



THE
**HAPPY
BOOK
COMPANY**

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**BOOKS ABOUT CHOOSING HAPPINESS,
NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS**



A VERY HAPPY WELCOME

The Happy Book Company makes books about choosing happiness, no matter what happens.

Author, illustrator and designer Tessa Cobb creates stories from her own lived experience of choosing happiness every day.

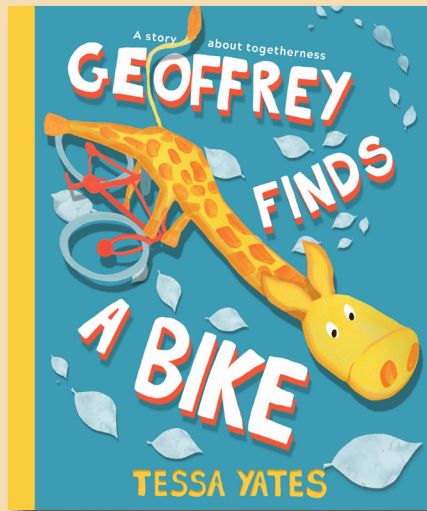
The Happy Book Company believes that everyone can live a happy life, even when things go wrong.

Join us on our happy journey at:

www.thehappybookcompany.com
www.instagram.com/happybooklady



GEOFFREY FINDS A BIKE



Geoffrey loves his big red shiny bicycle, but he wishes he had a friend to free-wheel with. The wind brings him a biking buddy, but can two giraffes ride one bike?



- Runner up in Stratford Salaria book prize 2021
- Themes of togetherness
- A fast-paced adventure for bike-lovers
- Learning to work together
- Promoting sharing
- Fun to read out-loud
- Vibrant primary colour palette
- Handy bag-sized book
- Showing us that we can find happiness, even when things go wrong



"Hey look at me, I found a bike, I found a bike today! Who wants to come and have some fun? Who wants to come and play?"



Published December 2021
 Hardback, 210 x 210mm
 32 pages
 9781916269835
 Written and illustrated by Tessa Yates
 Age 3-6 years
 £12.99



THE GIRL WHO WALKED TO THE MOON



Tessa wants to be the first woman to land on the moon. She sets off on an adventure around our beautiful world to find out how to get there. Tessa learns so much about herself from ancient moon rituals in different cultures. But will she find what she needs to make her moon-dream come true?



- Inspiring girls to dream big dreams
- Showing how success comes from trying and failing and trying again
- Explores moon culture in different parts of the world
- Promotes understanding of people from different places
- A beautiful story about science and indigenous wisdom coming together

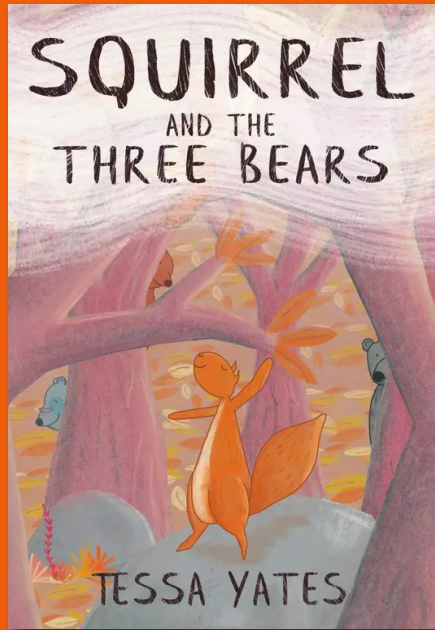


"Say hello to Tessa, who dreams one day soon, to be the first woman to land on the moon."

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 9781916269828
 Written and illustrated
 by Tessa Yates
 Age 3-7 years
 £12.99



SQUIRREL AND THE THREE BEARS



A tale of bravery and the beauty in imperfection. Enjoying autumn seemed like a great plan but when the snow sets in, Squirrel must do whatever it takes to get ready for the cold. Will she dare to ask for help?



- Heart warming tale of an unlikely friendship
- Seeing how you don't have to be big to be brave
- Rhyming text great for reading together
- Themes of togetherness despite difference
- Showing the power in our vulnerability
- Explore the detailed illustrations to follow friendships between other animals



"Little sound can be heard, and a giggly young squirrel dancing under the trees."

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 32 pages
 9781916269804
 Written and illustrated by Tessa Yates
 Age 3-6 years
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AUTHOR, ILLUSTRATOR AND PUBLISHER, TESSA COBB



Tessa Cobb (née Yates), AKA The Happy Book Lady, has written and illustrated 3 picture books about choosing happiness. Tessa founded The Happy Book Company in 2018 so she could share her happy books with the world.

Tessa is all at once a great storyteller, illustrator and philosopher. She lives her life by the values she celebrates in her books and is a constant source of inspiration for those who harbour dreams of creating a deeply happy and fulfilling life for themselves.

Primary teacher - The Channing School, Highgate, London



Tessa loves sharing her stories with young people at schools, literature festivals and all sorts of other book events. She is inspired to empower young people with the tools to create happy lives for themselves.

Tessa will host the Happiness Hub at the Bath Children's Literature Festival 2022.

Tessa has also appeared on BBC radio talking about Happy Books.

Tessa is currently studying for an MA in Children's Book Illustration at the Cambridge School of Art. Explorations in observational drawing and printmaking are bringing new dimensions to her happy books.



She was sponsored by Arts Council England to create her 2 latest books.



The Happy Book Company is truly an inspiration for all! The messages found in the books are profound and relatable no matter your age.

Tanis Clark, Art Instructor, Vancouver, Canada

Tessa is an open-hearted visionary. She has the rare ability to weave words into magical realms that invite us back to our inner child to play.

Mary Twowinds - Founder of and Teacher at The Happy Place Forest School, Arizona, USA

