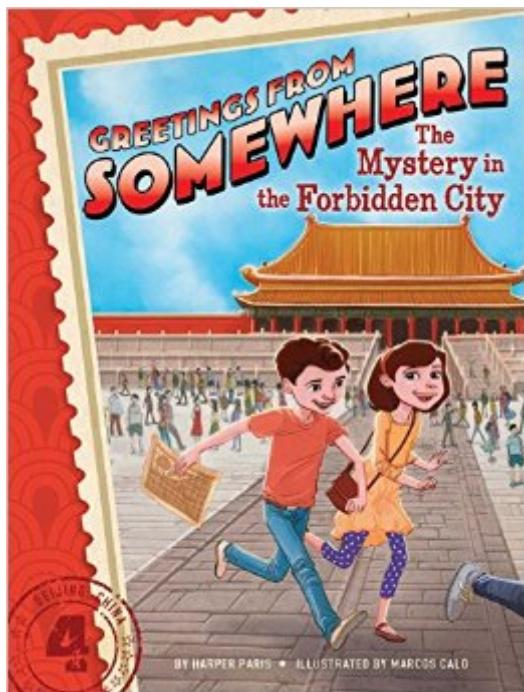


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# The Mystery In The Forbidden City (Greetings From Somewhere)



## **Synopsis**

Ethan and Ella find an ancient map and explore a Chinese palace in the fourth book of Greetings from Somewhere, a chapter book series about mystery, travel, and adventure. From the Great Wall to the dumplings, Ethan and Ella love China so far. And the Forbidden City in Beijing doesn't leave anything to be desired, either! When the twins get separated from their parents, however, they get to do some exploring on their own. As they are wandering, the twins happen across an ancient-looking scroll that appears to have a map on it. Being the mystery-solving duo they are, Ethan and Ella attempt to navigate the map...but they get lost in the palace. There are thousands of rooms, and they all seem to look the same! Will the twins figure out where the map is leading them? And will they ever make their way out of the Forbidden City? With easy-to-read language and illustrations on almost every page, the Greetings from Somewhere chapter books are perfect for beginning readers.

## **Book Information**

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Age Range: 5 - 7 years

Grade Level: Kindergarten - 2

## **Customer Reviews**

Although very bright, my 8-year old daughter read only when instructed to do so and for the exact minimum time. She read Book 3 first due to her interest in Paris and is very much interested in

completing the series. She read this second, then book 1...all within 10 days. She reads on the drive to school and during recess and lunch. She asked for a book light so she could read in the car on evenings. Couldn't find 2, 8 & 9 here so I ordered online from . I got her to underline words she did not know... she's matching the cover colour with the colour pencil. So we discuss the pronunciation and meaning. She also summarizes the stories verbally for me. Wished it sold as set/sets. But still reasonably priced. So we have 1-9. Got 1-3 "Race the Wild".... Both educational books for children with international span. Looking into "Critters Club" as she loves animals. Don't want to be without the next read.

Great book, great series. A perfect fit to our study of Chinese culture for Chinese New Year.

We bought this book for our seven year-old son prior to a trip to China. He loved the story and brought the book everywhere with him during the trip, frequently pulling it out to point out places that Ethan and Ella had also visited. The amount and complexity of the text is fairly comparable to the Magic Tree House books.

We have found the Greeting From Somewhere series an easier alternative to Magic Tree House books for the reluctant or struggling reader that wants to read chapter books.

My 7 year old loves this series. I'm so glad I found something she will read!

This is a great series for young readers. Cultural education is a plus as the duo travels from place to place. The first book was a little slow but now my little one is hooked. I plan to pre order the next book for her. I found the first few at my public library.

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