



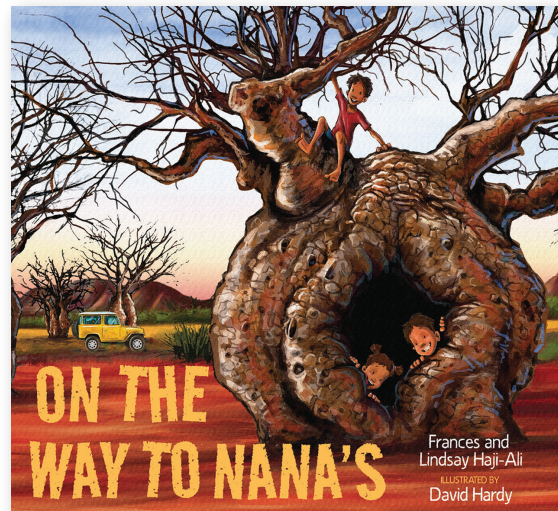
## ON THE WAY TO NANA'S

### A spectacular family adventure counting backwards across the Kimberley

Frances and Lindsay Haji-Ali take us counting backwards from fifteen to one on this spectacular journey in the far north of WA. When Frances and Lindsay lived with their family in Broome, they often set out to visit Nana in the tiny outback town of Wyndham over 1,000km north. These road trips took them across the magnificent Kimberley landscape and inspired this counting story.

*On the way to Nana's* is a standout counting book. Counting backwards from 'fifteen to one' is a challenging concept for children to grasp. Each double-page spread includes numbers and words and will enthral readers, parents and educators as they find and count the objects on each page.

From bulging boabs and proud brumbies to weary travellers, flying magpie geese and flowing waterfalls, David Hardy's striking illustrations capture the awe and excitement of this special family adventure.



#### The authors

Lindsay Haji-Ali (top right) is a descendant of the Yawuru/Karajarri people of the West Kimberley region of Western Australia. He is an accomplished artist and his designs and artworks are held in private and corporate collections.

Frances Haji-Ali (bottom left) is an educator. She has worked in Catholic schools across the Kimberley and is currently a school principal in Perth, Western Australia.

*On the way to Nana's* is their first collaboration.



#### The illustrator

David Hardy has worked in feature films with Walt Disney Animation Studios and is now a senior gaming animator-illustrator in Sydney. He is the author-illustrator of the celebrated children's books *Alfie's Search for Destiny* (Magabala Books 2013) and *Alfie's Big Wish* (Magabala Books 2014).

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