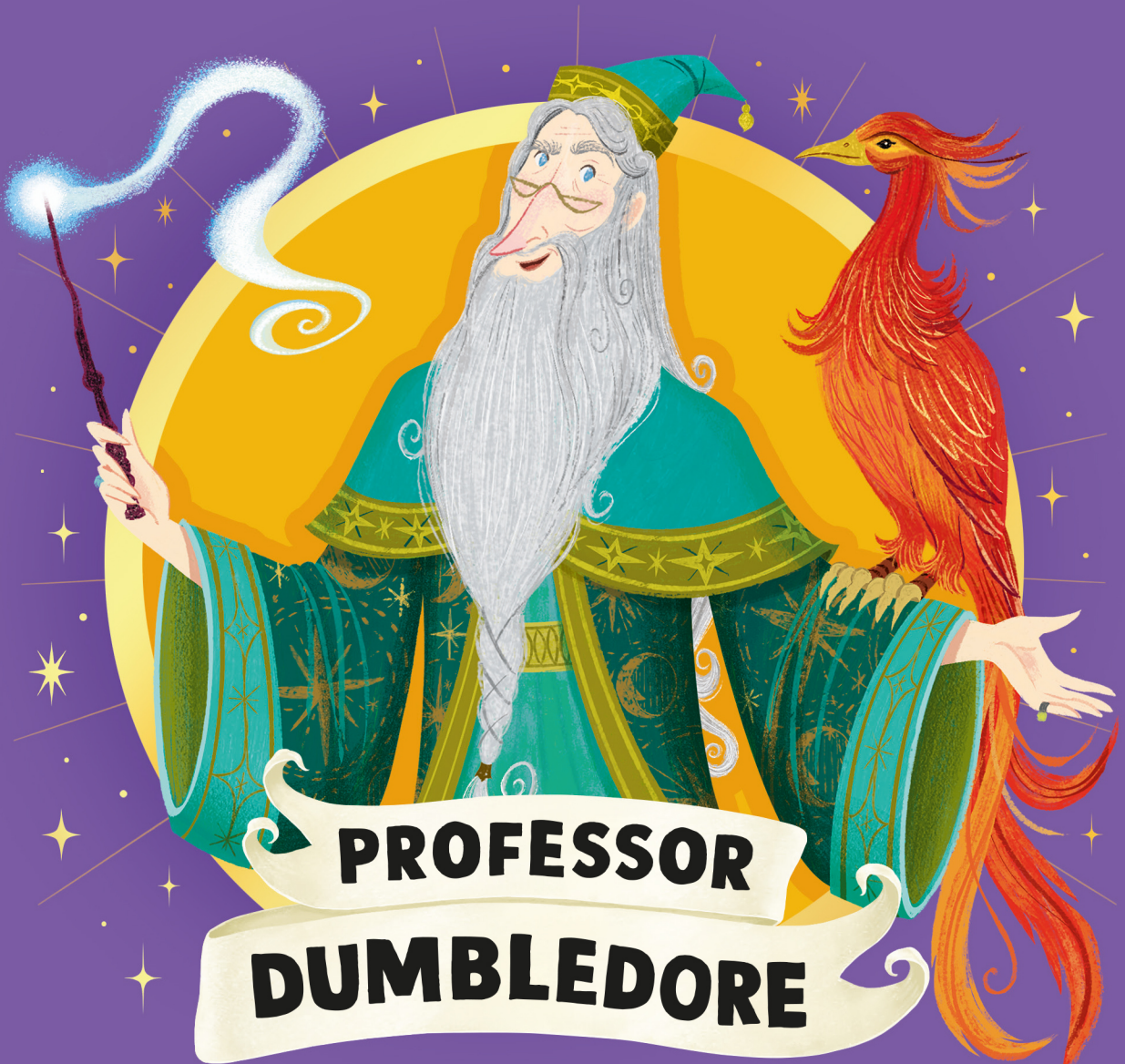
POCKET POTTERS

LITTLE GUIDES TO THE Harry Potter STORIES BY J.K. ROWLING



PROFESSOR DUMBLEDORE

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BLOOMSBURY

ALBUS PERCIVAL WULFRIC BRIAN DUMBLEDORE

Ten years later, during his first journey to Hogwarts, Harry sees Albus Dumbledore again. He unwraps his first Chocolate Frog and finds a Famous Witches and Wizards card.

ALBUS DUMBLEDORE,
currently Headmaster of Hogwarts.
Considered by many the greatest wizard of modern times, Professor Dumbledore is particularly famous for his defeat of the Dark wizard Grindelwald in 1945, for the discovery of the twelve uses of dragon's blood and his work on alchemy with his partner, Nicolas Flamel. Professor Dumbledore enjoys chamber music and tenpin bowling.

Appearing on a Chocolate Frog Card is one of Dumbledore's favourite achievements

Loves knitting patterns



"'So *this* is Dumbledore!' said Harry. 'Don't tell me you'd never heard of Dumbledore!' said Ron."



Favourite flavour of jam is raspberry

Received the Order of Merlin (First Class)





Percival (father)

Ariana (sister)

Kendra (mother)

Aberforth (brother)

Likes sherbet lemons



Was sorted into Gryffindor house as a student

Born in 1881

Speaks fluent Mermish

Companion called Fawkes (magical phoenix)

Previously a Transfiguration teacher

Supports Puddlemere United Quidditch Team



Scar above his left knee is a perfect map of the London Underground

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Headmaster of Hogwarts
- Grand Sorcerer
- Chief Warlock of the Wizengamot (Wizard High Court)
- Supreme Mugwump of the International Confederation of Wizards
- Winner of the Barnabus Finkley Prize for Exceptional Spell-Casting
- British Youth Representative to the Wizengamot
- Gold Medal-Winner for Ground-Breaking Contribution to the International Alchemical Conference in Cairo
- Head Boy
- Prefect

Dumbledore's Office

Inside Hogwarts, Dumbledore's office is a beautiful circular room full of magical delights. To find it, visitors must give a gargoyle the correct password, travel up an enchanted spiral staircase and go through an oak door with a brass knocker shaped like a griffin.

Secret Passwords

- Sherbet Lemon
- Cockroach Cluster
- Fizzing Whizzbee
- Acid Pops
- Toffee Eclairs

As Head of Hogwarts, Dumbledore is responsible for protecting the school in times of danger.

Professor Phineas Nigellus Black

Professor Everard

Professor Dilys Derwent

Portraits of old headmasters and headmistresses

The Sorting Hat

The sword of Gryffindor

Once belonged to Godric Gryffindor

The Pensieve

Deluminator

The House Cup

Dumbledore gives the Cup to the winning house at the end of the school year

He has been known to award house points at the last minute

If students get into trouble, they are sent to see Dumbledore (something Harry and Ron know all about).

"Harry looked around. One thing was certain: of all the teachers' offices Harry had visited so far this year, Dumbledore's was by far the most interesting. If he hadn't been scared out of his wits that he was about to be thrown out of school, he would have been very pleased to have a chance to look around it."

A rare, enchanted object used to study stored thoughts and memories

Curious silver instruments

Dumbledore often holds important meetings in his office with teachers, students and school visitors.

"The office was full of people. Dumbledore was sitting behind his desk, his expression serene, the tips of his long fingers together."

Fawkes

Dumbledore's companion is Fawkes, a magical phoenix. Fawkes is very intelligent, gentle and extremely loyal to Dumbledore.

Very few wizards have ever succeeded in taming a phoenix

Can often be found on his golden perch in Dumbledore's office

Acts as a look-out for Dumbledore (sends a flash of flame and a feather to warn of danger)



Fawkes's feathers form the core of both Harry's and Lord Voldemort's wands

Will defend Dumbledore in battle

"'Fascinating creatures, phoenixes. They can carry immensely heavy loads, their tears have healing powers and they make highly *faithful* pets.'"

Phoenix song is enchanting to listen to

Fawkes is roughly the size of a swan

Can magically disappear from one place and reappear in another, even inside Hogwarts (which is said to be impossible)

THE LIFE-CYCLE OF A PHOENIX

The phoenix lives to a very old age as it can regenerate. On its Burning Day, the phoenix bursts into flames and rises again from the ashes as a chick.