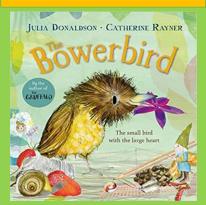
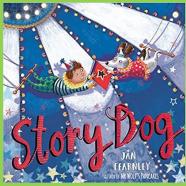
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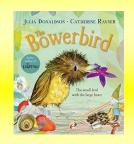
Brilliant picture books to share



Author Feature Julia Donaldson & Catherine Rayner

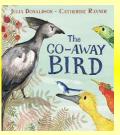


This fantastic pair have joined up to create two gorgeous books.



New out this month The Bowerbird is a delightful story about, Bert the bird with a big heart and his efforts to find love. He makes the most beautiful bower and hopes it will help him find the perfect bird of his dreams BUT Nanette is not impressed. Is Nanette the right one for Bert?

A charming story about the power of friendship. The Go Away bird tells others to leave but when the Get you bird arrives she realises how important friendship can be.





Smeds are red and Smoos are blue and they

aren't allowed to mix so when two fall in love there's fallings out. Can they help their families get along?

They are funny and silly and really bad but one little girl shows them that you don't have to be big to be brave and baddies don't always win.





The everywhere bear belongs with Year One but one day he gets lost. An adventure begins but will he make his way back to Year One?

My daughter's favourite childhood book. Augustus has lost his smile but does his best to find it. His journey shows us the joy to be found around us if we look.





Five Bears is all about how we can be different and still fit in and find friends who appreciate spending time together. It's ok to be on your own but it's good to be with others sometimes.

Sylvia is a very lonely dragon but in bird she finds the kind of friend who means everything. Gorgeous story showing that you don't need to be with friends like you but with friends you like.



<u>Oldies but Goodies</u>



Absolute classics

Julia Donaldson is one of the most well-known picture book authors with most families loving several of her books.

Catherine Rayner is a fantastic illustrator who has worked with great authors like Julia but who also writes and illustrates her own books which almost always have a great message.



Working with the amazing Sharon King-Chai Julia Donaldson has written Animalphabet and Counting Creatures. Absolutely stunning for beginning to interest children in the world around them.



Non Fiction ish

Great reads to expand minds

Books for moving on



Phonics books with rhyme and rhythm and a variety of storylines.

Julia Donaldson has written some books for the publishers Barrington Stoke. They aim to help children grasp reading and are great reads for those who are starting out or finding things a little difficult. Great stories by fantastic authors.



Mr Birdsnest may have kidnapped the children next doors Grandma.

They adventure to rescue her through his jungle of a garden.



A king hides a terrible secret under his crown and a girl dares to outwit him and discover the truth.





Doris the snake goes missing. Can Polly find Doris before the snake finds her guinea pigs? Her mum's not so sure.