



## ***Bayard Canada Livres***

# Encore des consignes!



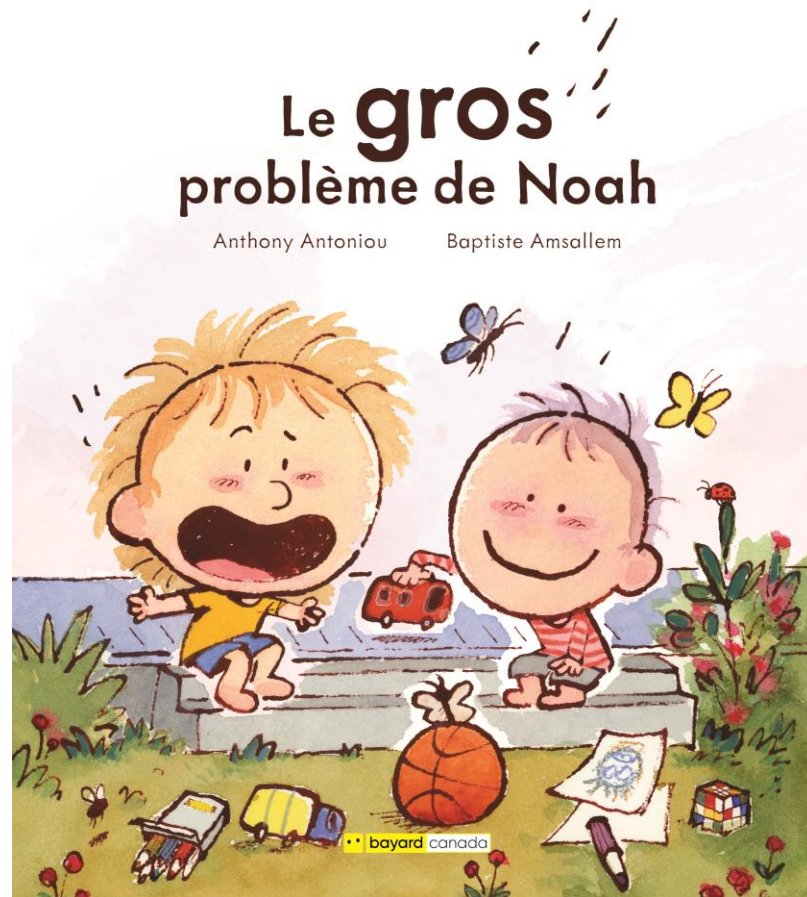
## Description

Children are bombarded by their parents' daily demands, and when they're at work, other adults take their place! Our hero tries hard to be a "good boy"... but he'll probably crack before the story's over! A zany picture book that offers fun for young and old alike, and a hearty laugh at all the directions and instructions parents provide to their children throughout the day! Plus, a little surprise: the most observant readers may pick up some intriguing details that reveal more about our hero.

- **Fall 2023**
- **Author :** Valérie Fontaine
- **Illustrator :** Émilie Goulet
- **Specs:** 25,4 x 20,32 cm; 24 pages
- **Age :** 3+
- **Key words/Themes :** humour, directions, space, aliens, observation
- **Notable information:** Bayard Canada's runaway bestseller for Fall 2023; reprint after only 3 weeks in the market!

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# Le gros problème de Noah



14-year-old Anthony Antoniou had always dreamt of telling his story, that of a boy who wants more than anything to be able to play with his brother. But for the two boys, playing together has never been an easy endeavour.

Noah's brother Gabriel is autistic; his brain just works differently. Noah desperately wants to play with Gabriel– but what can they do together? He suggests a variety of activities to his brother: hockey, swimming, puzzles – nothing seems to work... But what if the key is to figure out what his brother *actually* likes doing?

- **Spring 2023**
- **Author : Anthony Antoniou**
- **Illustrator : Baptiste Amsallem**
- **Specs: 25,72 x 32,07 cm; 24 pages**
- **Age : 3+**
- **Key words/Themes:** autism, brothers, challenges, differences
- **Notable information:**
  - reprinted within 3 months of publication;
  - recently nominated for an important library award

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# Collection Zèbre à roulettes

Emerging readers

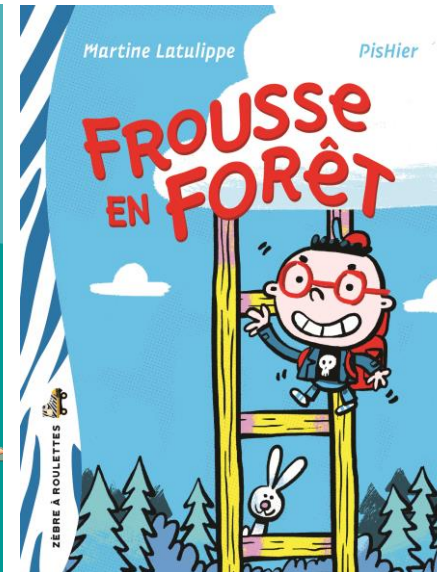
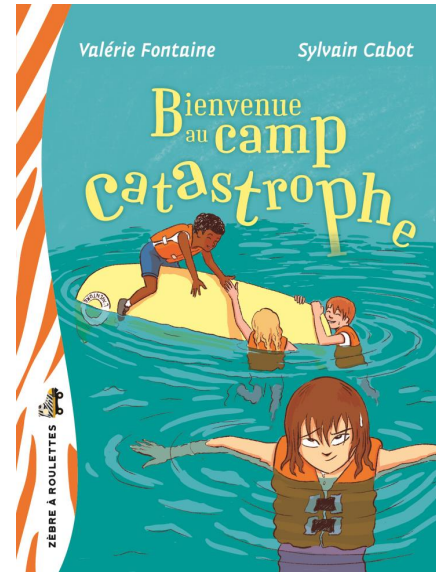
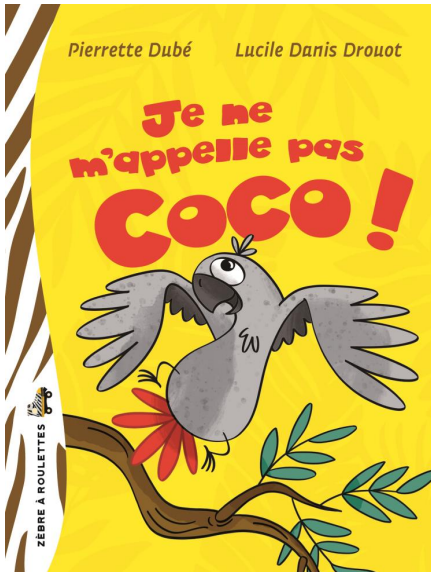
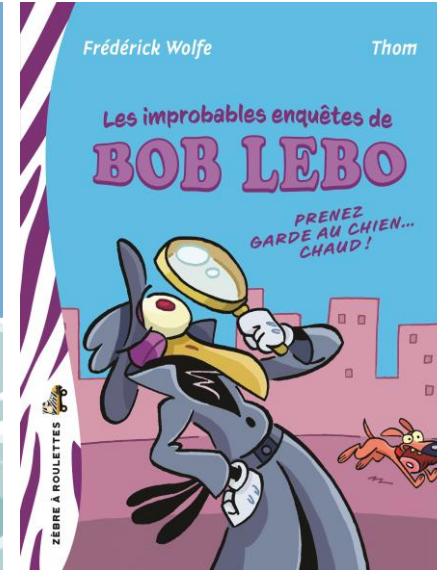
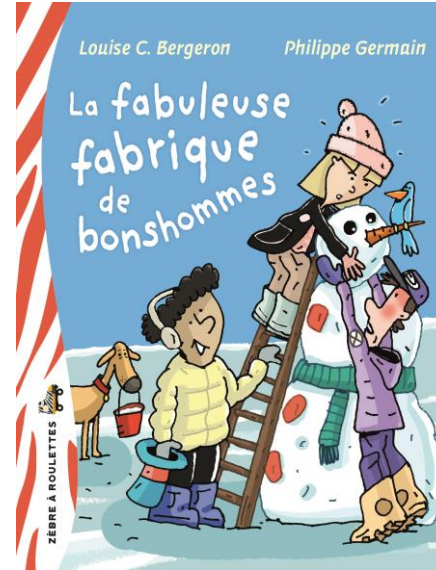
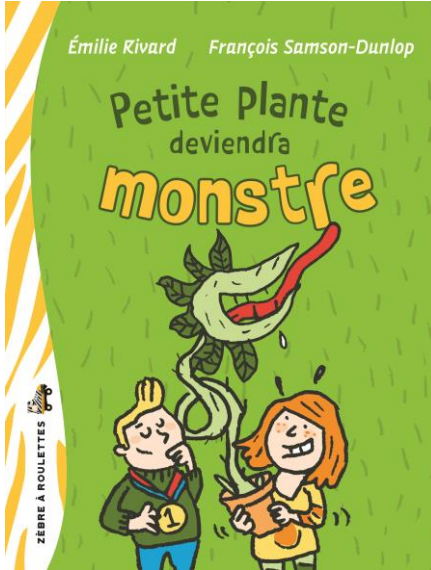


## Zèbre à roulettes collection

Introducing **Zèbre à roulettes**, Bayard Canada's new and highly anticipated collection for emerging readers (ages 7+) !!

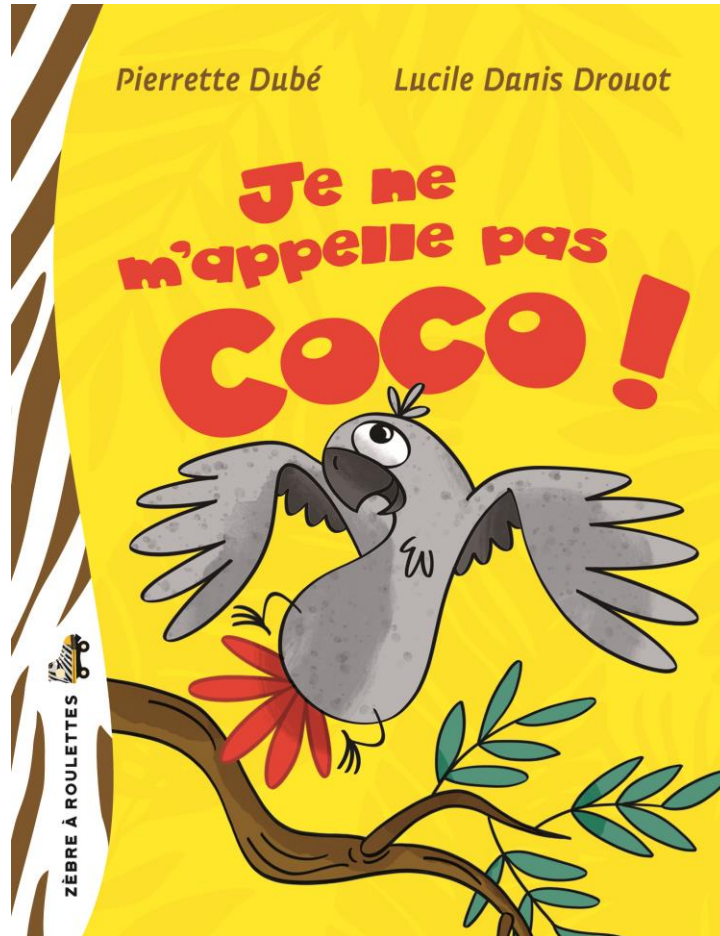
With an impressive 8 books launched in 2023, Bayard has high hopes that this series of stand-alone fun and interactive adventure novels will follow in the footsteps of its popular older sister the **Zèbre collection** (see page 12-14!), which has sold over 180,000 books, and whose new releases continue to top the bestseller charts and awards lists every year!

- **Authors :** Various, including Valérie Fontaine, Frédéric Wolfe, Émilie Rivard
- **Illustrators :** Various
- **Specs:** 12,7 x 16,51; 144 pages
- **Age :** 7-10
- **Themes:** Multiple, including: suspense, adventure, investigation, humour
- **Notable information:**
  - The layout, the choice of vocabulary, the creation of little games for readers to interact with each story, and the inclusion of short summaries of each chapter have all been designed to hook young readers and support independent reading.
  - One of the books was recently nominated for a prestigious award by Quebec booksellers



# Je ne m'appelle pas Coco!

Emerging readers



Je ne m'appelle pas Coco! takes us on a whirlwind of adventures thanks to a charming jaco perrot not named Coco. He is sold 36 times as an exotic pet to different owners (a clown, a pirate, a scientist, thieves, etc.). Using her well-known humoristic style, Pierrette Dubé invites us to reflect on the fate of exotic animals.

- **Spring 2023**
- **Author :** Pierrette Dubé
- **Illustrator :** Lucile Danis Drouot
- **Specs:** 12,7 x 16,51 cm; 144 pages
- **Age :** 7+
- **Key words/Themes:** resilience, resourcefulness, animal cruelty, refuge, inventiveness, humor, parrot, bird, freedom

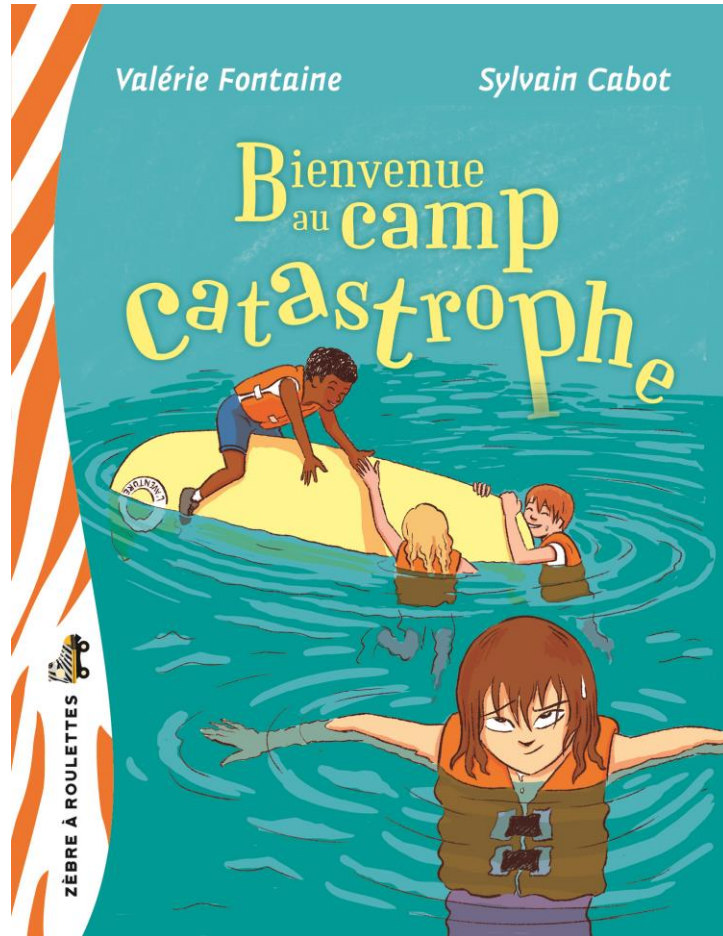
#### Notable information:

- The layout, the choice of vocabulary, the creation of little games for readers to interact with each story, and the inclusion of short summaries of each chapter have all been designed to hook young readers and support independent reading.

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# Bienvenue au camp Catastrophe

Emerging readers



In Bienvenue au camp Catastrophe, Valérie Fontaine recounts a summer camp memory that left a deep impression on her... In Fontaine's amusing style, we follow the main character, Sophie, as nothing goes to her liking and all she wants is to go home.

- **Spring 2023**
- **Author : Valérie Fontaine**
- **Illustrator : Sylvain Cabot**
- **Specs: 12,7 x 16,51 cm; 144 pages**
- **Age : 7+**
- **Key words/Themes:** summer camp, outdoors, camping, woods, humor, hiking, animals, fear

**Notable information:**

- The layout, the choice of vocabulary, the creation of little games for readers to interact with each story, and the inclusion of short summaries of each chapter have all been designed to hook young readers and support independent reading.

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