

R.C. CHIZHOV

Children's Book Author

R.C. Chizhov is an award-winning children's book author who writes humorous and heart-tugging stories, where anything is possible.

She grew up in India, moved to New York in 2005 and spent fourteen years as an investment banker, before realizing her childhood dream of being an author.

She now lives in Florida with her husband and son. R.C. is member of SCBWI and Making Room for Rhyme.



Editorial reviews

"A read aloud bedtime tale that can help kids gain confidence in their own bravery." – *Kirkus Reviews*

"A winning tale about tapping into your inner strengths." – *Midwest Book Review*

"A wholesome, charming picture book." – *LoveReadingUK*

"Chizhov has created a picture book that is delightful to read." – *Indies Today*

"The illustrations are beautifully done and fit the storyline perfectly." – *Readers Favorite*

"Amazing addition to classroom libraries, counseling offices and more." – *Reedsy Discovery*



Presentations

R.C. loves to share her passion for reading and writing with students through her educational, entertaining, and interactive sessions.

Presentation: MAGIC OF WORDS / STORYTIME / BEHIND THE SCENES OF A BOOK
Grade: K-3 Length: 30 minutes (Q&A for grades 2 and 3)

Presentation: WRITING WORKSHOP
Grade: 4-5 Length: 45 mins (includes Q&A)

Equipment: R.C. will need a laptop, projector, whiteboard and marker. In some cases, a microphone.

Q&A: Consider having students write down questions in advance. Photographs are fine. SESSIONS MAY NOT BE RECORDED OR SHARED IN ANY WAY.

2023-24 Speaking Fees

IN-PERSON AUTHOR VISIT
Full day (3-4 sessions): \$1,100
Half-day (2 sessions): \$650
*Travel expenses are additional

VIRTUAL AUTHOR VISIT
30-45 min Read-Aloud and Q&A: \$200

Book Orders

Students, faculty, and staff have the opportunity to order personalized, signed books by R.C. Chizhov. R.C. will provide the order forms. On a designated due date, simply let R.C. know which books have been ordered and to whom the books should be personalized. R.C. will bring the books with her on the day of her visit. Payment in the form of cash or checks to Blissful Conch LLC.



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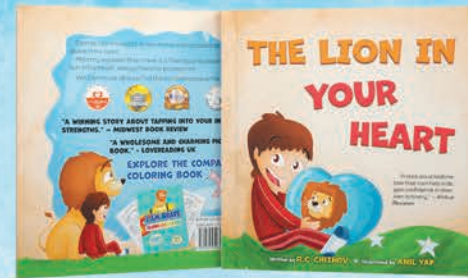
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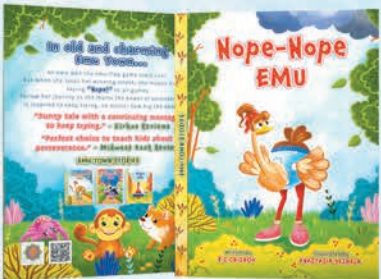
Books By R.C. Chizhov



Fasten your seatbelts for a tornado, games and rides in **Adventure Emu!**
(Gratitude, thankfulness)



A read aloud bedtime tale that can help kids gain confidence in their own bravery
(Courage, inner strength, facing fears)



Nope-Nope Emu is a funny and charming tale about perseverance and never giving up!
(Perseverance, grit, dealing with failure)



Color your courage in this affirmations-based coloring book for kids.
(Self-confidence, leadership, determination)



Magician Emu is an exciting tale of self-discovery and a celebration of being unique.
(Self-acceptance, self-esteem)

Award-winning books:



- Builds Bonds:** Bedtime, read-aloud, classroom discussions
- Improves Reading Skills:** Funny rhymes and playful prose
- Conversation Starter:** Tough topics explained in a fun way

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