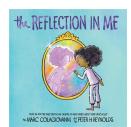


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- English
- 32 pages
- Orchard Books

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Social Themes / Self-Esteem & Self-Reliance

Audience range

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

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 20

Reflection in Me

By (author) Marc Colagiovanni, Illustrated by Peter H. Reynolds **



Mar 05, 2024 | Hardcover \$24.99

In the follow-up to When Things Aren't Going Right, Go Left, comes a heartwarming and joyful celebration of self-love from #1 New York Times bestselling creator Peter H. Reynolds and talented author Marc Colagiovanni!

"I like being you," said the reflection in the mirror. "To me, you are perfectly perfect."

This is a story of self-love that teaches children that their physical layer is just that -- one layer -- and below it lies a rich tapestry of attributes that make them unique and wonderful. Through Marc Colagiovanni's powerful text and Peter H. Reynolds's inspirational artwork, this picture book offers readers a wholly original exploration of self-love and self-acceptance.

Originally released as an animated short, which has over 1.4 million views on YouTube, this is the second of two new picture books created in collaboration with Marc and Peter that is sure to inspire, affirm, and reassure at key milestone moments in every young reader's life. The Reflection in Me serves to empower children and readers of all ages to find the courage to look inside and love themselves just as they are.

Contributor Bio

MARC COLAGIOVANNI is a children's book author who is currently a practicing attorney in the state of Rhode Island. While he is honored to be a part of the legal profession and enjoys the practice of law, his true passion is writing. He is the author of When Things Aren't Going Right, Go Left and The Reflection in Me, both illustrated by Peter H. Reynolds. Marc was born, raised, and currently resides in Cranston, Rhode Island, with his wife and three daughters.

PETER H. REYNOLDS is a New York Times bestselling author and illustrator of many books for children, including Happy Dreamer, The Word Collector, Say Something!, Be You!, and Our Table. He is also the illustrator of When Thing Aren't Going Right, Go Left by Marc Colagiovanni. His books have been translated into over 25 languages around the globe and are celebrated worldwide. In 1996, he founded FableVision with his brother, Paul, as a social change agency to help create "stories that matter, stories that move." He lives in Dedham, Massachusetts, with his family.



Reviews

Praise for When Things Aren't Going Right, Go Left:

"Resilience and optimism win the day -and the long game -- in an encouraging fable about finding one's way." --Publishers Weekly

Praise for Our Table by Peter H. Reynolds:

An Amazon Best Children's Book of 2021

* "In Reynolds' established tradition, this story is simple and full of heart celebrating the wonder and possibility of being human and being in relationship... Sweet and timely for today's families." -- Kirkus Reviews, starred review

* "Reynolds tells the story simply and illustrates it expressively... A reminder of what really matters." -- Booklist,

Also Available



When Things Aren't Going Right, Go Left (Hardcover) Marc Colagiovanni 9781338831184 \$24 99 Mar 07, 2023



Our Table (Hardcover) Peter H. Reynolds 9781338572322 \$22.99 Oct 05, 2021



Be You! (Hardcover) Peter H. Reynolds 9781338572315 \$21.99 Mar 03, 2020



The Word Collector (Hardcover) Peter H. Reynolds 9780545865029 \$21.99 Jan 30, 2018



Happy Dreamer (Hardcover) Peter H. Reynolds 9780545865012 \$21.99 Mar 28, 2017





- English
- 8.36 x 10.27 x 0.36 in | 0.74 lb
- 32 pages
- North Winds Press

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Family / Multigenerational

Audience range

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

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 20

Kaiah's Garden

By (author) Melanie Florence , Illustrated by Karlene Harvey Jan 02, 2024 | Hardcover, Picture book, Paper over boards, Dust jacket | \$19.99

An uplifting story of a girl's connection to her beloved grandmother through the beadwork art they created together.

As she wakes up one dull morning, Kaiah feels as cold and grey as the day. She longs to be with her grandmother again. Kaiah's life doesn't feel right without her. But through Kaiah's treasured bead box — and the beauty it holds — she is with her grandmother, in a garden that is full of colour and love.

This beautiful story from award-winning author Melanie Florence celebrates the universal love between grandmother and child. Featuring bright, breathtaking illustrations from Tsilhqot'in and Syilx artist Karlene Harvey, the book also features back matter about the Indigenous tradition of beading.

Contributor Bio

MELANIE FLORENCE is an award-winning writer of Cree and Scottish heritage based in Toronto, Ontario. She was close to her grandfather as a child, a relationship that sparked her interest in writing about Indigenous themes and characters. Her picture books *Missing Nimâmâ* and *Stolen Words* received award attention and stellar reviews. Visit her at https://www.melanieflorence.com/.

KARLENE HARVEY is a Tsilhqot'in and Syilx illustrator who resides in Vancouver, British Columbia. She is the illustrator of *Drum from the Heart* and *Every Child Matters*. Karlene is an Indigenous Arts Advisor at the University of British Columbia, and when she's not making art she enjoys Tsilhqot'in language studies and writing her own stories.

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Reviews

Praise for Melanie Florence:

"An emotional read, as the illustrations show mothers waving goodbye to their children and words being lost. As Grandfather revisits his native first language, the words fly back.... Recommended." (Stolen Words) School Library Journal

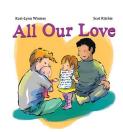
"Missing Nimâmâ is heartbreaking. It's soulful and breathtakingly painful, and all the more so because of Melanie Florence's free verse text. Never have I read free verse so aptly applied in a picture book... Missing Nimâmâ is a haunting story of lives lost and lived and shared, beautifully rendered in words and art. Expect to see this one on award lists in the near future" (Missing Nimâmâ) CanLit for LittleCanadians

Also Available



Missing Nimâmâ (Hardcover) Melanie Florence 9781443190046 \$19.99 Sep 07, 2021





All Our Love

By (author) Kari-Lynn Winters , Illustrated by Scot Ritchie Jan 02, 2024 | Hardcover, Picture book, Paper over boards | \$19.99

A new baby is on the way and Sofia is a little nervous!

Sofia's dads always told her their family was just right after she came along. But now a new baby is on the way and everything will change!

Told in the form of a letter to baby Oliver, *All Our Love* invites readers to feel Sofia's anticipation, her worries and excitement, and the big love she feels for her family.

With a warm and joyful tone, this new baby story will resonate with all families, and prompt readers to think about what makes them feel loved, and what makes

Also Available



Let's Play a Hockey Game! (Hardcover) Helen Flook 9781443148184 \$16.99 Sep 01, 2016

9781443198806

- English
- 9.5 x 9.5 in
- North Winds Press

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Family / New Baby

Audience range

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

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 20

Contributor Bio

their own family special!

KARI-LYNN WINTERS is an author, poet, and performer. With over sixteen picture and poetry books published, she has won the British Columbia Book Prize silver medal, for both *Jeffrey and Sloth* and *On My Walk*, and been nominated numerous times for the Christie Harris Illustrated Children's Literature Prize and the Chocolate Lily Awards. She loves being in the classroom and teaches drama in education at Brock University. Kari-Lynn lives in St. Catharines, Ontario.

SCOT RITCHIE is an award winning illustrator who lives in Vancouver, British Columbia. He has illustrated over forty children's books, (some of which he also wrote) including *Follow that Map!*, *Why?*, *Over at the Rink: A Hockey Counting Book* and *There Was an Old Lady that Swallowed a Puck*.

Interiors









Still My Tessa

By (author) Sylv Chiang , Illustrated by Mathias Ball Jan 02, 2024 | Hardcover, Picture book, Paper over boards | \$18.99

A gently affirming story of the connection between siblings.

Evelyn is worried about Tessa. Tessa doesn't want to play the same games they used to play together, but Evelyn is determined to find new ways to connect with her older sibling. And she is also learning to see Tessa as non-binary and using new pronouns for them. Evelyn learns quickly that it isn't hard. and helps others see that too.

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- English
- 9.76 x 9.77 x 0.33 in | 0.79 lb
- 32 pages
- North Winds Press

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Family / Siblings

Audience range

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

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 20

Through the course of this heartfelt story, Evelyn reaffirms her connection to her sibling and shows those around them how to make the effort to support Tessa — with love.

Back matter includes information on gender and ways to be a kind and effective ally.

Contributor Bio

SYLV CHIANG is a middle-grade teacher by day and a children's book author by night. She wrote her middle-grade series, Cross Ups, for kids who love video games ... maybe even more than they love books. Still My Tessa is Sylv's first picture book. The inspiration for the story came from within her own family. Sylv grew up in Toronto and now lives with her family in Pickering, Ontario. **MATHIAS BALL** was born and raised in a small Canadian town on the coast of Lake Huron. They are a trans-identified artist and a graduate of the Illustration program at Sheridan College. Mathias also illustrated Every Body Is a Rainbow, written by Caroline Carter. Mathias's dream is to illustrate a world depicting cute characters and lots of dogs. When he isn't creating art, Mathias is most likely playing with his Shih Tzu, Lily.

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- English
- 8 x 10 in
- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / School & Education

Audience range

Age (years) from 3 - 8

Other formats

9781039702035 Hardback, Picture book, Paper over boards, \$19.99

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 80

Get Out of Bed! (Revised edition)

Revised edition

By (author) Robert Munsch *, Illustrated by Dave Whamond Jan 02, 2024 | Paperback, Trade, Picture book | \$8.99

Sometimes it's hard to wake up!

Amy stays up late watching TV, and in the morning she doesn't get up for school. Her whole family tries, to no avail, to get her on her feet. Finally, they give up and take her to school in her bed. There she snores away, through math, through recess, through gym, through English, until her family has to come take her home again. The next morning she wakes up bright and early . . . but what has happened to the rest of the kids in the class?

First published in 1998, this classic Munsch tale has been reimagined with fresh and energetic new illustrations by Dave Whamond.

Contributor Bio

ROBERT MUNSCH started telling stories when he was teaching in a daycare, to get the kids to settle down. Now he is Canada's number one author for young readers with more than 80 books in print, including such bestsellers as The Paper Bag Princess, We Share Everything!, So Much Snow! and Love You Forever. Every one of his stories was first told aloud to children — and each one is dedicated to the kid who inspired the story. He is a member of the Order of Canada, has a star on Canada's Walk of Fame, and is a hero to generations of young readers. In 2021 he was nominated for the prestigious international Astrid Lindgren Award. Robert Munsch lives in Guelph, Ontario. Visit him online at http://scholastic.ca/munsch/. DAVE WHAMOND is the creator of Oddrey and My Think-a-ma-Jink, both winners of the Blue Spruce Award. He illustrated the Robert Munsch book Braids! He also has a syndicated cartoon strip called Reality Check, which appears daily in a number of North American newspapers. Dave lives in Calgary, Alberta.

Interiors







Reviews

"Munsch adds another winner to his growing list of popular picture books with this fresh, funny story that should be wonderful for both small-group read-alouds and lap sharing." (Get Out of Bed!) — Booklist

"Punchy slapstick fun." (*Get Out of Bed!*) — *Publishers Weekly*

"Get Out of Bed! takes the idea of sleeping in to a whole new level, and will satisfy [Munsch] fans' expectations of the absurd." (Get Out of Bed!) — Quill & Quire

"Few children will be able to resist the temptation to saw logs along with Amy as her brother, her parents, her dog, and even the school principal fruitlessly try to rouse her. Another crowd pleaser from this popular author." (Get Out of Bed!) — School

Also Available



Class Trip (Paperback) Robert Munsch 9781039702240 \$8.99 Sep 05, 2023



Blackflies (Paperback) Robert Munsch 9781443157919 \$7.99 Mar 31, 2017



Class Clown (Paperback) Robert Munsch 9780439935944 \$7.99 Jun 28, 2016



Mmm, Cookies! (Board book) Robert Munsch 9781443148474 \$9.99 Jan 01, 2016



Zoom! (Paperback) Robert Munsch 9780779114320 \$7.99 Mar 01, 2003





This Is Me!

By (author) George Webster , By (author) Claire Taylor , Illustrated by Tim Budgen

Jan 02, 2024 | Paperback , Trade , Picture book | \$8.99

Meet George Webster — a little boy with a huge heart!



This is me. I am George. My eyes are sparkly, just like my mom. Like my dad, I'm determined and brave, and like my sister, I'm full of FUN!

9781039701762

- English
- 9.84 x 10.83 x 0.13 in
- 32 pages
- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Disabilities

Audience range

Age (years) from 2 - 6, Grade (US) to

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 70

In this beautifully written and gorgeously illustrated picture book, a little boy called George wants to tell you all about himself. You see, just like lots of people in the world, George has Down syndrome and he knows it doesn't define him — as there are so many things that make George wonderful, and Down syndrome is just one of them.

With bright and engaging illustrations alongside a genuine and heartfelt story, *This Is Me!* is the perfect picture book for any child. So get ready to read all about George, a boy who will steal your heart!

Contributor Bio

George Webster is an actor, BAFTA-winning TV presenter and Ambassador for Mencap who was catapulted into the public eye when he spoke about Down syndrome in his myth-busting video for BBC Bitesize. He is now a presenter on CBeebies. George lives in Leeds, England. Claire Taylor is a series producer for BBC Children's. She's worked on much loved shows such as CBeebies Bedtime Stories. Claire has been honoured to guide George Webster through his presenting journey to date and work with him on his very special picture book.

Tim Budgen is the outstanding illustrator of bestselling books such as *Twenty Dinosaurs at Bedtime*, *Twenty Unicorns at Bedtime* and The Magic Pet Shop series. Tim's illustrations are bright, engaging and perfect for children! Tim lives by the sea on Hayling Island, England.

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I Love Chinese New Year!

By (author) Eva Wong Nava , Illustrated by Li Xin Dec 05, 2023 | Paperback , Trade , Picture book | \$9.99

Chinese New Year is almost here!

Chinese New Year is almost here, and Mai-Anne can't wait. Her Nai Nai is coming to celebrate with them, and Mai-Anne is looking forward to sharing all their family traditions.

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- English
- 9.49 x 9.86 x 0.12 in | 0.33 lb
- 24 pages
- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Holidays & Celebrations / General

Audience range

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

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 70

Fish for good luck ...

Noodles for long life...

Dumplings for blessings...

And after dinner, Mai-Anne and her family will talk all about how Chinese New Year came to be: the Great Race!

Contributor Bio

EVA WONG NAVA was born in Singapore and writes stories for children who, like herself, never saw themselves in books until now. She has several books published in Southeast Asia and now lives in London, England, with her family. Visit her website at evawongnava.com.

LIXIN is an illustrator and picture book creator based in Drammen, Norway. Xin was born and raised in China and spent half of her adult life in Scandinavia. After ten years of working as an interaction designer, she found her true passion in illustration and visual storytelling. Visit her website at www.lixin.no.

Interiors











- English
- 9.88 x 9.5 in
- 24 pages
- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Holidays & Celebrations / Mother's Day

Audience range

Age (years) from 3 - 5, Grade (US) from P - K

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 62

My Marvellous Mom

By (author) Jonathan Bentley , Illustrated by Jonathan Bentley Mar 05, 2024 $\,\mid\,\,$ Paperback , Trade , Picture book $\,\mid\,\,$ \$8.99

Moms are marvellous! Let's spell out why ...

In this acrostic poem, readers explore all the ways in which moms are MARVELLOUS. Through lively illustrations, we meet a variety of animal moms and their little ones, showing us the many experiences and attributes that make moms the best.

Contributor Bio

Jonathan Bentley is an award-winning illustrator who has illustrated over 20 books, including books for Margaret Wild, The Wiggles, and Andrew Daddo. When illustrating, he likes to work with a range of materials, including acrylics, oils, and line and watercolor. Jonathan is currently living in the UK. Jonathan Bentley is an award-winning illustrator who has illustrated over 20 books, including books for Margaret Wild, The Wiggles, and Andrew Daddo. When illustrating, he likes to work with a range of materials, including acrylics, oils, and line and watercolor. Jonathan is currently living in the UK.

Interiors







Reviews

"This Australian import ... will bring to mind the furry, frenentic adventures of their countrymate Pig the Pug ... This funny, fuzzy fracas will easily entertain the storytime set." (Cat and Dog) — Kirkus Reviews

Also Available



Bad Bunny (Paperback) Jonathan Bentley 9781338897593 \$9.99 Jul 04, 2023



Cat and Dog (Paperback) Jonathan Bentley 9781338684704 \$9.99 Mar 02, 2021





- 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 1

Help the Kind Lion: An Acorn Book (The Inside Scouts #1)

By (author) Mitali Banerjee Ruths •, Illustrated by Francesca Mahaney Feb 06, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$7.99

The Inside Scouts Viv and Sanjay help a lion with a leaky heart 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. When a lion with a leaky heart needs help, the Inside Scouts know what to do! They put on their suits, grab their tools, and get really small. They go inside the lion to find the leaky spot. And they fix it together!

This series introduces beginning readers to the human body through mammals with similar anatomy — and it does so in really fun ways! In this first book, readers learn about the circulatory system as Viv and Sanjay fix the lion's heart! 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*





9781338845099

- English
- 160 pages
- Graphix

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Action & Adventure / General

Audience range

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

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 40

Fairest of All: A Graphic Novel (Whatever After #1)

By (author) Sarah Mlynowski , Illustrated by Anu Chouhan Apr 02, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$16.99

The magic of the *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling Whatever After series comes to life in this brand-new graphic novel adaptation! Fractured fairy tales have never been this fun.

Once upon a time, Abby and her little brother, Jonah, were ordinary kids. The next minute? The mirror in their basement slurped them up and magically transported them into the fairy tale of Snow White.

Yes, really!

When Abby and Jonah stop Snow from eating the poison apple, they think they're heroes. But wait! If Snow White doesn't die, she won't meet her prince and get her happy ending. Oops.

Now it's up to Abby and Jonah-- with some help from Snow and the seven dwarfs-to outwit the witch and save the famous fairy tale in time.

But what if Snow's REAL happy ending is something else entirely?

Bestselling author Sarah Mlynowski and award-winning illustrator Anu Chouhan join forces to bring us this vibrant, action-packed, enchanting graphic novel adventure that will appeal to fans of fairy tales, Raina Telgemeier, The Land of Stories, and magical, empowering adventures.

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 Twitter at @sarahmlynowski. Anu Chouhan is a Punjabi-Canadian illustrator and video game artist. Anu recently illustrated the graphic novel adaptation of the New York Times bestselling book Aru Shah and the End of Time, and is working on her picture book debut. Her art has been featured by the CBC, the BBC, Harper's Bazaar, Bride India, The Times of India, and The Times of London. She lives in Vancouver, British Columbia. Learn more at anumation.ca.



Reviews

Praise for the Whatever After series:

"Kids will race through these laughout-loud, action-packed, magical adventures." -- Max Brallier, *New York Times* bestselling author of The Last Kids on Earth series

"A dazzling gem of a series!" -- Karina Yan Glaser, *New York Times* bestselling author of The Vanderbeekers series

"The feminist in me adored it, and the mother in me loved how my daughter would long to cuddle in close as we read together." -- Danielle Herzog, blogging for *The Washington Post*

"Hilarious... with unexpected plot twists and plenty of girl power." --Booklist

"An uproariously funny read. The swift pace of the tale and non-stop action... will enchant readers from the first page." - Kirkus Reviews





9781338628302

- English
- 192 pages
- Scholastic Press

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Fantasy & Magic

Audience range

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

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 72

Best Wishes 2

Sister Switch (Best Wishes #2)

By (author) Sarah Mlynowski 🌞 , By (author) Debbie Rigaud , Illustrated by Maxine Vee

Jan 02, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$8.99

"Delightful, with just the right touch of magic." -- Kirkus Reviews

Because you're blue

This bracelet is now for you.

Speak one wish to make it true...

So begins the second book in the enchanting BEST WISHES series. When different girls around the country receive a wish-granting bracelet in the mail, magical mayhem ensues. Filled with fun illustrations, friendship, and humor, these books are like American Girl...with magic.

Optioned for film by Imagine Kids & Family!

Addie Asante of Columbus, Ohio, feels stuck in the middle. Her big sister, Sophie, bosses her around while her little sister, Camille gets whatever she wants.

When Addie receives a mysterious package with a magical bracelet, she makes a wish to no longer be in the middle and--POOF--she's transformed into her big sister!

Being Sophie is amazing: Addie can hang out at the café after school, have her own room, and sing in the talent show. But as her new long-distance friend, Becca

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 Twitter at @sarahmlynowski. Debbie Rigaud is the coauthor of Alyssa Milano's *New York Times* bestselling Hope series and the author of *Simone Breaks All the Rules* and *Truly Madly Royally*. She grew up in East Orange, New Jersey, and started her career writing for entertainment and teen magazines. She now lives with her husband and children in Columbus, Ohio. Find out more at debbierigaud.com.



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

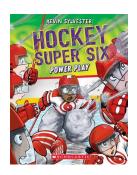
Praise for Best Wishes #1:

"Whimsical...an empathetic heroine and winningly absurd situations offer overthe-top hilarity." -- *Publishers Weekly*

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

Praise for the Whatever After series:





- English
- 5.88 x 7.5 in
- 176 pages
- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Sports & Recreation / Hockey

Audience range

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

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 40

Hockey Super Six

Power Play (Hockey Super Six)

By (author) Kevin Sylvester 📌 , Illustrated by Kevin Sylvester 🕈 Feb 06, 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.

In this new instalment, the Six are awoken from their icy prison only to find out there is a new villain (fallen former superstar Sam Boni, AKA Ned Doosa) on the loose, and he is kidnapping Canada's best hockey players. Why? To control their minds and assemble the best team of all time to win the Snowlympic Gold Medal.

Soon enough the Six get themselves into Boni's inner sanctum and must participate in an all-or-nothing game with this new superstar lineup. The losers will be tossed into the collider to create more energy. Can the Six win by losing? Yes. Will there be hockey action and non-stop laughs along the way? Yes and yes.

Join the Six in this seventh instalment of their madcap quest to save the world through hockey!

Contributor Bio

KEVIN SYLVESTER is an award-winning writer, illustrator, reporter, radio sports host, producer and documentary maker. He writes and illustrates everything from picture books to murder mysteries, science fiction to books on sports and financial literacy. His books include the bestselling *Mucus Mayhem* in the Almost Epic Squad series, the Hockey Super Six, MiNRS and Neil Flambé series, and *The Fabulous Zed Watson*, co-written with Basil Sylvester. Visit him at www.kevinsylvester.online.

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Audience range

Age (years) from 9 - 12, Grade (US) from 4 - 8

Distributor

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Slugfest

By (author) Gordon Korman 🍟



 ${\sf Jan\,02,2024\,\mid\,\, Hardcover\,, Paper\,over\,boards\,, Dust\,jacket\,\mid\,\$22.99}$

From the New York Times bestselling author of *The Unteachables* comes a hilarious new story about a group of underdogs who come together when they are forced to attend summer school—for failing PE.

Yash is the best athlete at Robinette Middle School. So good, in fact, that he's already been playing on the high school's JV sports teams. Imagine his shock when he learns that his JV practices have kept him from earning a board-mandated credit for eighth-grade PE. To graduate, he has to take Physical Education Equivalency — PEE — which is also known as "Slugfest," in summer school.

At Slugfest, Yash meets the other students. Kaden is an academic superstar who's physically hopeless. Twins Sarah and Stuart are too busy trying to kill each other to actually pay attention in class. Jesse is a notorious prankster. Arabella protests just about everything — including mandatory PE. And Cleo is a natural athlete who has sworn off sports. Then there's their "coach," Mrs. Tamara Finnerty, a retired teacher whose idea of physical education seems to have frozen in preschool. But Yash doesn't care — as long as he gets the credit. Too bad one of his fellow "slugs" is determined to blow the lid off a scandad that could make all their time in summer school a waste. And if that weren't bad enough, Yash is in danger of losing his star spot on the IV football team danger of losing his star spot on the JV football team.

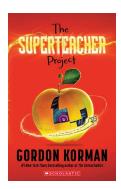
So Yash recruits his fellow PE rejects to train with him. Spending the summer with the most hapless crew in school can really surprise a person. And their teacher might be hiding the biggest surprise yet . . .

Contributor Bio

Gordon Korman is the beloved author of over one hundred novels for young readers, including hilarious middle-grade classics such as the Macdonald Hall series, I Want to Go Home and Slacker. Born in Montreal, Quebec, Gordon grew up in Thornhill, Ontario, and now lives in New York with his family. Visit him online at www.gordonkorman.com.







- English
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- 288 pages
- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / School & Education

Audience range

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

Distributor

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The Superteacher Project

By (author) Gordon Korman *

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

It's $\it The\ Unteachables\ meets\ I,\ Robot$ in another funny middle school tale from Gordon Korman!

It's the start of a new school year and Oliver is looking forward to a seventh-grade year full of spitballs, jokes and pranks with his friend Nathan. And their new homeroom teacher, Mr. Aidact, looks like a prime target. He's an odd duck — with a weird, stilted vocabulary, an unusual way of looking at things, and a strangely old student teacher constantly in tow. He also has a seemingly superhuman ability to detect and defuse almost every one of Oliver's schemes.

But that's not all of it. Mr. Aidact seems to be teaching pretty much every subject. He's willing to take over jobs no other teacher will, like supervising detention and coaching the field hockey team. Oliver and Nathan are determined to find out what is up with this guy.

What they uncover is out of this world!

Mr. Aidact is, in fact, superhuman — he's an android, a secret project of the Department of Education. And when the secret leaks out, the school and the PTA are in an uproar, and calls for his "deactivation" are loud and clear.

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Reviews

"In this funny and provocative outing... Korman, as usual, takes the side of the kids. Relayed by multiple narrators, the tale offers both different perspectives on effective teaching methods and food for thought about the notion of 'personhood." — Booklist (starred review)

"This novel has Korman's trademark humor, fast pace, alternating points of view, and raucous climax. Through his understanding of what makes middle schoolers tick, Korman writes the books kids love to read and teachers ought to read." — School Library Journal

"Gordon Korman continues his winning streak of high-octane, character-driven, kid-centric and uncannily topical novels with a book looking at the not-too-distant future of Al in education. The Superteacher Project is undoubtedly up there with Korman's

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- 240 pages
- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Social Themes / Self-Esteem & Self-Reliance

Audience range

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

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 50

Iggy Included

By (author) Deborah Kerbel Feb 06, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$10.99

A girl, a dog, and a summer they won't forget.

Twelve-year-old Paige Coopersmith and her family have won a house in an essay-writing contest. Excited to leave their cramped apartment and move to a sprawling property in rural Ontario, they're more than a little surprised to find the house is old and in need of major repairs. They're even more shocked to discover that Iggy — the old dog who lives there — comes with the house. Apparently it was all in the fine print!

Due to financial stress, and with nowhere else to go, the family stays. Paige, who is scared of the large, unkempt Newfoundland dog, does her best to stay out of her way, while her parents deal with an unusual list of instructions from the previous owner.

But girl and beast soon form a special bond, when Paige, a hesitant reader, practises her reading out loud and discovers that Iggy loves to be read to.

Little does Paige know Iggy is even more special than she realizes. In fact, someone else has their eye on her, and when Iggy goes missing, it's Paige who must solve the mysteries of this unusual house and find her now beloved dog.

Contributor Bio

DEBORAH KERBEL was born in London, England, and now lives in Thornhill, Ontario with her husband, son and daughter, and a rescue dog named Freddie. Deborah has written a number of picture books, and is the author of four young adult and two middle-grade novels, including *My Deal with the Universe*. Her books have been shortlisted for the Governor General's Literary Award, the Canadian Library Association's YA Book Award, and many readers' choice awards. Visit her online at www.deborahkerbel.com.



Reviews

Praise for Deborah Kerbel:

"Remarkable... I actually found myself missing the characters once I was done. Highly recommended." (*Like a Duck*) 4/4 stars — *CM: Canadian Review of Materials*

"Lightness and sparkle ... Deborah Kerbel makes it clear that normal is different for everyone ..." (Like a Duck) — CanLit for LittleCanadians

"My Deal with the Universe is a tender story about learning to love what makes you different, featuring the coolest house I've ever read about." (My Deal with the Universe)— Vikki VanSickle, author of The Winnowing

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Like a Duck (Paperback) Deborah Kerbel 9781443175760 \$9.99 Mar 02, 2021



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Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Horror

Audience range

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

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 39

Summer's End

By (author) Joel A. Sutherland Apr 02, 2024 | Paperback, Trade | \$12.99

 \bullet Best Books for Kids and Teens, Canadian Children's Book Centre 2017, Commended



- OLA Red Maple Award, Fiction 2018, Short-listed
- Snow Willow Award (Saskatchewan Young Readers' Choice) 2018, Short-listed

One terrifying summer can stay with you forever.

It's the summer before high school and Jacob and his friends are determined to make it a memorable one. This may be the last couple of months they have together; once school starts, they'll be going their separate ways: Ichiro's family is moving to Japan, and while Jacob and the twins, Hayden and Hannah, are staying behind in Valeton, they'll be going to different high schools. When they discover an old, abandoned home on a remote island of their Muskoka community, things suddenly take an unexpected turn. The kids find themselves inexplicably drawn to the house that had once been a sanatorium for children with tuberculosis and learn that it has some haunting secrets to hide.

A nail-biting novel from Canadian horror master Joel A. Sutherland — now with an even creepier new look.

Contributor Bio

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.



Reviews

"When it gets to the spooky business, Summer's End is tense and unnerving in all the best ways." — Quill & Quire

"The summer adventures that these young characters go on — including a haunted house on an island — make this such a wonderful read." — Candy Palmater, CBC Books

"Young teens looking for a dish of classic suspense and horror will be well satisfied with Summer's End..." — CM: Review of Canadian Materials

"...[A] deliciously creepy and suspenseful tale, perfect for young readers making their first foray into horror." — Tracey Schindler, Canadian Children's Book News





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Subject

JUVENILE FICTION / Social Themes / Physical & Emotional Abuse

Audience range

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

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 24

Other Side of Perfect

By (author) Melanie Florence , By (author) Richard Scrimger Apr 02, 2024 | Hardcover \$25.99

Two kids from two different worlds form an unexpected friendship in this lens into the interworking of empathy. Told in alternating narratives, *The Other Side of Perfect* is infused with themes of identity, belonging, and compassion, reminding us that we are all more than our circumstances, and we are all more connected than we think

Cody's home life is a messy, too-often terrifying story of neglect and abuse. Cody himself is a smart kid, a survivor with a great sense of humor that helps him see past his circumstances and begin to try to get himself out. Autumn is a wealthy girl from an indigenous family, who has found herself in with the popular crowd even though it's hard for her to want to keep up.

But one night, while returning home from a movie, Autumn comes across Cody, face down in the laneway behind her house. All Cody knows is that he can't take another encounter with his father like the one he just narrowly escaped. He can't go home. But he doesn't have anywhere else to go. When Autumn agrees to let him hide out in her dad's art studio, Cody's story begins to come out, and so does hers

Contributor Bio

MELANIE FLORENCE is an award-winning writer of Cree and Scottish heritage based in Toronto, Ontario. She was close to her grandfather as a child, a relationship that sparked her interest in writing about Indigenous themes and characters. Her picture books *Missing Nimâmâ* and *Stolen Words* received award attention and stellar reviews. Visit her at https://www.melanieflorence.com/.

RICHARD SCRIMGER has written more than twenty books for children and adults, including *Zomboy* and *Downside Up*, many of which have won or been nominated for major awards and been published internationally. His novel *Irresistible* is part of the Almost Epic Squad series. Richard is also a popular presenter in schools. His latest novel, a collaboration with Melanie Florence, is *Autumn Bird and the Runaway*. Richard lives in Toronto, Ontario. Visit him at http://www.scrimger.ca/.







Meet Clara Hughes (Scholastic Canada Biography)

By (author) Elizabeth MacLeod , Illustrated by Mike Deas Jan 02, 2024 | Hardcover, Picture book, Paper over boards | \$18.99

Meet Clara Hughes - athlete, Olympic medalist and mental health advocate.

Clara is still the only person in the world to ever win multiple medals at both the Summer Olympics and the Winter Olympics. But perhaps her biggest accomplishment is the work she has done to help others.

Growing up in Winnipeg, Clara liked sports. She wasn't a top athlete and was headed down a bad path until the fateful day she watched speed skater Gaétan Boucher compete at the 1988 Winter Games. Clara decided she would do that too. It was to be a life-changing decision, one that set her on a course of training, competing and winning at the Olympic level in not just one but TWO sports. But as the world was cheering her on, Clara didn't feel right inside. She finally realized that winning all the medals in the world wouldn't make her okay — she had to work as hard on her mental health as she did on her training. Maybe even harder.

Young readers will get the inside story of Clara Hughes's inspiring life and how she learned to not only take care of herself, but to inspire others to do the same.

The Scholastic Canada Biography series focuses on fascinating people who have shaped Canada's past and present. Written by acclaimed author Elizabeth MacLeod, each book also features comics-inspired illustrations by Mike Deas.

Contributor Bio

ELIZABETH MACLEOD is the author of many Canadian nonfiction titles, including the Canada Close Up series titles *Canadian Government, Canada's Trees* and *Canadian Money* in addition to the award-winning Scholastic Canada Biography series and *Canada Year-By-Year*. She lives in Toronto, Ontario and enjoys reading, swimming, theatre, botany and tap dancing. **MIKE DEAS** is the illustrator of the Sueño Bay Adventures series, the Graphic Guide Adventure series and the Tank and Fizz books, as well as the titles in the Scholastic Canada Biography series. His love for illustrative storytelling comes from an early love of reading and drawing while growing up on Saltspring Island, British Columbia. Visit him online at www.deasillustration.com.



Reviews

Praise for Meet Chris Hadfield:

"... Meet Chris Hadfield delves a little deeper and gives children the anecdotes that will be most relevant to them. It's about dreaming and working hard and having fun while engaging with others about your passion." (Meet Chris Hadfield) — CanLit for LittleCanadians

Praise for Meet Elsie MacGill:

"Elizabeth MacLeod has written an outstanding book. The language is flowing and exciting, and there are speech and thought bubbles that add humour and break up the text making the information easier to absorb ... The illustrations by Mike Deas are as strong and beautiful as the story." (Meet Elsie MacGill) — CM: Canadian Review of Materials, 5/5 stars

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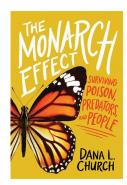
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Monarch Effect: Surviving Poison, Predators, and People

By (author) Dana L. Church Apr 02, 2024 | Hardcover \$26.99

A not-so-typical look at the mysteries of the monarch butterfly

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With their stunning black-and-orange wings, monarch butterflies are one of the most recognizable insects on the planet. But despite their delicate beauty, these creatures are warriors. The moment they hatch, they're fighting for their lives. Everything is the enemy: from the very leaf they live on to the humans and animals around them to nature itself. How does such a tiny egg survive to become a butterfly? And even after emerging from the cocoon, unimaginable danger awaits: migration.

Every year, monarchs take flight, making one of the greatest migrations in the world. However, for a long time, their destination was unknown within the scientific community. Through the research of scientists in Canada and the United States and the support and efforts of ordinary people as well as Indigenous knowledge in Mexico, that mystery was finally solved. But to do so would involve years of searching across three countries and encounters with feuding scientists, the consequences of colonialism, and life-and-death stakes.

Contributor Bio

Dana Church is the author of *The Monarch Effect: Surviving Poison, Predators, and People* abd *The Beekeepers: How Humans Changed the World of Bumble Bees.* She received her PhD at the University of Ottawa in Canada, where she studied bumble bees (and never got stung!). She lives in southern Ontario with her husband, two children, and their big, black, friendly dog. You can find out more about Dana and her writing at danachurchwriter.com.



Reviews

Praise for The Beekeepers

"An enthusiastic celebration of the bumble bee." -- *Kirkus Reviews*

"Church succeeds in illustrating the complex plight of bumble bees and illuminating the opportunities humans have to help these essential creatures thrive." -- Publishers Weekly

"This well-researched book about bumblebees around the world doubles as a call to arms to save them from disappearing." -- Booklist

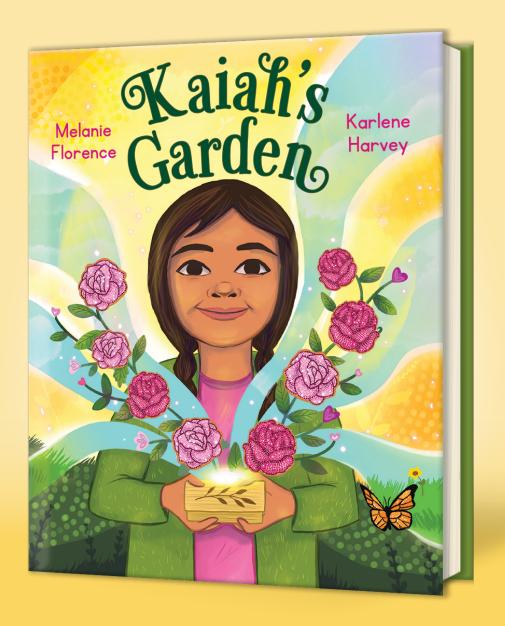
"A welcome addition that fills the gap between picture books and adult nonfiction for budding bee enthusiasts, or for school reports." -- School Library Journal

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The Beekeepers: How Humans Changed the World of Bumble Bees (Scholastic Focus) (Hardcover) Dana L. Church 9781338565546 \$25.99 Mar 02, 2021

An uplifting story of a girl's connection to her beloved grandmother through the beadwork art they created together.



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