

Excellent Excuses (And Other Good Stuff) (Tom Gates)

Don't get bored - get busy! The must-have activity book for fans of Tom Gates: packed with drawing guides, fun games, brilliant puzzles and perfect pranks to play on older sisters - there's hours of fun ahead! Previously published in hardback in 2014 as The Brilliant World of Tom Gates Annual: now with added brand new pages from Liz.

Jingle bells, Jingle bells, smelly poo and bum! You can wait for Christmas but it's never going to come! When a miniature reindeer named Percy falls down the chimney of the Trubshaws' holiday cottage, the last thing they expect is to be whisked away to the distant planet of Yule-1 - the REAL home of Father Christmas, the elves, and his intrepid reindeer delivery teams. And what an amazing place it is - nobody minds being stuck there until the computer system has been mended. But the festive season is in danger! One rogue reindeer has teamed up with the evil Krampus to sabotage everything. Unless Percy and his new friends can track them down, there will be no Christmas this year - or EVER AGAIN! Illustrated in black and white by Neal Layton, this is destined to become a holiday favourite.

Gloriously silly comedy from Booker prize winner and bestseller Roddy Doyle. It's Christmas eve and Rudolph's got the flu! Will the big day be cancelled? Or can Rover the wonder-dog come to the rescue?

Exciting News! Mr Fullerman announces that class 5F are going on an 'Activity Break'! Which should be fun. As long as I don't get stuck in a group with anyone who snores or worse still with Marcus Meldrew.

The Great Reindeer Disaster

Tom Gates Random Acts of Fun

Tom Gates 2 Excellent Excuses

Tom Gates: Big Book of Fun Stuff

Tom Gates: Excellent Excuses (and Other Good Stuff)

Hilariously entertaining, this book will teach you that: you're unlikely to get away with pretending to be dead; it's better to dump someone with no excuse at all than to tell them it's because they only like early Radiohead; sometimes, giving a genuine excuse is far more embarrassing than saying nothing; pretending to be an answering machine is never going to be convincing; and you should never attempt to eat your underpants under any circumstances.

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After receiving the shock of a lifetime -- seeing his big sister, Delia, without her sunglasses on -- Tom is trying to gear himself up for sports day at school. It does not help that his dad is training for the parents' race on that day -- and plans to

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Rezoom

Tom Gates: Mega Make and Do and Stories Too!

DogZombies Rule (for Now)

Irritating his teachers with his lack of focus and creative excuses, Tom Gates spends his time drawing pictures and writing down observations about everything from his grumpy sister and annoying classmate to an unsatisfying camping trip.

Tom Gates is the master of excuses for late homework: dog attacks - spilt water - lightning... Tom's exercise book is full of his doodles and thoughts, as well as comments from his long-suffering teacher, Mr Fullerman.

When Mum and Dad forget it's half term, what's Tom going to do to keep busy over the break! A weeks' worth of drawing, doodling, games, stories and activities in this fantastic new illustrated offering from bestselling author of the Tom Gates series, Liz Pichon!

Little Croc loves his big brother, Boris. But lately Boris has been acting strangely. All he wants to do is eat and sleep and spend time with friends his own age - and he is SO grumpy. E-book edition of a brilliantly funny and reassuring tale about dealing with teenage siblings, written especially for little ones.

Tom Gates

Rover Saves Christmas

Tom Gates 15: What Monster?

Tom Gates: Extra Special Treats (. . . not)

Tom Gates #2

Tom's mum is madly gathering stuff from around the house to sell off at a boot sale. Tom's worried she might get rid of some of his prized things, but then again he might make a little money so scooter! Meanwhile, Business Day is coming up at school. Tom comes up with a brilliant idea for an item his team can sell for Business Day. But because he was busy doodling, Tom accidentally goes to another group. And Tom's sister Delia continues to be grumpy, but now she has a key to her bedroom. What is she keeping locked behind that door?

Middle-school comedian, homework dodger, rock-star wannabe, master doodler—Tom Gates is back with two more episodes full of visual humor and kid appeal. No school for two whole weeks! No homework for the good stuff, like finding new ways (so many!) to annoy his big sister, Delia. Or watching TV and eating caramel candy. Or most important, band practice for DOGZOMBIES in his best friend Derek's (not encouraging Derek's '60s-music-crazed dad). All that stands between this band and rock greatness is, well, a song (besides "Delia's a Weirdo"). And finding a drummer. And landing a gig. Will Tom's toothache and pesky overdue homework get in his way?

From the winner of the Roald Dahl Funny Prize, the Red House Children's Book Award, the Waterstones Children's Book Prize and the Blue Peter Best Story Book Award 2013, comes the seventh in the Tom Gates' adventures!

A BRILLIANT new TOM GATES book for World Book Day 2013 crammed with Tom's stories and doodles. It's BOOK WEEK in Oakfield school and EVERYONE is very excited. Including all the teachers, who are making costumes of their own. Mr Keen says there's an EXCELLENT prize on offer for BEST costumes worn on BOOK DAY. So suddenly making a good costume is VITALLY important, but tricky and needs a bit of help (as usual). Then Marcus decides that HE is a super hero and can't understand why 'Super Marcus' isn't the best name.

Tom Gates: Best Book Day Ever! (so far): World Book Day 2013

My Big Brother, Boris

Shoe Wars

Excellent Excuses

Learning the World

The next brilliant instalment of the fully-illustrated Tom Gates series will have readers cracking up!

Includes over 100 humorous excuses that can be used in school and at home, such as "I am motivationally challenged" and "I'm allergic to pencil lead."

This takes the form of Tom's battered homework diary - crammed with his doodles and stories. "Back to school, but it's not all bad. We're entering Rooster in a dog show, the School Disco and my birthday are coming up so this term's going to be amazing! Mostly because Delia's not invited to any of these. There's only one small problem with my birthday, Granny Mavis says she's going to cook . . . uh oh!"

Two new adventures starring the middle school comedian and master doodler find Tom happily embarking on a two-week break from school that is overshadowed by a killer toothache and a pesky overdue homework assignment.

Garfield's Big Book of Excellent Excuses

Everything's Amazing (Sort Of)

Tom Gates Music Book

A Tiny Bit Lucky

Family, Friends and Furry Creatures

No school for two whole weeks! Now Tom has plenty of time for the good stuff, like finding new ways (so many!) to annoy his big sister, Delia. Or watching TV and eating caramel candy. Or most important, band practice for DOGZOMBIES in his best friend

Having two sets of grandparents is turning out to be very good for me. The wrinklies (Mum's parents) are keen on giving presents and they're planning a family outing too, which is going to be epic. Delia wants to come as well (Why?) I can always ignore her.

Look out! Tom, Delia and the whole Gates family are going on holiday. How will Tom manage to keep himself busy on the most boring campsite ever? By doodling, of course!

An exciting new story - with doodle your own elements! - from award-winning and best-selling author Liz Pichon.

It's really cold outside and we're all hoping it's going to snow. Yeah! Derek and I could make a snow Rooster and have a snowball fight (look out, Delia!). Granny Mavis has started to knit me a new winter jumper, but by the looks of things I'm not sure it's going to fit. . .

Best Book Day Ever (so Far)

A Scientific Romance

Genius Ideas

Excellent Excuses (and Other Good Stuff)

The Brilliant World of Tom Gates

The brand new, laugh-out-loud, spectacular, stand-alone story from multi-million-copy bestselling author, Liz Pichon. Welcome to Shoe Town - and meet Ruby and Bear Foot. They are running out of time to rescue their inventor dad from his hideous boss, Wendy Wedge. She'll do ANYTHING to win the glitzy Golden Shoe Award and knows that entering flying shoes is her hot ticket to the trophy. Flying shoes that Ruby and Bear just happen to be hiding... Get ready for a gadget-

packed, wedge-of-your-feet adventure like no other!

Tom has a fractured ankle . . . can he come up with fun stuff to do until the cast comes off? Tom Gates has fractured his ankle and is totally FED UP. That is until he starts to think up fun stuff to do while he's waiting for the cast to come off: making up a secret language with Norman; having his friends over to try out his crutches; sitting by the window spying on his street; and most of all, trying to get his hands on a caramel doughnut from the new bakery in town.

For use in schools and libraries only. A two-week break from school enables middle school comedian, homework dodger, rock-star wannabe and master doodler Tom Gates to plot new ways to annoy his big sister. By the award-winning creator of The Brilliant World of Tom Gates.

In the next hilarious instalment of Tom Gates, Mr Fullerman has a class assignment: a family tree! Tom's ready to learn all about the Gates family, his friends and a furry creature (or two!). But just what *is* that squeaking sound coming from Tom's shoes?

Excuses for Every Occasion . . .

Tom Gates 14: Biscuits, Bands and Very Big Plans

Excellent Excuses (and Other Good Stuff) (re-Release)

Epic Adventure (kind Of)

Humanity has spread to every star within 500 light-years of its half-forgotten origin, coloring the sky with a haze of habitats. Societies rise and fall. Incautious experiments burn fast and fade. Less modified humans get on with the job of settling a universe that has, so far, been empty of intelligent life. The ancient starship *But the Sky, My Lady! The Sky!* is entering orbit around a planetary system after a four hundred year journey. For its long-lived inhabitants, the centuries have been busy. Now a younger generation is eager to settle the system. The ship is a seed-pod ready to land. They detect curious electromagnetic emissions from the system's Earth-like world. As the nature of the signals becomes clear, the choices facing the humans become stark. On Ground, second from the sun, a young astronomer searches for his system's outermost planet. A moving point of light thrills, then disappoints him. It's only a comet. His physicist colleague Orro takes time off from his flying-machine to calculate the comet's trajectory. Something is very odd about that comet's path. They are not the only ones for whom the world has changed. "We are not living in the universe lived in yesterday. We have to start learning the world all over again." At the Publisher's request, this title is being sold without Digital Rights Management Software (DRM) applied.

End the cycle of relapse and yo-yo dieting to create sustained weight loss and lasting recovery by embracing a total reframe on food addiction from the New York Times best-selling author of *Eating*. "An excellent guide. Susan Peirce Thompson provides a practical plan for change. This book is a roadmap to better eating habits and a better life." -- James Clear, #1 New York Times best-selling author of *Atomic Habits* Do you think excessively about your food and weight? Are you plagued by food cravings? Do you wonder how other people get "full" so quickly while you just want to eat? You're not alone. You're able to go long stretches with your program, only to crash and burn and have to dig out of the ditch-yet again? Not only is food addiction very real, it's the hardest addiction to beat. It's so demoralizing. But there is a solution. With her groundbreaking *Rezoom Reframe*, Susan Peirce Thompson, Ph.D., founder of Bright Line Eating, offers a new way to conceptualize food recovery. She outlines the essential steps to avoiding the short-lived highs and vicious lows of relapse by helping you understand the psychological and biological origins of addiction and then giving you the system to overcome it. Woven throughout are lessons from Everett Considine, acclaimed Internal Family Systems practitioner, to help you overcome your inner resistance so you can finally stay on track in those moments of sabotage. It is possible to live free from the tyranny of relapse. Let Susan and Everett help you to permanently unshackle yourself, find the sustainable way to manage your food, and enjoy your life. The bestselling fully-illustrated Tom Gates series is back with a new book! This book is VERY important because it contains BISCUITS, BANDS and all my (doodled) plans to make DogZombies the best band in the world.

Tom Gates is back ... and at the top of his class (nearly) From Tom: TIPS FOR BEING TOP OF THE CLASS (Sadly...I did NONE of these things.) 1. Stay awake in lessons (it helps.) 2. Don't draw HILARIOUS pictures of your teachers. 3. AVOID the class bully to stay out of trouble. 4. Don't let Mum and Dad write ANYTHING in your school planner. 5. Don't let your grumpy sister Delia BOYBOSS around. (Technically not a school issue - but still important.) I'm TRYING to get voted onto the school council as well - but thanks to the ABOVE list it's not exactly going to plan. This ninth bestselling Tom Gates series is packed with cheeky antics and hilarious doodles! Plus: a doodle-filled glossary that will help Canadian kids make sense of British terms (what IS a caramel wafer, a

Tom Gates 7: A Tiny Bit Lucky

Spectacular School Trip (Really)

The Powerful Reframe to End the Crash-and-Burn Cycle of Food Addiction

Tom Gates is Absolutely Fantastic (at some things)

Tom Gates That's Me! (Books One, Two, Three)

Here's my excellent plan to make Dogzombies the best band in the whole wide world! How hard can it be? Right. Now I'm going to: 1. Write more songs.

(not about teachers.) 2. Make a spectacular music video. (easy.) 3. Get some sleep. (tricky when you're being kept awake by loud noises.) 4. Annoy

Delia. (nothing to do with Dogzombies but always fun).

In winning a medal she is no longer there to receive, a tight-lipped little Polish girl teaches her classmates a lesson. Includes a note from the author's daughter, Helena Estes.

Tom Gates Excellent Excuses (And Other Good Stuff) Candlewick Press (MA)

The seventeenth laugh-out-loud, fully illustrated Tom Gates adventure! Tom's doing everything possible to stay out of trouble but somehow he's got THREE sad faces on the school achievement chart! And getting another sad face means Mr Fullerman won't let him go on the SCHOOL TRIP! Moany Marcus Meldrew is making things worse and now Tom's annoyed his grumpy sister Delia. Can his best friend Derek help? Will Rooster the dog stop eating his homework?

Yes! No. (Maybe...)

Tom Gates 2: Excellent Excuses (And Other Good Stuff)

The Hundred Dresses

The Book of Big Excuses

Top of the Class (Nearly)

Pass your level 1 music test with Tom Gates! From DogZombies to Dude3, music is a HUGE part of the Tom Gates world. Learn how to play all your favourite songs from the series with REAL notation for: Guitar Ukulele Piano Recorder And with notation for drums and tips and tricks for vocals!

It's a British invasion! Fans of the Wimpy Kid will love the energetic doodles and entertaining escapades of Tom Gates, now in a spectacular boxed set. Middle-school comedian, homework dodger, rock-star wannabe, master doodler. There's only one kid who fits this description: Tom Gates, the sensation from across the pond and star of these hilarious adventures. Now collected in one brilliant boxed set with a bonus locker-size poster that American homework avoiders can color themselves, Tom's antics are more enjoyable than ever. It will take more than grumpy older sisters, killer toothaches, and math lessons to stop Tom—not to mention his band, DogZombies—from becoming a hit. Includes books 1 through 3, in paperback: The Brilliant World of Tom Gates Tom Gates: Excellent Excuses (and Other Good Stuff) Tom Gates: Everything's Amazing (Sort Of) Bonus! The Great Locker Doodle of Tom Gates poster

Super Good Skills (Almost...)