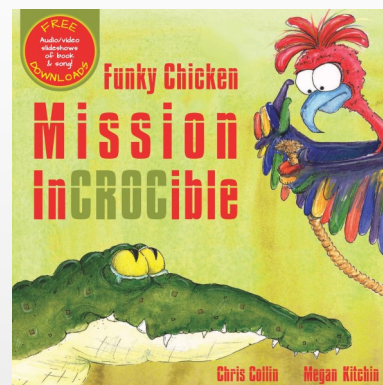
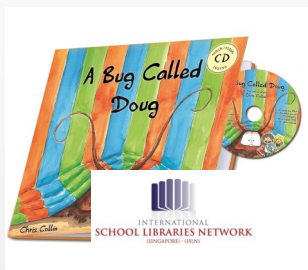
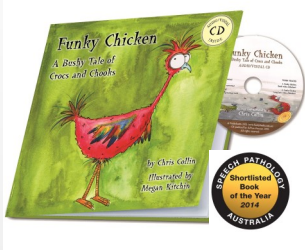


A FUN FAMILY EVENT!

with Award-Winning Australian Author
Chris Collin and his
Fabulously Funky Books!



(Kindy to any age) Duration 45 - 60 minutes

Focus - Exploring literacy with fun - through rhyme, music, puppets and art

- **Introduction and Book Reading** - Children will join Chris with some animal impersonations of their own as he reads his first book, *Funky Chicken: A Bushy Tale of Crocs and Chooks* - 10 mins
- **Music/Movement** - Chris will sing and dance with the audience to the *Funky Chicken Song*. A few special volunteers will be wearing some funky animal costumes! - 5 mins
- **Q & A** - With Chris and one of his puppet friends - 5 mins
- **Inspiration/Work in Progress** - Chris will introduce the manuscript and cover design for his current work in progress; his next book, *Funky Chicken: Mission InCROCible!* – 10 mins
- **Audio/Visual** - Chris will explain the inspiration behind his books and then narrate his latest book *Funky Chicken Mission InCROCible* to an amazing audio-visual slideshow with musical score. - 10 mins
- **Music/Movement** - The audience will join Chris, singing and dancing to the rap song *Mission InCROCible* - which will also play as an audio-visual lyric slideshow. One brave audience member will be invited to wear a very special costume! - 5 mins
- **Art Activity** - Chris and the audience will draw their own funky characters! (time and space permitting) - 10 to 15 mins
- **Memories From The Day** - Children/families gather with Chris for a group photo (subject to time and permissions)

HOST INFORMATION - Chris Collin Author Presentation

Rates Excl GST

\$450 – 1 x 60 minute session

\$300 – per subsequent session (same day, max 2 sessions per day)

Prior to the Performance

A promotional flyer will be sent to the host 2 weeks prior to the event. The host has permission from Funkybooks to use the flyer and the information it contains as they see fit in the weeks leading up to the event.

On the Day:

Equipment required to be supplied by the host:

- Staff may be asked to assist with selection of volunteers dancers/actors and distribution of paper/colouring pencils as required.
- Access to power mains wall socket.
- Projector and screen (we do have our own but will use the hosts if available). **Please arrange for a qualified person to assist Chris in connecting to your equipment.**
- The host is to supply 1 x A4 sheet per child and colouring pencils for the creative drawing activity, plus backing boards if the activity is on a carpeted floor.
- Whiteboard and markers.
- Clear space of about 2m deep x 4m wide for presenters performance space plus adequate spacing/seating for audience as required.
- Table for Chris to present from and to display books/merchandise (approx 1m x 2m).
- Light refreshments (not essential - only applies if pre-arranged).

For more information and bookings please visit our website

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