

### The Illustrator

**Leonard Erlbruch**, born in Wuppertal in 1984, studied illustration at the Academy of Visual Arts Leipzig. While he was still studying, he illustrated several children's books including *Grandfather and the Wolves* (Text: Per Olov Enquist, Hanser 2003). Since his graduation in 2013, he has been working as a freelance illustrator. Leonard Erlbruch lives with his family in Leipzig.  
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### The Author

**Jutta Langreuter**, born in Copenhagen, studied Psychology and worked at the Max-Planck Institute and the German Youth Institute in Munich. Then she took over her husband's children's book shop. When she had her two sons, she started to write herself. The heroes of her successful picture books are Captain Sharky, Rotte Häschen, Die kleine Waldhexe Frida, amongst others. Jutta Langreuter lives in Munich.

## LEONARD ERLBRUCH & JUTTA LANGREUTER

### Oscar

Oscar is Dad's brother. He wants to move into the house where the whole family already lives. "Is he like you?", asks Mum. "No, different", says Dad. "Then he can start by trimming the hedge", says Mum. "He won't do that", says Dad.

Then Oscar arrives and only does what he wants. He does not do what he does not want. He plays pirates with the children, sings songs to Granddad, eats sweets on the sly with Grandma and brings a white bunny home from the market. Oscar is a brilliant cook and makes a big mess everywhere, including smudges on the dress of Mum's boss.

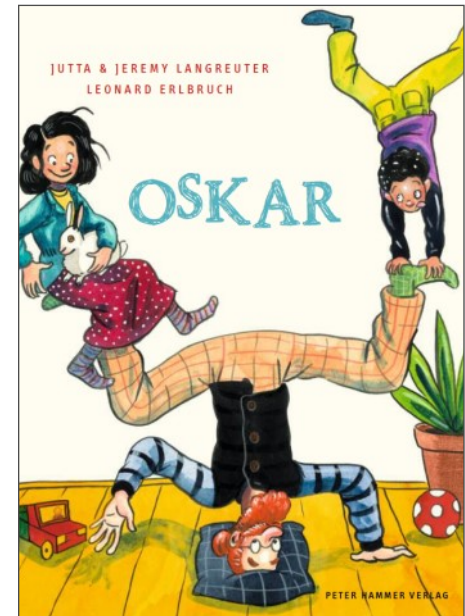
"He disrupts everything", says Mum, "Oscar has to go". Then Oscar is gone. And suddenly everyone realizes that they had been happy with him!

Leonard Erlbruch has colourfully staged Jutta and Jeremy Langreuter's story about a loveable nerd with funny details.

### REVIEWS

"Oskar is a funny book that gives you food for thought."-  
*Der Tagesspiegel*

"Oskar ... shows that sometimes you can achieve more when you approach things in a more relaxed and laid-back manner." - *janetts-meinung.de*



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- Picture book about a non-conformist uncle
- With funny illustrations by Leonard Erlbruch

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