

An illustration of an orangutan with long, flowing orange hair, looking upwards with a surprised expression. The background is a lush green jungle with various leaves, flowers, and small insects like butterflies and beetles. The text 'FOREIGN RIGHTS Catalogue' is written in a stylized, yellow font on the right side of the image.

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Dear Colleagues and Friends,

we are very pleased to present our spring list 2022 to you!

The opening of our catalogue is made by our new series "Oetinger nature", which introduces the youngest children to flora and fauna and sets high standards in terms of sustainability.

And it goes on with "green" books, too: At Home with the Forest Animals is the prelude to a Peter Wohlleben series for early-readers. The popular Oggies on the other hand are now finally available in a "pictures replace words" version.

In addition, from now on we would like to introduce you to some of our most successful authors of recent years in each catalogue. Some have already gained a firm following in other countries, others can – and should – still be discovered. We start with Sabine Ludwig, Antonia Michaelis and Marah Woolf, our "Queen of Romantasy". This is a foretaste of the backlist catalogue we are working on, because it suits us well as a publishing group with 75 years of tradition.

We hope you enjoy reading and discovering and look forward to Bologna, where we will be at the German Collective Stand this year and hope to see many of you.

If you prefer to meet us digitally, you can of course do that too, just write to us and we'll find a date!

Best wishes out into the world,

Ulrike & Marlene & Sevin

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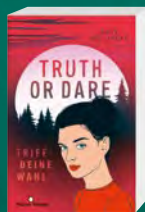
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Durable Board Books: The "Oetinger Nature" Series

On-trend Kraft paper design combined with charming rhymes: young readers follow **four little animals** through the changing seasons



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Kathrin Wessel · Carla Häfner
**My Garden Friends:
The Little Hedgehog**

Board Book Ages 18 months + | 16 Pages

"The little hedgehog's riotous garden year is beginning. There's so much for him to discover! And he's far too bold and brave to be scared of storms or foxes. Follow him as he witnesses spring bursting into bloom and turning into summer sunshine, and see how he starts to seek out a cosy hiding place in autumn in order to hibernate happily in winter. A delightful rhyming eco-friendly board book.



Kathrin Wessel · Carla Häfner
**My Garden Friends:
The Little Ladybird**

Board Book Ages 18 months + | 16 Pages

"It's so exciting to discover what the ladybird finds in the garden throughout the year. For her, meadows, trees and bushes are one big playground! What could be lovelier than flying around above all the pretty flowers? But then comes the autumn, and the sun starts to hide away. Thank goodness the ladybird has discovered the insect hotel! She can just sleep the cold winter away. Pure nature in one eco-friendly board book.



Sandy Lohß · Carla Häfner
**My Garden Friends:
The Little Bee**

Board Book Ages 18 months + | 16 Pages

"What's that buzzing in the garden? Spring has only just sprung, and the little bee is busily flying from flower to flower in the beautiful sunshine. She's collecting the delicious nectar which she and her sisters are going to turn into the sweetest honey. Even in autumn, she's still busy - and young gardeners can follow her on her travels. And in winter? Then the bees are all snuggled up in their hive. A gorgeous eco-friendly board book.



Sandy Lohß · Carla Häfner
**My Garden Friends:
The Little Blue Tit**

Board Book Ages 18 months + | 16 Pages

"Grasp nature in both hands with this delightful rhyming eco-friendly picture book which follows the blue tit throughout the seasons. She chirps merrily on the branches and pinches scraps of food from everywhere! Not even the big cat can stop her, for the little blue tit is afraid of nothing and nobody. Spring turns to summer, then autumn and winter - and young readers discover together with the blue tit the way the seasons change in their own gardens and in nature at large.



TOP!
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Ever-popular “animal” and “transport” themes in a story with a **clear message about diversity and tolerance**



Pina Gertenbach · Sandra Grimm

Animals On Board!

Board Book Ages 24 months + | 30 Pages

Hurrah! The animals are on their way to town. The giraffe is on her way to collect them all in her minibus. The sheep has an appointment with the barber, the chameleon wants to visit his grandpa, and Freddie Fox is on her way to a wedding. Completing the party are Mother Hen Gusti and her eggs, and the penguins who are off to a football match. But that's just on the way there: on the way back, they somehow have to find space for Freddie's husband, and Gusti's hatchlings too. What a crazy trip!

A new passenger climbs in on each spread ...



... until the bus is fully occupied and drives into town.

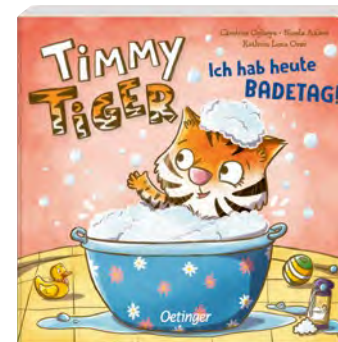


A splashy adventure with Timmy Tiger

Timmy Tiger is off to **kindergarten!**



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Caroline Opheys · Nicola Anker

Kathrin Lena Orso

Timmy Tiger. It's Bathtime!

Board Book Ages 18 months + | 16 P.

Not surprisingly, Timmy Tiger knows how to get really filthy. And, what's more, he loves doing it! But the one thing he can't bear is having a bath. Thank goodness Timmy Tiger has a whole host of friends who can't wait to get in the bathtub and who are more than happy to give him some great tips for turning a boring bathtime into a splashy adventure. A delightful rhyming board book.



Caroline Opheys · Nicola Anker

Kathrin Lena Orso

Timmy Tiger. It's Kindergarten Time!

Board Book Ages 18 months + | 16 P.

The big day has arrived at last, and Timmy Tiger is off to kindergarten! But when he gets there, he takes one look and wants to go back home with Dad. Fortunately Timmy Tiger's friends are all there and are just waiting to show him what fun they have at kindergarten. And guess what? Timmy has a brilliant time and doesn't want to go home at the end of the day! A Timmy Tiger book for children about to embark on their kindergarten adventure.



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It's OK to be grumpy
every now and then

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LITTLE OWL AND
HER FRIENDS



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Tanja Jacobs · Susanne Weber

Little Owl is Grumpy

Board Book Ages 18 months + | 16 Pages

Little Owl isn't in a very good mood. In fact, she's having a rotten day. Thank goodness she has so many friends who have all kinds of remedies for grumpiness and are bursting with top mood-boosting tips. The latest Little Owl board book is just made for young grumps aged 18 months +, and is a funny and sensitive way to help them deal with their feelings.



Sample Translation for the first book in the series



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Delightful rhymed
text by Erhard Dietl



Julia Bierkandt · Erhard Dietl

My Cuddly Sheep and Me

Board Book Ages 18 months + | 16 Pages

Not without my cuddly toy! Wherever the little girl goes, her cuddly sheep goes too. Tooth-brushing, bathing, going down the slide, tea-time, even visiting the doctor: the two of them are quite inseparable. When she goes to bed, the sheep has to go too, because it's easier to sleep together. The delightful rhymed story of a wonderful friendship, told by Ogglies author Erhard Dietl.



Hooray, the Fox Family on
a picnic outing: rhyming story
packed with pictures



Katja Jäger · Lena Walde

Hooray, Hooray, it's Picnic Day!

Board Book Ages 24 months + | 16 Pages

What a lovely summer's day! The Fox Family want to make the most of it, so plan to have a fun picnic together. But just as they're about to set off, they realise that they've forgotten all sorts of important things. Where's the picnic blanket? Who's got the story book? Has anyone seen that favourite jumper? Where's the Foxcub's dummy gone? Will they find everything in time? A picture book packed with things to look for and discover.



Entertaining journey to the seaside:
the ideal book to **accompany kids on holiday**

TOP!
Title •



Full English
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Meike Töpperwien · Carla Felgentreff
Are We Nearly There Yet?

Board Book Ages 24 months + | 16 Pages

Three cheers for the summer holidays! If only it didn't take so long to get there ... Fortunately, the journey will fly by with this very special rhyming board book about a journey to the seaside. Colourful and entertaining, it's the perfect kids' companion for holidays and long train or car journeys. Great for camping trips – and perfect for all readers aged 2+.



Mmmm ... delicious! –
Help feed the ravenous bear
by **matching the pictures**
with the rhymes



Katharina Staar · Henrike Lippa-Wagenmann
“More!” Growls the Bear

Board Book Ages 24 months + | 16 Pages

Mmmm ... delicious! But the bear is still ravenous. Hang on a moment: who's going to help him find the right tasty treats? Turn the colourful wheel to magic the correct rhyming food onto the bear's plate. Interactive literacy fun for young readers. This practical large-format book includes delightful rhymes and beautiful illustrations. Super-sturdy construction makes it ideal for small explorers.



Super-sized Lighthouse – 40 cm!



Miriam Koch · Susanne Lütje
A Day in the Lighthouse

Board Book Ages 24 months + | 14 Pages

Enchanting lighthouse keeper Ole and the young seal Snorre show young explorers the Far North and the Northern Lights.



Bringing the Yoga Spirit to Your Family

A **fun introduction to parent-child yoga:**
ideal for beginners and advanced yogis alike



Daniela Heidtmann · Natasa Kaiser

Family Flow. Yoga for Families – 30 time-outs for Mindfulness and Relaxation

Ages 3+ | 32 Pages

Bring yoga into your family in a spontaneous and fun way with these 30 beautifully illustrated cards and matching exercises. Every card has a little read-aloud story to introduce the particular yoga position; the pictures help families to try it out for themselves. Parent-child yoga is incredibly good fun, and a great way to spend intensive quality time together. Helps to strengthen physical and emotional connections and promotes enhanced closeness and well-being.

Brighten up your day
with these beautifully
illustrated cards:
read them and
then try them out.



On-trend themes of **yoga and mindfulness:**
the ideal book to help children relax and fall asleep



Andrea Schütze · Julia Weinmann

Family Flow. Imaginative Journeys – Springtime Magic to Aid Sleep

Picture Book Ages 3+ | 48 Pages

Children can sometimes find it really hard to sleep. When they are still fidgeting and their eyes simply don't want to shut, this 'dream travelogue' will help them to relax and settle down. Fanta, the little Rainbow Bird, takes wakeful children on a journey through his magical springtime world, transporting them to places full of peace, power and reassurance. It's so much easier to fall asleep when you're feeling safe and sound.



Family
Flow



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Opposing Feelings Explained in a Child-friendly Way

New series: **two different perspectives** which come together in the fold-out middle pages



Jule Ambach · Julia Weinmann

I'm So Grumpy Today / I'm So Happy Today!

Picture Book Ages 3+ | 48 Pages

The little beaver is in a bad mood and doesn't want to do anything – but the baby boar is in high spirits and wants to do absolutely everything. Sometimes you just feel grumpy for no reason at all. And sometimes you feel cheerful – and there's no reason for that, either! Maybe it's okay just to be in a bad mood – or in a good mood. But what happens when the two moods collide? Find out in the middle of this reversible story, which comes complete with a fold-out double page featuring a grand reconciliation.



Fold-out central page
reconciles the two emotions



Andrea Schütze · Stéffie Becker

I Can Do It / I Can't Do It!

Picture Book Ages 5+ | 52 Pages

Two animal families make their new homes in the jungle. But whilst the shy tiger Jonty is rather nervous and prefers to stay close to Mum, the little Orang-Utan Olivia bounces around all over the place. Sometimes we feel really scared, and sometimes we feel really brave. What happens when two characters meet – one bold and one fearful? As you'll discover in the middle of this book, with its big fold-out double page: they can become best friends!



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Hares grow up with
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Sabine Praml · Christiane Hansen

Seven Little Hares Race to Help Their Neighbour

Picture Book Ages 3+ | 32 Pages

Oh no: the Seven Little Hares' neighbour has a cast on his leg and can hardly move. The Hares rush straight in to support him. They tidy up, go shopping, and do everything they can to help old Mr. Meier. In return, Mr. Meier agrees to be the referee when the hares have a race across the meadow and play football. Everything's better when you do it together – and when we all help one another, everyone's a winner!



Grrrrr!!!! So Angry!!

Charming story about a feeling
that's difficult to control



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translation available

Anna Böhm · Tim Warnes

I'm So Angry Today!

Picture Book Ages 4+ | 32 Pages

Nora the Kitten is having a bad day. She's having one tantrum after another. And the worst thing of all is that nobody understands her. They just want her to be nice again. Pah! Fortunately the gentle old dog Lollo is in the garden. He always understands. Nora stamps her paws and yells her heart out. Then she tells Lollo what's bothering her – and she immediately feels better. Everyone feels angry sometimes, and that's just fine. And once the anger has melted away, we can all laugh together.



Hot topic: **diversity**
and **equality** in a rhyming
picture book



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Martin Baltscheit · Max Fiedler

One Of Us

Picture Book Ages 4+ | 32 Pages

Through his sheer thirst for adventure, the inquisitive baby elephant has lost track of the rest of his herd. He sets off to find them, encountering hills, trees, the sea, birds, animals and the wind ... "One Of Us" is a celebration of diversity. This picture book demonstrates that everyone is welcome: big, small, migrants, non-migrants – all with their own strengths and weaknesses. Everyone deserves to flourish and be happy, and to have a sense of community and belonging.





A Journey on the Wings of Imagination

Once upon a time ...
we found the **most wonderful**
fairy tales in the world!

Antje Subey-Cramer (Editor) · Jasmin Schäfer

Children's Fairy Tales From all Over the World

Picture Book Ages 5+ | 192 Pages

A varied selection of child-appropriate, fairy tales to read-aloud from some very different cultures from around the world – with exceptionally delightful illustrations and beautifully bound. A fairy-tale journey around the world: from old familiar tales of the Brothers Grimm, Andersen and Wilhelm Hauff to Scandinavian tales of trolls and fairy tales from Africa, Asia and America. A treasure of a book for children and parents alike that will never lose its charm.



The Most Important Bible Stories: Told in a Child-friendly Manner

With **new illustrations**
and a glossary of
unfamiliar terms

Sabine Rahn · Henrike Wilson

The Read-Aloud Children's Bible

Picture Book Ages 5+ | 208 Pages

Beautiful illustrations and child-friendly texts characterise this fresh and accessible new take on the Children's Bible, which teaches children the most important stories from the New and Old Testaments. Everything is included, from the Creation to Noah's Ark, to the Exodus and the life and impact of Jesus Christ. Can be read aloud, or on your own. Ideal for kindergarten, pre-schools and primary schools, or as a Christening present.



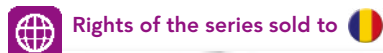
The very best medicine: Read-aloud stories



Anne Ameling · Katharina Wieker · Nora Paehl **I Like Reading Aloud: Let Me Kiss It Away**

Read Aloud Book Ages 4+ | 48 Pages

Whether your little one has chicken pox, tummy ache or a scraped knee, this magical book of read-aloud stories will make them well again and turn their aches and pains into a thing of the past. A cuddly toy helps a child who's afraid of the doctor; pains soon disappear at the Garden Theatre, and the Chocolate Lily brings good cheer to the sick-bed. Read-aloud stories are the very best medicine!



Springtime read-aloud stories



Mascha Matysiak · Tatjana Beimler Carola Sieverding **The Meadow is All Abuzz!**

Read Aloud Book Ages 2+ | 22 Pages

It's Springtime! There's a spring carnival with disguises, spring animals doing a sun-dance, and a spring cleaning competition between the goblins and the elves. Short read-aloud stories featuring children, animals and mythical creatures – ideal for all young fans of spring aged 2+.



The Perfect Length for All Situations

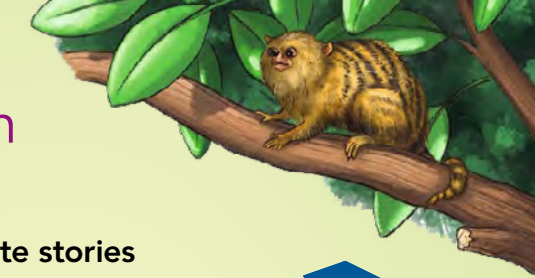
Popular and fun-filled **3-5-8 minute stories**



Anne Ameling · Julia Breitenöder Iris Hardt · Naeko Ishida **Minute Stories featuring more than 20 fairies, at least three dragons, and precisely one cross cactus**

Read Aloud Book Ages 3+ | 272 Pages

Dragons, wizards, robots and princesses: this volume is simply bursting with fantasy-packed stories filled with magical ideas and creatures. 42 thrilling and amusing stories about little fairies, flying elephants, bold Mrs Robber, Mama Moon, and all kinds of other imaginary beings.



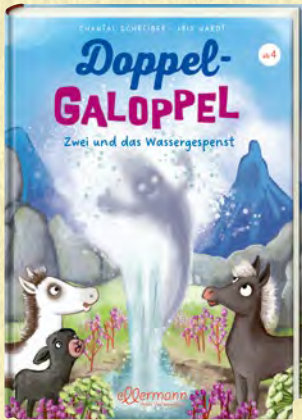
Julia Breitenöder · Jutta Berend **The Tapir Tap-Taps, the Tiger Roars – Adventures from the Rain Forests**

Read Aloud Book Ages 3+ | 144 Pages

Read aloud rainforest fun – in three, five or eight minutes. Yoga in a south-east Asian Wellness Hotel; a new friendship with the Amazon River Dolphins; or an enchanted elephant in the Congo Basin: this read-aloud book combines fantastical and realistic stories that are as colourful and multifarious as the rainforests themselves. Wild animals, extraordinary plants, and adventurous children carry readers and their listeners away to the thrilling depths of the tropical rainforests.



A must-read for all pony fans –
written by Chantal Schreiber, the
number one author of pony fiction

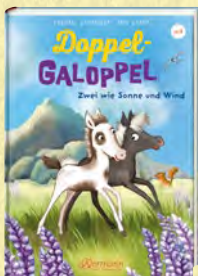


Chantal Schreiber · Iris Hardt

Galopping Away 2: Two and the Water Ghost

Read Aloud Book Ages 4+ | 112 Pages

There's one thing Fanndis knows for sure: there's no such thing as ghosts! Her brother Jon is, however, slightly less convinced. When Fanndis starts teasing Jon and they start to quarrel, Grandpa Valdis remembers a story about a pair of foals Kappi and Skoppa: two Icelandic ponies who couldn't be any different from one another but who still manage to be best friends. Grandpa Valdis describes how they found a little geyser, how they protected a little lamb from an Icelandic water ghost, and how Kappi was very brave ... a thrilling and amusing adventure for all pony fans and squabbling siblings.



About Unicorns and Dragons:
The fourth volume in the series based
on Kurt the Reluctant Unicorn



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Chantal Schreiber · Stephan Pricken

Kurt 4. Dragons are Unicorns, Too!

Read Aloud Book Ages 5+ | 112 Pages

A greedy dragon has gobbled up the entire contents of the royal orchard, which means: no stewed apples for Kurt. Furious, Kurt chases the fruit-eating dragon away with a good dose of water magic – but the dragon takes his revenge by abducting Kurt. Kurt awakens in a labyrinth on a lonely island. There he has to face his worst fears (mice!) – without his magical powers, which have stopped working. Fortunately help comes his way in the form of Princess Flea, Trill, Superhero Toodleo (the most romantic unicorn ever) – and a whole host of little mice. Can they work together to tame the dragon?



The Little Fleakin is back!
Third volume in the **enduringly
popular series**



Sandra Grimm · Anja Grote

The Little Flea 3: Miracles in the Little Forest

Read Aloud Book Ages 5+ | 224 Pages

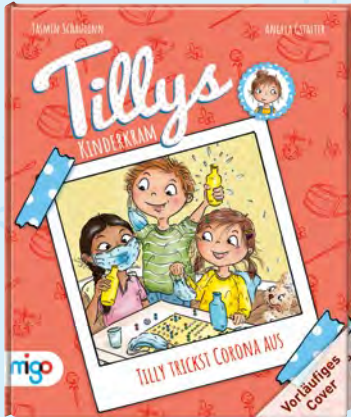
Little Fleakin, Lisbet and their friends may be tiny forest imps, but they have huge hearts – especially where animals are concerned. They are therefore delighted by the prospect of summer school in the forest – where they have all kinds of thrilling adventures. During an expedition to the Little Forest, they make a very special discovery: a true natural miracle in the stream. The third volume in the Little Fleakin series is a very special representation of our love of nature.



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New Series About Cheeky Tilly and Her Daily Live

On-trend topics (home fitness, healthy eating, post-Covid life) are gently woven into the story – with fun tips by Tilly herself at the end of every story

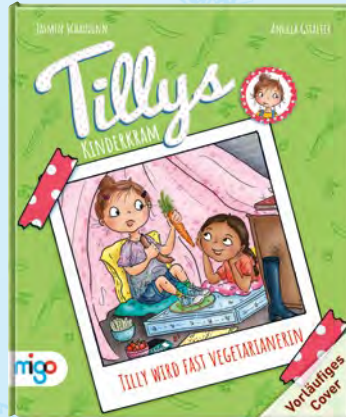


Jasmin Schaudinn · Angela Gstalter

Tilly's Tales. Tilly Outsmarts Covid

Read Aloud Book Ages 4+ | 48 Pages

Tilly Appletree is five years old and lives with her mother, her brother Bruno and her dog Tuesday on the second floor of a small apartment block. In this, the first volume of the series, she experiences daily life during Covid and the return to ordinary life post-lockdown. However, Tilly is blessed with humour and imagination so never loses her sparkle, and is able to find joy in her own world despite the restrictions. Together with her friend Azra, she practises drinking from a bottle whilst wearing a face-mask, or uses them to make hammocks for her toys. Pert and inquisitive, Tilly bounces through life – and young readers will love her cheeky and cheerful way of navigating the issues currently affecting them all on a daily basis.

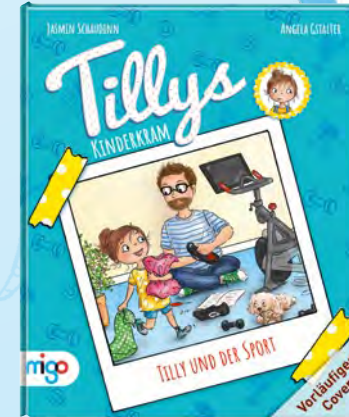


Jasmin Schaudinn · Angela Gstalter

Tilly's Tales. Tilly Turns Virtually Vegetarian

Read Aloud Book Ages 4+ | 48 Pages

Tilly loves her kindergarten teacher. He's called Devin and he's a vegetarian. But what exactly is a vegetarian? Tilly is horrified to discover that her beloved salami isn't made of salami but of animals. And not even annoying creatures like wasps. She goes to tell her best friend Azra that she has now decided to be a vegetarian. But the girls have got other things on their minds than food. Such as playing at being cool and grown-up, using the wooden Ludo pieces as fake nails, carrying their home-made mobile phones and wearing their mothers' heeled shoes. Tilly steadfastly tries to swap her sausages for carrots, which makes her practically a vegetarian. Until, that is, she makes a little exception the following day and goes to have chicken nuggets with Dad.



Jasmin Schaudinn · Angela Gstalter

Tilly's Tales. Tilly Gets Sporty

Read Aloud Book Ages 4+ | 48 Pages

Children play sports for fun. Adults do it either to lose weight or gain muscle. Tilly finds this really weird. And when her dad buys a home trainer without wheels, which he can't even go anywhere on – and which has a peculiar woman's voice telling him what to do – Tilly is just glad that she can run and jump all she likes during school PE lessons. And then there's the garage where Tilly and her kindergarten friend Luan go on imaginary journeys and where she and her brother Bruno have a car picnic in the evening. That's the kind of thing that happens when Dad's in sole charge of the kids. Fun and adventure guaranteed.

A Playful way to learn the days of the week



Jasmin Schaudinn · Tessa Rath
Wim's Wonderfully Wild Week
Read Aloud Book Ages 4+ | 64 Pages

Wim is four and a half and lives with his mother and older sister Ella in a block of flats in the centre of town. Whether he's going to kindergarten with Ella and her friend Zeynep, visiting the shopping centre, or going on a bus journey – there's always something happening in Wim's world, and every day brings a new adventure. Thank goodness they now have a days of the week wheel, so he can always see which day it is today, and what's going to happen.



Getting lost in space with daddy – a skilful combination of daily life and adventure



Nicolas Gorny · Kristina Nowothnig
When Dad Pressed a Button and we were Almost Eaten by a Dinosaur
Read Aloud Book Ages 5+ | 112 Pages

Dad and the twins Malte and Greta are running late. So Dad decides to take a BRILLIANT shortcut to kindergarten – but ZAP! They're sucked up into a UFO by the alien Blob. And when Dad randomly presses a button, they find themselves on a crazy journey through time.



A new adventure of our bestselling family: The Ogglies travel to Stone Age




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Erhard Dietl
The Ogglies in the Land of the Mammoths
Early Reader Ages 6+ | 112 Pages

Well, bless my farting pantaloons: is that really a mammoth standing at the counter in the ice-cream parlour? Indeed it is! Needless to say, the Oggly children are responsible. Together with Professor Brausewein, they have rescued the mammoth from the Stone Age hunters and have used their time machine to bring him back from Siberia to Smellville. The professor had always fancied having a jumper made of mammoth hair. But before very long, the Oggly children are being driven mad by their new pet. Can they keep him all the same?

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Erhard Dietl
The Ogglies. Home Alone on the Rubbish Tip
Early Reader Ages 7+ | 64 Pages

Pictures Instead of Words / An Early Reader
Oh, stinky socks! The annoying Blue Oggly is going to turn 500 years old. Obviously he invites all the Ogglies to his birthday party.

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The popular Escape School series continues – **vampire theme laced with a pinch of fantasy**



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Anne Scheller · Timo Müller-Wegner · Stefanie Wegner
Escape School. Vampires in the Castle
Early Reader Ages 7+ | 72 Pages

When their crypt is flooded, the vampires have to find a new home. And where else do they choose but Aspenstone Boarding School? It all seems surprisingly straightforward at first – but when the cook cuts her finger, the new guests start to become agitated and Tom, Anni and Katta quickly realise that things are going to take a turn for the worse. A thrilling new Escape Story packed with puzzles to delight kids of all ages!

 Long summary and Sample Translation available here:

Volume 1



Volume 2



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Mysteries to **draw, solve and enjoy:**
Catch villains with your pencil



Doro Ottermann
Crook-a-Doodle-Doo 2 – Clues: Obliterated!
Children's Fiction Ages 8+ | 208 Pages

Hooray! Chief Inspector His Nibs and his “Number Two” have caught their first baddy, gained around a million scribbling fans, and created a new town. However, Nibs’ arch enemy, the Ink Eraser, is still at large. This can’t go on, thinks Nibs, and so he summons Number Two again – and that means YOU! Use your pencil to discover what kind of villain is on the loose this time. Solve the new puzzles together. And keep on filling in the gaps until Doodle City is safe again!

 English Sample Translation of the first book in the series available here >>



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She started out writing for adults but soon progressed to writing popular radio formats and fiction novels for children and young adults. Among her critical successes are her distinction with the Bettina-von-Arnim Prize for her short stories and her honouring as 'Lesekünstler' of the year 2010 by the Association of the German Book Trade.

Born in 1954 in Berlin, Ludwig read Literary Studies and Philosophy at university before taking up various roles within education, film and radio. Nowadays, she's dedicating her time to writing novels. However, she hasn't left the world of film completely as her Help! trilogy (starting off with Help, I've Shrunk My Teacher!) has been adapted into three movies from 2015 to 2021. Her novels are filled with humour and cheek while at the same time addressing important topics such as being different, friendship, confidence, and bullying. In addition to her children's books, her crime novels have achieved critical and commercial success. Ludwig stayed loyal to her birthplace Berlin and currently lives there with her family.



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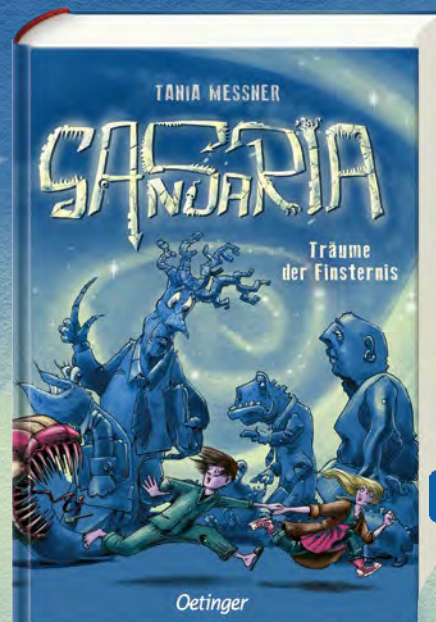
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Born in North Germany in 1979, Michaelis has spent years abroad living in India, Nepal, Peru and most recently in Madagascar where she helped build a children's home for homeless children as well as a village school. As a result, her works are filled with a fresh sense of diversity which makes her fiction particularly suitable for international audiences. Michaelis's use of language has been acclaimed by critics for its poetic quality and innovative use of address. Her previous books for Oetinger alone have been sold to more than 22 countries including the Americas. Today she still participates in volunteer projects for children in need and lives close to the Baltic sea together with her husband and her four daughters.



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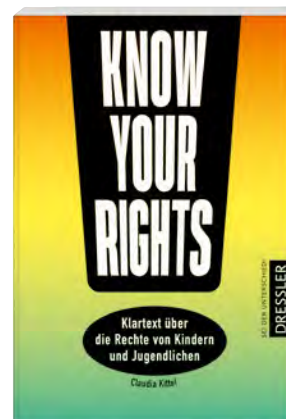


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Know Your Rights! The Rights of Children and Young People Explained Clearly

Non Fiction Ages 12+ | 80 Pages

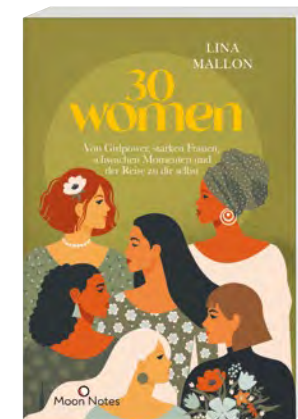
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30 stories about 30 women



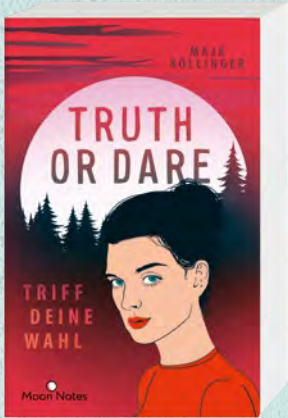
Lina Mallon

30 Women – On Girl Power, Strong Women, Weak Moments, and Finding Yourself

Non Fiction Ages 14+ | 208 Pages

How I became the woman I am now. In her latest book, Lina Mallon writes about the female friends and other women who have affected her life. With great frankness and openness, she describes real support, unexpected opposition, friendship disappointments, the strength of Girl Power, and the dilemma in which women of all ages can find themselves: meeting the expectations of society whilst fulfilling their own dreams and desires. Our greatest challenge is not to lose ourselves at this point but to find our own way as women. Above all, Mallon emphasises the importance of women mutually supporting one another, being honest with one another, and even being able to criticise one another in a positive way so that they can grow together rather than competing with one another.

Friendship drama
and **gripping thriller**



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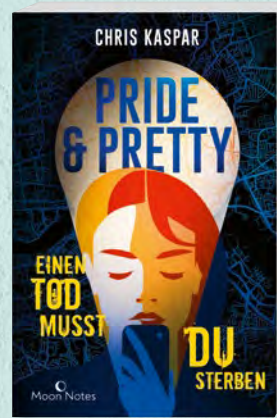
Truth or Dare – You Choose

Young Adult Fiction Ages 15+ | 400 Pages

They were the perfect friendship group: Brianna, Yves, Xenia and Kian. But towards the end of their time at school, they find themselves drifting apart. In order to get their friendship back on track, they decide to go for a day out which ends with a binge drinking session and a risky game of Truth or Dare – and with Kian's death. However, none of the remaining three can remember exactly what happened. During the course of the ensuing investigation, somebody starts to plague them with anonymous notes: someone knows what happened. There's only one thing for it: the friends have to work together to find the perpetrator. But what if it's someone closer to them than they imagine?

Young, involved narrative voice
appeals to teen readers

Creepy psychodrama:
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Pride & Pretty – Dying a Death

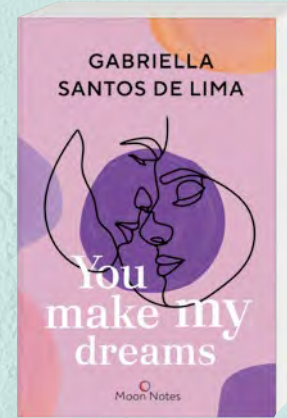
Young Adult Fiction Ages 16+ | 320 Pages

The "Pretty Pennies" rule the roost at Graham College. Anyone who gets in their way loses everything.

Vince, Evie and Pat are the Pretty Pennies: rich, popular, untouchable. 16-year-old Lynn is none of these things – so decides to infiltrate the Pretty Pennies, armed with a pack of lies. Her aim: revenge. If only it weren't for the outsider Bacon, who knows who Lynn really is. In order to protect her secret, Lynn enters into a loaded pact with Bacon. However, things suddenly race out of control, and Lynn risks losing far more than just her chance of revenge.

Where is the red line between bullying
and murder? **Highly topical thriller about
questions of identity**

Intense feelings
and big ambitions



Gabriella Santos de Lima

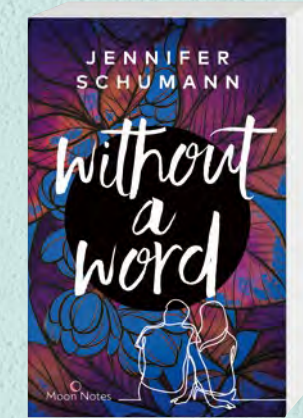
You Make My Dreams

Young Adult Fiction Ages 16+ | 416 Pages

19-year-old Audrey is desperate to become an actress. So much so that she is even willing to leave her beloved home in Florida in order to study at the famous Juilliard School. But she hates New York – not least because that's where her mother lives, who left her family in order to pursue her career. However, Audrey then gets to know mysterious Bennett29 via the anonymous NewInYork messaging service. Although he's almost dismissive of her at first, they soon begin to message one another non-stop – and far too personally. Audrey quickly realises that she's not the only one with a secret...

Full of romance and desire: perfect
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You don't need
words to fall in love!



Jennifer Schumann

Without a Word

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Ambitious young actress Madeleine decides to take a bit of time away from the theatre, and starts to help out in her friend's cafe. There, she becomes fascinated by a handsome young man who comes in every day. Although he neither speaks to her nor looks at her, she finds him incredibly alluring and sets out on a mission to get closer to him. She gradually realises why he is so dismissive – and that you sometimes don't need words to fall in love!

**A romantic, taboo-busting love story
with unexpected twists**



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Emma Lindberg

Rena & Callan 1. From Now On

Young Adult Fiction Ages 16+ | 368 Pages

Serena is obsessed with drawing, sleeps with a pair of scissors under her pillow, and is scared of the number 13. Callan is surgically attached to his guitar, wears novelty boxer shorts, and covers up his father's alcoholism. They have known one another since forever – and feel more for one another than they care to admit. Mainly because Cal is Rena's brother's best friend, and her nuclear family is his safe space which he couldn't bear to lose under any circumstances. However, they become increasingly unable to ignore their feelings, and when the three of them go camping together, their harmonious relationship is severely tested.

Two authors, two voices: The story is told from Serena's and Callan's different perspectives, enabling the reader to experience their feelings at first hand



Emma Lindberg

Rena & Callan 2. Until Forever

Young Adult Fiction Ages 16+ | 416 Pages

After splitting up with Cal, Rena moves to Pittsburgh with her best friend and embarks on her dream of studying Art. Callan goes off to study Music before returning to his home in Pittsburgh. He becomes the lead singer of a band, and they start to play gigs in small venues – including at a party thrown by Rena's brother Darren. They haven't seen one another for four years; but when Rena hears Cal singing for the first time, the sparks start to fly again and they find themselves drawn inexorably together once more...

Forbidden teenage love becomes a gripping love story

A gay love triangle packed with intense feelings



Jette Menger

Know Your Love

Young Adult Fiction Ages 16+ | 384 Pages

Ella introduces her new boyfriend to her friendship group. Simon, who has been crushing on Ella for ages, immediately feels drawn to Dilan. He feels as if he's curiously familiar. Dilan, too, seems to know things about Simon. Who is the newbie, and how and why are the two boys connected? And why does Ella have to fall for Dilan when Simon has been making a play for her for weeks now? When Simon accidentally discovers Dilan's secret, it causes him to re-think everything he thought he knew about love.



A powerful love story set in a world filled with magic



Nena Tramountani

Cards of Love 2. The Magic of the World

Young Adult Fiction Ages 16+ | 448 Pages

Giulietta wakes up in a room in the Grand Hotel in Venice and tries to work out what has been happening. Gradually, she realises that she has herself turned into a Tarot card figure. Learning to come to terms with her new powers isn't her only challenge. She also has to contend with her uncle setting some of the other figures against her. He claims that Giulietta has the power to lock the figures back into the cards forever, and that they can live in freedom if they can dispose of Giulietta. Giulietta is in despair. Who can she actually trust?





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Her popularity has not only been proven by great sales figures but also by the many prizes Marah has been awarded (Lovelybooks Reader's Prize, Price of the Leipzig Book Fair). In the morning, when her children are at school, Marah likes to write her books at the family's big dinner table. She studied history and politics and now lives in eastern Germany with her husband and three children.



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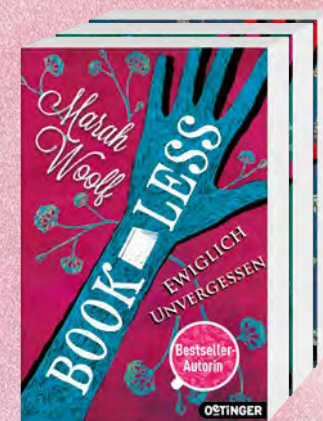
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Keep your nerve, trust
in your parenting skills,
and think before you act



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Stress-busting tips
and tricks for the daily
rollercoaster



Nadine Büttner

Go Away! I Can Do It Myself! A Survival Guide to Life With a Toddler

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Life with toddlers is a complete rollercoaster. As mothers and fathers, we just manage to get a handle on one particular phase – when everything changes again. As toddlers race through their stages of development, family life finds itself constantly changing, too. This is challenging for parents, who often find themselves facing new questions: how can you keep control of the chaos in the playroom? Why is every morning so stressful? When can children start to dress themselves unaided? Why is my child so shy? And the Number One question which all parents ask themselves on a daily basis: what concrete steps can I take to accompany my child on their journey, without losing myself in the process? This compact and practical parenting guide will help you to understand children's behaviour and to shape their daily routine in a stimulating manner.

Helps parents to prepare
for this very special chapter
in their children's lives



Malena Böse

Off to School at Last! An ABC for You and Your Child

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Starting school is a new and emotional time for parents and children alike. Adults in particular are full of questions, especially at first: how are lessons organised? Do the children get homework? What are the teacher and the classmates like? Will my child be okay? Mothers and fathers are in a way starting school themselves when their first-born's turn comes around. It's a new and exciting chapter for all the family. School days are busy and happy but also come with various challenges. This indispensable guide will help you to get to know this "new world".

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