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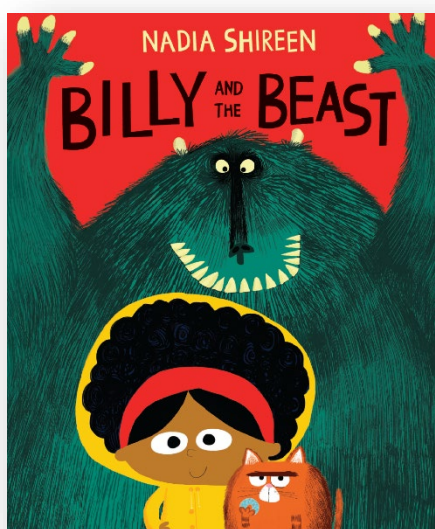
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Meet Billy! She's brilliant, loyal, and ever resourceful ... always sure to have a trick or two up her sleeve (or in her hair)!



- Refreshing, modern heroine: feisty and fun!
- Engaging, repetitive read-aloud text.
- Bold, energetic, and expressive artwork.
- Empowering but filled with humor.



Additional Information

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Support loyalty, courage, resourcefulness, preparedness, problem solving, taking initiative.

Traditional storylines given a modern twist!

Bold and cleverly designed illustrations capture characters' feelings and perspectives.

Friendly art style and humorous text convey nonthreatening, warm, whimsical story tone.

- **Provide opportunities for discussion**

- Explore how the stories are similar to fairy tales
- Discuss how the characters are described in the stories and how they behave; list their characteristics
- Look for new words in the text to build vocabulary; discuss word choices, onomatopoeia
- Consider how misunderstandings play a part in the stories
- Act out the stories

- **For the customer who likes:**

- *Beast Feast*
Emma Yarlett * 64-005-8
- *Barbara Throws a Wobbler*
Nadia Shireen * 64-225-0
- *The Prince and the Witch and the Thief and the Bears*
Alastair Chisholm * Jez Tuya * 67-849-0
- *The Tale of the Valiant Ninja Frog*
Alastair Chisholm * Jez Tuya * 64-179-6

