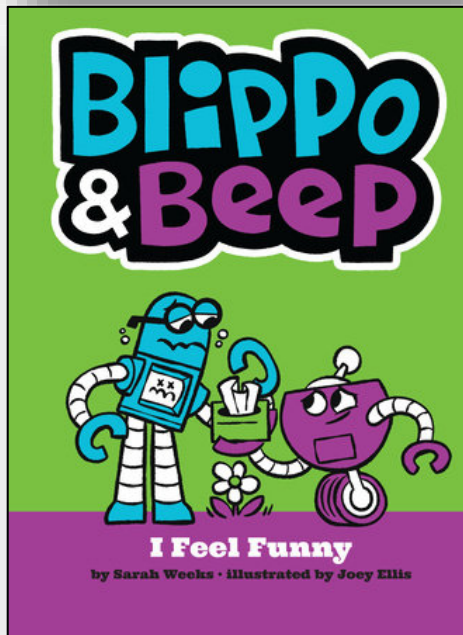
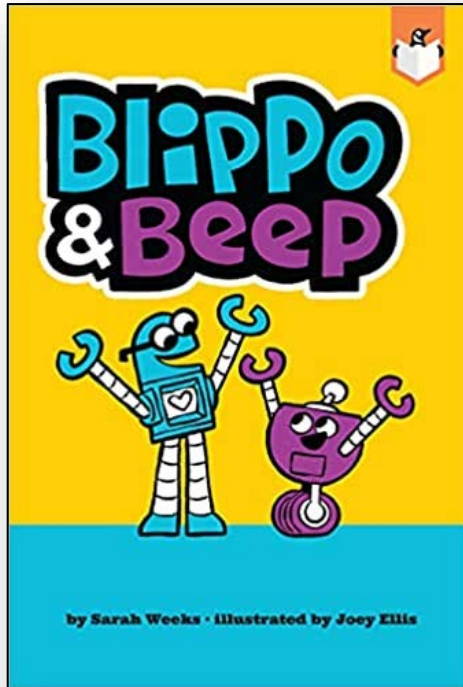


# GRAPHIC NOVELS

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# Blippo & Beep

by Sarah Weeks, illustrated by Joey Ellis

Pippin Properties / UK & Comm, Translation Text rights only  
Penguin US / Age: 4-7 / 48 pages / 2 books



With fun characters, lively illustrations, and engaging stories, these easy-to-read graphic novel help build a bridge between beginning and confident young readers.

## Blippo & Beep (May 2022)

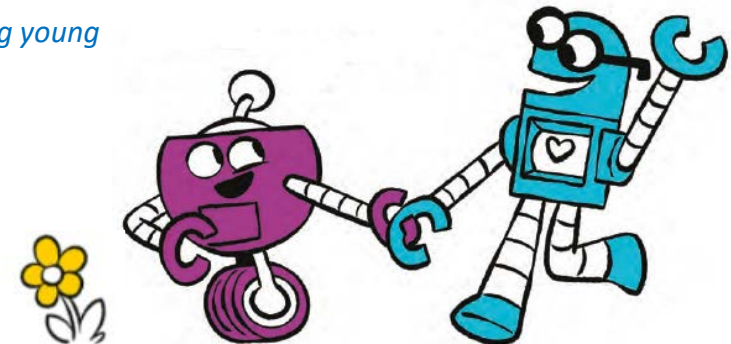
Blippo and Beep are a pair of silly robot friends. They are different, but they like being with each other. While Blippo is good-natured and eager, Beep is a bit more serious and practical. So when they start to share knock-knock jokes with each other, and Blippo doesn't really understand how they work, Beep does her best to help her friend. Can Beep help him understand before she completely runs out of patience?

## Blippo & Beep : I Feel Funny (May 2022)

Blippo and Beep are robot buddies who like to have fun together. But when Blippo gets a cold, it makes him feel funny, and it puts him in a bad mood. Luckily, his good friend Beep is there to help him feel better!

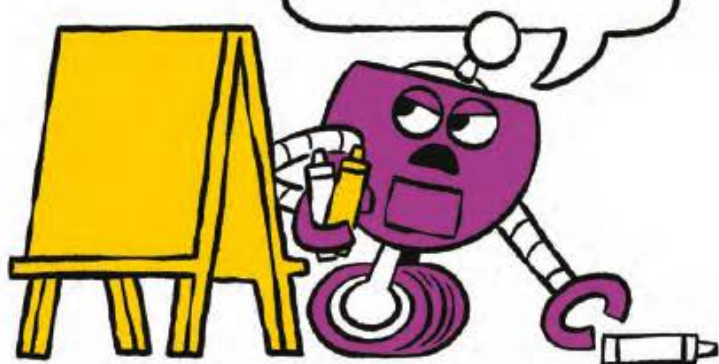
## Praise for *Blippo & Beep*:

*"Gently humorous, improvisational approach may win over budding young comics."* – Publishers Weekly



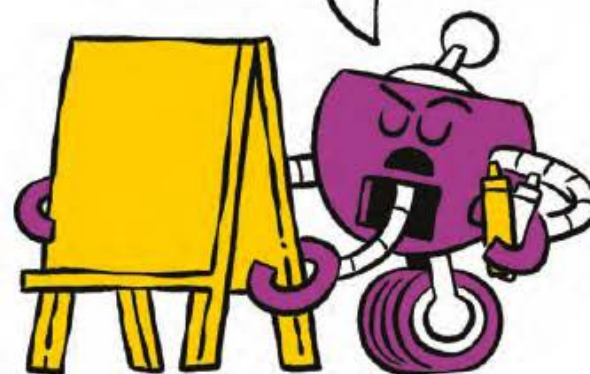


What is  
a **Blippo**  
joke?



You'll  
see.  
**Ready?**

I guess so.





# Cranky Chicken

by Katherine Battersby

Erin Murphy Literary Agency / UK & Comm, Translation

S&S / Age: 4–7 / 116 pages / 2 books

## Cranky Chicken (September 2021)

Cranky Chicken is, well, cranky. With one cranky eyebrow, cranky eyes, and even cranky, scratchy feet. But then one day, Cranky meets a very friendly worm named Speedy who wants nothing more than to be friends. Young readers will love seeing the mismatched friendship grow over the course of three charming and laugh-out-loud short adventures as Chicken and Speedy become BFFs (Best Feathered Friends) and Speedy shows Chicken how to look on the bright side.

## Cranky Chicken Party Animals (June 2022)

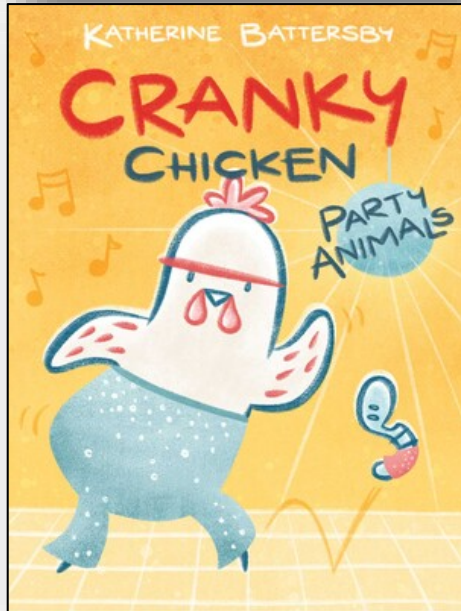
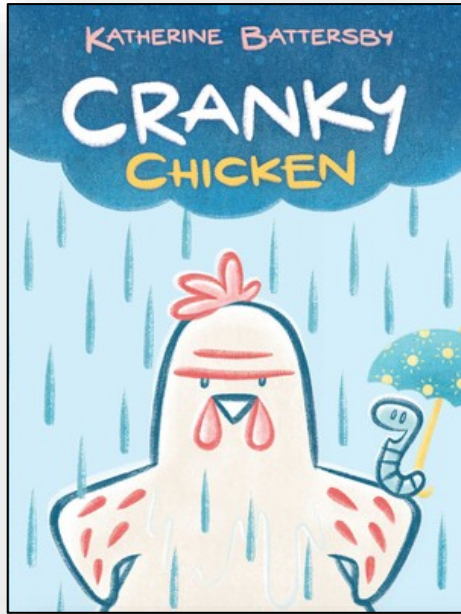
It's Cranky's birthday, so how about a surprise party? But Cranky hates surprises. So Speedy plans an unsurprise party, a day filled with all Cranky's favorite un-cranky things. After, Speedy wants to go to the beach, which Cranky absolutely does not like. Can Cranky learn to try something new? Find even more reasons to fall in love with Cranky and Speedy in these three new stories about friendship, communication, and facing things that seem scary!

### Praise for *Cranky Chicken*:

*"Sweet, wholesome fun with plenty of chicken puns and wormy weirdness."*  
– BCCB

*"In pale jewel tones, Battersby's simple panels feel breezy and contemporary; the comic companionship she develops between two complete opposites couldn't be more endearing."* – Publishers Weekly

*"Delightful, simply illustrated panels are packed with expressive motion and silliness...Will make even the crankiest reader feel that thing that's not cranky. (Happy!)"* – Kirkus Reviews



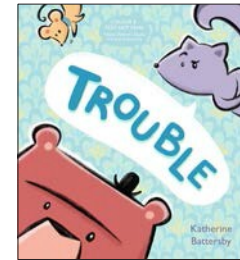
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### Also by Katherine Battersby:



*Perfect Pigeons*  
(2020)



*Trouble*  
(2021)







# Crab & Snail

by Beth Ferry, illustrated by Jared Chapman

Pippin Properties / Translation Text rights only

HarperAlley / Age: 6-9 / 64 pages / 3 books

Join Crab and Snail in the surf zone, where they think deep thoughts and have unforgettable seaside adventures

## Crab & Snail: The Invisible Whale (March 2022)

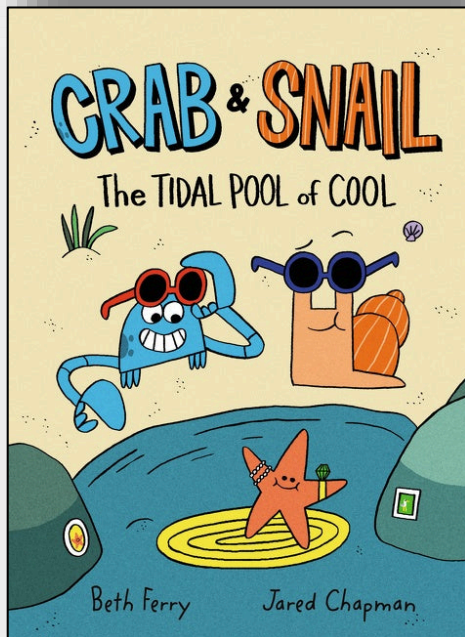
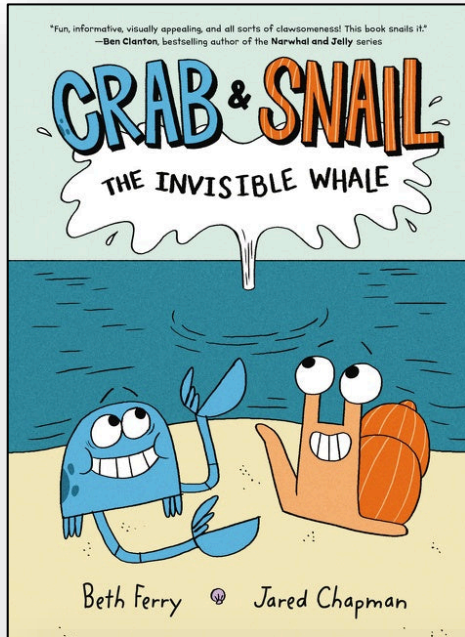
The never-ending rain is putting a damper on Crab and Snail's plans for a sunny, funny day. So when the BBFs (Best Beach Friends) realize that it's only raining on them, they put their heads together and consult one know-it-all gull (he really does know it all!) to get to the bottom of it. By the time the rain clears, the duo will have made a new friend and learned something new and wonderful about friendship!

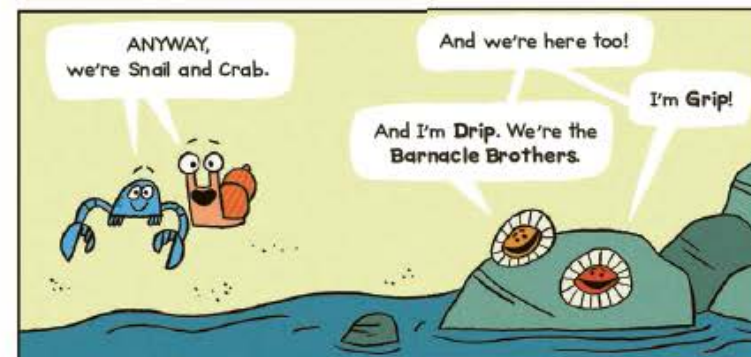
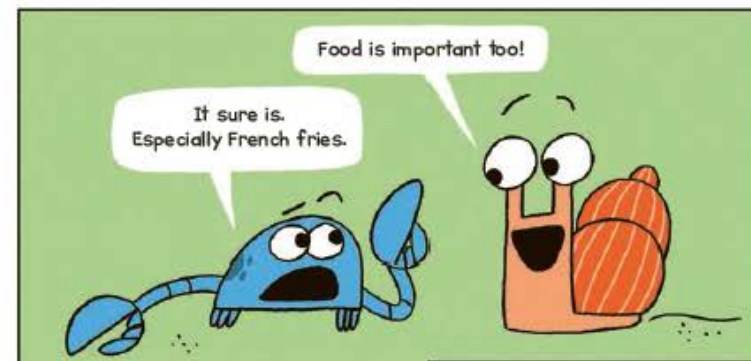
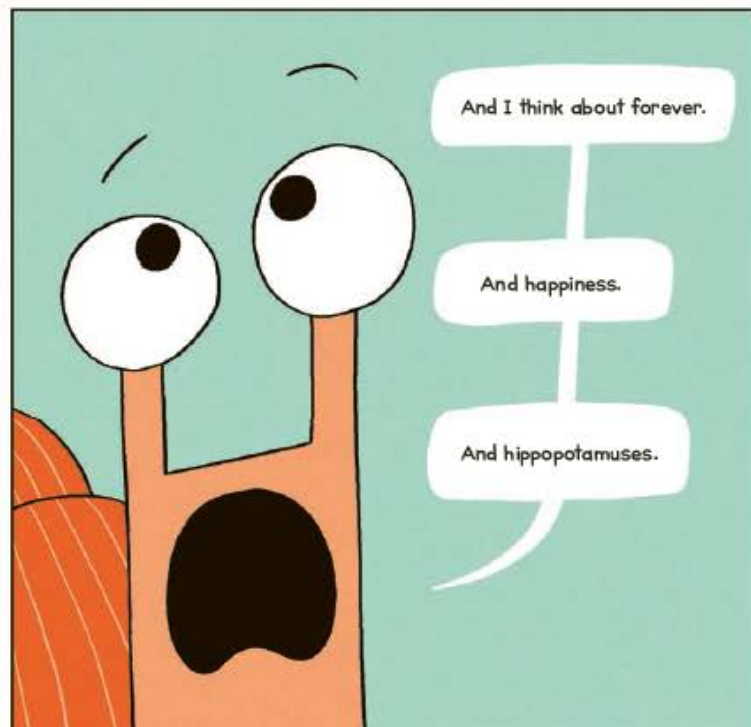
## Crab & Snail: The Tidal Pool of Cool (September 2022)

Starfish is pointy-perfect, so wow to the wow! And her tidal pool is filled with friends and fun things. But Crab and Snail weren't invited. While the best beach friends do everything they can to catch Starfish's attention and score an invite, they begin to realize that being kind just might be the coolest of cool.

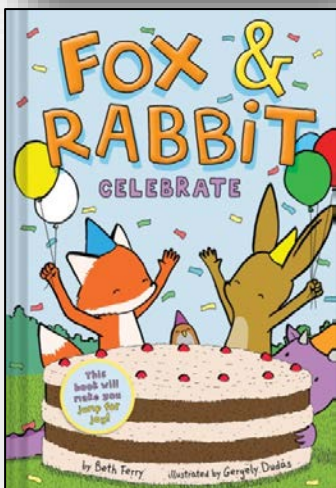
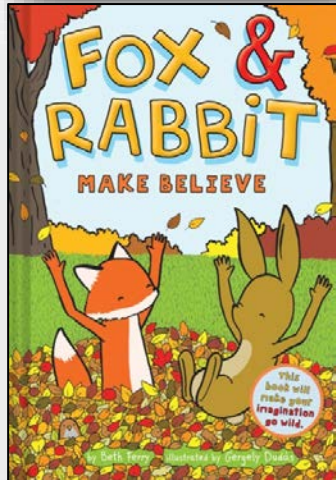
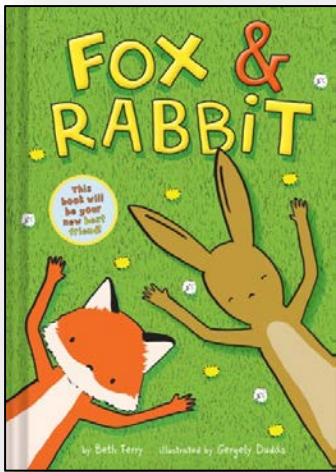
### Praise for *Crab & Snail*:

★ "Chapman's crisp, minimalist line art is well paced to amplify the comic timing of Ferry's dialogue, creating a character-based volume that reads like a cross between *SpongeBob SquarePants* and *The Muppet Show*: there's a passel of adorably goofy marine characters, lots of snappy repartee, and even a wisecracking chorus in the form of two barnacle brothers. All the pieces are in place for a promising run." — *Publishers Weekly*, starred









# Fox & Rabbit

by Beth Ferry, illustrated by Gergely Dudás

Pippin Properties & Catbird Agency / Translation  
Amulet Books / Age: 6–9 / 96 pages/ 3 books

## Fox & Rabbit (April 2020)

Easygoing Fox and anxious Rabbit seem like total opposites. But, somehow, they make the perfect pair! Whether searching for hidden treasure or planting a garden in their own backyard, Fox and Rabbit find everyday magic at every turn.

## Fox & Rabbit Make Believe (September 2020)

Fox and Rabbit are the very best of friends. But when they meet a new friend, Owl, Fox isn't so sure if there's enough friendship to go around. Soon, Fox learns that it's easy to be friends with Rabbit and Owl. They have lots of fun exploring the depths of Owl's big imagination. The second book in the *Fox & Rabbit* series will delight old fans and seamlessly welcome new ones!

## Fox & Rabbit Celebrate (April 2021)

Fox and Rabbit are cooking up something very special for Sparrow's birthday! Fox and Rabbit decide to ask for help from Dragon. They've never met Dragon, so they find their courage together. Dragon wants to help but he has never had a friend or been to a birthday party before, either. It's up to Fox and Rabbit to change all that! This third outing in the *Fox & Rabbit* series celebrates the ways in which differences can bring friends together.

## Praise for *Fox & Rabbit*:

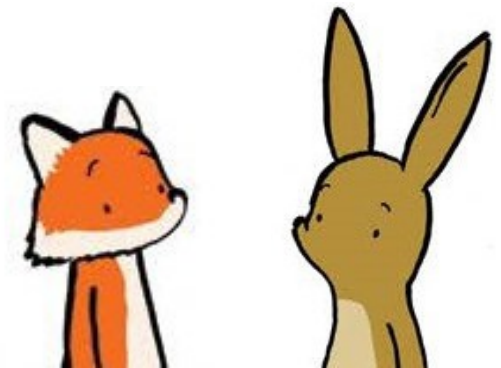
*"Five laugh-out-loud stories celebrate an unlikely animal friendship. . . Picture-book author Ferry's first foray into comics is an infectious chipper series opener."* — Kirkus Reviews

*"[T]his whimsical tale of friendship is sure to be a hit with young comics readers. A welcome addition to any graphic novel collection for young readers."*—SLJ

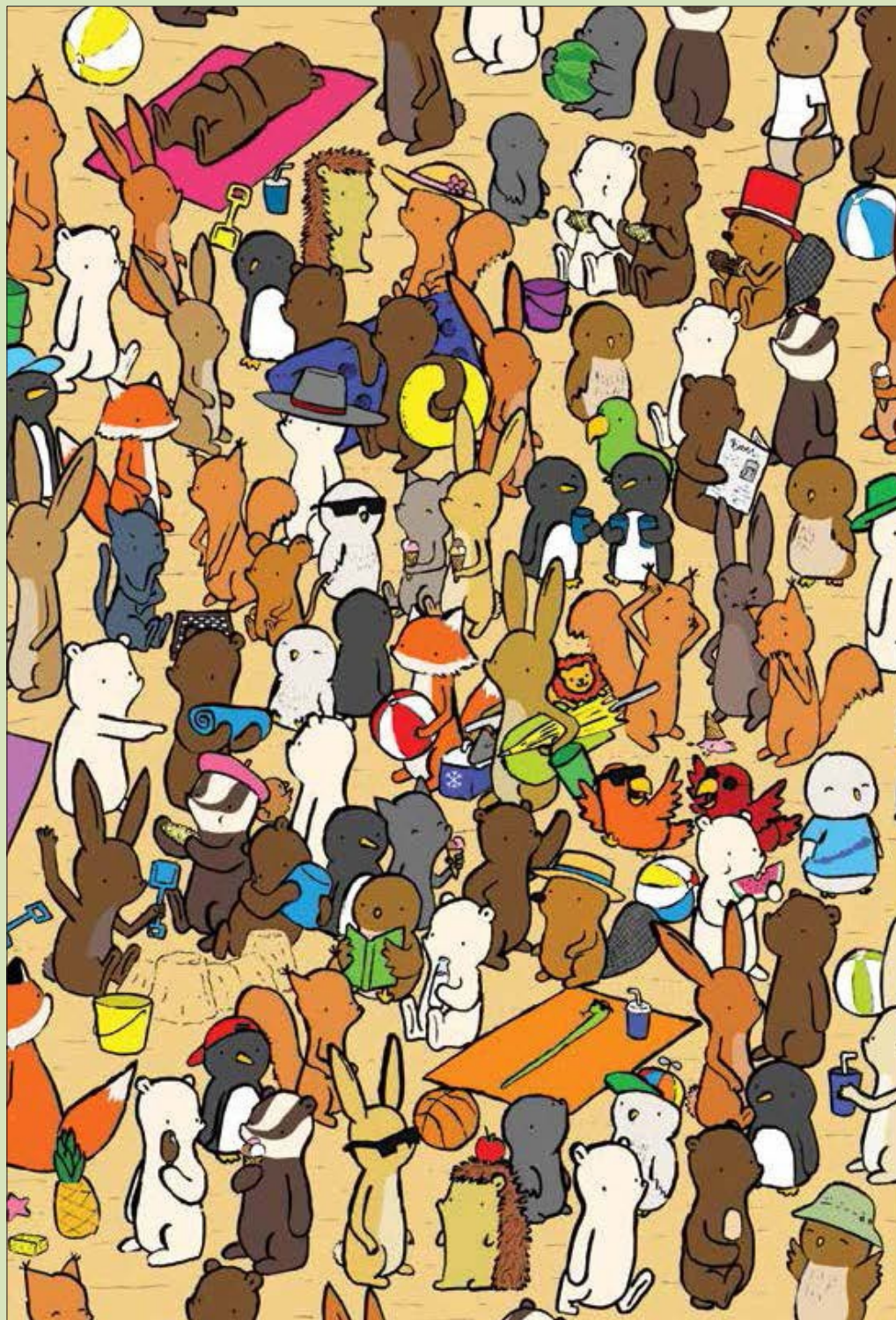
*"The dynamic first in a graphic novel series ideal for early readers transitioning to chapter books."*—Publishers Weekly

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# Doggo and Pupper

by Katherine Applegate, illustrated by Charlie Alder

Pippin Properties / UK & Comm, Translation Text rights only  
Macmillan Children's Books / Age: 6–9 / 96 pages / 3 books

## Doggo and Pupper (March 2021)

Doggo is used to things being a certain way in his family. He likes routine. Pupper is playful and messy and turns the house upside down. Soon, the humans realize that Pupper needs some training, and off he goes to puppy school. When Pupper comes back, he's well-behaved. He's not playful. He's not messy. But Doggo soon realizes that Pupper also isn't happy. So Doggo steps in to help, and rediscovers what it means to have fun.

## Doggo and Pupper Saved the World (March 2022)

Doggo likes routine: napping, eating, and more napping. Life is good. Life is good for Pupper, too, even though he worries a lot, about things like giant squirrels. When Doggo and Pupper meet a baby bird who also has worries, they are determined to help. Doggo and Pupper may not know how to fly, but they are very good helpers. Maybe they are even heroes!

## Doggo and Pupper Search for Cozy (March 2023)

When Cat announces that the Humans have given her a surprise present, Doggo and Pupper are all ears. But when they find out that Cat has a new bed and misses her old one, they set out to help her search for cozy. Change is difficult, and Katherine Applegate understands how it feels to miss a beloved source of security. Very young readers will relate to Doggo, Pupper, and Cat, and appreciate their friendship and empathy.

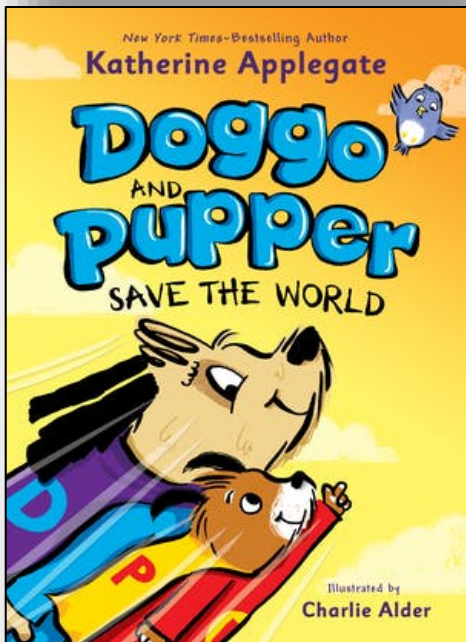
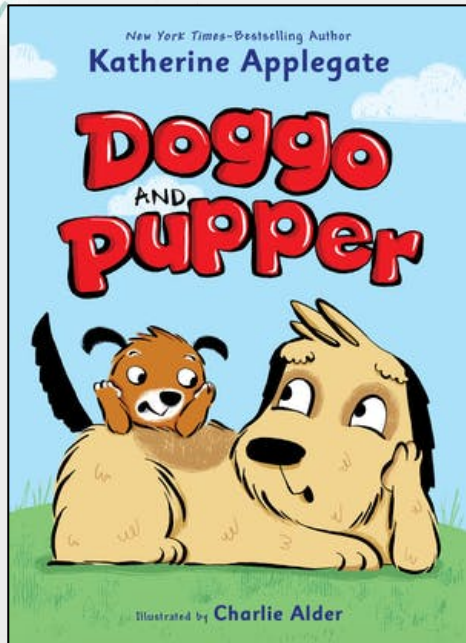
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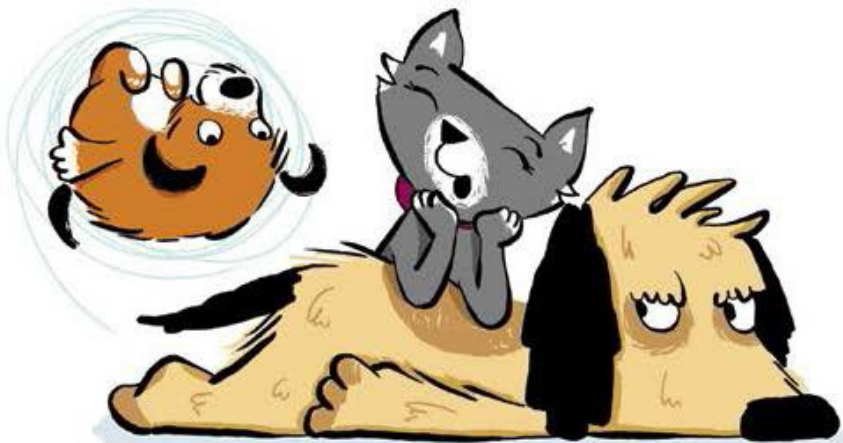
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## Praise for Doggo and Pupper:

★ "Applegate's series starter for the younger set utilizes wonderful humor and timing, deftly capturing the personalities and situations with easy accessibility. Alder's colorful cartoon illustrations ramp up the silliness ... A winning new series." —Booklist, starred review

"Applegate's simple text and Alder's comedic cartoons come together like a short animated film, just right for amusing early readers." —Publishers Weekly





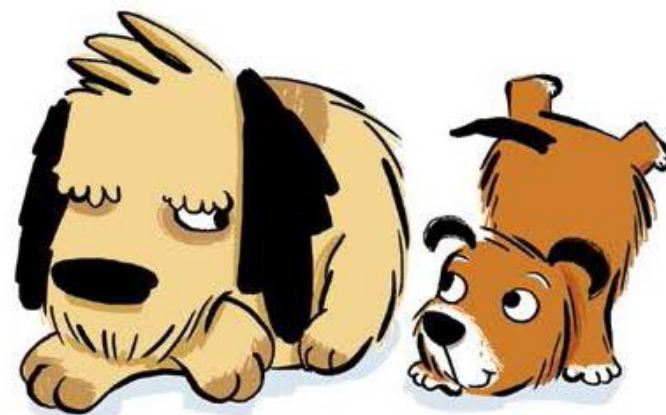
Life with Pupper was not boring.



It was not  
humdrum.



It was not the same old, same old.





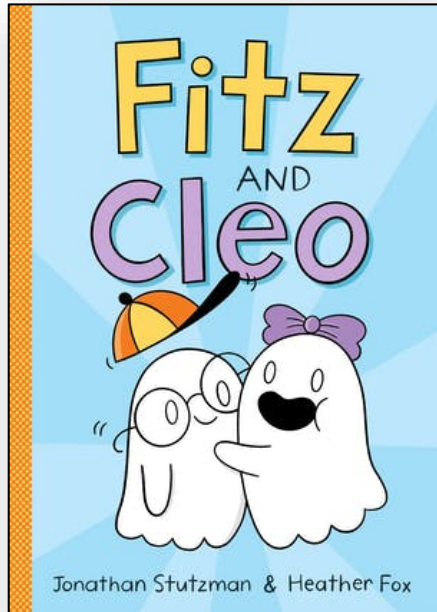


# Fitz and Cleo

by Jonathan Stutzman, illustrated by Heather Fox

Pippin Properties / UK & Comm, Translation

Henry Holt / Age: 6–9 / 72 pages / 3 books



## Fitz and Cleo (May 2021)

Fitz and Cleo are siblings by chance, but best friends by choice. Oh, and they also happen to be ghosts! Join Cleo, a happy-go-lucky kind of gal, and Fitz, her science-minded brother, as they laugh their way through eleven gut-busting stories, including exploring the beach with a new friend, enjoying some ice cream, playing baseball, and gazing at the stars. The book highlights just how wonderful the world can be when you mix a little fun with some great friends.

## Fitz and Cleo Get Creative (March 2022)

Fitz and Cleo are siblings (the closest), ghosts (the friendliest), best friends (the tightest), cat owners (Mister Boo approves..of Cleo), and now bandmates (only the gnarliest!), writers (watch out Hemingway!), filmmakers (auteurs), artists (the list goes on?!)... These two know how to keep spirits high and the good times rolling! Join the most adorable apparitions this way of the afterlife through ten gut-busting creative farces.

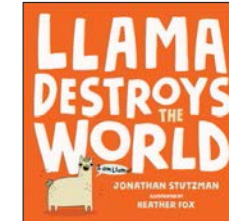
## Praise for *Fitz and Cleo*:

*"Dialogue-driven, with plenty of wordplay courtesy of Stutzman, this spirited series debut abounds with heart."* —Publishers Weekly

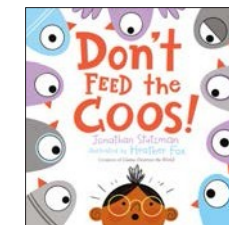
*"This new duo will float off shelves, and fans of Ben Clanton's Narwhal and Jelly, Mo Willems's Elephant and Piggie, Bob Shea's Ballet Cat, and Salina Yoon's Duck, Duck, Porcupine will be delighted."* —School Library Journal

*"Bubbly art, bold colors, and breezy paneling keep the tone playful, and fans of Clanton's Narwhal and Jelly or Willems' Elephant and Piggie will be happy to find another pair of pals to hang out with as they build their literacy skills."* —BCCB

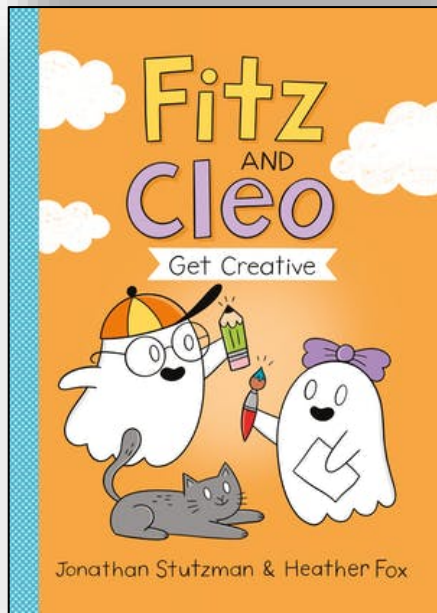
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*Llama Destroys the World* (2019)

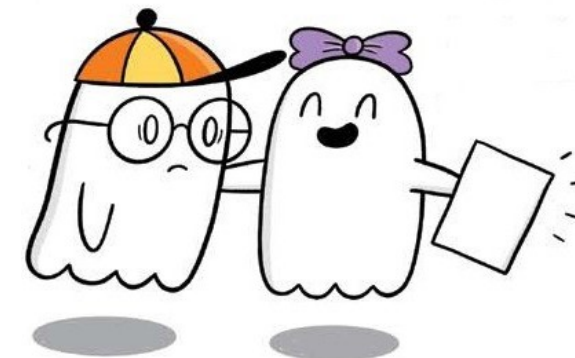


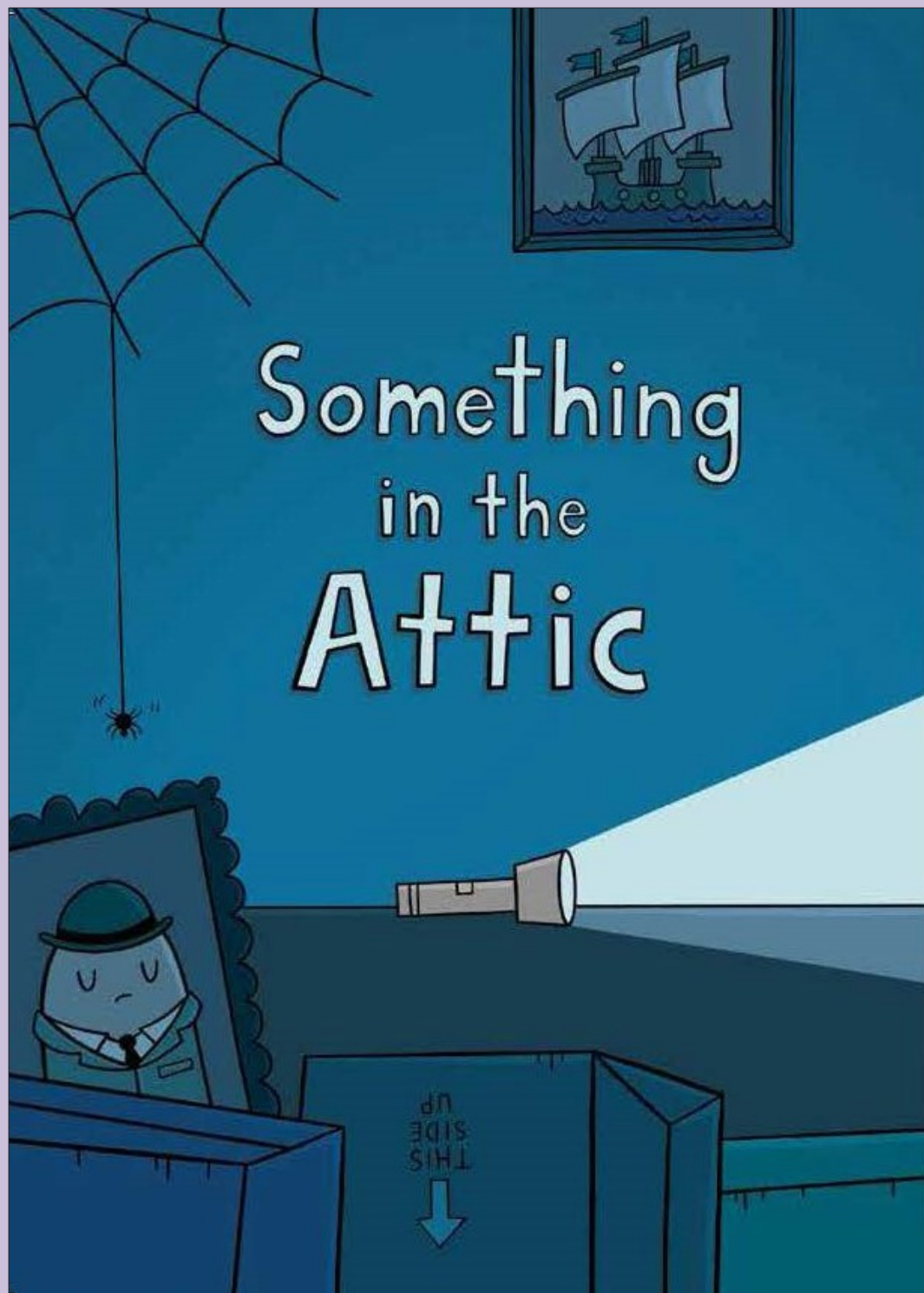
*Don't Feed the Coos!* (2020)



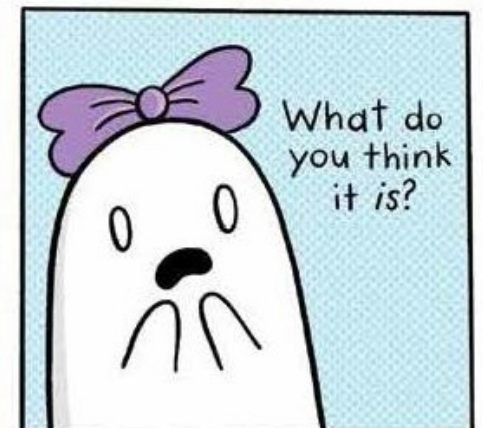
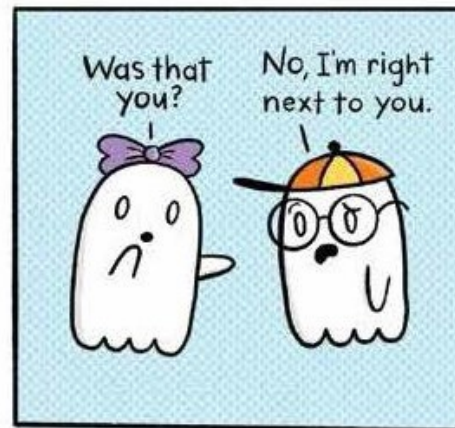
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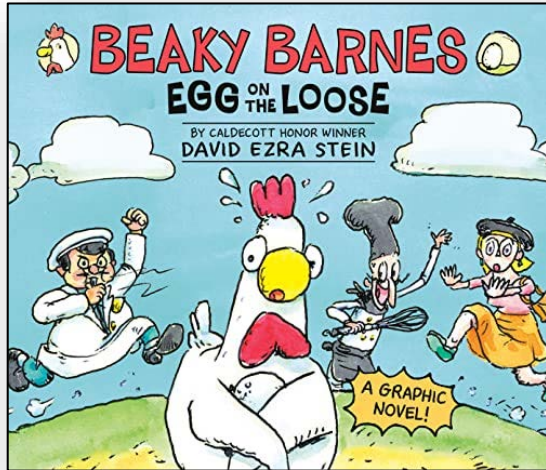




# Beaky Barnes: Egg on the Loose

by David Ezra Stein

January 2023 / Pippin Properties / Translation  
Penguin US / Age: 8–12 / 128 pages / 2 books



Caldecott Honor winner David Ezra Stein takes readers on a slapstick, vaudevillian journey in his debut graphic novel series, featuring Beaky Barnes, a no-nonsense chicken who's determined to save her desirable egg.

All the inspector wanted was an egg to go in his sandwich, so he heads to the cafe. The problem? The town is entirely out of eggs, and the local chef is panicked. Luckily, he spots a lovely duo having lunch: a woman and a chicken named Beaky Barnes. It's his lucky day. But when the woman and Beaky have a fight over an offensive business arrangement (chicken-pulled coach service, anyone?), chaos ensues. With a chicken on the run, and an inspector and woman in hot pursuit, three stories emerge with hilarious results!

With laugh-out-loud madcap comedy on every page, Caldecott Honor winner David Ezra Stein takes readers on a slapstick journey in his debut graphic novel!

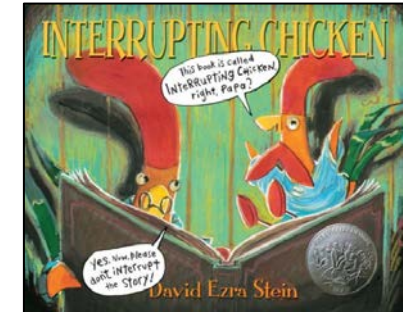
## Praise for *Interrupting Chicken and the Elephant of Surprise*:

★ "Stein masterfully builds suspense with each imbedded story, for a gag that only gets more fun with each reveal." —Publishers Weekly, starred

★ "Stein contrasts the richly colored, comfortable scenes at home with the pale, restrained traditional storybook illustrations, which are in turn jolted by the addition of the colorful, comical Elephant of Surprise and Chicken herself. Following the same basic structure as the original story, this sequel is fresh, funny, and satisfying in its own way. A treat for *Interrupting Chicken* fans." —Booklist, starred

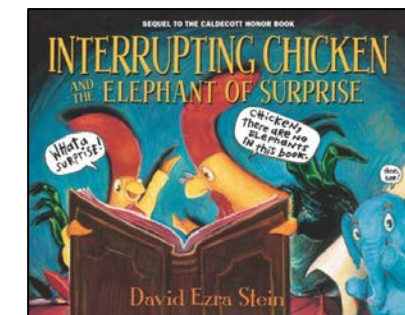


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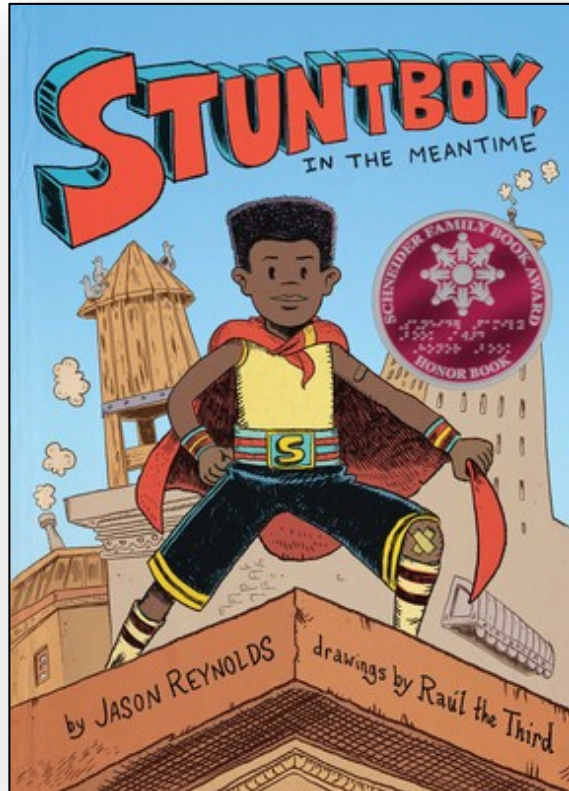




# Stuntboy, in the Meantime

by Jason Reynolds, illustrated by Raúl the Third

November 2021 / Pippin Properties/ UK & Comm, Translation Text only  
Simon & Schuster / Age: 8–12 / 272 pages



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From Newbery Medal honoree and #1 *New York Times* bestselling author Jason Reynolds comes a hilarious, hopeful, and action-packed middle grade novel about the greatest young superhero you've never heard of, filled with illustrations by Raúl the Third!

Portico Reeves's superpower is making sure all the other superheroes—like his parents and two best friends—stay super. And safe. Super safe. And he does this all in secret. No one in his civilian life knows he's actually...Stuntboy!

But Portico has other secret, his not-so-super secret. His parents are fighting all the time. They're trying to hide it by repeatedly telling Portico to go check on a neighbor "in the meantime." But Portico knows "meantime" means his parents are heading into the Mean Time which means they're about to get into it, and well, Portico's superhero responsibility is to save them, too—as soon as he figures out how.

Only, all these secrets give Portico the worry wiggles, the frets, which his mom calls anxiety. Plus, like all superheroes, Portico has an arch-nemesis who is determined to prove that there is nothing super about Portico at all.

## Praise for *Stuntboy, in the Meantime*:

*"Consistently funny and undeniably thoughtful."* —Kirkus Reviews, starred

*"From vibrant, comic book–style art with ample color by Elaine Bay to running gags and commercial breaks that balance serious moments, there's plenty to enjoy about this engaging, high-energy collaboration."* —Publishers Weekly, starred

*"This ingeniously crafted illustrated novel offers a multifaceted and heartfelt take on the classic superhero story."* —Horn Book, starred



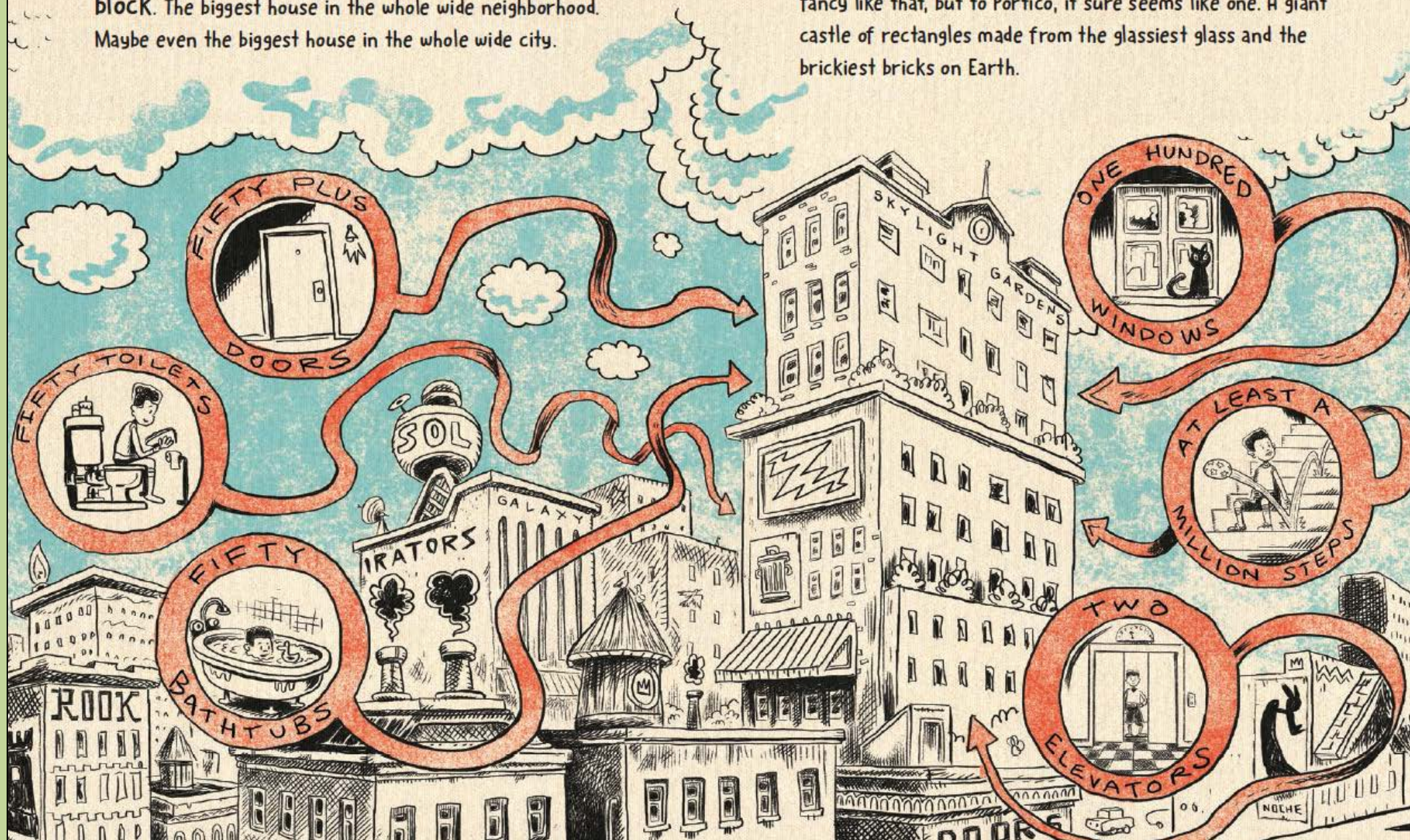


# THE BIGGEST HOUSE

Portico Reeves lives in the biggest house on the block. The biggest house in the whole wide neighborhood. Maybe even the biggest house in the whole wide city.

# IN THE WHOLE WIDE EVERYWHERE

Don't know if you would consider it a castle or nothin' fancy like that, but to Portico, it sure seems like one. A giant castle of rectangles made from the glassiest glass and the brickiest bricks on Earth.





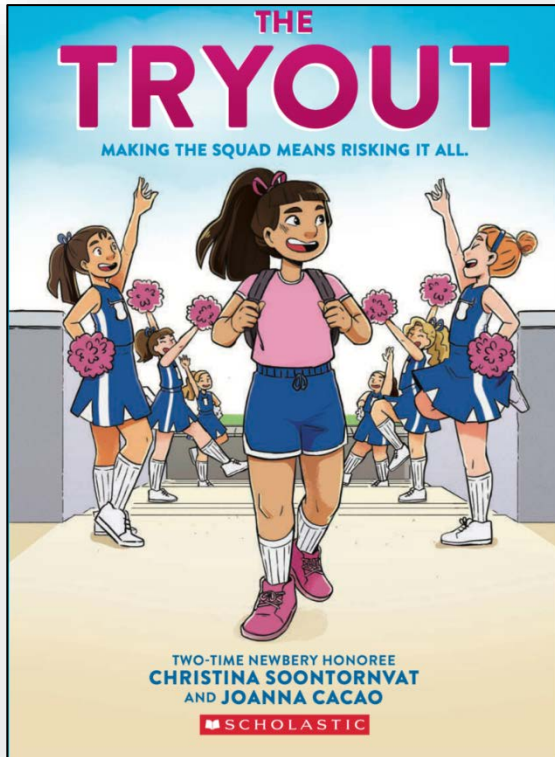


# The Tryout

by Christina Soontornvat, illustrated by Joanna Cacao

September 2022 / Red Fox Literary / Translation Text only

Scholastic / Age: 8–12 / 272 pages



From two-time Newbery Honoree and Kirkus Prize winner Christina Soontornvat, and stellar new talent, Joanna Cacao, comes a high stakes, highly relatable graphic novel about courage and competition, friendship and belonging, and learning to feel comfortable in your own skin.

When Christina's Thai American family moves to the small town in Texas to start the first Asian restaurant in the county, Christina wonders if she will ever fit in. Luckily, her best friend, Megan, who is Iranian American, can totally relate. The two girls have always been inseparable and relish creating elaborate fantasy worlds together.

But middle school is a reality-check. Suddenly popularity is way more important than ever, and no one in the school is more popular than the girls on the cheerleading squad. When tryouts for the new squad are announced, Christina and Megan sign up right away. If Christina can make it through this, she can make it through anything.

But does fitting in actually equal belonging? Will they survive the terrifying tryouts? And most importantly, will their friendship withstand the pressures of heated competition and rivalry? Hilarious and heartfelt, *The Tryout* is Christina Soontornvat's personal story, sure to make you laugh, cry, and cheer!



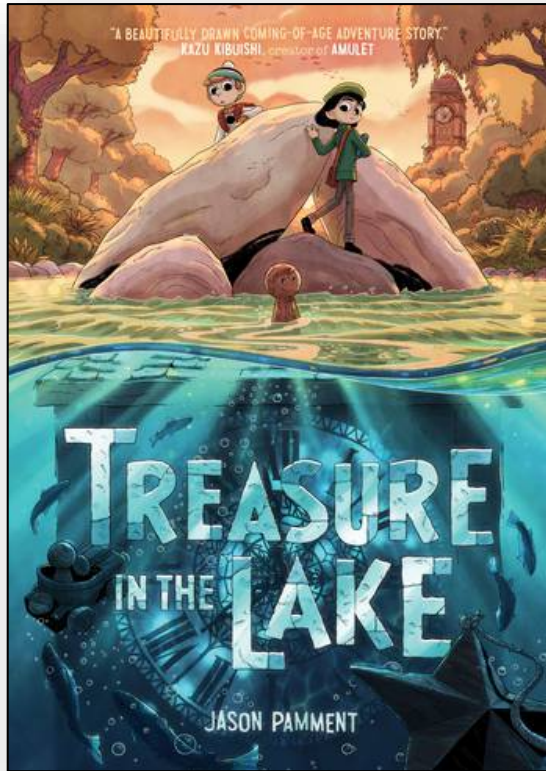




# Treasure in the Lake

## by Jason Pamment

September 2021 / Pippin Properties / Translation  
HarperCollins US / Age: 8–12 / 208pages



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(Ridna Mova)

**Two best friends make a wondrous discovery that risks their bond and their lives.**

Grand adventure stories often begin where you least expect. Iris knows this because she's read them all. However, as a thirteen-year-old stuck in the tiny country town of Bugden, real adventure seems a distant dream. And for the less ambitious Sam, Iris' best friend, that's a relief.

But when the two stumble upon a mysteriously dry river on the outskirts of town, they're led to a greater discovery than Iris has ever read about: a hidden city, lost in time and overflowing with secrets. As they explore this once flooded relic, Iris and Sam unearth a forgotten tale of friendship and disaster that seems curiously familiar. When the past and present finally collide, they must each take a leap of faith to reconnect before they're swept away.

### Praise for *Treasure in the Lake*:

★ *"This story is astonishing enough to leave people speechless."* —Kirkus Reviews, starred review

*"Hand this mesmerizing tale about hidden histories and friendship growth spurts to cautious and intrepid young explorers alike."* —Horn Book

*"Pamment showcases a sharp eye for architecture, natural settings, and dynamic compositions, allowing rectangular panels to expand, contract, and break form, crashing down or shattering into shards, in this fine-tuned puzzle."* —Publishers Weekly











# The Sleepover

by Michael Regina

November 2021 / Pippin Properties / UK & Comm, Translation  
Razorbill / Age: 8–12 / 224 pages



**“With its sharp dialog and beautiful, suspenseful storytelling, *The Sleepover* will have kids both excited and horrified about the next time they spend the night at a friend's house.” —Mike Maihack, creator of the *Cleopatra in Space* series**

When the Russo family returns home from vacation to discover their nanny, Ruby, has unexpectedly passed away, Matthew takes the news the hardest. After weeks of reeling, his three best friends decide to cheer him up with a night of junk food, prank calls, and scary movies. But their plans for a sleepover are jeopardized when Matt’s single mother—unable to take any more time off of work— is forced to hire a new nanny on the fly to watch over Matt and his younger sister, Judy.

Miss Swan, however, is all too happy to have the boys over. And although she seems like the perfect babysitter, letting the kids eat whatever they want and mostly leaving them alone, there’s something about her that Matt doesn’t trust. He thinks she may actually be the witch from local legend—the one who torments children into the night and then eats them. Is he just having a hard time dealing with Ruby’s replacement, as his friends suspect? Or are he and his horror-buff friends in for the fright of their lives as they come face-to-face with a real monster?

## Praise for *The Sleepover*:

*“The ‘90s setting captures the feel of vintage horror. An excellent flashlight-under-the-blanket read.” —Kirkus Reviews*

*“The kids, all geared up to fight a supernatural being, bring a *Stranger Things* vibe to the action-packed story. Shadowy art ominously peppered with crows and cut with flashlight beams creates an eerie atmosphere. Kids after a spooky, backyard adventure will find plenty to enjoy.” —Booklist*

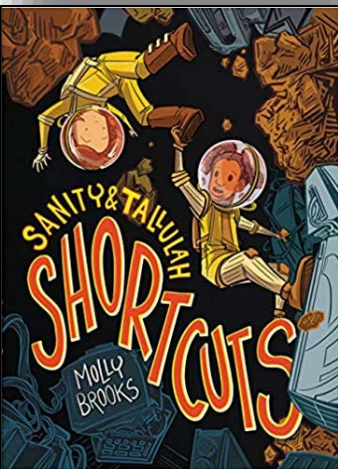
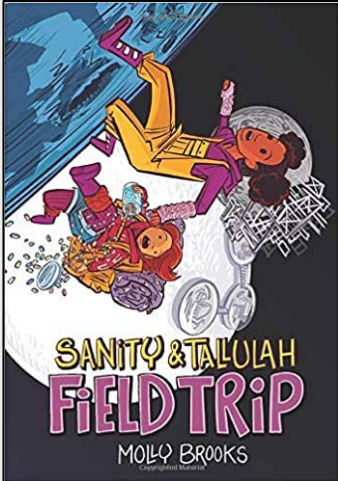
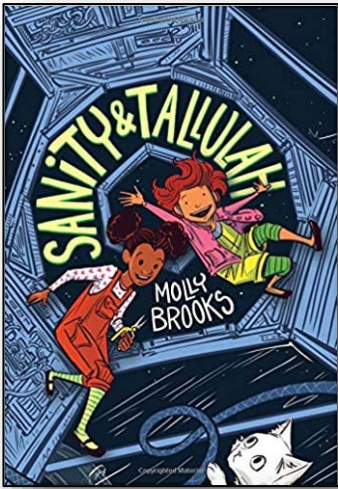
*“A touching meditation on the loss of a caregiver that explores grief that grows monstrous. This graphic novel offers spooky entertainment and a serious message.” —School Library Journal*











# Sanity & Tallulah

by Molly Brooks

Pippin Properties / Translation

Little, Brown US / Age: 9-12 / 256 pages/ 3 books

## Sanity & Tallulah (October 2018)

It can get pretty dull living on a small, out-of-the-way station like Wilnick SS. Best Friends Sanity Jones and Tallulah Vega do their best to relieve the monotony of every day space life by finding adventures, solving mysteries, and taking turns getting each other into and out of trouble. But when Sanity's latest science project—an extremely-illegal-but-impossibly-cute three-headed kitten—escapes from the lab and starts causing havoc, the girls will have to turn the station upside down to find her—before the damage becomes irreversible!

## Sanity & Tallulah : Field Trip (October 2019)

Sanity and Tallulah are going on a field trip—to a real live planet! Some of their classmates are nervous, but Tallulah is beside herself with excitement. Things get off to a rocky start and Sanity and Tallulah find themselves separated from their school group, pursued by a pirate, and stranded on a planet that's about to explode, with nothing but the wreckage of a crashed space shuttle and the contents of Tallulah's overloaded backpack to work with. These best friends will have to stretch their problem-solving skills to the limit in order to get everyone home safe...

## Sanity & Tallulah : Shortcuts (April 2021)

Everything is up in the air when Sanity and Tallulah find themselves co-pilots on an unplanned adventure filled with action, adventure, and dangerous situations. Sanity and Tallulah's pre-approved route didn't say anything about space stations exploding, enemies in need of rescue, or getting caught in the middle of a border crisis in danger of escalating into all-out war, but sometimes totally awesome pilots have to change plans on the fly, and only an excellent copilot can keep things from going completely upside down.

## Rights Sold for Book 1:

Catalan (La Galera), Finnish (Stabenfeldt), Hungarian (Maxim Konyvkiado), Italian (Il Castoro), Norwegian (Stabenfeldt), Spanish (La Galera), Swedish (Stabenfeldt)

## Praise for Sanity & Tallulah:

★ *"Effervescent. . . . Interlaced with spot-on dialogue that is full of humor, this page-turner delivers."* —Kirkus Reviews, starred review

★ *"A good balance of wit and action."* —Publishers Weekly, starred review

*"A welcome homage to intelligent problem-solving, perseverance, and loyalty."* —Booklist

*"High-octane."* —The New York Times





(WILNICK STATION)

Wow, you're so wrong  
right now that I don't  
understand how we're  
even friends.

Janet Jupiter is *not* mean  
to Viscount Moon in Episode 83.  
He told everybody her  
dad was a traitor!



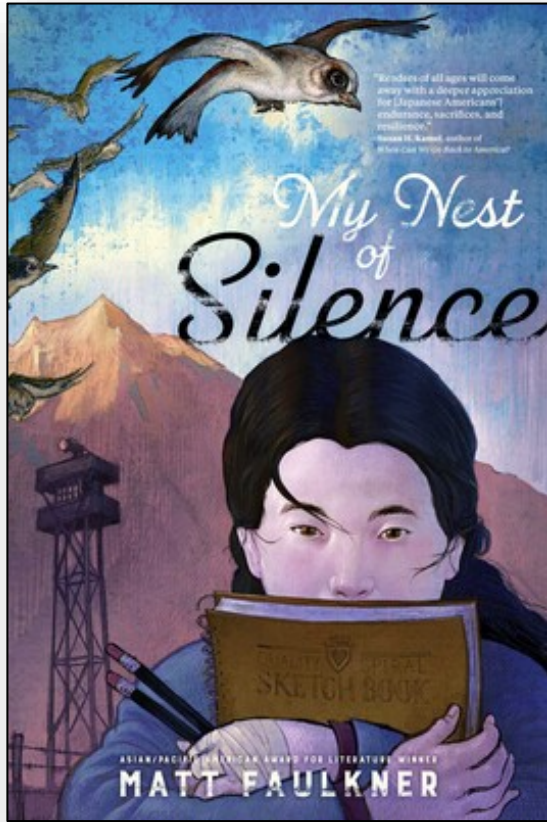


# My Nest of Silence

by Matt Faulkner

October 2022 / Red Fox Literary / Translation

Simon & Schuster / Age: 10+ / 384 pages



**Told in a brilliant blend of prose and graphic novel, this unforgettable middle grade story about a Japanese American family during World War II is written and illustrated by Asian/Pacific American Award for Literature winner Matt Faulkner.**

Manzanar is nothing like home. Yet the relocation center is where Mari and her family have to live, now that the government has decided that Japanese Americans aren't American enough. Determined to prove them wrong, Mari's brother Mak has joined the army and is heading off to war. In protest, Mari has stopped talking for the duration of the war. Or at least until Mak comes home safe.

Still, Mari has no trouble expressing herself through her drawings. Mak, too, expresses himself in his letters home, first from training camp and later from the front lines of World War II, where he is fighting with the 442nd Regimental Combat Team. But while his letters are reassuring, reality is not: Mak is facing danger at every turn, from racism within the army to violence on the battlefield.

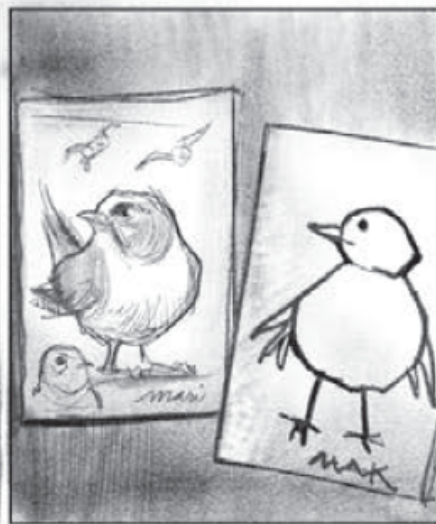
In turns humorous and heartbreaking, Mari and Mak's story will stick with readers long after the last page.

## **Praise for *My Nest of Silence*:**

*"Evocative prose and illustrations bring to life...[the] heart-wrenching decisions and considerations that Japanese Americans had to face...[and] their endurance, sacrifices, and resilience, even as their loyalty was questioned without cause." —Susan H. Kamei, author of When Can We Go Back to America?*





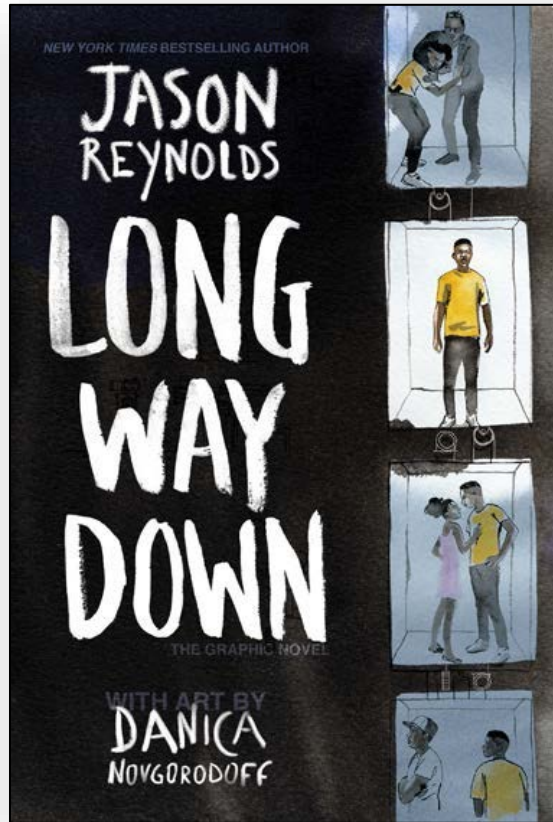




# Long Way Down: The Graphic Novel

by Jason Reynolds, illustrated by Danica Novgorodoff

October 2020 / Pippin Properties / UK & Comm, Translation Text rights only  
Simon & Schuster / Age: 12+ / 280 pages



## Rights Sold:

English UK (Faber & Faber), Dutch (Blossom Books), French (Editions Milan), Korean (Prooni Books), Portuguese SA (Intrinseca), Turkish (Penguin Kitap Kaset Basim)

Jason Reynolds's #1 *New York Times* bestselling *Long Way Down* is even more gripping in this haunting graphic novel format, featuring hundreds of watercolors by Danica Novgorodoff.

Sixty seconds.  
Seven floors.  
Three rules.  
One gun.

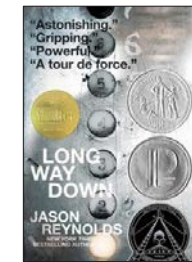
A powerful and heartbreaking look at teenage gun violence, *Long Way Down* will leave you breathless and speak to your soul. I challenge you not to finish this book in one sitting.

## Praise for *Long Way Down : The Graphic Novel*:

- ★ "A moving rendition that stands on its own." —*Kirkus Reviews*, starred
- ★ "Reynolds's words paint pictures of their own in this tragic yet poignant illustrated tale that offers no answers to the seemingly impossible choices some communities face." —*School Library Journal*, starred
- ★ "Reynolds has skillfully edited and rearranged his original verse novel to create room for Novgorodoff's impressionistic ink and watercolor illustrations to flourish, resulting in an adaptation that feels authentic to its new comics format." —*Horn Book*, starred
- ★ "Novgorodoff's iteration powerfully cultivates the tone and mood of its source material, demonstrating just how effective and artful comics can be." —*Booklist*, starred



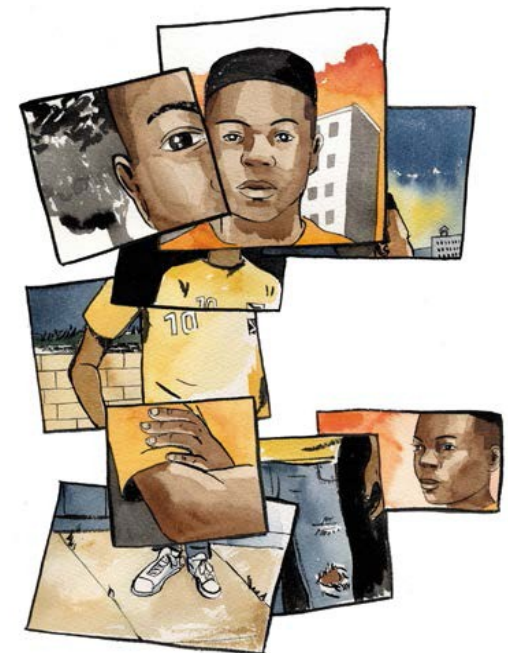
## Awards for *Long Way Down*:



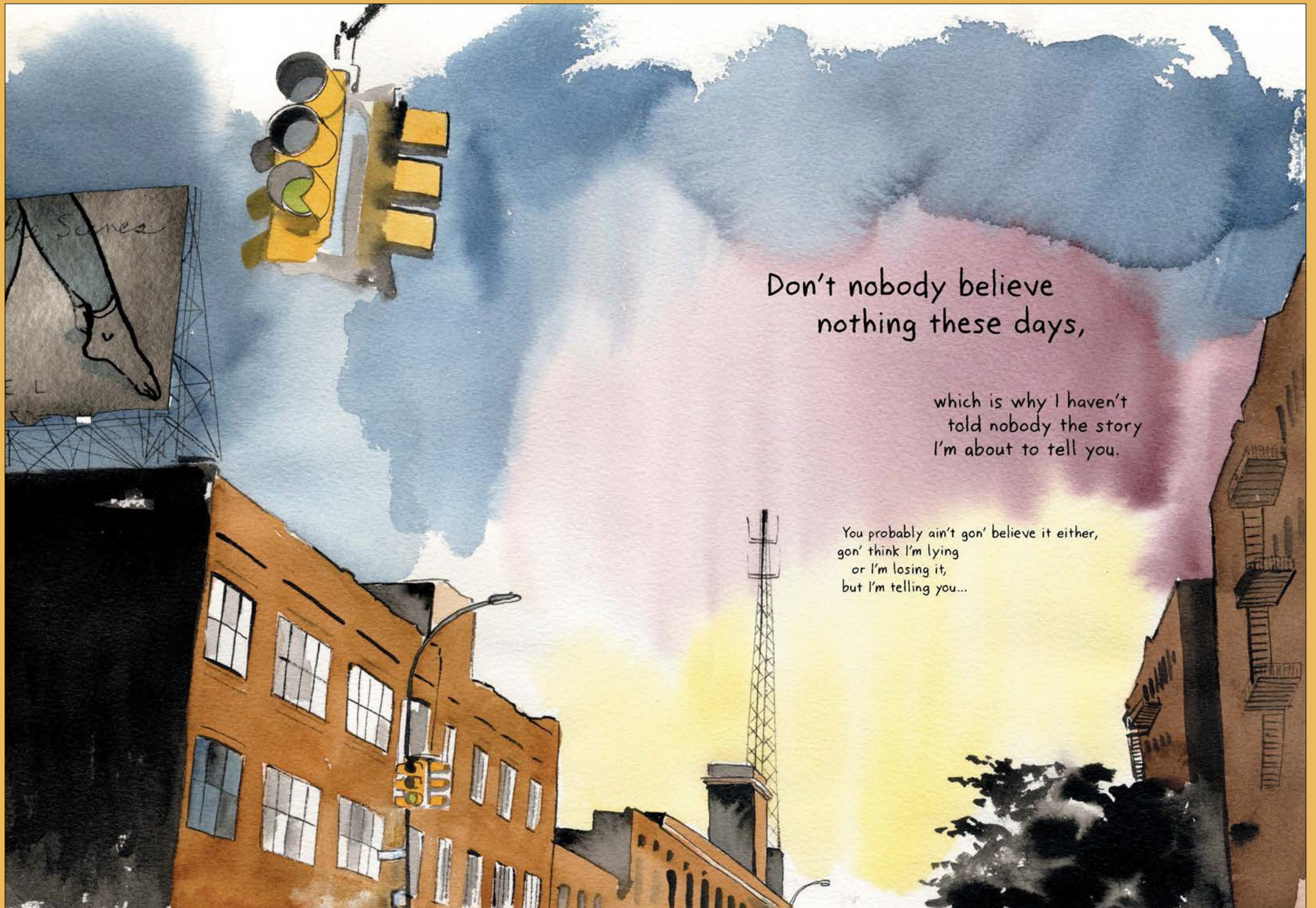
### ★ Six Starred Reviews!

- Newbery Honor
- Coretta Scott King Honor
- Printz Honor
- Longlist for the National Book Award

Rights sold in 21 languages!







Don't nobody believe  
nothing these days,

which is why I haven't  
told nobody the story  
I'm about to tell you.

You probably ain't gon' believe it either,  
gon' think I'm lying  
or I'm losing it,  
but I'm telling you...