# Recommendations for crowd-pleasing books



### L'ENQUÊTE SECRÈTE DU TRÉSOR PERDU (FRENCH ONLY)

AUTHOR: Jean-François Sénéchal
PUBLISHING HOUSE: Jules la mouche

This new Enquêteurs de la ruelle (alley investigators) adventure takes place in the countryside and features a mysterious treasure, a strange old man, and a kind grandmother–just the thing for four heroes with vivid imaginations. It's a story about memory and passing on knowledge, riches more precious than all the gold in the world.



## L'HISTOIRE DE LA PETITE BESTIOLE (FRENCH ONLY)

AUTHOR: Caroline Merola
PUBLISHING HOUSE: La courte échelle

A stubborn little creature won't let her creator tell her story the way she wants! Whatever the author suggests, the creature wants the exact opposite. When the cheeky creature befriends a classroom guinea pig, she suddenly wants to have big adventures, even if it means making some mistakes along the way . . .



#### **JOYEUX LURONS (FRENCH ONLY)**

AUTHOR: Annie Groovie
PUBLISHING HOUSE: Groovie éditions

Léon and his friends are making a comeback to comic books! Get ready for a new format, original stories, and tons of fun surprises. Let yourself be transported to the amazing world of your favourite cyclops, where humour meets the absurd and practically anything

happen!



## SUPERGROIN CONTRE L'ÉPOUVANTABLE OUIN! OUIN! (FRENCH ONLY)

AUTHOR: Carole Tremblay
PUBLISHING HOUSE: de la Bagnole

Grelot's got a terrible, horrible problem: his little brother, Boulet, has woken up and is crying his eyes out. Did he fall out of his crib? Was he attacked by a two-nosed monster? Of course not! He must be sick. What can Grelot do? What if Supergroin, the pig with all the answers, came to the rescue?



## **GAYA ET LE PETIT DÉSERT (FRENCH** ONLY)

AUTHOR: Gilles Vigneault
PUBLISHING HOUSE: La montagne secrète

Beautifully illustrated by Stéphanie Jorisch, this story by Gilles Vigneault follows Gaya, a curious little girl who's full of ideas. One morning, Gaya discovers that the well near her grandfather's house has gone dry. She questions the residents of the forest to find out what happened. But all the creatures pass the blame, leaving Gaya stumped. Who's telling the truth?



#### **ROSE LATULIPE (FRENCH ONLY)**

AUTHOR: Martine Latulippe
PUBLISHING HOUSE: Auzou

Rose Latulipe loves to dance. The day before Lent, when dancing will be forbidden for 40 days, Rose decides to throw a ball. She's allowed on one condition: everyone must stop dancing at midnight. Rose agrees—but what happens when a mysterious stranger shows up at the ball five minutes before midnight?



## LES HURONS-WENDATS ET LE TROC (FRENCH ONLY)

AUTEUR: Michel Noël

**PUBLISHING HOUSE:** Dominique et compagnie

The Wendat people are renowned traders. Every fall, they prepare a delicious sagamité stew to welcome visitors from the great forests of the North who come to exchange goods. Learn more about the Indigenous Huron-Wendat in this fascinating tale.



### **CORA TSOUFLIDOU (FRENCH ONLY)**

AUTHOR: Mélanie Hébert
PUBLISHING HOUSE: Bayard Canada Livres

As the founder of the Cora restaurant chain, Cora Tsouflidou is an example of a successful Quebec entrepreneur. Her creativity revolutionized breakfast! This courageous woman was determined to create and grow her own business. You're in for a story full of passion, generosity—and, of course, delicious recipes!

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## LES POISSONS ÉLECTRIQUES (FRENCH ONLY)

AUTHOR: Erik Harvey
PUBLISHING HOUSE: de la Pastèque

Electric fish can be found all over the world. Scientists never get tired of studying them because they're not like other fish! What's so special about them? Why are they called electric? What makes them so fascinating? Dive into this book to find out!



### CHACUN SA FENÊTRE POUR RÊVER (FRENCH ONLY)

AUTHOR: Pierre Labrie

PUBLISHING HOUSE: Soulières éditeur

Nadine's favourite place to read is in her comfy armchair by the window. And she never gets bored, because with every page she turns, the words and pictures transport her to another world. What a wonderful way to discover the poetry hidden in our everyday lives! For Nadine, books are dear friends . . ..



### LE SERPENT DE MER (FRENCH ONLY)

AUTHOR: Alain M. Bergeron PUBLISHING HOUSE: Boréal

It's going to be a long, serpentine road to the island and its hidden treasure thanks to the sea snake hanging around the Petits Pirates' ship. The massive monster has deadly jaws. Which of the Petits Pirates will be offered up as a sacrifice?



### POÉSIES POUR LA VIE (FRENCH ONLY)

AUTHOR: Gilles Tibo
PUBLISHING HOUSE: de l'Isatis

Is poetry a dandelion or a mockingbird? Are you a Monday poet or a Tuesday poet? One thing's for sure: with so many words and so many rhymes, you can write poems about everything from the sun and the moon to the sea and the clouds. Best of all, you can write heartfelt messages to the people you love.



## EXPLOMONDE, NO 4, OCTOBRE 2017 (FRENCH ONLY)

AUTHOR: Collectif
PUBLISHING HOUSE: Publications BLD

We're off to Morocco in this new issue of Explomonde! Get ready to discover its landscapes, architecture, and history. With recipes, crafts, reporting, and comic strips, young readers will become real experts on Moroccan culture!



### LE SAMEDI DES GÉNIES (FRENCH ONLY)

AUTHOR: François Gravel
PUBLISHING HOUSE: FouLire

These robots never get tired of working. For example, they love spending Saturday mornings washing their car-right down to the tires, carburetor, spark plugs, glove box, and dashboard. But when there's no more work to do, they get bored. So, they decide to buy a boat to clean and fix up as a family. What a great summer!



### FLORE ALORS! VOL 2 ET VOL 3 (FRENCH ONLY)

AUTHOR: Collectif
PUBLISHING HOUSE: Les Amis du Jardin botanique de
MTL

If you're a kid who's into plants, this is the magazine for you! Pistache the squirrel helps little readers (and big ones too!) have fun as they make fascinating discoveries about the world of plants. Learn all about flowers, trees, and everything in between with Flore alors!



### NATHAN, ASTRONAUTE (FRENCH ONLY)

AUTHOR: Alain M. Bergeron
PUBLISHING HOUSE: Québec Amérique

A few seconds ago, the meteorite was just a bright speck in the sky. Now, it's as big as a dodgeball. There's no time to lose! Nathan and his co-pilot, William, have an important decision to make if they want to avoid impact: should they go right or left?

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