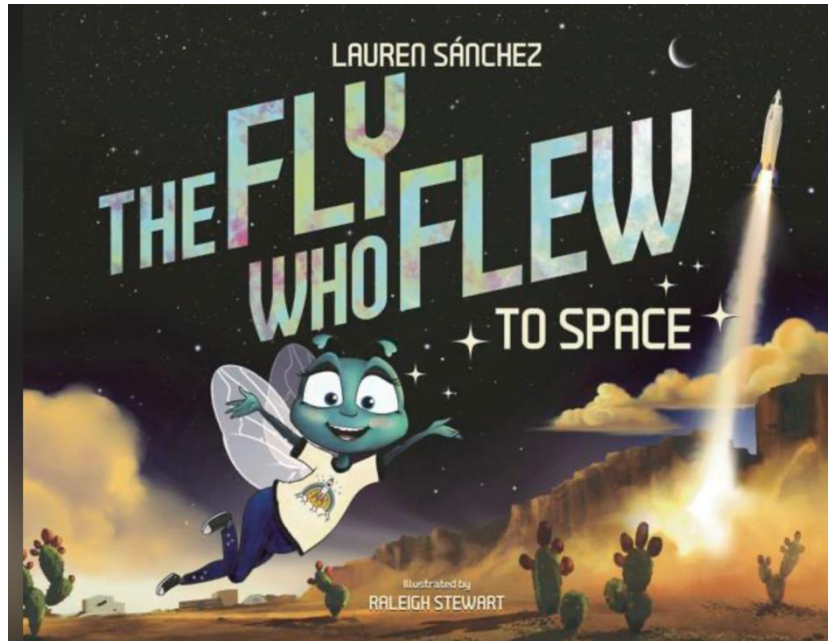


Lauren Sánchez to read from 'The Fly Who Flew to Space' at Barnes & Noble

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Lauren Sánchez said she didn't think she wrote her debut picture book.

She imagined it.

The book was just released in separate English and Spanish editions. The English edition is titled "The Fly Who Flew to Space." The Spanish edition is "La Mosca Que Voló al Espacio."

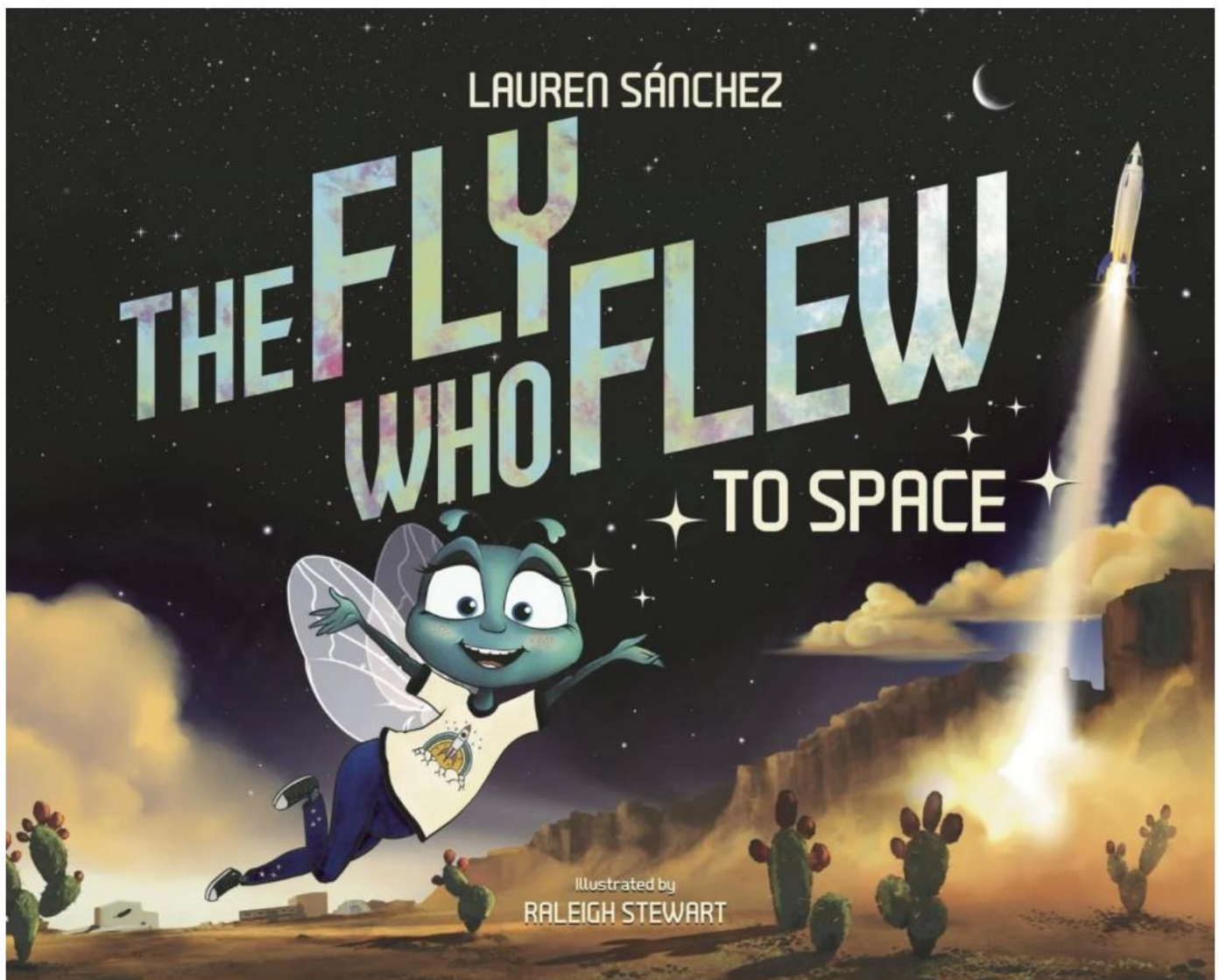
Sánchez will read the book at a story time with guided art event at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 17, at Barnes & Noble, 3701-A Ellison Drive NW.

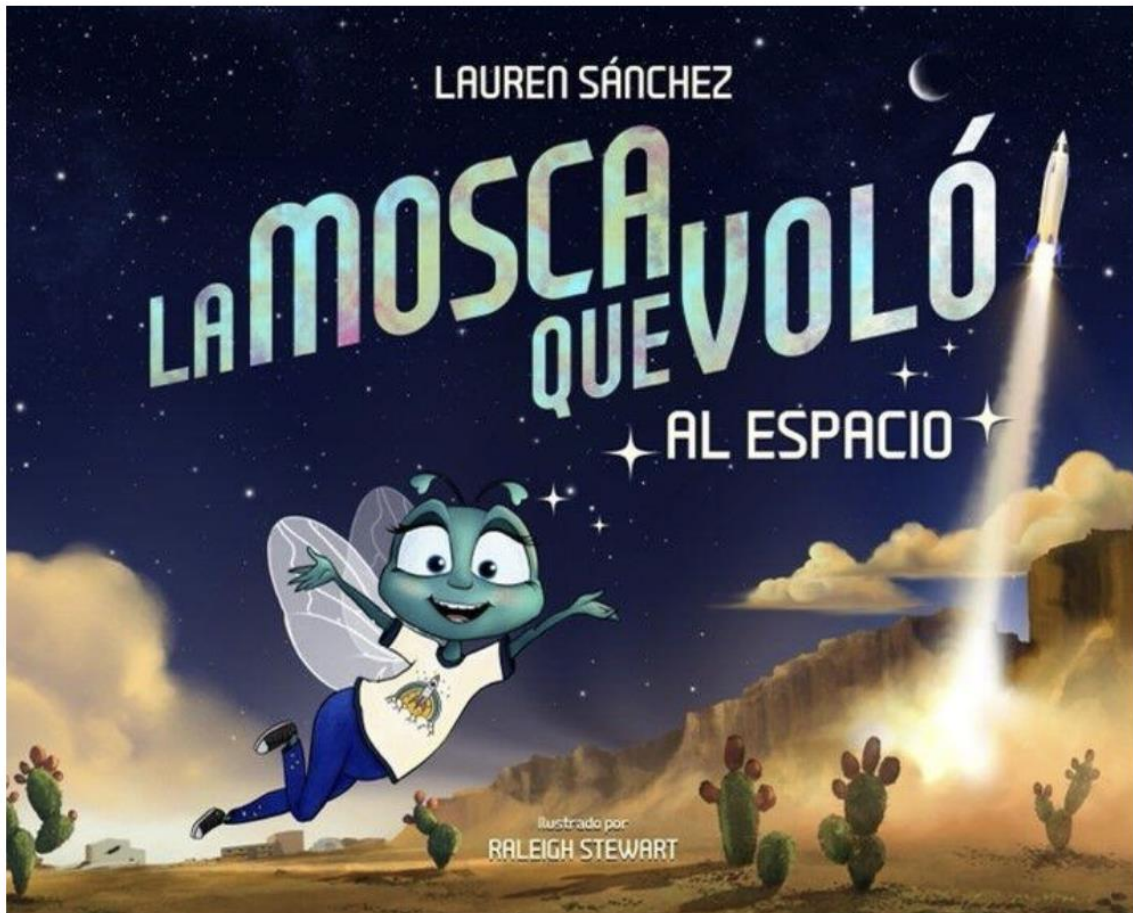
The book begins as a tale of a fly named Flynn who dreams of becoming an astronaut. Flynn accidentally finds his way into the cockpit of a rocket's capsule that heads into space. The book can also be understood as a story about seeing the world from a completely different perspective and about the need to protect Earth, Sánchez said.

Born and raised in Albuquerque, Sánchez graduated from Del Norte High School. She was a local news anchor in Los Angeles. Fourteen years ago, Sánchez got a pilot's license and is now focused on flying helicopters.

The book's illustrator is Raleigh Stewart.

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