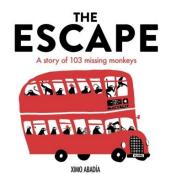


Recommended Picture Books Autumn Term 2023



Abadia, Ximo The escape: a story of 103 missing monkeys

6+

Templar Pbk 7.99 9781787419308 Interest age: 4+ Reading age:

When 103 monkeys escape from the zoo they explore the city and beyond. Unusual counting story with striking black and white illustrations, and plenty of details for sharp eyed readers to spot.



Adichie, Chimamanda Mama's sleeping scarf Ngozi

Harper Collins Hbk 12.99 9780008550073
Interest age: 4+ Reading age: 6+

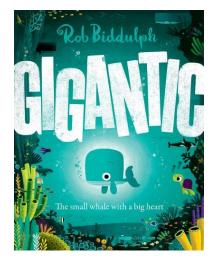
Chino borrows her mother's scarf to play with and enjoys the little details and joys of every day family life. Lovely celebration of families and diversity with bright colourful illustrations.



Barker, Fiona Fox's favourite Autumn

Scholastic Pbk 7.99 9780702313929 Interest age: 3+ Reading age: 6+

Autumn is Fox's favourite time of the year and so he tries everything he can to make Autumn stay, but eventually learns to accept the changes. Lovely illustrations accompany this sweet seasonal story.

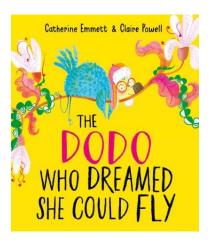


Biddulph, Rob Gigantic

Harper Collins Hbk 12.99 9780008413439 Interest age: 4+ Reading age:

Gigantic is only a small whale who is taunted by his older and larger brother Titan. However, it is Gigantic who comes to the rescue when Titan is in trouble. Told in rhyme with very appealing illustrations this book would read aloud very well.

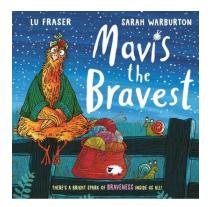
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Emmett, Catherine The dodo who dreamed she could fly

Simon & Schuster Pbk 7.99 9781398517158
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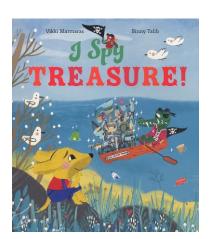
Delilah the Dodo has a dream to fly, but she keeps it to herself in case others were to laugh. She's on a mission to be the first dodo to take flight, and she won't let what any of the other dodos say stand in her way. Rhyming text with lovely bright expressive illustrations.



Fraser, Lu Mavis the bravest

Simon & Schuster Pbk 6.99 9781471191435 Interest age: 4+ Reading age: 6+

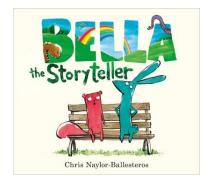
Mavis is not like her adventurous friend Marge. Mavis is a chicken who finds everything scary. So when their night time peace is disturbed by someone trying to steal Sandra the sheep, will Mavis be able to find her bright spark of braveness and save Sandra? A very amusing story told in rhyme which would read aloud well.



Marmaras, Vikki I spy treasure!

New Frontier Pbk 7.99 9781915167361 Interest age: 4+ Reading age: 6+

Captain Snarkle Tooth is a grouchy pirate who steals sparkly treasure from the sea around Shimmertown. The local residents think he is a villain, but when Billy spies on him, he makes a very surprising discovery. Good story about the environment for young readers.



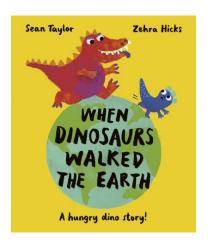
Naylor-Ballesteros, Chris Bella the storyteller

Andersen Press Hbk 12.99 9781839132735
Interest age: 4+ Reading age:

Bella is always the background in every story, but today she's taking control and creating her own story full of adventure. She thinks it is going to be the best story ever, but Rabbit and Squirrel are not so sure. Very funny and entertaining story about imagination and storytelling.

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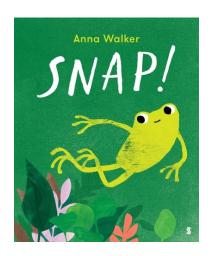
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Taylor, Sean When dinosaurs walked the Earth: a hungry dino story!

Frances Lincoln Pbk 7.99 9780711277212 Interest age: 3+ Reading age:

Smallasaurus is on the hunt for some sweet and juicy ferns. But, here comes Badasaurus who is a big, meat-eating dinosaur and is going to catch Smallasaurus. Then, Worseasaurus notices and chooses which dinosaur she'd like for breakfast. How will it end? Fun story to read aloud.



Walker, Anna Snap!

Scribble Hbk 12.99 9781914484346 Interest age: 3+ Reading age: 6+

How will Frog escape the swoops, snips, and snaps of all sorts of animals in the forest and get to the party on time? Delightful and funny adventure with simple text aimed at very young readers. Great to read aloud as there are lots of noises to join in with.

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