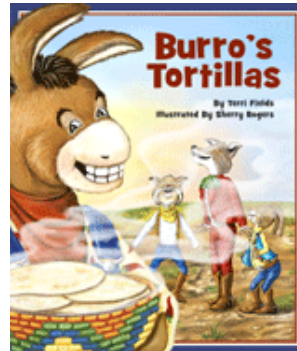


Schedule a School Visit with Award-winning Arizona Children's Author Terri Fields!



Burro's Tortillas, illustrated by Sherry Rogers, is a humorous, Southwestern twist on the classic children's story *The Little Red Hen*. The corn is ready to be made into tortillas, but Burro has a hard time getting his friends to help him with the process. Bobcat, coyote, and jackrabbit would rather help Burro eat the tortillas than help him make them! Fields' Southwestern flavor and Spanish-infused puns, paired with Rogers' colorful depictions make *Burro's Tortillas* an enjoyable read for all ages. Readers will also learn how to make authentic tortillas from start to finish.

Terri Fields sees the world around her in terms of the wonderful stories it reveals. She has written 17 books and earned many awards, including the Maud Hart Lovelace Award and the Georgia Children's Choice Award. Terri was named Arizona's Teacher of the Year and to the All USA-Teacher Team. Terri knows how to capture kids' attention, create an interactive program, and imbed reading and writing standards into her presentations. She is used to working with hundreds of students, so her energy level remains high throughout the day-long author visit.

What are the most frequently asked questions you encounter as an author?

"Adults often ask me which of my books is my favorite. But my books become like my children, and just as parents say that they love all their children the same, that's how I feel about my books. There's something special to me that I love in each one of them. "Children ask if they can be the star of my next book, and I tell them: You should be the start of your own book! You can tell the story AND make yourself the main character if you want to. Best of all, you can make it end just the way you want."



Not only are Terri's books fun, they're educational, too!

The back of each book features a "[For Creative Minds](#)" section:

Burro's Tortillas

- History of tortillas
- Corn food matching game
- Instructions on making tortillas
- Spanish vocabulary quiz

Additional Online Resources include: Cross-curricular [Teaching Activities](#), [English/Spanish eBooks](#), [Audiobooks](#), child-friendly [Related Websites](#), Comprehension & Math [Quizzes](#). Aligned to [national and state curriculum standards](#), and AR & Reading Counts Quizzes.



Visit Details:

- For K-2, she has an interactive presentation in which children come to the front and become one of the various characters in *Burro's Tortillas*. In a fun, age-appropriate manner, this teaches them about characterization and voice. She has another group of children help lead the audience in what it takes to be a writer. It's a lot of fun, and all the children are quite involved.
- For grades 3-6 each presentation is different but contain common themes, such as: the importance of revision in writing, ways to avoid writer's block, inspiration for starting a story, the importance of persistence in creating successful writing, development of character, reading fluency, fun with language, and use of homonyms.
- In addition, Terri has done workshops for parents on involving children in reading and in-service workshops for teachers.

Rates:

- Contact Terri at authorterrifields@yahoo.com for rates. Visit her website www.terrifields.com for more information.

How To Schedule:

1. Coordinate with other classes (or schools or libraries), and decide what day works best.
2. Contact author directly to schedule date, time and details.
Terri Fields, AuthorTerriFields@yahoo.com
3. Send letter home to parents announcing the author visit and offering them the opportunity to order autographed books for their children. (Form letter enclosed!)
4. Preorder books and coordinate book sales with author.

Dear Parents,

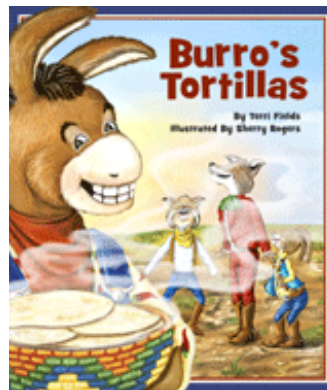
We are excited to announce that award-winning children's author Terri Fields (*Burro's Tortillas*) will be visiting our school on _____ to meet our students, talk about her book and lead the classroom(s) in fun, educational discussions and activities! To purchase a copy of the book so that your child can receive an autograph and remember this special day, please fill out and return the attached order form by _____.

Best wishes,

Yes! I would like to help my child remember Terri's school visit!

Name of Child: _____ Name of Teacher: _____

Grade: _____ Personalize Autograph To: _____



Title		Retail Price	School Fair Price	Quantity	Total
<i>Burro's Tortillas</i>	Hardcover	\$15.95			
	Paperback	\$8.95			
Plush 8" Burro		\$7.95			

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