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THE UNDERWEAR MYSTERY

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- A book series of stand-alone novels with coloured illustrations and a grid to fit every children's progress and develop their appetite for reading.
- The crazy investigations of four pupils at elementary school.
- An exciting adventure inspired by a true story and written by a teacher!

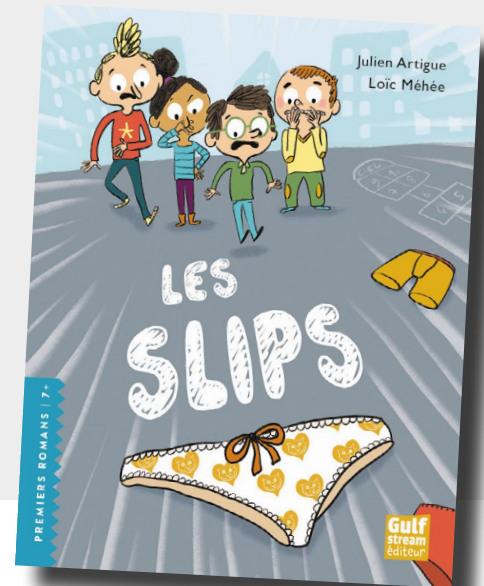
They can remember it perfectly : Lucas, and his three associates found the first one on a Thursday. Between the lost pens and used tissues, Bastien picked a pair of underwaer from under his desk. This deserves a crisis meeting in the toilet during recess! They come to the conclusion that it can only belong to one person: their teacher Mrs. Lafrape. They decide to discreetly give her back, but the following week, a second pair of pants appears under the same circumstances... And this is only the beginning of a long series of lost pants! Lucas, Elisa, Bastien and Nico will investigate to solve the "underwear mystery".

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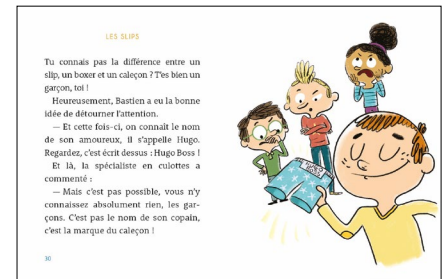
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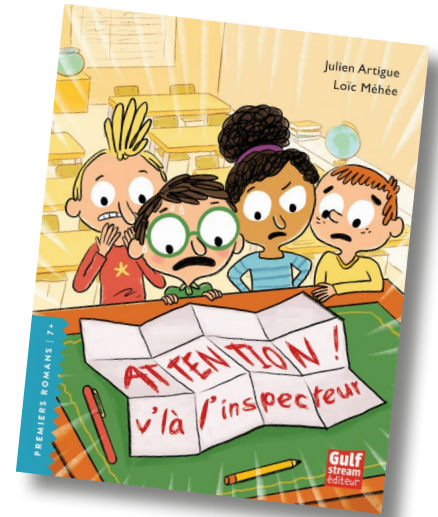
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THE INSPECTOR IS COMING!

The Underwear gang is on alert! Lucas has read the notes exchanged between their teacher and the headmistress and... a school inspector is to come to their class on the 22nd! Is it because of Bastien who cheated during the last test? Or Nico who stole a paper clip? Or maybe Lucas, who stuck a piece of gum under his table? The four friends are convinced that the inspector is there for them...

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HELP! WHERE IS THE BLACKBOARD?

Lucas and his mates are puzzled: their classroom's blackboard has disappeared! The only possible explanation is that Mrs. Lafrape is retiring and she took it back with her. At lunchbreak the gang decides to persuade her to stay. What they want to avoid at all costs is the return of her horrid substitute...

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THE IMPROBABLE CHRISTMAS SURPRISE

Mrs. Lafrape asks her pupils to write an essay on the question: Where would you like to go for the Christmas holidays? For Nico, it's obvious: the teacher lacks inspiration and she is trying to find ideas for the next school trip! A zoo, an amusement park, a visiting a farm and cheese tasting cheese... The possibilities are endless! Lucas and his friends are determined to convince the teacher. Get all your tricks ready!

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WHAT A CARNIVAL!

A costume contest has been organized for the carnival! The best part is that the teacher is going to award a mysterious prize to the winner. While his friends are getting excited about the event, Lucas starts on creating a new costume. There's no way he is going to wear his cousin's horrible penguin costume like last time!

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THE SWIMMING TRUNKS

The whole class is going to the seaside! It's going to be awesome! Well, not quite... Rumour has it that slow dancing will be compulsory at the party thrown during the trip... Worst thing ever! But Lucas and the boys in his gang have an infallible plan: they will turn themselves into such disgusting and repulsive beings that none of the girls will want to dance with them.

Release Date: June 2021



COMPETITION, RACLETTE CHEESE AND SNOWBALLS

Lucas and his friends are delighted: they are going on a ski trip. Despite a hike on the mountain and a good raclette cheese meal, Bastien and Nico are bored... and suggest to organize their own Olympic games! Teaming up with Elisa, Lucas is determined to crush his opponents. Figure skating, ice hockey, cross-country skiing... Games after games, the four friends show off their tricks and unexpected talents. The race is fierce: Who will be crowned the winner of the competition?

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