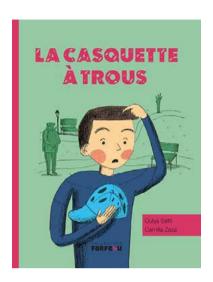
## The Hole Ridden Cap

(La Casquette à trous)



With his head often in the clouds, Idriss is very shy, so shy that he doesn't even dare say hello to the neighbor! His mom would like to see him laugh and have fun with his friends... but to no avail. His words stay stuck in the back of his throat! One day, Idriss meets a strange old man who offers him a very mysterious gift: a hole ridden cap that can give him the power of eloquence. Thanks to this chance meeting and the magical hat, Idriss will learn to overcome his debilitating shyness and come into his own.

- Overcoming social anxiety and gaining selfconfidence
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- Humorous and light illustrations

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