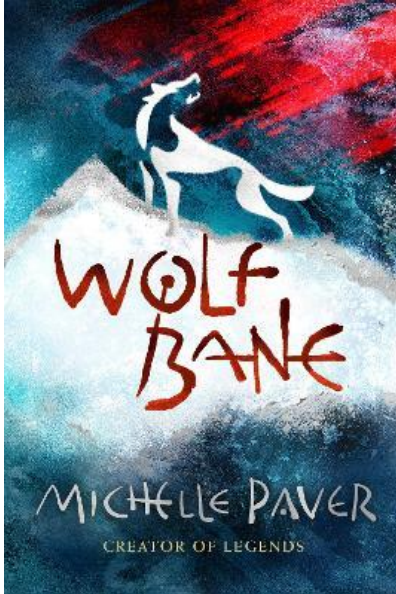


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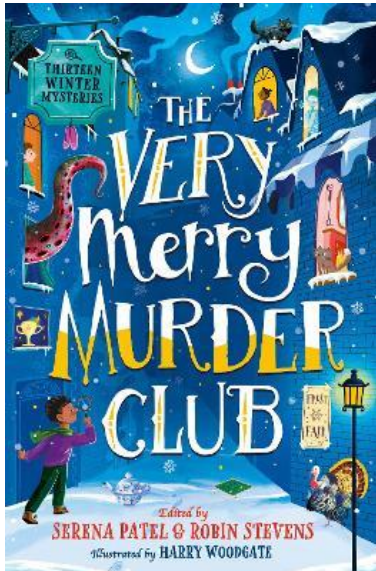


**Wolf Bane – Michelle Paver**

**ISBN:9781789542455**

The grand finale to the Wolf Brother series. Set in a turbulent time of sudden storms, frozen river fractures and drifting ice. Fleeing from a demon, Wolf is swept out to Sea far from the Forest and his pack. The ocean teems with danger, so Torak and Renn must race to save their pack-brother. If they can't find Wolf in time, the bond between them will be severed for ever...

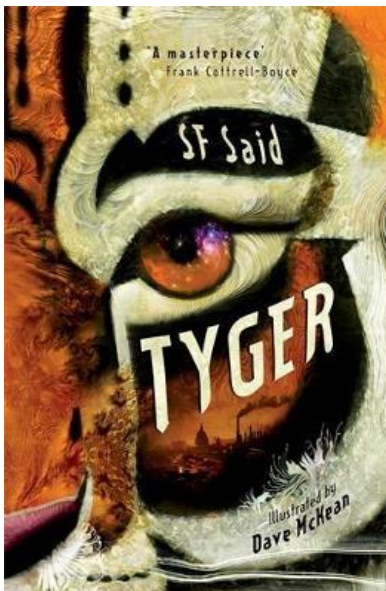
Read *Wolfbane* as a standalone adventure or as part of the well-loved series.



**The Very Merry Murder Club – Various**

**ISBN:9780755503704**

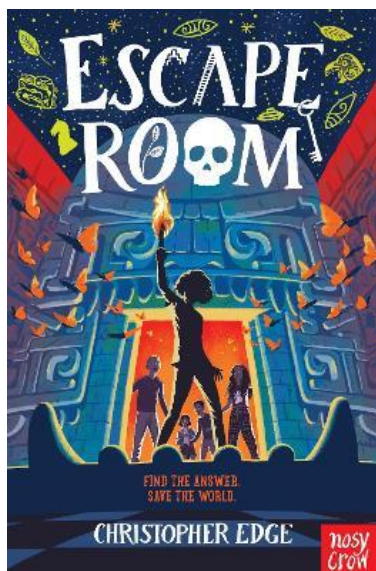
A collection of wintery crime and mystery stories by thirteen award-winning and exciting debut authors: Abiola Bello, Annabelle Sami, Benjamin Dean, E.L. Norry, Elle McNicoll, Dominique Valente, Joanna Williams, Maisie Chan, Nizrana Farook, Patrice Lawrence, Roopa Farooki, Serena Patel and Sharna Jackson. With stunning illustrations. A snow-covered wintery journey of festive foul play and murderously magnificent mysteries!



**Tyger – SF Said – Dave McKean**

**ISBN: 9781788452830**

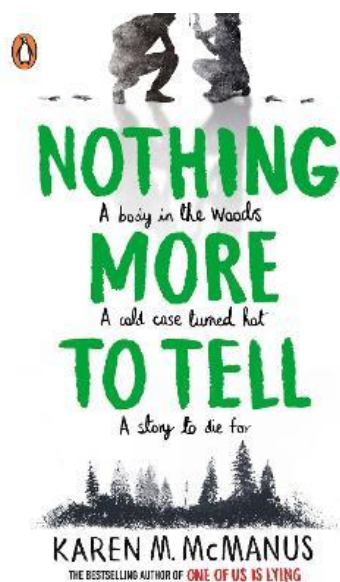
This is a dark and magical story of two children who find a mythical Tyger in a rubbish dump. Set in the 21st Century of an altered, dark London. The Tyger is in danger, Adam and Zadie are driven to save it and save London in the process. The Tyger teaches them about nature, the wonder of the universe and helps the children find hidden skills and courage to fight against the awfulness in their world. A unique book full of adventure, joy and hope in this thrilling read.



**Escape Room – Christopher Edge**

**ISBN:9781788007962**

Ami arrives at The Escape, she thinks it's just a game - with puzzles to beat before time runs out. The Host tells her team that they've been chosen to save the world and must work together to find the Answer. But once locked inside the first room, they quickly realise this is no ordinary game. From a cavernous library to an ancient Mayan tomb, a deserted shopping mall stalked by extinct animals to a spaceship heading for Mars, the perils of The Escape seem endless. Can Ami and her friends find the Answer before it's too late?



**Nothing More To Tell – Karen McManus**

**ISBN:9780241473689**

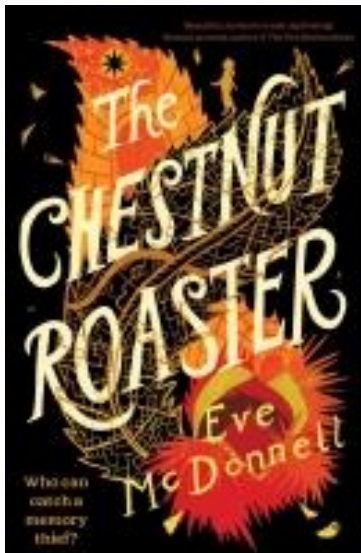
Four years ago, Brynn left school following the shocking murder of her favourite teacher. The case was never solved, but she's sure that the three kids who found Mr. Larkin's body know more than they're telling, especially Tripp Talbot. When Brynn gets an internship working on a popular true-crime show, she decides to investigate what really happened that day in the woods. But the further she dives into the past, the more secrets she finds. Four years ago someone got away with murder...



**The Thief Who Sang Storms – Sophie Anderson ISBN: 9781474979061**

On the Island of Morovia, humans live on one side and the alkonosts - the bird-people - live on the other. Tragedy has divided the land and Linnet and her father have been banished to the deepest swamps. When her father is captured, Linnet must embark on a treacherous journey through alligator pools and sinking sands. Yet she discovers something powerful. Something that could save her father, and heal her island once more. A heartfelt book filled with adventure and stunning storytelling.

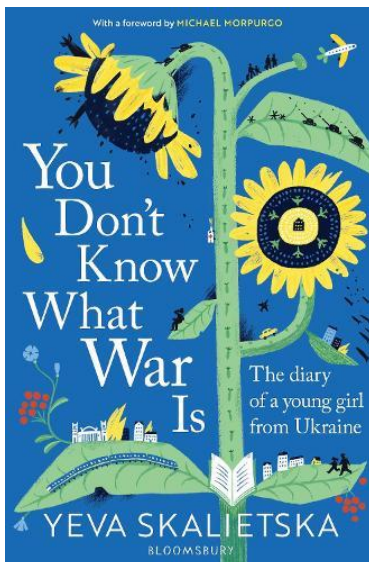




***The Chestnut Roaster* – Eve McDonnell**

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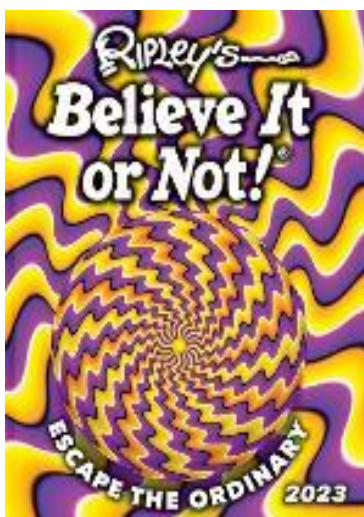
12-year-old Piau has the ability to remember everything that has happened since the day she was born. When she discovers everyone in Paris has forgotten the entire last year, 1887, including the disappearance of several gifted children, Piau and her twin brother Luc embark on a dangerous journey that brings them to the depths of Paris's underground twin, the Catacombs, to capture the memory thief and find the lost children.



***You Don't Know What War Is* – Yeva Skalietska**

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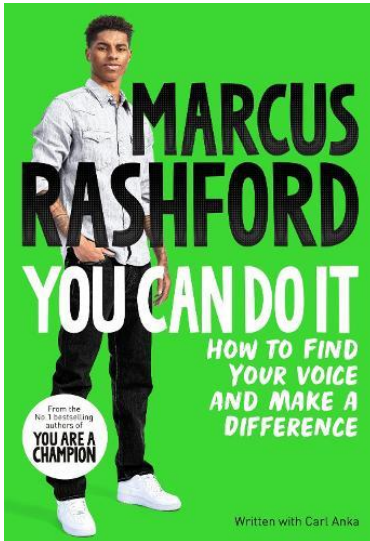
The gripping diary of 12-year-old Ukrainian refugee Yeva Skalietska. It follows twelve days in Ukraine that changed Yeva's life forever. She woke to the terrifying sounds of shelling. Russia had invaded Ukraine, and her Kharkiv home was no longer safe. While she and her granny were forced to shelter in a cramped basement, Yeva decided to write down her story – a story that the world needs to hear. A powerful insight into conflict through the eyes of a child and an essential read for adults and children alike.



***Ripley's Believe it or Not***

**ISBN:9781529136319**

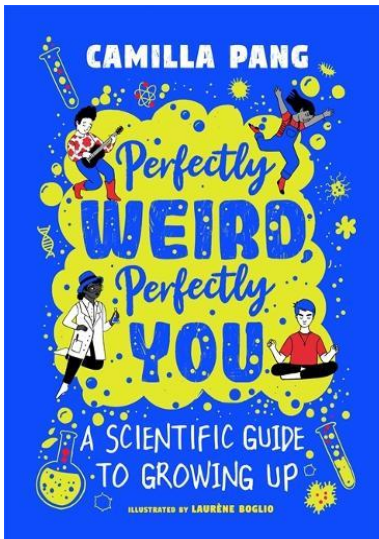
Packed with jaw-dropping facts, stories and personalities that all happen to be completely true. *Ripley's Believe It or Not!* transports readers of all ages to a world beyond imagination - where truth is stranger than fiction! All-new and all-true stories from around the globe - an artist who paints with cow poop, a disappearing waterfall, whales that hunt with bubbles, and hundreds more. Packed with facts, hair-raising stories and stunning photography. No Christmas is complete without it.



***You Can Do It* – Marcus Rashford**

**ISBN:9781529097054**

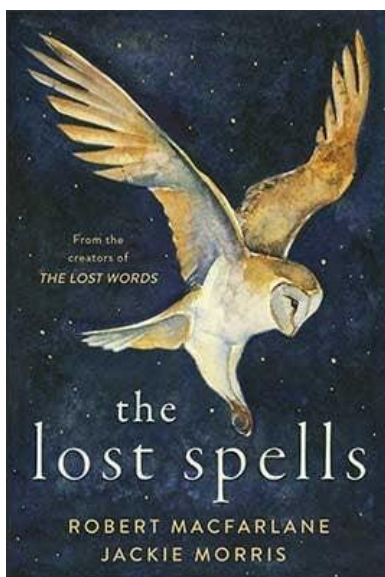
From surrounding yourself with the right team, showing kindness to others, to celebrating and championing difference, *You Can Do It* shows you that your voice matters and that you can do anything you put your mind to. You don't have to be an International footballer to make a difference - even the smallest changes can have the biggest impact. With inspiring stories from Marcus's own life and advice and top tips, this book will show you how to use your voice and make a difference.



***Perfectly Weird Perfectly You* – Camilla Pang**

**ISBN:9781526364326**

Did you know finding your confidence is like programming a computer? As a child Camilla loved patterns, putting things in order, Stephen Hawking and science. Diagnosed with autism age 8, Camilla saw the world very differently. This book tackles how you can grow up with the courage to be yourself, no matter how different you feel, learning who you are, what makes you tick and explains that it's completely normal to be perfectly weird.



***The Lost Spells* – Various**

**ISBN:9780241444641**

Nature and language adorned with Jackie Morris's exquisite illustrations of beloved woodland creatures from forest, field, and riverbank, *The Lost Spells* summons back what is often lost from sight and care, and inspires protection and action on behalf of the natural world. Above all, it celebrates a sense of wonder in nature's power to amaze, console and bring joy. A truly beautiful book.