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THE BESTSELLING HAUNTED CANADA SERIES IS NOW A GRAPHIC NOVEL!

Ages 9 & up

Perfect for those who love graphic novels and existing fans of the original series, these four stories have it all: creepy Canadian settings, hair-raising history and super-scary storytelling. Illustrated in full colour, these blood-curdling tales are sure to keep any reader turning the pages – and awake at night.

Haunted Canada Graphic Novel Vol. 1 brings you the illustrated works from Hannah Barrett, Jenn Woodall, David Bishop, and Matt Salisbury!



Marketing

- Cover reveal with media outlet
- National review mailing
- Media pitches
- Festival submissions and events
- Bookmarks
- Book Trailer
- Social media campaign
- Cross-promotion with original series and other horror titles

Haunted Canada Graphic Novel Vol. 1

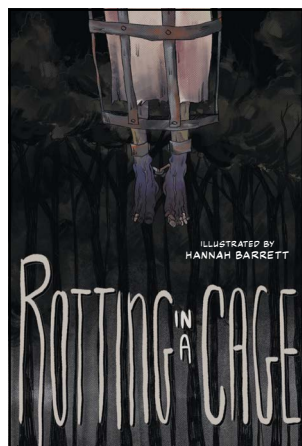
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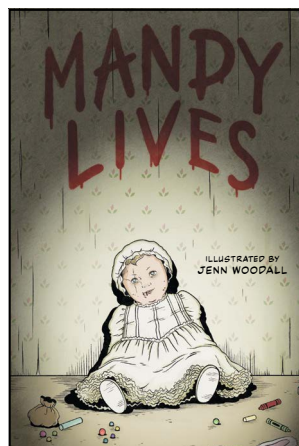
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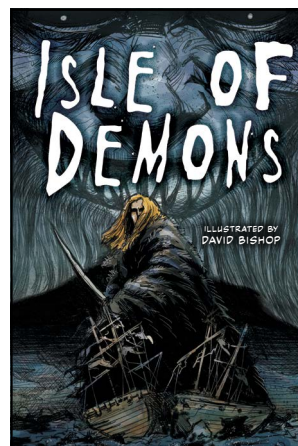
FOUR SEPARATE STORIES ILLUSTRATED BY TOP CANADIAN ILLUSTRATORS



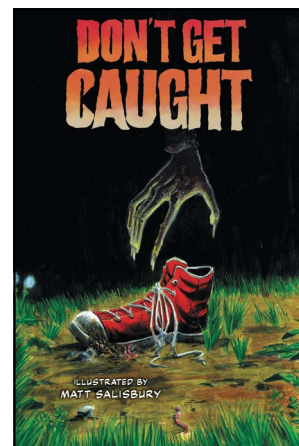
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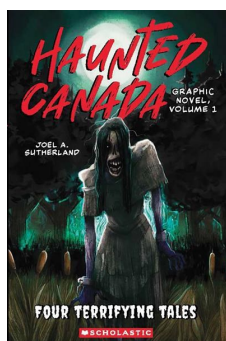
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About the Author

JOEL A. SUTHERLAND is the Silver Birch and Hackmatack Award-winning author of numerous Haunted Canada books and the Red Maple Award Honour Book Summer's End. His middle-grade fiction series, Haunted, has been praised by Goosebumps author R.L. Stine. Joel lives with his family in southeastern Ontario, where he works as a library manager and is always on the lookout for ghosts. Visit him online at www.joelasutherland.com



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- 144 pages
- Scholastic Canada

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JUVENILE FICTION / Comics & Graphic Novels / Horror

Audience range

Age (years) from 9 - 12, Grade (US) from 4 - 7

Distributor

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Carton Quantity: 44



Haunted Canada

Haunted Canada The Graphic Novel: Four Terrifying Tales

By (author) Joel A. Sutherland , Illustrated by Hannah Barrett, Illustrated by David Bishop , Illustrated by Matt Salisbury, Illustrated by Jenn Woodall

Sep 03, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$16.99

The bestselling Haunted Canada series is now a graphic novel!

For over 20 years, kids across Canada have delighted in the spooky stories of the Haunted Canada series!

And now, for the first time, four of these tales from award-winning author Joel A. Sutherland have been adapted into chilling graphic novellas. Each story is brought to ghastly life by a different illustrator, and brought together in one terrifying volume.

In this first collection, horror lovers will read about:

- A corpse that haunts a crossroads . . .
- A creepy doll with a mind of its own . . .
- An island that is no vacation destination . . .
- A neighbour with a scary reputation . . .

Perfect for those who love graphic novels and existing fans of the original series, these four stories have it all: creepy Canadian settings, hair-raising history and super-scary storytelling. Illustrated in full colour, these blood-curdling tales are sure to keep any reader turning the pages — and awake at night.

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HANNAH BARRETT is a Canadian narrative illustrator passionate about folk horror, cosmic horror and analogue horror. She has a strong attention to detail when creating creatures that go bump in the night. Her extensive research assists in creating emotional, thought-provoking narrative work that instills many different emotions from readers and viewers alike.

DAVID BISHOP always wanted to make comics . . . and now he does! He was born in Montreal, grew up in Brampton and now resides in Pickering, Ontario. He has recently illustrated for the Chapterhouse series True Patriot Presents and writes and draws his own comic series, Of Stone. D.A. Bishop also enjoys oil painting and just hanging out with his wife and two kids. Visit him online at www.renerd.com.

Key Selling Points

FALL 2024 REP PICK! Cathy Robertson, Scholastic - Trade Sales Representative, Eastern Ontario, Québec, Atlantic Canada, Manitoba, Saskatchewan

4 terrifying stories inspired by the original series now in a graphic form! This bestselling series is now in a bestselling format where we took extreme care to match the right illustrator with the right story. As usual, stories will be from across Canada.



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Reviews**Praise for Joel A. Sutherland**

"One of the most promising new voices in horror." — Jeff Strand, author of *A Bad Day for Voodoo* and *Pressure*

"A talent to watch." — Dark Scribe Magazine "Keep an eye on Sutherland. This guy has got a great future ahead of him." — Joe McKinney, author of *Dead City*, *Quarantined* and *Peacekeepers*

Praise for Haunted Canada:

"Canada's answer to R.L. Stine." — *Quill & Quire*

Praise for *Haunted: The House Next Door*.

"What could be scarier than moving next-door to a haunted house? How about a ghost horse? How about a ghastly murder or two? This book is CHILLING. Loved it!" — R.L. Stine, author of *Goosebumps*



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- English
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- 248 pages
- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Social Themes / Adolescence & Coming of Age

Audience range

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Distributor

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Is There a Boy Like Me?

By (author) Kern Carter

Oct 01, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$14.99

A powerful novel that challenges the limitations and pressures placed on boys today.

London feels stuck. His school friends think he's this confident kid who likes video games and will kick your butt if you get on his bad side. His high-achieving parents think he's a genius coder and are pushing him to pursue that as a future career. None of this is true. London feels anxiety in crowds, and what he really wants to do is be by himself and read books. Not knowing what else to do, London starts an anonymous online comic called "Is There A Boy Like Me," where he expresses his true feelings and explores what his life would be like if he could just be who he wanted to be. When the comic goes viral, it starts a global conversation about what being a boy really means, with London directly in the middle of it all.

Contributor Bio

KERN CARTER is a full-time freelance writer and author who has written and self-published two novels — *Thoughts of a Fractured Soul* (novella) and *Beauty Scars*. His YA novel *Boys and Girls Screaming* released in April 2022, published by DCB, an imprint of Cormorant Books. Kern is also a ghostwriter with credits in *Forbes*, the *New York Times*, *Global Citizen*, *Elle Magazine* and *Fatherly.com*, and has ghostwritten several books. When he's not penning novels or ghostwriting, Kern is curating stories through CRY, his online publication that creates space for artists to navigate through the emotions of their creative journey. He lives in downtown Toronto with his daughter.



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"The characters are honest and authentic, their voices wavering between childhood and maturity, their emotions alternating between feeling shattered and pretending to be whole." (*Boys and Girls Screaming*) — *Quill & Quire*

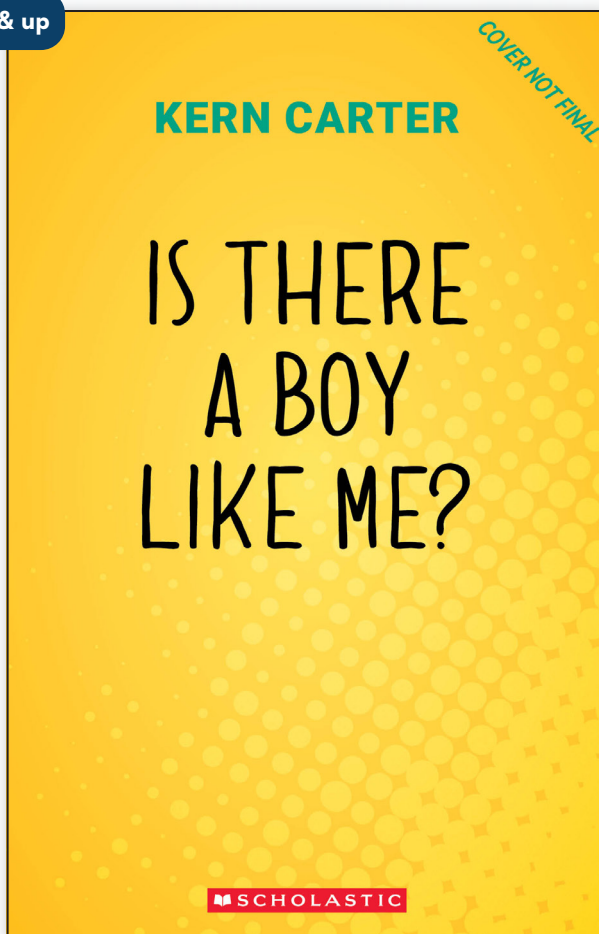
"A thought-provoking read about the pain involved in healing childhood trauma." (*Boys and Girls Screaming*) — *Kirkus Reviews*

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Ages 10 & up

About the book

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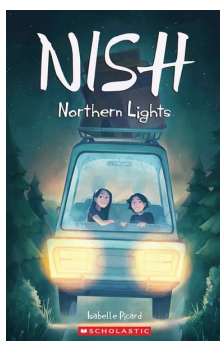
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Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

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Nish

Nish: Northern Lights

By (author) Isabelle Picard , Translated by Kateri Aubin Dubois 

Sep 03, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$14.99

The second book in Isabelle Picard's bestselling coming-of-age series about Innu twins, Leon and Eloise.

Leon and Eloise are 13-year-old twins from Matimekush, an Innu community in Northern Quebec.

The entire McKenzie family has moved to Wendake, near Quebec City. Leaving Matimekush, nature, their friends and their school is quite a challenge for Eloise and Leon. Between the adapting to a different world, their desire to make new friends and the need to keep their bond with the old ones, everything goes too fast.

At school, a student bullies Eloise, and she has to deal with this difficult situation. As for Leon, he starts doubting his hockey skills: Is he really talented or was he the best in Matimekush only because the competition simply wasn't as strong? In the midst of this storm, Leon and Eloise can always count on each other as well as their family and friends.

The Mystery unfolds on every page as we get to see the twins in a different light. What if, ultimately, life in the South isn't that different from life in the North?

Contributor Bio

ISABELLE PICARD, originally from Wendake reserve in Quebec, is an ethnologist, Radio-Canada's Senior Specialist in Indigenous Affairs and a lecturer at UQAM. She aims to increase understanding of the realities and challenges faced by Indigenous peoples of Quebec.

KATERI AUBIN DUBOIS is a freelance translator and a prolific beadworker. Her beadwork can be found under her Indigenous name, Nisnipawset. Kateri is from the Wolastoqiyik Wahsipekuk First Nation. She lives with her husband, two children and a fluffy cat in Terrebonne, Quebec.



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Reviews

"*Nish: North and South* is a solid translation of an already popular series – one that English readers are likely to latch on to as the *Nish* series makes its way to the shelves." (*Nish: North and South*) – *Quill & Quire*

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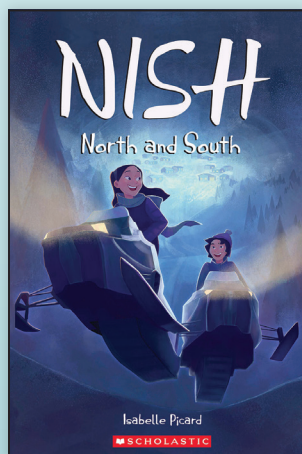
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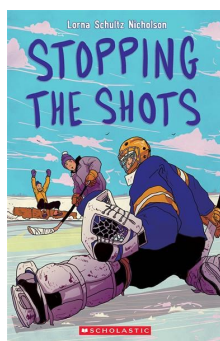


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Audience range

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Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

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**Stopping the Shots**

By (author) Lorna Schultz Nicholson 🍁

Oct 01, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$11.99

Is there room in a family for two hockey stars?

In this companion book to *Taking the Ice*, goalie Mike Krieger (aka Tree) takes centre stage. Although Mike is known to be calm and collected, his home life is more difficult than it seems.

His younger brother, Eric, is a hockey hotshot, already playing on the top U13 team. And their parents are so focused on Eric's game that Mike's success in net is barely noticed — except by his older brother, Liam, who was born with Down syndrome and is Mike's biggest fan. Mike's parents dismiss a suggestion that he could be good enough to attend a top goalie camp, and while Mike is used to living in Eric's shadow, the tension between the two brothers increases when Mike is asked to play goal for Eric's team.

When an accident threatens Eric's hockey career, and money troubles threaten his parents' farm, Mike worries he might also have to give up the sport he loves. He decides to risk his reputation — and more — for the new goalie pads he desperately needs. But when the truth comes out, can Mike find a way to make things right?

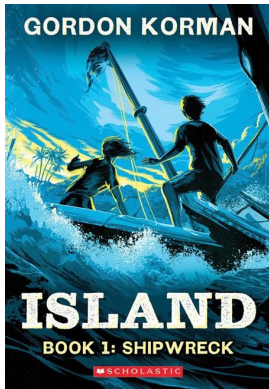
Contributor Bio

LORNA SCHULTZ NICHOLSON grew up in St. Catharines, Ontario, and as a child loved to read, write and compete in all kinds of sports. She is the respected author of many middle-grade and YA novels, the Puckster picture book series, and several non-fiction books about hockey, including the *Amazing Hockey Stories* series. Lorna lives in Edmonton, Alberta with her family. Not surprisingly, she is a HUGE Edmonton Oilers fan. Visit her online at www.lornaschultznicholson.com.

**Reviews**

"*Taking the Ice* shows the genuine relationships, growth, and struggles faced by kids as they approach their teen years. They struggle with fitting in (whether they are new to a place or not), with balancing their own personal desires with an understanding of how their choices can impact their wider community, and they struggle with navigating complicated relationships with peers who are sometimes going through struggles of their own. Nicholson navigates some tougher topics in a way that is appropriate to her target audience. Bullying, grief, lying, and tension caused by socio-economic differences are all explored, examined, and resolved in ways that feel authentic to the characters. The characters don't always deal with everything perfectly the first time, but they do show growth as they navigate these obstacles and eventually land on healthy resolutions. Nicholson achieves this with an authentic youth voice in her writing and without ever coming across as preachy or didactic." (*Taking the Ice*) — *CM: Canadian Review of Materials*

Scholastic Canada Fall 2024 - Island Trilogy



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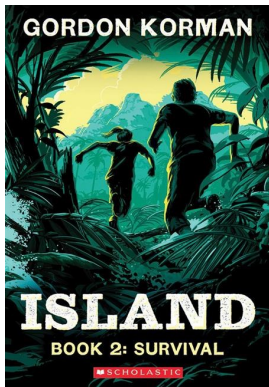
Island Trilogy (Korman) 1
Shipwreck (Island Trilogy, Book 1)

by Gordon Korman 
Sep 03, 2024 Paperback , Trade \$9.99 CAD

An action-packed survival suspense from bestselling and award-winning author Gordon Korman.

Six kids. One shipwreck. One desert island.

They didn't want to be on the boat in the first place. They were sent there as punishment, or as a character-building experience. Now the adults are gone, and the quest for survival has begun.



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Island Trilogy (Korman) 2
Survival (Island Trilogy, Book 2)

by Gordon Korman 
Sep 03, 2024 Paperback , Trade \$9.99 CAD

The second installment in the survival suspense series Island, from bestselling and award-winning author Gordon Korman

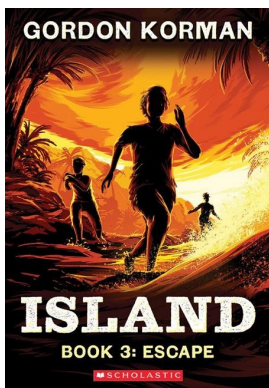
Six kids.

One shipwreck.

One desert island.

Stranded. Separated.

Six kids are stuck on a desert island. They have no food. No shelter. Nobody knows they are lost. They must take from the island in order to survive. But what if they're not alone?



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Island Trilogy (Korman) 3
Escape (Island Trilogy, Book 3)

by Gordon Korman 
Sep 03, 2024 Paperback , Trade \$9.99 CAD

The thrilling conclusion the survival suspense series Island, from bestselling and award-winning author Gordon Korman!

Luke, Charla, Will, Lyssa, JJ., and Ian aren't alone on their desert island. They've survived so far -- but now their enemies are closing in. They have only one chance at escaping. Will they make it?





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- Scholastic Press

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JUVENILE FICTION / Fantasy & Magic

Audience range

Age (years) from 8 - 12, Grade (US) from 3 - 7

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

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Best Wishes 3

Time After Time (Best Wishes #3)

By (author) Sarah Mlynowski 🍁, By (author) Christina Soontornvat

Nov 12, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$8.99

The *New York Times* bestselling series!**Pass the magic on! This enchanting multi-author series is like *American Girl* with magic.****In this book, written by bestselling author Sarah Mlynowski and three-time Newbery Honor recipient Christina Soontornvat, the magic bracelet comes to a girl in Texas, who ends up in a *Groundhog Day*-style time loop.**

Lucy Usathorn of Fort Worth, Texas is super excited for her class trip to the Natural History Museum, where her dad works. Sure, Ms. Brock, the strict school librarian who happens to be dating Lucy's dad (awkward) is chaperoning, but it'll still be the best day ever, right?

Wrong! Lucy has to watch in shock and humiliation as her dad *proposes* to Ms. Brock. Lucy is distraught. If only she could do this whole day over from scratch...

Enter the magic bracelet. It arrives in the mail, with a long letter from Addie, a girl in Columbus, Ohio, who had the bracelet last time. The bracelet grants wishes, and Lucy knows just what to wish for: a do-over day, where she'll fix everything and most importantly, prevent her dad from proposing to Ms. Brock.

The wish comes true--but not quite as Lucy expected. Her day keeps repeating over and over, and things keep getting worse in unique (and hilarious) ways. With the help of her new long-distance friends, Addie and Becca, will Lucy be able to

Contributor Bio

Sarah Mlynowski is the *New York Times* bestselling author of the *Whatever After* series, the *Magic in Manhattan* series, *Best Wishes*, *Gimme a Call*, and a bunch of other books for teens and tweens, including the *Upside-Down Magic* series, which she cowrites with Lauren Myracle and Emily Jenkins and which was adapted into a movie for the Disney Channel. Originally from Montreal, Sarah now lives in Los Angeles with her family. Visit Sarah online at sarahm.com and find her on Instagram, Facebook, and X at @sarahmlynowski. Christina Soontornvat is a three-time Newbery Honoree, a Sibert Honoree, and a Kirkus Prize winner. Her highly acclaimed backlist includes the middle grade books *The Tryout*, *The Last Mapmaker*, *A Wish in the Dark*, and *All Thirteen*; the picture book *To Change a Planet*; and the chapter book series *Diary of an Ice Princess* and *Legends of Lotus Island*. Christina lives in Austin, Texas, with her family. You can learn more about her work at soontornvat.com.



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Reviews**Praise for Best Wishes #3:**

"[A] lighthearted yet poignant tale. Once again, the fantastical premise is used to wonderful effect--as Lucy relives her day, she eventually learns a much-needed lesson...Gentle, inventive, and delightfully magical." -- *Kirkus Reviews*

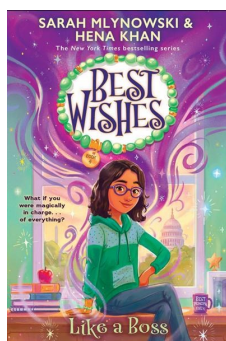
Praise for Best Wishes #2:

"Mayhem, confusion, twists and turns, and even laugh-out-loud hilarity ensue...Delightful, with just the right touch of magic." -- *Kirkus Reviews*

"Provides welcome humor as well as insights...engaging and fun." -- *Booklist*

Praise for Best Wishes #1:

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Carton Quantity: 20

Best Wishes 4

Like A Boss (Best Wishes #4)

By (author) Sarah Mlynowski 🇨🇦, By (author) Hena Khan,
Illustrated by Jennifer Bricking
Nov 12, 2024 | Hardcover \$22.99

Pass the wishes on! This *New York Times* bestselling multi-author series is like *American Girl* with magic.

In this installment, written by acclaimed authors Sarah Mlynowski and Hena Khan, the magic, wish-granting bracelet lands with a girl in Washington, D.C., who ends up being put in charge of... well, everything!

Maya Amir of Washington, D.C. is having a bad day. Her family visiting from out of town have taken over her room, and worst of all, an annoying classmate has taken over the Environmental Club but doesn't seem to care about the environment the way Maya does.

Then Maya receives a mysterious, magic bracelet in the mail from Lucy, a girl in Fort Worth, Texas, who had the bracelet last time. The bracelet grants wishes and Maya is having a hard time deciding what to wish for. Until she accidentally wishes to be in charge during a meeting of the Environmental Club. Suddenly, Maya is the head of the club!

At first, Maya is thrilled by her newfound authority. That is, until *everyone* starts asking for her help! Her teacher leaves the classroom to her for a day and then the principal of her entire school puts Maya in charge. One day, the President of the United States shows up with a very important request: Maya needs to step in as Commander-in-Chief! How can she say no?

Maya does her best but soon, she's overwhelmed by her newfound responsibilities, and she's terrified she's going to let everyone down. With the

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Hena Khan is a Pakistani-American Muslim who was born and raised in Maryland. She is passionate about sharing and writing about her culture and religion. Her book *Amina's Voice* was named Best Book of the Year by *The Washington Post*, NPR, and *Kirkus Reviews*. Its sequel, *Amina's Song* won the Asian/Pacific American Award for Children's Literature. When she isn't writing, Hena is cooking and baking for her loved ones, planning her next adventure, and of course, reading! Visit Hena online at henakhan.com.



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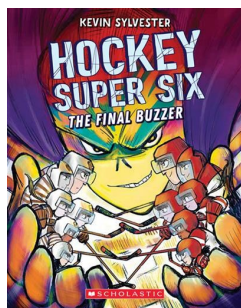
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Praise for *Best Wishes #1*:

"Readers will love Becca... A coming-of-age tale told with humor, compassion, and more than a touch of magic." -- *Kirkus Reviews*

"The lively first volume in a planned series about a magical bracelet capable of bestowing a single wish [has a] brisk pace and... may well be helpful to girls ages 7-11 who are in friendship throes." -- *The Wall Street Journal*

"An empathetic heroine and winningly



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Hockey Super Six 8

The Final Buzzer

By (author) Kevin Sylvester , Illustrated by Kevin Sylvester 

Sep 03, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$9.99

Meet six kids a lot like you. Except . . .

. . . Benny, Jenny, Karl, Starlight, DJ and Mo got zapped in an evil plot gone wrong — and they became the super-est team the world has ever seen.

Starlight wakes up in an alternate reality, although she doesn't realize it right away. She sees kids skating on a secluded pond using ancient equipment. Is she in the past?

The kids are secretly playing hockey because it's banned for all but the elites. Plebes who might never make the pros are not allowed to play at all. Only select individuals chosen by Dr. Boom — the supreme leader who has taken over Canada — are given the privilege of playing the game.

Starlight must track down the rest of the Super Six so they can defeat Dr. Boom and his horrible minions and restore hockey to its former glory.

This is the eighth action-packed, laugh-a-minute book in the Hockey Super Six series.

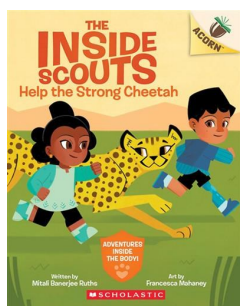
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- English
- 64 pages

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Readers / Chapter Books

Audience range

Age (years) from 5 - 7, Grade (US) from K - 2

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 120



The Inside Scouts 3

Help the Strong Cheetah: An Acorn Book (The Inside Scouts #3)

By (author) Mitali Banerjee Ruths , Illustrated by Francesca Mahaney
Oct 15, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$7.99

The Inside Scouts help a cheetah with a hurt leg feel better in this full-color early reader series!

Pick a book. Grow a Reader!

This series is part of Scholastic's early reader line, Acorn, aimed at children who are learning to read. With easy-to-read text, a short-story format, plenty of humor, and full-color artwork on every page, these books will boost reading confidence and fluency. Acorn books plant a love of reading and help readers grow!

Viv and Sanjay are the Inside Scouts! Together, they help animals. They have a cool superpower -- they can shrink super small. A cheetah got a cramp in her leg while she was running. Now she can't move her leg. The Inside Scouts put on their super-suits, grab their tools, and get really small! They go inside the cheetah's leg to stop the cramp. And they work together to help her muscle relax!

This series introduces beginning readers to the human body through mammals with similar anatomy -- and it does so in really fun ways! In this book, readers learn about the muscular system as Viv and Sanjay fix a cheetah's leg! With color-coded speech bubbles, easy-to-read text, and light nonfiction content, these engaging STEM-themed stories are the perfect fit for new readers!

Contributor Bio

MITALI BANERJEE RUTHS grew up in Houston, Texas, and dreamed of becoming an astronaut someday. She has worked as a babysitter, an ice cream seller, and a medical doctor. She is the author of the picture book *Archie Celebrates Diwali*, the Scholastic Branches early chapter book series *The Party Diaries*, and the Scholastic Acorn early reader series *The Inside Scouts*. Mitali lives in Canada with her husband, three kids, and their dog, Tux.

FRANCESCA MAHANEY is a biracial (Filipino-American) illustrator based in Massachusetts. Francesca enjoys illustrating for magazines, books, educational materials, and beyond. She has an A.S. in Visual Arts and a B.F.A. in Communications Design from Pratt Institute in Brooklyn, New York. *The Inside Scouts* by Mitali Banerjee Ruths is her debut early reader series.

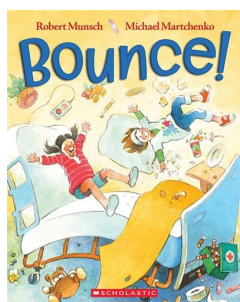
Interiors**Reviews****Praise for *Awesome Orange Birthday* (The Party Diaries #1) by Mitali Banerjee Ruths:**

"This series debut aimed at newly independent readers provides short, colorful, diary-style entries with a sweet central character. Strongly recommended." -- *School Library Journal*

"Priya is a well-rounded, nuanced protagonist whose enthusiasm and anxiety will resonate with readers, and the narrative, peppered with bright images, is fast-moving... A layered, upbeat tale starring a determined, relatable protagonist." -- *Kirkus Reviews*

Praise for *Archie Celebrates Diwali* by Mitali Banerjee Ruths:

"This sweet picture book about sharing Diwali will ring true in many households." -- *Kirkus Reviews*



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- English
- 32 pages
- Scholastic Canada

Subject



JUVENILE FICTION / Humorous Stories

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 60

Bounce!

By (author) Robert Munsch , Illustrated by Michael Martchenko 
Sep 03, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$8.99

A new laugh-out-loud tale from Canada's #1 storytelling team – Munsch and Martchenko!

Ruth and Barbara are on their way home from school when Ruth falls and scrapes her knee. Luckily an ambulance is driving by, picks and takes them to the hospital.

Once there, the girls are left to wait, and wait . . . and WAIT. They are so bored that they start looking around and notice that the hospital bed has so many **BUTTONS**.

What are they all for??

Kids will love this new entry into the world of Munsch, in which a mundane life moment quickly becomes uproarious, and fun can be found *everywhere*.

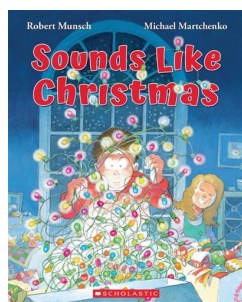
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- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Holidays & Celebrations / Christmas & Advent

Audience range

Age (years) from 3 - 8, Grade (US) from P - 3

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 80

Sounds Like Christmas

By (author) Robert Munsch 🍁, Illustrated by Michael Martchenko 🍁

Oct 01, 2024 | Paperback, Trade, Picture book | \$8.99

When Grandma asks Lincoln and Georgia to decorate the Christmas tree, she has no idea what she's getting into.

Grandma is baking Christmas cookies, so she asks Lincoln and Georgia to decorate the tree. They put on the lights, and the garlands, and the balls, and the candy canes. Then Olivia runs upstairs and brings back a toy bird. She puts it on a branch, turns it on and it goes TWEET TWEET TWEET. "HA!" says Lincoln "I can beat that." He runs to his room and gets his sound effects keychain, hangs it on the tree, and makes it go ZAP ZAP ZAP.

In no time the competition creates a cacophony, with the neighbour's dog and eventually both Grandma and Grandpa yelling on top of the tree. Eventually Grandpa points out that no adults means no Christmas presents — but the kids point out that Santa is sure to come through for them, and they head off to go to finish off the Christmas cookies and to go bed to wait for Christmas morning.

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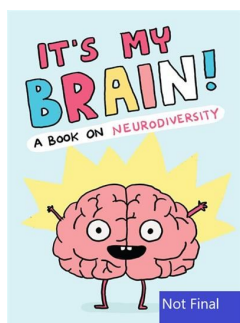
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Reviews

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- English
- 8 x 11 in
- 40 pages
- North Winds Press

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Health & Daily Living / Mental Health

Audience range

Age (years) from 6 - 9, Grade (US) from 1 - 3

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 28

**It's My Brain!**

By (author) Elise Gravel 🍁, Illustrated by Elise Gravel 🍁

Oct 01, 2024 | Hardcover, Picture book, Paper over boards | \$19.99

From bestselling author Elise Gravel comes a book that celebrates our beautiful brains.

Through her trademark quirky monster characters, author Elise Gravel shows the amazing things that our brains can do. They work with our senses and control our bodies. Brains do our thinking and are where our emotions live. And just like no two bodies are alike, no two brains are either. Brains learn and do things in different ways — and that's okay.

It's My Brain celebrates everyone's amazing and unique brain. The best one is the one that belongs to you... so take good care of it!

Contributor Bio

ELISE GRAVEL has won a Governor General's Award for illustration, the Vicky Metcalf Award for Literature for Young People, the Rights and Freedoms Award from the Quebec Commission des droits de la personne et des droits de la jeunesse, two Applied Arts Awards and a Grafika Award. She also was short-listed for Mr. Christie's Book Award. She has written and illustrated over 30 books for children in both French and English including *Not Me*, *Everybody!* and *It's My Body!* Elise lives in Montreal, Quebec.

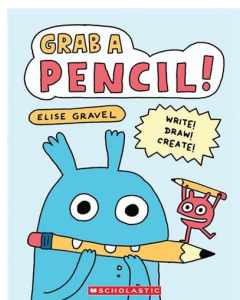
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Reviews

* "*It's My Body!* is an exuberant, kid-friendly nonfiction picture-book primer on body positivity... Combining laughs with thoughtful lessons, this robust resource also offers tips on how to treat your body with kindness and keep it 'HEALTHY AND HAPPY'... With monster-sized aplomb and panache, Gravel delivers a message that can't be heard enough: every body is worthy of love and respect." (*It's My Body!*) — *Quill & Quire*, starred review



9781443199759

- English
- 8 x 10 in
- 96 pages
- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE NONFICTION / Activity Books / General

Audience range

Age (years) from 4 - 8, Grade (US) from P - 3

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 30

Grab a Pencil!

By (author) Elise Gravel , Illustrated by Elise Gravel

Oct 01, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$18.99

A wonderful companion to Elise Gravel's award-winning books.



If the hardest part is getting started, here's a great shortcut to creative genius!

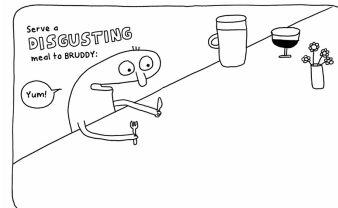
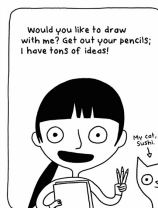
In this original activity book, celebrated author and illustrator Elise Gravel invites all budding creatives to complete drawings and stories with their own touch of genius. Whether it's drawing an all-original zany monster, creating a comic strip or scripting a conversation between two insects, kids of all ages will love letting their creative flag fly.

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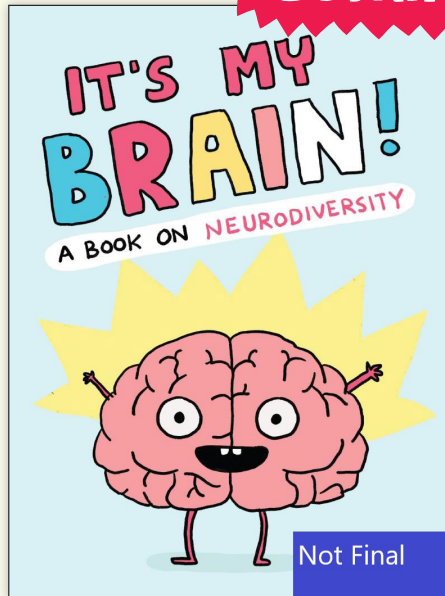
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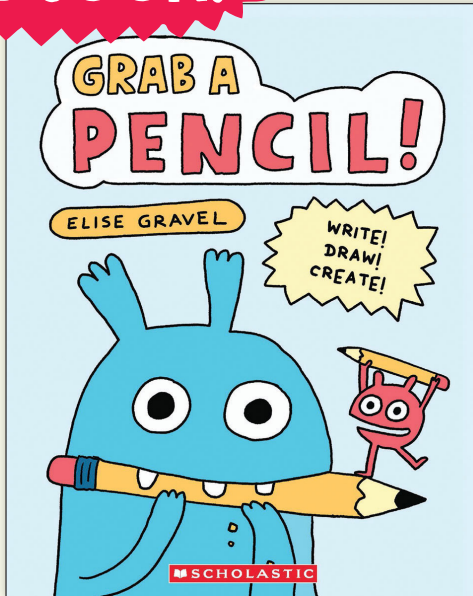


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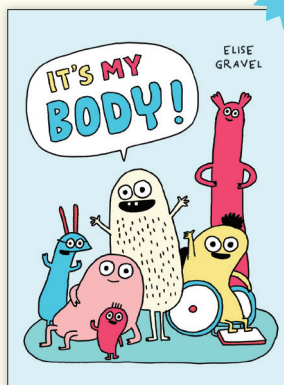


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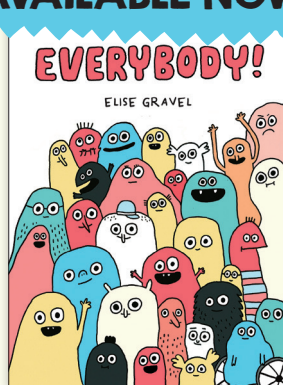
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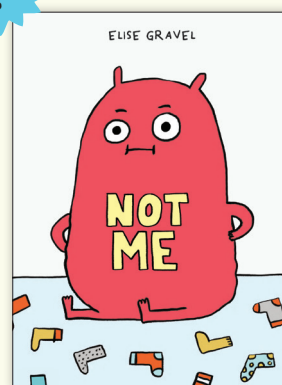
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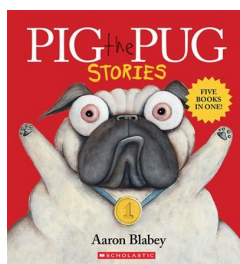


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- English
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- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Humorous Stories

Audience range

Age (years) from 3 - 8, Grade (US) from P - 3

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 12

Pig the Pug

Pig the Pug Stories

By (author) Aaron Blabey, Illustrated by Aaron Blabey

Oct 01, 2024 | Hardcover, Picture book, Paper over boards | \$22.99

Meet Pig the Pug again, and again, and again, in this 5-story collection!

Kids will love the silly antics and life lessons of Pig the Pug and his friend, Trevor the sausage dog. This collection is a perfect introduction to these beloved characters, and includes these five bestselling stories:

- *Pig the Pug*
- *Pig the Fibber*
- *Pig the Winner*
- *Pig the Star*
- *Pig the Rebel*

Contributor Bio

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Reviews

"Blabey's jaunty rhymes will make for some fun read-alouds." (*Pig the Pug*) — *Publishers Weekly*

"Thanks to the genius of the illustrations and the humour of the prose, Aaron Blabey's *Pig the Fibber* is a joy for all ages." (*Pig the Fibber*) — *CM: Canadian Review of Materials*

"Pig probably doesn't have any fans per se (who'd like the nasty little booger?), but his antics make learning good sportsdogship fun." (*Pig the Winner*) — *Kirkus Reviews*



Pig the Pug
Pig the Pug: Cranky Pug

By (author) Aaron Blabey, Illustrated by Aaron Blabey

Sep 17, 2024 | Board book \$10.99

Pig the Pug is back in a silly, simple feelings-themed board book -- with mylar mirror!

Perfect for sharing all year long, this board book introduces the littlest Pig the Pug fans to feelings and emotions. Is Pig cranky, happy, or sleepy? Plus, babies and toddlers will love the mylar mirror in the back.

From the world of Pig the Pug by #1 *New York Times* bestselling author, Aaron Blabey.



9781546122692

- English
- 14 pages
- Cartwheel Books

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Animals / Dogs

Audience range

Age (years) to 3, Grade (US) to P

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

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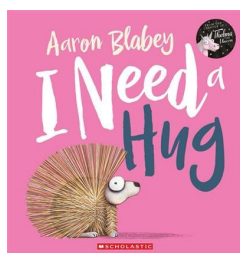
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Interiors





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- 24 pages
- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Social Themes / Emotions & Feelings

Audience range

Age (years) from 3, Grade (US) from P

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 80

I Need a Hug

By (author) Aaron Blabey , Illustrated by Aaron Blabey

Dec 03, 2024 | Paperback, Trade, Picture book | \$8.99

Sometimes all you need is a hug.

"I need a hug. Will you cuddle me, Lou?"

"What? With those spikes? Get away from me! Shoo!"

All the little porcupine wants is a hug, but with such prickly spikes will she ever get the cuddle she craves?

An adorable new story from Aaron Blabey, the creator of *Pig the Pug* and *Thelma the Unicorn!*

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Reviews

Praise for Aaron Blabey:

"This hilarious romp will tickle the funny bone of kids of all ages." (*Pig the Pug*) – *Resource Links*

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"... an excellent modern fable." (*Thelma the Unicorn*) – *The Globe and Mail*



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- English
- 8 x 10 in
- 24 pages
- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Disabilities

Audience range

Age (years) from 3 - 7, Grade (US) to 2

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 66



Playdate Surprise

By (author) Karen Autio 🍁, Illustrated by Laura Watson 🍁

Sep 03, 2024 | Paperback, Trade, Picture book | \$8.99

A joyful story of friendship and the simple things we can do to make the world a more accessible place!

When Kayla invites Piper over to play, Kayla can't stop smiling. Even more so when Piper wants to have Kayla come to *her* house.

But the house has a front step, so Kayla can only come on the weekend when her dad can help her get inside. With new adventures in each other's homes, the girls' friendship blooms.

Piper uses her independent thinking to come up with a surprise for her friend – a surprise that will mean Kayla can come over anytime!

Contributor Bio

KAREN AUTIO was born in Thunder Bay, Ontario, and grew up creative and horse-loving in nearby Nipigon. Around the age of nine she began writing stories just so that she could illustrate them. When she's not writing, freelance editing, or speaking with students about the research and inspiration behind her books, Karen enjoys canoeing, photographing nature, reading, and travelling. Karen lives in Kelowna, British Columbia. **LAURA WATSON** grew up in Peterborough, Ontario, and spent her childhood drawing, painting and making crafts. Now she creates lighthearted and whimsical illustrations for children's books, magazines, toys, puzzles and more. She enjoys the outdoors, runs often and spends as much time as possible at the beach hunting for sea glass. Laura lives and works in Toronto, Ontario, with her husband and daughter and a big orange dog named Red.



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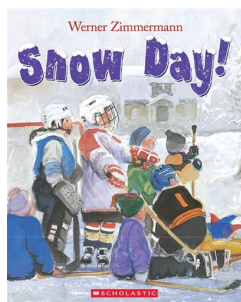
Reviews

"*I Can, Too!* is a book to love and share." (*I Can, Too!*) – *CM: Canadian Review of Materials*, highly recommended

"In a story about differences, Karen Autio and Laura Watson show us that we're all the same, or can be, when it comes to mobility." (*I Can, Too!*) – *CanLit for Little Canadians*

"Through Kayla's enthusiasm and enjoyment of the activities her friends enjoy, *I CAN, TOO!* demonstrates that people with physical disabilities can participate in all kinds of movement. Kayla accepts who she is and lives her life accordingly. Reading Strategies that could be highlighted are making connections and questioning." (*I Can, Too!*) – *Canadian Teacher*

"*I Can, Too!* is an empowering picture book about friendship, inclusion and



Snow Day!

By (author) H. Werner Zimmermann
Illustrated by H. Werner Zimmermann

Sep 03, 2024 | Paperback, Trade, Picture book | \$8.99

There's nothing like a snow day!

Looking out their newly frosted windows one morning, two young brothers watch millions of pure white snowflakes floating down. Everything is covered in a thick blanket of snow. Will it be deep enough? Soon come the two magical words they've been waiting for: SNOW DAY!

They scramble into their coats and boots — it's time for hockey and tag and building a snow fort. Then, with stinging faces and frozen toes, they head home for a hot-chocolate break and drying out wet mittens. Toasty warm once again, they head back outside for more fun in the snow. When at last it's time for sleep, they fall into bed exhausted.

Outside, the snow comes drifting down again ... Will they awake to yet another snow day?

Werner Zimmermann's playful text, coupled with beautifully crafted watercolour illustrations, captures all the excitement and wonder of a snow day.

Contributor Bio

WERNER ZIMMERMANN is a bestselling children's book illustrator whose works include *A Porcupine in a Pine Tree* and its sequels, *At the Pond*, the Farmer Joe series, *Snow Day*, *Henny Penny*, *Pippin the Christmas Pig* and *In My Backyard*. He has been nominated three times for the Governor General's Literary Award for Illustration, and he and Jean Little won the Mr. Christie's Award for *Pippin the Christmas Pig*. Werner lives in Guelph, Ontario. Visit him online at www.wernerzimmermann.ca.

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Reviews

"Zimmermann's lively illustrations capture the tingling blues and whites of a snowy day and the excitement of a playful romp through a wintry world." (*Snow Day*) — *Books in Canada*

"[Zimmermann's] paintings... lovingly depict the beauty of a thick snowfall on a small town. The frisky and affectionately portrayed animals also add a visual subtext of family fun, safety, and warmth." (*Snow Day*) — *Quill and Quire*

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Subject

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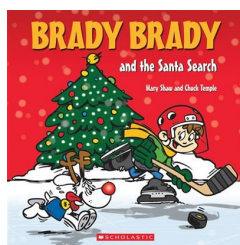
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Age (years) from 3 - 8, Grade (US) from P - 2

Distributor

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Brady Brady

Brady Brady and the Santa Search

By (author) Mary Shaw , Illustrated by Chuck Temple 

Sep 03, 2024 | Paperback, Trade, Picture book | \$7.99

It's hockey with heart, all wrapped up in an action-packed Christmas story!



9781039710245

- English
- 32 pages
- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Sports & Recreation / Hockey

Audience range

Age (years) from 4 - 8, Grade (US) from P - 3

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 90

At the Christmas Eve game, Brady blows his signature move because a flash of red distracts him. It's Santa! Right? The hunt is on, as Brady and his teammates from the Icehogs search the arena from rink to rafters so that Brady can give Santa his letter in person. But Santa's not in the bleachers. Or the snack bar. Or the parking lot... or anywhere.

Brady's holiday is looking like it's going to be ho-ho-hum. But his mood brightens when he gets home. Maybe it's not too late for his Christmas wish after all!

Contributor Bio

MARY SHAW developed Brady Brady while trying to get her hockey-obsessed five-year-old son to read. The bestselling series, which now includes 18 books, is a true Canadian success story. Mary Shaw lives in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania when she's not at her cottage outside of Carleton Place, Ontario. Visit her online at www.bradybrady.com.

CHUCK TEMPLE began his career at the age of 18 when his first comic strip, *Bernie on the Beat*, went into syndication. He studied at both the University of Guelph and the Ontario College of Art, and cites Bill Watterson, creator of *Calvin and Hobbes*, as his favourite cartoonist. He also enjoys coaching and playing hockey. He lives in Kitchener, Ontario.



9781338897524

- English
- 40 pages
- Orchard Books

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Fantasy & Magic

Audience range

Age (years) from 4 - 8, Grade (US) from P - 3

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 20

**A Dragon for Hanukkah**

By (author) Sarah Mlynowski 🍁, Illustrated by Ariel Landy

Sep 03, 2024 | Hardcover \$24.99

Just in time for the holiday season, *New York Times* bestselling author Sarah Mlynowski makes her dazzling picture-book debut with this warm-hearted, magical, funny, and inventive story that celebrates Hanukkah and the power of a child's imagination, with rich, vivid art by Ariel Landy.

On the first night of Hanukkah, my parents gave me a dragon...

Come celebrate the Festival of Lights with Hannah as she receives eight magical presents -- one for each night. There's a playful dragon, a gleaming treasure chest, some rowdy unicorns... and more. But are the gifts what they seem to be? When Hannah gathers with family and friends to light the menorah, she'll discover the true magic of Hanukkah.

From *New York Times* bestselling author Sarah Mlynowski comes this dazzling, warmhearted, and richly imagined story that is destined to become a new holiday classic.

Contributor Bio

Sarah Mlynowski is the *New York Times* bestselling author of the *Whatever After* series, the *Magic in Manhattan* series, *Best Wishes*, *Gimme a Call*, and a bunch of other books for teens and tweens, including the *Upside-Down Magic* series, which she cowrites with Lauren Myracle and Emily Jenkins and which was adapted into a movie for the Disney Channel. Originally from Montreal, Sarah now lives in Los Angeles with her family. Visit Sarah online at sarahm.com and find her on Instagram, Facebook, and X at @sarahmlynowski. Ariel Landy has been illustrating her whole life, starting with crayon portraits of her cats, dogs, and hamsters. She is the illustrator of the *Good Dog* series and picture books such as *Gitty and Kvetch*. Originally from Boston, she currently lives in the south of France with her family. Her favorite Hanukkah song is "I Have a Little Dreidel". Visit her online at ariellandyart.com.



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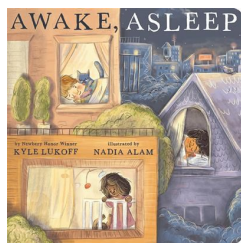
Reviews**Praise for *A Dragon for Hanukkah*:**

"A smile on every page. This is the most joyful Hanukkah picture book I have ever read." -- Emily Jenkins, author of the Sydney Taylor Award-winning *All-of-a-Kind Family Hanukkah*

"I love, loved this book! *A Dragon for Hanukkah* is a magical celebration of family, friends, and the gifts of imagination, with a lovely surprise twist." -- Alan Silberberg, author of *Meet the Latkes*

"The joyful Jewish book we all need. A wonderful blend of Jewish celebration, values, fantasy, with a sprinkle of history on top!" -- Liz Kleinrock, co-author of *Eyes That Weave The World's Wonders*

"This delightful, brightly colored celebration of Hanukkah will bring joy to kids during the holiday. There are so many fun elements like unicorns, a rainbow, and even a merry-go-round. And the author's beautiful illustrations..."



Awake, Asleep

By (author) Kyle Lukoff, Illustrated by Nadia Alam 🍁

Oct 15, 2024 | Board book \$10.99

A rhythmic, meditative read-aloud about the extraordinary beauty found in babies' and toddlers' everyday moments, written by Stonewall and Newbery Award-winning author, Kyle Lukoff—now available as a board book!



A kiss, a blink, a dawn, a break.

A yawn, a peep, a stretch, awake!

9781338776225

- English
- 26 pages
- Cartwheel Books

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Family / General

Audience range

Age (years) to 3, Grade (US) to P

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 32



From sunup to sundown, a young child's day is bursting with discovery and wonder-filled moments. Follow a day in the life of three diverse families and their little ones, as everyday moments like sharing breakfast and exploring the park are rendered full of love, exploration, joy, and wonder. Sparse, beautiful rhyming text from Newbery and Stonewall Award-winning author Kyle Lukoff is a rhythmic and poetic read-aloud perfect for any time of day, paired against luminous, tender illustrations from artist Nadia Alam.

Showcasing a diverse range of kids, and families that include same-sex parents, single parents, and multigenerational households, *Awake, Asleep* reflects our world with beauty and joy, rendering the simple moments in a young child's day as transformative, wonder-filled memories.

Now available in a sweet board book edition, this lyrical read-aloud is perfect for bedtime cuddles and cozy storytime all day long!

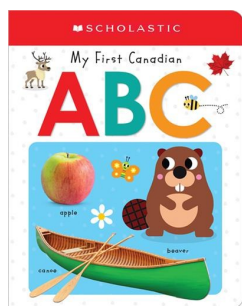
Contributor Bio

Kyle Lukoff is a National Book Award finalist and the Newbery and Stonewall Award-winning author of multiple books for young readers, including *When Aidan Became a Brother*, *Call Me Max*, and *Too Bright to See*. Kyle spent eight years as an elementary school librarian, but now he writes full time, assists in sensitivity readings and consultations, and presents on children's and youth literature all across the country. He got hired at a bookstore when he was sixteen, which means he's been working at the intersection of books and people for well over half his life. He lives in Philadelphia. Visit him online at kylelukoff.com. Nadia Alam is an illustrator, and first generation Bangladeshi-Canadian. She is an avid daydreamer and meanderer who draws to capture the world as she sees it. *Awake, Asleep* is her first picture book. She lives in Toronto with her husband, two lovely kids, and a dog named Momo. Visit her online at nadiaalamillustration.com.

Key Selling Points

FALL 2024 REP PICK! Ali Hewitt, Scholastic - Trade Sales Representative, BC, Alberta, and North West Territories

New in a board book, this charming picture book shows the many joys and sorrows of a toddler's day. Simple text keeps things age-appropriate, and I fell in love with Nadia Alam's illustrations.



9781039707320

- English
- 5.5 x 7 in
- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE NONFICTION / Places / Canada

Audience range

Age (years) to 5, Grade (US) to 1

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 32

My First Canadian ABC

By (author) Scholastic Canada Ltd. 🍁

Sep 03, 2024 | Board book, Picture book | \$9.99

Get a jump-start on you ABCs – with a Canadian twist!

Apples, beavers and canoes—oh my! In this funfriendly, early concepts board book, toddlers will be introduced to the alphabet – Canadian style!

Featuring cheerful illustrations and colourful photography plus activity pages, *My First Canadian ABC* gives little learners a head start in literacy.

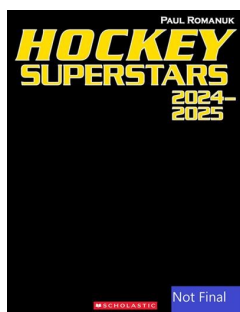


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Interiors



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- 8.38 x 10.88 in
- 48 pages
- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE NONFICTION / Sports & Recreation / Hockey

Audience range

Age (years) from 6, Grade (US) from 1

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 65

Hockey Superstars 2024-2025

By (author) Paul Romanuk

Sep 03, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$9.99

Discover today's greatest hockey stars!

For over 30 years, kids (and their parents) have looked forward to Paul Romanuk's annual Hockey Superstars books!

Sixteen of the NHL's superstars are profiled, with full-colour photos, bios, stats and pull-out interview quotes. Hockey Superstars also includes fill-in pages for season stats, a Countdown to the Cup playoff bracket, referee signals, awards, top draft picks and more!

It's a must-have for any hockey fan heading into the next exciting season!

The 2024-2025 lineup includes:

- Connor Bedard
- Cole Caufield
- Blake Coleman
- Thatcher Demko
- Noah Dobson
- Connor Hellebuyck

Contributor Bio

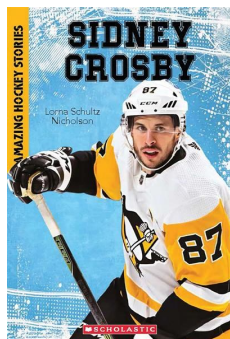
PAUL ROMANUK has worked his way from calling games in front of his television with the sound turned down as a child to being a veteran national sportscaster. He was the lead hockey play-by-play voice at *The Sports Network* for more than a decade and worked as a reporter and host on *SportsCentre*. Aside from calling hundreds of hockey games, Paul has covered the Summer Olympics, Winter Olympics, Pan Am Games, Asian Games and Soccer World Cup. His travels for work have taken him from the Far East to Australia to Russia, all over Europe and to over a hundred cities in Canada and the United States. Paul is also an accomplished photographer.

**Reviews**

"It's easy to imagine author Romanuk as a super-fan eager to pass on his interest in the game to younger versions of himself with this series, and he's certainly done a fine job at that task." — *Quill & Quire*

"Romanuk and his publishing team know well what the fans want, and with this book, they deliver it." — *CM: Canadian Review of Materials*

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- English
- 6 x 9 in
- 64 pages
- Scholastic Canada
- Scholastic Canada Ltd

Subject

JUVENILE NONFICTION / Sports & Recreation / Hockey

Audience

Juvenile

Audience range

Age (years) from 7 - 12, Grade (US) from 3 - 6

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Availability: Not yet available

Carton Quantity: 80

Amazing Hockey Stories

Amazing Hockey Stories: Sidney Crosby

By (author) Lorna Schultz Nicholson 🇨🇦, Illustrated by David Bishop 🇨🇦

Sep 03, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$9.99

Captain of a back-to-back Stanley Cup-winning NHL team and member of the Triple Gold club, Sidney Crosby is a player of extreme talent and determination, both on and off the ice.

Sidney Crosby has been the linchpin of the Pittsburgh Penguins for 19 seasons (and counting!), leading them to three Stanley Cup victories. He has won the Art Ross, the Hart Memorial, the Maurice "Rocket" Richard and the Conn Smythe trophies twice, the Ted Lindsay Award three times, and has received many honours, including being named to the the Order of Canada. Internationally, Sidney has helped Canada win Olympic gold twice, World Junior gold and World Championship gold, and he is the only player ever to have captained the winning teams at each level.

The Amazing Hockey Stories series takes a deep dive into the lives and athletic journeys of the best players in the game. Through photos, text and illustrated comic sequences, fans will love learning about Sidney's achievements and the hurdles he overcame to get there.

Contributor Bio

LORNA SCHULTZ NICHOLSON grew up in St. Catharines, Ontario, and as a child loved to read, write and compete in all kinds of sports. She is the respected author of many middle-grade and YA novels, the Puckster picture book series, and several non-fiction books about hockey, including the Amazing Hockey Stories series. Lorna lives in Edmonton, Alberta with her family. Not surprisingly, she is a HUGE Edmonton Oilers fan. Visit her online at www.lornaschultznicholson.com.

DAVID BISHOP always wanted to make comics . . . and now he does! He was born in Montreal, grew up in Brampton and now resides in Pickering, Ontario. He has recently illustrated for the Chapterhouse series True Patriot Presents and writes and draws his own comic series, Of Stone. D.A. Bishop also enjoys oil painting and just hanging out with his wife and two kids. Visit him online at www.renerd.com.

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9781443182331 Mitch Marnier (Amazing Hockey Stories) by Lorna Schultz Nicholson 🇨🇦, Paperback / softback, Oct 06, 2020, \$9.99,

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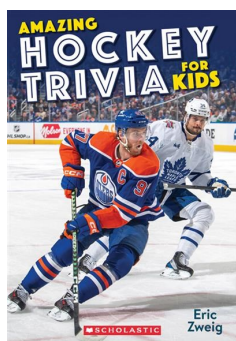
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Audience range


Age (years) from 8 - 12, Grade (US) from 3 - 7

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 80

Amazing Hockey Trivia for Kids

By (author) Eric Zweig 

Sep 03, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$8.99

Score big with this latest collection of hockey facts and fun!

What do Connor Bedard, John Tavares, Aaron Ekblad, Connor McDavid, Sean Day, and Shane Wright have in common? Who are the original six of the PWHL? Who scored the fastest goal in the NHL?

Find these answers to these questions — and many more! — along with the latest records and quirky hockey history. With cartoon illustrations and action photos, this all-new collection is a perfect recreational read for young fans of Canada's greatest game.

Contributor Bio

ERIC ZWEIG has been writing about sports since his days on the school newspaper desk. His books for kids include *The Big Book of Hockey for Kids*, *On This Day in Hockey* and *MVP Superstars*. *Awesome Hockey Trivia for Kids* is the fifth book in his *Hockey Trivia for Kids* series. Eric is also a noted author of adult sports books, most recently *Hockey Hall of Fame Heroes* and *Stanley Cup: The Complete History* (with Phil Pritchard); he was a contributor to *The Official NHL Hockey Treasures, Centennial Edition*.

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