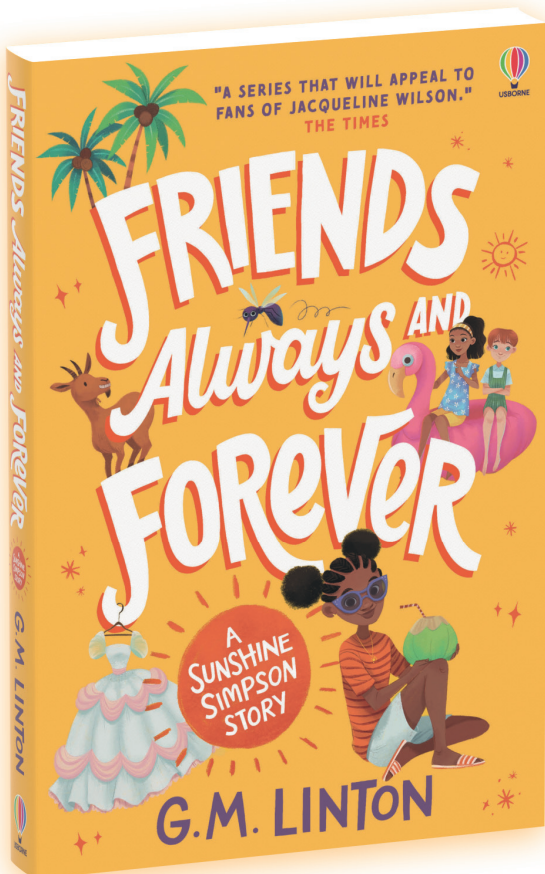


# MEET SUNSHINE SIMPSON!



Join Sunshine on the holiday of a lifetime with this fun event pack including activities, bookmarks and a video from the author G.M. Linton.

Sunshine Simpson's Auntie Sharon has **WON THE LOTTERY**, and she's taking the whole family to **JAMAICA!**

There's also a **SECRET WEDDING** to organise for Sunshine's parents - the perfect distraction from thinking about starting secondary school.

But then everything starts going **WRONG!** Will it be an island disaster, or can Sunshine pull off the wedding of the century?

G.M. Linton lives with her family in the West Midlands and can often be found happily snacking on stuffed green olives or hunting out a slice of cake. She enjoys nothing better than snatching time to read a good book and losing herself whilst imagining characters and storylines.

The Sunshine Simpson series is particularly inspired by G.M.'s parents, who arrived in Britain, from Jamaica, as part of the Windrush generation, in the 1950s.



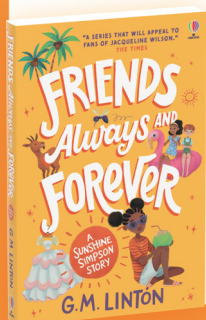
Scan here to watch a video from G.M. introducing Sunshine

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# SUNSHINE'S LIST OF EXCITING THINGS ABOUT JAMAICA

- \* Jamaica is known as “the land of wood and water”. It has gorgeous sunny weather, lush, green mountains and clear seas, and is known for some of the most beautiful beaches in the world. Sun, sea and sand (and green). Woo-hoo!
- \* Usain Bolt, who is a super-fast world record holder, is from Jamaica and Elaine Thompson-Herah and Shelley-Ann Fraser-Pryce are two of the fastest women sprinters ever. It's a speedy island!
- \* Jamaica is famous for reggae music and one of its most famous musicians is Bob Marley. Other famous musicians that my grandparents love are Jimmy Cliff, John Holt, Desmond Dekker, and Dennis Brown. Music is in Jamaica's heart and soul.
- \* Jamaican food is very tasty. Its national dish is ackee and saltfish, and then there's my favourite dish, brown stew chicken and fried dumplings. There's other great food too like jerk chicken, rice and peas, and curry patties as well as so much more. **YUM!**
- \* James Bond, 007, is Jamaican. Kind of. The writer of the James Bond books, Ian Fleming, wrote them in Jamaica, from his home called Goldeneye. (I'd be Sunshine Simpson 011 – because that's my age.)
- \* Even though it's a really hot country where it doesn't snow, Jamaica had a bobsled team go to the Winter Olympic Games in 1988. A film called *Cool Runnings* is inspired by the team's story. (Note to self: no need to bring ski boots on holiday to Jamaica.)
- \* Jamaica is around 22 times smaller than the United Kingdom. There are almost 68 million people living in the UK compared with nearly three million people who live in Jamaica. Jamaica is “likkle but tallawah”, small but **STRONG**.



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# SUNSHINE'S JAMAICA QUIZ

Read through Sunshine's list of exciting things about Jamaica and then answer the questions below! Work either in teams or solo and see how many you can get right.

1. What is Jamaica's national dish?

- a) Jerk chicken
- b) Curry patties
- c) Ackee and saltfish

2. *Cool Runnings* is a film about:

- a) Undercover agents
- b) The Jamaican bobsled team
- c) Usain Bolt

3. Match up the people below with what they are famous for.

Bob Marley	World-record holding sprinter
Ian Fleming	Reggae musician
Usain Bolt	James Bond

4. Jamaica is 32 times smaller than the UK

- a) True
- b) False

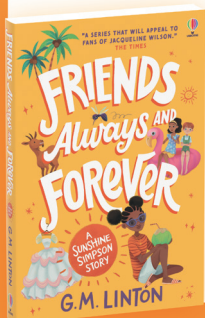
5. Jamaica is known as 'the land of wood and...'

- a) Water
- b) Sunshine
- c) Sand

6. What does "likkle but tallawah" mean?

- a) Tiny but loud
- b) Small but strong
- c) Young but wise

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# MY LOTTERY WISHLIST

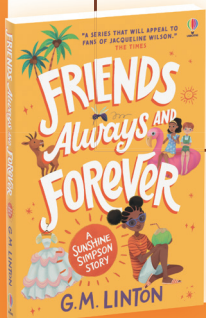
Sunshine's Auntie Sharon wins the lottery and buys a MASSIVE four-bedroom house, a sports car, a HUMUNGOUS diamond ring, a speed boat and a holiday to Jamaica!



If you won the lottery what would you buy?  
Write and illustrate your wishlist below.



A large, empty rectangular box with a thin black border, intended for writing and illustrating a wishlist.



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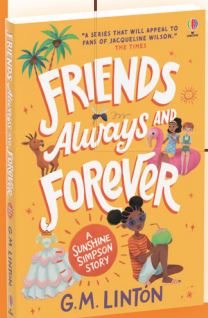
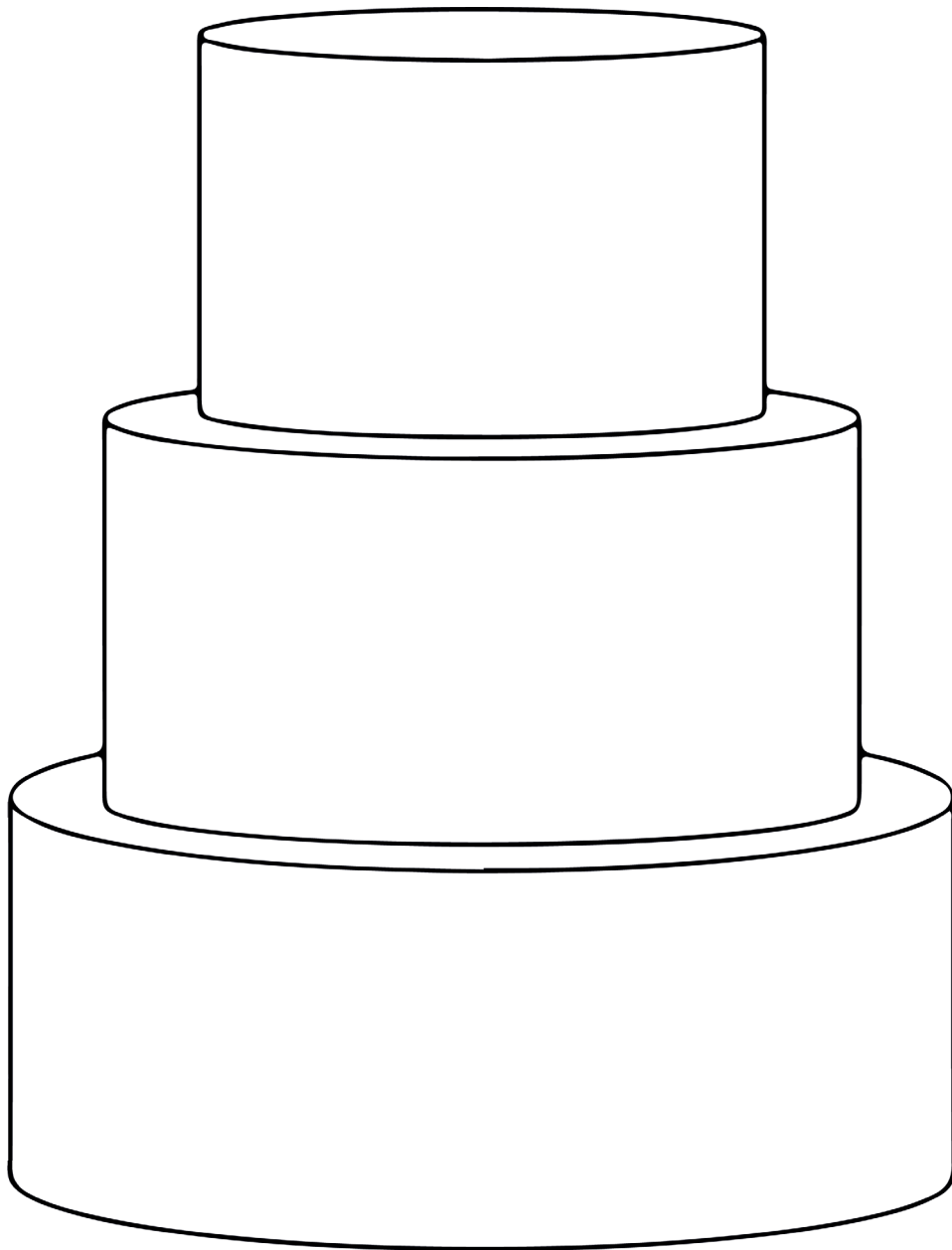




# DESIGN A WEDDING CAKE



Sunshine is planning an epic wedding for her mum and dad.  
Can you help her out by designing the wedding cake?



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