

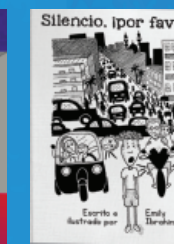
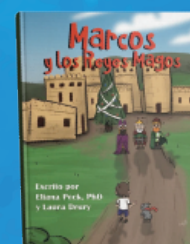
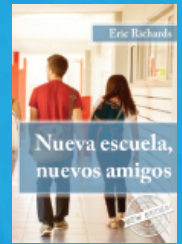
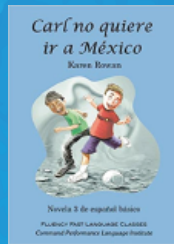
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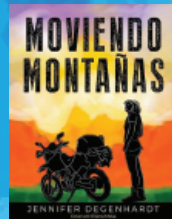


Itipurú y el monstruo del océano
by Margarita Pérez García

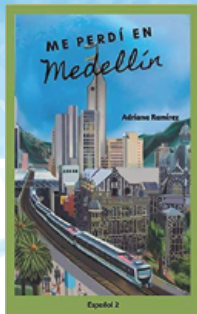
A captivating and beautifully illustrated story for learners of Spanish! Itipurú is the smallest chick of a blue penguin colony in New Zealand. Itipurú wants to be independent and swim and hunt for food like the older chicks, but he is still moulting and is grounded ashore. If he goes into the sea with baby feathers he will die of cold. When an earthquake shatters the island, all the animals that can swim flee, leaving Itipurú behind. Now he must reach the colony to survive, but will he make it with a vicious sea monster between him and his family? Just 80 new vocabulary words.



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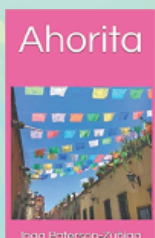
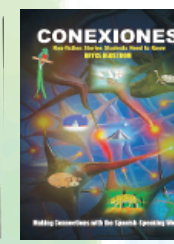
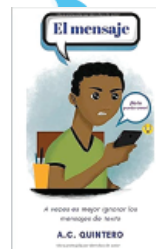


Spanish Books level 2



Me perdí en Medellín by Adriana Ramirez

Medellín through the eyes of a young, lost tourist becomes more than its famous tourist attractions. He experiences the customs and cultural values and way of being of the people, as he is enfolded into everyday life. This is the heart of the book: demonstrating the true quality of life of the people of Medellín. Ramirez takes the reader on an authentic tour of real Medellín, Colombia, that inspires the desire to be instantly whisked there.

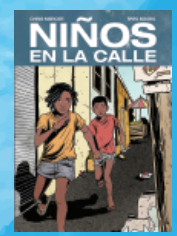
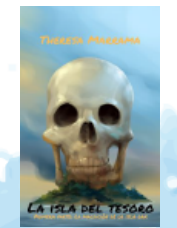
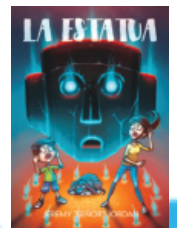


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Pintando con las manos by Rachel Emery

Miriam lives in her own little world. She is deaf, and in the early 1980s in Nicaragua, there are not many opportunities for deaf children. Miriam uses some simple gestures with her family to meet her basic needs, but her family wishes she could learn Spanish. Her family wonders if she will ever really be able to communicate with them. When she gets an invitation to a special new school that promises to teach her Spanish, not all goes as planned... Pintando con las manos is a fully illustrated graphic novella written for intermediate learners of Spanish. Glossary is included.

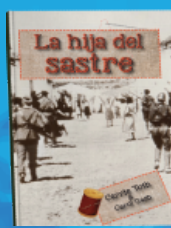
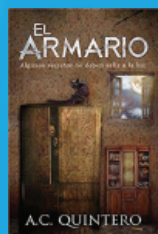


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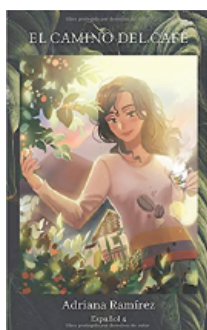


El Callejón del Beso by Karen Rowan

El Callejón del Beso is a well-known legend from Guanajuato, México that took place in an alleyway that was so narrow that two people could stand on the balconies on either side and kiss. Don Luis and Doña Carmen meet and fall in love in Guanajuato, but their love is forbidden in the Mexico of 200 years ago. She is the daughter of a wealthy man and he is a miner in the silver mines. Will they find a way to run away together and marry?



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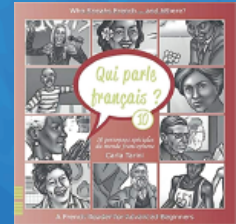
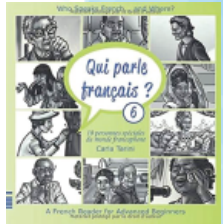


El Camino del Café by Adriana Ramirez

For decades, Colombian coffee has been known worldwide as the best and the smoothest. According to experts, Colombian beans have the perfect attributes. Through the stories of an elder and the experience of a young college graduate who does not want to inherit the family business, this story will carry the reader through an exploration of the history of coffee and an appreciation of the depth of the roots of the Colombian coffee plants. Will she leave to explore the future she desires, or stay to run the family business? El camino del café is a story that will inspire a craving for the perfect cup of coffee.



French books

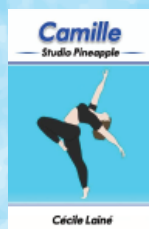
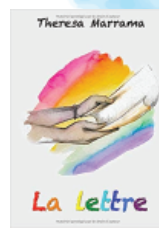
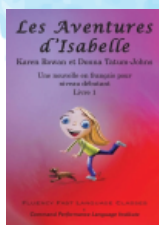
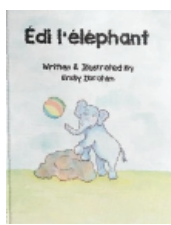
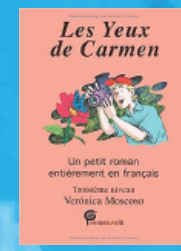


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Les Trois Amis by Jennifer Degenhardt

Three teens: one girl, two boys. Two friends to start. Then three. Then two. As if teenage friendships aren't hard enough... Marissa and Jack have been best friends for as long as they can remember, only having troubles when Jack wasn't always honest about himself. Despite their differences, however, their friendship endures. But that friendship is challenged when a new student, Julien, moves to town and upsets the longstanding dynamic between Marissa and Jack. Through an uncomplicated plot learn how the teens navigate some fairly complex

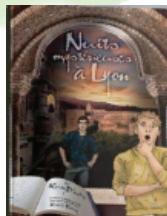
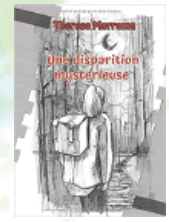
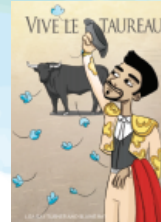
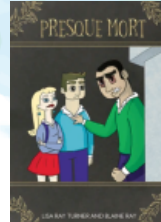
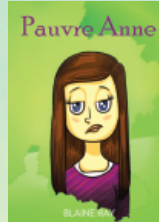


French books



Juliana by Margarita Pérez García & Rosana Navarro

An easy French reader for language learners with less than 130 word families plus a few that are similar in both French and English. Juliana is special - a rare albino bat who lives with her brother in a secret cave in Spain. But Juliana is unhappy. She doesn't seem to fit with her bat colony. Not only does she look different but she does everything differently. Far-fetched plans and crazy ideas, that's her! One day, she feels a strange vibration coming from outside the cave. What is it? She senses danger but no one will listen. Juliana sets off to investigate and is drawn into an adventure that takes her far beyond the safety of her cave. Will she survive? Can she use her special abilities to save her colony from destruction?



L'île au trésor by Theresa Marrama

Daniel is spending another summer in Canada where he recently stumbled upon an old map of Oak Island. From the moment he found the map, Daniel was intrigued. He learned that his grandfather knew something about the Oak Island treasure and now Daniel is determined to find out how he knows so much. Strange occurrences make Daniel believe that someone is trying to steal the map. But who? Daniel sets out to learn more about the map and its past. Will he uncover the truth? And what will he learn about the real treasure?

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