

Discover the World with Barbie®





Follow the adventures of Barbie as she travels to different countries around the globe. In Russia Barbie watches a ballet and in Hollywood she makes a film. Learn about the people she meets, the places she visits and the customs she experiences. Every issue comes with a fantastic costume for the reader's own Barbie doll.

KEY FEATURES INCLUDE:

- Fascinating facts
- Colour photographs Pretty pictures to
- colour in
- and artworks Fun puzzles

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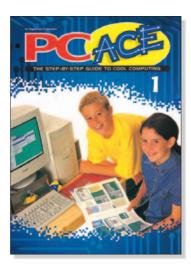
PC Ace

A super-cool guide to computers for kids aged 10 to 14. Simple step-by-step instructions, illustrated with clear screen views and detailed diagrams, make learning fun. Resident cartoon mouse Ace is always on hand with extra hints, tips and clever shortcuts.

KEY FEATURES INCLUDE:

- Essential operating and program skills
- Internet tips • Fun things to do
- Illustrated glossary
- CD-ROMs
- Encyclopedia of computer technology
- Letters, puzzles and amazing facts

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Watercolour Challenge





Whether you are a complete beginner or a more experienced painter, this practical painting course, created in association with the Channel 4 TV programme Watercolour Challenge, will help you master the techniques and capture the magical qualities of watercolour. Packed with everything you need to acquire and develop your drawing and painting skills.

KEY FEATURES INCLUDE:

- Techniques, equipment and materials
- Colour and composition
- Sketching and drawing
- Projects

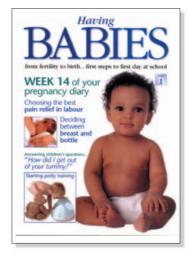
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Having Babies

Whether you are planning a family, have just discovered that you are pregnant or already have a child, here is a complete encyclopedia that helps you to enjoy every aspect of parenthood. Information-packed, easy-to-follow pages offer practical information and guidance on everything from fertility to first days at school.

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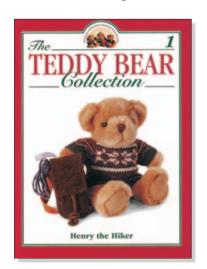
- Getting pregnant
- Pregnancy diary
- Giving birth
- Your baby's first year
 Advice centre
- Your growing child
- Medical reference
- A–Z of having babies





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The Teddy Bear Collection





Perfect for every teddy bear collector, each partwork comes with a beautiful bear dressed in a particular style. Whether it's Henry the Hiker or Alphonse the Artist, each bear is attractively made and a delight to collect. There's also a fascinating history of teddy bears and suggestions for displaying your own collection at home.

KEY FEATURES INCLUDE:

- The origin of the teddy bear
- The history of Steiff Bears
- Caring for your bear
- Recognising antique bears

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Dolls of the World

The perfect companion for all doll collectors, *Dolls of the World* is packed with fascinating facts about dolls and doll-making and useful tips for collecting dolls. To help you build your own collection, every issue comes with a genuine porcelain doll dressed in national costume as an optional extra.

KEY FEATURES INCLUDE:

- Making dolls
- Dolls of the world
- Collecting dolls
- Porcelain doll with every issue

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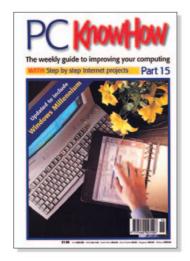
PC KnowHow

Improve your computing and get to grips with your Windows-based software both at home and at work. This guide is easy to understand and packed with clear, practical information, step-by-step projects, shortcuts and tips. Fourth edition updated to include Windows Millennium.

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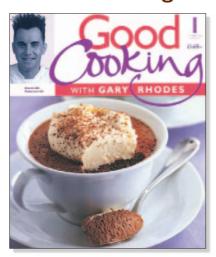
- Web sites
- CD-Rom shareware
- All about Windows
- Guide to add-on components
- Glossary

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Good Cooking with Gary Rhodes





Discover how to cook the Rhodes way with this fantastic cookery collection combining essential techniques, superb photography, exciting new recipes and Gary's special ingredient – fabulous taste!

KEY FEATURES INCLUDE:

- Sauces and dressings
- Easy entertaining
- Traditional cooking with a twist
- Great fast food
- Side dishes
- Flavours of the world
- Gary's kitchen
- Successful sweets
- Ingredients A–Z

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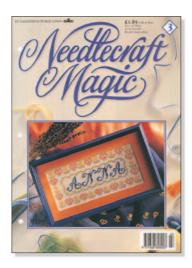
Needlecraft Magic

Needlecraft Magic is designed for everyone who enjoys stitching, from the beginner to the enthusiast. It brings together all kinds of designs for traditional needlecrafts, including cross stitch, patchwork, needlepoint and embroidery, with exciting new ideas for combining stitching and stencilling with fabric paints.

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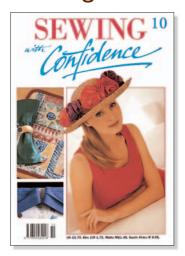
- Stitch and stencil
- Pattern collection
- Needlecraft know-how
- Sewing kits
- Stitch library Cross stitch ideas
- Technique library

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Sewing with Confidence





For anyone interested in making clothes or soft furnishings, whether you are a complete beginner or are eager to brush up on sewing techniques. Contains superb step-by-step photography and easy-to-follow instructions.

KEY FEATURES INCLUDE:

- Soft furnishings
- Dressmaking
- Pattern collection
- Fabric file
- Finishing touches
- Inspirations
- Needlecrafts
- Sewing techniques

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Techno Quest

Come on a voyage of discovery with Wallace and Gromit! Find out what makes the world go round and how everything in it works with this colourful, fun-filled publication – the perfect home reference for children of all ages.

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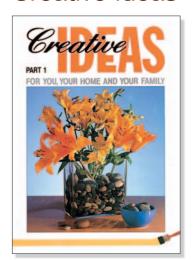
- Alphabetically arranged entries
- Lively diagrams and clear dictionary definitions
- Technotalk up-to-the-minute science news, brain teasers and guizzes
- Mini-series of 3 computer disks with games and data files that bring the text to life

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Creative Ideas





Improve the look of your home and create gifts for your friends and family with this inspiring publication. Full of ideas that are quick and easy to make – many take less than an hour – each project comes with superb photography and clear step-by-step instructions.

KEY FEATURES INCLUDE:

- Flower craft
- Home styling
- Design ideas
- Comprehensive file of home and craft techniques

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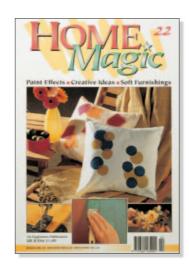
Home Magic

An inspiring collection of decorating ideas, plus all the know-how you need to transform your home with ease, *Home Magic* is packed with expert tips, step-by-step photography, clear instructions and no-nonsense text.

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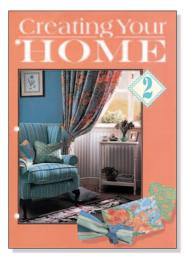
- Soft furnishings
- Decorative painting
- Creative DIY
- Instant decorating
- Room style guide
- ideas
- Colour and pattern

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Creating Your Home





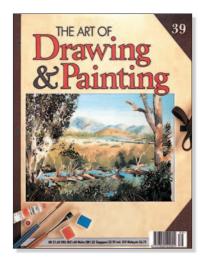
From paint effects to soft furnishings, from handling colour to planning a kitchen, *Creating Your Home* is a complete practical reference guide for every homemaker.

KEY FEATURES INCLUDE:

- Home design
- Flowers and plants
- Fact file
- Creative DIY
- Soft furnishings
- Finishing touches
- Planning

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The Art of Drawing and Painting





Whether you are taking up art for the first time, or simply wish to brush up your skills, this publication – designed as a how-to course – is for you. Each technique is taught through a series of step-by-step demonstrations by experts.

KEY FEATURES INCLUDE:

Oil

- Drawing course
- Acrylic
- Colour and composition
- WatercolourArt workshop

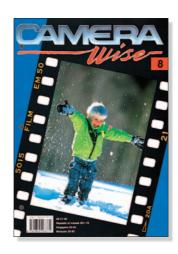
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Camera Wise

For all who enjoy creative photography – whether they are just starting out or have years of experience. From 'master classes' with top photographers to troubleshooting, lighting and composition, the technical as well as the creative aspects of this popular hobby are covered in detail.

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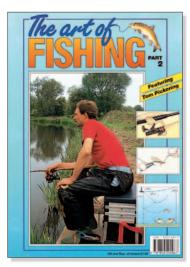
- Masterclass
- Problem solving
- Choosing equipment
- Through the viewfinder





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The Art of Fishing





Covering every aspect of this popular pastime, this partwork explores coarse, sea and game fishing in comprehensive detail. With profiles of the major individual species, and tips from the professionals on how to read the water, and how to choose techniques and baits.

KEY FEATURES INCLUDE:

- Watercraft
- Know your fish
- Techniques and tackle
- Baits, lures and flies

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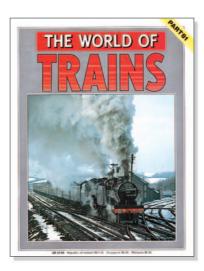
The World of Trains

A delight for train buffs, here is a complete library of the world's greatest engines, combined with graphic accounts of famous rail disasters, facts and figures on trains today and epic rail journeys, past and present.

KEY FEATURES INCLUDE:

- Data file
- Loco library
- Railway relics
- Great journeys
- Railway disasters
- Making model railways

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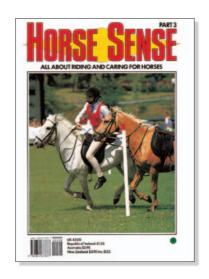
Horse Sense

Aimed at younger readers between the ages of 8 and 14, this beautifully illustrated partwork builds into a complete guide to riding and caring for horses and ponies.

KEY FEATURES INCLUDE:

- Learning to ride
- Types and breeds
- Caring for a pony
- Understanding horses

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Find Out More





This accessible publication builds into a comprehensive work of reference for a core age group of 9 to 13. Thematically arranged and fully illustrated with maps and diagrams, Find Out More contains all the information children need to help with home and school work. Based on the Oxford Children's Encyclopedia.

KEY FEATURES INCLUDE:

- World science
- Atlas
- The human machineTimes past
- At-a-glance key
- The arts
- facts and dates
- Variety of life

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