

Anna Pignataro

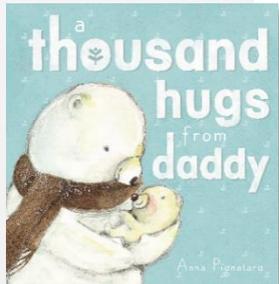
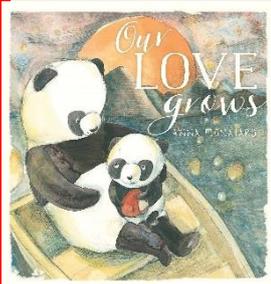
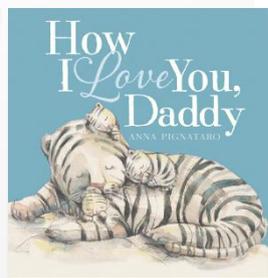
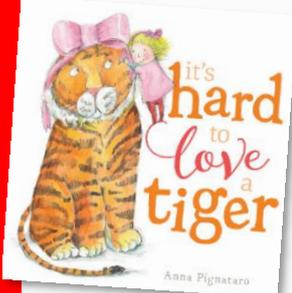
Author and Illustrator



PUBLICATIONS

It's Hard to Love a Tiger, 2018
A Thousand Hugs from Daddy, 2017
How I Love You, Daddy, 2016
Our Love Grows, 2015
How I Love You, Mummy, 2014
Forever, 2012

Princess & Fairy: Enchanting Carnival, 2012
Princess & Fairy: A Very Sparkly Christmas, 2012
Princess & Fairy: Fairytale Parade, 2011
Princess & Fairy: Twinkly Ballerina, 2010
Princess & Fairy: Most Charming Flower Girl, 2009
Princess & Fairy: Friends Forever, 2009
Brave Little Penguin, 2008
Princess and Fairy, 2007
Always, 2006
Little Red Bear, 2003
Dancing Night Tonight, 2003
Waiting for Mum, 2002



Anna Pignataro has been drawing since she was a small child and has always dreamed of illustrating fairytales. Now, she is the highly-acclaimed, best-selling author and illustrator of the *Always* and *Princess and Fairy* series. Anna has created over 60 children's books and was a joint winner of the Crichton Award for book illustration in 1998 for her first book and short-listed for Picture Book of the Year in 1999 by the Children's Book Council of Australia. Many of her books have featured on children's television programs like Play School and Wurraywhy. Anna's books have been published all over the world, including Romania, China, Taiwan, Malaysia, Turkey, Denmark, USA, France, UK Canada and Argentina and have been translated into twelve different languages.

Anna lives in Victoria with her husband and daughter and is often visited in her garden by a family of ducks, a very special blackbird and two little bunnies who hide in her herb garden. She is inspired by the little everyday things, her family, people she meets, the weather and nature and enjoys creating them in her stories. When she isn't busy writing and painting, you can find her reading, cooking, dancing, fortune-telling and watching movies.

AWARDS

Our Love Grows – Shortlisted for the 2015 Speech Pathology Australia Book of the Year Awards

Brave Little Penguin – CBCA Notable Book, Picture Book of the Year Awards, Early Childhood, 2008

Little Red Bear – Shortlisted for the 2003 Queensland Premier's Literary Awards, CBCA Awards Picture Book of the Year Notable, 2003

Waiting for Mum – CBCA Notable Book, Picture Book of the Year, 2002

LINKS

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