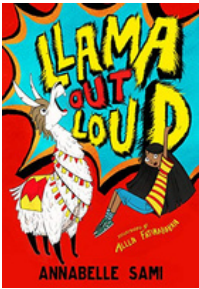


# Annabelle Sami Author Events



I am a writer and arts producer living in London. My book Llama Out Loud was shortlisted for the Waterstones Children's Book Prize, who wrote, 'Sami constructs her story with flawless comic timing' and won the Spark! Book Award 2020. I love encouraging children to read for pleasure and to be the authors of their own adventures through games, storytelling and workshops.

## My Books + Workshops:



In this workshop we will use the Llama Out Loud books to learn how to write funny stories! We will share our favourite jokes, listen to a reading from the books and create our own talking animal sidekicks.



In this workshop we'll use the Agent Zaiba books to learn what makes a good detective story. We'll use the Golden Rules of Mystery to plan a story together. The class will then use this plan to start writing their own mystery story.



In this workshop we will use Dreamweavers to explore fantasy stories and how to create magical worlds. We will design our own naughty 'jinn' characters and plan our own dream stories.

### Assemblies

Year group assemblies that focus on storytelling, being an author and a reading from a book of your choice

## My Rates

Workshop/Assembly: 45 Minutes (+15 minutes for Q&A)

**£150 plus travel expenses**

Online Visit: 30 Minutes

**£50**

Travel expenses are either 1) pre-approved train travel costs or, 2) if driving 45p per mile to be paid on receipt of invoice from the author.