

RUEDUMONDE

In this long street of books, there is a window wide open on the cultures of the world, on the freedom to grow up.

There are trees that speak to us.

There is also the dream

of a united humanity

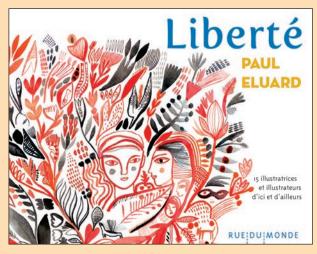
living in harmony

with the living world.

Welcome to our street

Freedom I write your name

15 illustrators inspired by an emblematic poem!



Age 8+ and for everyone, 56 pages, 21.7 x 28 cm

Liberté (Freedom)

Paul Eluard and 15 illustrators

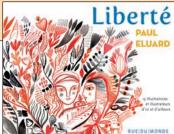
- A special edition of Paul Eluard's famous poem, published clandestinely in 1942 and now a world literature classic.
- All the verses unfold on the pages of this book, illustrated by 15 leading artists.
- Although the poem is historically rooted in the spirit of the Resistance against Nazism, **the yearning for freedom** it encapsulates is universal.
- At the end of the book, **historical details and a rich iconography** put the poem and its author in context.

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Freedom I write your name

Liberté (Freedom)





Judith Gueyfier

Dans quelle époque, quel monde, a vécu Paul Eluard?

Au cours de son enfance, Paul Elsard connaît le passage du XIX au XX'sitcle, un grand boulevers Les changements vont être gigatrusque dans les sciences, l'industrie

Une vingraine d'années plus tand, en 1939, c'est la Seconde Guerre mondiale qui éclare. Face à la burburie narie, Eluand choisira le camp de la

Résistance. Tout au long de son existence, il portera, dans son écrieure et dans sa vie de citoyen, un grand réve de Paix universelle.

Les guépes fleurissent vert Les guépes fleurissent vert L'aube se passe aussur du cou Un cuttier de fenèves Paul Eluand a auni été très proche

de l'icano, de Fernand Léger ou de Magrine, parce qu'il a nuijours aimé les peintres. Il a souvene collaboré avec oux, consme avec Joun Miró qui réalisa 80 hois graves multicolores pour accompagner ses vers dans A moor épocusy... Bund fair enfin purtie de ce groupe emblématique des poètes de la

Résistance. C'est lui qui priface L'Honneur des poètes, arthologie qui les réunit, publiée clandeur en 1943 par les Éditions de Minuis

nts du XX^o siècle

e André Breson, Louis Aragon, rms, Solvador Duli, Man Ray...

Quel chemin entre poétique et politique?

Si Eluard a été le poète de l'amout, de l'audage surréaline, de la Résistance et de la paix, il a été assoi celui d'un engagement politique fort.

En 1917, une grande révolution a eu lieu en Russie. Elle avait l'ambition de tout changer dans la société en donnant le pouvoir aux puysans punvres et aux ouvriers. Cette révolution communists a d'emblée fasciné des millions de personnes dans le monde. En France, de nombreux insellectuels l'ont soutenue, comme le jeune Eluard, qui avait 21 ans à l'époque. Il restera fidèle à cet idéal.

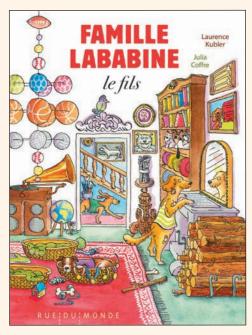
There are 8 pages of documentary information

Laurent Corvaisier



A wacky family!

The first title in the series, in which Paco the puppy tries to find himself!



Age 6+, 64 pages 19 x 25.5 cm

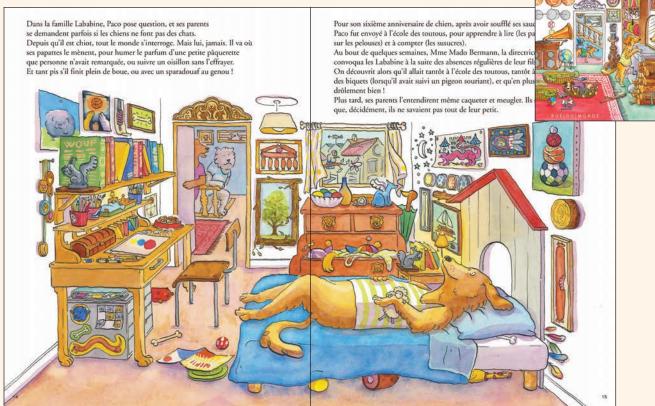
The Lababine Family, the Son

Laurence Kubler and Julia Coffre

- A 64-page story with illustrations galore and numerous plot twists.
- An adventure-packed saga featuring a family of dogs, full of empathy for one another's differences.
- In this first episode, Paco, the youngest pup, turns out to have a lot in common with the neighbourhood cats, and is thrilled to join their rock band!
- This **crazy but caring dog family is portrayed** in a richly detailed graphic style. We love this fun book!

A wacky family!

The Lababine Family, the Son



The contrast between the almost classical imagery and the weird and wonderful situations is a delight.

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Paintings and thoughts

For learning to read the book of the world



Age 8+ and for everyone, 56 pages, 21.7 x 28 cm

If You Look Closely at The World

Jean-Pierre Siméon and Laurent Corvaisier

• Here are **50 simple thoughts** that have come to Jean-Pierre Siméon while he was out walking:

"Silence is sad. No one listens to it anymore".

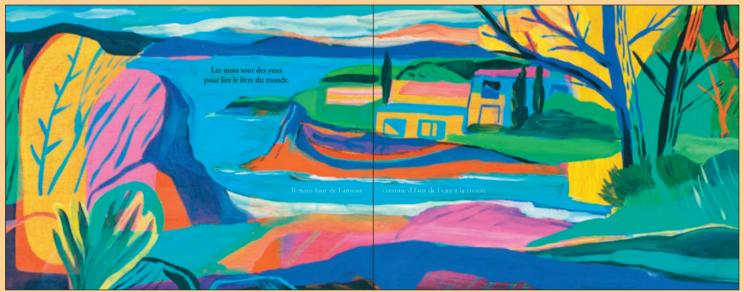
"Call your fear dragonfly or chickadee, and it will be lighter" . . .

- Laurent Corvaisier's vibrant landscapes form the backdrop. We're enchanted by the spectacular scenery and vivid colours.
- A sensational book to celebrate the things that connect us with the planet.

Paintings and thoughts

If You Look Closely at The World





Will this book inspire readers to write or paint?!

A multilingual book

Nursery rhymes from all four corners of the world!



Age 3+, 48 pages, 19 x 19 cm

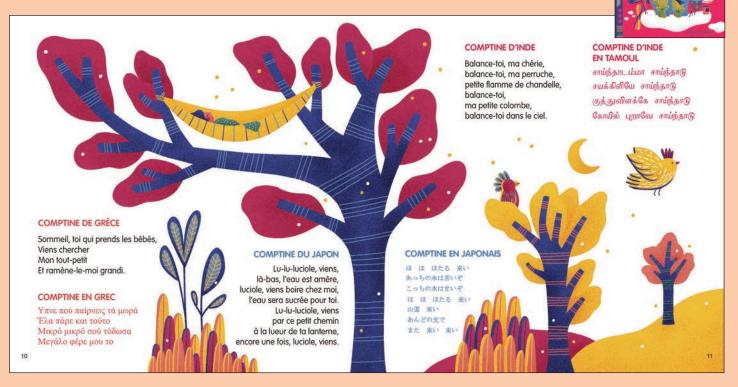
I Love Nursery Rhymes from All Over the World

Albena Ivanovitch-Lair and Marie Poirier

- These traditional nursery rhymes come from Cameroon, Nicaragua, Japan, Sri Lanka, Iceland . . . some 40 countries in all, and they also appear in their original language.
- These are 40 nursery rhymes that children love to hear and say over and over again, because they play with language and rhyme, and make fun of everyday life.

A multilingual book

I Love Nursery Rhymes from All Over the World



It's wonderful to see these rhymes from all over the world!

Les Petits Chaussons (The Little Slippers)

A board book series for toddlers



MOTHER MICHEL HAS LOST HER CAT.

Julia Chausson Who will bring her cat back to her?



BOAT ON THE WATER

Julia Chausson
A fun nursery rhyme
on a rocking boat!



AROUND MY HOUSE

Julia Chausson
A rhyme with facial
expressions that children love!



LET'S GO FOR A WALK IN THE WOODS

Julia Chausson
Helping children to face
their fears

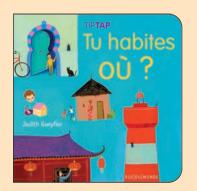
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Les Tip Tap

A board book series for toddlers by Judith Gueyfier



WHERE DO YOU LIVE?



WHICH IS YOU FAVOURITE TREE?



WHAT DO YOU WEAR?



WHERE DO YOU WORK?



WHAT DO YOU LOOK LIKE?



HOW DO YOU TRAVEL?

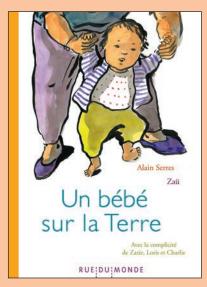
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The story of a birth

Zaü, at his peak, tells life's most beautiful story!



Age 3+, 96 pages, 21 x 29 cm

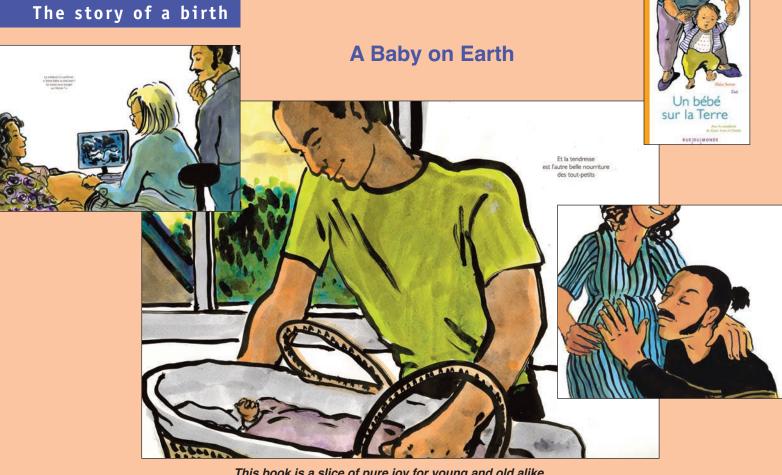
A Baby on Earth

Alain Serres and Zaü

- This is a cartoon account of a love story, pregnancy, childbirth and a baby's first months, with a shout-out to all the babies in the world.
- This baby is **Zaü's first great-granddaughter**, and he has been following her progress along with Zazie and Loris, the young parents, and little Charlie, born recently . . .
- The artist's images tell of the loving looks, the journey towards motherhood, the birth of course –, the baths, the breastfeeding . . . and baby's first steps.

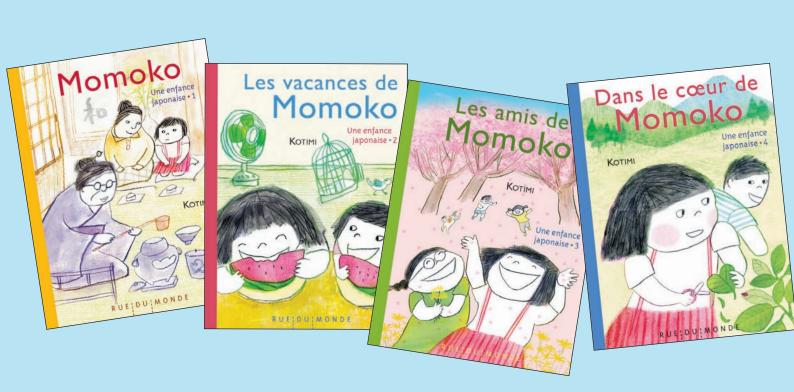
For Charlie, but also for all the children born in Asia or Africa at the same time.

• A delightful slice of life for young and old alike. Welcome to the world, children!

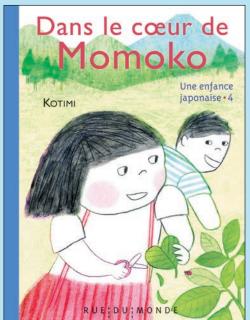


This book is a slice of pure joy for young and old alike.

Momoko launched as a series



The series is growing with Momoko 4!



Age 6+, 112 pages, 17 x 22.5 cm

In Momoko's Heart

A Japanese Childhood .4 Kotimi

- And here are **four new stories** from Kotimi's 1960s Tokyo childhood.
- Four stories about school outings, friendship and the emotional turmoil that can affect even the very young . . . Children will love reading this book No. 4 in the series!





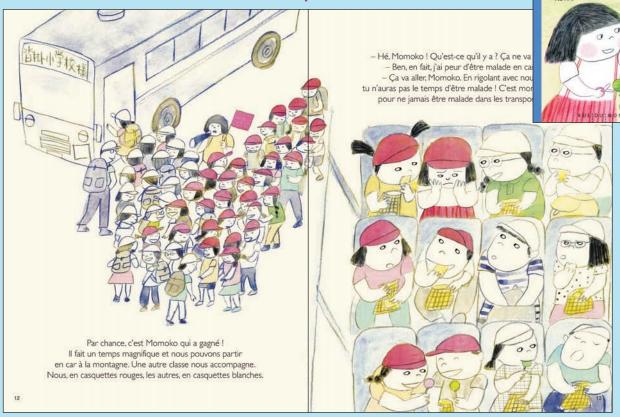
Momoko is back!

In Momoko's Heart A Japanese Childhood .4

Dans le cœur de

Japonaise • 4

Momoko



An opportunity to reflect on ourselves, our lives and our own habits.

The joy of taking things slowly

Hurry, hurry, hurry, slow down!



HURRY HURRY HURRY!

Clotilde Perrin

• This is a story that travels at 1000 miles an hour . . . until everything changes!

• The alarm clock goes off and our little

hero leaps out of bed, gets dressed and brushes his teeth in two shakes of a lamb's tail, forgetting to have his breakfast.

- He races off to meet his friends and the day gets off to a flying start . . . on board an express bus. His journey continues on a speedboat that runs aground, and then it's a frenetic race to try to board an ultrasonic plane!
- But our hero can't run fast enough yet . . . There's nothing for it but turn back.

 And then, plodding home alone, he can finally listen to the cat's purring, feel a drop of rain on his skin and watch the plane fly into the distance!
- This clever little book invites us to appreciate life's simple pleasures, those tiny everyday moments that are so precious, and to have the courage to slow down!



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Some titles by Aurélia Fronty

4 PICTURE BOOKS ON CHILDREN'S RIGHTS ISSUES FOR 5 TO 9 YEAR-OLDS

I Have the Right To Save My Planet

Alain Serres
Aurélia Fronty
I have the right
to be a child who's
curious about



nature's mysteries. I love trees, I care about the animal world and the climate. I also want to dream of a beautiful future for the amazing blue planet where I was born.

Age 5+, 48 pages, 26 x 26 cm Rights sold: Chinese (world), Korean, Spanish, Catalan, Turkish, English, Farsi, German



I Have the Right To Be A Child

Alain Serres
Aurélia Fronty
With simple words
and poetic images,
the principal

rights of the UN

Convention on the Rights of the Child are explained for the youngest readers.

Age 5+, 48 pages, 26 x 26 cm This Rue du monde success story has been translated in 15 countries, including Russia, China, the US, Iran, Turkey and Brazil.

Some titles by Aurélia Fronty

4 PICTURE BOOKS ON CHILDREN'S RIGHTS ISSUES FOR 5 TO 9 YEAR-OLDS

All Children Have The Right To Culture

Alain Serres Aurélia Fronty

This picture book suggests to children that fundamental



rights are fulfilled when we can also sing, dance, paint and visit museums together, while we reflect on who we are.

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I Have the Right to Love Books (and Chocolate)

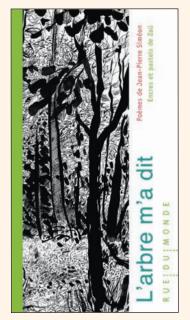
Alain Serres
Aurélia Fronty
Following on from
the right to be a
child, the right to

culture and the right to save the planet, the series continues with the right to enjoy reading, even when you don't know how to read yet . . .

Age 5+, 48 pages, 26 x 26 cm

Trees help us to think...

A wonderful celebration of trees in every shape and form



Age 7+ and for all, 40 pages 14 x 25.5 cm

The Tree Told Me

Jean-Pierre Siméon and Zaü

• A compendium of some 40 short pieces on the theme of our relationship to trees by the famous poet Jean-Pierre Siméon, published here for the first time.

The Tree Told Me / From the sun's rays / I give shade in the summer.

• Texts illustrated by 15 two-colour ink drawings by Zaü; a walk through the woods interspersed with 4 chalk pastel colour spreads.

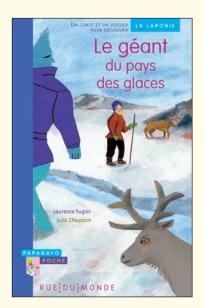
The Tree Told Me I was born by chance / but the earth / the birds and human dreams / needed me.

• An intense, luminous book that will appeal to children but also to adults who love the forest and words . . .



Dream and learn!

Age 6+, 48 pages, 13.5 x 21 cm



The giant in the land of snow and ice

Laurence Fugier and Julia Chausson
A reindeer herder cleverly schemes to save
his daughter from a forced marriage

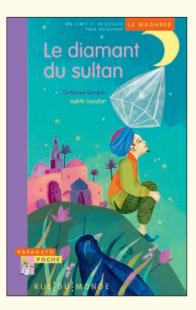
with the hideous giant. A heart-warming nearly as useless victory of brains over brawn!

1 story + 1 documentary to find out about a culture!



The grandmother who saved an entire kingdom

Claire Laurens and Sande Thommen Thanks to a disobedient young man, a lord realises that old men are not nearly as useless as he thought.



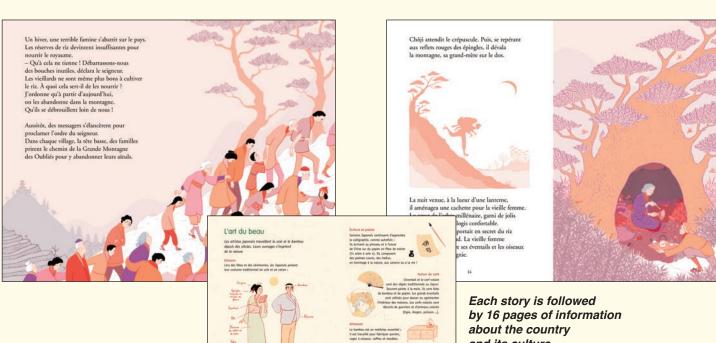
The sultan's diamond

Catherine Gendrin and Judith Gueyfier

A jeweller finds himself in a tricky situation. But sometimes things just happen. Suspense and smiles!

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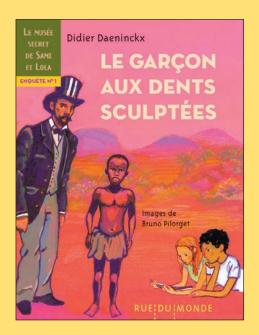
and its culture.

12 titles available

Cert d'assembler des fleurs dans un vase.

Les jandins, de petite taille, sont discoris de lamenes de ple et d'arbres ministrans : des bomais. Certains possider

A new series of historical novels





Age 8+, 64 pages, 14 x 18.5 cm

Didier Daeninckx and Bruno Pilorget

Sami and Lola want to build their own history museum from the objects they find and the investigations they conduct. The first two novels focus on slavery and the D-Day Landings.

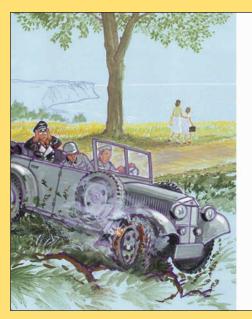
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A history series

A new series of historical novels

- Je crois que je suis sur une piste!

Sous le titre, « Art des Indiens d'Amérique du Nord », une photo représente un chef indien portant une coiffe en plumes multicolores. Nous nous penchons pour lire ensemble le texte de la dernière page : « Hurons, Iroquois, Siotx, Arapahos, Crous, Apaches, ces noms évoquent les premiers habitants de l'Amérique du Nord, Cetxe qu'on



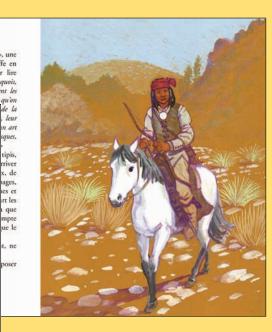
mises en route pour aller combattre les libérateurs. Les résistants ont été ravitaillés par des parachutages d'armes, des grenades, des mitrailletres, des munitions. Et aussi des boîtes entières d'éclate-pneus. Ma mère en mettait au fond d'un sac avec des légumes par-dessus. On allait marcher au bord de la route que sillonnaient les véhicules allemands, comme si on revenait du marché. Je prenais un éclate-pneus tous les cent mètres et je le déposais sur la chaussée... Quand la roue d'un camion militaire roulait dessus, elle enfonçait le petit clou dans la pâte explosive et ça crevait le pneu... Il fallait qu'ils démontent les roues, qu'ils changent la chambre à air, le pneu... Avec ces petits trucs de rien du tout, on leur a fait perdre des jours entiers... Tu en fais une drôle de tête, Lola?

- Oui... Vous croyez que c'est prudent, vous êtes sûre qu'il ne va pas exploser, celui-là?
- Non, rassure-toi. Il est trop vieux et en plus, on a enlevé le détonateur.

Juste avant de partir, madame Chartier nous dit qu'elle est contente d'avoir fait notre connaissance grâce à la journée des monstres et qu'elle espère qu'on se reverra. J'en profite aussitôt.

- N'importe comment, il faut qu'on revienne... Dans le cartable, il y avait aussi un cahier de poésies... Sami et





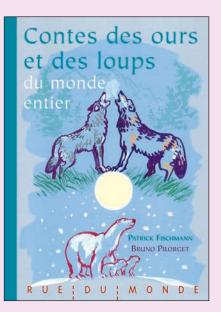
With illustrations by Bruno Pilorget.

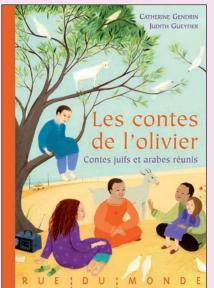
Stories are the best way to learn!

144 pages of illustrated tales from around the world!

Tales of Bears and Wolves From Around the World

Patrick Fischmann and Bruno Pilorget 19 tales celebrating these emblematic animals, with stories from Mongolia, Alaska, Lapland, Japan and France.





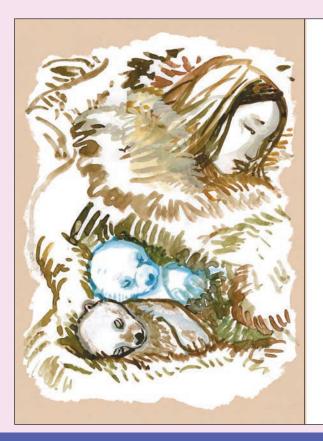
The Olive Tree Tales

Jewish and Arab tales in one volume Catherine Gendrin and Judith Gueyfier
Here are 18 tales from Jewish and Arab communities, so used to turning away from one another.
The stories invite us to explore these two traditions.

Age 7+, 144 pages, 18 x 25 cm

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UNE SEULE FAMILLE

Un conte du Canada

Sur la Grande Terre de l'Alaska, à la dernière frontière, on dit que les ours et les humains sont une seule et même famille. Il aura fallu que les uns pardonnent pour que les autres comprennent. Deux grands ours, Nanook le brun et Nanook le blanc sont à l'origine de la proclamation de cette parenté.

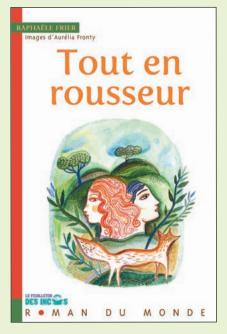
Chez les Inuits, quand un enfant vient au monde, la nouvelle se propage d'igloo en igloo et de traîneau à traîneau. Alors, pensez, quand ce sont deux forts jumeaux, on lance des cris de joie et de bénédiction. Leur mère s'appelait Atitak et leur père Anakattak. Eux qui n'avaient pas encore d'enfant venaient d'un coup d'accueillir deux garçons. Mais si le père marchait désormais fièrement dans le village, Atitak restait chez elle cachée sous les fourrures épaisses, anéantie. Depuis qu'Anakattak avait éclairé les nourrissons avec sa lampe à huile, elle vivait leur naissance comme un outrage. Ils étaient recouverts de poils de la tête aux pieds et scrutaient partout de leurs petits yeux éclatants. Comme la mère restait alitée et affligée, Anakattak s'occupait de ses fils et tentait de consoler sa femme.

 Regarde comme ils sont forts et vifs. Nous appellerons celui qui a des poils blancs Nanook le blanc et l'autre, le plus foncé : Nanook le brun!

Le père avait fait selon la coutume qui voulait qu'on ne laisse pas un enfant sans nom afin que les esprits mauvais ne s'emparent pas d'eux. Alors, il les tendit vers le soleil en prononçant le leur, tressa avec amour à chacun un bracelet en lanière de peau de Touching tales and beautiful illustrations...

An eventful start to the new school year

An emotional start to the new term for Coline, Alex and a fox that brings them together.



Age 8+, 112 pages 14 x 21.5 cm

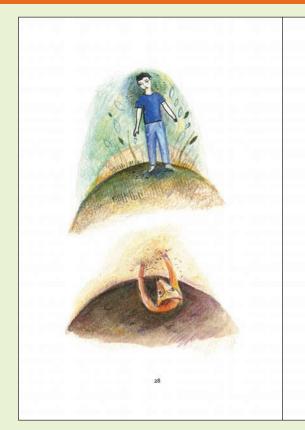
Tout en rousseur (Redhead)

Raphaële Frier and Aurélia Fronty

- A beautiful novel by Raphaële Frier with luminous images by Aurélia Fronty.
- At the start of the new school year, we follow a boy and a girl as they each make the same discovery: a fox. The two schoolchildren bond over their fascination for the animal.
- Alex is the local boy and Coline, the pretty redhead, who has been sent to live with her grandmother in the countryside because her mother is unwell.
- It's rural life in the raw, with the manure pit, the dangers, the vipers and the hunting and shooting, but it's kindness that prevails, bringing together two caring children who are anxious to protect a vulnerable fox.

An eventful start to the new school year

Tout en rousseur (Redhead)



s'époumoner dans la bouse des vaches de Maurice. Un renard pris au piège dans la fosse, à deux doigts de se noyer dans le caca des vaches. Sa tête apeurée dépassait encore, mais plus pour très longtemps, car plus il se débattait, plus il s'enfonçait. Et moi, je ne réagissais pas vraiment. Je me contentais de fixer la tache blanche qu'il avait entre les deux oreilles. Sûrement que j'étais choqué. Je me souviens surtout que je ne pouvais m'empêcher de penser que j'avais en face de moi l'affreuse bête sanguinaire qui avait avalé ma pauvre poulette.

« Ah! te voilà..., j'ai songé. T'étais plus à ton aise dans mon poulailler, hein? »

Et sans précipitation, un peu comme un zombie, j'ai rebroussé chemin. Tout en rousseur

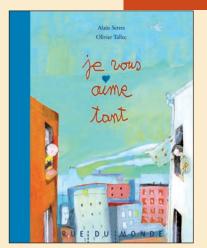
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The strength of this collection lies in its brief texts and vivid illustrations, which will enchant all those who loved picture books when they were younger.

Four highlights from the Rue du monde catalogue

SPECIAL EDITION 100,000 copies worldwide

SHY FEELINGS



I Love You So Much

Alain Serres and Olivier Tallec

An extraordinary love story, where passion is patience. Age 5+, 68 pages, 18.5 x 23 cm Rights sold: Simplified Chinese



This Is a Poem That Cures Fish

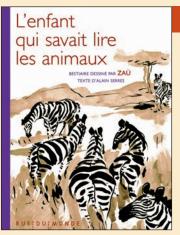
Jean-Pierre Siméon and Olivier Tallec

- Following this book's success, here is a special edition featuring an interview between the poet, Jean-Pierre Siméon, and his young hero.
- Arthur is worried: Léon, his fish, is going to die of boredom. His mother has a solution: "Recite him a poem!" But how do you know what a poem is? Arthur asks the baker, the bicycle repairman, old Mahmoud. . . but each one has only a vague answer: "It's when you love . . . " "It's when you hear the stones' heartheat . . . "
- But stringing all these answers together ends up forming a poem! And the fish comes back to life. That is the miracle of poetry!

Age 5+ and for everyone 56 pages, 23 x 23 cm

Rights sold: Italian, Spanish (world), English (world). Simplified Chinese, Korean, Portuguese (world), Greek, Croatian, Romanian, Hebrew, Hindi





THE LIVING WORLD

The Child Who Could Read Animals

Alain Serres and Zaü

A tribute to the animal world, at the very heart of what makes us human.

Age 7+, 112 pages, 25.7 x 33.8 cm



SECRETS OF THE BOOK WORLD

To Make a Book

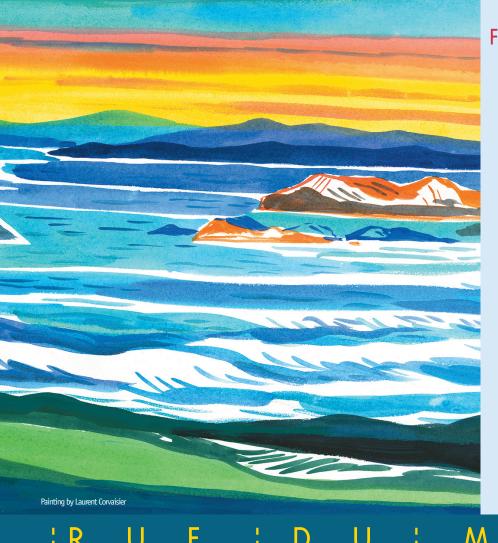
Alain Serres and Solenn Larnicol

Here's a very simple book to show how books are made, and how to make one!

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