

# THE ICE MONSTER

(A non picture book by Alex and Amelia.)

## Chapter One

### SO COLD

It was a cold and misty day. Winter had just hit, but it felt like it had been here forever. School had been cancelled all week due to heavy snows. Everyone was freezing to death, but the ice monster was loving it. He loved the smell of people freezing to death and he knew he had to keep winter here forever to stay happy.

A few weeks later it was heating up. The ice monster hated it so much he just wanted to freeze everyone but then he had a thought. *I could go to the ice monster library and search up a spell to keep winter here forever.* So that is exactly what he did.

The internet said, *To keep winter's chill here, collect a piece of snow and put it in a potion.*

So, he thought to himself, *what potion could I use?*

"I can answer that question," said a deep squeaky voice.

The ice monster jumped in surprise and when he turned around he saw the Ice Queen.

"Come to my palace tomorrow at noon," said the Ice Queen.

The ice monster replied, "Will do, your highness."

Noon the next day, the ice monster was standing in the Queen's palace. The Ice Queen had a potion ready to go. Holding a hand full of snow the ice monster walked towards the Queen.

"Place the snow into the potion," said the Queen, "then repeat after me... *anna do a magic spella and keep winter's chill here for eternity.*"

After the ice monster repeated the magic words, the Ice Queen then said, "Now it is going to start getting colder by the day. That's how you know that the spell is working. So make sure no one messes up the spell or winter won't stay here forever."

## Chapter Two

### INTRODUCING ISABELLA

Meanwhile, back in the village there was a young girl named Isabella. Isabella had been noticing the change in the weather and Isabella knew exactly what was going on. She knew for three reasons.

1. She had been standing in the library.
2. She is clever, and

3. She had been through this before.

Isabella had moved from her old town Metrobury, to here, because there was an ice monster at her old town whose spell had worked. Isabella knew she needed to stop the spell but she had no idea how to and the nearest library was five miles away. She thought for hours. After six hours she knew she had to save her town so she told her mum and dad. They were sad and worried but they knew she made the right decision. Isabella decided she was going to head off first thing in the morning.

### Chapter three - **SAVE THE DAY**

Isabella woke up to a snow storm. She then had second thoughts, but she knew she had to save to day so, she lifted up her animal backpack, said goodbye to her mum and dad and set off.

It was cold and windy outside. She was going to turn back but she couldn't. By the time Isabella got to where the potion was she only had one hour to stop it.

Isabella thought, *Maybe I could put some warm in it and that would stop the coldness.*

So that is exactly what she did.

The next day Isabella woke up to no snow, just sunshine.

"It worked!" she cried.

### Chapter Four - **WELCOME HOME**

Isabella walked into the lounge room. The lights were turned off. She flicked the switch...

**"Surprise!!!!!!"**

All of Isabella's friends and family jumped out.

"Welcome home!" shouted her mum and dad.

Startled, Isabella said, "Thank you to all of you!"

"No, thank YOU! You saved us from moving again," said her mum.

"It wasn't hard at all," she replied. "Also, can I go change out of my PJ's?"

Everyone laughed.

"Of course," said her mum, "then we can dance!"

**the end**

