




The Klaus Flugge Prize was established in 2016 and is funded personally by Klaus Flugge and run independently of Andersen Press, the publishing house which he founded in 1976, and which has published some of the most iconic picturebooks of all time such as *Not Now Bernard*, *Tadpole's Promise* and *Elmer*.

The Award is made annually to the most promising and exciting newcomer to children's book illustration who has produced their first picturebook for children in a single calendar year. A picturebook is defined as a book for children in which the illustrations are as or more important than the words in telling the story and a book with illustrations on every page or on one of every pair of facing pages.

CLPE produce teaching resources on the shortlisted books each year. <https://clpe.org.uk/library-and-resources/celebrating-books-and-special-days/teaching-resources-klaus-flugge-prize-0>

2020 Winner was announced on 16th September:

<p><i>When Sadness Comes to Call</i> by Eve Eland, Andersen Press. ISBN: 978-1406386424</p> <p>A young child opens the door to an unexpected visitor, Sadness, personified as a semi-transparent amorphous shape. As the two spend time together, the child comes to know and understand Sadness, and then one day wakes up to find the visitor has left. Described by the judges as "a masterpiece of minimalism", it is a sensitive and profound exploration of a complex emotion in a story that will speak to every child, no matter how young</p>	
<p>The judges also chose to award Highly Commended to Sabina Radeva for her book, <i>On the Origin of Species</i>, (Puffin. ISBN: 978-0141388502) an illustrated retelling of Darwin's famous book.</p>	