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Mysteries are all around us. The world, and the people in it, are a fascinating series of puzzles to solve, and you don't have to look far to find a problem that needs unpacking. What was in that letter your parent just opened? Why is your sibling acting so strangely? Why is your teacher suddenly obsessed with horses? Every one of us is a detective, whether we acknowledge it or not.

But it's especially fun to be given a set of made-up mysteries to solve. No real-world consequences, no annoyed adults, no interfering police. Just you and your brain as you try to work out what on earth could have happened.

This book gives you thirteen opportunities to do just that. Last time we brought you a set of chilly, festive crimes. This time you're baking in the sun, on a summer holiday mystery tour that will take you from a tropical resort to a caravan park, an airport to a pick-your-own farm. You'll go to weddings, plays and dance competitions, meet monsters (both real and metaphorical), chase down treasure and fall into worlds very different to our own. You'll meet new detectives and reconnect with old friends from our first collection, and together you'll come up against terrifyingly cunning and tricky criminals. But you're smart enough to outwit them all, right? I believe in you.

So happy sleuthing, Detectives.  
Enjoy your cruel summer

Robin S x



I can remember long, hot summers spent at home when I was growing up, bored and nothing interesting to do. My world and being me often felt not that great and so books were a fantastic escape, and trips to the library were just the best. Nothing beat escaping into a book and I especially loved the feeling of solving a mystery story, putting the puzzle together and seeing how the pieces fit.

I realise that I always related to the characters in stories who were a little bit different. I didn't know why back then but I've realised it's because I'm a little bit different too and I'm really proud of that because it's helped me to become a writer.

Stories show us that we might be different to each other, but we also might be the same, in big ways and small. We might appear to be one thing but we can also be many amazing things all at once.

I'm incredibly proud of the amazing cast of characters our brilliant authors have created in this collection of sizzling summer mysteries because they are each different in their own ways too. They all have their own quirks, interests, skills and personalities. What they share is a determination to find the truth and when I was reading the stories, I found myself loving each detective for so many reasons. Which one will be your favourite, I wonder? Happy reading!

Serena x





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