

# Meet the Author, Sue Walker

## Author Talk

### What is it like being an Author?

Find out what it's like to be an author in this informative session tailored to the age of the group.

Sue discusses the inspiration behind some of her stories, and the writing process – from first draft, through to a book finally appearing on the shelves.

Sue emphasises the importance of editing your work and shows examples of drafts and galley proofs. Her talk includes a reading from one of her books and time for Q&A. A short writing activity for Upper Primary students can be included on request.

**Sessions run for 40 - 60 minutes depending on age of students. It is recommended that students be familiar with some of Sue's books prior to the Author Talk.**



Sue Walker is an author of books for young people. Titles include: *Arnie Avery* - CBC Notable Book & SCBWI finalist, *Tilly's Treasure* from the award winning Aussie Nibbles series, and *Best Friends* - also a CBC Notable Book. Sue's books have featured in the Premier's Reading Challenge and many of her poems, articles and short stories have appeared in school magazines.

