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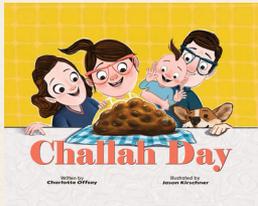


Charlotte Offsay

CHILDREN'S AUTHOR



Charlotte Offsay is a children's author living in Los Angeles with her husband and two young children. Through her work, Charlotte hopes to make children laugh, to inspire curiosity, and to create a magical world her readers can lose themselves in time and time again. Charlotte is the author of *Challah Day*, *A Grandma's Magic*, *The Big Beach Cleanup* and *How to Return a Monster*.



Challah Day
Holiday House



A Grandma's Magic
Random House



The Big Beach Cleanup
Albert Whitman



How To Return a Monster
Beaming Books



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Author Visits

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Dear Educators: One of my favorite parts of being an author is meeting and talking about books with children! If you'd like to schedule a virtual author visit, please send me an email at coffsay@gmail.com. If there is a type of program you are interested in that I haven't included, please reach out via email to discuss.

Presentation details:

- Pre-K - 6 - Virtual Read-aloud followed by 20 min Q&A.
- K-6 - 45 minutes (see presentation topics)
- School to provide hosting platform for virtual visits (test call available)
- Personalized books can be ordered from Children's Book World in Los Angeles.

Presentation topics:

- Ocean/Plastic Pollution
- How to Story Structure
- Where do Ideas Come From?
- From Idea to Publication
- The Revision Process
- Personalized programs for your school may be requested.

Fees:

In-Person:

- Local 20-minute reading and kid Q&A - free with book purchase
- Full Day (4 presentations) - \$700
- Single Presentation - \$200

Virtual:

- Local 20-minute reading and kid Q&A - free with book purchase
- Full Day (Up to 4 presentations) - \$400
- Single Presentation - \$125

Travel expenses/mileage will be added to the cost for out-of-state visits or in-state visits that are more than 90 miles away.



Endorsements



"A Grandma's Magic captures the special relationship between a grandmother and grandchild: grandmas are all-knowing, always able to heal, inspire, create, and love. The illustrations capture and exude the same warmth that comes with a grandma's hug." - @littlecubliteracy

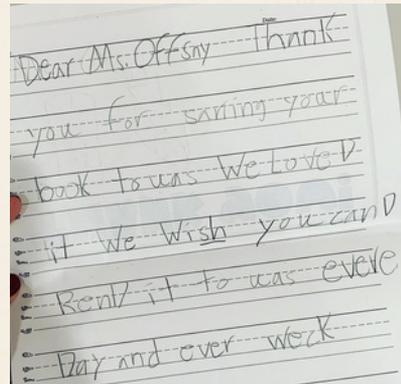


"Charlotte Offsay's book *How To Return A Monster* is a fabulous children's book. Charlotte came to read to Brentwood School's first-grade class and they could not get enough of this story! They asked her to read it over and over. Charlotte is engaging with students and does a wonderful job presenting how she became an author and the writing process. She was quite inspiring and we can't wait for another visit with her!"

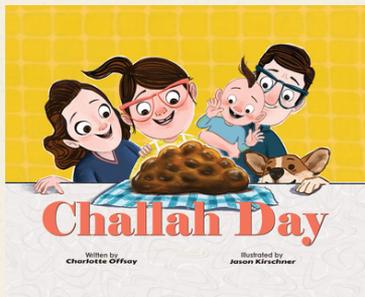
- Andrea Susson, 1st Grade teacher at Brentwood Elementary School



[The Big Beach Cleanup] is a great book to use as a read-aloud for Earth Day, or as part of a civics unit stressing the importance of how one person, even a child, can make a big difference. - Linda Broderick, Lincoln Street Elementary School, Northboro, MA



Charlotte's Books



Challah Day
Illustrated by Jason Kirschner
Holiday House
July 18, 2028
ISBN: 978-0823454112

Description: From kneading sticky dough to gathering with family around the table, *Challah Day* celebrates family, food, heritage, and tradition! Join this happy family as they bake delicious braided egg bread for their Friday night Shabbat dinner.



A Grandma's Magic
Illustrated by Asa Gilland
Doubleday Books for Young Readers/Penguin Random House
March 1, 2022
ISBN: 978-0593376003

Description: "When a child is born, a grandma is born too. Grandmas aren't like regular grown-ups. Grandmas are filled with magic." *A Grandma's Magic* is a picture book tribute to grandmas and all that makes them 'magic.'



The Big Beach Cleanup
Illustrated by Katie Rewse
Albert Whitman, March 1, 2021.
ISBN: 978-0807508015

Description: *The Big Beach Cleanup* is an ocean advocacy story about little hands joining together to make big change. It introduces young readers to the impact of human trash on the environment and offers practical solutions for tackling the plastic problem.

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How to Return a Monster
Illustrated by Rea Zhai
Beaming Books, September 14,
2021.
ISBN: 978-1506464695

Description: *How to Return a Monster* is a humorous how-to story about a girl who can't believe it when her parents bring home a fussy, stinky, attention-stealing monster. She hatches a plan to send it back to where it came from, with hilarious results . . . and along the way, she learns that maybe monsters--and baby siblings--aren't so bad after all.