About Bubbly Books

Established in 2011, Bubbly Books is a boutique children’s book publishing company. We create fun-to-read books that are filled with learning moments.

Written by Singaporean authors, our books are parent-approved and recommended by teachers. In the last few years, we have produced eight national bestselling titles and received more than 10 award nominations.

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ROALD DAHL
“Stories are light. Light is precious in a world so dark... Make some light.”
KATE DICAMILLO

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Urban Wildlife Singapore: Hidden Creatures

WRITTEN BY ELIZA TEOH, MARY-RUTH LOW, ILLUSTRATED BY QIU QUAN

An enchanting rhyming story that brings young readers on a journey to discover Singapore’s hidden wildlife.

HIGHLIGHTS:
- Created by a wildlife researcher and zookeeper
- Filled with animal facts
- Learn how to write a rhyming story!

“In a city so bright, on a tropical isle,
A sunny day ends, with a sigh and a smile.
When the sun bows its head, a soft whisper blows by,
Bringing cool, bringing calm, to the Singapore sky.
As the bustle dies down on a summery day,
Something stirs over there, in a mysterious way.”

Letter Friends Series

WRITTEN BY LYNETTE TEO, ILLUSTRATED BY NG XIN NIE/MUNYEONG

Singer/songwriter Lynette Teo’s picture book introduces children to letters in the alphabet through fun and engaging stories.

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- Activity pages included

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The Lonely Boy and the Ugly Dog

WRITTEN BY ELIZA TEOH, ILLUSTRATED BY JOHN LIM

Taking inspiration from an iconic work by Liu Kang, Eliza Teoh spins a story about an unexpected friendship between two very special characters who live in a village by the river.

HIGHLIGHTS:
- Rhyming story, perfect for reading out loud
- Facts about art, Singapore history and dogs!
- Focus on friendship, bravery and loyalty

The Lonely Boy and The Ugly Dog
Eliza Teoh, illustrated by John Lim
ISBN: 978-981-09-7202-8
Extent: 44 pp
Format: Paperback
An unlikely friendship blossoms when a shy boy meets a mutt on the street. This simple story, inspired by a Liu Kang artwork “Life by the River”, reminds that beauty is more than skin deep, and that friendships can go a long way. Beautifully illustrated, it will connect with kids and adults alike.

Ellie Belly Series
WRITTEN BY ELIZA TEOH, ILLUSTRATED BY WOLFE

Written by national bestselling author Eliza Teoh, the Ellie Belly series features Ellie Belly, a bright and cheeky 7-year-old who can speak to animals.

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Animal Verbs
When animal sounds are used as verbs, they take no object whenever:
- To bark means to bark at everyone or animal
- To grumble means to grumble at anything or sound
- To growl means to growl at any animal
- To snarl means to snarl at anything, animal or sound
- To yawn means to yawn or sound
- To roar means to roar at anything, animal or sound

A showy MOVE.
To brandish something means to show it off proudly. Another word for brandish is "flaunt."
Elise Belly: Follow That Bird
Eliza Teoh
Extent: 144 pp
Format: Paperback

Top 10 Readers’ Choice Awards 2012

Elise is a spirited 7-year-old who loves doodling in class, when the Teacher is not looking. And her biggest secret? She can talk to animals! Join Ellie and Cammy at the zoo to find out!

Ellie is agitated. What is happening?

WAIL. The animals are getting excited. First, a GRR! Then a cr-cr-creepy laugh. Ellie finds out from Snowy about a lost kitten that needs help. It is a sunburn and she is in big trouble! Together with her best friend Cammy, Ellie sets out to help Sunbird and save the day.

Ellie Belly: Cat’s Out of the Bag
Eliza Teoh
ISBN: 978-981-07-3093-6
Extent: 144 pp
Format: Paperback

Streets Times Bestseller

What is happening? Ellie and Cammy wandering around the school after recess. But the two girls are not actually up to any mischief. All they want to do is to help a little kitten find its way back to its Mama. Can they accomplish their mission before that busybody Megan tells on them?

Ellie Belly: Turtle Trouble
Eliza Teoh
ISBN: 978-981-07-2444-7
Extent: 144 pp
Format: Paperback

Streets Times Bestseller

Eliza discovers NEWS from a little turtle the turtles at The Live Turtle & Tortoise Museum are going to lose their home! She needs to help the turtles! Unfortunately, her best friend Cammy is not speaking to her unless she does something about it. Can Ellie stop harassing her? What is Ellie going to do? Find out in the third installment of this series!

Ellie Belly: A Little Bit Batty
Eliza Teoh
ISBN: 978-981-07-2454-4
Extent: 144 pp
Format: Paperback

Streets Times Bestseller

Ellie’s favourite teacher Mrs Goh is away on course. So Class 1J has a relief teacher and her name is Mrs Batt who is really quite BATTY! Mrs Batt sends Ellie and Cammy out of the class for no good reason. And they have to stand outside the classroom all day... And then... she hears someone calling her name. Who could it be? Has someone come to help her?

Ellie Belly: Huffy Puffy Panda
Eliza Teoh
ISBN: 978-981-07-5527-0
Extent: 144 pp
Format: Paperback

Streets Times Bestseller

Top 10 Readers’ Choice Awards 2013

Class 1J is having a super exciting day. They are on a field trip to see the giant pandas, Ryan and Su Su! They are the cutest! First, a GIRL! Then a cr-cr-creepy smile. The animals are getting agitated. What is happening? Can Ellie and Cammy at the zoo to find out?

Ellie Belly: Pawful Peril
Eliza Teoh
ISBN: 978-981-09-1641-1
Extent: 144 pp
Format: Paperback

Streets Times Bestseller

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Format: Paperback

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A prickly predicament
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Ellie finds out from Snowy about dogs stuck on a puppy farm with no food! She needs to find the farm, buy lots of doggie food and get it to the dogs. But she’s supposed to be in bed... sick! Are the dogs doomed? How is she going to explain to Mama? Can she get out of this doggie disaster?

Ellie Belly: Otter out of Water
Eliza Teoh
Extent: 140 pp
Format: Paperback

Streets Times Bestseller

Ellie has a BIG small problem. Cammy finds a baby mouse in class. He says ‘Nu who’s family is trapped and needs help. Meanwhile, his teacher is going grammar crazy! Can Ellie and Cammy survive all the schoolwork and find time to help the mice before they starve to death?

Ellie Belly: Not a Penguin
Eliza Teoh
ISBN: 978-981-11-0130-4
Extent: 140 pp
Format: Paperback

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Robozonic is a sci-fi series that carries a strong environmental and conservation message written by Caline Tan, an English teacher with the Ministry of Education for 10 years.

Robozonic features the adventures of Mabel, a lively and funny character with an over-active imagination. One day, she talks to a pebble - and it talks back! This pebble is actually Robozonic, a gadget from 100 years in the future. Robozonic helps Mabel communicate with plants and animals and teaches her about the importance of being green.

In each book, Robozonic and Mabel, tackle different environmental causes while attempting to solve the mystery of Robozonic's sinister attacker and find a way for Robozonic to return to the future.

HIGHLIGHTS:
- Engaging and educational: Dictionary definitions of difficult words appear throughout the stories in the form of Robodictors
- Facts about the environment, animals and plants
- Robozonic 4: Squirrel Away and Robozonic 5: Dragonfly Rescue were selected for Popular Bookstore's Readers' Choice Awards

Robozonic: Squirrel Away
Caline Tan
Extent: 116 pp
Format: Paperback

There's something slinking around in Mabel's home. It is none other than the super mischievous neighbourhood squirrel! And it is driving Mabel's brother Marcus crazy. Unfortunately, they can't throw it out until they figure out a way to save its home - the big tree in the park. Will Mabel and Marcus, together with Julie and Robozonic, be able to save the tree in time?

Robozonic: Dragonfly Rescue
Caline Tan
Extent: 120 pp
Format: Paperback

It's time for some drama! Mabel and Julie are thrilled when they learn that there is going to be a year-end performance. Then, something terrible happens…something that not only puts Mabel in danger, but also threatens to wreck the future. Just what is the devious Professor Kong up to? Will he finally get his hands on Robozonic? Find out in the exciting series conclusion!
Extraordinary Losers Series
WRITTEN BY JESSICA ALEJANDRO, ILLUSTRATED BY CHERRYN YAP, LXY

Written by award-winning author Jessica Alejandro, Extraordinary Losers is an investigative series featuring a group of hilarious misfits with surprising powers.

HIGHLIGHTS:

• ExtraordinaryLosers 1: Operation Pants On Fire was one of four nominees for the prestigious Hedwig Anuar Children’s Book Award 2013, Singapore’s only children’s book prize.

• Author Jessica Alejandro is the only author ever to have been twice nominated for the Hedwig Anuar Children’s Book Award. Her first nomination was for Singapore Kid, which also won the Popular Readers’ Choice Awards in 2011.

• All books feature funny and tongue-in-cheek poems in different poetic styles, making the books an engaging way to introduce poetry to children.

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Extraordinary Losers: Operation Pants On Fire
Jessica Alejandro
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Format: Paperback

Extraordinary Losers: Vandal Scandal
Jessica Alejandro
Extent: 136 pp
Format: Paperback

Extraordinary Losers: Captive in the Dark
Jessica Alejandro
ISBN: 978-981-07-7373-1
Extent: 136 pp
Format: Paperback

Extraordinary Losers: The Lunchbox Thief
Jessica Alejandro
ISBN: 978-981-09-4103-1
Extent: 144 pp
Format: Paperback

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Fossil Finders Series

WRITTEN BY ANDY CHUA, ILLUSTRATED BY RAY ONG

A rip-roaring dinosaur-packed series from Andy Chua, co-moderator of Singapore Fossil Collectors, the largest fossil and paleontology society in Singapore.

Anna and Samuel are not ordinary children. They are fossil finders! Tasked to go back in time to retrieve fossils, the two children encounter dangerous dinosaurs in nail-biting, edge-of-your-seat adventures.

HIGHLIGHTS:
- Action-packed plot with great illustrations
- Informative snippets about dinosaurs, prehistoric life, geology and archaeology
- Tips on how to pronounce lengthy dinosaur names
- Fossil collectible cards in each book

For more information, visit www.facebook.com/thefossilfinders/ or follow fossil_finders on Instagram.

Shortlisted for the Red Dot Book Awards 2017–2018 (Younger Readers)

Nominated for the Hedwig Anuar Children’s Book Award

Fossil Finders: Mesozoic Mission
Andy Chua
ISBN: 978-981-09-7407-7
Extent: 136 pp
Format: Paperback

Best friends Samuel and Anna are on a museum excursion to see real dinosaur fossils. For the two dino lovers, this seems exciting enough.

Then, a magical collision in time awakens Norus, guardian of the exhibits. He needs Samuel and Anna to go back in time to retrieve an ammonite and an allosaurus tooth. Are they up for the challenge, even if it means putting their own lives at risk?

Fossil Finders: Triassic Trouble
Andy Chua
Extent: 136 pp
Format: Paperback

Armed with a magical watch from Norus, the guardian of the prehistoric exhibit at the Singapore Science Museum, Samuel and Anna get transported back to the time of the dinosaurs. However, Samuel is hiding a secret that will endanger the lives of those closest to him: a triceratops egg he brought back from the past has hatched. Samuel is hiding a real, live baby triceratops in his room...

Fossil Finders: Mosasaur Madness
Andy Chua
ISBN: 978-981-11-9360-6
Extent: 144 pp
Format: Paperback

Samuel and Anna are sent back to the Cretaceous period to bring back a mosasaur paddle. There, Samuel has to confront his fear of swimming and face the “King of the Sea” – the fearsome Mosasaur. Meanwhile, thieves continue to rob the museum, weakening Norus’ power. Can the duo do enough to save Norus this time round?

Fossil Finders: Jurassic Jeopardy
Andy Chua
ISBN: 978-981-14-7569-6
Extent: 160 pp
Format: Paperback

Norus is dead. But there is still hope. Samuel and Anna get a chance at reviving him when they meet another time dinosaur, Big T, who sends them back to the past with three tricky tasks! A ferocious Torvosaurus and a cunning human will prove to be their greatest enemies yet!
Ryan & Rex Series
WRITTEN BY AMONSTER02, ILLUSTRATED BY SEEZ

Inspired by the author’s own experiences of returning to Singapore after years abroad, Ryan and Rex combines the poignant angst of feeling like an outsider in one’s own country with a magical heart-thumping prehistoric escapade. This exciting new series by teen author Amon Chua will inspire a love for paleontology among readers.

Ryan & Rex: Bone Hunt
WRITTEN BY AMONSTER02, ILLUSTRATED BY SEEZ
ISBN: 978-981-09-0390-9
Extent: 136 pp
Format: Paperback

Meet Ryan. He’s returned from America and made to go to a school where he has zero friends. Worse still, lessons are incredibly dull and he’s the target of the school bully.

But when a new teacher arrives, he brings along a surprise with him... What could it be? And how will it change Ryan’s life forever?

Ryan & Rex: Bone Hunt
WRITTEN BY AMONSTER02
ISBN: 978-981-11-7652-4
Extent: 160 pp
Format: Paperback

Ryan is looking forward to a field trip to the Lee Kong Chian museum. But at the back of his mind is a the mysterious note with a coded message from his favourite teacher Mr Khoo, who is still yet to be found. What does all the gibberish mean? Suddenly, there’s a blackout at the museum and the earth starts to shake.

What’s going on?

Mountain of Fire
WRITTEN BY RADHIKA PURI, ILLUSTRATED BY NUO

Polestar award-winning business journalist Radhika Puri, imagines an adventure story filled with dangerous lava, avalanches and an earthquake that reveals ancient treasure! Mountain of Fire features a pair of siblings living in a small village on Mount Merapi – Fitri and her younger brother Agus. While they struggle with being different, they discover that perhaps, they are destined for bigger things...

Mountain of Fire
WRITTEN BY RADHIKA PURI
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Extent: 140 pp
Format: Paperback

In a village set on the slopes of Mount Merapi, 11-year-old Fitri and her younger brother Agus watch anxiously as the volcano comes to life. They have heard too many stories of smoke, fire and the dreaded lahar — killer lava mudflows.

As the village prepares to evacuate, Fitri and Agus stumble upon a cave! What could be hidden there? They must find a way to unearth its secrets without being discovered by village bully Aditya.

But someone else is watching. Someone with far more evil intentions. What could this man possibly want from Fitri and Agus? The answer could lie in Fitri’s strange and frightening dreams about the Merapi. They seem to be telling her something...
**ONE: Based on a true story of grit and courage**

**Written by Tan Ter Cheah, illustrated by Nuo**

Author Tan Ter Cheah weaves her real-life experiences into an honest story about a brave little girl’s battle with cancer and eventual loss of a leg. This inspirational account will touch the hearts of both young readers and adults alike.

Tessie has lost a leg to a bad, bad illness called “cancer”. She can no longer play her favourite games with her friends at school. Strangers keep staring because she looks different. Tessie is tired of being strong and brave. Will she ever be able to walk again? Can she pick herself up and go on? Discover how flamingos, family and a whole lot of fishballs cheer Tessie on, as she copes with the loss of her leg and learns to laugh again.

**Nineteen: A poetry anthology**

**Written by Nicole Choo**

Nicole Choo, a well-known social media personality in Singapore, unveils a thoughtful and heartfelt collection of poems, written in the tradition of Rupi Kaur and Lang Leav.

From heartbreak to joy, from sadness to strength, Nicole’s poems have been used by teachers to get reluctant readers interested in poetry.
The Fibonacci Revelation
WRITTEN BY RADHIKA PURI

A mysterious coded poem - attached to a 1954 archived photo of the National Service riots in Singapore - sets off a chain of events that unravels secrets from the past.

Disparate clues are connected by only one thing - concepts linked to the Fibonacci sequence. As Clara and Owen decipher what the clues mean, they find themselves looking into Singapore’s dark past - the time the dreaded Kempeitai reigned and communism held its sway.

With a writing style reminiscent of German author Walter Moers, David Liew invites you into the lives of a ragtag gang of misfits, set against a fantastical backdrop.

The first-time author - who is also artist, sculptor, illustrator, animator and educator - uses an experimental blend of graphic novel and prose to spin a madcap adventure in an eating house patronised by some really unwieldy folks.

So in a restaurant where an emotional dragon serves as fire-starter, a zombie-wannabe-chef pushes culinary boundaries (out to the tables) and diners unwittingly bring along murderous relatives, mayhem can only ensue...
The RunHideSeek Trilogy

WRITTEN BY GABBY TYE

Penned by 21-year-old national bestselling author Gabby Tye, the RunHideSeek trilogy is a modern-day Hansel and Gretel story that tackles the themes of food shortage, genetically-modified crops, and the ethics of survival in a world where adults have abandoned their children in the desperate attempt to save themselves.

The first book of the Young Adult trilogy, Run, introduces a young girl who finds herself in a post-apocalyptic scenario – a Singapore in ghastly ruins. She finds solace among a band of similarly ragged teens as they struggle to survive while running from crazed cannibalistic grown-ups and roving gangs eyeing their food. Meanwhile, she also discovers her latent powers of telekinesis and the ability to read minds.

The second book in the trilogy, Hide, was released in 2014 while Seek was released in 2015. The movie rights to the RunHideSeek series have been optioned to Woosh Pictures Pte Ltd.

Following the trilogy’s popularity, a two-part sequel was launched in 2017. EVER raced to the top of the bestseller lists in Singapore within one week of its release, and stayed there for more than three months. AFTER was launched in 2019, and was on the bestselling list for four months.

More than 20 weeks on The Straits Times bestseller list

For more information, visit www.runhideseek.com or follow RUNHIDESEEK on Instagram.
Jordan hates the mindless rules, the monotony of education in Singapore and the conformity that is demanded of students…

Her loathing turns to fear when one day, all her classmates turn strangely silent and well-behaved. Fear turns to panic when she realises that she seems to be the only one unaffected. She turns to her best friend James, but he too seems different.

Struggling to quell the rising panic, she starts to investigate.

Now Jordan and James know. They know what it takes to remain unaffected, but they need to figure out why.

Why are they being kept under control? Why are their friends disappearing?

Things take an ever stranger turn when what they discover is worse than they imagined...

Faced with a new threat, Jordan and James finally understand why they cannot speak out. Joined by unlikely allies — Kenneth and Triniti — they embark on their most dangerous mission yet, to uncover the truth.
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