



CASA EDITRICE
INDIPENDENTE

CATALOG **2025/2026**

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We tell stories because we believe reading is an essential tool for life.

We believe that to read is to be free, to grow and to evolve.

We believe in the book as an object: the intimacy of holding it, turning its pages, breathing in its scent — a gesture that draws even the smallest readers close to the magic of reading from their very first years.

We believe that, by stepping into the shoes of a character, we learn empathy — to see the world through other eyes and open ourselves to new discoveries.

We believe reading nurtures critical thought.

We believe in a culture that is inclusive, accessible, and open to all. Without barriers. Without discrimination. Ever.

Semi nel Vento

Ethereal words to be read — light as air today,
yet destined to become fruits tomorrow.

The white Bow

The secret

Everything in Its Place

Troverò un tesoro dentro di me.



Written by:
Silvia Callocchia

Illustrated by:
Silvia Callocchia

THE WHITE BOW

Year: 2023

Pages: 32

Size: 20 x 20 cm

Paper: Fsc

ISBN: 978-88-947694-1-8

Font used: Easyreading (alta leggibilità)

Price: 16,80 euro

NEW BIRTHS

IDENTITY

EXPECTATIONS

STEREOTYPES

SELF-DETERMINATION

A white bow hanging on a building's door announces a new arrival! The neighbors start wondering what the baby's future will be like, their curious eyes full of questions and expectations. But it's the little one who will have the answers — by following their own path and stepping outside the adults' rigid ideas.

This picture book explores the expectations society places on each of us — from gender roles to personal life choices — and reminds us that “everything” is just as precious as its opposite.

Reading age: from 3 years.

THE SECRET

Year: 2023

Pages: 44

Size: 20.5 x 21 cm

Paper: Fsc

ISBN: 978-88-947694-0-1

Font used: Easyreading (alta leggibilità)

Price: 18,00 euro

THE SECRET

INVISIBLE BONDS

SENSITIVITY

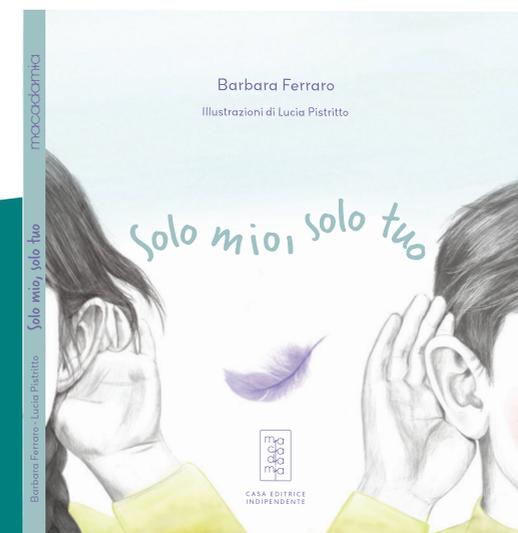
Kept safe in a pocket, hidden under a desk, revealed through a glance, whispered softly... Where does a Secret find its place?

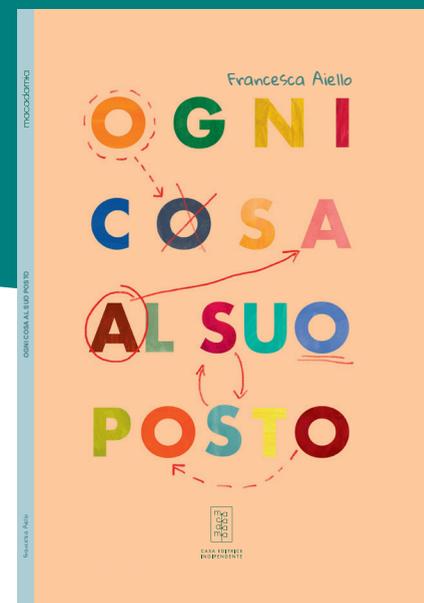
This picture book follows the quiet trail of a secret — one that can be sweet, tangled with memories, or heavy, when it stirs worry. A secret can make us smile when shared with someone we love, or turn into joy when it becomes a surprise. With its poetic tone and gentle rhythm, this book travels from early childhood to adolescence — between fingers, in eyes, inside the pockets of children and teens alike. The spare, musical text rests on elegant double-page illustrations, drawn in pencil and soft digital watercolor.

Reading age: from 7 years.

Written by:
Barbara Ferraro

Illustrated by:
Lucia Pistrutto





Written by:
Francesca Aiello

Illustrated by:
Francesca Aiello

EVERYTHING IN ITS PLACE

Year: 2024

Pages: 36

Size: 18 x 26 cm

Paper: Fsc

ISBN: 978-88-947694-3-2

Font used: Easyreading (alta leggibilità)

Price: 16,00 euro

Are we sure everything is really where it belongs? Could things be different? Through striking visuals and a clever play of opposites, the author offers a fresh way of looking at the world around us — separating what is from what could be. By reimagining the ordinary, this picture book gives new meaning to the things that surround us, inviting readers to look beyond the obvious and the everyday. It becomes a gentle call to hope for — and help create — a better world, one where everything truly finds its place.

Reading age: from 6 years.

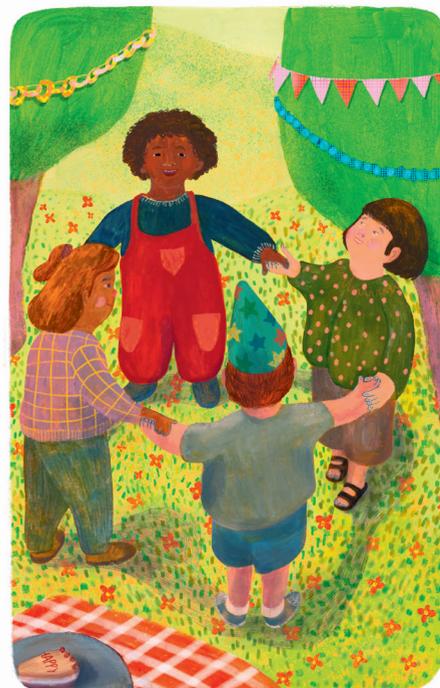
SUSTAINABILITY

ALTERNATIVES

PEACE

MIGRATION

INCLUSION



Tutti Frutti

The stories that nourish us every day,
the ones we love to savor again and again
whenever we wish.

Moly the Mole Doctor

It's Just Right

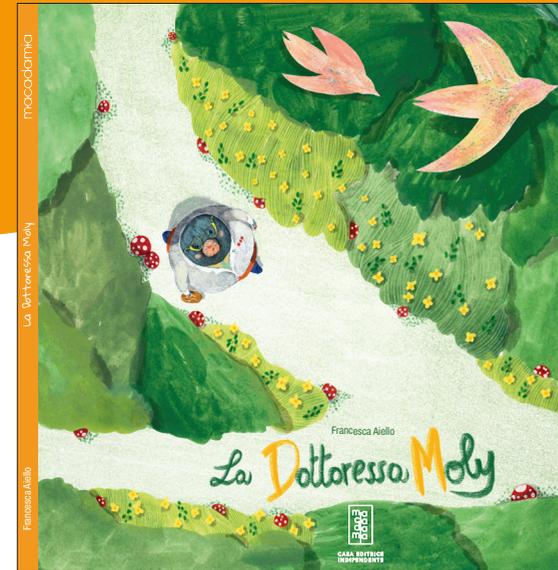
The Uninvited Guest

Shadow, the Jealous Cat

On the Bus

The Story of Ernest and Dante

Tea Time



Written by:
Francesca Aiello

Illustrated by:
Francesca Aiello

MOLY THE MOLE DOCTOR

Year: 2025

Pages: 36

Size: 22 x 22 cm

Paper: Fsc

ISBN: 978-88-947694-7-0

Font used: Easyreading (alta leggibilità)

Price: 18,00 euro

LISTENING

EMPATHY

EMOTIONS

INCLUSION

Moly the mole is the new doctor in Maronchest. Will she be able to heal not only stomachaches and limping paws, but also the worries and homesickness of the townsfolk? A gentle story that celebrates the power of listening — and the quiet kind of care that can truly heal.

Reading age: from 4 years.



IT'S JUST RIGHT

Year: 2024

Pages: 32

Size: 21 x 29,7 cm

Paper: Fsc

ISBN: 978-88-947694-2-5

Font used: Easyreading (alta leggibilità)

Price: 20,00 euro

SELF-DETERMINATION

PERSEVERANCE

COURAGE

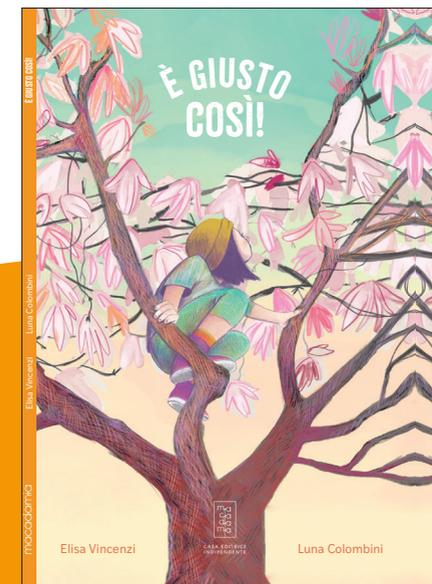
FAMILY

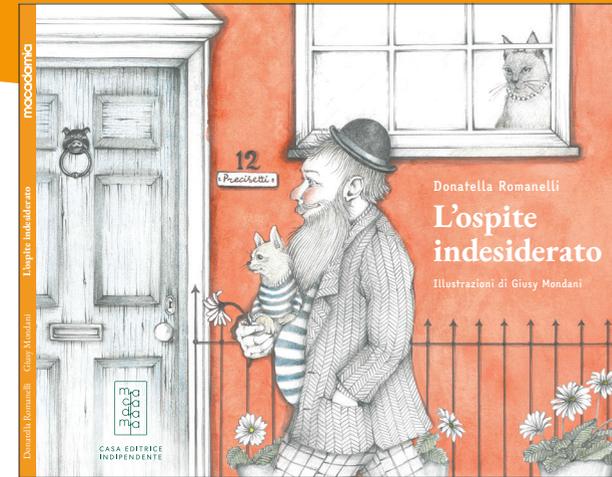
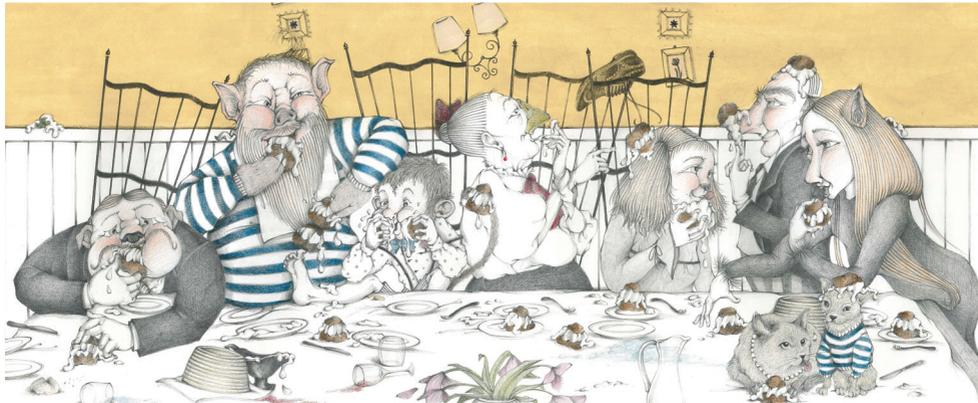
In the garden of an ordinary house, where an ordinary family lives, Gaia discovers something extraordinary: a tree has sprouted in a spot that used to be bare. Despite her parents' surprise and doubt, Gaia decides she will be the one to care for the tender sapling — with the kindness and quiet determination that make her who she is. Days go by, some sweet and some bitter, and as Gaia grows, so does the tree. Their bond becomes stronger with every season. Through Elisa Vincenzi's gentle storytelling and Luna Colombini's fresh, luminous illustrations, this picture book reminds us of the importance of standing by our dreams and beliefs — even when others don't understand. Because only those who keep going, with courage and heart, can show us beyond any doubt... that it's just right.

Reading age: from 4 years.

Written by:
Elisa Vincenzi

Illustrated by:
Luna Colombini





Written by:
Donatella Romanelli

Illustrated by:
Giusy Mondani

THE UNINVITED GUEST

Year: 2025

Pages: 40

Size: 28 x 22 cm

Paper: Fsc

ISBN: 978-88-947694-4-9

Font used: Easyreading (alta leggibilità)

Prize: 18,00 euro

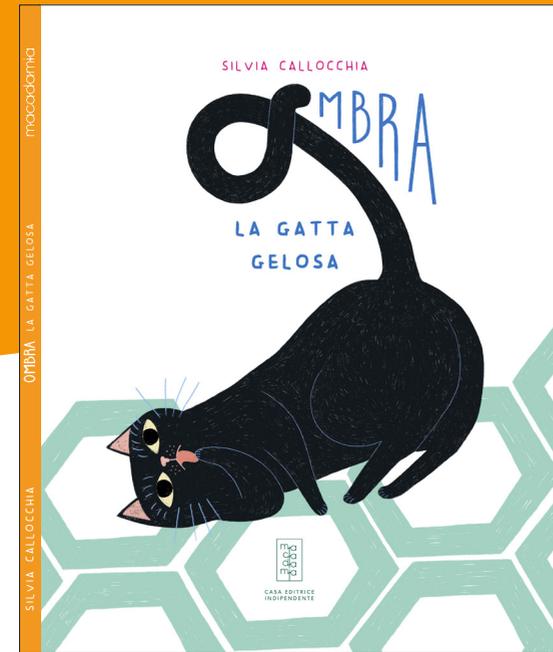
Ready to shake up the spotless order of the Precisetti household, the new neighbor bursts in right in the middle of lunch! Awkward at first, but soon enough — laughter and fun take over, and everyone ends up having a wonderful time together.

Reading age: from 4 years.

FUN

DIVERSITY

INCLUSION



Written by:
Silvia Callocchia

Illustrated by:
Silvia Callocchia

SHADOW, THE JEALOUS CAT

Year: 2025

Pages: 40

Size: 20 x 25 cm

Paper: Fsc

ISBN: 978-88-947694-6-3

Font used: Easyreading (alta leggibilità)

Price: 18,00 euro

BROTHERS/SISTERS

JEALOUSY

CHANGES

ADAPTATION

EMOTIONS

Shadow is a perfectly proper cat. She knows exactly how to take care of her owner, and her life is simply purr-fect... until Lillo arrives. Could this new kitten be trying to take her place? Winning Shadow's heart won't be easy — but it looks like little Lillo will stop at nothing to earn a special spot in it.

Reading age: from 3 years.



ON THE BUS

Year: 2025

Pages: 32

Size: 28 x 20 cm

Paper: Fsc

ISBN: 978-88-947694-9-4

Font used: Easyreading (alta leggibilità)

Price: 16,50 euro

Can a simple bus ride to a new school turn into an adventure full of surprises and unexpected characters?

Hop on board, stamp your ticket, and get ready for the journey!

Reading age: from 5 years.

TRAVEL

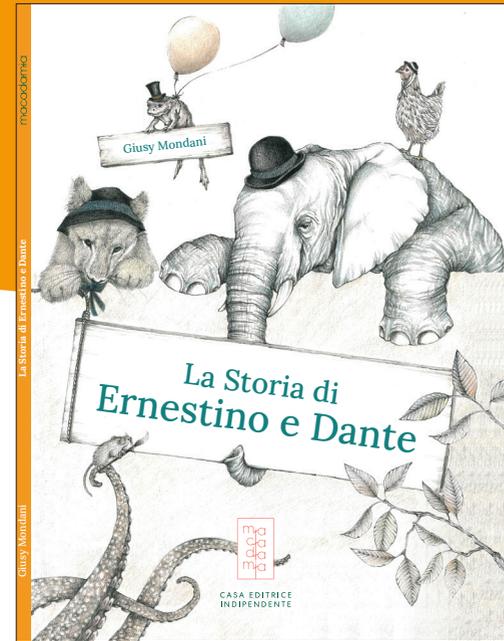
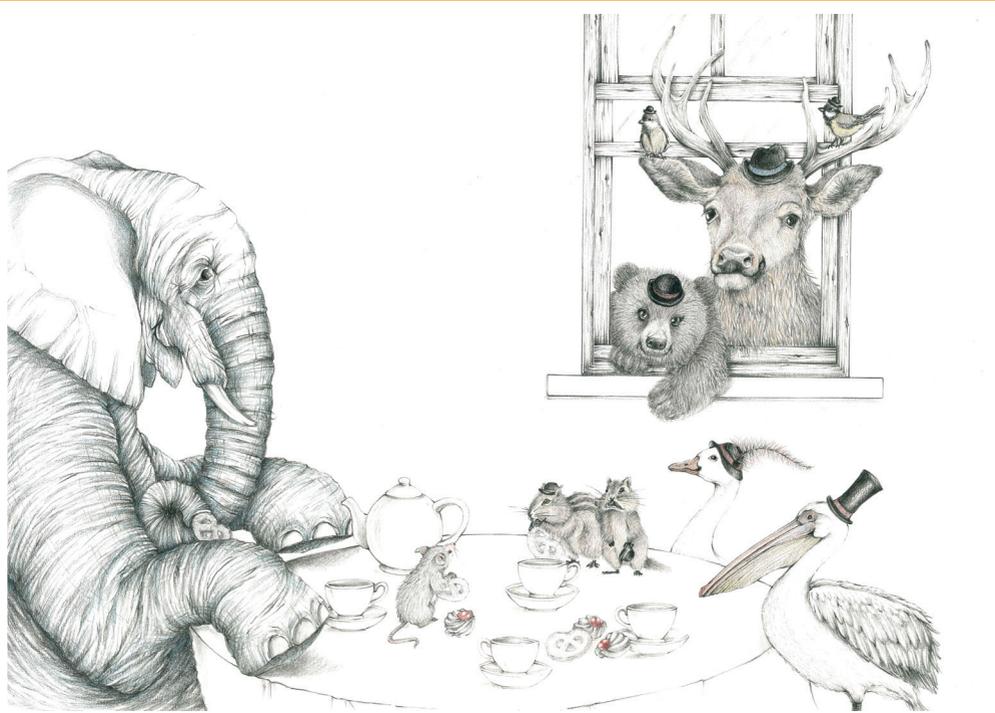
CHANGES

SURPRISE

Written by:
Lorenzo Coltellacci

Illustrated by:
Chiara Ficarelli





Written by:
Giusy Mondani

Illustrated by:
Giusy Mondani

THE STORY OF ERNEST AND DANTE

Year: gennaio 2026

Pages: 32

Size: 21,7 x 29 cm

Paper: Fsc

ISBN: 978-88-947694-5-6

Font used: Easyreading (alta leggibilità)

Price: 18,00 euro

FRIENDSHIP

CONFLICTS

DISCOVERIES

An elephant, a mouse... and just one hat! Only one of them can keep it — or can they? So begins the story of Ernest and Dante: an unexpected journey filled with funny, curious encounters and the magic of discovery. A tale of friendship that grows into something truly special — just like all the best ones do.

Reading age: from 4 years.



TEA TIME

Year: 2026

Pages: 40

Size: 21 x 29,7 cm

Paper: Fsc

ISBN: 979-12-986149-0-1

Font used: Easyreading (alta leggibilità)

Price: 17,50 euro

GRANDPARENTS

CHANGES

FUN

NEW THINGS

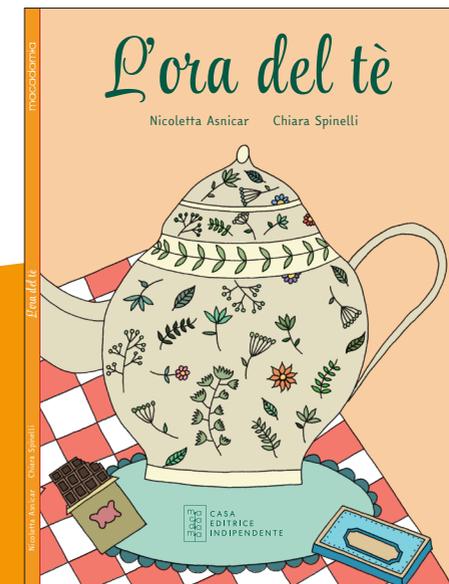
For Grandma Teresa, tea time is a quiet moment to savour, and little Marta would never want to spoil that magical ritual... but how wonderful it would be with a few more friends!

So when one day the tea seems to be missing in the Pomelli household, Marta dashes through the whole building in search of it. Doors open, feet race up the stairs, and along the way something unexpected begins to transform the afternoon. Perhaps tea time will never be quite the same again.

Reading age: from 4 years.

Written by:
Nicoletta Asnicar

Illustrated by:
Chiara Spinelli



Radici a Pois

Science, geography, history, knowledge —
the wisdom that helps young minds grow
deep roots.

One Wild Family

SIAMANGO

Symphalangus syndactylus

Indonesia, Malesia, Thailandia

Grado di estinzione: In Pericolo **EX** **EW** **CR** **EN** **VU** **NT** **LC** **NE** **DD**

Uh! Hu!! Huuu! Cosa è questo suono che viene dalla foresta? È il richiamo delle famiglie di siamango, che amano cantare a tutto spiano soprattutto la mattina dalle 9 alle 10.



Una tradizione di famiglia

Ogni famiglia di siamango sale su un albero e inizia a cantare, a muovere fronde e rami per farsi sentire e vedere dalle famiglie di siamango vicine. È come se facessero un grande concerto tra vicini! Le coppie che si sono appena formate, per esempio, intonano dei veri e propri duetti con urla e forti richiami per raccontare a tutti la nascita del loro amore. Sai il perché di questo entusiasmo? Perché le scimmie siamango ci mettono del tempo per incontrare il compagno giusto o la compagna giusta e, una volta che si scelgono, stanno insieme per tutta la vita.



Written by:
**Chiara Grasso
e Camilla Valle Porlezza**

Illustrated by:
Nicole Becker

ONE WILD FAMILY

Year: 2024

Pages: 64

Size: 24 x 32,7 cm

Paper: Fsc

ISBN: 978-88-947694-8-7

Font used: Easyreading (alta leggibilità)

Price: 19,00 euro

Single parents, blended families, parents who would do anything to adopt a child — and others who choose not to have any at all.

Across the animal kingdom, every species has its own unique and extraordinary way of living as a family and nurturing the bonds that help it grow and thrive.

A playful, surprising journey through the many shapes that love and family can take in nature.

Reading age: from 5 years.

FAMILIES
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