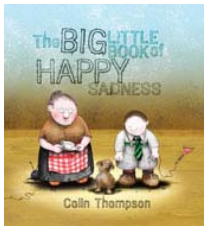


Dandy Lion
Lizzy Finlay
Picture book
9781862305960
\$17.95

When the 'delightfully different, bright yellow and rather scruffy' Dandy Lion joins Miss Gardener's neat and tidy class, chaos and fun follow. But after one messy incident too many he's told to go home – he just doesn't fit in. It doesn't take long, however, for everyone to realise that too much neatness and order isn't always a good thing and everyone's desperate for Dandy Lion to return!



The Big Little Book of Happy Sadness
Colin Thompson
Picture book
9781741662573
\$14.95

George lives with his grandmother and a big empty space where his mother and father should be. One Friday on his way home from school, George visits the animal shelter. There, in the very last cage, is Jeremy, a sad dog who looks as lost and lonely as George feels. When Jeremy comes home to live with George and his granny, their whole lives change, and they learn that when it comes to love, it's quality not quantity that counts . . .



Free to a good home
Colin Thompson
Picture book
9781741663181
\$24.95

Most people don't like being different. They want exactly the same things as their neighbours, only bigger and more of them. Yet no matter how much they have, they always feel there is something missing. The Smiths are not like other people. They might not be any good at cooking, or housework, or homework, but in their jumbled house full of strange things that will probably come in useful one day, they are happy and content. Yet the Smiths, too, feel that there is something missing from their lives. And today the children went down to the shops and found it.



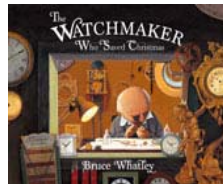
Grandpa
John Burningham
Picture Book
9780099434085
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Adorable Granpa nurses his granddaughter's dolls, mistakes er strawberry-flavoured pretend ice cream for chocolate, and fall in with her imaginary plans to captain a ship to Africa. It is a friendship that children who read this book will long remember.



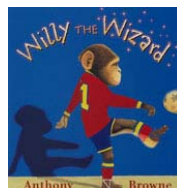
Pumpkin Soup
Helen Cooper
Picture Book
9780385611374
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Cat, Duck and Squirrel live in an old white cabin, with a pumpkin patch in the garden. Every day Cat slices up some pumpkin, Squirrel stirs in some water and Duck tips in some salt to make perfect pumpkin soup. Until the day Duck wants to do the stirring... A funny, rhythmical story about friendship and sharing and the first in a trio of bestselling picture books starring Cat, Squirrel and Duck.



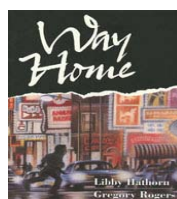
The Watchmaker who Saved Christmas
Bruce Whatley
Picture Book
9781741662245
\$16.95

This is a classically magical Christmas book based on the wonderful idea that Santa has a special watch that slows down time so he can deliver all his presents around the world. It has everything from the pathos of Charles Dickens's Tiny Tim (in this case the deaf boy who sacrifices his precious hearing aid to help fix Santa's watch), the intrigue of the watchmaker racing to meet a special Christmas deadline.



Willy the Wizard
Anthony Browne
Picture Book
9780552549356
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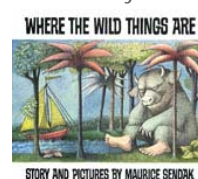
Willy the chimp loves football. But he doesn't have any boots, so he's never picked for the team. Then one evening Willy is given a strange pair of old-looking football boots... Willy's luck is about to change!



Way Home
Libby Hathorn
Picture Book
9780091829186
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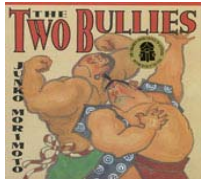
Dedicated to the largely unsung, mostly unseen workers for young people in need, this evocative picture book by Libby Hathorn will stir hearts everywhere.

With stunning illustrations by Gregory Rogers, this is the story of Shane and a cat with no name as they wander the streets at night on their way home.



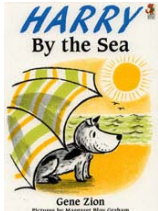
Where the Wild things are
Maurice Sendak
Picture Book
9780099408390
\$19.95

"Max, the hero of my book, discharges his anger against his mother, and returns to the real world sleepy, hungry, and at peace with himself... from their earliest years children live on familiar terms with disrupting emotions, fear and anxiety are an intrinsic part of their everyday lives, they continually cope with frustration as best they can. And it is through fantasy that children achieve catharsis. It is the best means they have for taming Wild Things"



Two Bullies
Junko Morimoto
Picture Book
9780091834722
\$16.95

A hilarious tale of conflict, with an ironic twist. Ni-ou, the Japanese giant, decides to challenge Dokkoi, the Chinese giant, to see who is the strongest. Although through a strange chain of events, they never get to hold the challenge - and they both end up scared off, and have a newfound respect for each other. This story goes to show that the strongest man doesn't always win!



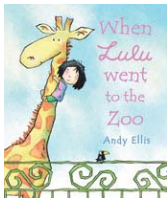
Harry By the Sea
Gene Zion
Picture Book
9780099189718
\$17.95

One of the stories featuring Harry, the black and white dog with a nose for mischief. At the seaside he gets tangled up with a bunch of seaweed and comes out of the water looking like a monster, frightening the whole seafront.



No Roses for Harry
Gene Zion
Picture Book
9780099978800
\$17.95

NO ROSES FOR HARRY Everyone thinks Harry looks lovely in his new knitted jacket covered in roses- except Harry! So Harry is on a mission to rid his back of those ridiculous roses!



When Lulu went to the Zoo
Andy Ellis
Picture Book
9781842707531
\$17.95

"When Lulu went to the zoo she was sad for the giraffes and the penguins too."

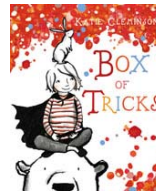
Lulu decides to release all the animals from their cages and takes them back to her house to live. However that turns out to be not quite such a good plan after all...



Can you Keep a Secret BK & CD
Mark Carthew
Picture Book
9333290009769
\$32.95

CAN YOU KEEP A SECRET is a stunning illustrated collection of nursery rhymes and lullabies, including action verse, playtime rhymes and counting rhymes that will inspire and excite young children, and remind adults of the magic of encountering rich language and imagery for the first time.

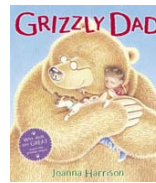
Mark Carthew has lovingly collected familiar favourites and a few lesser known gems, including fascinating rhymes from different cultures and languages.



Box Of Tricks
Katie Cleminson
Picture Book
9780224083447
\$32.95

For her birthday, Eva is given a very special present – a box of tricks! She soon discovers that she is a master magician and for her first trick conjures up a rather large pet from within... Monty the polar bear.

With her new friend she produces rabbits from hats, and a magical party with delicious food, the best musicians and lots of dancing. But when her guests finally begin to tire, Eva clicks her fingers and everything vanishes...



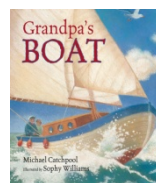
Grizzly Dad
Joanna Harrison
Picture Book
9780552554466
\$17.95

Dad woke up in a grrizzly mood. All morning he groaned and grizzled and grumped. And then he went back to bed! But when I pulled back the covers to see how he was, it wasn't Dad in bed at all . . . it was a GREAT BIG GRIZZLY BEAR! I should have been frightened, but the grumpy look on its face reminded me of someone . . .



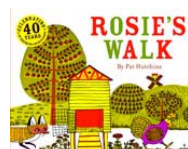
The Wild Washerwomen
Quentin Blake
Picture Book
9781842709146
\$17.95

'Look out, the wild washerwomen are coming!' Once upon a time there were seven unhappy washerwomen. They had far too much washing to do and the owner of the laundry, Mr Balthazar Tight, was simply dreadful! So they decide to go on strike. They are so happy with their newfound freedom that it seems nobody can control them. Until along come seven woodcutters, eager to teach them a lesson. But perhaps the washerwomen will teach the woodcutters a thing or two instead, and everyone might just live happily ever after...



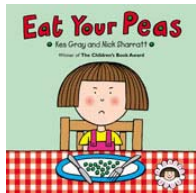
Grandpa's Boat
Michael Catchpool
Picture Book
9781842707555
\$21.95

Since Grandpa's illness and death, his family have left his boat, The Periwinkle, untouched and unused. But one day they decide to repair the boat in memory of Grandpa, and find that it is better to remember than to forget.



Rosie's Walk
Pat Hutchins
Picture Book
9781862308060
\$17.95

Rosie's walk around the farmyard, pursued by the hungry but clumsy fox, has become a beacon in the world of children's picture books, an ever-popular classic which generations have enjoyed.



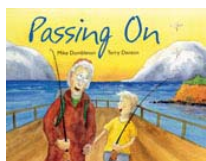
Eat Your Peas
Kes Gray
Picture Book
9781862308046
\$17.95

Daisy does NOT like peas. And there is NOTHING that will get her to eat them. Mum says she can have an extra pudding, a chocolate factory or a space rocket with double retro laser blammers – but it just won't work! Can quick-thinking Daisy save her tea time and come up with a cunning plan to turn the tables on Mum?



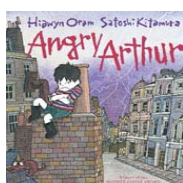
The Robot and the Bluebird
David Lucas
Picture Book
9781842707326
\$17.95

There was once a robot with a broken heart, good for nothing but expiring slowly on a scrap heap. Then one winter's day a migrating bluebird lands on his shoulder, too exhausted to go further. The robot offers her shelter in the place where his heart used to be, and her warmth and singing and companionship stir up the last glimmer of energy the robot has; he carries her across snowy wastes to the warm south, whereupon his strength dies out finally. And there he still stands today like an old hollow tree, home every year to singing birds.



Passing On
Mike Dumbleton
Picture Book
9780091840891
\$16.95

A grandmother and her young grandchild treasure the time they have together. The wonderful hours spent reading, fishing and paddling in the sea will always be remembered. An uplifting story about a relationship that never dies.



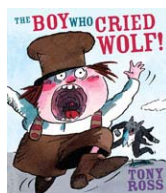
Angry Arthur
Hiawyn Oram
Picture Book
9781842707746
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Once there was a boy called Arthur, who wanted to stay up and watch TV, but his mother won't let him. "I'll get angry," said Arthur, and he did. Very, very angry...



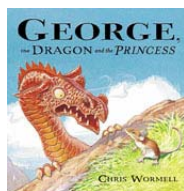
Angelo
David Macaulay
Picture Book
9781842708422
\$17.95

When Angelo is restoring an old church in Rome, he finds a small bird, barely breathing. Not being able to find somewhere safe to leave her, he has no choice but to take her home with him. Despite Angelo's 'professional dislike for pigeons', the pair become friends, and Angelo names the bird Sylvia. Eventually, Sylvia is able to repay Angelo's kindness by supporting him when he needs it most.



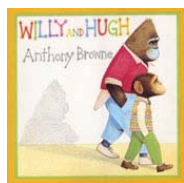
The boy Who cried Wolf
Tony Ross
Picture Book
9781842708330
\$17.95

On one side of the mountain a wolf lives in the lap of luxury - on the other side lives a boy called Harry. Whenever Harry is made to do anything he doesn't like (such as washing or playing the violin), he distracts people by crying, 'Wolf!' even though the wolf is nowhere to be seen. Then one day the wolf really does jump out at Harry, except this time when Harry cries 'Wolf!' nobody takes any notice. . . A hilarious and quirky retelling of a famous fable, with an unexpected ending!



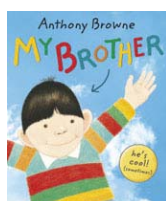
George, The Dragon and the Princess
Chris Wormell
Picture Book
9781862301863
\$19.95

Far, far away over the high, high mountains in an old castle wall, in a tiny, tiny hole there lives a little mouse called George. He's very small and rather timid and he can be a bit clumsy too. In fact, poor George is so hopeless that he can't even make lunch without burning his cheese on toast!



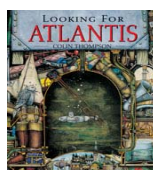
Willy and Hugh
Anthony Browne
Picture Book
9780552559652
\$17.95

Willy the chimp is lonely, but then he bumps into the gorilla Hugh Jape, and though the two of them are different, a touching friendship grows between them. Hugh protects little Willy from the attentions of Buster Nose, and Willy can read to Hugh and save the day when a hairy spider comes along!



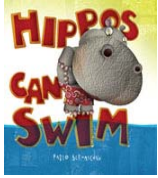
My Brother
Anthony Browne
Picture Book
9780552555517
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My brother is really COOL. He's a SUPER skateboarder and he's got MASSIVE muscles. He can run so FAST that . . . he can FLY! Yes, my brother is really COOL.



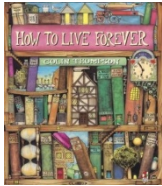
Looking for Atlantis
Colin Thompson
Picture Book
9781741662337
\$16.95

Grandfather left his grandson a seafarer's chest, a parrot called Titanic and a dream – the dream of looking for Atlantis. 'Atlantis is right here all around you,' Grandfather said, 'you have to learn how to look for it.' So when Grandfather dies, the boy starts looking: in the chest, on shelves, in books, under the stairs. Colin Thompson's dazzlingly detailed pictures richly illustrate the boy's magical journey of discovery.



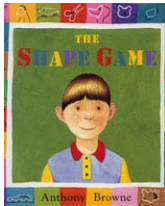
Hippos can Swim
 Pablo Bernasconi
 Picture Book
 9781741660791
 \$24.95

Who ever heard of a hippo who didn't swim?
 Hippo's family all love to swim - but not him. He's afraid of the water. So he sets off to find himself some friends who don't like swimming either. He tries skipping rope with the rabbits, but he's too heavy to jump. He goes on the seesaw, but even seven monkeys aren't enough to lift him off the ground. He can't even climb trees. Eventually he decides to face his fears, and plunges into the lagoon... only to find that in his own element, he is as light as a bird.



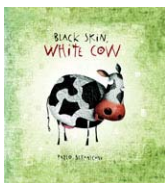
How to live forever
 Colin Thompson
 Picture Book
 9780099461814
 \$17.95

Colin Thompson's books are mystical and complex, they will appeal to children and adults alike and demand to be returned to as there is always a new image to see . . . something more to catch the eye. Peter and his family live among the Quinces in the cookery section of a mystical library, and at night, when the library comes to life, Peter ventures out of his home to find a missing volume: How To Live Forever



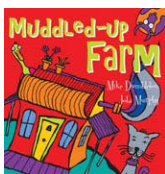
The Shape Game
 Anthony Browne
 Picture Book
 9780552546966
 \$17.95

'I was a little boy and I didn't know what to expect. It was my mother's idea - that year for her birthday she wanted us all to go somewhere different. It turned out to be a day that changed my life forever.'



Black Skin, White Cow
 Pablo Bernasconi
 Picture Book
 9781740519847
 \$16.95

One morning, the most coquettish cow on the farm wakes up and decides she no longer likes her black and white spots. She tries desperately to make herself more beautiful than all the other cows, before eventually realising that she is better off just as she is.



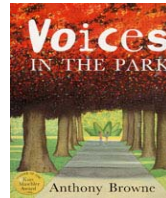
Muddled Up Farm
 Mike Dumbleton
 Picture Book
 9781740517331
 \$14.95

Muddled-up Farm is a very special farm. From the cat to the cow it's full of surprises. On Muddled-up Farm all the animals happily make the wrong noises. Then a farm inspector arrives and demands that things must change. Things definitely change... but not in the way he expected!



The Polar Express
 Chris Allsburg
 Picture Book
 9781842709498
 \$19.95

Late on Christmas Eve, after the town has gone to sleep, a boy boards a mysterious train that waits for him: the Polar Express bound for the North Pole. When he arrives there, Santa offers him any gift he desires. The boy modestly asks for one bell from the reindeer's harness. It turns out to be a very special gift, for only believers in Santa can hear it ring.



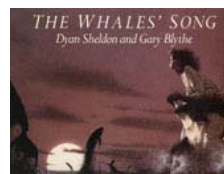
Voices in the Park
 Anthony Browne
 Picture Book
 9780552545648
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A wonderfully original story of children overcoming adult snobbery. Told from four radically different perspectives, each voice telling a different version of the same walk in the park. This simple story explores many key themes such as alienation, friendship and the bizarre amid the mundane.



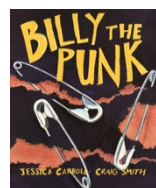
Mr Magnolia
 Quentin Blake
 Picture Book
 9780099400424
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Mr Magnolia has only one boot. He has an old trumpet that goes rooty-toot -And two lovely sisters that play on the flute -But Mr Magnolia has only one boot. In this wittily rhyming picture book, Mr Magnolia has a full and happy life except for one serious omission - a boot. But one day, he receives a mysterious parcel, and Mr Magnolia can splash in the puddles with everyone else!



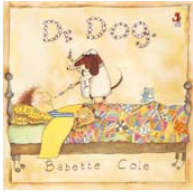
The Whale's Song
 Blythe Sheldon
 Picture Book
 9780099737605
 \$17.95

This poetic, rhythmic text tells how a small girl believes the whales will come - as they did in past times - and fill the oceans, "as big as the hills . . . as peaceful as the moon". Day after day, Lilly waits by the shore. If only she knew the secret of the whales' song.



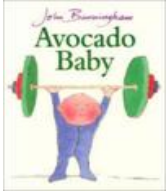
Billy the Punk
 Jessica Carroll
 Picture Book
 9780091829346
 \$17.95

Billy decides that he needs to look different. Very different. And he doesn't care that no one much likes his hair or his new clothes. Billy thinks he looks GREAT!



Dr Dog
Babette Cole
Picture Book
9780099650812
\$17.95

Meet Doctor Dog, he's the Gumboyle family's favourite pet and their very own trusty physician. When Doctor Dog jets off to a medical conference in Brazil the Guimboyles decide they can't survive without him and so he returns to rescue them from all sorts of ailments: itchy nits, tickly tonsils and worms to name but a few. . .



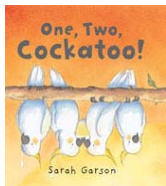
Avocado Baby
John Burningham
Picture Book
9780099200611
\$17.95

The Hargraves, a kind but scrawny family, want their new baby to grow up big and strong. But the tiny tyke will hardly eat a thing. One day, Mrs. Hargraves finds an avocado in the fruit bowl, and the infant gobbles it up. But then, the strangest things begin to happen as the baby develops superhuman strength. Just the book for picky eaters.



Zoo
Anthony Browne
Picture Book
9780099219019
\$17.95

A boy endures a tedious visit to the zoo with his family. Readers accompany a father, a mother, and their two young boys as they tour the zoo. By contrasting the actions of the animals in the cages with those of the family, readers might begin to wonder who really belongs behind bars.



One Two Cockatoo
Sarah Garson
Picture Book
9781741664454
\$19.95

Small children will love learning to count from one to ten as they search for the cockatoos hidden in the pages of this gorgeous picture book.