

# Enid Blyton<sup>®</sup>



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# Enid Blyton

*At the Heart of Every Childhood*



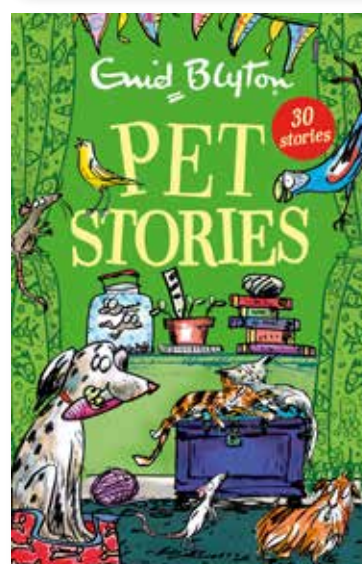
**Enid Blyton (1897–1968) is one of the most successful children’s authors of all time. Her books have sold over 500 million copies and have been translated into other languages more often than any other children’s author. She wrote over 700 books and about 2,000 short stories in a career spanning almost fifty years. Her work is loved by generations of readers across the world.**

Born in London, Enid lived much of her life in Buckinghamshire and loved nature, animals and gardening. She was very knowledgeable about trees, flowers, birds and woodland life and used this to inform her stories.

*The Famous Five* books, first published by Hachette over 75 years ago, are among her most popular. She is also the author of other favourites including *The Secret Seven*, *The Magic Faraway Tree* and *Malory Towers*. These books encapsulate what readers love about Enid Blyton: adventure, friendship, heroism and page-turning storytelling.

*Portrait by Laura Ellen Anderson*





IMPRINT: EBE  
 FORMAT: PB  
 SIZE: 198 x 129 mm  
 EXTENT: 354-400pp each  
 WORD COUNT: 47,000 approx. each  
 AGE: 5+  
 PRICE: £6.99  
 PUB DATE: Published / June 2021  
 NUMBER OF COLLECTIONS: 19  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 RIGHTS SOLD ACROSS THE  
 COLLECTIONS: Castilian, French  
 LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/  
 TV: Enid Blyton Entertainment/  
 Hachette Children's Group

## SHORT STORY COLLECTIONS: RAINY DAY STORIES/ PET STORIES

ENID BLYTON,  
ILLUSTRATED BY MARK BEECH

### KEY NOTE

Two more fantastic short story collections, full of adventure and our favourite fluffy friends.

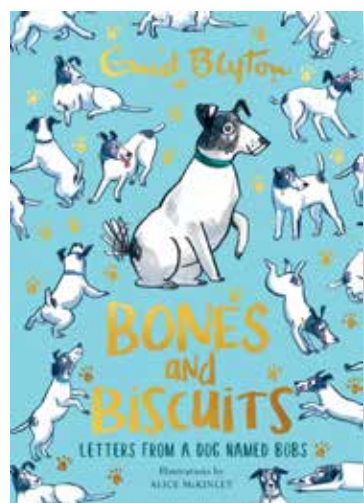
### SYNOPSIS

A selection of twenty-five stories in each book, filled with mischief, adventure and everybody's most beloved pets. In *Rainy Day Stories*, children stumble upon secret rooms and gnomes pretend they can forecast the weather. Enjoy charming tales about cats, dogs, budgies, rabbits and other adored family pets in *Pet Stories* written by dog and animal lover Enid Blyton. Carefully selected to be entertaining and satisfying, these stories are perfect for reading aloud at bedtime or in the classroom, or for newly confident readers to read alone.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- The short story collections are the most successful Enid Blyton books in UK trade sales in the last four years, with nearly 400,000 copies sold in the UK and over 100,000 copies sold abroad
- Enid Blyton wrote these short stories for magazine between the 1920s and the 1960s and many are published here in book form for the first time





IMPRINT: EBE

FORMAT: HB

SIZE: 198 x 129 mm

EXTENT: 112pp

WORD COUNT: 30,000 approx.

AGE: 7+

PRICE: £9.99

PUB DATE: Published

RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World

RIGHTS SOLD: Castilian

LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV:

Enid Blyton Entertainment/Hachette  
Children's Group

## BONES AND BISCUITS: LETTERS FROM A DOG NAMED BOBS

ENID BLYTON, ILLUSTRATED BY  
ALICE MCKINLEY

### KEY NOTE

An adorable book of illustrated letters giving us a year in the life of Bobs the dog and his family and friends.

### SYNOPSIS

The perfect book for readers of any age who love dogs, animals and funny stories. This beautifully illustrated collection of letters takes us through a year in the life of Bobs, the adored pet terrier owned by the world's best-loved author Enid Blyton. In his own words, Bobs hilariously shares his adventures with his friends and family and gives his opinions on everything from fireworks to frogs and cats to Christmas. Written by Enid Blyton every week to entertain young readers in the 1920s to 1940s, these letters have never been published together in book form before.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- Features original content from Enid Blyton that has never before been published as a book
- With charming, black-and-white illustrations that complement the letters, this is the perfect gift for animal-lovers of all ages
- Enid Blyton is famous for her dog characters including Timmy from *The Famous Five*



IMPRINT: EBE

FORMAT: PB

SIZE: 198 x 129 mm

EXTENT: 224pp approx. per title

WORD COUNT: 26,000 approx. per title

AGE: 7+

PRICE: £6.99

PUB DATE: Published

NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 10

RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World

RIGHTS SOLD: Castilian, Catalan, French,  
German, Indonesian, Portuguese (PT),  
Russian, Sinhalese, Slovene, UK (audio).

*The Diary of the Naughtiest Girl*: Gaelic

LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV:

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Children's Group



## THE NAUGHTIEST GIRL SERIES

ENID BLYTON (BOOKS 1–4)  
ANNE DIGBY (BOOKS 5–10),  
ILLUSTRATED BY CLAIRE POWELL

### KEY NOTE

Enid Blyton's hilarious, bestselling school series about the naughtiest student ever! Reissued with new modern cover designs by Claire Powell.

### SYNOPSIS

Elizabeth Allen is sent away to boarding school and makes up her mind to be the naughtiest pupil there's ever been ... but Elizabeth soon finds out that being bad isn't as simple as it seems – especially when school turns out to be such good fun.

Also available: *The Diary of the Naughtiest Girl*, a laugh-out-loud, contemporary retelling of the Naughtiest Girl's story in diary format by Jeanne Willis, illustrated by Alex T. Smith, creator of *Claude*.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

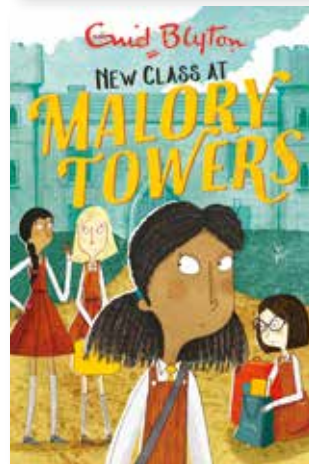
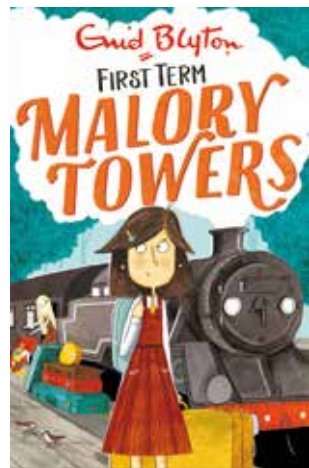
- Blyton's irreverent stories are brought to life by Kate Hindley's brilliantly funny illustrations and new cover art by bestselling illustrator Claire Powell
- Uniquely for Enid Blyton, a school series starring girls *and* boys – with appeal for both
- Celebrating the values of independence, empowerment and equality, the hilarious stories are as relevant to children today as ever

### AUTHOR/ILLUSTRATOR BIOGRAPHY

Anne Digby is best known for her hugely popular *Trebizon* school series, which follows the lives of a group of friends at an English boarding school. She is also the author of the *Me, Jill Robinson!* series and several film tie-in novels. Anne lives in West Sussex.

Claire Powell is an illustrator, writer and designer, and has spent several years as a design director in the world of channel rebranding working for clients such as Nickelodeon and the BBC. She is the illustrator for the bestselling series *The Wizard in My Shed* and *The Night Before Christmas*.





IMPRINT: EBE  
 FORMAT: PB  
 SIZE: 198 x 129 mm  
 EXTENT: 192pp approx. per title  
 WORD COUNT: 46,000 approx. per title  
 AGE: 9+  
 PRICE: £6.99  
 PUB DATE: Published  
 NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 13  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 RIGHTS SOLD: Castilian, Catalan,  
 French, Georgian, German,  
 Indonesian, Portuguese (PT),  
 Sinhalese, UK (audio)  
 LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV:  
 Enid Blyton Entertainment/Hachette  
 Children's Group

## MALORY TOWERS SERIES/NEW CLASS AT MALORY TOWERS

ENID BLYTON (BOOKS 1–6)  
 PAMELA COX (BOOKS 7–12)  
 P. LAWRENCE, N. DHAMI,  
 L. MANGAN, R. WESTCOTT (BOOK 13)

### KEY NOTE

Enid Blyton's most popular school series with gorgeous new covers by acclaimed illustrator Pippa Curnick.

### SYNOPSIS

When twelve-year-old Darrell Rivers arrives at Malory Towers she's desperate to settle in quickly. Soon Darrell has not only made wonderful friends but also some tricky enemies! Friendship, drama and mischief abound as feisty Darrell learns to show her best nature. Follow the very special sisterhood of this group of loveable girls as they grow and progress through the school. There are six original books written by Enid Blyton, six additional titles written by Pamela Cox and a book of four short stories by Patrice Lawrence, Narinder Dhami, Lucy Mangan and Rebecca Westcott.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- *Malory Towers* has recently been adapted into a hugely popular TV series by King Bert Productions (founded by David Walliams) and sold into many territories
- *Malory Towers* is a perennial favourite in the UK and Enid Blyton's most popular school series
- The stories will appeal to fans of Robin Stevens's hugely popular 1930s-set boarding school series *Murder Most Unladylike*

### ILLUSTRATOR BIOGRAPHY

Pippa Curnick studied at Camberwell College of Art before graduating from the University of Derby with a first class degree in illustration. From 2012 to 2014 she worked as a designer for Alison Green Books. She now works as an illustrator and freelance designer.



IMPRINT: EBE  
 FORMAT: PB  
 SIZE: 198 x 129 mm  
 EXTENT: 352pp  
 WORD COUNT: 60,000 approx.  
 AGE: 9+  
 PRICE: £6.99  
 PUB DATE: Published  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV:  
 Enid Blyton Entertainment/Hachette  
 Children's Group

## MALORY TOWERS: DARRELL AND FRIENDS

ENID BLYTON

### KEY NOTE

Based on the TV series which brings to life Enid Blyton's most popular boarding school stories for the first time!

### SYNOPSIS

When twelve-year-old Darrell Rivers joins Malory Towers, she's thrilled to be at the beautiful boarding school on the Cornish coast. There are new friends to make, lacrosse games to play, midnight feasts to eat and even a school ghost to uncover. As soon as she meets spiky, spoilt new girl Gwendoline, Darrell knows it's going to be a struggle to hide her famously hot temper. Friendship, drama and mischief abound as Darrell learns to show her best nature. This book is a novelisation of the whole of the gripping new TV series, produced by King Bert Productions, founded by David Walliams and Jo Sargent.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- Based on the TV series of *Malory Towers* by King Bert Productions (founded by David Walliams and Jo Sargent). Channels have been confirmed for the following territories: ZDF in Germany, DR in Denmark, YLE in Finland, SVT in Sweden, NRK in Norway, Hot in Israel, and streaming platform Toonix in the Nordics and Central and Eastern Europe
- Novelised by Narinder Dhami, author of the bestselling book of *Bend It Like Beckham*, based on the TV scripts
- *Malory Towers* is a perennial favourite in the UK and Enid Blyton's most popular school series

### AUTHOR/ILLUSTRATOR BIOGRAPHY

Narinder Dhami is the award-winning author of over 300 books, including the bestselling novelisation of *Bend It Like Beckham*.







IMPRINT: Hodder Children's Books  
 FORMAT: PB  
 SIZE: 198 x 129 mm  
 EXTENT: 192pp approx. per title  
 WORD COUNT: 52,000 approx. per title  
 AGE: 9+  
 PRICE: £6.99  
 PUB DATE: Published  
 NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 9  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 RIGHTS SOLD: Castilian, Catalan, French, German (audio), Greek, Indonesian, Japanese, Portuguese (PT), Russian, UK (audio)  
 LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV: Enid Blyton Entertainment/Hachette Children's Group

## ST CLARE'S SERIES

ENID BLYTON (BOOKS 1–6)  
 PAMELA COX (BOOKS 7–9)

### KEY NOTE

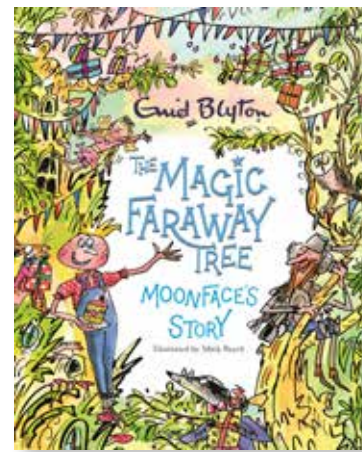
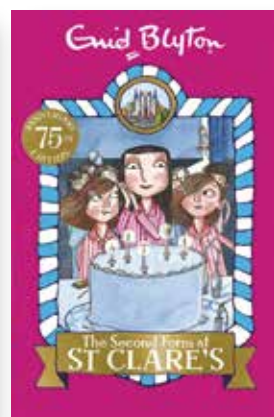
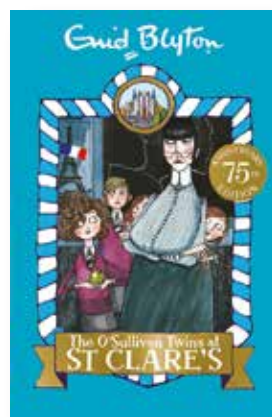
Get ready for double trouble at St Clare's with Enid Blyton's much-loved boarding school series, starring the cheeky O'Sullivan twins.

### SYNOPSIS

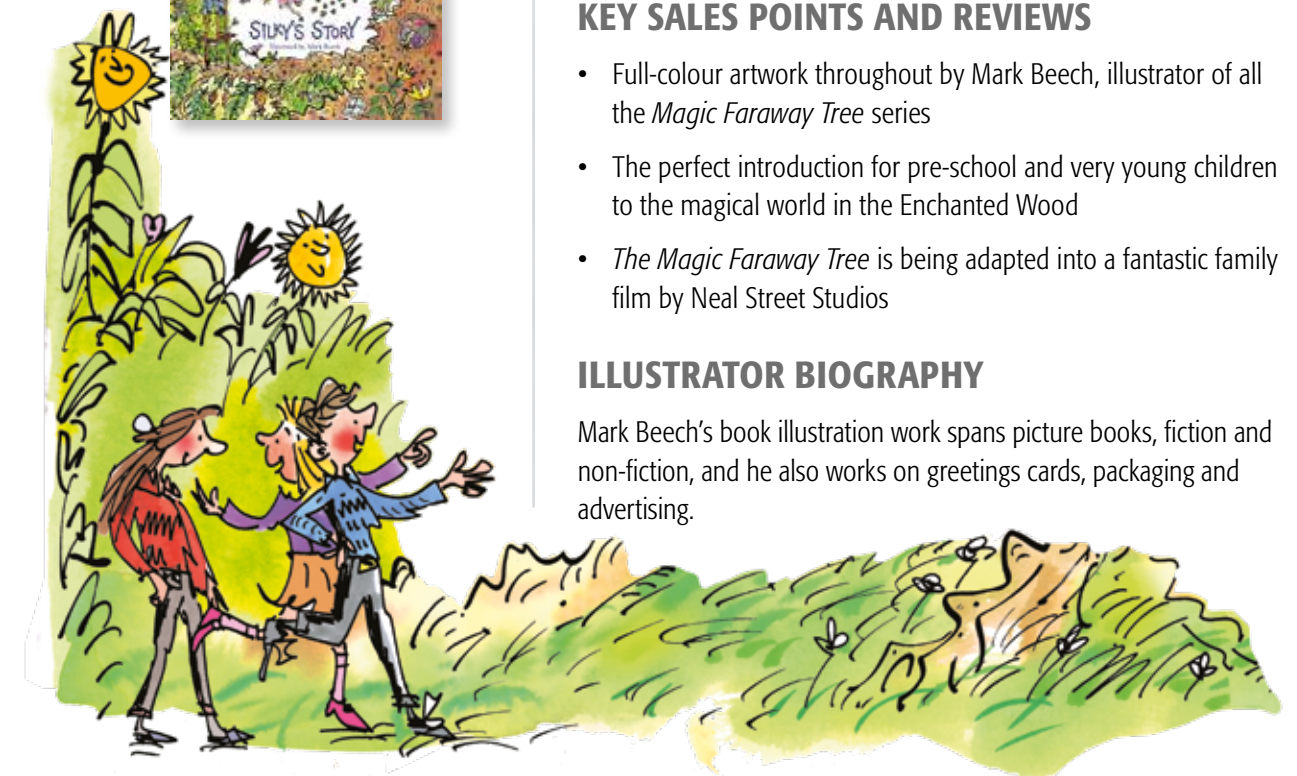
Twins Pat and Isabel are sent to St Clare's, but they are not happy about going. The twins refuse to do chores and join in. They'd rather spend their time playing pranks and causing double trouble! But soon the twins realise there's more fun to be had when it's shared with their classmates, and resolve to make the most of their time at school.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- Packed with warmth, humour and friendship, these timeless stories are perfect for middle-grade girl readers
- Cover art by bestselling illustrator David Roberts, of the *Dirty Bertie* and *Iggy Peck, Architect* series



IMPRINT: EBE  
 FORMAT: HB  
 SIZE: 295 x 240 mm  
 EXTENT: 32pp  
 WORD COUNT: 1,000  
 AGE: 3+  
 PRICE: £12.99  
 PUB DATE: April 2021  
 NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 2  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV: Enid Blyton Entertainment/Hachette Children's Group



## THE MAGIC FARAWAY TREE: MOONFACE'S STORY

ENID BLYTON, ILLUSTRATED BY MARK BEECH

### KEY NOTE

A young picture book set in the world of the Magic Faraway Tree, featuring favourite classic characters.

### SYNOPSIS

#### *Moonface's Story*

It's Moonface's birthday! After a cake-baking disaster, Moonface goes up the Faraway Tree and luckily finds the Land of Cake. There he chooses the perfect Everything Cake, with layers of flavour for all his friends. But when he goes down the ladder, he loses balance and drops it! Moonface is in tears, but his friends tell him that being together is more important than cake. Moonface is soon smiling again and the party begins.

#### *Silky's Story*

Joe, Beth and Frannie want to show Frannie's new doll to Silky. But an elephant from the Land of Roundabouts has stolen Silky away! The children, Moonface and Saucepan Man follow the elephant and find him holding Silky at the top of the helter-skelter. Frannie rushes up and discovers that the elephant was only looking for a friend. She offers her doll and he lets Silky go. The elephant apologises and they all go for a ride on the roundabout.

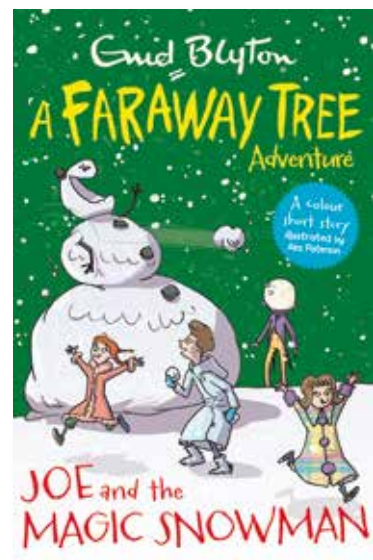
### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- Full-colour artwork throughout by Mark Beech, illustrator of all the *Magic Faraway Tree* series
- The perfect introduction for pre-school and very young children to the magical world in the Enchanted Wood
- *The Magic Faraway Tree* is being adapted into a fantastic family film by Neal Street Studios

### ILLUSTRATOR BIOGRAPHY

Mark Beech's book illustration work spans picture books, fiction and non-fiction, and he also works on greetings cards, packaging and advertising.





IMPRINT: EBE  
 FORMAT: PB  
 SIZE: 198 x 129 mm  
 EXTENT: 112pp approx. per title  
 WORD COUNT: 2,000 approx. per title  
 AGE: 5+  
 PRICE: £5.99  
 PUB DATE: Published  
 NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 10  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 RIGHTS SOLD: Indonesian, Welsh  
 LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV:  
 Enid Blyton Entertainment/Hachette  
 Children's Group

## FARAWAY TREE ADVENTURE COLOUR SHORT STORIES

ENID BLYTON,  
 ILLUSTRATED BY ALEX PATERSON

### KEY NOTE

Classic stories from Enid Blyton's magical *Faraway Tree* series, published separately and illustrated throughout in vibrant full colour – perfect for young readers.

### SYNOPSIS

The *Faraway Tree* series follows Joe, Beth and Frannie who find themselves in the Enchanted Wood, where trees whisper their secrets and magic is everywhere.

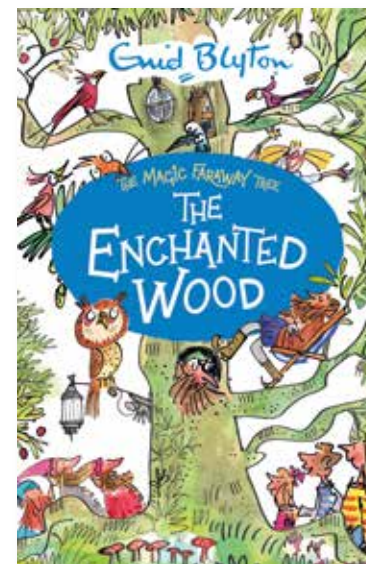
The stories are published as individual full-colour titles for young readers. Each of the titles contains one story, with lively illustrations by Alex Paterson. The perfect introductions to the magical lands above the Faraway Tree.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- The ideal stepping stone from picture books to early readers
- 'The *Magic Faraway Tree* is one of the most loved children's books series from an iconic author whose work has been adored by generations. To be able to adapt these for the big screen is incredibly exciting.' – Sam Mendes
- Playful, full-colour illustrations perfectly complement these shorter formats, targeted at children of 5 and up

### ILLUSTRATOR BIOGRAPHY

Alex Paterson was a soldier and a jungle expedition leader before becoming a full-time children's illustrator. He lives in rural Warwickshire with his family.



IMPRINT: EBE  
 FORMAT: PB  
 SIZE: 198 x 129 mm  
 EXTENT: 144–224pp per title  
 WORD COUNT: approx. 12,000–40,000 per title  
 AGE: 6+  
 PRICE: £6.99  
 PUB DATE: Published  
 NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 4  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 RIGHTS SOLD: Castilian, Catalan, Danish (audio), German (audio), Italian, Korean, Lithuanian, Portuguese (PT), Romanian, Russian, Turkish, UK (audio)  
 LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV:  
 Enid Blyton Entertainment/Hachette  
 Children's Group



## THE MAGIC FARAWAY TREE SERIES

ENID BLYTON, ILLUSTRATED BY  
 MARK BEECH AND JAN MCCAFFERTY

### KEY NOTE

Enid Blyton's second biggest-selling series is a perennial favourite with a cast of unforgettable characters adored by generations of children.

### SYNOPSIS

First published in the 1930s, *The Magic Faraway Tree* series follows siblings Joe, Beth and Frannie, who find themselves in an enchanted wood where trees whisper their secrets and magic is everywhere.

In the middle of the wood grows the most wonderful tree in the world – the Faraway Tree. Cosy houses set in its vast trunk are inhabited by the fairy-folk and its topmost branches lead to ever-changing magical lands above the swirling clouds.

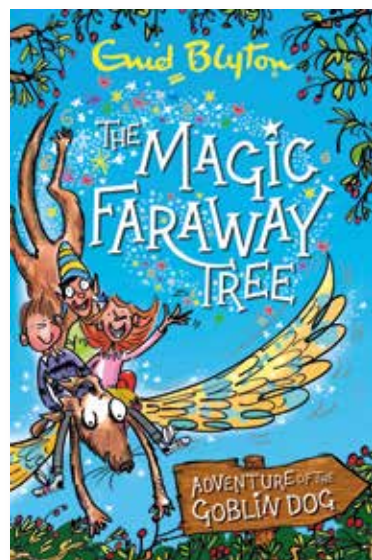
Together with their new friends, the children have the most marvellous adventures in the lands that come and go at the top of the tree – the Land of Ice and Snow, the Land of the Three Bears, the Land of Goodies and everyone's favourite – the Land of Take-What-You-Want!

Books 1–3 are full-length novels. *Up the Faraway Tree* contains eight original *Faraway Tree* stories in picture-strip format and four short stories first published in magazines.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- Major new live-action film by StudioCanal/Neal Street Productions coming soon
- Ideal for confident readers to enjoy alone or for reading aloud
- With fresh, contemporary covers by Mark Beech and charming inside illustrations by Jan McCafferty, these books are wonderful for reading at bedtime
- In the last 10 years over 5 million Magic Faraway Tree books have been sold in the UK





IMPRINT: EBE

FORMAT: PB

SIZE: 198 x 129 mm

EXTENT: 208pp

WORD COUNT: 28,000 approx.

AGE: 7+

PRICE: £6.99

PUB DATE: Published

NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 1

RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World

RIGHTS SOLD: Castilian, Catalan,  
Portuguese (PT), Turkish, UK (audio)

LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV:  
Enid Blyton Entertainment/Hachette  
Children's Group

## THE MAGIC FARAWAY TREE: ADVENTURE OF THE GOBLIN DOG

ENID BLYTON, ILLUSTRATED BY MARK BEECH

### KEY NOTE

Enid Blyton's exciting forerunner to the phenomenally popular *The Magic Faraway Tree* series – back in print for the first time in over 20 years!

### SYNOPSIS

When a fairy princess is captured by a gnome, siblings Peter and Mary set out to rescue her. Their journey takes them deep into the Enchanted Wood where they climb up the Faraway Tree and visit the Land of Giants and the Land of Storytellers among other exciting places. This is an irresistible story for anyone who's ever stepped into the Enchanted Wood, and a fantastic introduction to *The Magic Faraway Tree* stories for new readers.

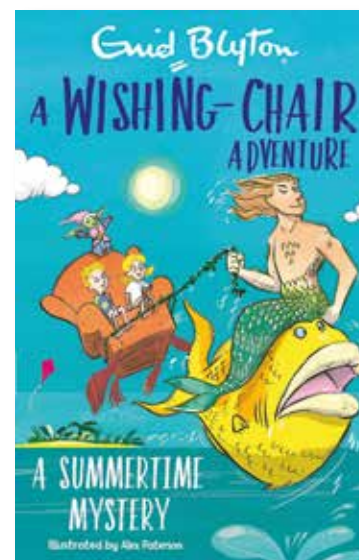
This standalone novel was originally published in 1936, three years before *The Enchanted Wood*, and features different children discovering the Faraway Tree.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- *The Magic Faraway Tree* is one of Enid Blyton's most enduringly popular series. This is the first time the prequel story has been in print for 20 years
- In the last 10 years over 5 million *Magic Faraway Tree* books have sold in the UK

### ILLUSTRATOR BIOGRAPHY

Mark Beech's book illustration work spans picture books, fiction and non-fiction, and he also works on greetings cards, packaging and advertising.



IMPRINT: EBE

FORMAT: PB

SIZE: 198 x 129 mm

EXTENT: 112pp approx. per title

WORD COUNT: approx. 3,500–5,000  
per title

AGE: 5+

PRICE: £5.99

PUB DATE: Published

NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 6

RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World

LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/

TV: Enid Blyton Entertainment/  
Hachette Children's Group

## WISHING-CHAIR ADVENTURE COLOUR SHORT STORIES

ENID BLYTON, ILLUSTRATED BY ALEX PATERSON

### KEY NOTE

Five classic tales from the original *Wishing-Chair* series – now available as individual short stories for readers aged 5+.

### SYNOPSIS

Younger readers can discover the magic of the *Wishing-Chair* for the first time with these colour short stories. Each book stands alone and takes the reader on a brand-new adventure with Mollie, Peter, Binky the fairy and the wonderful *Wishing-Chair*. The stories are illustrated in colour throughout by Alex Paterson and are the perfect way to introduce readers aged 5+ to Enid Blyton's popular fantasy adventure series. The titles are: *The Royal Birthday Party*, *Off on a Holiday Adventure*, *A Daring School Rescue*, *The Witch's Lost Cat* and *Summertime Mystery*.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- Newly confident readers can now enjoy the *Wishing-Chair* stories in this popular early reader format
- Colour young fiction provides the first step on the reading journey through Enid Blyton's writing
- Celebrating key seasonal and 'milestone' moments, these stories engage with popular themes for young fiction such as birthdays, holidays, school and Halloween

### ILLUSTRATOR BIOGRAPHY

Alex Paterson was a soldier and a jungle expedition leader before becoming a full-time children's illustrator. He lives in rural Warwickshire with his family.







IMPRINT: EBE  
 FORMAT: PB  
 SIZE: 198 x 129 mm  
 EXTENT: 144–192pp per title  
 WORD COUNT: approx. 38,000–56,000 per title  
 AGE: 6+  
 PRICE: £6.99  
 PUB DATE: Published  
 NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 3  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 RIGHTS SOLD: Russian, Ukrainian, UK (audio)  
 LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV: Enid Blyton Entertainment/Hachette Children's Group

## THE WISHING-CHAIR SERIES

ENID BLYTON

### KEY NOTE

Set off on a magical adventure with Enid Blyton's classic fantasy series about a chair that can fly and grant wishes. Now with stunning new covers illustrated by Mark Beech.

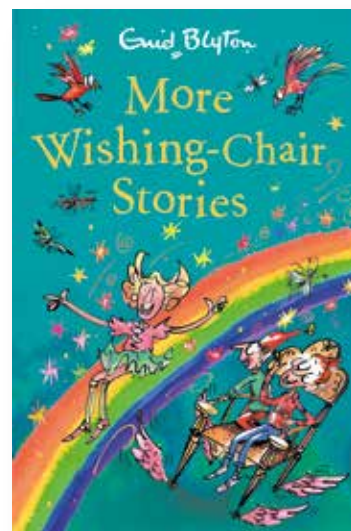
### SYNOPSIS

When siblings Mollie and Peter go to buy their mother a birthday present, they discover the most extraordinary thing: a magical wishing-chair! The Wishing-Chair takes them on some marvellous adventures – to a castle where they narrowly escape from a giant and rescue a pixie, to the Land of Dreams, and to a disappearing island!

Now also available: *The Wishing-Chair Collection* (3 books in 1)

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- With beautiful classic inside illustrations, these stories are wonderful for reading at bedtime with children aged 6 and up
- The perfect follow-on from the *Faraway Tree* series – some of the lands in those stories also feature in these *Wishing-Chair* adventures
- The first book is also available in a hardback gift edition with cover artwork by Mark Beech



3-in-1



IMPRINT: EBE  
 FORMAT: PB  
 SIZE: 198 x 129 mm  
 EXTENT: 144–192pp per title  
 WORD COUNT: 10,000–19,000 approx. per title  
 AGE: 6+  
 PRICE: £5.99  
 PUB DATE: Published  
 NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 5  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 RIGHTS SOLD: UK (audio)  
 LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV: Enid Blyton Entertainment/Hachette Children's Group



## AMELIA JANE SERIES

ENID BLYTON,  
 ILLUSTRATED BY ALEX T. SMITH

### KEY NOTE

Young fiction series about a rebellious toy doll who loves making mischief, with illustrations by Alex T. Smith.

### SYNOPSIS

Meet Amelia Jane. She may be a doll but she's far from cute, and loves playing tricks on the other toys. In these fun adventures there's never a dull moment as she steals a teddy bear's necklace, causes chaos with a boomerang, scribbles all over the nursery walls and much more. But when the toys really need help, Amelia is always ready to save the day!

Each book contains between ten and fourteen classic short stories that are illustrated throughout in black and white.

The titles are:

*Naughty Amelia Jane*  
*Amelia Jane Again!*  
*Amelia Jane Gets Into Trouble*  
*Amelia Jane is Naughty Again*  
*Good Idea, Amelia Jane!*

Also available: *The Amelia Jane Collection*

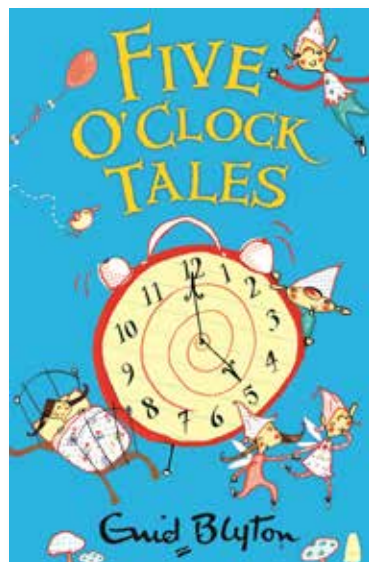
### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- The series's rebel-girl message will appeal to contemporary readers
- A strong, main girl character that children will find irresistible
- With short chapters and illustrations throughout, these books are the perfect step from early reader to confident middle-grade-targeted fiction

### ILLUSTRATOR BIOGRAPHY

Alex T. Smith has won the UKLA Picture Book Award and the Sainsbury's Children's Book Award, and has been shortlisted for the Waterstones Children's Book Award. His quirky, witty illustrations are instantly recognisable, critically acclaimed and as popular with adults as children.





IMPRINT: Hodder Children's Books  
 FORMAT: EBook  
 EXTENT: 160pp  
 WORD COUNT: 3,000 approx. per title  
 AGE: 5+  
 PRICE: £4.49  
 PUB DATE: Published  
 NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 4  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 RIGHTS SOLD: Castilian  
 LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV:  
 Enid Blyton Entertainment/Hachette  
 Children's Group

## O'CLOCK TALES

ENID BLYTON

### KEY NOTE

Magical short stories to enjoy round the clock.

### SYNOPSIS

#### *Five O'Clock Tales*

Fly away with the Snippet Pixies in search of a new home. Discover the secret ingredient in the fairies' spell to make people better. And join Chitter the gnome as he discovers a Wishing-Balloon!

#### *Six O'Clock Tales*

Sheila is astonished when her toys walk themselves home. Poor Prickles the Hedgehog thinks the moon has fallen out of the sky. And find out just how mischievous Twinkle the elf is when he paints the walls of a dragon's cave.

#### *Seven O'Clock Tales*

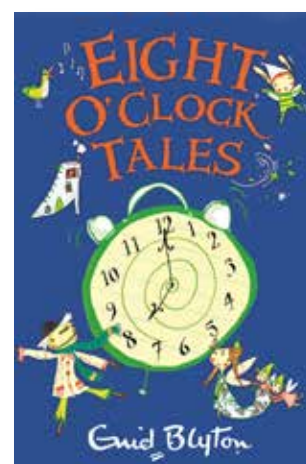
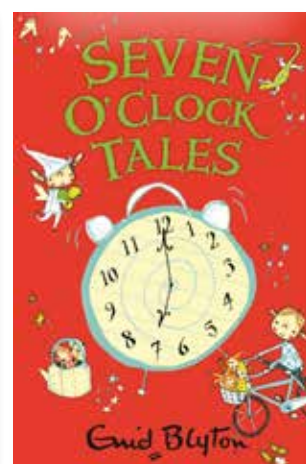
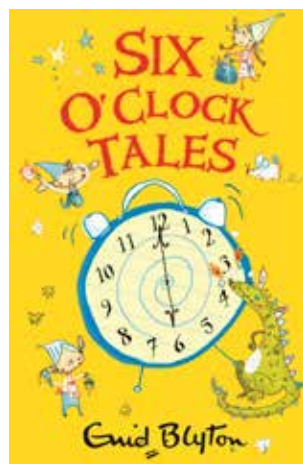
Follow Edward the very brave pink teddy bear as he rescues his owner, Elsie, from a dark wood. Meet a naughty toy clown who gets a nasty fright when he cooks some sweets. And feels sorry for poor Binny and Tucker as they get scrubbed in Dame Sooky's magic wash-tub.

#### *Eight O'Clock Tales*

Join Twiddle the gnome on his search for his grumpy runaway donkey Kick-up. Find out what happens when the rocking-horse, teddy and all the other toys come alive. And laugh at Twisty the Brownie as he learns the hard way why it's unwise to pull nasty faces.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- Ideal for bedtime, reading aloud or alone, these magical short stories for 5-8 year-olds will enchant a new generation of children
- First published in 1941, these editions contain the original texts and illustrations



IMPRINT: EBE  
 FORMAT: PB  
 SIZE: 198 x 129 mm  
 EXTENT: 80pp per title  
 WORD COUNT: 2,500 approx. per title  
 AGE: 5+  
 PRICE: £5.99  
 PUB DATE: Published  
 NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 12  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 RIGHTS SOLD: Albanian, Castilian, Catalan, French, Gaelic, German, Hungarian, Norwegian, Portuguese (BR), Portuguese (PT), Turkish, UK (audio), Welsh  
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## THE FAMOUS FIVE COLOUR SHORT STORIES

ENID BLYTON, ILLUSTRATED BY JAMIE LITTLER (BOOKS 1–8) AND BECKA MOOR (BOOKS 9–12)

### KEY NOTE

Ten page-turning short stories about Enid Blyton's best-loved characters, brought to life with vibrant, full-colour illustrations.

### SYNOPSIS

In addition to the full-length *Famous Five* novels, Enid Blyton wrote eight short stories based on the characters, which were first published in magazines and are now available as individual titles. Books 1–8 are illustrated by Jamie Littler.

*The Birthday Adventure* and *Five to the Rescue!* are two newly written *Famous Five* short stories. In the first adventure, the Five head off to a birthday party with a present that's more special than it seems ... In the second, the gang set out to rescue a lamb in trouble. Both stories are illustrated by Becka Moor.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

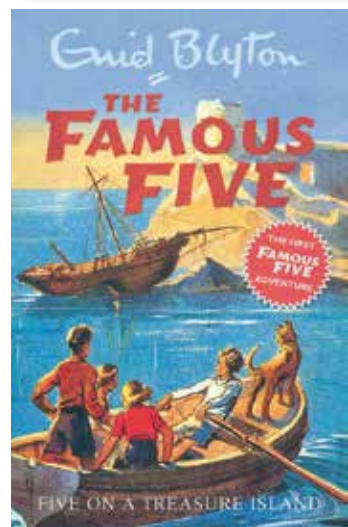
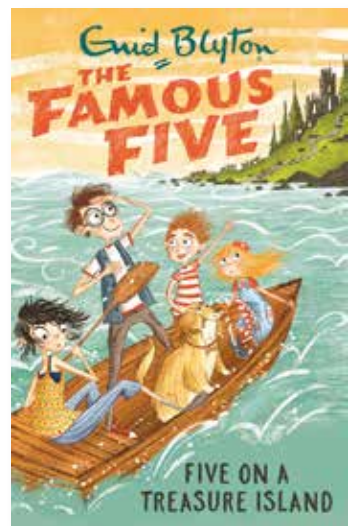
- A brilliant new way for existing fans to enjoy *The Famous Five* – and an innovative, lively introduction to the series for newly confident readers
- An addition to the popular range of *Famous Five* colour short stories, which have combined sales of over 55,000 in the UK
- The text is broken down into short chapters and there are colourful pictures by Jamie Littler and Becka Moor on every spread, making these books the perfect stepping stone from picture books to longer chapter books
- Two more titles coming in 2022!

### ILLUSTRATOR BIOGRAPHY

Jamie Littler has illustrated a number of high-profile children's titles and recently published his debut middle-grade book as an author/illustrator, *Frostheart*.

Becka Moor studied Illustration for Children's Publishing at university, graduating in 2012 and has since worked on a variety of fiction books and series, as well as picture books.





IMPRINT: EBE  
 FORMAT: PB  
 SIZE: 198 x 129 mm  
 EXTENT: 208pp approx. per title  
 WORD COUNT: 41,500 approx. per title  
 AGE: 9+  
 PRICE: £6.99  
 PUB DATE: Published  
 NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 21  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 RIGHTS SOLD: Castilian, Catalan, Czech, Danish, Finnish, French, Georgian, German, Indonesian, Italian, Latvian, Lithuanian, Nepali, Norwegian, Portuguese (BR), Portuguese (PT), Romanian, Russian, Serbian, Slovak, Slovene, Thai, Turkish, UK (audio), Ukrainian  
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## THE FAMOUS FIVE SERIES

### ENID BLYTON

#### KEY NOTE

Enid Blyton's hugely popular, bestselling adventure series about friendship, heroism and the great outdoors! All titles available in two stunning cover looks.

#### SYNOPSIS

Meet siblings Julian, Dick and Anne, their cousin George and her dog Timmy. Together, they are the Famous Five. They like nothing better than to spend their holidays outside hiking, cycling, camping, having picnics and exploring by themselves. Wherever they go, they stumble on adventure, stopping thieves, smugglers or kidnappers, solving plots or searching for buried treasure. The courage and determination of the Famous Five always wins the day.

Enid Blyton's bestselling series is available in two beautiful editions. Laura Ellen Anderson's lively contemporary covers will delight young readers, while the classic livery, featuring Eileen Soper's iconic original cover art, has been refreshed. With their perennial themes of friendship, courage and adventure, *The Famous Five* stories are the perfect antidote to the pressures faced by children today.

#### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- *The Famous Five* is Blyton's most popular series, accounting for half of all Blyton sales in the UK
- Books in the classic livery feature Eileen Soper's charming black-and-white illustrations throughout
- Fantastic new cover art by Laura Ellen Anderson will draw young readers into these timeless classics



IMPRINT: EBE  
 FORMAT: PB  
 SIZE: 198 x 129 mm  
 EXTENT: 80pp per title  
 WORD COUNT: 2,500 approx. per title  
 AGE: 6+  
 PRICE: £5.99  
 PUB DATE: Published  
 NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 6  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 RIGHTS SOLD: Albanian, Gaelic, Greek, Norwegian, Portuguese (PT), UK (audio), Welsh  
 LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV: Enid Blyton Entertainment/Hachette Children's Group

## THE SECRET SEVEN COLOUR SHORT STORIES

### ENID BLYTON, ILLUSTRATED BY TONY ROSS

#### KEY NOTE

Introducing younger readers to the Secret Seven with six short stories, illustrated in colour by Tony Ross!

#### SYNOPSIS

The Secret Seven are Peter, his sister Janet, and their friends Jack, Colin, George, Pam and Barbara. There's also Scamper, Peter and Janet's golden spaniel – a great friend to the Seven. Together they solve mysteries in their local community.

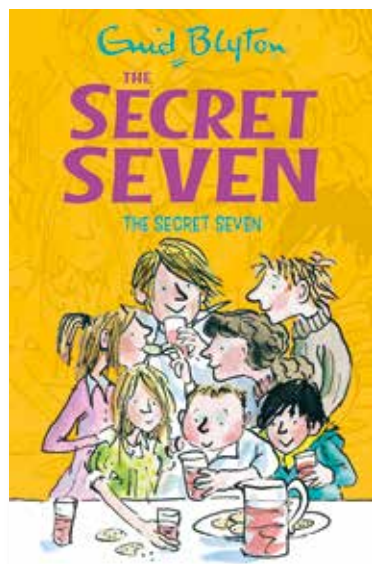
These stories were originally published in magazines and annuals in the 1940s and 1950s and are now available as individual books. With playful illustrations by Tony Ross, they are gorgeously collectible and perfect for shared reading.

#### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- Ideal for newly confident readers or for reading aloud
- Stunning, full-colour illustrations perfectly complement these shorter formats, targeted at children of 6 and up
- Enid Blyton has global sales of over 500 million books, making her one of the bestselling children's authors ever







IMPRINT: Hodder Children's Books  
 FORMAT: PB  
 SIZE: 198 x 129 mm  
 EXTENT: 144pp approx. per title  
 WORD COUNT: 20,000 approx. per title  
 AGE: 7+  
 PRICE: £6.99  
 PUB DATE: Published  
 NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 15  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 RIGHTS SOLD: Castilian, Catalan, Danish (audio), French, Georgian, German, Greek, Hungarian, Portuguese (PT), Russian, Slovene, Turkish, UK (audio)  
 LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV: Enid Blyton Entertainment/Hachette Children's Group

## THE SECRET SEVEN SERIES

ENID BLYTON,  
ILLUSTRATED BY TONY ROSS

### KEY NOTE

Solve the mystery with the Secret Seven! These timeless stories are perfect for young fans of mystery, adventure or detective series. Now with stunning refreshed covers by Tony Ross.

### SYNOPSIS

The Secret Seven are Peter and his sister Janet, and their friends Jack, Barbara, Pam, Colin and George. There's also Scamper, Peter and Janet's golden spaniel: not an official member of the Seven, but a loyal friend to them. Together they solve any mystery, any time. Admission to the Seven's secret meetings is by password only and badges must be worn at all times. Peter, as head of the society, makes jolly sure that everyone complies with the rules!

While munching rock buns and guzzling homemade lemonade, the Seven puzzle over peculiar goings-on in their local community, and resolve to put things right. The thrilling *Secret Seven* books have inspired generations of children to form secret clubs of their own.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- *The Secret Seven* books are the perfect entry point to Enid Blyton's world of mystery and adventures for readers aged 7+
- Featuring playful covers and inside illustrations by Tony Ross, best known for illustrating *Horrid Henry* and books by David Walliams



IMPRINT: EBE  
 FORMAT: PB  
 SIZE: 198 x 129 mm  
 EXTENT: 192pp per title  
 WORD COUNT: 23,000 approx. per title  
 AGE: 7+  
 PRICE: £6.99  
 PUB DATE: Published  
 NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 2  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 RIGHTS SOLD: UK (audio)  
 LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV: Enid Blyton Entertainment/Hachette Children's Group

## THE SECRET SEVEN: MYSTERY OF THE THEATRE GHOST/ MYSTERY OF THE SKULL

PAMELA BUTCHART,  
ILLUSTRATED BY TONY ROSS

### KEY NOTE

Two new action-packed *Secret Seven* adventures by prize-winning author Pamela Butchart, brilliantly illustrated by Tony Ross.

### SYNOPSIS

#### *Mystery of the Theatre Ghost*

The Secret Seven are excited to be in a local play, but things go seriously wrong. Could someone be trying to sabotage it? The cast and crew are adamant that a theatre ghost must be causing the mysterious accidents but the Seven aren't convinced. It's up to the gang to find out who is really behind the mischief – and why!

#### *Mystery of the Skull*

When Peter finds a skull hidden in his bedroom, it's time for an urgent meeting of the Secret Seven. They investigate this new mystery and soon the trail leads them to a local hotel. Why are all the customers complaining? And why is a huge hole being dug in the grounds? Set in the same world and time as the originals, these new books satisfyingly extend the series for fans old and new.

Both are brought to life by Tony Ross's brilliant illustrations throughout. Join the Secret Seven for even more mystery, excitement, friendship and FUN!

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

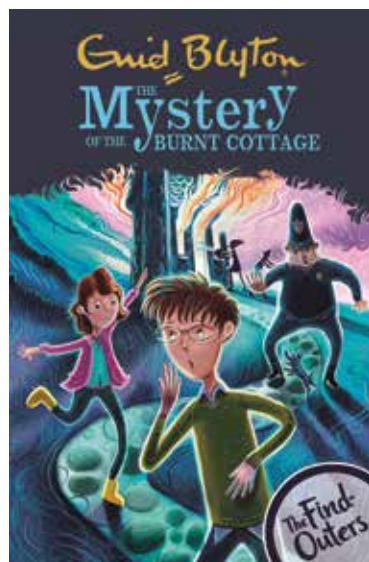
- Pamela Butchart's hugely popular *Baby Aliens* series has sold over 200,000 copies in the UK
- *The Secret Seven* is the definitive children's mystery series that has captured the imagination of generations of readers

### AUTHOR/ILLUSTRATOR BIOGRAPHY

Pamela Butchart has won the Blue Peter Best Book Award and the Children's Book Award, and is one of the fastest growing children's fiction authors in the UK (Nielsen Bookscan).

Tony Ross is one of Britain's best known illustrators with hundreds of picture books to his name, including the bestselling *Little Princess* stories which he both wrote and illustrated.





IMPRINT: EBE  
 FORMAT: PB  
 SIZE: 198 x 129 mm  
 EXTENT: 208pp approx. per title  
 WORD COUNT: 38,000 approx. per title  
 AGE: 8+  
 PRICE: £6.99  
 PUB DATE: Published  
 NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 15  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 RIGHTS SOLD: Catalan, Castilian, Danish (audio), French, German (audio), Greek, Portuguese (PT), Russian, Sinhalese, UK (audio)  
 LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV: Enid Blyton Entertainment/Hachette Children's Group

## THE MYSTERY SERIES

### ENID BLYTON

#### KEY NOTE

Meet the Find-Outers – always on the case! A smart and funny mystery series about a group of child detectives – the perfect follow-on from *The Secret Seven*.

#### SYNOPSIS

Fatty, Larry, Daisy, Pip and Bets are the Find-Outers. With help from Buster the dog, the children sniff out a never-ending array of intriguing cases in their village. Local policeman Mr Goon may try to stop them, but the Find-Outers won't be put off the scent. They're always determined to solve the latest mystery before Mr Goon does – and it won't surprise readers when these enterprising young detectives do just that!

#### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- This 15-book mystery series is the perfect stepping-stone from the shorter *Secret Seven* mysteries to the longer *Famous Five* adventure stories
- Enid Blyton has global sales of over 500 million books, making her one of the bestselling children's authors ever
- With capable child characters using logic to solve crimes, *The Find-Outers* bears the hallmarks of Blyton's hit series: *The Famous Five* and *The Secret Seven*



IMPRINT: EBE  
 FORMAT: PB  
 SIZE: 198 x 129 mm  
 EXTENT: 224pp  
 WORD COUNT: 40,000  
 AGE: 8+  
 PRICE: £6.99  
 PUB DATE: Published  
 RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World  
 RIGHTS SOLD: French, Russian, UK (audio)  
 LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV: Enid Blyton Entertainment/Hachette Children's Group

## THE SECRET ISLAND

### ENID BLYTON

#### KEY NOTE

An exciting adventure novel about four runaway children who escape to a mysterious, deserted island, where a thrilling escapade is about to begin ...

#### SYNOPSIS

Siblings Peggy, Mike and Nora live with their unkind aunt and uncle. Jack lives on a farm nearby, and is equally unhappy. When Jack finds a secret, deserted island the four run away to live there. The children make a home on the island, building a house from willow trees, and Jack teaches them how to hunt, fish and farm.

When visitors arrive on the island for a picnic the children are worried they'll be discovered, but their new-found skills keep them safely hidden until a very happy discovery is made.

#### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- Champions children's independence, packed with exciting escapades and imaginative survival detail
- *The Secret Island* was Enid Blyton's first full-length adventure novel
- Bonus material at the end of the book includes nature notes and reproductions of original illustrations







IMPRINT: EBE

FORMAT: HB

SIZE: 245 x 210 mm

EXTENT: 224pp

WORD COUNT: 45,000 approx.

AGE: 6+

PRICE: £19.99

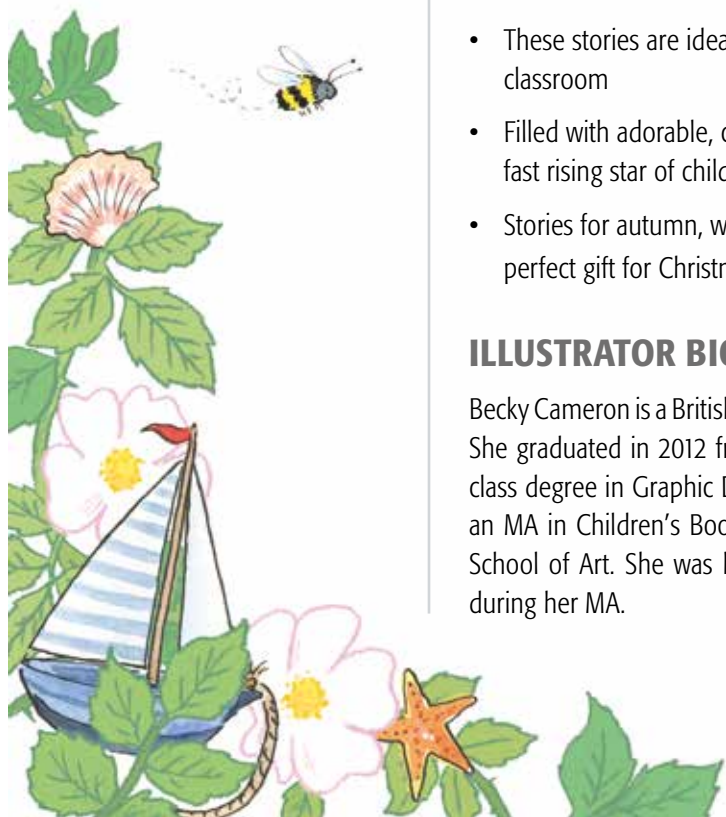
PUB DATE: Published

NUMBER OF TITLES IN SERIES: 1

RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World

RIGHTS SOLD: Castilian, Russian, UK  
(audio)

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## STORIES FOR EVERY SEASON

ENID BLYTON, ILLUSTRATED BY BECKY CAMERON

### KEY NOTE

A beautiful gift book of stories for and about every season of the year. Written by one of the world's best-loved storytellers, with full-colour illustrations throughout.

### SYNOPSIS

Divided into four sections to reflect the seasons, this treasury contains 28 timeless stories from Enid Blyton's archives – plus a bonus extra story for Christmas. Some of these wonderful tales are collected in book form for the very first time. It is gorgeously illustrated by Becky Cameron, acclaimed illustrator of *Treasury of Bedtime Stories* by Enid Blyton.

The stories are focussed on the magic of nature. Elfin tailors make clothes from autumn leaves and a spring lamb remembers a kind little girl. Join a fawn as it shelters from a summer storm, learn how to help birds keep warm in cold weather and share the wonder of the seaside, where you might just meet a fairy in a seashell ...

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- These stories are ideal to read aloud at bedtime or in the classroom
- Filled with adorable, charming illustrations by Becky Cameron, a fast rising star of children's books
- Stories for autumn, winter, spring and summer make this the perfect gift for Christmas, birthdays or new babies

### ILLUSTRATOR BIOGRAPHY

Becky Cameron is a British author and illustrator from sunny Sheffield. She graduated in 2012 from Sheffield Hallam University with a first class degree in Graphic Design and Illustration and then completed an MA in Children's Book Illustration at the prestigious Cambridge School of Art. She was highly commended in the Macmillan Prize during her MA.



IMPRINT: Hodder Children's Books

FORMAT: HB

SIZE: 269 x 214 mm

EXTENT: 368pp

WORD COUNT: 56,000

AGE: 6+

PRICE: £25.00

PUB DATE: Published

RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World

RIGHTS SOLD: Castilian, Russian, UK  
(audio)

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## TREASURY OF BEDTIME STORIES

ENID BLYTON, ILLUSTRATED BY BECKY CAMERON

### KEY NOTE

A stunning treasury of charming bedtime stories, lavishly packaged, and illustrated in full colour throughout. This hardback edition is a special gift to treasure for ever.

### SYNOPSIS

Both a gorgeous gift for fans of Enid Blyton and a striking introduction to her work for new readers, this glorious hardback contains over 300 pages of beautifully illustrated short stories, perfect to read and share at bedtime. Each short story stands alone and takes the reader on a brand-new adventure. The stories originally appeared in magazines and anthologies published between 1920 and 1960.

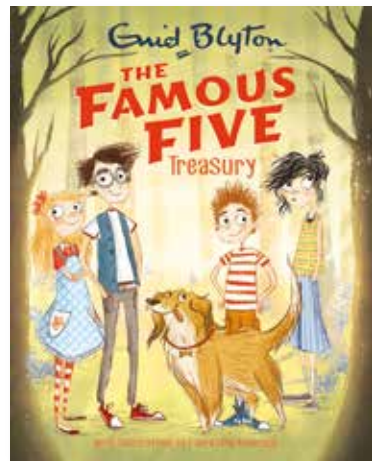
### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- With a striking and standout package, this is an unmissable gift for fans of Enid Blyton
- Charming illustrations by Becky Cameron breathe new life into these classic tales
- In addition to her exciting debut picture book as an author-illustrator, *Wishing for a Dragon*, Becky has illustrated a new *Paddington Bear* book: *Paddington and the Christmas Visitor*
- Ideal for confident readers to enjoy alone, or for reading together
- Children will love to lie in bed and be transported to fantasy lands with magical creatures. The perfect bedtime book!

### ILLUSTRATOR BIOGRAPHY

Becky Cameron is a British author and illustrator from Sheffield. She has a first class degree in Graphic Design and Illustration as well as an MA in Children's Book Illustration from the prestigious Cambridge School of Art. In 2017 Becky was chosen to illustrate a new *Paddington Bear* book: *Paddington and the Christmas Visitor*. Her debut picture book as an author-illustrator, *Wishing for a Dragon*, was published by Hodder in 2018.





IMPRINT: EBE

FORMAT: HB

SIZE: 245 x 210 mm

EXTENT: 224pp

WORD COUNT: 62,000

AGE: 6+

PRICE: £19.99

PUB DATE: Published

RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World

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## THE FAMOUS FIVE TREASURY

ENID BLYTON, ILLUSTRATED BY  
LAURA ELLEN ANDERSON

### KEY NOTE

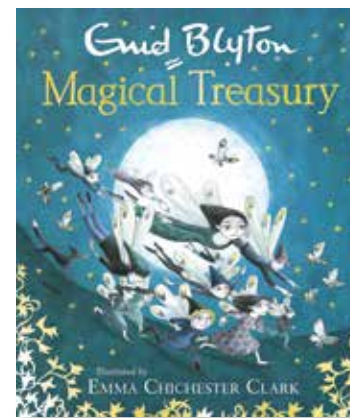
A stunning treasury packed with exciting extracts, short stories and *Famous Five* themed activities. Illustrated in colour by Laura Ellen Anderson, this is a must-have for any fan of the series.

### SYNOPSIS

Fans will rediscover their favourite moments from Blyton's best-loved adventure series with this beautiful anthology featuring extracts, short stories, character profiles and themed activities.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- The perfect gift both for longstanding fans and to introduce new readers to the thrilling adventures of the Famous Five
- Laura Ellen Anderson is the acclaimed illustrator of Terry Pratchett's *Tiffany Aching* books and the *Witch Wars* series



IMPRINT: Hodder Children's Books

FORMAT: HB

SIZE: 245 x 210 mm

EXTENT: 320pp

WORD COUNT: 56,000

AGE: 6+

PRICE: £19.99

PUB DATE: Published

RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World

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## THE MAGICAL TREASURY

ENID BLYTON, ILLUSTRATED BY  
EMMA CHICHESTER CLARK

### KEY NOTE

A beautiful gift book of stories with colour and duotone pictures by a much-loved illustrator.

### SYNOPSIS

Six themed sections of enchanting stories are all beautifully illustrated by the creator of *Plumdog*.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- 20,000 copies sold in the UK
- Emma Chichester Clark is the acclaimed illustrator of the *Blue Kangaroo* and *Plumdog* picture books

### ILLUSTRATOR BIOGRAPHY

Emma Chichester Clark studied at the Royal College of Art under Quentin Blake and went on to become an acclaimed illustrator and writer of picture books. Her most-loved creations include *Blue Kangaroo* and *Plumdog*, based on her own pet.







IMPRINT: Hodder Children's Books

FORMAT: HB

SIZE: 245 x 210 mm

EXTENT: 304pp

WORD COUNT: 55,000

AGE: 6+

PRICE: £19.99

PUB DATE: Published

RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World

LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV:

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## FAVOURITE STORIES TREASURY

ENID BLYTON, ILLUSTRATED BY  
MARK BEECH

### KEY NOTE

An irresistible gift book of fabulous stories by Enid Blyton, chosen and introduced by her famous fans, including Jacqueline Wilson and Michael Morpurgo.

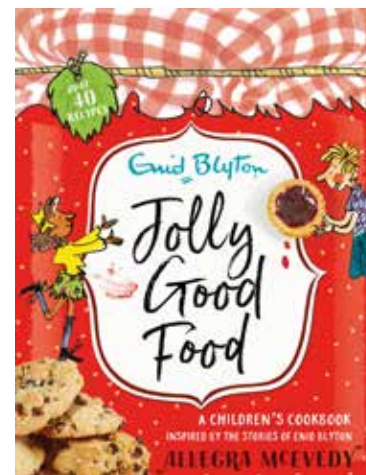
### SYNOPSIS

This fabulous treasury contains 15 excerpts from Enid Blyton's much-loved series including *The Magic Faraway Tree*, *The Famous Five* and *Malory Towers*, among others. Each selection is chosen and introduced by one of the many famous people who count Enid Blyton among their favourite childhood authors. Discover how Jacqueline Wilson, creator of *Tracy Beaker* and *Hetty Feather*, was inspired by Enid Blyton to become a writer; why Holly Smale (*Geek Girl*) fell under the spell of the Enchanted Wood; and how Michael Morpurgo was thrilled by the adventures of the Famous Five.

This exquisite book is illustrated in full colour throughout and is ideal for reading together or alone, so children can share in the magic, adventure and freedom of Enid Blyton's world.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- Contains favourite extracts from Enid Blyton's best-loved series
- Contributors are: Jacqueline Wilson, Michael Morpurgo, Robin Stevens, Andy Griffiths, Danny Baker, Holly Smale, Pamela Butchart, Gemma Cairney, Lucy Mangan, Laura Mvula, Nicola Sturgeon, Levison Wood, Allegra McEvedy, Katie Thistleton and Mel Giedroyc
- Featuring fresh, fun colour illustrations by Mark Beech, this magnificent hardback is the ideal Christmas gift for Blyton fans of all ages



IMPRINT: Hodder Children's Books

FORMAT: PB

SIZE: 246 x 189 mm

EXTENT: 144pp

WORD COUNT: 35,000

AGE: 6+

PRICE: £9.99

PUB DATE: Published

RIGHTS AVAILABLE: World

LICENSING/MERCHANDISING/FILM/TV:

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## JOLLY GOOD FOOD (FAMILY COOKBOOK)

ENID BLYTON, ALLEGRA MCEVEDY,  
ILLUSTRATED BY MARK BEECH

### KEY NOTE

A cookery book containing over forty recipes inspired by the delicious food devoured in Enid Blyton's stories, from mouth-watering google buns to tasty treacle tarts.

### SYNOPSIS

Enjoy picnics with the Famous Five, midnight feasts with the girls of Malory Towers and tea parties with the folk of the Faraway Tree in this practical and accessible cookbook, inspired by Enid Blyton's stories! Packed full of lip-smacking recipes, entertaining artwork and fabulous food photography, *Jolly Good Food* introduces cooking to children in an easy, fun way. Each section is introduced with an extract from a story.

### KEY SALES POINTS AND REVIEWS

- Practical cookery with lashings of Enid Blyton's charm, this is the perfect way for parents and children to share the pleasure of making and eating food
- With over 40 recipes divided into 6 key categories, this is the definitive foodies' guide to Enid Blyton, long awaited by fans
- A truly gorgeous gifting package – with a combination of full-colour photography and hand-drawn artwork throughout
- Recipes by Allegra McEvedy – *Junior Bake Off* judge, top chef and co-founder of healthy fast-food chain LEON

### AUTHOR/ILLUSTRATOR BIOGRAPHY

Mark Beech is an illustrator of children's books whose pen and ink work, using Photoshop too, is noted for its humour and spontaneity. His covers for *The Magic Faraway Tree* series, *The Wishing Chair* series and Enid Blyton's short story collections such as *Summer Holiday Stories* have proven particularly popular.



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FRONT COVER ARTWORK – NAUGHTIEST GIRL BY CLAIRE POWELL  
BACK COVER ARTWORK – PET STORIES BY MARK BEECH