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# Dog's First Baby

A Board Book

By **Natalie Nelson**

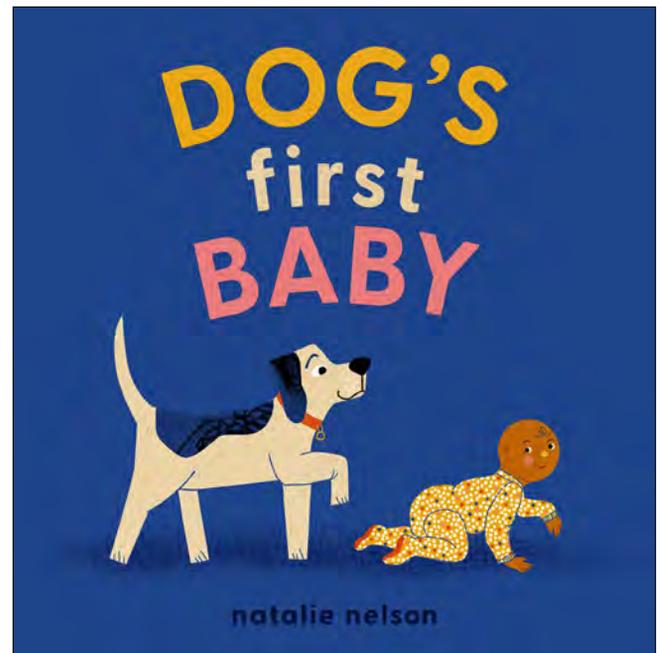
Dog likes his routines: spending time with his humans, eating, sleeping, and playing. But one day, a new arrival changes everything. What is this unfamiliar creature? Is it a dog, or something else? As Dog investigates, he slowly comes to appreciate his loud and silly new sibling. She does drop food on the ground, after all . . .

In a charming blend of cute text and colorful imagery, author and illustrator Natalie Nelson captures the wonder and humor of a new family member through a dog's eyes. Sure to delight kids and adults alike, this unique take on new introductions promises to become an instant classic and go-to gift for new parents with beloved pets and a baby on the way.



**NATALIE NELSON** is an illustrator, picture-book maker, and collage artist. Trained in graphic design and illustration, she works in a mixed-media hybrid of cut paper, collage, and digital art. Her illustrated work includes five books for Groundwood Books, including *A Storytelling of Ravens* and *How Emily Saved the Bridge*, and her art is in demand from such prestigious clients as the *New York Times*, *Washington Post*, *Time*, Teach for America, Vox Media, and Mailchimp. She lives with her husband, their dog Coach, and their baby. Find her at [natalieknelson.com](http://natalieknelson.com).

Residence: Atlanta, GA



**A heartwarming story  
told from the perspective  
of a skeptical dog  
meeting a peculiar  
new family member.**

**Subject:**

Juvenile Fiction - Family -  
New Baby

Juvenile Fiction - Animals -  
Dogs

Juvenile Fiction - Animals -  
Pets

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with rounded corners

**Age range:** 2-5

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October 5, 2021

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March 2021



# Won't You Be My Neighbor?

A Mister Rogers Poetry Book

**By Fred Rogers**

**Illustrated by Luke Flowers**

For the first time ever, Mister Rogers’s beloved opening theme song is in board book form to share with the youngest readers. Follow Mister Rogers through the neighborhood as he welcomes readers into his world, meeting familiar faces and new friends alike with kindness and respect. Featuring bright, upbeat illustrations by Luke Flowers and sweet lyrics that fans will know by heart, this edition is a perfect introduction to the joy of Mister Rogers and a giftable companion to the *New York Times* best-selling treasury *A Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood* (Quirk Books, 2019).



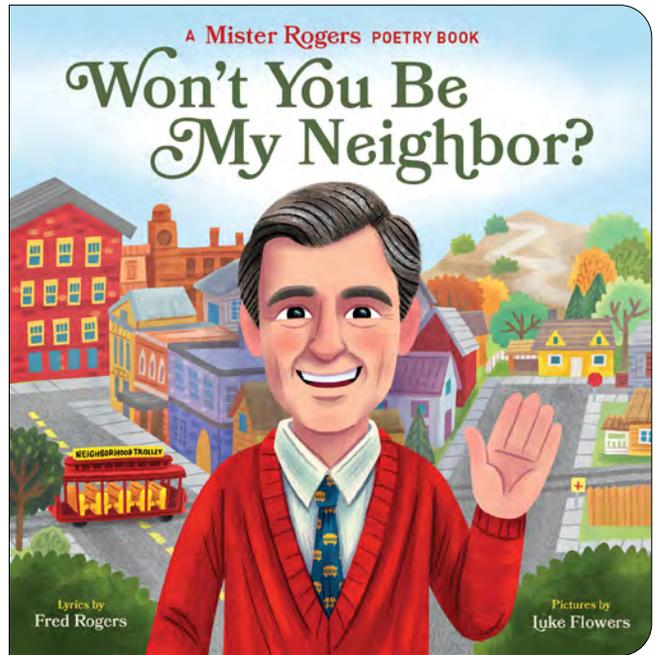
**FRED ROGERS** was many things—a minister, a musician, a puppeteer, a television star, a friend to children for generations, and, most of all, a very good neighbor. For over 30 years, he created and hosted the groundbreaking educational television series *Mister Rogers’ Neighborhood*, which worked to instill kindness, self-esteem, and emotional intelligence in his child viewers. He received the Presidential Medal of Freedom and was inducted into the Television Hall of Fame, among other distinguished honors.



**LUKE FLOWERS** has illustrated over 42 children’s books, including his author/illustrator debut series *Moby Shinobi*, a Scholastic Easy Reader that has sold 800,000+ copies across three books since 2016. Luke’s artwork explores a wide range of styles and techniques and has been featured in over 36 gallery shows in Los Angeles, New York, and Colorado. He also enjoys puppeteering, playing banjo, and going on adventures with his wife and three kids in Colorado Springs, Colorado. You can see more of his work at [lukeflowerscreative.com](http://lukeflowerscreative.com).

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- Juvenile Fiction - Social Themes - Emotions & Feelings
- Juvenile Fiction - Media Tie-In

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4c board book

**Word Count:**  
Approx 100 words

**Age Range:** 2-5 years

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# It's You I Like

A Mister Rogers Poetry Book

By Fred Rogers

Illustrated by Luke Flowers

For the first time ever, Mister Rogers's heartwarming song "It's You I Like" is in board book form to share with the youngest readers. Featuring a diverse array of families and friendships, the affirming lyrics and illustrations convey Mister Rogers's singular warmth and belief that every child is special and loved. This edition is a perfect introduction to the joy of Mister Rogers and a giftable companion to the *New York Times* treasury *A Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood* (Quirk Books, 2019).



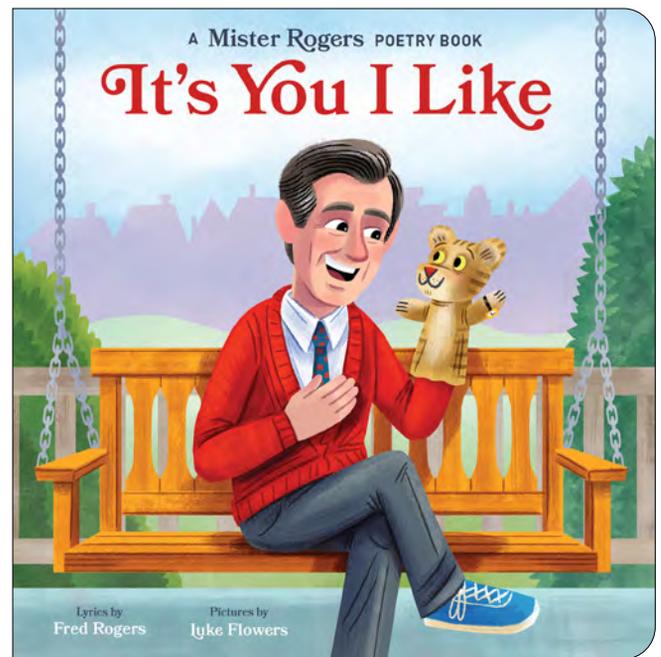
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# A Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood

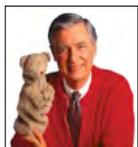
The Poetry of Mister Rogers

By Fred Rogers

Illustrated by Luke Flowers

For the first time ever, 75 beloved songs from *Mister Rogers' Neighborhood* and *The Children's Corner* are collected in this charmingly illustrated treasury, sure to be cherished by generations of children as well as the millions of adults who grew up with Mister Rogers.

From funny to sweet, silly to sincere, the lyrics of Mister Rogers explore such universal topics as feelings, new siblings, everyday life, imagination, and more. Through these songs—as well as endearing puppets and honest conversations—Mister Rogers instilled in his young viewers the values of kindness, self-awareness, and self-esteem. But most of all, he taught children that they are loved, just as they are. Perfect for bedtime, sing-along, or quiet time alone, this beautiful book of meaningful poetry is for every child—including the child inside of every one of us.



**FRED ROGERS** was many things—a minister, a musician, a puppeteer, a television star, a friend to children for generations, and, most of all, a very good neighbor. For over 30 years, he created and hosted the groundbreaking educational television series *Mister Rogers' Neighborhood*, which worked to instill kindness, self-esteem, and emotional intelligence in his child viewers. He received the Presidential Medal of Freedom and was inducted into the Television Hall of Fame, among other distinguished honors.

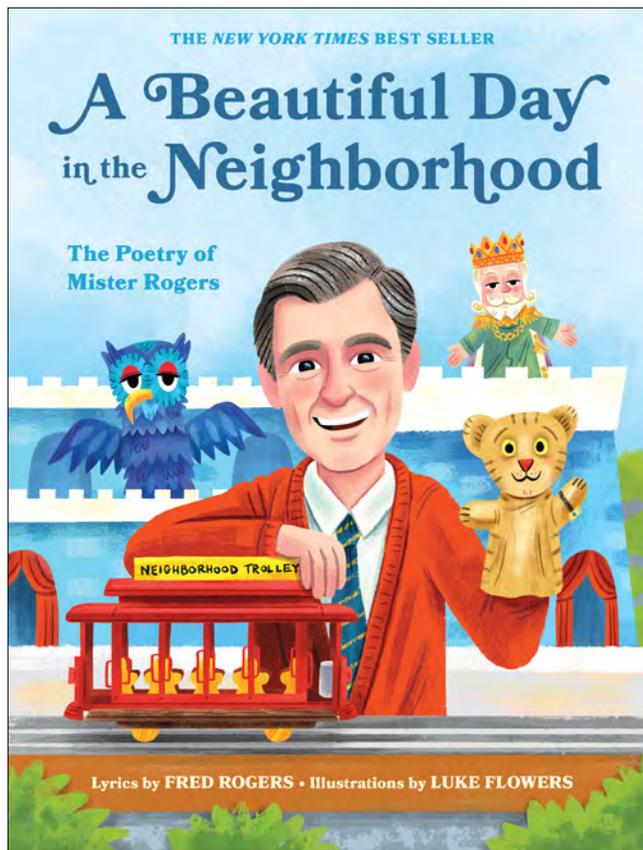


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- Juvenile Nonfiction - Poetry - General
- Juvenile Fiction - Social Themes - Emotions & Feelings
- Juvenile Nonfiction - Performing Arts - Television & Radio

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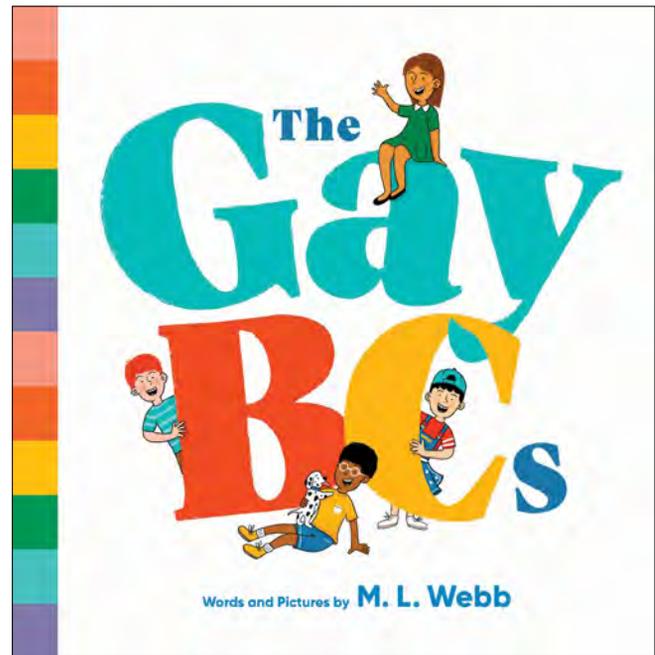
# The GayBCs

By **M. L. Webb**

A joyful celebration of LGBTQ+ vocabulary for kids of all ages! A playdate extravaganza transforms into a celebration of friendship, love, and identity as four friends sashay out of all the closets, dress up in a wardrobe fit for kings and queens, and discover the wonder of imagination. From *A is for Aro and Ace* to *F is for Family* to *Q is for Queer*, debut author/illustrator M. L. Webb's bright illustrations and lively, inclusive poems delight in the beauty of embracing one's truest self. A glossary in the back offers opportunity for further discussion of terms and identities. *The GayBCs* is perfect for fans of *A Is for Activist* and *Feminist Baby*—showing kids and adults alike that every identity is worthy of being celebrated.



**M. L. WEBB** is an author, illustrator, and graphic designer who spends his free time getting lost in Central Park. He was born and raised in McMinnville, Tennessee, and now lives in New York City.



## PRAISE FOR THE GAYBCS:

A *Red Tricycle* Best Kids Book of 2019

“For many kids, this will encourage important conversations about identity and sexuality, as well as offer those who might be questioning their own identities the space to see themselves.”—*Booklist*

“The perfect way to teach your kiddos LGBTQ+ vocab while celebrating the beauty of embracing yourself and others.”  
—*KIWI Magazine*

“For the child with two Mommies or two Daddies, and for the kids in that child's preschool session...or it might make a great gift for the adult who still possesses the wonder of a child. Or for an adult, just because.”—Terri Schlichenmeyer, *The Bookworm Sez*

“An invaluable resource for demystifying LGBTQ+ vocab for kids.. packed with the type of positive messages I love sharing with my kids and I want all kids to hear: "Brave, creative, and strong. You are special and loved, and you'll always belong.”—*Dad Suggests*

“A great way to introduce 26 words to kids while teaching them to read.”  
—*GeekDad*



**Subject:**  
Juvenile Nonfiction - LGBT  
Juvenile Nonfiction -  
Concepts - Alphabet  
Juvenile Nonfiction -  
Social Topics -  
Emotions & Feelings

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(Findaway)

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# Let's Find Momo Outdoors!

A Hide and Seek Adventure with Momo and Boo

By Andrew Knapp

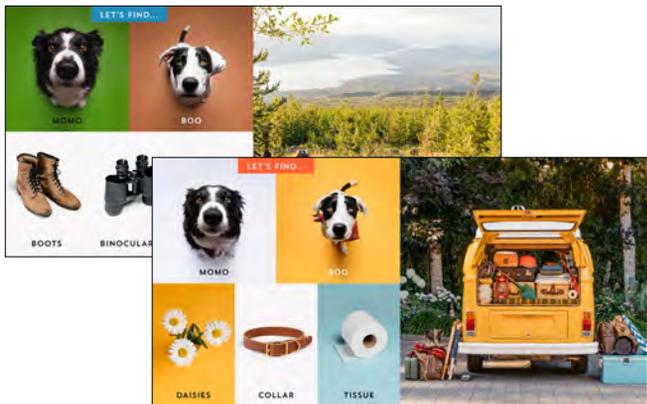
Beloved border collie dog Momo is back...if you can find him! In this follow-up to *Let's Find Momo!*, spend a day with Momo as he sets off on a nature adventure. From the mountains to the beach to camping under the stars, young readers will delight in finding Momo in unexpected and beautiful locations. Plus, Momo has an adorable new puppy friend: Boo!

In this sturdy board book kids can keep the game going—and learn new words—by searching for objects in each picture. With stunning photographs, bright colors, and Momo's friendly face on every page, *Let's Find Momo Outdoors!* delivers exactly what fans loved in the previous Momo books—with plenty of new sights to see and objects to find.



**ANDREW KNAPP** is a graphic designer and photographer currently based in Vancouver. His Instagram feed featuring photos of Momo is an internet sensation, counting 640,000-plus followers and growing every day. His books about Momo include *Find Momo*, *Find Momo Coast to Coast*, *Find Momo Across Europe*, *Let's Find Momo!*, and *Let's Find Momo Outdoors!* **Momo** is an adorable brown-eyed border collie, Andrew's BFF, and a genius at hiding. **Boo** is Momo's new and equally cute puppy companion. Say hello at [letsfindmomo.com](http://letsfindmomo.com).

Author residence: Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada



EXPLORE THE GREAT OUTDOORS WITH MOMO THE ADORABLE DOG AND HIS NEW PUPPY COMPANION BOO IN THIS BRIGHT, FRIENDLY BOARD BOOK! BABIES, TODDLERS, AND PARENTS WILL LOVE PLAYING HIDE-AND-SEEK WITH MOMO.

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Juvenile Nonfiction - Animals - Dogs  
 Juvenile Nonfiction - Games & Activities - General  
 Juvenile Nonfiction - Photography

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 4c board book

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**Age Range:** 2-5 years

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**Final PDF Available:** Now



# Let's Find Momo!

A Hide-and-Seek Board Book

by Andrew Knapp

He's back! Everyone's favorite hide-and-seek border collie dog returns in *Let's Find Momo*, a kid-friendly photography board book that features Momo the dog hiding on a farm, in a bookstore, at a construction site, and in other unlikely locations. (The photos are also loaded with other hidden objects for kids and parents to find together.) Perfect for bedtime reading, car trips, playtime, or any-time, *Let's Find Momo* is part art book, part puzzle book, and all fun!



**ANDREW KNAPP** is a freelance interface designer, photographer, and tireless traveler from Northern Ontario. His Instagram feed @andrewknapp featuring photographs of his border collie Momo is an internet sensation, with 650,000 followers and counting. **MOMO** is Andrew's best buddy, an excellent traveling companion, and a genius at hiding in beautifully composed landscape photography. *Let's Find Momo* is his third collaboration with Andrew, following *Find Momo* (Quirk, 2014) and *Find Momo Coast to Coast* (Quirk, 2015).

ALSO AVAILABLE \_\_\_\_\_

**Series:** Find Momo is an adorable border collie who loves to play hide-and-seek with you! Look for him hiding in the stunningly beautiful photography of his best friend, Andrew Knapp



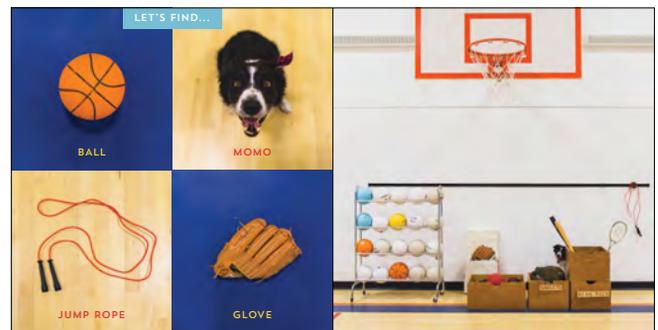
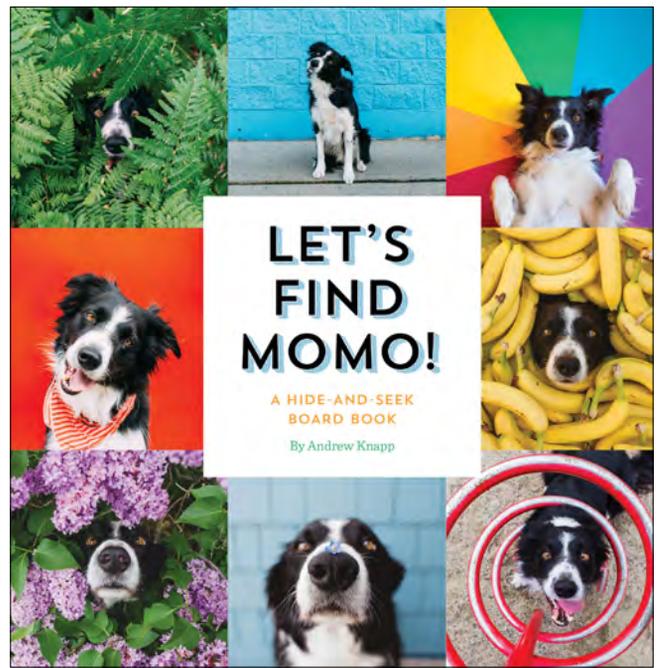
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Animals - Dogs  
Juvenile Nonfiction -  
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Juvenile Nonfiction -  
Photography

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WPG Kindermedia), French  
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# School of Rock

**Based on the film written by Mike White**

**Illustrated by Kim Smith**

**Story adapted by Rebecca Gyllenhaal**

*School of Rock* hit screens in 2003 and it was an instant hit, remaining the highest grossing music-themed comedy for over a decade. Now fans can enjoy the hilarious and heartwarming story as an adorable full-color picture book!

It's just another ordinary day at Horace Green Elementary School, and the students think they're getting just another ordinary substitute teacher. What arrives instead is Dewey Finn, a washed-up musician who whisks them off on a totally rocking adventure. After Dewey hears the kids practicing in music class, he realizes he has another chance at his greatest dream: winning the Battle of the Bands. But when the parents discover what Dewey has been teaching their kids, will the School of Rock even be able to compete?

With all the iconic moments and laugh-out-loud lines of the original, this Pop Classic's charm and spirit shine on every page. The delightful story of a diverse and passionate group of children coming into their own is a must-have for fans of the film, parents of musical kids, and anyone who's ever stuck it to the man!

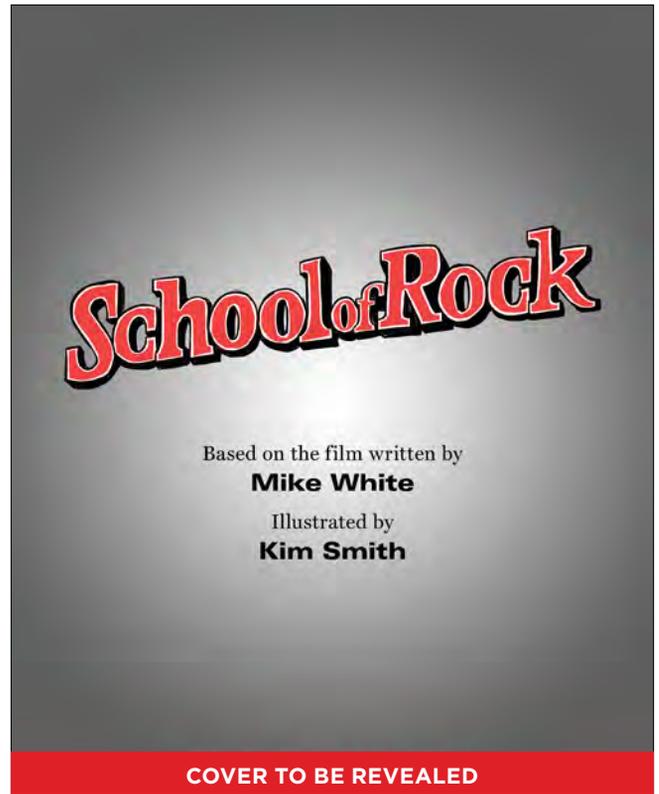
**MIKE WHITE** is a writer, actor, director, and producer. He is the screenwriter behind *School of Rock*, among other films and TV shows.



**KIM SMITH** has illustrated all the books in Quirk's Pop Classics series. A graduate of the Alberta College of Art and Design, she lives in Western Canada.

Author residence: Calgary, Alberta, Canada

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Juvenile Fiction - Media Tie-In  
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Social Themes -  
New Experience

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# Pop Classics Series

Pop Culture Faves for a New Generation!

Parents can share their pop culture favorites with the next generation with lively and colorful picture books that reimagine iconic moments and characters from TV and movie classics. Kids will love the timeless stories, and parents will love a little nostalgia at bedtime.



**Home Alone**  
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**Home Alone2: Lost in New York**  
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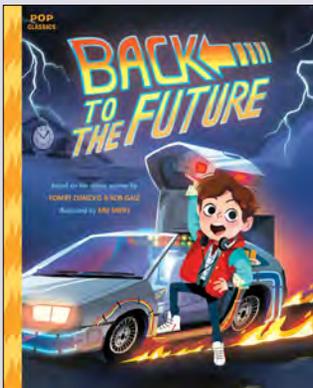
**E.T. the Extra-Terrestrial**  
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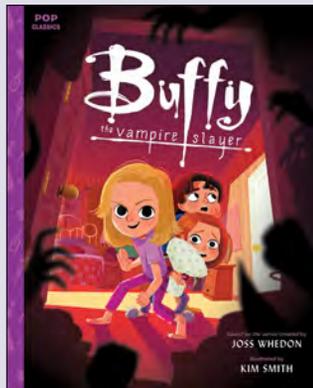
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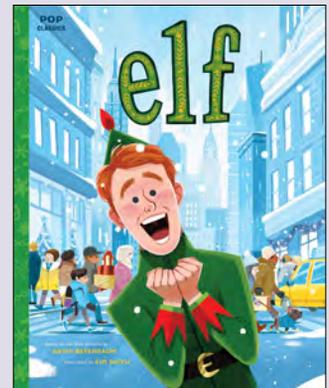
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# The Wild World Handbook: Habitats

How Adventurers, Artists, Scientists—and You—Can Protect the Earth

By **Andrea Debbink**

The wonder of the natural world surrounds us—from the Amazon rainforest to the snowy peaks of Mount Everest to the green spaces in big cities. And as the threat of climate change grows, it's more important than ever to show appreciation for our planet by taking action.

The first book in a middle grade series for young environmental activists and nature lovers, *The Wild World Handbook* offers a road-map for change and an invitation to explore the outdoors, alongside surprising facts and hands-on activities. Featuring nine habitats from around the globe, each section includes diverse biographies of outdoor adventurers, scientists, and artists who used their passion and skills to become bold allies for Earth's natural diversity and resiliency.

**INSIDE YOU WILL FIND:**

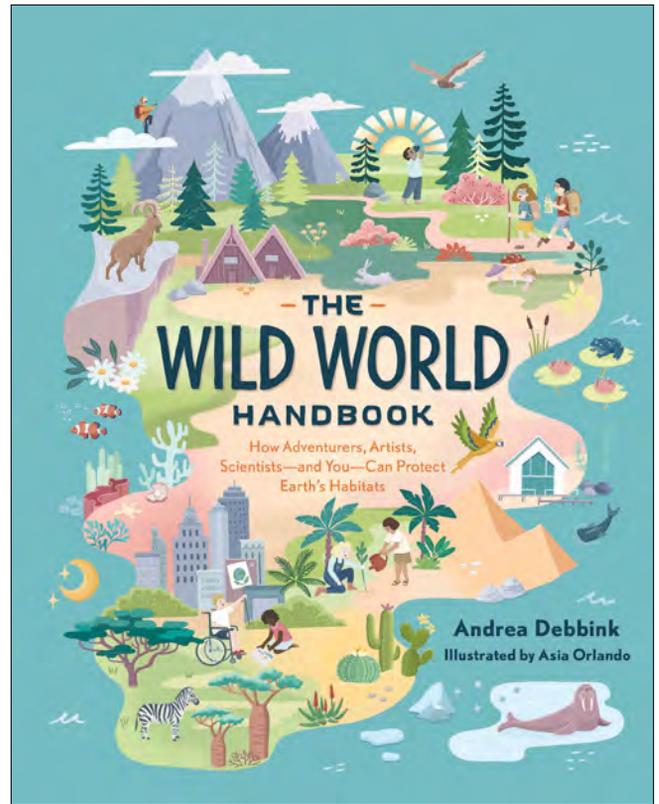
- Nine Amazing Habitats
- Eighteen Inspiring Biographies
- Nine Kid-Friendly DIY Activities
- Nine Fun Field Trips
- And much more!



**ANDREA DEBBINK** is the author of several books for kids and a former editor at *American Girl* magazine. Her favorite way to explore our wild world is hiking a trail or kayaking a river. She lives and writes in Madison, Wisconsin, and you can learn more about her at [AndreaDebbink.com](http://AndreaDebbink.com).

Author residence: Madison, WI

**ASIA ORLANDO** is an illustrator and digital artist based in Amsterdam. She is the founder of [#OurPlanetWeek](https://www.instagram.com/ourplanetweek), an illustration movement aimed at promoting environmental awareness.



Packed with real-life tales of adventure, breathtaking illustrations, and practical tools, this handbook is an inspiring guide for the next generation of climate activists, conservationists, and nature lovers.



**Subject:**

Juvenile Nonfiction - Science & Nature - Environmental Conservation & Protection  
 Juvenile Nonfiction - Social Activism & Volunteering  
 Juvenile Nonfiction - Science & Nature - Earth Sciences

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How Adventurers, Artists, Scientists—and You—Can Protect Earth’s Animals

By **Andrea Debbink**

We share this beautiful planet we call home with countless living creatures, from monarch butterflies and falcons to koalas and dolphins. And just like us, animals everywhere are faced with the growing threat of climate change.

Featuring seven categories of animals, this handbook offers a roadmap for change and an invitation to explore the outdoors with fascinating facts, hope-filled stories, and hands-on STEAM activities. Each section includes biographies of adventurers, scientists, and artists from all over the world who used their passion and skills to become bold allies for nature.

As the second of two illustrated middle grade guides, *The Wild World Handbook: Creatures* seeks to empower young readers to appreciate and protect Planet Earth and its inhabitants.

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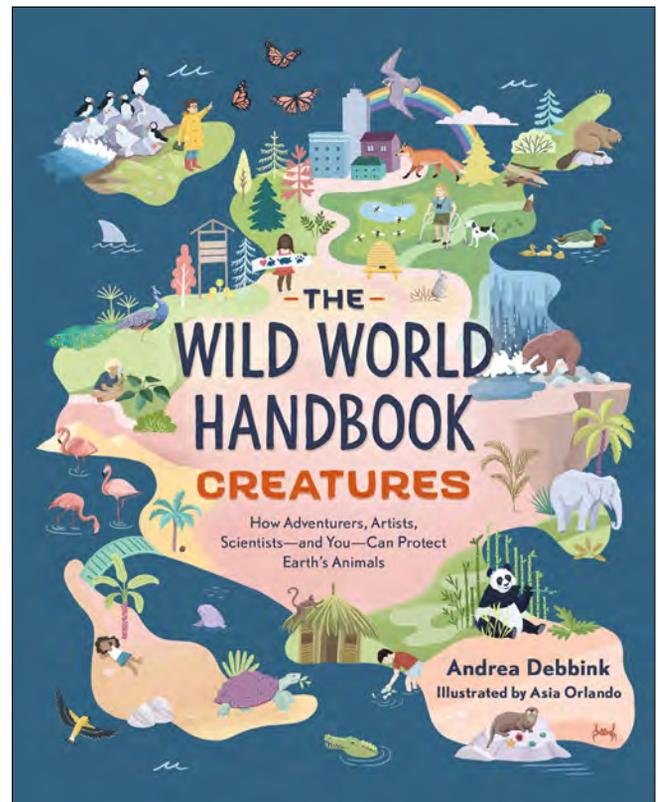
- Seven Incredible Categories of Creatures
- Fourteen Inspiring Biographies
- Seven Kid-Friendly DIY Activities
- Seven Fun Field Trips
- And much more!



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# Little Kid, Big City!: New York

By **Beth Beckman**; Illustrated by **Holley Maher**

If a kid were given the opportunity to lead a tour of New York City, where would they go? In this brand-new series, an illustrated travel guide collides with an interactive format, allowing readers to imagine, create, and explore their own routes through the greatest cities on the planet. (Next stop, London!)

With fun and detailed illustrations and dozens of forks in the road, Little Kid, Big City is a new way for kids to take part in their travels and invent their own adventures.



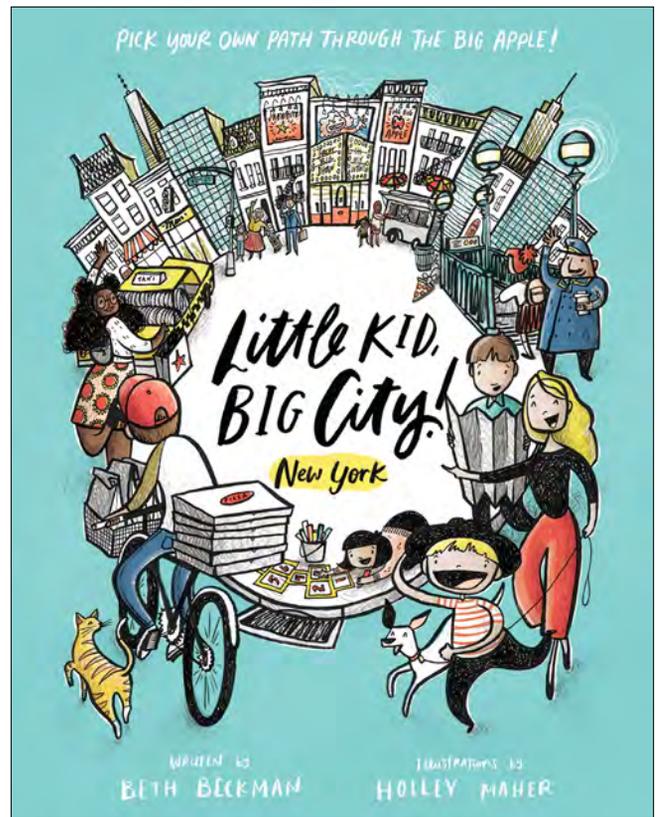
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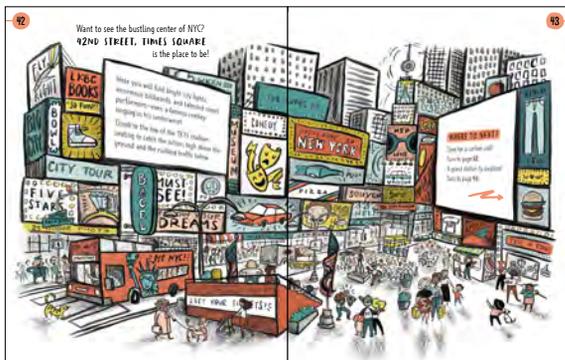


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If you could have an adventure in London, where would you go? Would you hop on the Tube to visit Buckingham Palace, find a tasty lunch on Brick Lane, or pass the time with Big Ben? Follow along with a family of two Black moms, their adventurous daughter, and her adorable corgi as they explore London. Create your own itinerary and choose which places to visit at the end of every page. Whether you're an armchair traveler or a real-life tourist, there are dozens of ways to explore iconic sights, venture to nearby locales, and wander off the beaten path.

In this second book in the Little Kid, Big City series—in which travel guides collide with an interactive format—kids are empowered to imagine, create, and explore their own routes through the world's greatest cities. Featuring intricate illustrations, a diverse and lovable cast of characters, an invaluable resources section, and a fun foldout map, *Little Kid, Big City!: London* has everything you need to invent your own adventure!



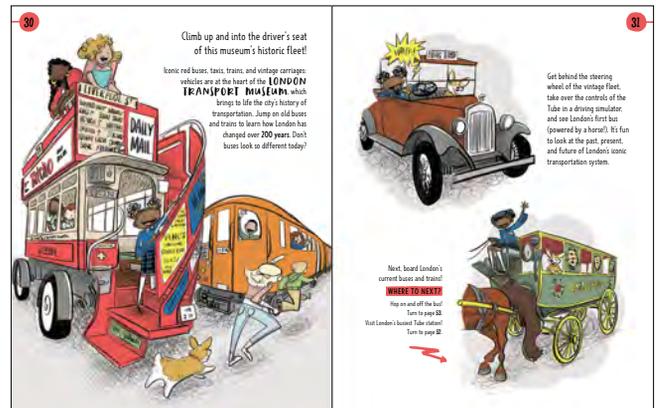
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# Pet That Dog!

A Handbook for Making Four-Legged Friends

By Gideon Kidd, with Rachel Braunigan

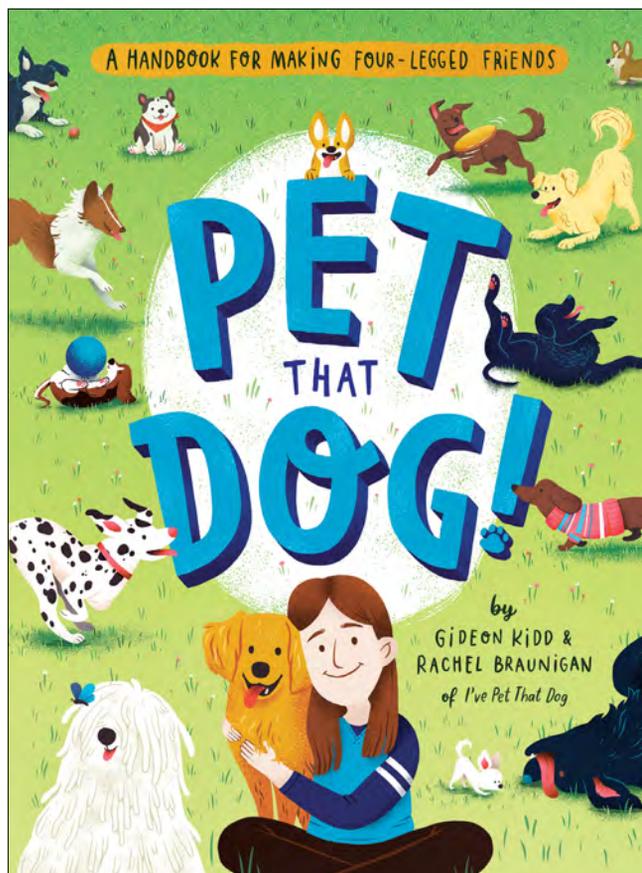
*Pet That Dog! A Handbook for Making Four-Legged Friends* is an illustrated guide to meeting, petting, and caring for dogs by Gideon and his mom, Rachel Braunigan. Learn how dogs communicate through body language, helpful tips for safely interacting with dogs, and fun facts about dogs to share with friends. (Did you know that all-white dogs are more likely to be deaf? Or that dogs poop in alignment with the north-south axis of the Earth’s magnetic field?) You can even keep track of the pups you meet with your very own Dog Tracker.

With participatory sections and joyful illustrations of lovable dogs, *Pet That Dog!* makes a perfect gift for dog lovers and dog-curious kids.



**GIDEON KIDD** loves dogs and hopes to meet and pet as many as he can. He asked his mom if he could start a blog in 2016, when he was 8 years old, documenting each dog he petted. He began posting his pictures and stories on Twitter in April 2018, and he has now petted over 1,000 dogs and has over 350,000 Twitter followers at @ivepetthatdog.

**RACHEL BRAUNIGAN** is Gideon’s mom. A social worker turned stay-at-home mom, she has four sons. Rachel assists Gideon with his project by taking pictures and helping in his never-ending quest to pet more dogs.



From 11-year-old dog-loving Gideon Kidd of the viral Twitter account *I've Pet That Dog* comes a guide for young readers to befriend and care for dogs of all shapes, sizes, and personalities!

“Cheerful, humorous, full-color illustrations and background art add visual interest and feature ethnically diverse humans. Gideon’s infectious enthusiasm for his subject shines out from the engaging and chatty text . . . Fact-filled fun for any child drawn to canines.”

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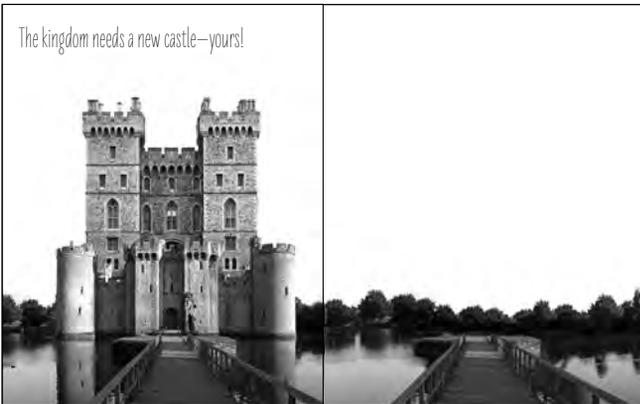
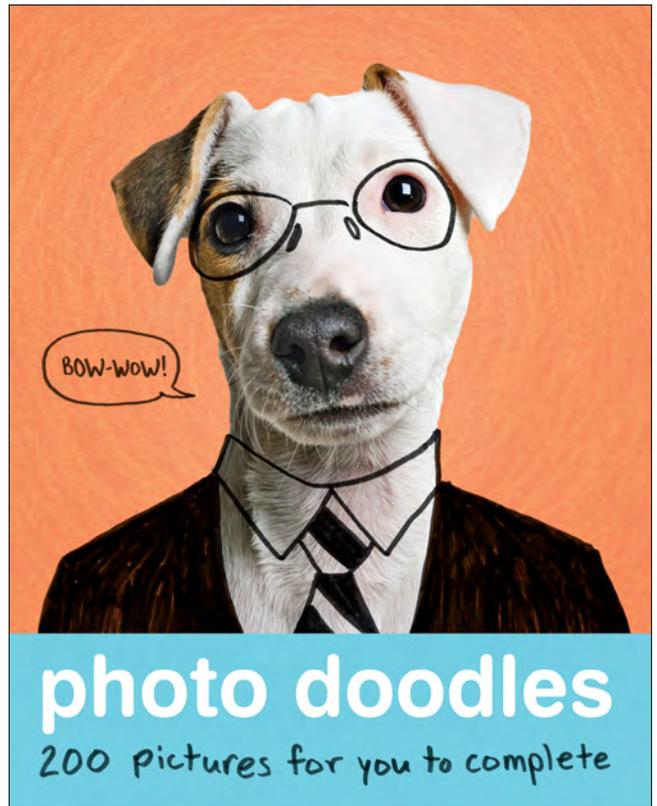
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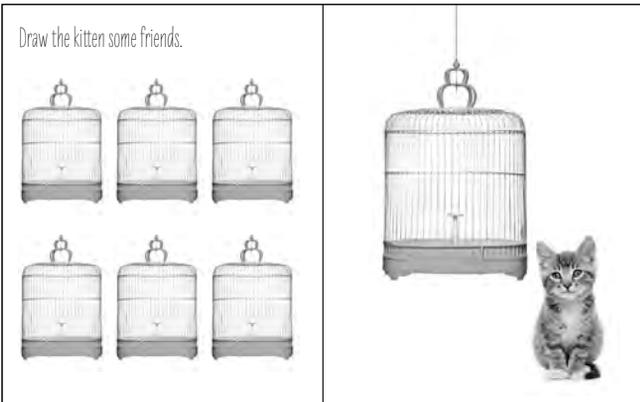
By ViiiZ

You've never seen a doodle book quite like this one! *Photo Doodles* combines kid-friendly photographs and cool creative challenges into the perfect canvas for anyone capable of wielding a crayon. Young artists and designers can complete dozens of fun and playful pictures of everything from roller coasters and soda cans to book covers and palaces. Perfect for sketching, scribbling, and coloring outside the lines, *Photos Doodles* will unleash the aspiring artist inside children of all ages.

**VAHRAM MURATYAN** and **ELODIE CHAILLOUS** are founders of ViiiZ, an art direction and graphic design studio created in Paris in 2005. They graduated from the acclaimed Parisian design school ESAG-Penninghen.



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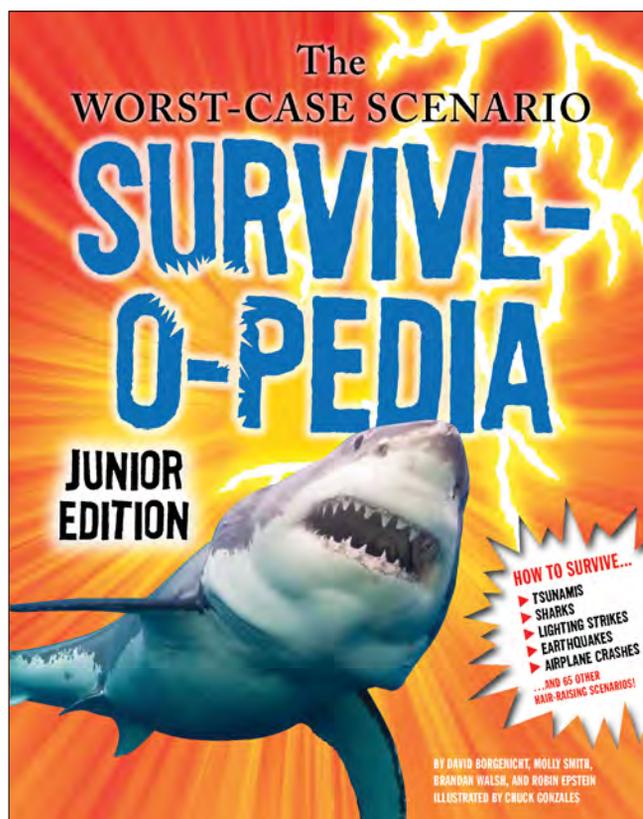
Junior Edition

By David Borgenicht, Molly Smith, Brendan Walsh, and Robin Epstein

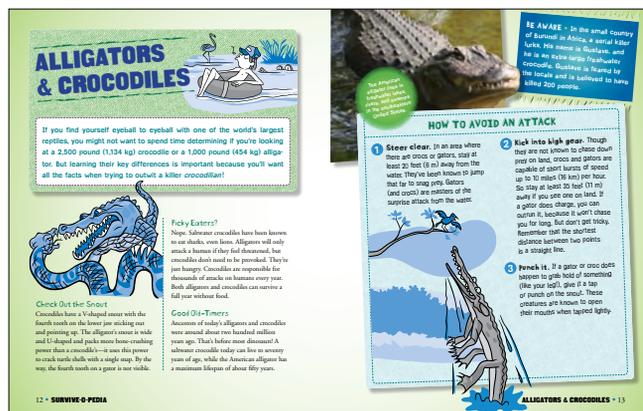
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“I have a loyal group of nonfiction readers (ages 8-10) who come into the library each week in search of *The Guinness World Records*. If all of the Guinness books are checked out, then they will check out *The Scholastic Book of Records* or *The Dangerous Book for Boys*. Now there’s a new general knowledge book that will have reluctant readers asking for more... Beware, you’ll need to start a waiting list once the kids see it!”—*The Nonfiction Detectives blog*

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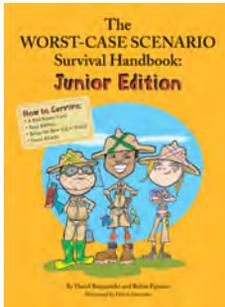
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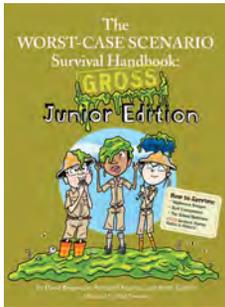


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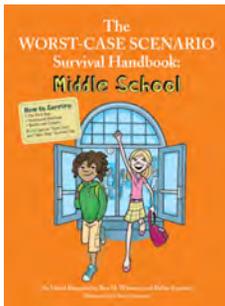


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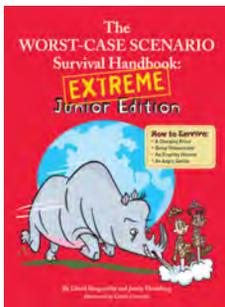


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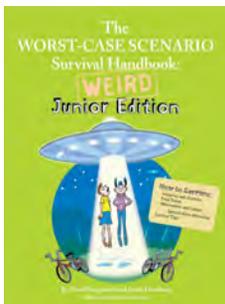


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- Time travel
- Alien abduction
- Black holes
- Ghost encounters

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# Kid Innovators

True Tales of Childhood from Inventors and Trailblazers

Stories by **Robin Stevenson**  
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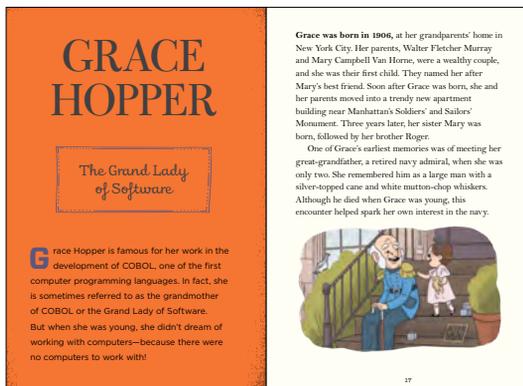
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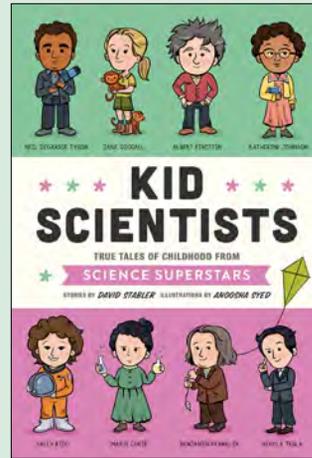
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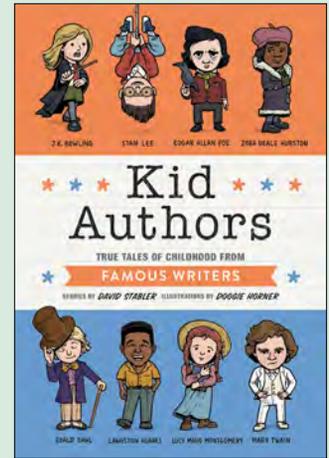
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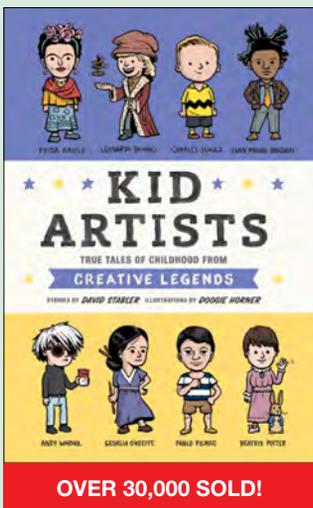
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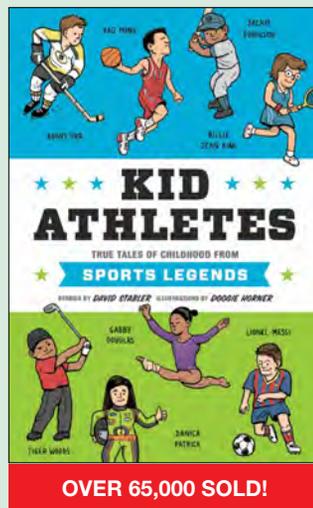
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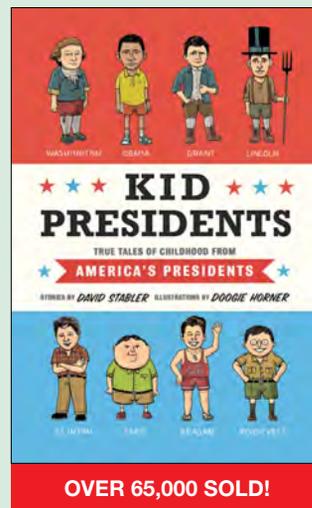
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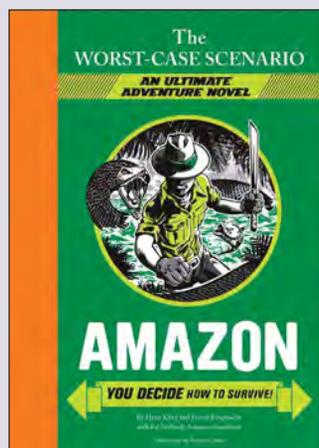
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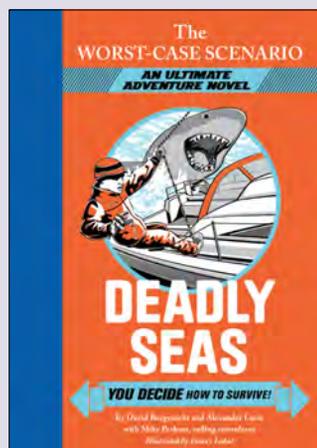
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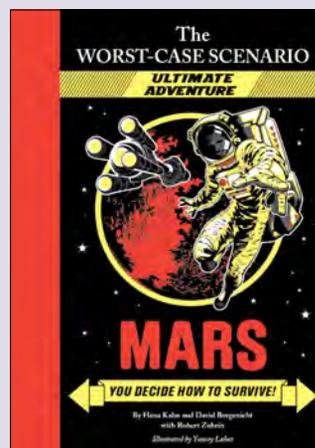
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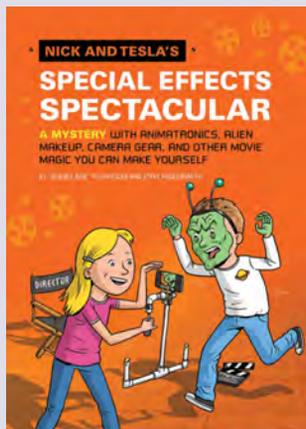
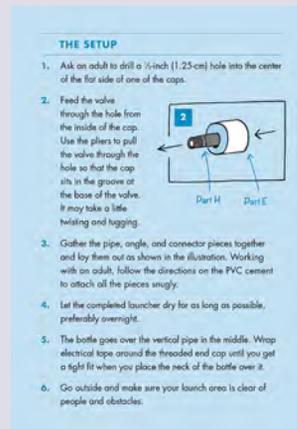
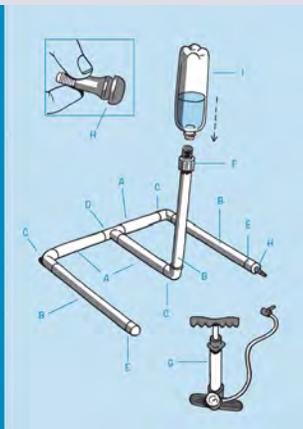
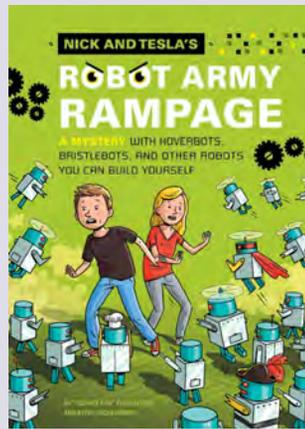
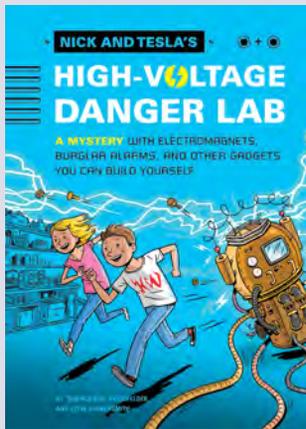
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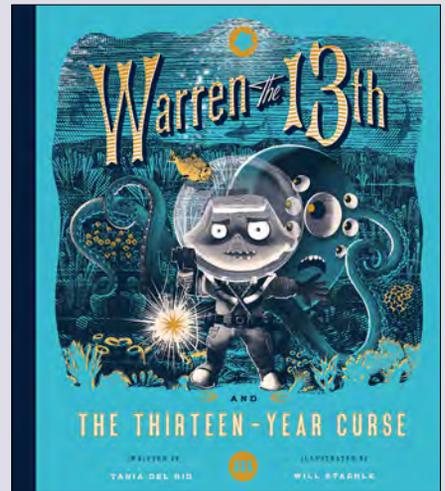
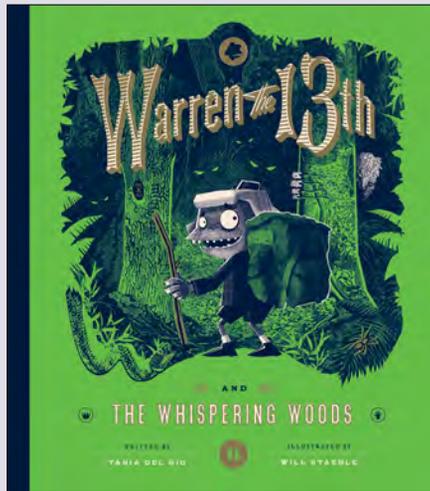
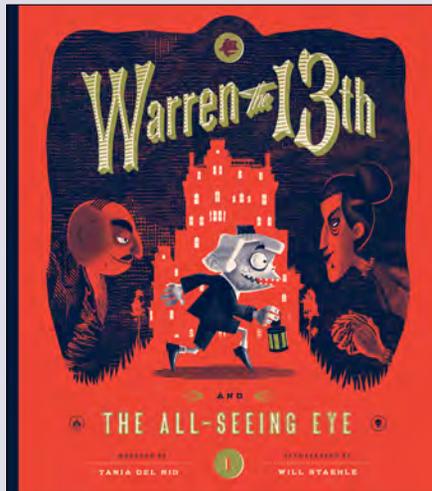
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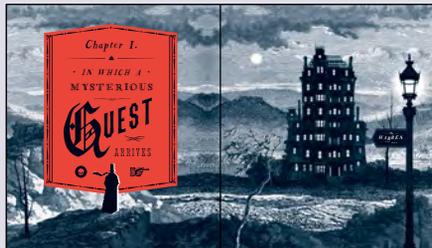
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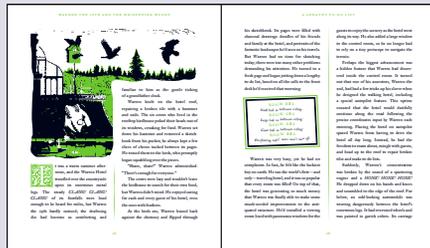


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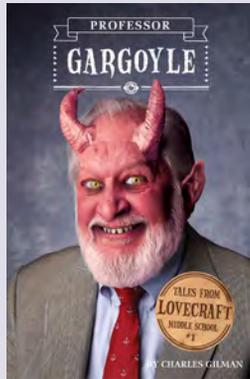
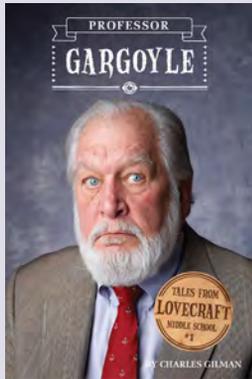


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**CHARLES GILMAN** is an alias of Jason Rekulak, an author who lives in Philadelphia. In his past role as Publisher of Quirk Books, he brainstormed numerous best sellers including, most famously, *Pride and Prejudice* and *Zombies*.

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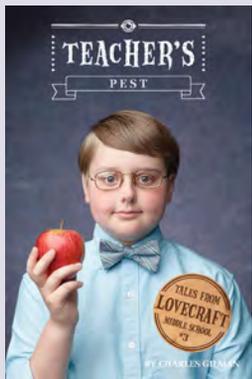
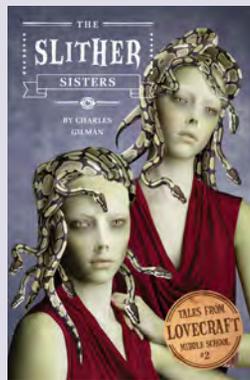
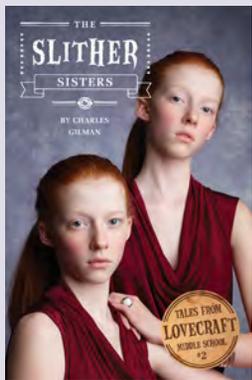
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A Novel

By **Kristen O’Neal**

Priya worked hard to pursue her medical school dreams at Stanford, but a diagnosis of chronic Lyme disease during her sophomore year sends her back to her loving but overbearing family in New Jersey—and leaves her wondering if she’ll ever be able to return to the way things were. Thankfully she has her online pen pal, Brigid, and the rest of the members of “oof ouch my bones,” a virtual support group that meets on Discord to crack jokes and vent about their own chronic illnesses.

When Brigid suddenly goes offline, Priya does something out of character: she steals the family car and drives to Pennsylvania to check on Brigid. Priya isn’t sure what to expect, but it isn’t the horrifying creature that’s shut in the basement. With Brigid nowhere to be found, Priya begins to puzzle together an impossible but obvious truth: the creature might be a werewolf—and the werewolf might be Brigid. As Brigid’s unique condition worsens, their friendship will be deepened and challenged in unexpected ways, forcing them to reckon with their own ideas of what it means to be normal.



**KRISTEN O’NEAL** is a freelance writer who has written for sites like BuzzFeed Reader, Christianity Today, Birth.Movies.Death, LitHub, and Electric Literature. She lives on the internet. You can find her at @Kristen\_ONeal on Twitter and kristenoneal on Tumblr. *Lycanthropy and Other Chronic Illnesses* is her first novel.

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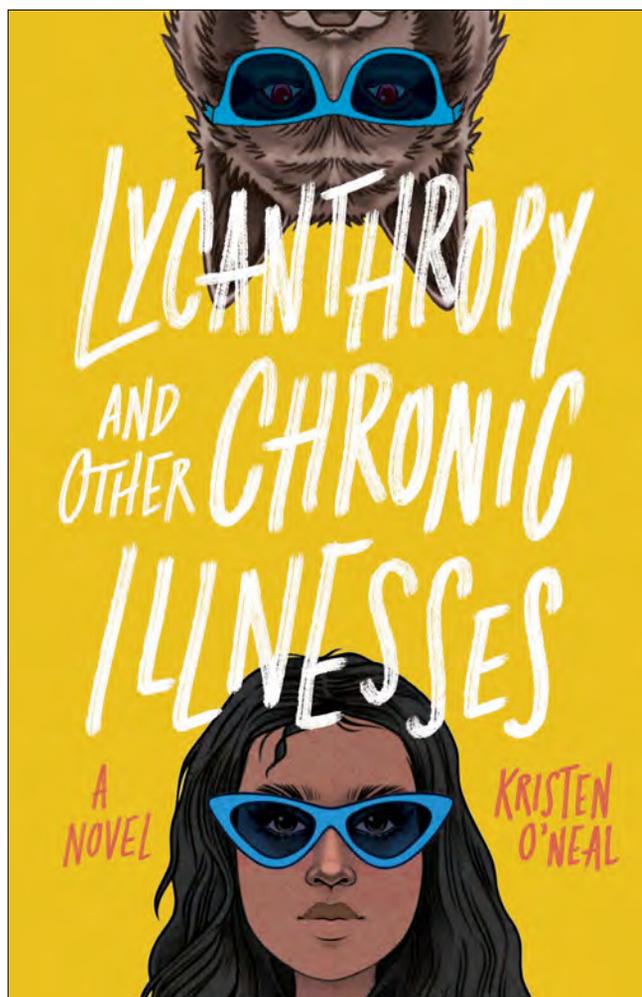
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# This is Not the Jess Show

By Anna Carey

The year is 1998: *Titanic* just won 6 Oscars, boy bands are dominating MTV's airwaves, and like any other teenager Jess Flynn is just trying to survive high school. Between a crush on her childhood best friend, overprotective parents, and her sister's worsening health, the only constant is her hometown of Swickley, which feels smaller by the day. Jess is resigned to her small-town life, until the day she discovers a mysterious device with an apple logo, causing her to question everything and everyone she's ever known. As more cracks appear in Jess's world, she faces a choice: can she live the rest of her life knowing it's a lie or should she risk everything for the truth?



**ANNA CAREY** is the author of *Blackbird*, *Deadfall*, and the *Eve* trilogy. She lives in Los Angeles.

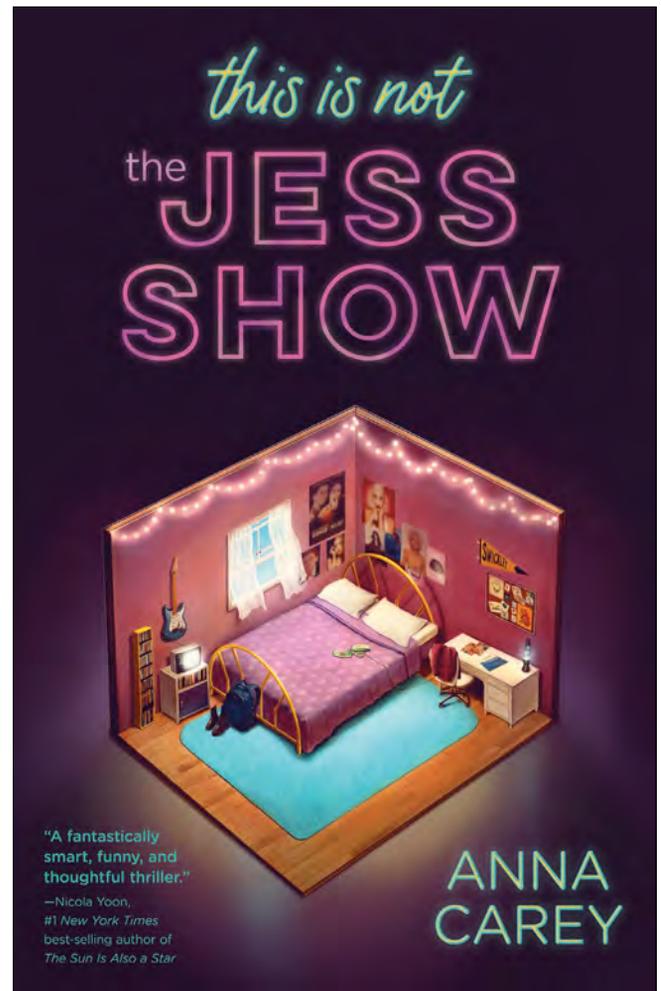
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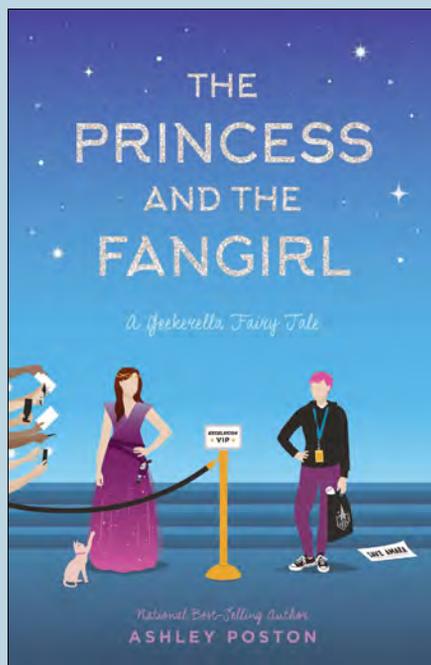
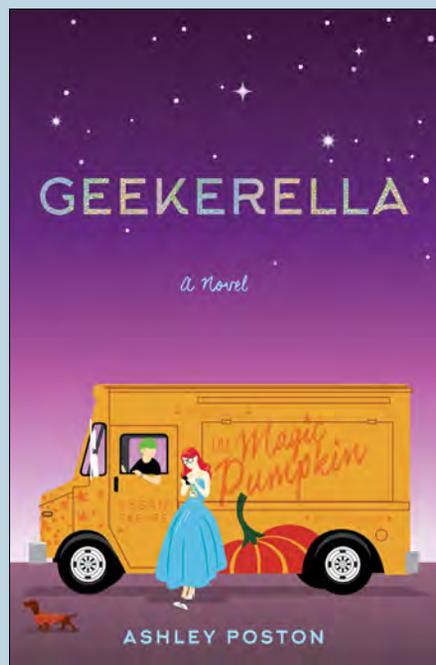
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**ASHLEY POSTON** is the author of *Geekerella* (Quirk Books, 2017) and *Heart of Iron* (HarperCollins, 2018). Her fangirl heart has taken her everywhere from the houses of Hollywood screenwriters to the stages of music festivals to geeked-out conventions (in cosplay, of course). When she is not inventing new recipes with peanut butter, having passionate dance-offs with her cat, or geeking out all over the internet, she writes books. She lives in small-town South Carolina, where you can see the stars impossibly well.

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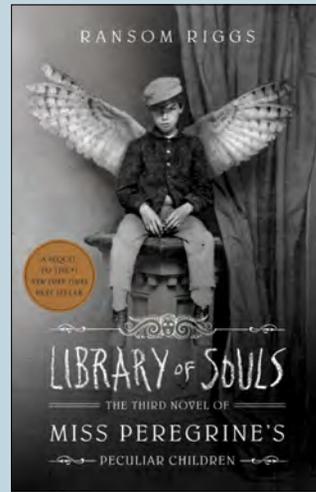
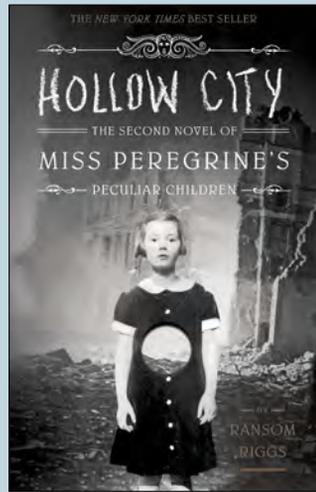
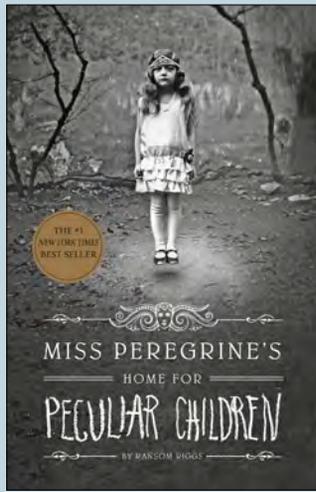


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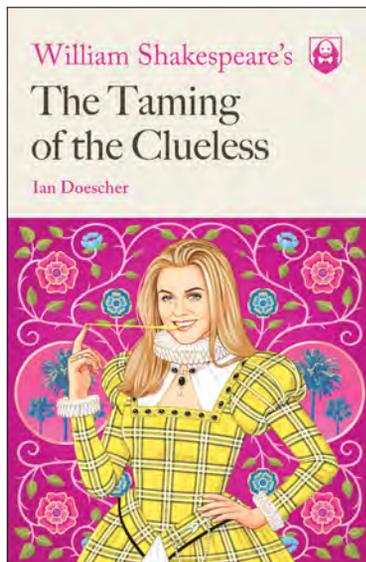
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## William Shakespeare's The Taming of the Clueless



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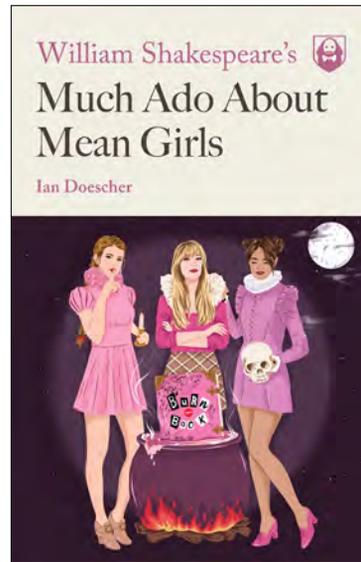
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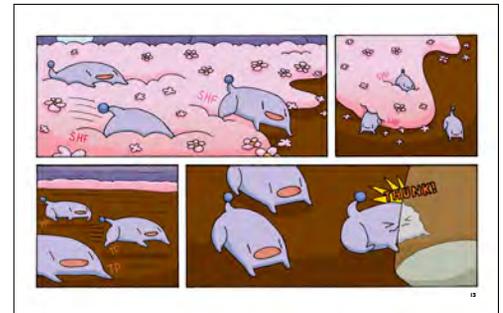
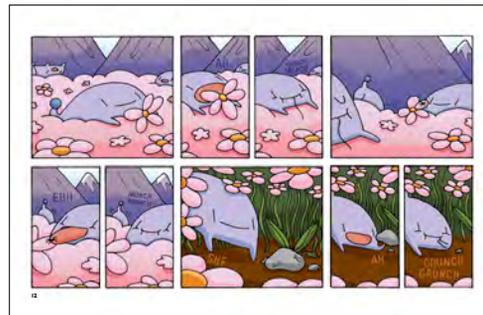
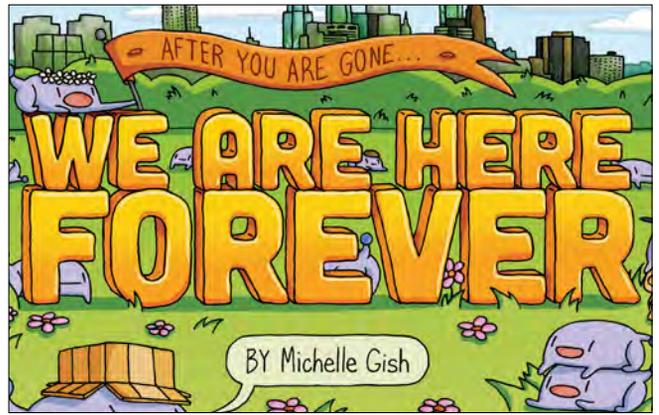
By Michelle Gish

Based on the popular webcomic, this all-new stand-alone comics collection artfully blends post-apocalyptic sci fi, dry humor, and utter adorability.

It's the most adorable apocalypse ever! The human race has vanished from the earth, replaced by innocent, playful creatures called the Puramus. In this hilarious and epic graphic novel, short interlocking stories follow the purple pals as they explore their new home, form a mini-monarchy, and develop a modern society on par with twenty-first-century humans. A final act pulls us across time and space in the search for clues to the origins of the Puramus. Along the way, humor and intrigue abound: Can King defend his village when nobody understands what war is? Will Jingle work up the nerve to read her poetry at open mic night? Will Puff Puff ever stop floating? Based on the Tumblr comic, *We Are Here Forever* is for fans of post-apocalyptic sci fi blended with dry humor and undeniable adorableness. Colorful and cartoony art will have you rooting for these cute critters through their absurd adventures, but are they really as harmless as they seem?



**MICHELLE GISH** is a designer and graphic artist who studied packaging design and illustration at Temple University. She works as a designer at WeVeel LLC, a toy and stationery company in the Philadelphia area. This is her first book.



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# Bites of Terror

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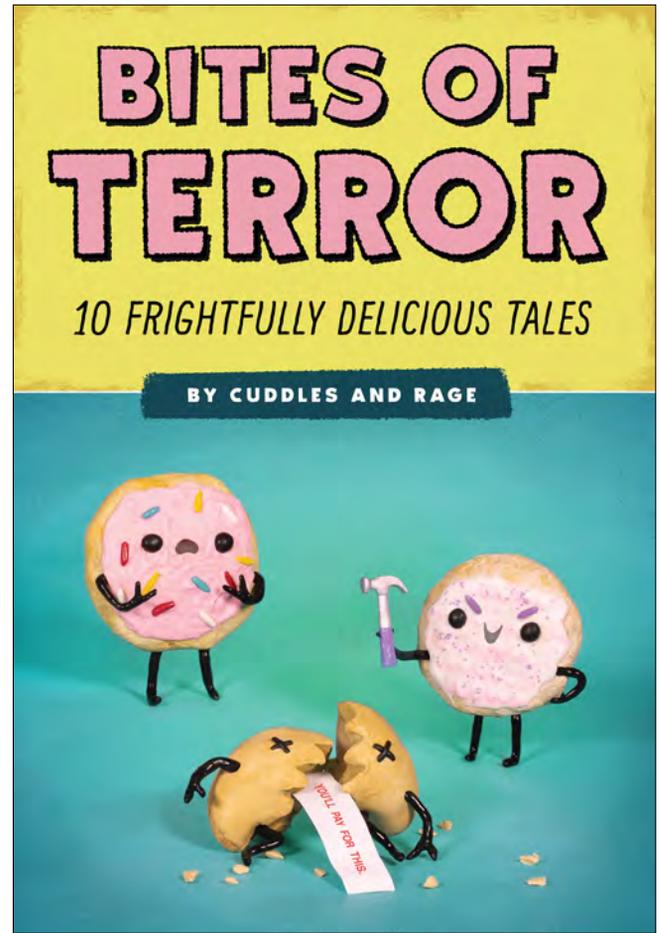
Tuck into these darkly funny horror stories served as an utterly unforgettable graphic novel of hand-sculpted dioramas.

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Liz Reed and Jimmy Reed are the husband-and-wife team behind **CUDDLES AND RAGE**, a world of disturbingly cute stories. What began as a webcomic featuring doodles and dioramas of anthropomorphic food has grown to include books, animation, and product design. Their work has been featured by Nerdist, the *Washington Post*, NPR, HelloGiggles, and SparkLife, and they've created content for Netflix, TLC, Science Channel, and AwesomeCon. They live and work in the DC area.

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## PRAISE FOR *BITES OF TERROR*

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A Handbook for Girl Geeks



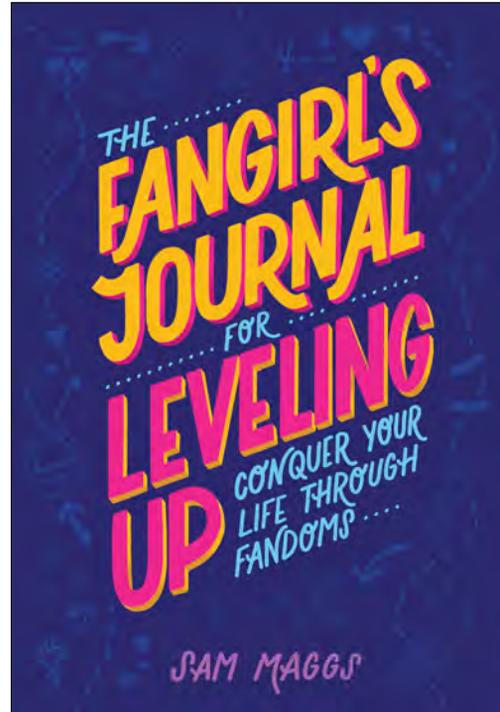
This handbook for teens living the nerdy life presents a fun and feminist take on the often male-dominated world of geekdom. With delightful illustrations and an unabashed love for all the ins and outs of geek culture, this book is packed with tips, playthroughs, and cheat codes, including:

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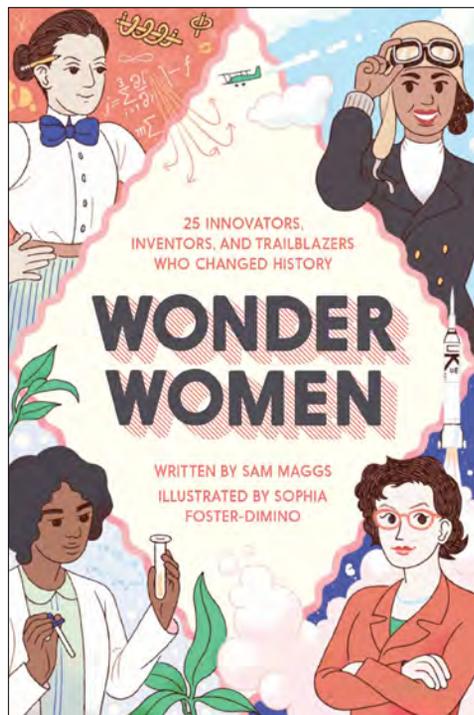
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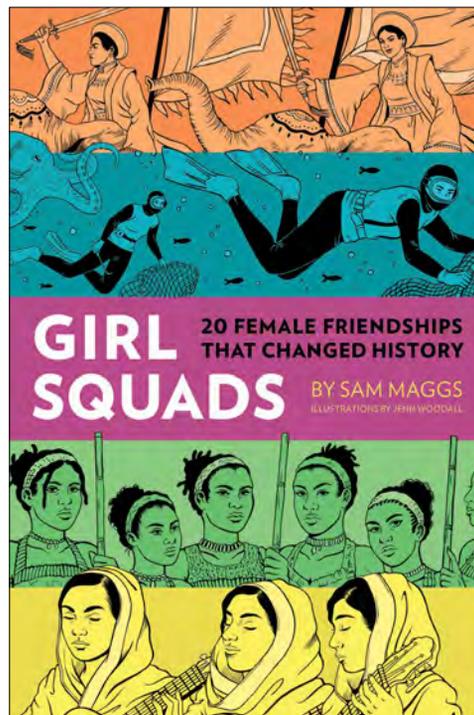
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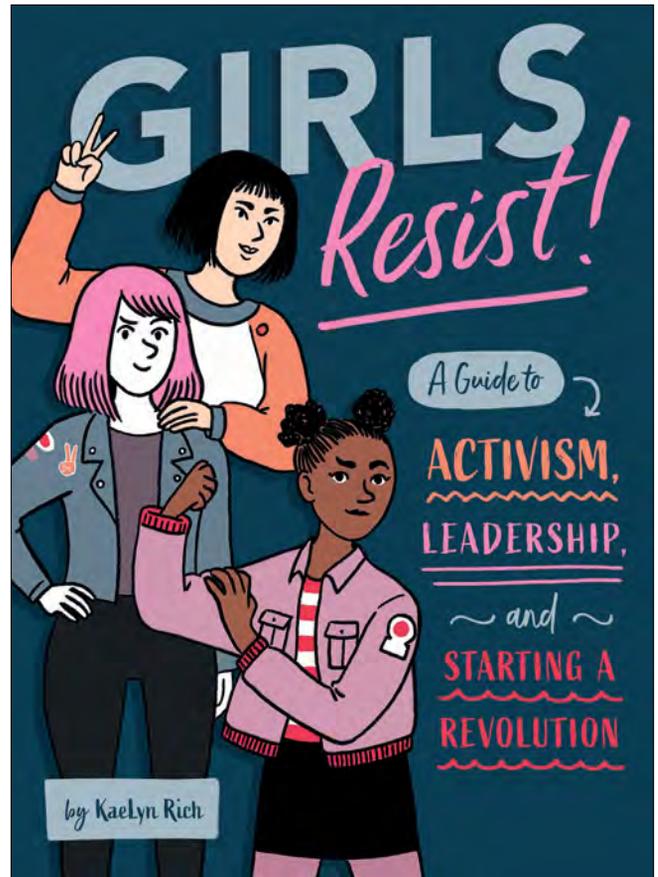
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