

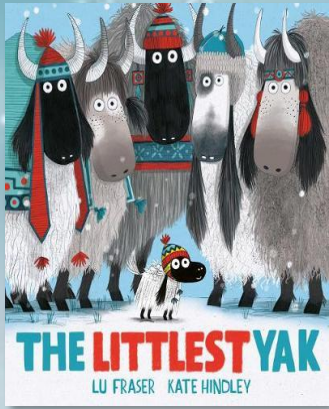
# Books for Giving

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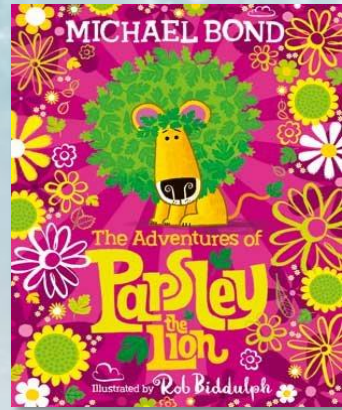


# Perfect Picture Books



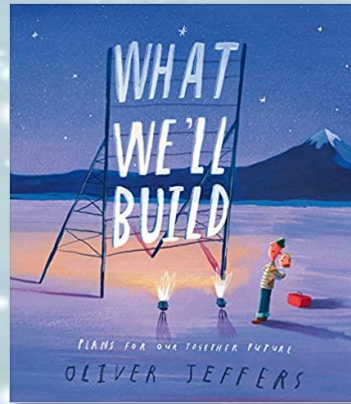
## The Littlest Yak

A wonderfully wintry, rhyming story about a little yak who wishes she was bigger.



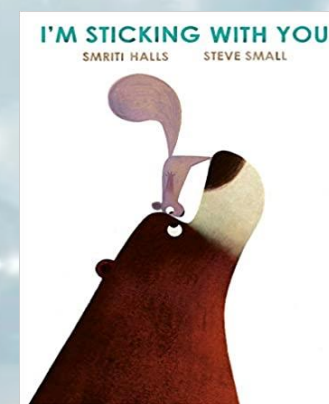
## The Adventures of Parsley the Lion

Gathering together all of Michael Bond's enchanting Parsley the Lion stories in this beautiful gift edition.



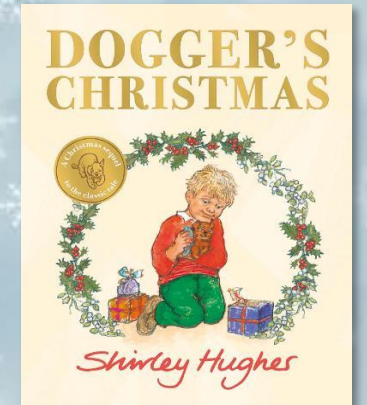
## What We'll Build

A wonderful book for inquisitive young minds, this is the latest book from the world-renowned Oliver Jeffers.



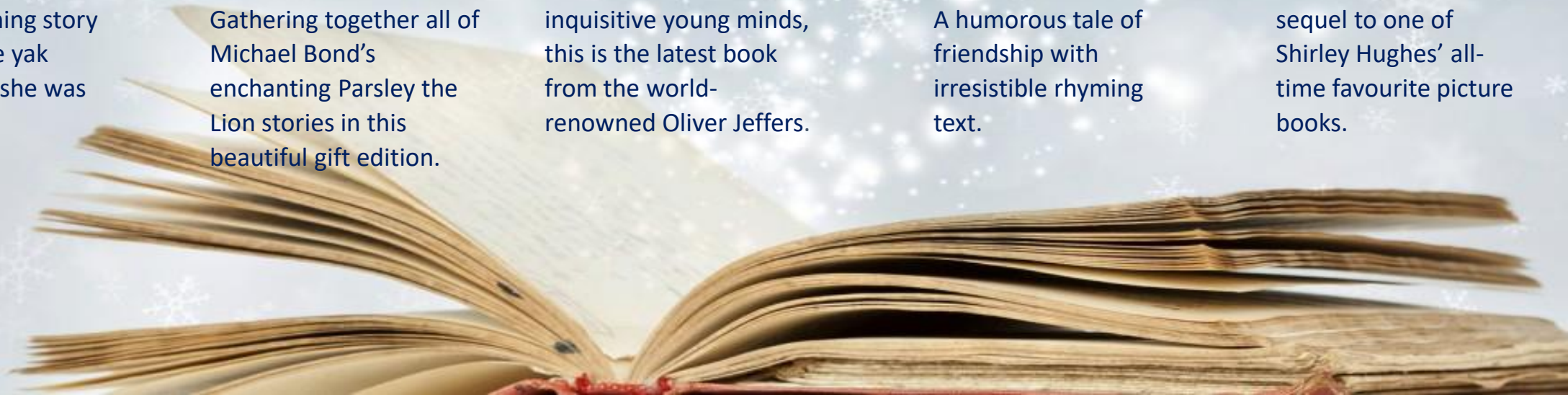
## I'm Sticking With You

A humorous tale of friendship with irresistible rhyming text.



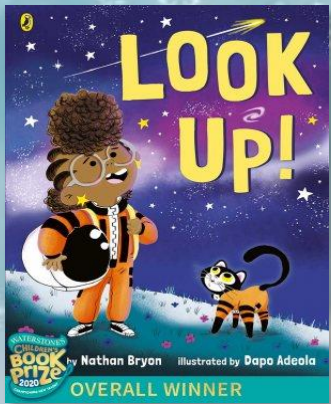
## Dogger's Christmas

A charming, festive sequel to one of Shirley Hughes' all-time favourite picture books.



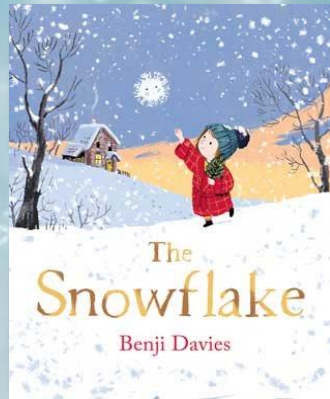


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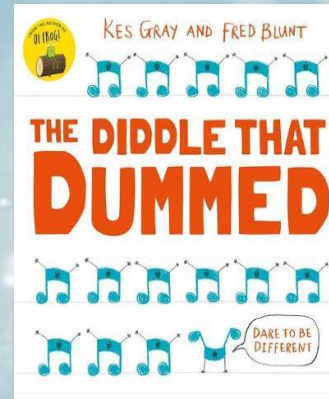
## Look Up!

Winner of the Waterstones Children's Book Prize, *Look Up!* is a perfect book for all our budding scientists.



## The Snowflake

An enchanting winter tale, this beautifully illustrated book is a great addition to Christmas bookshelves.



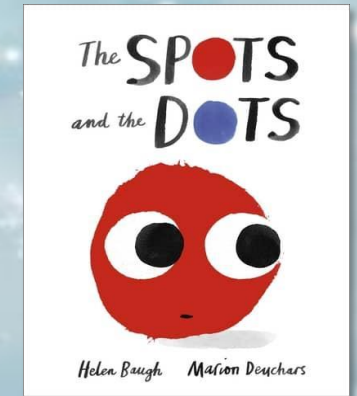
## The Diddle That Dummed

A fabulously inventive book about standing out from the crowd, with plenty of wordplay and musical humour, from the author of the bestselling *Oi Frog!* Series.



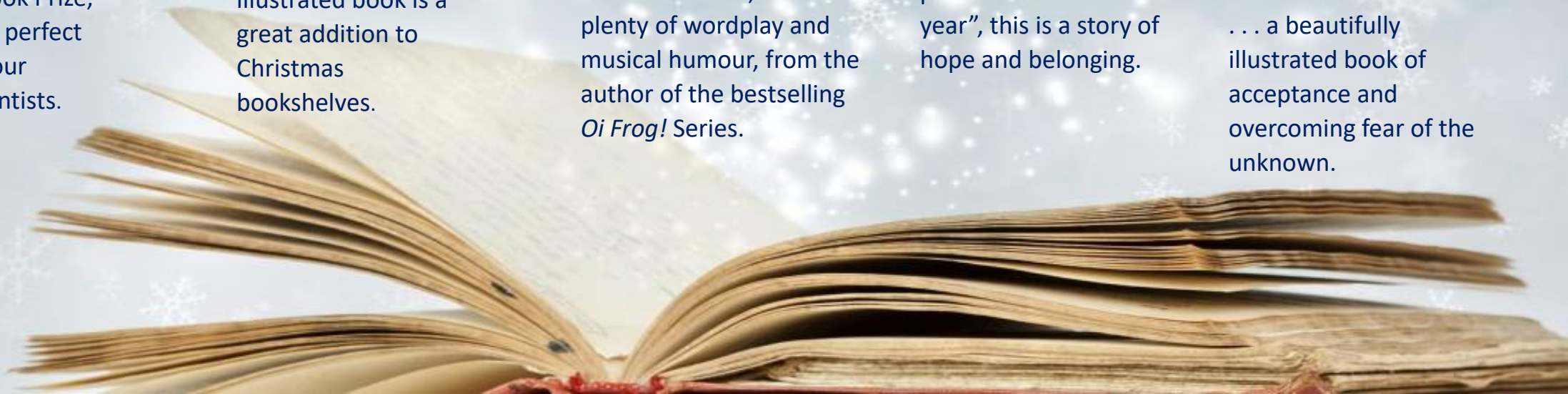
## Snow Ghost

Described as “the most heart warming picture book of the year”, this is a story of hope and belonging.



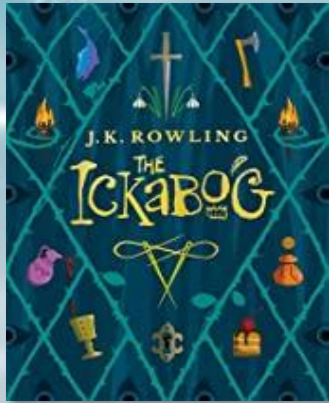
## The Spots and the Dots

The Spots and the Dots find out that they are not so different after all . . . a beautifully illustrated book of acceptance and overcoming fear of the unknown.



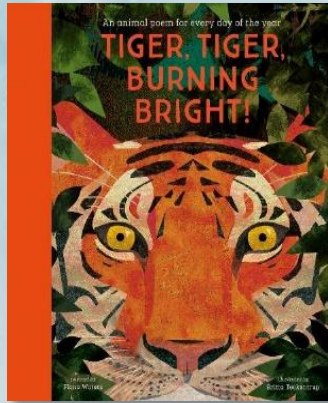


# Riveting Reads for ages 5-8



## The Ickabog

JK Rowling's fabulous fairy tale for younger readers, in a beautiful hardback edition.



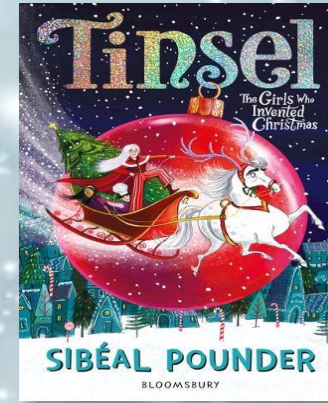
## Tiger, Tiger, Burning Bright

A lavishly illustrated gift book, celebrating the diverse animal kingdom, with a poem for every day of the year.



## Where Snow Angels Go

A beautiful and compelling picture book for older children from the bestselling author Maggie O'Farrell.



## Tinsel: The Girls Who Invented Christmas

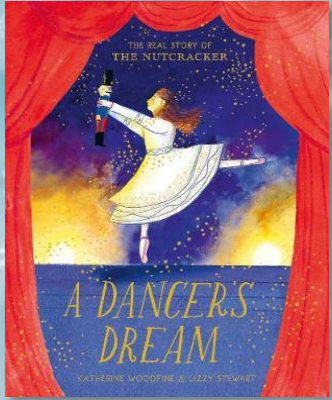
A joyful Christmassy adventure by favourite young readers author, Sibeal Pounder.



## Blue Planet II

A highly informative and beautifully illustrated book for children to accompany the BBC series.





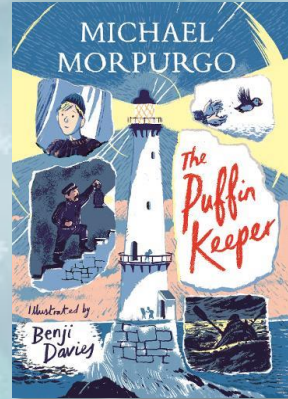
### **A Dancer's Dream**

A gorgeously designed, magical retelling of The Nutcracker.



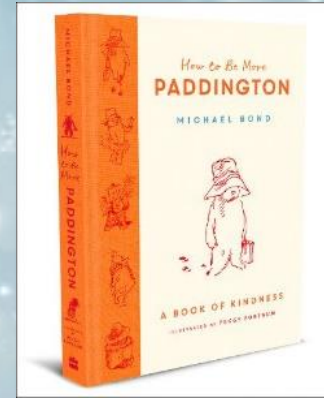
### **The Danger Gang**

A thrilling, humorous story from the author of *The Christmasaurus*.



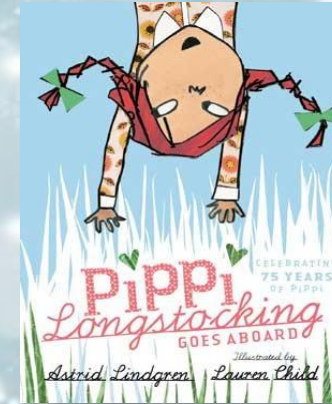
### **The Puffin Keeper**

A classic story from Michael Morpurgo about a trusty lighthouse keeper and a lost and lonely puffin.



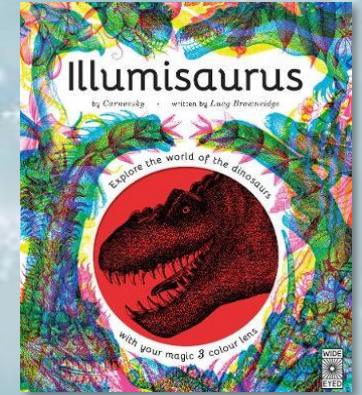
### **How to be More Paddington**

Subtitled 'A Book of Kindness', this beautiful book contains inspirational and amusing quotes from the bear from Darkest Peru.



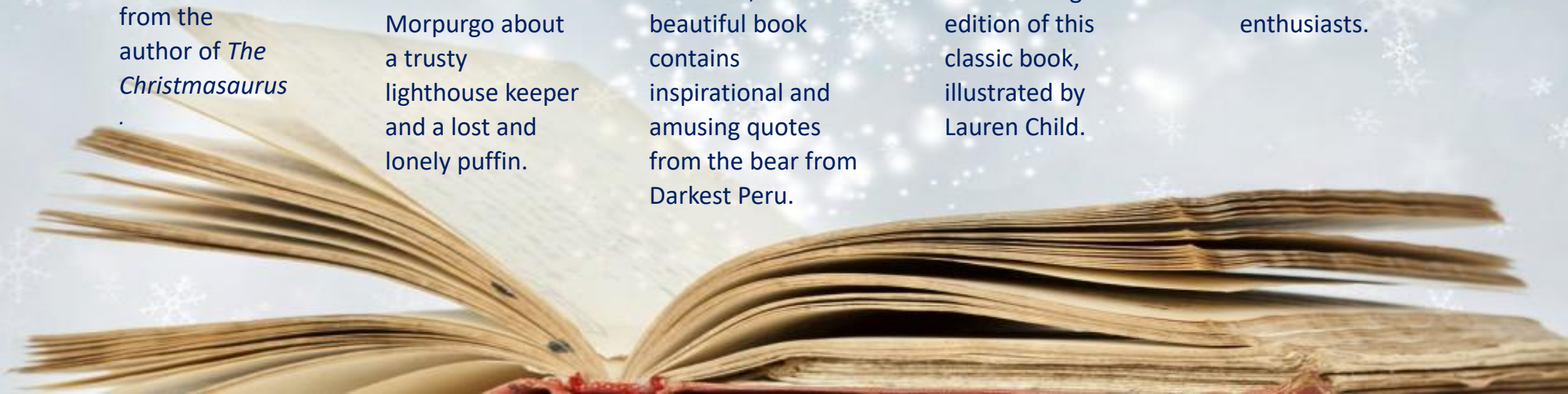
### **Pippi Longstocking Goes Aboard**

A beautiful gift edition of this classic book, illustrated by Lauren Child.



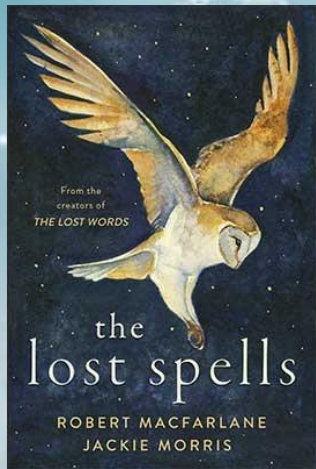
### **Illumisaurus**

A perfect gift for our young dinosaur enthusiasts.





# Riveting Reads for ages 9-12



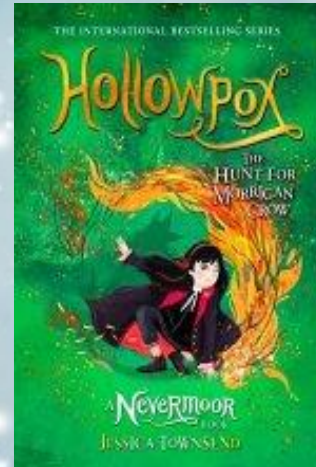
## The Lost Spells

A beautiful book of poetry and artwork, described as “a luminous hymn to nature and language.”



## Dragon Mountain

The first in a highly regarded new fantasy series.



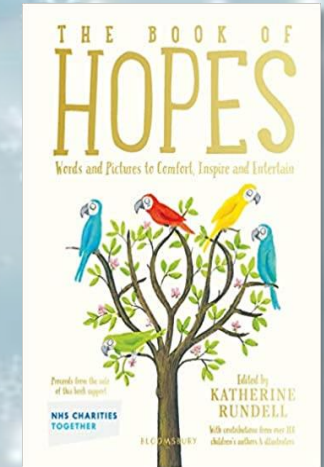
## Hollowpox

We suspect this is already on the wish list of many St Faith's children! The highly anticipated third book in the fantastic Morrigan Crow fantasy series.



## The Midnight Guardians

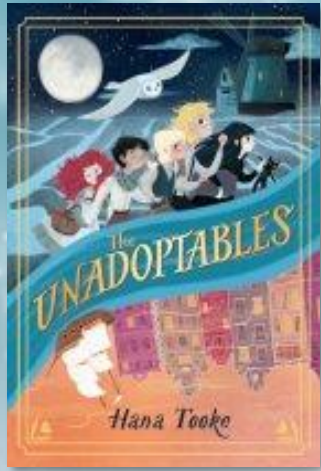
Featuring a magical quest during the Blitz in London, this was Waterstones Book of the Month for November.



## The Book of Hopes

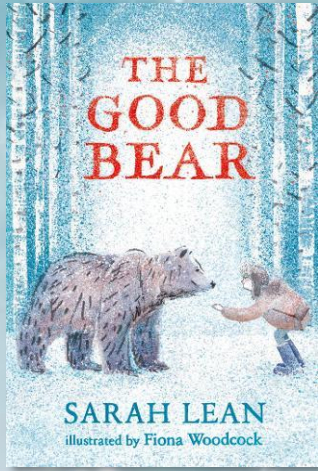
Curated by Katherine Rundell, this book brings together stories of hope from many of our best-loved children's authors.





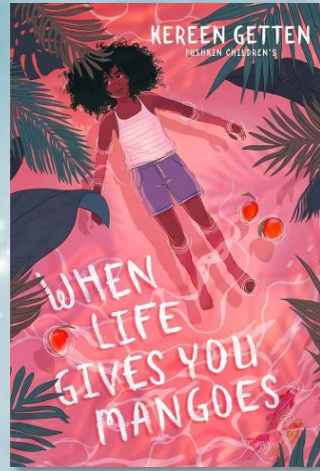
### **The Unadoptables**

A thrilling adventure across nineteenth-century Amsterdam in the company of five 'unadoptable' orphans.



### **The Good Bear**

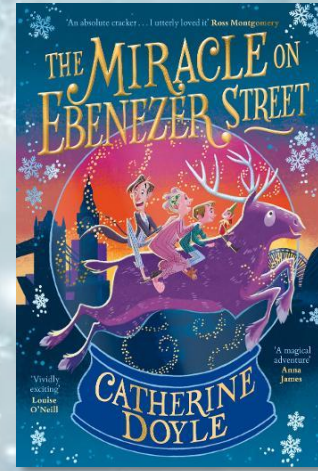
A heart-warming wintry animal story, this would make a perfect gift for fans of Michael Morpurgo and Lauren St John.



### **When Life Gives You Mangoes**

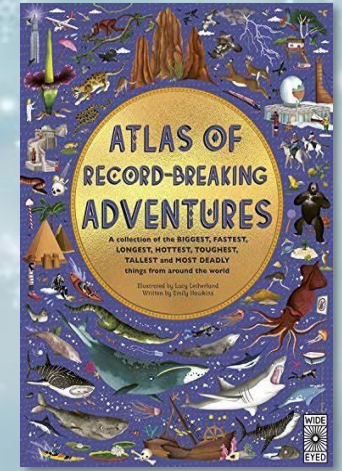
To escape our English winter, this book provides a wonderful evocation of a Caribbean island childhood, as well as a gripping mystery with a jaw-dropping twist .

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### **The Miracle on Ebenezer Street**

A stunning, modern, reimagining of Charles Dickens', classic *A Christmas Carol*.

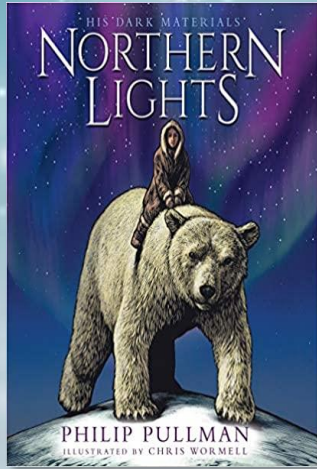


### **Atlas of Record-Breaking Adventures**

Inspiring curiosity and wonder, the illustrated Atlas of Record-breaking Adventures brings together some of the world's most spectacular sights and extraordinary events.



# Brilliant Books for Older Readers (age 11+)



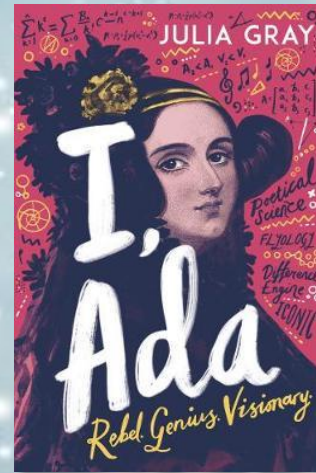
## Northern Lights

A beautiful illustrated edition, celebrating the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of this ground breaking fantasy masterpiece.



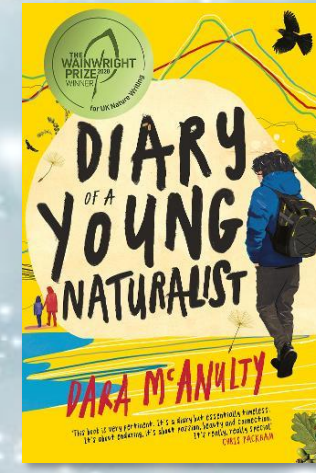
## The Silent Stars Go By

This poignant novel from Sally Nicholls, featuring forbidden love at the time of WW1, is predicted to become a firm festive favourite.



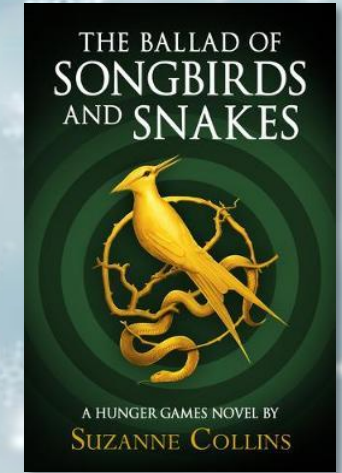
## I, Ada: Rebel, Genius, Visionary

A wonderfully witty, part-fictionalised portrayal of the young life of Ada Lovelace, the 19th-century mathematician and computer programmer.



## Diary of a Young Naturalist

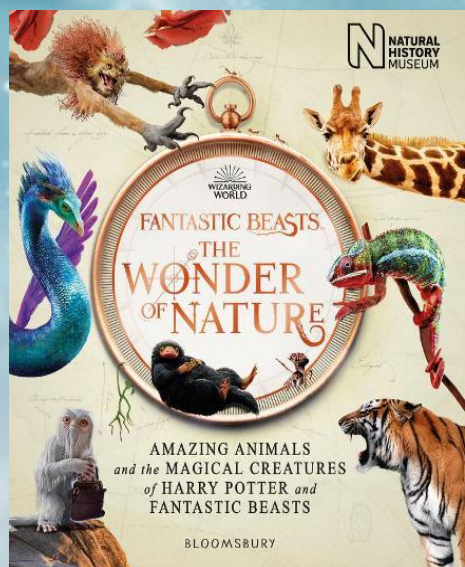
The teenage star of *Countryfile*, Dara McAnulty writes in this fascinating book about his autism and his love of the natural world.



## The Ballad of Songbirds and Snakes

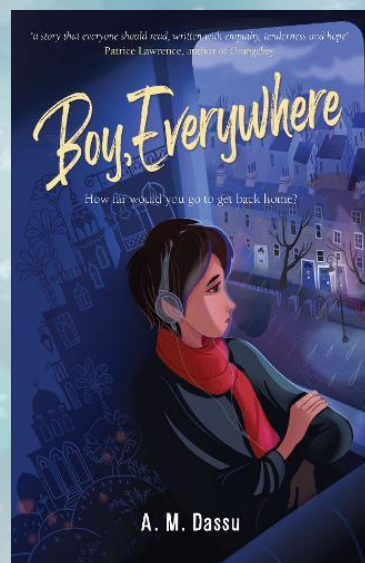
The highly anticipated prequel to the *Hunger Games* trilogy, this is an exciting dystopian thriller.





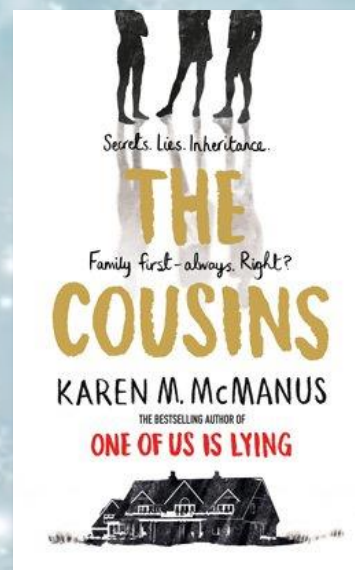
### **Fantastic Beasts: The Wonders of Nature**

A beautiful gift book for fans of *Harry Potter* and *Fantastic Beasts*, this Natural History Museum book celebrates the wonders of nature, science and adventure.



### **Boy, Everywhere**

Charting the journey taken by teenage Sami and his family as they escape Damascus to travel as refugees to the UK, this is a gripping, moving story of survival.



### **The Cousins**

Brilliant new murder mystery from the international bestselling YA author of *One of us is Lying*.



### **Gareth Southgate: Anything is Possible**

With his inspirational new book, Gareth Southgate urges young people to 'Be Brave, Be Kind and Follow Your Dreams'.