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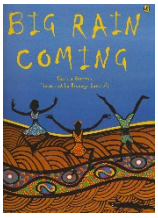
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- ● Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander histories and cultures
- ● Asia and Australia's engagement with Asia
- ● Sustainability
- ✚ Suits multiple years
- ◆ Identifies as Indigenous

FOUNDATION



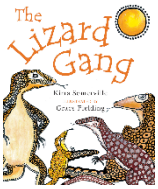
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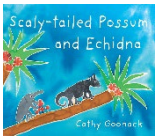
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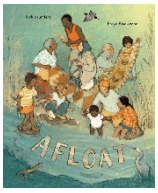


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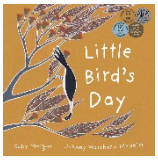
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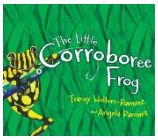
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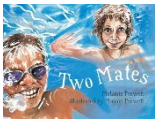
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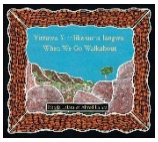
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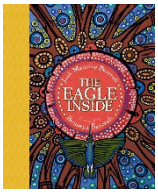


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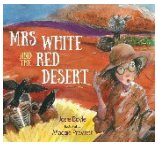


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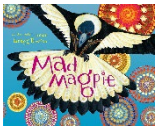
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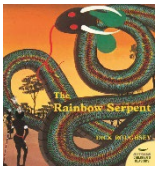
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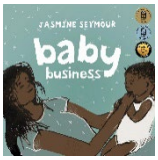


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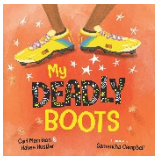


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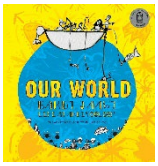
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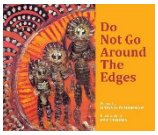
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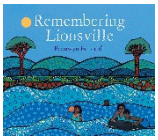
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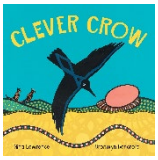


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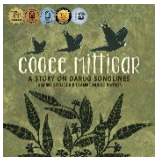


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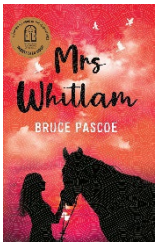
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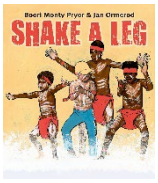
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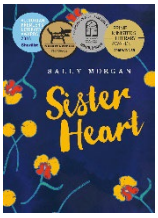
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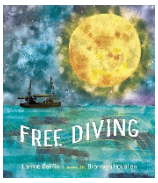


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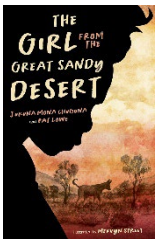


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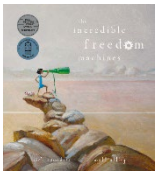
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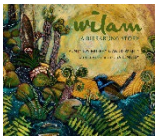
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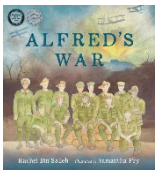


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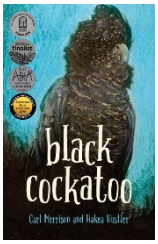
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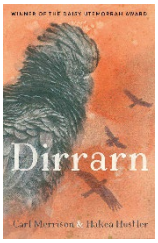
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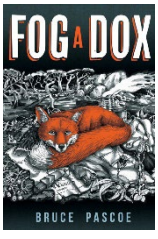
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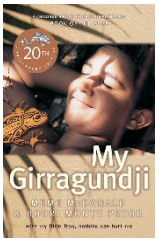
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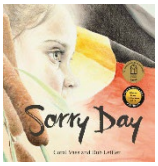
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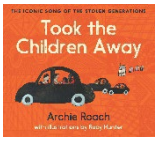
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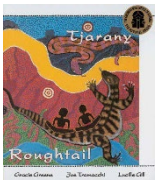
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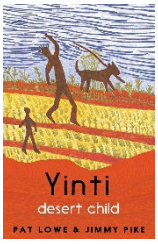
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