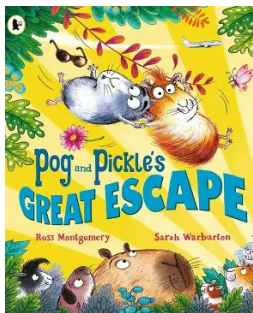


SUMMER READING

Book recommendations for the summer

Picture books

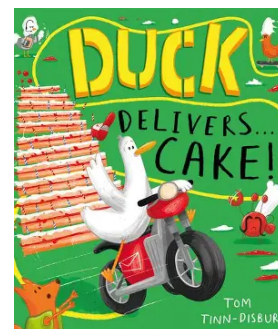


Meet Pog and Pickle, a guinea pig couple who are never apart. Pickle loves life in their cosy hutch, but Pog dreams of exploring the world. Late one night, Pog seizes her chance to sneak into the family's luggage for a holiday to Peru ... leaving Pickle all alone! It's time for Pickle to make an inventive escape plan of his own as he musters all his courage to embark on a hilariously chaotic and daring journey to reunite with his love.

Join the adventure with this laugh-out-loud story about perseverance, delivery chaos and . . . cake! The second title in the hilarious Duck Delivers series.

Duck loves his life scooting around as a Delivery Duck for Feather Force. Though he may get into a few flaps here and there, his deliveries are somehow always on time. But when he's tasked with delivering a very tall, very large and very special cake to a party all the way across town, Duck realises he'll need to trade his scooter in for something with a bit more power to get there by sunset.

Can this plucky Duck make it in time? Or will chaos be the only thing Duck delivers today?



This reassuring and funny book is the perfect springboard for talking to children about asking for help - because we're all good at different things, and giving and receiving help can be one of life's greatest joys.

Hanna LOVES playing sports. But she finds maths a real puzzle! Nothing she tries works. . . until she finds the courage to ask for a little bit of help. Soon, Help arrives - and nothing will ever be the same again!

Meet Waffles and Julius: a new grumpy/sunshine duo and the stars of this brilliantly funny, brand-new picture book. Focused on friendship and respecting each other's differences, No Hugs Please comes from the brilliant Ed Vere, the bestselling creator of Max the Brave and How to Be a Lion.

Waffles loves hugs. Julius does not. Waffles would very much like to hug his friend Julius. Julius, however, prefers other things: most notably, cat-naps. But definitely not hugs. Will Waffles be able to wait until Julius is ready. It won't be so hard...will it?

