

MEET THE AUTHOR



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ABOUT THE AUTHOR

PATRICIA BELLAMY-MATHIS, MSW WAS BORN AND RAISED IN NEW HAVEN, CT. SHE IS A MOTHER, WIFE, AUTHOR, EDUCATOR AND SOCIAL WORKER WHO HAS A PASSION FOR EXPANDING CHILDREN'S EXPOSURE TO LITERATURE THAT FEATURES BLACK & BROWN CHARACTERS AND GIVES POWER TO BLACK AND BROWN STORIES. PATRICIA IS AN ADVOCATE FOR EARLY LITERACY AS SHE WAS INSPIRED TO WRITE WHILE TAKING THE #1000BOOKSBEFOREKINDERGARTEN CHALLENGE WITH HER OLDEST DAUGHTER, ASPENNE.

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOU MEET THE AUTHOR?

FOR CHILDREN, A REAL LIFE AUTHOR VISIT IS A SPECIAL EVENT! PATRICIA MAKES IT QUITE THE EXPERIENCE BY OFFERING A COMBINATION OF:

- A READ ALOUD AKA STORY TIME
- AN AUTHOR Q & A SESSION
- A BOOK-RELATED ACTIVITY AND/OR GAME
- A BOOK SIGNING & AUTHOR PHOTOS
- 1 SIGNED COPY OF THE BOOK FOR THE HOST ORGANIZATION
- SESSIONS ARE 45-75 MINUTES AND DESIGNED FOR APPROX. 20 CHILDREN
- 2+ SESSIONS OR 50+ CHILDREN IS CONSIDERED A SCHOOL-WIDE VISIT

FOR ADULTS, MEETING AN AUTHOR CAN BE LIFE CHANGING! PATRICIA INSPIRES THE AUDIENCE BY OFFERING:

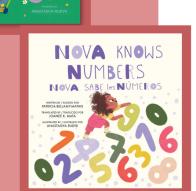
- A READ ALOUD (YES, THE ADULTS GET STORY TIME TOO)
- AN INTERACTIVE PEAK INTO THE WRITING PROCESS
- OR A FULL ON WRITING WORKSHOP (120 MIN. SESSION)
- AN AUTHOR O & A SESSION
- A BOOK SIGNING & AUTHOR PHOTOS
- 1 SIGNED COPY OF THE BOOK FOR THE HOST ORGANIZATION
- SESSIONS ARE 75-120 MINUTES AND DESIGNED FOR APPROX. 15 ADULTS

VIRTUAL SESSIONS ARE DESIGNED FOR THE CHILD & ADULT

- A READ ALOUD
- A BRIEF AUTHOR Q & A SESSION
- SESSIONS ARE 30 MINUTES AND AUDIENCE SIZE IS UNLIMITED

BOOK ORDERS

- BULK ORDERS OF 25+ BOOKS = 25% DISCOUNT | 50+ BOOKS = 40% DISCOUNT.
- FOR ALL SESSIONS, AN ORDER FORM MUST GO HOME AT LEAST ONE WEEK IN ADVANCE.



RATES

Virtual Visit \$150
Children's Visit \$250
Classroom Visit \$Ask for
the Teacher Special
School-wide Visit \$750
Adults' Visit \$750
Writing Workshop \$950

Any travel over 25 miles (from New Britain, CT) will incur a \$100 fee