

Workshops & Programmes

With Emma-Jane Leeson
2023/2024



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for Libraries, Schools &
Corporates

EMMA-JANE LEESON is one of Ireland's leading children's book author living in Kildare beside the beautiful 'Special Area of Conservation' Ballynafagh Lake.

Emma-Jane

Emma-Jane was the 2022 Kildare Libraries 'Reader in Residence' promoting children's literature for children 5-12yrs.

Emma-Jane wrote her first 'story about Johnny Magory' 19 years ago for her daughter. These stories are all based on the old rhyme "Will I tell you a story about Johnny Magory? Will I begin it, that's all that's in it!" which her father used to tell her every night.

Each of the stories educates children on Irish heritage and wildlife in a fun way. She is currently writing the TV animation series of Johnny Magory.

Emma-Jane had a career in HR with some of Ireland's biggest corporates. Delivering training and coaching online is a key talent that has enabled her to bring her workshops successfully online.

Emma-Jane is also an embodied Hatha Yoga and Meditation Teacher.



Brief Overview

We offer in-person and virtual workshops and programmes for children, teenagers and adults. Should you have any queries on the content of the programmes, please do not hesitate to contact Amanda through email Hello@JohnnyMagory.com

For Children



Wildlife and Heritage Workshop



1-Hour Writing Workshop



6 Weeks to Become a Published Author



Children's Storytelling Yoga

For Teenagers



6 Weeks to Become a Published Author



1-Hour Yoga & Meditation

For Adults



1-Hour 'Master Your Business Story' Workshop



1-Hour Writing Workshop



6 Weeks to Write and Publish your own Children's Book



1-Hour Chair Yoga & Meditation



Children's Workshops

Johnny Magory Books
with Emma-Jane Leeson

WILDLIFE & HERITAGE WORKSHOP

Suitable for up to 7 Years

Downloadable Worksheet

45-60 mins

Fun, interactive workshop involving reading Johnny Magory Adventure books, Irish dancing & music, followed by a fun, educational discussion on Irish wildlife and heritage

In-Person: 30 children per session
Online: 3 classrooms per session





Johnny Magory Books
with Emma-Jane Leeson

WILDLIFE & HERITAGE WORKSHOP

Suitable for 7 - 13 years

Downloadable Worksheet

45-60 mins

Using 'The Adventures of Lily-May' chapter books. Fun, interactive workshop involving reading books, free writing, Irish dancing & music, followed by a fun, educational discussion on Irish wildlife and heritage



In-Person: 30 children per session
Online: 3 classrooms per session



1-HOUR WRITING WORKSHOP

with Emma-Jane Leeson

SUITABLE FOR 8 - 13 YEAR OLDS

MAX 30 PARTICIPANTS IN-PERSON

3 CLASSES ONLINE

DOWNLOADABLE WORKSHEET PROVIDED

A fun writing workshop where we discuss the basics for story writing then have lots of fun free writing and creating short stories using text and visual prompts. This is very interactive and children read their stories out-loud in a supportive and encouraging environment.



6 WEEKS TO BECOME A PUBLISHED AUTHOR

with Emma-Jane Leeson



SUITABLE FOR 8 - 13-YEAR-OLDS

RESULTS IN THE CHILD PUBLISHING A BOOK

An online fun 6 week writing programme for children resulting in them holding their very own self-published book with a link to order more.

Modules covered include: Routine & Observation, Characters, Point of View and Setting, Plots, Dialogue and Story Endings.



STORYTELLING YOGA

Storytelling, music and yoga fun.

Suitable for up to 8 years, the interactive, movement-based workshop will revolve around Johnny Magory's outdoor adventures with the children recreating the wildlife yoga poses from the story.

There'll be music, dancing and lots and lots of fun, playful movement.



6 WEEK'S TO BECOME A PUBLISHED AUTHOR

WRITE YOUR OWN BOOK



This one-of-a-kind programme will give participants all the confidence, knowledge and skills they need to write and self-publish their very own book.

They will learn the principals of writing a book delivered through online course modules. The weekly virtual or in-person check-in provides accountability. They will also learn how to upload and start making money from your book straight away using a print-on-demand service. They can then copy this process for future books.

We will edit, format and print their first book before giving them access to their own online print-on-demand account.

FURTHER INFORMATION

- Suitable for 13 - 17 years
- Max 20 participant's per workshop
- Downloadable worksheets provided

FLOW YOGA



1-Hour strength and conditioning based flow yoga class

This yoga class is designed to build flexibility, strength and support wellness of body & mind.

This class is for those of you who like to move.

The benefits of yoga include better sleep, digestion and improved mobility, reduced stress and increased energy.

Each class is finished with a guided meditation.

FURTHER INFORMATION

- Suitable for 13 - 17 years
- Max 30 participant's per workshop

Interactive Workshop for
Entrepreneurs and Employees

MASTER YOUR BUSINESS STORY

Emma-Jane Leeson is one of Ireland's leading Children's Book Authors. She is founder of the Johnny Magory Publishing and has sold over 60,000 Children's Books to date. Emma-Jane won the national Network Ireland Creative Professional Award in 2021.



In this Masterclass, Emma-Jane will share her Top Tips & Advice for Writing Your Unique Business Story .

What you will learn in this Masterclass:

1. Who your target market is - so you can target your market accordingly
2. How to market directly to them- so you can optimise your sales from direct marketing
3. Understanding your story and unique marketing angle - so you can stand out from the crowd and connect to your audience
4. Marketing tips for Entrepreneurs - so you can prepare in advance a tailored marketing strategy

The Masterclass will also include a live Q&A session.

WRITING BOOKS FOR CHILDREN

1-Hour Masterclass



This 1 hour masterclass is designed to get the creative juices flowing and cover the basics needed to begin writing the participant's very own children's book.

The free writing and encouraging critique will open up participants' minds to a world of possibilities and will be enough to start them on their journey to creating their very own children's book.

FURTHER INFORMATION

- Suitable for beginners
- Max 20 participants per workshop
- Downloadable worksheets provided

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Embodied Hatha Yoga & Meditation

1-Hour Chair Yoga



Chair Yoga Makes Yoga Accessible for EVERY Body!

This 1 hour restorative class is designed to offer yoga for every body type.

Classes can be tailored for desk workers, seniors and body's with different abilities.

FURTHER INFORMATION

- Suitable for beginners
- Max 10 participants per workshop

The Adventures of Johnny Magory Series: Suitable for 0 - 7 years

**INTERACTIVE
BOOKS!**



JOHNNY'S FIRST ADVENTURE INTO THE MAGICAL WILD WITH SOME OF IRELAND'S BEST KNOWN WILDLIFE.



HAVE FUN WITH JOHNNY IN THE IRISH BOGS PLAYING THE GAME OF ROUNDERS



EXPLORE IRELAND'S RIVER AND CANALS WITH JOHNNY & LILY-MAY IN THE WILD WATER RACE



HAVE THE CRAIC WITH JOHNNY & LILY-MAY AT THE FOREST FLEADH CHEOIL. ILLUSTRATED BY DON CONROY



IRISH LEGENDS NEED TO HAVE THEIR STORIES HEARD. JOIN JOHNNY & LILY-MAY ON THEIR STAYCATION AROUND IRELAND.



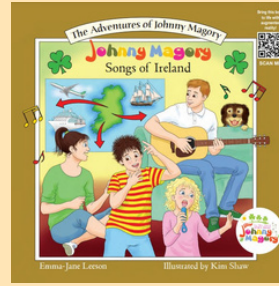
HELP OUT WITH THE HARVEST FARMYARD FÉASTA AND LEARN ABOUT THE CHEEKY IRISH FARM ANIMALS WHO COD THE CHILDREN.



A CHRISTMAS EVE ADVENTURE TO REMEMBER FOREVER WITH SANTY CLAUS HIMSELF.



THE WEATHER IS SCORCHING AND THE ICE-CREAM IS BEING CONSUMED BY THE GALLON SO THE WHOLE MAGORY FAMILY MAKE THEIR WAY TO THE BEACH TO COOL OFF.

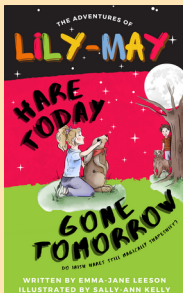


LEARN ABOUT THE FAMOUS SONGS OF IRELAND WRITTEN BY THE IRISH AROUND THE WORLD.

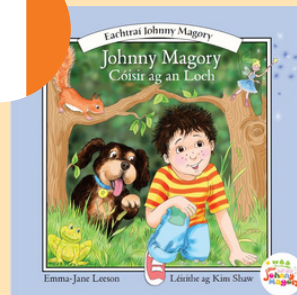
The Adventures of Lily-May Series: Suitable for 7 - 12 years



FOUL FAERIES CAPTURE LILY-MAY, CAN JOHNNY SAVE THE DAY? SUITABLE FOR 8-11 YEARS.



AFTER HER GRANDAD'S STORIES LILY-MAY SIMPLY HAS TO FIND OUT CAN HARE'S SHAPESHIFT?



THE FIRST JOHNNY MAGORY BOOK (IN THE MAGICAL WILD) COMPLETELY REWRITTEN IN THE IRISH LANGUAGE. SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN AGED 6 - 8 YEARS LEARNING IRISH. SUITABLE FOR 1ST AND 2ND CLASS SCHOOL CURRICULUM

Other books from Emma Jane Leeson:



THIS SNAPPY RHYMING AND BEAUTIFULLY ILLUSTRATED STORY EXPLORES THE USE OF LABELS FOR YOUNG GIRLS.

Contact Peter or Amanda to discuss wholesale prices for your library.

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BRING THE BOOKS TO LIFE