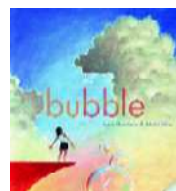
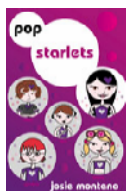


Online Writing Workshops

WITH AUSTRALIAN CHILDREN'S/YOUNG ADULT AUTHOR JOSIE MONTANO



- ☺ From the comfort of your own classroom!
- ☺ Online creative writing workshops or author talks to inspire young writers,
- ☺ Also catering for all students from rural and remote areas of Australia;
- ☺ Students have the opportunity to develop their creative writing skills;
- ☺ Chat online with prominent Australian author Josie Montano who will inspire students;
- ☺ Innovative approach to creative writing using an online learning environment;
- ☺ Offering full day writing workshop with same group - learning about planning, researching, creating characters, opening a story, baiting a reader, writing, editing hints and re-writing; Lots of writing activities during off-line time;
- ☺ Alternatively students are able to chat with Josie's *characters* on-line;
- ☺ Flexibility with dates and times;
- ☺ Flexibility with program to suit your class curriculum, e.g.: the past, penguins, multiculturalism etc;
- ☺ Rates discounted as no travel costs involved!
- ☺ Full day writing Workshop (3 x 1 hr sessions) @ the rate of \$400
- ☺ 1 hour author chat @ the rate of \$200

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## What other schools said about Josie's online workshops/chats: -

- ☞ *Our students were 'a buzz' with excitement during their on line chat with Josie Montano this morning. All the students were thrilled to be participating in such an experience.*
- ☞ *Thanks for the opportunity to be involved in the on-line workshop yesterday for the Write Around Australia competition. From my brief conversations with, I'd say they both thoroughly enjoyed the input from their own special author/mentor!*
- ☞ *We were particularly impressed the workshops presented by Josie Montano who used the online format very effectively. I certainly learnt a lot from the techniques she utilised.*  
*Thank you so much for setting the session up. The kids thought it was fantastic. They have started to write and were inspired.*  
**The online chats were great and the students were really involved and had some great ideas. I'm sure they will spend the weekend finishing off their stories or thinking of other great stories to start.**
- ☞ *I've sat through a couple of online chats and I have to say your two were the best and Josie is the first author I have found who has embraced the chat tool so well - and she herself gives direction to the students - it has helped heaps - and has led to a really constructive two sessions.*
- ☞ *This has been a really high quality workshop.*

If you are further interested, please contact Josie on 07 33001543 or email [jsanto@tpg.com.au](mailto:jsanto@tpg.com.au) and check out her site to learn more her thirteen published books [www.users.tpg.com.au/jsanto](http://www.users.tpg.com.au/jsanto)