

ABOUT SOPHIE'S BOOK

If you had a magic quill pen that brought drawings to life, what would YOU draw?

Jack can't believe it when he finds the magic feather. He can have anything he wants! The only problem is Jack's not very good at drawing . . .

Some frilly knickers, one sea lion and plenty of chaos later, Jack is on the run with crazy Coco from next door. Can they defeat the dastardly mayor and save the day? Jack's going to need to be quick on the draw....



Sophie Plowden writes comedy adventure suitable for readers aged 7+. She trained as a painter & has many years of classroom experience, from KS1 to MA level.



THE EVENTS

Sophie combines **creative writing** and **art activities** to fire and stretch the imagination. Using her own **writing** as a starting point, and drawing on the work of writers, poets and artists, she encourages students to **create vivid stories** through memorable characters and dynamic language.

Sophie is a trained artist and her books are illustrated, so telling stories through **drawing and painting** are a big part of the workshops. (Magic feathers sometimes feature too...)

Workshops are suitable for KS2 and KS3. Sophie is always happy to discuss your specific requirements and activities can be adapted to complement your scheme of work.

Sophie Castle at Chatham Library wrote: 'We were so excited to have Sophie visiting Medway. The teacher's, library staff and children all warmed to her straight away and also had a chance to giggle at her story when she read aloud. She was entertaining and really inspired the children in both writing and to love books. We would love for Sophie to visit again and we can't wait to read more of her Jack Dash series!'

WHAT THE READERS SAY:

'arf arf arf arf ARF arf arf ARF. (Scabby earlobes, this book is AMAZING. Don't be a scaredy sock and read it NOW.)'
Opi, aged 10.

'Funny with a capital F!' Mo O'Hara.

'Funnier than a pig on stilts!' Matt Brown.

BOOK SALE

If you would like to have a book sale as part of the event, that would be brilliant!

If you don't have a bookshop that you usually work with, Sophie's publisher (contact details below) is very happy to help find one, or to supply books directly.

