



# JOHNNY MACKINTOSH

AND THE SPIRIT OF LONDON

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## KEYNOTE

An extraordinarily imaginative adventure across space and time with the ultimate hero

## SYNOPSIS

When thirteen-year-old Johnny's talking computer Kovac, detects an extraterrestrial signal, his life is set to change for ever. Until then, stuck in his children's home in Castle Dudbury New Town, with the nasty cook Mr Wilkins watching his every move, football had been his only escape.

But soon things start happening around him that Johnny doesn't understand: why is his mother, who is on life support in a hospital for the criminally insane, being guarded by sinister looking men? And why was a journalist murdered shortly after Johnny talked to him? When Johnny finds out he has a sister, he decides to run away to find her. But his search for answers take him beyond Earth and into a spectacular adventure through time and space where he visits new worlds, meets aliens, and discovers the truth about his parents and who he really is.

## AUTHOR

Keith Mansfield has a background in publishing, having worked as a Publisher for the Pearson group and for five years with Oxford University Press. This is his first novel.

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- Q Children's Fiction
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- Q The first in an explosive intergalactic trilogy