

Ricky Gervais

Actor / Writer / Performer

Meanwhile, in the publishing world, Ricky was busy with the conception of the hugely successful Flanimals series, now brought to life in a fabulous pop-up. While aimed at younger readers, the richness of the illustrations and the inventiveness of the text give it universal appeal.

Ricky Gervais has co-authored AN IDIOT ABROAD and THE FURTHER ADVENTURES OF AN IDIOT ABROAD with Karl Pilkington which have both been UK chart bestsellers.



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Publications

Children's

Publication Details	Notes
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<p>Flanimals POP UP 2009 Walker Books</p>	<p>he world of Flanimals, madcap creation of comedian and actor Ricky Gervais, is perfectly realized in this lavish pop-up book. From Flanimal evolution and behaviour to Flanimals of the air and of the deep, all aspects of Flanimal life are open to exploration through huge pop-ups and intricate flaps. Perfect for all ages, Flanimals Pop-Up is the ideal introduction to the Flanimal kingdom and the perfect gift for Flanimal lovers everywhere.</p>
<p>Flanimals: The Day of the Bletchling 2007 Faber Children's Books</p>	<p>The latest volume in the glorious bestiary "Flanimals" features the prolific class of flying, crawling invertebrates collectively known as Blugs - The endless variety of Movs, Bants and Zubs. The metamorphosis from Monk Worm to Frag Drier, and the evil incarnate that is the Bletchling. The book is a compulsive bed-time reading for children and disturbed adults alike - Night, night - And mind the Blugs don't bite.</p>
<p>FLANIMALS OF THE DEEP 2007 Faber Children's Books</p>	<p>All Flanimal life started in the water. Things start better wet. A guide to Flanimal evolution, Flantation and the big, mental Flanisaur, this work helps you learn how Mulgis became Krudges then Scrundlers, Widdles and Wumpfs, and finally Spluffs.</p>
<p>MORE FLANIMALS 2005 Faber Children's Books</p>	<p>New Flanimals! - Spotter's Guide; Evolutionary Chart; Flanatomy for Beginners A new bestseller from the pen of Ricky Gervais. It's Flanimals galore as Ricky Gervais's second book on this species takes students to a higher level. For serious flanophiles,</p>
<p>FLANIMALS 2004 Faber and Faber</p>	<p>If you've ever wondered how The Plamglotis gets from A to B, or what Munty Flumple really, really likes, then Flanimals will prove the perfect user-friendly guide.</p>

Non-Fiction

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<p>The Further Adventures of An Idiot Abroad 2012 Canongate</p>	<p>The nation's favourite idiot is back. Safely home from his latest travels, Karl has decided it is time to share his hard-earned wisdom of the world. Taking the Bucket List of '100 Things to Do Before You Die' as his starting point, Karl combines brilliant stories from his recent adventures to Alaska, Siberia and beyond with entertaining, highly-opinionated views on what other people aspire to do with their lives. * Why on earth would anybody want to run with the bulls in Pamplona? * Go 'storm chasing' through Tornado Alley? * Have lunch with the Queen? * Or touch hands with the Pope? The Further Adventures of An Idiot Abroad is a fitting finale to two years of eventful globe-trotting. Frank, funny and strangely inspiring, this is Karl's final word on travel.</p>
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**An Idiot Abroad:
The Travel Diaries
of Karl Pilkington**
2010
Canongate

'He'd have been happier in medieval times in a village where you didn't travel beyond the local community.' Stephen Merchant
Karl Pilkington isn't keen on travelling. Given the choice, he'll go on holiday to Devon or Wales or, at a push, eat English food on a package holiday in Majorca. Which isn't exactly Michael Palin, is it? So what happened when he was convinced by Ricky Gervais and Stephen Merchant to go on an epic adventure to see the Seven Wonders of the World? Travel broadens the mind, right? You'd think so...Find out in Karl Pilkington's hilarious travel diaries.

**THE WORLD OF
KARL PILKINGTON**
2008
HarperPerennial

A collection of the best moments from the 'Ricky Gervais Show' podcasts -- the world's number one podcast -- with additional musings and original drawings by Karl Pilkington, the show's unlikely star. Karl Pilkington, the Confucian like savant of the Ricky Gervais Podcast show, has led an extraordinary and curiously individual life.
