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# PICTURE BOOKS





72 pages 16 x 21 cm Hep Kitap Publishing **World rights available except Turkish** 

Themes #emotions #imagination #growingup #responsibilities #missions

# WHAT IS A CHILL GOOD FOR?

Author: Ezgi Berk Illustrator: Ece Zeber

### A short, powerful ode to childhood.

Pens are for writing. Fridges are for keeping food fresh. Stoves for cooking dinner. So what are children for? With bright, funny illustrations this picturebook tries to answer this question. Eventually we learn that while children aren't for anything in particular, they can be anything they want.







32 pages 13,5 x 19,5 cm ABM Publishing **World rights available except Turkish** 

Themes #nature #selfawareness #birds #changingperspective #forestlife

### LULLUNA



### Change your perspective with the story of a tiny bird!

One morning, Lulluna the little bird wakes up and stretches her wings as usual. She flies to the top of the hill as usual and perches in her usual rock, but today she can't sing her usual happy song. What could be wrong? Lulluna decides to explore the forest in a different way today, and finds that is all she needs to sing once more. This heartwarming story shows the importance of courage and a new perspective.











32 pages 23,5 x 23,5 cm ABM Publishing **World rights available except Turkish** 

Themes #nature #family #selfcare #healthydiet #sleepinghabits #activities

# MIZI THE MOLE SERIES

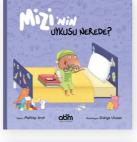
Author: Mehtap Arat Illustrator: Rukiye Ulusan

## Discover the joys playing, eating and sleeping well with the funny mole Mizi!

The Mizi the Mole series consists of four picture books which tell the stories of the hilarious mole Mizi who lives with his family in a beautiful forest. During the series, Mizi shows us the joys playing in the forest, getting dirty and taking a bath afterwards, eating vegetables which look like trees and going to bed on time for a comfortable sleep.









### TITLES

- 1 WHERE IS MIZI'S DINNER?
- 2 WHERE IS MIZI'S SLEEP?
- 3 WHERE IS MIZI'S BATH TOY?
- MIZI'S RCTIVITY BOOK





28 pages 20 x 20cm MEAV Publishing Rights Sold: Simplified Chinese, Russian

Themes #friendship #communication #makingnewfriends



32 pages 21 x 21 cm Ucanbalik Publishing **Rights Sold: Romanian** 

#### Themes

#toothbrushing #personalhygiene #naturallife #animals #plants #naturalawareness

# DID YOU HEAR A HELLO?

Author: Nihan Temiz Illustrator: Burcu Yılmaz

#### A lovely story about making new friends and the power of "Hello"!

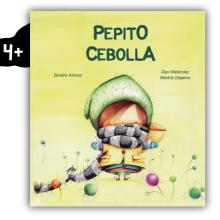
One day, the animals on the Rosy Plains wake up to find they have a new neighbour. Who could she be? How should they approach her? What should they say? This amusing mini fable puts a spotlight on friendship and how to take that first step towards make new friends. Reading it, we learn the magic of that simple word: "Hello"!



#### Brushing teeth has never been so much fun!

This story teaches kids the importance of oral hygiene and tooth-brushing. They will learn about the amazing teeth of animals from sharks to giraffes, and about how they keep them clean. The "Did you know?" chapter at the end of the book will excite young readers' curiosity with its fascinating facts.

There will be a sequel in the series called Misi the Fascinating Soap!



34 pages 20,5 x 22,5 cm La Maleta Ediciones

#### **Rights Sold: Turkish**

Themes #overprotecting #parenting #self-determining

### **ONION BOY**

Author: Sandra Alonso Illustrator: Álex Meléndez, Beatriz Dapena

#### A funny story about the problems of overprotective parenting

To protect Ollie from the cold, wind, rain and everything else in life, his parents wrap him in so many layers that he becomes an Onion Boy! Unfortunately all those layers also stop him having fun. Then one day Ollie sheds all his layers, and how does he feel? Free!



40 pages 24 x 24 cm Hippo Publishing World rights available except Turkish, Western Armenian

Themes #family #relationships #emotions #dreams #communication

# FORGING MY OWN PRTH

Author & Illustrator: Hatiye Garip

#### It takes a long time to become who you are!

Forging My Own Path is a story of the obstacles a girl faces growing up and how she overcomes them with the help of her grandmother, friends, books and crayons. This book is a story of growth that says it's okay to get support when you need it, and it is okay to be yourself, no matter who you are!





36 pages 20 x 20 cm Fom Kitap **Rights Sold: Simplified Chinese** 

Themes #family #trust #empathy #cooperation #patience #honesty #responsibility #collaboration

# THE SALT TALE

Author: Ayla Çınaroğlu Illustrator: Vaghar Aghaei

### The touching journey of a family who learn to trust each other

The Salt Tale is a collaboration between an acclaimed author and illustrator team, one of the most popular creators of children's literature in Turkey. In this story of a tortoise family who forget to take salt to their picnic, they search for answers to some important questions: Can we always have what we want? Can't we sometimes be content with what we have for everyone's happiness? Is it that hard to trust?





28 pages 20 x 20 cm Meav Publishing **Rights Sold: Arabic, Albanian** 

> Themes #friendship #solidarity

# THE GIRAFFE'S SHORT SOCKS

Author: Güliz Dülgeroğlu Küpçü Illustrator: Cihan Dağ

### How can you expect us to be happy while you are cold and shivering?

All the animals in the woods live together happily in perfect harmony. They all have scarves and socks to protect them from the cold. However one day they realize that the giraffe's socks are too short for his long legs, so he is always cold. They decide to cut pieces from their scarves and socks so that Auntie Owl can knit longer socks for the giraffe. "If you are cold and shivering, how can we feel happy?" they say as they present their thoughtful gift. This is a beautiful story of friendship and solidarity.





Author: Ezgi Berk Illustrator: Öznur Sönmez

### What happens once you hide all your fears in a dark room and close the door?

Ali hides all of his fears and worries behind the door he created in his room. Every night, he first makes sure that the door is locked and then goes to sleep. But one night, he realizes that the door is open. It's decision time for Ali: Should he gather his courage and step inside or close the door and ignore?

52 pages 19 x 26.7 cm ABM Publishing Rights Sold: Macedonian, Digital Rights - Baca Pibo

Themes #emotions #fear #selfdiscovery #courage







# **RED SHOE**

Author: Çiğdem Gündeş Illustrator: Mavisu Demirağ

### A great adventure in search of a red shoe!

The girl loves her red shoes. When one of them is lost, she starts searching for it desperately. She consults lots of people and even animals too: Where is my red shoe?!

28 pages 19 x 22,5 cm Tudem Publishing Rights Sold: Arabic and Italian \*Producer Rights sold to PIBOCO

> Themes #quest #love #playing





36 pages 26 x 26 cm Timaş Publishing **Rights Sold: Korean, Estonian,** Arabic, Serbian

Themes #time #growingup #patience



**Author & Illustrator:** Gülsen Arslan Akca

### Everybody tells children "You can do that when you're older", but when is that time going to come?

"You can ride that bike when you're bigger" says his father. "You can play basketball with us when you're older," say the boys on the street.

"You can have something to eat when dinner's ready," says his mother.

Bulut's tired of waiting for everything. Why can't he do it now?! When Will I Grow Up? tells the joyful story of a little boy who tries to understand time and growing up.



44 pages 22 x 22 cm ABM Publishing **Rights Sold: Simplified Chinese** 

Themes #family #mother #father #relationships #genderroles

# THAT'S MY MUM

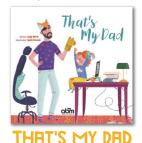
Author: Ezgi Berk Illustrator: İpek Konak

#### Even ordinary mums are extraordinary!

Hi! Nice to meet you. My name is Mutlu, and I have a very messy mother. Is yours messy too? Maybe she is clumsy like mine. Does she get cross with you sometimes?

Yes, sometimes mine too.

But I love her in every way. I always have a good time with her. We love playing games together and she reads beautiful books to me every night.



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> 40 pages 23,5 x 29 cm Taze Publishing World rights available except Turkish

> > Themes #motherhood #parentalroles

Author: Aslı Perker Illustrator: Ezgi Keleş

#### Helping your mom is important!

Deniz's mother used to take care of everything. She would cook, talk on the phone, make lemonade and play ball with Deniz, all at the same time. She needed so many arms that wasn't just a mom, she was an Octomom!

Then Deniz starts to help his mom, and encourages all his family to do the same. Deniz's mom is able to turn back into a normal two-armed mom again!



36 pages 24 x 24 cm ABM Publishing **Rights Sold: Romanian** 

**Themes** #animals #surprise #friendship #perspective

## THE BEST GIFT EVER

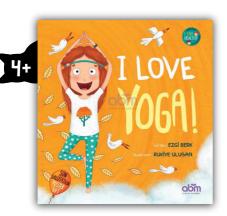
Author: Seda Akipek Illustrator: Sezen Aksu Taşyürek

### Sometimes, if you look a bit closer, you can discover the value of what you have.

If your best friend were a bat, what would you get him on his birthday? The next book in your favourite series? A special toothbrush for bat teeth? Night-vision binoculars?

Fufu decides to give his upside-down friend a very special gift. At first Mimi is surprised by his unusual present, but then he realizes its uniqueness.





64 pages 22x22 cm ABM Publishing

Rights Sold: Arabic, Ukrainian, Estonian, Spanish (Lat. America only), Russian, Serbian, Korean, Hebrew

> Themes #dailyfunactivities #Yoga #healthyliving #lifestyle

# I LOVE YOGR

Author: Ezgi Berk Illustrator: Rukiye Ulusan

### A great title showing the joy of yoga, with practical tips.

Can you roar like a lion? Stand tall like a mountain? Written by a certified children's yoga instructor, this is wonderful illustrated guide to yoga, containing 14 great poses for kids.

Starting with simple poses and building to more difficult ones, this book will allow young readers to develop a routine that they can practise daily – a great habit for the rest of their lives.





40 pages 28 x 23 cm Final Publishing

Rights Sold: Romanian, Arabic, Korean

Themes #books #booklove #libraries #mendingbooks #readinglove



44 pages 23,5 x 26,5cm Taze Kitap Publishing World rights available except Turkish

Themes #future #coding #upcycling #creativity #friendship

# THE LITTLE BOOK MENDER

Author: Ezgi Berk Illustrator: Ece Zeber

#### How come you can mend a book? Do you think it's possible?

Toprak is enjoying his day in one of his favourite places the library. But then he has an accident and spills some water on one of his books! How can he save it? Toprak embarks on an enjoyable adventure with Eda the librarian as he learns how to mend a book.



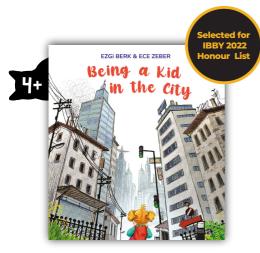
### LAYLA AND MI-RO

Author: Nisa İnci Illustrator: Selin Tahtakılıç

#### A heartwarming story about friendship and coding.

Layla lives in a future where all the other children have top-of-the-range robots, while she has to make do with an old robot Mi-Ro. When she enters Mi-Ro into a dance competition at her school, she will have to teach her robot some new dance moves, and fast...





64 pages 24 x 26,8 cm Final Publishing Rights sold: Digital Rights - Baca Pibo

Themes #urbanlife #city #hope #friendship #positivity #resilience





# BEING FI KID IN THE CITY

Author: Ezgi Berk Illustrator: Ece Zeber

### A book full of hope, opening a colourful door into the city life!

Life can sometimes be hard for city kids. You have to find your way through the jungle of tall buildings. You might get stuck between giant people and scary vehicles. The city is full of surprises, too. And you never know if one of them will get in the way one day!







32 pages 22 x 22 cm Paraşüt Publishing **World rights available except Turkish** 

> Themes #nature #animals #harmony #respectfulliving #sharing

### IS EVERYTHING ALRIGHT ON AVOCADO ISLAND?

Author: Neslihan Muradoğlu Illustrator: Mavisu Demirağ

### A funny story about the balance between farming and protecting the environment

Solom is an Avocado farmer in Papua New Guinea. He grows the avocados that travel all the way across the world to your kitchen! But one day he discovers that a pair of naughty Tree Kangaroos are eating his crop. How can he protect his precious fruit without harming the wildlife of his beautiful country?





#### 40 pages 13,5 x 19,5 cm ABM Publishing **World rights available except Turkish**

Themes #astronomy #constellations #research #bearspecies #adventure #discovery

# WHERE ARE YOU GREAT BEAR?

Author: Seda Akipek Illustrator: Ceren Ayan

### A fun and education story all about both bears and astronomy

The Professor sends brothers Nova and Cokcok on an interdimensional mission to find the Great Bear. They search through caves, forests and snowy tundra before discovering that the Great Bear is actually a constellation up in the sku! This entertaining story is followed by 3 activity pages to reinforce the lessons learned throughout the book.



40 pages 26 x 25 cm Martı Publishing World rights available except Turkish

Themes #Adventure #Bacteria #Family #Personal Hygiene #Awareness

### BRCK TO BRCTERIA TOWN

Author: Lider Hepgenç Illustrator: Elif Cinbaș Karaca

### A germ's microscopic adventure!

Cory is just one of the bacteria living down the plughole in Bacteria Town. One day he finds himself far away from home, and must go on a great journey across the house to get back to his town. On the way he meets all the different bacteria that live there!



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32 pages 23,5 x 23,5 cm ABM Publishing World rights available except Turkish

> Themes #seeds #fruits #ecology #environmentalawareness #savethenature

# MISSION: SRVING THE SEEDS

Author: Lider Hepgenç Illustrator: Rukiye Ulusan

### Our mission is to save the seeds and make the world a better place!

Have you ever thought about what happens to the seeds of the fruits that we eat (or should eat) every day? Did you know that you could grow fruit trees from these seeds? What would you say if I told you that animals help the seeds? If you didn't know any of this, then start reading and play a part in this great rescue mission!





28 pages 26 x 26 cm Büyülü Fener Publishing **Rights sold: Portuguese** 

Themes #upcycling #zerowaste #caring #environment #saving #friendship TIM THE TIN



Author: Gülşen Manisalı Illustrator: Mısra Karahan

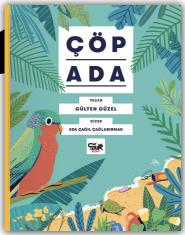
### The story of a tin with big dreams for himself and the environment.

Meet Tim the Tin! He is so worried that someone will buy him and then throw him away. He wishes he was a toy car rather than a tin. What's this? Oh no! A shopper is coming down the aisle! Luckily a family who recycles and reuses tins buys Tim and his dreams come true.



36 pages 26 x 26 cm Timaș Publishing **Rights Sold: Korean, Arabic** 

Themes #nature #environmentalawareness #hermitcrabs #sea #earth #plasticwaste #naturaldestruction



#### 40 pages

21 x 26,5 cm Tekir Publishing **World rights available except Turkish** 

Themes #garbage #consumption #recycling #ecologicaldestruction #zero waste Author: Asiye Yıldırım Illustrator: Hüseyin Sönmezay

### An inspiring story about the importance of respect for nature

Hermit crabs are having trouble finding new homes because people are polluting beaches and picking up shells. One brave hermit crab makes a plan with her friends to tell humans of the harm they are doing, by sending messages in the sound of the sea that people hear when they put seashells to their ears. When they hear the message, people decide to keep their beaches clean, and protect the shells the crabs need.

# WASTE ISLAND

Author: Gülten Güzel Illustrator: Eda Çağıl Çağlarırmak

### Could a no-waste lifestyle stop our planet turning into a giant junkyard?

Lorikett is a boy who lives on Henderson Island in the south Pacific – one of the most polluted places on earth. Lorikett joins with his family and the other inhabitants of the island to say NO to what is happening, and put a stop to pollution.





48 pages 26 x 26 cm Timaş Publishing Rights Sold: Romanian, Macedonian, Azerbaijani

Themes #ecology #earth #climatecrisis #animals #nature

# WHERE IS MY HOME?

Author & Illustrator: Sezen Aksu Taşyürek

### This touching story gently introduces children to the severe ecological crisis that we are currently going through.

Little squirrel is looking for her home in the forest, but she can't find it. Humans have already destroyed it. This is a beautifully illustrated story of a little squirrel's search for a new home where she can be safe. Where is My Home? teaches children about the ecological crisis in an accessible way.





36 pages 26 x 26 cm Timaş Publishing World rights available except Turkish

> Themes #freedom #animalrights #imagination #empathy



# DINOSAURS DO NOT EAT NUTS

Author: Semra Aydın Illustratör: Emre Karacan

### What if a child designed a zoo?

A little boy dreams of creating his own zoo. Although he fills it with incredible animals from all over the world, he soon realizes that the visitors are not as amazed as they should be they seem bored, and even begin to feed the dinosaurs nuts! Seeing this, the little boy understands that the most exciting thing of all is a free, wild animal.





32 pages 22 x 22 cm Paraşüt Publishing **Rights Sold: Albanian** 

Themes #selflove #selfconfidence #selfesteem #bodypositivity

### AN ARMADILLO STORY

Author: Gözde Aral Ocak Illustrator: Ceyhun Şen

### I am beautiful and unqiue just the way I am!

One sunny day, Armin the little Armadillo goes for a walk in the forest, but something interrupts her peaceful stroll. The Flattering Bird swoops down and begins to flatter Armin with all sorts of compliments.

With each compliment Armin grows bigger and bigger. At first she is delighted with her new giant size...

Until she realizes she preferred being a little Armadillo. After all, because she was already beautiful as she was.





36 pages 22 x 22 cm İthaki Publishing World rights available except Turkish

Themes #emotions #dreams #communication #friendship

# GIVE ME YOUR WINGS

Author: Ayşen Bozkuş Illustrator: Sultan Özdemir

### Are you aware of how valuable is what you already have?

Rainbow the butterfly sees little Honeybuzz the bee flying from flower to flower. She would like to fly as easily as him and land wherever she wants, but her

wings are too big for that. Meanwhile, Honeybuzz is fascinated by Rainbow's big, beautiful wings...

This beautiful story is an opportunity to reflect on what we already have, rather than envying others.





40 pages 19,5 x 24 cm Can Çocuk Publishing **Rights Sold:** Macedonian, Korean, Farsi

Themes #communication #empathy #love #society #mutualunderstanding





### THE INVISIBLE WINDOW

Author: Göknil Özkök Illustrator: Ceyhun Şen

### An inspiring story about embracing life with courage and determination

Mr Gün is a wheelchair user. He doesn't go outside very much, but it warms his heart to see the children playing in the snow from his window...

Until he notices a young girl in a wheelchair who isn't joining in the fun. Mr Gün realizes he must go out into the snow too, to show the girl that having a disability doesn't mean you should be left out.





48 page 20,4 x 25,4 cm Tudem Publishing **Rights Sold:** Spanish (Lat. America only)

Themes #fears #solidarity #courage

## MOONLIGHT

Author: Tuba Kumaș Illustrator: Ahmet Uzun

#### A tale of bravery as bright and glorious as the Moon!

Duman is afraid of the dark, so he is very grateful for the Moon that shines its light into his room. But one evening as he watches the Moon from his window, it disappears behind some scary, wolf-like clouds. With the help of his best friend, Duman sets out to save himself from the dark and the Moon from the wolves. But to do this he must confront his worst fears. Moonlight was awarded the third prize in 2019 Tudem Literary Awards.





36 pages 24 x 28 cm Doğan Egmont **World rights available except Turkish** 

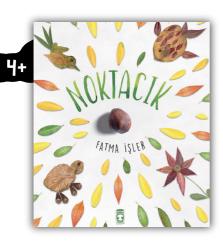
> Themes #selfesteem #awareness #selfconfidence

### I WAS ALWAYS HERE

Author:Cemre Soysal Illustrator: İpek Kay

### The light we keep seeking is actually always here, inside us!

One day the light disappears. Where did it go? Birds cannot see where they are flying, people can't live their lives... They open their curtains and turn on lamps but there is no light anywhere, until one day, to their relief, it returns as suddenly as it left. 'Where were you?' they ask the light. 'I was always here,' it replies.



36 pages 22 x 26,5 cm Timaș Publishing World rights available except Turkish

> Themes #seasons #nature #selfquestioning

### Author & Illustrator: Fatma İsler

THE LITTLE DO1

#### It takes time and courage to find out who you really are!

A little dot wonders who she truly is, and decidedes to travel the world with her friend Wind. The Little Dot travels through the four seasons, making friends in each one. When she reaches Spring she realizes she is actually a flower seed... This is a gorgeously illustrated, captivating story of self-discovery.





36 pages 24 x 28 cm Doğan Egmont **World rights available except Turkish** 

> Themes #selfesteem #awareness #selfconfidence

# THE SKY PRINTER

Author: Göktuğ Canbaba Illustrator: Ceyhun Şen

### A vibrant, thought-provoking tale about awareness and being at peace with oneself

The Sky Painter paints the beautiful starry sky every night. But one day, he starts to wonder if anyone can see him up there in the dark sky. Does anyone even know who he is? One by one he takes down the stars and sticks them to himself. Now he's glowing as brightly as the sun! But then things start to go wrong...







32 pages 19,5 x 23 cm Tudem Publishing **Rights Sold:** World English, Serbian

Themes #genderroles #achievingdreams #humor

# **PRINCESS NUTMEG**

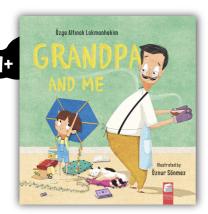
Author: Yıldıray Karakiya Illustrator: Gökçe Yavaş Önal

### A football-loving princess battles gender stereotypes.

Every girl wants to be a princess right? Wrong. This girl would rather play football instead, but her parents the king and queen aren't going to give in that easily...

"Princess Nutmeg" gives a fresh twist to the classic fairy tale by questioning traditional gender roles. This story empowers girls and shows that everyone is entitled to choose their own life.





32 pages 24 x 26.8 cm Final Publishing World rights available except Turkish

Themes #resilience #family #oldpeople #patience #waiting

# GRANDPA AND ME

Author: Özge A. Lokmanhekim Illustrator: Öznur Sönmez

### A heartwarming story of family bonds and changing emotions

Pamir visits his grandpa every Friday after school. They cook, play, read and have a lot of fun together, until one day Pamir's mother tells him he won't be able to visit for a while as Grandpa is in hospital. At first Pamir is angry and upset, but then he starts to write a book about his grandfather to tell him how much he loves him.





36 pages 20 x 20 cm Tekir Publishing World rights available except Turkish

Themes #jealousy #toys #gratitude #playfulness #enthusiasmtoplay

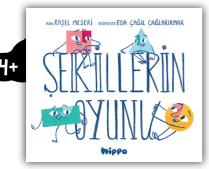
# THE BEST TOY IN THE WORLD

Author: Başak Abdula Illustrator: Pervin Özcan

# Enjoy what you already have, instead of desparately searching for what you don't have!

Attracted by his friends' toys, Ali finally realizes that the toy he owns is the most beautiful one. He realizes it is an illusion that what other people have always looks better.





40 pages 27 x 21 cm Hippo Publishing World rights available except Turkish

#### Themes

#geometricalshapes #teamwork #differences #collaboration #unity #supportingeachother

# THE GRME OF THE SHAPES

Author: Rașel Meseri Illustrator: Eda Çağıl Çağlarırmak

#### Discover your unique shape and what you can do with it!

They were inseparable yet different: The triangle, the square, the rectangle, and the square. One day, they decided to play a game. Toget her they would build a house and each one would add something new to it using their unique shape. In the end, they discovered that the game is only fun when played together.





40 pages 26 x 18 cm Limonero Publishing **Rights Sold: Turkish** 

#memories #generations #ordinaryobjects



# THAT SPOON

Author: Sandra Siemens Illustrator: Bea Lozano

### What does a simple spoon tell you about people's lives?

Some objects have other lives beyond their common, ordinary ones. Certain people know about these secret, magic existences. Little by little, the girl in this book becomes aware of the story that is hidden in the heart of a spoon.





32 pages 24 x 24 cm Hippo Publishing World rights available except Turkish

Themes #senseofwonder #creativethinking #imagination

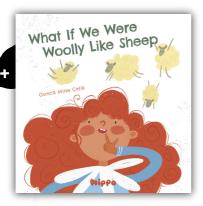
# THE NOTHING SHOP

Author: Tuğba Özdinç Kater Illustrator: Belkıs Aksu Çelebi

### A new perspective on the concepts of "plenty" and "nothing"!

In the small town where a young boy called Neri lives, people have plenty of everything. But one day a man comes to town and opens The Nothing Shop. The townspeople can't understand – what is the man going to sell in his Nothing Shop? In the end, Neri solves the mystery, and what he discovers will make you think again about the concepts of "plenty" and "nothing".





32 pages 24 x 24 cm Hippo Publishing World rights available except Turkish

> Themes #imagination #identity #selfawareness

# WHRT IF WE WERE WOOLLY LIKE SHEEP

Author & Illustrator: Gonca Mine Çelik

#### Discover how far your imagination can take you!

One day Mercan sees a sheep and wonders: what would her life be like if she had wool like sheep do?

She wouldn't need a sweater in the winter and summers would be very hot... What about you? What would you do if you were woolly like a sheep.



# THE PROBLEMS OF HRVING R PET GIRRFFE

Author: İdil Alter Illustrator: Belkıs Aksu Çelebi

### An entertaining story about upcycling!

32 pages 22 x 22 cm Paraşüt Publishing World rights available except Turkish

Themes #ecology #upcycling #solidarity #imagination In the faraway city of Berlin, lives a giraffe called Panda. Berlin is a rainy city, and Panda has a problem: he is very tall and his neck is very, very, very long... so he can't find a raincoat that fits! Should we make him a big raincoat so he doesn't get wet on rainy days? Strawberry has a great idea, will the master of patchwork Angel Micayla help?





32 pages 19,5 x 20,5 cm Uçanbalık Publishing **Rights Sold: Simplified Chinese** 

Themes #laziness #activeness #responsibility #friendship #solidarity #values

# TINI THE LAZY MOUSE SERIES

Author: Ayla Çınaroğlu Illustrator: Mustafa Delioğlu

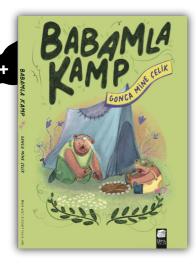
### Have you ever missed a great opportunity just because you were lazy?

Tini is a little mouse with a big problem. He's too lazy! He's always delaying things until it gets him into all sorts of trouble. Luckily Tini is also an optimist and manages to see the good in any situation... before settling down in his comfy armchair for a nap. // ""Tini the Lazy Mouse"" is a series of warm, funny stories with lovely illustrations, which teaches kids the value of being active and the problems that being lazy causes.



# ERRLY READERS & MIDDLE GRADES





#### 80 pages 7,5 x 19,5 cm Final Publishing World rights available except Turkish

Themes #nature #animal #rights #ecology #urbanisation #environmental #awareness



Author & Illustrator: Gonca Mine Çelik

### A bear family living a human life in the city!

My dad, mum and I were just an ordinary bear family, until the humans started to build on our forest home. Soon we had no choice but to move into an apartment buiding and start living a human life in the city! Sometimes we go on camping trips to remind ourselves of our old life, and it was on one of those trips that everything happened...





40 pages 13 x 18 cm Meav Publishing

**Rights Sold: Italian, Arabic** 

Themes #fireworks #birds #nature #ecology

# WHAT'S ALL THIS NOISE ABOUT?

Author: Gökçe Gökçeer Illustrator: Yusuf Tansu Özel

### Are you open for a chance, do you believe in the possibility of making earth a better place?

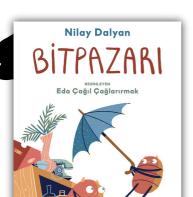
It's a normal day for the residents of Rainbow Street... until a sudden loud noise scares all the kids and animals and sets them running around in a panic! What's All This Noise About? shows the true effect of the firework shows that most people around the world enjoy watching.

Through the friendly tone of its story and its wonderful pastel-coloured illustrations, this book shows how scary fireworks can be for the natural world, animals and people! This is a hope-filled story for anybody who is open to change and who believes in the possibility of making Earth a better place...



96 pages 12,5 x 19,5 cm Timaș Publishing **World rights available except Turkish** 

> Themes #journey #hope #struggle #birds #nature #environment



40 pages 14,6 x 20,7 cm Tekir Publishing World rights available except Turkish

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Themes #consumption #self sufficiency #re-using #upcycling #sustainable living

# VULTURE DOBRILLA'S INCREDIBLE JOURNEY

Author: Mustafa Orakçı Illustrator: Berk Öztürk

### A unique story about overcoming obstacles!

Based on a true story, Vulture Dobrilla tells the incredible journey of a young Red Vulture flying from Belgrade to Turkey. Vulture Dobrilla's Incredible Journey is. beautifully illustrated story of friendship, and how we can overcome obstacles by working together.

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Author: Nilay Dalyan Illustrator: Eda Çağıl Çaglarırmak

### A funny story to make us all think about how our habits as consumers shape our lives.

In the city of Everything, people hard all week and spend their whole weekends shopping. They always want the newest of everything, so it's never long before they throw their purchases away. Even so, their houses are soon too small for all their possessions, so they build bigger houses...

Then one day, the fleas arrive in the city and people all over town start to get itchy...



64 pages 12,5 x 19,5 cm Final Publishing

Rights Sold: Azerbaijani, Romanian, Serbian

Themes #funny and creative stories #unbelieveable adventures

# MY UNCLE FIND ME SERIES

Author: Genç Osman Yavas Illustrator: Nalan Alaca

### IBBY 2016 Selection of the Best Books for Children in European Languages

Have I ever told you about my uncle? I haven't? I haven't mentioned how crazy he is or the ridiculously funny stories he tells? He's so fun! If you ask me, every family needs someone like him but just be careful not to believe everything he says... In this six-book series we see the antics of a "slightly nutty" uncle through his loving nephew's eyes, accompanied throughout by detailed and creative illustrations.











### TITLES

- ZEBRA IN AN AIRPORT
- **3** A GREAT TRAIN ROBBERY
- UNLUCKY MRGICIAN
- 5 FEARLESS CAPTAIN OF THE SEVEN SEAS
- 6 SUPERSTAR



80-96 pages 12,5 x 19,5 cm Final Publishing

**Rights Sold: Arabic** 

Themes #adventure #fun #mystery #nostalgia #love



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### DETECTIVE BOGART SERIES

Author: Zeynep Alpaslan Illustrator: Melike Tan

### Let's get lost in the corridors of adventures with the legendary Detective Bogart!

When a theatre company is haunted by a ghost, they call in the famous Detective Bogart to investigate before their performance is ruined. Detective Bogart laughs at the idea of a haunting, but could the stories be true?

### TITLES IN THE SERIES:

- 1 DETECTIVE BOGART VS. PHANTOM OF THE OPERA
- 2 DETECTIVE BOGRRT SERRCHING FOR THE GOLDEN MOLE
- 3 DETECTIVE BOGRRT RMONG THE FLRMINGOS
- 4 DETECTIVE BOGART SEEKING THE MYSTERIOUS MASK
- 5 DETECTIVE BOGRRT LOOKING OUT FOR THE MISSING RRBBIT





128 pages 13,5 x 19,5 cm Tudem Publishing World rights available except Turkish Themes #familyrelationships #imagination #empathy #solvingproblems #beautyofdifferences

### THE MIDDLER

Author: Hanzazde Servi Illustrator: Hande Dilek Akçam

### A hilarious story about the life of a middle child

Nisan is a middle child. She looks up to her big sister Eylül, but has to look after her little sister Ekim. Still, she finds plenty of time to daydream and get into trouble... The Middler is a sweet, funny story about the

life of a middle child, and how having siblings is ultimately worth all the trouble they cause!

# THE KID WHO DISCOVERED WRITING

Author: Sinan Yaşar Illustrator: Mert Tugen

### A mindblowing educational adventure story set in ancient Sumeria

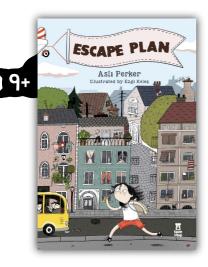
White Cloud is just an ordinary Sumerian child, but when a forest fire separates her from her village and family it is the beginning of an incredible adventure. She will meet with a magical wise woman, journey to the great city of Uruk and eventually invent the very writing that allows this book to be written!





120 pages 13 x 21 cm Fom Publishing World rights available except Turkish

Themes #history #writing #archeology #adventure #discoveries



176 pages 13,5 x 21 cm Taze Publishing **World rights available except Turkish** 

Themes #adventure #fun #boredom #relationship with grandparents



#### 192 pages 13,5 x 21 cm

Rights Sold: Simplified Chinese, Korean, Ukrainian

#### Themes #software #coding #technology #computing skills #fantasy #adventure #digital world

### THE ESCAPE PLAN

Author: Aslı Perker Illustrator: Ezgi Keleş

#### A creative plan to escape from boredom!

While her mother recovers from an accident, Burçin is sent to stay with her grandmother. Not only is she bored stiff there, with nobody to talk to or play with and nothing to read, she's hungry too – her grandma sleeps all day and doesn't make her any food! There is only one thing left for Burçin to do: get back home to her mother. So she comes up with a clever plan...



### THE CODER OF OZ

Author: Nisa İnci Illustrator: Büşra Çakmak

#### A Wizard of Oz for the digital age!

Dorothy dreams of being a software developer, but when she puts on a weird pair of glasses she finds herself sucked into a digital world called Ozcraft. To get back home, she needs to get to the Emerald City, find Oz and learn how to code.





136 pages 13,5 x 19,5 cm Tudem Publishing

**Rights Sold: Korean, Arabic** 

Themes #criticalthinking #mystery #selfexploration #curiosity #research

# YUAN HUAN'S TELEPHONE BOX

Author: Miyase Sertbarut Illustrator: Zülal Öztürk

A mysterious middlegrade novel containing five linked stories, which makes its readers question the relationship between technology and literature

Ilhami finds reading stories boring, but when he discovers an old red telephone box, and picks up the receiver he is enchanted by the strange tales it tells him. Soon he is hooked on the stories, and as Ilhami discovers more about the mystery of the telephone box's artificial intelligence, he also discovers his own love of reading.



### BUT THIS KID IS DEFECTIVE

Author: Suzan Geridönmez Illustrator: Çağla Vera Kılıçarslan

#### A world where children are prestige objects for perfectionist families...

Welcome to a world where families purchase perfect children to serve as status symbols. One family think they're just bought a perfect son, until they realise what happens every time he gets stressed...

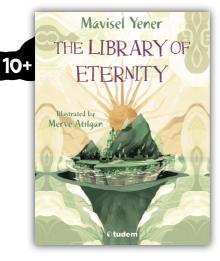
He starts farting! "This kid is defective!" his parents complain."But This Kid is Defective!" is a hilarious satire of vanity and consumer culture for all the questioning children out there.



120 pages 13,5 x 18,5 cm Tudem Publishing

**Rights Sold: Korean, Arabic** 

Themes #freedom #individualism #awareness #societalnorms, #expectations #questioningchange



#### 200 pages 13,5 x 19,5 cm Tudem Publishing **World rights available except Turkish**

Themes #justice #culturalvalues #reading #writing #culture #history #civilization

## THE LIBRARY OF ETERNITY

Author: Mavisel Yener Illustrator: Merve Atılgan

#### A timeless journey to protect our cultural heritage...

In the north of the Land of Oz is an island which is home to the Library of Eternity. Within the walls of this magical library, which contains all the tales ever written, live many characters from classic stories as well as their authors.

When the ruler of the island comes down with 'Lack of Imagination syndrome' which causes him to shut down the library and ban books, Aesop, Pinocchio, Jules Verne and Professor Hat must join forces to save the island and the magic of reading.







#### 112 pages 13,5 x 19,5 cm Tudem Publishing **World rights available except Turkish**

#### Themes

#heroesofscience #synesthesia #unity
 #tetrachromacy #adventure
#curiosities #researching #pageturner
 #diversity #selfexploration
 #curiosity #research

# SUPER KIDS SERIES

Author: Aytül Akal Illustrator: Yusuf Tansu Özel

#### Adventures with double narration which highlights the power of having distinct features...

Each book in the Super Kids Series focuses on the exciting stories of a group of students who are trying to discover their abilities. Each book in the series can be read independently and guides the reader as they figure out their own superpowers, while teaching them the importance of sticking together for a single cause.

Aytül Akal is a passionate children's books writer. She was Turkey's nominee for ALMA in 2010 and again in 2020. Her works consist of short stories, novels, poetry and have been translated to several languages. Akal's books have sold more than 800,000 copies in Turkey.



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### TITLES

- COLOUR FREAK
- 2 NOISE FREAK
- **3 SMELL FRERK**
- **4** FRILL FREAK







160 pages 13,5 x 21 cm Taze Publishing **World rights available except Turkish** 

Themes #grandparents, #weirdness #humor

SERMIN YASAR

265.000

copies

### MY GRANDMA IS BACK

Author: Şermin Yasar Illustrator: Ezgi Keleş

#### You'd think my grandma had lost her mind, actually NO!

One day my grandma turned up at our door, wearing roller skates and a ballerina skirt, with bright pink hair! She decided to move in with us, bringing enough pets with her to fill an animal shelter and 15 suitcases stuffed to the brim with weird objects! We were all worried by her behaviour: what had happened to the kind, calm gentle grandma we knew?... Then just when we thought we had lost her for ever, she came back!

# THE EXAGGERATING POWDER

Author: Şermin Yaşar Illustrator: Mert Tugen

#### A challenge to be normal!

This morning I woke up and my whole town had gone mad: my mom had turned our house into a giant organic farm, my cousin had become a horseriding painter, my auntie had started soaking her children in soapy water and hanging them out on the washing line to dry every day... Nobody here is normal any more, but I'm determined to change that. The people of this town need a hero and that hero is me.

160 pages 13,5 x 21 cm Taze Publishing

**Rights Sold: Russian** 

Themes #humor #exaggeration #society



144 pages 13,5 x 21 cm Taze Publishing

#### **Rights Sold: Arabic**

Themes #commitment #tolerance #adventure

### THE ASIYE SERIES

Author: Halenur Çalışan Illustrator: Tuğrul Karacan

### Boarding school has never been so much fun!

Asiye is a good girl at heart, but she can't seem to stop herself from getting up to all sorts of mischief. She drives both her teachers and friends at her boarding school crazy with her naughty behaviour, before learning in the end that rules are no barrier to happiness after all.

Packed full of wickedly funny illustrations and jokes, the Asiye series are hilarious boarding school adventure stories that can be enjoyed by all readers from middlegrade up.



### TITLES

1 LET ME OUT OF THIS SCHOOL! 2 AH, I'M SO BORED! 3 WHY DOES IT ALWAYS RAIN ON ME?







112 pages 13 x19 cm İthaki Publishing World rights available except Turkish

Themes #scientists #technology #inventions #adventure #friendship



112 pages 13,5 x 19,5 cm Tudem Publishing World rights available except Turkish

Themes #warandpeace #solidarity #collectivemind #questioningpower

## MY NEIGHBOUR MR. TESLA

Author: Nur Muslu Tiftikiçi Illustrator: Linda Nihan Lafcı

#### What if famous scientists and inventors Nikola Tesla and Thomas Edison lived today?

In Andy's neighbourhood, all the houses look the same – that is, apart from the house next door, which has a strange metal tower in the back yard. Soon Andy discovers that his next-door neighbours are Nikola Tesla and Thomas Edison. As he gets to know them he learns the secret of the metal tower, and is drawn into a breathtaking adventure and a heartwarming adventure story.

# THE FINT REBELLION

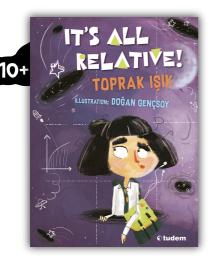


Author: Toprak Işık Illustrator: Sedat Girgin

### An imaginative, educational story about freedom, resistance and change.

We all think of ants as hardworking insects – but some don't work at all. They prefer to exploit others. What happens when worker ants refuse to be slaves and fight for their freedom? The Ant Rebellion is a thrilling and educational story that brings to life a worker ant colony and shows what happens when slaver ants try to take it over.





120 pages 13,5 x 19,5 cm Tudem Publishing

#### **Rights Sold: Arabic**

Themes #science #theoryofrelativity #girlsempowerment #success



128 pages 13,5 x 19,5 cm Tudem Publishing World rights available except Turkish

Themes #science #technology #timetravel #universe #respectthenature #communication

# IT'S ALL RELATIVE!

Author: Toprak Işık Illustrator: Doğan Gençsoy

#### The coolest story ever about the Theory of Relativity.

Beril is preparing a presentation to her classmates on the theory of relativity. She hopes that by learning about relativity she will be able to travel back in time and stop the accident that left her brother disabled. This moving, funny story explains this complicated scientific topic in a way that young people will understand.



### THE SCIENCE SET MY DAD IS THE CLEVEREST IN THE CLASS !

Author: Toprak Işık Illustrator: Doğan Gençsoy

#### What happens once you get into someone else's body and start to live their life?

A father and son swap bodies, and start to understand each other's lives... My Father is the Cleverest in the Class is one of the books in The Science Set which focuses on various scientific facts about life and living organisms, transformation and physics. Four basic topics in this series are explained in four different, entertaining novels.



Mother, please bring me back



Granny, please save us!



Dad, please understand me



152 pages 13,5 x 19,5 cm Tudem Publishing

Rights Sold: Simplified Chinese and Korean

Themes #mathematics #curiosity #research #findingsolutions #dailyissues



Author: Sümeyra Güzel Illustrator: Gökçe Yavaş Önal

#### To love math or not to love math, that is the question.

Beginning in ancient times, this fun story takes the reader on a journey through the history of math. They will meet Pythagoras, get to know the number Pi, and learn the practical uses of math in the real world. This enjoyable book is a brilliant answer to the question 'What's the point of learning math'?, perfect for all reluctant mathematicians.



### WHAT SHALL I BE? SERIES

Author: Toprak Işık Illustrator: Doğan Gençsoy

#### A humorous and informative reference book for young readers who are at the point of making career choices.

Each book in this series uses a friendly and funny voice to tell the history of a job, introduce examples of famous people in the profession, outline some connected occupations and explain its advantages and disadvantages. The perfect series for any young person wondering what they will do when they grow up!







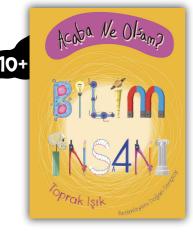


Doctor

Lawyer

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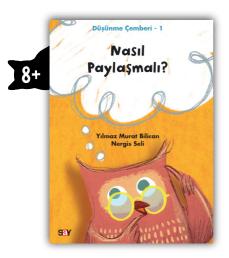
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#### **Scientist**

80 pages 13,5 x 19,5 cm Tudem Publishing World rights available except Turkish

Themes #careerchoice #humor #science #technology #ethics #curiosity #research



#### How Should we Share?

40 pages 13,5 x 19,5 cm Say Publishing **World rights available except Turkish** 

Themes #respecttoothers #selfcriticization

# NAT FATHER'S NOTEBOOKS Understation Uth pulsespace

288 pages 13 x 19,5 cm Dinozor Publishing

**Rights Sold: Simplified Chinese** 

Themes #philosophy #philosophers #ancienttimes #interviews

### THE CIRCLE OF THOUGHTS

Author: Yılmaz Murat Bilican, Nergis Seli Illustrator: Ege Karadayı Yiğitbaş

#### A fun introduction to philosophy and critical thinking

Written by a children's author and a philosopher, the Circle of Thoughts series encourages children to think critically and express their thoughts freely. The books in the series introduce children to a wide variety of questions, like how to share properly, what the real meaning of happiness is, and whether it's better to work or play...









Is it Easy Is to be Happy?

ls it Better to Work or Be Happy?

r to How Can We Make Decisions?

Is it Right to be Afraid Sometimes?

### MY FATHER'S NOTEBOOKS

HISTORY OF PHILOSOPHERS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE VOL. 1

> Author &Illustrator: Yılmaz Murat Bilican



#### Timeles conversations with the most important philosophers of all time!

When Ege finds his father's dusty old philosophy notebook, what he reads there fills his head with many questions...

To satisfy his curiosity he goes on a journey through the ages, and speaks with eight great ancient philosophers: Thales, Heraclitus, Parmenides, Protagoras, Socrates, Plato, Aristotle and Epicurus. Through his conversations, Ege searches for answers to question that have troubled people since ancient times.



#### 72 pages 21 x 27 cm ABM Publishing World rights available except Turkish

Themes #warandpeace #solidarity #collectivemind #questioningpower





Author: Emine Corduk Feyzioğlu Illustrator: Cansu Güngör

#### Take your first step into the world of art with this fun introduction

What is art? Do lines have feelings? What happens when colours mix together? Can you draw a picture of music?

The Art Activity Book introduces children to art with fascinating questions and fun activities. Children learn how artists work, and the different ways they create art. They also take their own first steps as artists, with activities that introduce them to collage, painting and much more...







128 pages 13,5 x 21 cm Taze Publishing Rights Sold: Arabic, Kurdish and Simplified Chinese

> Themes #science #nature #facts #humour

### PHILOSOPHANT'S SCIENCE & NATURE DIARIES

Author: Dr. Fatih Dikmen Illustrator: Büşra Çakmak

#### Explore science's most interesting questions with the Philosophant!

Philosophant is a very curious elephant, always searching for the answers to every question that comes into his mind, and recording his thoughts in a diary.

In Philosophant's Science Diary he investigates questions such as Why doesn't our stomach digest itself? What would be like if our bones were made of iron? And Why do we burp?

Philosophant's Nature Diary focuses on problems like Why don't spiders stick to their webs? Do rabbits always eat carrots? and Do seahorse fathers really give birth? Each of these funny, entertaining books explores 50 fascinating questions and includes 10 experiments that children can try at home.

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112 pages 24x32 cm Taze Publishing World rights available except Turkish

Themes #wondersoftheworld #nature #animals #monuments #sightseeing #naturalwonders #worldtour #travel #geography

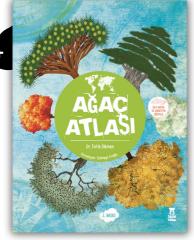
### WHAT IS THERE ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE WORLD

Author: Zeynep Sevde & Kerimcan Akduman Illustrator: Büşra Çakmak

#### A magnificent book, full of wonders of the world!

From Madagascar with its dancing lemurs and giant baobab trees, to the vast rainforests of the Amazon, frozen Svalbard which lies in darkness for four whole months during winter, and many other places in between – this fascinating book takes the reader on a journey across the world in all its amazing colour and variety.





112 pages 24 x 32 cm with a map and stickers Taze Publishing Rights Sold: Arabic, Simplified Chinese, Azerbaijani

> Themes #trees #earth #nature

# TREE ATLAS

Author: Zeynep Sevde & Fatih Dikmen Illustrator: Sümeyye Eroğlu

#### A perfect introduction to the world of trees!

The cacao tree that is the mother of chocolate, the mangrove tree that can live in seawater, the baobab tree of fairy tales, the olive tree that has been a part of our diet for so long, the giant sequoia... 52 trees from 52 countries... All fascinating, all beautiful and all in this wonderfully illustrated book.





**ANIMAL ATLAS** 

**INSECT RTLRS** 



112 pages 24 x 32 cm Taze Publishing **Rights Sold: Arabic** 

Themes #inventions #publicfigures #inspiration

### WEIRD MINDS ATLAS

**Author:** Zeynep Sevde & Fatih Dikmen **Illustrator:** Irma Zmiric Çetinkaya

### The people who make a mark on the world are the ones who think different than anyone else!

Who invented the calculator? Was Tesla crazy or a genius? How did Beethoven compose his music despite being deaf? Would modern surgery be possible without the inventions of Zehravi?

Weird Minds Atlas tells us all about 52 people who shaped the world with their inventions, with many funny stories along the way... Meet the world's craziest inventors, philosophers, scientist, artists and writers, all in this amazing book.

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