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SERIES

CATALOG 2026

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BOOKS

★ 4.4/5
879 Amazon ratings

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LANGUAGES

Children's books for ages 3 to 12: time-travel adventures, mysteries, fantasy, logic puzzles, nonfiction and activity books.



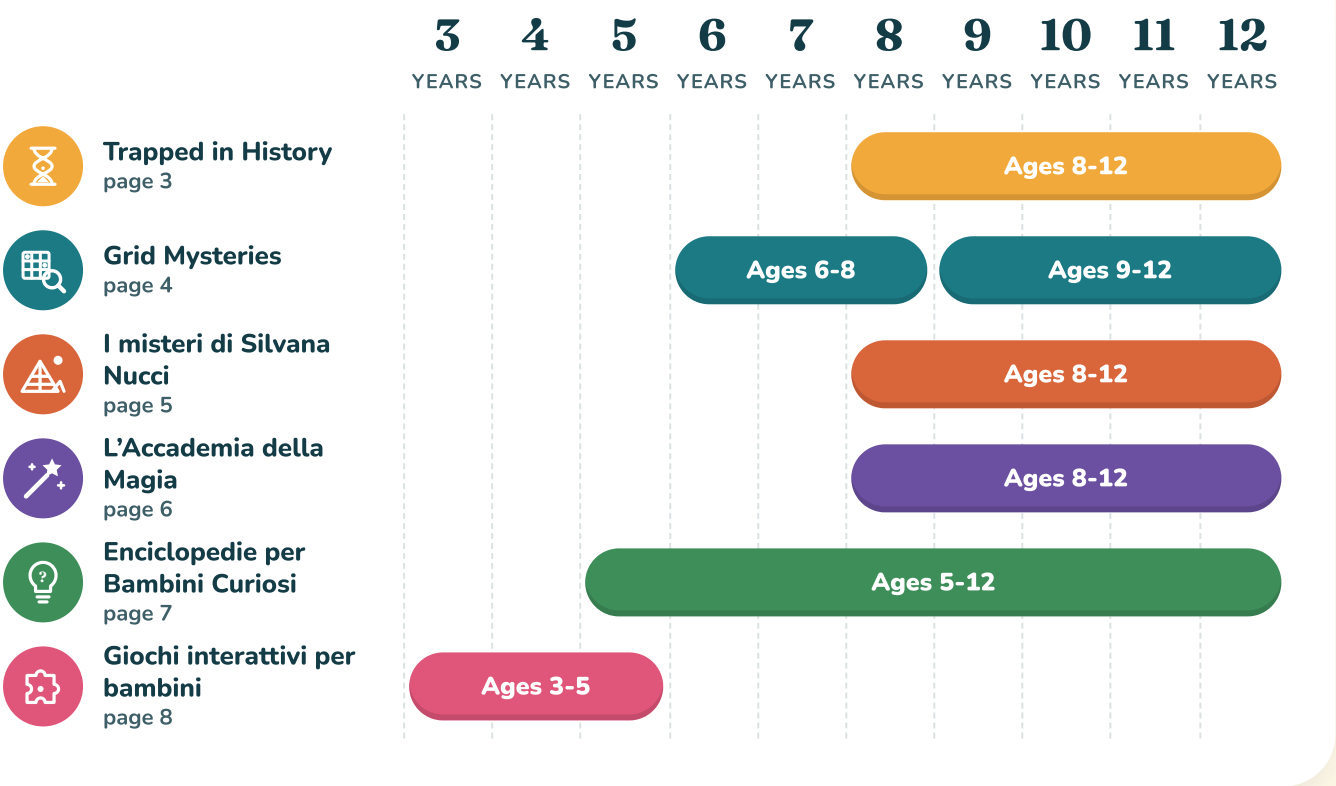
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HOW TO USE

Which book for which age?

Use the age chart: each bar shows the recommended ages for a series and the page where you'll find it.



How to read the pages

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Languages. Each book is available in one or more languages. The title and the Amazon number (ASIN) of each edition are listed.

★ 4.4 (120)

Amazon ratings. The average rating left by readers, with the number of ratings in parentheses (checked on November 11 and 13, 2026).

Inside. Real pages from the books, so you can see the layout before you buy.

Not yet in English

Not yet in English. These series are available in other languages for now. Tell us on our website which ones you're waiting for: the most requested will be translated first.

Who we are Lanterna Books Junior is the children's line of Lanterna Books, a small independent publisher: illustrated novels, logic puzzle books, nonfiction and activity books for ages 3 to 12, in five languages.

TIME TRAVEL · AGES 8-12

Trapped in History

Illustrated adventure novels · by Elizabeth Gusman

Luca and Giulia travel through the ages with a mysterious astrolabe, without ever being allowed to change the past. Illustrated novels that turn history into a great adventure.



Trapped in History

Book 1 · The Six Dials of Time

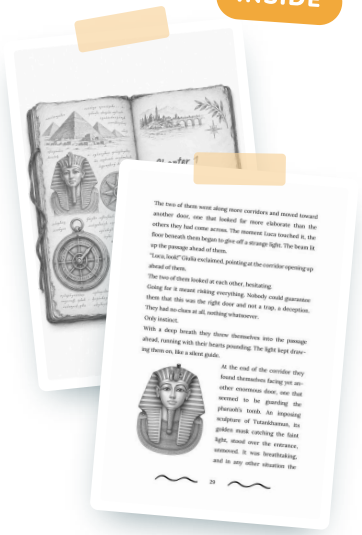
Ages 8-12 **121 pages**

On a school trip to the Egyptian Museum, Luca and Giulia touch an ancient astrolabe and are swept through six ages of history, from ancient Egypt to Victorian London.

✓ Six ages ✓ Illustrations ✓ "What's true in this book"

FR	Piégés dans le temps	B0FC2LTZVK	★ 4.4 (31)
IT	Intrappolati nella storia	B0F8VWF38Y	★ 4.3 (201)
ES	Perdidos en el tiempo	B0FBJPBSCZ	★ 4.6 (104)
DE	Verloren in der Zeit	B0FCRKR82V	★ 4.1 (70)
EN	Trapped in History	B0HN38CCK7	

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Trapped in History

Book 2 · Leonardo da Vinci's Notebook

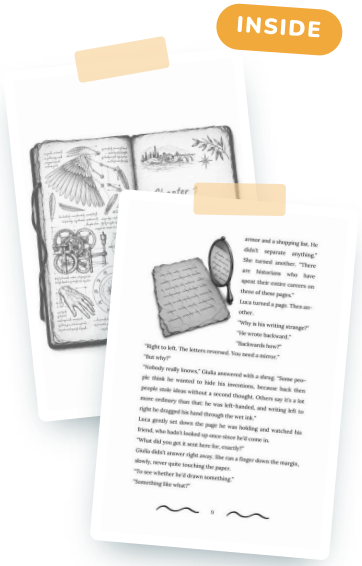
Ages 8-12

In Leonardo da Vinci's notebooks, Luca and Giulia find a message from their friend Philippus, who stayed behind in the Renaissance. Six new ages, from a prehistoric cave to 16th-century Florence.

✓ A real novel ✓ Illustrations ✓ "What's true in this book"

FR	Piégés dans le temps 2 ...	B0HMG1SBVN	★ 5.0 (2)
IT	Intrappolati nella storia ...	B0HKRC9WQB	
ES	Perdidos en el tiempo 2 ...	B0HLBRNLNW	
DE	Verloren in der Zeit 2 – ...	B0HLPVSW16	

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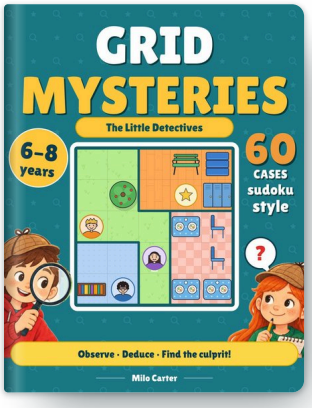


LOGIC CASES · AGES 6-8 · AGES 9-12

Grid Mysteries

Logic puzzle books · by Milo Carter

Something has gone missing. Read the clues, place the suspects in the grid, one per row and per column, and find the culprit. No screen needed.



Grid Mysteries
The Little Detectives

Ages 6-8 · **94 pages**

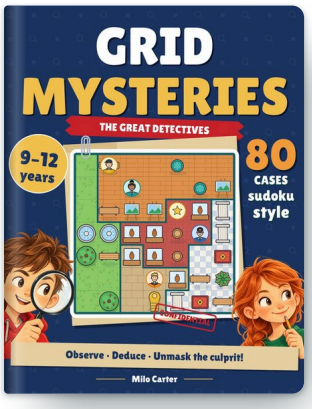
60 cases that get harder bit by bit, from 4×4 to 6×6 grids, a guided practice case, 24 tokens to cut out and every solution explained.

✓ 60 cases that get harder bit by bit · ✓ 3 levels · ✓ A guided case

FR	Mystères en grille – Les ...	B0HLBBZ84G	★ 5.0 (2)
IT	Misteri in griglia – I picc...	B0HN7F2VCK	
ES	Misterios en cuadrícula ...	B0HN227HY6	
DE	Rätsel im Raster – Die k...	B0HNKHWXGC	
EN	Grid Mysteries (6-8)	B0HMXHYP63	

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Grid Mysteries
The Great Detectives

Ages 9-12 · **114 pages**

80 cases, from 6×6 to 8×8 grids, and a mysterious case that builds up file by file, all the way to the big final case.

✓ 80 cases that get harder bit by bit · ✓ From 6×6 to 8×8 grids · ✓ The Shadow mystery

FR	Mystères en grille – Les ...	B0HLBMZ2LK	★ 5.0 (2)
IT	Misteri in griglia – I gran...	B0HMF77CVP	
ES	Misterios en cuadrícula ...	B0HLGC3FD6	★ 5.0 (1)
DE	Rätsel im Raster – Die g...	B0HNNF9JR9	
EN	Grid Mysteries (9-12)	B0HN17TGGJ	

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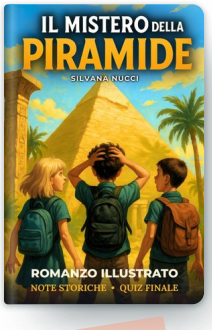
MYSTERIES AND RIDDLES · AGES 8-12

NOT YET IN ENGLISH

I misteri di Silvana Nucci

Illustrated adventure novels · by Silvana Nucci

A pyramid in Egypt, a museum where history wakes up, a magic door, a ring from Atlantis: four illustrated adventures full of mysteries and riddles, each with fact pages and a quiz at the end.



Il mistero della piramide

Ages 8-12

Samir, Giulia and Luca win a trip to Egypt and venture at night into a pyramid full of traps. Riddles, hieroglyphs to decipher, pages on what's true and a final quiz.

- ✓ Three friends, three talents
- ✓ Riddles to solve
- ✓ What's true



IT	Il mistero della piramide	B0FG85MNQW	★ 4.4 (120)
ES	El misterio de la pirámide	B0HM85RGNV	



Il mistero dell'antico museo

Ages 8-12

Iris, Jordan and Ivan, 12, get locked inside the big museum in their town: five rooms, five ages of history, five challenges to pass to get out.

- ✓ Five ages, five challenges
- ✓ Rivals who become friends
- ✓ What's true



IT	Il mistero dell'antico museo	B0FSRJ5KBF	★ 4.5 (2)
ES	El misterio del viejo museo	B0HNPMLRMZ	



Il mistero della porta magica

Ages 8-12

Maisy and Skyler, 12, take up a dare from the class bully: get into the off-limits wing of their school. Behind a hidden door lies Elyniss, a magical world.

- ✓ A magical world
- ✓ Friendship and forgiveness
- ✓ The bestiary



IT	Il mistero della porta magica	B0FG85PDXJ	★ 4.1 (27)
ES	El misterio de la puerta má...	B0HPGXCZJJ	



Il mistero del quinto anello di Atlantide

Ages 8-12

A package from Greece arrives at Irene's grandfather's house: a ring made of a long-lost metal that sings. Next stop: Santorini, a cave under the sea and a city everyone thinks is made up.

- ✓ A challenge for every ring
- ✓ Nobody wins alone
- ✓ What's true



IT	Il mistero del quinto anello...	B0HN88DHRR	
ES	El misterio del quinto anill...	B0HNP592XD	

MAGIC AND FRIENDSHIP · AGES 8-12

NOT YET IN ENGLISH

L'Accademia della Magia

Illustrated fantasy novels · by Charlotte Guard

Kyron, Harvey, Judith and Enora receive a silver coin and find themselves in an academy of magic floating in the air. Friendship, courage and trials to pass.



L'Accademia della Magia

Volume 1

Ages 8-12

Kyron, Harvey, Judith and Enora, 12, each receive a silver coin engraved with their initial. They say a magic phrase together, and there they are, in an academy of magic floating in the air.

✓ A school in the sky · ✓ Four special heroes · ✓ Three trials

IT	L'Accademia della Magi...	B0DY6KTHRW	★ 4.6 (21)
DE	Die Akademie der Magi...	B0F23L5JD5	★ 4.7 (93)

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L'Accademia della Magia

Volume 2 · La battaglia degli stregoni

Ages 8-12

Clover Morgen, a former student who was expelled, comes back to attack the Academy. Seven first-year students, led by Kyron, have two weeks to get ready to defend it.

✓ The direct sequel · ✓ Seven powers, one plan · ✓ A complex opponent

IT	L'Accademia della Magi...	B0DYHLCZ9W	★ 4.7 (16)
DE	Die Akademie der Magi...	B0F1YJVKRS	★ 4.2 (61)

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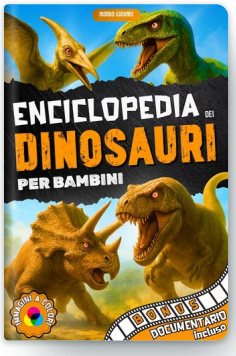
SCIENCE AND DISCOVERY · AGES 5-12

NOT YET IN ENGLISH

Enciclopedie per Bambini Curiosi

Illustrated nonfiction · by Mondo Giovani

Dinosaurs, science, space, the human body, great scientists: full-color encyclopedias for kids who are always asking “why?”



Enciclopedia dei Dinosauri

Ages 5-10

A full-color encyclopedia: 59 entries from the Triassic to the Cretaceous, including 50 dinosaurs, with marine reptiles, pterosaurs, sizes compared with a person and the extinction.

- ✓ 59 entries, 50 dinosaurs
- ✓ Triassic, Jurassic, Cretaceous
- ✓ Sizes compared

IT Enciclopedia dei Dinosauri B0F7F91Q5S ★ 4.8 (49)



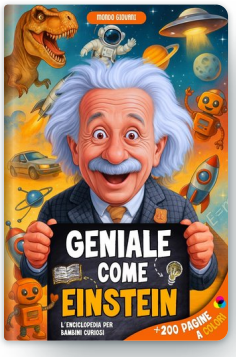
Enciclopedia per Piccoli Geni

Ages 7-10

The planet, dinosaurs, animals, history, science, inventions, space and the human body, with 12 experiments to do at home.

- ✓ Eight chapters
- ✓ 12 experiments
- ✓ One page, one topic

IT Enciclopedia per Piccoli Geni B0FH2JXN3Y ★ 4.6 (37)



Geniale come Einstein

Ages 7-12

Eight chapters, 144 science facts and portraits of eight great scientists (Galileo, Darwin, Mary Anning, Turing…), with Einstein as the guide.

- ✓ Eight scientists
- ✓ 144 fun facts
- ✓ “Wow! Ma è vero?!”

IT Geniale come Einstein B0F9SM6JCW ★ 4.4 (24)

A look inside



FIRST GAMES · AGES 3-4 · AGES 4-5

NOT YET IN ENGLISH

Giochi interattivi per bambini

Activity books · by Mondo Piccoli Giochi

Letter mazes, dot-to-dots, shapes to cut out, simple addition: full-color activity books for learning through play before school.



Giochi interattivi per bambini

Ages 3-4

Ages 3-4

80 full-color pages with Pina la Pinguina: letter-shaped mazes, dot-to-dots, shapes to cut out, counting, simple addition and coloring pages.

- ✓ The alphabet through play
- ✓ First numbers
- ✓ Shapes and colors

IT Giochi interattivi per ba... B0FK2CZNSC ★ 4.7 (9)

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Giochi interattivi per bambini

Ages 4-5

Ages 4-5

72 pages with Leonardo il Gufo: dot-to-dots with a word to trace, mazes, spot-the-difference games, shadows, color-by-number pictures and simple addition.

- ✓ Letters and words
- ✓ Numbers
- ✓ Observation

IT Giochi interattivi per ba... B0FKN3VQVV ★ 4.6 (7)

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BEFORE YOU CLOSE IT

The curious corner

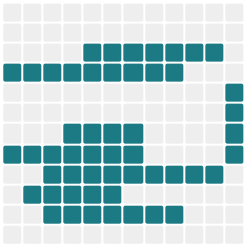
Eight words from our books are hidden in the grid, across, down or diagonally. Can you find them all?

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G	I	T	P	Y	R	A	M	I	D	M	F
N	E	P	J	D	B	T	O	K	E	N	S
O	A	S	T	R	O	L	A	B	E	A	G
G	J	U	I	H	H	I	S	T	O	R	Y
R	O	N	S	E	C	L	U	E	A	R	J
I	E	J	A	M	I	P	A	F	P	L	C
D	S	I	F	N	R	L	P	A	P	N	C
U	S	T	D	E	T	E	C	T	I	V	E
E	L	A	N	T	E	R	N	K	J	B	A
B	C	O	A	K	J	I	K	A	U	K	D
R	M	J	D	I	M	M	K	P	O	G	M

TO FIND

- [ ] LANTERN
- [ ] ASTROLABE
- [ ] DETECTIVE
- [ ] PYRAMID
- [ ] HISTORY
- [ ] CLUE
- [ ] GRID
- [ ] TOKEN

Solution (upside down!)



To go further

Puzzle of the week

A free logic case to play online.

lanternabooks.com/en/puzzles/

Teaching guides

Printable missions for Trapped in History and Grid Mysteries, with answer keys.

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