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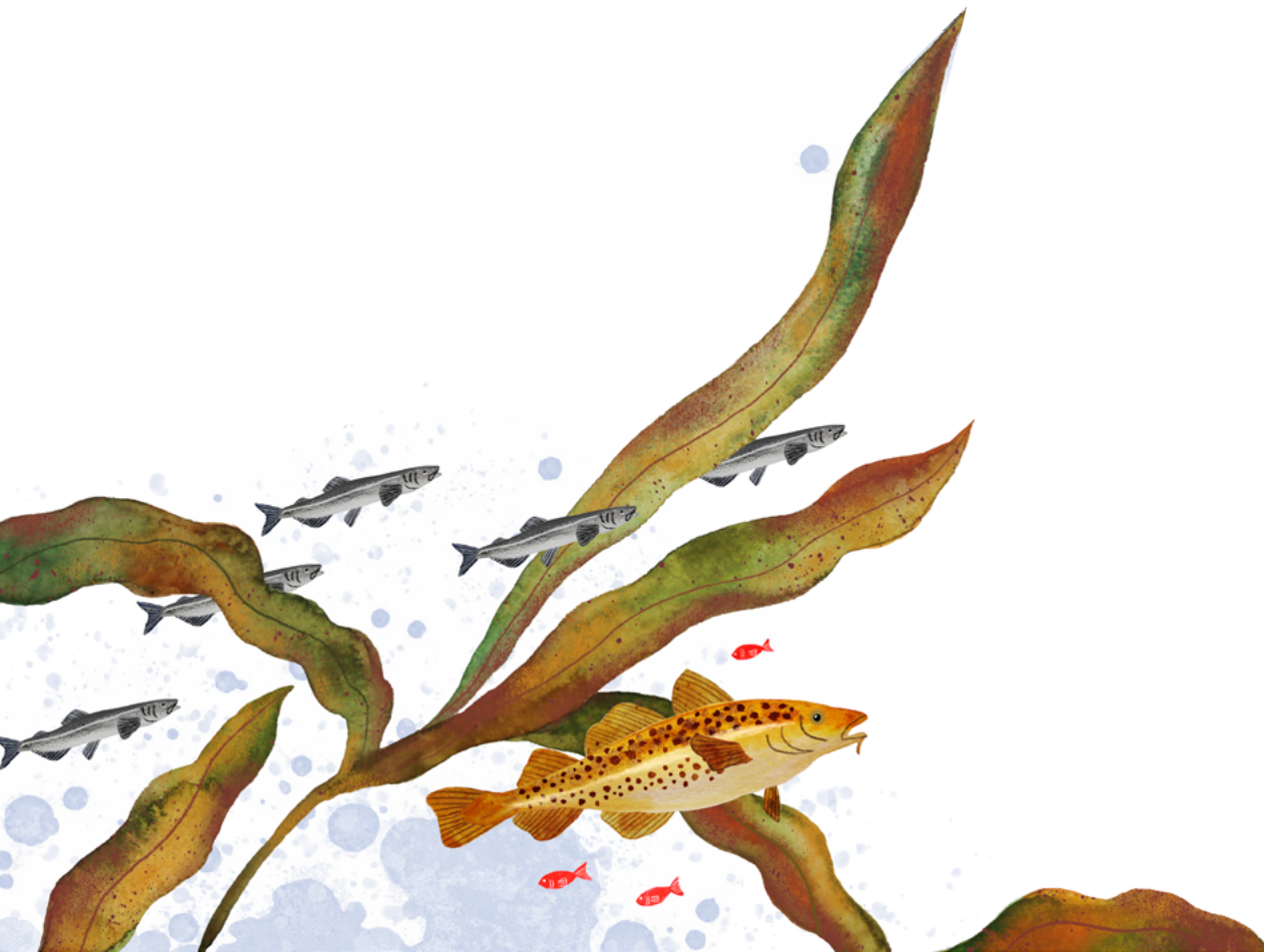


In Laminaria Publishing House we believe that learning about the world is an exciting journey, in which a fairy tale, a comic book, an encyclopedia, and an adventure story can serve as a guide.

We work with Russian authors creating books that we would like to read ourselves.

And we also cooperate with experts from different fields to make sure we checked every bit of information.

Right now we are looking for books about the ocean and animals living in it.





Holidays on the icebreaker

Sergey's dad studies marine animals. When it was time to leave for an expedition, he agreed to take his son with him. And they are going to travel on an icebreaker! To the North Pole! The journey is going to be harsh, but it's an opportunity to meet a real captain and friendly whales, see a dangerous iceberg and just learn a lot of new things. What types of ice can you see from the icebreaker? What's the difference between a beluga whale and a killer whale? Who are Pomors and how are weather stations arranged? The reader will follow this journey page by page and discover the amazing diversity of the North. The scientists and the crew are happy to answer all Sergey's questions and that's how the readers will learn as well.



Author: Piotr Voltzit
Illustrator: Svetlana Shendrik
Age: 6-12
Genre: popular science book
ISBN: 978-5-6051028-0-9

Cover: hard
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Benya and Fenya: the day the buckets disappeared

Yesterday Benya and Fenya left their buckets outside the house so they could play. Today Fenya went to collect them, but couldn't find any. Who would want these old buckets and why? Suddenly Fenya notices something suspicious — a footprint! She copies it to her notebook and that's where the investigation starts. On their journey to recollect the buckets Benya and Fenya will meet amazing forest creatures and find a number of clues.

This is a new addition to the “Benya's and Fenya's adventures» series. All the books in this series are addressed primarily to preschool children. The goal is to help them learn about friendship and the ability to empathize with other people's difficulties, and along the way reveal a lot of interesting facts about nature.

Benya and Fenya — or Benedict and Feodora — are real otters living in Moscow. They like to play games and have fun. You can meet them in the “Moskvarium”.

Author: Natalya Evdokimova
Illustrator: Maria Skaryukina
Age: 4-8
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Angry me

Have you ever been angry? Have you ever told yourself "Oh, how angry I am"? Kids feel this too but for them anger is way more powerful and difficult to contain. There's a way, though! This book is supposed to help a kid navigate this feeling — and a simple song comes to the rescue. It is important to show your anger, not to contain it or aim at the others, and to show it safely. That will in turn lead to understanding the real matter and that is a base of emotional intelligence.

This book is a neverending story: after the last page is turned, ask your kid, what happened next and find out if the song helped in any way.



Author: Natalya Evdokimova
Illustrator: Svetlana Shendrik
Age: 3-6
Genre: picture book
ISBN: 978-5-6049564-3-4

Cover: hard
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Weight: 450 gr



Benya and Fenya: who lives under water

This fun coloring book, children is full of interesting tasks: kids will have to look for shadows, get through coloring patterns and do other simple but fascinating tasks which help to learn counting and comparison. Benya and Fenya will show the kids the inhabitants of the oceans and seas, find a house for each of them and find hidden letters.

Hurry up and prepare colored pencils! Let's do it together!



Illustrator: Maria Skaryukina
Age: 3–7
Genre: educational, fun
ISBN: 978-5-6049563-6-6

Cover: paperback
Page count: 12 + inset
Year: 2023
Width: 220 mm
Length: 220 mm
Height: 3 mm
Weight: 150 gr



How Fenya lost her holiday mood

Where does good mood hide when we feel that we have lost it?
How to get back in the mood?

This story happened to Fenya on the New Year's eve. She has lost her Christmas spirit entirely. Having found traces around the house, Fenya, Benya and Paul, their friend, start to look for her good spirits. They are not afraid of a snowstorm. Luckily, they manage to find Fenya's good mood and everyone is happy again.



Author: Anastasia Karmanova
Illustrator: Maria Skaryukina
Age: 3–6
Genre: picture book
ISBN: 978-5-6047432-2-5

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The day Benya and Fenya met a ghost

Strange things are happening in Benya and Fenya's house. Something weird is moving under the table silently. Could this be a ghost?!

This book tells a story of vivid imagination and amazing animals you can meet in nature.



Author: Anastasia Karmanova
 Illustrator: Maria Skaryukina
 Age: 3–6
 Genre: picture book
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What you need to be a musician

What does it take to become a real musician? First, you will need musical instrument. Our heroes, the inquisitive otters Benya and Fenya, their friend the frog Paul and the pet axolotl Axel, go in search of it. They will find out how different musical instruments sound and how to deal with failures.



Author: Anastasia Karmanova
Illustrator: Maria Skaryukina
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Christmas adventure

Benya and Fenya already got themselves a beautiful Christmas tree. But all the ornaments got tangled in the garland. Help them untangle the garland and decorate the Christmas tree with toys. This is an advent calendar, so every day you will get a special task to get in the mood for holiday season.



Illustrator: Maria Skaryukina
Age: 3–6
Genre: advent calendar

14 cardboard christmas toys on
the supplementary list
Year: 2023
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Length: 305 mm
Weight: 150 gr

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How to breathe underwater?

"How to breathe underwater?" is an illustrated encyclopedia by the famous writer Olga Kolpakova and marine biologists and mammalian trainers about the types of breathing of underwater inhabitants, what determines the color of the water and where the body gets energy from. The book also contains experiments to consolidate the knowledge gained and illustrations for the game "Find and show».

Author: Olga Kolpakova and other
Illustrator: Anna Bogdanova, Anastasia Orshanskaya
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My piece of the lake



An illustrated story about a boy named Stepa and his personal piece of the lake — an aquarium. Nadezhda Chubarova masterfully combines fiction and cognitive facts. Readers, along with Stepa, will learn how to properly care for fish, and how to be responsible for pets, even when they are in the aquarium. The original style of Svetlana Lyadova's drawings accentuates how important fantasies are in a child's life, portraying an imaginary world in bright colors.



Author: Nadezhda Chubarova
Illustrator: Svetlana Lyadova
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