

Fairies A Spotters Handbook

Like a bird-watching guide—only for monsters **Monsters represent the dark side of humanity—the primal, animal impulses that reside in every single one of us. They have preyed upon our imaginations and our fears since the dawn of civilization. North America is home to a wide array of fearsome beasts, including hairy monsters, flying monsters, lake monsters, and other unexplained phenomena. Monster Spotter's Guide geographically catalogs more than one hundred legendary monsters reported to inhabit the continent. From the mythical Sasquatch of the Pacific Northwest to the vicious Mexican goatsucker known as El Chupacabra, you'll read about the legends and major sightings of the most widely feared creatures reported to exist—plus a few you might have never heard of. Within these pages you'll find detailed pen-and-ink drawings, helpful quick-reference boxes for immediate identification of key monster traits, a glossary of cryptozoology terms, useful appendices, case studies and more. Let this book be your guide, and explore the legends for yourself. Anyone can be a monster spotter—when you start looking, you never know what you might find.**

Enter a captivating world of sparkles and spells in this vibrant illustrated book. Discover house fairies, garden fairies, water fairies. Learn about famous fairies from history and fairy foes. Once you've read this book, you'll qualify as a keeper of fairy secrets and a trusted friend of the fairy folk! Long ago, Titania, queen of the fairies, ruled that the secrets of her kingdom should never be passed to the outside world. However, some children have a sprinkling of stardust in their souls, and the fairy queen has agreed that those special little people might be granted a glimpse of her enchanted realm. Open the pages of this book, and step into a glittering world of fairy magic and mischief. From woodland sprites to garden pixies, and from water nymphs to house elves, here are the fairies that live all around us, if only we would look! Explore the mysterious world of Fairyland, take a peek inside the fairy queen's magnificent castle and learn about famous fairies from Tinker Bell and the Blue Fairy to the wicked fairy in Sleeping Beauty. Find out how shimmering spider silk gowns are all the rage in the world of fairy fashion, and learn about magical tools, from fairy wands to fairy dust.

A children's book about twin fairies who help the Tooth Fairy out by keeping watch in the bathroom to ensure that kids are brushing & flossing their teeth.

Enter the magical world of fairies! The waterfall fairies who ride on dragonflies, the cavern fairies who glow in the dark, and many more! There are four extra big pages bursting with fairies for you to find, and a spotter's guide so you can check that you've found them all!

The Fairyspotters Guide

Scratch Magic

A Spotter's Guide to Countryside Mysteries

Artemis Fowl: Artemis Fowl's Guide to the World of Fairies

Hell's Angels

Reading Planet KS2 - Hairies, Fairies and Scaries - A Guide to Magical Creatures - Level 1: Stars/Lime band

Demons, fairies and fallen angels are everywhere. They lurk at crossroads, crouch behind doors, hide in trees, slip into beds, wait in caves, hover at weddings and childbirths, disguise themselves as friends and relatives-and even pretend to be you! They are powerful; they are protean; they are enchanting. And, to the uninformed, they are often invisible. This illustrated guide—the first of its kind—reveals the remarkable permutations of the demon and fairy species worldwide. Packed with lore about each demon, detailing its origins, the culture surrounding it, and its reputed antics and exploits, this is a fascinating exploration of global mythologies. Perfect for the armchair traveller and the intrepid, seasoned demon-spotter alike, this complete guide of subversive spirits offers a behind-the-scenes look at the devilish mishaps, impish irritations and demonic devastations that can punctuate our lives. Be warned: demon-watching is thrilling, transforming and even addictive. Soon A Field guide to Demons will become absolutely indispensable in every household!

In the context of changing constructs of home and of childhood since the mid-twentieth century, this book examines discourses of home and homeland in Irish children’s fiction from 1990 to 2012, a time of dramatic change in Ireland spanning the rise and fall of the Celtic Tiger and of unprecedented growth in Irish children’s literature. Close readings of selected texts by five award-winning authors are linked to social, intellectual and political changes in the period covered and draw on postcolonial, feminist, cultural and children’s literature theory, highlighting the political and ideological dimensions of home and the value of children’s literature as a lens through which to view culture and society as well as an imaginative space where young people can engage with complex ideas relevant to their lives and the world in which they live. Examining the works of O. R. Melling, Kate Thompson, Eoin Colfer, Siobhán Parkinson and Siobhan Dowd, Ciara Ní Bhroin argues that Irish children’s literature changed at this time from being a vehicle that largely promoted hegemonic ideologies of home in post-independence Ireland to a site of resistance to complacent notions of home in Celtic Tiger Ireland.

" With 16 pages of black-and-white illustrationsFrom the acclaimed author of Wicked Rivercomes Storm Kings, a riveting tale of supercell tornadoes and the quirky, pioneering, weather-obsessed scientists whose discoveries created the science of modern meteorology. hile tornadoes have occasionally been spotted elsewhere, only the central plains of North America have the perfect conditions for their creation. For the early settlers the sight of a funnel cloud was an unearthly event. They called it the Storm King, and their descriptions bordered on the supernatural- it glowed green or red, it whistled or moaned or sang. In Storm Kings, Lee Sandlin explores America's fascination with and unique relationship to tornadoes. From Ben Franklin's early experiments to the great storm war of the nineteenth century to heartland life in the early twentieth century, Sandlin re-creates with vivid descriptions some of the most devastating storms in America's history, including the Tri-state Tornado of 1925 and the Peshtigo fire tornado, whose deadly path of destruction was left encased in glass. rawing on memoirs, letters, eyewitness testimonies, an

A unique collection of traditional stories about faeries, elves and goblins. Faeries, elves, goblins, leprechauns, brownies, spriggans and many other supernatural beings leap vividly off the page in this collection of haunting stories. Included are 25 stories drawing on folklore from the rich narrative heritage of Britain and Ireland. Marvel over ancient spells to summon faeries to your house, tremble at the shapeshifting powers of dangerous faery queens, lose yourself amongst the illusions of Faeryland and learn how to protect family members from the terrors of faery abduction. Interspersed with facts on faery folklore, these tales cover faery morals, elvish misdemeanours, the spells cast by goblins and the sightings of the creatures, as well as their dealings with mortals. With charming illustrations from favourite illustrators throughout, including Arthur Rackham, this book reminds us of the enduring appeal of folklore and mystery for all generations.

English Fairy Tales and Legends

The Faerie Handbook

Storm Kings

Representations of vampires and the Undead from the Enlightenment to the present day

America's First Tornado Chasers

Global and Historical Perspectives

This beautifully illustrated novel is a compendium of Artemis Fowl's knowledge gleaned from The Book of the People and from his encounters with magical creatures and the LEP. Compiling notes from the sacred fairy tome and Artemis's eventual plans to take down the LEP forces that stand in the way of his ultimate goal, Artemis Fowl's Guide to the World of Fairies is a must-have for fans who are itching to dig deeper into the world of Artemis Fowl.

Introduces young readers to many of the different types of fairies in the enchanted forest.

In Crossover Fiction, Sandra L. Beckett explores the global trend of crossover literature and explains how it is transforming literary canons, concepts of readership, the status of authors, the publishing industry, and bookselling practices. This study will have significant relevance across disciplines, as scholars in literary studies, media and cultural studies, visual arts, education, psychology, and sociology examine the increasingly blurred borderlines between adults and young people in contemporary society, notably with regard to their consumption of popular culture.

Fairies are everywhere if you know how to find them! Enter the magical world of fairyland and uncover its mysteries. Learn where fairies make their home, peek inside the fairy queen s castle, and encounter captivating sparkle and spells everywhere. Plus, see how well you can spot the hidden fairies throughout the book. The lavish jacket and beautiful illustrations make this a gift to treasure."

Sierra Hotel : flying Air Force fighters in the decade after Vietnam

The Faeryland Companion

Smile Spotters, a Tooth Fairy Tale

The Ark Of The People

Artemis Fowl: Guide to the World of Fairies

Monster Spotter's Guide to North America

12 classic English fairy tales and their history, from tales of dragons to Robin Hood. Folk tales and legends are an intrinsic part of English national culture. In his book, Rosalind Kerven has revived the best English fairy tales for a new generation. These are stories of giants, dragons, fairies and Arthurian Romance. Together, they form a perfect introduction to the different types of traditional stories and their place in English oral and written heritage. Each tale is linked with a specific place or county in England: 'The Dragon Castle' from Northumberland, 'The Girl Snatched By Fairies' from County Durham, 'The Princess and the Fool' from Kent and 'The Dark Moon' from Lincolnshire. The book also includes notes on each story: the history and where it came from, its development and short summaries of many related or similar stories.

Illustrated novel written by Artemis Fowl, compiling his notes from the copy of The Book of the People. One-part creature compendium cataloging the world’s visions of the magical creatures that exist, and one-part Artemis planning how he’ll take down any and all LEP forces that he’ll encounter.

Continuing the enchanting tale of a clan of miniature creatures called the People and their epic search for a peaceful home ... The Willow Clan are living in harmony with their neighbours, the Guardian Clan who tend to the Great Golden Snake. All too soon, however, their hard-won peace is shattered. Others from afar have heard of a snake made of gold. Hell-bent on plunder, marauding warriors are heading towards the valley. Again the youngsters of the Willow Clan take up the challenge. As they prepare to defend the valley once more, they turn to the wizard Berrybottom and his famous magic spells. But the task will demand more than courage ... The sequence that began with 'The Ark of the People' and 'The Quest For The End Of The Tail'.

The Artemis Fowl Files is comprised of two original stories: "LEPrecon": the story of Fairy Police Captain Holly Short's move from Traffic to Recon following her initiation into the Fairy Police; and "The Seventh Dwarf", featuring Mulch, Butler, and Artemis himself.

A Magical Guide to the Enchanted Realm

The Fairy-Spotter's Handbook

Fairies

Sophie Scott Goes South

Smile Spotters, a Tooth Fairy Tradition (BOY)

An Enchanting Compendium of Literature, Lore, Art, Recipes, and Projects

A selection of tales from Rootabaga Country peopled with such characters as the Potato Face Blind Man, the Blue Wind Boy, and many others.

The Smile Spotters are friendly fairies who watch and report children's brushing habits to the Tooth Fairy each night!

This collection of interconnected essays relates the Undead in literature, art and other media to questions concerning gender, race, genre, technology, consumption and social change. A coherent narrative follows Enlightenment studies of the vampire's origins in folklore and folk panics, the sources of vampire fiction, through Romantic incarnations in Byron and Polidori to Le Fanu's Carmilla. Further essays discuss the Undead in the context of Dracula, fin-de-siècle decadence, Nazi Germany and early cinematic treatments. The rise of the sympathetic vampire is charted from Coppola's film, Bram Stoker's Dracula, to Buffy the Vampire Slayer and Twilight. More recent manifestations in novels, TV, Goth subculture, young adult fiction and cinema are dealt with in discussions of True Blood, The Vampire Diaries and much more. Featuring distinguished contributors, including a prominent novelist, and aimed at interdisciplinary scholars or postgraduate students, it will also appeal to aficionados of creative writing and Undead enthusiasts. www.opengravesopenminds.com

The perfect introduction to the legendary world of dragons, The Dragon Machine uses a clever mix of text and illustrations to describe how George, a young, overlooked boy, becomes aware of dragons hiding all around him. But when it becomes apparent that they don't belong in George's ordinary world, he endeavours to do the best for his new friends and find them the home they deserve. A heart-warming and magical tale from award-winning illustrator, Helen Ward.

The Pop Star Fairies Book 6

A Natural History of Fairies

The Spell to Save the Golden Snake

Harry Potter: Squishy: Bravery and Friendship

Faeries, Elves and Goblins

The Dragon Machine

Nine year-old Sophie Scott embarks on a month-long mission to Antarctica with her father aboard an icebreaker and documents her adventure in the iceberg-strewn seas in a diary she fills with notes about the area's natural wonders. 15,000 first printing.

On trouve en Irlande de nombreux types d'esprits, largement disséminés dans tout le pays. A tout moment, il s'en trouve un ou plusieurs à proximité. Ce qu'ils ont tous en commun, c'est d'être peu disposés à se montrer aux humains. Ce guide pratique des esprits irlandais est un outil essentiel pour les reconnaître et les identifier. Documenté et composé de façon experte, illustré le plus en détail possible, et traitant des habitats, de l'histoire et des meurs, ce livre de poche est une lecture de détente idéale et indispensable à ceux qui s'intéressent au sujet.

Scary incidents at midnight give Biff the dog and his master a frightening time but all turn out to have good explanations.

You have probably never seen a goblin, troll or fairy, but you’ve probably read about their adventures in some of your favourite stories. This book is a guide to the magical creatures that appear in myths, legends, fairytales and other fantasy stories ... Dive in and discover where these characters come from and many interesting facts about them. Hairies, Fairies and Scaries: A Guide to Magical Creatures is part of the Reading Planet range of books for Stars (Lime) to Supernova (Red+) band. Children aged 7-11 will love reading the exciting collection of fiction and non-fiction written by top authors. Inspire them to keep reading through gripping stories and fascinating information books packed with rich language and stunning artwork. Reading Planet books have been carefully levelled to support children in becoming fluent and confident readers. Each book features useful notes and questions to support reading at home and develop comprehension skills. Reading age: 7-8 years

The Old Stories and fairy tales

A Spotter's Handbook

Superstar Fairies #6: Alyssa the Star-Spotter Fairy

Boy Smile Spotter

The Artemis Fowl Files

Field Guide to Irish Fairies

A vibrantly illustrated official guide to everything unicorn-related, from the Magical Unicorn Society. After centuries of mystery, the mythical Magical Unicorn Society has published its official handbook. These learned lovers of unicorns have created a veritable treasure trove of unicorn lore—the facts, the fiction, the where, why and what of these elusive creatures. Discover where unicorns really live around the world, how to find them, and what they eat Learn how to look after them, what powers they have, how to tempt them, train them, and even ride them, and so much more. With breathtaking artwork from Helen Dardik and Harry and Zanna Goldhawk, this special book is the ultimate gift for true believers.

The Superstar Fairies take center stage for a brand-new, magical fairy adventure!Rachel and Kirsty are thrilled when their fairy friends whisk them away to the Fairyland Music Festival! But the festival is one big mess, because Jack Frost has stolen the Superstar Fairies' magic music notes. He's determined to be the biggest superstar in the world . . . and the girls are determined to stop him! It's always exciting to discover a brand-new superstar, and that's just what Alyssa the Star-Spotter Fairy does! But she can't do her job without her magic music note. Can Rachel and Kirsty help her find the magic -- and a new superstar?Find the missing music note in each book and help save the superstar magic!

In this exquisite anthology, Editor in Chief Carolyn Turgeon and the editors of Faerie Magazine welcome you into an enchanted realm rich with myth, mystery, romance, and abundant natural beauty. Organized into four sections—Flora and Fauna, Fashion and Beauty, Arts and Culture, and Home, Food, and Entertaining—this gorgeous volume offers an array of exquisite vintage4 and contemporary fine art and photography, literature, essays, do-it-yourself projects, and recipes that provide hours of reading, viewing, and dreaming leisure, along with a multitude of ideas for modern-day living and entertaining with a distinctive fairy touch.

A reversible volume in which good fairies such as the green man, the wood woman, and the pixies are described on one side, and bad fairies such the gnome, Black Annis, and Morgana le Fay are described on the other

Rootabaga Stories

A Field Guide to Demons, Fairies, Fallen Angels and Other Subversive Spirits

A Strange and Terrible Saga

From Piddocks and Lynchets to Witch 's Broom

Fairy Quest

Ghost's Hour, Spook's Hour

Write in this magical fill-in book about Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry, with an amazing squishy Harry on the cover! When Harry is eleven years old, he's sorted into Gryffindor house, where the brave and bold learn and hone their magic. Throughout the films, Harry proves that he's brave-like when he defeats Lord Voldemort in the quest for the Sorcerer's Stone. And Harry's a good friend, too! Fill in prompts, activities, and more in this fun-filled bravery-themed book. Learn how to draw Godric Gryffindor, the founder of Gryffindor house; write about the bravest thing you've ever done; and discover what you'd pull out of the Sorting Hat if you were in peril. This guided book also includes an adorably squishy Harry on the cover!

Explains how to identify the many species of demons, where to find them, and the traditional ways of appeasing or dispelling them

Kirsty and Rachel are in for a surprise when their fairy friends whisk them off to the Fairyland Music Festival, only for Jack Frost and his goblins to strut onto the stage! The naughty gang have stolen the Pop Star Fairies' magical clef necklaces, and Jack Frost intends to use them to become the biggest star in the world. In this exciting story, Kirsty and Rachel help the fairies retrieve their magical clef, and without it no future stars will be discovered!

Gonzo journalist and literary roustabout Hunter S. Thompson flies with the angels—Hell's Angels, that is—in this short work of nonfiction. “California, Labor Day weekend . . . early, with ocean fog still in the streets, outlaw motorcyclists wearing chains, shades and greasy Levis roll out from damp garages, all-night diners and cast-off one-night pads in Frisco, Hollywood, and the Santa Monica peninsula, north of Big Sur. . . The Menace is loose again.” Thus begins Hunter S. Thompson's vivid account of his experiences with California's most notorious motorcycle gang, the Hell's Angels. In the mid-1960s, Thompson spent almost two years living with the controversial Angels, cycling up and down the coast, reveling in the anarchic spirit of their clan, and, as a result, capturing a singular moment in American history, when the biker lifestyle was first defined, and when such countercultural movements were electrifying and horrifying America. Thompson, the creator of Gonzo journalism, writes with his usual bravado, energy, and brutal honesty, and with a nuanced and incisive eye; as The New Yorker pointed out, “For all its uninhibited wit, this is a thoughtful piece of work.” As illuminating now as when originally published in 1967, Hell's Angels is a gripping portrait, and the best account we have of the truth behind an American legend.

Good Faeries Bad Faeries

Drake's Comprehensive Compendium of Dragonology

Discourses of Home and Homeland in Irish Children's Fiction 1990-2012

The Magical Unicorn Society Official Handbook

Open graves, open minds

Hidden Hogwarts

Unleash your creativity with this Harry Potter scratch art book! Follow prompts to scratch the pages inside and reveal film-inspired Harry Potter art and shiny patterns underneath.

BEST NATURE BOOKS OF 2021 - COUNTRYFILE 'Highly readable ... Apart from his ready knowledge of nature, [John Wright] has a sharp eye, a ready wit and a keen nose for a good story. Superb.' Countryfile Magazine From the bestselling author of THE FORAGER'S CALENDAR - a beautifully illustrated, practical and entertaining guide that illuminates and explains those mysterious details of the countryside you've always wondered about. Discover the mysteries of the countryside in all their pleasure, intrigue and beauty... Ever wondered about the masses of twigs in bare-branched trees that look like abandoned nests? Seen fuzzy red balls on roses? A stranded pond on a hilltop? Or even considered the shaded ways we walk along? One of Britain's best-known naturalists, John Wright here introduces us to the natural (and unnatural) mysteries of the countryside, giving us the tools to identify Witch's Broom, Robin's Pincushion, Dew ponds and Hollow Ways, and also their histories, how they come to be, and where to find them. From the enormous to the truly tiny he illuminates the oddities that pepper our countryside and the pleasure of spotting and understanding them. Beautifully illustrated, practical and entertaining, this is for anyone who has wondered what is that? or simply longs to get outside.

The enchanting tale of a clan of miniature creatures called the People and their epic voyage in search of a new home ... When Humans flood their valley, the gentle Willow Clan abandon their tree home and take to an oak-bough adrift on the raging tide. This is the story of their makeshift Ark, their animal companions, the scout Magpie, brave Sedge the water-vole, the quarrelsome squirrels, anxious badgers, noisy birds and stowaway dormice. But they bargain without the dire plotting of vicious Deadeye, Hemlock and Toadflax of the Nightshade Clan, and when three human children board the Ark, events take an unexpected turn ... The story continues with 'The Quest For The End Of The Tail' and 'The Spell to Save the Golden Snake'.

Where is Fairyland? How can you find it? Why are some fairies dangerous? Where do they hide their treasure? Fizzing with fairy facts and traditional tales, Rosalind Kerven's guidebook examines every facet of fairies and the shapes they take: from Little People to Pixies, from Leprechauns to Sprites. The fairies,

caught on the page by illustrator Wayne Anderson, will bewitch you into their magical, mischievous world. Enter if you dare!

Rochelle the Star Spotter Fairy

Crossover Fiction

Writing Home

Call it an encyclopedia of dragonology--this beautifully illustrated, lovingly assembled tribute to all things dragonological features a guide to dragon species; an in-depth look at dragons' habits including those notorious hoarding practices; practical essentials like how to care for sick dragons; and a comprehensive glossary, index, and much more!

This enchantingly illustrated natural history of fairies, compiled in the 1920s by the botanist Professor Elsie Arbour for her niece, is now unveiled for readers of today. Featuring a gold foil – embossed cloth cover, a ribbon marker and sprayed gold edges, this gorgeous volume is filled with colourful sketches and precise notes detailing the secret life of fairies and their important role in the natural world. Inside, you will discover the wide and wonderful array of different species of fairy around the globe and explore where and how they live. Delight in this hidden world as you learn all about: The anatomy of a fairy (Land-based fairies have individual, separated toes, just as humans do. However, many species of water fairy have webbed feet.) The life cycle of a fairy (When walking in the heather, be careful of the tiny flutterpillar of the Wicklow Fairy, decked out in greens and purples.) Clever fairy camouflage (Reed fairies living in wetlands usually wear striped clothes to hide among the tall reeds.) Fairies around the world (Meet the Lily Hopper of sub-Saharan Africa, the Queen Fairy of New Guinea, the Penguin Fairy of the Antarctic and many more.) Fairy habitats (Fairies make their homes in all types of places: woodlands, jungles, deserts, the Poles and even human homes.) Concluding with a reminder that we must protect the endangered habitats of fairies, and all other creatures too, this is a book to be treasured for a lifetime.