

The Im Not Scared Book

The perfect companion to the "I'm Not Scared... I'm Prepared " storybook. This guide book offers grief facilitators, educators, counselors, and parents "hands on" activities that explore the concepts taught by the ALICE Training Institute.

This is a book about a child who is afraid of the dark. The book follows the little boy as he tells the reader all about the approaching darkness one evening, revealing his fear as he goes to bed, showing shapes in his bedroom that look like monsters (which change into ordinary things when he switches the light on). When the boy goes on a camping trip, he comes to realize that the dark has its place, and perhaps isn't so terrible after all. After all, it's only when it's truly dark, that you can see the stars. With a playful, clever and beautiful use of laser-cut holes, the book shows shadows getting bigger and taking over the boy's world, the dark bedroom shapes looking like monsters, and then transforming, in the turn of a page, to be just ordinary things in the boy's bedroom, and a breathtaking scene of hundreds of stars in the night sky.

A series that introduces young children to different emotions and aspects of behaviour, through a fictional story appropriate for the age group. Jack is having a sleepover at his house. But the boys hear noises and they get very scared! Jack's big sister Ellie says she gets scared sometimes as well. Perhaps Dad can make them all feel better? This series introduces young children to different aspects of our emotions and behaviour. A fictional story is backed up by suggestions for activities and ideas to talk about, while a wordless storyboard encourages children to tell another story.

From the incomparable host of "Late Night with Seth Meyers" comes a hilarious new picture book. When you're a bear who is easily scared, it's hard to have friends. Fortunately, Bear has one: Rabbit, who is very brave. One day, Rabbit urges Bear to face his fears and embark on an adventure together. However, things don't entirely go as planned, and the two friends learn the true meaning of bravery. Equal parts hilarious and touching, this funny tale of adventure, bravery, and daring rescue will both inspire the adventurous spirit in all of us and make us laugh along the way. With the unfailingly witty voice of one of America's favorite comedians, Seth Meyers's debut picture book is bound for hilarity history.

Poems deal with bullies, closets, growling dogs, dentists, warts, new teachers, diving boards, tests, and monsters under the bed.

Scared of the Dark? It's Really Scared of You is a picture book that playfully unpacks a common childhood fear. You may be afraid of the dark . . . but did you know that the dark is actually afraid of YOU? It's true! The dark spends its days hiding from the light in your underwear drawer. The dark thinks you look scary. And the dark may be difficult to see when the sun goes down, but it also has its fair share of redeeming qualities. • A go-to read for kids who are afraid of nighttime • Personifies darkness to help younger readers shift how they see the night • A humorous and soulful picture book by Peter Vegas and acclaimed

illustrator Benjamin Chaud *Scared of the Dark? It's Really Scared of You* reassures the youngest of readers that the dark is more relatable—and appealing—than ever imagined. Fans of the award-winning illustrator Benjamin Chaud will love adding this one to the collection. • A good pick for parents, grandparents, and caregivers of reluctant readers • Resonates year-round as a go-to gift for birthdays, holidays, and more • Perfect for children ages 3 to 5 years old • Great for teachers and librarians who want to teach there are no monsters, just friends • You'll love this book if you love books like *Orion and the Dark* by Emma Yarlett, *The Dark* by Lemony Snicket, and *The Berenstain Bears* by Stan and Jan Berenstain.

The I'M NOT SCARED Book Little, Brown Books for Young Readers

One relentlessly hot summer, six children explore the scorched wheat-fields that enclose their tiny Italian village. When the gang find a dilapidated farmhouse, nine-year-old Michele Amitrano makes a discovery so momentous he dare not tell a soul. It is a secret that will force Michele to question everything and everyone around him. An unputdownable thriller, *I'm Not Scared* is also a devastatingly authentic portrayal of childhood and the tension when it must join the adult world.

Once upon a time, there was a little old lady who was not afraid of anything! But one autumn night, while walking in the woods, the little old lady heard . . . CLOMP, CLOMP, SHAKE, SHAKE, CLAP, CLAP. And the little old lady who was not afraid of anything had the scare of her life!

"I'm not scared of monsters, They don't frighten me. Even ones with scary eyes; I'd let them dine with me! Meet the bravest cat ever. He's not afraid of dreadful monsters, ugly beasts, or icky creepy-crawlies! He's not a scaredy-cat! But who's that knocking at his door?"--Amazon.com.

Everything Is Beautiful, and I'm Not Afraid perfectly captures the feelings of a young sojourner in America as she explores the nuances in searching for a place to belong. Baopu is a monthly serialized comic on Autostraddle, and this book includes beloved fan favorites plus new, never-before-seen comics. This one-of-a-kind graphic novel explores the poetics of searching for connection, belonging, and identity through the fictional life of a young, queer immigrant. Inspired by the creator's own experiences as a queer, China-born illustrator living in the United States, *Everything Is Beautiful, and I'm Not Afraid* has an undeniable memoir quality to its recollection and thought-provoking accounts of what it's like to navigate the complexities of seeking belonging—mentally and geographically.

Leo thought he knew the dark. He had no idea. For eight year old Leo Sparks moving into his grandmother's house has been a nightmare, and it's about to get worse. Feeling brave after rescuing his sister from Grandma's dreaded basement, Leo decides to sleep alone in the creepy old house without his trusty night light. When nature calls in the middle of the night, Leo will have to summon up every ounce of courage to overcome the monsters hiding under his bed, invisible tripping hazards, and wild animals, as he faces off against his number one fear of all time: The Dark *I'm NOT scared of THE DARK* is the second installment of the early chapter book series featuring Leo Sparks that encourages kids to be brave, be confident and keep moving

forward.

A little squirrel announces that he was once very, very, scared and finds out that he is not alone. Lots of little animals went through scary experiences, but they react in different ways. Turtle hides and gets a tummy ache, monkey clings, dog barks, and elephant doesn't like to talk about it. They need help, and they get help from grown-ups who help them feel safe and learn ways to cope with difficult feelings. This story was written to help children and grown-ups understand how stress can affect children and ways to help them.

Simon Lester Henry Strauss is not in the least afraid of any haunted house, but there is something else that terrifies him.

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Something is moving behind the curtain, but the Tweenies are too scared to peek! They imagine what it might be - a teddy, a spaceman - until Judy persuades them to take a look. What will they see?

Two fuzzy friends go to an amusement park. They try to convince each other that there are much scarier things than the roller coaster. Hairy spiders! Aliens! Fried ants! They soon discover that sometimes being scared isn't as "scary" as they thought. With expressive illustrations and simple text, this giggle-inducing tale about (not) being scared features the endearing characters from the Theodor Seuss Geisel Awardwinner *You Are (Not) Small*.

(Grades K and Up) The teacher at the Ant Hill School wants her students to be prepared - for everything! One day, she teaches her students what to do if a "dangerous someone" is in their school. Unfortunately, in the world we now live in, we must ask ourselves the essential question: What options do I have for survival, if I ever find myself in a violent intruder event? "I'm Not Scared...I'm Prepared!" will enhance the concepts taught by the ALICE Training Institute, and make them applicable to children of all ages in a non-fearful way. By using this book, children can develop a better understanding of what needs to be done if they ever encounter a "dangerous someone."

On May 9, 2018, at the age of 8 years, Jasmine was diagnosed at the Montreal Children's Hospital (Canada) with chronic ITP (Immune Thrombocytopenia Purpura), a blood disorder that results in excessive bruising and bleeding due to a low platelet count. This bleeding disorder destroys the platelets that are needed for blood clotting. Although this blood disorder has placed limitations on Jasmine's quality of life, she continues to take part of activities with caution and a smile on her face! Jasmine loves to sing, draw, dance, and to make others laugh with her silly impressions and expressions. Jasmine has a passion for travel and experiencing different parts of the world, especially Disney in hopes to one day see herself as the famous "Princess Jasmine."

Sometimes I'm scared of dogs. I'm not scared when they give me kisses.

Sometimes I'm scared I will make a mistake. I'm not scared when I know I tried

my best. With his signature blend of playfulness and sensitivity, Todd Parr explores the subject of all things scary and assures readers that all of us are afraid sometimes.

Do It Scared, by popular blogger and podcast host Ruth Soukup, is the essential handbook for any woman who has ever felt like she is sitting on the sidelines of her own life and is finally ready to jump in, dream big, and go after her goals.

I'm Not Scared to Get a Shot By: Maryann Buetti-Sgouros, MD Being scared to get a shot or vaccine is a very common childhood fear. A pediatrician who is a former scaredy-cat herself has created I'm Not Scared to Get a Shot to help kids to overcome it with a smile and make that fear disappear. This book can inspire readers to be brave and at ease with this very common procedure.

The bestselling author of I'm Not Scared "beautifully evokes the lopsided streets of an Italian backwater . . . the shadow life of childhood" (The New Yorker).

Italian literary superstar Niccolò Ammaniti's novel, I'm Not Scared, prompted gushing praise, hit international bestseller lists, and was made into a smash indie film. In I'll Steal You Away, Ammaniti takes his unparalleled empathy for children, his scythe-sharp observations, and his knack for building tension to a whole new level. In a tiny Italian village, a young boy named Pietro is growing up tormented by bullies and ignored by his parents. When an aging playboy, Graziano Biglia, returns to town, a change is in the air: Pietro decides to take on the bullies, his lonely teacher Flora finds romance with the town's prodigal son, and the inept janitor at the school proclaims his love for his favorite prostitute. But the village isn't ready for such change, and when Graziano seduces and forgets Flora, both she and Pietro's tentative hopes seem crushed forever. With great tenderness, Ammaniti shines light on the heart-wrenching failures and quiet redemptions of ordinary people trying to live extraordinary lives. "Deliciously languorous . . . Ammaniti has a Dickensian touch for character study . . . I'll Steal You Away will do just that." —The New York Times Book Review "A snapshot of small-town Italian life that could be, just as easily, a tale of small-town American life . . . Ammaniti weaves almost seamlessly between his characters as they spiral slowly toward their inevitable sad conclusions. A—" —Entertainment Weekly "Chilling and intimate, Ammaniti's work brings life to a deceptively quiet town and its wealth of eclectic and unsettling residents." —Publishers Weekly (starred review)

Harry's drawn a picture of a Monster with hairy scary fur, huge teeth, and long sharp claws. And now it's come to life! Harry and his Dinosaurs decide the best place to hide is Dino World. But when the Monster follows them there, only Harry can save the day!

What s that lurking in the shadows? Who s making that noise? Is it a ghost? A goblin? NO! Lift the flaps, pull the tabs, and shine a light in the night with Tommy. From a pet cat to Mom and Dad, there s nothing scary at all out there. So who s NOT afraid of the dark? Tommy and every child who takes comfort in this reassuring novelty book."

As Puppy is getting ready to choose his Halloween costume, a group of scary ghosts

come to the door, but Puppy soon realizes why he shouldn't be afraid.

A fantastic touch-and-feel board book with a surprise pop-up ending! These creatures aren't scary . . . or are they? A scritch-scratch grasshopper, a shiny beetle and even a slimy snail aren't scary -- touch them to find out. But the pop-up creature on the last page might just make even brave toddlers jump!

Eight year old Leo Sparks is afraid of everything. Carnival rides, the deep end of pools, the color pink and eating lobster have all made his list of over one hundred and thirty eight unique fears. So when his family decides to move across country, to live in his grandmother's creepy old house, Leo's anxiety goes into overdrive. Soon Leo is forced to face his fears and develop the self-confidence required in order to rescue his younger sister when she becomes trapped in the one place he never thought he would be brave enough to go...GRANDMA'S BASEMENT. I'm NOT scared of GRANDMA'S BASEMENT is the first in an early chapter book series featuring Leo Sparks that encourages kids to be brave, be confident and keep moving forward.

From bestselling and beloved author Todd Parr, a new book that reassures kids everywhere that even when things are scary or confusing, there's always something comforting around the corner. Todd Parr brings his trademark bright colors and bold lines to his new book about things that might make kids worry--from loud news, to loud neighbors, or a big day at school. With his signature humor and instantly recognizable style, Todd speaks out to kids who are feeling the weight of their world, offering solutions and comfort, as well as giggles.

FINANCIAL TIMES BEST BOOKS OF 2017 It is four years since the virus came, killing every adult in its path. Not long after that the electricity failed. Food and water started running out. Fires raged uncontrolled across the country. Now Anna cares for her brother alone in a house hidden in the woods, keeping him safe from 'the Outside', scavenging for food amid the packs of wild dogs that roam their ruined, blackened world. Before their mother died, she told them to love each other and never part. She told them that, when they reach adulthood, the sickness will claim them too. But she also told them that someone, somewhere, will have a cure. When the time comes, Anna knows, they must leave their world and find another. By turns luminous and tender, gripping and horrifying, Anna is a haunting parable of love and loneliness; of the stories we tell to sustain us, and the lengths we will go to in order to stay alive.

On his first visit to the amusement park, Albert claims he is not afraid, he simply does not like rides that go up and down, left and right, or around and around, but things change when he and his big sister, Wanda, accidentally ride the roller coaster.

Baby Owl is out for a moonlight stroll through the woods but each animal he bumps into tells him not to be scared! Can Baby Owl convince them that this is what owls are meant to do and more importantly, that he is not scared!

The purpose of this book is to educate young and old minds on how to approach and befriend children with special needs. The author was inspired to write this picture book after witnessing many awkward stares and comments from children while out with her granddaughter, Lakelyn, who was born with CHARGE syndrome. Her hope is this book will encourage readers to acquire empathy and treat a special needs child like any other child. You will see that they are actually more alike than they are different!

This board book explores why Tizzy Tornado is silly.

Oliver Brown doesn't believe in ghosts. Even though he lives in a house on Fear Street that's chock full of them! Robbie should know—he's one of the ghosts. And his new neighbor doesn't

scare easy—even though he's tried everything he can think of to send Oliver screaming. Robbie's got one trick left up his sleeve. And it has to work. If it doesn't, he'll have to give up the ghost business forever.

Saying 'I Love You' in sign language feels good. Having a ladybug land on your hand feels good. Making a new friend feels good. Todd Parr celebrates all the feel-good things that tickle kids and adults alike, from rubbing noses and rubbing a dog's belly, to giving a great big hug, and seeing fireflies outside your window. With Parr's trademark bold, bright colors and silly scenes, children will be inspired to feel good about things they do every day. Targeted to young children first beginning to read, this book will inspire kids to celebrate the range emotions that make them feel good.

Not being able to agree who is small and who is big, two fuzzy animals have their argument settled by a couple of mystery guests.

Young Daniel must confront his fear of dogs when his mom dog sits his aunt's pet.

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