I'd love to Visit Your School!

It brings me so much joy to visit schools, share my books and inspire young children to read, write and explore their own creativity! I am thrilled to offer a variety of school programs I call book parties that inspire imaginations, make reading fun and encourage self exploration! My book parties are geared towards children in grades K-3 and include: character building workshops, educational guides, writing and discussion prompts, crafts, readings, personalized author signings and more! All book parties are in alignment with the Common Core State Standards in the areas of reading, writing, speaking and listening.

My team and I would love the opportunity to work with you to develop a program that meets the specific needs and goals of your school's literacy curriculum. Let's chat more about the possibilities!

xo Michele











Program Menu

The following offers suggested pricing and proposed program outlines. My team and I look forward to working with each school to craft a program that meets your specific needs and goals. Additional program extensions might include: complimentary book copies, classroom educational guides and student giveaways!

For more information, please contact us at: michele.c.mcavoy@gmail.com

FULL-DAY VISIT

\$1150

Includes: 3 sessions, writing prompt/craft, lunch with select students and personalized book signing. A signed copy of each of my books for your school library.

HALF-DAY VISIT

\$750

Includes: Two sessions, writing prompt/craft plus personalized book signing. A signed copy of each of my books for your school library.

SPLIT FULL DAY VISIT

\$1500

Includes: Sessions at two schools within the same district. One session at each school, writing prompt/craft and a personalized book signing at each school. A signed copy of each of my books for your school library.

SCHOOL ASSEMBLIES & KEYNOTE SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS \$ TBD

Each session will be designed to meet the requests and needs of your group. Previous assembly topics have included: 'Get Inspired to Write', 'Celebrating What Makes Us Unique', 'Coping with the Loss of a Loved One'.



Program Menu

The following are ala carte offerings and additions for schools within a 45 minute drive from Michele's hometown of Wood-Ridge, N.J., 07075 (ie: "local schools")

ASSEMBLY

(60 minutes) (\$425) (up to 200 students)

Includes one presentation and craft and/or writing prompt (depending upon the age of the students) and a Q&A.

Includes a signed copy of each of Michele's published titles for the school library.

ADD ONS:

- Personalized book signing- (1 hour) \$75
- Lunch with select students- (45 mins) \$50
- Storytime with grades kindergarten and pre-k- includes a read aloud of one of Michele's titles and a Q&A. (\$100)
- One additional presentation- (45 minutes) (\$200)- includes craft and/ or writing prompt and Q &A (up to 100 students) (\$200).

FOR ALL VISITS THE SCHOOL WILL PRESENT MICHELE'S BOOKS FOR SALE IN ADVANCE OF HER VISIT.

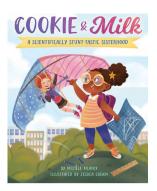
MICHELE WORKS WITH A LOCAL INDEPENDENT BOOKSTORE THAT WILL GIVE 20% OF BOOK SALES TO THE

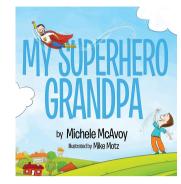
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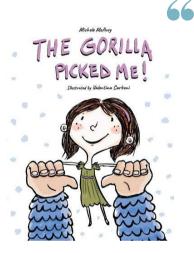
Testimonials & Author Bio

I have been stopped in the hall by two students telling me they had a fun time today! Thank you so much for being here and for showing our kids how fantastic it can be to be an author and to write with their heads and their hearts! I am sure in 15 years or so we are going to see a few authors out of this school because of presentations like yours today. Thank you from the bottom of our Spartan hearts!

-Amy Gargiulo, Media Specialist, Golden Hill Elementary, Florida, N.Y.







Thank you so much for visiting Brookdale Avenue School. Your energy was infectious and the students absolutely loved every minute of your presentation. We especially loved hearing about your passion for writing "what's in your heart and in your brain." That really resonated with our students. A first grade teacher was working on a Small Moments writing lesson after her class met you and she said that it was the best writing workshop she had ever experienced with her students. They were so inspired by your books and your message that they were able to carry that inspiration into their own writing. From start to finish (paper airplanes!) you managed to not only discuss your books and stories but really get kids thinking and writing and being creative. Thank you for the stories, thank you for the inspiration, thank you for the kazoos, and thank you for being so wonderful!

-Corisa Walker, Media Specialist, Verona, N.J. Public Schools



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Hello! I'm Michele McAvoy. I'm an inspirational speaker and award-winning children's book author from New Jersey! As a child, I read Judy Blume and drew Garfield comics. For my 10th birthday, I asked for a pink typewriter. I've always loved the smell of new books. Now all grown-up (typewriters near obsolete) I love bringing joy to children through my own stories. My books are uplifting and colorful and are meant to help children navigate through the natural bumps and curves of life. They are stories about friendship, diversity and celebrating what makes each child unique. My next picture book, Cookie & Milk with Cardinal Rule Press, releases October 1. Cookie & Milk was selected as a Top Shelf Title with IPG and was touted as "Smart, sassy, supportive girl power to the max!" by Kirkus. You can find my books at bookstores across the country as well as online. Pick up a copy! I also love engaging with my fans and followers on social media @michele_mcavoy on Twitter and @michelemcavoy on Instagram. I look forward to hearing from you!

