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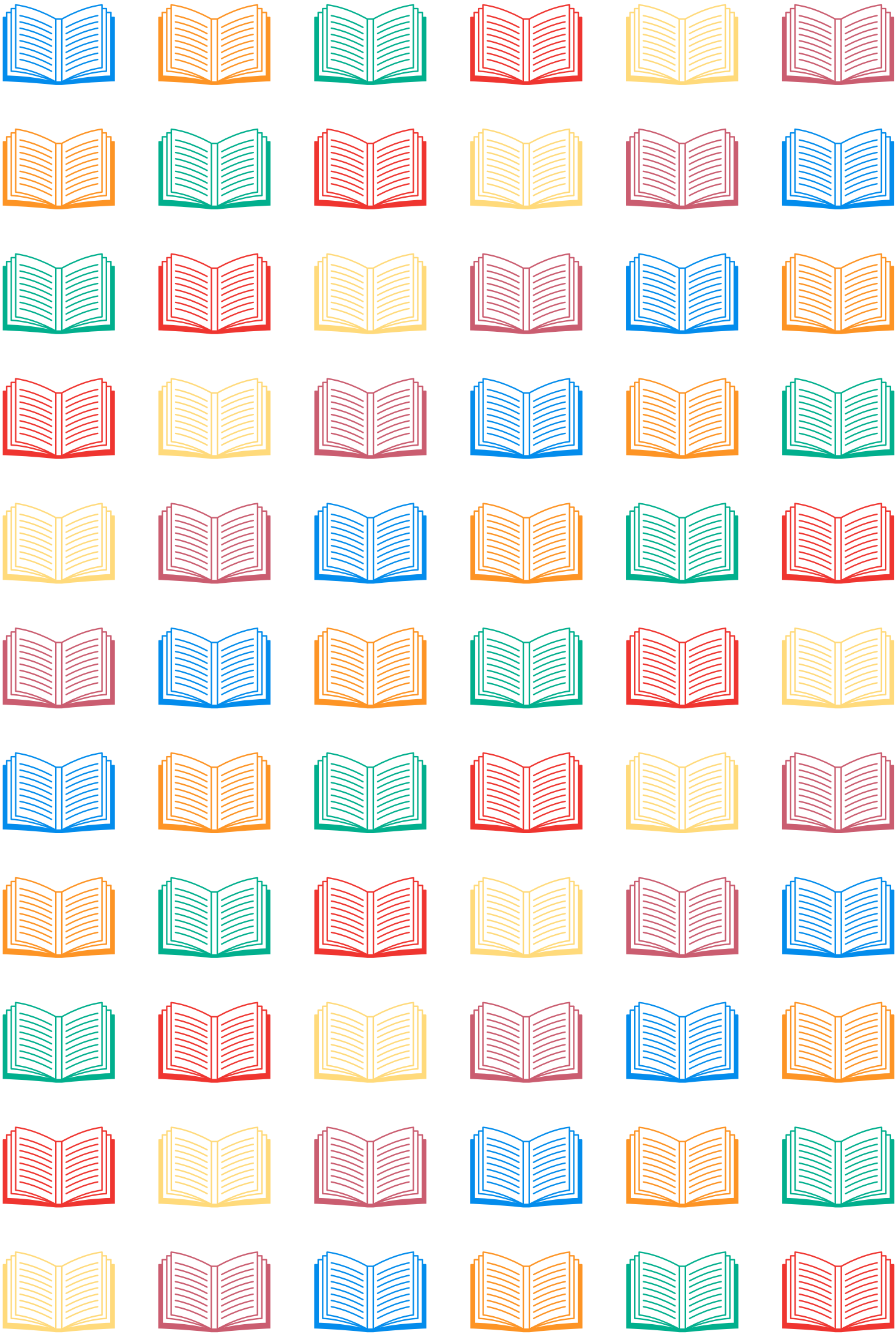
India has heritage of rich literature across languages. Over the years Indian authors have created a niche for themselves. Globally, India is ranked 3rd in English language publishing. Contemporary Indian writers have registered their presence on global canvas. Many people from literature world have travelled to India in search of good content. It's time that the Indian content should reach the global markets.

In endeavor to find global markets for Indian Publishers and authors, FICCI and The Bologna Book Fair have come together to publish a 'Rights Catalogue' of select writings from India, to be presented to participants of The Bologna Book Fair.

This 'Rights Catalogue' is not an exhaustive list of all major publication from India. The list contains only those titles which we have received from publishers interested in circulating or marketing information on published/yet to be published titles for exchange of rights. There has been no selection process for the entries. The titles listed in the 'Rights Catalogue' are in no particular order. For the convenience of the readers, the titles thus received are segregated according to different genres.

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CHILDREN/ YOUNG ADULT WRITINGS



A FISH THAT GROWS TOMATO



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About the Author

Born and raised in New Delhi, India, Sushant Madaan graduated from Panjab University, India. His academic journey took a global turn as he was awarded the Erasmus Mundus-KIC Innoenergy scholarship for an M.Sc. in Sustainable Energy Systems from Eindhoven University, the Netherlands, and the Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden. This international exposure broadened his perspective on sustainable energy practices and solutions.

In 2016, he made significant strides in the field by establishing the first-of-its-kind aquaponic farm in North India. The project featured on various national and international platforms such as The Times of India, The Down to Earth, Centre for Science and Environment, The Hindu, Punjab Kesari, Dainik Jagran, Better India, etc. This innovative project showcased his commitment to exploring and implementing sustainable and eco-friendly agricultural practices. Continuing his commitment to sustainability, he worked with the United Nations Development Programme from September 2019 to December 2020. He later authored an educational children's book "A Fish That Grows Tomato", that introduces the concept of sustainable farming in an engaging and illustrated format to children. Since the book's publication in November 2023, it has won three literary awards, namely, the Ukiyoto Literary Award 2024 by Suenos, the International Excellence Award 2024, and the Golden Book Award 2024.

About the Book

"A Fish that Grows Tomato" is an engaging educational children's book that marries storytelling with invaluable insights into Professor Sushi's grand farming experiment. It was first published in November 2023 and since then it has won three literary awards, namely, the Ukiyoto Literary Award 2024 by Suenos, the International Excellence Award 2024, and the Golden Book Award 2024.

In this work, Professor Sushi sets the stage for an exploration that transcends time and tradition. Through captivating narratives, he introduces ancient civilizations where farming first took root and how the practice of farming evolved throughout history.

But the journey doesn't end there. Professor Sushi embarks on a tour where they encounter an array of delightful animal companions: a mighty ox, a horse, diligent chickens, a lazy pig, a chatty cow, a cat, bees, earthworms, and a funny fish. Together, they uncover the role of each other in farming.

With keen insight and engaging anecdotes, Professor Sushi unveils the remarkable voyage that food undertakes from the farm to their very tables. They witness the planting of seeds, the loving attention dedicated to growing crops, and the vibrant farmers' market, where families come together to procure fresh, delectable produce.

Continuing his path of exploration, Professor Sushi then leads on to his grand experiment, introducing an innovative and sustainable practice: Aquaponics, which yields both crisp vegetables and succulent fish. This captivating experiment sheds light on the magic of nature, fostering an enduring appreciation for eco-conscious farming practices. Professor Sushi's tales are more than mere stories; they celebrate our interconnected world, a feast for the imagination, and an ode to the wonder of exploration.

WHEN FAIRYLAND LOST ITS MAGIC



Genre	:	Children
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About the Author

When Bijal Vachharajani is not reading a children's book, she is writing or editing one. Her books include the much loved and critically acclaimed novel, A Cloud Called Bhura, winner of the prestigious TOI Auther Children's Book Award 2020; You Want to Know About the Environment, and Kitten Trouble. She has co-authored two works of non-fiction, 10 Indian Champions Who Are Fighting to Save the Planet and The Great Indian Nature Trail with Uncle Bikky. Her picture books include PS What's up with the Climate?, What's Neema Eating Today?, That Night, and The Seed Savers. The former editor of Time Out Bengaluru, Bijal has worked with 350.org, Fairtrade and Sanctuary Asia, and currently heads Pratham Books' editorial team for which she was recognized at Publishing Next as Best Editor-Runner Up. Rajiv Eipe is an award-winning illustrator who lives in Bangalore and works on animation and illustration projects. Rajiv has studied painting at the J J School of Art, Bombay, and Animation and Film Design at the National Institute of Design, Ahmedabad. Rajiv won the Big Little Book Award for Best Illustrator in 2020.

About the Book

Nothing is as is ...
In the once enchanted oceans and forests of Fairyland, Corals are whiter than the snowiest of laundry. There's not a cursed or uncursed apple in sight. And Big Bad Wolf can't even give people a fright. How could he when there are no trees left to sneak behind?
Fairyland is in the throes of a climate crisis. Something has caused the weather to turn fouler than anything the Evilest of Wizards and Witches could conjure. Led by a posse of princesses and one wolf, the denizens of Fairyland must find a way out of this smog-filled story, before their Happily Ever After becomes a Happily Never After!
Award-winning author-illustrator duo Bijal Vachharajani and Rajiv Eipe conjure up magic in a retelling of beloved fairy tales, with a climatic twist and a sprinkle of fairy dust. Achoo!

THE ENCHANTED COTTAGE



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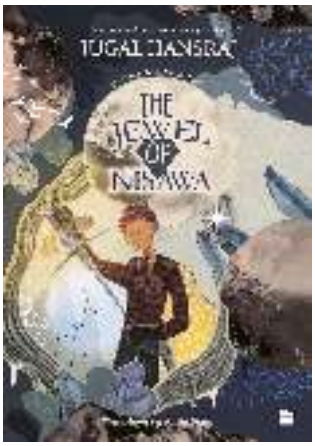
About the Author

Ruskin Bond is one of India's most well-known writers. He was awarded the Padma Shri in 1999 and the Padma Bhushan in 2014. His books with HarperCollins include, ‘These Are A Few Of My Favourite Things', ‘Koki's Song', ‘How To Be A Writer' and ‘How To Live Your Life'. He lives in Landour, Mussoorie.
Sucharita Sengupta Suri is an illustrator and a graphic designer based in Mumbai. She has been running her design studio for the past almost two decades. During the 2020 lockdown, she started following her passion for illustration. Currently, she pursues both graphic design and illustration projects professionally.

About the Book

Odd things were happening to me in my little cottage near the forest ...
There was no terrifying dream that night, or the following night, but the cottage did have an almost tangible atmosphere about it -- a feeling for the past, or rather, a feeling of the past, as though something happened in it long ago, something sad and lingering.
Mystery, drama, and a hint of the supernatural are all expertly woven together in this compelling story set in the hills.
The Enchanted Cottage is a haunting masterpiece by the exceptional storyteller Ruskin Bond.
Sucharita Sengupta Suri's illustrations perfectly complement the story, making this a unique crossover picture book.

JEWEL OF NISAWA



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About the Author

Jugal Hansraj is a film actor, writer and National Award-winning filmdirector, originally from Mumbai, India. He began working in filmsfirst as a child actor – Masoom (1983) being the most notable. He thenwent on to become a lead actor in films like Papa Kahte Hain (1996) andMohabbattein (2000) among others. In 2006 he turned writer-directorand made the animation film Roadside Romeo (2008) and in 2010 hedirected the feature film Pyaar Impossible! He's still seen on screen asan actor at regular intervals. His first book as author, Cross Connection– The Big Circus Adventure, was published in 2017. The Coward & TheSword is his second novel. He is currently based in New York.

About the Book

When a stranger tells Kadis to retrieve the Jewel of Nisawa, little does the young prince know that his life is about to change. On the brink of eighteen, Kadis seems to have everything: the love and support of his parents and friends, and the adoration of the citizens of Kofu. But he’s plagued by a recurring nightmare and an eerie feeling that he’s being followed. When his granduncle, the wise Shonin, goes missing, a mysterious note from him propels Kadis and his friends into a whirlwind journey to a fabled kingdom. On this adventure, the prince faces challenges far greater than ever before.
How is Kadis’s destiny connected to that of a forgotten kingdom? Will Sara, Shijo, Myo, Tara and Mr Joi be able to protect their friend from danger? And will Kadis be able to find his courage when he truly needs it?
This sequel to the acclaimed ‘The Coward & The Sword’ promises action, magic, romance and, of course, an irrepressible falcon.

GOLDEN TIGER MOUNTAIN



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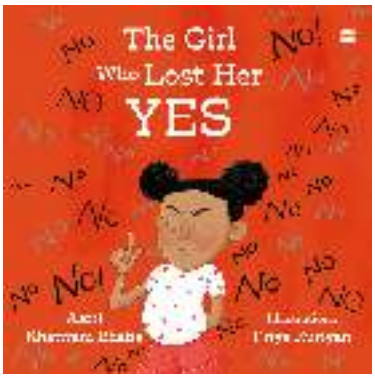
About the Author

Ravi Kapoor is the author of the best-selling Scholastic Quiz: Incredible Records. In addition to his day (and night) job as an airline pilot, he has been a screenwriter, script editor, radio jockey and voiceover artist. In his spare time he enjoys worrying about life, the universe and everything. He composes music to relax.
Nicholas Hoffland is a writer, art curator and design boffin who delights in mishmashing regional cuisines and health food. When not in the kitchen, he can be found sharing his love of jazz, rock and Indian and Western classical music in various forums.
Tanaya Vyas is a designer, illustrator, researcher and educator with a passion for visual storytelling. Her illustrated picture books include Kasturba, Scarecrows on Parade and Parvati the Elephant's Very Important Day. She loves talking to cats, scribbling on walls and travelling to faraway lands with her paintbrush.

About the Book

How far will you go for the ones you love?
Are you brave enough to face your worst fears?
To find the magical cure for his ailments, old Pala Dawa and Rinzing, his little granddaughter and the heart of his world, must do what no man has ever done - climb the Golden Tiger Mountain, and come back alive. In their way stand formidable, legendary challenges that will test their faith and endurance. Will their optimism and love for each other be enough to conquer the monsters, both real and imagined, that threaten to overpower them?
The Golden Tiger Mountain is a tale of myth and magic. Of confronting demons that will not sleep or let sleep. Of finding that it is striving for our loved ones that keeps us truly alive. And of realising that in the end it is the path, not the destination, that defines our journey.
'A thrilling adventure, a spectacular landscape and a delightful story.' - Ruskin Bond, bestselling children's author

GIRL WHO LOST HER YES



Genre	: Children	
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Illustrator	: Priya Kuriyan	
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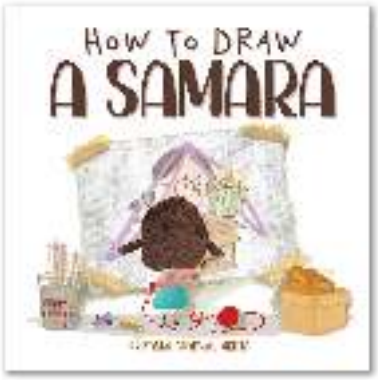
About the Author

Aarti Khatwani Bhatia has an MBA from NMIMS, Mumbai. After years of working with multinational companies like ConAgra Foods and Red Bull, she finally found her calling in stories. She has written for brands like Aveeno Baby, Nestlé, Dabur, Preganews, Luvlap, Pediasure, Dove, Casio and many more. Her short story ‘You Come First' won the ‘Silver Story of the Year' in the international short story writing competition at IFP in 2022. When not sleeping, she is either telling her kids a story, or creating one with them. And when sleeping, well then she is just sleeping, for she loves doing that as much as she loves telling stories!
Priya Kuriyan is a children's book writer-illustrator and comics maker. She has directed educational films for Sesame Street (India) and the Children's Film Society of India (CFSI) and has illustrated numerous children's books for publishers like Tulika Books, Karadi Tales, Eklavya, HarperCollins, Scholastic and Penguin. Her work has appeared in publications like the Mint Lounge, Indian Express, Indian Quarterly and Hindu Business Line. In 2019, she won the ‘Big Little Book Award' for her contribution to children's literature in India. She lives and works in Bangalore and, in her spare time, likes to make funny caricatures of its residents.

About the Book

Six-year-old Mia loves going to the carnival. She loves eating ice cream. But she also loves saying 'No'. She loves 'No' so much that she rarely uses 'Yes'.
So, one day, feeling sad and left out, 'Yes' packs its bags and leaves. And in the days that follow, Mia realizes how she is unable to say 'Yes' even to the carnival, to ice cream and to all her favourite things!
What happens next? Does Mia continue to say 'No' to everything? Does 'Yes' ever come back to her? To find out, read this heartwarming story of Mia, the girl who lost her 'Yes'.

HOW TO DRAW A SAMARA



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About the Author

Priyanka is a mother to two vivacious girls and most of her books stem from the interactions she has with her daughters. Her books include subtle themes of empathy, problem solving and communication skills - capabilities that she considers key to a happy and successful life. She holds a BA from Northwestern University in the US and an MBA from University of Cambridge in the UK. She sits on the board of several educational institutions.

About the Book

'Samara struggles to come up with things that make her different. Mama recommends doing research to figure it out. Join Samara on this adventure to discover what makes her unique. ‘How To Draw Samara’ is a journey towards self-acceptance and understanding. It's a must-have in your child's collection, perfect for parents who wish to engage their children in meaningful conversations about individuality and self-worth. At the end of the book, we have encouraged the child to make their own self-portrait just as Samara did and upload them here. Interestingly, a majority of the children who have read this book have portrayed themselves as 'helpful' in their self-portraits.

DHONGI LADAIYA (THE ARROGANT HYENA)



Genre	: Children's Picture Book
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About the Book

A Bundeli folk tale, strikingly illustrated by Karen Haydock, based on 'pride goes before a fall'! A hyena accidentally sits on a pile of garbage and a paper gets stuck on its tail. When other animals make fun of him for having something stuck on his tail he boasts that that paper proclaims him as thei leader and asks them to pay respect. The animals comply. One hyena points out that as they all look alike; they will not be able to pay their respect till they see the proclaimation – a litle awkard to see his tail to do that. So they device a signal - a stick is tied to the tail, which alerts others from a distance. The instrument for commanding respect leads to his downfall.

EK SHAHAR EK PAHAD EK MOHALLA (A TOWN A LANDFILL A COMMUNITY)



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About the Author

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About the Book

Stories and vignettes fom their life and environment – voices of children and young adults from urban labour housing areas, reconciling their experiences and their surroundings. Fresh voices , new insights as the young people observe, experience, articulate and question their habitat. Written during the pandemic years this collection of writing from the young peoples collective is one to take note of.

GEET KA KAMAL (WHAT A SONG!)



Genre	: Childen's Literature- Picture Book – Folk Tale
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About the Author

A Bundelkhandi Folk tale retold.

About the Book

A Bundelkhandi folktale about the power of a song! A woman wanted to sing but did not know any songs. She asked her husband to buy her a song. The husband goes to the market but is unable to buy a song. So, he writes one for his wife based on what he saw on his way home. The happy wife sings this through the night and as luck would have it, the lyrics of the song scare away a band of thieves who entered the house to rob. Such was the power of the song!

SAANP NE SONCHA (SNAKE THOUGHT)



Genre	: Childen's Literature – Picture Book
Author/Editor	: Ashok Hussain
Illustrator	: Bindia Purabia
Publisher	: Eklavya Foundation
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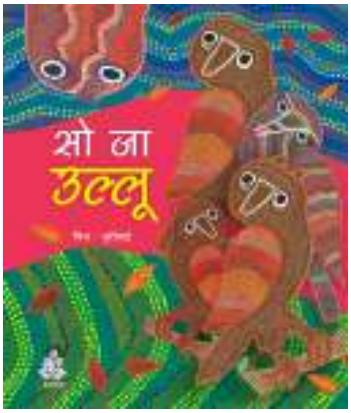
About the Illustrator

Bindiya Purbiya lives in Bhopal and aspires to study art and become an artist. She is fond of writing and illustrating stories. She likes to read aloud stories to the children and adults in her community.The illustrations for this book were created while studying in Muskan's study cetre.

About the Book

This book, written and illustrated by children challenges our assumptions. As humans when we see a snake we assume that it will be dangerous and will bite. Everyone is afraid of snake bites. This delightful story is presented from the snake's point of view – who thinks through the concequences of biting a little girl and ultimately changes its mind! It has sold 20,000+ copies since printing.

SO JA ULLU (GO TO SLEEP OWL)



Genre	: Children's Literature - Picture Book
Illustrator	: Bhuri Bai
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About the Illustrator

Bhuri Bai, the world renowned tribal artist brings the story alive in her distinctive style in vivid colours. Bhuri Bai is a natianally awarded artist. She lives in Bhopal.

About the Book

It is day time and owl is trying to sleep but a lot of jungle ceatures are going about their day noisily. The bees buzz, the squirrels squeak, crows caw and woodpeckers chip not letting the owl sleep. Then it is night and all the creatues ae trying to sleep when the owl starts hooting! This delightful picturebook has sold 30,000+ copies in a decade since publication.

A TREE



Genre	: Children / Young Adult Writings	
Author	: Klara Köttner-Benigni	
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About the Author

Klara Köttner-Benigni was an Austrian writer, journalist and conservationist. From her younger days, she had a keen interest in animal welfare and nature conservation.

About the Book

One poet and twelve tribal storytellers, some of India's most loved illustrators! They encourage you to - Think. Ask questions. Discuss and then swing into ACTION as an Earth-Carer! All books in this series carry a StoryPedagogyTM page for you to TA-DAA! away with your young readers!

CAT IN THE DARK



Genre	: Children / Young Adult Writings
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About the Author

Margaret Mahy is a much-loved and celebrated children's writer from New Zealand. She wrote more than 100 picture books and 40 novels and 20 collections of short stories. Before becoming a full-time writer, she worked as a librarian for over 10 years. She was awarded the Order of New Zealand in 1993. She also won many global prizes for children's writers, including the Carnegie Medal and the prestigious Hans Christian Andersen Award. In an interview with The Sydney Herald (2009), Mahy said, "Indeed, I write for children. But just as importantly, I write for the adult behind every child."

About the Book

Margaret Mahy's timeless classic, a sneaky-peeky poem about a cat in the dark in its different and quirky avatars. This is a treasure for tiny tots, who will enjoy the delicious word play and the delightful illustrations by our young illustrator, Anvadya Khatri.

FINDING TREE



Genre	: Children / Young Adult Writings	
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About the Author

Geeta Dharmarajan is an award-winning writer, storyteller and educator who loves children and writing for children. In 2012, she was awarded the Padma Shri for her work in literature and education. Geeta is the Founder-President of Katha. She has over forty years of professional editorial experience that began with Target, a children's magazine brought out by the India Today Group, and continued with The Pennsylvania Gazette, the award-winning alumni magazine of the University of Pennsylvania, before founding Katha in 1988. She has been recognised, felicitated and honoured for her work through the decades. Besides two Lifetime Achievement Awards, Geeta has received the Millennium Alliance Frugal Innovator Award, from the Governments of India and USA, in 2014, the Business Standards Entrepreneur of the Year Award in 2018 and the Sat Paul Mittal Award in 2020.

About the Book

Finding Tree is a captivating children's story that weaves a poignant tale of love and loss amidst enchanting mangrove forests. Nachi, a brave, young girl travels beyond the far reaches of this world to find her missing friend, Tree. She journeys through strange lands, meets magical creatures and comes face to face with the God of Death. But does she find Tree? Can she bring Tree back home with her? With a gentle touch and dose of fantasy, this story tackles the abstract and often difficult concept of death, unravelling life's greatest secrets for young readers.

LEELA'S SPECIAL DAY



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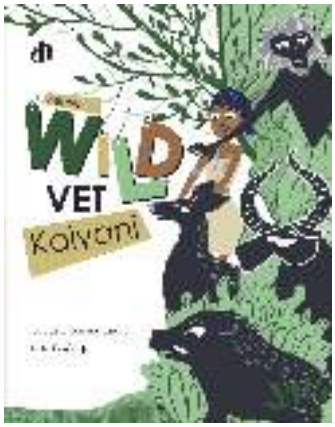
About the Author

Shweta Ganesh Kumar is a UN Media award-winning blogger, bestselling writer and full-time mother. She writes mostly for grown-ups but she loves spinning tales for children, as well. Her short fiction and poetry have been published in more than twenty anthologies and online literary magazines in more than four continents. She runs workshops for aspiring writers, and publishes the work of upcoming Indian writers in her online magazine - Inkspire. She tells stories for children and grownups via her podcast - 'Storytelling with Shweta'. You can read more about her life and work at www.shwetaganeshkumar.com.

About the Book

The flood waters are rising. The sun is nowhere to be seen. The power is out, and provisions are running low. Despite the darkness, little Leela is able to see the magic in the midst of calamity while her family helps her brave the stormy waters cheerfully, and creates a special day for her.

SECRET WILD VET KALYANI



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About the Book

The extraordinary N. Kalyani, a secret wildlife veterinarian with a heart as wild as the creatures she protects, is back on the job! This jaunty poem whisks young readers into the Nilgiris, where Kalyani swings on vines and partners with wild animals to outsmart trouble. Bursting with jungle antics, this adventure celebrates courage, friendship, and the magic of one woman's mission to save her wild neighbours!

SERA LEARNS TO FLY



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About the Author

Vinitha is an author, editor, storyteller, wanna-be traveller and devourer of books. Her stories have been integrated in CBSE and ICSE textbooks. Vinitha is also a columnist and writes a column exploring children's spaces in Mumbai called 'Mumbai for Kids' with a well-known tabloid, Mid-Day.

About the Book

A lovely little book to hold, see, and read with your child - over and over again. Sera delights! Winner of FICCI Publishing Awards 2019 in the Children's Book of The Year category and shortlisted in the picture book category of Neev Book Awards 2019.

THE EARTH CARER'S GUIDE TO CLIMATE CHANGE



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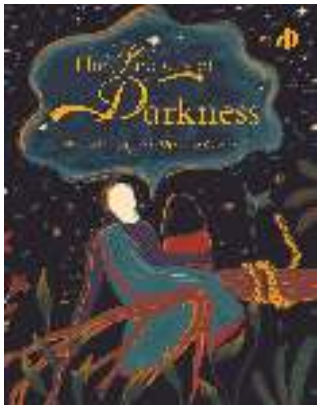
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About the Book

Let's love our Earth again! Here's a book that will encourage you to show compassion and care towards the only home you have. Read on to explore the magnanimous beauty that this world is! This books won the Leading Reading School of India Award by Young India.

THE KEEPERS OF DARKNESS



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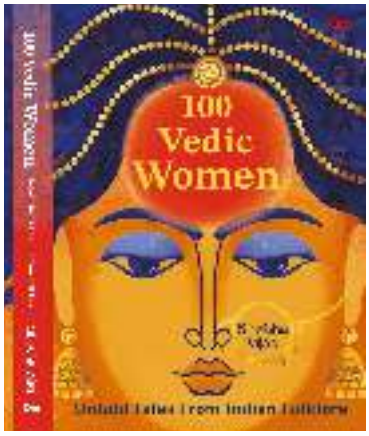
About the Author

Mamta Nainy is a writer based in New Delhi. She has authored over thirty books for children, many of which have gone on to win national and international awards and recognition, including Valley of Words Awards 2022, FICCI Publishing Awards 2022, Publishing Next Award 2022, The Hindu Young World-Goodbooks Award 2019 and Peek-a-Book Children's Choice Award 2019. She is inspired by the unfettered imagination of children and loves travelling but is too lazy to do it, so she mostly makes do with reading.

About the Book

"Darkness is alive," Patti says.
"And we, the Irulas, are the keepers of darkness." Inspired by the indigenous wisdom and resilience of the Irulas, one of the oldest Adivasi communities of India, a book that is a lyrical ode to the deep dark forests and those who live among them.

100 VEDIC WOMEN



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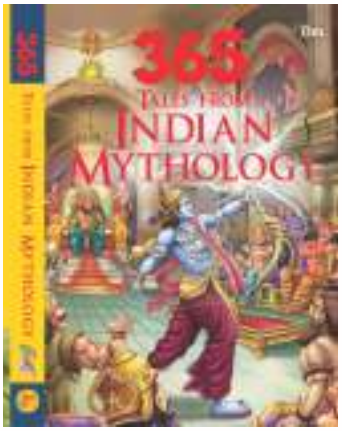
About the Author

Dr. Shubha Vilas is a lifestyle coach, storyteller and author. He studied patent law after completing his engineering degree but finally chose the path of a spiritual seeker. He has completed his PhD in leadership from Valmiki Ramayana and his thesis is considered path breaking in the field of leadership studies from ancient texts. He has delivered more than 6500 talks, inspiring more than 7,00,000 people, across twenty countries in last ten years. He is a popular guest speaker at prestigious universities - Stanford, Princeton and Oxford University to name a few...apart from several centers of Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) and Indian Institute of Management (IIM) in India.. . . . . .

About the Book

In his crisp and eloquent style, renowned author and spiritual seeker SHUBHA VILAS portrays 100 handpicked women characters from ancient Indian texts who broke the male bastion to live life on their own terms and influenced Indian culture and tradition with their resilience, guts, wisdom and sharp acumen. These are women who refuse to be delicate, helpless darlings to be protected by men. They are not merely meek mothers, weeping wives or voluptuous vamps. They are much more.
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365 TALES FROM INDIAN MYTHOLOGY



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About the Book

Indian mythology is a rich repository of fantastic tales. This book forms a perfect introduction to the Indian literary tradition. The episodic and concise format of this book, coupled with beautiful illustrations, makes it a fascinating engagement for kids. With this book, let your child indulge in a collection that offers a window into the world of the sublime.

GITA WISDOM TALES (SERIES)



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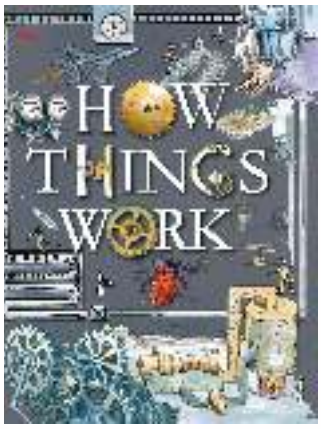
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Gauranga Darshan Das, a disciple of His Holiness Radhanath Swami, is a distinguished educator, and spiritual author of over 30 books. He holds a Master's degree from the prestigious Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bangalore, India. In his current role as the Dean of Bhaktivedanta Vidyapitha at ISKCON Govardhan Ecovillage (GEV), Gauranga Darshan Das conducts spiritual education programs in both residential and online platforms. He is a prolific speaker and teacher, renowned for presenting timeless wisdom in a lucid and contemporary form to various audiences, including children, teens, professionals and educators. He travels to various places in India, Australia, United States, etc., to share wisdom in various forums including temples, ashrams, schools, colleges, and the corporate sector. He has lectured over 7,500 hours and conducted over 50 online courses. As an accomplished author, he has penned more than 30 books, including study guides (the Subodhini series), storybooks, self-enrichment works (Dhruva, etc.), and children's literature (Bhagavatam Tales & Gita Wisdom Tales series). He runs a monthly ezine called Bhagavata Pradipika whilst penning thought-inspiring articles for international and Indian Back to Godhead magazines. His dedication to the dissemination of spiritual wisdom has made him a respected figure in spiritual, educational, and corporate circles.

About the Book

The Gita is replete with spiritual wisdom. However, it does not appeal to many people, especially children, who fail to understand the meaning and essence of its shlokas. This book strives to get across the meaning of key shlokas from the Gita by presenting them with appropriate stories. The stories have been carefully selected from ancient scriptures, Puranas, epics, and folklore, and are accompanied by eye-catching illustrations.

HOW THINGS WORK

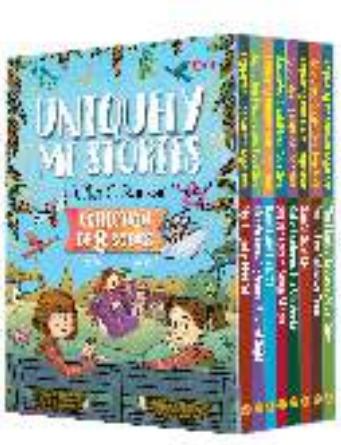


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About the Book

How Things work is the perfect read for young readers who frequently wonder about the basic principles behind the working of modern machines. Discover how an apple provided the idea behind the law of gravity or how birds sparked the idea of inventing airplanes. These, and many more mechanisms have been presented using simple text and self-explanatory illustrations.

UNIQUELY ME STORIES (BOX SET)



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About the Book

'Uniquely Me' Stories is a collection of 8 books offering unique insights into various physical, mental, intellectual or sensory impairments. The series takes you on a transformative literary journey of exploration of disabilities that spans across eight empowering volumes. This groundbreaking series goes beyond the surface, delving deep into the rich tapestry of diverse abilities and experiences, inviting readers to discover the strength, resilience, and untold stories within the world of disabilities. It's not just a series; it's a testament to the power of diversity, the strength of the human spirit, and the bridges we build together towards a more inclusive future.

YOGA FOR CHILDREN



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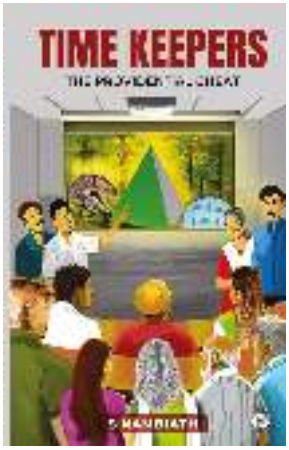
About the Book

All children need an outlet to handle the pressures they face. The modern-day education system and lifestyle place them under a lot of stress. The degree of stress varies from child to child, depending on their age and the environment they are in. Practising yoga is the perfect way to bring harmony to the mind and help children build healthier and happier lives. Yoga for Children features several yoga poses along with step-by-step guidance and detailed instructions for adults to help and guide children. The sequences in this book are categorised specifically to address issues children face in their growing years. Yamini Muthanna, an experienced yoga practitioner and teacher, has put these together based on her observations while interacting with children over the years. Parents and teachers can initiate children into the practice of yoga using this excellent and easy-to-follow guide. Let children choose a routine that appeals to them.

FICTION



TIME KEEPERS: THE PROVIDENTIAL CHEAT



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About the Author

As an engineer by training, the author has a solid understanding of science and technology and, as manager, a good grasp of the human mind, its frailties, motivations, and oddities. He dawdles in astronomy, archaeology, and the unexplained mysteries of the universe. He continues to be fascinated by the classic science fiction of H. G. Wells, Jules Verne, A. Merritt, and Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, as well as modern science fiction authors, especially Isaac Asimov. So, when the author wanted to write, the genre simply had to be science fiction!
This novel weaves in many actual scientific developments, such as the Chicxulub meteor and the sudden extinction of dinosaurs, the Kardashev Scale, Quantum Theory, etc.; a few doubtful rumours, such as the existence of the Chronoscope, as well as novel concepts on how one may Time Travel without botching up different Timelines, Anti-Gravity, Force Fields and more.

About the Book

Whatever had destroyed the dinosaurs was approaching Earth again. Twenty extraordinary people find that they have four years to prevent a catastrophe, but they know that the administration will not believe them, from previous experience. When their 4-year-older timeline connects with them in a bid to prevent the annihilation of Earth in their timeline, they are elated. However, when the older timeline stops responding after a while, they assume that it has succumbed.
Their stumbling journey to prevent the catastrophe takes them to Africa and then the Pacific Islands. However, they are up against a technology that was far more advanced even 66 million years ago. In desperation, they reach out eight generations into their own past, risking their present to tweak a cheat. Does the cheat turn into a providential success, or does humanity go extinct the way the dinosaurs did?

MAD SISTERS OF ESI



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About the Book

Myung and Laleh are keepers of the whale of babel. They roam within its cosmic chambers, speak folktales of themselves, and pray to an enigmatic figure they know only as 'Great Wisa'. To Laleh, this is everything. For Myung, it is not enough.
When Myung flees the whale, she stumbles into a new universe where shapeshifting islands and ancient maps hold sway. There, she sets off on an adventure that is both tragic and transformative, for her and Laleh. For at the heart of her quest lies a mystery that has confounded scholars for generations: the truth about the mad sisters of Esi.
Fables, dreams and myths come together in this masterful work of fantasy by acclaimed author Tashan Mehta, sweeping across three landscapes, and featuring a museum of collective memory and a festival of madness. At its core, it asks: In the devastating chaos of this world, where all is in flux and the truth ever-changing, what will you choose to hold on to?

INSTRUMENTS OF TORTURE



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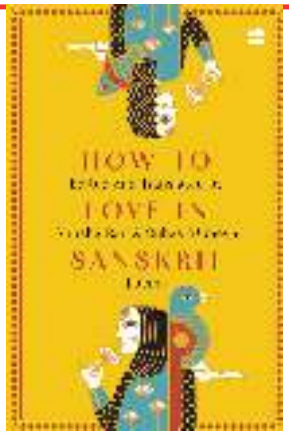
About the Author

Aparna Sanyal holds an MA from Kings College, London. Recipient of the 14th Beullah Rose Poetry Prize by Smartish Pace, she was shortlisted for the 2018 Third Coast Fiction Prize. This book is her first foray into fiction. Her debut book, Circus Folk & Village Freaks, released in October 2018 and was number one on the Amazon India Poetry Bestseller list. It is the first featured poetry recommendation on ‘Sonali's Book Club' and has stellar reviews in The Hindu, The Asian Age, The Indian Express, Midweek, et al. Aparna's publication credits include The Yearbook of Indian Poetry in English 20-21, The Hong Kong Proverse Poetry Prize Anthology 2020, The Penn Review, Smartish Pace, Dunes Review, SOFTBLOW, Vayavya, Typehouse Literary Magazine, et al. Find her work at www.aparnasanyal.in

About the Book

Descend into the deepest, darkest torture chambers of the soul, where rapacious dreams dwell and nightmares are forged. In these pages, the mind's darkness lies revealed.
These stories are each named after a medieval torture device, and the true meaning - and impact - of every title bubbles up to the surface as the connection between the various instruments and their psychological counterparts are laid bare: whether it is an anguished man being drugged with hormones to 'cure' his dwarfism or a forbidden love affair that takes root in a place of worship.
Torn asunder, marginalized, existing at the edges of our peripheral vision, the people in these tales hold up to the reader the greatest instrument of torture yet: a mirror that looks directly into the subconscious.

HOW TO LOVE IN SANSKRIT: POEMS



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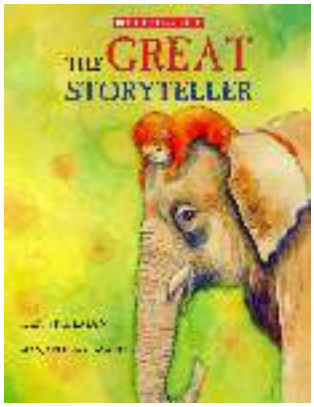
About the Author

Anusha Rao is a scholar of Sanskrit and Indian religion who likes writing new things about very old things. She is currently pursuing a PhD at the University of Toronto, and writes a column in the Deccan Herald presenting witty Sanskrit-flavoured takes on contemporary issues.
Suhas Mahesh is a scholar of Sanskrit and Prakrit with a terrible weakness for good verse, rare manuscripts and arcane grammar. By day, Suhas is a materials physicist with a PhD from the University of Oxford where he was a Rhodes Scholar.

About the Book

Witty, surprising and joyous ... A book to pick up, a book to gift. - ARUNDHATHI SUBRAMANIAM
Beautiful ... A book that will delight the reader. - BIBEK DEBROY
Sanskrit has too often been regarded as the sacred language of the gods, yet it is love that has been the overwhelming obsession of Sanskrit writers for over 3,000 years. How to Love in Sanskrit is an invitation to Sanskrit love poetry, bringing together verses and short prose pieces by celebrated writers like Kalidasa and Banabhatta, Buddhist and Jain monks, scholars, emperors, and even some modern-day poets. How do you brew a love potion? Turn someone crimson with a compliment? How do you make love? How do you quarrel and make up? Nurse a broken heart? And how do you let go? There's something for everyone in this brilliantly translated ancient guide to love for modern readers.

THE GREAT STORYTELLER



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Ken Spillman grew up in Perth and has been a full-time professional writer for most of his adult life. He is the author of 20 books including Blue and Love is a UFO, both acclaimed novels for teenagers. He co-authored Magpie Mischief and Magwheel Mayhem, and is also the author of the forthcoming title Jakeâ€™Ms Gigantic List (for early readers). During 2008, Ken was a keynote speaker at the Asian Childrenâ€™s Writers and illustrators Conference and a guest of the Tasmanian Writers Centre, the Mussoorie International Writersâ€™ Festival, and the Delhi Childrenâ€™s Literature Festival. He was a keynote speaker at a conference on multiliteracies in Singapore earlier this year. Ken has compiled five collections of writing, and the major US reference work Contemporary Authors has compiled a detailed entry on his career.

About the Book

Every Day Maya, Arun And Chi Gather Near The Tree Of Life With Other Orest Creatures To Listen To The Great Storyteller. One Day, The Great Storyteller Becomes Ill Ad The Stories Stop. Sadness Descends On The Forest And Everything Seems Dull Until The Animals Decide To Fill Their World With Imaginings. A Gentle, Charming Tale Of Loss, Recovery And The Restorative Power Of Creativity.

PUU..



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C G Salamander worked as a tour guide in Chennai to support his career as a writer. He sold his first story in 2014, and has been writing comic, children's books, and short stories ever since. Salamander has also worked as a journalist, an editor, and briefly moonlighted as a snarky and thoroughly unpleasant story teller. But is happy to put all of that behind him, and work full time as a writer. Salamander's books, comics, and stories have been published by numerous publishers, with his emergent reader picture books selling over 30,000 copies. His cumulative children's book sales in the English language stand at around 90,000 copies, and his comics have been anthologised and serialised many times. Salamander loves cows, manga and Terry Pratchett, and splits his time between Chennai and the Netherlands.

About the Book

Puu is a heart-warming tale about a little girl who faces discrimination at her school because of her parents' occupation. An important book to help sensitize your child towards children from economically weaker sections of society.

SCHOLASTIC EARLY SCIENCE 2 IN 1 MONKEY & MOUSE



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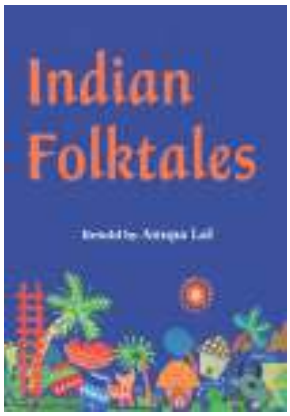
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About the Book

The books in the Scholastic Early Science series tell simple and delightful stories with illustrations by some of India's best illustrators. The stories are complemented by little snippets of information that teach children about various things on the topic covered in the book. Get to know about the animal habitats and what they eat in this lovely picture book. It contains 2 stories: Little Monkey Gets Lost and Mouse Sees the World! Little monkey is roaming about in the jungle because he is lost. While looking for his home, he meets a number of animals. This book teaches your children where different animals, birds and insects live and what their homes are made of. An adventurous mouse sets out to discover the world. On the way, he meets a frog, a butterfly and many other creatures. But none of them will go with him, because they are busy searching for food. This delightfully illustrated book teaches children what different animals, birds and insects eat and how they go about finding their food.

INDIAN FOLKTALES



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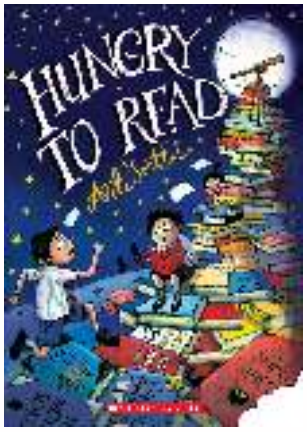
About the Author

Anupa Lals storytelling mesmerizes children. She has written over 20 books including picture books, collections of poems, mythology, folk tales and translations. Some of her works include Birbal Ek Chatur Darbari, AkbarAur Birbal Ki Kahaniyaan, Sheikh Chilli Ki Kahaniyaan, TheComic Capers Of Sheikh Chilli.

About the Book

In India wondrous things always happen: A gusty princess imperils her life so she can rescue her brothers from the land of the magic bird. A clever zamindar's wife sets a demon an impossible task. A brave landowner's wife single-handedly outsmarts a gang of dacoits. In this enchanting collection of India's timeless folk tales retold by bestselling author Anupa Lal, dauntless women catch thieves, argue with high-handed kings, outwit presumptuous rats and deal with dangerous demons. A Children's Bookshelf Selection: Each month our editor's pick the best books for children and young adults by age to be a part of the children's bookshelf. These are editorial recommendations made by our team of experts. Our monthly reading list includes a mix of bestsellers and top new releases and evergreen books that will help enhance a child's reading life.

HUNGRY TO READ



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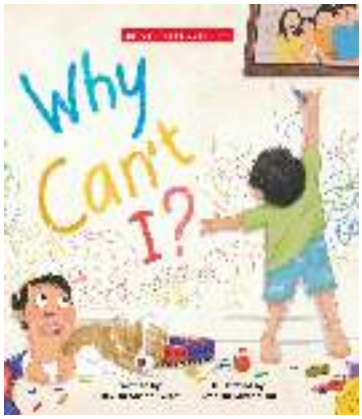
About the Author

Arti Sonthalia was born in India. Her education was done from a wonderful boarding school in the mountains in Mussoorie, India. She studied jewellery designing and won the "All India Vision 2001" Award for her design in diamond and gold. But her childhood passion of writing took her back to books. To make her dreams come true she studied creative writing from Oxford University London and London School of Journalism. We can read her short stories in Chicken Soup for the Souls. Her first book for children "Big Bully And M-me" has been appreciated and highly recommended. Big Bully And M-me has been one of the three books chosen for the "Crystal Kite Award Asia" 2016 category.

About the Book

** Perfect for independent reading for ages 7+ ** Arjun loves Maths but hates reading! But when his teacher announces a reading competition with a night stay in school and a telescope view of the solar system for the winning class, he is eager to go for it. But Arjun's chances for the night stay look bleak. He is in the 'Snail' group of readers. His mother doesn't like the idea of Arjun staying away from home. And Annika, the rival reader from the other section, is devouring books at break-neck speed. Arjun is desperate. What can he do? Can his class win? Hungry for more? Gobble up this book and join Arjun and his friends to find out!

WHY CAN'T I?



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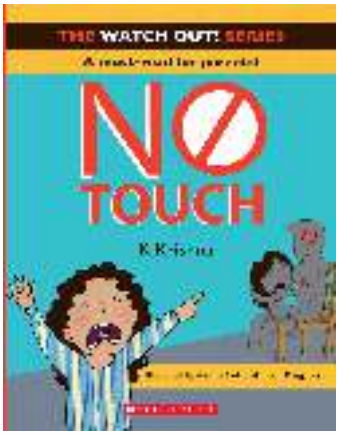
About the Author

Over the 16-years with NDTV, Devika has worn several hats - as a reporter, a live news anchor, an input editor and finally as VP-Programming for NDTV Good Times. Devika has hosted live news and infotainment shows like Good Morning India and The Single Female Traveller and as a producer, Scope for Improvement and The Spectacular Spas of the World are some of the shows to her credit. Devika currently lives in New Delhi, with her husband, two kids and dog - all 4 being her constant muse who help her pursue her love for writing fun children's books. She occasionally blogs, runs children's storytelling workshops, and hosts lifestyle shows.

About the Book

Why do I have to wear socks with my shoes? What smell? C'mon, I can't tell!' Meet six- year-old Yash who often wonders why he can't do the things he wants. What's wrong with jumping on Mama's newly upholstered sofa? Why do his feet need to be clean? Why does he have to eat spinach and beans? His Mama is definitely mean! 'Why Can't I?' is peppered with humour and captures a child's curiosity and innocence. This roller coaster ride of 'whats' and 'whys' will resonate with parents and children, alike.

WATCH OUT! NO TOUCH



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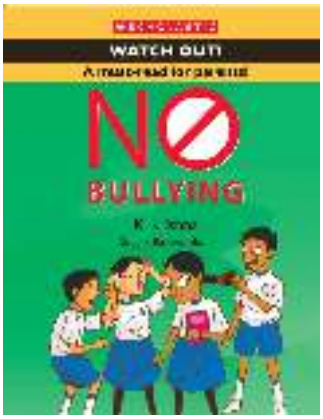
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About the Book

We all want our children to be safe and happy-but sometimes that means we as parents, counsellors and teachers have to talk to them about uncomfortable things.
To help parents talk to their kids about these tricky topics, the WATCH OUT! series was born.
NO TOUCH helps parents open conversations about good touch and bad touch with their kids. Make the effort. Protect your child!

WATCH OUT! NO BULLYING



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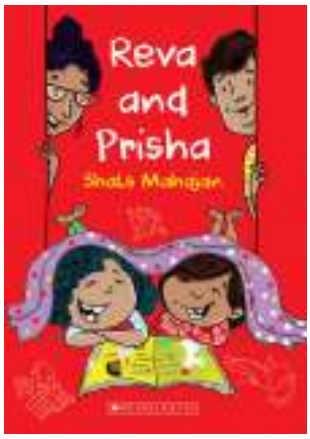
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About the Book

We all want our children to be safe and happy but sometimes that means we as parents, counsellors and teachers have to talk to them about uncomfortable things. In an effort to help parents talk to their kids about these tricky topics, the Watch out! series was born. No Bullying helps parents open conversations about bullying with their kids. Make the effort. Protect your child.

REVA AND PRISHA



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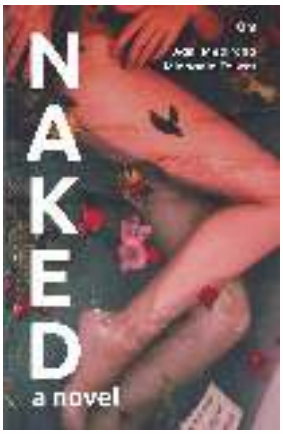
About the Author

Shals Mahajan is a writer and queer feminist who lives in Bombay. They have been part of LABIA - Queer Feminist LBT Collective for the past two decades. Shams has worked on issues of gender, sexuality, caste and communalism as trainer, teacher and activist. They have studied literature and have conducted workshops on writing with university students, with people working in NGOs, with women returning to literacy, and queer persons.

About the Book

The book subverts traditional norms with an alternate family structure of two mothers and their two kids, and they are both Hindu and Muslim Focuses on themes of kindness, empathy, sibling love, family, compassion and appreciating nature and the world around us. Come and hang out with the Sahils-twins Reva and Prisha, and their mothers, Runu and Pritam-as they jump from dreams to food to school to walks, and discover the world together, with joy, fun and friendship. Divided in individual chapters, with each chapter being a different adventure, this book is easy-to-read and fun for all!

NAKED: A NOVEL



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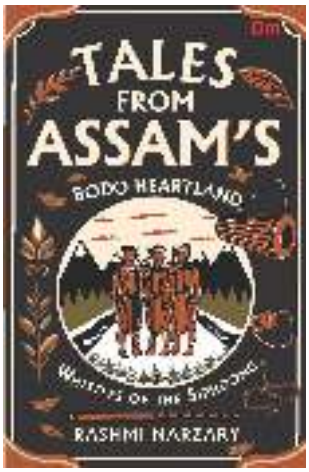
About the Author

Aditi Mediratta started her writing career as a crime reporter for the India Today daily, Today. She has worked as an associate writer for films like Once Upon a Time in Mumbai, The Dirty Picture, Once Upon a Time in Mumbai 2, Azhar, etc. She has also co-authored a book, The Stranger in Me (2019).
Michaela Talwar is the co-founder and creative director at Harkat Studios. She also leads the creation of marketing video content for various film studios and OTT platforms like Netflix and Amazon, and has also co-produced several short films.

About the Book

A woman's naked body washes up on the beach in Versova, Mumbai. It is Chinky, a new-age spiritual star with millions of followers on YouTube. Police officer Gaikwad, with his assistant Sahil, calls in the three people who were closest to the deceased. Over the course of one night at the police station, as they relive their relationship with Chinky, we are introduced to an array of characters. What emerges is a portrait of a woman who is impossible to define or understand. Much like the city of Mumbai, the crucible that shapes each one of them, alluring and elusive, and unforgettable for anyone who has known either the city or Chinky.

WHISTLES OF SIPHOONG: TALES FROM ASSAM'S BODO HEARTLAND



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About the Author

Rashmi Narzary is a dog lover at heart, an author by passion and an independent editor by profession. Awarded the Sahitya Akademi for Children's Literature in 2016 for her collection of short stories, His Share of Sky, creative storytelling and reimagination of folklore and legends are her forte. Literarily, socially and academically acclaimed, her debut novel, BLOODSTONE, Legend of the Last Engraving, is one such historical fiction woven around the legends of the Kamakhya Temple. Her latest novel, An Unfinished Search, is a historical fiction portraying the rootlessness and loss of identity that war and partition of nations cause. Narzary's work is being taught in universities and researched for doctoral thesis and has been translated into other Indian and foreign languages. Her growing up years in Shillong, where she started her education in Pine Mount School, left an indelible, endearing mark on her bond with the hills and nature. Little wonder then that abundance of nature rules her otherwise simple, easy narrative style. Her driving passion for storytelling made her degree in Economics and post graduation in Human Resource Management take a backseat. She lives in Guwahati with her husband, a former IAS officer, in a home that abounds with pets and large flocks of visiting birds. Whistles of the Siphoong is Rashmi Narzary's seventh book.

About the Book

Old Ojhai has never loved anyone or anything more than his siphoong, the flute. Sometimes Ojhai's siphoong overpowers scary spirits and sometimes it brings Heaven's deity down to earth. It cajoles the skies to rain and it woos fire. It captivates reptiles just as its gentle lullaby soothes an unborn baby. It even helps an innocent youth see his dying mother and escape the clutches of the army. Spirits and humans, serpents and skies, fire and fireflies all surrender to the magic of Ojhai's music. It is the miraculous melody from his siphoong that weaves through the fabric of lore, legend and culture of the Bodos of Assam in Narzary's Whistles of the Siphoong. The eight tales in this collection move through the real and fantastical to bring alive the threads of joy, compassion and care that connect humans to nature and tradition, to stories and music and, above all, to each other.

TINKLE GOLD COLLECTOR'S EDITION #3



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Gayathri Chandrasekaran is Editor-in-Chief of Tinkle. She loves stories and can be found reading, writing and telling stories of all kinds. She also loves arranging cupboards (she claims it calms her down), collecting whimsical objects and travelling. Her best travels have been to wildlife reserves looking at all manner of flora and fauna. Gayathri lives in Mumbai with her husband, son and their cats, Butterscotch and Vanilla.

About the Book

Tinkle Gold is a very special collection of stories that showcases the best of Tinkle. Most stories in this collection are appearing in print for the first time and you'll find the latest stories of all our Toons. Tinkle Gold 3 is another run ride with the Tinkle Toons on their many adventures! Join the NOISians as they mend friendships and explore the secret tunnels. Shambu and Shanti continue their world tour and meet amazing animals. Shambu also bravely {ahem} saves the day. The Defective Detectives catch criminals, solve unimaginable mysteries and create havoc as they protect human race from destruction! Starlition fight robbers, but something sinister is underway. Tantri has some killer plans. Will they finally work? Read to find out! Suppandi showcases his splendid logic. Joining this ride are the awesome foursome Halbe sisters, Ina, Mina, Mynah, Mo, the super SuperWeirdos with some super villains and the mystical YogYodhas. Put on your seatbelts and get ready to laugh, cry, shout and enjoy!

NON - FICTION



BABY STEPS TO BIG DREAMS : ESSENTIAL CONVERSATIONS FOR MODERN PARENTS



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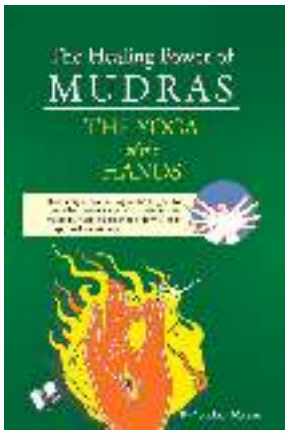
About the Author

A pioneering visionary, edupreneur Dr. Manjula Pooja Shroff, MD & CEO of the Kalorex group, is a name synonymous with education in India. She has influenced the lives of more than 65,000 students over the past decades. Driven by a passion for excellence, she has dedicated her entire life to the empowerment of students and the advancement of education. She is an Executive Alumni from Indian Institute of Management (IIM) & London School of Economics (LSE). A regular columnist, vlogger & life coach, she has been honored with several awards.

About the Book

Did you know, accurate reasoning and logical conversations work wonders for the psychological development of children? The art of parenting requires patience, a little bit of jockeying, tactfulness, switching between roles and many more skills that vary based on the unique qualities and characteristics of each child. By engaging in meaningful and open dialogues with children, parents provide a nurturing environment that promotes growth, learning, and emotional well-being. This book on parenting conversations is intended to act as a reference tool for parents, to make them better equipped to navigate the developmental years of their children from birth to teenage years. The hope and aim is to endow you with processes and methods to achieve what we all strive to do - protect our children's childhood and help them grow into confident and mature young adults with self-esteem.

THE HEALING POWER OF MUDRAS



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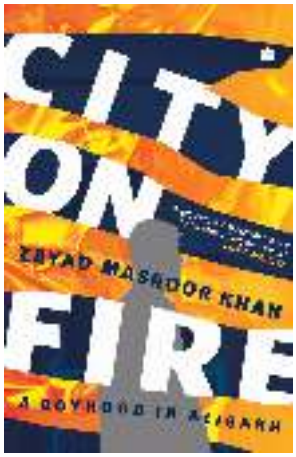
About the Author

Rajendra Menen is an award-winning journalist who has written over 2,000 articles in more than 30 journals for five countries. He has launched and edited magazines, co-authored three books on AIDS and prostitution in South Asia and freelanced for the BBC, UNFPA, Irish Education Society, France and a number of other international media organisations. The author has also written books on Magneto-Therapy and Music Therapy.

About the Book

This book details several beneficial Mudras, and provides a holistic view of physical and spiritual healing. The right colours, foods, thoughts and ambience combined with regular Mudra-practice will make for a new and healthy you!

CITY ON FIRE: A BOYHOOD IN ALIGARH



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About the Author

Zeyad Masroor Khan is a journalist, writer and documentary film-maker based in New Delhi. In his decade-long journalistic career, he has worked with national and international media companies like Reuters, Vice, Brut and Deccan Herald. A South Asia Speaks fellow, he primarily writes on politics, marginalized communities, crime and culture. Three of his documentaries have been screened at international film festivals. City on Fire: A Boyhood in Aligarh is his first book.

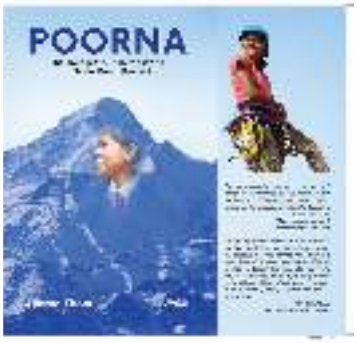
About the Book

Zeyad Masroor Khan was four years old when he realized that an innocent act of clicking a switch near a window overlooking the street could trigger a riot. As the distant thud of a crowd grew closer and calls for murder rent the air, he got his first taste of growing up in Upar Kot, a Muslim ghetto in Aligarh. Khan's world was far-removed from the Aligarh of popular imagination-of poets, tehzeeb and the intellectual corridors of the Aligarh Muslim University. His was a city where serpentine lanes simmered with violence, homes fervently prayed to dispel the omnipresent fear of a family member turning up dead, and the soft breeze that blew over crowded terraces carried rumours of a bloodthirsty mob on the prowl.

In his coming-of-age memoir, Khan writes, with searing honesty and raw power, about the undercurrents of religious violence and the ensuing 'othering' that followed him everywhere he went: from his schooldays in Aligarh, when hopping over to the lending library to the 'Hindu' part of town to find his favourite comic book or lighting candles with neighbours on Diwali was fraught with tension; through his years as a college student in Delhi, where being denied apartments because of his name was the norm; to ultimately becoming a journalist documenting history of his country as it happened.

City on Fire is a rare, visceral portrait of how everyday violence and hate become a part of our lives and consciousness; a society where name and clothes mark out a person as the 'other'. It is as much an incisive examination of religion and violence, imagined histories and fractured realities, grief and love in today's India, as it is a paean to the hope of continued unity, to an idea of India.

POORNA- THE YOUNGEST GIRL IN THE WORLD TO SCALE MOUNT EVEREST



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About the Author

Aparna Thota is a postgraduate in Social Work, a writer and a poet, Urban lifestyles, struggles of marginalized people and the nuances of everyday life find expression in her works. Through her characters, she sifts through the layers of human emotions and the driving forces within and around. In her stories she unconditionally supports women and their choices to grow beyond the boundaries prescribed for them.
Poorna is her first biographical work as a novelist. She has embraced the story of Poorna as her own This book is an expression of her love to all those girls who refuse to compromise on what they are offered and relentlessly fight their way through oppression and discrimination.
Every success story of a person is an inspiration and a hope for the rest of society. Poorna might not have been aware of her place in the social hierarchy when she started her humble journey from a remote hamlet. Her conquest of Mount Everest, is a gigantic leap in the history of silenced sections of our country.'

About the Book

Poorna Malavath's courage and determination is unparalleled and so inspiring, giving hope to millions of marginalised girls to aspire for the impossible and make it possible

Dr. Shantha Sinha
Magasasay Awardee & recipient of Padma Shri

The life of Poorna Malavath is an astonishing tale - both inspiring and sobering. Inspiring because it shows despite being born into every kind of disadvantage you can think of a citizen in today's India can still rise to the very top. Sobering because for every Poorna there still are millions of us trapped in a quagmire of income, caste, religious and gender discrimination.

Mr. Rahul Bose
Cine Director & Social Activist

GIRL POWER (SPECIAL EDITION)



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About the Author

Neha J Hiranandani writes about current urban issues from a current urban perspective. Her columns have appeared in Indian Express, Huffington Post, NDTV and Vogue amongst others. No holds-barred, no nonsense, no affiliations - she will say it like you think it.
She started off her career with UNICEF where she worked with government and civil society to positively influence education policy for Indian schools.
She is a global nomad who has lived in several countries across the world and she currently commutes between Mumbai and Dubai. Many of her beliefs were shaped by her life as a student at Wellesley College and Harvard University.

About the Book

The book will help children to learn about women's empowerment and how they made difference in the society. Awesome Women, Awe-inspiring Stories, One defining moment, Entrepreneurs, athletes, queens, and many more. Trace the journeys of these Indian women and their extraordinary lives.

KINDNESS WITH MAHAVIRA



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About the Author

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About the Book

So, said he, "Be kind to all! Humungous or little or really, really small!" The Indian saint, Mahavira, believed that all living beings have a soul. And, that each soul is of equal value, be it an elephant, an ant or a person. He encourages us to be kind to all. This board book, Kindness With Mahavira will enable children to explore numerous ways of being kind to humans, to animals and to their own selves. The Series, Learning TO BE is a creative way to introduce your little ones to big values in an engaging manner. Written in simple text and magical verse, this series is perfect to read aloud to toddlers (2-4 year olds) and excellent for beginning readers (4-8 year olds). Look for other titles in this series : Service with Guru Nanak and Peace with Buddha.

PEACE WITH BUDDHA



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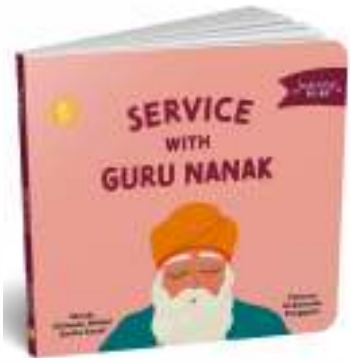
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About the Book

"What happens when our wish comes true, and we receive our doll? We play with it but soon enough, we wish for a shiny ball!" Buddha did not want people to suffer. He reminds us that desire leads to suffering. He encouraged us to think of the path to peace as lying within ourselves. This board book, Peace With Buddha will help children recognize the values of wanting less, finding peace and connecting with their inner selves. The Series, Learning TO BE is a creative way to introduce your little ones to big values in an engaging manner. Written in simple text and magical verse, this series is perfect to read aloud to toddlers (2-4 year olds) and excellent for beginning readers (4-8 year olds). Look for other titles in this series: Kindness with Mahavira and Service with Guru Nanak.

SERVICE WITH GURU NANAK



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About the Book

When the school bell rings, and it's time for home, can you spare a minute or two? The teacher is tired from her long, busy day, can you say, "I'd like to help you." The Indian saint, Guru Nanak, believed that God lives in each and everything. He reminds us to remember that each time we serve, we are serving God. He encourages us to make service a part of our daily lives. This board book, Service With Guru Nanak will enable children to explore the many ways in which they can serve friends, family and the environment in their everyday lives. The Series, Leaming TO BE is a creative way to introduce your little ones to big values in an engaging manner. Written in simple text and magical verse, this series is perfect to read aloud to toddlers (2-4 year olds) and excellent for beginning readers (4-8 year olds). Look for other titles in this series: Kindness with Mahavira and Peace with Buddha.

MY FIRST HANUMAN CHALISA - SPECIAL EDITION



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About the Book

The Hanuman Chalisa is a prayer that countless Hindus chant all over the world. Written over four hundred years ago by the celebrated poet Tulsidas, it has remained popular with adults and children alike. Now, you can bring home a translation that shines a light on what these much beloved words mean and the stories behind them. My first Hanuman Chalisa is a simple translation of the original Awadhi prayer that has been crafted especially for young readers. The accessible language and accompanying word meanings are meant to ensure that anyone can read and understand the Hanuman Chalisa. The book includes a QR code to an audio recording of the original verses being sung. Our new special edition includes all of the features that made My first Hanuman Chalisa a bestseller as well as: an updated and revised text; several gorgeous new illustrations that depict Hanuman's life, adventures and the values he stands for; and four colouring sheets for your child to enjoy.

COMMIT TO YOURSELF: BREAK FREE



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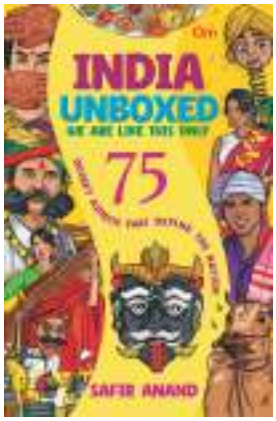
About the Author

Nancy Katyal is a leading voice in the corporate circle as an internationally certified executive presence coach and leadership development consultant with close to two decades of experience. She is also a visiting professor in top B-schools like the IIMs and MIT University. Her clients include Fortune 500 companies, startups, luxury brands, leading corporates, celebrities, top B-schools and organisations like FICCI, CII to name a few. Nancy is president of Leadership & Mentoring Council, Maharashtra, at Women's Indian Chamber of Commerce and Industry (WICCI).Nancy has been featured in leading national newspapers like the Indian Express, Pune Times, the Times of India, and she has been aired on radio channels too. She has many awards to her credit like the Lokmat Sakhi Sanman Award for contribution in the education sector, Limca Book of Records—National Record, Guinness World Records and fifty-one most influential women award by Brij Bhumi Foundation.

About the Book

Life is a circus and you are doing a tough balancing act all the time. The only way to be what you want, do what you want, have what you want is to change—change your mindset, your attitude, your actions. If only change was that easy... Commit to Yourself makes embracing change a cakewalk, not a tightrope one. It offers no dense philosophy, no gyaan. It lays out simple but time-tested ways based on pioneering studies in behavioural science and the author's many years of experience in mentoring thousands of people from all walks of life to change yourself first because all changes—personal or professional— you desire to bring in your life depend on it.The author explains why your current approach of handling things does not work, makes you understand and overcome your biases and thus create the much-needed mental shift to get you out of your comfort zone. Committing to yourself is not a selfish act, it takes courage. The author helps you take the first step in that direction by breaking free from what no longer serves you—toxic relationships, and self-destructive thinking and habits. She shows you how to live by your core values; discusses strategies to beat odds, handle regrets and failures; build your muscle of courage and find your authentic self. The various self-reflective exercises in the book help you to accept yourself, love yourself and improve yourself, not just your self-image.

INDIA UNBOXED: 75 QUIRKY ASPECTS THAT DEFINE THE NATION



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About the Book

What does Emperor Bahadur Shah Zafar have to do with the origin of our much-loved chaat? • Did you know that laddus were first used for medicinal purposes? • What is the Indian garment used as a towel, scarf, bandana, suraksha kavach and cushion seat, and endorsed by Queen Sofía of Spain and Antonio Banderas? In a society with many fault lines, this book celebrates our glorious past, our quirks and our deep-rooted cultural traditions that unite and define us. While there are many things that divide our country of more than a billion people, our love for baarish, Bollywood and boondi laddus binds us together. Or is it chaat, chai pe charcha and champi? India Unboxed is a salute to our diversity, our unsung heroes and our unapologetic desi way of living. Aspects that will warm your heart, baffle you or simply make you laugh! This stunning illustrated edition written in an engaging style is a heartfelt tribute to an ancient civilization but a nation young at heart. A country on the cusp of becoming a vishwa guru that still epitomizes why “we are like this only”.

SATYAJIT RAY: THE MAN WHO KNEW TOO MUCH



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About the Author

Barun Chanda is an Indian Bengali advertising professional, actor and author based in the city of Kolkata. He is mostly remembered for his role in Satyajit Ray's Seemabaddha. Chanda was born in Dhaka in present day Bangladesh, but came to Kolkata at an early age to pursue his higher education. After Seemabaddha, he did not appear in any films for over twenty years. In 1992, he returned to films in Rituparno Ghosh's debut film Hirer Angti. Next, he acted in Kalo Cheetah (2004). Since then he has acted in several movies like Tolly Lights, Antaheen and Laptop. Most recently, he played the role of the landlord father of Sonakshi Sinha in the Hindi film Lootera. Chanda is also a writer and has written several books like Coke, a Bengali thriller. --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

About the Book

Satyajit Ray's Seemabaddha (1971), a stinging indictment of the corporate rat race, remains one of the iconic film-maker's most feted works. It starred debutant Barun Chanda, who won a special prize for his performance. Now, fifty years later, Barun Chanda documents his memorable experience of working with Ray. Satyajit Ray: The Man Who Knew Too Much is more than just an account of the making of a film. The author also presents a detailed and informative study of the various avatars of Ray as a film-maker: his sense of script and ear for dialogue, his instinctive grasp of the nuances of music, his penchant for casting non-actors and ability to get the perfect face for a role, his genius in designing a film's title sequence. Insightful and informed by a rare understanding of the master's works, this is an invaluable addition to the corpus of work on Satyajit Ray.

THE 8-H PRINCIPLE: FOR SUCCESS AT WORK AND LIFE



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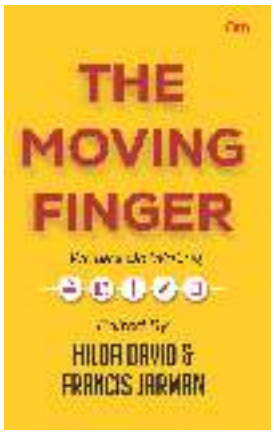
About the Author

Kaushik Ghosh, a wanderer at heart, is a maestro orchestrating the symphony of life, blending eloquence, passion and the insatiable desire to explore the uncharted realms of human experience. A confluence of roles adorns Kaushik—a traveller who aims to travel all the countries around the world, an orator, a lifestyle coach, a presenter, a radio jockey, a passionate photographer.

About the Book

There is no single measure of success, and certainly no single answer for how to be successful.Yet by observing the lives of luminaries, we can learn a few strategies to stay ahead in the game. In The 8-H Principle, business tycoon and popular radio jockey Kaushik Ghosh dives deep into the eight principles—honesty, hard work, hobby, holiday, health, humility, humanity, hope—that can help us lead a fulfilling life. Through various case studies the author shares a few learnings: how beyond being a moral imperative, honesty is a practical necessity for success in life; how hard work is not just a tool to further our career but has a deep spiritual dimension to it; how hobbies add purpose to our lives; how cultivating inner peace is not only crucial for our fulfilment, but also benefits others; how prioritizing mental, social, spiritual health along with physical health can truly keep us healthy; how by acknowledging our limitations, we open doors to self-growth; how being humane is the foremost aspect of living a meaningful life; how hope without action is merely wishful thinking. The book underscores the significance of integrating persistence, empathy, self-care and creativity into our lives because only then we can cultivate true human connections and leave a positive impact on the world.

THE MOVING FINGER: WRITERS ON WRITING



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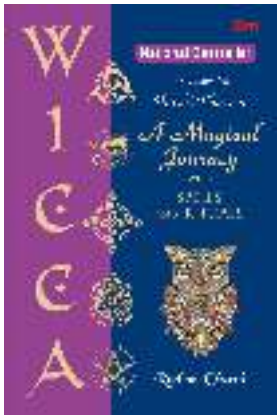
About the Editor

Hilda David is a novelist, stage director, and teacher. Until retirement, she was a professor of English at the Symbiosis College of Arts and Commerce in Pune, and coordinator of the Centre for Liberal Arts, where she taught Advanced Creative Writing, Literature and the Supernatural, and Crime, Law, and Literature. Dr David has been a consultant to the Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, coordinated and organised the Ibsen Festivals in Pune and Delhi, and was chosen by the English Speaking Union to represent India at the Shakespeare Workshop in London in 2008. Her works have been translated into Hindi, Urdu, and Kannada. She is the co- editor, with Francis Jarman, of India Diversity (Om, 2017) and Text Wars (Oxford, 2021).
Francis Jarman is a novelist, playwright, and critic. Until retirement, he taught English, comparative cultural studies, and intercultural communication at Hildesheim University, Germany. He has also taught or lectured at more than twenty other universities, in Europe, Asia, and Africa, including being a scholar in residence at Symbiosis, Pune, and a visiting professor at American College, Madurai. Dr Jarman is the co-editor, with Hilda David, of India Diversity (Om, 2017) and Text Wars (Oxford, 2021). His novels, published by Wildside in the US, include the Lemnos science fiction trilogy (2011–16); the historical fantasy series The Gardens of the West (2015–ongoing), and the campus thriller Cold from Your Breath (2019).

About the Book

If like Shashi Deshpande you have wondered about the why, how and what you want to write, here's a collection of essays that attempts to demystify "that peculiar activity called writing". With great personal honesty, Indian and international novelists, poets, dramatists, scriptwriters, humorists, columnists and translators, whether renowned award-winners, experienced professionals, or rising stars of the literary scene, contribute useful (and often surprising) insights into their respective genres. Be it writing about sex, or writing noir, writing about food or for the screen, writing about psychopaths or fantasy fiction or for children, let those who have been through the agony and the ecstasy, the delights and the pitfalls, guide you. Though there is no one way of writing—a vocation individualistic and idiosyncratic like no other—and each writer will have to find his or her own way, the twenty-six essays in this anthology will provide a roadmap on navigating what Martin Amis describes as a "deeply mysterious process".

WICCA : A MAGICAL JOURNEY WITH SPELLS AND RITUALS



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About the Book

Wicca, a modern-day practice, is one of the fastest-growing belief systems in the Western world, which is now catching up in the East as well. However, there are a lot of misgivings that people have about it. Based on the experiences of the author, Rashme, Wicca:A Magical Journey with Spells and Rituals takes you through the practices she has perfected over a period of time.While providing a succinct introduction to the subject, it also creates an awareness about the world of the Wiccan that will help dispel the myth of a witch being 'evil' and make people realize that the modern-day witch is engaged in working for the highest good. As much a well-written manual on Wicca as it is a chronicle of a wondrous journey, the book will not only make you discover the hidden Wiccan in you, it will also be an appropriate guiding tool.

YOU GOT THIS: ART OF LOVING YOURSELF



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About the Book

Do you want to take your life to the next level? Do you think that you are spending too much time worrying about things that are not in your control? Have you wondered what it means to be truly happy? Do you often find yourself worrying what other people think about you? Unfortunately, many of us live our lives without any purpose. Having a goal gives your life meaning. That being said, taking control of your life is anything but easy. But if you receive proper guidance, the journey towards living a more fulfilling life becomes more manageable. To live a contented life requires having a high degree of self-awareness, self-love and discipline. If you are feeling overwhelmed and wondering where to start your self-improvement journey, do not worry. This book provides tips, strategies and techniques that will guide you to live a life full of purpose and contentment. You will not only learn how to manage stress, but also identify the signs of downward spirals that you may encounter in the future, so as to take timely corrective action. You Got This! is the go-to manual to enable you to love the most important entity in your life: you.

HANUMAN CHALISA PREMIUM EDITION



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About the Author

This is a collection of famous hymns Shri Hanuman and Shri Ram, compiled by Rajesh Kumar, Proprietor, Palm Leaf Innovations.

About the Book

Over 2000 years, palm leaves served as a writing medium in India. This practice waned with the advancement of printing technology, as paper emerged as the more convenient medium for writing and printing. The Hanuman Chalisa stands as a renowned hymn dedicated to Shri Hanuman. Palm Leaf Innovations presents this sacred scripture alongside other revered hymns of Shri Hanuman and Shri Ram in the form of ancient palm leaf manuscripts. The tale of Hanumanji comes to life through captivating illustrations reminiscent of old palm leaf art. Each page of this rare edition is meticulously crafted to resemble dried palm leaves, enhancing its authenticity. In recognition of its excellence, this book was honored as the Book of the Year in 2022.

ILLUSTRATED BOOKS/ GRAPHIC NOVELS



A CAT, TREE AND A BIRD IN A BOOK



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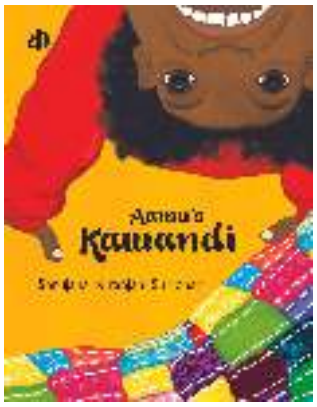
About the Author

Shilpi Sarkar is an Editor at Katha, and enjoys her work. She loves reading, writing, walking, meditating, and petting furry and friendly animals. Shilpi has been fortunate enough to know and love two adorable cats - Barty and Max. Barty has passed on, and Max, resides in India. After completing her doctorate from Purdue University, she now lives in Delhi. She is grateful for the greenery and the skies but sometimes pretends that she lives by the sea or amidst green hills where she enjoys year-round pleasant weather.

About the Book

Two furry friends find a book with pictures and a poem. Read along with them, take delight in the lovely pictures, and find out what our furry friends discover. This book is for our very young readers but grown-ups too will enjoy the whimsy and the vibrant and the evocative illustrations while reading along with youngsters.

AAMU'S KAWANDI



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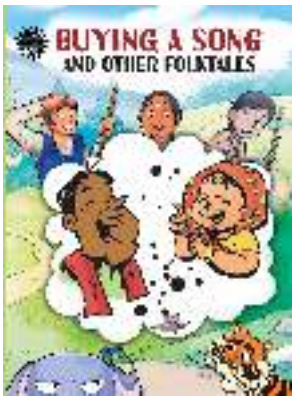
About the Author

Shrujana Niranjani Shridhar is an illustrator based in Mumbai. She graduated from Srishti School of Art, Design and Technology, Bangalore. She is very intrigued by people and communities, and wrote and illustrated this book as an attempt to know more about the Siddi tribe.

About the Book

Aamu is a little Siddi girl from Karnataka who loves to collect interesting stories from around her village. She has stitched them together to make her own kind of quilt. Do you want to see it? This book was shortlisted for the Hindu Young World Good Books Award, 2015.

BUYING A SONG AND OTHER FOLKTALES



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Buying a Song has 26 stories that have been scripted by 10 comic writers. The illustrations have been done by 15 comic artists. The art styles have been adapted to the stories, which come from different parts of India. The writers have ensured that the lives of the people, to whom the stories belong, are correctly represented, thereby giving the reader a glimpse into the cultures each tale represents.

About the Book

Buying a Song is a delightful collection of folktales and fables from different regions of India. The stories are rooted in the essence and the culture of each region. In a folktale from the Himalayan region of Lahaul-Spiti, a young boy discovers a stone lion that can talk. In a tale from Gujarat, compassion and simplicity bring great rewards to a carpenter and a donkey. In a story from Rajasthan, a young girl manages to fool a marauding monster and save her village. Written with humour and a sense of adventure, Buying a Song is the ideal book to introduce children to the wonder and diversity of India.

LITERARY / RESEARCH WORK, INCLUDING POETRY, SHORT STORY, NOVELLA



BALACHANDRANMARUDE MARANAM



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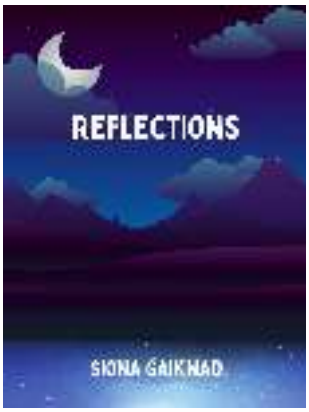
About the Author

Aryad Balachandran is a famous Malayalam short story writer from the 1990s and his literary works published widely in Malayalam periodicals. He started his life as a freelance journalist after graduation and subsequently joined the government paramilitary service. Since his nature of duty was not permitted to any kind of press publications, he stopped his literary for more than a decade. As a safety and security subject matter expert by profession and motivational speaker, he is engaged in many humanitarian works and staying in Chennai, India.

About the Book

This is a collection of short stories from the writer's three decades of literary life. Exotic stories touch the hearts of readers by conveying strong feelings through the psychological outlook of people who lived in the 1990s. Emotions are enclosed in every word in these stories about the common life of the southern state of India named Kerala, narrated vividly. These stories always have a magical twist in the end but leave a big question in the minds of readers. An enthralling experience of excellent storytelling within limited words and unlimited meanings.

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About the Author

Siona is a very creative, sensitive and delightful, 11 year girl from Pune, Maharashtra, India. An Avid reader, she picked up love for writing too and she makes her mark through her intriguing, imaginative and mature writing. She is aware of the talents the Almighty has bestowed on her, and tries to do justice to them through her writing, art, singing and the meaningful conversations she has with people around her. She loves travelling as it inspires her to write and also teaches her aspects of life that she wishes to continue expressing through her writing.

About the Book

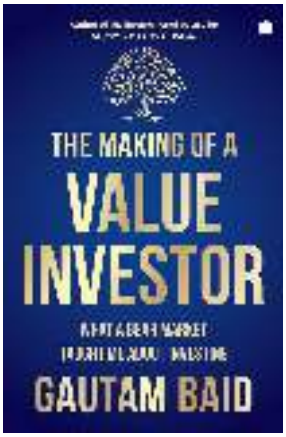
With profound topics like Emotions, Failure and Miracles, 11-year-old Siona has weaved her words beautifully to create a magical collection of poetry. This collection of poems is a sneak peek into the world of the present generation girl, through her lens of creative understanding of people around her, the beautiful nature, the relationships in her life and the presence of God.



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POEMS
FANTASY
science fiction
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About the Book

The Making of a Value Investor follows Gautam Baid's development as an investor during a brutal bear market, when he recorded his reflections, observations and learnings in his investment journal in the face of an increasingly uncertain future. This book charts the mistakes and successes in the battle for investment survival during one of the most tumultuous market phases in history.
Through time travel-like storytelling, Baid skilfully captures his collective experiences of that period, allowing readers to truly connect with his evolving worldview. The entries from his journal presented in a chronological manner, with added retrospective commentary, are a treasure trove of everlasting investment principles. The result is a book that provides you invaluable lessons on navigating financial markets and building resilience.

WAYEL KATI / THE QUEST OF THE SEVEN GUARDIANS



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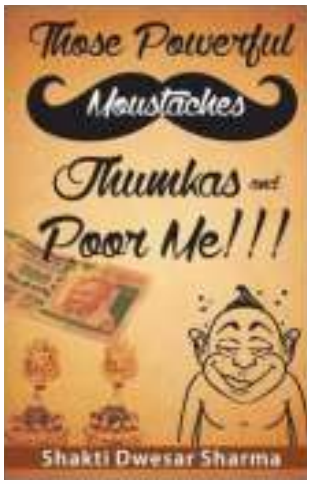
About the Author

Linthoi Chanu (Potsangbam Linthoingambi Chanu) is a writer from Manipur. Her central area of interest includes Manipuri folklore, legends and mythologies, of which she has with experimented modern retellings for the new generation through various media platforms. Most of her works are conceived by memory, identity and imagination coming together to bring out the richness of a culture and art. As a storyteller, chasing after stories to share them with the world is her passion.

About the Book

India is a land of a myriad stories, where tales of magic, myths and prophecies abound. From the heart and hills of Manipur, comes this folklore-based fantasy of seven guardians chosen to retrieve the Wayel Kati-the scissor of justice. Wayel Kati: The Quest of the Seven Guardians delves into the themes of nature worship and environment preservation, as well as human inclination towards magic, myth and fantasy as a means to cope with reality.

THOSE POWERFUL MOUSTACHES, JHUMKAS AND POOR ME !!!



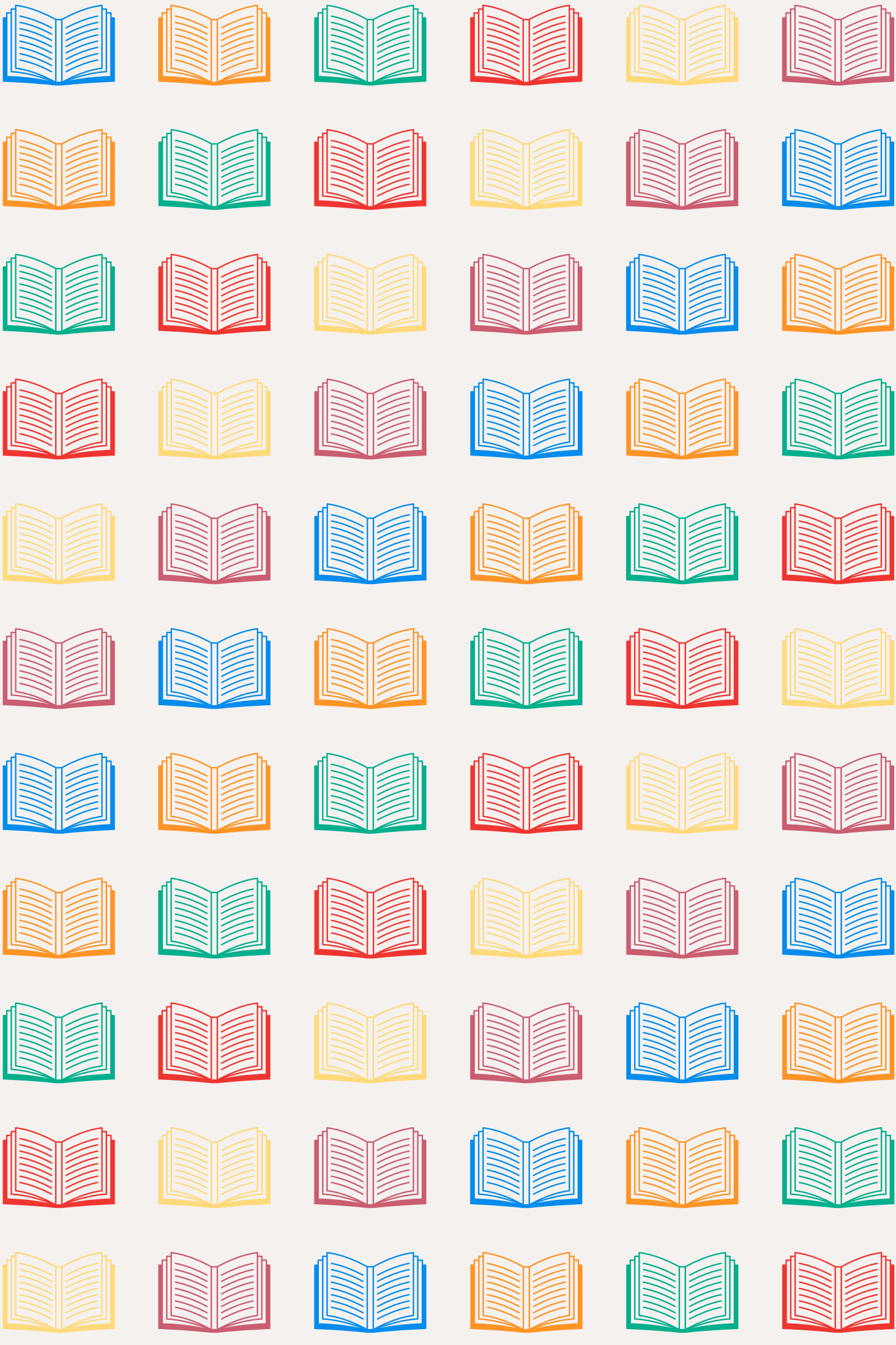
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In capacity of responsible citizen, she pens down her thoughts on issue of national importance like skill development, employment generation and poverty eradication. Through her philosophical insights, she councils and motivates all around her to be better human being and understanding the core issues of life. She is also the author of 'Tearless eyes fearless heads' published in 2003.

About the Book

Those Powerful Moustaches, Jhumkas and Poor me is a satire on human behaviours and relationships catering to all ages. It's a humorous, analytical presentation that answer many secrets of moody yet relevant human psyche.



FICCI Publishing Department

FICCI has identified publishing as one of the focus areas. The FICCI Publishing Committee comprises some of the major publishing houses in India. We have taken various initiatives to showcase the promise and potential of the Indian publishing sector.

Some of the focus areas:

- **Soft Power of India :** Publishing Sector plays a much wider role as it represents culture, heritage, stories and literacy. FICCI through this forum is working towards building soft power of India to be showcased globally, and also bring in stories of various nations getting represented in India.

- **Creation of Literacy :** Our endeavour is to promote literacy in the country and create a culture of reading, especially among children. With an aim to encourage and discover the joy of reading among children and the youth of India, FICCI launched a campaign "*Roz Ek Nayi Kahaani*" to supplement the Government's effort of creating literacy in the country.

- **STM Publishing :** Publishers have major role to play for the development of Science & Technology. FICCI engages with scientific publishers, journals, academia and Government to look at the entire ecosystem. FICCI plans to position publishing industry as more than just book industry and be a part of the knowledge economy.

- **Showcasing Indian Publishing Sector Globally**: India is at the cusp of tremendous socio-economic and technological developments. Amidst a stream of innovation and new business opportunities, publishing is one area which is going to grow exponentially in the coming decade. The country's present technical expertise and the resources to create state-of-the-art educational content have made India a potential exporter of published books. India publishes books of international standard that are comparatively less priced globally. FICCI supports the efforts of Indian publishers who are engaged in exporting books and content to other markets, especially in the emerging economies.

- **Anti-Piracy and Anti-Counterfeiting**: Piracy is a major concern for publishers in South Asia. Piracy and counterfeiting affect the publishing sector most. With the advent of digital publishing the issue of piracy has multiplied many folds. FICCI is associated with the initiatives of the Government of India to work on policies to curb piracy and counterfeiting.

- **Print In India :** FICCI is working towards promoting India as preferred printing destination globally. We are working with various stakeholders towards the cause of "Print in India"

- **Children's Publishing:** FICCI is also actively working towards K-12 publishing and Children Literature.

- **Libraries:** FICCI is focused towards the promotion of libraries by creating awareness through its workshops and seminars. The idea is to encourage the development and use of of both digital & physical libraries.

Programmes Organised by the Department

- **Annual Flagship Event:**

– Seminar on Unleashing the Potential of Libraries: Role of Publishers

– FICCI Session at Festival of Libraries-"Publishers & Libraries – Creating Literacy and Reading Culture"

–FICCI Seminar at Bologna Book Plus – 2023

– PubliCon 2023: Role of Publishers in Learning, Research and Innovation

– **PubliCon 2022:** Role of Publishers in NEP Implementation

– **PubliCon 2020**: Economics of Publishing

– **PubliCon 2018**: Publishing in Indian Languages

– **PubliCon 2017:** Copyright, Piracy & Publishing

– **PubliCon 2016:** Publishing for schools

– **PubliCon 2015**: The Publishing Ecosystem

– **PubliCon 2014:** Publishing across Platforms

– **PubliCon 2013**: Export Markets

– **PubliCon 2012**: Digital Publishing

– **PubliCon 2011**: The Business of Publishing

- **CEOSpeak Over Chairman's Breakfast** 2023, 2021**,** 2020, 2019, 2018, 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014 and 2013
- FICCI Interactive Session at **The London Book Fair 2020**
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- FICCI Interactive Session at **The London Book Fair 2016**
- **Scrapbook- Children's Publishing Conclave 2019, 2018, 2017, 2016**

- **Managing Copyright in Publishing: The Need for Awareness and Outreach**
- **Role of Publishing in Enhancing Research in India**
- **Seminar on Copyright in Publishing**: Awareness and Outreach
- **Challenges and Opportunities in the Book Publishing Sector, Dhaka, Bangladesh**
- **Seminar on Emerging Trends in Publishing:** New Models for the Market
- **Seminar on Legal Aspects o**f the Book Publishing Industry
- **FICCI Business Lunch Session at the Frankfurt Book Fair 2012**
- **FICCI Session at The Frankfurt Book Fair 2020**
- **Seminar on Curbing Digital and Online Piracy** in Publishing Industry
- Programme on the occasion of **World Book & Copyright Day**
- Programme on **Learning and Skilling during & post COVID** - A New Normal for Publishing Industry
- Closed-Door session on **Registration of Press and Periodicals (RPP) Bill**, 2019
- **"Roz Ek Nayi Kahaani"-** Campaign to promote reading culture. Multiple authors In Conversations sessions organized.
- **Future of Publishing**
- Seminar during **International Literacy Day - Reading, Writing and Literacy**
- Session on **'Creativity and the Art of Storytelling'**

Glimpses of Past Programmes



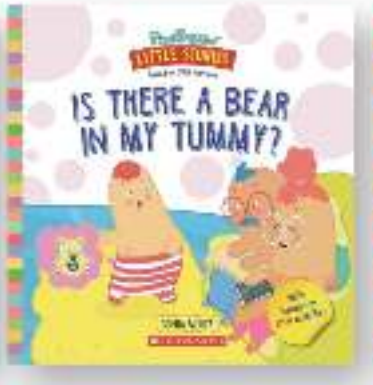
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Learning Tools for Little People

LITTLE STORIES BASED ON STEM LEARNING



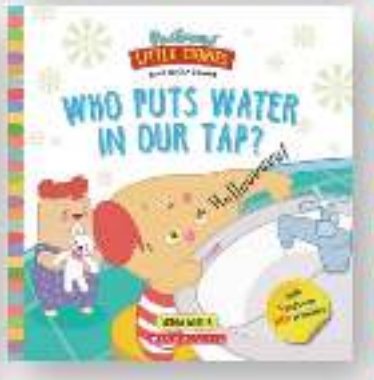






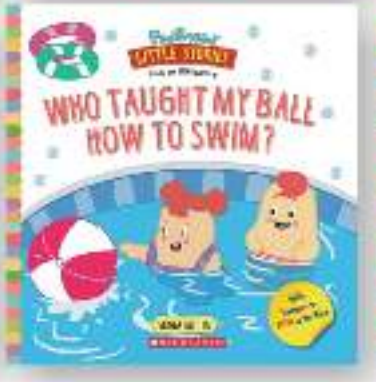




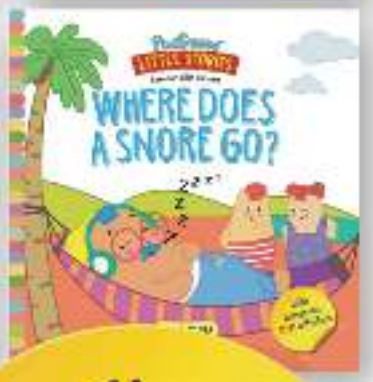












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ABOUT FICCI

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A non-government, not-for-profit organisation, FICCI is the voice of India's business and industry. From influencing policy to encouraging debate, engaging with policy makers and civil society, FICCI articulates the views and concerns of industry. It serves its members from the Indian private and public corporate sectors and multinational companies, drawing its strength from diverse regional chambers of commerce and industry across states, reaching out to over 2,50,000 companies.

FICCI provides a platform for networking and consensus building within and across sectors and is the first port of call for Indian industry, policy makers and the international business community

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