

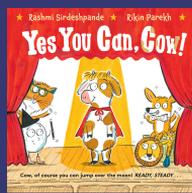
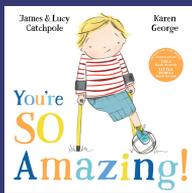
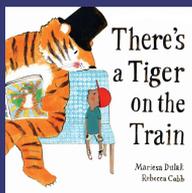
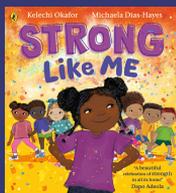


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30 Jan - 4 Feb 2024



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Stepping Into Story-Time

Enjoy ten minutes a day listening to a special storytime with some of your favourite authors! View on the website during festival week - Perfect for little ones aged 4+



After School
events at
Station Hall

Tuesday
30 January
4:00 PM
Station Hall

**KOFI AND THE RAP
BATTLE SUMMER**
Jeffrey Boakye



Travel back to the 90s in this fun interactive game show-style event with Jeffrey Boakye as he introduces his first middle-grade novel
For ages 9+

Wednesday
31 January
4:00 PM
Station Hall



**SO YOU WANT
TO BE A FROG**
Jane Porter

Join author Jane Porter to learn all about frogs in a fun, interactive session where you will invent a new frog species and leave with your very own frog club badge. **For ages 5+**

Thursday
1 February
4:00 PM
Station Hall



**LET'S DRESS UP OUR
MOTHER EARTH**
Viola Wang

In this workshop, inspired by the book 'Hello?' we will draw along with Viola and explore the fun process of designing a character with eco clothing. **For ages 4+**



Fri 2 Feb 4:00 PM

Join "everyone's favourite pantomime dame," (Metro) Mama G, on a brand new panto adventure for the whole family! Families are sure to love this storytelling show full of panto fun, interaction, song and dance, puppetry, and some of the finest picture books currently on the market!
For Ages 4+

FREE Live webinars with industry professionals. For ages 16+

Tuesday
30 January
7:30 PM
Online



**PANEL: CHAMPIONING DISABLED
CHARACTERS IN CHILDREN'S LITERATURE**
Cerrie Burnell, James Catchpole,
Matilda Feyişayo Ibin, Jen Campbell

Wednesday
31 January
7:30 PM
Online



**FOSTERING EMPATHY
THROUGH CHILDREN'S BOOKS**
Empathy Lab founder, Sarah Mears,
Rashmi Sirdeshpande & Cath Howe

SATURDAY 3 FEBRUARY

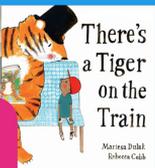
**Saturday
3 February
10:00 AM
Station Hall**



THE ECO FAMILY BOOK
Frann Preston Gannon

An interactive storytime and drawing workshop. Frann will read from her new book, *The Eco Family*, and will get kids drawing pictures inspired by the nature of Brockwell Park **For ages 3+**

**Saturday
3 February
10:30 AM
198 Contemporary Arts**



THERE'S A TIGER ON THE TRAIN
Mariesa Dulak

Hop on board an extraordinary journey down to the sea! In this epic train adventure a tiger boards the train, along with a jungle of other animals. A roarsome event full of fun and imaginative activities **For ages 4+**

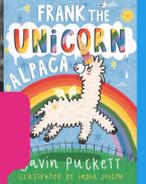
**Saturday
3 February
11:30 AM
Station Hall**




YOU'RE SO AMAZING!
James Catchpole

Joe has one leg. When people meet him they often treat him as Amazing Joe or Poor Joe. But can't he just be . . . Joe? *You're So Amazing!* is a funny, warm informative take on abled responses to disability **For ages 4+**

**Saturday
3 February
1:00 PM
Station Hall**




FRANK THE UNICORN ALPACA
Gavin Puckett

King of rhyme Gavin Puckett introduces us to Frank the Unicorn Alpaca. Frank lives in a petting zoo and feels like he doesn't fit in until he discovers a book about unicorns . . . and wakes up to a horn on his head! **For ages 5+**

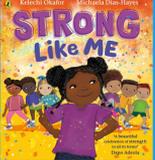
**Saturday
3 February
1:30 PM
Brockwell Greenhouses**




5 MINUTE NATURE STORIES
Gabby Dawnay

Join Gabby to explore the interconnectedness of nature and the wonder of science behind her stories. Spark curiosity by looking around at the wonders in the park with nature-inspired writing and drawing. **For ages 5+**

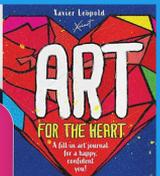
**Saturday
3 February
2:00 PM
Station Hall**




STRONG LIKE ME
Kelechi Okafor

Join Kelechi Okafor for an inspirational event based on her debut picture-book 'Strong Like Me'. A story about finding your own ways to be strong, discovering your power and championing yourself. **For ages 4+**

**Saturday
3 February
2:00 PM
198 Contemporary Arts**




ART FOR THE HEART
Xavier Leopold

Discover the joy of expressing your feelings through art in this motivational and interactive workshop for children, based on illustrator and author Xavier Leopold's creative journal *Art for the Heart*. **For ages 7+**

**Saturday
3 February
3:30 PM
Station Hall**




THE CLOCKWORK CONSPIRACY
Sam Sedgman

A whodunnit set inside Big Ben on the night the clocks go back, with rooftop chases, cryptic clues, and out-of-this-world science. Hear the amazing real-life stories that inspired Sam's new adventure. **For ages 7+**

SUNDAY 4 FEBRUARY

Sunday
4 February
 10:00 AM
 Station Hall




TO THE OTHER SIDE
 Erika Meza

A powerful children's story of two refugees searching for safety. Through masks inspired in the Mexican culture, you will explore the story and design your very own alebrije to colour and take home. **For ages 4+**

Sunday
4 February
 10:30 AM
 198 Contemporary Arts




CATCH!
 Ken Wilson-Max

Join Ken Wilson-Max as he shares the story of Catch! using words, drawings and paint. Catch! is a joyful picture book about the little loving things that make a difference. **For ages 4+**

Sunday
4 February
 11:30 AM
 Station Hall




SPELLSTONE
 Ross Montgomery

Evie's world is turned upside down when she discovers that the city she lives in is filled with hidden magic. A session about how we can take ordinary things and make them extraordinary in our own stories. **For ages 8+**

Sunday
4 February
 12:00 PM
 198 Contemporary Arts




HELLO!
 Viola Wang

Inspired by Viola's book, Hello! we will learn how to "make friends" – literally! using a 3D model-making kit prepared by Viola. **For ages 4+**

Sunday
4 February
 1:00 PM
 Station Hall




FAIRYTALE MUSICAL MASH-UP
 Gareth P Jones

A fresh take on classic fairytales, packed with jokes, actions and messages of empowerment. With a disco-dancing gorilla, cat-walk cats ... and the long-eared rabbit Rabunzel. **For ages 3+**

Sunday
4 February
 1:30 PM
 198 Contemporary Arts




THE WISHPKEEPER'S APPRENTICE
 Rachel Chivers Khoo

Discover the world of wishkeepers & magical storytelling. Packed with audience interaction from a magical wishfulness gauge to a wish-popping toaster, will you unlock the secret to making wishes come true? **For ages 6+**

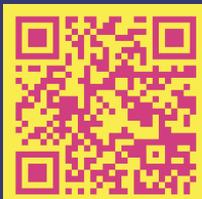
Sunday
4 February
 2:00 PM
 Station Hall




YES YOU CAN COW!
 Rashmi Sirdeshpande
 & Rikin Prekh

Meet a little Cow with a BIG fear. She's the star of stage show Hey Diddle Diddle but she's TERRIFIED of jumping over the Moon! Can she finally find her courage and follow her dreams with a teensy bit of help from YOU! **For ages 4+**

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