

LAURA PERDEW



School Author Visits: Virtual or In-Person (2022-23 School Year)

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 **any presentation can be tailored to meet both student and teacher interests.**

ANIMAL ADAPTATIONS	This presentation features a read-aloud of one of the books in the Animal Adaptations picture book science series 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.
	Outcomes: <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
RESEARCHING and WRITING NONFICTION	Students often consider research daunting and/or boring. But it's not! This presentation invites students to rethink of the process of researching and writing nonfiction so that it is both fun and engaging (and informative!). For grades 2-8.
	Outcomes: <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
THE FORT	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.
	Outcomes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Addresses SEL relationship topics • Session addresses Common Core writing and literature standards
BIOMES	This presentation includes a read aloud from one of the books in the Biome Explorers picture book science series and a discussion of biomes around the world. Post-visit activities included. This session is best for grades 1-4.
	Outcomes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to the biomes of the world and the biodiversity in each • STEM topics address NGSS Life Science standards • Promotes cross curricular learning
Pricing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 is visits are more than 30 miles from Boulder, Colorado) 	

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