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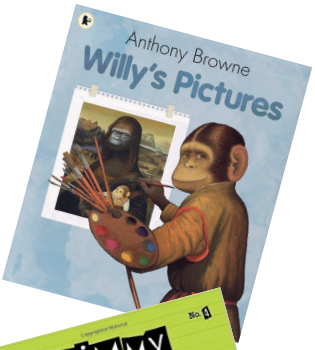

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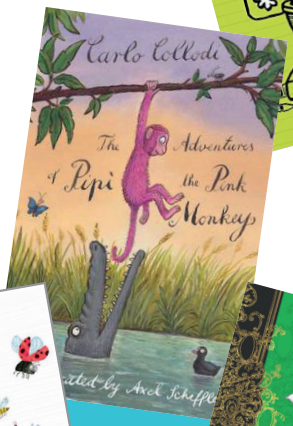

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Reading & activity ideas for your Chatterbooks group

Celebrating a world of stories with our Illustrations themed book list!

Here are some recent books from our Children's Reading Partners publisher partners, showing a range of inspiring approaches to illustration – in picture books, and also in illustrated fiction and non-fiction.

This is a lovely selection of books including highly-illustrated picture books, children's fiction and non-fiction; books about exploring and reading pictures and creating your own illustrations; and books about famous artists.

You'll also find activities and discussion ideas linked to the featured titles – plus more reading ideas and a list of some classic picture books.

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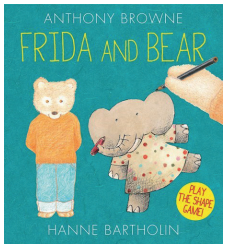
Books about reading pictures and creating your own illustrations

Frida and Bear Anthony Browne & Hanne Bartholin

Walker 978-1406365573



Frida and Bear both love to draw – but what? First Frida draws a shape, then Bear turns it into a picture. Then Bear draws a shape for Frida as the shape game begins again. Celebrate the power of the imagination with this picture book which inspires creativity, inviting the reader to play the shape game too.

Anthony Browne is an author-illustrator. He was Children's Laureate from 2009 to 2011 has won many awards including the CILIP Kate Greenaway Medal and the Hans Christian Andersen Award. He lives in Canterbury, Kent.

Hanne Bartholin is a Danish illustrator. In 2001 she was awarded the Danish Ministry of Culture Illustration Prize. She also lectures at the Danish Design School and runs workshops for children and adults. She lives in Copenhagen.

IDEA **Have a go at the shape game yourselves – in pairs draw shapes for each other to turn into pictures. See too *The Shape Game* by Anthony Browne (Corgi 978-0552546966)**

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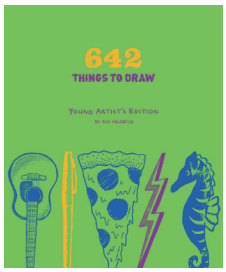
642 Things To Draw: Young Artist's Edition 826 Valencia

Chronicle 978-145215066



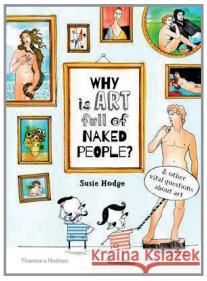
A collection of cool, clever, and quirky drawing prompts, this extension of the bestselling *642* series is sure to entertain and inspire young artists of all experience levels.

IDEA **Have a go at *drawing a house that is surprised, two monsters eating salad, a better world, spilled coffee* or *mutant butterflies!***

826 Valencia is a nonprofit organisation dedicated to supporting under-resourced students ages six to eighteen with their creative and expository writing skills and to helping teachers inspire their students to write.

Why is Art Full of Naked People? Susie Hodge

Thames & Hudson 978-0500650806



This gently provocative book provides an engaging way for young people to start asking and answering questions when looking at art. *Why is art full of naked people?* has 22 questions, each one over two spreads. The opening spread explores the question and answer, inviting the reader to study a full-bleed image of an important artwork. The second spread shows a selection of work on the theme from across history, showing how art can run with an idea to hugely different ends. The tone of the text is fresh and informal.

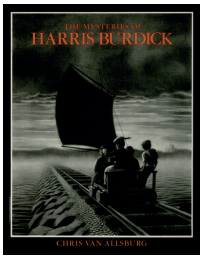
Susie Hodge is an art historian, author, artist, and journalist who has written over 100 books on art history, practical art, and history.

IDEA

This is a great start-up book for talking about pictures – have a look, for example, at 'What's the story?' (p28), 'Is art on a tablet real art?' (p42) or 'Who are all these people?' (p32). There's also an interesting and debatable point 'Why do I have to be quiet in a gallery?' (p88)

The Mysteries of Harris Burdick Chris Van Allsburg

Andersen 978-1849392792



"His disappearance is not the only mystery left behind. What were the stories that went with these drawings? There are some clues..."

Who is Harris Burdick? Where did he disappear to? And how was he going to finish his stories? Here is a series of loosely related drawings each accompanied by a title and a caption which the reader may use to make up his or her own story.

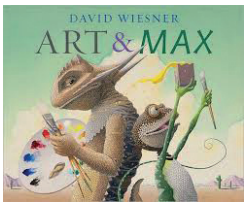
Chris van Allsburg lives on Rhode Island. He is a sculptor and artist, and twice winner of the Caldecott Medal, first for *Jumanji*, and then for *The Polar Express*.

IDEA

What stories can you make up from these pictures and their captions? Maybe you could also think up some pictures and text to create your own 'Mysteries'!

Art and Max David Wiesner

Andersen 978-1849392679



Max and Arthur are best friends who both want to make art. Max is a beginner and his attempt at using a paintbrush sends the two friends on a whirlwind adventure with paints, pastels and pencils – and unexpected pitfalls! Influenced by surrealist Salvador Dali, this is a fascinating story about friendship, creativity and the mysterious place where these two forces meet.

David Wiesner is a well-known picture book creator. He generally spends several years creating each new book. He lives outside Philadelphia.

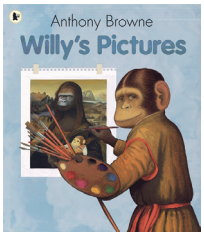
IDEA

Have a look at the pictures of Max trying to draw Art back to life – making an outline and then colouring in his body with lots of dots of different colours. Get some string and shape an outline of a creature, real or imaginary, sticking it onto some card and then colouring it in with dots. Look up the artist Seurat and his 'Pointillist' style of painting, and see how he creates his pictures with dots.

Books about famous artists

Willy's Pictures Anthony Browne

Walker 978-1406313567



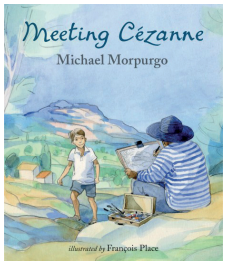
Willy's pictures look like great works of art, but not quite... for Willy has added himself and his friends to famous paintings by Leonardo da Vinci, Raphael, Vermeer, Manet and many more. Delight in his dazzling portfolio and then open the fold-out pages to see the original pictures and learn about the artists who painted them. As Willy knows, every picture tells a story…

Anthony Browne – see *Frida and Bear* above

IDEA **Find out more about the artists in this book – and talk about the pictures and the stories they tell.**

Meeting Cezanne Michael Morpurgo & Francois Place

Walker 978-1406351132



When Yannick learns that he is to stay with his Aunt Mathilde in the South of France, he cannot believe his luck. If the paintings of his mother's beloved Cezanne are to be believed, surely Provence is paradise itself. So begins an idyllic month for the young boy. But the idyll is spoilt when an important local artist comes for dinner and Yannick accidentally destroys a precious drawing the man leaves behind. He resolves to put things right – and makes a surprising discovery.

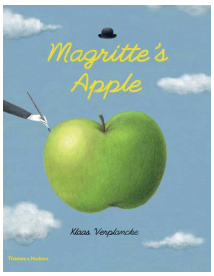
Michael Morpurgo has won many prizes, including the Smarties Prize and the Blue Peter Book Award. His books include *Private Peaceful* and *War Horse*. He was the Children's Laureate 2003-5.

Francois Place is an author, and an illustrator of children's books and young adult books – including *War Horse*. In 1995 he made the IBBY Honor List of France as an author.

IDEA **Find out more about Cezanne – and the other artist features in this story! Look at some of their pictures, comparing them and talking about the ones which you like best.**

Magritte's Apple Klaas Verplancke

Thames & Hudson 978-0500651032



A man named René floats through the world of his dreams and imagination, fulfilling his desire to become a painter – of apples and hats, apple hats, apple-these and apple-thats. In his paintings, leaves are lips, baguettes are noses, the right side is never up, and the upside is never down. In this book everyday objects and words are mashed-up together in ways to make you laugh and think. René Magritte (1898–1967) was an artist who created whimsical, subversive paintings that helped launch the popularity of surrealism. His works combined words and images in novel, thought-provoking ways, and used humour and ordinary subjects to inspire viewers to question the world around them.

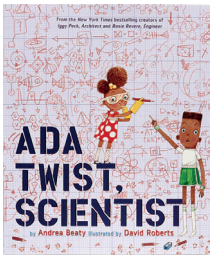
Klaas Verplancke is a Belgian author, illustrator, and professor of illustration. His books have won multiple awards and his illustrations have been published in the *New York Times*, as well as in dozens of magazines and newspapers throughout Europe. He lives in Brussels.

IDEA ***An egg became a bird when he painted it. Shoes turned into feet.*** **Think of some ordinary objects, and make a picture where you turn them into something extraordinary – try doing this with a chair, or an orange, or a cup!**

Some highly illustrated books: Picture books

Ada Twist, Scientist Andrea Beaty & David Roberts

Abrams 978-1419721373



Determined Ada Twist, with her boundless curiosity for science and love of the question 'Why?' follows her passions as she tries to understand her world. She embarks on fact-finding missions and conducts scientific experiments, all in the name of discovery. But sometimes her experiments lead to trouble before success!

Andrea Beaty and **David Roberts** are the creators of *Iggy Peck, Architect* and *Rosie Revere, Engineer*. Roberts was runner-up for the prestigious Mother Goose Award for children's illustration.

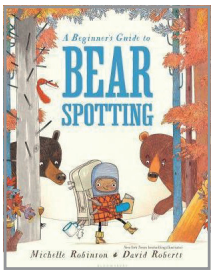
IDEA

There is a wealth of fascinating detail in many of the pictures in this book. What's Ada doing in the picture of the palm tree, for example? Or why do you think she has climbed up the grandfather clock?!

The Beginner's Guide to Bear Spotting

Michelle Robinson & David Roberts

Bloomsbury 978-1681190266



Do you dream of seeing some real, live bears? Then this essential guide to bear spotting, filled with offbeat humour and quirky illustrations, is for you! In this perfect read-aloud, a young aspiring bear spotter ventures into bear country... But our protagonist – accompanied by a trusty teddy bear – might need to use some unconventional means to stay out of trouble and avoid being (gulp!) eaten.

Michelle Robinson is the award-winning author of *There's a Lion in My Cornflakes* and *How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth*. Michelle lives in Frome.

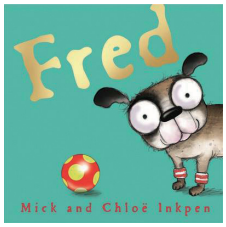
David Roberts is the illustrator of numerous children's books – see above *Ada Twist, Scientist*

IDEA

Have a go at some bear hunting – grizzlies, koalas, pandas, polar bears and more! Get researching in books and on the internet and see how many different kinds of bears you can track down. Choose your favourite and draw a picture of it.

Fred Mick Inkpen & Chloe Inkpen

Hodder 978-1444929522



'Fetch!' and 'Sit!' and 'Stay!' I understand them all. Those are the words I know. But what is 'Fred'?

Fred the dog may not know his name yet or how to stay out of trouble but one little boy will love him no matter what. A follow-up to *I Will Love You Anyway*, this rhyming story is full of friendship and tail wagging and will touch a chord with all children who love pets.

Mick Inkpen's most popular characters are *Kipper* and *Wibbly Pig*. He won the Children's Book Award for *Threadbear. Kipper* won a BAFTA for best animated children's film in 1998.

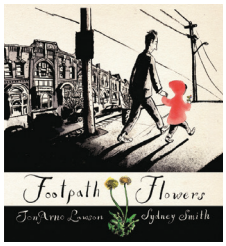
Chloe Inkpen did a degree course in Visual Communication at Glasgow School of Art and was awarded second place in the Macmillan Prize for Illustration in 2008.

IDEA

What do you think of Fred? Would you like him as your pet dog? How do the illustrations get his character across?

Footpath Flowers JonArno Lawson & Sydney Smith

Walker 978-1406365672



In this wordless, beautifully illustrated picture book a little girl collects wild flowers while her distracted father pays her – and their surroundings – little attention. Each flower she gathers becomes a gift for a person or animal, and both giver and recipient are transformed by these encounters. *Footpath Flowers* is a quiet and powerful testament to the joy that we can find in ordinary things and the mutual value of giving. It was shortlisted for the 2016 CILIP Kate Greenaway Medal.

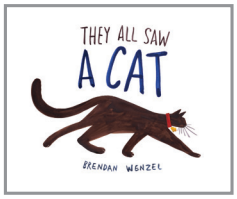
JonArno Lawson is a Canadian award-winning poet and writer. His collections for children include *Black Stars in a White Night Sky* and *The Man in the Moon Fixer's Mask*. He lives in Toronto.

Sydney Smith is a Canadian illustrator of children's books. He was awarded the 2015 Governor General's Award for Illustrated Children's Books for *Sidewalk (Footpath) Flowers*.

IDEA **Talk together about each picture and what you see happening in this story. Make your own pictures of footpath or roadside flowers, using a combination of black and white drawing and colours.**

They All Saw Cat Brendan Wenzel

Chronicle 978-1452150130



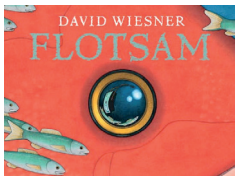
The cat walked through the world, with its whiskers, ears and paws... and the child saw A CAT, and the dog saw A CAT, and the fox saw A CAT. Yes, they all saw the cat. Simple, rhythmic prose and ingeniously stylised pictures take the reader on a walk alongside a cat. But is it really a story about the cat, or is it about how different creatures view it? This is a glorious celebration of observation, curiosity and imagination.

Brendan Wenzel is an illustrator based in upstate New York.

IDEA **This is about how we all see things differently: a child sees a cat that is soft and fluffy, while a mouse would mostly see fierce teeth and claws. Talk about each picture, and think about how a person might seem to different creatures: how would we look to a cat, or an ant – or a giraffe?!**

Flotsam David Wiesner

Andersen 978-1849394499



A bright, science-minded boy goes to the beach equipped to collect and examine flotsam – anything floating that has been washed ashore. Bottles, lost toys, small objects of every description are among his usual finds. But there's no way he could have prepared for one particular discovery: a barnacle-encrusted underwater camera, with its own secrets to share... and to keep.

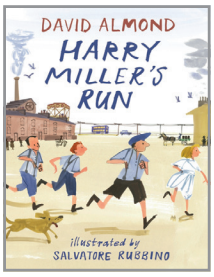
David Wiesner – see *Art and Max* above

IDEA **When the boy in this book gets the camera film developed he finds pictures within pictures, 'selfies' taken by children going back many years. Have a go at this – you need two phones! Line up your group and take a phone picture of the 1st person in line. Then take a picture of the 2nd person holding the picture of the first. And then a picture of the 3rd person holding the picture of the 2nd person holding the picture of the first – and so on! Can you enlarge the phone magnification to see all the pictures, as in Flotsam?**

Highly illustrated books: Fiction

Harry Miller's Run David Almond & Salvatore Rubbino

Walker Books 978-1406362244



A joyful story of times gone by, illustrated in full colour. It's not long till the Junior Great North Run, and Liam needs to train. But Mam needs him to help old Harry. Harry knows a thing or two about running. When he was a lad he ran all the way from Newcastle to South Shields. This is the story of that day: sweltering heat, clattering boots, briny sea air and the heavenly taste of ice cream; the day when Harry and his pals ran through the blazing sunlight all the way to the sea.

David Almond is the author of *Skellig, A Song for Ella Grey* and many other books and plays. He has won the Carnegie Medal, two Whitbreads, the Guardian Children's Fiction Prize, and the Hans Christian Andersen Award. He lives in Northumberland.

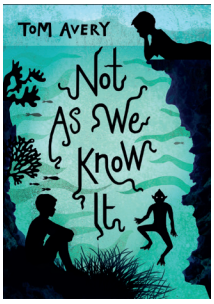
Salvatore Rubinno's first picture book was *A Walk in New York*. He was one of the top ten new illustrators in the Booktrust Best New Illustrators Award 2011. His picture book *Just Ducks!* was shortlisted for the CILIP Kate Greenaway Medal.

IDEA

Look at the picture on p53 - a photo of Harry and his friends after their run. Take a picture of a group of your friends and then re-create it as a drawing. It doesn't have to be an accurate copy – rather a picture that gets across the mood of the group! See too the 'Read out loud' activity in our Chatterbooks Week pack, which has an excerpt from this book.

Not As We Know It Tom Avery & Kate McKendrick Grove

Andersen 978-1783442263



Twins Jamie and Ned do everything together, from watching their favourite show, *Star Trek*, to riding their bikes, to beachcombing after a storm. But Ned is sick with cystic fibrosis, and he may someday leave Jamie behind. One day they find a strange animal on the beach: smooth flesh on one end, scales at the other, short arms and legs with long webbed fingers and toes. Is it a merman?

They name the creature Leonard and hide him in a tub in their garage.
But... why is Leonard here? Jamie hopes he might bring some miracle that will stop his brother from going where he can no longer follow. But Ned, who grows closer to Leonard every day, doesn't seem to be getting any better...

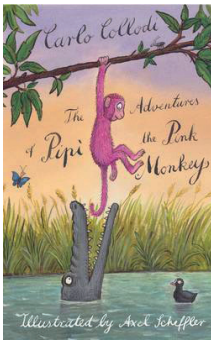
Tom Avery has worked as a teacher in London and Birmingham. In 2010, his debut novel, *Too Much Trouble*, won the Diverse Voices Book Award. He lives in North London.

Kate McKendrick Grove lives in London and is Art Director of Fiction at Andersen Press.

IDEA

Several of the illustrations for this story feature silhouettes – the image of someone or something represented as a solid shape of a single colour, usually black, with its edges matching the outline of the subject. Have a go at drawing a silhouette of an animal – you could do the outline on black paper and cut it out.

The Adventures of Pipi the Pink Monkey Carlo Collodi
Illustrated by Axel Scheffler
Alma Books 978-1847495594



Pipi is a mischievous monkey with bright-pink fur and a rebellious streak that lands him into all sorts of scrapes. This story is an expanded version of an original tale by Collodi, who wrote this immediately after *Pinocchio*. The little monkey's adventures show clear similarities; the story is here adapted and expanded by Alessandro Gallenzi.

Carlo Collodi (1826-90) was an Italian journalist, playwright and author of *Pinocchio*.

Axel Schiffler works as a freelance illustrator in London and is best known for the children's books he has illustrated in partnership with Julia Donaldson, especially *The Gruffalo*

How do the pictures in this book fit with the story for you? Do you recognise which artist did them and do you know other books which he has illustrated?

Lassie Come-Home Eric Knight & Gary Blythe
Alma Books 978-1847495785

Everyone in the Yorkshire town of Greenall Bridge knows Lassie, the prize collie of miner Sam Carraclough and his son Joe. But when the family falls on hard times, Sam is forced to sell his dog to the Duke of Rudling, who takes her hundreds of miles away to his estate in Scotland. Undeterred by the distance and driven by instinctive love, Lassie escapes from her new owners and embarks on an epic journey to be reunited with her young master Joe.

Eric Knight (1897–1943) emigrated to the States as a teenager, where he wrote adult novels and stories for young readers, many set in his native Yorkshire. He died in a wartime accident.

Gary Blythe won the CILIP Kate Greenaway Medal for *The Whales' Song* (by Dyan Sheldon). He illustrates the works of many children's writers including Michael Morpurgo and Geraldine McCaughrean. Gary lives in the Wirral.

Talk about the pictures in this book and how they fit with the story – and see the extra material and activities at the end of the book. Have a look at other picture books by Gary Blythe

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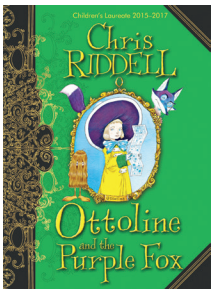
Ottoline and the Purple Fox Chris Riddell
Macmillan 978-1447277927



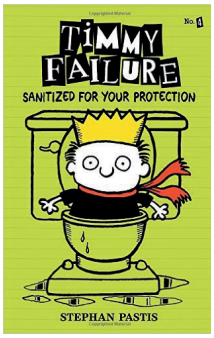
Ottoline is back in a brand new adventure! Ottoline and Mr Munroe love puzzles, clues and mysteries. One day, they meet an enigmatic purple fox, who offers to take them on a night-time urban safari. Ottoline makes notes in her field notebook. Mr Munroe is making notes too – on the anonymous poems he finds stuck to lampposts. Who is the secretive and broken-hearted poet?

Chris Riddell has illustrated many books for children and has won the Kate Greenaway medal three times. He is the current Children's Laureate, and is also the political cartoonist for the *Guardian* and the *Observer*.

Talk about how so much of the story is told through the pictures – and the use of purple in these illustrations – what effect does it have? At the end of the book there's a Fancy Dress Fortune Teller to make, and on p122 you can see how to make Paper People place settings!

Timmy Failure – Sanitized for Your Protection Stephan Pastis

Walker 978-1406365764



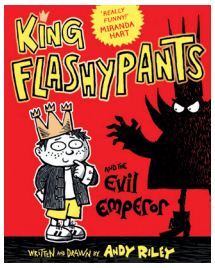
Timmy Failure is back in the fourth book in this series, perfect for fans of Wimpy Kid and Tom Gates. This time he's on a road trip with notorious criminal Molly Moskins. Travelling halfway across the country to help your mother's boyfriend settle into his new job would be inconvenient for any detective, let alone the founder, president and CEO of Total Failure Inc, the world's greatest detective agency!

Stephan Pastis is the creator of *Pearls Before Swine*, a comic strip that appears in more than six hundred newspapers. *Timmy Failure* is his first novel for young readers. He lives in California.

IDEA **Timmy is very simply drawn – look at his eyes! – and yet you can tell lots about him. Look at some of the pictures and talk about what you think Timmy is thinking in each of them!**

King Flashypants and the Evil Emperor Andy Riley

Hodder 978-144492959



Edwin isn't an ordinary boy. He is a king, with a throne, and his own suit of armour and a castle with secret passages and everything.

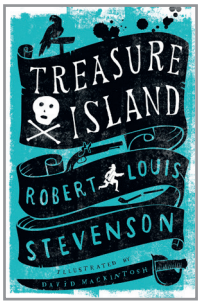
Every Friday, King Edwin spends all his money on chocolate for the peasants. But then the money runs out and along comes evil Emperor Nurbison who has had his eye on Edwin's kingdom for a while! When the emperor builds a fake dragon to scare the peasants, Edwin knows it's time to come up with the first sneaky plan he's ever had in his life...

Andy Riley is a comedy scriptwriter and the author/artist of best-selling cartoon books. He draws a weekly strip cartoon for *The Observer Magazine*, and he also used to be the stage dancer for *The Pod*, a techno band which was the forerunner of *The Mighty Boosh*.

IDEA **Which is your favourite part of this story – and which pictures get you laughing the most?!**

Treasure Island Robert Louis Stevenson & David Mackintosh

Alma Books 978-1847494863



Here is a timeless adventure and coming-of-age story of pirates, lost treasure maps, mutiny and derring-do, written in 1881 and still a favourite story today.

Robert Louis Stevenson (1850–1894) was a Scottish novelist, poet, essayist, and travel writer. His most famous works are *Treasure Island, Kidnapped, Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde* and *A Child's Garden of Verses*.

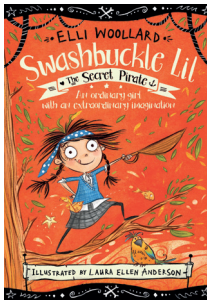
David Mackintosh is an illustrator, designer and art director. His book *The Frank Show* was longlisted for the CILIP Kate Greenaway Medal. He lives in London.

IDEA **Look at the illustrations at the beginnings of the chapters, which show a key object or scene in each chapter. Find one of your favourite books written in chapters and decide on and then draw an illustration for each chapter, in black & white like these *Treasure Island* pictures.**

Swashbuckle Lil: the Secret Pirate

Woollard & Laura Ellen Anderson

Macmillan 978-1509808823



Here are two stories about schoolgirl and secret pirate, Lil, who comes to the rescue to save her teacher from evil pirate Stinkbeard. This is the first in a series with rip-roaringly rhyming, brilliantly illustrated stories making the transition from parent-led to independent reading.

Elli Woollard lives in London. In addition to picture books she also writes children's poems and **Laura Ellen Anderson** writes and illustrates children's books.

See the 'Read out loud' activity in our Chatterbooks Week pack, which has an excerpt from this book.

Highly illustrated books: Non-fiction

The Brontës: Children of the Moors

Mick Manning & Brita Granström

Franklin Watts 978-1443147314

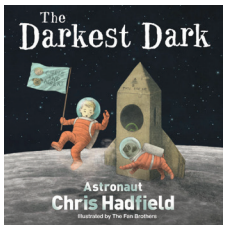
Here is the story of the three Brontë sisters: Charlotte, Emily and Anne, and their brother Branwell, and their tragically short lives in the remote village of Haworth in the Yorkshire Dales. In a mix of storytelling and illustration. The book explores how the girls were inspired to become writers and the sensation their books caused. Each of the sisters' greatest novels, *Jane Eyre* (Charlotte), *The Tenant of Wildfell Hall* (Anne) and *Wuthering Heights* (Emily), are simply retold in engaging comic-strip form.

Mick Manning and **Brita Granström** write and illustrate children's books together, sharing the illustrations between them, mixing up words and pictures in all sorts of inventive and delightful ways. They live in the Scottish Borders. Mick grew up in Haworth and, as a child, played a shepherd boy in a BBC adaptation of *Wuthering Heights*.

Talk about how Mick and Brita combine text and illustration to tell a story and give information. Do you feel that you learn a lot about the Brontës, and about what they were like and what they did? On p15 you read about the tiny books and magazines they created. Have a go at creating your own! It could be a story, or maybe about a special interest or hobby.

The Darkest Dark Chris Hadfield & The Fan Brothers

Macmillan 978-1509824083



Young Chris is an astronaut. A very busy astronaut. Saving the planet from aliens is much more important than taking baths or going to bed. Because at bedtime the worst sort of alien appears – darkness. But when Chris watches the first televised moon landing, he discovers that there is a dark out in Space that is much darker than he's used to. It's the darkest dark ever, and he realises that the unknown can be... exciting! Inspired by Chris's decision to become an astronaut after watching the *Apollo 11* moon landing at age 9, *The Darkest Dark* is a story about facing fears and following your dreams.

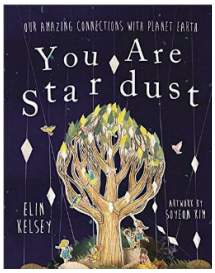
Commander Chris Hadfield is also the author of *An Astronaut's Guide to Life on Earth*.

Talk about your ambitions. Has any event or real-life person inspired you? Or helped you to overcome a fear?

You Are Stardust: Our Amazing Connections with Planet Earth

Elin Kelsey & Soyeon Kim

Wayland 978-0750296571



People are nature. From the water we drink to the trees we climb, we are connected to the natural world in big and surprising ways. Poetic text and attractive artwork reveal ties that are often sensed, yet seldom explained – for example, the salt in our bodies is the same as the salt in the ocean, and elephants, bats and whales make friends, just as we do.

Elin Kelsey is a science educator, speaker and consultant who has worked with a variety of museums, zoos and aquariums. She lives in California.

Soyeon Kim is an artist and illustrator. She lives in Toronto

IDEA **The illustrations in this book are created using a mixture of sketching, painting and real-life materials. Make your own illustration of something in nature, using this 'collage' style of artwork.**

The Great Fire of London Activity Book

Sally Morgan & James Weston Lewis

Wayland 978-1526301628

This activity book extends the story of the Great Fire with fiery facts, magnificent mazes and marvellous makes. With beautiful illustrations, it takes children back in time to learn what London life was like 350 years ago, and of the details surrounding the fire.

Sally Morgan is a British writer and editor living in Minneapolis.

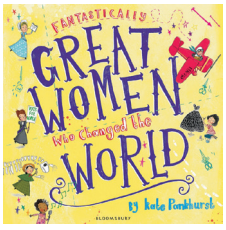
James Weston Lewis is based in East London, and works as an illustrator and printmaker.

IDEA **Lots of activities to enjoy here! You can bake bread, find the fire engines, navigate the streets of London, make a water bucket out of paper, redesign the city, learn fire safety and much more! See also the telling of The Great Fire of London by Emma Asams & James Weston Ellis.**

Fantastically Great Women Who Changed the World

Kate Pankhurst

Bloomsbury 978-1408876985



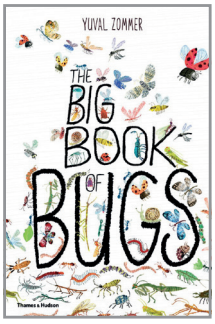
Discover fascinating facts about some of the most amazing women who changed the world we live in. Fly through the sky with the explorer Amelia Earhart, and read all about the adventures of Mary Seacole, with this fascinating full colour book, full of illustrations and facts. The women featured are Jane Austen, Gertrude Ederle, Coco Chanel, Frida Kahlo, Marie Curie, Mary Anning, Mary Seacole, Amelia Earhart, Agent Fifi, Sacagawa, Emmeline Pankhurst, Rosa Parks, and Anne Frank.

Kate Pankhurst is a descendant of Emily Pankhurst. She illustrates and writes from her studio in Leeds.

IDEA **Look in this book at the 'Gallery of Greatness: How will You change the world?' and then together create your own Gallery of Greatness picturing your Chatterbooks group and everyone's ambitions!**

The Big Book of Bugs Yuval Zommer

Thames & Hudson 978-0500650677



Introductory spreads explain that bugs live nearly everywhere on Earth and give tips on how to become a young bug spotter. The book is then divided into key groups of bugs, including beetles, moths, butterflies, bees, snails, crickets, grasshoppers, worms and spiders, all illustrated with scenic compositions. Some spreads approach the world of bugs thematically, such as bugs that come out at night, baby creepy-crawlies and life cycles, how bugs hide and show off and how some bugs love to live in your home.
The text is chatty, funny and full of amazing facts.

Yuval Zommer has worked as a creative director at many leading advertising agencies, and is now the author/illustrator of children's books. He lives in Notting Hill and his favourite places include The Natural History Museum and the Zoo.

IDEA

There is so much to explore, find and learn about in these fact-packed pictures! This could give you a new ideas for making a Fact File, presenting your facts using drawings and diagrams.

For more about celebrating the world of story through exploring illustrations see too our Chatterbooks Week Pack – and our Chatterbooks Activity Pack featuring *A Child of Books* by Oliver Jeffers & Sam Winston (Walker Books)

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