

PRE-K and K:

- 35 minute sessions (shorter presentations work better for younger ages)
- Puppet shows and storytelling
- Presentation given sitting together on the floor with students
- Short PowerPoint presentation of my family, pets, and home

1ST AND 2ND GRADES:

- 45 minute sessions
- Puppet shows and storytelling
- More information added about the writing process
- PowerPoint presentation showing original sketches, a handmade book, and pictures of my family, pets and home

3RD AND 4TH GRADES:

- 1 hour sessions
- Shorter puppet presentation on story telling
- PowerPoint presentation on coming up with ideas for characters, reading and writing, and pictures of my family, pets and home
- Pass around original art, a handmade book, and word search handouts featuring characters from my book

5TH GRADE:

- 1 hour session
- Methods of coming up with ideas for characters and stories and interactive brainstorming session with students
- Examples of different illustration methods
- Traditional publishing vs. self publishing
- Processes of creating printed books versus e-books
- Pass around story board forms
- PowerPoint showing what different e-book formats look like here.



I love books! I love art! And, I love writing!

I'm a former elementary-school art teacher, and am certified for grades K-12. One of my favorite things I would do with my art students was to create books.

Here is what one teacher said about an author visit: *"My students and I really enjoy your story and illustrations. I grew up on a farm, so I had many connections to your story. Children love animals, and they love reading about Rattles. It is such a blessing to have you in my classroom."*

FEES (in-school visits):

LOCAL (Greater Little Rock Area):

- 2 sessions for \$550 with sessions ranging from 35 minutes to 1 hour, depending upon age range
- 3 sessions for \$825 with sessions ranging from 35 minutes to 1 hour, depending upon age range

IN ARKANSAS, but outside Greater Little Rock Area

- \$850 per day, plus mileage
- Up to 3 sessions per day, with sessions ranging from 35 minutes to 1 hour, depending upon age range
- May include a hotel expense

OUT OF STATE (outside Arkansas)

- \$1100 per day, plus travel and accommodations
- Up to 3 sessions per day, with sessions ranging from 35 minutes to 1 hour, depending upon age range

SKYPE SESSIONS (for K-3rd grades):

- \$250 per 35-45 minute session; session time depends on age group
- Program will differ according to age groups.
- Up to 4 sessions a day.
- Group needs to be familiar with one of my *Rattles'* books.

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