

LAURA PERDEW



Interactive Single Sessions: Virtual or In-Person

<p>These 45-60 minute interactive sessions are available for all school and homeschool groups of up to 30 students; they include time for Q&A. Presentations are described below yet can also be tailored to meet both student and teacher interests.</p>	
<p>ANIMAL ADAPTATIONS</p>	<p>This presentation features a read-aloud of one of the 5 books in the picture book science series about animal adaptations as well as a discussion about the amazing variety of adaptations animals have. Post-visit activities included. This session is best for grades 1-4.</p>
	<p>Outcomes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students will understand that animals have a wide variety of adaptations (and be inspired to learn more!) • STEM topics address NGSS Life Science standards • Promotes cross curricular learning
<p>ADVENTURES IN RESEARCH</p>	<p>Students often consider research daunting or boring. But it's not! This presentation invites students to think of the process of researching and writing nonfiction as an adventure that is both fun and engaging (and informative!). For grades 2-8.</p>
	<p>Outcomes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students will understand the steps of the research process • Students will be ready to dig deep into research • Session addresses Common Core research standards
<p>THE FORT</p>	<p>This session includes a read aloud from my newest fiction picture book, <i>The Fort</i>, followed by a discussion about the power of imagination and compromise, and pre-writing activities for students. Post-visit activities included. Best for grades k-4.</p>
	<p>Outcomes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Addresses SEL relationship topics • Session addresses Common Core writing and literature standards
<p>HOW TO FIND AN IDEA</p>	<p>Many kids have spoken the words, "But I don't know what to write about!" This presentation takes kids on a journey to find ideas in all kinds of places, whether they are writing fiction or nonfiction. Grades 1-8.</p>
	<p>Outcomes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students will learn how to generate writing ideas, pick an angle, create a hook, develop a topic, and use description • Addresses Common Core writing standards
<p>Pricing: Virtual – Base fee \$100 for one class (up to 30 students); \$50 for each additional class In-person – Base fee \$250 for one class (up to 30 students); \$125 for each additional class (Note: travel fees may apply if visits are more than 30 miles from Boulder, Colorado)</p>	

To schedule a visit, fill out the contact form or email me at Imperdew@gmail.com!