

ATTENTION: TEACHER LIBRARIAN

WILD WRITING



Workshops with Rebecca Johnson



Hosted by best-selling Australian children's author Rebecca Johnson, this flexible workshop program can be tailored to meet relevant learning outcomes for students from Prep through to Year 7.

**HANDS-ON,
INTERACTIVE
FUN!**

**LEARN TO
WRITE
A BOOK.**

Workshops Costs:

WHOLE DAY	\$550
HALF DAY	\$400

Workshops can be tailored to suit the individual needs of each school.



FREE BOOKS
with every

Students and teachers will learn about the process Rebecca undertakes to write her children's books. They will have hands-on involvement, use their imagination, participate and support their peers and most importantly, be inspired to write!

All of Rebecca's books feature:

- **Strong moral messages based on the 52 virtues (e.g. courage, friendliness, honesty, patience, truthfulness).**
- **Australian themes.**
- **Stunning photographs, most from the Steve Parish image library.**

SOME OPTIONS INCLUDE:

Large group sessions (two classes maximum, 45 minutes in duration)

- Discuss Rebecca's writing process, including the stages a book goes through to be published.
- Whole group activity — children work with Steve Parish photos to develop a class book outline, using the same process as Rebecca. Teachers are then able to keep these photos with an audio tape of their story to make big books.

Smaller group (more specialised sessions for a single class or a select group of students, flexible duration — 1 hour to full day).

- Discuss Rebecca's writing process.
- Children choose their own Steve Parish photos, and make a start on writing individual stories after sequencing their pictures. This style works best if teacher and parent helpers can join in the process.
- Autographed books available on the day.

"A fun, interactive and highly successful workshop promoting the enjoyment of quality books for children and inspiring creative thought. A truly delightful series of story books."

**Graeme Davey, Festival
Convenor, Victorian Branch
Children's Book Council
of Australia**

"A presentation that has the children enthralled — she has behaviour management down to a fine art, knows the level of interest of the classes and presents a fascinating story about how she makes stories from the photos Steve Parish has taken."

**Lyndell Roberts,
Teacher Librarian
Chatswood Hill SPS**



ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Rebecca Johnson is the author of the best-selling Story Books published by Steve Parish Publishing with over **1.6 MILLION** copies of her books sold. She is a practising primary school teacher, wildlife carer and mother of two. Rebecca has conducted workshops across SEQ libraries and primary schools, and in 2005 and 2006 Rebecca was invited to host a workshop at the Children's Book Council of Australia Festival in Melbourne.

Also by Rebecca Johnson... Hands-on Fun For Kids!

Two new Holiday Activity Books written by best-selling author Rebecca Johnson are full of fantastic activities for kids on a bush or beach break. Featuring a collection of 30 stickers to help kids create their own bush or beach scene, they also include exciting puzzles and games, and two Australian nature postcards that kids can send home to friends. A range of dot-to-dot and colouring activities, maze games, crosswords and car games make these books excellent entertainment for holidays, for home or simply for keeping kids occupied while they are in the car!

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