

JANUARY 2025 NEW TITLES

HOW TO BE A FIT BIRD



MARION DEUCHARS



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80 pages, x (HB)

Skittledog

NZ\$21.99

How to be a Fit Bird

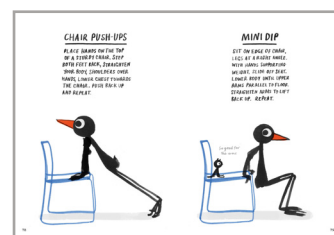
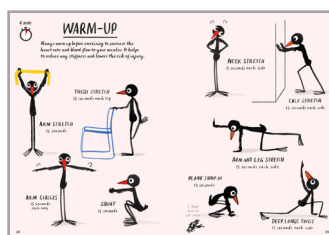
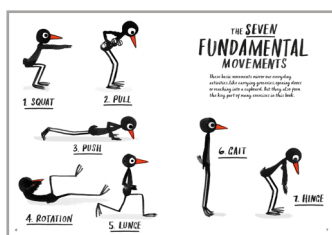
Marion Deuchars

Best-selling author/illustrator Marion Deuchars now takes her beloved bird through a daily workout in the natural sequel to *Yoga for Stiff Birds*.

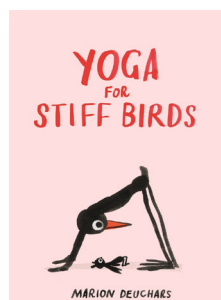
Marion Deuchars perfectly understands the difficult relationship some of us have with our daily fitness routine. In *How to be a Fit Bird* she raises a smile and brings levity to our workouts, using Bob the bird to see us through a number of routines: from holistic ten minute workouts to more specific sessions focusing on particular parts of the body.

Marion creates all aspects of the book herself, from the quirky bird and bat characters to the handwritten text, making this book completely integrated and a delight to look at and read. Sitting perfectly alongside *Yoga for Stiff Birds*, it makes a friendly gift for anyone who prefers to be charmed, not bossed, into exercising.

- The second workout book for adults from Skittledog's bestselling author Marion Deuchars.
- Unique giftable approach to a strong lifestyle subject that will work in gift and trade retail.
- Will pair perfectly with *Yoga for Stiff Birds*.



ALSO AVAILABLE



Yoga for Stiff Birds

Marion Deuchars

Marion Deuchars has practiced yoga for many years, and well knows the benefits it brings. Now she shares that passion with her illustrated character Bob the Bird, whose expressive poses will charm you into a reviving session of yoga.



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80 pages, 185 x 135 (HB)

Skittledog

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SMITH STREET BOOKS



The 5-minute Keto Salad Lunchbox *Alexander Hart*

Sometimes it seems like too much of a chore to get your lunch prepped for the day ahead, especially if you're trying to follow a specific program like the Ketogenic diet. We can often run out of inspiration too, meaning we end up with the same dull lunch every day – a drudgery which makes healthy eating much harder than it should be. *The 5-Minute Keto Lunchbox* aims to make prepping your lunch each day a breeze – ensuring your days are deliciously healthy and will help you achieve ketosis. The 52 recipes in this book cover a range of simple and tasty keto lunches. There's also advice throughout on how to make bulk lunches for your week, if that's your style, and how you might be able to overhaul last night's leftovers into a great lunch.

128 pages, 250 x 180 (FLEXI)

Smith Street Books



NZ\$29.99

Lunchbox *Alexander Hart*

Revitalize your lunch routine with *Lunchbox* – a collection of over 100 of the easiest, quickest and most delicious salad recipes from Alexander Hart's 5-Minute Salad series. Bursting with fresh ingredients and vibrant flavors, each recipe is meticulously crafted to deliver satisfying meals in minutes. From zesty citrus salads to hearty grain bowls, discover a world of nutritious delights that will have you eagerly anticipating your midday break every day.

Cards

Smith Street Gift



NZ\$39.99



ALSO AVAILABLE



The 5-Minute Noodle Salad Lunchbox

The 52 recipes included in this book cover a range of diverse salads, utilising the power of noodles, from vermicelli to udon to rice noodles, as well as low-carb zoodle options.



NZ\$29.99



The 5-minute Salad Lunchbox (updated)

Get healthier, happier and your lunch salad organised in record time. All you need is this book. With the protein gained from any of these 52 salads, you'll have all the energy your workday is ever going to need.



NZ\$29.99

ENTERTAINMENT

Nora Ephron at the Movies

ILANA KAPLAN

**Nora Ephron at the Movies***Ilana Kaplan*

The first illustrated monograph on writer, journalist, and director Nora Ephron, the visionary behind *When Harry Met Sally*, *Sleepless in Seattle*, and *You've Got Mail*. With her singular voice, Nora Ephron flourished as a dominant force in the entertainment industry, focusing on the idiosyncrasies of romance that were universally relatable. Through her keenly self-aware humor and semi-autobiographical stories, Ephron left a groundbreaking legacy as a beloved journalist, essayist, screenwriter, author, producer, director, and feminist. *Nora Ephron at the Movies* offers an unfiltered look at Ephron as a champion of the rom-com and as a feminist Hollywood trailblazer. It explores her life and work by pairing detailed critique with exclusive interviews with Ephron's key collaborators, including Andie MacDowell and Jenn Kaytin Robinson, to add color and nuance to her life and legacy.

224 pages, x (HB)

Abrams Books

**NZ\$79.99****Playgirl: The Official History of a Cult Magazine**
Playgirl Magazine

A lively, unbelievably fun art book that celebrates *Playgirl* magazine's 50-year anniversary, including historic articles, spreads, commentary, photography, and artwork from the '70s until today. This groundbreaking magazine was never just a pale imitation of *Playboy*; it was a major player at the dawn of women's liberation, featuring stories on barrier-breaking women from across the globe, articles about reproductive health, and interviews with feminist icons. All this revolutionary material could be found nestled among the tasteful and erotic male nudes that the magazine was built on, leading *Playgirl* to resonate, too, with the significant gay male readership it maintains today. This wide-reaching *Playgirl* compendium includes not only some of the most important and engaging archival materials from across the past five decades, but also a number of new essays about the publication's origins, its role in the women's liberation movement, and its contributions to pop culture at large.

240 pages, 251 x 197 (HB)

Cernunnos

**NZ\$54.99**

ILLUSTRATION & ART



Good Dogs *Victionary*

Good Dogs encapsulates the diverse and whimsical artistic interpretations of dogs across breeds, from the Mastiff to the Maltese. Much like our steadfast companions themselves, the artwork within the pages are a kaleidoscope of styles, painted with love and imagination by artists from every corner of the globe.

Features four cover options in mixed cartons, orders will be selected at random.

256 pages, 235 x 170 (PB)

Victionary



EARLY RELEASE - DECEMBER

NZ\$64.99

Magritte *Art Gallery of NSW*

Magritte is published in association with a major survey of the work of the pioneering Belgian surrealist artist at the Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney. The book features reproductions of the 100+ works in the exhibition alongside rarely seen archival materials, commercial work and photography. The images are accompanied by four essays and an interview with Magritte (originally recorded for Belgian television in 1965), which together offer nuanced perspectives on the aesthetic foundations of his work while also considering the social and artistic context for his practice.

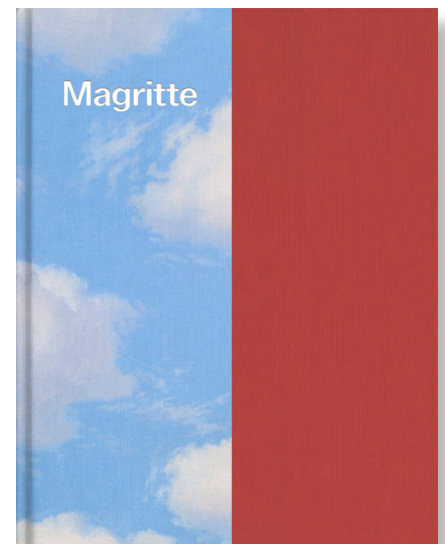
288 pages, 285 x 225 (HB)

Art Gallery of NSW



EARLY RELEASE - NOVEMBER

NZ\$64.99



Nusra Latif Qureshi *Birds in Far Pavilions* *Matt Cox*

Nusra Latif Qureshi (b1973) is a Melbourne-based artist best known for her finely crafted contemporary miniature paintings. Publishing on the occasion of the artist's first major solo exhibition, *Nusra Latif Qureshi: Birds in Far Pavilions*, held at the Art Gallery of New South Wales, this book traces Qureshi's 30-year career, from her early paintings in Lahore, in which she began to reimagine traditional forms, to their zenith beyond the page and into 3D sculpture with a new commissioned installation. Richly illustrated with over 100 works and historic archival imagery/photography, and accompanied by insightful essays.

32 pages, 279 x 198 (HB)

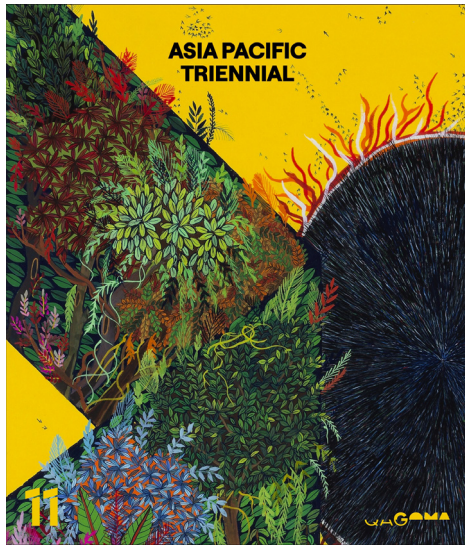
Art Gallery of NSW



EARLY RELEASE - DECEMBER

NZ\$69.99

ART



The 11th Asia Pacific Triennial of Contemporary Art

The 11th Asia Pacific Triennial of Contemporary Art marks the beginning of this series' fourth decade as the leading exhibition of new art from the region. The 11th Triennial includes the work of 70 artists, collectives and projects from more than 30 countries. This vibrant, fully illustrated publication features texts on all artists and projects include in the exhibition. QAGOMA Asian and Pacific art curators Abigail Bernal, Ruha Fifita, Reuben Keehan, Ruth McDougall and Tarun Nagesh, as well as regionally based cocurators and interlocutors, provide rich interpretations that engage readers with the artworks and artists' communities.

272 pages, 240 x 205 (PB)

Queensland Art Gallery



EARLY RELEASE - DECEMBER

NZ\$59.99

Radical Textiles

Rebecca Evans & Leigh Robb

From William Morris to Sonia Delaunay, *Radical Textiles* celebrates the cutting-edge innovations, enduring traditions and bodies of shared knowledge that have been folded into fabric and cloth over the past 150 years. Showcasing the work of more than 100 artists, designers and activists, this major publication draws on AGSA's international, Australian and First Nations collections of textiles and fashion, augmented by sculpture, painting, photography and the moving image, alongside several new commissions as well as important national loans.

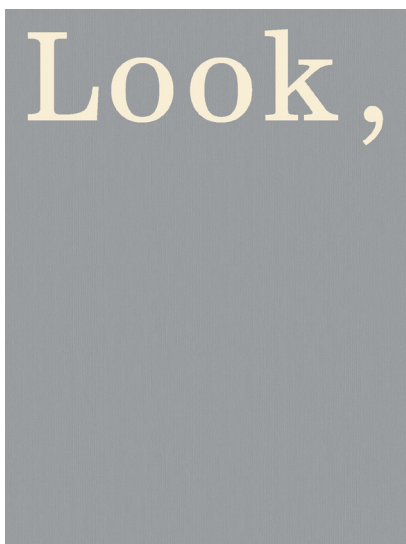
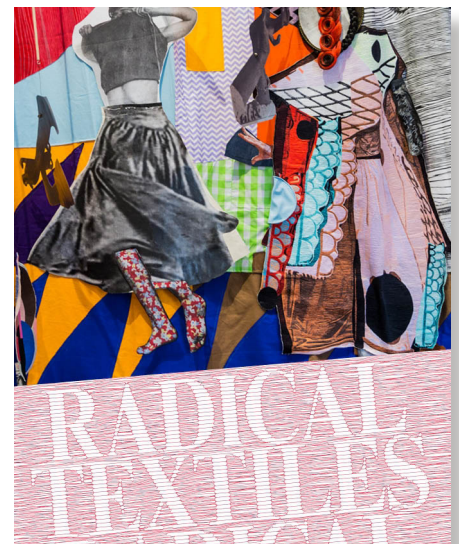
236 pages, 300 x 240 (HB)

Art Gallery of SA



EARLY RELEASE - DECEMBER

NZ\$90.00



Welcoming the Art Gallery of Western Australia to Thames & Hudson

Look, look. Anna Park

Rachel Ciesla

We would like to warmly welcome the Art Gallery of Western Australia to Thames & Hudson with *Look, look, Anna Park*. Titled after Anna Park's first museum exhibition and curated by Rachel Ciesla at the Art Gallery of Western Australia, this is the artist's first monograph, published by AGWA. A major new figure in contemporary drawing, Anna Park has swiftly gained recognition for her richly detailed charcoal and ink works on paper that teeter between figuration and expressive abstraction.

56 pages, 305 x 230 (HB)

Art Gallery of WA



NEW IMPRINT

IMMEDIATE RELEASE

NZ\$69.99

TASCHEN

**David LaChapelle. Lost + Found**

TASCHEN presents *Lost + Found* and *Good News*, the latest and final publications from artist David LaChapelle. The books are the fourth and fifth installments of LaChapelle's five-book anthology, which began with *LaChapelle Land* (1996), continued with *Hotel LaChapelle* (1999), and followed by *Heaven to Hell* (2006). *Lost + Found* is a visual recording of the times we live in and the issues we face, expressed through David LaChapelle's unique and distinctive vision. Featuring a monumental curation of images that have never before been published in book form, it chronicles LaChapelle's strongest images as a visionary to date while encapsulating our time in history. This fourth volume also introduces a decade of unseen work from LaChapelle's creative renaissance.

286 pages, 314 x 246 (HB)

TASCHEN



EARLY RELEASE - NOVEMBER

NZ\$110.00**David LaChapelle. Good News**

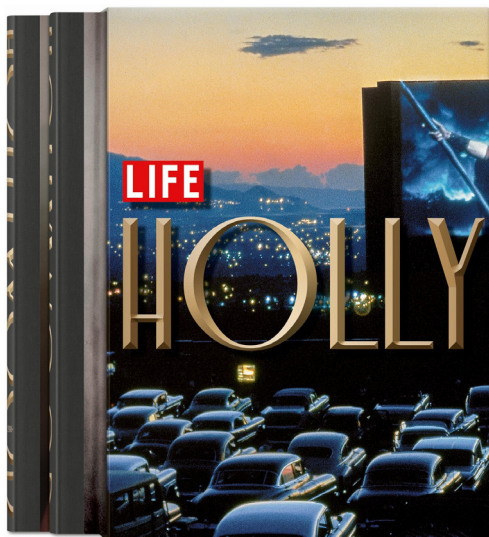
Good News follows David LaChapelle's creative renaissance as he surrenders to contemplations of mortality, moving beyond the material world in a quest for paradise. Featuring a monumental curation of images, it is a sublime and arresting new body of work that attempts to photograph that which can't be photographed. It represents the final chapter to LaChapelle's narrative in a collection of books that have captivated a generation of viewers across the globe.

284 pages, 314 x 246 (HB)

TASCHEN



EARLY RELEASE - NOVEMBER

NZ\$110.00**LIFE. Hollywood**

In November 1936, publisher Henry R. Luce launched *Life* as a photo-led weekly news magazine with a clear purpose: "To see life; to see the world; to eyewitness great events." By the late 1940s, it was being viewed by 1 in 3 Americans. Jean Harlow was the first movie star to appear on a *Life* cover in 1937, and from then until 1972 over 200 covers featured Hollywood-related subjects. Matching the splendor of the finest Hollywood production, this two-volume epic blockbuster tells the intertwined story of a magazine and an art form that embodied the pinnacle of American imagination. Meticulously researched and curated, it features over 600 images from the magazine's archives—well over half previously unseen.

708 pages, 360 x 265 (HB)

TASCHEN



EARLY RELEASE - NOVEMBER

NZ\$495.00

EXTENDED LIST



Alfred Kubin

Hans-Peter Wipplinger and August Ruhs

The ALBERTINA modern exhibition presents Alfred Kubin's view of the world of evil, the predominant theme of his life and work. The aesthetics of evil prove to be the antithesis of a tranquil idyll for him, one of the most outstanding drawing artists of the twentieth century.

224 pages, 245 x 245 (HB)



EXHIBITION CATALOGUE

EARLY RELEASE - DECEMBER

Hatje Cantz Verlag

NZ\$100.00

Armin Hofmann: Reduction. Ethics. Didactics.

Matthias Hofmann

All about Armin Hofmann's outstanding creative work, his professional ethics, and the principles he developed and applied in his teaching.

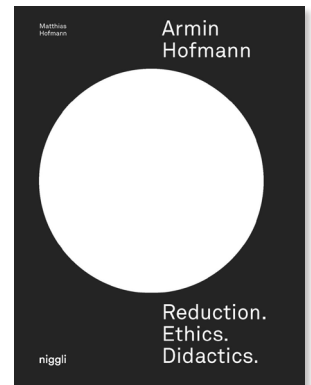
280 pages, 310 x 230 (HB)

Verlag Niggli



EARLY RELEASE - DECEMBER

NZ\$90.00



dieDASdocs (Bilingual edition)

Hatje Cantz

A written record of the Design Academy Saaleck's 2023 symposium, featuring interviews, visual essays, lectures, quotes and workshop documentations.

176 pages, 235 x 175 (PB)

Hatje Cantz Verlag



EARLY RELEASE - DECEMBER

BILINGUAL | ENGLISH | GERMAN

NZ\$64.99

Elmgreen & Dragset

National Gallery of Denmark

The artist duo Michael Elmgreen & Ingar Dragset continues to devise new ways of presenting and perceiving art through their subversive and versatile work. The updated and expanded edition of *Elmgreen & Dragset: Sculptures* is the most comprehensive study to date of the duo's sculptures from the mid-1990s to the present day.

352 pages, 242 x 170 (HB)

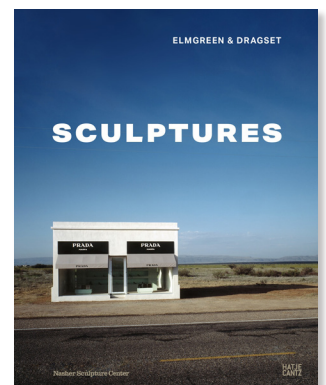
Hatje Cantz Verlag



EARLY RELEASE - DECEMBER

UPDATED & EXPANDED EDITION

NZ\$120.00



EXTENDED LIST



How Communication Design Works

Ulysses Voelker, Michael Schmitz

Reflections and practical action for the rapidly evolving discipline of visual communication. The authors use their extensive expertise, practical work examples, and actionable suggestions to identify what really matters in visual communication.

336 pages, 210 x 140 (HB)

Verlag Niggli



EARLY RELEASE - NOVEMBER

NZ\$100.00

Making the Plus

Manufacturing a green future. Industrial production is considered one of the biggest sources of pollution in the world. In 2020, Norwegian furniture manufacturer Vestre decided to prove that a different future is possible.

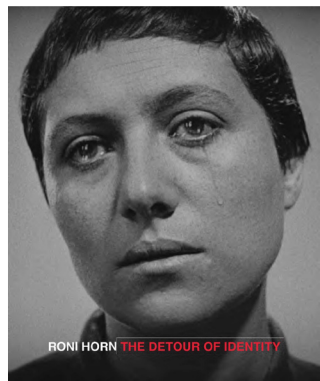
208 pages, 297 x 230 (PB)

Hatje Cantz Verlag



EARLY RELEASE - DECEMBER

NZ\$105.00



Roni Horn: The Detour of Identity

Roni Horn

Published on the occasion of an exhibition of the same name at the Louisiana Museum of Art, Humlebæk, Denmark, *The Detour of Identity* reads the work of Roni Horn through the prism of cinema, thereby revealing an intense psychosexuality that is often submerged under its empirical and conceptual character.

488 pages, 305 x 254 (HB)

Steidl



EXHIBITION CATALOGUE

EARLY RELEASE - DECEMBER

NZ\$155.00

Tropic Ice (Bilingual edition)

Barbara Dombrowski

Visits to indigenous ethnic groups around the world whose habitats are threatened by external influences and bringing images of them and their habitat together in installations to show that everything and everyone is connected in our age of climate change.

320 pages, 295 x 235 (HB)

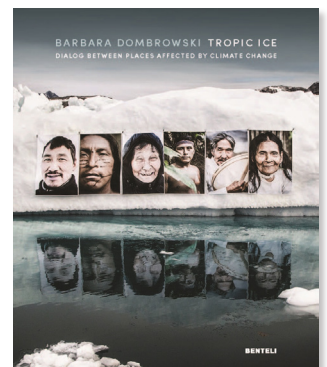
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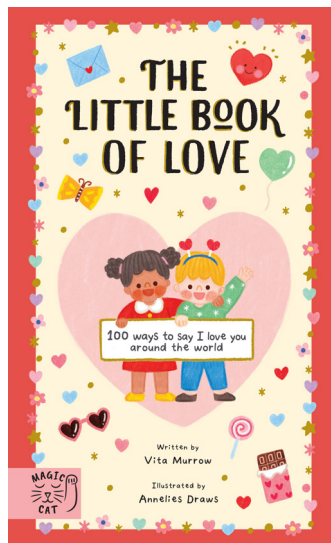
EARLY RELEASE - DECEMBER

BILINGUAL | ENGLISH | GERMAN

NZ\$130.00



JANUARY 2025 NEW KIDS' TITLES



The Little Book of Love *Magic Cat Publishing*

Journey around the world in this beautiful exploration of language that invites little learners into the many wonderful ways to say, share and show love. This delightful pocket-size book offers 100 loving words or phrases and its meaning, along with a tradition or activity related to each culture, beautifully illustrated by Instagram star Annelies Draws. *The Little Book of Love* is part of the beautiful and informative 'Little Book of' series.

208 pages, 210 x 128 (HB)

Magic Cat Publishing



AGE 3 - 8

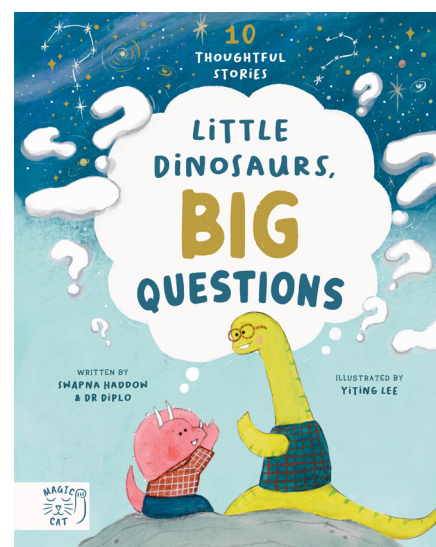
NZ\$29.99

Little Dinosaurs, Big Questions *Magic Cat Publishing*

Meet Diplo - the Jurassic kingdom's best-loved therapist - on his second adventure. This time, tackle some of life's biggest questions with Diplo and his 10 dinosaur friends as they understand more about complex questions, including: Does it hurt the grass when I chomp it? Is it ever good to lie? Why do bad things happen? What is fairness? How do we remember someone we've lost? Hear Dr Diplo's answers and learn how to navigate these difficult questions with simple exercises and activities. This book is perfect for guiding your little ones through the big questions they may have.

112 pages, 228 x 178 (HB)

Magic Cat Publishing



AGE 5+

NZ\$34.99

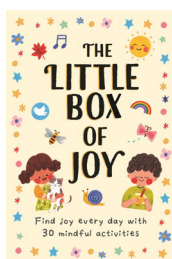
ALSO AVAILABLE

The Little Book of Joy



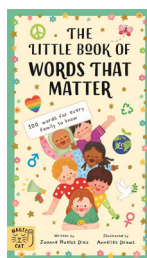
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The Little Box of Joy



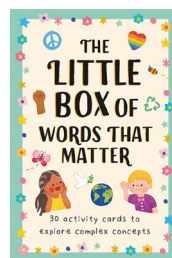
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The Little Book of Words That Matter



NZ\$29.99

The Little Box of Words That Matter



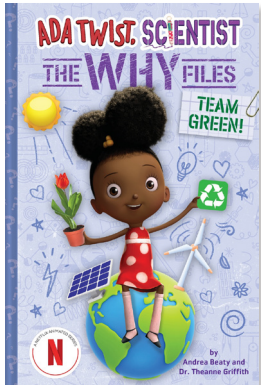
NZ\$29.99

Little Dinosaurs, Big Feelings



NZ\$34.99

JANUARY 2025 NEW KIDS' TITLES



Team Green! (Ada Twist, Scientist: The Why Files #6)

Andrea Beaty, Theanne Griffith

How can the sun power the lights in our homes? What happens to our things after we recycle them? How is renewable energy being used to fight climate change? *Ada Twist, Scientist: The Why Files, Team Green* is the perfect nonfiction resource for all these questions and more.

80 pages, 152 x 229 (HB)

Amulet Books



AGE 5 - 8

EARLY RELEASE - NOVEMBER

NZ\$21.99

ALSO AVAILABLE AT \$21.99

Exploring Flight! (#1)



All About Plants! (#2)



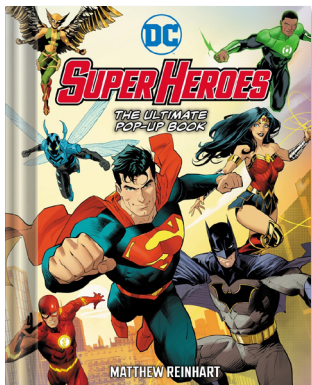
The Science of Baking (#3)



Bug Bonanza! (#4)



Rockin' Robots! (#5)



DC Super Heroes: The Ultimate Pop-Up Book

Matthew Reinhart

From *New York Times* bestselling paper engineer Matthew Reinhart comes the ultimate 3D masterpiece showcasing all your favorite comic book characters in *DC Super Heroes: The Ultimate Pop-Up Book*.

12 pages, 254 x 203 (HB)

Abrams Books for Young Readers



AGE 5+

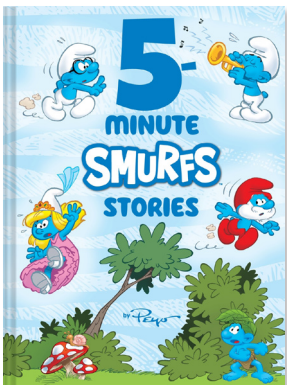
EARLY RELEASE -
NOVEMBER

NZ\$79.99

ALSO AVAILABLE DC Super Heroes: The Multiverse Unfolds



NZ\$35.00



5-Minute Smurfs Stories

Peyo

A collectible volume of short stories set in the world of The Smurfs and designed to be read in five minutes or less! Join Smurfette as she gets ready for an enchanting princess ball. Follow Hefty Smurf on a thrilling mission to find the perfect competitor, and learn a lesson with Vanity Smurf the day he forgets his manners.

192 pages, 267 x 197 (HB)

Abrams Books for Young Readers



AGE 4+

NZ\$21.99

MID-GRADE & YOUNG ADULT



Girl Haunts Boy *Cesar Vitale*

This heartfelt and sweet YA romance follows a boy who falls for the ghost haunting his family's new house—perfect for fans of *My Life with the Walter Boys* and *The Dead Romantics*. Soon to be an original film starring Peyton List (*Cobra Kai*, *School Spirits*) and Michael Cimino (*Love, Victor*, *Never Have I Ever*)! After the death of his father, Cole and his mother move from New York City to a sleepy town in Jersey for a fresh start. There's just one problem—Cole is shocked to learn he's sharing a room in his new house with the ghost of 17-year-old Bea, who died in the 1920s and is under the curse of an ancient ring.

272 pages, 210 x 140 (PB)

Amulet Paperbacks



AGE 13+

NZ\$21.99

Creep It Under Wraps (Monster High School Spirits #2) *Adrianna Cuevas*

The ghouls are back in *Creep It Under Wraps*, the second spooktacular installment in the Monster High School Spirits series, featuring original stories set in the world of Mattel's hit Nickelodeon show. There isn't a style or pop culture trend in the monster world that Cleo De Nile isn't on top of. But on a visit to the human world, Cleo discovers a tradition that completely escaped her: Monster Con, where humans gather to dress up as their favorite monsters. Convinced it's what Monster High has been missing Cleo decides to put on the school's first ever Human Con. She even finds the perfect accessory for the winner of Best Dressed: a dazzling crown from the catacombs. But when Cleo tries the crown on, strange things start to happen...

256 pages, 203 x 140 (HB)

Amulet Books



AGE 8 - 12

NZ\$24.99



ALSO AVAILABLE

A Fright to Remember (Monster High School Spirits #1) HB *Mattel, Adrianna Cuevas*



NZ\$24.99

A Fright to Remember (Monster High School Spirits #1) PB *Mattel, Adrianna Cuevas*



NZ\$19.99

Once Bitten, Twice Dead (A Monster High YA Novel) *Tiffany Schmidt*



NZ\$34.99