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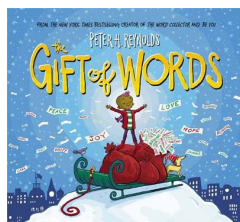
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## The Gift of Words (A Holiday Picture Book)

By (author) Peter H. Reynolds 🍁, Illustrated by Peter H. Reynolds 🍁

Oct 07, 2025 | Hardcover \$26.99

**An inspirational holiday story celebrating the power of words -- an epic follow-up to the *New York Times* bestselling classic *The Word Collector* by creative visionary Peter H. Reynolds.**

*So many words, strung together, shimmering and dreamy. So many people, connected, together, hopeful and united. And that was the power of the gift of words. A gift for all.*

Jerome is looking forward to collecting words this holiday season! Words of hope, love, and joy to share with his loved ones. But as he begins his search, he discovers that inspirational words are hard to come by. In the end, Jerome finds a way to connect with his community and join together in sharing the greatest gift of all: the gift of words.

From our most celebrated, bestselling creator Peter H. Reynolds, comes an uplifting holiday tale about the power of the gift of words -- an important addition to the *Word Collector* collection, and the perfect way to celebrate the holiday season.

### Contributor Bio

**PETER H. REYNOLDS** is a *New York Times* bestselling author and illustrator of many books for children, including *Happy Dreamer*, *The Word Collector*, *Say Something!*, *Be You!*, *Our Table*, and *All We Need Is Love and a Really Soft Pillow!* He is also the illustrator of *When Things Aren't Going Right, Go Left* and *The Reflection in Me* by Marc Colagiovanni. His books have been translated into over 25 languages around the globe and are celebrated worldwide. In 1996, he founded FableVision with his brother, Paul, as a social change agency to help create "stories that matter, stories that move." He lives in Dedham, Massachusetts, with his family.

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### Reviews

**Praise for *All We Need Is Love and a Really Soft Pillow!*:**

**An Amazon Best Book of 2023**

**Praise for *The Reflection in Me* by Marc Colagiovanni, illustrated by Peter H. Reynolds:**

"Just what all 'perfectly perfect' kids need in order to boost their self-esteem every day." -- *Kirkus Reviews*

**Praise for *When Things Aren't Going Right, Go Left* by Marc Colagiovanni, illustrated by Peter H. Reynolds:**

"Resilience and optimism win the day -- and the long game -- in an encouraging fable about finding one's way." -- *Publishers Weekly*

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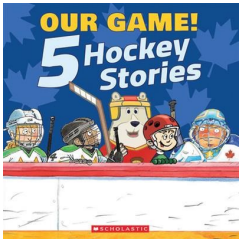
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Age (years) from 4 - 8, Grade (US) from P - 3

### Distributor

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Our Game: 5 Hockey Stories (Combined volume)

Combined volume

By (author) Gilles Tibo , By (author) Mary Shaw ,  
By (author) Kari-Lynn Winters , By (author) Stella Partheniou Grasso ,  
Illustrated by Bruno St-Aubin , Illustrated by Chuck Temple ,  
Illustrated by Helen Flook , Illustrated by Chris Jones

Oct 07, 2025 | Hardcover , Picture book , Paper over boards | \$22.99

A perfect gift for the youngest hockey fans!

This anthology contains FIVE beloved stories about the good ol' hockey game! With lessons about hard work, problem-solving and friendship, this anthology is perfect for your little hockey player!

Stories included are:

- *The Big Game* by Gilles Tibo and Bruno St-Aubin
- *Brady Brady and the Great Rink* by Mary Shaw and Chuck Temple
- *Let's Play a Hockey Game* by Kari-Lynn Winters and Helen Flook
- *Never Enough Hockey* by Gilles Tibo and Bruno St-Aubin
- *This is the Rink Where Jack Plays* by Stella Partheniou Grasso and Chris Jones

Contributor Bio

**GILLES TIBO** has written and illustrated more than a hundred children's books, including the Little Knight series for Scholastic. He was a Canada Council fellow and is the recipient of many awards, including two Mr. Christie's Book Awards, and two Governor General's Awards, for *Simon et les boîtes de carton* and *Noémie: Le Secret de Madame Lumbago*. He is a two-time nominee for the Hans Christian Andersen Prize. He lives in Montreal, Quebec.

**MARY SHAW** developed Brady Brady while trying to get her hockey-obsessed five-year-old son to read. The bestselling series, which now includes 18 books, is a true Canadian success story. Mary Shaw lives in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania when she's not at her cottage outside of Carleton Place, Ontario. Visit her online at [www.bradybrady.com](http://www.bradybrady.com).



Reviews

Praise for *The Big Game*:

"*The Big Game* has a fun and clever twist ending that will make kids smile . . . The cartoon illustrations are wonderful; they are colorful and detailed . . . a relatable read with illustrations that will keep kids' attention." — *CM Magazine*

"*The Big Game* is a great book for any hockey family. It opens up conversations about what to expect during a game and enjoying yourself when you play." — [EverythingMom.com](http://EverythingMom.com)

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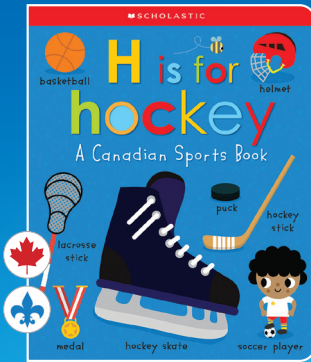
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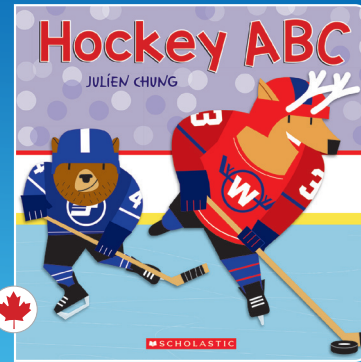
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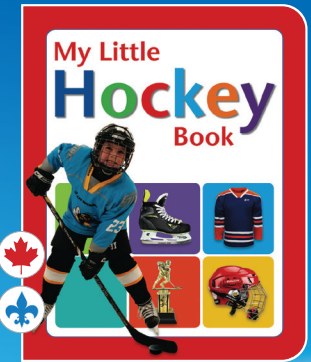
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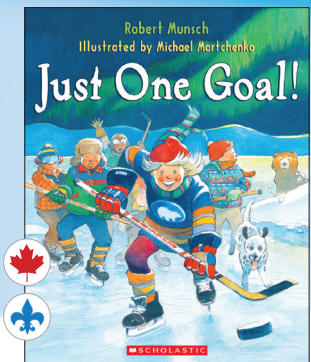


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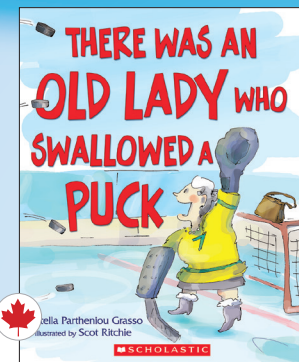


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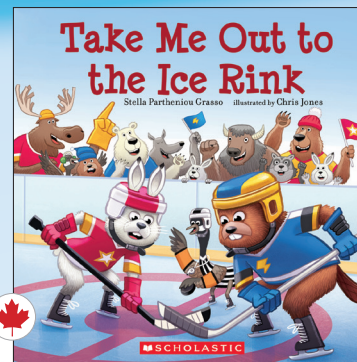
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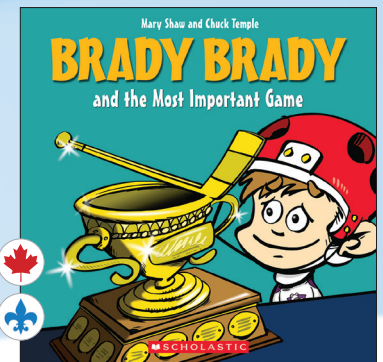
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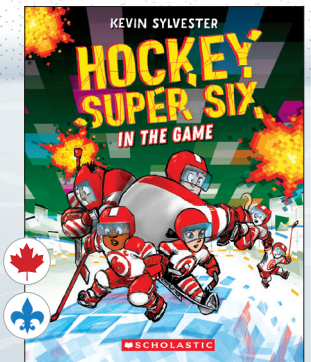


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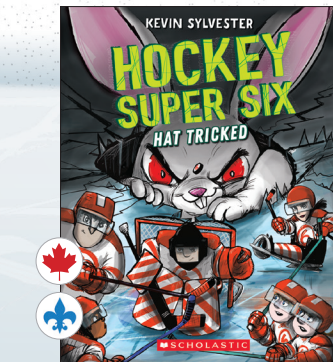


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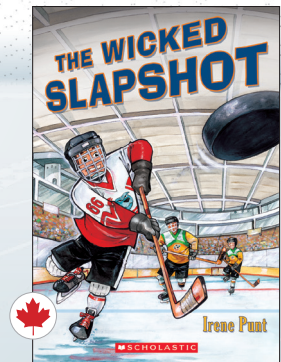
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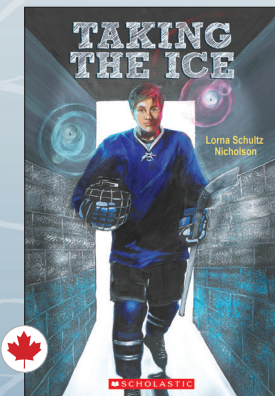


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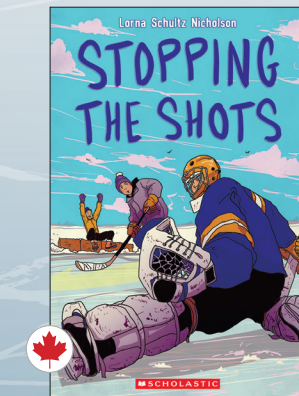


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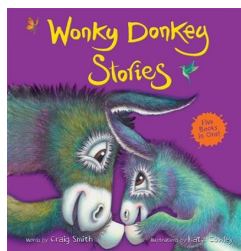


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- 120 pages
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**Subject**JUVENILE FICTION/Humorous  
Stories**Audience range**Age (years) from 3 - 5, Grade (US)  
from P - K**Distributor**

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**Wonky Donkey Stories**

By (author) Craig Smith , Illustrated by Ms. Katz Cowley

Nov 04, 2025 | Hardcover , Picture book , Paper over boards | \$22.99

**Join the world's #1 bestselling family of donkeys in five laugh-out-loud picture books.**

This hilarious collection includes FIVE stories:

- *The Wonky Donkey*
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**Contributor Bio**

Craig Smith is the recipient of the 2008 APRA Children's Song of the Year for *The Wonky Donkey*. When not writing, Craig works as a musician and entertainer. Visit him at [craigsmith.co.nz](http://craigsmith.co.nz).

Katz Cowley is an illustrator and teacher who leads workshops in drawing, creative journaling, and self-expression.

**Reviews****Praise for *The Dinky Donkey*:**

★ "Should be packaged with an oxygen supply, as it will incontestably elicit uncontrollable gales of giggles." — *Kirkus Reviews*, starred review





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- English
- 8 x 10 in
- 32 pages
- Scholastic Canada

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Stories**Audience range**Age (years) from 3 - 7, Grade (US)  
from P - 1**Distributor**

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**The Perfect Paper Airplane**

By (author) Robert Munsch 🍁, Illustrated by Michael Martchenko 🍁

Oct 21, 2025 | Paperback, Trade, Picture book | \$8.99

Kevin tries his best to make a paper airplane that will zoom really far, like his dad's. But all his attempts go SPLORT! Finally he succeeds in making the perfect paper airplane — will it ever come down?

**Contributor Bio**

**ROBERT MUNSCH** started telling stories when he was teaching in a daycare, to get the kids to settle down. Now he is Canada's number one author for young readers with more than 80 books in print, including such bestsellers as *The Paper Bag Princess*, *We Share Everything!*, *So Much Snow!* and *Love You Forever*. Every one of his stories was first told aloud to children — and each one is dedicated to the kid who inspired the story. He is a member of the Order of Canada, has a star on Canada's Walk of Fame, and is a hero to generations of young readers. He has been nominated for the prestigious international Astrid Lindgren Award three times. Robert Munsch lives in Guelph, Ontario. Visit him online at <http://scholastic.ca/munsch/>. **MICHAEL MARTCHENKO** has illustrated dozens of books, and is most famous for his work with Robert Munsch, including *Smelly Socks*, *Makeup Mess* and *We Share Everything!* He lives in Burlington, Ontario.

**Reviews****Praise for Robert Munsch:**

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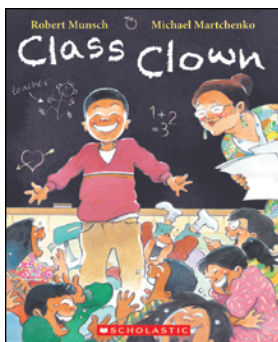
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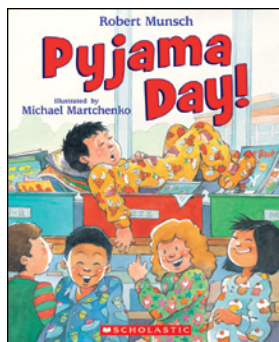
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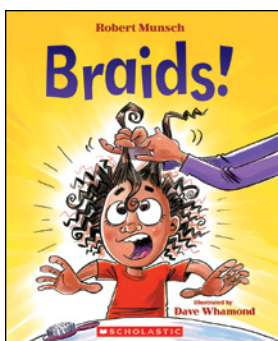


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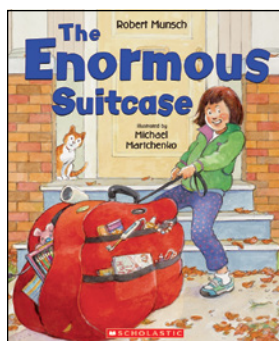


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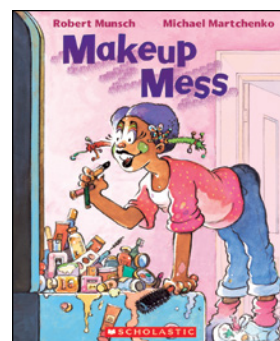
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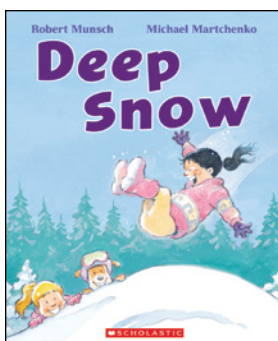


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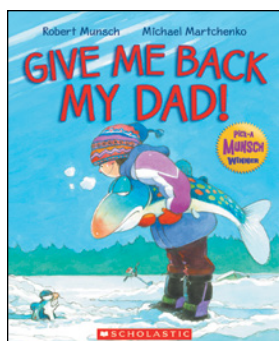


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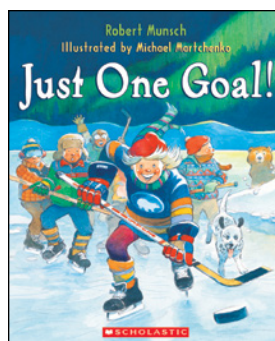
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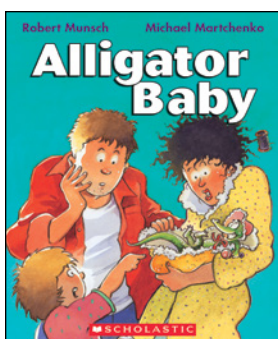


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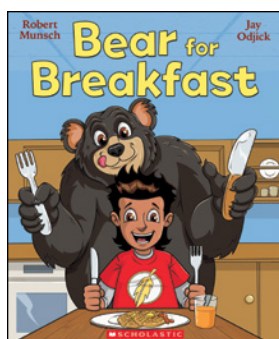


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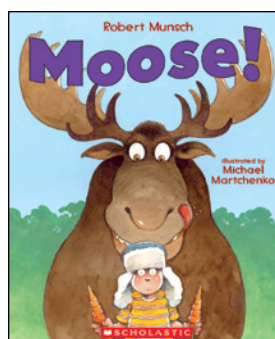
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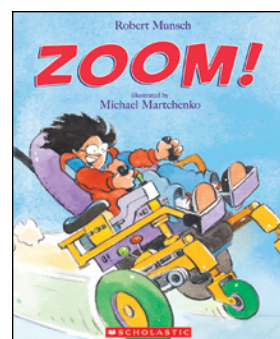
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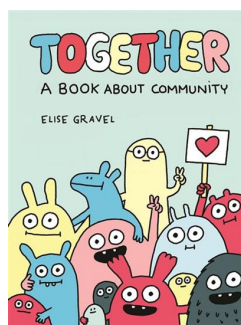


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- English
- 8 x 11 in
- North Winds Press

**Subject**

JUVENILE FICTION/Community &amp; Neighbors

**Audience range**

Age (years) from 6 - 9, Grade (US) from 1 - 3

**Distributor**

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 24

**Together***A Book About Community*

By (author) Elise Gravel 🇨🇦, Illustrated by Elise Gravel 🇨🇦

Sep 02, 2025 | Hardcover, Picture book, Paper over boards | \$21.99

**A new book by Elise Gravel all about how to support one another, stand up for those who don't have a voice and how to build stronger communities.**

Together we are stronger.

Together we can make a difference.

And together we make a community.

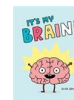
With her signature quirky monsters, beloved children's book author Elise Gravel explains the importance of working together and creating community. Other people take care of us when we're sick or hurt, teach us things, and protect us. They help us in many ways, even if being surrounded by other people can sometimes make us feel bad or angry.

Poignant and relevant, Elise emphasizes the importance of friendship, creating support systems, and how through connection and support, we can ensure that everyone in our communities is taken care of and safe. Our communities take care of us and we have to take care of our communities.

**Contributor Bio**

**ELISE GRAVEL** has won a Governor General's Award for illustration, the Vicky Metcalf Award for Literature for Young People, the Rights and Freedoms Award from the Quebec Commission des droits de la personne et des droits de la jeunesse, two Applied Arts Awards and a Grafika Award. She also was short-listed for Mr. Christie's Book Award. She has written and illustrated over 30 books for children in both French and English including *Not Me, Everybody!* and *It's My Body!* Elise lives in Montreal, Quebec.

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**Also Available***It's My Brain! (Hardcover)*

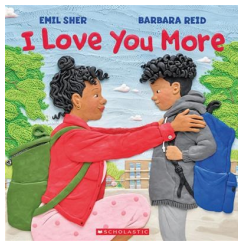
Elise Gravel  
9781039710092  
\$19.99  
Oct 01, 2024

*Grab a Pencil! (Paperback)*

Elise Gravel  
9781443199759  
\$18.99  
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Melissa Mollen Dupuis  
9781039701809  
\$22.99  
Aug 01, 2023



## I Love You More

By (author) Emil Sher 🍁, Illustrated by Barbara Reid 🍁

Dec 02, 2025 | Paperback, Trade, Picture book | \$8.99

How much do I love you?

*I love you more than cones love ice cream.*



9781443175814

- English
- 10.02 x 10.03 x 0.12 in | 0.38 lb
- 32 pages
- Scholastic Canada

### Subject

JUVENILE FICTION/Social Themes/Emotions & Feelings

### Audience range

Age (years) from 3 - 8, Grade (US) from P - 2

### Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 70

This gorgeous, playful book opens up infinite possibilities for saying I love you that carry on long after closing the book. Follow along as young Des's day winds him through his busy, diverse neighbourhood, highlighting different relationships across age, gender and race, and moments bound together by love.

Through Emil Sher's delightful word play and acclaimed illustrator Barbara Reid's vibrant modelling clay art, *I Love You More* creates a rich experience for young readers and brings a wonderful affirming feeling to storytime.

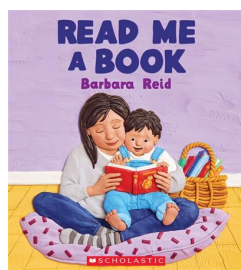
This story was inspired by a favourite game the author played with his now-grown daughters — one readers can carry on in their own way, with their own loved ones and in their own hearts.

### Contributor Bio

**EMIL SHER** writes prose and plays for the young and the once-were-young. His first novel, *Young Man with Camera*, was published by Scholastic in Fall 2015 and has received numerous awards and honours. Emil is a laureate of the 2014 K.M. Hunter Artist Award in Literature. His picture book *Mittens to Share*, illustrated by Irene Luxbacher, was published in 2016. Emil has written the stage play adaptations of *Hana's Suitcase* by Karen Levine and *The Boy in the Moon* by Ian Brown, and the script and lyrics for a stage musical of Roch Carrier's *The Hockey Sweater*. He was also the writer for *The Book of Ashes*, inspired by the true story of an Iraqi librarian who saved tens of thousands of books in the midst of war, which premiered at the International Children's Festival in St. Albert, Alberta, in spring 2016. Emil lives in Toronto, Ontario. **BARBARA REID** is the bestselling author and illustrator of more than a dozen picture books, and the illustrator of over twenty-five. She has won the Ezra Jack Keats Award, the Vicky Metcalf Award for Literature for Young People, the Governor General's Award for Illustration and the Ruth and Sylvia Schwartz Award. In 2013 she became a member of the Order of Canada, and in 2015 she was named Honorary Chair of Family Literacy Day. Her book *Picture the Sky* won the 2018 CBC Fan Choice Award and was shortlisted for the 2018 TD Canadian Children's Literature Award. She lives in Toronto, Ontario.

### Interiors





9781039715028

- English
- 6 x 6.75 in
- 28 pages
- Scholastic Canada

**Subject**

JUVENILE FICTION/Family/New Baby

**Audience range**

Age (years) from 1 - 3, Grade (US) from P

**Distributor**

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 32

**Read Me a Book**

By (author) Barbara Reid 🍁, Illustrated by Barbara Reid 🍁

Oct 07, 2025 | Board book, Picture book | \$9.99

**Barbara Reid's celebration of reading and sharing has a fresh, new look!**

Best-selling author and illustrator Barbara Reid has created a colourful celebration of the pleasures of reading to babies and young children, anytime and anywhere. Warm and detailed Plasticine illustrations of adults and children reading together join with bouncy, rhythmic verse to invite children and parents to share the joy of reading indoors and out, at any time of day!

The perfect gift for new parents, *Read Me a Book* reminds us that reading to young children is key to the development of literacy and the enjoyment of learning — plus the simple text also makes it great for kids just learning to read back to their parents.

**Contributor Bio**

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**Reviews****Praise for Barbara Reid:**

"Her detail is so remarkable and so vivacious and so tactile... just a lot of fun." (*The Golden Goose*) — CBC Children's Book Panel

"Reid's plasticine art is remarkable. The illustrations of her book are like relief paintings—colourful and detailed, while the three-dimensionality of everything depicted makes you want to reach out and touch what you see. Reid is a master at what she does." (*The Subway Mouse*) — Books in Canada

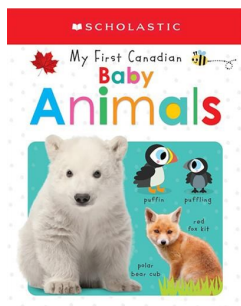
"With her painterly use of plasticine and collage, she creates a fascinating world for her characters — full of delightful surprises." (*The Subway Mouse*) — Governor General's Award jury citation

**Also Available**

*Welcome, Baby* (Board book)  
Barbara Reid  
9781039713376  
\$9.99  
Jul 01, 2025



*Sing a Song of Bedtime* (Board book)  
Barbara Reid  
9781443146234  
\$9.99  
Dec 26, 2018



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- English
- 5 1/2 x 7 in
- Scholastic Canada

**Subject**

JUVENILE  
NONFICTION/Concepts/Words

**Audience range**

Age (years) from 1 - 5, Grade (US)  
from P - 1

**Distributor**

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 24

My First Canadian...

## My First Canadian: Baby Animals

Text by Scholastic Canada Ltd. 🍁, Illustrated by Make Believe Ideas

Oct 07, 2025 | Board book, Picture book | \$9.99

**Explore the animal world in the cutest way possible!**

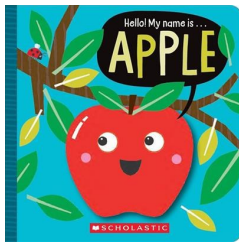
Meet Canada Goose goslings, Arctic wolf pups, pufflings and more! Colourful photography and cute illustrations show baby animals and the adults they will grow up into, in Canada and around the world. Specially created for young learners, this fresh, eye-catching board book is developed in conjunction with educators and Canadian editors to introduce first words, habitats and animals.

**Contributor Bio**

**SCHOLASTIC CANADA LTD.** is the country's largest publisher and distributor of children's books, and is dedicated to producing materials that delight children and inspire them to become lifelong readers.







## Hello! My Name Is... Apple

By (author) Make Believe Ideas , Illustrated by Make Believe Ideas

Sep 02, 2025 | Board book, Picture book | \$9.99

***An apple tree's year is full of change.***

Join Apple through the seasons, from seedling to tree, watching leaves, blossoms and apples grow. When a bright shiny new apple is ripe, the cycle begins again! With rhyming text and much to discover on every page, this is the perfect introduction to natural science and life cycles.



9781039715431

- English
- 7 x 7 in
- 28 pages
- Scholastic Canada

### Subject

JUVENILE FICTION/General

### Audience range

Age (years) from 1 - 5, Grade (US) from P - K

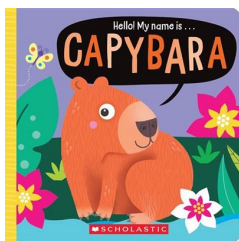
### Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 1

### Interiors





## Hello! My Name Is... Capybara

By (author) Make Believe Ideas , Illustrated by Make Believe Ideas

Sep 02, 2025 | Board book, Picture book | \$9.99

**Get to know capybaras!**

Young children will love meeting Capybara and watching the tiny pup grow into the largest rodent in the world. And that's when Capybara's big adventure begins!



9781039715448

- English
- 7 x 7 in
- 28 pages
- Scholastic Canada

### Subject

JUVENILE FICTION/Animals/Mice, Hamsters, Guinea Pigs, etc.

### Audience range

Age (years) from 1 - 5, Grade (US) from P - K

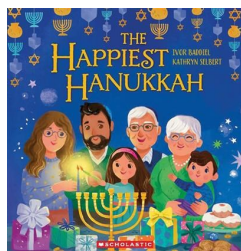
### Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

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### Interiors





9781039712690

- English
- 9.45 x 9.84 in
- 32 pages
- Scholastic Canada

**Subject**

JUVENILE FICTION/Holidays &amp; Celebrations/Hanukkah

**Audience range**

Age (years) from 3 - 7, Grade (US) from P - 2

**Distributor**

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 80

**The Happiest Hanukkah**

By (author) Ivor Baddiel, Illustrated by Kathryn Selbert

Sep 02, 2025 | Paperback, Trade, Picture book | \$9.99

**Get ready for Hanukkah!**

Join Leora and her family as they come together to put the finishing touches on their Hanukkah preparations and get ready to celebrate. For Leora, her main wish this year is that she will be allowed to light the candles. Leora hopes her family will see that she is ready for such a big responsibility . . . If they do, she feels sure it really will be the happiest Hanukkah!

**Contributor Bio**

Before becoming an established TV and radio script-writer, **Ivor Baddiel** was a social worker and primary school teacher. He has since written extensively for television across many comedy and entertainment shows including *The X Factor* and *The Baftas*. He is also the author of twenty-two books for both children and adults. **Kathryn Selbert** is an award-winning freelance children's book illustrator. Her work is inspired by the people she meets in her everyday life, our colourful world, flora and fauna and having fun.

**Interiors**



9781443196307

- English
- 6 x 9 in
- 144 pages
- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION/Comics & Graphic Novels/Horror

Audience range

Age (years) from 9 - 12, Grade (US) from 4 - 7

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 24

Haunted Canada

Haunted Canada Graphic Novel, Volume 2

Four More Terrifying Tales

By (author) Joel A. Sutherland , Illustrated by Hannah Barrett ,  
Illustrated by Mike Feehan, Illustrated by Maya McKibbin,  
Illustrated by Matt Salisbury

Sep 02, 2025 | Paperback, Trade | \$18.99

The bestselling Haunted Canada books are now a graphic novel series!

Four more spine-tingling stories from award-winning author Joel A. Sutherland have been adapted into chilling graphic novellas. Illustrators Hannah Barrett, Mike Feehan, Maya McKibbin and Matt Salisbury each bring a different story to ghoulish life.

In this second collection, horror lovers will read about:

- A terror that lurks in murky muskeg ...
- A fortune teller with predictions of doom ...
- A visitor from beyond the grave ...
- A rag-doll with evil intentions ...

Perfect for those who love graphic novels and fans of the bestselling series, these four stories have it all: creepy Canadian settings, hair-raising history and super-scary storytelling. Illustrated in full colour, these blood-curdling tales are sure to keep any reader turning the pages — and awake at night ...

Contributor Bio

**JOEL A. SUTHERLAND** is the Silver Birch and Hackmatack Award-winning author of numerous Haunted Canada books and the Red Maple Award Honour Book *Summer's End*. His middle-grade fiction series, Haunted, has been praised by Goosebumps author R.L. Stine. Joel lives with his family in southeastern Ontario, where he works as a library manager and is always on the lookout for ghosts. Visit him online at [www.joelasutherland.com](http://www.joelasutherland.com).

**HANNAH BARRETT** is a Canadian narrative illustrator passionate about folk horror, cosmic horror and analogue horror. She has a strong attention to detail when creating creatures that go bump in the night. Her extensive research assists in creating emotional, thought-provoking narrative work that instills many different emotions from readers and viewers alike.

**MIKE FEEHAN** (*The Etobicoke Poltergeist*) is an illustrator from St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, whose credits include *Star Trek* and *Star Trek: Defiant* from IDW, as well as the award-winning miniseries *Exit Stage Left: The Snagglepuss Chronicles* from DC Comics. In addition to his work in comics, he also works as a storyboard artist for TV, music videos and commercials. He resides in St. John's with his fiancée, cat and two dogs. **MAYA MCKIBBIN** is a Two-Spirited Ottawa, Ontario, and Irish-Ghanaian illustrator and storyteller. Using their



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Reviews

Praise for Joel A. Sutherland:

"Canada's answer to R.L. Stine." — *Quill & Quire*

"A talent to watch." — *Dark Scribe Magazine*

"Keep an eye on Sutherland. This guy has got a great future ahead of him." — Joe McKinney, author of *Dead City*, *Quarantined* and *Peacekeepers*

Praise for the Haunted Canada series:

"This book delivers pretty well everything a ghost-story-loving child could ask for, with an extra layer of

Also Available



*Haunted Canada Graphic Novel, Volume 1 (Paperback)*  
Joel A. Sutherland  
9781443196291  
\$16.99  
Sep 03, 2024



# The bestselling HAUNTED CANADA series are now graphic novels!

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*Haunted Canada Graphic Novel, Volume 2: Four More Terrifying Tales* brings you the illustrated works from Hannah Barrett, Matt Salisbury, Mike Feehan, and Maya McKibbin!



**Haunted Canada Graphic Novel Vol. 2:  
Four More Terrifying Tales**

By Joel A. Sutherland

PBK: 978-1-4431-9630-1 \$18.99

For ages 9 and up

Pub/In-store: September 2, 2025

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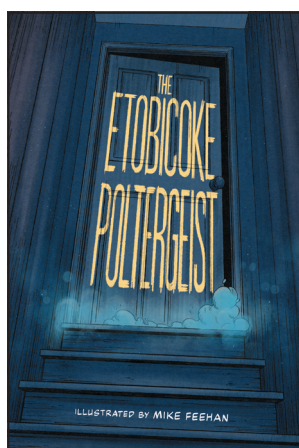
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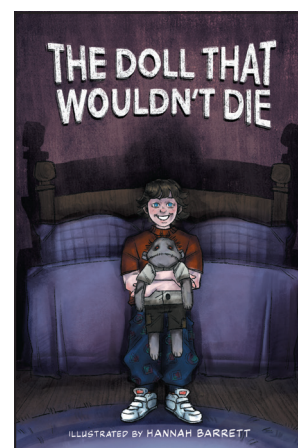
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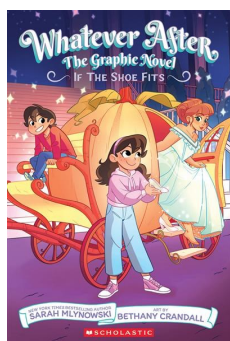
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- English
- 160 pages
- Graphix

**Subject**JUVENILE FICTION/Comics &  
Graphic Novels/Action & Adventure**Audience range**Age (years) from 8 - 12, Grade (US)  
from 3 - 7**Distributor**

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 40

Whatever After

**If the Shoe Fits: The Graphic Novel (Whatever After #2)**By (author) Sarah Mlynowski , Illustrated by Bethany Crandall

Nov 04, 2025 | Paperback, Trade | \$19.50

**Graphic novels with a fairy tale twist! The beloved *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling *Whatever After* series rolls on in graphic novel format, with an enchanting Book 2 that takes us into the story of Cinderella!**

Abby and her little brother, Jonah, are ordinary kids...except for one little thing. They have a magic mirror in their basement that sends them into different fairy tales. This time, when the mirror slurps them up, they're taken to the story of Cinderella. And they're determined NOT to mess anything up!

But then Cinderella breaks her foot and her glass slipper won't fit. How is her prince charming supposed to know she's meant for him? And how will Cinderella get her happily ever after?

In order to save the day, Abby and Jonah will have to find Cinderella a job, stay out of jail, and make sure true love finds a way, all before the clock strikes midnight and the chance for a happily ever after is gone...forever!

With vibrant art by illustrator Bethany Crandall, this fast-paced, magical adventure is a graphic novel fan's dream come true!

**Contributor Bio**

Sarah Mlynowski is the *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author and coauthor of over fifty books for teens, tweens, kids, and adults, including the *Whatever After* series, the *Best Wishes* series, and the *Upside-Down Magic* series, which was adapted into a Disney Channel movie. Originally from Montreal, Sarah now lives in Los Angeles with her family. Visit her online at sarahm.com.

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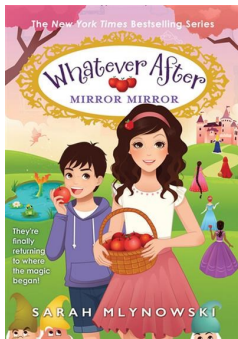
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**Also Available**

**Fairest of All: A Graphic Novel (Whatever After Graphic Novel #1) (Whatever After Graphix) (Paperback)**  
Sarah Mlynowski  
9781338845099  
\$16.99  
Apr 02, 2024



9781339002804

- English
- 208 pages
- Scholastic Press

**Subject**

JUVENILE FICTION/Fairy Tales &amp; Folklore/Adaptations

**Audience range**

Age (years) from 8 - 12, Grade (US) from 3 - 7

**Distributor**

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 20

Whatever After 17

**Mirror Mirror (Whatever After #17)**

By (author) Sarah Mlynowski 🍁

Oct 07, 2025 | Hardcover \$22.99

In this thrilling conclusion to the bestselling, beloved *Whatever After* series, Abby and Jonah return to where it all began--the story of *Snow White*--and also wind up reuniting with ALL of their favorite fairy tale characters...

Abby and Jonah might be moving away, which means it's time for one last mission through the magic mirror in their basement!

And where does the mirror send them? Back into the story of *Snow White*, where their adventures all began. Snow White is happily ruling the kingdom, hanging out with the seven dwarfs, and getting ready for her big royal wedding to Prince Trevor (while the evil queen is safely locked away.) Abby's mission is clear: free Gabrielle, the fairy trapped in Snow White's mirror. But a few wicked fairies are up to their old tricks, doing all they can to stop Abby from succeeding...

When Abby herself gets trapped, she must turn to old friends--like Cinderella, Rapunzel, the Snow Queen, Aladdin, and many more--for help, which leads to an epic fairy-tale showdown between good and evil. With a magical mix of courage, quick thinking, and fairy power, will Abby, Jonah, and all their friends be able to save the day?

The *Whatever After* series lives on with graphic novels! Look for *If the Shoe Fits: The Graphic Novel* in September 2025.

**Contributor Bio**

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*Just Dance (Whatever After #15)* (Paperback)  
Sarah Mlynowski  
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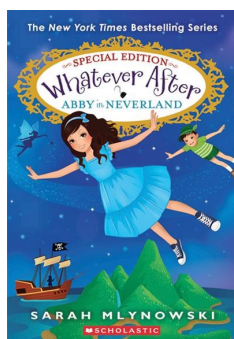


*Liar Liar (Whatever After #16)* (Hardcover)  
Sarah Mlynowski  
9781339001654  
\$22.99  
Jul 02, 2024



*Good as Gold (Whatever After #14)* (Paperback)  
Sarah Mlynowski  
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\$7.99  
Jul 04, 2023





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- English
- 256 pages
- Scholastic Press

**Subject**

JUVENILE FICTION/Fairy Tales &amp; Folklore/Adaptations

**Audience range**

Age (years) from 8 - 12, Grade (US) from 3 - 7

**Distributor**

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 48

Whatever After

**Abby in Neverland (Whatever After Special Edition #3)**

By (author) Sarah Mlynowski 🍁

Oct 07, 2025 | Paperback, Trade | \$9.99

**Never say never!**

**Follow Abby and Jonah as they embark on a thrilling journey through Neverland--meeting pirates, mermaids, the Lost Boys, Tinkerbell, and Peter Pan himself-- in this third Special Edition of the dazzling *New York Times* best-selling *Whatever After* series.**

Abby and Jonah are at home with Jonah's friends and their fairy friend, Maryrose, when they receive a visit from another fairy--a famous one. It's Tinkerbell! She's come to their window with none other than Peter Pan. It's exciting at first--but when Peter Pan announces that he needs new Lost Boys, he whisks away Jonah and Jonah's friends. It's up to Abby (and Maryrose) to follow them all into Neverland! She soon finds herself inside the beloved book *Peter Pan*.

Even if Abby can convince Peter Pan to give her back Jonah and his friends, there's still the evil Captain Hook and his band of pirates to contend with. And can Abby trust anyone--even Tinkerbell? She'll have to rely on her courage--and a little bit of magic fairy dust--to make it back home from Neverland before all is lost!

Full of fun extras like full-page illustrations, this Special Edition is a whirlwind adventure like no other!

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"The feminist in me adored it, and the mother in me loved how my daughter would long to cuddle in close as we read together." -- Danielle Herzog, blogging for *The Washington Post*

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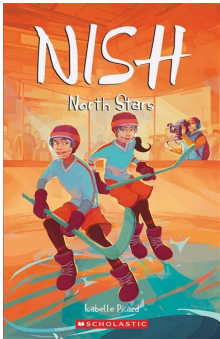
Sarah Mlynowski  
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**Abby in Wonderland (Whatever After Special Edition) (Paperback)**

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- English
- 5 x 7.75 in
- 240 pages
- Scholastic Canada

Subject

JUVENILE FICTION/Diversity & Multicultural

Audience range

Age (years) from 10 - 14, Grade (US) from 5 - 9

Distributor

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 1

Nish  
Nish: North Stars

By (author) Isabelle Picard 🍁, Translated by Kateri Aubin Dubois 🍁  
Sep 02, 2025 | Paperback, Trade | \$14.99

Lights. Cameras. Hockey!

The school year is finally over and Eloise and Leon are back in Matimekush for the summer. But this school break will not be like any other, thanks to a hockey movie being filmed in the community! Is it possible that Leon will be in the movie? Will Eloise, who is interested in directing, participate in the project? Summer will be busy with twists and turns of all kinds for Leon, Eloise and their friends. It's the summer of possibilities!

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Reviews


Praise for Nish series:

"*Nish: North and South* is a solid translation of an already popular series — one that English readers are likely to latch on to as the Nish series makes its way to the shelves." (*Nish: North and South*) — *Quill & Quire*

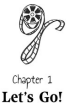
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*Nish: Northern Lights*  
(Paperback)  
Isabelle Picard  
9781039704558  
\$14.99  
Sep 03, 2024



*Nish: North and South*  
(Paperback)  
Isabelle Picard  
9781443197236  
\$14.99  
Sep 19, 2023



LEON

I don't think I've ever been so excited to be anywhere. This summer is going to be just perfect. Ice and I have been planning. We're going full-on, riding 20% faster, playing more hockey so we don't lose our touch, and tackling the latest video game together.

It was such a long way to Matimekush! From we drove eight hours to Saginaw, and after a night at my uncle's, we took the Summer Thunderstorm, or North Wind, train for a thirteen-hour journey to Schenectady. My mother kept saying how beautiful this state is, or this landscape, or right here, the view... I think she missed our territory during her last year in Wendake. At least, I certainly did!

My sister Eloise and I take seats over the front, but not too far to front, with our sleeping bags and pillows. Elo starts out the window seat of the train, as does my father. This complete change of view as we head north. I suspect he's looking sick. He presses his cheek against the window like we used to do when we were kids and felt like throwing up after hours and hours on the train. It's his trick, after all! We know lots of people on the train. It's such a good connection. Just the state and children, among others. He talked to my parents for a long time, but then my father turned and gave me a right cross. Something about the view. I'm not sure. Something about a movie too. I thought my sister might have been interested, but she had her headphones on.

All I know is that I can't wait to get there. I'm sure too. And all will be waiting for us at the station. Sakum Franchise too. I'll pretend to be surprised. But I know they'll be there.

I've read the two comics I brought and am all my excitement. Four hours to go! I've taken twenty-two steps up the middle side of the main already. But all this waiting isn't too high a price to pay for the summer we're about to have.

I wonder if people will recognize me.

ELOISE

Leon is really annoying. He's always talking and laughing around. It's that annoying call. He's trying to get in my place or take up the seats on my phone as well as have the laptop which has crying for so long already. Oh I look outside. It's so beautiful! I agree with my mother, but there's no way I'm sharing it. She's been crying like a mad woman about this and that since we moved out.

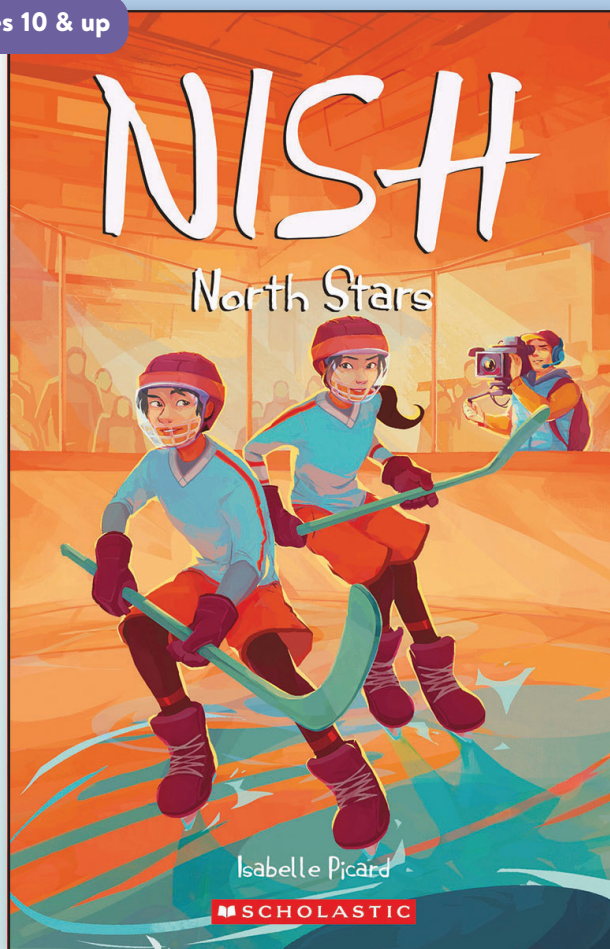
Write a little too — a sort of diary that I started a few months ago on the subject of some family. Today I'm making up a story called "A Long Journey by Train." I write about people and their funny habits — rich American tourists who dream of the Great North and get me somewhere along the way to go hunting or fishing, but in the middle of nowhere. I wonder what they find in that kind of trip. There's nothing out here but woods and thousands of mosquitoes. I'd rather spend my money in Hawaii. That's for sure.

Then my brother's voice breaks through to me. Are you going to see all your grandparents or can I have one?

# The final book in Isabelle Picard's bestselling coming-of-age trilogy about Innu twins, Leon and Eloise.

Ages 10 & up

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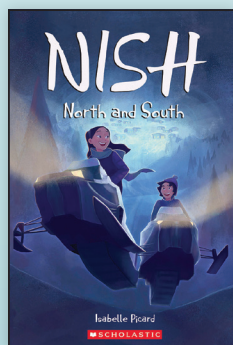


## Marketing

- National review mailing
- Media pitches
- Festival submissions and events
- Back to School campaign

Nish: North Stars  
By Isabelle Picard  
Translation by Kateri Aubin Dubois  
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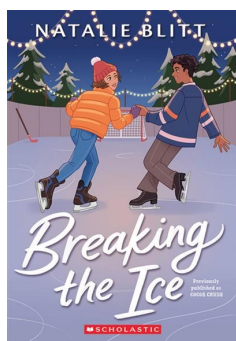
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- 256 pages
- Scholastic Press

**Subject**

JUVENILE FICTION/Sports &amp; Recreation/Hockey

**Audience range**

Age (years) from 8 - 12, Grade (US) from 3 - 7

**Distributor**

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 24

**Breaking the Ice**By (author) Natalie Blitt 

Sep 02, 2025 | Paperback, Trade | \$13.50

**One girl. One boy. A small-town ice rink. This sweet story of hockey, friendships, and crushes is perfect for tween readers in search of a hockey rom-com that's just right for them.**

Harper was born to play hockey. She was captain of her school's hockey team...but after she causes an accident during a game, Harper is terrified to ever get back on the ice again.

Instead, she gets a job at the local ice rink's snack shack and resigns herself to days spent making hot chocolates.

Until Jason, a cute figure skating champion and Harper's new classmate, comes to town. Suddenly, Harper wonders if she's truly happy with never putting her skates back on.

With the help of her new crush and best friend, Bea, can Harper break the ice around her heart and forgive herself enough to lace up her skates again?

**Contributor Bio**

Natalie Blitt is the author of *Carols and Crushes* and the young adult novel *The Distance from A to Z*. Originally from Canada, she now lives in the Chicago area with her husband and three sons, where she works at an education think tank. You can visit her online at [natalieblitt.com](http://natalieblitt.com).





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- English
- 304 pages
- Scholastic Press

**Subject**JUVENILE  
FICTION/Fantasy/General**Audience range**Age (years) from 9 - 12, Grade (US)  
from 4 - 7**Distributor**

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 20

**The Bloodstone Thief**

By (author) Sabina Khan 🍁

Sep 16, 2025 | Hardcover \$26.99

**A hilarious and heartwarming fantasy adventure perfect for fans of *Skandar* and *the Unicorn Thief*! This is the middle grade debut from acclaimed author Sabina Khan.**

Laila Habib is having the worst birthday ever, as she's just discovered that her family's two-year stay in Houston, Texas, is going to be extended . . . indefinitely. With one foot in her current life and one foot back in her old home in Mumbai, she doesn't feel like she truly belongs anywhere.

But her day only gets worse from there. Opening up what she thinks is a hidden birthday present, Laila unleashes an evil jinn from a magical amulet. Trapped there long ago by Laila's father, the jinn is eager for revenge, and drags Laila's father back to the magical world of Qaf.

To save her father, Laila must travel to Qaf, where she discovers that there's only one hope for freeing him. She must find the Bloodstone, an object that gives the holder absolute power. But doing so will require a quest that changes everything Laila ever thought she knew about who she is, what she believes, and who she can trust. Not fully belonging in the jinn world or our own, Laila has to create her own community, forge friendships, and fight for her family—no matter who or what they are.

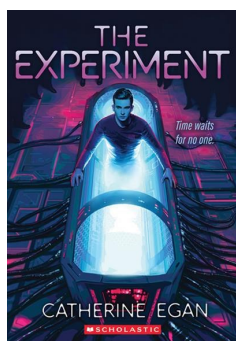
**Contributor Bio**

Sabina Khan, author of *The Love and Lies of Rukhsana Ali* and many other acclaimed novels, writes about Muslim teens who straddle cultures. She was born in Germany, spent her teens in Bangladesh, and lived in Macao, Illinois, and Texas before settling down in British Columbia with her husband, two daughters, and the best puppy in the world. Visit her online at [sabina-khan.com](http://sabina-khan.com).

**Reviews**

"Imaginative and captivating, *The Bloodstone Thief* brings legends to life in a thrilling journey of magic, jinn, and unforgettable family secrets!" – Xiran Jay Zhao, *New York Times* bestselling author of *Zachary Ying and the Dragon Emperor*





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- English
- 320 pages

**Subject**

JUVENILE FICTION/Dystopian

**Audience range**

Age (years) from 9 - 12, Grade (US) from 4 - 7

**Distributor**

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 48

**The Experiment (The Factory Book 2)**

By (author) Catherine Egan 🇨🇦

Oct 21, 2025 | Paperback, Trade | \$13.50

**Welcome back to the Factory in *The Experiment*, the highly anticipated sequel to *The Factory* that *Kirkus* called a "thrilling and complex beginning to what will surely be a sought-after series"!**

It's been only moments since Asher Doyle made an impossible decision -- a matter of seconds since he set off a time bomb on the rooftop of the Factory that would change his life forever.

At least, it felt like only moments to Asher. But he was wrong.

In reality, twenty years have passed since that fateful night. Twenty birthdays, and yet Asher is still the same thirteen-year-old boy he was when he arrived at the Factory. Asher Doyle, The Boy Frozen in Time.

And it gets worse: Not only is his best friend, Vi, twenty years older -- she's the new director of the evil place she and Asher swore to bring down. What could possibly have happened to make her switch sides?

As Asher wraps his head around all he's lost, he finds himself at the center of an experiment at the hands of his former ally and best friend. It's up to him and a new group of friends to expose what new sinister secrets lie buried at the Factory -- if

**Contributor Bio**

Catherine Egan grew up in Vancouver, Canada. Since then, she has lived on a volcanic island in Japan (which erupted while she was there and sent her hurtling straight into the arms of her now husband), in Tokyo, Kyoto, and Beijing, on an oil rig in the middle of Bohai Bay, in New Jersey, and now in New Haven, Connecticut. She's written several books for teens, including the Witch's Child YA trilogy and the middle-grade novel, *Sneaks*. You can read more about her at [catherineegan.com](http://catherineegan.com) and follow her on Twitter at @ByCatherineEgan.

**Reviews****Praise for *The Factory***

"Budding dystopian and science-fiction readers will thrill at this gripping, fast-paced story with a cliffhanger ending... a thrilling and complex beginning to what will surely be a sought-after series." -- *Kirkus Reviews*

**Also Available**

*The Factory (Paperback)*  
Catherine Egan  
9781339034218  
\$11.99  
Jan 07, 2025



9781546104568

- English
- 288 pages
- Scholastic Press

**Subject**

JUVENILE FICTION/Places/Europe

**Audience range**

Age (years) from 8 - 12, Grade (US) from 3 - 7

**Distributor**

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 20

**Standoff (Kidnapped From Ukraine #2)**

By (author) Marsha Forchuk Skrypuch 🇨🇦

Oct 07, 2025 | Hardcover \$38.99

This gripping, accessible novel by celebrated Ukrainian Canadian author Marsha Forchuk Skrypuch follows two sisters as they struggle to survive the Russian invasion of Ukraine in February 2022.

12-year-old twin sisters Rada and Dariia Popkova couldn't be more different. Dariia is outgoing and chatty while Rada is quieter and artsy. But what they have in common is their love for each other and their home. The family lives in the Ukrainian city of Mariupol, which is attacked by the Russians on Feb 24th, 2022. The attack separates the family -- Dariia is with her mom and Rada with her dad.

Rada and her father navigate the treacherous journey from shelter to shelter as they make their way to the Azovstal plant so that her father can fight in the resistance. Meanwhile, Rada is still trying to get in contact with her sister and mother. As the war rages and each family member must contend with their own battles, their love for their country and their family keeps them going.

**Contributor Bio**

**MARSHA FORCHUK SKRYPUCH** is a Ukrainian Canadian author acclaimed for her nonfiction and historical fiction, including *Making Bombs for Hitler* (*Faire des bombes pour Hitler*), *The War Below* (*Soldat clandestin*), *Stolen Child* (*Enfant volée, et*), and *Don't Tell the Enemy* (*Ne dis rien à l'ennemi*). Marsha lives in Brantford, Ontario, and you can visit her online at [www.calla.com](http://www.calla.com).



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**Reviews****Praise for *Under Attack* (Kidnapped From Ukraine #1):**

"Gut-punching: This is essential reading." -- *Kirkus*, starred review

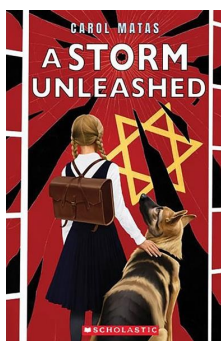
**Praise for *Winterkill*:**

"Unflinching...Skrypuch handles difficult themes with intelligence and honesty...couldn't be timelier today." -- *The New York Times Book Review*

"In a timely, hard-hitting novel, Forchuk portrays the manufactured famine Holodomor that Stalinists inflicted on Soviet Ukrainian farmers in the early 1930s...[providing] important historical context around history that has resonance for current events." --

**Also Available**

*Under Attack (Kidnapped From Ukraine #1)* (Paperback)  
Marsha Forchuk Skrypuch  
9781546104513  
\$9.99  
Jan 07, 2025



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- English
- 5 1/4 x 7 5/8 in
- 192 pages
- Scholastic Canada

**Subject**JUVENILE FICTION/Social  
Themes/Prejudice & Racism**Audience range**Age (years) from 9 - 12, Grade (US)  
from 4 - 7**Distributor**

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 1

**A Storm Unleashed**

By (author) Carol Matas 🇨🇦

Sep 02, 2025 | Paperback, Trade | \$10.99

**A hopeful tale about a girl and her dog set in World War 2.**

After losing her mother as a young girl, twelve-year-old Mia is living in Berlin with her veterinarian father and beloved German shepherd, Max. Mia tries to focus on her hobbies, her studies and her trips to her grandparents' farm where she cares for the animals she loves. But it's 1935, and life has changed radically for Mia and her Jewish father over the last two years.

Antisemitism is now official state policy. At school, Mia is vilified and treated cruelly by her teachers and fellow students. Outside of school, she witnesses violence against her friends and family. And then suddenly a girl from the Nazi Youth tries to take Max. From that moment on, life becomes more and more dangerous for Mia and her father — who is now being forced to help the Nazis train Hitler's army of dogs.

Mia and her best friend, Frieda, must come up with a plan to navigate this new reality. But could it cost Mia more than she realizes?

**Contributor Bio**

**CAROL MATAS** is an internationally acclaimed author of more than 45 books for children and young adults. Her best-selling work has been translated into sixteen languages and has received over 100 awards and honours including the Sydney Taylor Award, the Geoffrey Bilson Award, the Silver Birch Award, and the Canadian Jewish Book Award. She has twice been nominated for the Governor General's Award for Children's Literature. She lives in Winnipeg, Manitoba.



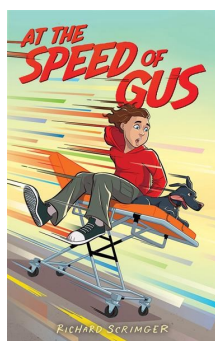
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**Reviews****Praise for Carol Matas:**

"This story holds you not only with the authentic account of the Jewish girl hiding in disguise right in the jaws of the enemy, but also with the intimate view of the Nazi home." (*In My Enemy's House*) — *Booklist*

"Gripping . . . although this is fiction, it has the immediacy and impact of a true story. Marisa's ordeal is compelling, moving — and deeply disturbing." (*In My Enemy's House*) — *School Library Journal*

"Intelligently written and emotionally powerful." (*Greater Than Angels*) — *Quill & Quire*, starred review



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- English
- 192 pages
- Scholastic Press

**Subject**

JUVENILE FICTION/Neurodiversity


**Audience range**

Age (years) from 8 - 12, Grade (US) from 3 - 7

**Distributor**

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 20

**At the Speed of Gus**By (author) Richard Scrimger 

Dec 02, 2025 | Hardcover \$28.50

A smartly funny and sympathetic story about being different and understanding that there is more than one way to see the world. This new novel from middle grade master Richard Scrimger will reach so many kids who need to see that their brains are a gift.

Augustus (Gus) Constantine's brain moves fast, and not necessarily on a straight track. His mind (and mouth) operates at a different speed than everyone else he knows. This might have something to do with the fact that Gus has ADHD. Sometimes it feels like the best thing about him, and sometimes it lands him in a load of trouble.

For example, one morning, Gus takes morning announcements wildly off script. Even though he hears nothing but laughter from fellow students at Pendrell Elementary, he's finally pushed Miss Funn (who's anything but) and Principal Gorby (who's getting tired of Gus's endless jokes and unfiltered stream of consciousness) to the limit.

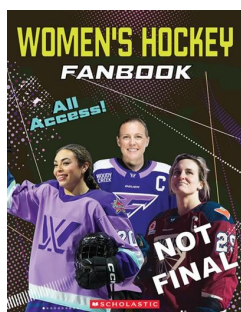
Now he's suspended for two whole days. With nothing else to do, Gus takes up his sister's invitation to take the ferry to meet her at her college. But on the ferry, Gus's thoughts begin to race. He's having trouble concentrating and can't calm down. At the speed of Gus's brain, the ride gets wilder and wilder, until it's hard to tell what's real from what's imagined. But despite the convoluted road he takes, can he still find a way to get to his destination?

**Contributor Bio**

**RICHARD SCRIMGER** is the acclaimed author of more than twenty books for children and adults, including *Zombo* and *Downside Up* as well as *The Other Side of Perfect*, written in collaboration with Melanie Florence, which received a starred review from Kirkus. Richard is also a popular presenter in schools. Richard lives in Toronto, Ontario. Visit him at <http://www.scrimger.ca/>.







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- English
- 8.38 x 10.88 in
- 32 pages
- Scholastic Canada

**Subject**

JUVENILE NONFICTION/Sports &amp; Recreation/Hockey

**Audience range**

Age (years) from 6, Grade (US) from 1

**Distributor**

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 1

**Women Hockey Fan Book: All Access**

By (author) Erin Silver

Oct 07, 2025 | Paperback, Trade | \$9.99

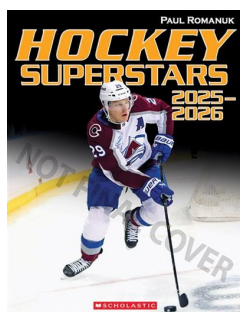
**Everything young fans need to know about the road to the PWHL and it's amazing success!**

The debut of the Professional Women's Hockey was a wild success, with thousands of cheering fans packing the arenas... but it took a lot to get there. This colourful fact-and-photo filled scrapbook has everything a fan needs to know about previous women's hockey leagues, how the PWHL was born, the stellar inaugural season, and its rapid expansion. Complete with profiles of the biggest stars (and up-and-comers!) trivia, a quiz and more!

**Contributor Bio**

**ERIN SILVER** is an award-winning children's author and freelance writer. Her books for children include *Rush Hour: Navigating Our Global Traffic Jam* (Blueberry Award winner), *Sitting Shiva* (Ontario Library Association Best Pick, Sydney Taylor Book Award Honor, Vine Award finalist, TD Canadian Children's Literature Award finalist), *In It To Win It: Sports* and *Proud to Play: LGBTQ+ Athletes Who Made a Difference*. When Erin isn't writing books and articles, she can be found walking her dog or cheering on her boys from the sidelines of a baseball diamond or basketball court. Erin was a two-time athlete of the year in high school, so she's certain her kids got their love of sports from her.





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- English
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- 48 pages
- Scholastic Canada

**Subject**

JUVENILE NONFICTION/Sports &amp; Recreation/Hockey

**Audience range**

Age (years) from 6, Grade (US) from 1

**Distributor**

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 1

**Hockey Superstars 2025–2026**By (author) Paul Romanuk 

Sep 02, 2025 | Paperback, Trade | \$9.99

Players in this edition:

- Nathan MacKinnon - Colorado - C
- Leon Draisaitl - Edmonton - C
- Lane Hutsen - Montreal - D
- Linus Ullmark - Ottawa - G
- Josh Morrissey - Winnipeg - D
- Mitch Marner - Toronto - RW
- Connor McDavid - Edmonton - C
- Quinn Hughes - Vancouver - D
- Jonathan Huberdeau - Calgary - LW
- Mikko Rantanen - Carolina - RW
- Jakob Chychrun - Washington - D
- Jordan Binnington - St. Louis - G
- Connor Hellebuyck - Winnipeg - G
- Jack Eichel - Vegas - C
- Zach Werenski - Columbus - D
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- Cale Makar - Colorado - D

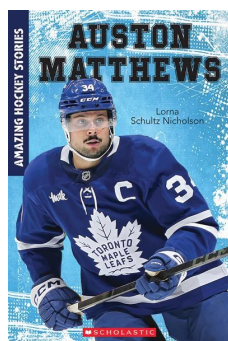
**Contributor Bio**

**PAUL ROMANUK** has worked his way from calling games in front of his television with the sound turned down as a child to being a veteran national sportscaster. He was the lead hockey play-by-play voice at *The Sports Network* for more than a decade and worked as a reporter and host on *SportsCentre*. Aside from calling hundreds of hockey games, Paul has covered the Summer Olympics, Winter Olympics, Pan Am Games, Asian Games and Soccer World Cup. His travels for work have taken him from the Far East to Australia to Russia, all over Europe and to over a hundred cities in Canada and the United States. Paul is also an accomplished photographer.

**Reviews****Praise for Hockey Superstars:**

"It's easy to imagine author Romanuk as a super-fan eager to pass on his interest in the game to younger versions of himself with this series, and he's certainly done a fine job at that task." — *Quill & Quire*

"Romanuk and his publishing team know well what the fans want, and with this book, they deliver it." — *CM: Canadian Review of Materials*



9781039710221

- English
- 6 x 9 in
- Scholastic Canada

**Subject**

JUVENILE NONFICTION/Sports &amp; Recreation/Hockey

**Audience range**

Age (years) from 7 - 12, Grade (US) from 3 - 6

**Distributor**

Scholastic Canada Limited

Carton Quantity: 80

Amazing Hockey Stories

**Amazing Hockey Stories: Auston Matthews**

By (author) Lorna Schultz Nicholson 🍁, Illustrated by David Bishop 🍁

Sep 02, 2025 | Paperback, Trade | \$9.99

**A spotlight on Auston Matthews — NHL superstar!**

Born in San Ramon, California, and raised in Scottsdale, Arizona, hockey might seem like an unlikely career choice for Auston Matthews. But he fell in love with the sport at a young age, and his natural talent was quickly apparent.

After participating in USA Hockey's National Team Development Program and playing a single season in the top Swiss pro league, Auston was drafted first overall by the Toronto Maple Leafs and made his NHL debut shortly after his nineteenth birthday.

In his nine seasons — so far — in the NHL, Auston has racked up records, awards and accolades, especially for his ability to score goals — lots of them!

As the Maple Leafs continue their quest for the Stanley Cup, Auston Matthews is leading the charge.

**Contributor Bio**

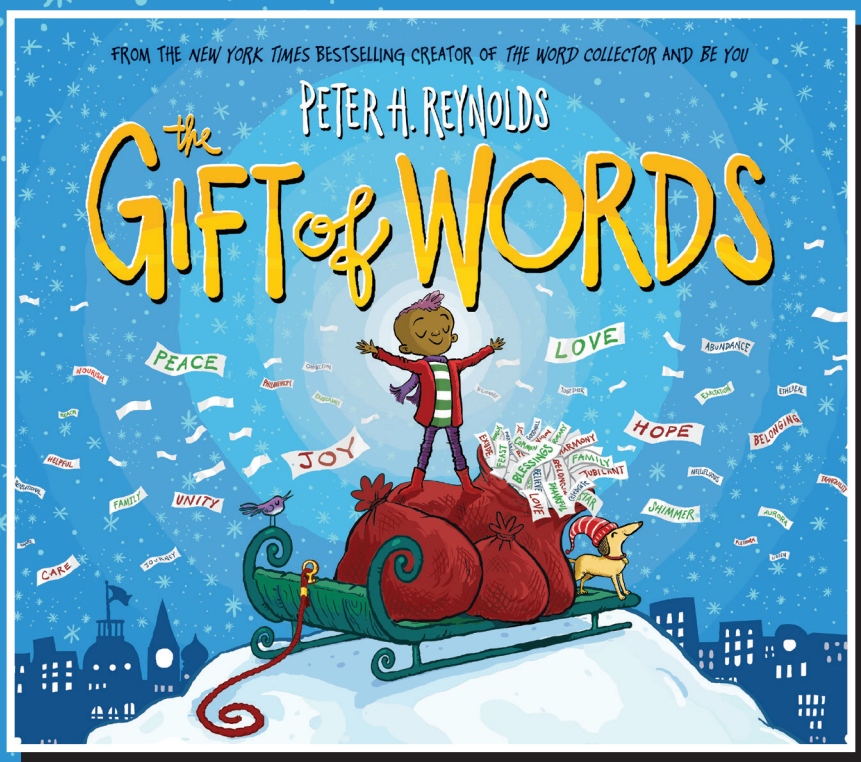
**LORNA SCHULTZ NICHOLSON** grew up in St. Catharines, Ontario, and as a child loved to read, write and compete in all kinds of sports. She is the respected author of many middle-grade and YA novels, the Puckster picture book series, and several non-fiction books about hockey, including the Amazing Hockey Stories series. Lorna lives in Penticton, British Columbia with her family. She is a HUGE Edmonton Oilers fan. Visit her online at [www.lornaschultznicholson.com](http://www.lornaschultznicholson.com).

**DAVID BISHOP** always wanted to make comics . . . and now he does! He was born in Montreal, grew up in Brampton and now resides in Pickering, Ontario. He has recently illustrated for the Chapterhouse series True Patriot Presents and writes and draws his own comic series, Of Stone. D.A. Bishop also enjoys oil painting and just hanging out with his wife and two kids. Visit him online at [www.renerd.com](http://www.renerd.com).



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