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Kia ora tamariki mā! The finalists in the 2022 New Zealand Book Awards for Children and Young Adults have been announced. These are the very best books published for young readers this past year – selected by our amazing judges – and we know you will love them.

We've created this book of fun activities to help you discover more about some of the finalist books, and to learn some cool, new things along the way! You can do the activities by yourself or with a friend or classmate, and even make up your own activities for some of the other books.

HELL Pizza is celebrating these awesome books too. If you love pizza and great books, just like us, then collect a pizza wheel to start reading your way to FREE pizza. Check out the HELL Reading Challenge page on the back cover of this booklet, or ask your local public or school library how you can get involved. They can also tell you about HELL's Great NZ Book Trip, with more chances to learn, hear authors reading, and win prizes.

Find out what is happening at your local library over the school holidays, and have fun reading! If you are based in Wellington, you can come along next term and meet your favourite author or illustrator at our Books Alive finalist events to be held on the day of the awards ceremony on 10 August at the National Library.

Ngā mihi mahana to the team from the National Library of New Zealand Services to Schools who created the great activities in this book. Enjoy them!



PICTURE BOOK AWARD





WORDPLAY, ANIMAL MISCHIEF, FIENDISH WHEKE, AND HAKA-CRAZY NANAS

MY CAT CAN SEE CHOSTS

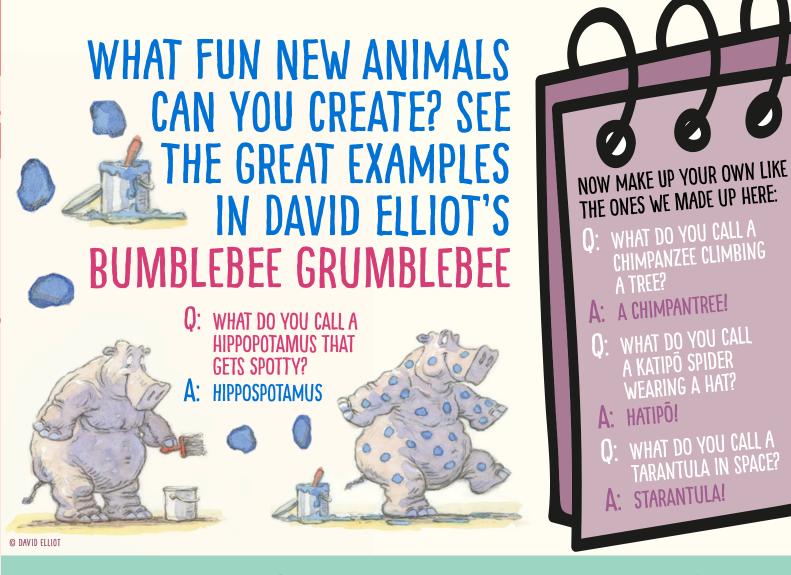
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LIMITAL SEE CHOSTS

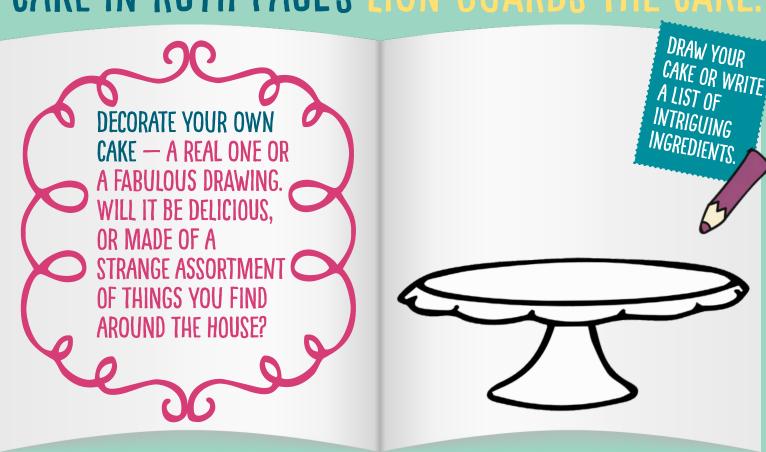
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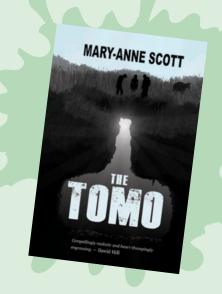
THERE IS A MAGNIFICENT MULTI-LAYERED CAKE IN RUTH PAUL'S LION GUARDS THE CAKE.











JUNIOR FICTION WRIGHT FAMILY FOUNDATION ESTHER GLEN AWARD

TIME-TRAVEL, FOREST ADVENTURE, STOLEN MEMORIES, PROVING COURAGE, AND MAPPING SKILLS

IN AMORANGI & MILLIE'S TRIP THROUGH
TIME AMORANGI AND
MILLIE TRAVEL THROUGH
TIME AND MEET THEIR
ANCESTORS.

FIND OUT WHAT YOUR WHĀNAU WERE
LIKE WHEN THEY WERE YOUNG.

WHAT DID THEY PLAY WITH FOR FUN?

WHAT DID THEY WEAR?

WHAT ITEMS WOULD YOU SAVE FOR YOUR TRIP THROUGH TIME?

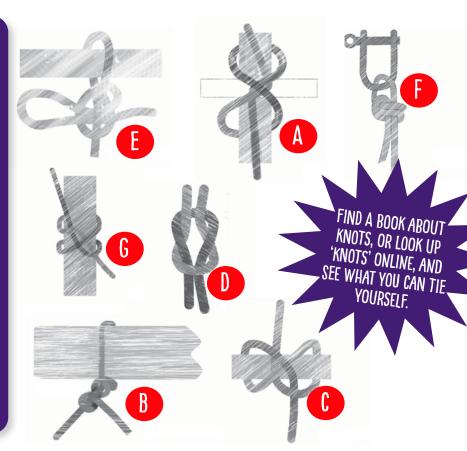
PHIL FROM THE TOMO KNOWS THAT

"...A KNOT MIGHT BE THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH."

WHICH NAME GOES WITH WHICH KNOT? MATCH THE WORDS AND THE PICTURES.

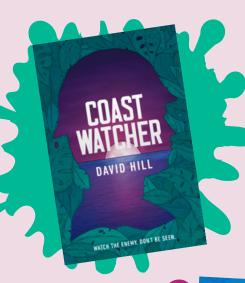
- 1. REEF KNOT
- 2. TRANSOM KNOT
- 3. MILLER'S KNOT
- 4. OUICK-RELEASE KNOT
- 5. BUTCHER'S KNOT
- 6. HALYARD HITCH
- 7. CONSTRICTOR KNOT

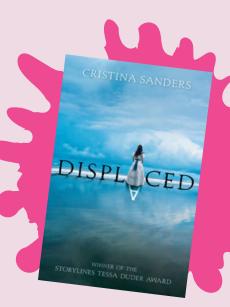
ANSWERS: 1=D 2=A, 3=G, 4=E, 5=B, 6=F, 7=C



YOUNG ADULT: FICTION AWARD

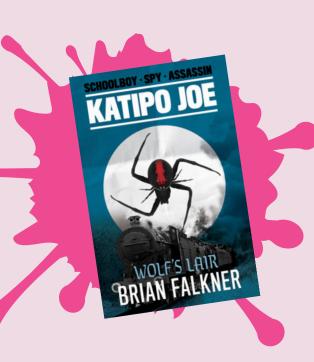












IN DISPLACED BOTH ELOISE AND LARS FIND NEW ZEALAND QUITE DIFFERENT FROM THE HOMES THEY LEFT BEHIND.

IF YOU TRAVELLED
OVERSEAS, WHERE WOULD
YOU GO AND WHAT ARE
SOME OF THE THINGS YOU
WOULD HAVE TO ADJUST TO?
WHAT WOULD YOU TAKE
WITH YOU TO REMIND YOU
OF HOME?





EQUIPMENT

ONE DICE AND ONE COUNTER FOR EACH PLAYER.

INSTRUCTIONS

- EACH PLAYER PUTS THEIR COUNTER ON THE SPACE MARKED TIMATA/START.
- TAKE TURNS TO ROLL THE DICE AND MOVE YOUR COUNTER ACCORDINGLY.
- IF YOUR COUNTER LANDS ON A YELLOW SQUARE, MISS A TURN.
- IF YOUR COUNTER LANDS ON A GREEN SQUARE, GO FORWARD TWO SQUARES.
- IF YOUR COUNTER LANDS ON A RED SQUARE, GO BACK TWO SQUARES.
- THE FIRST PLAYER TO LAND ON THE KAINGA/HOME SQUARE WINS!

WHEKE TU MEKE PLAY AWESOME OCTOPUS



HE KĒMU TĒNEI MĀ NGĀ MOKOPUNA, KIA RARATA MAI RĀTOU KI NGĀ PUKAPUKA.

THIS REALLY FUN GAME REFLECTS FIVE LOVELY BOOKS, ABOUT OCTOPUS AND OTHER SEA LIFE AND HAKA!

NGĀ TAPUTAPU

KIA KOTAHI TE MATAONO TAU, KIA KOTAHI TE PEREPERE MÕ IA KAITĀKARO.

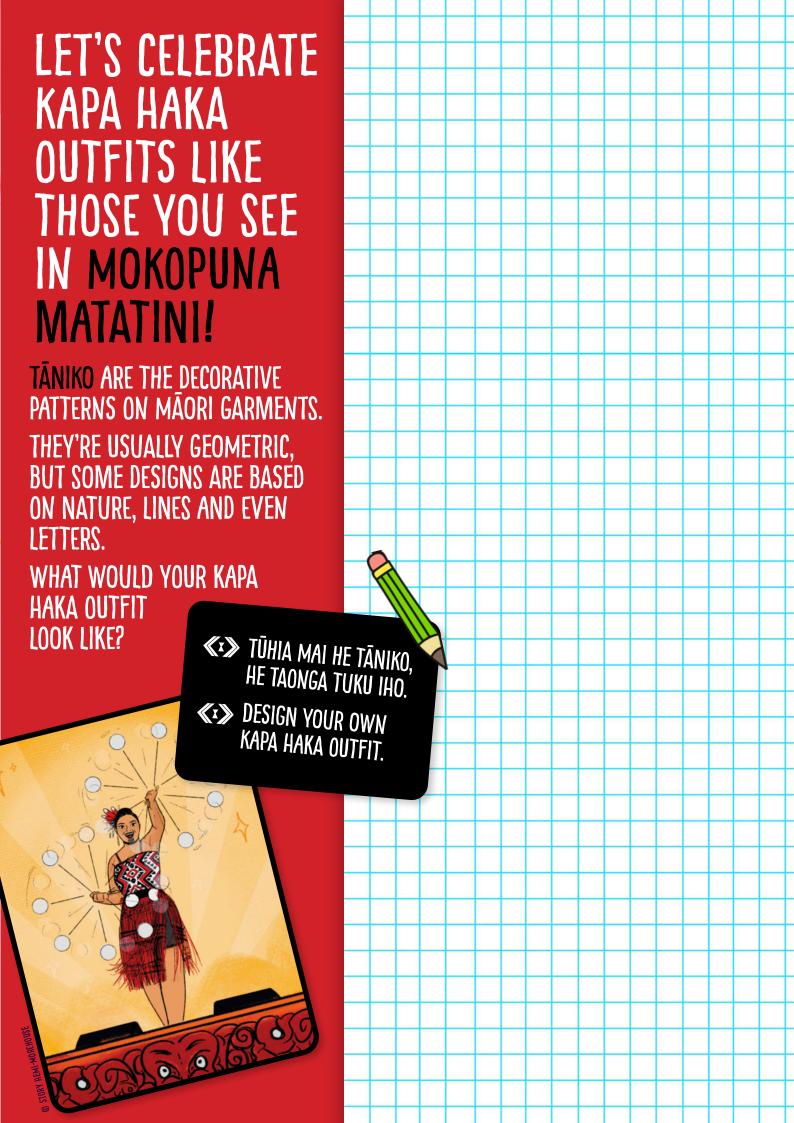
NGĀ TOHUTOHU

- KA WAIHOTIA E IA KAITĀKARO TŌNA PEREPERE KI TE POUAKA TĪMATANGA.
- KA RIRO I IA KAITĀKARO HE WĀ KI TE WHIU I TE MATAONO TAU.
- KI TE TAU TŌ PEREPERE KI TE POUAKA KŌWHAI, KA MAHUE KOE I TĒTAHI HURINGA.
- KI TE TAU TŌ PEREPERE KI TE POUAKA KĀKĀRIKI, KA NEKE WHAKAMUA KIA RUA NGĀ POUAKA.
- KI TE TAU TŌ PEREPERE KI TE POUAKA WHERO, KA HOKI WHAKAMURI KIA RUA NGĀ POUAKA.
- KI TE TAE TUATAHI KOE KI TE POUAKA KĀINGA, KUA WIKITŌRIA KOE!



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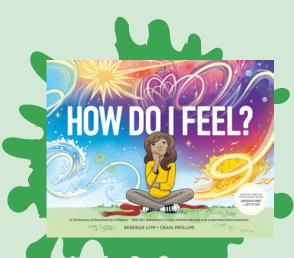




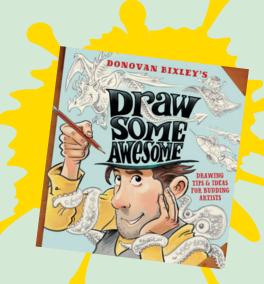
NON-FICTION ELSIE LOCKE AWARD

MĀORI GODS, AWESOME ART, BIG FEELINGS, TRAILBLAZERS, AND AMAZING ARACHNIDS











IN DRAW SOME AWESOME DONOVAN SHOWS

US SIMPLE WAYS TO SHOW EMOTIONS ON FACES. TRY DRAWING SOME OF THE EMOTIONS DESCRIBED IN HOW DO I FEEL? A DICTIONARY OF EMOTIONS FOR CHILDREN. DRAW YOUR OWN FEELINGS, OR CREATE A PORTRAIT IN WORDS OR PICTURES OF ONE OF YOUR OWN HEROES LIKE THOSE

IN KIA KAHA: A STORYBOOK OF MAORI WHO CHANGED THE WORLD.



WHY IS THAT SPIDER DANCING

IN YOUR



KEEP A SPIDER DIARY!



BE A SPIDER DETECTIVE AND SEARCH FOR SPIDERS - TRY LOOKING ON THE CEILING,



OBSERVE AND IDENTIFY YOUR SPIDER, WHAT IS YOUR SPIDER DOING?



CHECK ON YOUR SPIDER EACH DAY FOR A



HOW DO YOUR WHANAU MEMBERS



REMEMBER NOT TO TOUCH ANY SPIDERS!









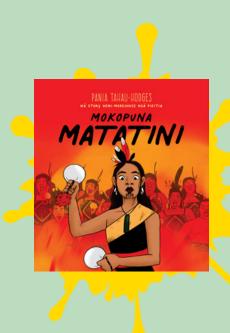


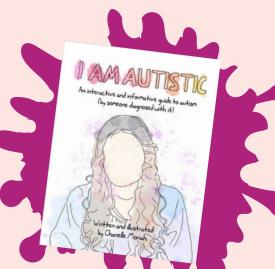


ILLUSTRATION RUSSELL CLARK AWARD

HEROES AND LEGENDS, HAKA MAGIC, A DARING MOOSE, FELINE ANTICS, AND OCTOPUS TREASURES

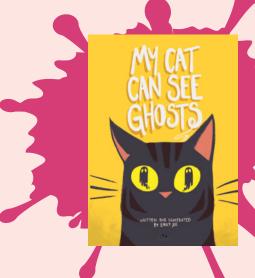












BEST FIRST BOOK GIRL ON

GIRL ON A QUEST, UNDERSTANDING AUTISM, FESTIVAL FUN, CHASING GHOSTS, AND LOST IN THE FOREST

IN I AM
AUTISTIC
WE FIND
OUT WHAT
IT'S LIKE TO
LIVE WITH
AUTISM.

A SENSORY ROOM
IS A PLACE TO
HELP SOMEONE
FEEL CALM.

MAKE A MOOD BOARD SHOWING WHAT YOU WOULD INCLUDE.

WHAT KIND OF THINGS COULD YOU PUT INTO A ROOM TO MAKE AN AUTISTIC PERSON FEEL COMFORTABLE?



DO YOU THINK OTHERS WOULD BELIEVE YOU IF YOU SAID YOU'D SEEN A PATUPAIAREHE, AS NISSA DOES IN SPARK HUNTER, OR SOMETHING SPOOKY LIKE IN MY CAT CAN SEE GHOSTS?







WRITE DOWN THE CONVERSATION YOU HAD WITH THEM \circ

OR

A DIARY ENTRY ABOUT YOUR EXPERIENCE





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