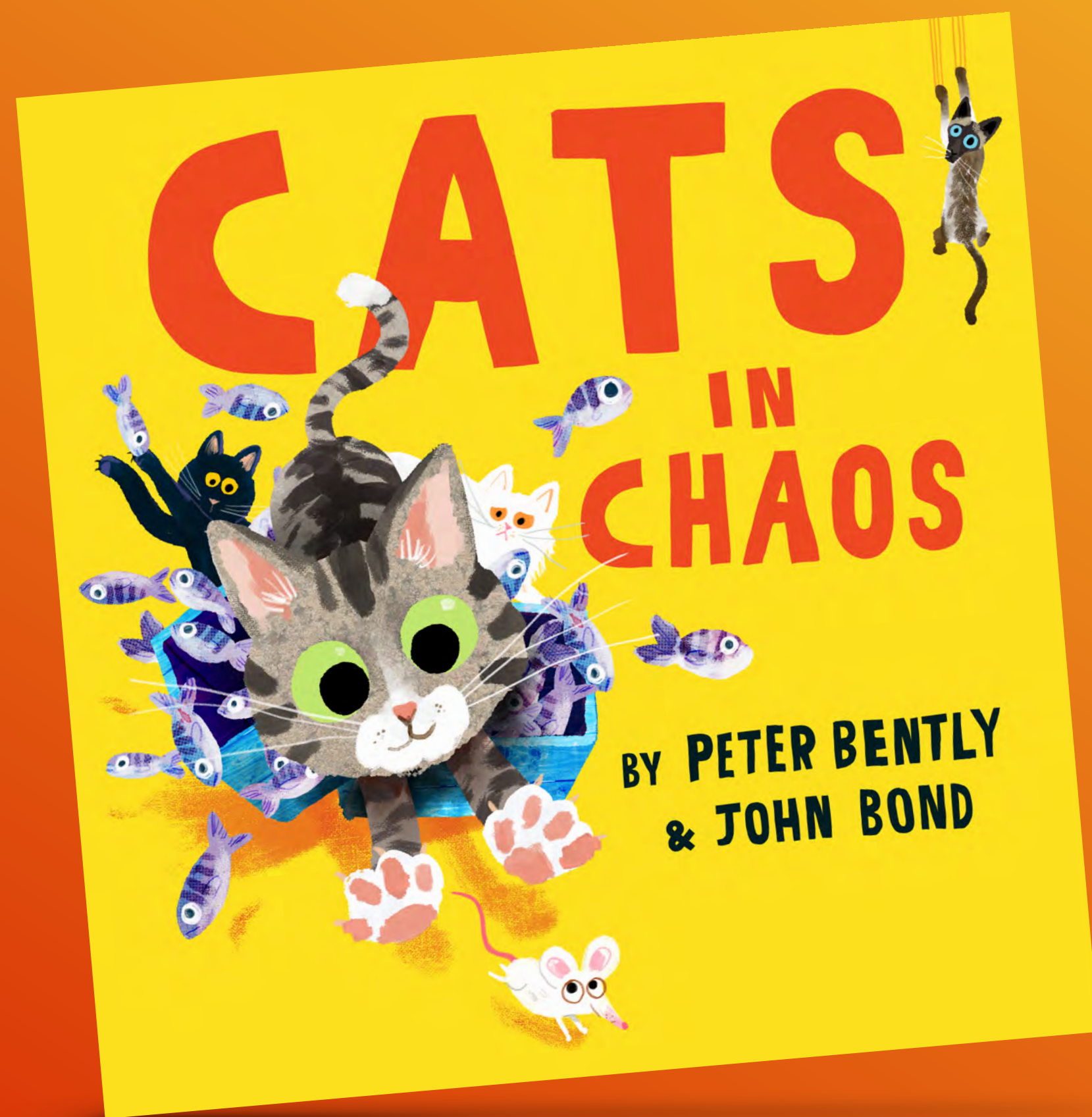
ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Quentin Blake is one of the most iconic illustrators of our time and was appointed the first-ever Children's Laureate in 1999. Quentin taught for many years at the Royal College of Art.

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CATS IN CHAOS

PETER BENTLY & JOHN BOND

FROM THIS FABULOUSLY TALENTED DUO COMES ANOTHER HILARIOUS AND MAD-CAP ADVENTURE THAT LIFTS THE LID ON WHAT CATS GET UP TO WHEN NOBODY'S LOOKING!

*Cats adore eating and snoozing and snuggling.
They also like acrobats, tightropes and juggling.
They slip from their houses as soon as it's dark
And head for the school by the side of the park . . .*

Hot on the heels of the hilarious and critically-acclaimed *Dogs in Disguise* comes another wonderfully witty tale from this star-studded duo.

Following our favourite feline pets as they disappear into the night and cause chaos in their wake, this jaunty and riotous rhyming text will have children roaring with laughter. From hugely popular, multi-award-winning author, Peter Bently, with brilliantly witty illustrations from John Bond, creator of the Mini Rabbit books.

PETER BENTLY -
WINNER OF THE
ROALD DAHL
FUNNY PRIZE!

JOHN BOND'S
MINI RABBIT
BOOKS HAVE
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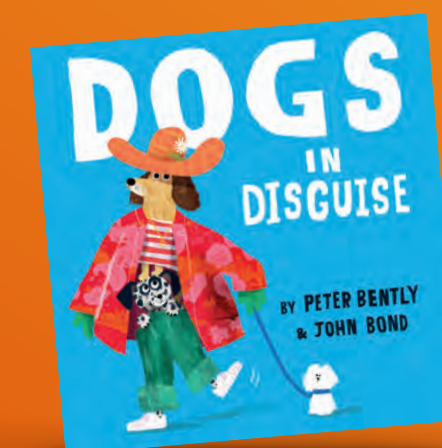
Peter Bently was born in Hampshire. The son of an Army bandmaster, he grew up in Germany, Singapore and Hong Kong, as well as the UK, going on to study languages at Oxford University. He lives in Devon with his wife, son and daughter.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

John Bond studied Illustration at Kingston University and worked for seven years at an award-winning creative agency before becoming a full-time artist and designer. He is married and has two young children.

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PRAISE FOR *DOGS IN DISGUISE*:

**"LAUGH-OUT-
LOUD FUNNY!"**

FROM THE
ILLUSTRATOR OF
THE PRIMROSE
RAILWAY
CHILDREN



THE WINTER WISH

HELEN MORTIMER & RACHAEL DEAN

THIS GLORIOUS CHRISTMAS STORY FROM A STELLAR NEW CREATIVE PAIRING WILL MAKE THE FESTIVE SEASON SPARKLE THE WORLD OVER

William lives in *Words of Wonder*, a perfect book shop full of stories and delights. He has always lived there with his family, ever since he was a baby and now he is 37 books tall. But times are hard, and the book shop is struggling so Williams takes it upon himself to create the most beautiful Christmas window to draw people in – with a reindeer leaping, pulling a sleigh full of stories. One night, as Christmas draws near, the reindeer comes to life and all William's wishes for his family and all the shops around come true . . . making a Christmas to remember through the power of words and hope.



AUTHOR INFO

Helen Mortimer works as a freelance children's book editor and author. After many years working for major publishing companies, Helen is perfectly poised to take the children's literary world by storm with her thoughtful and charming writing. Helen writes to explore themes that are close to her heart through a picture-book lens and hopes that adults and children alike will enjoy sharing her stories.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Rachael Dean is children's book illustrator living in a seaside village just North of Liverpool. Her work is traditionally and digitally painted, and often portrays rich imagery and engaging characters. She loves to illustrate natural scenery, and enjoys finding inspiration in nature. This is her first picture book for HarperCollins, and her work has been focussed on middle grade fiction and picture books, and what she describes as 'my most recent and proudest achievement is becoming Dame Jacqueline Wilson's new illustrator'.

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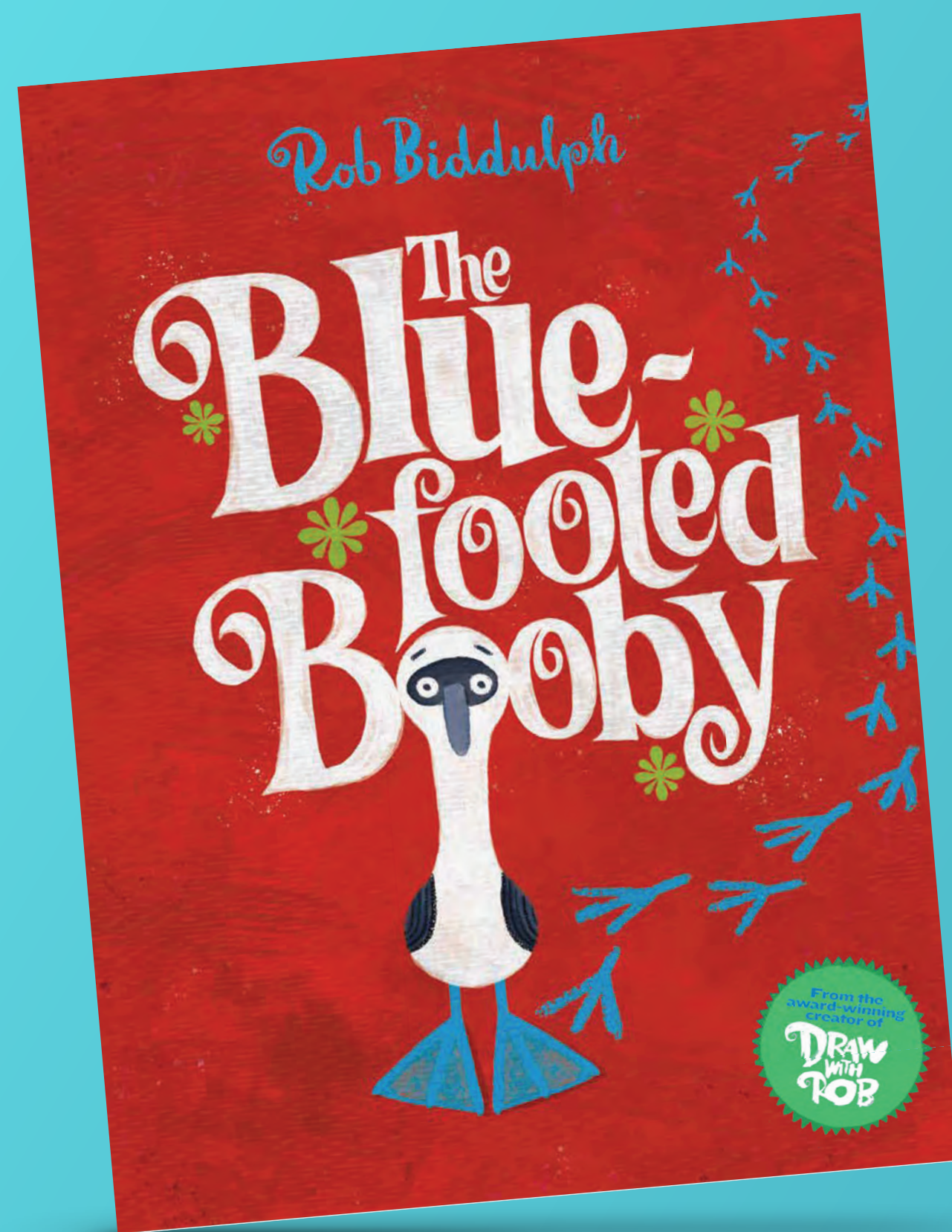
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THE BLUE-FOOTED BOOBY

ROB BIDDULPH

ANOTHER WONDERFULLY WITTY, STANDOUT PICTURE BOOK FROM ONE OF TODAY'S BEST-LOVED PICTURE BOOK CREATORS.

When a cake goes missing and a very suspicious set of blue footprints emerge, it looks like one blue-footed booby is the culprit. But is there more going on than meets the eye? A perfectly-pitched rhyming caper from one of today's best-loved picture book creators will keep readers guessing and wanting more!

Written and illustrated by the bestselling and award-winning Rob Biddulph, the creative star behind the viral and phenomenal #DrawWithRob and author of the Waterstones Children's Book Prize-winning *Blown Away*!

FROM THE
CREATOR OF
THE YOUTUBE
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ROB

OVER HALF
A MILLION
BOOKS SOLD
WORLDWIDE!

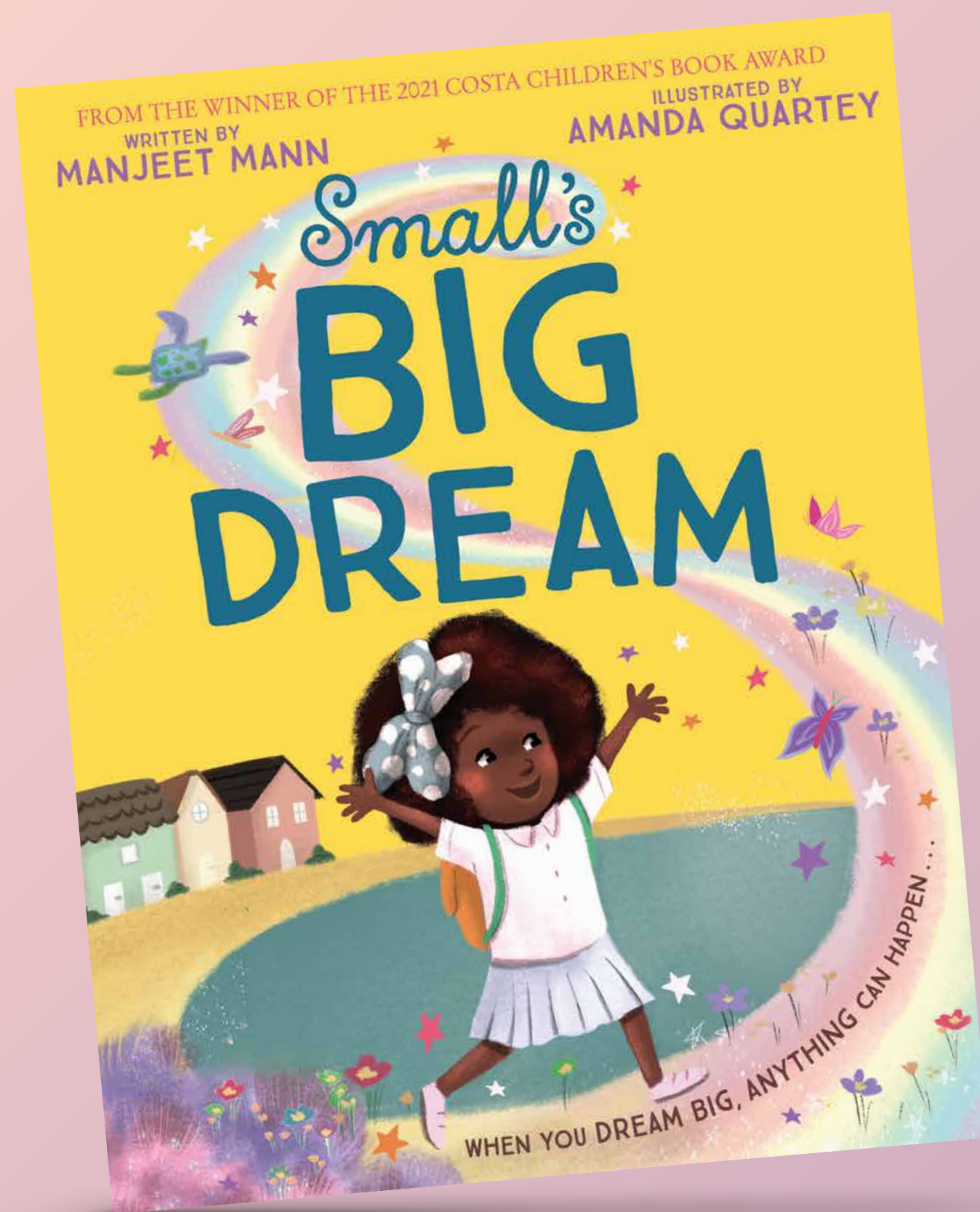
AUTHOR INFO

Rob Biddulph has published his picture books exclusively with HarperCollins since his 2014 debut, *Blown Away*, which won the Waterstones Children's Book of the Year award. Since then, Rob has achieved global success, winning multiple literary prizes and nominations for his books and claiming number one with the first Draw With Rob activity book, which was also awarded the Sainsbury's Children's Book Prize book of the year in 2020. One of the most highly regarded author/illustrators in the children's book world, Rob also holds the Guinness World Record for the largest online art class ever, with more than 45,000 subscribers participating across the globe!

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SMALL'S BIG DREAM

MANJEET MANN & AMANDA QUARLEY

A BEAUTIFULLY LYRICAL AND EMPOWERING PICTURE BOOK ABOUT THE IMPORTANCE OF DREAMING BIG, FROM AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR MANJEET MANN AND THE EXCEPTIONALLY TALENTED DEBUT ILLUSTRATOR, AMANDA QUARLEY.

In Small's world, everything is small – her shoes, her bed, everything. But her dreams are big. And Small discovers that when you dream big, anything – and everything – can happen.

From the author of the critically acclaimed and Carnegie-shortlisted *Run Rebel*, Manjeet Mann, comes her first picture book with exciting debut illustrator Amanda Quarley.

FROM
CARNEGIE-
SHORTLISTED
AUTHOR

WINNER OF
THE 2021 COSTA
CHILDREN'S
BOOK AWARD



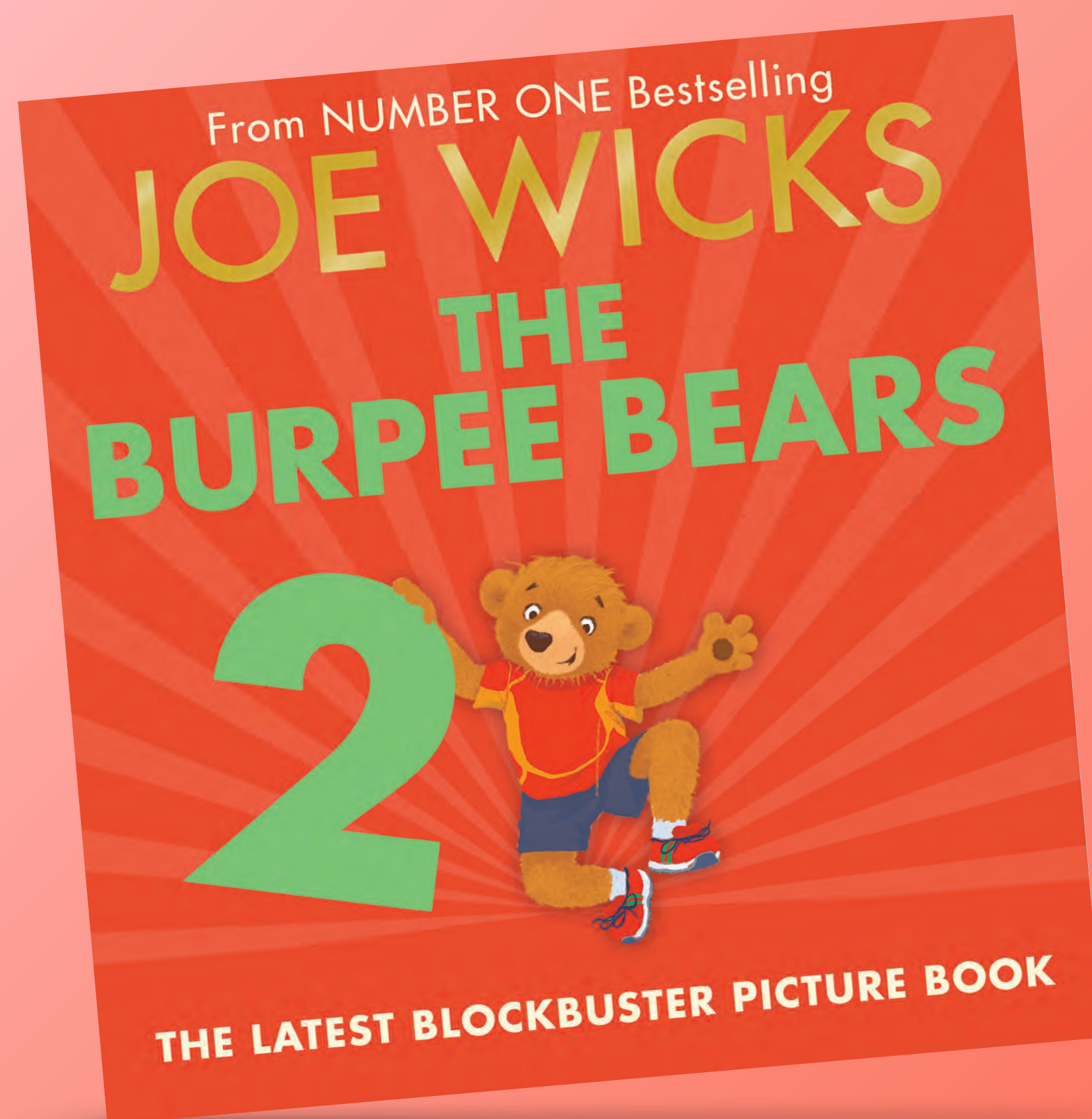
AUTHOR INFO

Manjeet is an actress, playwright, screenwriter and director. She is the founder of Run The World – an organization that works with women and girls from marginalized backgrounds and helps to empower them through sport and storytelling. She lives in Kent.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Amanda was born and bred in London. At the age of fourteen she moved to Ghana and studied art at school and later returned to the UK to study graphic design. This is Amanda's first picture book.

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THE BURPEE BEARS

JOE WICKS

STORY CO-WRITTEN WITH VIVIAN FRENCH
ILLUSTRATED BY PAUL HOWARD

MAJOR NEW CHILDREN'S PUBLISHING BRAND CREATED
BY GLOBAL FITNESS PHENOMENON JOE WICKS

The Burpee Bears are back in a new glorious, energetic picture book with added exercises and recipes for all the family to share, created by global fitness sensation Joe Wicks, also known as "The Body Coach".

The Burpee Bears series is created by Joe, and the story is co-written with acclaimed children's author Vivian French, and illustrated by award-winning artist, Paul Howard.

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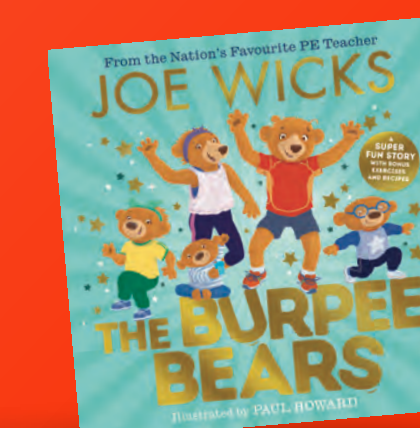
Joe Wicks is known to his millions of fans as "the Body Coach". He is the bestselling author of ten cookbooks and the founder of *Lean in 15*. His passion for fitness was sparked at a young age and he became a personal trainer. Joe helped keep spirits high by becoming "the Nation's Favourite PE Teacher" during the 2020 lockdown, breaking a Guinness World Record after one of his PE classes was watched live by 995,000 people on YouTube. Joe Wicks was awarded an MBE in 2020.

Vivian French is the author of more than 300 books. She was awarded an MBE for her services to literature, literacy, illustration and the arts.

Paul Howard is one of the finest children's illustrators working today, creating classics such as *The Bravest Ever Bear*, written by Allan Ahlberg. He has been paired with literary greats, illustrating all of Jill Tomlinson's books, such as *The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark*, as well as Michael Rosen, Jenny Nimmo, Penelope Lively and Trish Cooke. You can also find him working with his Bafta-award-winning wife at their TV production company, which gives his work a fabulous sense of visual narrative joy.

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BABY BUNNY'S EASTER SURPRISE

HELEN BAUGH &
NICK EAST

FROM THE AUTHOR OF *RUDEY'S WINDY CHRISTMAS* COMES AN IRRESISTIBLE
PICTURE BOOK ABOUT A VERY CHEEKY BABY BUNNY!

When baby bunny, Letty, discovers that her mummy is the real-life Easter Bunny, she follows her, secretly, through the forest as she hides her special deliveries. But seeing all the choccylicious Easter eggs is much too tempting. Letty nibbles one here and there . . . and soon, the eggs are gone! Will Mummy have enough eggs left for Letty's forest friends?

A joyous – and very cheeky – Easter rhyming romp!

AUTHOR INFO

Helen Baugh wrote her first book as a very young child. After earning a degree, travelling and working as a copywriter, she finally came full circle and started writing children's books again. Helen lives with her partner and their two daughters near the sea in the United Kingdom.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Nick East is the illustrator of the bestselling *Toto the Ninja Cat*, as well as the *Goodnight Digger* and *Knock Knock* series. Nick worked for many years as a museum designer but has always been a storyteller. He lives near York with his wife and two children, and, when not writing or drawing, he is out roaming the countryside with a rucksack on his back.

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FROM THE
AUTHOR OF
WE'RE GOING
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HUNT

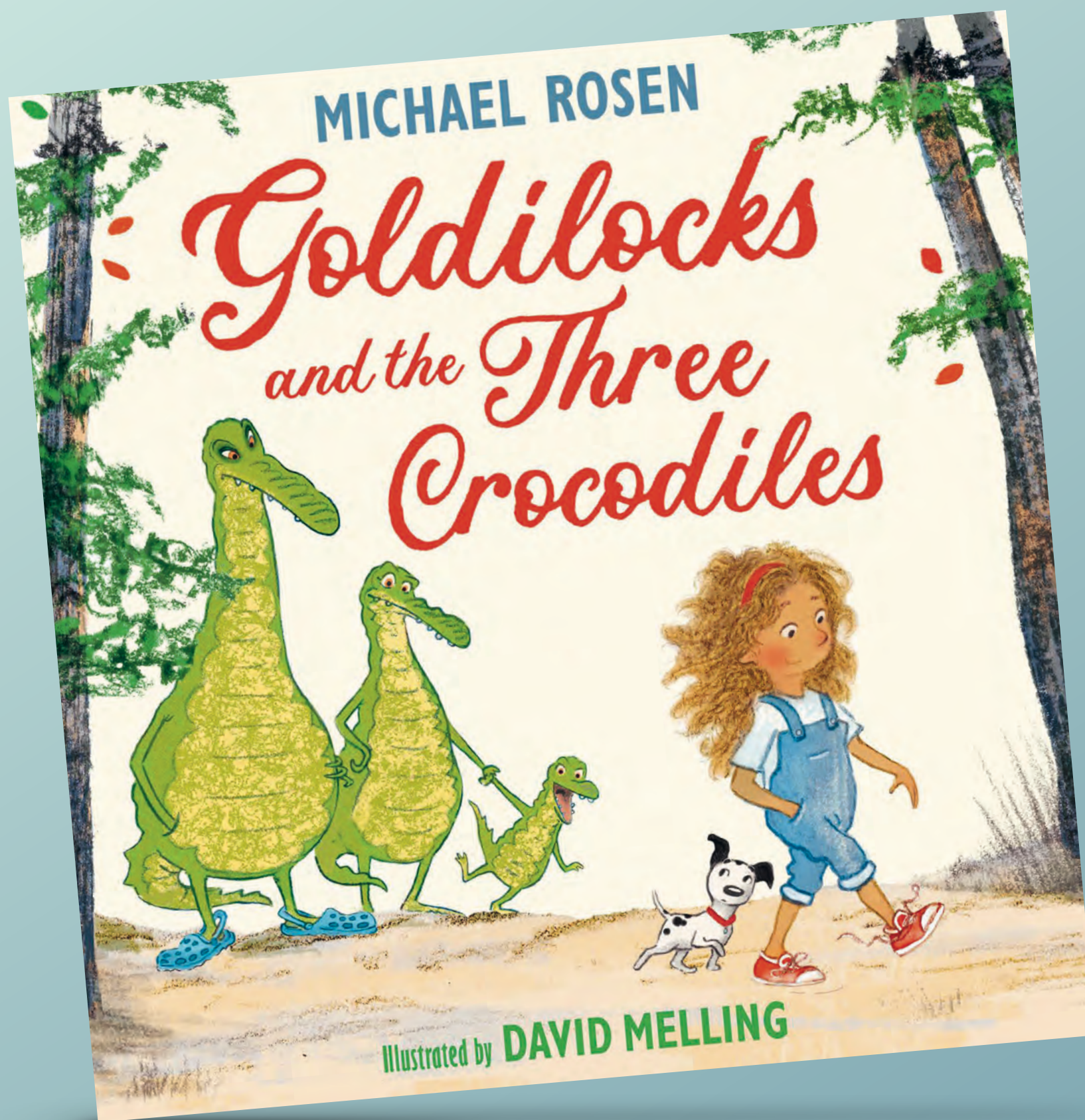
BRAND-NEW
STELLAR
PICTURE BOOK
COLLABORATION!

GOLDILOCKS AND THE THREE CROCODILES

MICHAEL ROSEN
& DAVID MELLING

A FABULOUSLY FUNNY TAKE ON A CLASSIC STORY FROM TWO GIANTS
OF CHILDREN'S BOOKS

Goldilocks and her little dog are off on another adventure looking for that house again, the one with the chairs, the porridge and beds. The sound of the sea calls to them and before they know it, they have found quite a different sort of a house . . . there are bowls, and chairs and sort-of beds . . . but there are some hilariously comic inhabitants, brought to life by one of the most talented illustrators of our time. Michael Rosen and David Melling collaborate creatively on this new take on the famous nursery rhyme and launch a new picture-book series.



AUTHOR INFO

Michael Rosen is one of the nation's best-loved writers and creator of such contemporary classics such as *We're Going on a Bear Hunt*, *Little Rabbit Foo Foo* and *Michael Rosen's Sad Book*. His numerous poetry collections including *Jelly Boots*, *Smelly Boots* and *On the Move* have delighted children for generations. Michael was the Children's Laureate from 2007 to 2009 and founded the Roald Dahl Funny Prize in 2008 to honour books that make children laugh.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

David Melling illustrated his first children's book in 1993 following a successful career working in animation. He first wrote and illustrated his own picture book *The Kiss that Missed* in 2002, which was shortlisted for the Kate Greenaway award. He has been shortlisted for many other awards and his picture book *The Tale of Jack Frost*, in 2004, was made into an animated TV film with the BBC. To date he has created over 150 books, publishing in over thirty languages, selling over 4.5 million copies. Hugless Douglas is one of David's most popular picture-book series.

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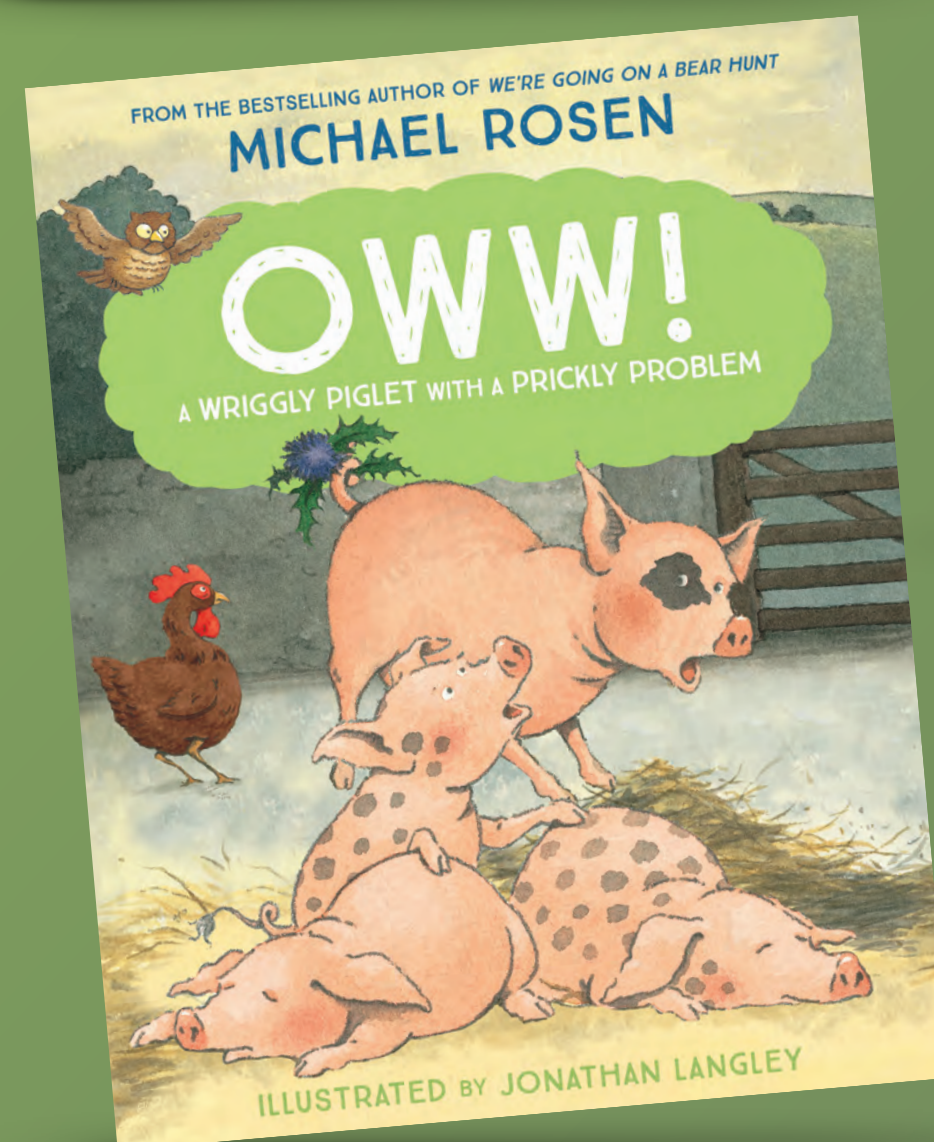
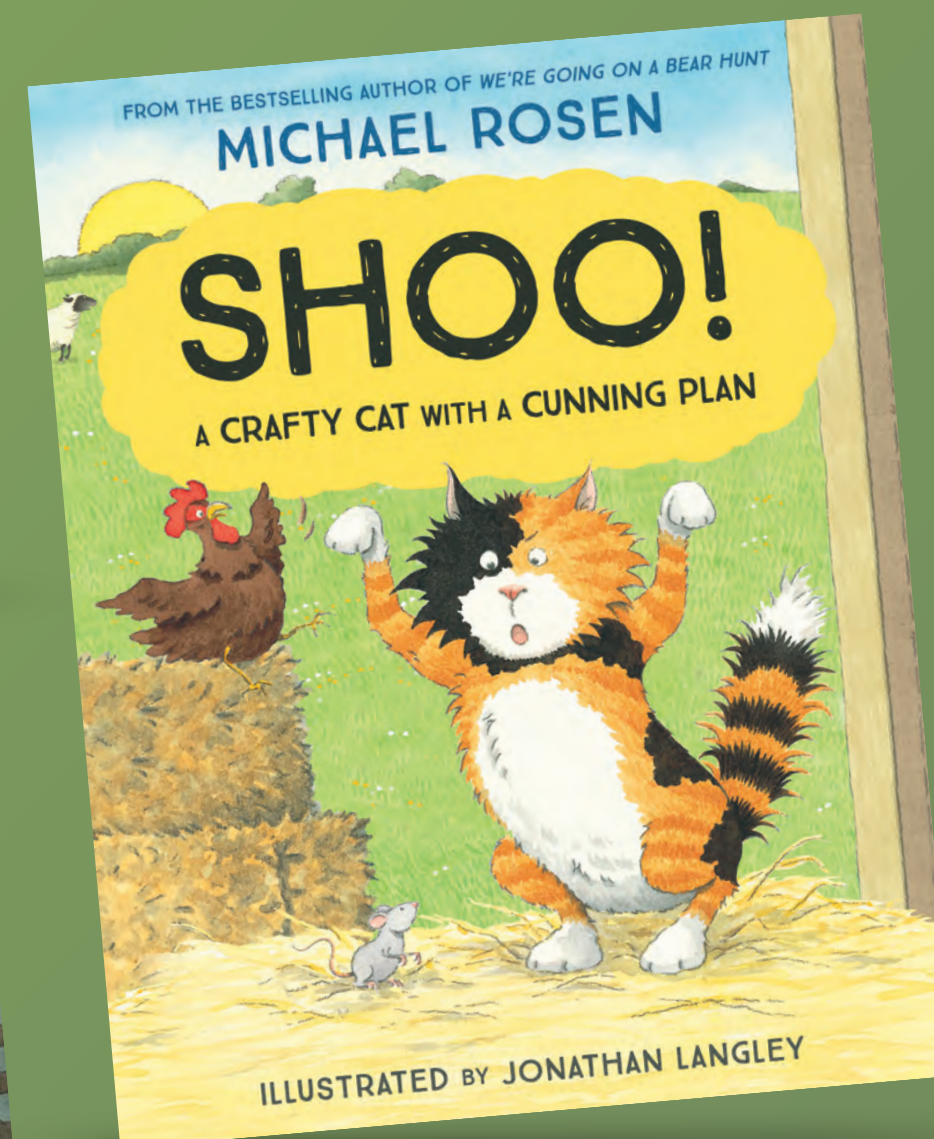
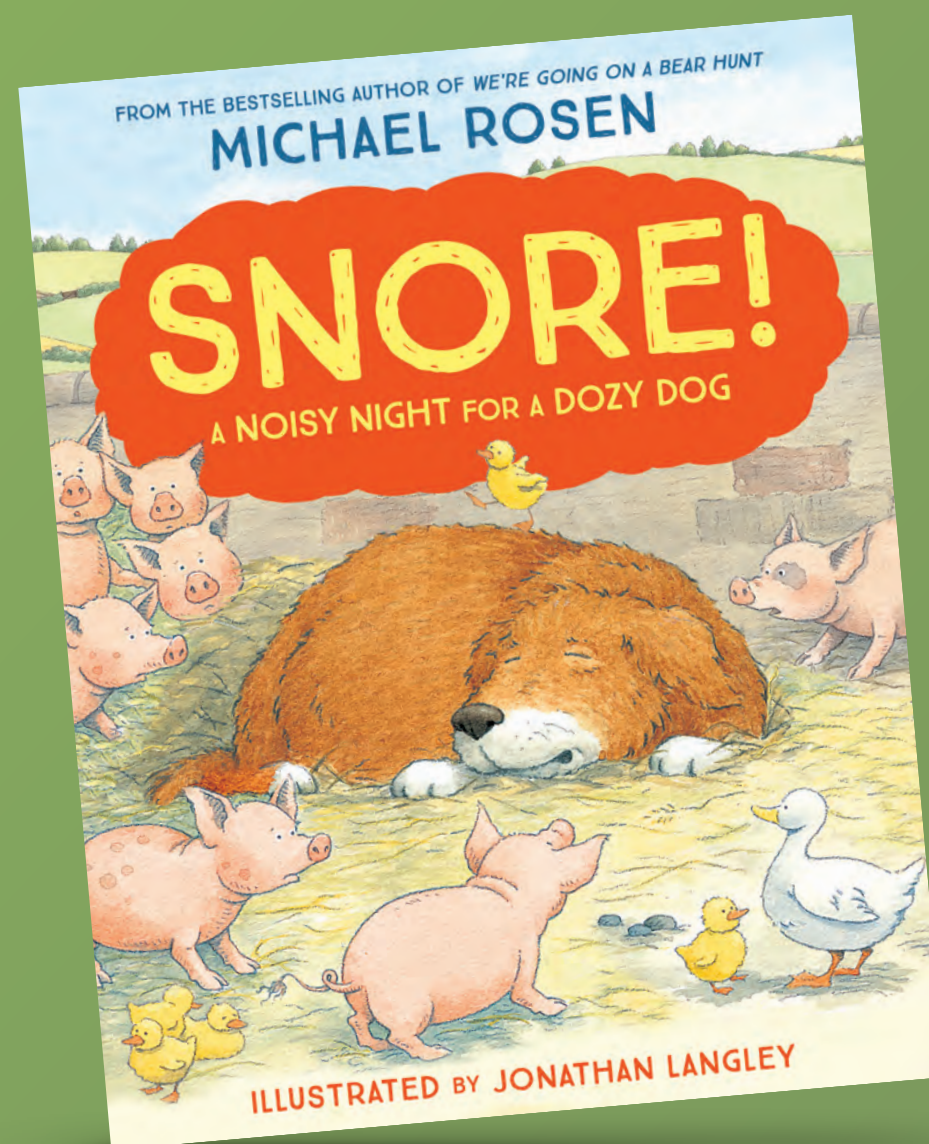
SNORE!, OWW! & SHOO! MICHAEL ROSEN

FANTASTIC NEW EDITIONS OF THESE FUNNY FARMYARD
STORIES FROM MUCH-LOVED AUTHOR MICHAEL ROSEN
– PERFECT FOR BEDTIME, OR ANY TIME!

All is quiet on the farm – until . . .

Join the fun in this energetic farmyard series! Whether Dog's snoring is keeping the other animals awake, Piglet is trying to get a thistle off his tail, or Cat is trying to spend the afternoon alone, these noisy books will delight children again and again!

Wonderfully simple stories from one of today's top children's authors, with beautiful illustrations, to entertain a new generation of readers!



AUTHOR INFO

Michael Rosen is one of the nation's best-loved writers and creator of such contemporary classics such as *We're Going on a Bear Hunt*, *Little Rabbit Foo Foo* and *Michael Rosen's Sad Book*. His numerous poetry collections including *Jelly Boots*, *Smelly Boots* and *On the Move* have delighted children for generations. Michael was the Children's Laureate from 2007 to 2009 and founded the Roald Dahl Funny Prize in 2008 to honour books that make children laugh.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Jonathan Langley was born in Lancaster in 1952. He studied graphic design and illustration at Liverpool College of Art and the Central School of Art and Design. He also studied bookbinding at Camberwell School of Art. In 1974 he became a freelance illustrator, working in publishing, editorial, advertising and design. Jonathan has illustrated numerous books for children. He lives in the English Lake District with his wife and three children.

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WHY I LOVE ... ILLUSTRATED BY DANIEL HOWARTH

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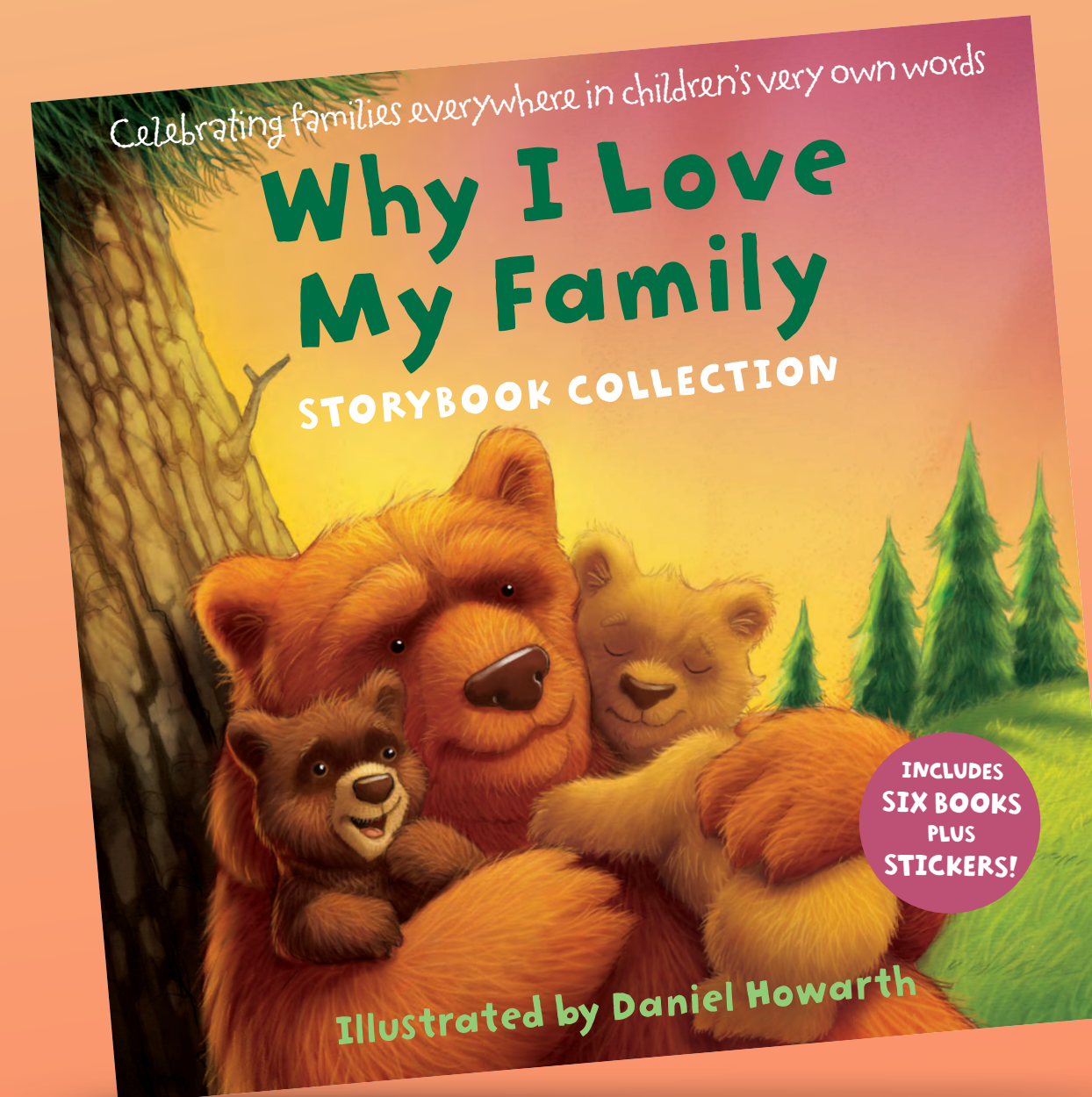


WHY I LOVE HALLOWEEN

A JOYFUL CELEBRATION OF ALL
THINGS HALLOWEEN!

This fun-packed board book combines the things children say about Halloween with irresistible illustrations of young animals. There are fun costumes to wear, great games to play and we go trick or treating . . . hurray for Halloween!

A gorgeous new addition to the two-million-copy-selling Why I Love series, cherished all over the world.



WHY I LOVE MY FAMILY

CELEBRATING FAMILIES EVERYWHERE
IN CHILDREN'S VERY OWN WORDS!

Exploring the endearing things that children say about their loved ones, with adorable pictures of baby animals, this beautiful hardback treasury brings together six favourite picture books in one volume. And from kind mummies and funny dads to playful sisters and cute brothers – no wonder everyone loves their family!

Includes a sheet of cute animal stickers!

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Daniel Howarth is a freelance graphic designer and illustrator. He lives in Devon, England, with his wife and family, and works from his garden studio.

PUB DATE: SEPT 2022
AGES: HALLOWEEN: 0+ YEARS FAMILY: 3+ YEARS
EXTENT: HALLOWEEN: 26PP FAMILY: 192PP
DIMENSIONS: HALLOWEEN: 216 X 216MM
FAMILY: 229 X 229MM
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HARPERCOLLINS CHILDRENS BEST-LOVED CLASSICS: SNOW WHITE SARAH GIBB

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100,000
BEST-LOVED
CLASSICS
SOLD!

A BEAUTIFULLY ILLUSTRATED, MAGICAL RE-TELLING OF ONE OF THE MOST BELOVED FAIRY TALES, WHICH NO CHILD'S LIBRARY SHOULD BE WITHOUT. PERFECT FOR DISNEY FANS!

Jealous of her beauty, Snow White's stepmother sends her to the forest, never to return. Alone and afraid, Snow White makes seven kind friends who promise to keep her safe. But can they protect Snow White from her stepmother's magic?

Based on the original story by the Brothers Grimm, this exquisite re-telling of the classic fairy tale, loved by generations, comes ahead of the highly anticipated Disney live-action movie, *Snow White*.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Sarah Gibb studied Graphic Design at St Martins and then did an MA in Sequential Illustration at the University of Brighton. She illustrates the incredibly popular children's fiction series, *The Tiara Club*, and novels such as *The Nanny Diaries*. As well as illustrating books, Sarah works on greetings cards and packaging for clients including *Crabtree and Evelyn*, *Marks and Spencer* and *Harrods*. She lives in London.

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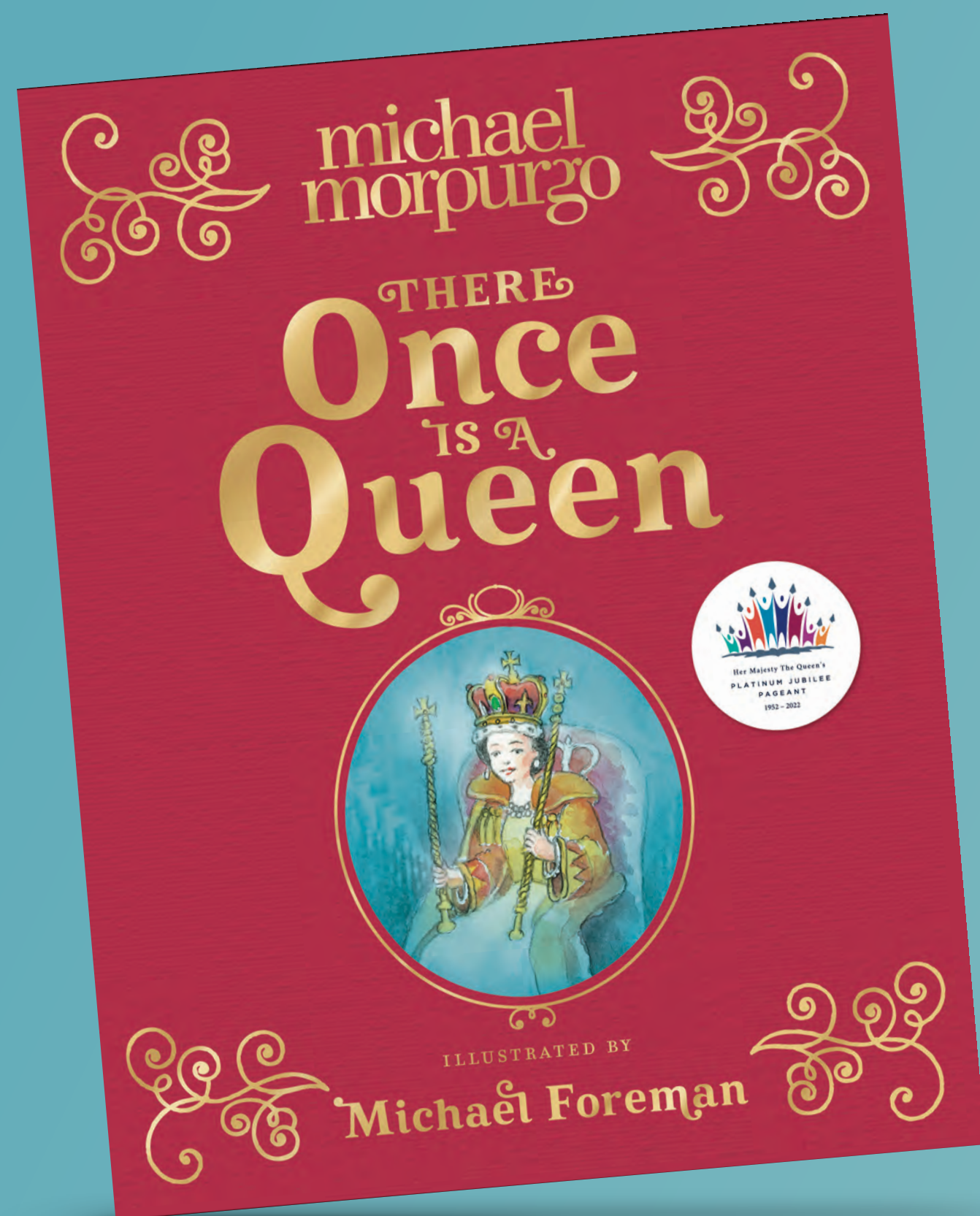
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PRAISE FOR *SLEEPING BEAUTY*:

"THE ELEGANT ILLUSTRATIONS...
MAKE IT AN EDITION WORTH
OWNING"

THE IRISH TIMES



THERE ONCE IS A QUEEN

MICHAEL MORPURGO

ILLUSTRATED BY MICHAEL FOREMAN

A STUNNING POETIC TRIBUTE TO QUEEN ELIZABETH II, AS THE WORLD JOINS TOGETHER TO CELEBRATE SEVENTY GLORIOUS YEARS OF HER HISTORIC REIGN

"There once is a Queen ever constant to her people . . ."

Beginning with a simple moment as a little girl, planting an oak tree with her father, *There Once is a Queen* follows Elizabeth II's incredible story in a way that will bring this historic reign as the longest serving female monarch vividly to life for readers around the world, big and small.

An exquisite gift book and commemoration of the Platinum Jubilee across the United Kingdom and Commonwealth, it marks a unique moment in our shared history and will be a treasured keepsake for generations to come.

AUTHOR INFO

Sir Michael Morpurgo OBE is one of Britain's best-loved children's writers, winning many awards including the Smarties Prize, the Blue Peter Book Award and the Whitbread Award. A former Children's Laureate, Michael is also the co-founder, with his wife, Clare, of the charity Farms for City Children. He was knighted in 2018 for services to literature and charity.

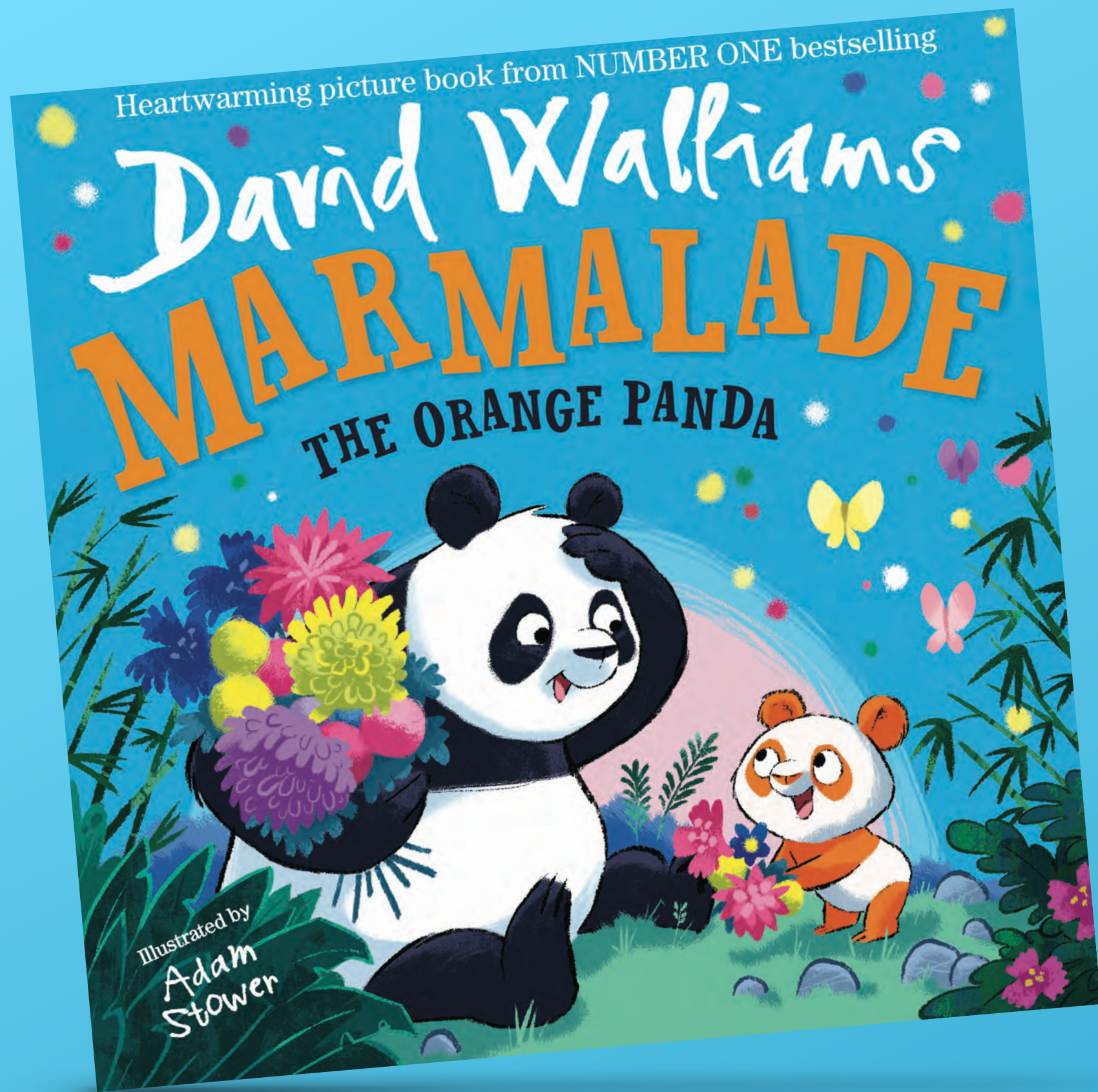
ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Michael Foreman is one of the most admired and best-known illustrators of our time. He has twice won the Kate Greenaway Medal, the most prestigious British award for an illustrator of children's books, and has frequently collaborated with "the other Michael", including recently on *The Fox and the Ghost King* and *Boy Giant*.

PUB DATE: MAY 2022
AGES: 5 YEARS +
EXTENT: 64PP + SEPARATE ENDPAPERS
DIMENSIONS: 215 X 165MM
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VERONIQUE BAXTER AT DAVID HIGHAM ASSOCIATES (TEXT);
MICHAEL FOREMAN (ART)



OVER 100K
COPIES OF
LITTLE
MONSTERS
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MARMALADE: THE ORANGE PANDA

DAVID WALLIAMS

ILLUSTRATED BY ADAM STOWER

CUDDLE UP AND LAUGH WITH THIS HEART-WARMING PICTURE BOOK FROM DAVID WALLIAMS AND ADAM STOWER, CREATORS OF *LITTLE MONSTERS*!

One morning, deep in the forest, a beautiful baby panda is born, different to all the others with his dazzling orange fur.

Meet Marmalade, the little panda who sets off on a big adventure to find where he belongs . . .

This gorgeous and endearing story is a celebration of family love, being yourself and discovering your place in the world.



AUTHOR INFO

Since his first children's book was published in 2008, David Walliams has become a global literary phenomenon and has achieved unprecedented acclaim. His books are relished by his legions of readers, and have sold more than 40 million copies in fifty-five languages.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Adam Stower is an award-winning author and illustrator of children's books. Adam was born in England, grew up in Switzerland and has loved drawing ever since he was old enough to hold a crayon. He went to art school in Norwich, and Brighton too, where he still lives beside the sea with his wife and a cat called Murray. This is his second collaboration with David Walliams.

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**"PRE-SCHOOLERS
WILL ROAR WITH
LAUGHTER"**

DAILY EXPRESS

**"PART AESOP, PART
SPIKE MILLIGAN. . .THIS
IS ROLICKING STUFF"**

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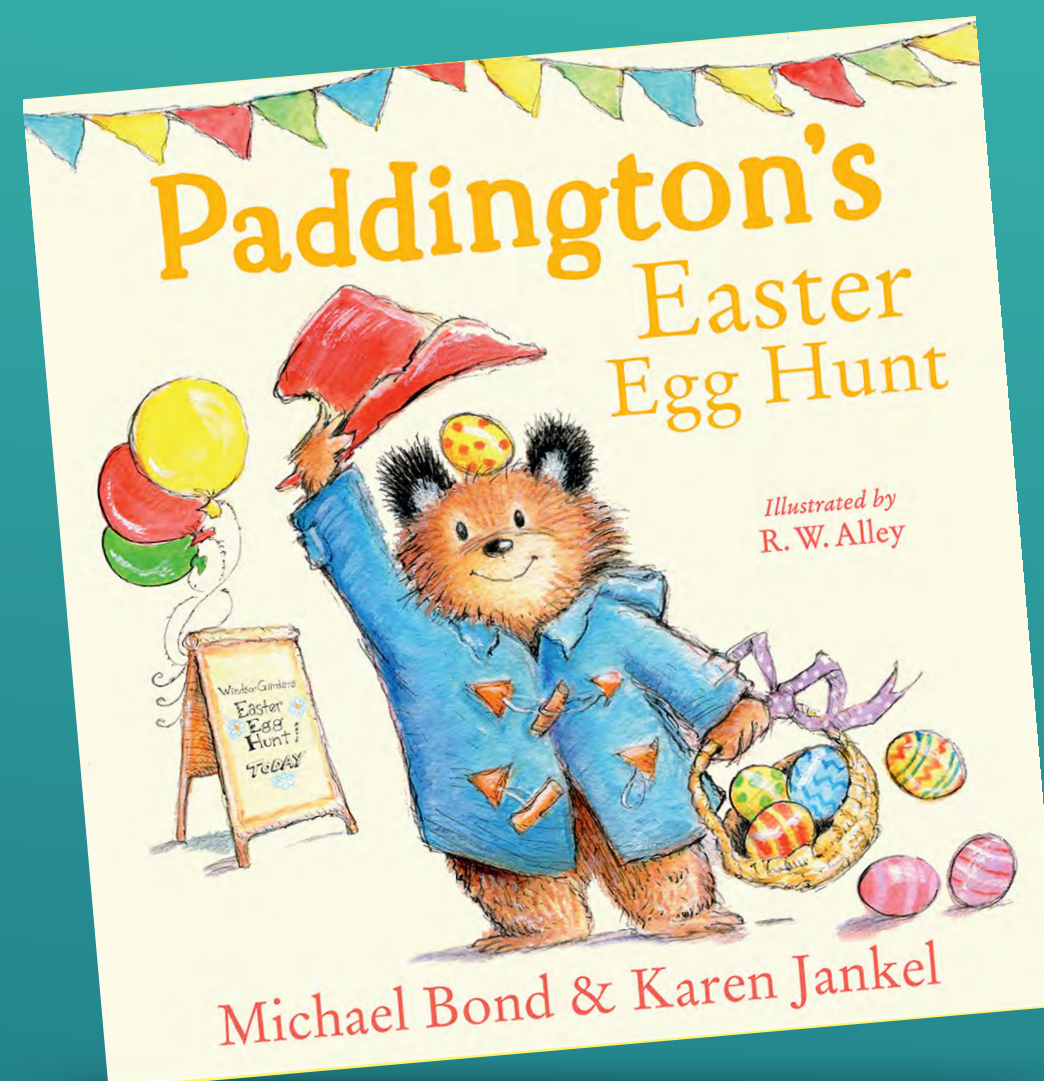
PADDINGTON MICHAEL BOND

A DELIGHTFUL RANGE OF BRAND-NEW PUBLISHING ABOUT EVERYONE'S FAVOURITE BEAR!

"I've always had great respect for Paddington. He is a British institution."

STEPHEN FRY

**MORE THAN
35 MILLION
PADDINGTON
BOOKS SOLD
WORLDWIDE!**

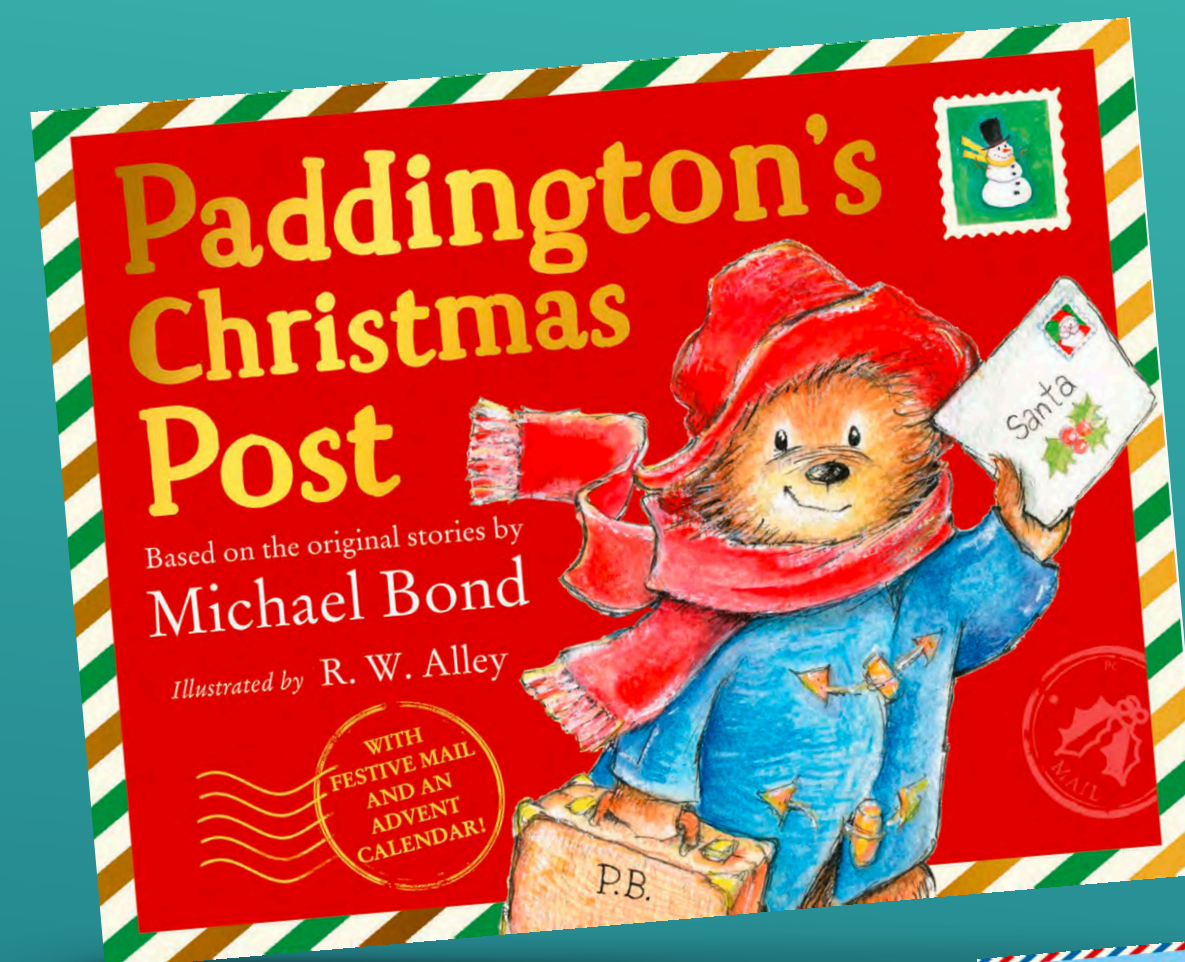


PADDINGTON'S EASTER EGG HUNT ILLUSTRATED BY R. W. ALLEY

CELEBRATE EASTER WITH THIS DELICIOUSLY FUNNY NEW SEASONAL PICTURE BOOK!

Paddington is organising an Easter egg hunt. But after being tricked into buying a box of broken chocolate eggs, he wonders if the hunt can ever go ahead. That is, until a book on Roman mosaics and some sticky marmalade give him a brilliant idea . . .

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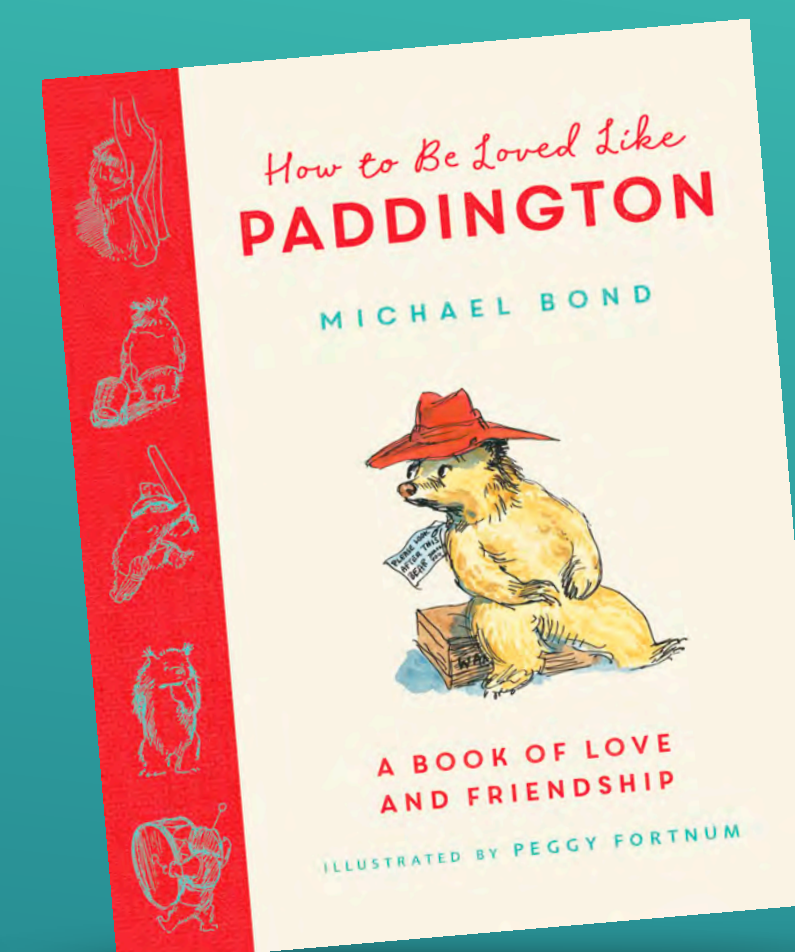


PADDINGTON'S CHRISTMAS POST ILLUSTRATED BY R. W. ALLEY

A FUNNY, FESTIVE ADVENTURE WITH REAL MAIL TO OPEN AND ENJOY!

This fun interactive book follows Paddington as he prepares for a very special Christmas. Open the five envelopes inside and find an Advent calendar, a Christmas card, a bear-shaped tree ornament . . . and more!

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HOW TO BE LOVED LIKE PADDINGTON ILLUSTRATED BY PEGGY FORTNUM

A BOOK OF LOVE AND FRIENDSHIP – THE PERFECT GIFT FOR PADDINGTON FANS!

This uplifting collection of inspiring – often hilarious – quotes reveals the extraordinary impact that Paddington Bear has on everyone he meets, and just how much they love him . . . even if there are a few well-intended mishaps to take into account!

PUB DATE: NOVEMBER 2022 **AGES:** 3 YEARS +
EXTENT: 64PP **DIMENSIONS:** 160 X 128MM
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AUTHOR INFO

Michael Bond served in the Royal Air Force and the British Army, and was a BBC cameraman before becoming a full-time author. He was awarded an OBE in 1997 and a CBE in 2015. He died in 2017, leaving behind one of the greatest literary legacies of our time.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

R. W. Alley has illustrated over one hundred children's books. He lives in Rhode Island, USA, with his wife, author Zoë B. Alley.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Peggy Fortnum was born in 1919 in Harrow, England. She graduated from the Central School of Art, London, after the war interrupted her studies at Tunbridge Wells Art School, then worked as an art teacher, painter and textile designer before becoming a full-time book illustrator.

PADDINGTON MICHAEL BOND

CELEBRATING THE QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE WITH THIS EXCITING RANGE OF LONDON BOOKS!

**PADDINGTON
BOOKS HAVE BEEN
TRANSLATED INTO
40 LANGUAGES**

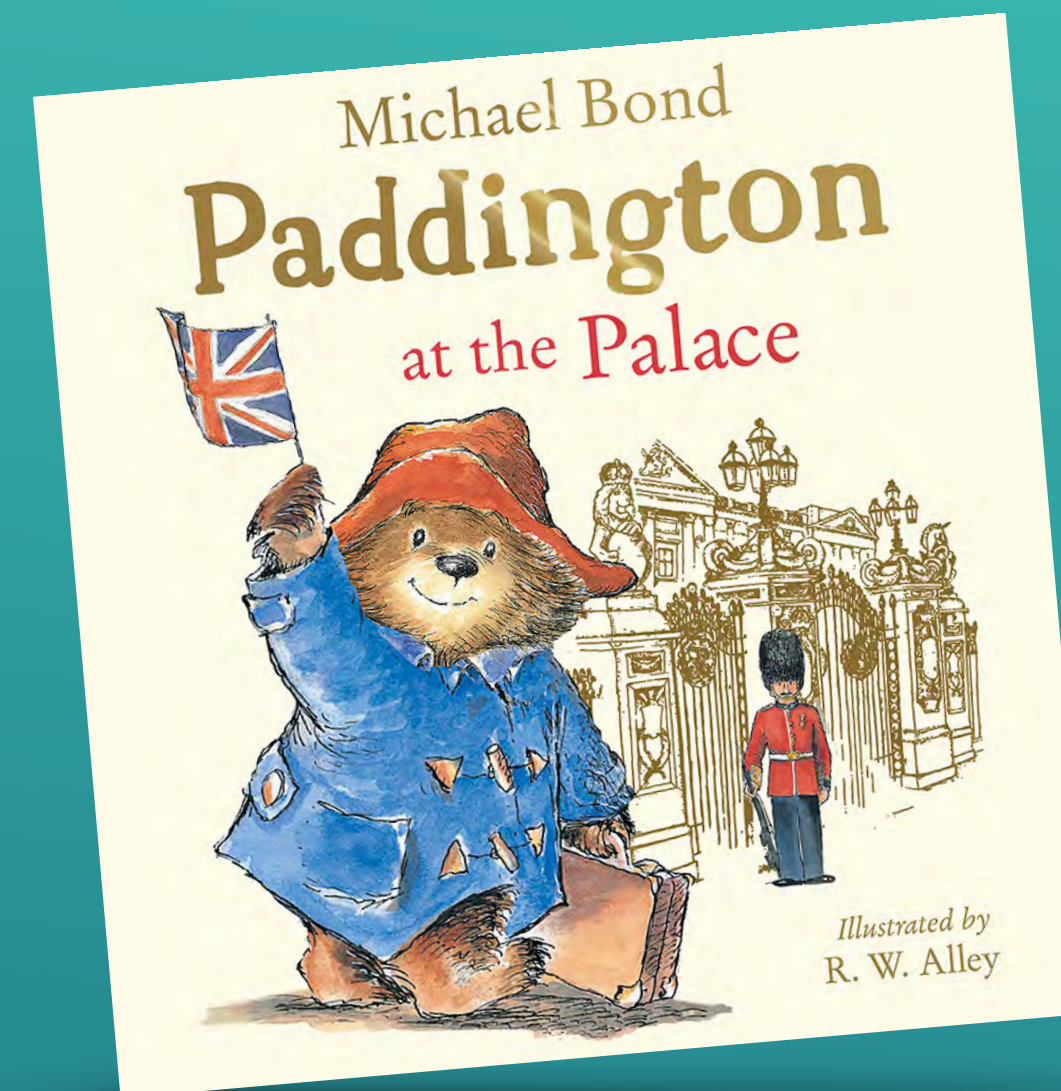


PADDINGTON'S LONDON STORY TREASURY ILLUSTRATED BY R. W. ALLEY

CELEBRATE LONDON WITH THIS BRILLIANTLY FUNNY
PADDINGTON STORY COLLECTION!

This fun-filled treasury brings together four of Paddington's
hilarious London-based picture-book adventures – as usual,
there is never a dull moment!

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PADDINGTON AT THE PALACE ILLUSTRATED BY R. W. ALLEY

A HILARIOUS VISIT TO BUCKINGHAM PALACE
WITH PADDINGTON BEAR!

When Mr Gruber takes Paddington to Buckingham Palace to
see the Changing of the Guard, there are so many people in the
way he can't see a thing. But someone mysterious comes to his
rescue and Paddington has a very good idea who it might be . . .

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PADDINGTON'S GUIDE TO LONDON

A BEAR'S EYE VIEW OF LONDON, AS TOLD BY
PADDINGTON HIMSELF!

Paddington unveils his adopted home as only Paddington can.
From the station itself (the start of it all) and on through all the
major London destinations (with some surprising detours) this
unique guide will entertain and enlighten the whole family!

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***"Things are
always happening
to me. I'm that
sort of bear"***

PADDINGTON



CLASSIC FICTION BOOKS

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CLASSIC PICTURE BOOKS

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AUTHOR INFO

"ONE OF THE MOST ENDURING OF CHILDREN'S CHARACTERS"

BOOKSELLER

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PADDINGTON MICHAEL BOND

A TREASURE TROVE OF CLASSIC PUBLISHING
FOR FANS THE WORLD OVER . . .

Stories of Paddington Bear have delighted children across the globe for more than sixty years. From baby books, novelty books and picture-book adventures to gift editions and the original range of novels for readers aged seven years and up, this rich collection of classic publishing, in a variety of formats, caters for every fan and family.



BRAMBLY HEDGE POP-UP BOOK

JILL BARKLEM

IMMERSE YOURSELF IN THE MAGICAL
MINIATURE WORLD OF BRAMBLY HEDGE!

BRAMBLY HEDGE: A COLOURING ADVENTURE

Immerse yourself in the magical world of Brambly Hedge with this exquisite colouring book, filled with beautiful illustrations to colour in and enjoy, as featured within the Brambly Hedge stories.

BRAMBLY HEDGE THROUGH THE HEDGEROW

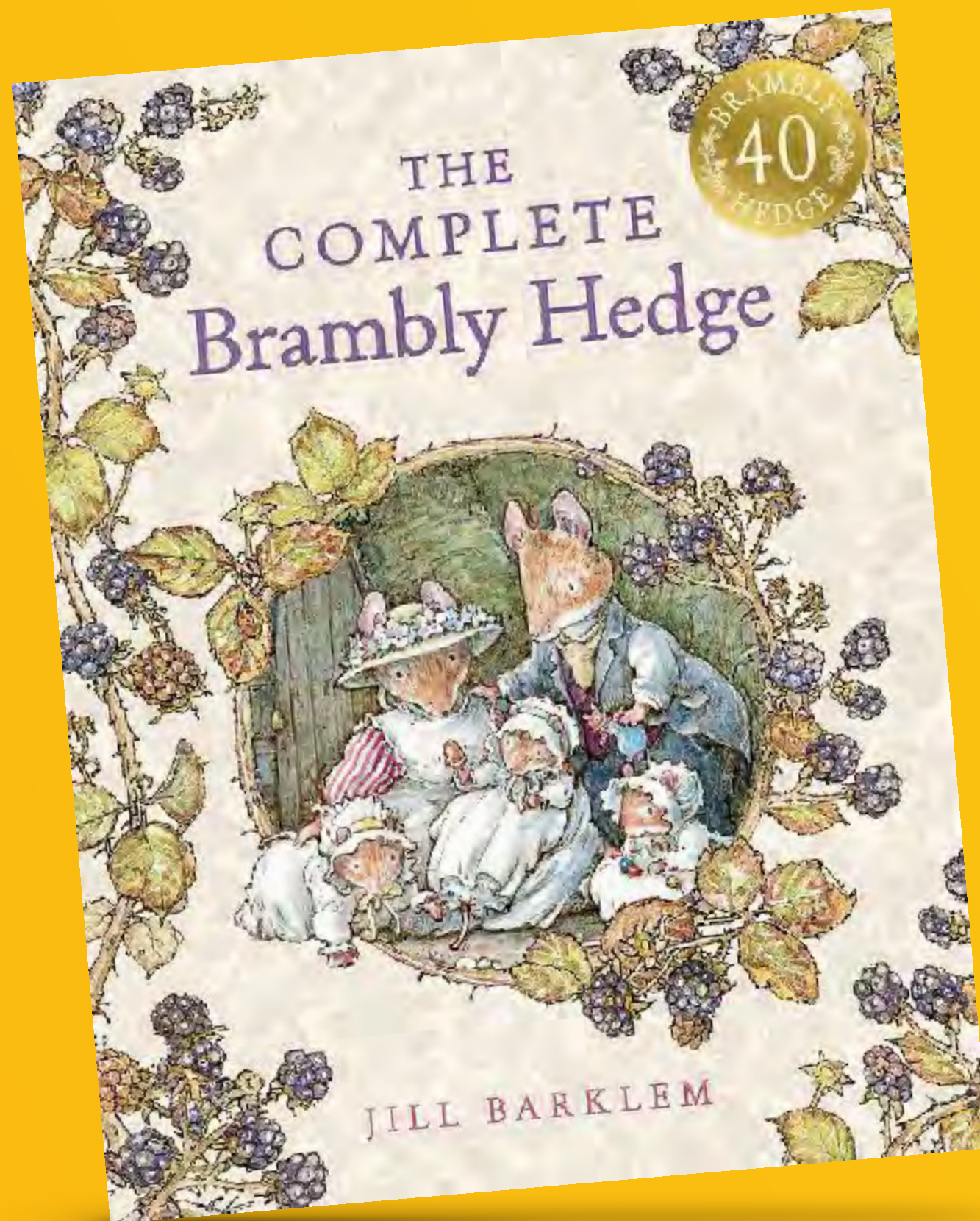
Peep through the hedgerow – who can you see? This marvellous pop-up book brings the Brambly Hedge community to life and highlights the charm of Jill Barklem's extraordinarily detailed illustrations.

BRAMBLY HEDGE POP-UP BOOK
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EXTENT: 22PP, INC. 6 POP-UPS
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BRAMBLY HEDGE: A COLOURING ADVENTURE
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BEAUTIFULLY ILLUSTRATED”**

GUARDIAN



BRAMBLY HEDGE

JILL BARKLEM

THE ENCHANTING MINIATURE WORLD OF THE HEDGEROW!

Brambly Hedge first delighted readers of all ages over forty years ago. Since then the mice have been published all over the world, and are soon to appear in their own animated television series! The self-sufficient, eco-friendly community, living in perfect harmony with the environment, has never chimed so perfectly with the mood of the times as now.

THE COMPLETE BRAMBLY HEDGE

Step into the magical world of Brambly Hedge in this exquisite anniversary treasury, bringing together eight classic stories. A delightful keepsake for all the family to enjoy.



MORE THAN
6.8 MILLION
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BOOKS SOLD
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*"IF I (WERE) A MOUSE,
THIS IS WHERE I'D
WANNA LIVE"*

@BRITNEYSPEARS, INSTAGRAM

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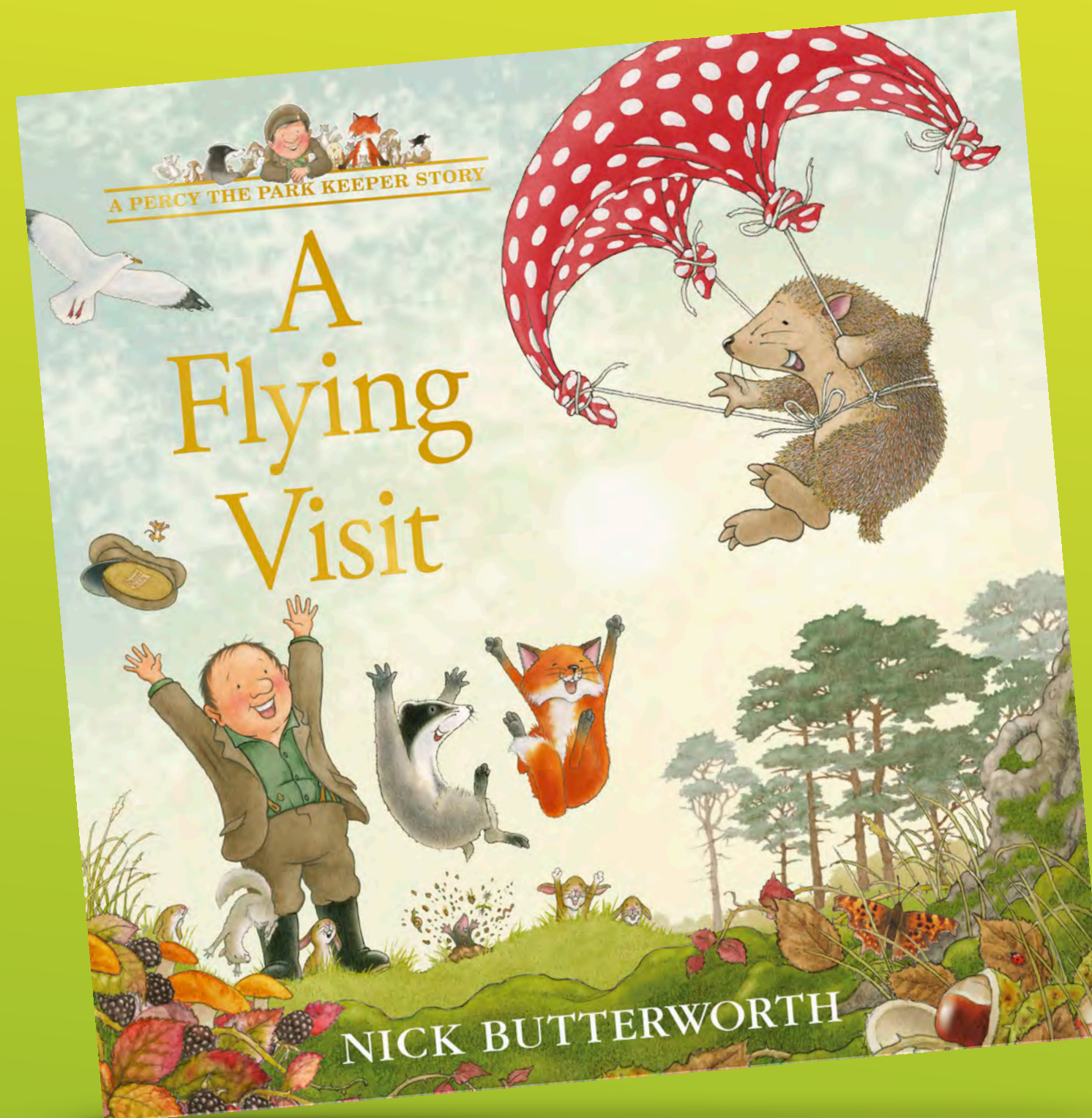
ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Jill Barklem was drawn to the natural world from childhood. While training as an illustrator at St Martin's School of Art, her long journeys to college gave her time to escape into the imaginary world of a colony of mice, later to be developed as the enchanting miniature world of Brambly Hedge.

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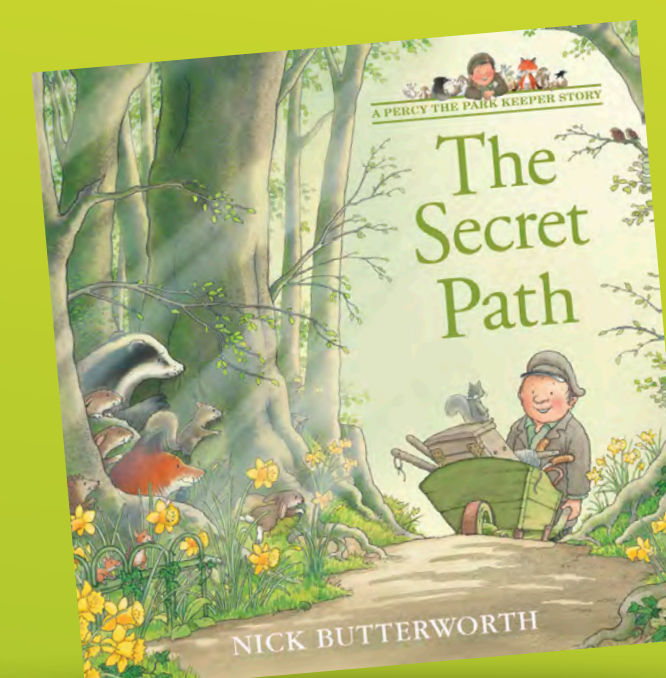
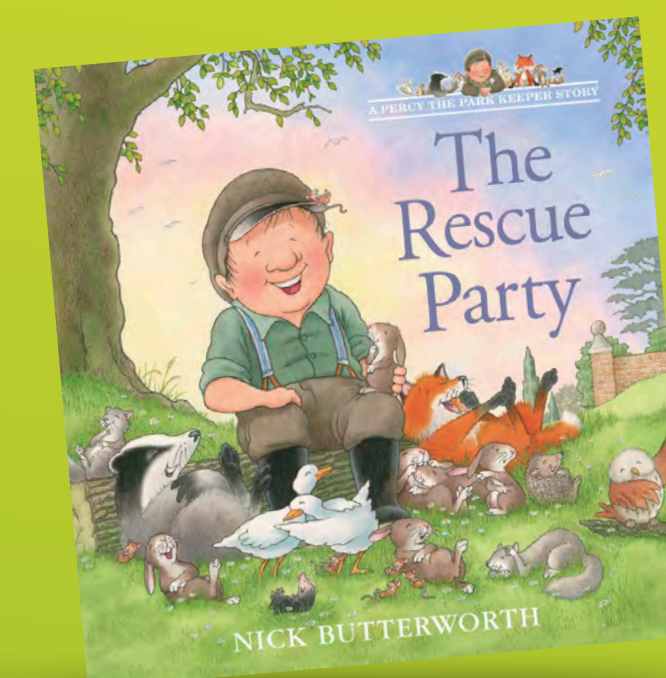
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INTO MORE
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PERCY THE PARK KEEPER

NICK BUTTERWORTH

STORIES OF PERCY THE PARK KEEPER AND HIS ANIMAL FRIENDS HAVE DELIGHTED READERS AROUND THE WORLD FOR OVER THIRTY YEARS!

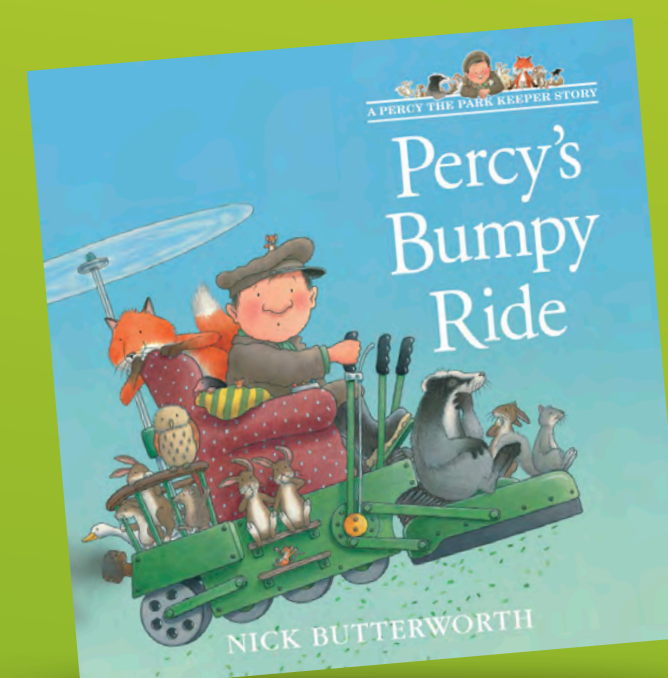


AN EXCITING NEW PERCY ADVENTURE IN THIS CLASSIC SERIES FROM AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR NICK BUTTERWORTH!

A FLYING VISIT

Percy's friend the hedgehog has always longed to fly but without wings it's an impossible dream. Until, one day, a stranger arrives in the park, needing the hedgehog's help. Will his wish come true at last? This warm and hilarious story about friendship, kindness and teamwork introduces Percy to a whole new generation of readers.

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AUTHOR INFO

Nick Butterworth was born in north London in 1946 and grew up in a sweet shop in Essex. He now lives in the country with his wife Annette, and they have two grown-up children, Ben and Amanda. The inspiration for the Percy the Park Keeper books came from Nick's many walks through the local park with the family dog, Jake.

PERCY THE PARK KEEPER

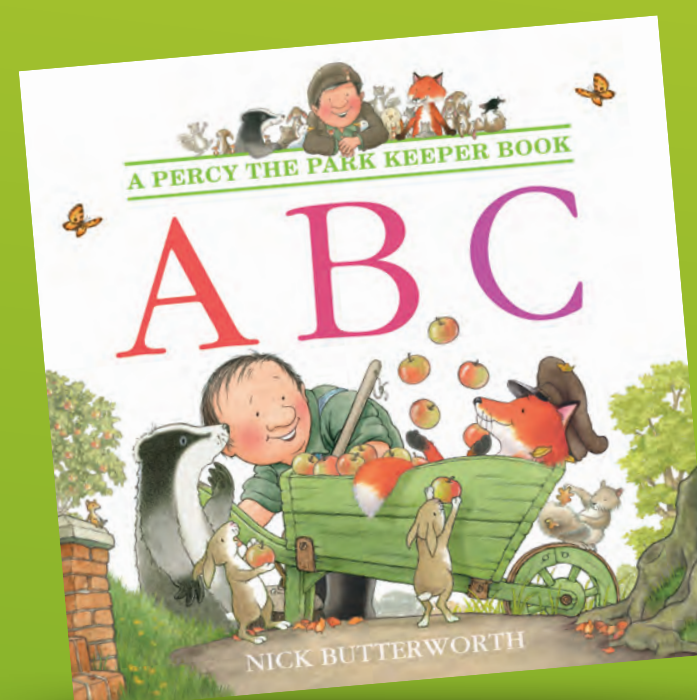
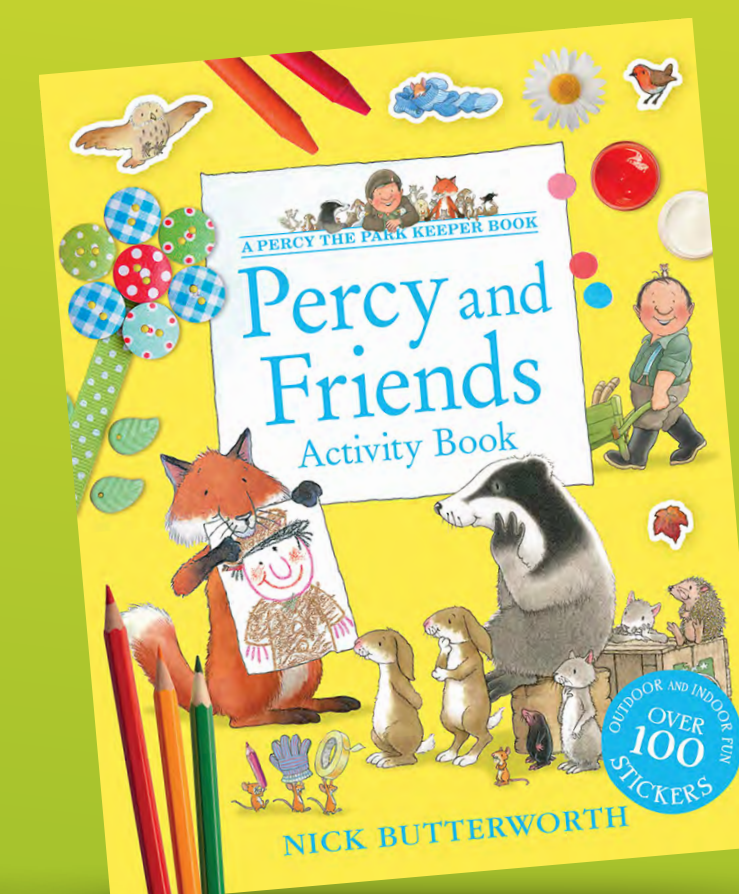
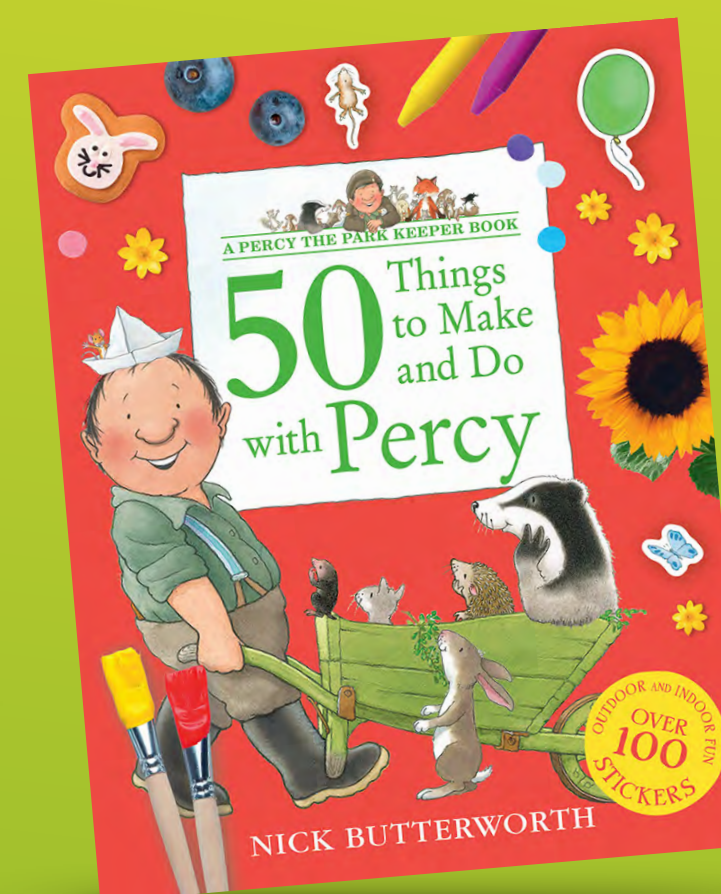
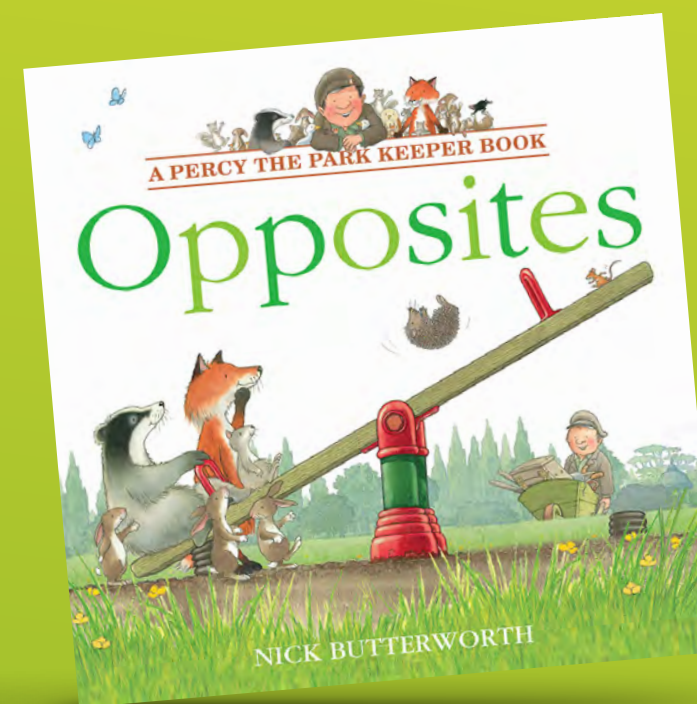
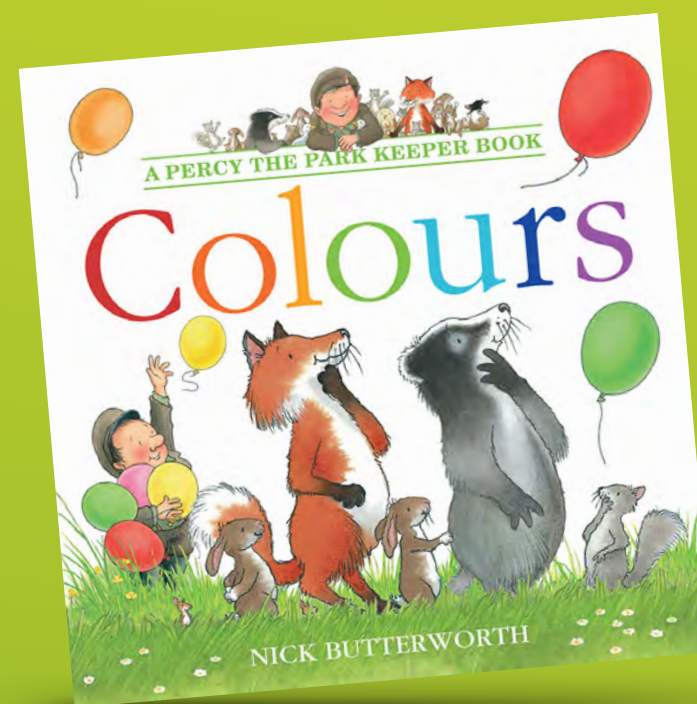
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9 MILLION
PERCY THE PARK
KEEPER BOOKS
SOLD
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BUILDING THIS CLASSIC BRAND WITH A WEALTH OF CONCEPT,
ACTIVITY AND GIFT FORMATS FOR ALL THE FAMILY!

LEARN COLOURS
AND OPPOSITES
WITH PERCY IN
THESE SIMPLE
FIRST CONCEPT
BOOKS FOR THE
YOUNGEST OF
FANS!

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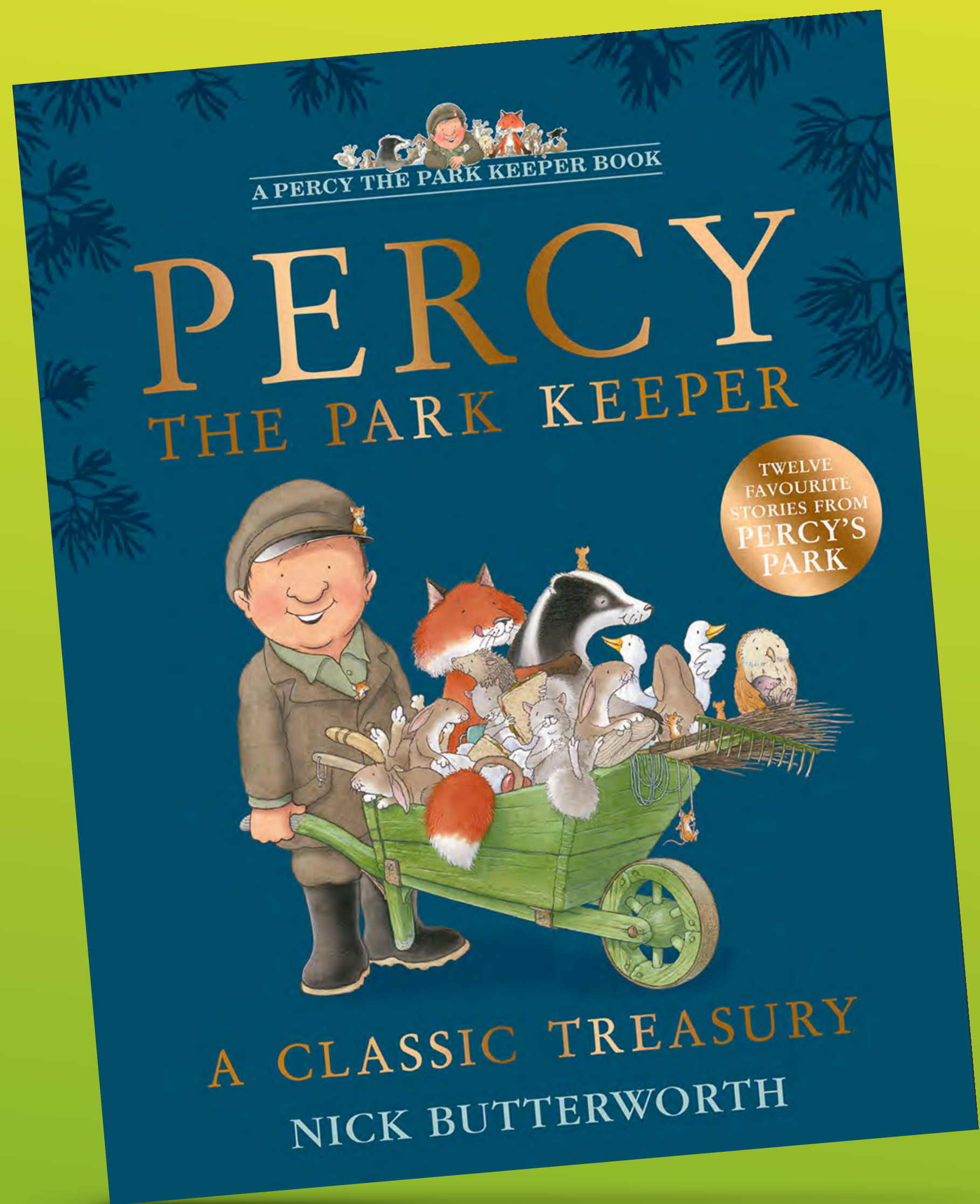


JOIN THE FUN WITH PERCY AND FRIENDS IN THESE FUN-
PACKED ACTIVITY BOOKS, INCLUDING OVER 100 STICKERS!

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50 THINGS: JUNE 2022
ONE SNOWY NIGHT: OCT 2022
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NICK BUTTERWORTH

A BEAUTIFUL HARDBACK GIFT EDITION CONTAINING 12 FUNNY STORIES ABOUT PERCY AND HIS ANIMAL FRIENDS AND A NEW BOARD BOOK EDITION, INTRODUCING THE YOUNGEST OF READERS TO THIS INTERNATIONALLY BESTSELLING PERCY STORY!



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MOG THE FORGETFUL CAT

JUDITH KERR

COMING SOON -
JUDITH KERR'S
CENTENARY IN
2023!

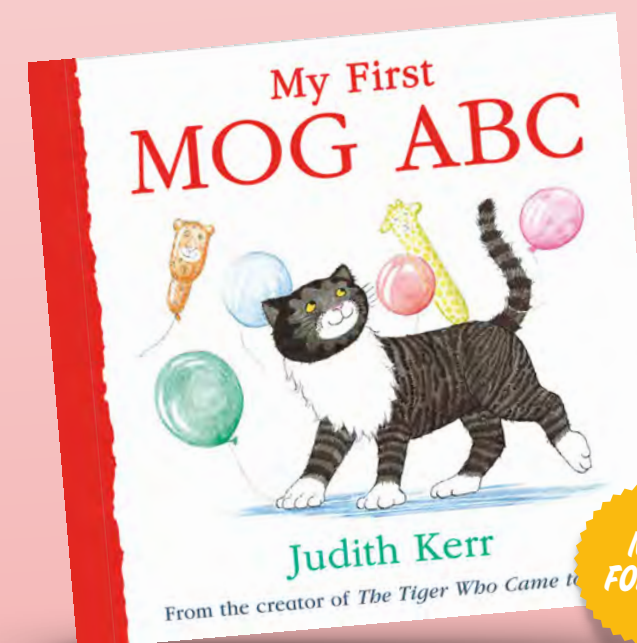
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MOG STORIES FOR YOUNGER READERS!

*"Mog... is a
national treasure"*

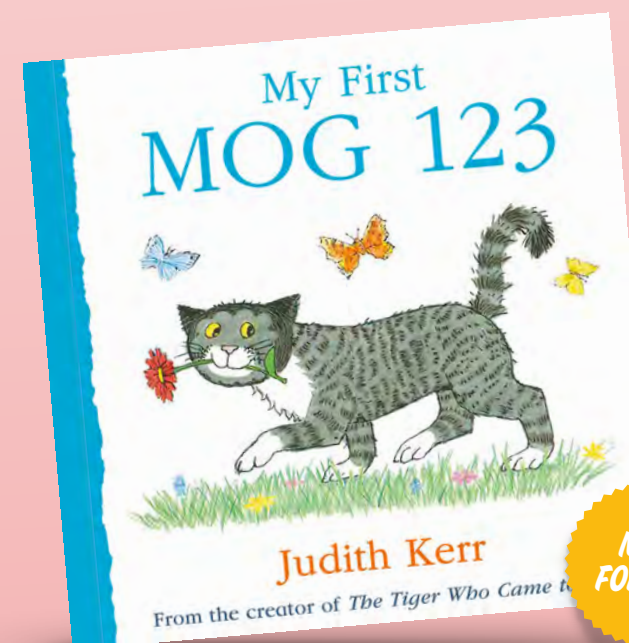
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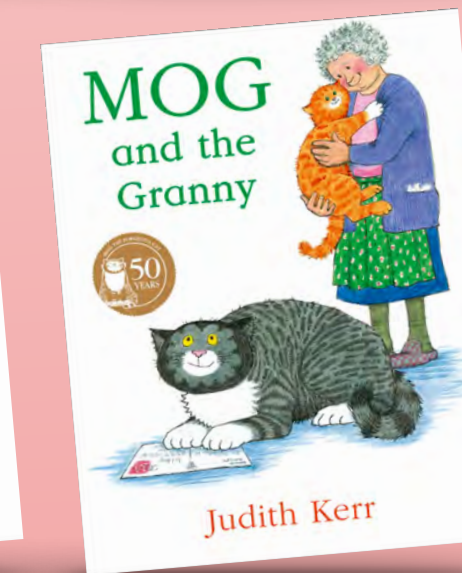
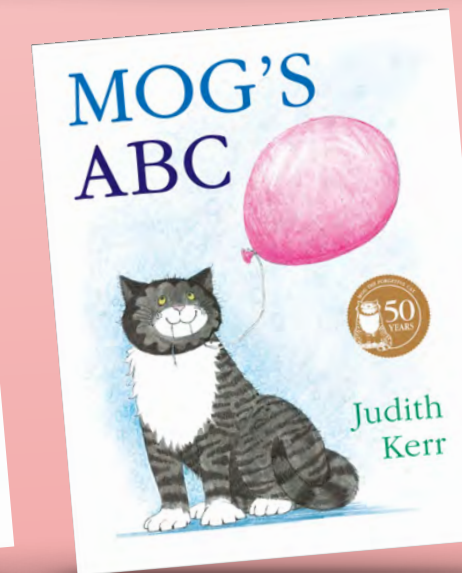
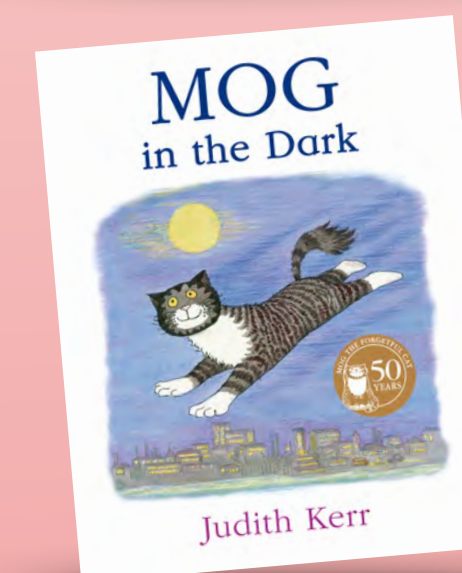
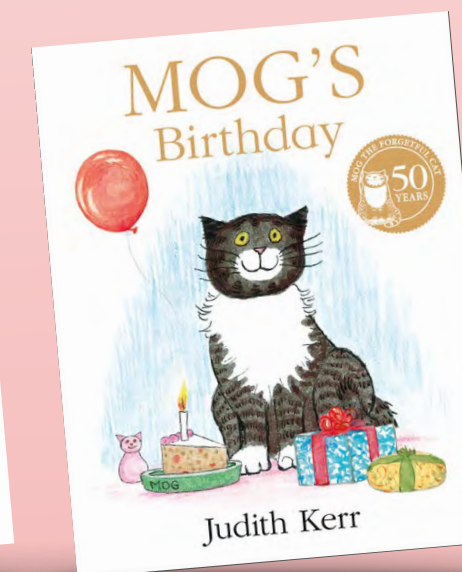
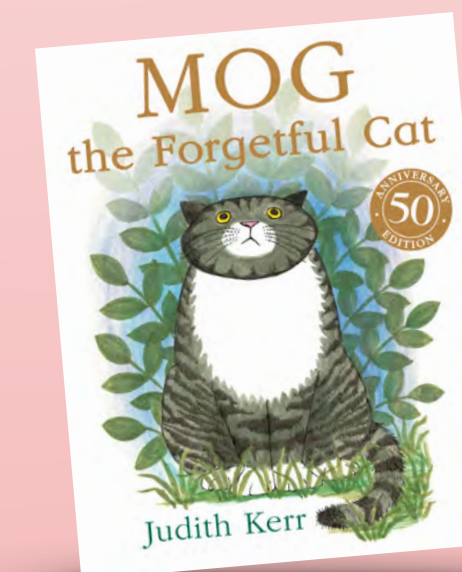
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MY FIRST MOG 123
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AGES: 2 YEARS +
EXTENT: 24PP
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MOG AND ME AND
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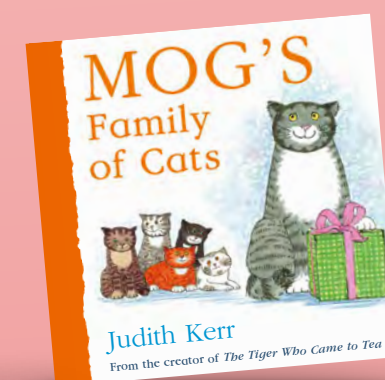
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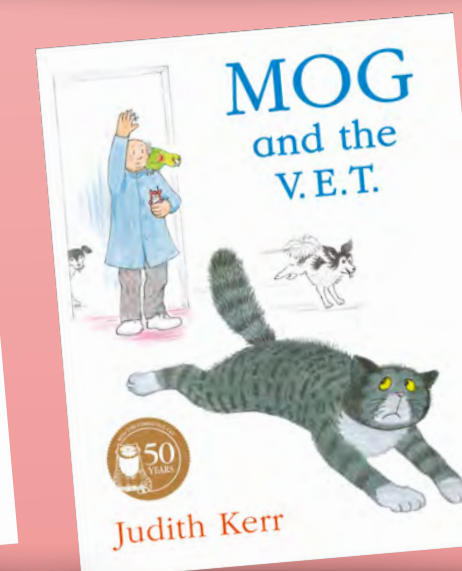
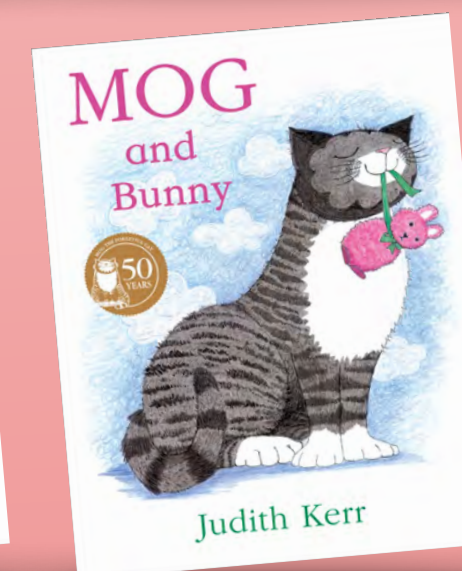
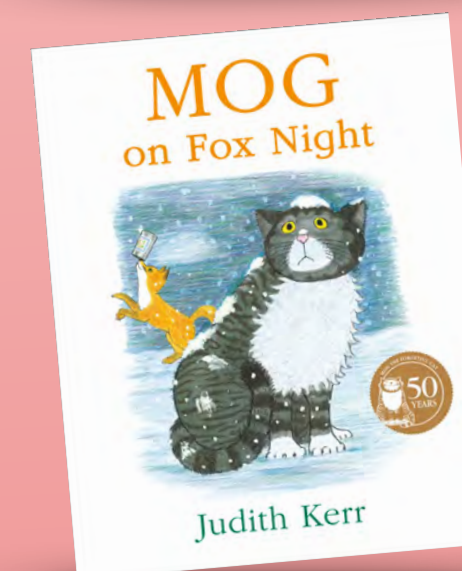
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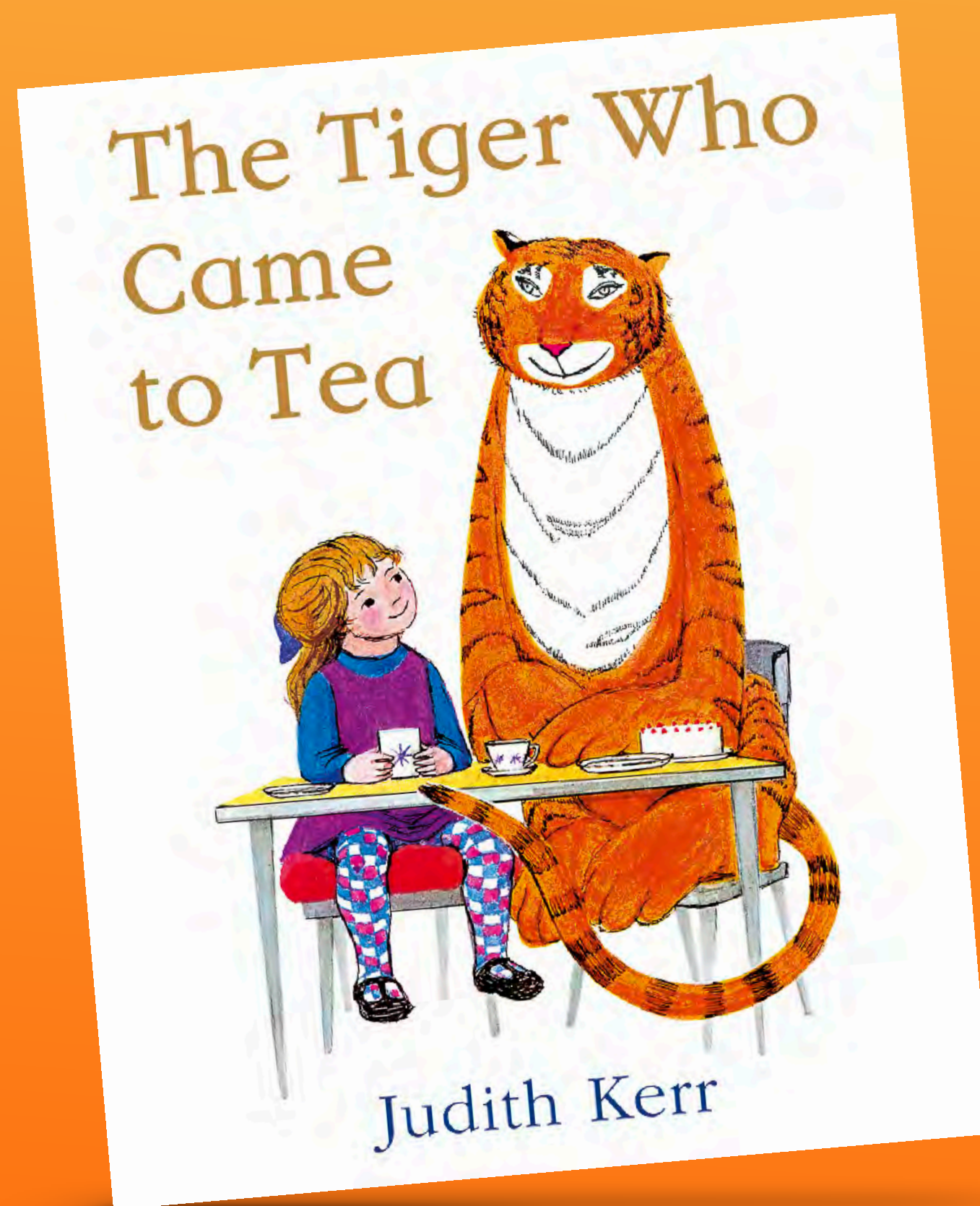


MOG'S FAMILY OF CATS
CASED BOARD BOOK
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MOG AND ME
CASED BOARD BOOK
PUB DATE: APRIL 2021
AGES: 2 YEARS +
EXTENT: 16PP
DIMENSIONS: 176 X 176MM





THE TIGER WHO CAME TO TEA JUDITH KERR

THE MAGIC BEGINS AT TEATIME . . .

This classic story of Sophie and her extraordinary teatime guest has been loved by millions of children since it was first published more than fifty years ago.

The doorbell rings just as Sophie and her mummy are sitting down to tea. Who could it possibly be? What they certainly don't expect to see at the door is a big furry tiger!

This iconic picture book is perfect for reading aloud, or for small children to read to themselves time and again. First published in 1968 and never out of print, it has become a timeless classic enjoyed and beloved by generations of children.

AUTHOR INFO

Judith Kerr was born in Berlin, but left Germany with her family in 1933 to escape the rising Nazi party. They settled in England, where she later met her husband, the celebrated screenwriter Nigel Kneale, with whom she had two children; she wrote *The Tiger Who Came to Tea* for them. She followed it with the Mog the Forgetful Cat series and many other celebrated stories, as well as her semi-autobiographical story, *When Hitler Stole Pink Rabbit*. In 2012 Judith was awarded an OBE for her services to children's literature and holocaust education, and in 2019 she was named Illustrator of the Year at the British Book Awards. Judith died in 2019, and her much-loved stories continue to delight children all over the world.

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Judith Kerr 100

2023 marks the centenary of the birth of best-loved author and illustrator, Judith Kerr. HarperCollins will be celebrating Judith's life and work throughout the year with publishing and events to engage fans of all ages.

**COMING SOON -
JUDITH KERR'S
CENTENARY
IN 2023!**

**EMMY-AWARD-
WINNING
ANIMATION**

**JUDITH KERR
HAS SOLD
MORE THAN 10
MILLION BOOKS
WORLDWIDE!**



THE TIGER WHO CAME TO TEA
HARDBACK SLIPCASE
EXTENT: 32PP
DIMENSIONS: 280 X 220MM



THE TIGER WHO CAME TO TEA
POP-UP BOOK
EXTENT: 14PP
DIMENSIONS: 280 X 220MM



THE TIGER WHO CAME TO TEA
CASED BOARD BOOK
EXTENT: 30PP
DIMENSIONS: 185 X 148MM



THE TIGER WHO CAME TO TEA
BOOK AND TOY
EXTENT: BOOK 32PP
DIMENSIONS: 170 X 130MM

100 MILLION
BOOKS SOLD IN
60 LANGUAGES



THE LION, THE WITCH AND THE WARDROBE

C.S. LEWIS

BEAUTIFUL BOARD BOOK FOR THE VERY YOUNG
CELEBRATING THIS CLASSIC STORY

Now available for the first time ever as a board book, a whole new generation of readers will fall in love with The Chronicles of Narnia in this abridged retelling of C.S. Lewis's most beloved classic. With simple text paired with bright illustrations by Joey Chou, this is a must-have board book for a young child's first library and the perfect gift for parents to be.

The Chronicles of Narnia is one of the most iconic classic fantasy series for children. It has sold more than 100 million books in forty-seven languages and continues to be as popular today as it was when it first published more than seventy years ago.

AUTHOR INFO

Clive Staples Lewis (1898–1963) was one of the intellectual giants of the twentieth century and arguably one of the most influential writers of his day. He wrote more than thirty books, allowing him to reach a vast audience, and his works continue to attract thousands of new readers every year. To date, the Narnia books have sold over 100 million copies and been transformed into three major motion pictures.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Joey Chou was born in Taiwan and grew up in Southern California. He has worked on films such as The Emoji Movie, Hotel Transylvania 2, Cloudy With A Chance of Meatballs, Kung Fu Panda and more, and his exuberant graphic style, influenced by illustrators from the sixties, is embraced by book publishers the world over.

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EXTENT: VARIOUS,
BOARD BOOK: 32PP
DIMENSIONS: VARIOUS
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TEE AND MO

THE HEART-WARMING MOTHER-AND-CHILD DUO SWING INTO PICTURE BOOKS!

Tee and Mo is a 50 x 7-minute CGI-animated series on CBeebies about the special relationship between three-year-old Tee and his single working mum, Mo, and their life together in the jungle. A genuine multi-platform pre-school brand, with huge popularity on YouTube and streaming platforms worldwide, it launched in 2018 and has gone from strength to strength!



WE'RE NOT TIDYING UP
PICTURE BOOK
PUB DATE: JULY 22
EXTENT: 32PP
DIMENSIONS: 250 X 250MM



THE CHRISTMAS BOX
PICTURE BOOK
PUB DATE: OCT 22
EXTENT: 32PP
DIMENSIONS: 250 X 250MM



2016 PRIX
JEUNESSE:
SHORT FORM
(INTERSTITIALS)
WINNER - "ARE
WE READY TO
GO?"

2019
CHILDREN'S
BAFTA: SHORT
FORM WINNER -
"HELP OUR
LITTLE WORLD"

OVER
302 MILLION
YOUTUBE VIEWS
WORLDWIDE

ARE WE READY TO GO?

THIS GORGEOUS DEBUT PICTURE BOOK IS BASED ON OUR FAVOURITE SONG FROM AWARD-WINNING PRE-SCHOOL SERIES TEE AND MO!, "ARE WE READY TO GO?", AS SUNG BY LAUREN LAVERNE.

Tee and Mo sometimes want to do different things . . . but they always end up having lots of fun any way! Today is picnic day, and Tee and Mo can't wait to set off . . . but are they really ready to go?

This charming story about getting ready to go out and remembering all the things you forgot also features the song lyrics and a QR code to play the song.

PUB DATE: MAY 2022 AGES: 3 YEARS +
EXTENT: 32PP DIMENSIONS: 250 X 250MM
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OTHER FACTS!

- 1.67 million streams on Spotify;
1.2 million streams on other music-streaming platforms
- Series 2 launches spring 2022:
30 x 7-minute eps
- Series 3 in production for 2023:
30 x 7-minute eps

SERIES 2
LAUNCHED
APRIL 2021
SERIES 3 IN
PRODUCTION



THE ADVENTURES OF PADDINGTON

INTRODUCING EVERYONE'S FAVOURITE BEAR TO A WHOLE NEW PRE-SCHOOL AUDIENCE!

2021 EMMY AWARDS
WINNER FOR
OUTSTANDING
PRE-SCHOOL CHILDREN'S
ANIMATED PROGRAMME
AND
WRITING TEAM FOR A
PRE-SCHOOL ANIMATED
PROGRAMME

LAUNCHED
GLOBALLY ON
NICKELODEON
NETWORKS
WORLDWIDE IN
2020

THE GREAT BALLOON CHASE

When Jonathan brings home a cool new dinosaur balloon that floats and roars, Paddington can't wait to see it. But will he remember to hold on to the string?

This wonderful Paddington picture-book adventure takes the young cub to the major landmarks of London, celebrating friendship and the importance of never giving up along the way!

PUB DATE: 12 MAY 2022 EXTENT: 32PP
DIMENSIONS: 250 X 250MM PB

SERIES INFO

The Adventures of Paddington is a brand-new 52 x 11-minute CGI-animated series about the world's favourite marmalade-loving bear called Paddington. Guaranteed to win the hearts and minds of children everywhere, this brilliant new TV series is packed with all the charm and humour of the hugely successful Paddington movies.

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STORY PICTURE BOOKS

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HATCHING CHICKS
32PP 250 X 250MM PB



THE CHRISTMAS WISH
32PP 250 X 250MM PB

ACTIVITY STICKER BOOKS

PUB DATE:
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NOW



MY FIRST
STICKER BOOK
24PP 280 X 220MM PB



MY FIRST
HOLIDAY STICKER BOOK
24PP 280 X 220MM PB



MY IMPORTANT JOBS
STICKER BOOK
24PP 280 X 220MM PB



A BUSY BEAR'S BIG
STICKER BOOK
64PP 285 X 205MM PB



SUMMER GAMES
32PP 250 X 250MM PB



THE WRONG LIST
32PP 250 X 250MM PB



FIRST HALLOWEEN
32PP 250 X 250MM PB

NOVELTY BOARD BOOKS

PUB DATE:
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NOW
ABC
JAN 2022



MY FIRST LETTERS BOOK
16PP 175 X 175MM BB



MY FIRST NUMBERS BOOK
16PP 175 X 175MM BB



MY FIRST COLOURS BOOK
16PP 175 X 175MM BB



FIRST SNOW
32PP 250 X 250MM PB



LOVE DAY
32PP 250 X 250MM PB

NOVELTY LIFT-TH-FLAP BOOKS

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NOW
HIDE-AND-SEEK
JAN 2022



THE MISSING MARMALADE SANDWICH
10PP 213 X 213MM BB



HIDE-AND-SEEK
10PP 213 X 213MM BB



BING IS
BROADCAST
IN 130
COUNTRIES
WORLDWIDE



BING

BING AND FRIENDS CONTINUE TO DELIGHT CHILDREN IN THE AWARD-WINNING PRESCHOOL SHOW AND OUR VIBRANT AND EXTENSIVE RANGE OF PUBLISHING CELEBRATES THE JOYFUL REALITY OF TODDLER LIFE WITH STORYBOOKS AND INTERACTIVE NOVELTY BOARD BOOKS.

WHERE'S BING?

LIFT-THE-FLAP, BOARD BOOK

Join Bing and his friends for a game of hide-and-seek in this wonderful new lift-the-flap board book. With three flaps to lift on every spread and additional objects to find in every scene, this lovely interactive book is bound to keep pre-schoolers entertained!

PUB DATE: JUNE 2022
EXTENT: 10PP
DIMENSIONS: 213 X 213MM

MORE THAN
4.8 MILLION
BING BOOKS
SOLD
WORLDWIDE

OVER 3.4
BILLION GLOBAL
YOUTUBE VIEWS
SINCE LAUNCH
IN 2017



BING'S NEW FRIEND
PICTURE BOOK
PUB DATE: FEB 2022
EXTENT: 32PP
DIMENSIONS: 265 X 259 MM



SULA'S SHOP
PICTURE BOOK
PUB DATE: MAR 2022
EXTENT: 32PP
DIMENSIONS: 265 X 259 MM



FOUR SEASONS WITH BING
PICTURE BOOK TREASURY
PUB DATE: AVAILABLE NOW
EXTENT: 32PP
DIMENSIONS: 265 X 259 MM



BING BOOK AND BLOCKS PLAYSET
BOARD BOOK AND 6 BLOCKS, BOXED
PUB DATE: AVAILABLE NOW
EXTENT: 20PP
DIMENSIONS: 160 X 160 MM (BOOK), 279 X 168 X 55MM (BOX)



MY FIRST LITTLE LIBRARY
4 BOARD BOOKS, SLIPCASED
PUB DATE: JAN 2022
EXTENT: 10PP X 4
DIMENSIONS: 90 X 90MM



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BING STORY

STORYTELLING IS AT THE VERY HEART OF BING. OUR BROAD RANGE OF STORYBOOK FORMATS CELEBRATE THE AUTHENTIC PRE-SCHOOLER EXPERIENCE IN ALL ITS MESSY AND WONDERFUL REALITY.

TV TIE-IN PICTURE BOOKS

Our energetic and vibrant TV tie-in picture books are the perfect stories for Bingsters who want to enjoy Bing's adventures again and again.



32PP 265 X 259MM PB



32PP 265 X 259MM PB



24PP 265 X 259MM PB



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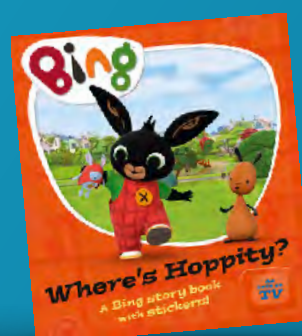
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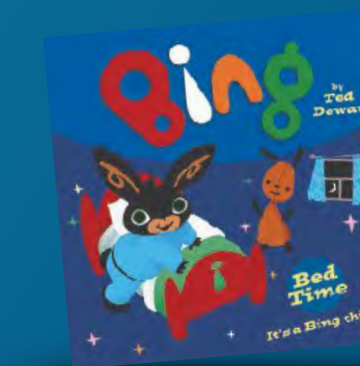
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ALL 32PP, 205 X 205MM PB

CLASSIC PICTURE BOOKS

Toddlers will love the bold, bright, playful style of these original picture books by the award-winning creator of Bing, Ted Dewan.

ALL 32PP 250 X 250MM PB



BOARD STORY BOOKS

With sturdy board pages and rounded corners, these charming cased board book stories are ideal for little hands.

ALL 20PP 175 X 175MM CBB



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BOOKS, COLOURING BOOKS AND
WIPE-CLEAN BOOKS, WILL KEEP
LITTLE ONES BUSY LEARNING
NEW SKILLS WHILE THEY
EXPLORE BING'S WORLD.



COLOURING BOOKS

32PP 280 X 220MM PB



MY TOILET TRAIN STICKER BOOK

16PP 297 X 210MM PB)



BING'S BIG STICKER BOOK

64PP 285 X 205MM PB

STICKER BOOKS

ALL 24PP
280 X 220MM PB



16PP 276 X 216MM PB



16PP 276 X 216MM PB



16PP 276 X 216 MM PB



24PP 280 X 220MM PB



24PP 280 X 220MM PB



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WIPE-CLEAN BOOKS

With a special pen and wipe-clean pages that can be
used again and again, these fantastic Bing activity
books will help children who are learning to hold a pen
for the first time make marks, draw shapes and form
their first letters and numbers.

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SOUND BOOKS



12PP 210 X 210 MMBB



12PP 210 X 210 MMBB



10PP 284 X 304MM CBB



12PP 190 X 160MM BB



10PP 190 X 170MM BB



12PP 209 X 209MM CBB



12PP 209 X 209MM CBB



12PP 240 X 240MM BB

MAGNET BOOK



10PP 275 X 221MM BB

BOARD BOOKS



10PP 180 X 180MM BB



12PP 195 X 146MM BB



14PP 604 X 400 MM BB



12PP 195 X 146MM BB

TOUCH-AND-FEEL BOOKS

10PP 240 X 240MM CBB



BOARD BOOKS IN A SLIPCASE



4 X 10PP 120 X 120MM BB



4 X 8PP 90 X 90MM BB



4 X 10PP 202 X 186MM BB



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THE RAILWAY CHILDREN RETURN

LINDA CHAPMAN

THE EXCITING SEQUEL TO THE CLASSIC NOVEL AND FILM *THE RAILWAY CHILDREN*!

This heart-warming novelisation of the sequel to one of the most beloved British family films of all time, imagines E. Nesbit's treasured *The Railway Children* thirty-nine years on, bringing an enchanting new adventure to the next generation.

The Railway Children Return tells the story of a group of children evacuated to a Yorkshire village during World War 2. There they meet some familiar faces and a runaway American soldier who, like them, has found himself a long way from home.

With BAFTA award-winning director Morgan Matthews and BAFTA award-winning producer Jemma Rodgers at the helm, and a script penned by Emmy and BAFTA award-winning writer Danny Brocklehurst, this film and its novelisation are bound to young readers and fans of the original alike.

FROM THE
FILM STUDIO
THAT CREATED
PADDINGTON!

INSPIRED BY
ONE OF THE
MOST BELOVED
BRITISH FILMS
OF ALL TIME,
*THE RAILWAY
CHILDREN*

AUTHOR INFO

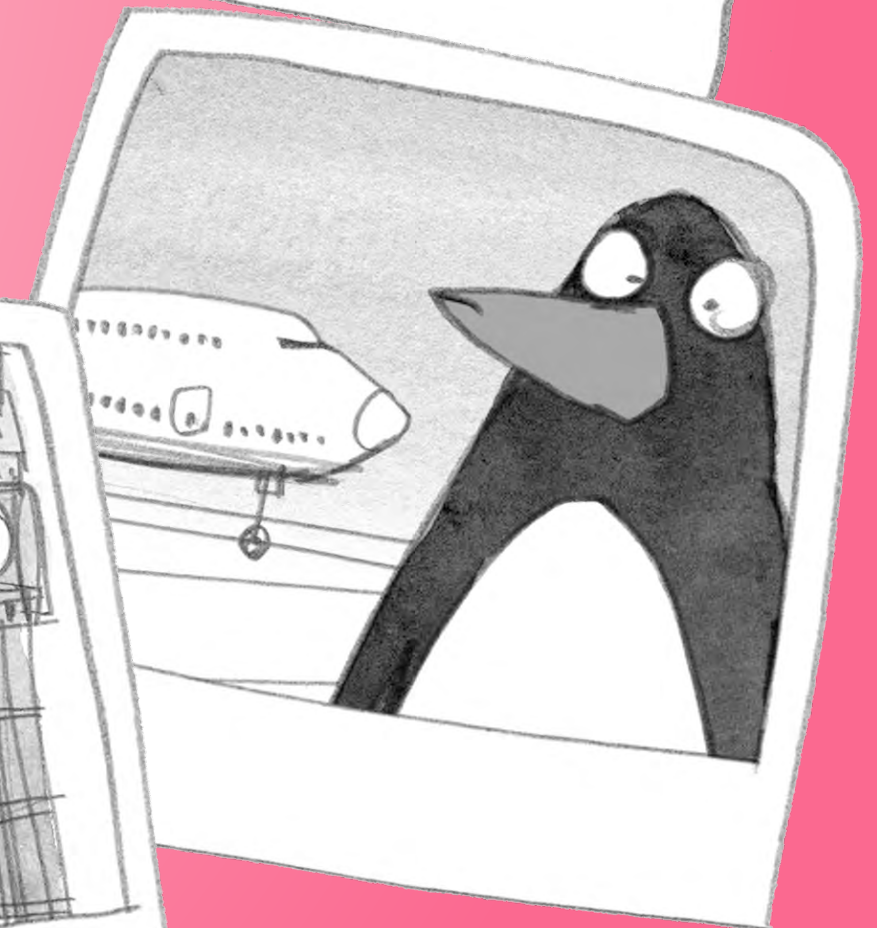
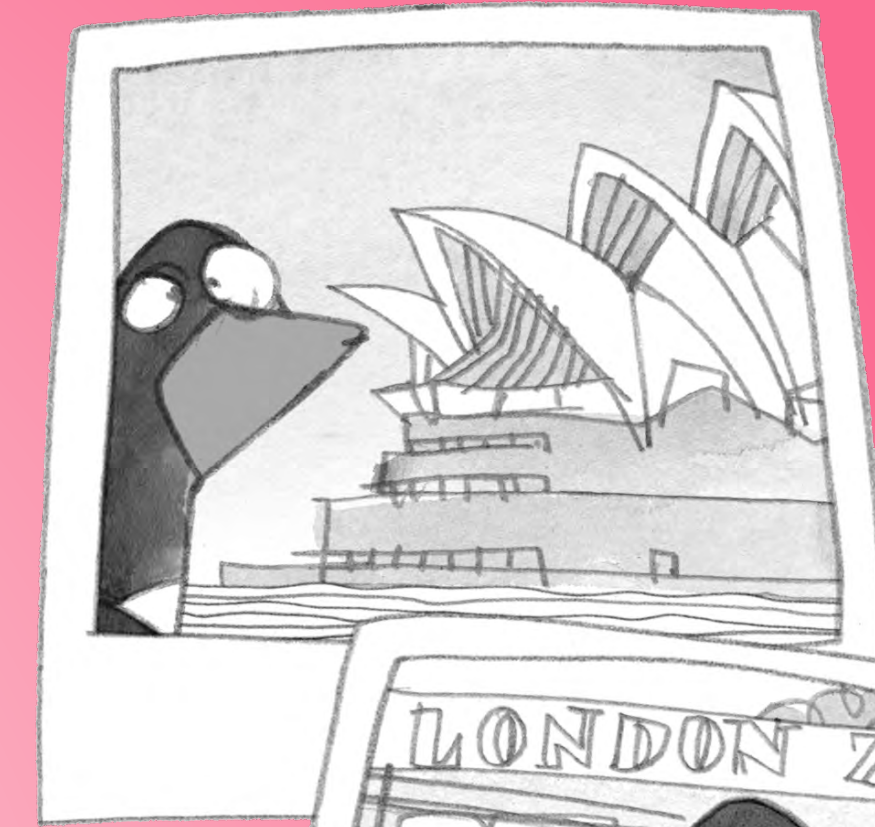
Linda Chapman has written a huge range of bestselling children's fiction, including *Rainbow Magic*, *My Secret Unicorn*, *Star Friends*, *Not Quite a Mermaid*, *Unicorn Academy* and *The Secret Garden* movie tie-in. She brings a wealth of experience to this wonderful novelisation of *The Railway Children Return*.

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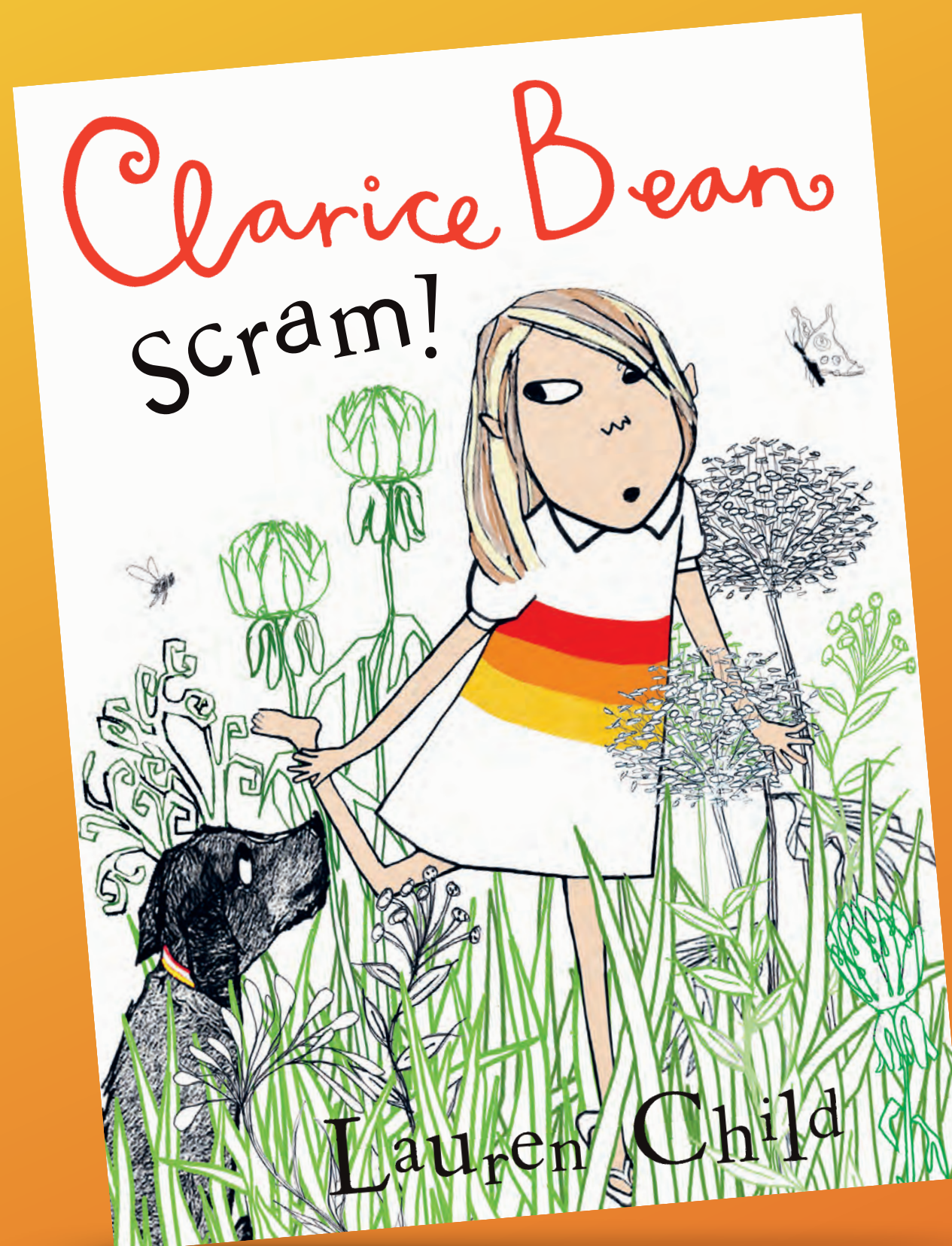
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YOUNG FICTION



OVER 6 MILLION
CLARICE BEAN
BOOKS SOLD
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CLARICE BEAN SCRAM! LAUREN CHILD

THE EXCEPTIONORDINARY, EFFERVESCENT CLARICE BEAN IS BACK WITH HER TRADEMARK HEART AND HUMOUR IN THIS BEAUTIFULLY ILLUSTRATED STORY BY FORMER CHILDREN'S LAUREATE LAUREN CHILD – A DELIGHTFUL SUMMER READ FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY!

Nothing ever happens on summer holiday. . . except sometimes. For Clarice Bean, this squelching hot summer is one of those sometimes: there is not much nothing happening and absolutely nearly EVERYTHING. For starters, Clarice MUST have her sister's rainbow roller-skates, and there are also the ghosts in the cupboard to manage. . . But that isn't quite everything, is it? Because before she knows it, Clarice has wished up an ACTUAL REAL-LIFE dog. . .

With Lauren Child's unparalleled wit and unforgettable illustrations, this story of family and belonging celebrates what makes Clarice Bean so utterly adored the world over.

AUTHOR INFO

Lauren Child arrived on the children's book scene in 1999. She is the creator of many much-loved characters including Ruby Redfort, Charlie and Lola, Hubert Horatio and of course, Clarice Bean. In 2018, HarperCollins Children's Books published the exquisite hardback gift edition of *Mary Poppins*, P. L. Travers's classic story, which was brought to life in full colour with Lauren's unique signature style. She has won many awards, including the prestigious Kate Greenaway Medal in 2000 for *I Will Not Ever Never Eat a Tomato*, and was the Waterstones Children's Laureate from 2017 to 2019.

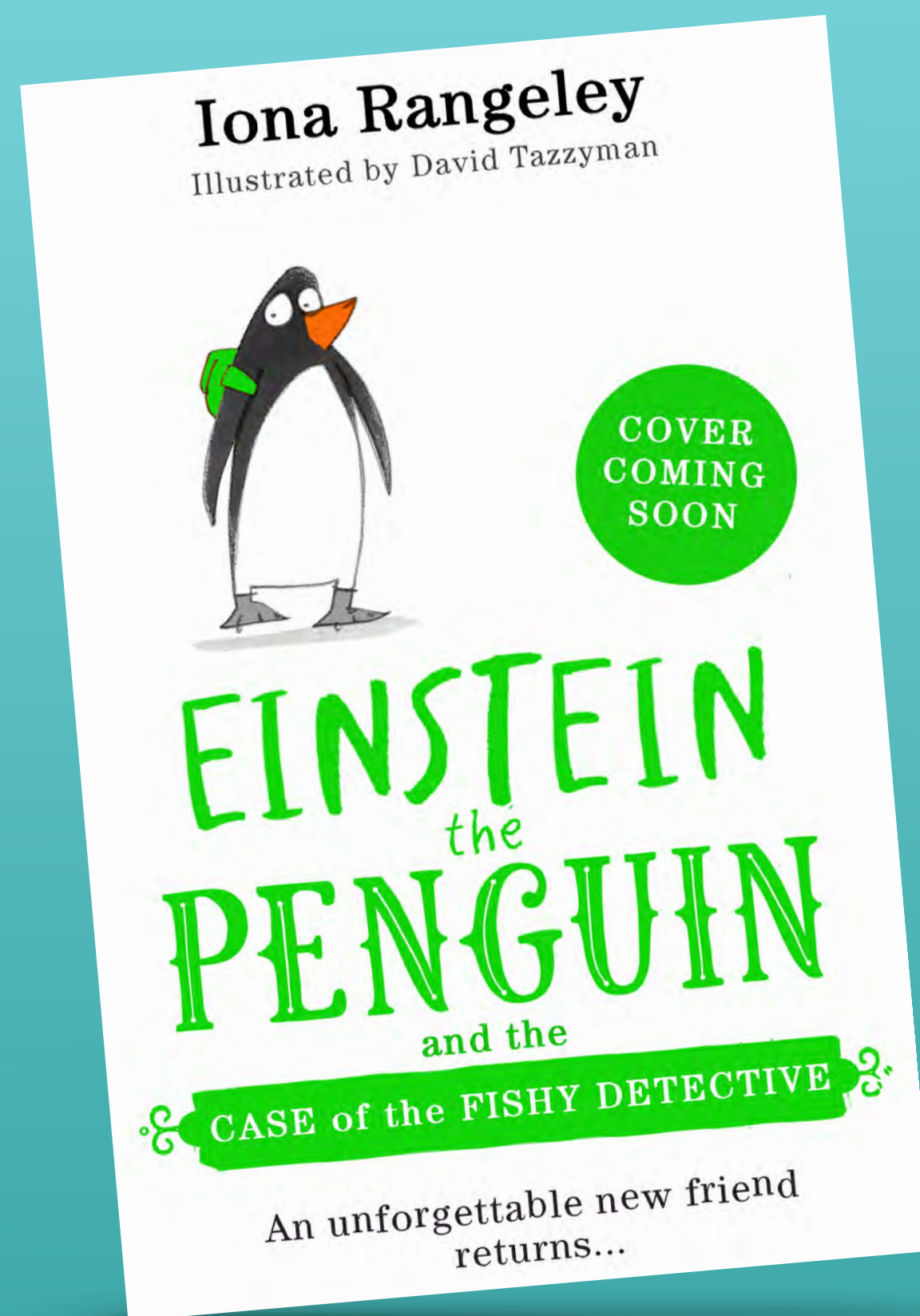
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**"WE CAN'T GET ENOUGH
CLARICE BEAN."**

SUNDAY TIMES



EINSTEIN THE PENGUIN: THE CASE OF THE FISHY DETECTIVE

IONA RANGELEY

ILLUSTRATED BY DAVID TAZZYSMAN

AN UNFORGETTABLE FRIEND RETURNS

Imogen and Arthur have been missing their friend, the penguin, Einstein, since he went back to Australia. So when an opportunity for him to return arises, they jump at the chance. But then Einstein is mysteriously kidnapped. Can Imogen and Arthur turn detective again and rescue him? One thing is for sure: when Einstein is involved, nothing ever goes quite as expected...

ILLUSTRATED
BY DAVID
TAZZYMAN, THE
AWARD-WINNING
ILLUSTRATOR OF
MR GUM

"AN
OUTSTANDING
DEBUT. FUNNY
AND SURPRISING"

THE TIMES BEST
BOOKS FOR
CHILDREN 2021

AUTHOR INFO

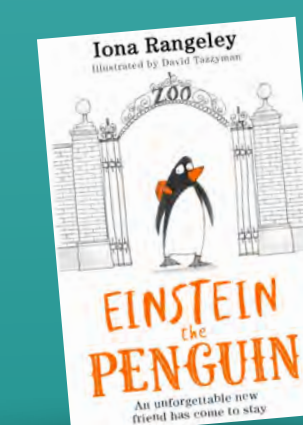
Iona Rangeley has just finished studying English at Oxford. She has wanted to be a writer since her debut novel *Sam and the Pig*, which she wrote when she was five. Iona starting writing *Einstein the Penguin* when her final exams came along, because it was more fun.

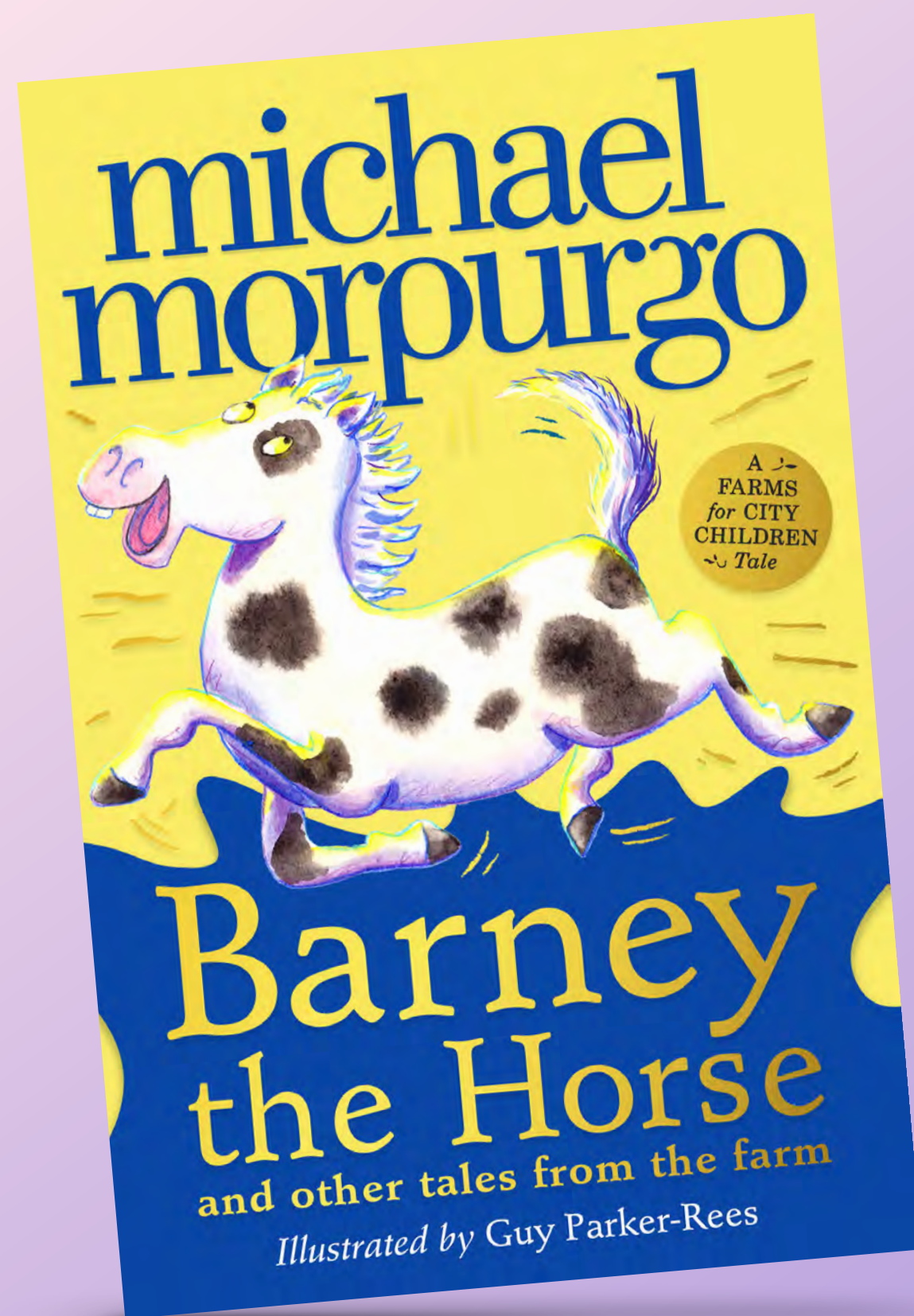
ILLUSTRATOR INFO

David Tazzyman is an internationally acclaimed award-winning illustrator best known for his illustration of the bestselling Mr Gum series, which went on to win numerous awards including the first Roald Dahl Funny Prize in 2008.

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EXTENT: 144PP
DIMENSIONS: 216 X 138MM
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BARNEY THE HORSE AND OTHER TALES FROM THE FARM

MICHAEL MORPURGO

ILLUSTRATED BY GUY PARKER-REES

PERFECT FOR FIRST READERS, THIS CHARMING STORY COLLECTION FROM MICHAEL MORPURGO AND ILLUSTRATED BY GUY PARKER-REES CAPTURES ALL THE FUN, MUD AND MAGIC OF A TRIP TO THE FARM!

Join in the daring rescue of a lost lamb, meet a boy who saves a family of swallows and discover how Barney the horse forever changes a child's life. These tales of friendship and animal adventures are inspired by Michael's own experiences with his charity Farms for City Children, which offers children the chance to live and work together on a real farm, experiencing the thrill of nature first-hand.

AUTHOR INFO

Sir Michael Morpurgo OBE is one of Britain's best-loved children's writers, winning many awards including the Smarties Prize, the Blue Peter Book Award and the Whitbread Award. A former Children's Laureate, Michael is also the cofounder, with his wife, Clare, of the charity Farms for City Children – which for decades has proven the life-long impression animals and the countryside can make on a child's heart.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

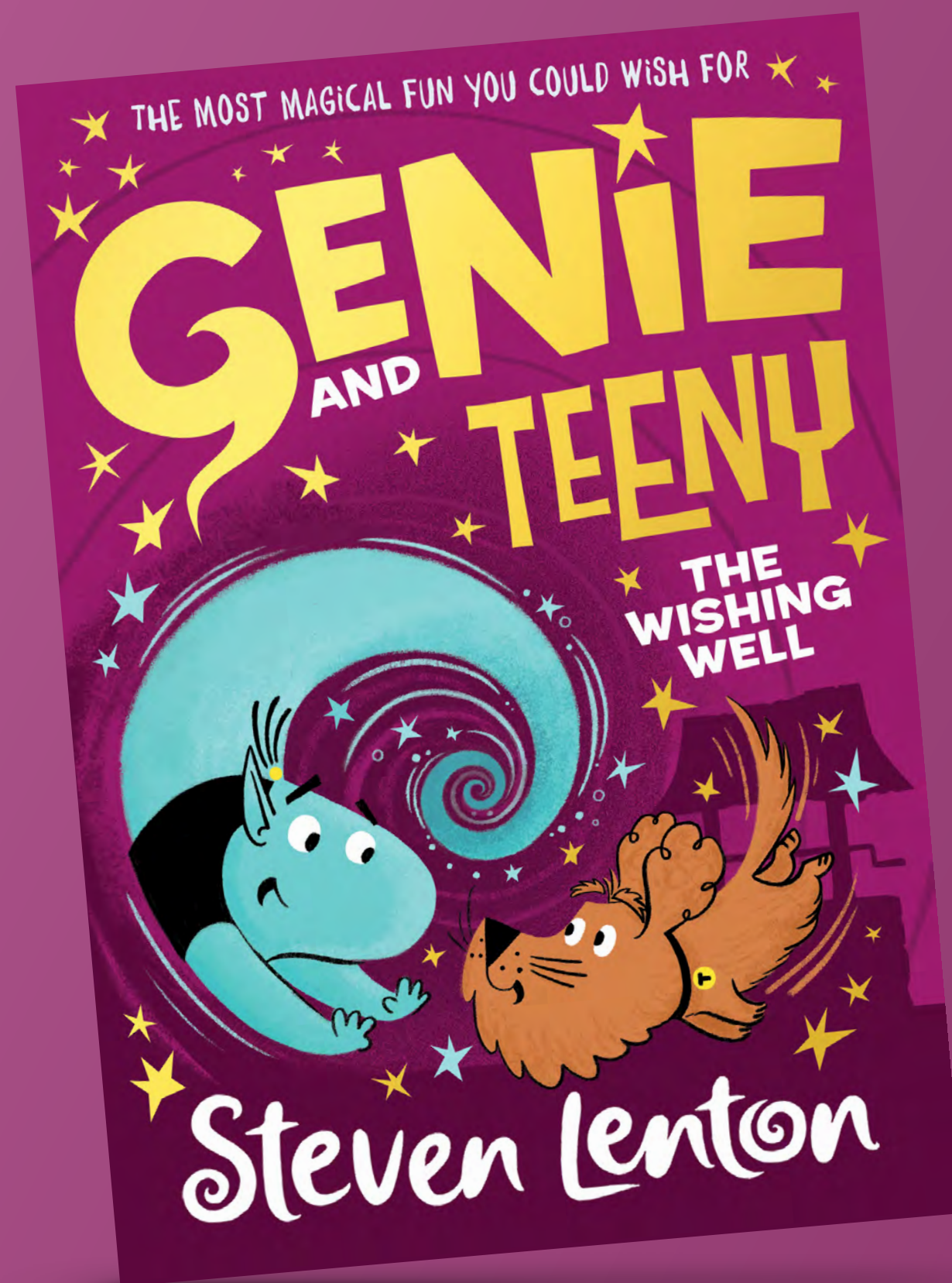
Guy Parker-Rees loves drawing animals. The illustrator of many picture books for children, he has collaborated on award-winning books with authors such as Tony Mitton and Giles Andreae, and is the illustrator of *The Times* and *New York Times* international bestseller *Giraffes Can't Dance*.

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GENIE AND TEENY 3: THE WISHING WELL STEVEN LENTON

WISHES COME TRUE FOR READERS AGED FIVE TO EIGHT IN THIS HILARIOUSLY MAGICAL, STANDOUT SERIES FROM SUPERSTAR AUTHOR-ILLUSTRATOR STEVEN LENTON!

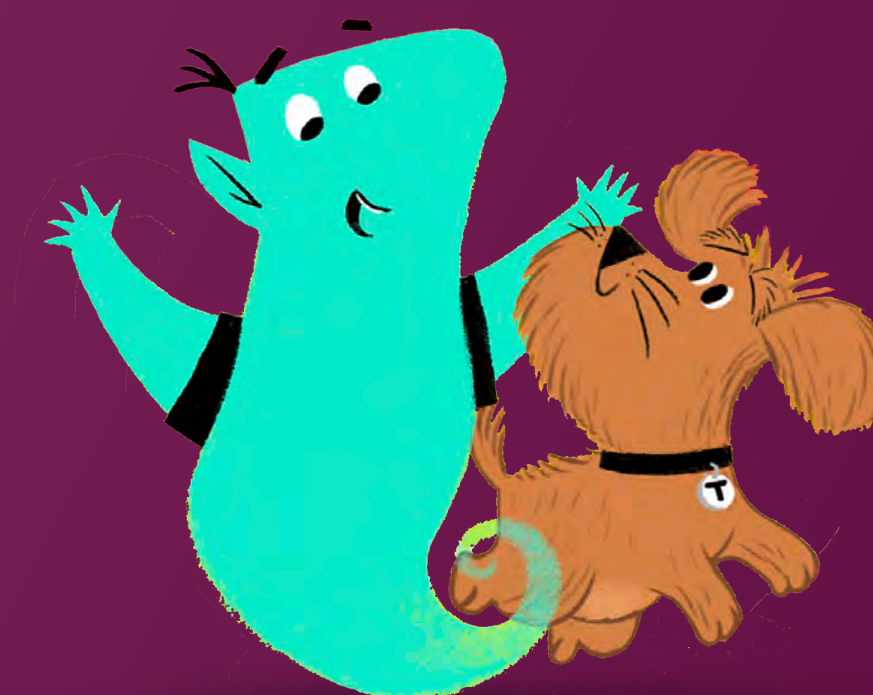
Meet Grant the genie and his best friend – the dog Teeny!

The magical adventures continue in this third instalment of the hilarious new series from renowned illustrator Steven Lenton.

When Grant starts missing his family, Teeny and his owner, Tilly, realise they need to get home for a flying visit. But Genie World is so very high in the sky and no one knows how to get there. Can Tilly and Teeny come up with a plan? Or will Grant stay homesick forever?

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HAVE BEEN
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OF THE MONTH AND
TIMES CHILDREN'S
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AUTHOR INFO

Steven Lenton is the renowned illustrator of many bestselling picture books, which have been awarded Waterstones Picture Book of the Month and *The Times* Children's Book of the Week. He illustrates fiction for David Baddiel and Frank Cottrell-Boyce, and is the Sainsbury's Prize-winning illustrator of THE NOTHING TO SEE HERE HOTEL series. Genie and Teeny is Steven's first young fiction series as an author and illustrator.

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A young boy with dark skin and curly hair stands on a sandy beach, looking out at the ocean. He is wearing a dark t-shirt and shorts. In the background, a lighthouse sits on a hill under a cloudy sky. The entire image is overlaid with a semi-transparent pink filter.

MIDDLE GRADE





THE MIRACULOUS SWEETMAKERS: THE FROST FAIR

NATASHA HASTINGS

ILLUSTRATED BY ALEX T. SMITH

THE MOST ENCHANTING MIDDLE GRADE DEBUT OF 2022. THOUGHT-PROVOKING, MAGICAL AND HEART-ACHINGLY SAD, IT HERALDS A NEW VOICE IN MIDDLE GRADE FICTION

It's a cold winter during the Great Frost Fair of 1683.

Thomasina and Anne are the best of friends, one running her father's sweet shop and the other the apprentice at the family apothecary – and together they sell their goods on the frozen River Thames.

When a family tragedy turns Thomasina's world upside down she is drawn to a mysterious conjuror and the enchanted frost fair, but will the world of Father Winter threaten to claim everything she holds dear?

Can Thomasina and Anne join forces, bringing sweet-making and the skills of the apothecary together to create a sweetshop of miraculous cures – while solving the magical mysteries that surround them . . .

AUTHOR INFO

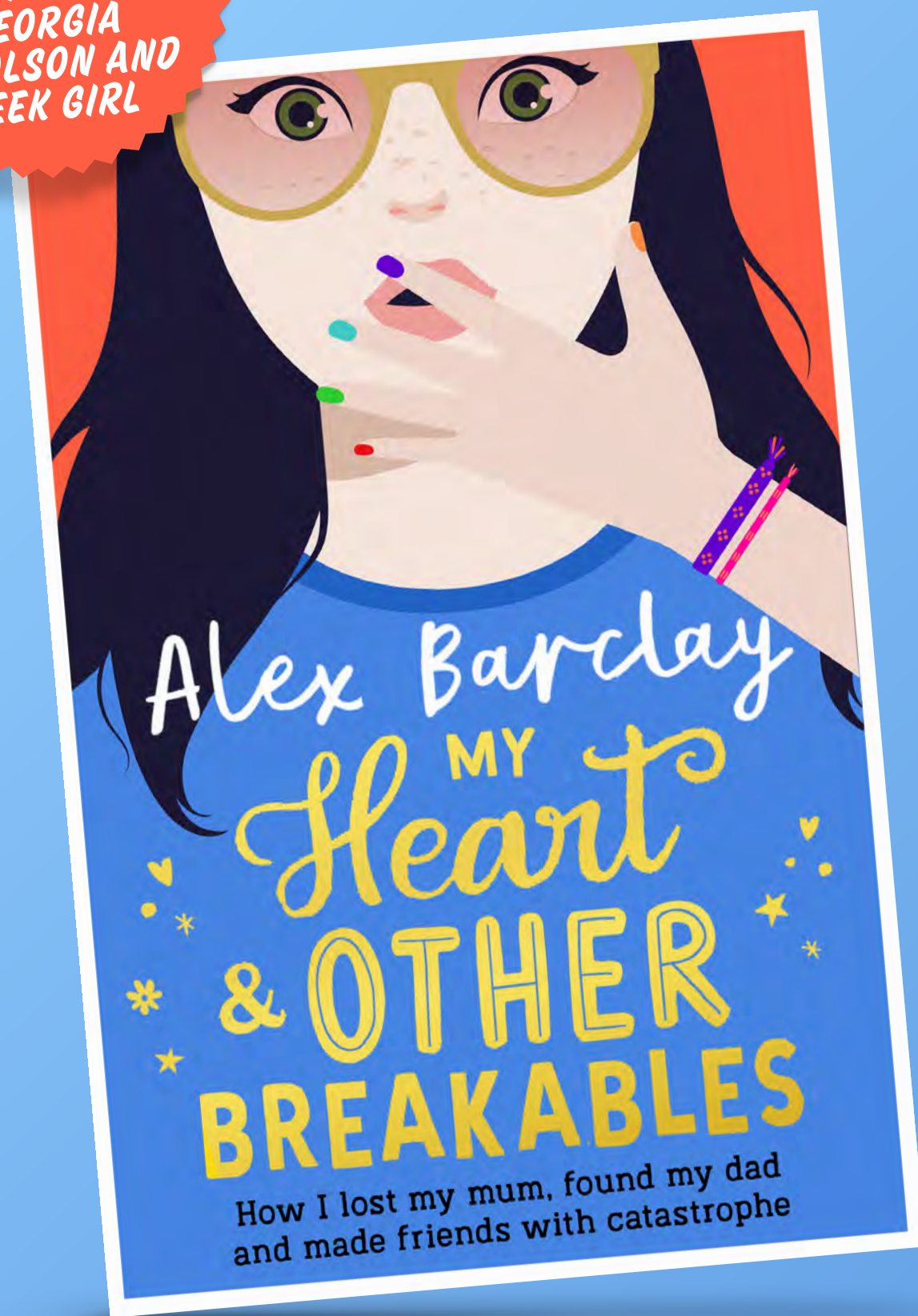
Natasha Hastings was selected to join the London Library's Emerging Writers Programme in 2019. Currently working as a fundraiser, she started developing *The Frost Fair* while studying History at Cambridge University, where she focused on gender and mental illness. She became determined, while exploring these topics, to have the lives of working women form the heartbeat of *The Frost Fair*.

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TWO STRONG
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HEROINES.

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THE
NEW SMASH
DIARY FROM
THE HOUSE OF
GEORGIA
NICOLSON AND
GEEK GIRL



MY HEART & OTHER BREAKABLES: HOW I LOST MY MUM, FOUND MY DAD AND MADE FRIENDS WITH CATASTROPHE

ALEX BARCLAY

FROM CRITICALLY ACCLAIMED AND BESTSELLING ADULT AUTHOR ALEX BARCLAY, THIS HILARIOUS AND DEEPLY MOVING DEBUT MIGHT JUST BE THE FUNNIEST BOOK EVER TO MAKE YOU CRY YOUR EYES OUT . . .

Ellery Brown says NO to sadness. And YES to her CRAZY NEW LIFE.

This is the diary of me, Ellery Brown, aged fifteen and a half. I think I'm supposed to use it to record my feelings about my mom, since she died.

So why do I keep thinking about who my dad might be instead . . .? My best friend has narrowed it down to three authors my mom knew. (She was an author too.) But they're not just in different countries: they're on different CONTINENTS, which means fake IDs, passports, disguises, plane tickets and somehow getting away from my self-obsessed grandmother.

One thing's for sure: this year is going to be INTERESTING . . .

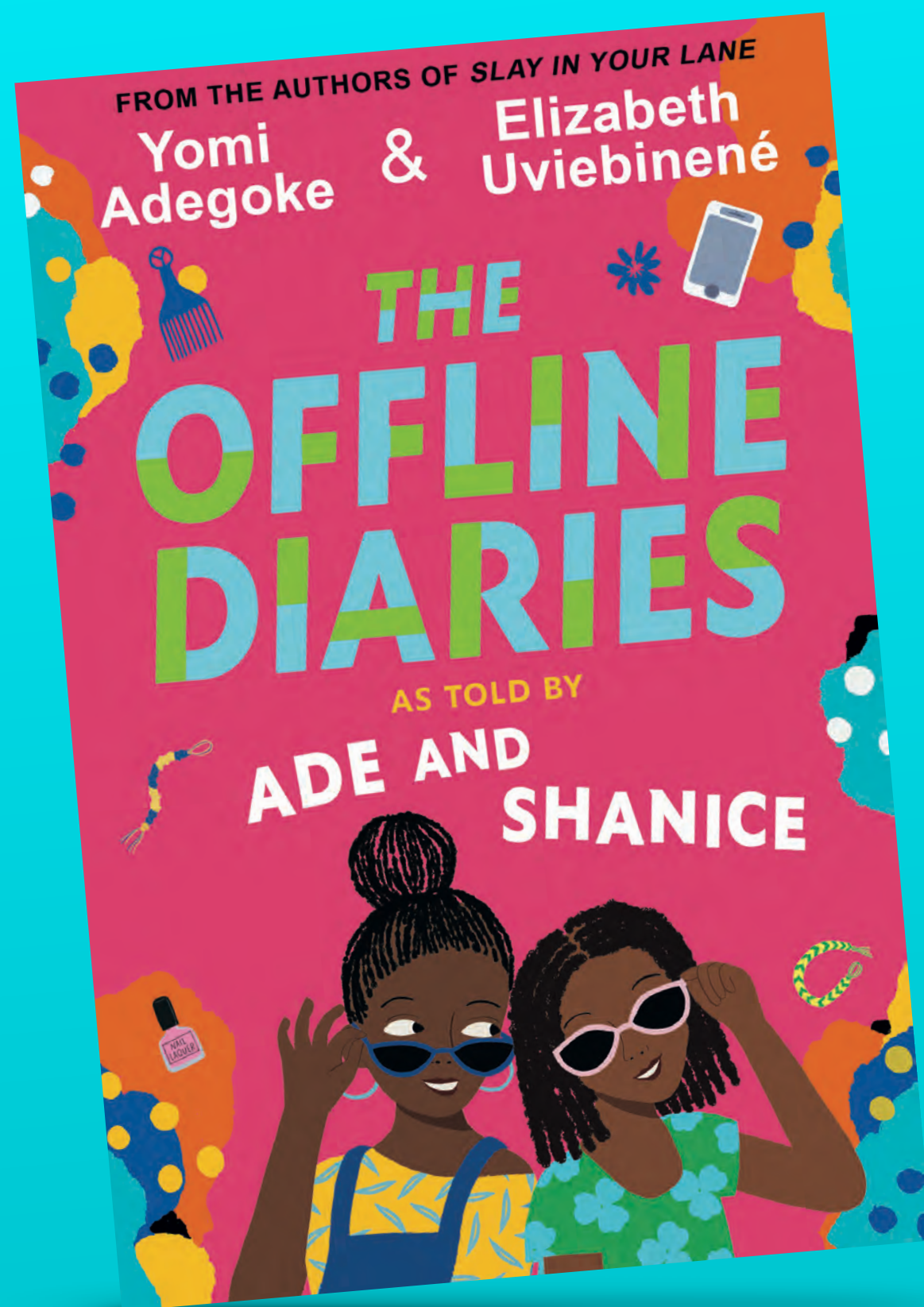
AUTHOR INFO

Alex Barclay is the award-winning author of several bestselling thrillers. She studied journalism at university and went on to work as a journalist and copywriter before publishing her first novel, *Darkhouse*, a *Sunday Times* top ten bestseller. Alex won the Ireland AM Crime Fiction Award for her third novel, *Blood Runs Cold*. *My Heart & Other Breakables* is her debut for readers aged eleven years and older.

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A GROUND-BREAKING LAUNCH THAT WILL CREATE A WHOLE NEW MIDDLE-GRADE PHENOMENON

THE OFFLINE DIARIES

YOMI ADEGOKE AND ELIZABETH UVIEBINENÉ

THE MAJOR NEW MIDDLE-GRADE SERIES FROM THE AUTHORS OF *SLAY IN YOUR LANE* IS HERE! THIS UNIVERSAL STORY OF FRIENDSHIP AND FALLING OUT, WITH ITS UNFORGETTABLE CHARACTERS, WILL RESONATE WITH READERS EVERYWHERE.

Ade is about to start at a new school. She is NOT happy with her stepdad for making them move here. Shanice has been at the school for a year already. Since her mum died, she's been living with her dad and annoying older brother, spending most of her time outside school in her dad's hair salon. When Ade and Shanice meet in the salon and spot each other's diaries, an instant friendship is formed, and they start to chat online. . . but offline is a whole other story!

The Offline Diaries is a fresh, funny and contemporary look at friendship, told in the captivating voices of Ade and Shanice – two utterly unforgettable Year Eight girls.

AUTHOR INFO

Yomi Adegoke is a multi-award-winning journalist and author. She writes about race, feminism, popular culture and how they intersect, as well as class and politics. She has worked at ITN, Channel 4 News and *The Pool* as a senior writer and freelanced for *Vogue*, *Guardian* and *The Independent*, amongst others. She was named journalist of the year by the Woman in Africa Awards and as a *Marie Claire* Future Shaper, and in 2018 she won the Groucho Maverick award with co-author Elizabeth Uviebinené. In 2021, she was included in the Forbes 30 under 30 list.

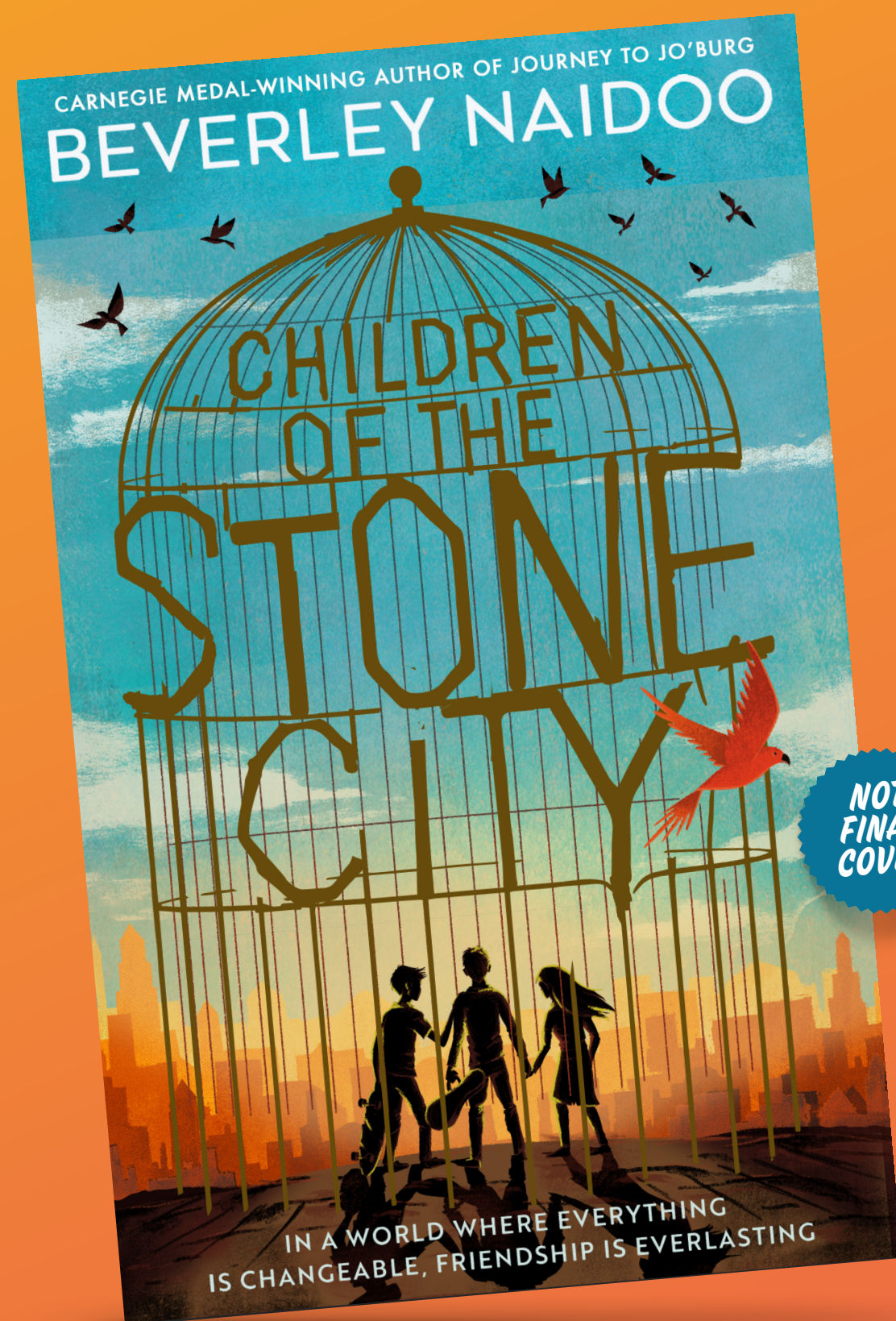
AUTHOR INFO

Elizabeth Uviebinené is an award-winning marketing manager from London. A natural in creative storytelling and idea generation, with a passion for brands, Elizabeth creates marketing campaigns that are culturally progressive and commercially impactful. In 2018, Elizabeth was recognised by The Dots as a woman redefining the creative industry and by WeAreTheCity with a Rising Star award in the PR, communications and marketing industry.

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"A FRESH, LIVELY STORY ABOUT FRIENDSHIP - ADE AND SHANICE ARE SUCH REAL GIRLS"

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CHILDREN OF THE STONE CITY

BEVERLEY NAIDOO

CARNEGIE-
MEDAL
WINNING
AUTHOR

JOURNEY TO
JO'BURG HAS
BEEN CONSTANTLY
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THE FIRST NOVEL IN OVER A DECADE BY THE GROUND-BREAKING AND AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR OF *JOURNEY TO JO'BURG*, ONE OF THE BESTSELLING BOOKS ON THE HARPERCOLLINS CHILDREN'S MODERN CLASSICS LIST...

When Adam and Leila's father dies unexpectedly, their mother faces the threat of losing her permit to live in the Stone City, and possible deportation back to where she was born. Before music-loving Adam can implement his plan to save Mama, their friend Zak is arrested for a bold prank that goes wrong, with far-reaching repercussions for them all . . .

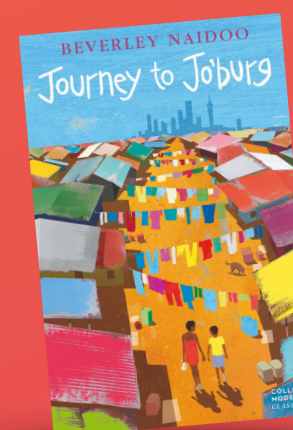
Set in a world where Nons live under the oppression of the Permitted ruling class, *Children of the Stone City* is a thrilling, resonant and inspiring novel from one of our greatest writers. It's a story about justice, privilege and the power of the young to strive for change.

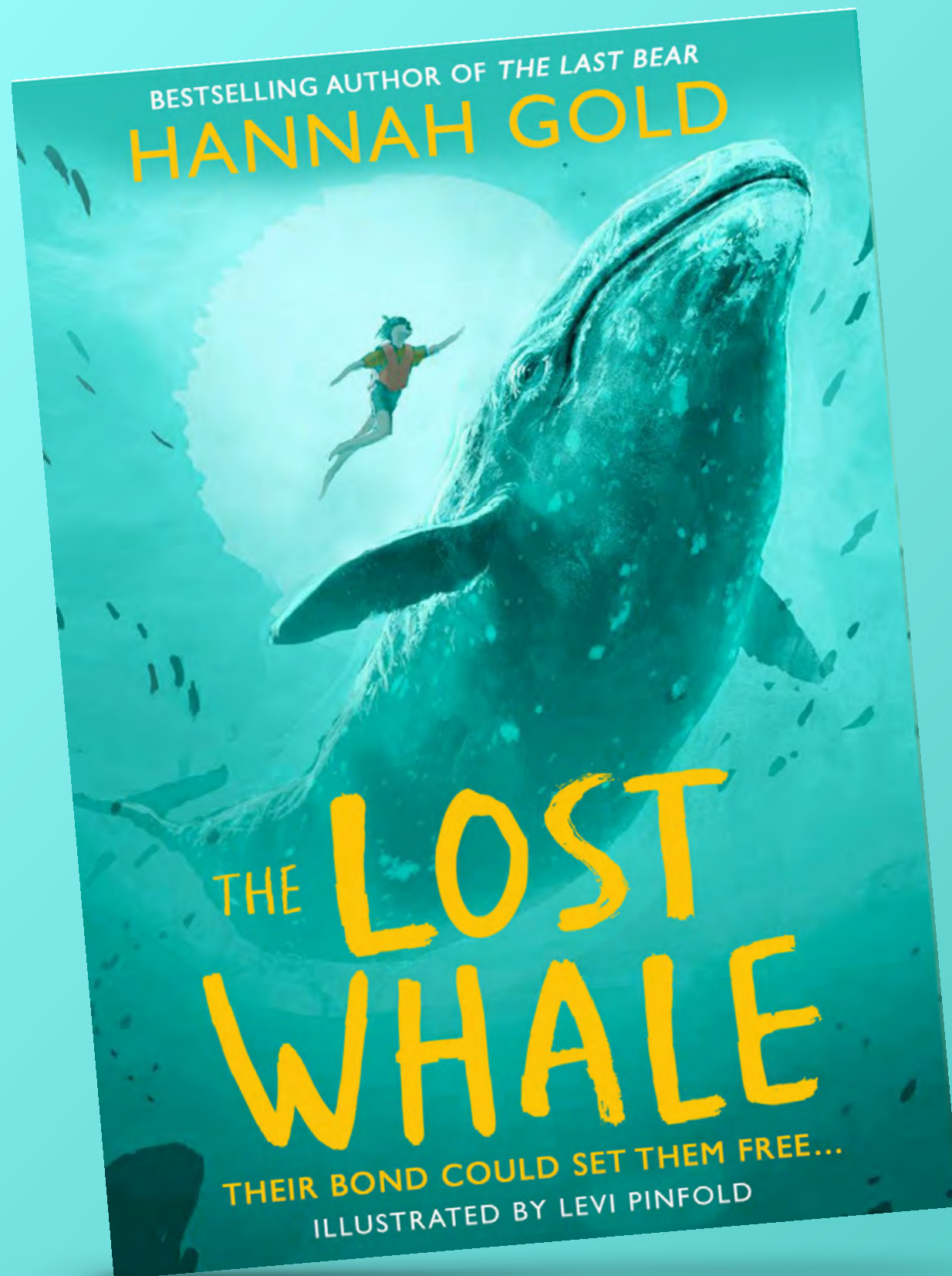
AUTHOR INFO

Beverley Naidoo was born in South Africa and grew up under apartheid. After her arrest and detention without trial, she came to England. She married another exile and was only able to return freely twenty-six years later, after Nelson Mandela's release from jail. Their two children were brought up in England where she still lives. She goes back to South Africa to stay in touch, especially with young people. A teacher for many years, she has a doctorate in education and a number of honorary degrees.

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WINNER OF
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THE LOST WHALE

HANNAH GOLD

ILLUSTRATED BY LEVI PINFOLD

THE ENCHANTING SECOND NOVEL FROM HANNAH GOLD, AUTHOR OF *THE LAST BEAR*

What if you could communicate with a whale?

Rio has been sent to live with a grandmother he barely knows in California, while his mum is in hospital back home. He feels alone, and disconnected, struggling with his darkest fears for his mum. The only thing that makes him smile is joining his new friend Marina on her dad's whale-watching trips. An incredible encounter with White Beak, a gentle giant of the sea, changes everything for Rio, but then White Beak goes missing. Her fate feels entwined with Mum's and Rio sets out on a desperate quest to find his whale and somehow save his mum.

Dive into this incredible story about the connection between a boy and a whale and how that bond sets them both free.

Perfect for readers of 8+, beautifully illustrated throughout by Levi Pinfold – winner of the Kate Greenaway Medal and illustrator of Harry Potter 20th anniversary edition covers.

AUTHOR INFO

Hannah Gold worked in the film and magazine industries before taking time out to pursue her dream of writing. She lives in Lincolnshire with her tortoise, her cat and her husband.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Levi Pinfold's debut picture book, *The Django*, won a Book Trust Early Years Award and was described by author-illustrator Michael Foreman as "a virtuoso display of real drawing". He is also the creator of *Black Dog*, winner of a Kate Greenaway Medal.

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CHILDREN'S BOOK
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GIANT

NICOLA SKINNER

**"A UNIQUELY
BRILLIANT VOICE
IN CHILDREN'S
BOOKS"**

ANNA JAMES

CRITICALLY-ACCLAIMED AUTHOR NICOLA SKINNER'S MOST BRILLIANT BOOK YET – A DARING, THRILLING, DARKLY COMIC STORY ABOUT STAYING TRUE TO YOURSELF, AND TO THE PEOPLE YOU LOVE, EVEN IF THAT MEANS TEARING EVERYTHING DOWN . . .

There's nothing wrong with Minnie's island. Nothing, that is, apart from the earthquakes that regularly destroy homes.

Luckily, the islanders have a way to fix their crumbling walls: giants. Giants look after children like eleven-year-old Minnie, but, once the child turns twelve, are turned to stone to repair their world. There's nothing wrong with that either . . . or so Minnie thinks. Until she realises she's not quite ready to say goodbye – not yet. So begins a desperate race against time in which Minnie will confront the truth about her island, her giant . . . and ultimately herself.

AUTHOR INFO

Nicola Skinner worked as a copywriter and journalist before a visit to an overgrown country garden inspired *Bloom* – her astonishing debut novel and a *Guardian* Book of the Year. *Giant* is her new remarkable story.

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**A
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WHEN THINGS WENT WILD

TOM MITCHELL

A HILARIOUS WHODUNNIT ADVENTURE FULL OF MISHAPS, MAYHEM AND TOM MITCHELL'S TRADEMARK WIT – AND A TIMELY CALL TO PROTECT OUR ENVIRONMENT AND ITS WILDLIFE

When Kit moves to the Highlands, he's got loads to deal with – terrible Wi-Fi, a new school and his annoying little brother, Jack. But it's not until they find a strange object on the moors that Kit's problems really begin.

They have discovered a tracker for a golden eagle, and more than the eagles are under threat . . . Can these city kids cope with the country – and catch the culprit?

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AUTHOR INFO

Tom Mitchell is a dad, a secondary school English teacher and a writer. He grew up in the West Country and settled in London after a brief interlude in the East Midlands. He lives in Kent with his wife, Nicky, and sons, Dylan and Jacob. *How to Rob a Bank* was his first novel.

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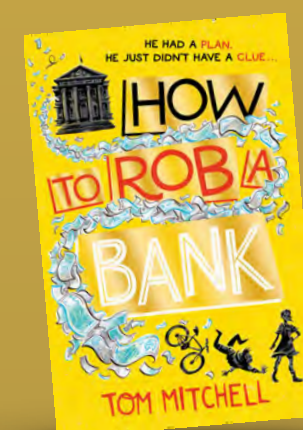
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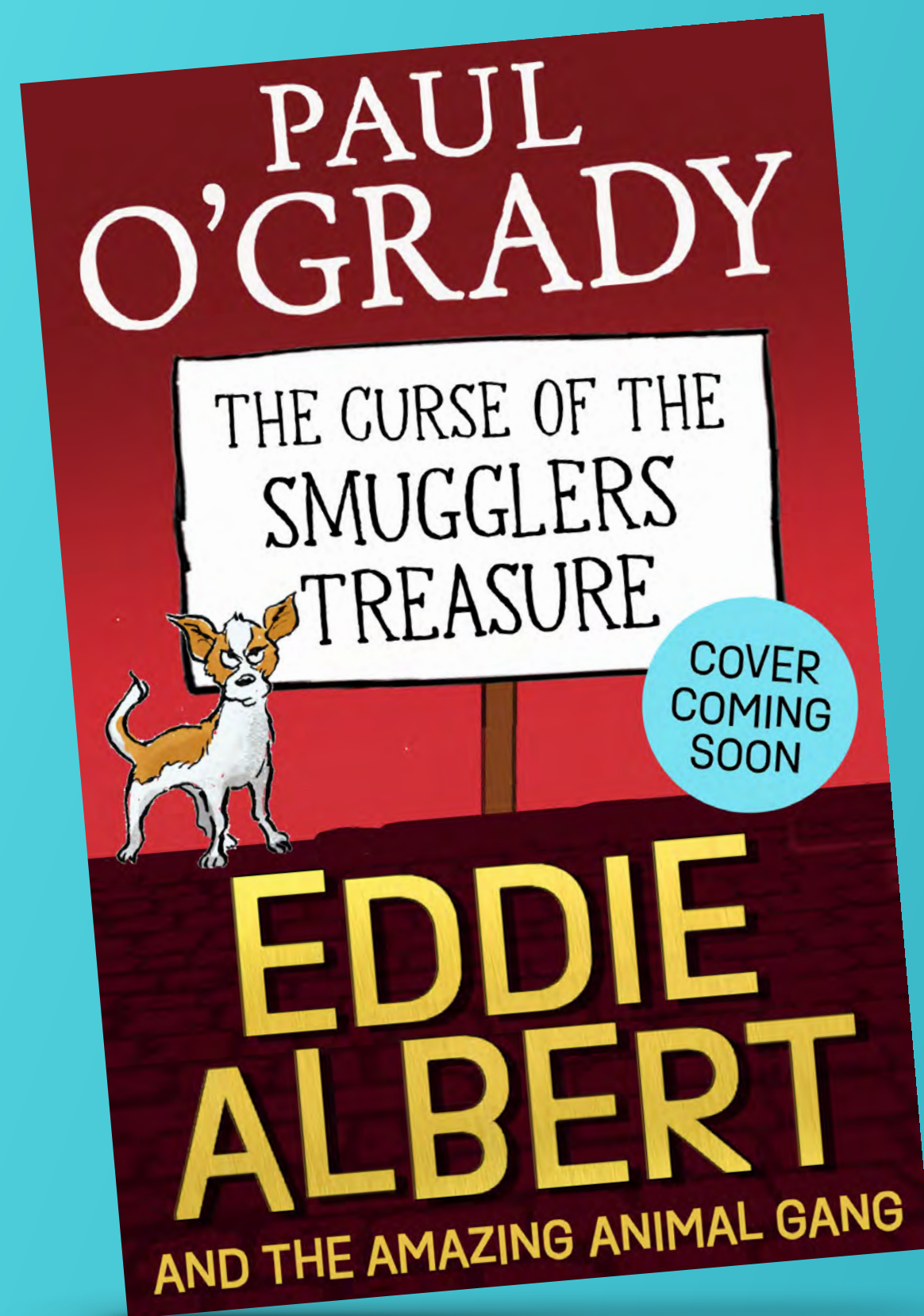
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EDDIE ALBERT AND THE AMAZING ANIMAL GANG: THE CURSE OF THE SMUGGLERS' TREASURE

PAUL O'GRADY

ILLUSTRATED BY SUE HELLARD

THE HILARIOUS AND ACTION-PACKED MIDDLE-GRADE ADVENTURE SERIES FROM
BELOVED COMEDIAN AND BESTSELLING AUTHOR PAUL O'GRADY

Eddie Albert is BACK with the amazing animal gang! He and his friends must take on the perils of an evil badger crew to unravel a pirate treasure mystery that will see them ranging the Romney marshes and beyond to discover a hoard of epic proportions!

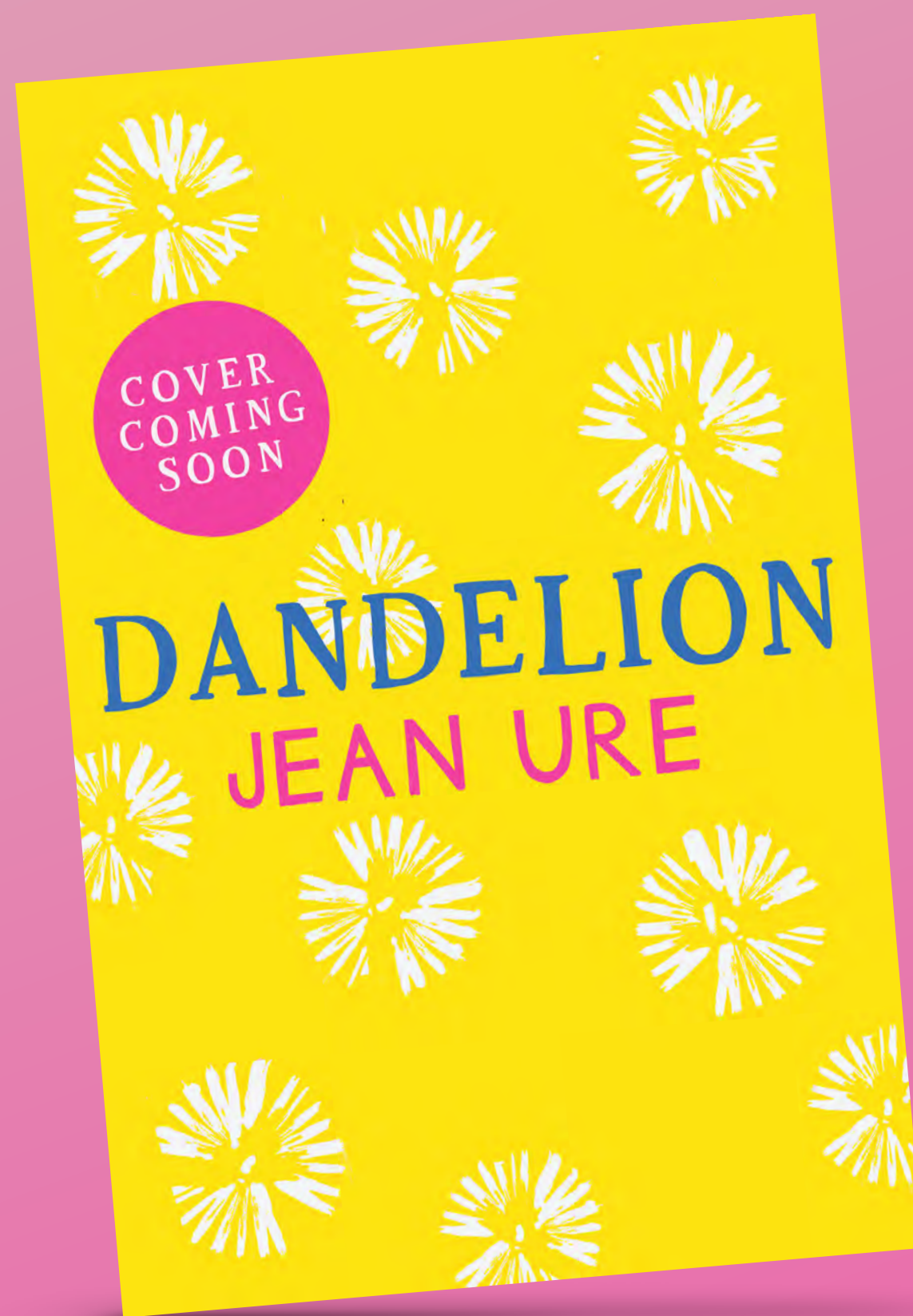
AUTHOR INFO

Paul O'Grady first came to fame in the guise of Lily Savage, and was nominated for a Perrier Award at the Edinburgh Festival in 1991. Paul himself went on to further success presenting his chat shows on *Channel 4*, *ITV* and *BBC Radio 2*. His four volumes of adult autobiography are all *Sunday Times* bestsellers. *Eddie Albert and the Amazing Animal Gang: The Amsterdam Adventure* is Paul's first novel for children. *The Pirate Treasure Mystery* is the second in the Eddie Albert series.

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JEAN URE

A QUIRKY, WARM AND EXCITING STORY ABOUT FAMILY, FRIENDSHIP AND TIME-TRAVEL – FROM LEGENDARY AUTHOR JEAN URE.

When twelve-year-old Lily is walking to school one day, a very unusual girl appears out of nowhere! It is 1953 and this stranger is dressed in a green sparkly dress, purple tights with orange swirls and has bright yellow hair sticking up like a dandelion. As quickly as she appears, she disappears again into thin air!

Lily rushes to tell her best friends Tara and Geraldine about this strange encounter, and they begin an investigation to solve the mystery. Could it be that the girl is from the future? And what does she want with Lily?

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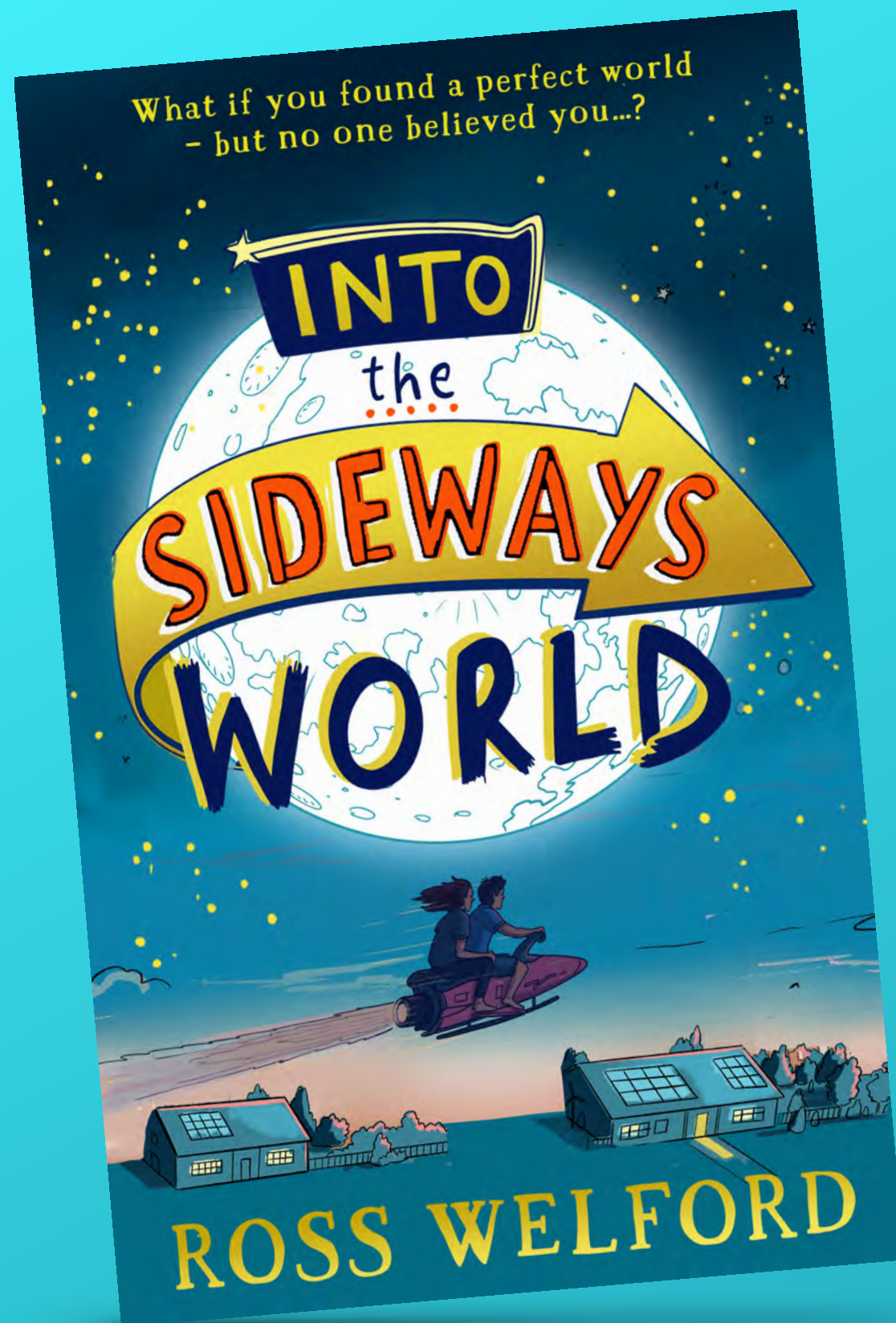
AUTHOR INFO

Jean Ure was born in Surrey and, when growing up, knew that she was going to be a writer or a ballet dancer. She began writing when she was six years old and had her first book published while she was still at school. Jean is a vegan and animal lover. She lives with her seven dogs and four cats in a 300-year-old house in Croydon.

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INTO THE SIDEWAYS WORLD

ROSS WELFORD

THE MOVING, FUNNY, THRILLING AND ADVENTURE-FILLED NEW NOVEL FOR READERS OF 10 AND UP FROM BESTSELLING AUTHOR ROSS WELFORD

When twelve-year-olds Willa and Manny hear of a mysterious animal prowling their town, they are determined to prove it is real. Following it into a flooded cave one full moon, they are swept into an alternative, ideal, world – one where pollution and conflict have been conquered decades ago.

But no one believes them, and so – with a global war looming in their own world – their quest for proof becomes ever-more urgent, in a nail-biting race against time.

And ultimately, they will have to make an impossible decision: because once you find a perfect world, can you ever leave it behind . . . ?

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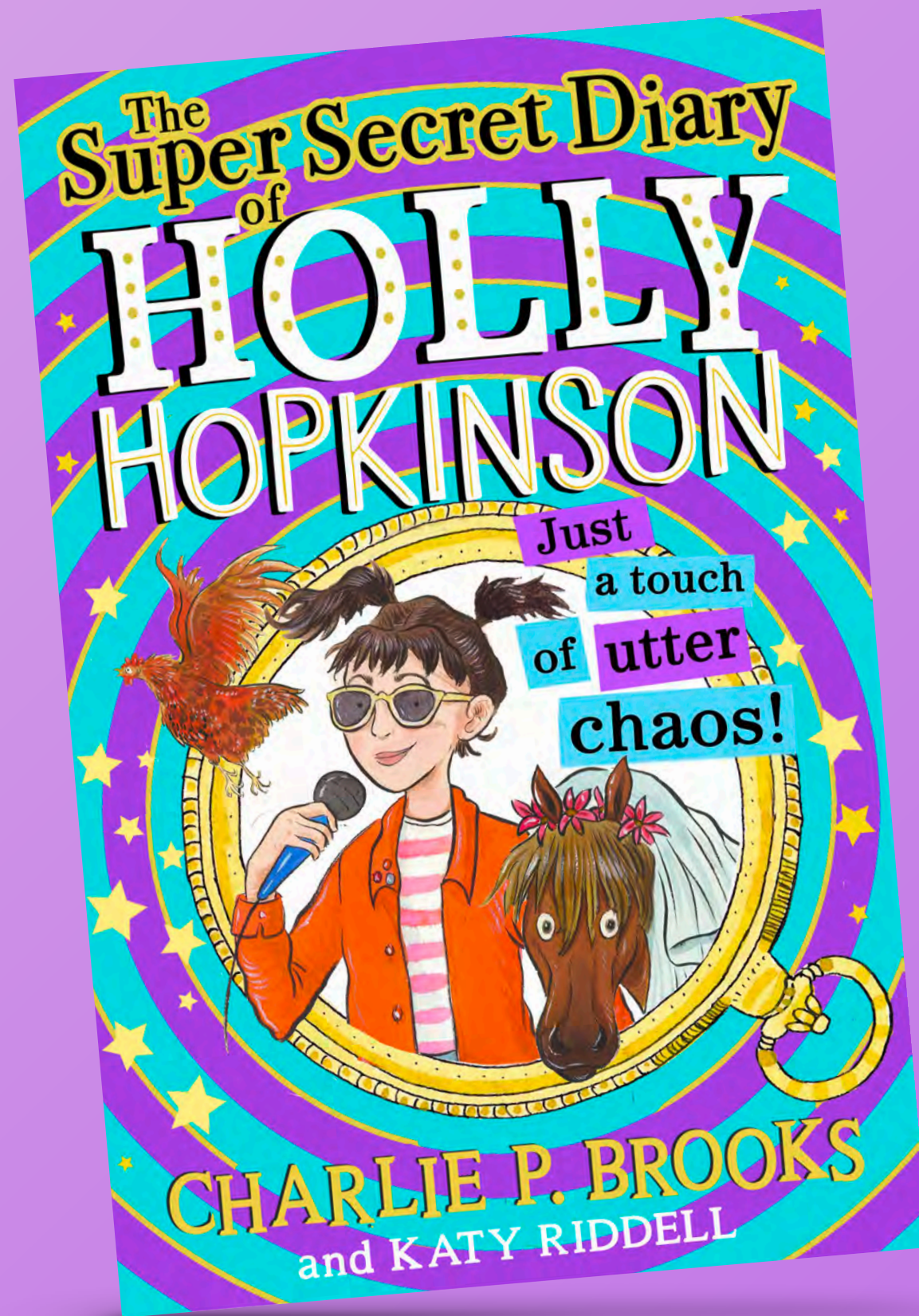
AUTHOR INFO

Ross Welford was a journalist and television producer before becoming a full-time writer. He lives in London with his wife, children, a border collie and several tropical fish.

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THE SUPER-SECRET DIARY OF HOLLY HOPKINSON: JUST A TOUCH OF UTTER CHAOS

CHARLIE P. BROOKS

ILLUSTRATED BY KATY RIDDELL

A CHARMING DOMESTIC COMEDY FOR READERS EIGHT YEARS AND OLDER, WITH A DASH OF MAGIC AND THE OCCASIONAL MOMENT OF MAYHEM! THESE ARE THE CONTINUED MEMOIRS OF HOLLY HOPKINSON, AGED TEN, EXCEPT WITHOUT ANY OF THE RUBBISH ADULTS USUALLY PUT IN, THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

This year, my family had to move to the MIDDLE OF NOWHERE after Dad lost his job. Now Mum has lost HERS too, and I must AGAIN save my family from CATASTROPHE.

At least my business empire is set to go INTERNATIONAL as a HOLLYWOOD director needs a horse and a location . . .

I may be a world away from my old life, but the drama here never stops.

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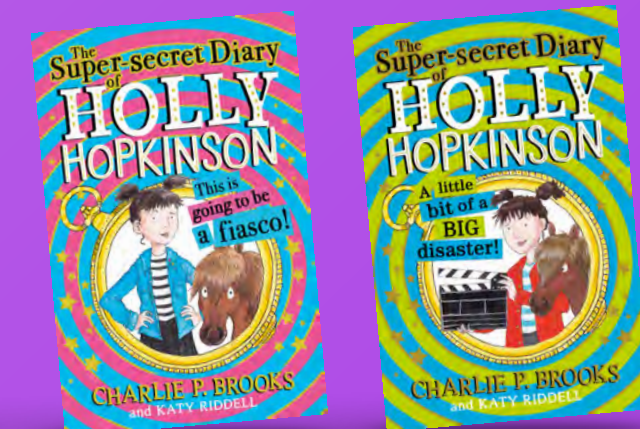
Charlie Brooks left Eton to become a stable lad for racing legend Fred Winter. After riding in the Grand National and winning the Cheltenham Festival as an amateur jockey, he became the youngest racehorse trainer in England. He has broadcast for *Radio Five* and *Bloomberg TV* and hosted his own sports programme, *The Charlie Brooks Show*. He is a columnist for *The Daily Telegraph* and lives on his farm in the Cotswolds. His autobiography, *Crossing the Line*, was widely acclaimed.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

A rising star of children's publishing, Katy Riddell grew up in a family of artists and illustrators in Brighton, creating her own stories before receiving a BA Hons in illustration and animation from Manchester Metropolitan University. Bright and brilliantly imaginative, her illustrations have appeared in *Pongwiffy*, *Midnight Feasting* and *Ever After*.

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THE VIOLET VEIL MYSTERIES: A CASE OF MISFORTUNE

SOPHIE CLEVERLY

FROM THE AUTHOR OF THE SPINE-TINGLING SCARLET AND IVY BOOKS COMES THE SECOND TITLE IN THE BREAKOUT VIOLET VEIL DETECTIVE SERIES.

Violet Veil is ready for her next big case and with trouble afoot at the Grecian Theatre Violet and her dog Bones are after answers. But just who is the mysterious fortune-teller, Lady Athena whose prophecies keep coming true? Is her act just smoke and mirrors? Or is there something more sinister going on . . . ?



SCARLET AND
IVY HAS SOLD
500,000 COPIES
AROUND THE
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"STRONG,
EMPOWERING
FEMALE
HEROINE"

AUTHOR INFO

Born in Bath, Sophie has a BA in Creative Writing and MA in Writing for Young People from Bath Spa University. Her debut series, Scarlet and Ivy was reviewed as "A true page-turning, nail-biting mystery" by the *Guardian* Children's Reviews. Now working as a full-time writer, Sophie lives with her husband and daughter in Wiltshire.

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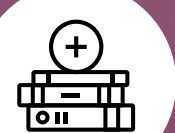
Hannah Peck is based in Brighton. Her love of books took her to study English at university, where she stocked up on Gothic stories, English lore, and mythical poems that would later inspire her narrative illustrations. Using anything from tapestries to costume, Hannah creates detailed and immersive illustrations. Her other publishers include Penguin, Hachette, Usborne, Faber & Faber and Walker.

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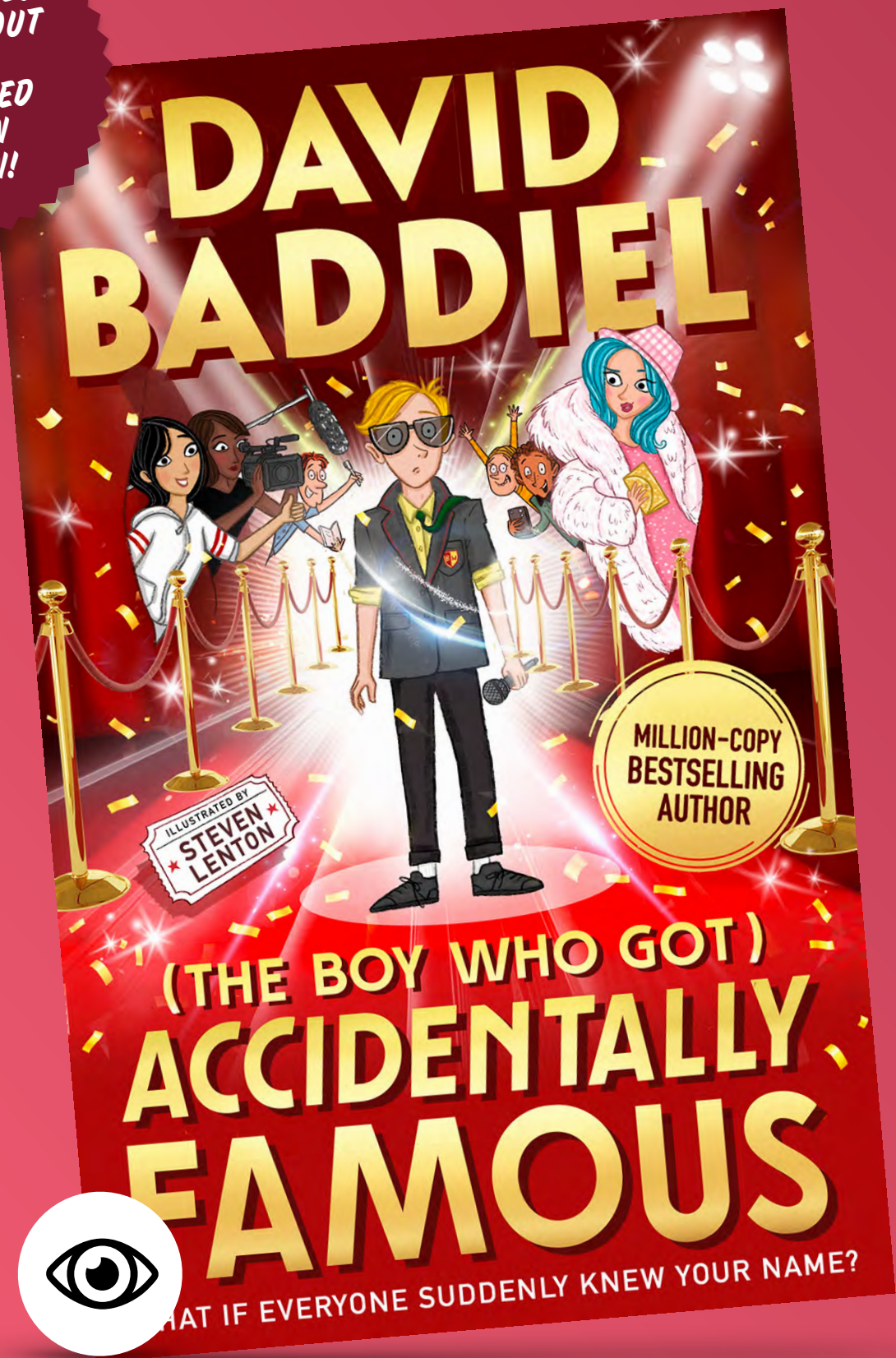


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(THE BOY WHO GOT) ACCIDENTALLY FAMOUS

DAVID BADDIEL

ILLUSTRATED BY STEVEN LENTON

FROM MILLION-COPY BESTSELLING AUTHOR DAVID BADDIEL COMES A LAUGH-OUT-LOUD STORY THAT TAKES YOU ON A ROLLER-COASTER RIDE OF FAME AND FRIENDSHIP. . .

Nothing extraordinary has ever happened to Billy Smith. In fact, every single thing about him is ordinary, including his name. But when a documentary crew turns up at Billy’s school to film the new TV series *School Daze* everything changes.

When remixes of his boring class presentation go viral, Billy finds himself accidentally an overnight star. Soon, his life turns into a whirlwind of red carpets, TV shows, albums and even the possibility of meeting Sunshine De Marto – the coolest girl on the planet. But, as everyone knows, fame comes at a price . . .

(The Boy Who Got) Accidentally Famous is an epically entertaining tale which asks the question – what if everyone suddenly knew your name. . . ?

AUTHOR INFO

Author and comedian David Baddiel has fast become a brilliant and original new voice in children’s fiction. He has written and performed in a series of highly successful TV comedy shows, including *The Mary Whitehouse Experience* and *Baddiel and Skinner Unplanned*. His debut children’s novel, *The Parent Agency*, won the Laugh Out Loud Book Award.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Steven Lenton has been the winner of the Waterstones Picture Book of the Month and *The Times* Children’s Book of the Week. He also illustrates fiction for Frank Cottrell-Boyce and is the Sainsbury’s Prize-winning illustrator of The Nothing to See Here Hotel series.

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STARFELL: WILLOW MOSS AND THE MAGIC THIEF

DOMINIQUE VALENTE

ILLUSTRATED BY SARAH WARBURTON

"IF YOU'RE LOOKING
FOR SMART, CHARMING,
IMAGINATIVE FANTASY,
LOOK NO FURTHER
THAN STARFELL."

P. G. BELL

"PACKED WITH FUN,
INVENTIVE MAGIC
AND LOVABLE
CHARACTERS"

MICHELLE HARRISON

JOIN MISFIT WITCH WILLOW MOSS ON HER LATEST ADVENTURE IN THE BESTSELLING, MAGICAL STARFELL SERIES, BEAUTIFULLY ILLUSTRATED BY SARAH WARBURTON.

Willow's world is in danger. Her enemy Silas has taken her powers and is poised to steal all the magic of Starfell for himself. To save the day, Willow must travel to the treacherous Mountains of Nach and find the legendary Craegun – a powerful winter beast who she believes can help her. . .

Share in an epic journey celebrating hope, resilience and the magic of kindness.

AUTHOR INFO

Born in South Africa, Dominique now lives in Suffolk with her husband and their English bulldog, Fudge. She writes bestselling women's fiction under her pseudonym, Lily Graham, and is a former journalist for publications like *Business Day* and *Woman & Home*.

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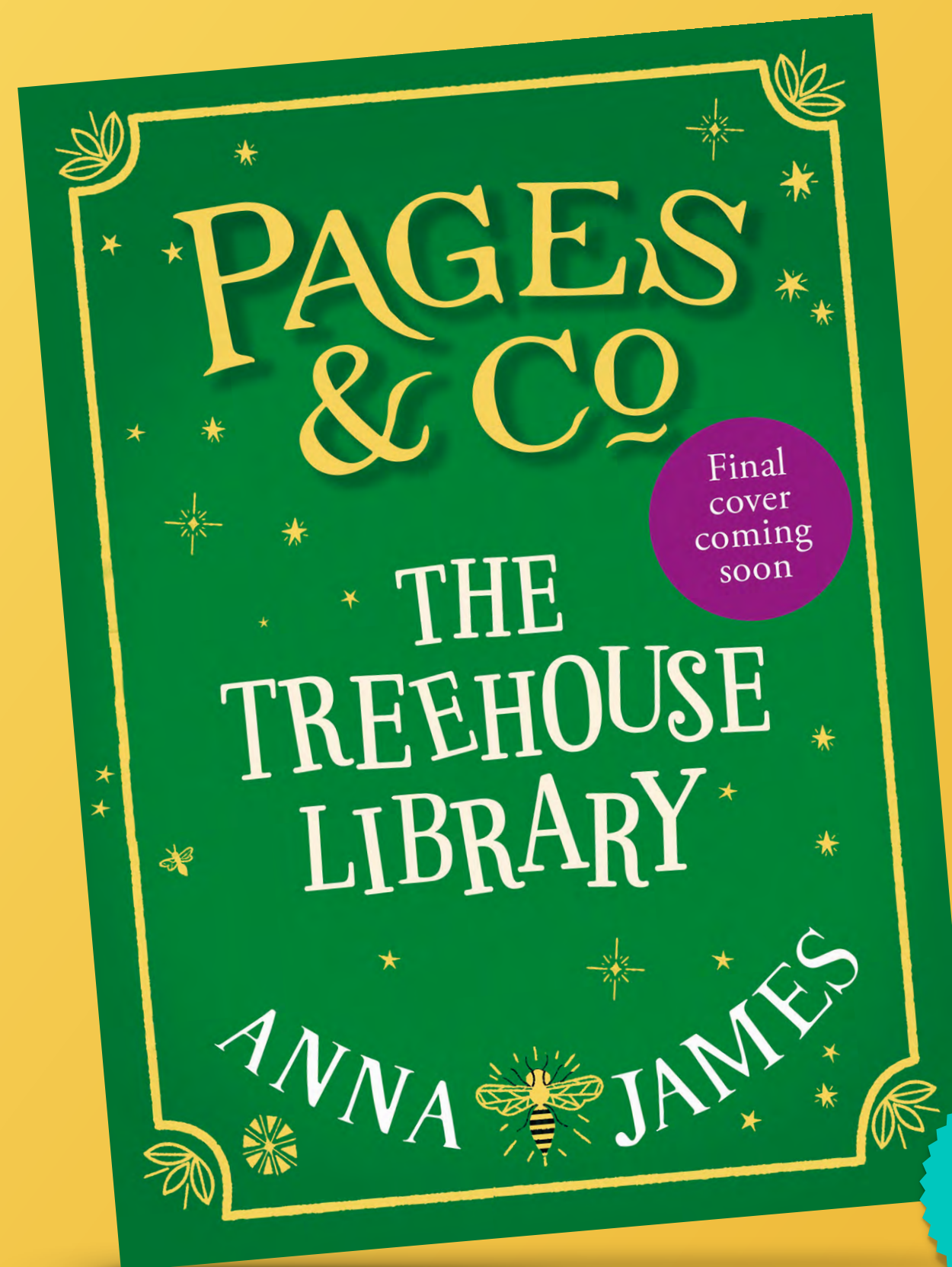
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With his uncle Horatio trapped in an enchanted sleep, Milo Bolt is now the driver of the Quip – a train that can travel anywhere you can imagine. As the Alchemist goes to greater and greater lengths to take control of all of bookwandering, Milo heads off with new friend Alessia to try and save them all.

Their journey takes them to the Botanist, the arch-rival of the Alchemist, and into stories more strange and dangerous than ever before, from the walls of the Secret Garden to facing off against the Jabberwocky.

Meanwhile the Alchemist will stop at nothing in his quest for power. The children find themselves in a desperate race against time as the entire world of imagination is under threat . . .

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AUTHOR INFO

Anna James is a writer and journalist living in London. Anna was book news editor at *The Bookseller* and literary editor of *Elle UK*. Anna has written for *The Pool*, the *Los Angeles Times*, *Financial Times* and *The Independent*, as well as making YouTube videos as A Case For Books. She hosts literary events and panels and is the co-founder and host of the London YA Salon. She was shortlisted for the Kim Scott Walwyn Award for Women in Publishing, 2015, and the London Book Fair Trailblazers Award, 2016.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

When not having chips for breakfast, Marco Guadalupi is a master of many arts, working as a celebrated illustrator, digital artist and writer based in Italy. His illustrations have appeared in titles published by Scholastic, Simon & Schuster and Usborne, among others.

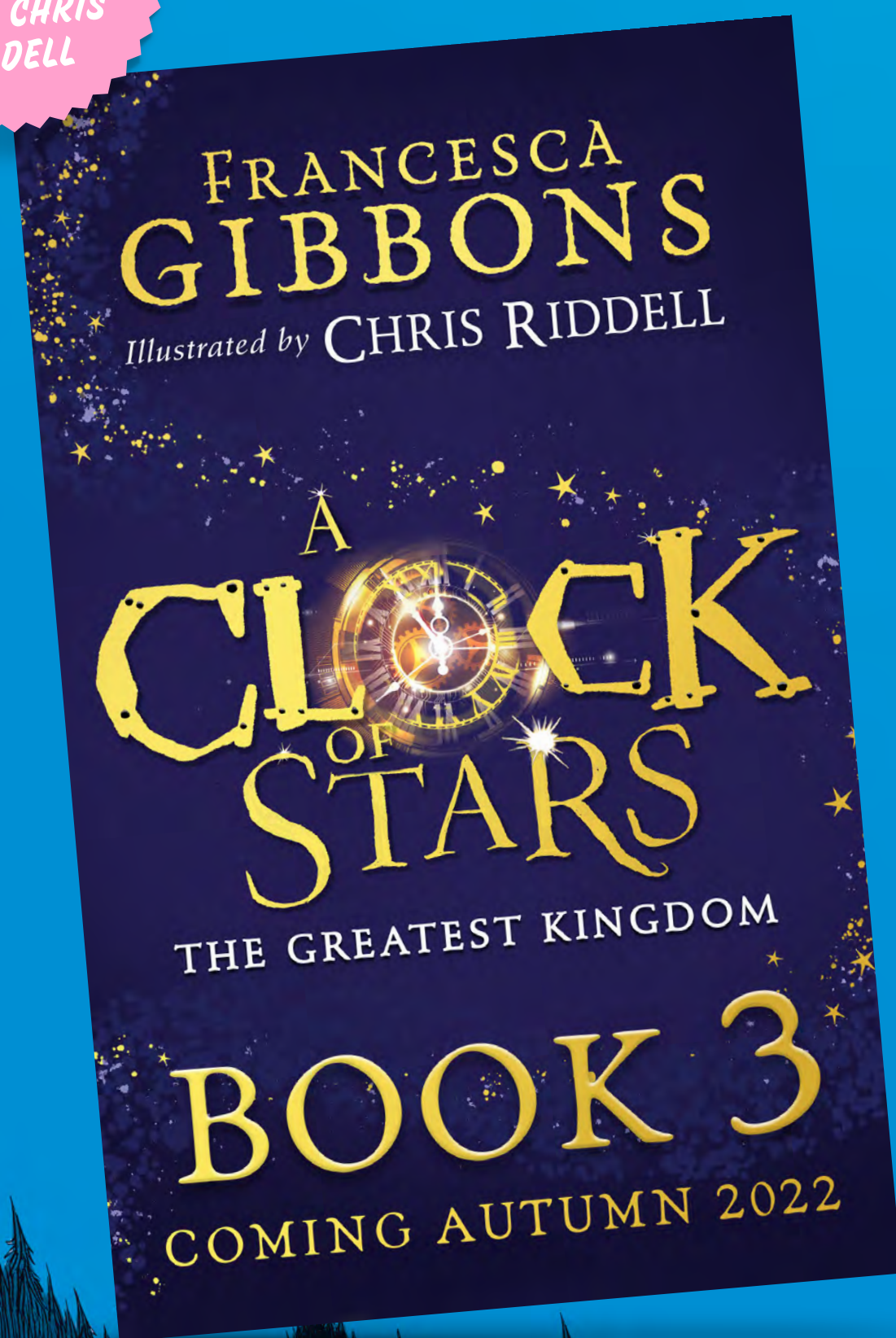
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FROM CHRIS
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TO BE SPELLBOUND”
CARLIE SOROSIAK,
AUTHOR OF
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A CLOCK OF STARS 3: THE GREATEST KINGDOM

FRANCESCA GIBBONS
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THE THRILLING THIRD VOLUME IN THE BESTSELLING MIDDLE-GRADE TRILOGY,
BEAUTIFULLY ILLUSTRATED THROUGHOUT BY CHRIS RIDDELL

When Annesha's hunt for the greatest kingdom brings her into our world, Imogen and Marie know it's bad news. But Annesha isn't their only problem. Mum's boyfriend, Mark, is sick and getting sicker, thanks to the monsters he accidentally carried home.

Can the girls escape Annesha and find a cure for Mark before it's too late? Their quest will take them through the door in the tree and further than ever before into the magical lands beyond, and the marshes of Mokzhadee.

But there is more to the marshes than meets the eye. Can Imogen and Marie learn the secrets of the marshes in time to save their family – and stop Annesha once and for all?

PRAISE FOR THE SHADOW MOTH

“AN UTTERLY WONDERFUL,
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BOASTS A FUNNY, ENGAGING
VOICE, A STRONG SIBLING
DYNAMIC AND A BOLD,
INTRANSIGENT HEROINE”

GUARDIAN

AUTHOR INFO

Francesca Gibbons worked as a copywriter at a marketing agency before leaving to focus on her career as a children's author. *A Clock of Stars: The Shadow Moth* is her debut novel, inspired by the gardens she visited as a child, and her love of folklore and nature. It is the first of a trilogy.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Chris Riddell OBE is an author, an artist, the political cartoonist for the Observer and the illustrator of an extraordinary range of children's books, including titles by Neil Gaiman and J. K. Rowling. He has enjoyed great acclaim for his own books for children and has won many major prizes, including the Costa Award and an unprecedented three CILIP Kate Greenaway Medals.

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FIREBORN: PHOENIX AND THE FROST PALACE

AISLING FOWLER

THE THRILLING SEQUEL TO *FIREBORN* – AN UNFORGETTABLE MAGICAL FANTASY ADVENTURE, AND ONE OF THE BESTSELLING AND BEST-REVIEWED LAUNCHES OF 2021

Three months after the destruction of the Hunting Lodge, a witch arrives from the frost palace of Icegaard, desperate for Phoenix's help. Icegaard is in grave danger from an evil force called the Shadowseam . . . and if the witch-palace falls, all the clans will fall with it.

Travelling north, Phoenix must battle frightening new monsters – while fighting to control her power. And then, worst of all, the terrifying dark Master is finally revealed. Phoenix and her friends will have to fight with everything they've got to make it out alive and destroy the Shadowseam. But is the price of survival one they're willing to pay . . . ?

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DEBUT PULSATES
WITH ENERGY
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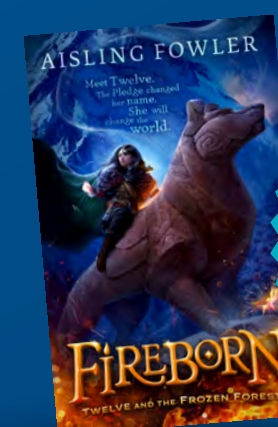
NEW STATESMAN,
BEST CHILDREN'S
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AUTHOR INFO

Aisling Fowler wishes that she'd grown up in a magical, mountainous kingdom, but was actually raised in Surrey on a diet of books and *Buffy the Vampire Slayer*. After earning a BSc in Biology and working as a support worker and then a nurse, the idea for *Fireborn* came to her as she moved back and forth between London and the US. Now based in Hackney, when she is not reading or writing, Aisling loves cooking and plotting adventures (for herself as well as her fictional characters).

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THE MIRROR CHRONICLES: THE LAST NIGHT

IAN JOHNSTONE

THE FINAL RIP-ROARING INSTALMENT IN THE THRILLING EPIC FANTASY
MIRROR CHRONICLES TRILOGY!

Thoth has unleashed the first of five “Undoings”, aiming to bring both worlds under his power. If anyone can prevent his tyranny, it is Sylas and his Glimmer, Naeo.

As our world falls and the last of the Suhl battle to survive, Sylas and Naeo must journey to the Academy of Souls, where it all began. They must discover the truth of Quintessence, the element that binds all things, and come to terms with their own overwhelming power in their quest to unify the worlds . . .

**“A DELIGHTFUL PAGE-TURNER
FOR BOTH CHILDREN AND
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**“POSSIBLY THE BEST BOOK
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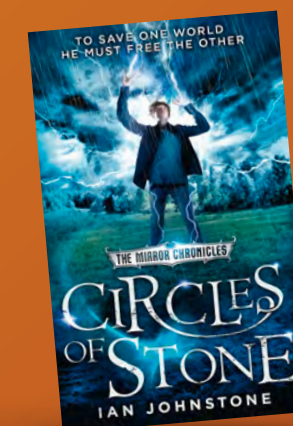
MR RIPLEY’S ENCHANTED BOOKS

AUTHOR INFO

Ian Johnstone was brought up in Oxfordshire and now lives in Oxford, which might suggest a man who likes to stick to what he knows. In fact, Ian makes an awkward habit of shifting between worlds. He grew up in a quiet English town but has spent much of his life travelling and working in Africa. He has a love of science but studied English Literature. He grew up in Oxford but received his degree from Cambridge.

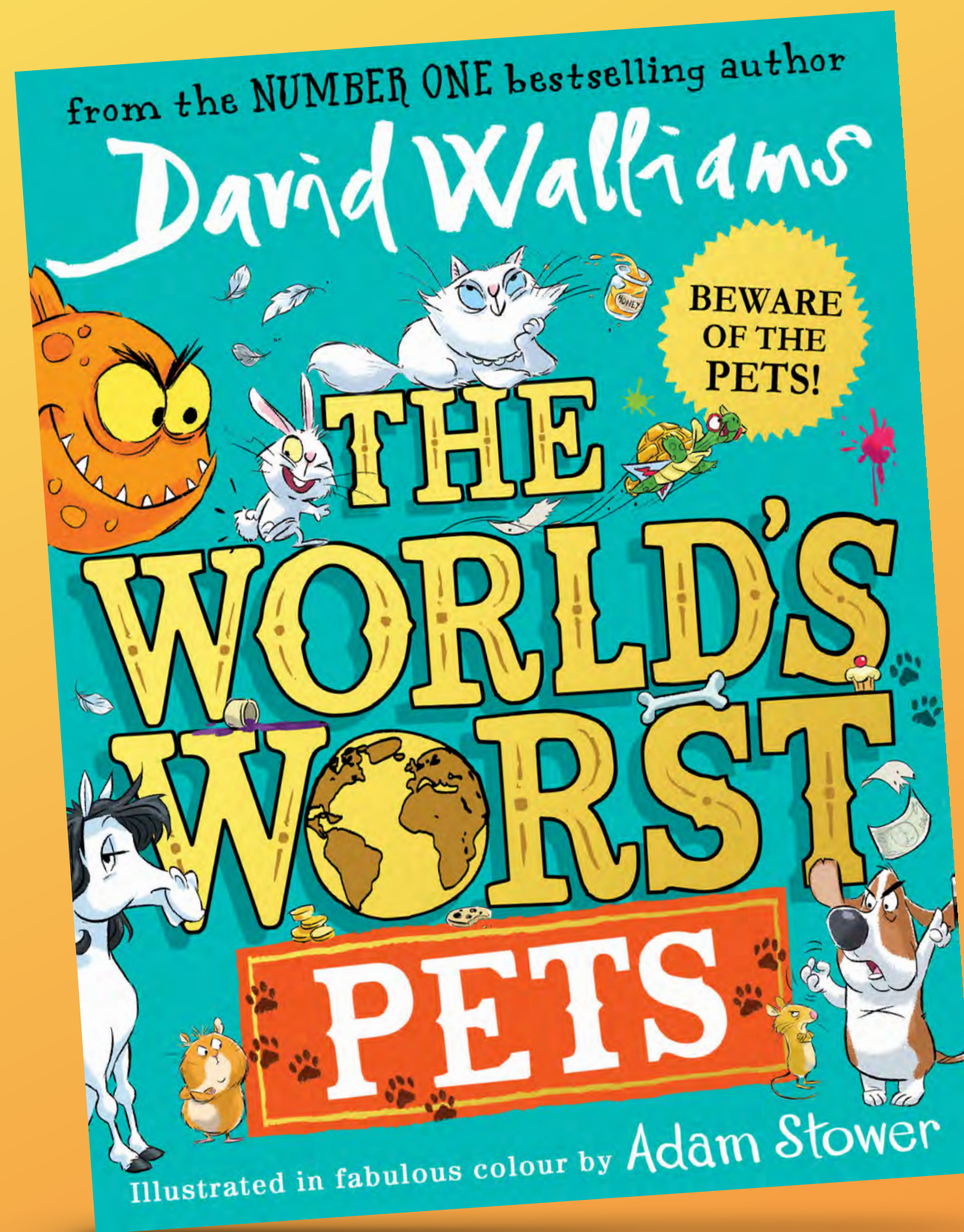
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DAVID WALLIAMS





THE WORLD'S WORST PETS

DAVID WALLIAMS

ILLUSTRATED BY ADAM STOWER

"THIS REALLY IS WALLIAMS AT HIS MOST INDULGENTLY GROSS AND SILLY - THE PERFECT COMBINATION FOR THOUSANDS OF HIS LOYAL FANS"

DAILY MAIL

MILLIONS OF READERS HAVE LOVED *THE WORLD'S WORST CHILDREN*, *THE WORLD'S WORST TEACHERS* AND *THE WORLD'S WORST PARENTS* – NOW THEY WILL DELIGHT IN THIS LUDICROUSLY LAUGH-OUT-LOUD COLLECTION OF PETS, BROUGHT TO YOU BY THE PHENOMENAL NUMBER ONE BESTSELLING AUTHOR DAVID WALLIAMS, WITH EVERY STORY ILLUSTRATED IN VIBRANT COLOUR BY ADAM STOWER.

These ten tales of the world's craziest creatures will have you shaking with laughter. You'll never look at pets in the same way again!

Marvel at Houdini, the magician's rabbit. Take a trip around the world with Zoom, the supersonic tortoise. Gasp at the chaos created by Griselda, a grizzly bear with a big secret. And RUN FOR YOUR LIVES! It's Furp, the monstrous goldfish!

Good pets, bad pets, supervillain pets, pets as big as a house and pets that could eat you in one gulp – these are the most hilarious and horrendous animals around.

AUTHOR INFO

David Walliams is a literary phenomenon whose books have sold more than forty-five million copies worldwide and have been translated into fifty-five languages.

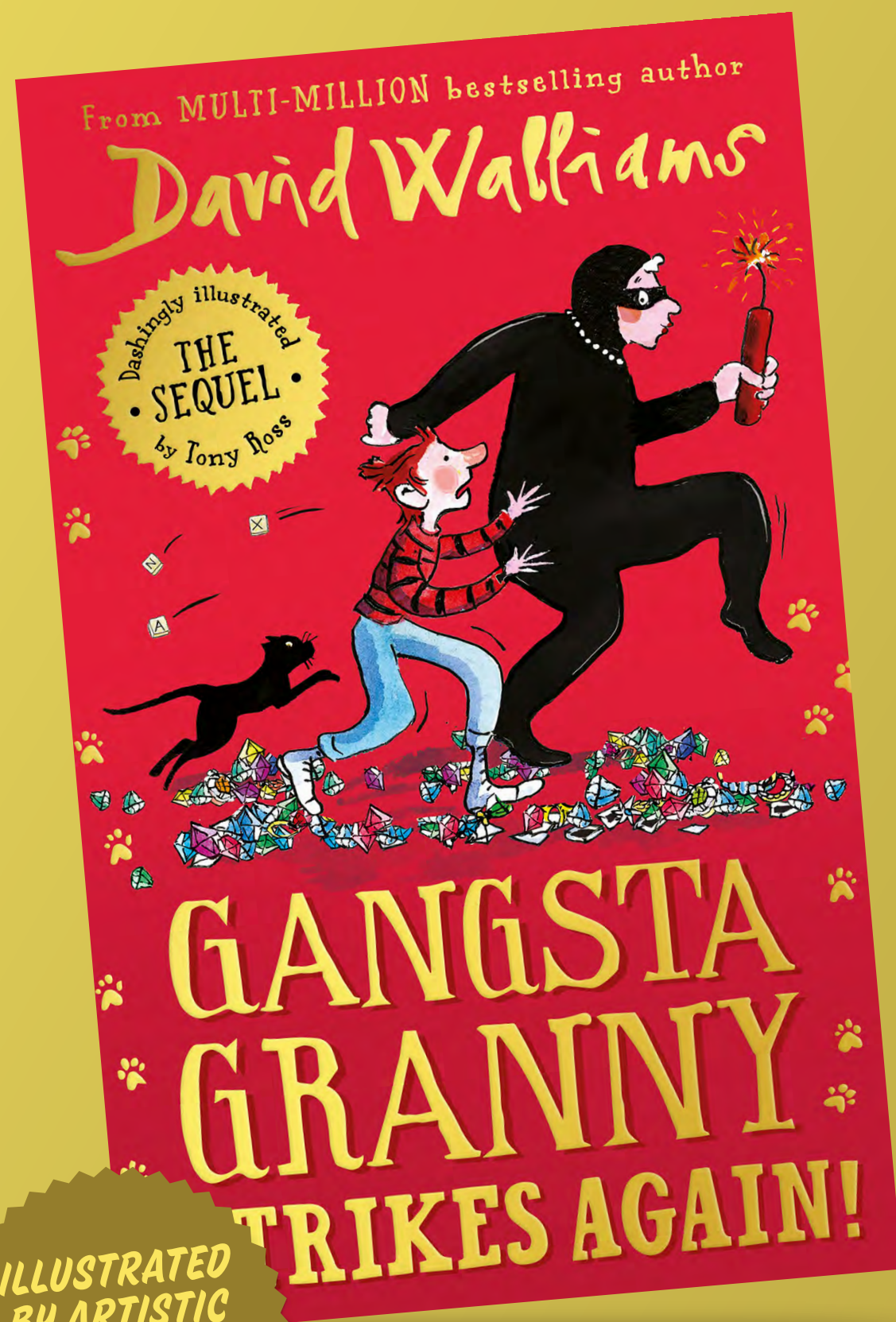
ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Adam Stower is an author and illustrator, who has collaborated with David Walliams on the picture books *Little Monsters* and *Marmalade*.

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GANGSTA GRANNY STRIKES AGAIN!

DAVID WALLIAMS

ILLUSTRATED BY TONY ROSS

THE NO. 1 BESTSELLING CHILDREN'S BOOK AND FIRST SEQUEL FROM DAVID WALLIAMS -AN EXTRAORDINARILY BRILLIANT AND ROLICKING MYSTERY ADVENTURE ILLUSTRATED BY ARTISTIC GENIUS TONY ROSS, AND THE FOLLOW-UP TO THE MUCH-LOVED AND BESTSELLING *GANGSTA GRANNY*

Ben's beloved granny was many things: a cabbage enthusiast, a Scrabble partner. . . and an international jewel thief known as The Black Cat. Just as he is getting used to life without her, something inexplicable happens. World-famous treasures vanish and the clues point to none other than The Black Cat. . .

Expect the unexpected in this wonderfully entertaining, laugh-out-loud adventure, and unravel the mystery behind The Black Cat's return.

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CHILDREN'S
NUMBER ONE
BESTSELLER!

"WALLIAMS
BALANCES HIGH
COMEDY WITH AN
EMOTIONAL
MESSAGE."

DAILY MAIL

"WALLIAMS DOES COMEDY
WITH PROFOUND,
GENUINE HEART."

GUARDIAN

AUTHOR INFO

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ILLUSTRATOR INFO

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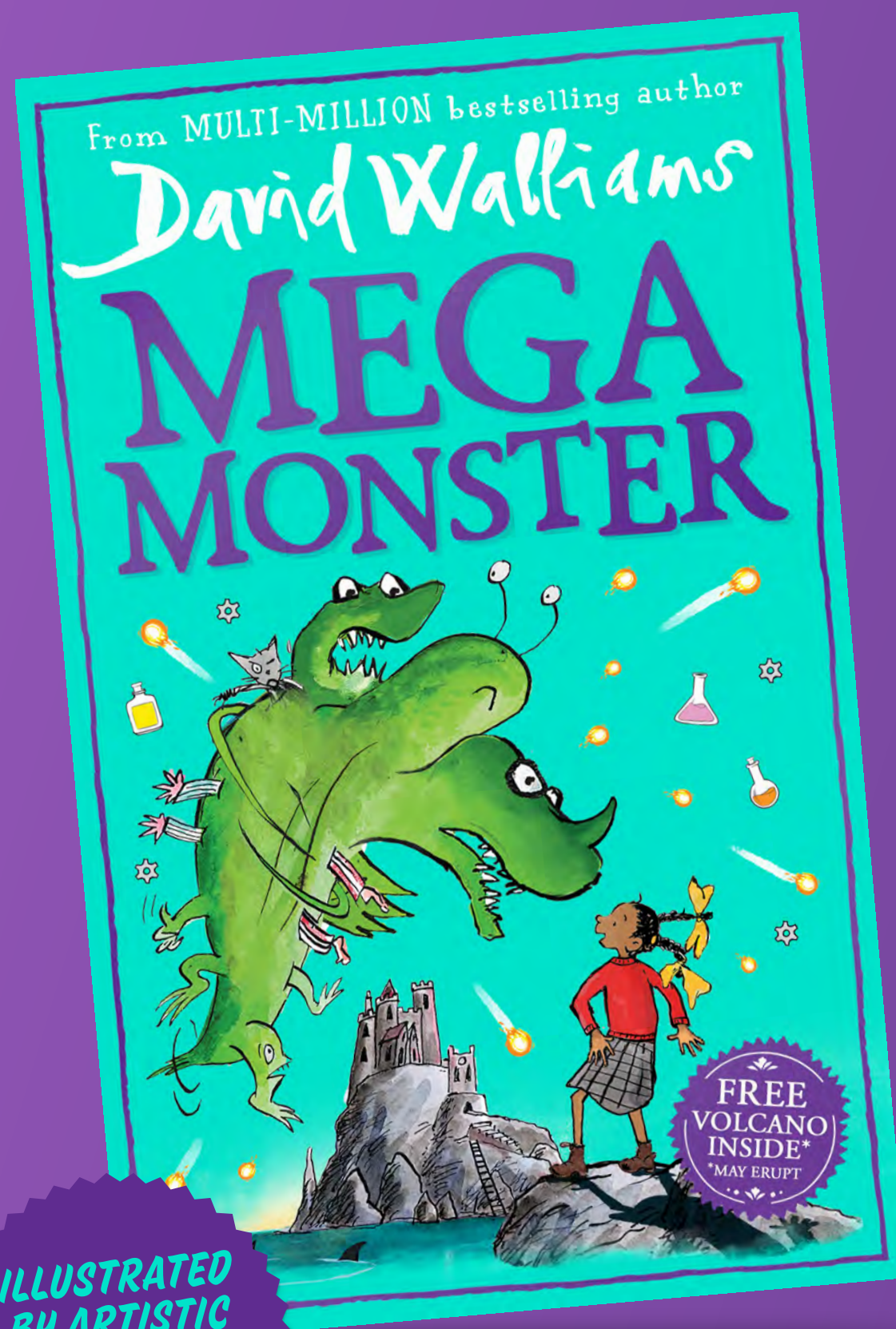
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MEGAMONSTER

DAVID WALLIAMS

ILLUSTRATED BY TONY ROSS

THE MEGA NEW LAUGH-OUT-LOUD CHILDREN'S BOOK BY MULTI-MILLION BESTSELLING AUTHOR DAVID WALLIAMS AND ILLUSTRATED BY ARTISTIC GENIUS TONY ROSS.

On a volcanic island, in the middle of shark-infested waters, stands The Cruel School. The lessons are appalling, the school dinners are revolting and the teachers are terrifying – especially the mysterious Science teacher Doctor Doktor.

When Larker is sent to the school, she quickly realises something very odd is going on . . . something involving Doctor Doktor, a pair of strange spectacles, and a 'Monsterfication Machine'. And ultimately she finds herself face to face with a real life Megamonster.

There seems to be no escape – but for Larker, nothing is impossible . . .

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BOOKS. . . THEY WILL
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THE SUN

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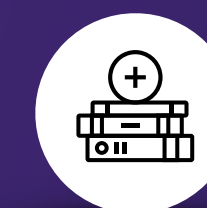
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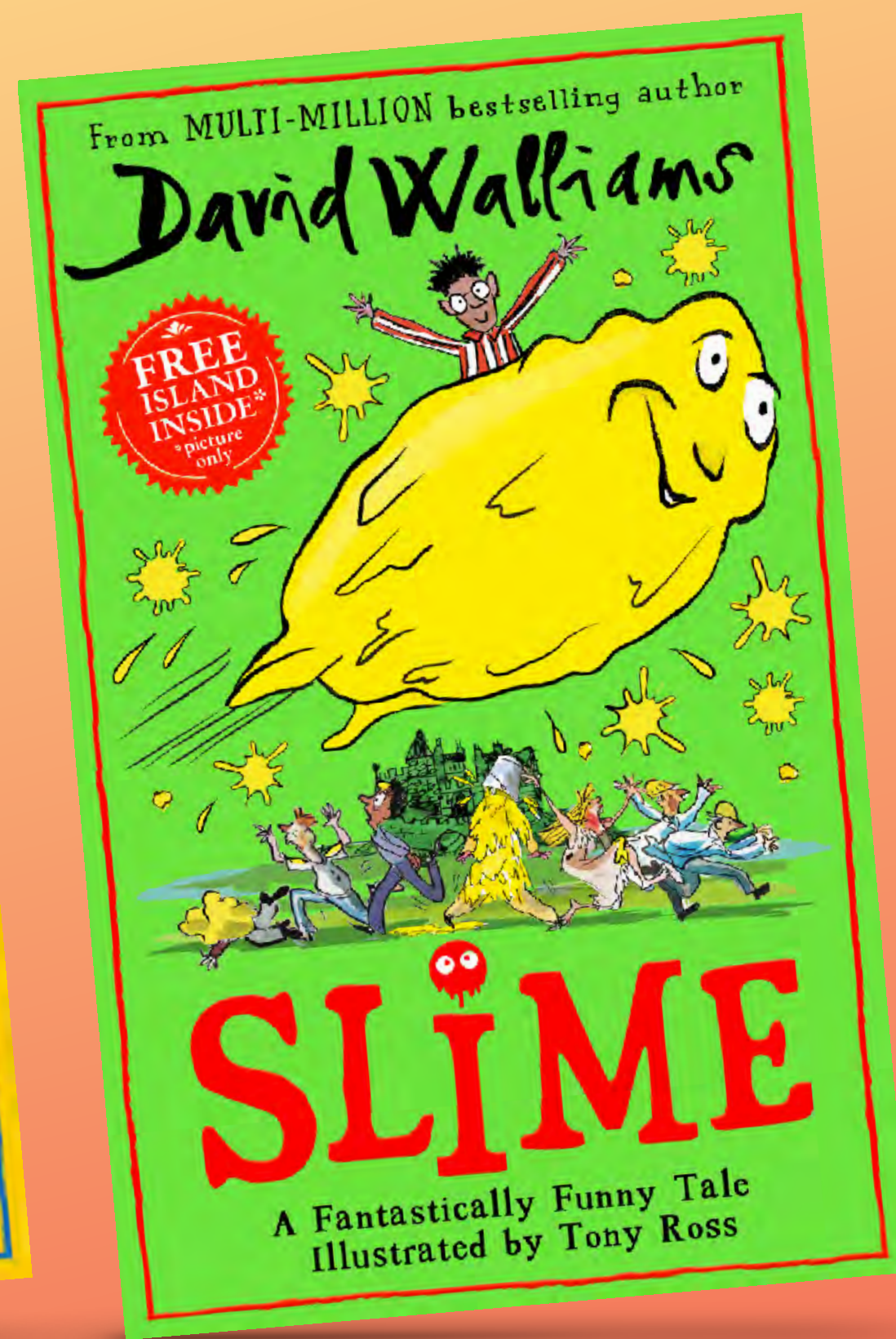
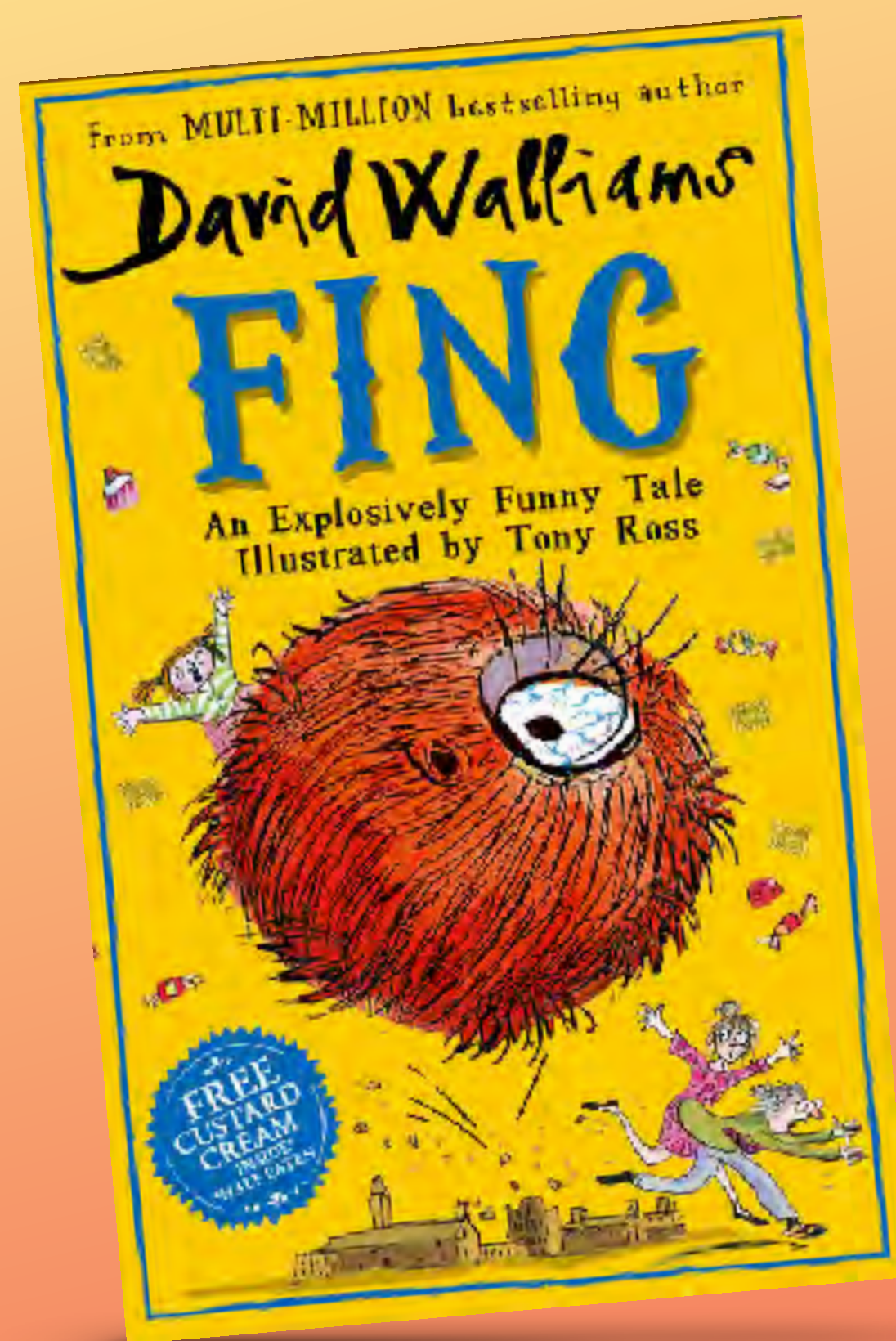
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FING & SLIME

DAVID WALLIAMS

ILLUSTRATED BY TONY ROSS

NEW MULTI-MILLION BESTSELLING ADVENTURES
FROM A GLOBAL LITERARY PHENOMENON!

FING

MEET THE MEEKS! Myrtle Meek has everything she could possibly want. But everything isn't enough. She wants more, more, MORE! When Myrtle declares she wants a FING, there's only one problem . . . What is a FING?

An explosively funny, totally surreal Tall Story about two perfectly nice parents and their unbelievably monstrous daughter!

SLIME

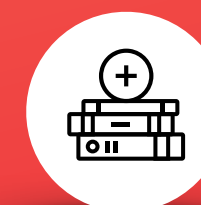
WELCOME TO THE ISLE OF MULCH. This little island is home to a large number of horrible grown-ups. The school, the local park, the toy shop and even the island's ice-cream van are all run by awful adults who like nothing more than making children miserable. And the island is owned by the most awful one of all – Aunt Greta Greed.

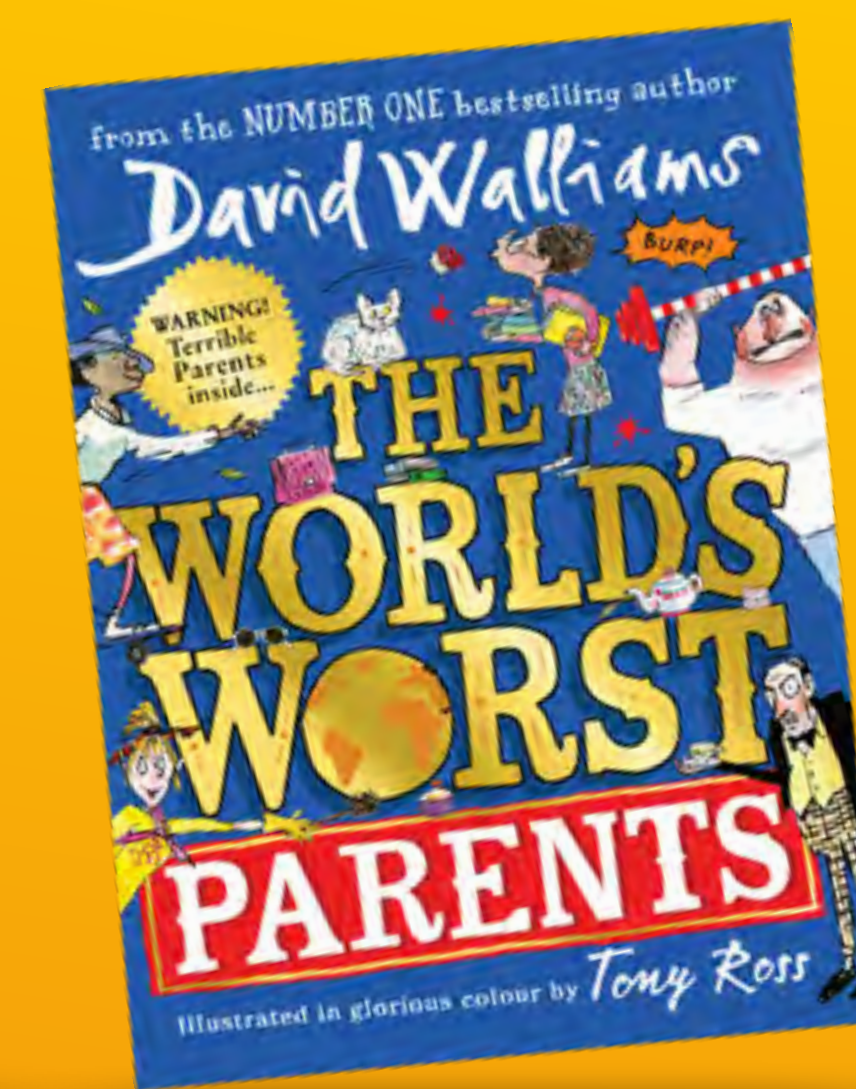
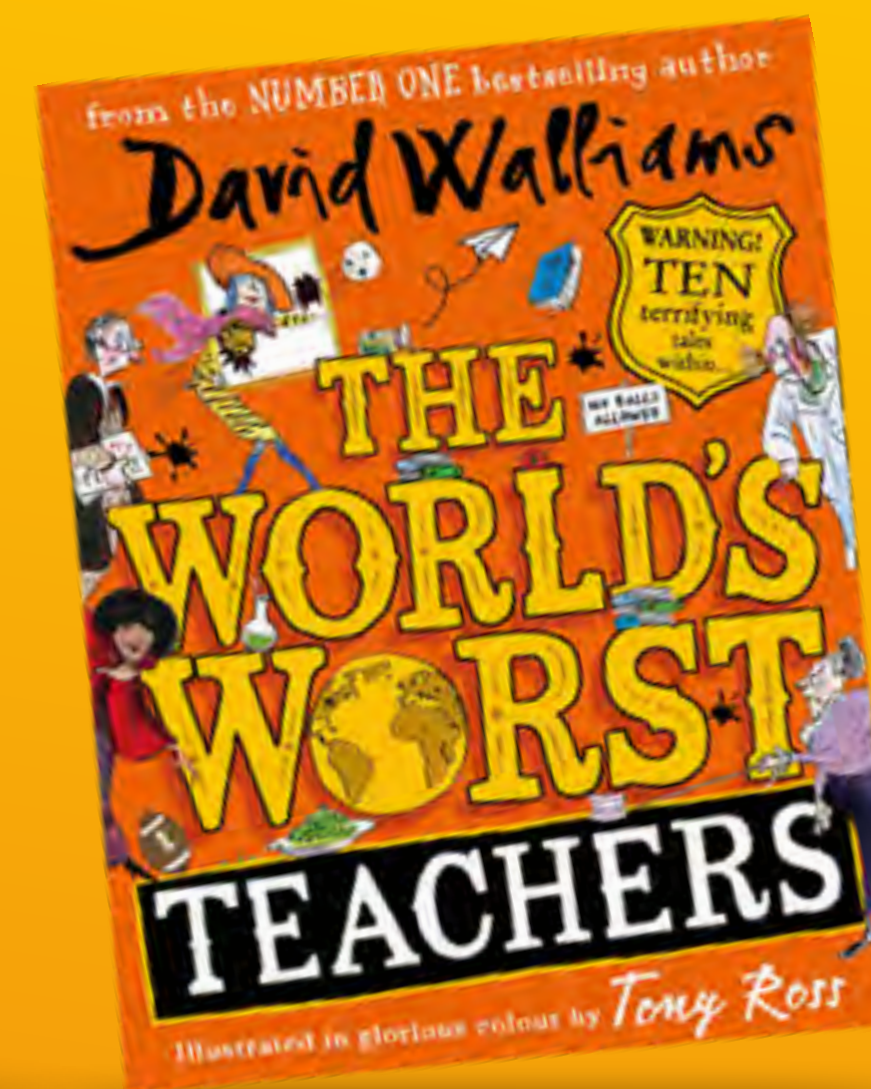
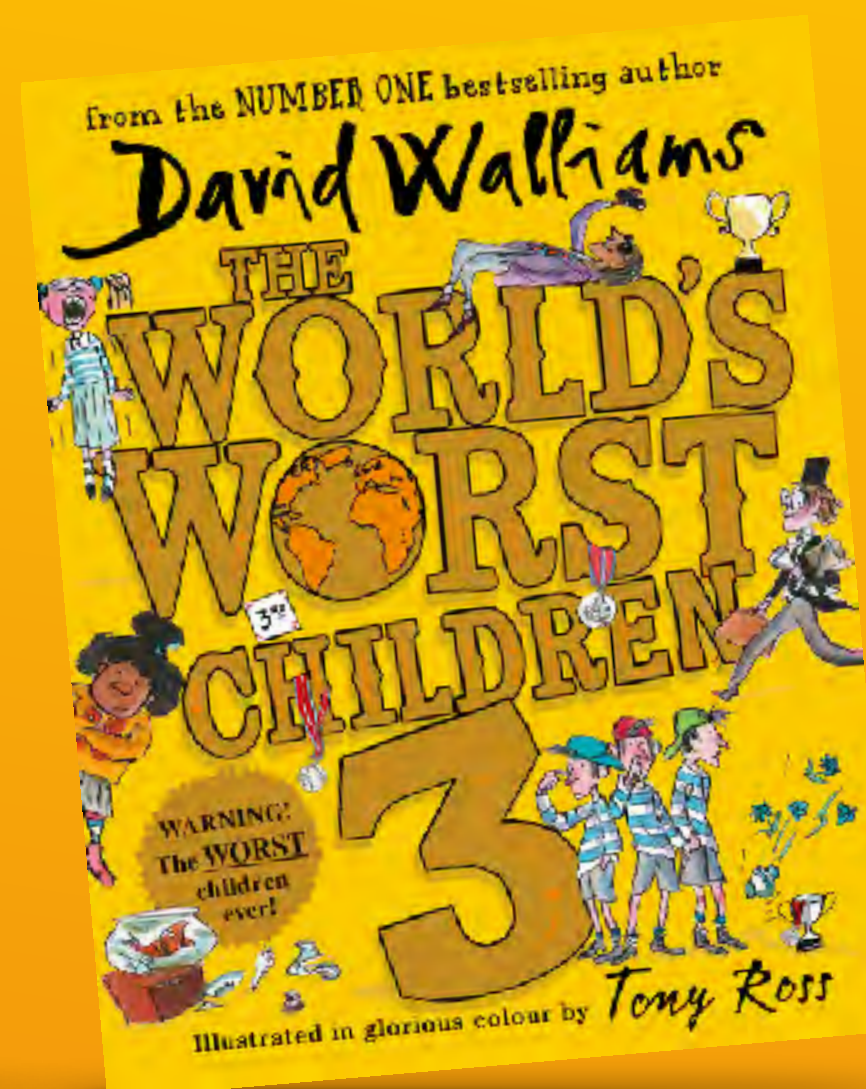
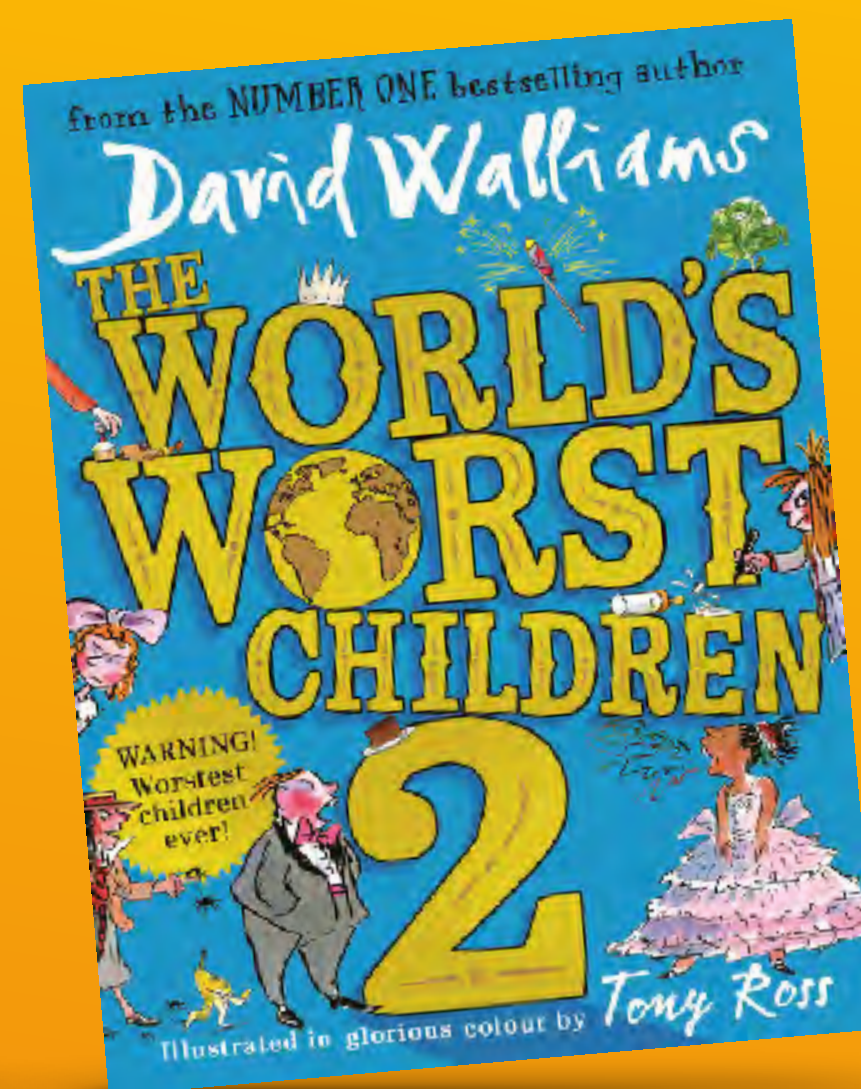
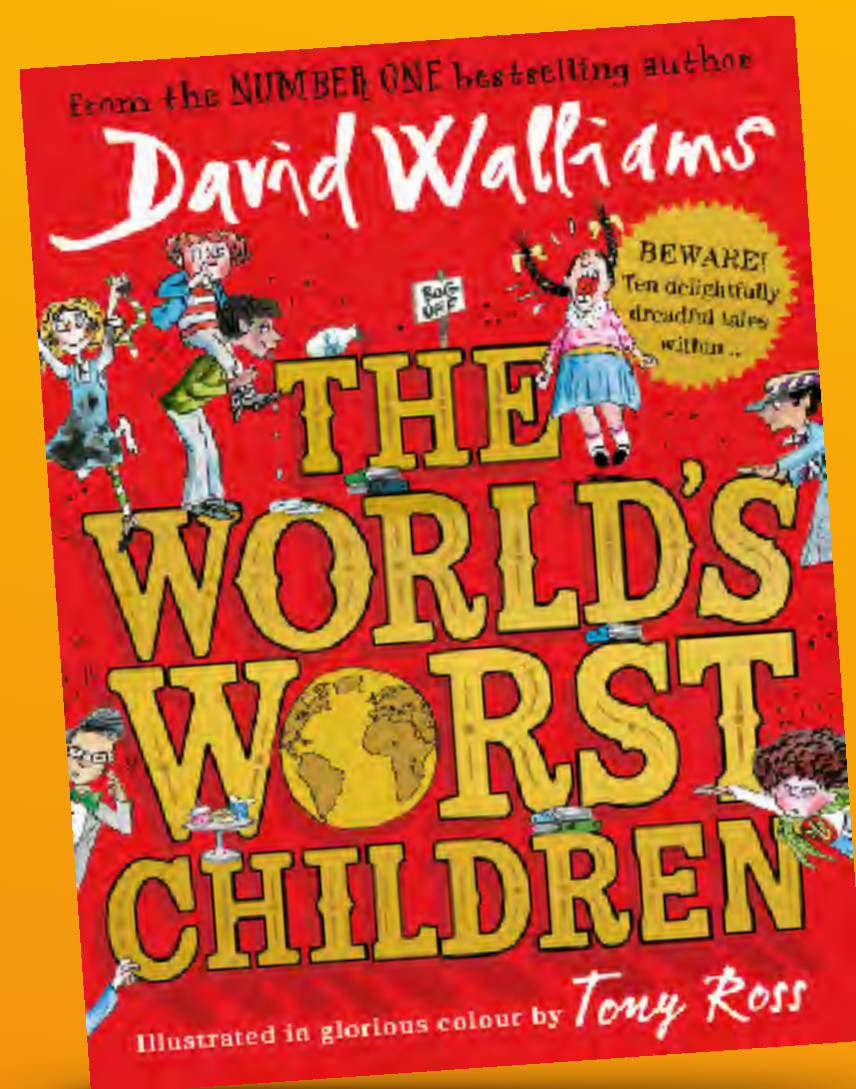
Something needs to be done about them! But who could be brave enough?

Meet Ned – an extraordinary boy with a special power. SLIMEPOWER!

GLOBAL
SALES OF
OVER 45
MILLION

TRANSLATED
INTO 55
LANGUAGES





THE WORLD'S WORST SERIES

DAVID WALLIAMS

ILLUSTRATED BY TONY ROSS

TEN HILARIOUS CAUTIONARY TALES WITH A DELIGHTFULLY DREADFUL
CAST OF CHARACTERS IN EACH BOOK, ILLUSTRATED IN FULL COLOUR
THROUGHOUT BY TONY ROSS

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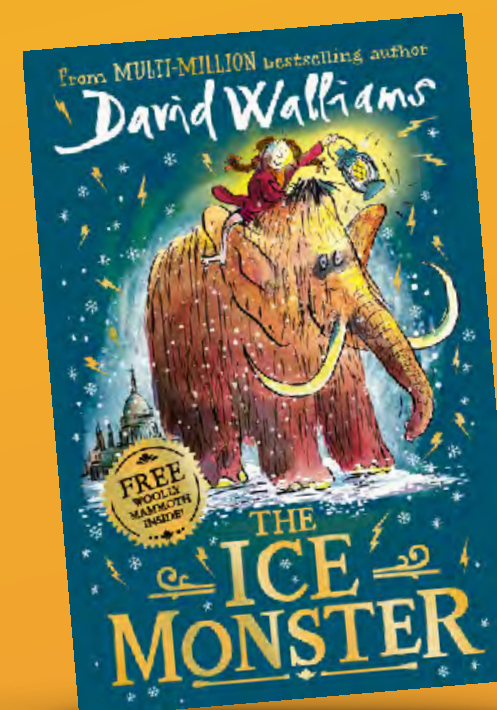
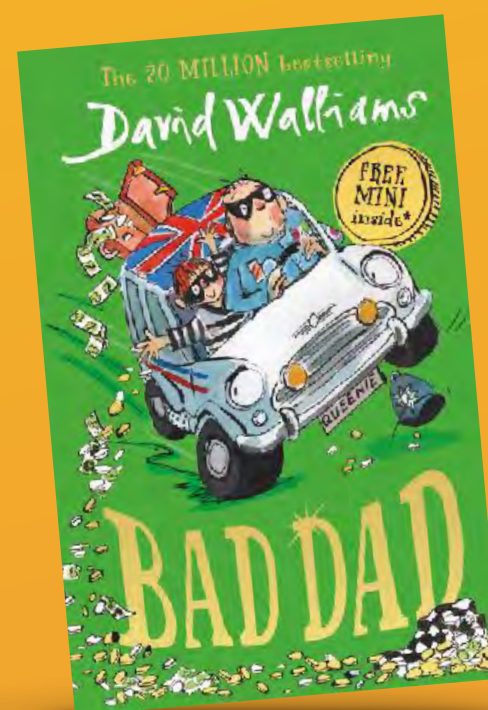
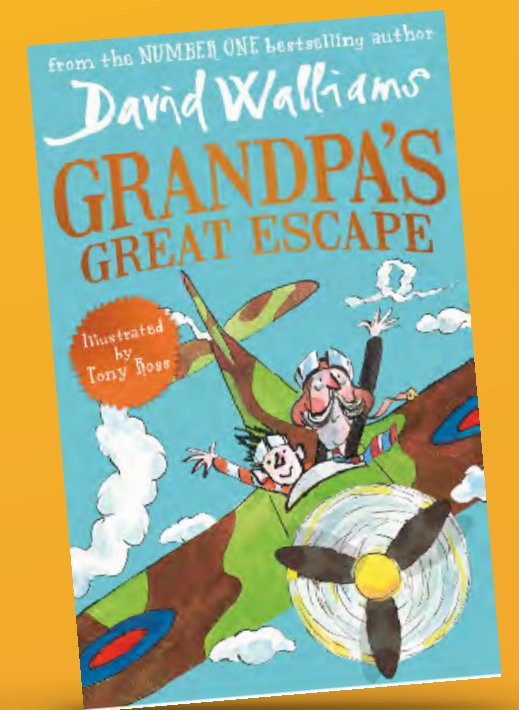
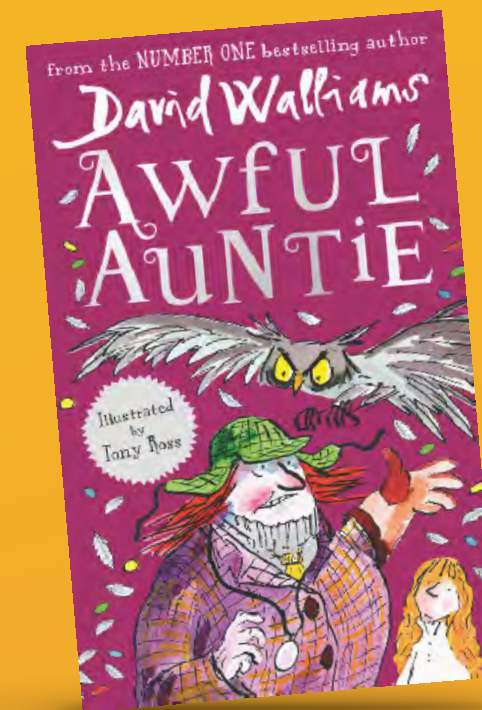
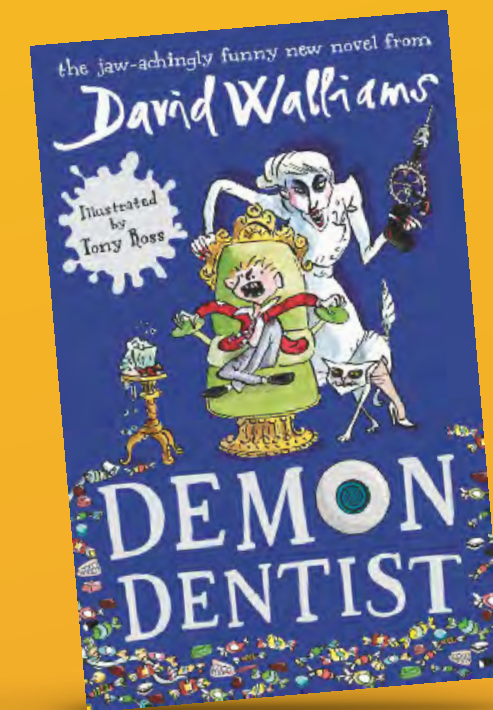
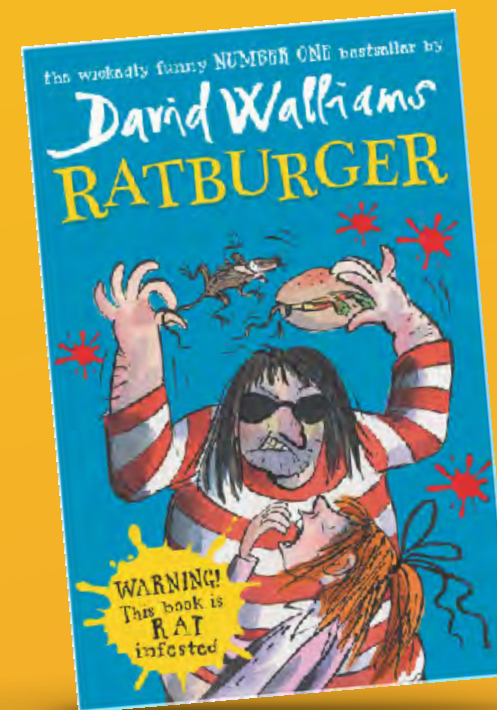
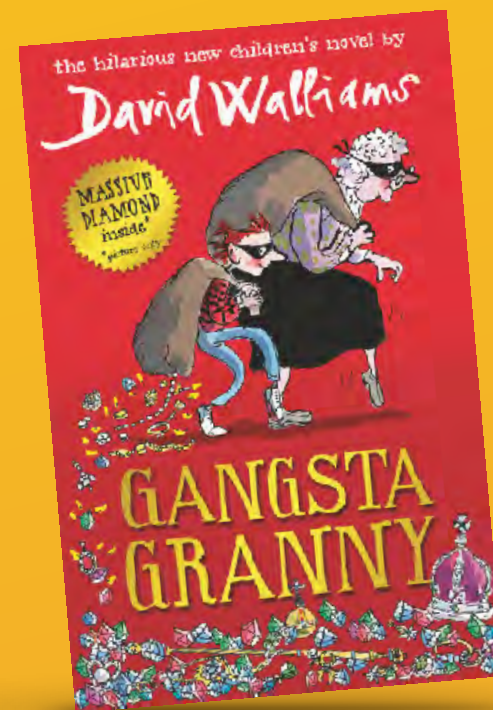
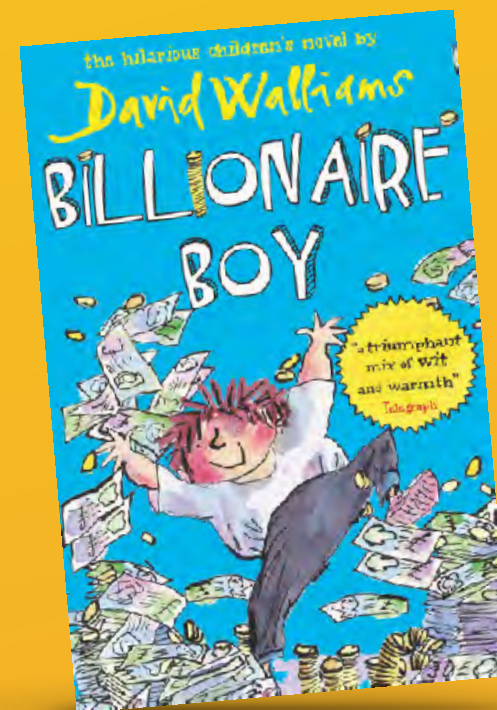
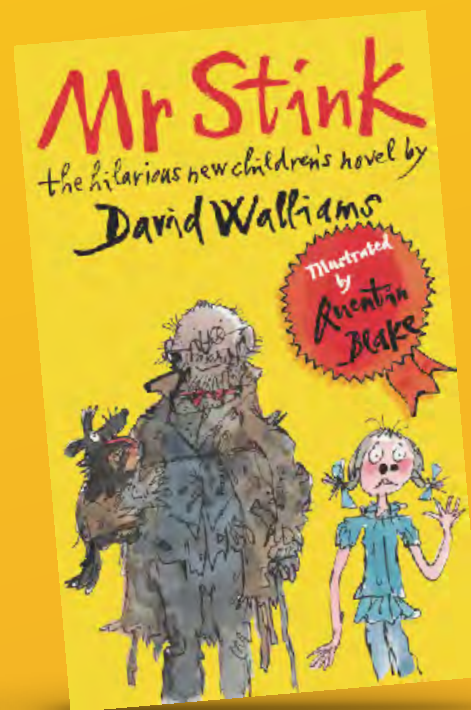
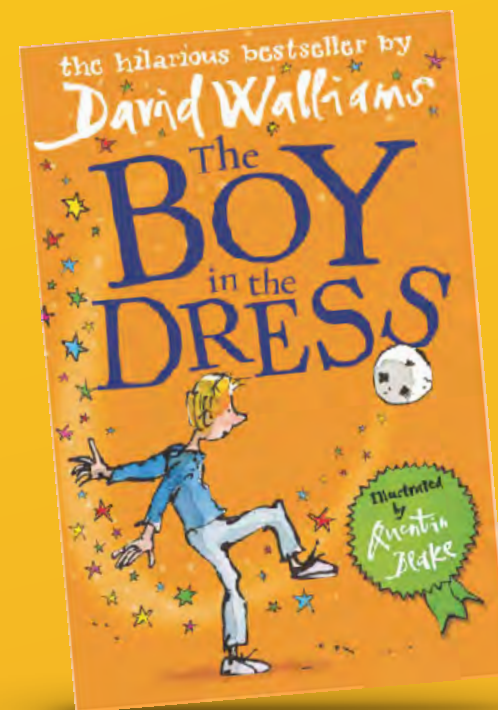
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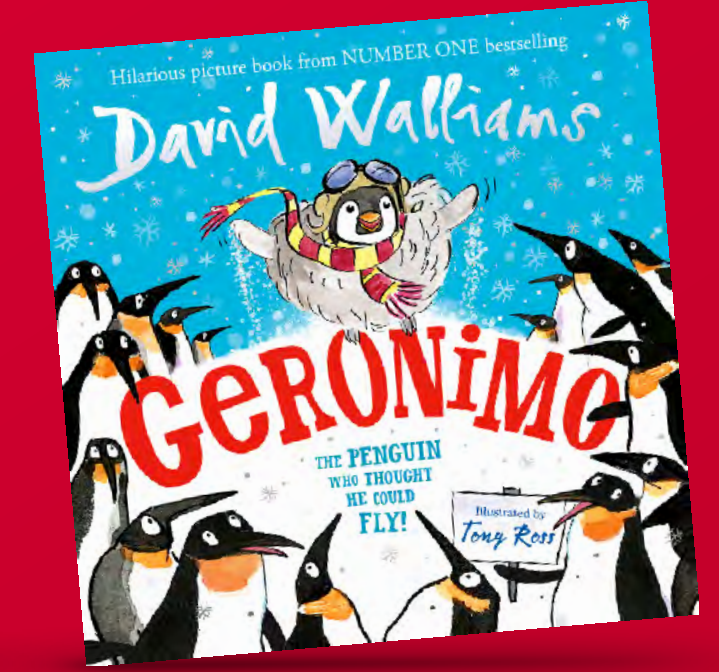
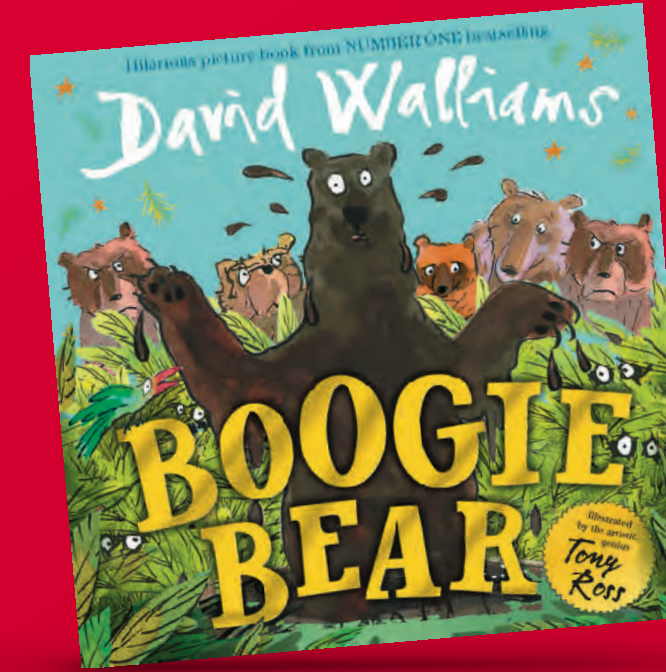
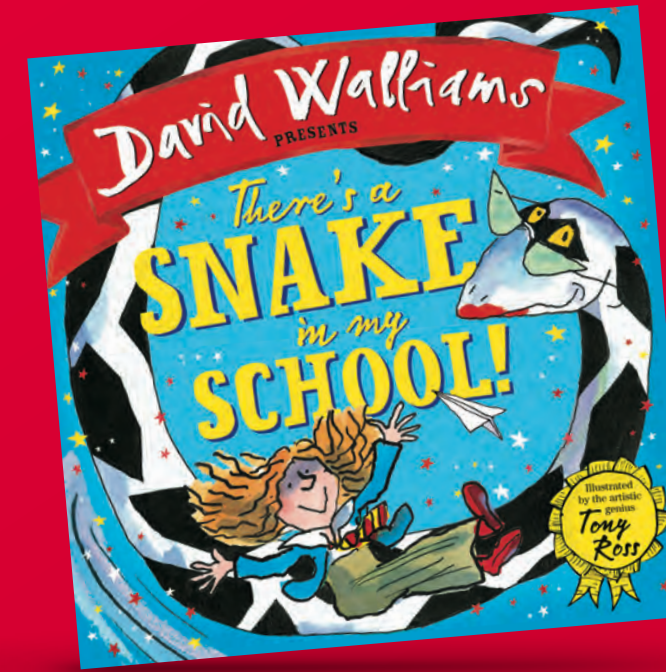
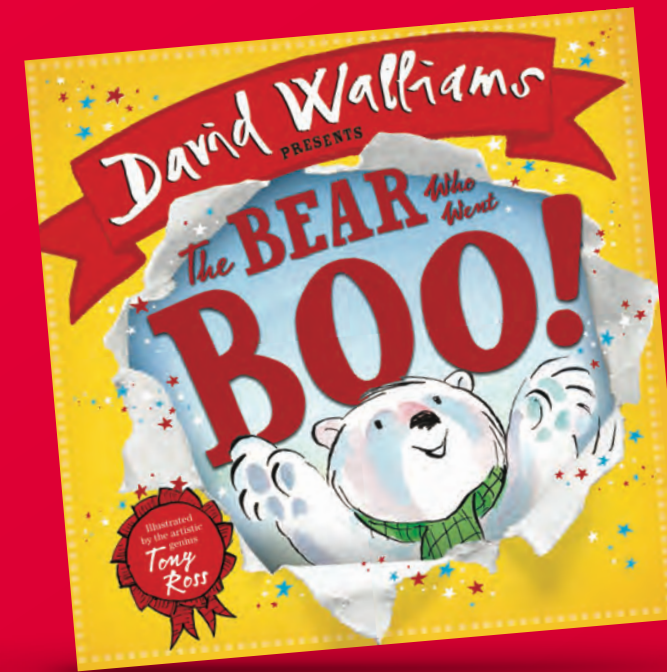
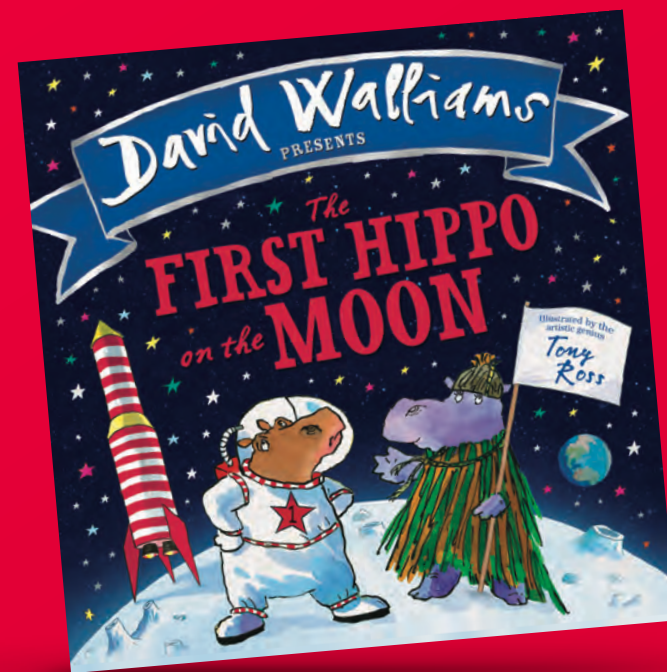
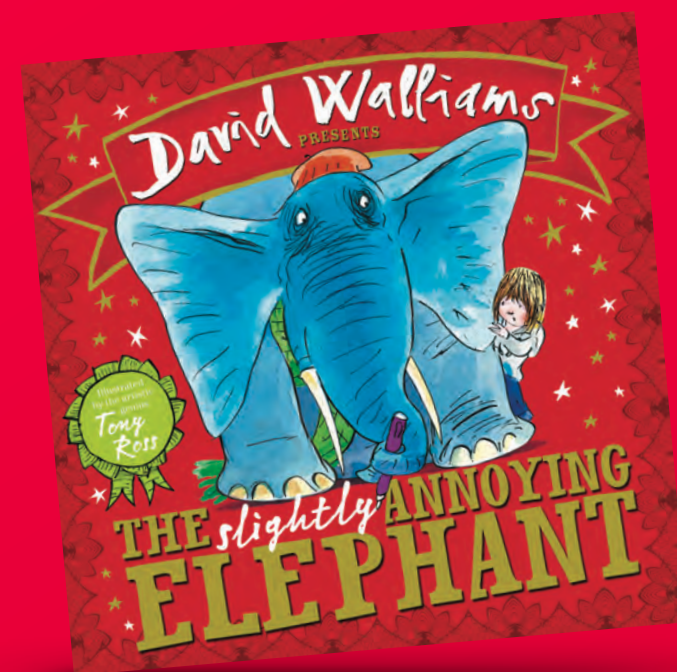
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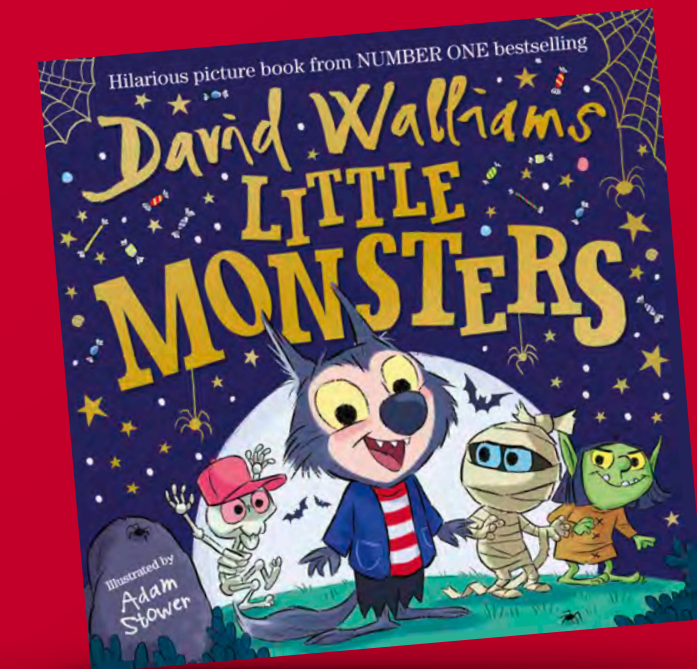
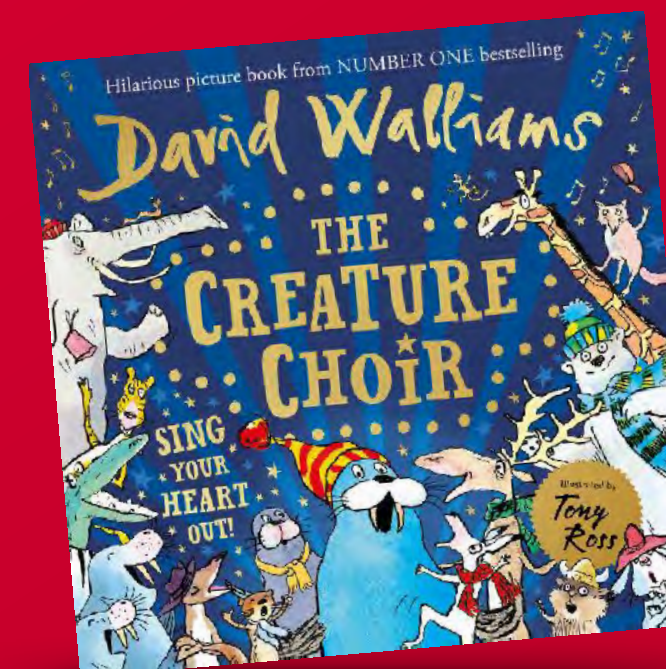
AUTHOR INFO

Since his first children's book was published in 2008, David Walliams has become a global literary phenomenon and has achieved unprecedented acclaim. His books are relished by his legions of readers, and have sold more than 40 million copies in fifty-five languages.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Celebrated artist Tony Ross has written more than a hundred books and illustrated more than 2,000 in his inimitable style, including the bestselling Horrid Henry and Little Princess series.

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EMMA'S BOOKS
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AUTHOR INFO

Emma Chichester Clark studied at the Royal College of Art, where she was taught by Quentin Blake. She has created many classic children's books, including those about the much-loved Blue Kangaroo.

BENJI'S BOOKS
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THE SNOWFLAKE

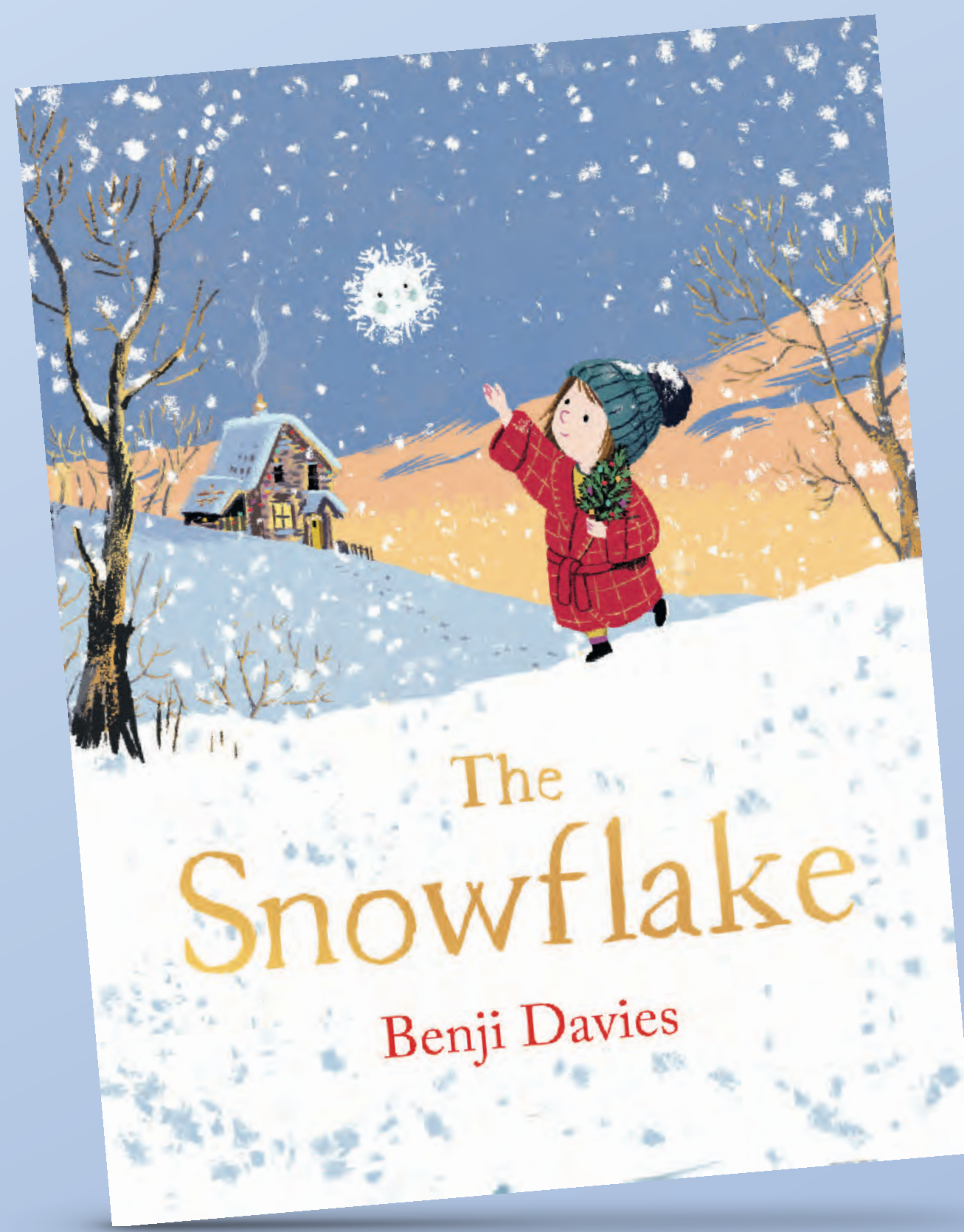
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AN ENCHANTING AND TIMELESS WINTER TALE FROM
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AUTHOR INFO

Benji Davies loves to draw and make up stories. He has written several picture books and illustrated many more, picking up a clutch of awards along the way. Twice winner of Oscar's Book Prize, he has also won the children's-book category of the AOI World Illustration Awards and the Sainsbury's Children's Book Prize. Benji lives in London with his wife and daughter.

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A reassuring let-the-waves-roll-over-your-feet story about how, sometimes, perfect is just one more practice away.

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AUTHOR INFO

As well as writing and illustrating her own fantastic picture books, Rachel is author of bestselling picture books *The Lion Inside*, *The Koala Who Could*, *The Squirrels Who Squabbled* and *The Way Home for Wolf*, illustrated by Jim Field, and her work has been translated into 38 languages. She was the UK's World Book Day illustrator in 2013 and is also creator of the Bright Side, a multi-million-selling stationery and gift brand.

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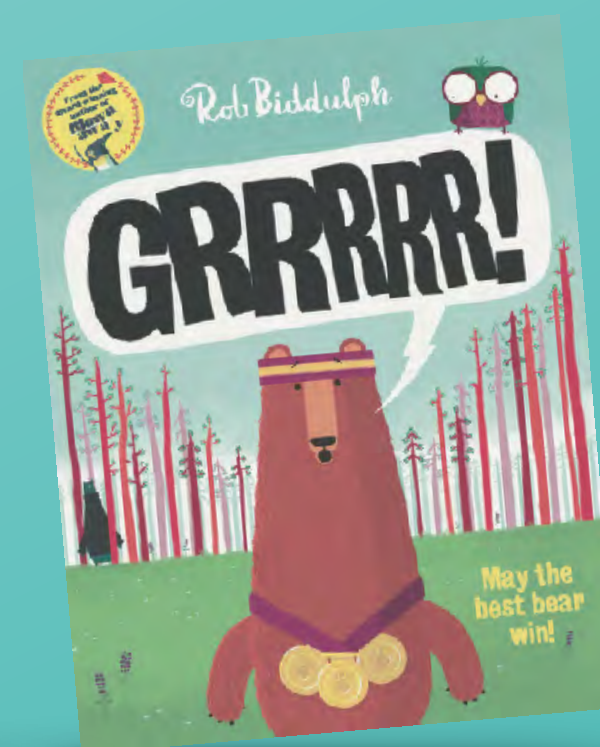
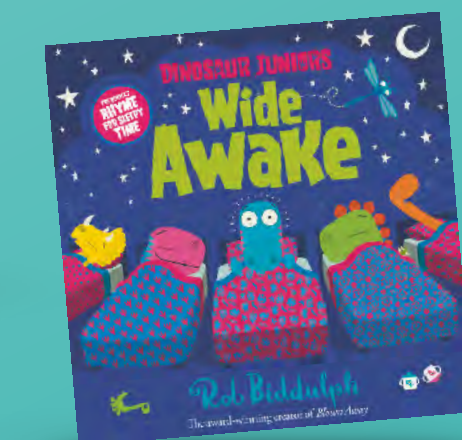
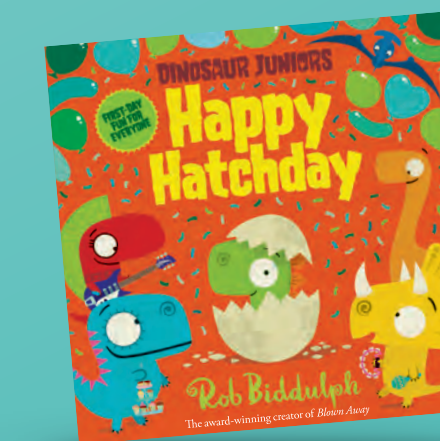
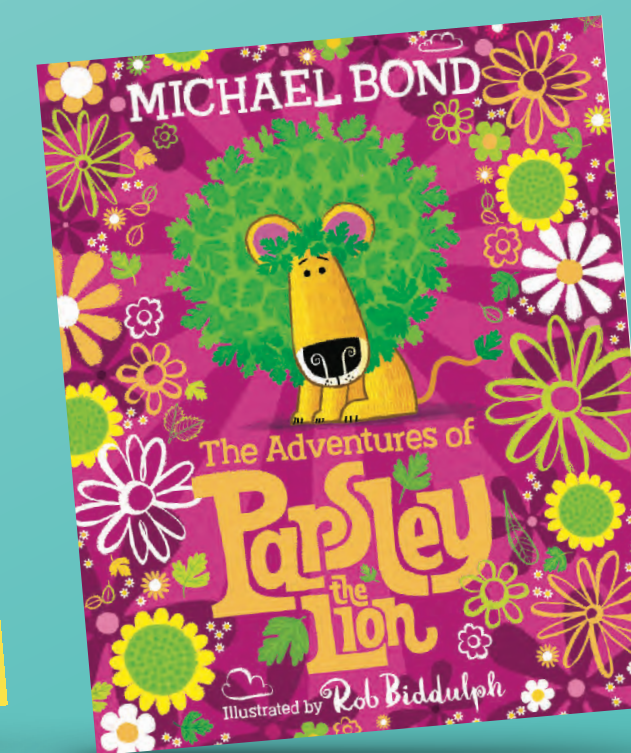
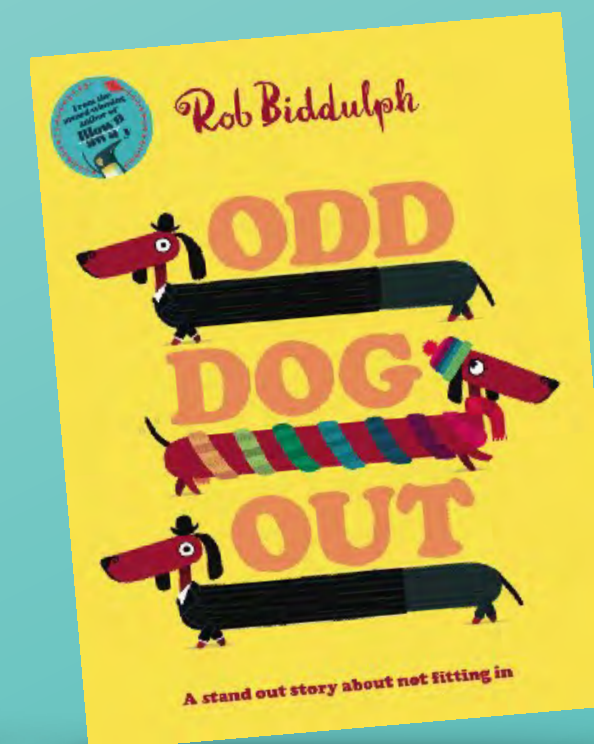
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Marjorie the cow discovers she's laid an egg, causing commotion in the farmyard as everyone waits for it to hatch. Does the baby inside the egg really belong to Marjorie? And what will happen when it gets bigger and takes part in a baby cow contest and then starts Cow School?

These wonderfully silly yet reassuring stories explore themes of family and accepting others. The series inspired the BAFTA-nominated BBC TV animation *The Cow That Almost Missed Christmas*, from Baby Cow Productions.

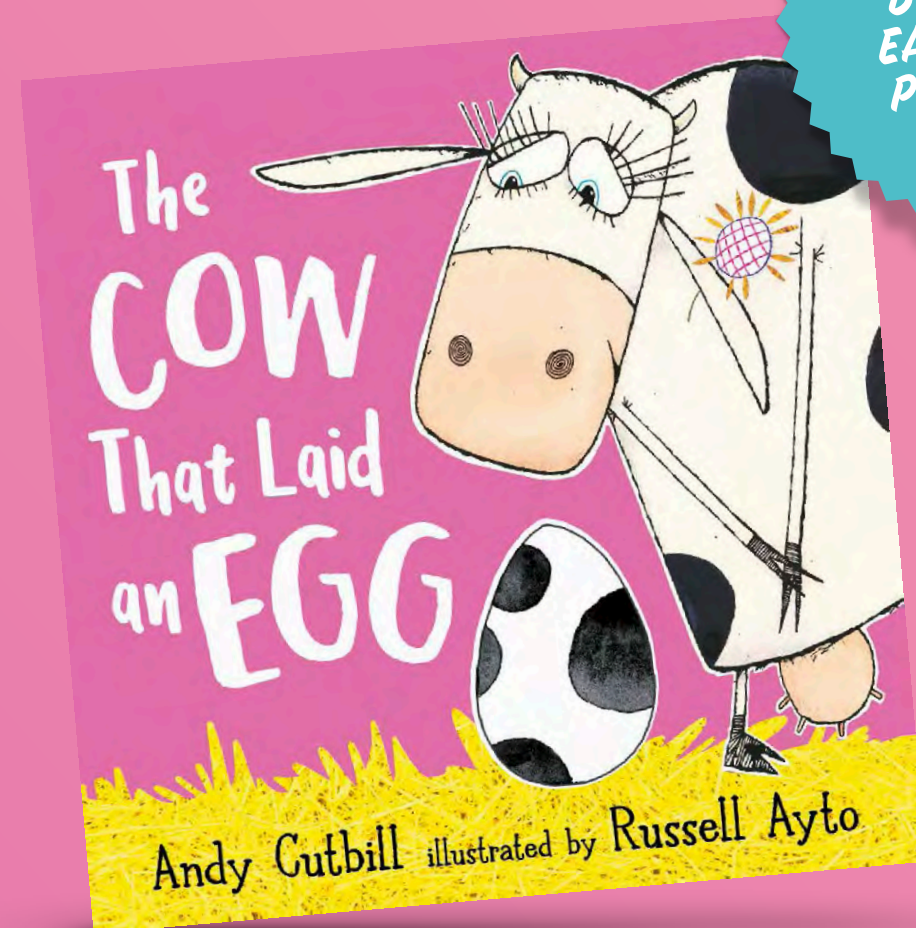
AUTHOR INFO

Andy Cutbill read Art at university and did post-graduate studies in Art Direction. After several years writing television commercials, he started originating new concepts in children's animation and books. In conjunction with Cosgrove Hall Films, Andy created and developed the award-winning animated television series, *Albie*, for CITV.

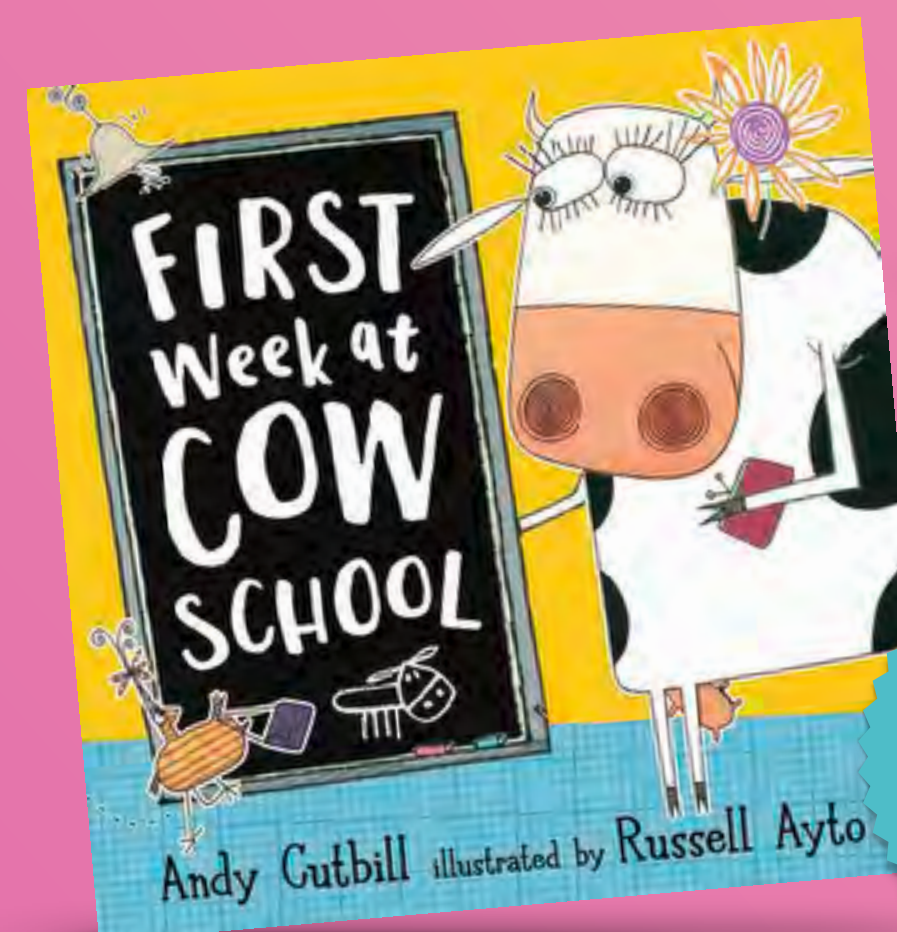
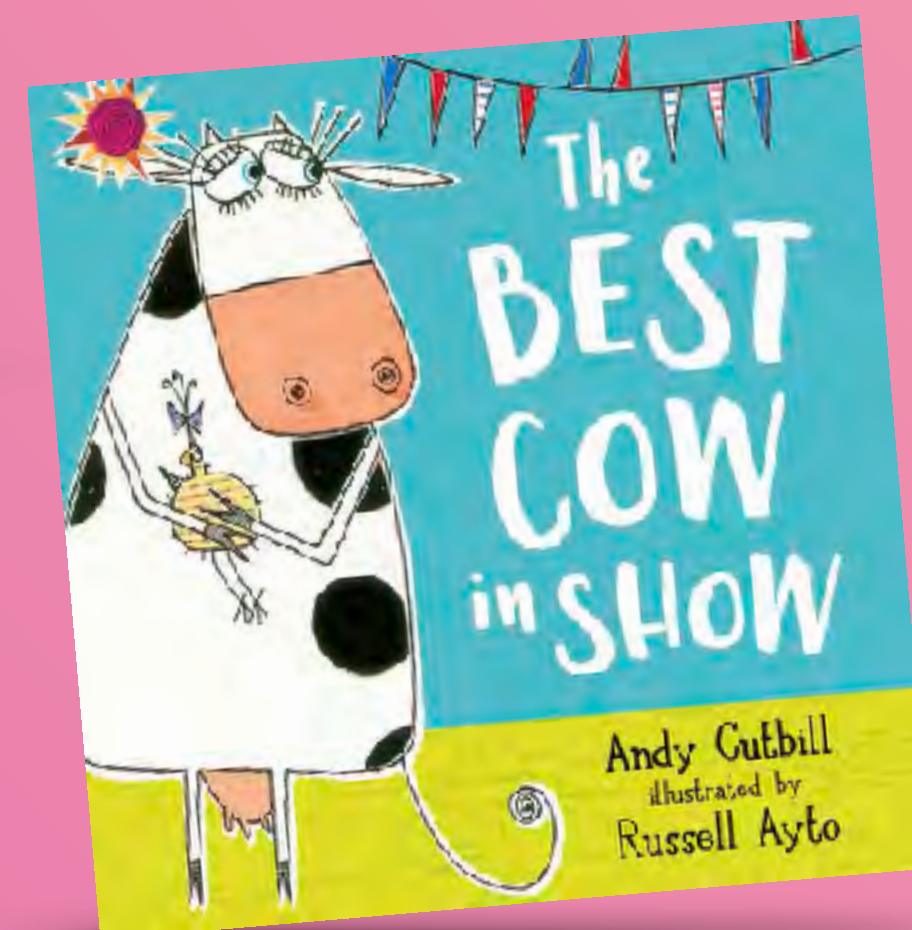
ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Russell Ayto had a varied career before turning his attention to children's book illustration. He worked as both a postman and a scientific officer. He has illustrated numerous books for children including *Whiff* by Ian Whybrow. He now lives and works in Cornwall.

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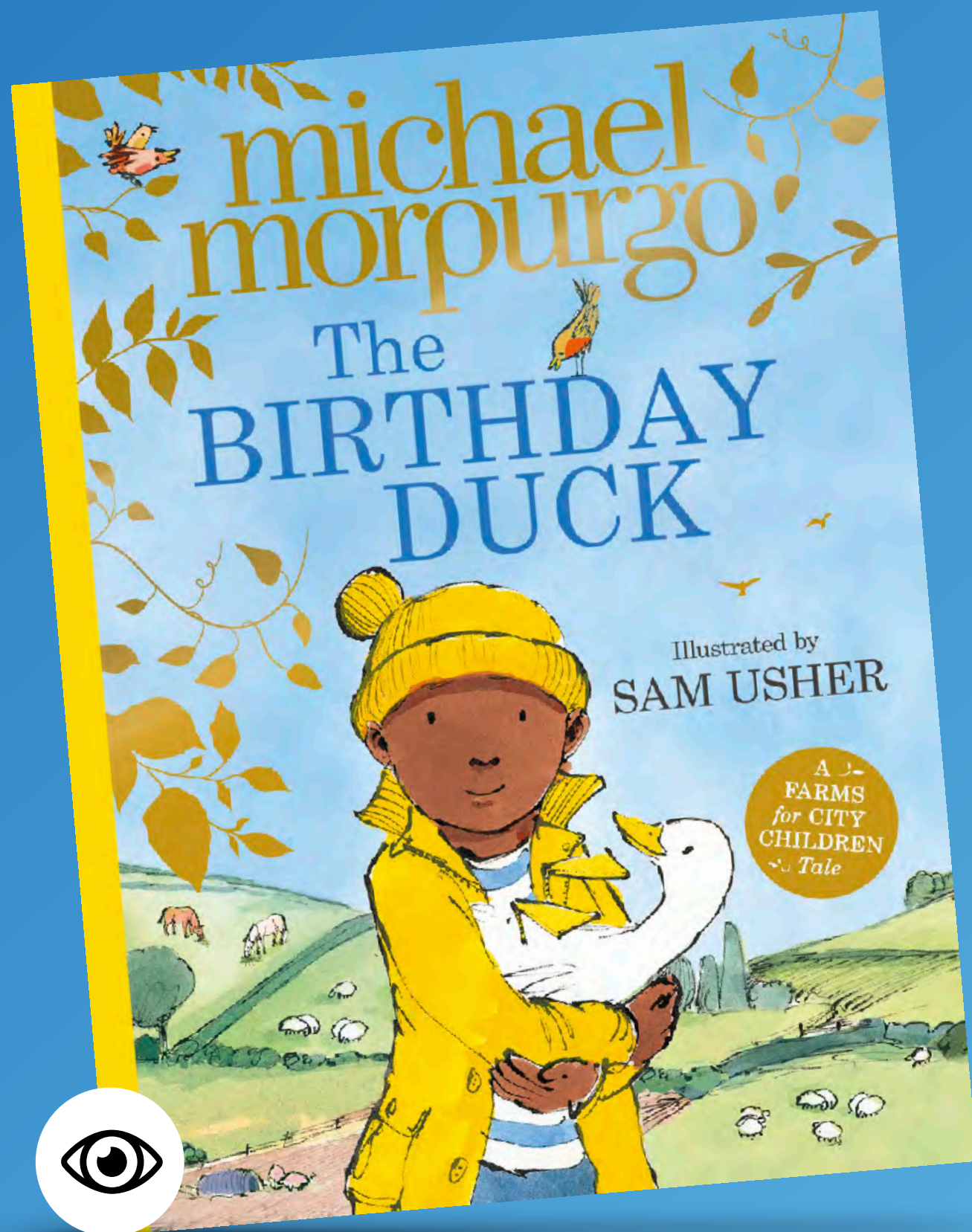


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MICHAEL MORPURGO'S BOOKS HAVE SOLD OVER 35 MILLION COPIES



THE BIRTHDAY DUCK

MICHAEL MORPURGO

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FROM MASTER STORYTELLER MICHAEL MORPURGO COMES A HEARTFELT STORY ABOUT THE POWER OF NATURE AND THE HUMAN SPIRIT. BEAUTIFULLY ILLUSTRATED BY AWARD-WINNING SAM USHER.

Sam doesn't want to go on his school trip to the countryside. He wants to stay at home in the city with his grandfather. But what starts as a daunting journey soon becomes an exciting and eye-opening adventure – and when Sam rescues a snowy duck it feels as if things will never be the same again.

In 1976, Michael and Clare Morpurgo founded Farms for City Children, offering urban children the opportunity to live and work on a real farm in the countryside. They now welcome over 3,000 children to their farms each year.

The Birthday Duck was inspired by one of these school visits to Nethercott Farm, the original Farm for City Children.

AUTHOR INFO

Sir Michael Morpurgo OBE is one of Britain's best-loved children's writers, winning many awards including the Smarties Prize, the Blue Peter Book Award and the Whitbread Award. A former Children's Laureate, Michael is also the co-founder, with his wife, Clare, of the charity Farms for City Children. He was knighted in 2018 for services to literature and charity.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Sam Usher graduated from the University of the West of England and has been shortlisted for the Waterstones Prize and the Red House Children's Book Award.

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Now in a stunning new livery, this irresistible seasonal story, complete with ribbon-and-bell fastening, makes the perfect Christmas gift!

WITH
RIBBON
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BELL!

AUTHOR INFO

Nick Butterworth was born in north London in 1946 and grew up in a sweet shop in Essex. He now lives in the country with his wife Annette, and they have two grown-up children, Ben and Amanda. He is best known for his books about Percy the Park Keeper, which have sold more than nine million copies.

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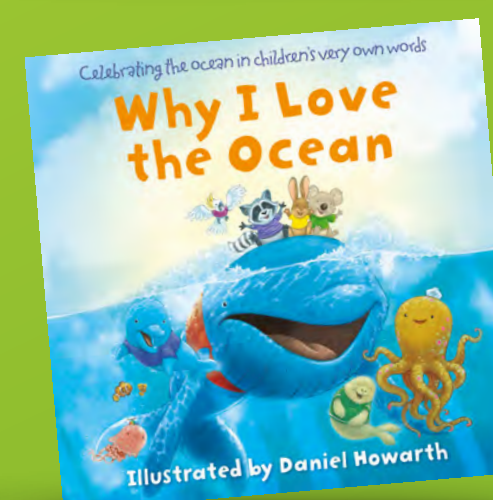
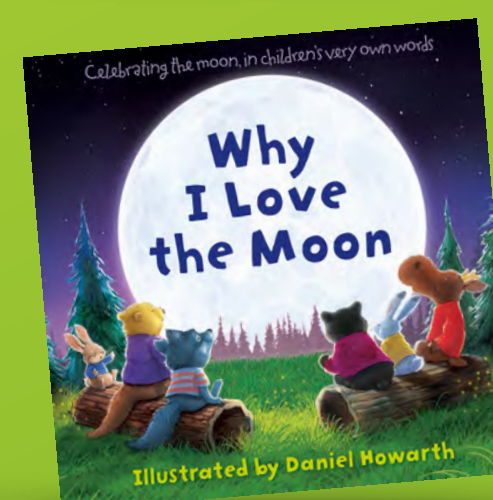
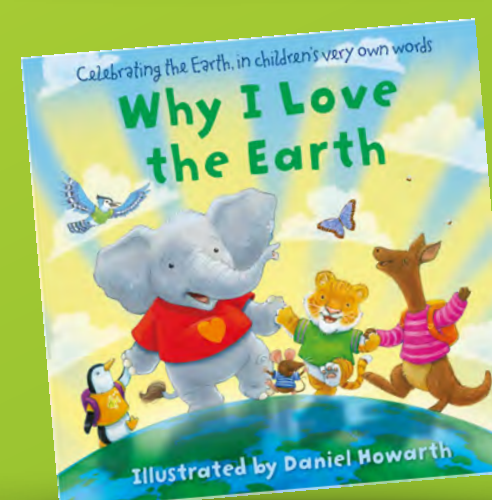
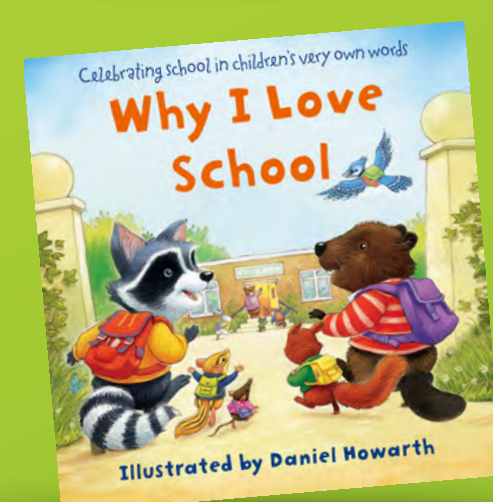
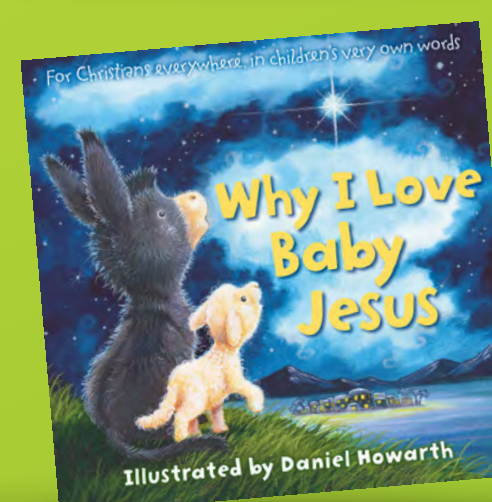
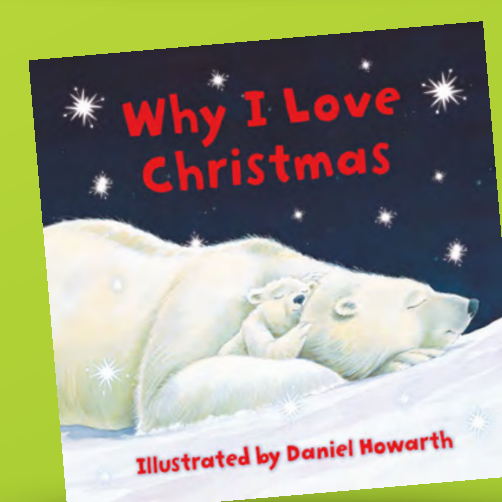
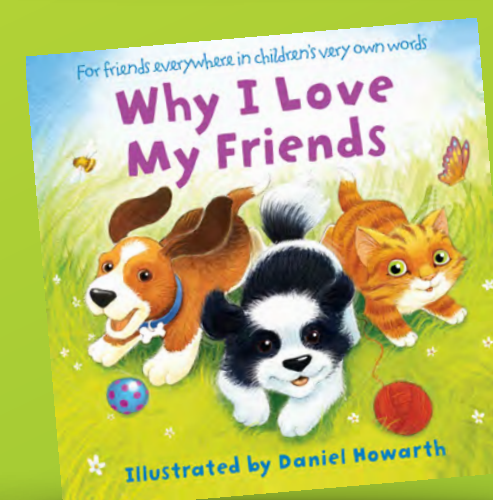
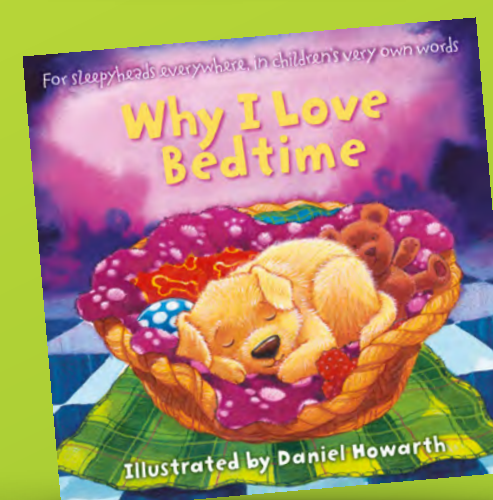
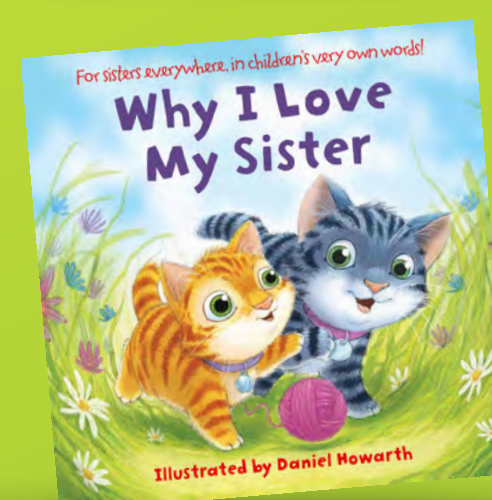
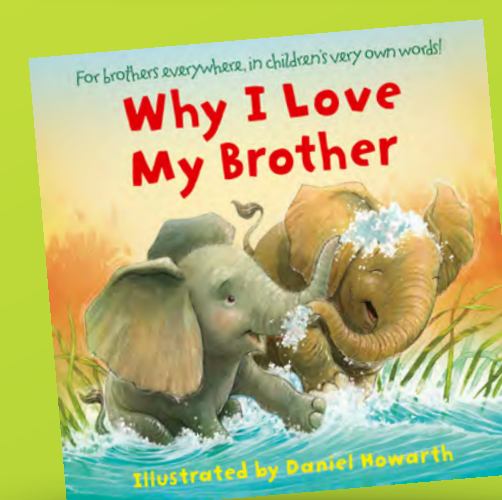
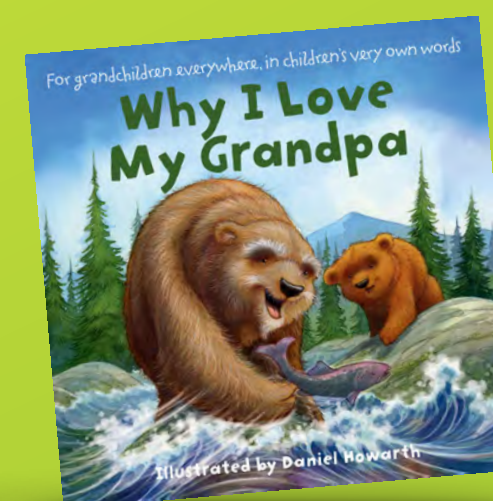
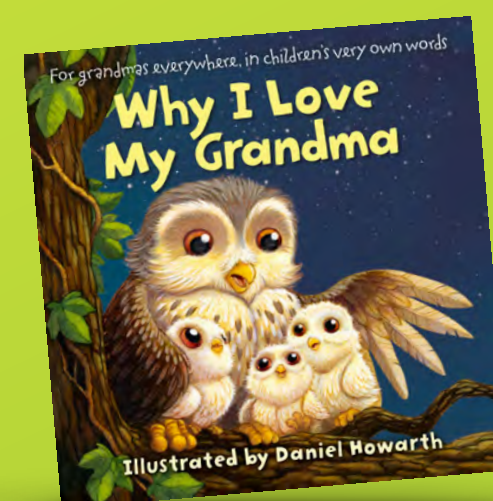
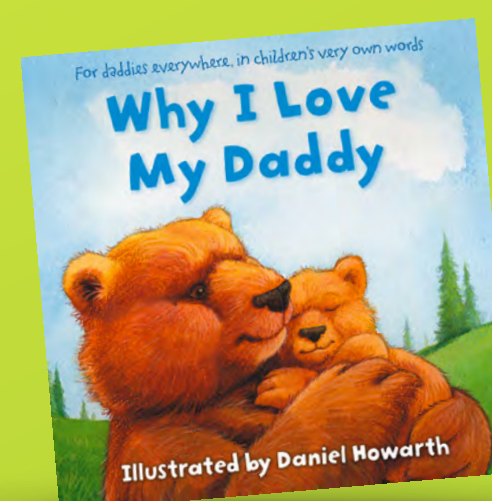
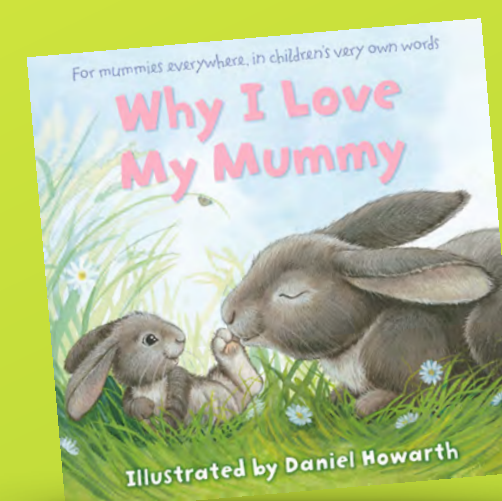
WHY I LOVE... ILLUSTRATED BY DANIEL HOWARTH

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HEART-WARMING PICTURES – THE PERFECT BOOKS TO
SHARE WITH THE ONES YOU LOVE!

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Daniel Howarth is a
freelance graphic designer
and illustrator. He lives in
Devon, England, with his
wife and family, and works
from his garden studio.

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AUTHOR INFO

Meomi is Vicki Wong and Michael Murphy. Their characters have appeared on clothing, toys, merchandise and magazines worldwide. They were the designers of the Vancouver 2010 Olympic and Paralympic mascots and create art and animation for numerous international clients. Visit them at www.meomi.com

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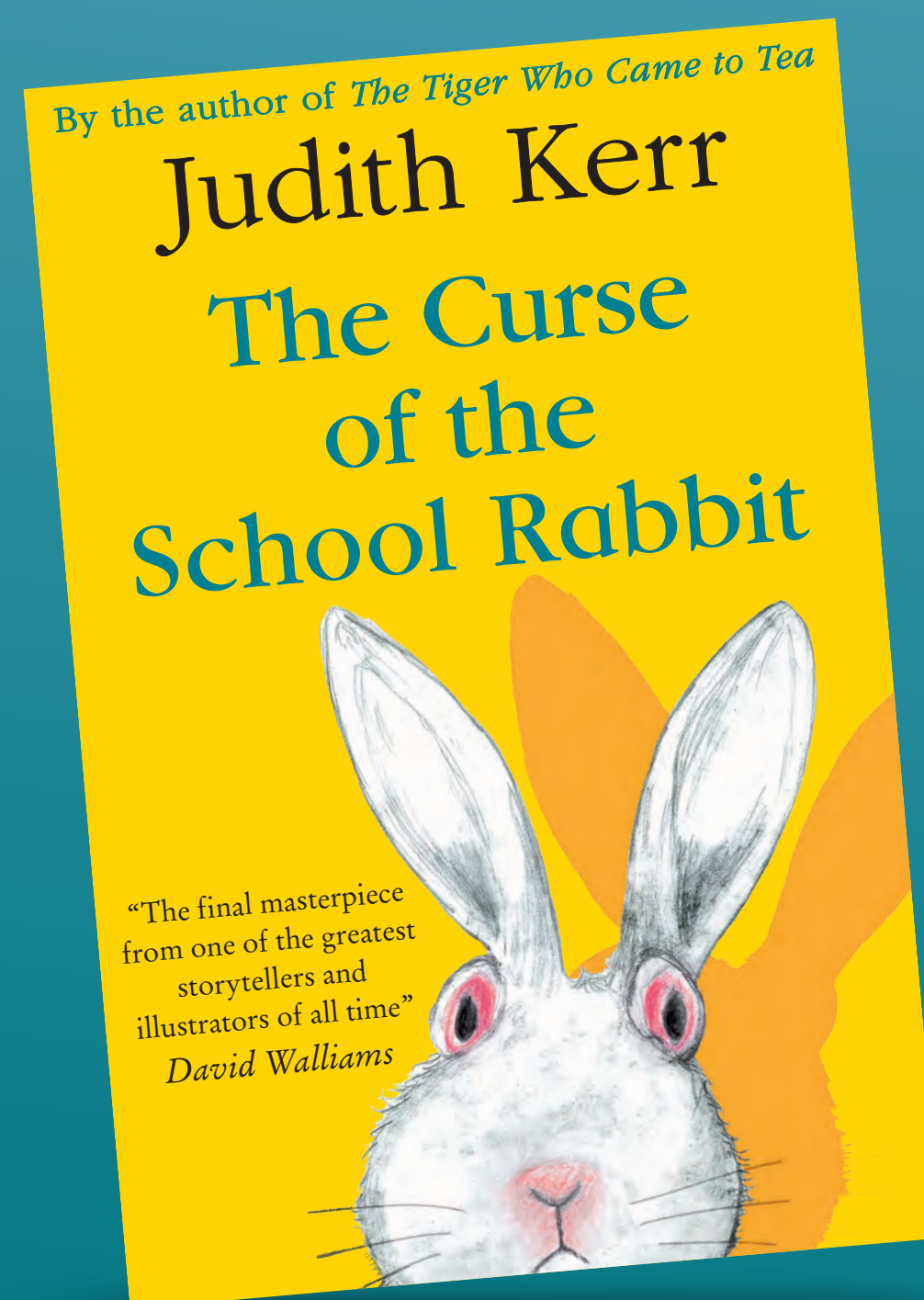


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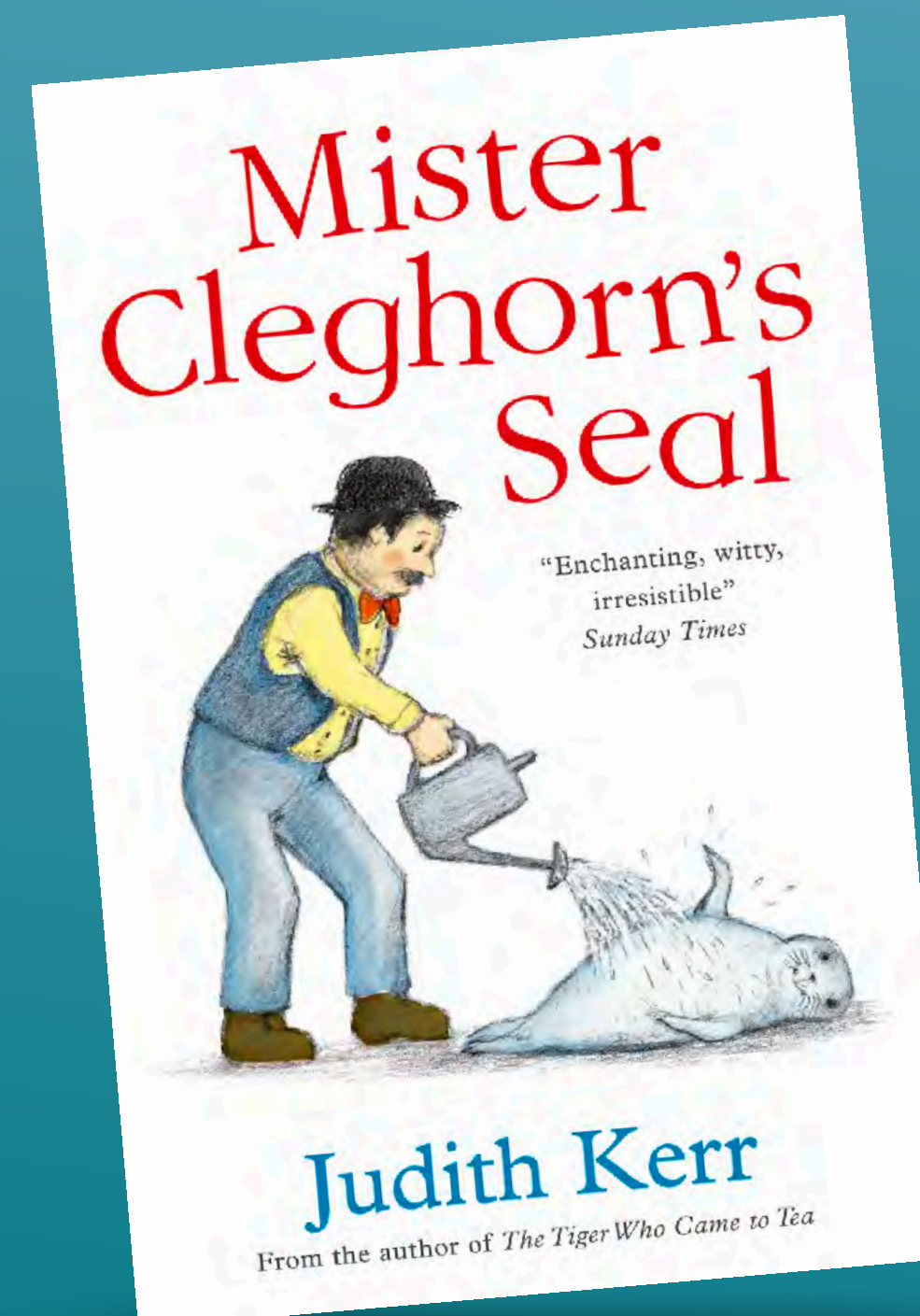
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THE CURSE OF THE SCHOOL RABBIT

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MISTER CLEGHORN'S SEAL

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AUTHOR INFO

Judith Kerr was born in Berlin, but left Germany with her family in 1933 to escape the rising Nazi party. They settled in England, where she later met her husband, the celebrated screenwriter Nigel Kneale, with whom she had two children; she wrote *The Tiger Who Came to Tea* for them. She followed it with the *Mog the Forgetful Cat* series and many other celebrated stories. In 2012 Judith was awarded an OBE for her services to children's literature and holocaust education, and in 2019 she was named Illustrator of the Year at the British Book Awards. Judith died in 2019, but her much-loved stories continue to delight children all over the world.

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ILLUSTRATED BY THEO VINCENT BAIN

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The ponies of Pemberley Stables have been bound by magic and are trapped in time. Margot the dressage pony is one of them and she keeps getting all her steps wrong. Can Olivia and Eliza help break the spell that is making her so clumsy and bring her back to the stables?

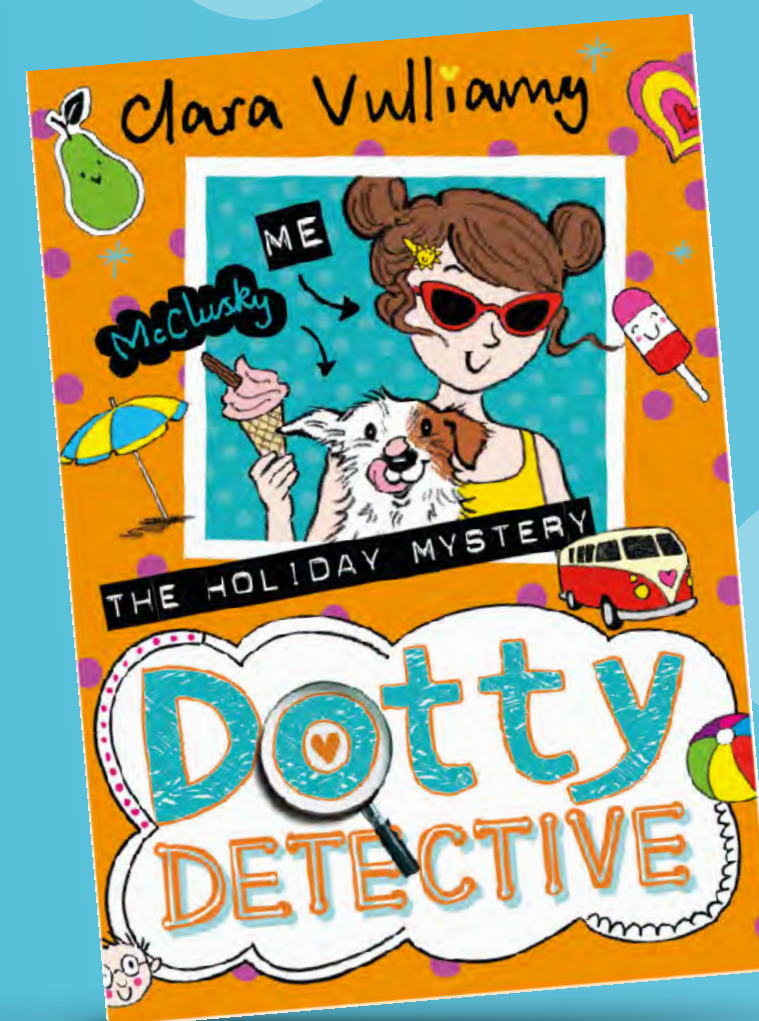
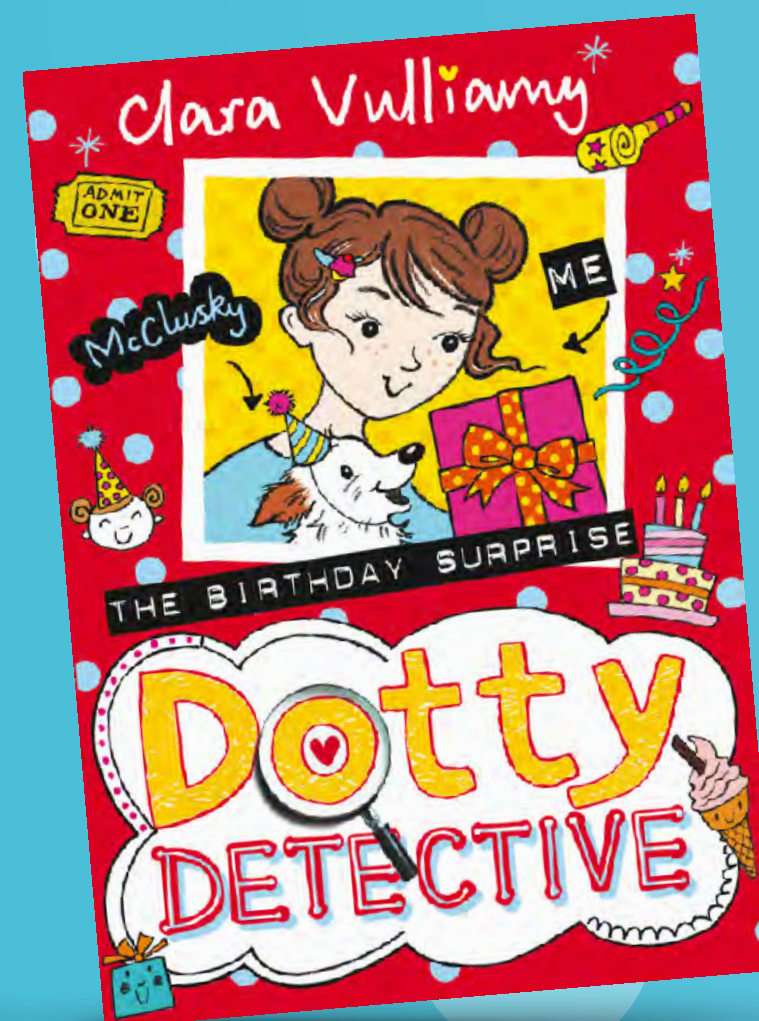
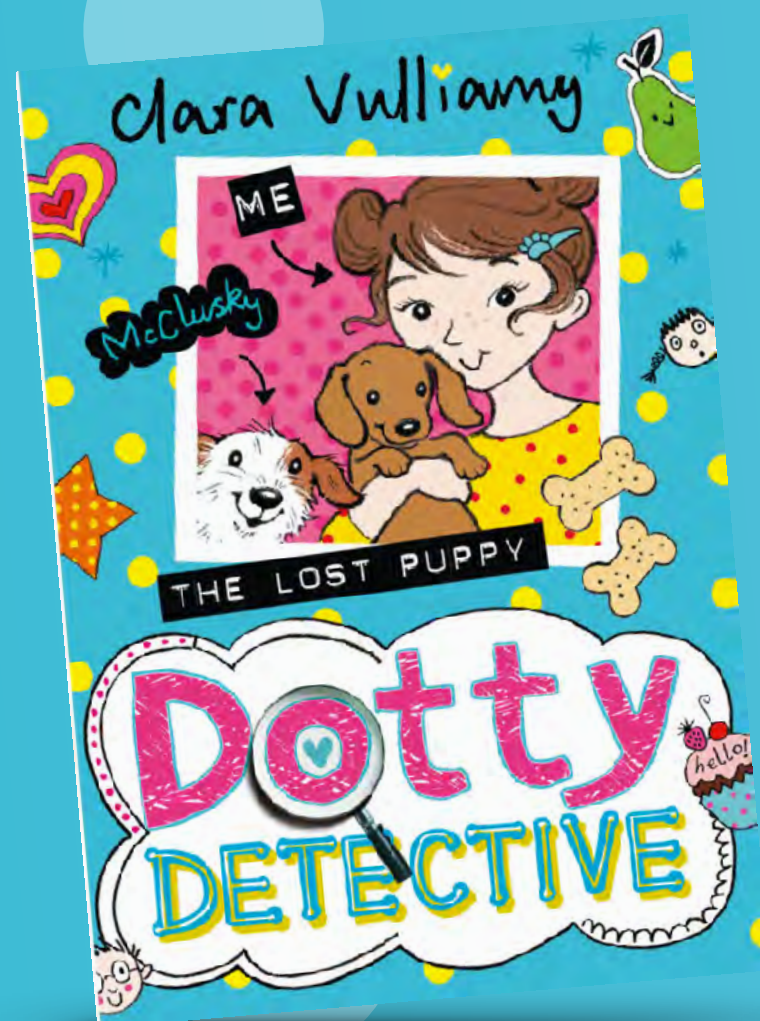
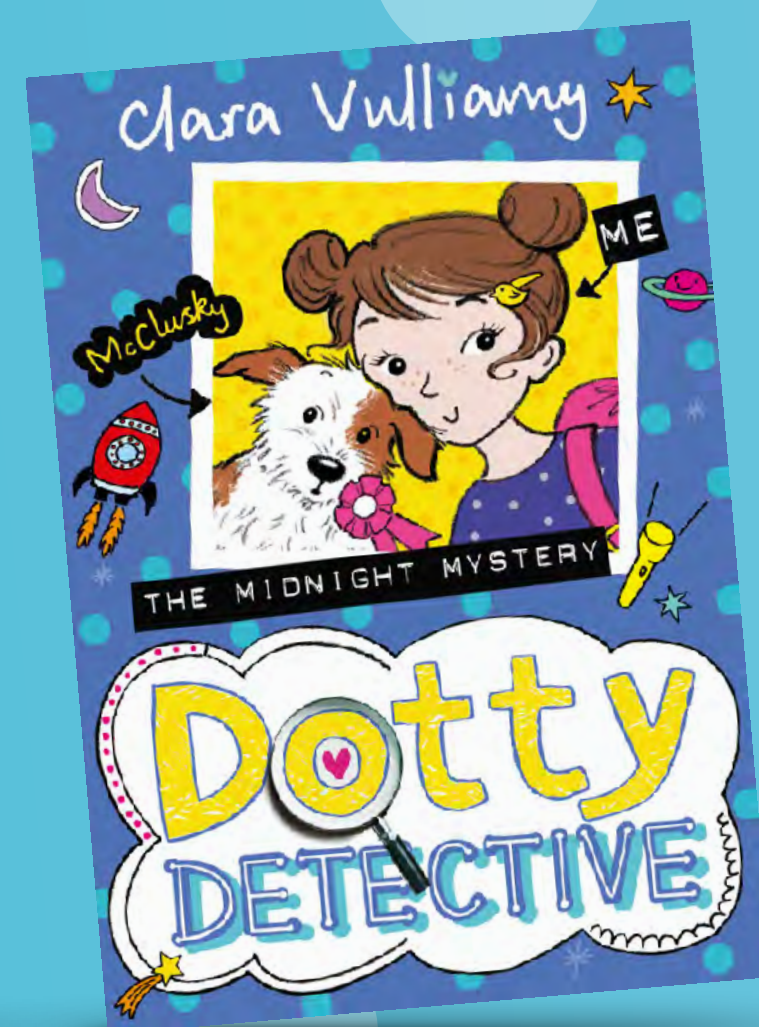
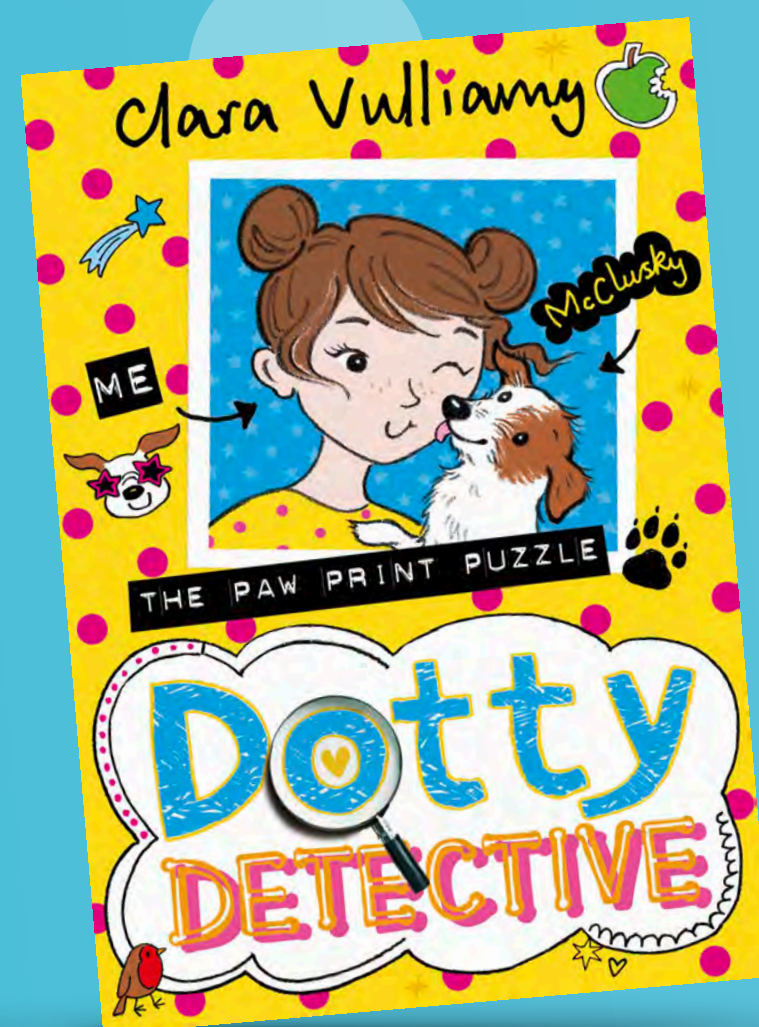
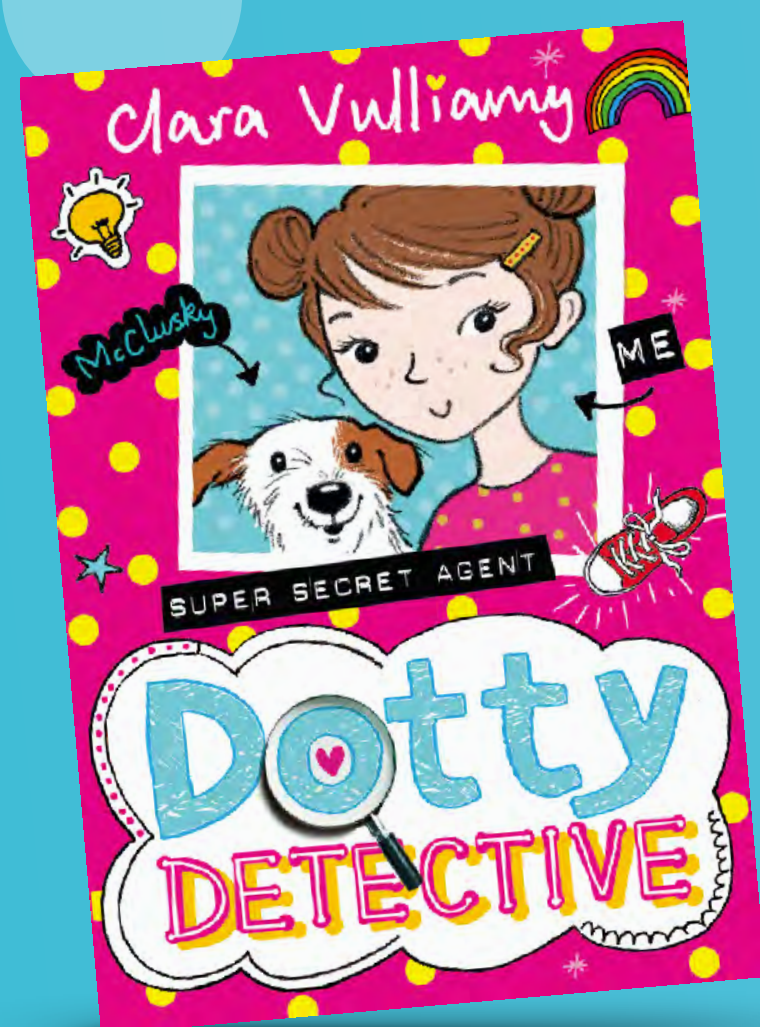
AUTHOR INFO

Stacy Gregg is the author of successful pony adventure series Pony Club Secrets (the inspiration for the TV show, *Mystic*) and Pony Club Rivals. She is also the author of stand-alone novels *The Princess and the Foal* and *The Island of Lost Horses*, both winners of the Children's Choice Junior Fiction award at the New Zealand Book Awards for Children and Young Adults. Formerly a fashion editor, Stacy is now a full-time writer.

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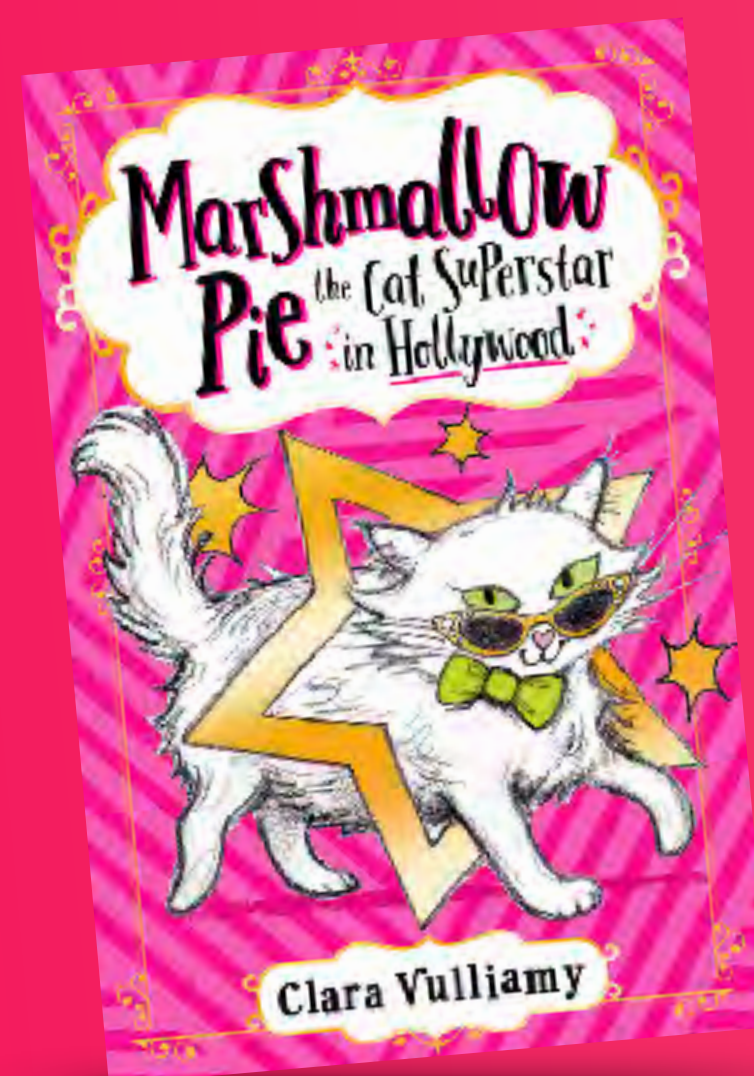
CLARA VULLIAMY

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Dotty is sporty, funny, creative, clever and FEARLESS: the perfect heroine for young rebel girl readers. This is a gorgeous and child-friendly package from well-loved and well-connected author-illustrator Clara Vulliamy, daughter of Shirley Hughes.

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MARSHMALLOW PIE THE CAT SUPERSTAR CLARA VULLIAMY

MEET MARSHMALLOW PIE – THE HILARIOUS, UNFORGETTABLE NEW CHARACTER FROM CLARA VULLIAMY, THE AUTHOR-ILLUSTRATOR OF DOTTY DETECTIVE

Pie is a big, fluffy cat with an even bigger personality. His owner, Amelia, wants to make him a star – but Pie is pretty sure he’s a star already! Full of warmth, humour and friendship, Pie’s stories are told in his own very funny voice and are illustrated throughout in black and white.

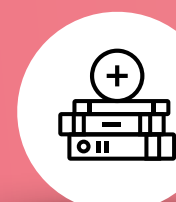
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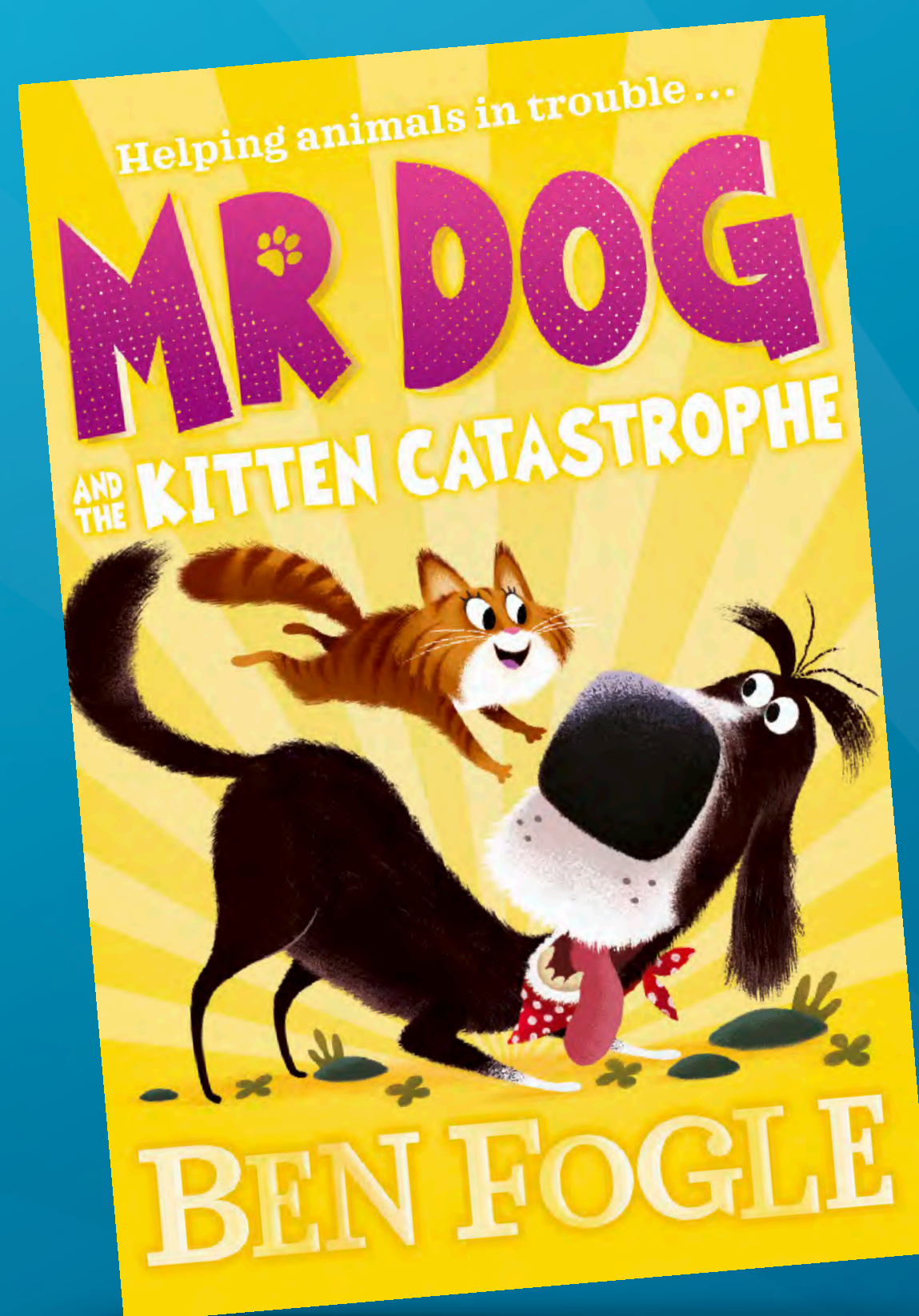
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AUTHOR INFO

Clara Vulliamy was born in London and studied at Chelsea School of Art, The Ruskin and the Royal Academy. She is the daughter of the celebrated author-illustrator Shirley Hughes and began illustrating picture books when she had her own children. She lives in Twickenham with her husband and their daughters.

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MR DOG AND THE KITTEN CATASTROPHE

BEN FOGLE

ILLUSTRATED BY NIKOLAS ILIC

A WINNING SERIES FOR READERS ALL ABOUT HELPING ANIMALS IN TROUBLE!

In his travels around the country, scruffy mutt Mr Dog finds himself in all sorts of unexpected escapades rescuing animals in peril. Written by major British adventurer Ben Fogle in collaboration with bestselling author Steve Cole, these stories shine with adventure, fun and action, featuring beautiful black-and-white illustrations throughout.



INSPIRED BY TV BROADCASTER AND INTREPID EXPLORER BEN FOGLE'S REAL-LIFE ANIMAL EXPERIENCES!

AUTHOR INFO

Ben Fogle is a broadcaster and seasoned adventurer. A modern-day nomad and journeyman, he has travelled to more than a hundred countries and accomplished amazing feats from swimming with crocodiles to rowing 3,000 miles across the Atlantic Ocean; from crossing Antarctica on foot to surviving a year as a castaway on a remote Hebridean island and journeying to the top of Mount Everest. Ben is a tireless champion for the natural world and is the United Nations Patron for the Wilderness.

CO-AUTHOR INFO

Steve Cole is a bestselling children's author whose sales exceed three million copies. His hugely successful Astrosaurs young fiction series was a UK top-ten children's bestseller and is published around the world. A highly versatile fantasy, comedy, and adventure writer, Steve's work includes the Secret Mummy series and the explosive Young Bond titles.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Nikolas Ilic lives in sunny Los Angeles, California, working as a character designer/visual-development artist, and has illustrated for Sony Pictures, Illumination Entertainment, Sesame Street and numerous other studios in the animation industry.

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LOTTIE LUNA

VIVIAN FRENCH

ILLUSTRATED BY NATHAN REED

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She's super-fast, super-strong and has X-ray vision. Lottie doesn't really like to use her skills, though – she just wants to be like everyone else. But can she keep her secret safe whilst she's having so many adventures?

AUTHOR INFO

Vivian French is the author of over 300 books. In 2016 she was awarded an MBE for her services to literature, literacy, illustration and the arts, and in 2018 she received the Scottish Book Trust's Outstanding Achievement Award.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Nathan Reed has been a professional illustrator since graduating from Falmouth College of Arts in 2000. He has illustrated several picture books and fiction for Hodder, Egmont, Orchard and Bloomsbury.

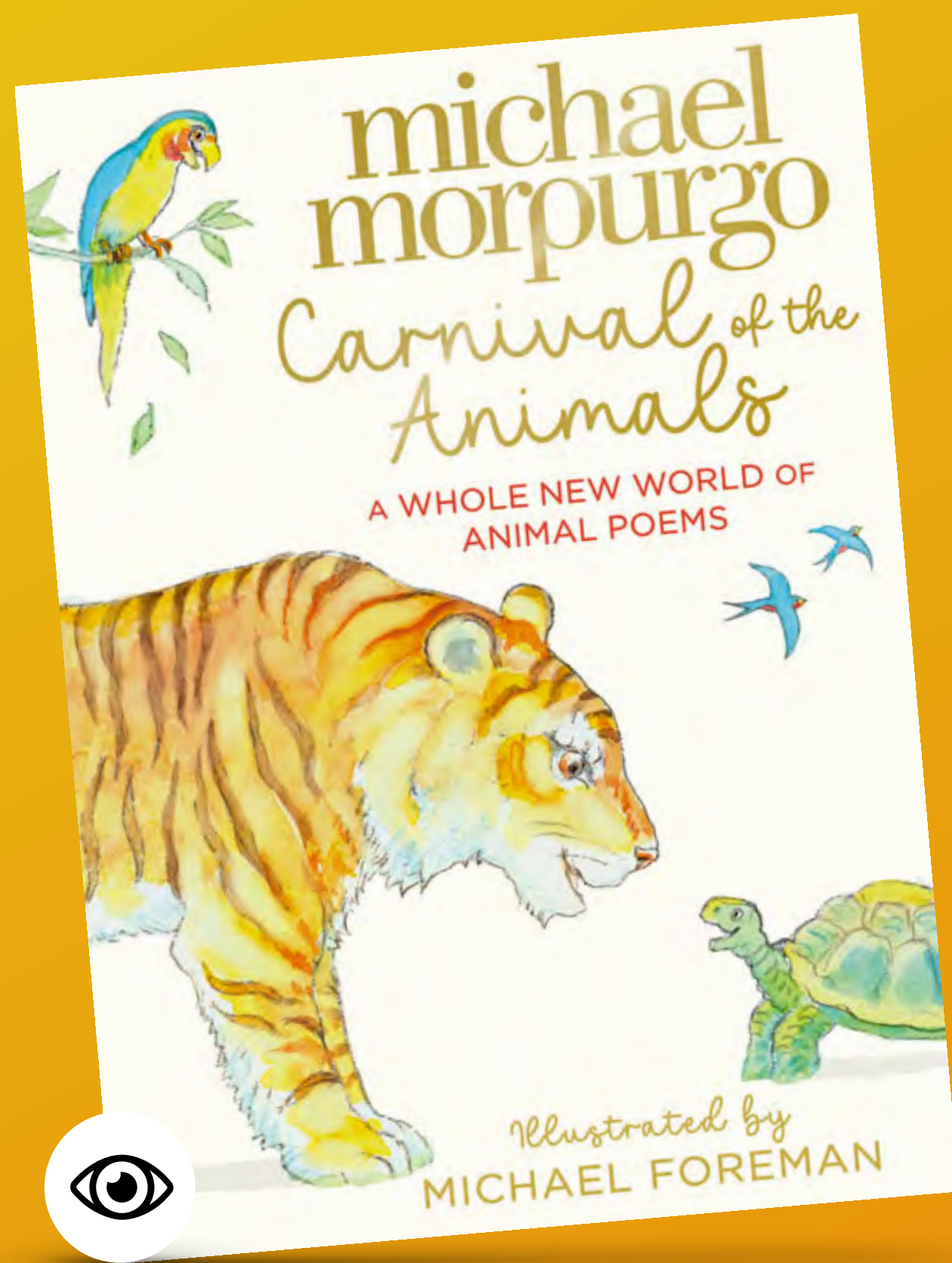
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BRILLIANT BLACK-AND-WHITE ILLUSTRATIONS BY NATHAN REED THROUGHOUT!



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CARNIVAL OF THE ANIMALS

MICHAEL MORPURGO

ILLUSTRATED BY MICHAEL FOREMAN

INSPIRED BY THE CLASSIC MUSICAL WORK *THE CARNIVAL OF THE ANIMALS*, MASTER STORYTELLER SIR MICHAEL MORPURGO LEADS A TOUR OF THE WORLD IN THESE ALL-NEW ANIMAL POEMS, TOLD IN THEIR OWN VOICES.

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Full of humour, spark and wisdom, the animals tell of their lives and the impact of humanity on their habitats in a colourful, bright and thrilling work of poetic wonders, gorgeously illustrated throughout by iconic artist Michael Foreman.

Celebrating with inimitable heart and humour the creatures who share our planet, this stunning collection is sure to ignite a love of poetry in young readers, and is a book to treasure and to inspire.

AUTHOR INFO

Sir Michael Morpurgo OBE is one of Britain's best-loved children's writers, winning many awards including the Smarties Prize, the Blue Peter Book Award and the Whitbread Award. A former Children's Laureate, Michael is also the co-founder, with his wife, Clare, of the charity Farms for City Children. He was knighted in 2018 for services to literature and charity.

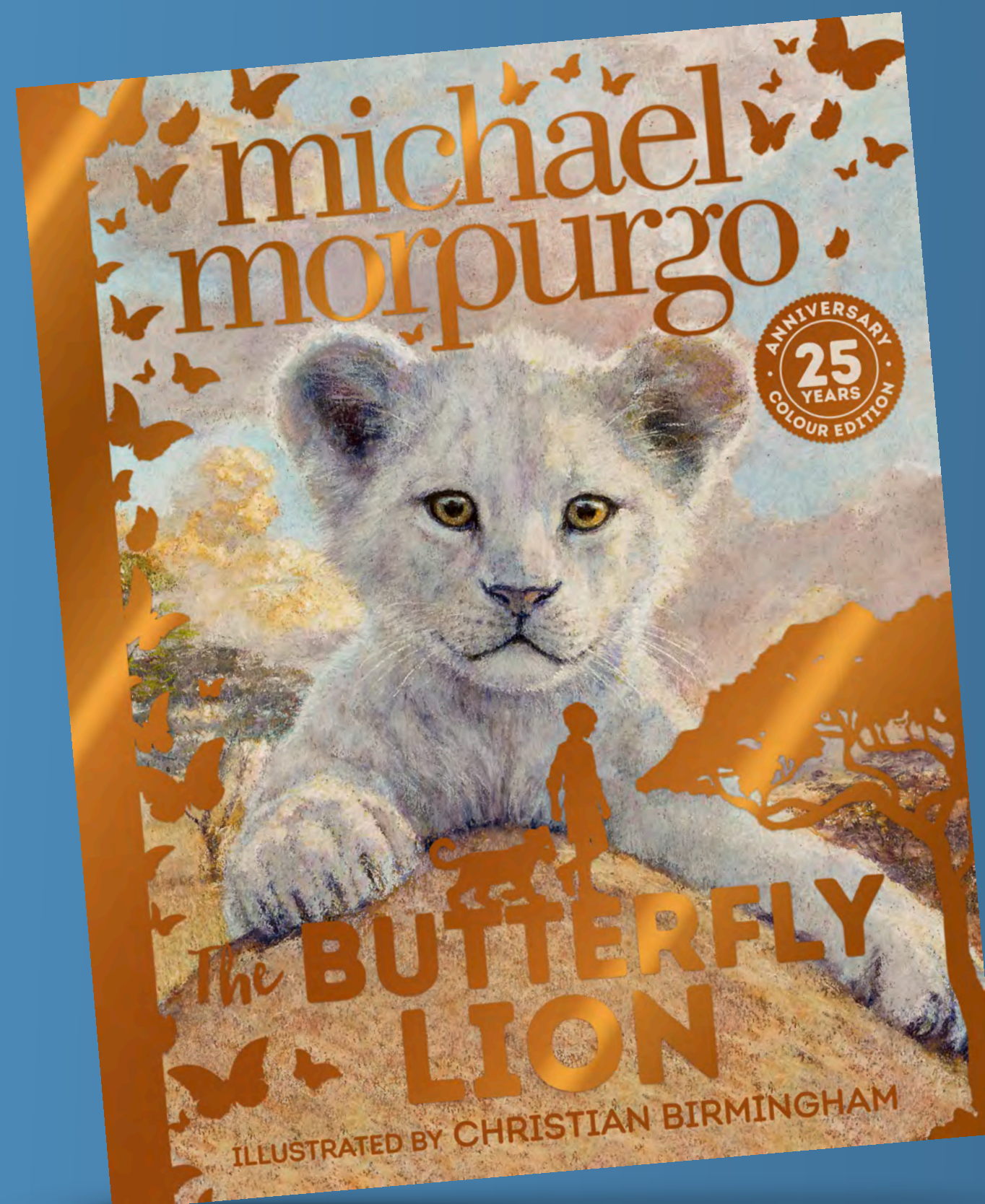
ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Michael Foreman is one of the most admired and best-known illustrators of our time. He has twice won the Kate Greenaway Medal, the most prestigious British award for an illustrator of children's books, and has frequently collaborated with "the other Michael", including recently on *The Fox and the Ghost King* and *Boy Giant*.

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THE BUTTERFLY LION

MICHAEL MORPURGO

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This glorious gift edition, illustrated in full colour by Christian Birmingham, will be treasured by a new generation of children.

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ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Christian Birmingham is a contemporary artist of outstanding talent. He has illustrated several highly praised and award-winning books, including *The Night Before Christmas* and *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe*.

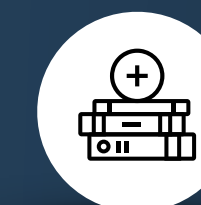
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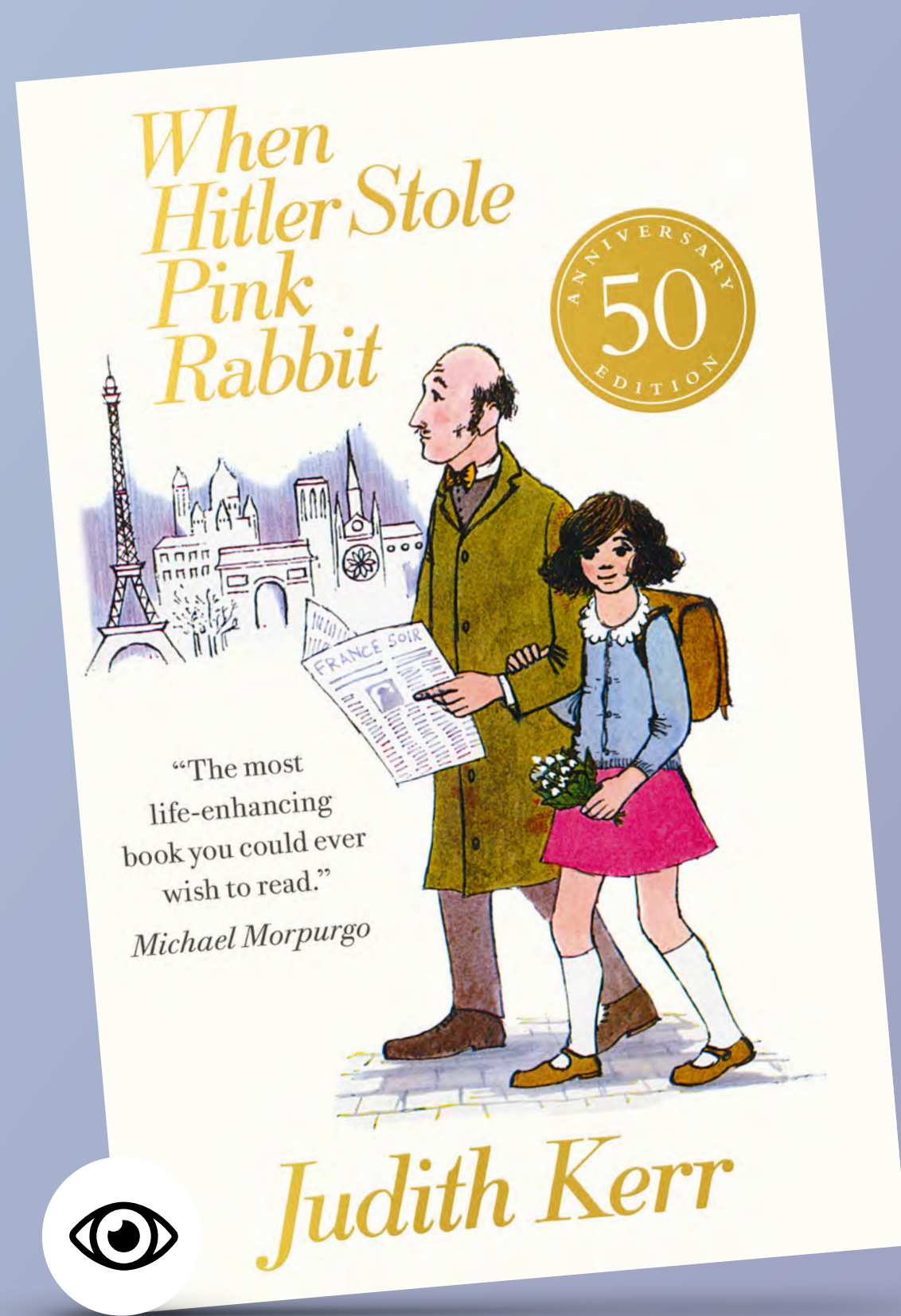
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**"MICHAEL MORPURGO WRITES
BRILLIANTLY ABOUT WAR AND
ANIMALS, CONVEYING THE BIG
EMOTIONS WITHOUT
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WHEN HITLER STOLE PINK RABBIT 50TH ANNIVERSARY

JUDITH KERR

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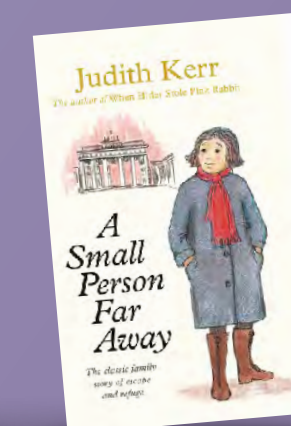
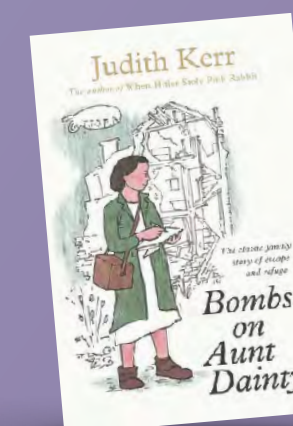
MICHAEL MORPURGO

AUTHOR INFO

Judith Kerr was born in Berlin, but left Germany with her family in 1933 to escape the rising Nazi party. They settled in England, where she later met her husband, the celebrated screenwriter Nigel Kneale, with whom she had two children; she wrote *The Tiger Who Came to Tea* for them. She followed it with the Mog the Forgetful Cat series and many other celebrated stories. In 2012 Judith was awarded an OBE for her services to children's literature and holocaust education, and in 2019 she was named Illustrator of the Year at the British Book Awards. Judith died in 2019, but her much-loved stories continue to delight children all over the world.

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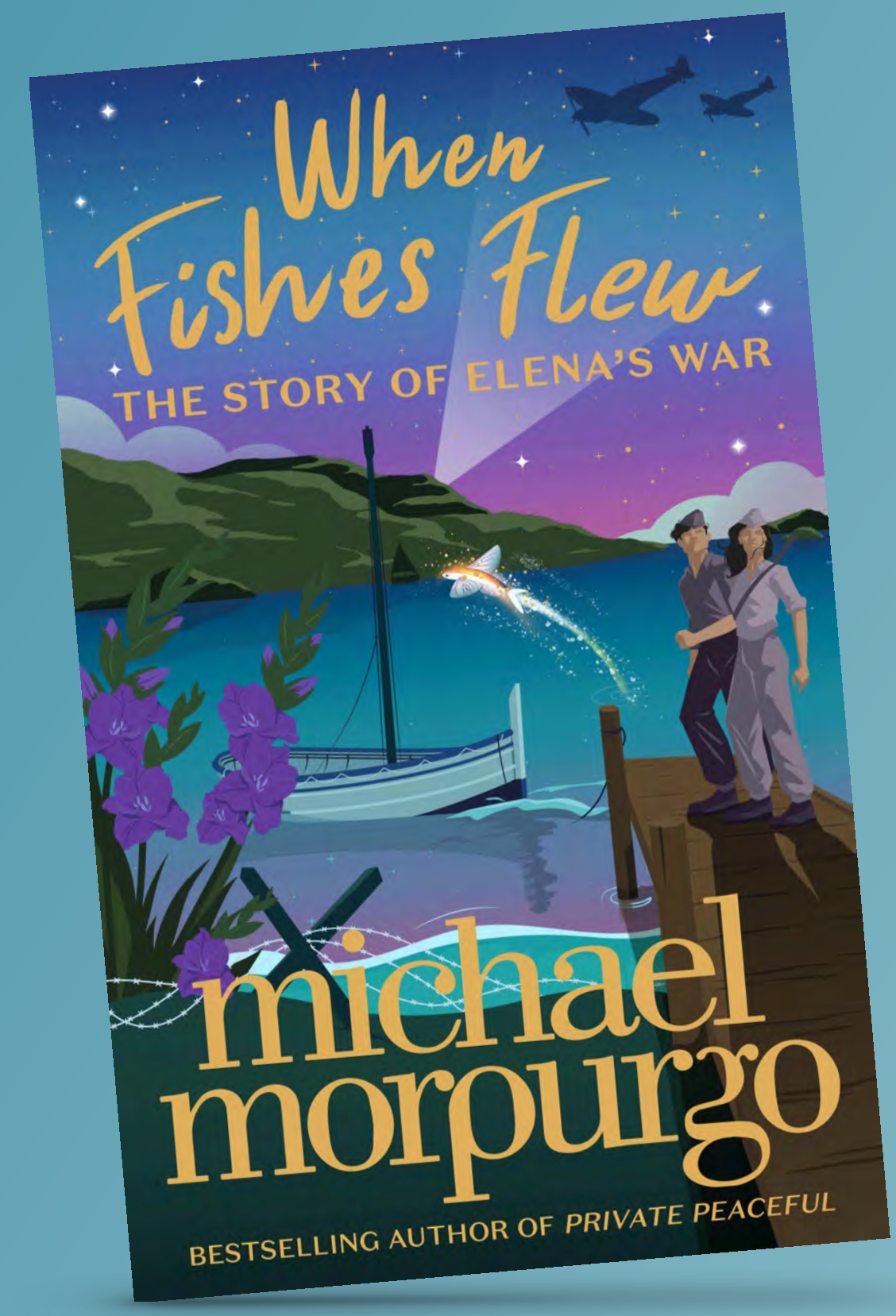
Bombs on Aunt Dainty/ A Small Person Far Away: for older readers and young adults

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LOVE AND HOPE"

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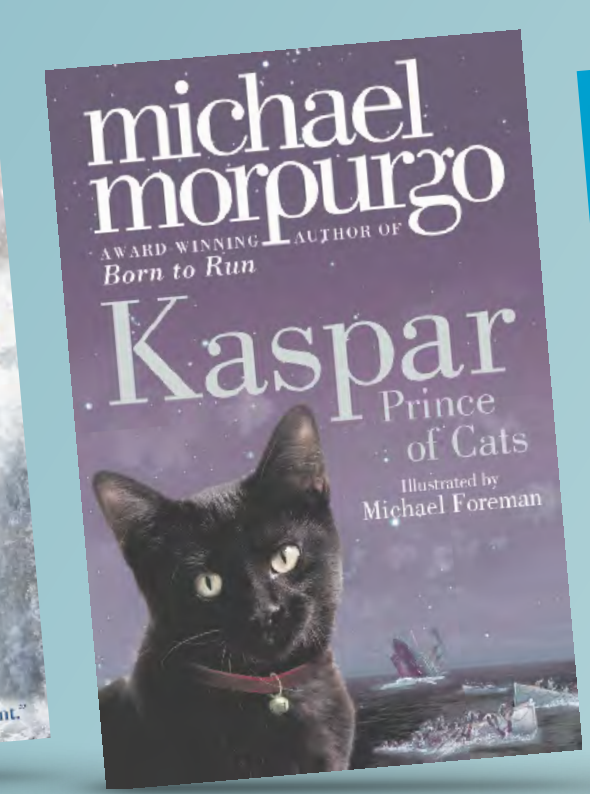
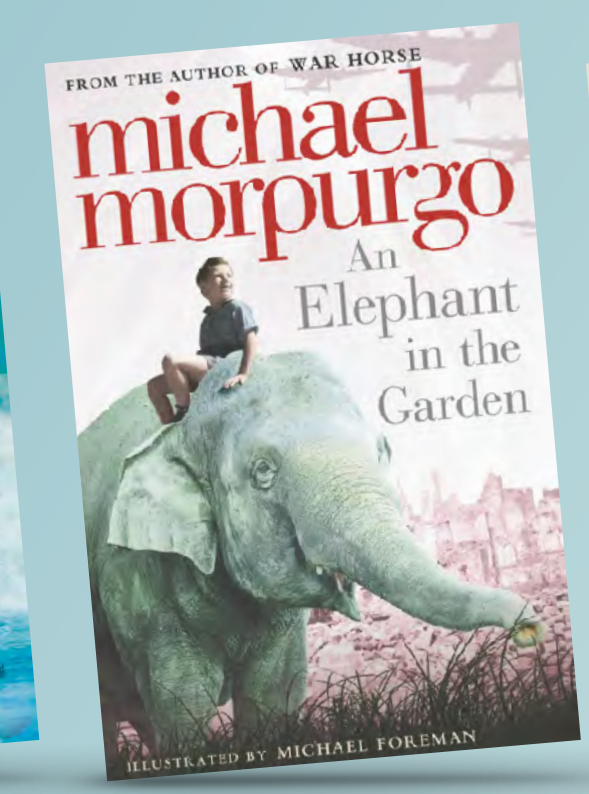
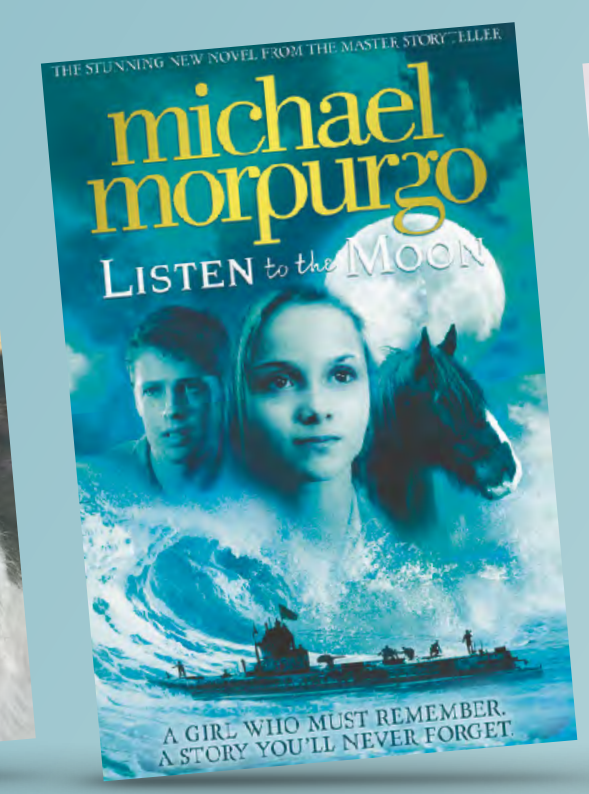
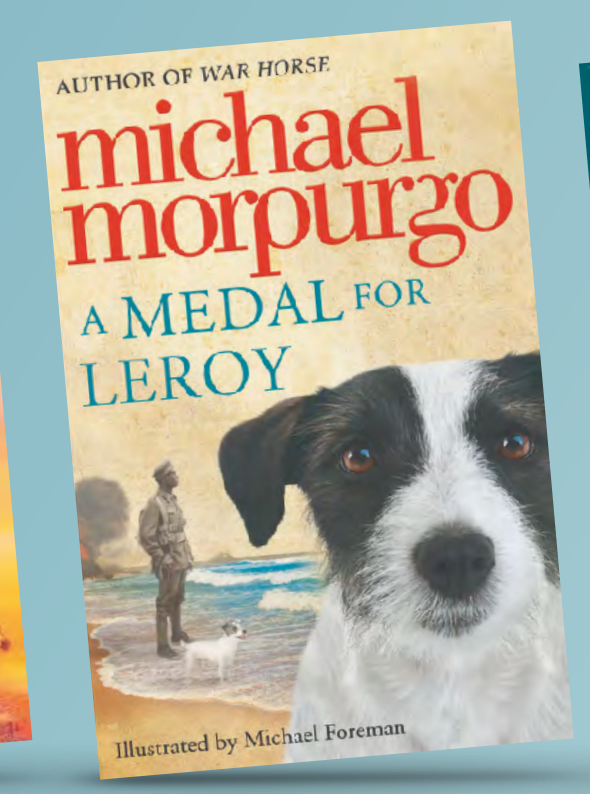
MICHAEL MORPURGO

MASTER STORYTELLER AND MULTI-MILLION COPY BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF WAR HORSE . . .



AUTHOR INFO

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THIS WONDERFUL THING

ADAM BARON

A HILARIOUS NOVEL ABOUT FRIENDSHIPS, FAMILY SECRETS, MYSTERY – AND THE THEFT OF PRICELESS TREASURE.

Jessica is with her family at the river when she finds a dirty, bedraggled teddy bear in the water. She's too old for it, really – but something draws her to it. Meanwhile, Cymbeline comes home from school to find that his mum's house has been broken into – and the thieves seemed oddly focused on his toys. Thank goodness he had his precious teddy bear with him. Soon, Jessica and Cymbeline find themselves swept up in a mystery that spans decades, threatens their families, and turns their lives upside down. But sometimes, just maybe, a new life can be a really wonderful thing . . .

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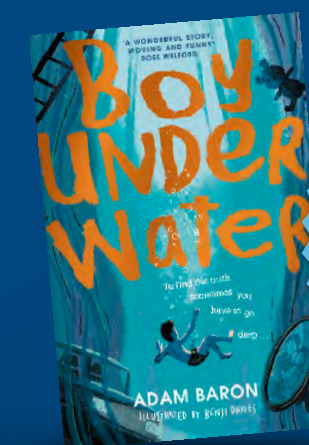
Adam Baron is the author of five successful novels and has, in his time, been an actor, comedian, journalist and press officer at *Channel 4* television (as well as other things he's too embarrassed to mention). He now runs the widely respected MA in Creative Writing at Kingston University London.

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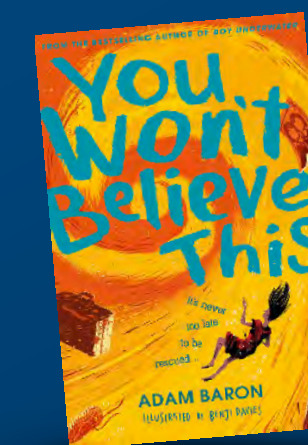
Benji Davies loves to draw and make up stories. He has written several picture books and illustrated many more, picking up a clutch of awards along the way. Twice winner of Oscar's Book Prize, he has also won the children's-book category of the AOI World Illustration Awards and the Sainsbury's Children's Book Prize. Benji lives in London with his wife and daughter.

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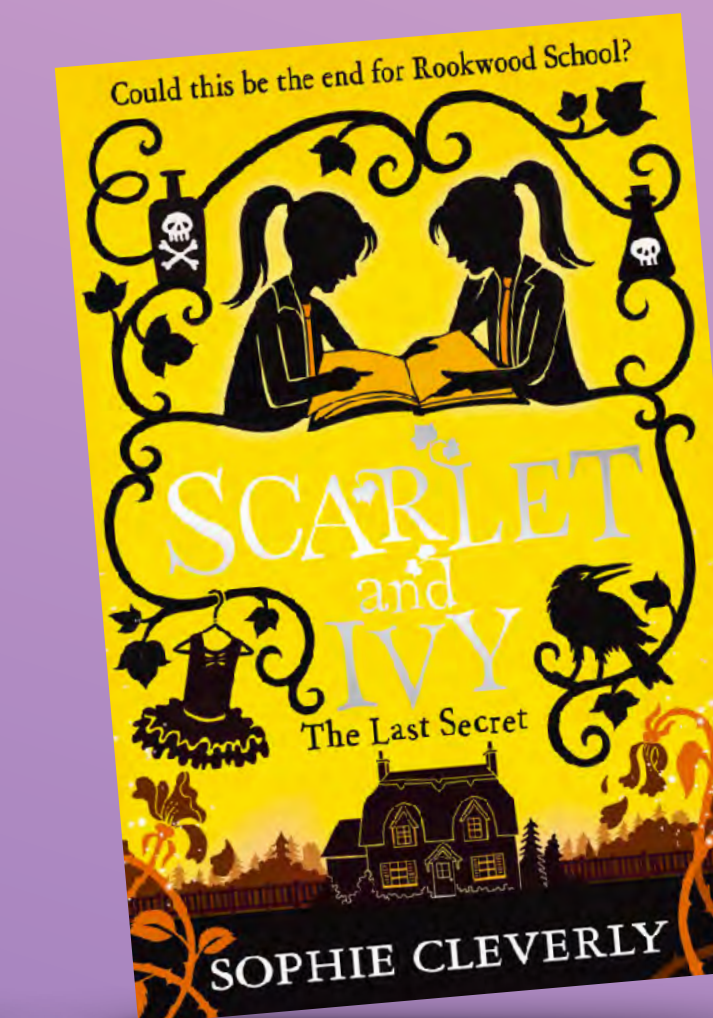
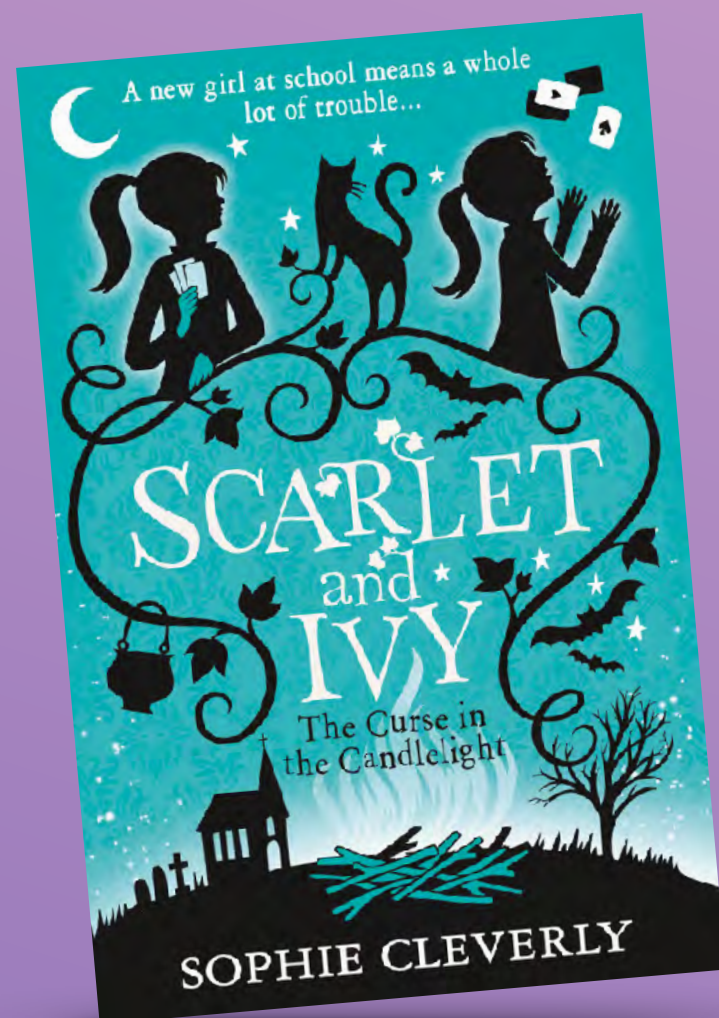
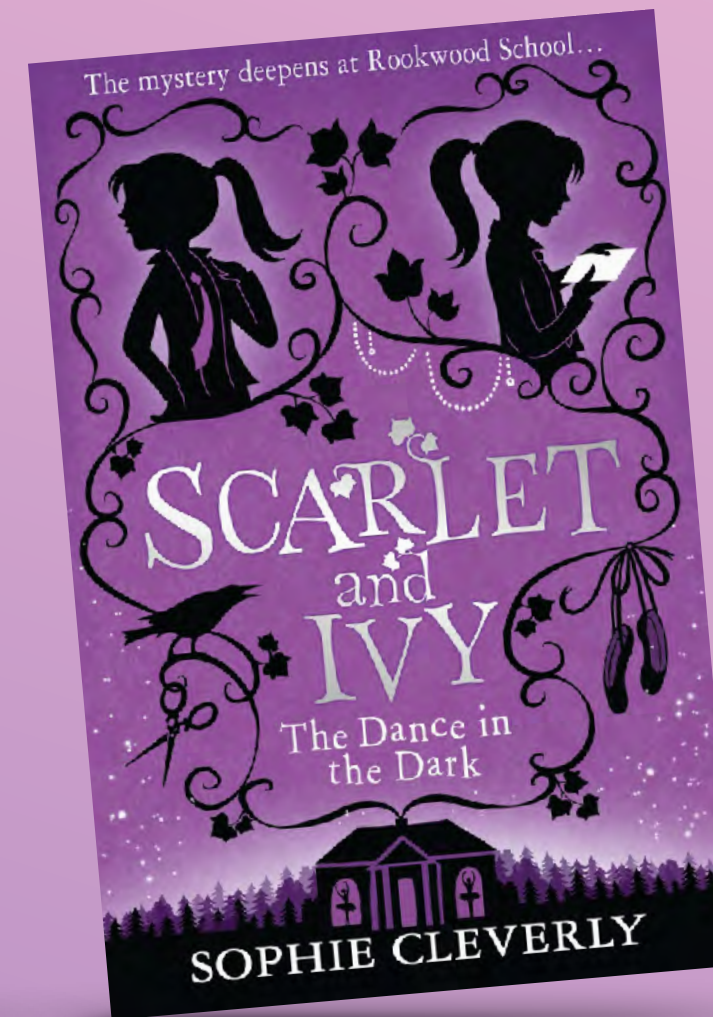
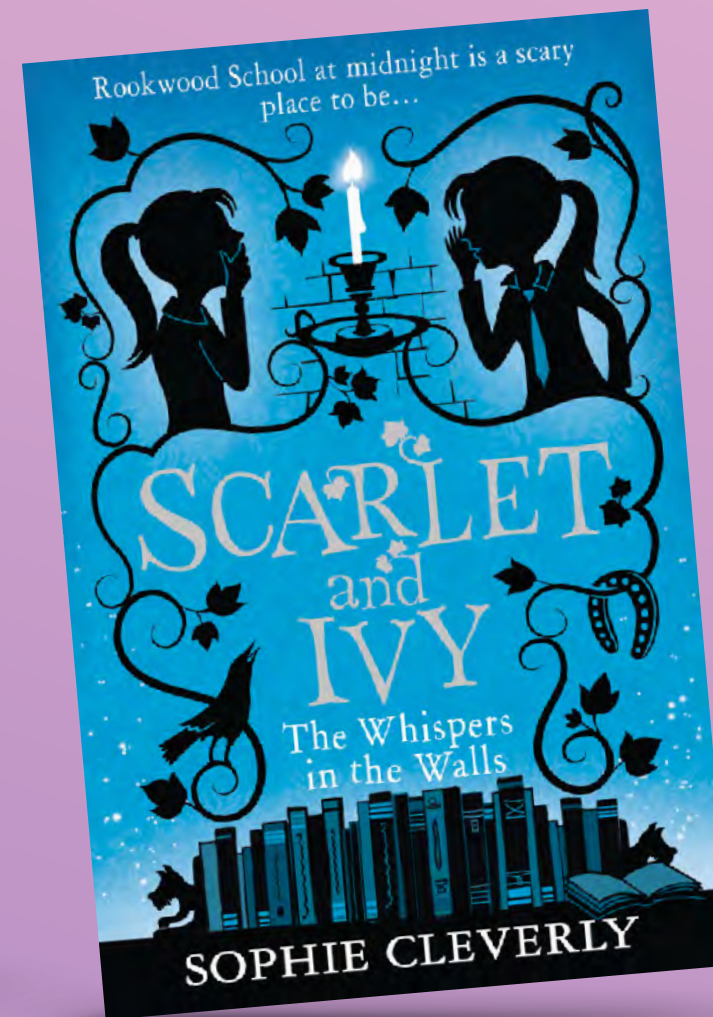
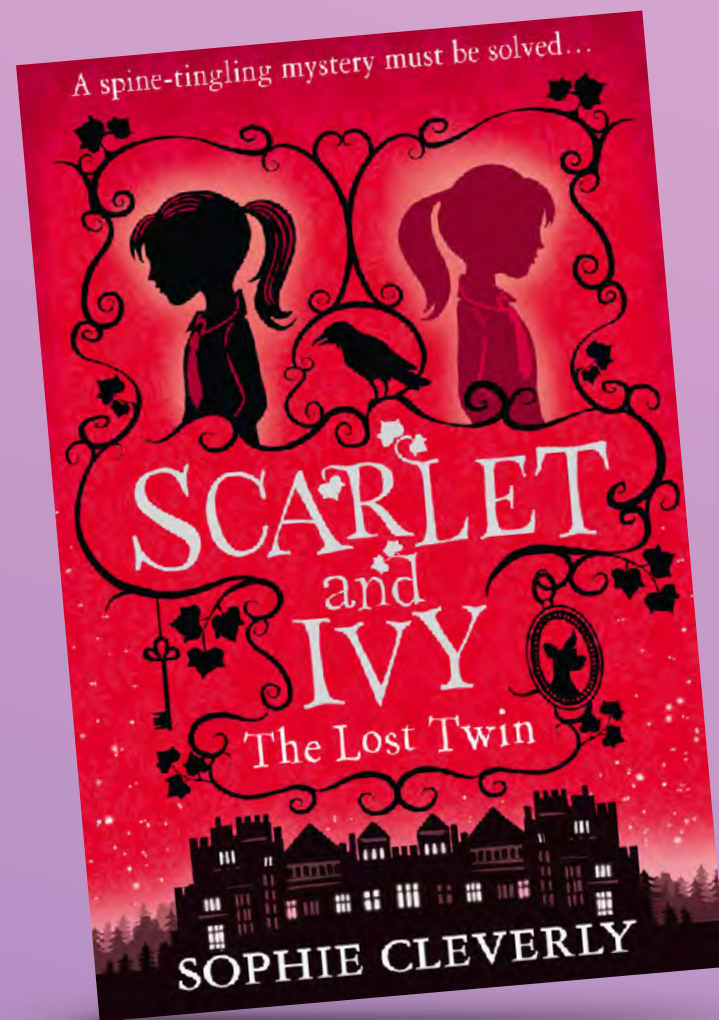
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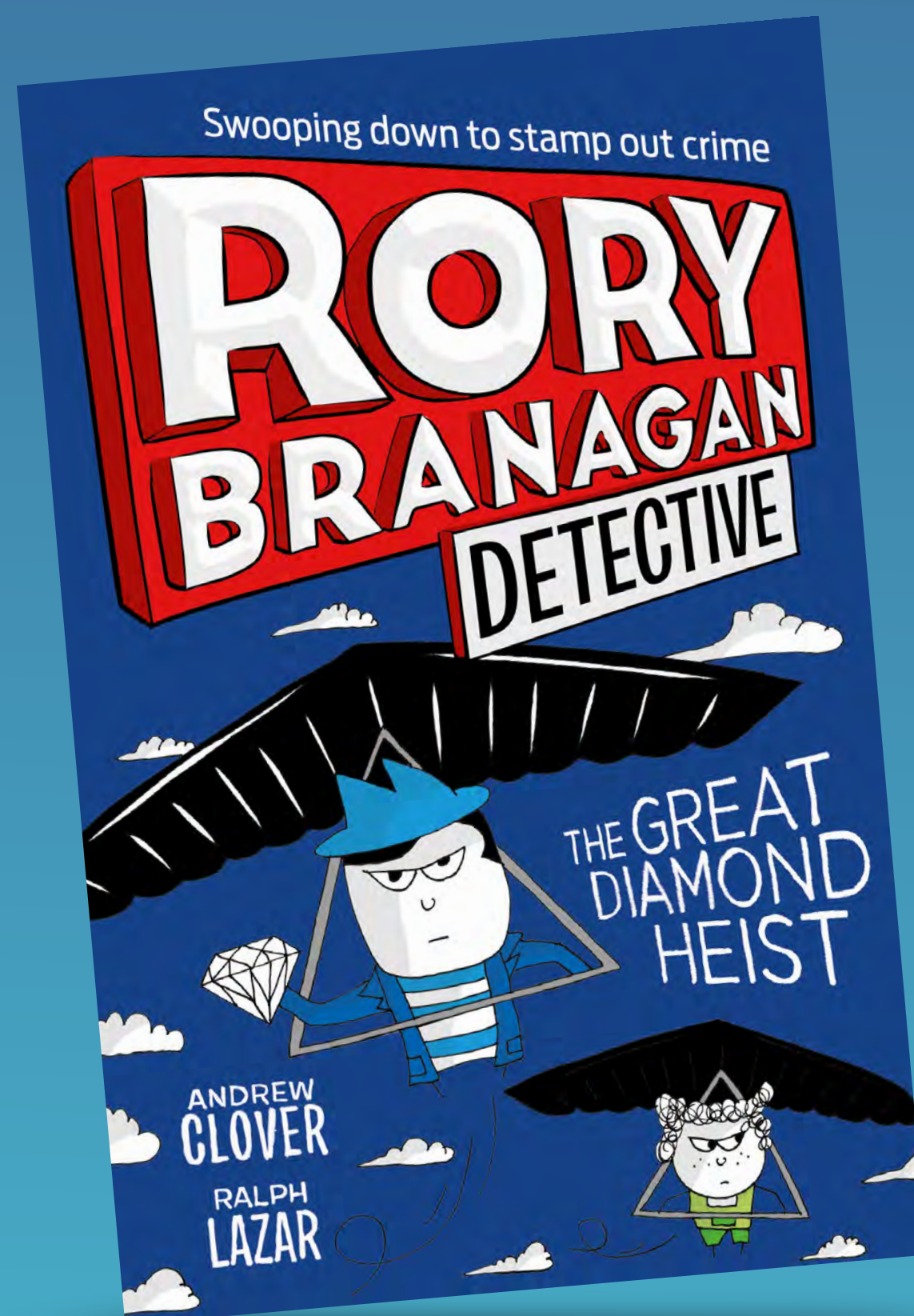
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THRILLING AND
MOVING TO BOOT"
PIERS TORDAY

AUTHOR INFO

Andrew Clover is an actor, writer and comic – nominated for a Perrier at the Edinburgh Fringe – and formerly a *Sunday Times Style* magazine featured writer. He is in constant demand in schools worldwide with his show *Seven Secrets of Storytelling*.

ILLUSTRATOR INFO

Ralph Lazar is a South African illustrator who lives in California. He is the creator of the globally successful *Happiness Is* website, which has 10 million visitors each week, and has collaborated with his wife, Lisa Swerling, on *The New York Times* bestseller *Me Without You*. Their *Brainwaves* series has been translated into twenty-two languages and won multiple awards, including two US Parents' Choice Awards.

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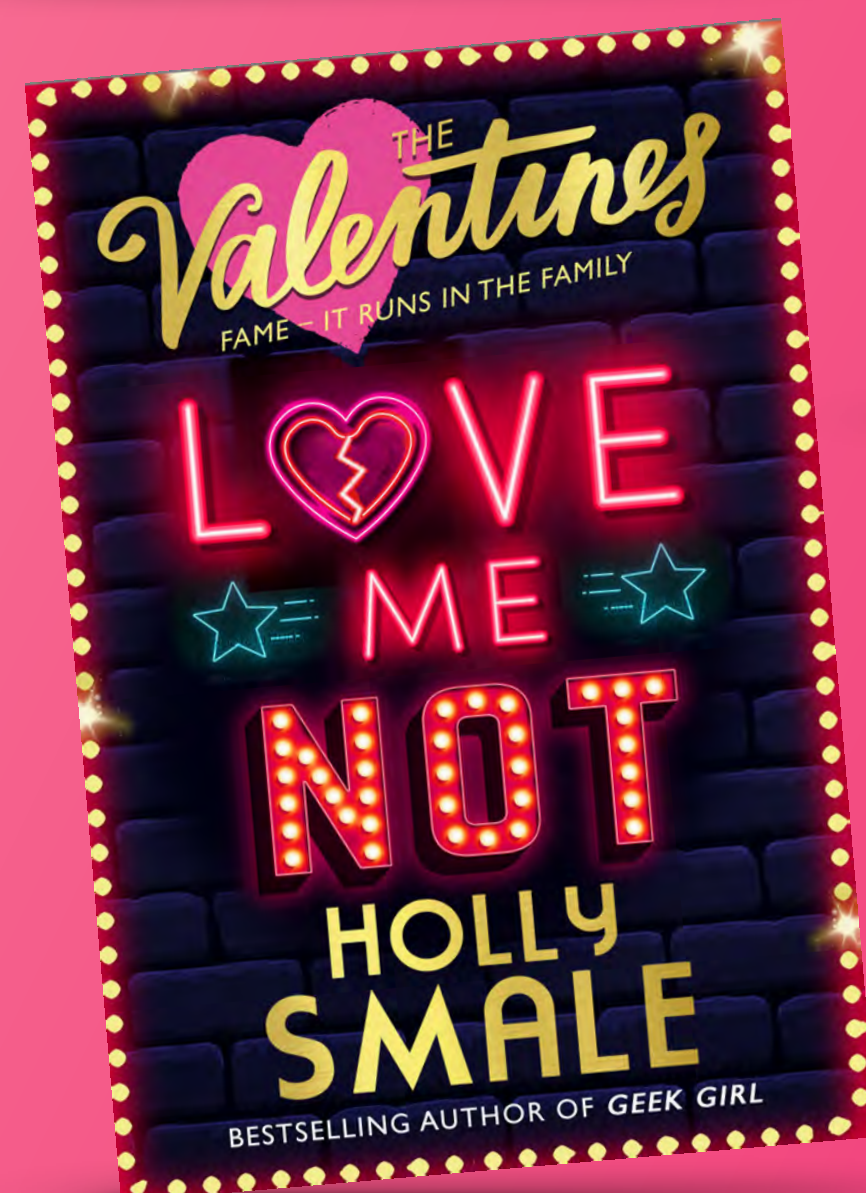
AUTHOR INFO

Stacy Gregg is the author of successful pony adventure series Pony Club Secrets (the inspiration for the TV show, *Mystic*) and Pony Club Rivals. She is also the author of stand-alone novels *The Princess and the Foal* and *The Island of Lost Horses*, both winners of the Children's Choice Junior Fiction award at the New Zealand Book Awards for Children and Young Adults. Formerly a fashion editor, Stacy is now a full-time writer.

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THE VALENTINES: LOVE ME NOT HOLLY SMALE

THE MEGA FAME-BUSTING SERIES FROM THE MULTI-MILLION BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF GEEK GIRL – ENDS ON A HIGH WITH THE HEART-WARMING, DARKLY FUNNY EXPLORATION OF WHAT IT REALLY MEANS TO BE FAMOUS, AND HOW TO HEAL A BROKEN HEART.

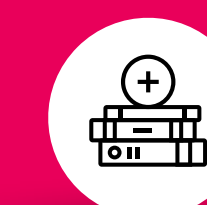
Party girl actress Mercy Valentine is nobody's hero and that's how she wants it. She's sarcastic, sharp and always defensive – so no one can hurt her ever again. Mercy's starring in a major theatre show and hitting the gossip headlines, but her glamorous world is about to come crashing down. And when Mercy crashes there will be fireworks . . .

AUTHOR INFO

Holly Smale wanted to write from the age of five and her passion for stories led her on a number of adventures, including modelling, teaching children in Japan, PR and backpacking around the world. Holly has a degree in English Literature and an MA in Shakespeare and Feminism from Bristol University.

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GEEK GIRL HOLLY SMALE

THIS NUMBER-ONE BESTSELLING SERIES HAS BEEN SHORTLISTED FOR SEVERAL MAJOR AWARDS INCLUDING THE ROALD DAHL FUNNY PRIZE AND THE BRANFORD BOASE AWARD, WINNING THE TEEN CATEGORY OF THE WATERSTONES CHILDREN'S BOOK PRIZE!

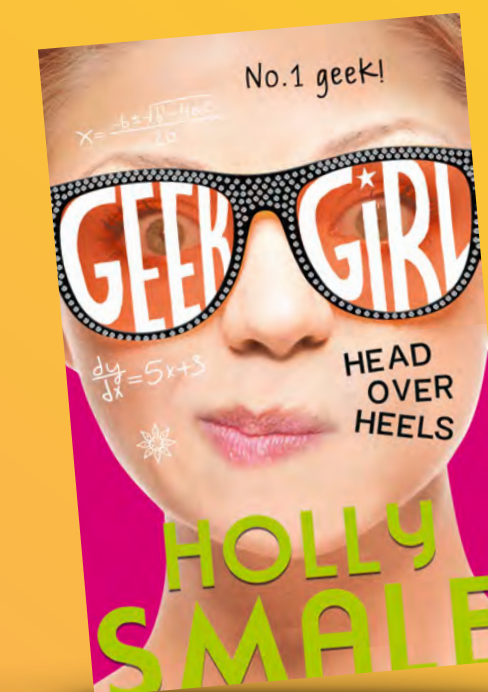
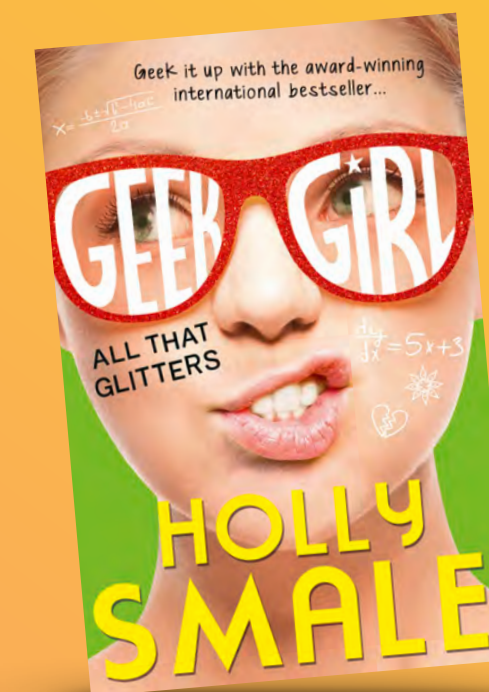
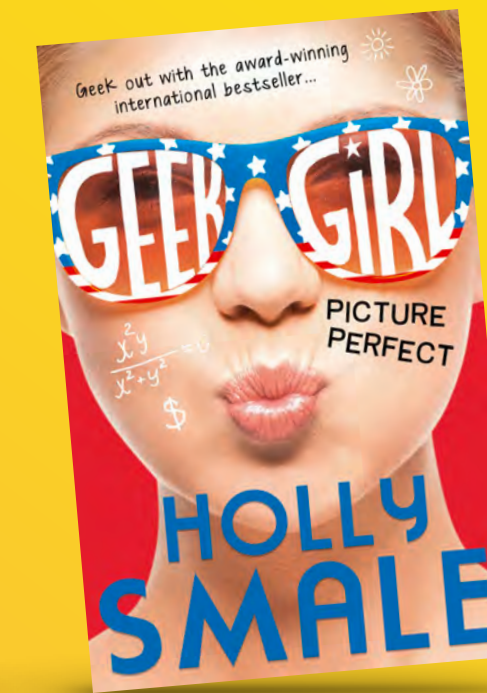
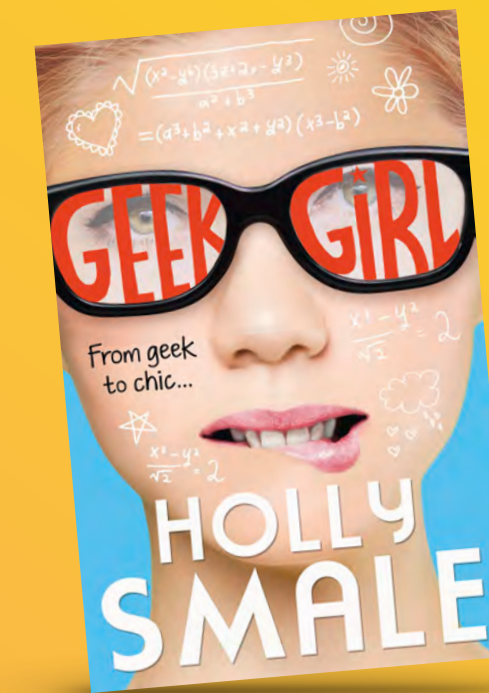
Harriet Manners knows that a "jiffy" lasts 1/100th of a second, and the average person laughs fifteen times per day. She knows that bats always turn left when exiting a cave and that peanuts are one of the ingredients of dynamite. But she doesn't know why nobody at school seems to like her.

So when Harriet is spotted by a top model agent, she grabs the chance to reinvent herself. Even if it means stealing her best friend's dream, incurring the wrath of her arch enemy Alexa and repeatedly humiliating herself in front of impossibly handsome model Nick. But as her old life starts to fall apart, will Harriet be able to transform herself before she ruins everything?

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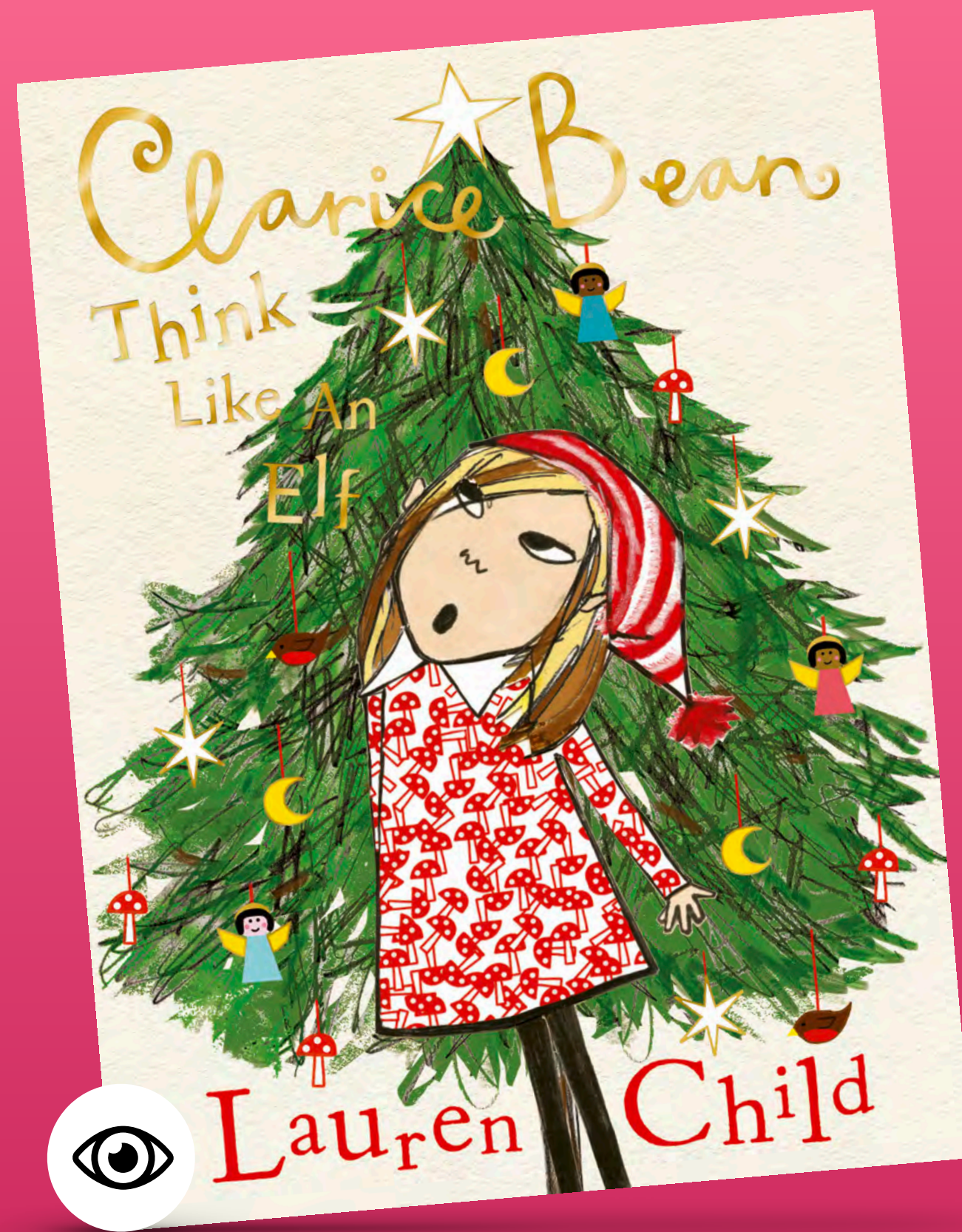
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CLARICE BEAN TRIUMPHANTLY RETURNS IN THIS JOYOUS
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AUTHOR INFO

Michael Bond served in the Royal Air Force and the British Army, and was a BBC cameraman before becoming a full-time author. He was awarded an OBE in 1997 and a CBE in 2015. He died in 2017, leaving behind one of the greatest literary legacies of our time.

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Rob Biddulph is the award-winning creator of many bestselling children's books, the first of which, *Blown Away*, won the best-illustrated and overall Waterstones Children's Book Prize for 2015. His Draw with Rob videos have made him a record-breaking internet sensation, with more than 45,000 viewers joining a live draw-along! Rob lives and works in London and you can visit him at www.robbiddulph.com

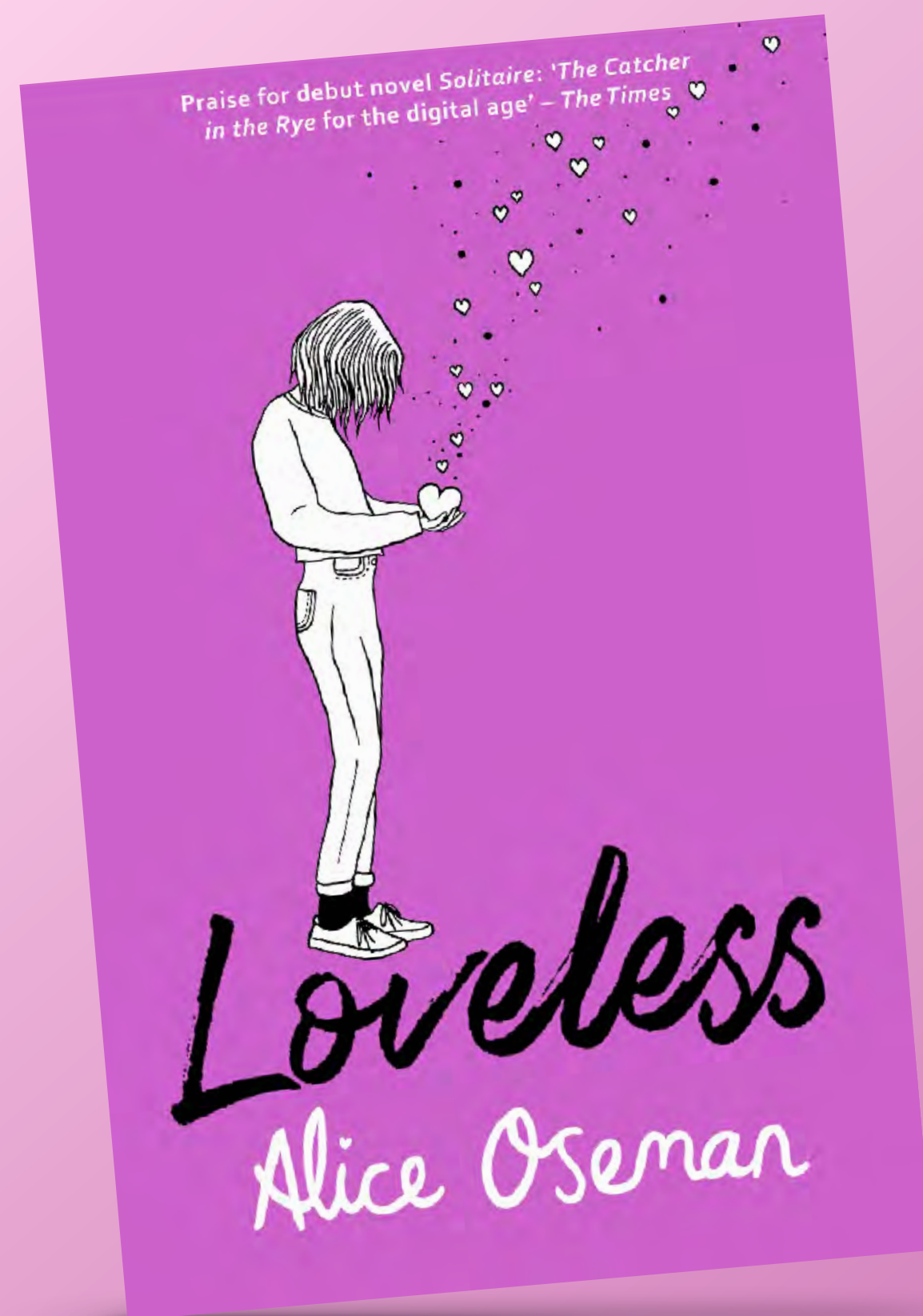
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AUTHOR INFO

Alice Oseman was born in 1994 in Kent, England. She completed a degree in English at Durham University in 2016 and is currently a full-time writer and illustrator. Alice can usually be found staring aimlessly at computer screens, questioning the meaninglessness of existence, or doing anything and everything to avoid getting an office job. Alice’s first book, *Solitaire*, was published when she was nineteen.

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