

More and More Fun Education With Children's Picture Books From A to Z !!

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We're introducing a new fun and educational series from our collection of "FUN AND EDUCATIONAL" titles at A 2 Z Press. Paula Curtis-Taylorson is an educator and has created all 24 of the delightful alphabet titles we want to present this week.

One of the talents of a great educator and writer is to present material to young readers they find engaging and don't even realize they're learning more than they ever imagined they could. This week, we're featuring the Great Alphabet Hunt series – Finding A to XYZ!

These are educational and entertaining children's stories that are clever - they educate, help with reading skills, introduce many different words for each letter and are great fun for children of all ages. Come see the stories! And full glossaries at the end of each book.



Finding A is filled with adventure! It is also filled with other challenging A words and colorful pictures to engage the young reader.

She's **Awesome and Authentic**,
And whenever she is near,
Our **Adorable Aunt Agatha**,
Makes things magically appear.





Let's look around **Australia**,
And see what's here today.
We'll help **Angelica and Andrew**,
Find the letter **A!**

The **aquarium** in the **armoire**
is full of **angelfish**,
And an **alligator** at the
bottom thinks they'd be an
appetizing dish!





**Aunt Agatha keeps America
in the attic of her house,
And against the Abyssinian cat,
is an acorn-eating mouse.**

In the aircraft hanger, an armadillo
assembles an amateur ark,

AND MORE!!



FINDING L

THE GREAT ALPHABET HUNT



BY PAULA CURTIS TAYLORSON

L finds us with the
Ladybirds in the
LIBRARY and all the L
words to go with it!

It was **late** in the
library one April day,
when three **lovely**
ladybirds
fluttered this way.





Lottie and Lulu and Lillian as well,
find **Ls** on the shelves and
have **lots** of stories to tell.

The letters and languages
between the **leaves** of each book,
bring characters to **life** on
the **lines** as we look.





The lantern is lit
for those lost at sea,

and the ladybirds are launching
a lifeboat rescue party!

AND MORE FUN!!!



Finding H : The Great Alphabet Hunt



by Paula Curtis Taylorson

H is charming and
illustrated by Anna Naboka
in Ukraine! See how H
shows us FUN at
the hair salon !!

He is handsome and he's helpful,
He's Howard the happy
hair dresser.
In his heavenly Hawaiian boutique,
He looks like a humble professor!





**A hungry hippopotamus,
had a haggis and a ham,**

Whilst waiting for
her highlights,
She's looking very glam!





Hal, the hairy howler monkey,
Is having his hazel hair dyed,

And he brought a handy old holdall,
With a hundred hamsters
hovering inside.

AND MUCH MORE



Finding N:

The Great Alphabet Hunt



by Paula Curtis Taylorson ..

N is all about Nicholas
and his natterjack toads
finding all things N!

It's late one **noiseless**
November evening.
Nicholas the **night** watchman
is starting on his round.





He's searching out words
that begin with N,
and keeping the **neighbourhood**
safe and sound!

He **noses** through gardens
and **nips** into parks and the roads,
flashing his torch into
all the **nooks** and crannies,






as he's helped by the **nimble
nincompoop natterjack** toads!

COME AND SEE HOW NICHOLAS
AND THE NATTERJACK TOADS
FIND ALL THE N's



Penelope is in her pajamas with her pangolin PETE as they hunt for P words today!



Penelope gathered her packages of pencils and pens and set off on her hunt for the Ps.

With her loyal pet pangolin, Pete, at her side, she was positive she could find them with ease.



'Pete is a pangolin!' Penelope shouted. 'And he is perfect in every way He is a scaly anteater from the Philippines and he's helping to hunt P words today!'

As they passed through the peculiar neighborhood, a porcupine pointed at Pete, which was rude. Are you a 'possum, a platypus, a pole cat or a Pekingese dog prancing around in the nude?

Penelope paraded around with her purse in her slippers decorated with pink pears.

Pete wore a polo neck pullover and pants which had patches cut out of squares.



Pete posed for a photo, played peek-a-boo hide, and picked pansies that grew in a drain. 'Pete, we're in public, no playing or pretending. The patrons will start to complain!'





They set off for the pool to cool down for a while. They watched others as played and splashed in the water. A pedestrian that had peered at them

having such fun couldn't swim properly, so Penelope and Pete taught her.

Then off to the **playhouse**,
for **productions** and acting
out **premier plays** for a crowd.



What a laugh they had **performing poems**
and songs on the **piccolo** and feeling
pleased at the end they both bowed.

FINDING U THE GREAT ALPHABET HUNT



BY PAULA CURTIS TAYLORSON

Let's go looking
for 'U' words
under the SEA!

Ulrich is an Urchin,
he's in charge
of all the U's,





He lives in an **upside-down**
Greek **urn**, an **unusual**
house to choose!

In a near café, some
clownfish
sit under an umbrella,





Waiting for their
Udon noodles served
urgently by an
octopus Cinderella.

In this **underwater universe**,
some words are still **untold**,
Like **Uluru** and **Uranus**
and more sounds to behold,



FINDING X Y AND Z :

THE GREAT ALPHABET HUNT



BY PAULA CURTIS TAYLORSON

There are so many
different
flies to be found,
Over 125,000 you
see all around!

Xavier is a zookeeper from Croatia,
he works at the Zagreb Zoo,
Looking after all of the X, Y and Zs,
is a difficult job to do!





He starts work ever so early,
zooming around with feed in his cart,

Zig-zagging between the animals as he checks them off on his chart.





Now it's off to
see **Xena** the **yak**,
who lives on a **yacht** on
the lake,

She munches on **yoghurt**
with **zingers** and lots of
yummy cheesecake!

AND SO MANY MANY MORE
XYZ!!!!





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