

GRADES: PREP / FOUNDATION - YEAR 12

**CURRICULUM: ENGLISH, ARTS, HUMANITIES AND
SOCIAL SCIENCE, HEALTH & PHYSICAL
EDUCATION**

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ABOUT ANDREA ROWE



JETTY JUMPING, WINNER OF 2022 CBCA BOOK OF THE YEAR - EARLY CHILDHOOD



JETTY JUMPING, WINNER OF 2023 SPEECH PATHOLOGY AUSTRALIA BOOK OF THE YEAR - 5 - 8 YEARS

SUNDAY SKATING, COMPANION TEXT, RELEASED IN AUSTRALIA & USA



IN THE ROCKPOOL, NOTABLE WINNER 2024 PICTURE BOOK OF THE YEAR - EARLY CHILDHOOD



THE EVERYDAY TUTU MANUSCRIPT IN PRODUCTION - LITTLE HARE PRIZE 2024

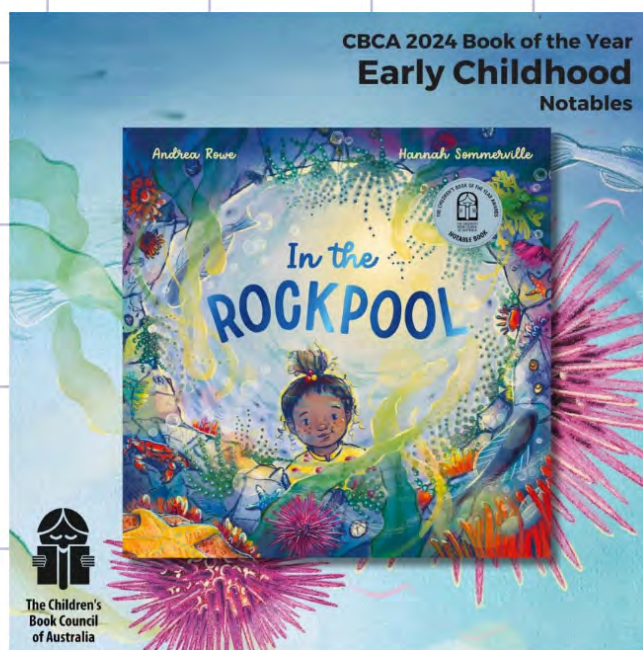
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6 MORE BOOKS IN PRODUCTION

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WINNER OF 3 NATIONAL LITERARY SHORT STORY AWARDS & AWARDED 2 MAY GIBBS TRUST FELLOWSHIPS

INSPIRING READERS & WRITERS



PREP - GRADE 6

Meet the author

- ✓ Little reader to big writer
- ✓ Interactive story share
- ✓ Writing drafts
- ✓ Onomatopoeia Game Show
- ✓ Story brainstorm



Andrea shares insights into how she wrote her award-winning book *Jetty Jumping*, the twists and turns of creating its companion text, *Sunday Skating*, and talks about finding inspiration, how an author's brain works, writing habits, keeping a notebook, and just how much happens between the first draft and last drafts. Students play a fast-paced word play game and brainstorm to write a group story.

PREP - YEAR 6

Go For It! & Jump! Jump story time

- ✓ Interactive story time
- ✓ CBCA Medal show & tell
- ✓ Worries & big feelings
- ✓ End papers secrets
- ✓ Skate deck & jetty jumper crafts



The best-selling author Andrea Rowe will transport kids back to the world of the award-winning picture book, Jetty Jumping and skate straight into a whole new adventure for this outdoor loving gang of adventurous kids with Sunday Skating.

Two jam-packed, leap from your seat story shares where kids who like to move can step into the pages of these much-loved Australian picture books. Fast-paced interactive story time. Take-home keep-crafts.



YEAR 4 - YEAR 6



Write from the senses

- ✓ Descriptive writing techniques building narrative skills
- ✓ Looks like, feels like, sounds like, smells like
- ✓ Emotional connections & imagery
- ✓ Let's explore setting
- ✓ Prompts & charts



Using the five senses is one of the best ways to incorporate descriptive writing. Describing sight, smell, hearing, taste, and touch helps spark creativity when writing. Award-winning author Andrea Rowe, helps students explore and envision descriptive words and put Show, Don't Tell into practice.





YEAR 4 - YEAR 6



Crossing the story bridge

- ✓ Brainstorming & story building
- ✓ Foundations of character
- ✓ Creating settings
- ✓ Situations, setbacks, & solutions
- ✓ Writing from senses



Hosted by award-winning author Andrea Rowe, students will have fun crossing the story bridge in this writing workshop that looks at the elements of story structure, the foundations of character and their central dilemma, and allies who help the character build their bridge. Includes brainstorming, writing from the senses and how to begin.



YEAR 6 – YEAR 8

Story Soup

- ✓ Playful writing exercises
- ✓ Interactive plot development
- ✓ Creating characters
- ✓ Building conflict and exploring solutions
- ✓ Stretching writing skills

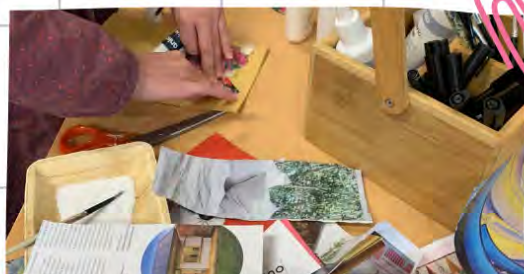


A bowl full of printed words, a pen to stir them and an appetite for creating stories. Fill yourself up with Story Soup. Award-winning author Andrea Rowe dishes out the story making fun.

YEAR 6 – YEAR 12

Zine-making

- ✓ Personal creations
- ✓ Popular culture & history of zines
- ✓ Techniques & methods
- ✓ Inspiring prompts
- ✓ Telling stories with mixed media



Zines are handmade publications that can become a one-off collector's item, or a new creative outlet. Tap into fun self-expression, captures the story of you, share things you want to say & create something truly unique. Long time zine maker, award-winning author Andrea Rowe helps you explore zine-making! Adapted for all ages.



YEAR 7 – YEAR 12



Story steps for short story competitions

- ✔ Setting writing goals
- ✔ Tips for being organised
- ✔ What judges look for
- ✔ Story ideas
- ✔ Submissions insight



Looking for the secret ingredients of short story writing competition and submitting? Join award-winning children's picture book author and multi-award winning short story writer, and judge, Andrea Rowe for a step-by-step guide to planning for your short story writing goals for the year. Ideal workshop to encourage confidence.





YEAR 9 – YEAR 12



Careers for writers

- ✓ My journalism, PR and digital content writing journey
- ✓ Literacy and communications skills that write you into careers
- ✓ Journalism, content writing, copywriting, PR & Marketing, AI and digital writing
- ✓ Early steps to writing jobs



Writing skills are employable skills, and students with a passion for writing can write their way into meaningful careers. It helps to scope options, and understand pathways. In this practical and useful session, Andrea shares her journey from English Lit student, youth magazine editor, university degree, journalism jobs, marketing & PR for ski resorts and Commonwealth Games, Government Minister Media Manager, freelance content writer and award-winning author. Andrea hosts an inspiring discussion around how passions for writing and reading inform career goals.



TAILORED WORKSHOPS & TEACHER PD'S



As a past journalist, copywriter, communications strategist, touring author & communications mentor I have specialist workshops up my sleeve. I deliver PETAA, Ardoch Foundation, Vision Australia workshops and Mentor Text PD's. Chat to me about your needs.





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