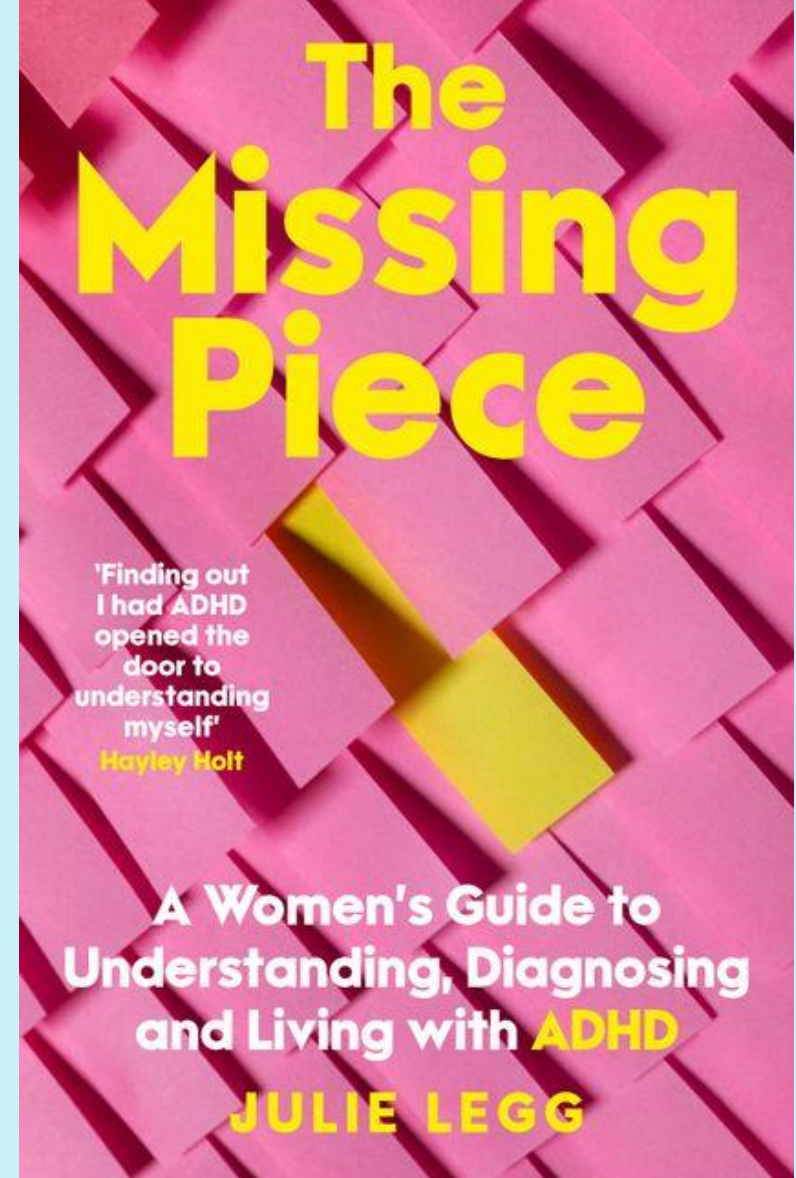

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New Zealand

Non-Fiction



The Missing Piece Julie Legg

HarperCollins NZ
RRP: \$37.99

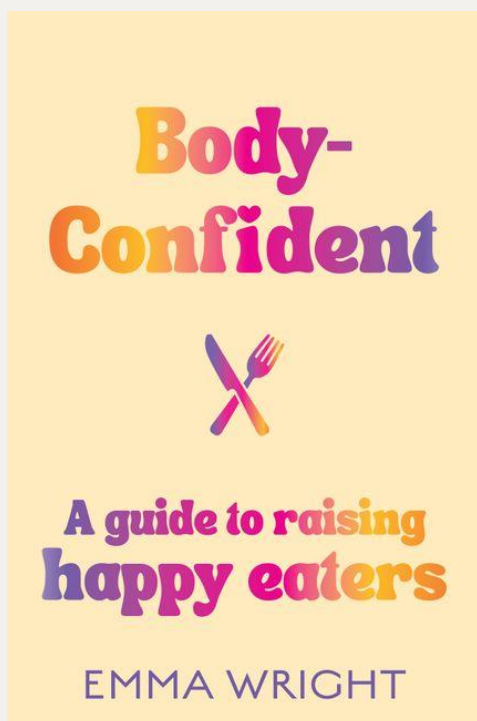
When Julie Legg was diagnosed with ADHD at age 52, suddenly her life made sense. Bringing together her own experience along with research studies and personal stories from other Kiwi women with ADHD, this book is a go-to reference no matter where you are in your journey.

Dispelling myths and opening a lid on the real experiences of the one-in-twenty women who have found their own missing piece, this is an informative and empowering guide to knowing and loving yourself.

Legg's diverse and happy career in the gig economy has encompassed being a professional actor, voice artist, business owner, marketer, blogger, writer and photographer. Until her ADHD diagnosis at 52, she struggled as to why she felt so 'different' to her contemporaries.

New Zealand

Non-Fiction



Body-Confident Emma Wright

HarperCollins NZ
RRP: \$37.99

For too long, parents have been given an impossible task: keep your kid from getting too fat, while making sure they love their body.

In this practical and essential book, body-confidence parenting coach Emma Wright uses current research to put an end to fights at the dinner table, and shows how you can teach your child or teen to step away from expectations that leave them anxious about food.

As an eating disorder survivor and a parent, Emma Wright wanted her kids to relate to their bodies in a way that she didn't. She has coached hundreds of parents in Aotearoa and around the world to nurture their kids towards healthier relationships with food and their bodies. She offers events and resources under the name Raising Body-Confidence Kids.

Autobiography/biography

Non-Fiction



The Showman Simon Shuster

HarperCollins
RRP: \$37.99

Written with unprecedented access, this is the first inside, intimate account of the Russian invasion of Ukraine from the perspective of President Zelensky and his team.

Time correspondent Shuster has known Zelensky for many years and shares the president's Ukrainian/Russian ancestry. His love for Ukraine spills out onto every page. As a study in leadership and human resolve, its appeal is timeless and universal.



The Girl Who Touched the Stars Bonnie Hancock

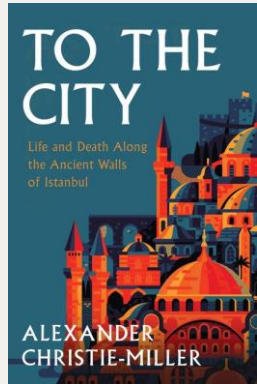
ABC Books
RRP: \$37.99

Bonnie Hancock broke numerous records on her fastest ever circumnavigation by paddle around Australia but that wasn't the achievement she is most proud of.

This is a travelogue and an exhilarating exploration of human ambition coming face to face with the beauty and power of nature. In 2022, Hancock completed a gruelling 12,700-kilometre journey around Australia solo in a surf ski, becoming the fastest ever paddler to circumnavigate the continent, the first Australian woman to circumnavigate the continent by paddle, and the youngest person to do so.

Miscellaneous

Non-Fiction

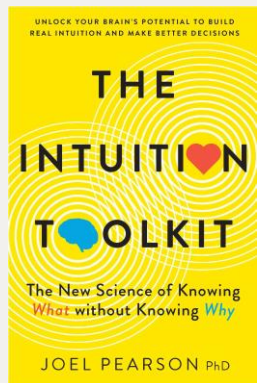


To the City Alexander Christie-Miller

HarperCollins
RRP: \$59.99

Walking along the crumbling defensive walls of Istanbul and talking to those he passes, Alexander Christie-Miller finds a distillation of the country's history, a mirror of its present, and a shadow of its future.

Between 2010 and 2017 Miller worked as a journalist in Istanbul, where he was correspondent for *The Times*. His work has also appeared in *Newsweek*, *The Atlantic*, *Der Spiegel*, and the *White Review* among other publications.



The Intuition Toolkit Joel Pearson

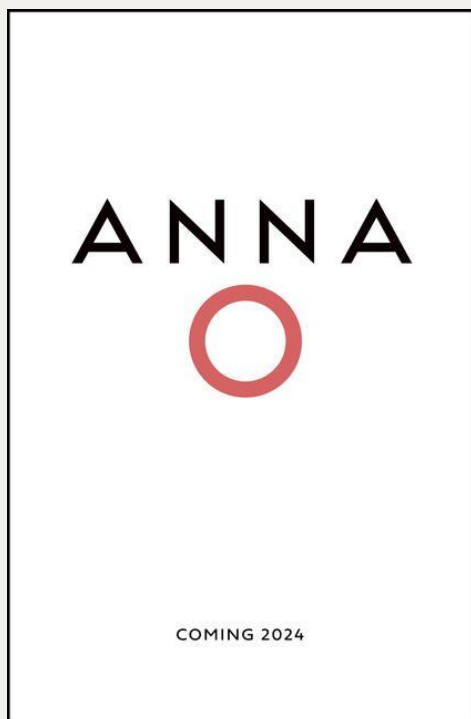
Simon & Schuster
RRP: \$35.00

Five easy rules for developing intuition, based on trailblazing research by a top Australian neuroscientist. Learn when it's safe to rely on intuition in decision-making and when it's not.

Joel Pearson is a psychologist as well as a neuroscientist, and is the Director of Future Minds Lab at the University of New South Wales. He is a prolific public speaker and writer, having contributed chapters to several books and published numerous journal articles. Joel's website is profjoelpearson.com

Thriller

Fiction



Anna O
Matthew Blake

HarperCollins
RRP: \$36.99

Anna O hasn't opened her eyes for four years...

Not since the night she was found in a deep sleep by the bodies of her best friends, suspected of a chilling double murder.

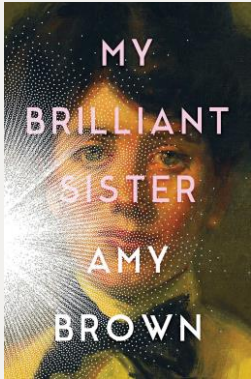
For Doctor Benedict Prince, a forensic psychologist on London's Harley Street, waking Anna O could be career-defining. As he begins Anna O's treatment – studying his patient's dreams, combing her memories, visiting the site where the horrors played out – he pulls on the thread of a much deeper, darker mystery.

After discovering that the average person spends thirty-three years of their life asleep, Matthew Blake began extensive research into sleep-related crimes and into the mystery illness known as resignation syndrome, research that sparked a thrilling question: if someone commits murder while sleepwalking, are they innocent or guilty? And so his novel *Anna O* was born.

Before writing fiction, Matthew worked as a researcher and speechwriter at the Palace of Westminster.

Historical

Fiction

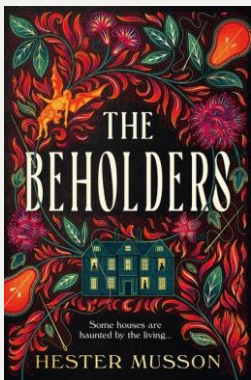


My Brilliant Sister Amy Brown

Scribner
RRP: \$37.99

An utterly convincing (and hilarious) portrait of Miles Franklin and a moving, nuanced exploration of the balance women still have to strike between careers and family lives. It gives a fresh take on one of Australia's most celebrated writers and an insight into life now.

Amy Brown is a New Zealand writer who lives in Naarm/Melbourne. She has published three collections of poetry, four children's novels, and completed a PhD at the University of Melbourne. Her poetry, essays and reviews have been published in Australia and New Zealand.



The Beholders Hester Musson

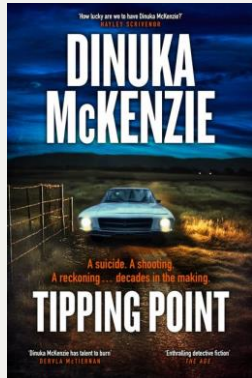
4th Estate
RRP: \$35.00

Harriet is a maid employed at Finton Hall. Fleeing the drudgery of an unwanted engagement in the small village where she grew up, Harriet is entranced by the grand country hall.

Unable to ignore her growing unease, Harriet sets out to discover their secrets. When she uncovers a shocking truth, a chain of events is set in motion that could cost Harriet everything, even her freedom...

Thriller

Fiction

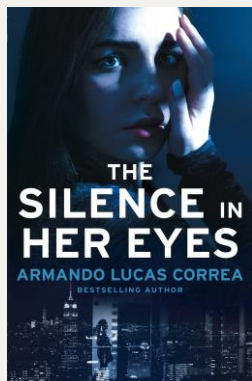


Tipping Point Dinuka McKenzie

HarperCollins
RRP: \$35.00

The must-read new Detective Kate Miles novel from 'a born storyteller' (Michael Robotham).

Dinuka McKenzie is an Australian writer and book addict. Her debut crime fiction novel, *The Torrent*, won the HarperCollins Australia 2020 Banjo Prize and was published in February 2022.



The Silence in Her Eyes Armando Lucas Correa

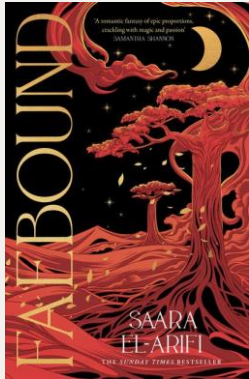
Simon & Schuster
RRP: \$35.00

Bestselling author Armando Lucas Correa strikes out in a bold new direction with a psychological thriller about a young woman afflicted with 'motion blindness', who becomes convinced that her next-door neighbour is going to be murdered.

Correa is the author of the international bestseller *The German Girl*, which is now being published in seventeen languages and has sold more than one million copies

Miscellaneous

Fiction

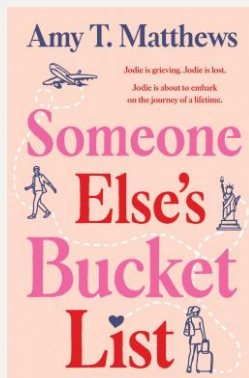


Faebound Saara El-Arifi

Voyager
RRP: \$36.99

The fae haven't been seen for a millennium. But now Yeeran and Lettle are thrust into their seductive world – torn between their loyalty to each other, their elven homeland, and their hearts...

El-Arifi knew she was a storyteller from the moment she told her first lie. Though her stories have developed beyond the ramblings of a child, she still appreciates the thrill of a well-told tale. Her previous series, *The Final Strife*, was a bestseller.



Someone Else's Bucket List

Amy T. Matthews

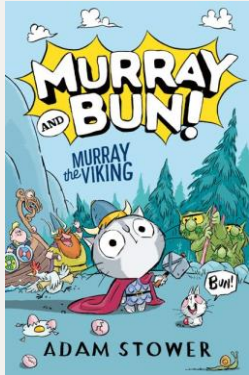
Simon & Schuster
RRP: \$37.99

In this sisterly *PS, I Love You*, an introverted young woman is saddled with fulfilling her late sister's final wish and completing her bucket list while millions of people follow along online.

Amy T. Matthews is an award-winning author, an academic at Flinders University, and the co-host of the podcasts *Word Docs* and *Love on Campus*. Amy lives in Adelaide with a collection of beloved people both real and imagined, and you can find her on Instagram @amytmattthews_author.

Junior Fiction

Kids



Murray the Viking Adam Stower

HarperCollins
RRP: \$17.99

SOMETIMES Murray's enchanted cat flap leads to the garden... but mostly it leads to ADVENTURE!

And when Murray and Bun travel through the cat flap and find themselves in a land of VIKINGS, they are given a VERY IMPORTANT MISSION: to travel to TROLL ISLAND and rescue Eggrik the Viking

Adam Stower is an award-winning author and illustrator of children's books. Adam was born in England, grew up in Switzerland and has loved drawing ever since he was old enough to hold a crayon



Marnie Midnight and the Moon Mystery Laura Ellen Anderson

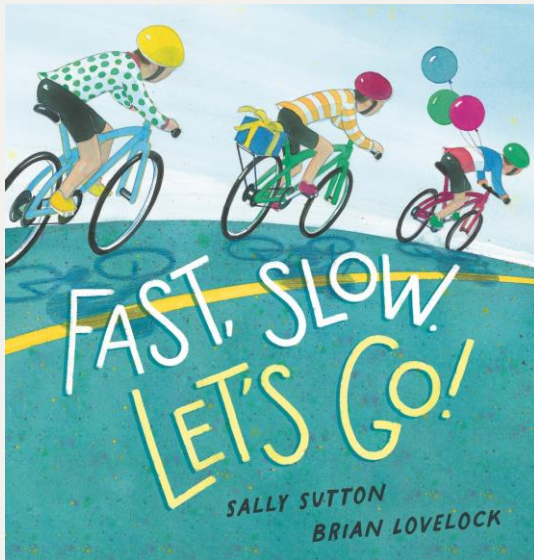
Farshore Fiction
RRP: \$17.99

A magical new young fiction series from best-selling author and illustrator, Laura Ellen Anderson!

Marnie Midnight is SO excited to be starting school at Minibeast Academy. She adores everything about the moon and she can't wait to learn about its magic. But when Marnie starts school, she's shocked to find out that nobody believes in moon magic anymore!

Picture Book

Kids



Fast, Slow. Let's Go!

Sally Sutton

Brian Lovelock

Walker Books

RRP: \$27.99

From the creators of the best-selling Roadworks series, a fresh new celebration of transportation!

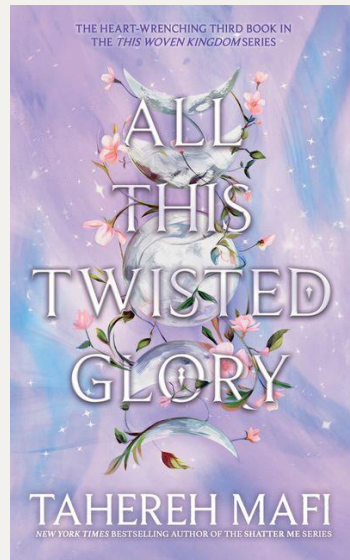
Borrowing from the childhood perennial and favourite song 'This is the way ...', a happy group of children scoot, bike, bus, swing, sail, run and ride their way across town to join a birthday surprise.

*This is the way we skate along, skate along, skate along,
This is the way we skate along
on a sunny, funny morning.*

Sally Sutton is the awarding-winning New Zealand author of Roadworks and Dig Dump Roll. She lives in Auckland

Young Adult

Kids



All this Twisted Glory Tahereh Mafi

Farshore Fiction

RRP: \$22.99

As the long-lost heir to the Jinn throne, Alizeh has finally found her people—and she might've found her crown. Cyrus, the mercurial ruler of Tulan, has offered her his kingdom in a twisted exchange: one that would begin with their marriage and end with his murder.

Tahereh Mafi is the *New York Times* bestselling author of the Shatter Me series which has been published in over 30 languages around the world.