

# Anne Margaret Lewis

## Author Presentation

*Preschool – 6th Grade*

One of the top five presenters in the state, Anne Margaret Lewis connects with kids. Her creativity, ENERGY, knowledge, and passion are extraordinary. This is a presentation that you and your students will never forget!

### **MAGIC!**

Your students will be inspired to take critique and turn it into magic!

### **IMAGINATIVE!**

Anne Margaret Lewis begins the presentation by taking you on a book publishing journey from concept to completion. She leads the kids into an elaborate story filled with her experience of shark infested waters while windsurfing in the tropics and explains that her IMAGINATION is her most powerful tool. Imagination is important and magical in every aspect of her life—in writing, creating art with the artists, and problem-solving in her own business. She explains that you're never too old to IMAGINE and DREAM BIG!

### **EDUCATIONAL!**

Anne Margaret talks about teamwork and how important it is to pull your weight as a member of a team. She correlates working on books and team-building to working on projects in the classroom as a group. This brings to reality the importance of what students are doing in the school to what they can accomplish in their own future.

While on the publishing journey she will take your students through the writing process from the first draft (your student's sloppy copy), through editing, and keeping an open mind to being edited, to the final copy. Anne Margaret engages and interacts with the students in a way that the presentation is over before they know it.

### **EXERCISE A CHILD'S IMAGINATION!**

In the grand finale of her presentation, your students will be able to conduct their own interview of her fictional character, Mr. McGreevey (Anne Margaret dressed up as Mr. McGreevey), so that they will know the characteristics, habits, and background of this 105 year-old character. Finally, she will ask the students to go back to the classroom and write and/or illustrate their own story with Mr. McGreevey as their main character.

This has been a very successful program in schools around the country, and Anne Margaret encourages you to host your own young author's night with students and parents, it's a lot of fun!

### **GRADE LEVEL APPROPRIATE**

Anne Margaret has the innate ability to gear her presentations for the specific age of her audience for whom she is presenting. Your kindergartners and first graders will not be overwhelmed, but entertained while they're learning, and your fifth and sixth graders will be engaged and intrigued. They ask the most amazing questions.

### **PRICE LIST & CLASS SIZES**

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