



# CATALOGUE



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Stories build the paths to hearts



Evenio is a publishing house that has been publishing digital and printed content for children since 2008.

Our small team of authors, illustrators and external associates aims to offer educational stories to parents designed for their children that are decorated with beautiful and high-quality illustrations specifically tailored for kids.

All of our publications are carefully designed and have a purpose of helping children meet the world around them, themselves, their emotions, learn how to recognize and nurture the values of modern world, as well as to grow up into responsible, happy, fulfilled and proactive adults.

We aim to be a support for parents and educators on this journey so that they can help their children grow and learn together through stories, imagination and pictures.

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## specifikations

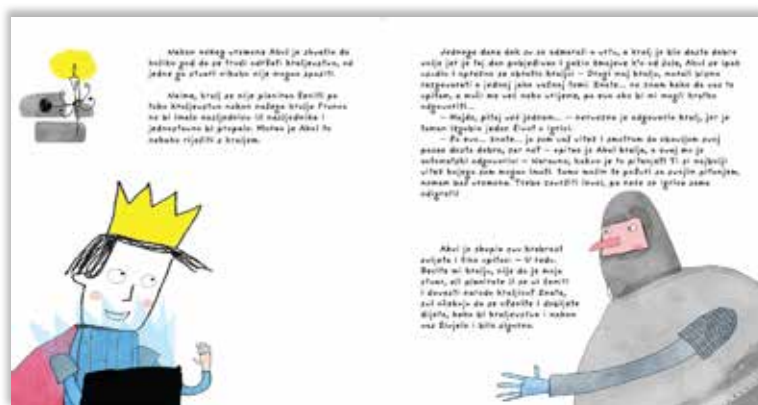
Author: Andrijana Martić  
 Illustrations: Ivana Guljašević Kuman  
 Binding: hard cover  
 Dimensions: 25×26 cm  
 Pages: 32  
 Ages: 5-9 godina  
 Price: 119 kn

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## KNIGHT AKUL AND THE KING WHO PLAYED TOO MUCH

Funny, educational story about the king Franc who loved gadgets, all kinds of screens nad playing video games more than anything in this world. He was playing so much from morning to evening that he forgot to take care of himself, others and his kingdom. Luckily, he had his loyal, trustworthy guard, knight Akul, who had to come up with the plan to bring his king back to the real life.



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## specifikations

Author: Snježana Babić Višnjić  
 Illustrations: Marko Pinjuh  
 Binding: hard cover  
 Dimensions: 26×25 cm  
 Pages: 32  
 Ages: 6-10 godina  
 Price: 119 kn

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## BOY THAT FLOODED THE WORLD

This is a story about a very sensitive boy called Tihomil, who cried a lot. It is also a story about how children deal with sadness. No matter if they are weepy or hiding their sadness, through characters Tihomil and his friend Jana, children can learn that the importance of sharing their feeling with others, accepting support or comfort.





NEW!

## specifications

Author: Nikolina Manojlović Vračar  
 Illustrations: Jelena Brezovec  
 Binding: hard cover  
 Dimensions: 25x26 cm  
 Pages: 32  
 Ages: years 5-99  
 Price: 119 kn

Winner of the national  
 award Grigor Vitez  
 "Ptičica" - Kids Choice  
 for best picture book  
 in 2019 for text and  
 illustrations



**Cloud in the yellow coat** is a story about small miracles, humanity, hoplensess and hope, life up in the sky and on the ground, about warmth and cold, heaviness and easiness.

Moving and atmospheric, this story rises many questions inside of us. Is everything that happens just a coincednece, or is there some invisible, extraordinary plan that makes us get exactly what we need and deserve? Are we open to unexpected rewards and enjoying them? Can we scarifice ourselves for what is important to us? Can we feel grateful for what we already have?

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## specifications

Author: Silvija Šesto  
 Illustrator: Tomislav Zlatić  
 Binding: Hardcover  
 Dimensions: 23 x 27 cm  
 Pages: 36  
 Ages: years 6-10  
 Price: 119 kn



## Memewald / Japajapac

This is a story about a little boy named Marinko that became Memewald. Every time he would say the word "me", he became smaller and smaller. In the end, he became so small that he could not fit into the world around him. Rejected and alone, sad and scared, he was lucky enough to meet other children just like him. They were all just as small as Marinko, but the trouble they went through together tough them to be bigger. They learned how to help, cooperate, comfort each other and grow together.



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## specifications

Author: Ivanka Ferenčič Martinčič  
 Illustrations: Nikolina Dinješ  
 Binding: Hardcover  
 Dimensions: 20,5×20,5 cm  
 Pages: 32  
 Ages: 3-7 years  
 Price: 109 kn



This picture book is also our little tribute to all the librarians who work tirelessly to bring the stories closer to children's hearts and encourage their love of books and reading on a daily basis.



Picture book **How bunny fell in love with the library** takes children into the place where their favourite stories live. The main character, a stuffed bunny, gets introduced to the departments of a library and to visitors of all ages who come to it and the various content it offers. With this story, children will get to know the library as a place of learning and socializing that they will be happy to come to all their lives.

But perhaps the greatest value of this picture book is in its attempt to stimulate children's curiosity, reading, will to travel to diverse and wonderful worlds through which stories develop ideas and imagination, but also bring calm and comfort.

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### Children's emotional development and stories

Children's emotional development and telling stories about children's emotional development is perhaps parents' greatest challenge, as it is hard for a small child to express exactly how they feel. Children are still only learning to recognize their own emotions and control their behaviour through situations experienced in the first years of their lives. They express emotions through behaviour so if the said behaviour becomes unacceptable, unwanted or worrying (anger outbursts, aggression, crying, fear of different situation etc.), one should ask themselves – how is the child truly feeling and what is behind those unwanted behaviours? In order to learn how to express their emotions in a healthy way that does not endanger themselves, other people or material possessions, children need help from their parents, educators and other adults. Encouraging development of emotional intelligence and providing emotional support to small children plays a big role in their upbringing.

What are therapeutic stories and how do they help children?

In child psychology, telling stories is used as a therapeutic method for healing and learning. The goal of therapeutic stories is to help children with emotional problems, i.e. with behavioural problems. By listening to stories and fairy tales, children begin to understand how others have overcome problems similar to their own, as well as gaining the ability to apply what they have learned in real-life situations. Besides teaching and raising them, the stories help children in explaining to them themselves what it is exactly that they feel, develop imagination, imitation, projection, identification and empathy.

### FOUR BASIC EMOTIONS IN CHILDREN – ANGER, FEAR, SADNESS, HAPPINESS

- Therapeutic stories
- Appendix: Advice for parents, guardians and educators
- Animal characters in four environments (forest, city, country side, savanna)
- Simple, easy to understand content
- For children 2+

#### specifications

Authors: Tatjana Gjurković and Tea Knežević, psychology masters, plays therapists  
 Illustrator: Jelena Brezovec  
 Pages: 20  
 Binding: Softcover  
 Dimensions: 22 x 22 cm  
 Ages: years 2-6  
 Price of an individual picture books: 49 kn





## ANGER

Every emotion, and so anger as well, carries within itself an emotional need that the child, along with every adult person, wants satisfied. It is very strong and focused on other people. Anger is a temporary emotional state that is mostly triggered by some sort of frustration, hence the emotional need behind anger is actually a child's desire to be taken seriously, to be listened to and for the things that have bothered and hurt them to be acknowledged, as they are difficult for them to deal with.

Picture books are focused of the following topics:

### Angry squirrel doesn't listen / Kad je ljuta vjeverica ne sluša

Anger that is expressed through not listening to the determined boundaries

### Angry bunny hurts himself / Kad je ljut zeko se ozlijeđi

Anger that is expressed though self-harm

### Angry kitty has a tummy ache / Kad je ljuta macu boli trbuh

Anger that is repressed and expressed through psychosomatic problems

### Angry hippo bites / Kad je ljut nilski konjić grize

Anger that is expressed through aggression towards others



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## SADNESS

Basic reasons for children to feel sad are the loss or separation from their favourite object or person. But the idea of separation itself can trigger the feeling of sadness. Regardless of whether the loss has actually happened or the child is merely thinking it could happen, the emotional need that occurs “behind” the feeling of sadness is the need for support, feeling secure, consolation and replacing the lost.

Picture books are focused of the following topics:

### Hedgehog is sad because he didn't win the game / Ježić je tužan jer nije pobijedio u igri

Sadness due to failure or how to teach children that it is alright to feel sad, but that the only person to compare ourselves to is us alone, that one must always try hard and try again

### Mouse is sad because he misses his parents / Mišić je tužan jer mu nedostaju roditelji

Sadness due to separations from parents or how to console children with simple messages when they miss their parents, how to convince them that they are safe and that their parents will be with them soon

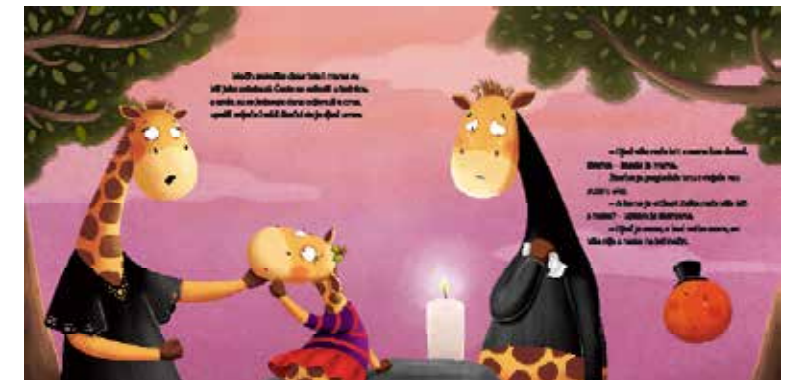
### Piglet is sad and jealous of his brother / Prašćić je tužan i ljubomoran na brata

Sadness due to insufficient attention or how to recognize sadness in children that is “concealed” behind some other emotion like jealousy because of lack of parental attention

### Giraffe is sad because grandpa is gone / Žirafica je tužna jer djeda više nema

Sadness due to losing a loved one or how to explain to a child what it means to “die” and provide them with consolation after a family death

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## FEAR

All children experience fear and it is considered a normal part of their development. Regardless of whether the adult considers the child's fears to be real or not, they are more than real for the child. As the child's imagination intertwines with reality, it is especially important for the adult to help them deal with their fear, to comfort them using physical contact and soothing words and to regain a feeling of security and protection with the child.

Picture books are focused of the following topics:

### Little bear is afraid to stay in kindergarten / Medvjedića je strah ostati u vrtiću

Fear of separating from parents or how to help the child deal with separational anxiety during a big life change and to feel secure in situations when parents are not around

### Little elephant is afraid of criticism and punishment / Slonicu je strah vikanja i kazne

Fear or criticism and punishment or hold to console the child that is afraid that being punished for bad behaviour will result in losing parental love

### Sheep is afraid of having a baby brother / Ovčicu je strah jer će dobiti brata

Fear of change within family surroundings or how to console the child that is afraid that the new family member will result in losing parental love

### Puppy is afraid to go to the doctor / Psića je strah odlaska doktoru

Fear of unknown situations and people or how to reduce the fear of situation that are uncomfortable and stressful for the child (and the parent)

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## HAPPINESS

Happiness is one of basic emotions in children and it occurs in infant period. We often think that happiness does not require much discussion nor explanation because it is a good and positive feeling. However, happiness in small children can sometimes be incorrectly interpreted, wrongly processed or negatively manifested in behaviour, so this picture book series deals specifically with those situations.

Picture books are focused of the following topics:

**Little fox learned that happiness lives in hearts / Lisica je naučila da sreća stanuje u srcima**

Happiness and material things or how to teach children that happiness does not reside outside of us, in toys and things, but that it is in our hearts

**Lioness can be happy for others / Lavica može i zna biti sretna zbog drugoga**

Happiness for others or how to teach children that it is important to know how to be happy for others and their success for our own emotional health

**Horse shares his happiness after effort and success / Konjić sreću dijelit zna nakon truda i uspjeha**

Happiness because of one's own effort and success or how to teach children do accept help, try hard and then feel happiness and self-confidence because of their own success

**Hamster feels calm and quiet happiness / Hrčak osjeća da postoji tiha i smirena sreća**

Active happiness versus calm happiness or how to teach children to calm down, take a break and feel happiness as peace and relaxation within themselves



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**GUILT, SHAME, HUMILIATION, DISAPPOINTMENT**

New picture book series cover complex and very unpleasant emotions of guilt, disappointment, shame and humiliation. Authors, Tatjana Gjurković and Tea Knežević, are masters of child psychology and play therapists. In everyday work with children and parents, they have noticed that those emotions can have lasting and damaging impact on psycho-emotional development of children.

That is why they decided to write four short therapeutical stories for children 4-7 years old.

Little wolf, monkey, donkey and turtle will help children to recognize and name the unpleasant emotion they feel inside and how to ease and relief the intensity of the emotion.

Stories will be very helpful for parents and caregivers because they will get examples of how to raise children without shaming, causing guilt, disappointment or humiliation. Each book has an addition at the end with very specific tips for parents and adults who work with children.

**Wrong behavior hurts: Wolf feels guilty**

This picture book is about emotion of guilt in children.

**Criticism hurts: Monkey feels ashamed**

This picture book deals with the feeling of shame in children.

**Mocking and rejection hurt: Donkey feels humiliated**

Picture book deals with the feeling of humiliation in children.

**Unfulfilled expectation hurts: Turtle feels disappointed**

This picture book deals with the feeling of disappointment in children.

**NEGATIVE EMOTIONS IN CHILDREN – GUILT, SHAME, HUMILIATION, DISAPPOINTMENT,**

- Therapeutic stories
- Appendix: Advice for parents, guardians and educators
- Animal characters in four environments (forest, city, country side, jungle)
- Simple, easy to understand content
- For children 4+

**specifikacije**

Authors: Tatjana Gjurković and Tea Knežević, psychology masters, play therapists  
 Illustrator: Jelena Brezovec  
 Pages: 20  
 Binding: Softcover  
 Dimensions: 22 x 22 cm  
 Ages: years 2-6  
 Price of an individual picture books: 49 kn

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Tamara Vučković and Tihana Lipovec Fraculj are the authors of four picture books whose goal is to develop socio-emotional competencies in children. In order for them to grow into competent, responsible, self-confident and stabile individuals, children, from a very early age, need to be tough skills that help them adapt, but also bear consequences and deal with their surroundings and society in general.

In this series, we have dealt with the following skills and competencies: responsibility, assertive communication, emotional self-control and self-confidence. Through charismatic child characters of their own age, pre-school and elementary school children can learn how to help themselves in situations when they are overwhelmed with negative emotions like fear, passivity, anger or sadness. Through funny and imaginative stories, along with the characters, they shall go through extraordinary episodes and interesting experiences that can help them in their everyday situations.

Picture books are also a very good tool for parents, educators and teachers as an educational resource with strong and meaningful messages that open the door to further discussions and learning.

Titles in the socio-emotional competencies series:

- Little Miss Yes / Gospođica Hoću**  
**ASSERTIVENESS or ASSERTIVE COMMUNICATION**
- Mister Cho and Miss Co / Gospodin Iz i gospođica Po**  
**RESPONSIBILITY or LEARNING ABOUT CHOICES AND CONSEQUENCES**
- Anna and mister Feareater / Ana i gospodin Strahojed**  
**SELF-CONFIDENCE and OVERCOMING FEAR**
- Maurice Angerpeace / Mirko Bjesomirko**  
**SELF-CONTROL or SELF-REGULATION**

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specifications

Authors: Tamara Vučković, Tihana Lipovec Fraculj  
Illustrations: Jelena Brezovec  
Binding: Hardcover  
Dimensions: 22×25 cm  
Pages: 32  
Ages: years 5-9  
Price of an individual picture book: 80 kn





Titles in the hygiene series:

**Stainy and Grimy on a Smelly Journey / Mrljek i Prljek na smrdljivom putovanju**

A story about unwashed hair

**Stainy and Grimy are cooking Trouble / Mrljek i Prljek mučkaju bljakavi napitak**

A story about a rotten tooth

**Stainy and Grimy Celebrate a Yucky Birthday / Mrljek i Prljek slave fujkasti rođendan**

A story about dirty hands

**Stainy and Grimy on a messy sleepover / Mrljek i Prljek na zbrčkanome prespavancu**

Story of a messy room

**Jelena Pervan** wrote three hilariously funny, entertaining, but also educational stories about hygiene where the lead roles belong to Stainy and Grimy.

These two naughty bacteria love everything that is stained, dirty, yucky, slimy and smelly. Besides all of that, Stainy and Grimy are a bit confused, mischievous, clumsy and awkward. They are mostly preoccupied with their own things and do whatever brings them the most joy. Due to their love for exaggeration, they get themselves in big trouble in the end.

In their adventures, Stainy and Grimy have found themselves atop little girl Rita's unwashed hair, on a rotten tooth of a boy Lovro, on little girl Nora's dirty hands and in little Pavla's messy room.

## specifications

Author: Jelena Pervan

Illustrator: Jelena Brezovec

Binding: Softcover

Dimensions: 21 × 27 cm

Pages: 20

Ages: years 4-8

Price of an individual picture book: 59 kn



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4 STORIES  
1 BOOK

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Author: Jelena Pervan  
Illustrator: Jelena Brezovec  
Binding: Hardcover  
Dimensions: 21 × 27 cm  
Pages: 84  
Ages: 4–8 years  
Price of the book: 210 kn

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**STAINY AND GRIMY**  
**The book of yucky stories about hygiene**

This special edition contains all 4 stories and also some fun additions that will make reading even more enjoyable and fun. This book is ideal for children who want to find what happens if they don't wash our hands, teeth, hair regularly or if they don't clean their room and stuff.





### Snorybear / Hrkalo

Snorybear is a story about dreamers and visionaries in our societies who are often misunderstood and unaccepted, but we need them because sometimes they are the ones that offer best solutions and ideas in difficult situations.

### Hrkalo i Kamilica / Snorybear and Camomile

In the second book Sonrybear is very famous and about to get the award as the loudest snorer in the world by the very important board of the world's best snorers. They announced their visit, forest animals were very excited and started to prepare everything for the big event, but nothing will go as planned. Suddenly, Snorybear stopped snoring, sleeping and dreaming ...



### Hrkalo i Drijemalo / Snorybear and Dreamybear

Snorybear and Dreamybear is a story about soulmates, friendship and positive emotions. It reflects the knowledge that hate and envy will never bring people together, but love and understanding as the greatest gifts one man can give to another.



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specifications

Author: Jelena Pervan  
Illustrator: Jelena Brezovec  
Pages: 32  
Binding: Hardcover  
Dimensions: 22 x 22 cm  
Ages: years 3-7

PHYSICAL ACTIVITY THROUGH FUN AND PLAY



### Felix's quest for great powers /Srećkoca potraga za velikim moćima

A little boy named Felix and his dog Šarenko are inviting boys and girls to join them in their quest for great powers and to have fun on that journey. This picture book is a fun guide for channelling excess energy or for boosting energy. It encourages children to exercise through games, adopt important life habits and build their self-confidence in a healthy way. On each page, there is an exercise that the children can do outside, in the park or on the playground, but also in their own rooms. This picture book also has a short board game for when taking a break from jumping and exercising.



specifications

Author: Smiljana Nedeljko  
Illustrations: Nina Kovačič  
Pages: 32  
Binding: Softcover  
Dimensions: 22x22 cm  
Ages: years 3-7  
Price: 89 kn

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Big educational colouring books are an interesting combination of illustrations for colouring, stories, tasks and board games!

Each colouring book has the following:

1. Drawing for colouring
2. Educational stories
3. Various tasks
4. Coloured board game

Main characters, little girl Vita and boy Maks, along with their cheerful companions, guide children through six topics:

#### GOOD MANNERS

Basic lessons on decent behaviour in everyday situations

#### NATURE'S FRIENDS

Basic lessons on ecology and preserving the environment

#### HEALTHY AND HAPPY

Basic lessons on adopting healthy life habits

#### FRIENDS AND FEELINGS

Basic lessons on socialization and tolerant behaviour

#### SAFE IN TRAFFIC

Basic lessons on safety of children as pedestrians in traffic

#### WHAT IS MONEY FOR?

Basic lessons on handling money responsibly

EDUCATIONAL • education through games for children aged 4-8

BIG • 35 x 48 cm, ideal for group work

FUN • characters and drawings designed for children

SMART • designed in cooperation with professionals

specifications

Author: Jelena Kovačić

Illustrations: Jelena Brezovec

Dimensions: 35 x 50 cm

Binding: softcover

Pages: 20

Price of an individual picture book: 40 kn

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Richly illustrated educational posters are ideal for learning and decorating walls!

\*Posters can be customized for a particular language and country.

specifications

Poster dimensions: A2, 42 x 59,4 cm  
Ages: years 3-7  
Illustrations: Jelena Brezovec  
Editor: Jelena Kovačić  
Price of an individual poster: 39,00 kn



### NUMBERS 1-10

"Numbers 1-10" poster provides children with a visual representation of symbols they need to learn before attending preschool kindergarten, and every symbol is accompanied with an illustration which serves both as a reminder and an association with a certain number. Illustrations also enable children to practise what they had learned as each number comes with exactly that many animals.



### ALPHABET

"Alphabet" poster provides children with a visual representation of symbols they need to learn in order to read and write, and every symbol is accompanied with an illustration which serves both as a reminder and an association with a certain letter.



### EMOTIONS

"How Do I Feel?" poster consists of 12 little boys and girls with different facial expressions. This poster helps children express their emotions and recognize how they feel, but also how people around them feel.

### MANNERS AND BEHAVIOUR

"I Behave Politely" poster teaches and reminds preschool children how to treat others with respect and appreciation through 12 most common, everyday situations.





### HYGIENE

The poster uses seven pictures to remind children about simple hygiene habits that are required in order for them to be healthy and clean.



### SAFE IN TRAFFIC

The poster consists of 10 most common traffic situations that teach child pedestrian the basics of proper and responsible traffic behaviour.

\*Packaging and sending the posters without damages

We send the posters in hard cardboard cones so that it would not get damaged or wrinkled during the shipping process. Cardboard cone is not separately charged.

## DECORATIVE PRINTS

For everybody who like our illustrations and those who wish to decorate their home, office, playroom or kindergarten, we have decided to print some original illustrations on fine paper in a limited amount and offer them with or without a frame. Decorative prints are an ideal gift for all occasions.

### specifications

Dimensions of all prints: 30 x 40 cm  
Illustrations: Jelena Brezovec  
Frame: wood, white  
Price without the frame: 85,00 kn  
Price with the frame: 135,00 kn





# ILLUSTRATION SERVICES

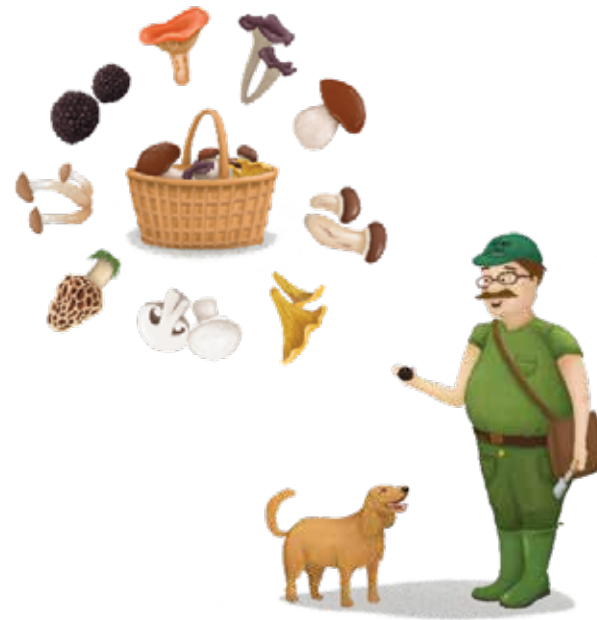
We also do illustration services for Croatian and international clients, by providing quality illustrations, visuals and concepts.

If you have an idea and looking for someone to breathe life into it, we are here to offer you a full creative solution for your picture book or any other material for children.

Here are some of the projects we did for others:

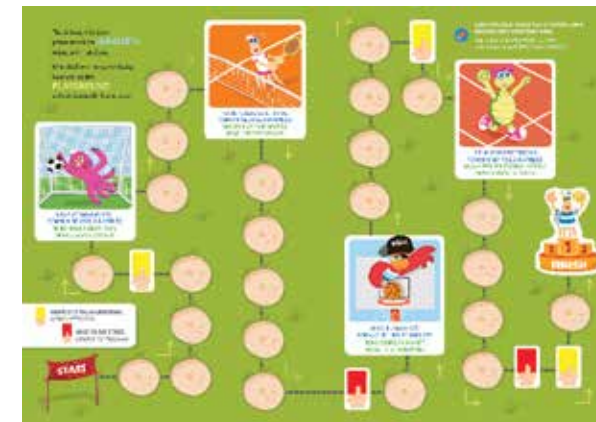


Project: illustrations for educational materials  
Client: Zigante tartufi d.o.o.



Project: illustrations  
Client: Bauerfeind

Project: picture book in four languages and a bilingual activity book  
Client: Valamar Riviera d.d.



Project: illustrations for handbook  
Client: Hrvatske vode - Legal entity for water management

## STORIES BUILD THE PATHS TO HEARTS

People have been telling stories since the beginning of time and our world. When they had nothing, they still had words to tell each other how do they feel, what they thought, what do they remember and what is important. And then the drawings came, followed by pictures and paintings, so stories could be told without a thousand words.

Nothing has really changed until today. Everything is a story. A story is a conversation with a cup of coffee, at the family table or a meeting. A story is a book or a picture book, a movie, photograph, presentation, music, play, song or a dance... Whatever we do, we always tell stories to each other. By talking, we share and exchange knowledge and experiences, our impressions and feelings.

Only by telling stories can we really connect with each other in our hearts. When our stories are positive and good, we shall touch that what is positive and good in people around us. And that will create friendships, love, respect, connections, trust and help.

It is not by chance that children love stories. Children know the quickest way to their own heart, as well as to the hearts of other. And everything shall be alright if we follow their example.

We hope that with everything that we do, we will find a way to your heart!

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