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The Wonderful Helperkin
by Nora Dahlke and
Carola Sieverding
26 pages
190 x 190 mm
December 2026



The helperkin is enchanting!
A little helper for any
problem – very relatable and
relevant to young children's
everyday lives

Stroking, comforting, defusing
arguments – the helperkin is
straight to the rescue!

With a lovely little magic spell
for children to repeat

The little badger has fallen off his balance bike and hurt his knee. But not to worry: The helperkin comes straight to the rescue! The cuddly little fluffball has a suitcase full of everything you could possibly need for ouchies big and small. A bit of magic cream and a nice plaster for the badger, then a little blow, a stroke and a kiss – and soon he's as right as rain!

The helperkin shows the hedgehog how to get along with his friend, helps the owl to fall asleep, and cures the deer's sore throat. But what happens when the helperkin needs help himself?

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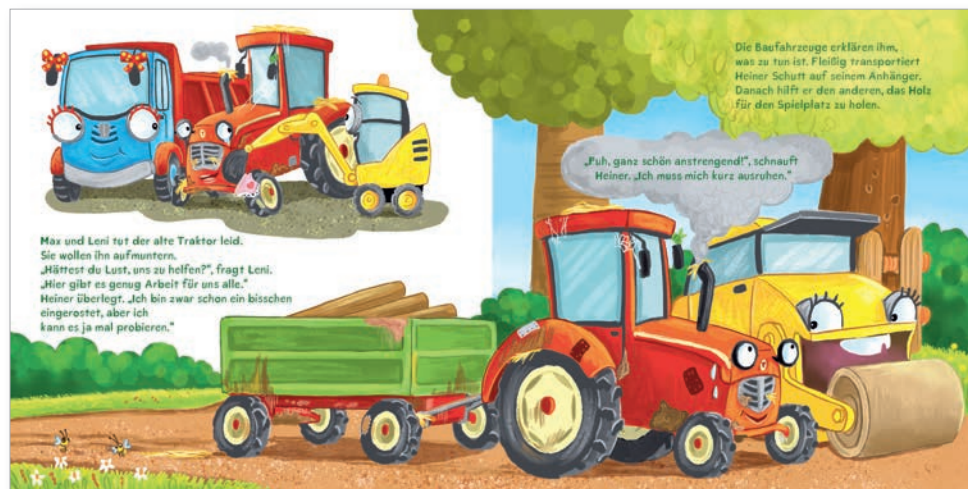


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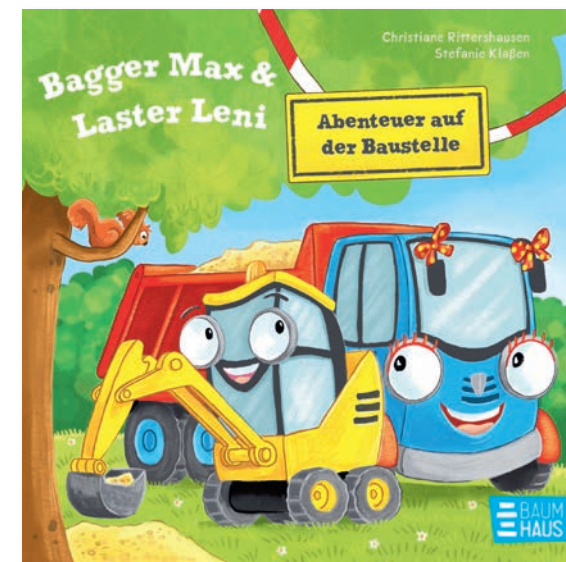


The Christmas
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26 pages

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Max the Digger and Leni the Lorry
by Christiane Rittershausen and
Stefanie Klaben
26 pages
190 x 190 mm
August 2026



For all vehicle and building
site fans aged 2+

Very relatable: the book
features a female vehicle
character in the form of Leni

**Leni & Max: friendship, fun and adventure on the
construction site!**

Max the digger and Leni the Lorry are always there when you need them! Together with their friends, the vehicles are going to demolish an old farmhouse and build a playground in its place.

While they're working they meet the helpful old tractor Heiner, who's chugging away to himself sadly. He used to have lots of jobs to do on the farm, but now nobody needs him any more. Not long afterwards, a tow truck shows up — has it come to take Heiner away? Not if Max and Leni have anything to do with it! Because the two of them have had an idea about how Heiner could help with the playground...



One Huge Hug
(Vol.1)
26 pages



One Big Puff
(Vol.2)
26 pages



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(Vol.3)
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(Vol.4)
26 pages



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(Vol.5)
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(Vol.6)
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(Vol.8)
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(Vol.9)
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(Vol.11)
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(Vol.12)
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(Vol.13)
26 pages



Look at All My Colours
(Vol.14)
26 pages



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Where's My Present?
(Vol.15)
by Sophie Schoenwald
and Nadine Reitz
26 pages
190 x 190 mm
August 2026



A cute interactive board
picture book for children
aged 2+ – perfect for advent
and Christmas

Promotes motor skills and
language acquisition through
fun and varied interactions

It will soon be Christmas, and the little reindeer has to quickly give out the last few presents for his friends. But – oh no! She's forgotten who's supposed to get which one. The carrot must be for the animal with long, soft ears – the rabbit! Quick, give the carrot a rub and make it all bright and clean. And could the pine cone be for the agile little creature with the bushy tail who loves climbing trees? Of course – it's the squirrel. Give the book a good shake to make the pine cone fall out of the tree. Soon the presents are all given out, ready for Christmas to begin!





The Big Teeth-Brushing Day
at the Zoo (Vol.1)
32 pages



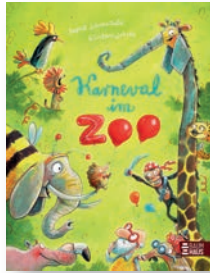
Christmas at the Zoo (Vol.5)
32 pages



Sweet Dreams, Hugo
Hedgehog
32 pages



Welcome to the Zoo – A New Home
for Hugo Peppermint Hedgehog
112 pages



Carnival at the Zoo (Vol.2)
32 pages



The Zoo's Big Trip Around the
World (Vol.6)
32 pages



Help the Lion Brush His Teeth
26 pages (Board Book)



Bedtime at the Zoo (Vol.3)
32 pages



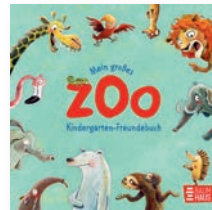
The Zoo Games (Vol.7)
32 pages



No Fibbing at the Zoo
26 pages (Board Book)



Offspring at the Zoo (Vol.4)
32 pages



My Kindergarten Friends Book
64 pages

Help the Lion Wash His Hair!
by Sophie Schoenwald
and Günther Jakobs
26 pages
190 x 190 mm
August 2026

Over
260.000 copies
sold across
the series

Promotes fine motor skills,
creativity and imagination in
a playful way



He looks like he's been dragged through a hedge backwards! Lord Lion's mane is all tangled and full of dust, leaves and crumbs. But his zoo animal friends help him to tame his wild locks – and little readers can join in too! Help wet the lion's mane, rub shampoo into it, comb it, towel it dry and blowdry it – and have lots of fun in the process!



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**A Little Spider Named Yucky –
 The Night-Time Walk
 (Vol.13)**
 by Diana Amft and Martina Matos
 32 pages
 210 x 235 mm
 August 2026

Over
 2 million copies
 sold across the
 series!



**Interesting factual
 information for little
 ones, packaged in a
 lovely story**

Yucky the little spider is very excited, because today she and Sneezzy are going on a night-time walk! Full of curiosity, the two friends set off. They meet an owl, a wood mouse, a raccoon and lots of other nocturnal animals. They discover that the shining glow-worms are actually a type of beetle – and that bats can “see” in the dark using their ears. Who would have thought there was so much going on under cover of darkness!

In this warmhearted child-friendly book, actor and author Diana Amft tells the story of an exciting night-time walk – full of wonder, friendship and little marvels along the way.





A Little Spider Named Yucky
(Vol.1)



A Little Spider Named Yucky -
The Birthday Visitors
(Vol.2)



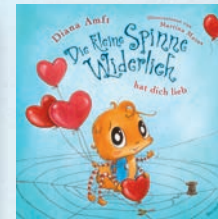
A Little Spider Named Yucky -
Holidays on a Farm
(Vol.3)



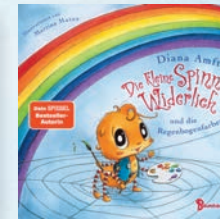
A Little Spider Named Yucky -
The New Baby
(Vol.4)



A Little Spider Named Yucky
Says Goodnight
16 pages (Board Book)



A Little Spider Named Yucky
Loves You
16 pages (Board Book)



A Little Spider Named
Yucky and the Colours of the
Rainbow
26 pages (Board Book)



Through the Year With a Little
Spider Named Yucky
26 pages (Board Book)



A Little Spider Named Yucky -
Let's Play School!
(Vol.5)



A Little Spider Named Yucky -
The Trip to the Ocean
(Vol.6)



A Little Spider Named Yucky -
Wonderful Winter Time
(Vol.7)



A Little Spider Named Yucky -
A Visit to the Doctor
(Vol.8)



A Little Spider Named Yucky -
My Games and Colouring Book
24 pages



A Little Spider Named Yucky -
My Farm Activity Book
24 pages



A Little Spider Named Yucky -
My First Letters
96 pages



A Little Spider Named Yucky -
My Babyalbum
64 pages



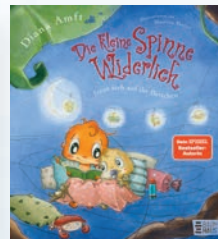
A Little Spider Named Yucky -
A Walk in the Forest
(Vol.9)



A Little Spider Named Yucky -
Adventures in the Mountains
(Vol.10)



A Little Spider Named Yucky -
Teeny Spider Starts Kindergarten
(Vol.11)



A Little Spider Named Yucky -
Looking Forward to Bedtime
(Vol.12)



A Little Spider Named Yucky -
My School Friends
96 pages





Daddyphant — Angry? Not Me! (Vol.2)

by Nicola Anker and Patrick Fix

32 pages

240 x 300 mm

September 2026



A beautifully illustrated picture book that's relatable for children and adults alike

Important everyday issues: anger is a major theme at preschool and at home

Age-appropriate and funny, with plenty of space to talk about feelings

Daddyphant is always on hand when his children, Nellie and Phanta, need advice. With plenty of humour and a little chaos, he helps them through the day. Even when they're really angry, he knows just what to do: he encourages them to trumpet their anger out, to skip happily away or to count backwards. He is simply incorrigible and daddyphantastic! But when Daddyphant learns why they are both so angry, he suddenly gets that strange feeling in his tummy too. So it's a good thing Nellie and Phanta now know what to do to help him! Because one thing's for sure: everyone is allowed to get angry sometimes — even Daddyphant!

Also available:



Daddyphant — Scared of the Dark? Not Me! (Vol.1)
32 pages

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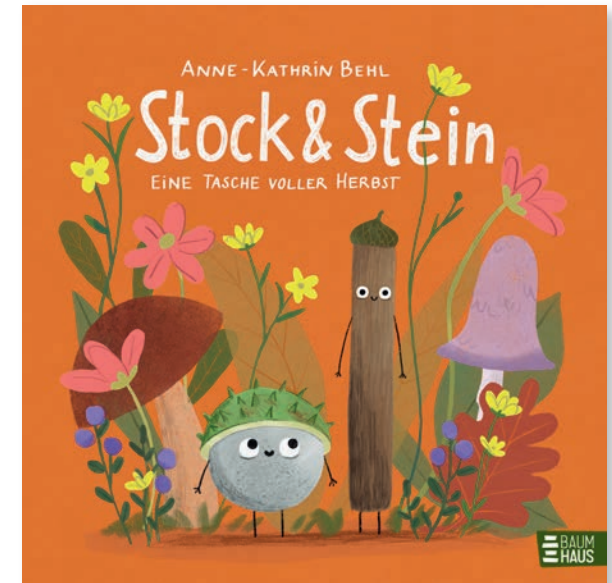
Stick & Stone – A Pocket
Full of Autumn
(Vol.2)
by Anne-Kathrin Behl
32 pages
250 x 250 mm
August 2026



Perfect for autumn

Funny, original and full of
charm: Book 2 of our popular
picture book series

A story that inspires
imagination and creativity



It's getting cramped in the jacket pocket!

Stick and Stone have made themselves nice and comfy in their jacket pocket. So imagine their surprise when they suddenly hear a bad-tempered voice from under their tissue blanket! The newcomer introduces herself as Conker. She's not at all happy to have ended up in the jacket pocket. She was meant for greater things! She wanted to be a unicorn, a hedgehog or even a dragon! But now, instead of being used for a craft project, here she is just shrivelling away! Stick and Stone barely have time to listen to what Conker has to say, however, because in no time at all the pocket is filling up again – with acorns, pine cones and leaves. This is not what the two friends had in mind!

Also available:



Stick & Stone (Vol.1)
32 pages

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**The Mussel Mob –
Where Is the Sparkledragon?
by Alexandra Helm**
32 pages
240 x 300 mm
August 2026



**A humorous pirate adventure
featuring dragons, unicorns
and lots of wordplay – great
fun to read aloud**

**Five large, detailed hidden
picture pages to examine,
marvel at and talk about**

**From the pen of Alexandra
Helm ("101 Unicorns",
"101 Monsters")**

Full steam ahead – but be careful!

The Mussel Mob are sailing happily along, looking forward to getting home, when Parrot Pete blurts out a secret: on an island somewhere in the ocean there's said to be a sparkling dragon! Naturally Cap'n Guido, pirate Minnie Mackerel and the crew set a course for the island at once.

Their intrepid voyage takes them to the mysterious Dragon Island. The crew bravely prepare to confront dangerous dragons... but when they arrive on the island there's a big surprise in store. The dragons are not dangerous – they're super-cute! And they desperately need help, because the Sparkledragon has been kidnapped. The trail leads to a mob of feral unicorns...



**That's What I Think!
What Do You Think?**
by Sophie Schönberger
and Emma Martschinke
32 pages
240 x 300 mm
August 2026



**A picture book that makes
the important issue of
"freedom of expression"
understandable to children at
their level**

**Encourages children to
communicate with each
other, express their opinions
and listen to their gut**

**THE PARLIAMENT OF THE
ANIMALS received glowing
reviews in the press and
from educators, and was
recommended by STIFTUNG
LESEN**

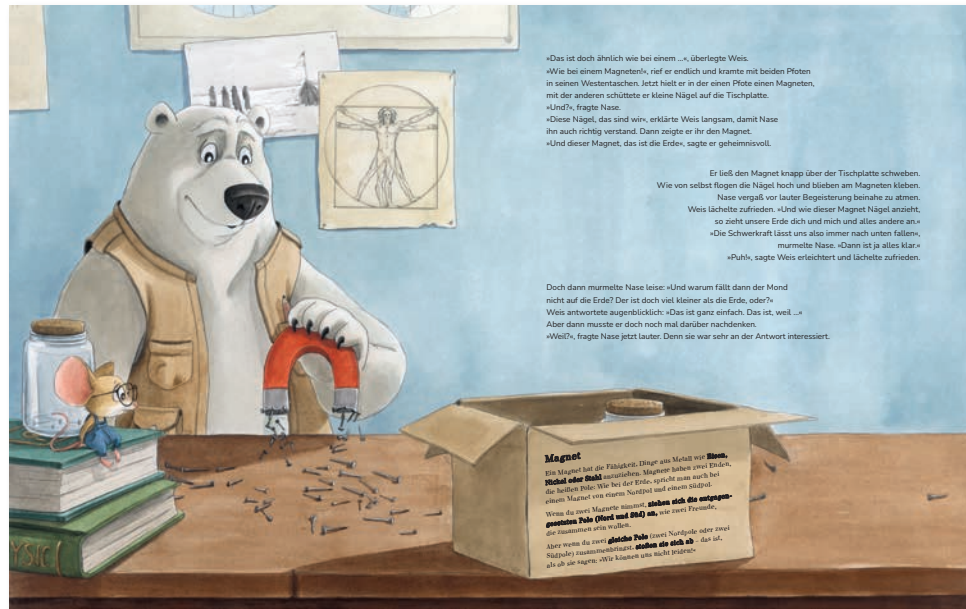


Lina the rabbit and Felix the fox are planning a party with their friends. Everyone's looking forward to it, but they all have different ideas about what there should be at the party. Deer thinks they absolutely must have glittery decorations. The mouse loves marble cake. For the bear, liver sausage sandwiches are the highlight of any party. How are they ever going to agree? Lina knows there's no right or wrong. But Enno the badger has an objection to everything. When he says cake would blow away if they serve it outside, the animals are perplexed. Can that really be Enno's opinion? And how are Felix and Lina supposed to express their own opinions when Enno is so persuasive?

Also available:



**The Parliament of the
Animals**
32 pages



Smart & Aleck – Why Do I Always Fall Downwards? (Vol.1)

by Michael Engler and
Martina Matos
32 pages
240 x 300 mm
September 2026



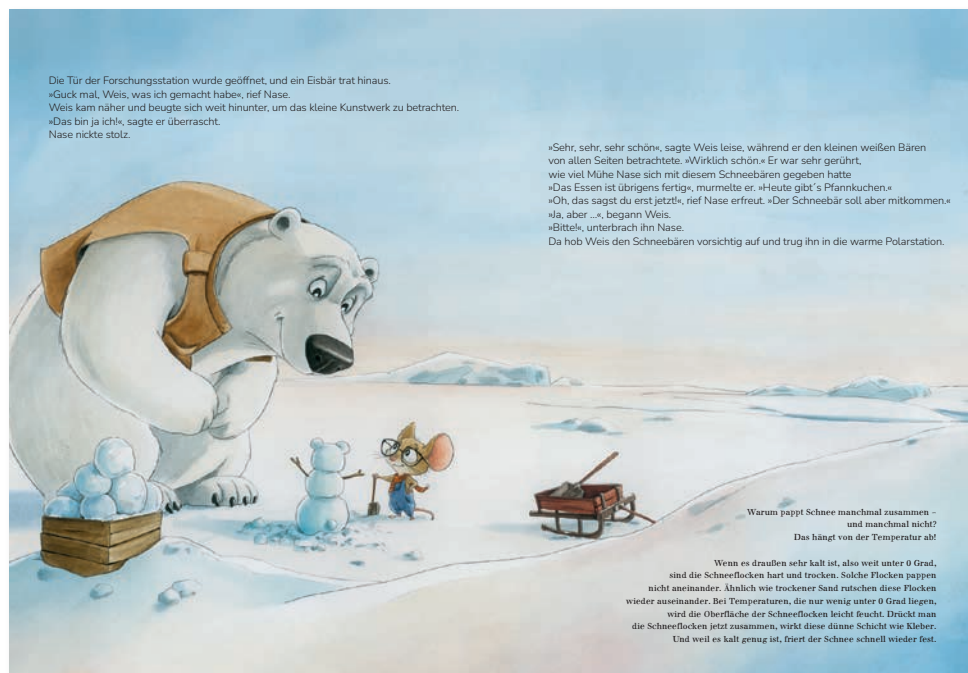
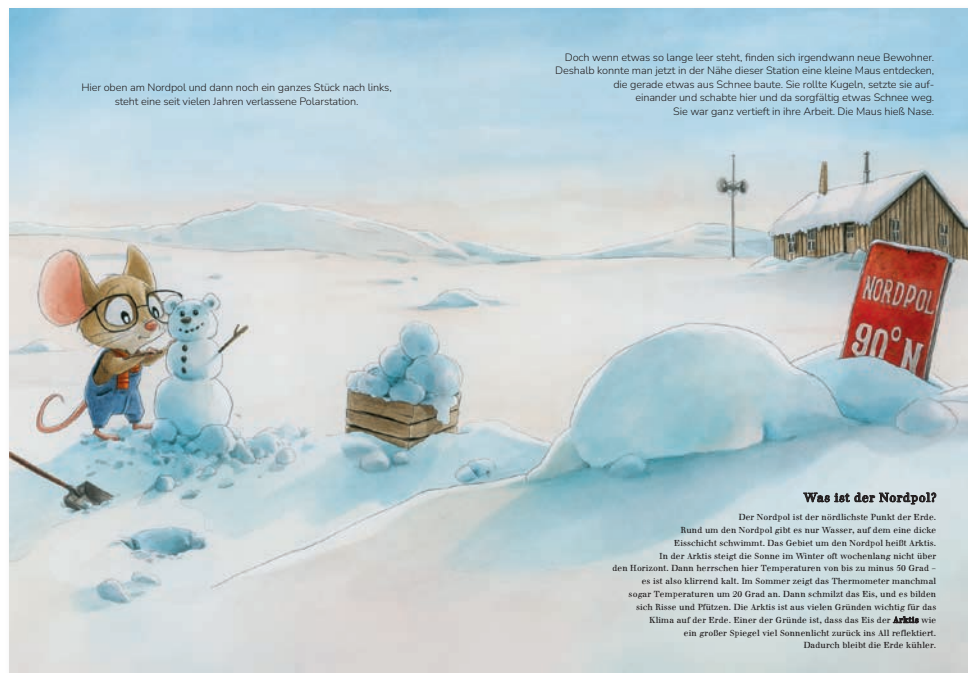
Acquiring knowledge through
relatable characters – Smart
and Aleck are curious
researchers. Using simple
experiments and clear
comparisons, they explain the
world to each other

Age-appropriate non-fiction
themes woven into a
warmhearted story about
friendship

Detailed illustrations bring the
non-fiction content to life and
make this book a very special
read-aloud experience

“Why do I always fall downwards?” wonders Aleck the mouse. Luckily, she lands in the wonderfully soft paw of Smart the polar bear, who promises to investigate and find out why. And so the pair become scientists. They experiment, ask questions and find out how gravity works, who Isaac Newton was, what centrifugal forces are, and what the moon has to do with everything.

Even when Aleck goes flying through the air and lands in the wastepaper basket, they realise (in the midst of their giggles) that even when experiments go wrong they can still tell you something useful. In this accessible child-friendly book, science becomes an adventure – and in the end Smart and Aleck are not only knowledgeable, but also the best of friends.



Smart & Aleck – The Wonder of Water (Vol.2)

by Michael Engler and
Martina Matos
32 pages
240 x 300 mm
November 2026



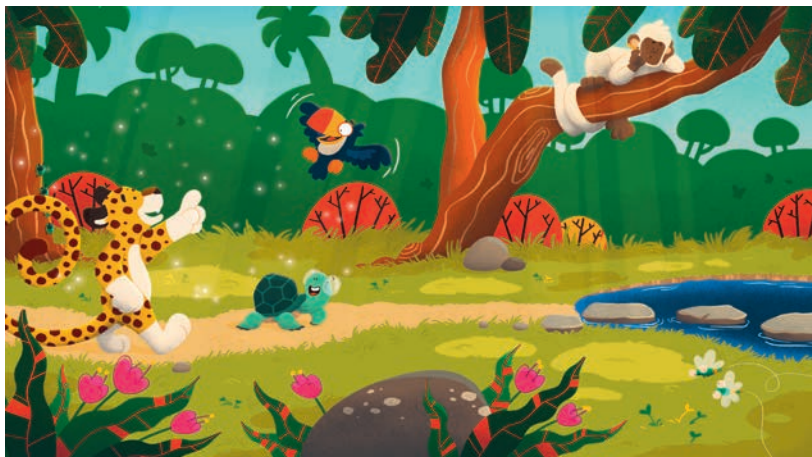
This books provides a child-friendly explanation of the water cycle, the power of water, and the importance of drinking water as a resource

A warmhearted story that will fill children with wonder – all about friendship and finding out

Clear illustrations bring the science to life

Oh no – Aleck's snow bear has melted! She made it for her best friend Smart. Luckily, Smart soon has one of his brilliant ideas. The pair become water researchers: they discover how water turns into steam and then back into snow. They build a dam and learn how much power water has.

And when Smart shows his friend, with the help of Bathtub and Toothbrush Mug, how much water there is in the world and how little of it can be used as drinking water, they realise that water really is precious! In the end Aleck's head is swimming from everything they've learned. Is there anything that can help her? Of course: a glass of water – and some pancakes made by her best friend.



Fear is a Good Feeling
by Mathias Siebel and
Constanze Werneburg
32 pages
210 x 235 mm
August 2026



It can sometimes be difficult to make sense of and understand feelings — whether you're young or old. In the third volume of this picture book series, children once again join Leopard and Turtle on their adventures through the 'Jungle of Emotions'. Together, they encounter a new emotion — fear — and discover how facing it makes you strong.

A heart-warming picture book with enchanting illustrations and a powerful message for children aged 4 and over.

Also available:



Anger is a Good Feeling
32 pages
March 2026



Courage is a Good Feeling
32 pages
March 2026

Picture books, 32 pages each:



The Two of Us Belong Together
(Vol.1)



The Two of Us Are Friends For Life
(Vol.2)



The Two of Us In Winter
(Vol.3)



The Two of Us Are There For Each Other
(Vol.4)



The Two of Us and the Egg
(Vol.5)



The Two of Us Encourage Each Other
(Vol.6)



The Two of Us Are Inseparable
(Vol.7)



The Two of Us Make Up
(Vol.8)



Can You Tell Me What Friendship Is?
(Vol.9)

Read-aloud Books, 128 pages each, Ages 5+

Board Books, 26 pages each:



A Flower For the Rabbit –
Learn Colors With Rabbit and
Hedgehog



Rabbit, Hedgehog and 1,2,3
Carrots – Learn to Count With
Rabbit and Hedgehog



The Two of Us –
Stories to Cuddle Up With



The Two of Us –
A Year Full of Stories

The Two of Us – Stories for
Wintertime
by Michael Engler and
Joëlle Tourlonias
128 pages
170 x 235 mm
September 2026

Our bestselling
series has sold over
500,000 books

A warmhearted book that
makes the perfect gift during
the cold winter months

Michael Engler tells ten
poetic and beautifully written
stories about adventures in
the snow and cuddling up all
warm and snug



As the first snow starts to fall outside and the world grows quiet, Hedgehog is getting ready for hibernation. But Rabbit doesn't want to be without his best friend. He tries to keep him awake with snowy walks, a fun playdate with the rabbits and a cosy tea party with Squirrel, Weasel, Mole and the other woodland animals. He even writes him a poem about springtime. But can anyone stop a hedgehog from sleeping? For little hedgehogs, winter is time to hibernate – and for little people it's the perfect time to curl up and listen to a story. Ten warmhearted winter stories to read aloud.



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«Ja, eigentlich schon», bestätigte Tilly. «Aber Onkel Nils ist ein echter Nörgel-Nils. Stell dir vor: Zuerst war es ihm in meinem Wohnzimmer zu warm. Da habe ich einen Ventilator für ihn eingeschaltet, und plötzlich war es ihm zu kalt. Also habe ich ihm etwas Warmes zu essen gemacht. Das Essen war ihm aber zu heiß. Deshalb habe ich es abkühlen lassen und ihm den Teller dann noch einmal vorgesetzt. Diesmal war ihm der Kartoffelaufwurf zu kalt. Weil er hungrig war, hat er ihn trotzdem gegessen. Aber das Essen war ihm zu fad. Nach dem Würzen war es ihm zu salzig! Es ist einfach völlig unmöglich, Onkel Nils irgendetwas recht zu machen. Er freut sich nicht mal auf den Advent!»

«Ich verstehe, völlig unmöglich ...», murmelte Lavendula nickend.
«Höchstens ein Zauberkünstler könnte etwas ausrichten», schnaubte Tilly. «Er müsste etwas zaubern, das

alle Wünsche erfüllt, auch ganz gegensätzliche Wünsche. Ja, das würde vielleicht helfen.»

Lavendula sah Tilly nachdenklich an. Auf einmal hatte sie eine Idee. «Ich denke, da lässt sich etwas machen!», rief sie und flatterte eilig davon.

Lavendula flog in den Sunptdotterweg und klopfte an Kalles Werkstatttür. «Hallo, Kalle, ich hätte einen Spezialauftrag für dich.»

Der Igel sah auf. «Spezialauftrag klingt interessant», sagte er. «Worum handelt es sich?»

«Um einen Alles-wie-gewünscht-Apparat», antwortete Lavendula. Sie erklärte ihm ihre Idee ganz genau, und Kalle machte sich sofort ans Werk.

Als Lavendula den fertigen Apparat schließlich in den Apfel-dornweg brachte, war sie sehr gespannt, was Tillys Onkel sagen würde. Sie traf die Schornsteinfegerin auf der kleinen Terrasse hinter dem Häuschen an, wo sie gerade etwas Kaminholz vom Vorratsstapel nahm und in einen Korb legte.

«Hallo, Lavendula!», sagte Tilly. «Komm schnell mit rein, drinnen ist es schön warm.» Tilly schloss die Terrassentür hinter ihrer Freundin. «Darf ich dir meinen Onkel Nils vorstellen? Sie deutete auf das Eichhörnchen, das missmutig seine Teetasse von sich schob.

beharnte Lavendula. «Probier ihn doch einfach mal. Ich weiß jetzt schon, dass er dir sehr gut bekommen wird.

Als Onkel Nils den ersten Schluck nahm, murmelte Lavendula leise ihren Feenzauber:

»Ob Sonne, ob Gewitter,
ob sauer, süß oder bitter,
von allem ist etwas dabel,
und das ist einwandfrei.
Kälte, Wärme, Schatten, Licht –
alles sei im Gleichgewicht!«

Onkel Nils lehnte sich zurück, und Lavendula beobachtete ihn gespannt. «Wie schmeckt dir der Tee?», fragte sie.

«Er schmeckt ... irgendwie ... genau richtig», antwortete Onkel Nils.

Tilly sah ihn überrascht an.

«Und hast du noch mal über den Alles-wie-gewünscht-Apparat nachgedacht?», fragte Lavendula.

«Das habe ich», sagte Onkel Nils. «Ich werde ihn meiner Nachbarin mitbringen. Stellt euch vor, sie meckert den ganzen Tag lang an allem herum. Mal ist es ihr zu unordentlich, mal ist alles so gut aufgeräumt, dass sie erst recht nichts findet. Mal ist es ihr zu einsam, dann wieder findet sie, dass zu viele Leute vorbeikommen. Nichts kann man ihr recht machen!»

Da sahen Lavendula und Tilly sich an. Tilly prustete als Erste

los. Lavendula musste auch kichern, und schließlich lachten sie so sehr, dass ihnen die Tränen nur so die Wangen herunterliefen.

Es wurde ein vergnüglicher Abend mit Onkel Nils. Die Kürbissuppe schmeckte allen, und endlich konnte sich auch Tilly darüber freuen, dass Onkel Nils für ein paar Tage im Murrelbachwald zu Besuch war.



Christmas With Lavendula the Little Fairy (Vol.2)

by Katharina E. Volk and
Marlit Kraus
128 pages
170 x 235 mm
August 2026



**A popular author:
Katharina E. Volk has written
the perfect read-aloud
story to cuddle up with over
Christmas**

**Successful, tried-and-tested:
her read-aloud books have
sold over 32,000 copies –
a real bestseller**

**A book to make
Christmastime even more
magical for little ones**

Lavendula the little forest fairy is fizzing with excitement right down to the tips of her wings: Christmas is nearly here! She and her friends are having a wonderful winter, complete with sledging, lantern making and hot cocoa. But the best Christmas surprise is yet to come: Hubert the hamster has found a mysterious shimmering egg. Whatever could be inside it? Lavendula's magic surgery is the perfect place to help the little creature inside the egg hatch out. And at the end, all the forest friends get together to celebrate the most wonderful Christmas Murrelingbrook Forest has ever seen!

Also available:



Wilma Walnut and the Little
Tree Hotel
(Vol.1)
144 pages



Wilma Walnut - Winter and
Christmas at the Little Tree Hotel
(Vol.3)
128 pages



The Little Fairy Lavendula -
Welcome to the Magic Practice
(Vol.1)
128 pages

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fast so gut wie Thunfisch mit Orangensaft. Leider ist der Erdbeerjoghurt alle, den hat Mikkel verputzt. Mit Gewürzgurken. Bist du sauer, dass wir dein Essen gegessen haben? Bitte sei nicht sauer, weil ... »

Mikkel kniffte Flocke in die Seite. »Quatsche ich wieder zu viel?«, fragte das Rentier. Mikkel nickte.

»tschuldigung, ich quatsche immer zu viel, wenn ich aufgeregt bin. Und das hier ist **so aufregend!** Erst war da plötzlich diese Tür, und dann war da das ganze Essen, und nichts davon schmeckt nach Weihnachten! Wir bekommen doch sonst nur Plätzchen und Kakao und Lebkuchen ... »



»Halt!«, fiel ich Flocke ins Wort.
Mir war mit einem Mal ganz schwindelig. Wieso saßen da ein Wichtel und ein **Rentier** in Omas Küche? Hatte die komische Weihnachtswunschmaschine etwa meine Gehirnströme verknotet? Hatte ich jetzt den Verstand verloren? Ich blinzelte, aber das half nicht. Die beiden seltsamen Gestalten waren immer noch da.

Zögerlich ging ich einige Schritte auf sie zu. »Seid ihr ... seid ihr echt?«, stammelte ich.

»Echt was?«, fragte Mikkel. »Echt verfressen? Leider ja.« Er zuckte mit den Schultern.

»**Börps!**«, rülpste Flocke wie zur Bestätigung, »tschuldigung, die Würstchen ... «

»Nein! Ich meine, seid ihr ... « Ich wusste gar nicht, was ich sagen sollte. Das war zu verrückt, um es laut auszusprechen! Aber ich musste es einfach wissen. »Seid ihr ein echter Weihnachtswichtel und ein echtes Rentier?«

Mikkel sah mich an, als wäre ich völlig bescheuert. Und ehrlich gesagt, so kam ich mir auch vor. »Natürlich bin ich ein Wichtel. Und Flocke ist ein Rentier, wenn auch ein etwas kleingeratenes. Wir sind durch die Tür gekommen.«

»Die Tür?!«

Flocke stippte eine Gurke in das Marmeladenglas und hielt sie mir unter die Nase. »Magst du ein **Gürkchen?**«, fragte sie.



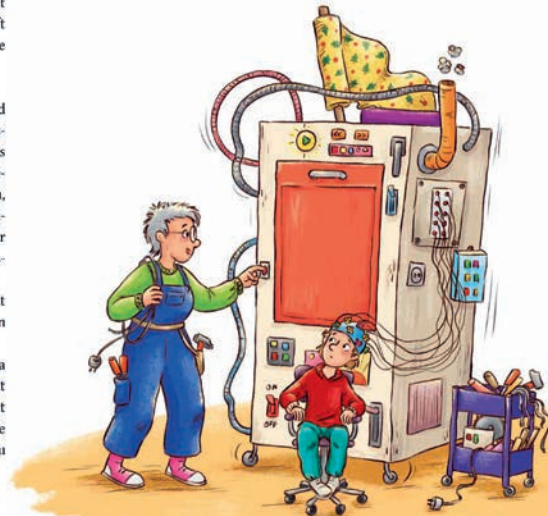
raumserie, die Mama so gerne im Fernsehen sah. Es hätte mich nicht gewundert, wenn meine Großmutter verkündet hätte, wir würden gleich damit auf dem Mars landen. Oder den Mars in die Luft sprengen. Bei ihr wusste man nie ... Erwartungsvoll grinste Oma mich an.

»Das ist äh... ziemlich groß«, stammelte ich.

»Ziemlich großartig, nicht wahr?«, freute sich Oma und klatschte in die Hände. »Ich nenne es: die Weihnachtswunschmaschine. Willst du mal ausprobieren? Hier, das musst du aufsetzen!« Sie reichte mir eine geblümte Badekappe, an der eine Menge dünner Drähte angebracht waren, die schließlich zu einem dicken roten Kabel zusammenliefen. »Jetzt muss ich die **Wunschfinde-Kappe** nur noch mit der Maschine verbinden, und dann kann's losgehen. Wo ist denn bloß die Anschlussbuchse?«

Auf allen Vieren kroch Oma um den seltsamen Apparat herum. Ich war mir sicher, dass sie den Verstand verloren hatte.

»Na bitte, da ist sie!« Etwas ungenau richtete sich Oma wieder auf und hielt triumphierend ein weiteres Kabel mit einer Steckdose am Ende in die Höhe. »Leon, warum hast du denn die Kappe noch nicht aufgesetzt? Die Maschine kann deine Weihnachtswünsche doch nicht lesen, wenn du nicht angeschlossen bist!«



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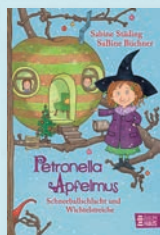
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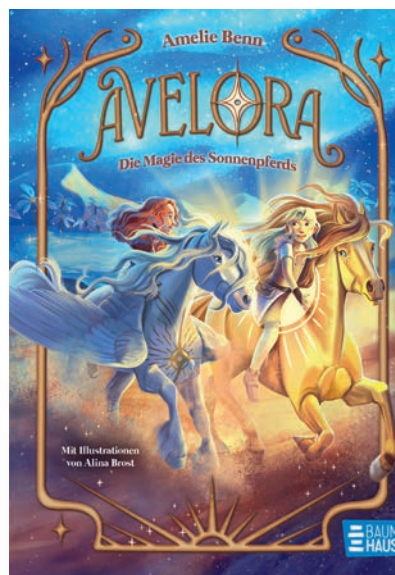
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