

Dawn Finch – Author

I provide fun author events with a spooky twist connected to my book (Brotherhood of Shades), but as an experienced literacy tutor and consultant I also deliver creative writing and poetry workshops to link in with school literacy and English schemes of work. I am comfortable working with large groups of children, and happy to work with all ages.



Brotherhood of Shades is a contemporary ghost story, but at its heart it is a classic tale of good vs evil. In my presentations we talk about what scares us, and what makes a good spooky story. I also cover some history with particular reference to the 16th Century.

My most popular events for infant and primary schools are currently my Prehistory Workshops based around my bestselling book - Skara Brae. These are designed to support both history and literacy in KS1 and 2, and are based around a creative workshop inspired by the prehistoric sites of Britain with many interesting items to handle and inspire.

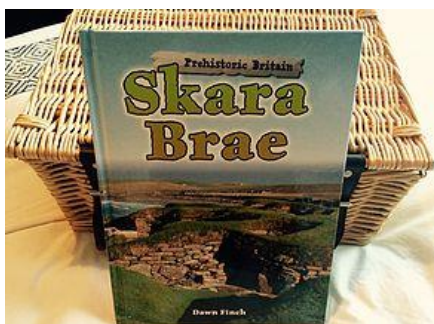


I follow up all of my visits with feedback on pupil's work if required (including judging storywriting competitions) and provide two free copies of my book to do with as you see fit (some schools have used these as prizes). I also supply publicity material, book related material and ideas for discussion points if required. I am happy to liaise with local book suppliers if you also require this service.

For 2016, I am pleased to be able to offer a set price London and South East Schools package. This consists of a half day of tailored talks and presentations (including pupil involvement) followed by lively Q&A and signing session.

The London & South East Schools half-day package is a set price of £250 (this includes all of my travel expenses) I also offer a full-day price of £450. If you share a location with a feeder school, I am happy to combine the visit and split the cost between you and your primary or secondary partner.

I am happy to visit schools all over the UK, and prices vary depending on distance. Please contact me for a quote, or a booking form. More testimonials are available on my website. www.dawnfinch.com email author@dawnfinch.com



"During Children's Book Week, Dawn Finch gave an inspiring presentation to groups of year 8 students. Speaking about her book, she not only captivated them with tales of ghosts, but also got them thinking about preconceptions and symbolism: why does a classmate moving among us become scary just by donning a costume? Dawn's ultimate message to students: work hard to achieve your dream." Tina Marshall, Librarian, Sandhurst School