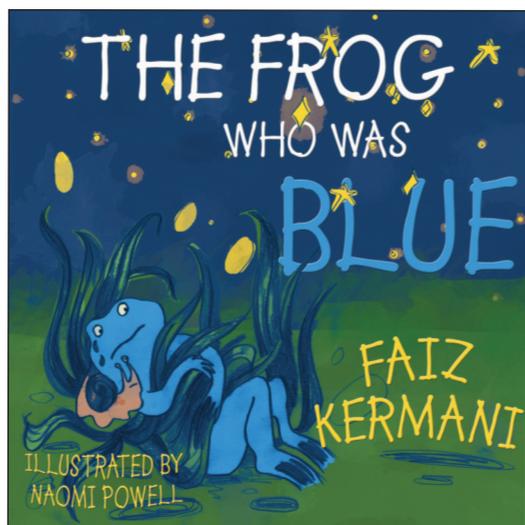




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THE FROG WHO WAS BLUE

Faiz Kermani

It's not always easy being different, as Biriwita the blue frog is only too aware. He longs to be accepted at Croak College, the most famous school for frogs in Malawi, but the other students all turn their backs on him. He is just too different!

"What's wrong with you?

Why are you blue?

You're the strangest frog we've seen

Normal frogs are green!"

The Frog Who Was Blue is a witty and charming tale underpinned by the message that being different to others is no bad thing. It will appeal to children aged 7-9, and fans of Faiz's former books.

Faiz Kermani is publishing *The Frog Who Was Blue* to support the World Medical Fund (WMF), a medical charity working in Africa. WMF's focus is on the region's poorest and most vulnerable children, including AIDS orphans, whose practical and cost-effective programmes treat over 25,000 children every year in rural Malawi. This life-saving work relies entirely on donations. More information about the WMF is on their webpage, www.worldmedicalfund.org.

Goodreads reviews of *The Frog in the Skyscraper*, Faiz's previous book:

"An adorable book... Great for young early readers"

"Such a cute story including nice illustrations... You'll enjoy it if you're a child or an adult!"

Away from his serious scientific day job, in his free time, **FAIZ KERMANI** loves writing children's books that have funny themes. His books have won awards in the US and UK and have been translated into French, German, Spanish and Russian. He is also involved in various literacy projects with schools and non-profit work with healthcare charities.

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