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- **books for beginner readers**
- **making reading FUN**
- **adapted for children with dyslexia**

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# With My Bear I Have No Fear



Jack likes to eat the apple die because it's nice and sweet.



But parrot soup he'll never eat, he'll rather sit and cry.



(pie), (carrot)

**Author:** Mojiceja Podgorsek

**Illustrated by:** Polona Lovsin

**Imprint:** Playful reading

**Format:** 21 x 26,7 cm, hardbound

**No. of pages:** 48

**Age:** 7-9

**Awards:** Best Slovene Illustrated Children's Book of the Year Award, 2007, shortlisted

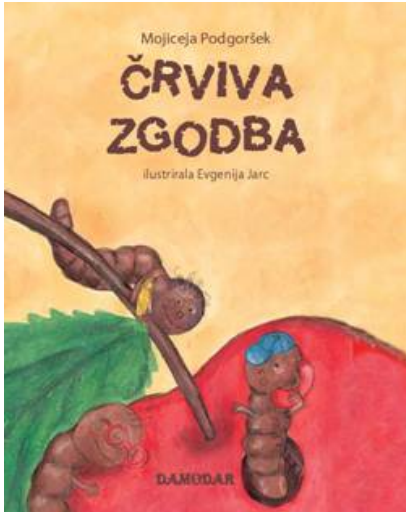
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***With My Bear I Have No Fear*** is an amusing book for beginner readers, but especially for children that find reading a difficult task. It contains several deliberate mistakes in the text (eg. She tells a furry joke...). The child has to find and correct the mistake and as a reward he gets a cardboard teddy-bear (32 teddy-bears are an extra to the book). The teddy-bears also serve as an impetus for the child to continue reading.

A special addition to the book are a number of adaptations, made in cooperation with special pedagogists, which make it suitable for children

with dyslexia – hence the  logo in the book. Here you can look inside the book: <http://www.damodar.si/listajmedo.php>

# The Wormy Story



**Author:** Mojiceja Podgoršek  
**Illustrated by:** Evgenija Jarc  
**First published:** 2008  
**Imprint:** Playful reading  
**Format:** 21 x 26,7 cm, hardbound  
**No. of pages:** 40  
**Age:** 7-9



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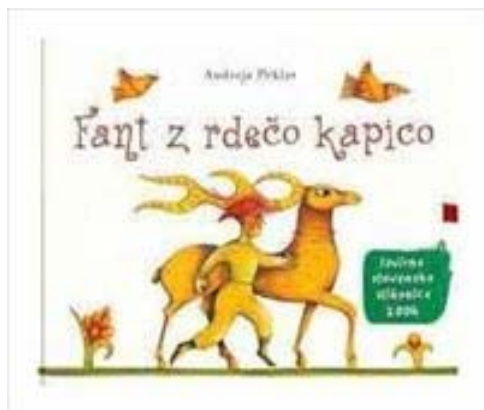
***Wormy Story*** is the second book in the series of books, designed for beginner readers and children who find reading a challenge.

It's a lovely story of four cute worms with different natures trying to get their desired fruits. At the end they hide in the book to survive a cold winter and eat a couple of letters (here you get actual **holes** in the book, serving as a writing practice as well).

The words that children often spell wrongly have been marked double-color to help the child read more easily and correctly.

Here you can look inside the book: <http://www.damodar.si/listajcrv.php>

# The Boy With A Little Red Hood



**Author:** Andreja Peklar

**Illustrated by:** Andreja Peklar

**First published:** 2005

**Age:** 5-9

**Awards:** Best original Slovenian illustrated children's book, 2006; Selected title of the White Ravens, 2006

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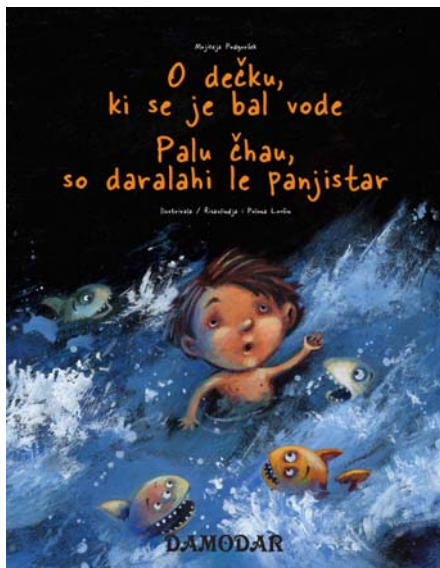
## **Fant z rdečo kapico (The Boy With a Little Red Hood)**

Inspired by images on a golden vase from the Hallstatt culture (ca. 1,200-500 B.C), the author tells an **ecological tale** about a stag with golden antlers who destroys the fields and gardens in a wealthy kingdom to take revenge for the human exploitation of nature. The protagonist, a boy with a little red hat, manages to mediate between the human beings and the animals by convincing the people that they should live in peace with their animal neighbours. A literary fairy tale, presented as a **concertina book** with a series of pictures and illustrations in shades of red, yellow, and gold.

Look inside the book:

[http://www.childrenslibrary.org/icdl/BookReader?bookid=pekfant\\_00770001&twoPage=false&route=simple\\_84\\_0\\_0\\_English\\_34\\_1&size=0&fullscreen=false&pnum1=1&lang=Slovenian&ilang=English](http://www.childrenslibrary.org/icdl/BookReader?bookid=pekfant_00770001&twoPage=false&route=simple_84_0_0_English_34_1&size=0&fullscreen=false&pnum1=1&lang=Slovenian&ilang=English)

**Coming up:**



## **The Boy That Feared Water**

A story in the series of children that are different. A gypsy boy is scorned by his classmates for always being dirty. When he overcomes his fear of water to help a peer in need the other children accept him in their midst.

The Slovene edition comes with the Gypsy-language translation.

A touching story for children 5-9.