

Recommended Resources

Trade news for English language books:

- The Bookseller (UK): <https://www.thebookseller.com>
- BookBrunch (UK): <http://www.bookbrunch.co.uk>
- Publishers Weekly (US): <https://www.publishersweekly.com>
- Kirkus Reviews (US): <https://www.kirkusreviews.com>

Recommended publishing directory:

- **The Writers' and Artists' Yearbook** published by Bloomsbury Publishing. Updated annually: www.writersandartists.co.uk

Social media:

- For a list of 500 most influential children's publishing Twitter accounts in the UK and Ireland, please visit: <http://www.spoiltchild.com/picturebook-childrens-publishing-influencers-uk-ireland.htm>

Finding translators:

- The Bologna Children's Book Fair: <http://www.bolognachildrensbookfair.com/en/focus-on/translators-centre/world-directory-of-childrens-book-translators/world-directory-search/1079.html>
- The Society of Authors: <https://www.societyofauthors.org/Our-Members/Translator-Search>
- WorldKidLit has recommended readers and translators for translating into English: https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1lDe-PhWPRZfEuli8Zi_dqiKLaY7Kfx8rjggmq05Cas/

Finding publishers and editors to pitch your books to:

- Try starting with the publishers you regularly buy rights from. You will know those publishers' lists best and be able to consider which of your titles will be a good fit.
- Check directories with publisher listings. This includes looking at who attended book fairs (Bologna Children's Book Fair, Frankfurt Book Fair and London Book Fair being the biggest), and also **The Writers' and Artists' Yearbook** detailed above.
- Consider using a rights agency. There are some companies that specialise in selling rights to UK publishers.

Information about funding opportunities:

- The most up-to-date information about grants will be available through each country's arts organisation (many of which are provided in these resources). This can be tricky to navigate if you don't speak the language, but you can ask your translator for assistance. Note that for languages that are spoken in multiple countries (e.g. Spanish), you may need to apply for a grant from the institute of the book's country of origin.

Organisations and prizes that highlight great international children's books:

- Astrid Lindgren Memorial Award (ALMA): <http://www.alma.se/en/>
- Hans Christian Andersen Awards: <http://www.ibby.org/awards-activities/awards/hans-christian-andersen-awards/>
- The International Board of Books for Young People (IBBY): <http://www.ibby.org/>
- The White Ravens: <https://www.ijb.de/en/reference-library/white-ravens-online.html>

Other organisations involved in translation

- The British Council: <https://literature.britishcouncil.org/>
- The Children's Bookshow: www.thechildrensbookshow.com
- English PEN: <http://www.englishpen.org>
- Free Word: www.freewordcentre.com
- Global Literature in Libraries Initiative: <https://glli-us.org/>
- Literature Across Frontiers: <https://www.lit-across-frontiers.org/>
- Outside in World: <http://www.outsideinworld.org.uk>
- Words Without Borders: <https://www.wordswithoutborders.org>

Other sources of information

- WorldKidLit: <https://worldkidlit.wordpress.com>

Note: all links are correct as of March 2019.