



CHEP's

YOUNG AUTHORS' FAIRE

These submissions aim to celebrate student work and showcase original books by CHEP young authors/illustrators. All poems/narratives submitted will be on display. EXPO attendees will be able to browse student work and enjoy the finished works of literature. All grade levels are invited to participate in this non-judged event. To submit a book, please complete the CHEP EXPO entry form and give it to your CHEP teacher by Tuesday, March 14.

Guidelines:

- ❖ Books are developed, written, illustrated and edited in their final form by the student author/illustrators
- ❖ Adults or older children may act as recorders for children unable to do this alone
 - These young authors will dictate to the recorders who will note the author's original words
 - All students illustrate their own work
- ❖ Students may receive help with binding as needed/Barebooks may be used (purchased on line)
- ❖ Books can be in any size, shape or design
- ❖ Students may present their book by signing up for a time in our Presenter's Room, 2 – 3 minutes

Elements of a good submission:

- ❖ Written and illustrated by a student or group of students
- ❖ Edited for standard English grammar rules – parents/teachers may help 😊
- ❖ The text appeals to or engages the reader
- ❖ Illustrations support key ideas or events in the text

Fiction:

- ❖ Topic is creatively presented
- ❖ Book is imaginative or innovative in design
- ❖ Story has a clear sequence of events
- ❖ Characters are unique and memorable
- ❖ Descriptively written

Non-fiction:

- ❖ Topic is informative/explanatory
- ❖ Book is educational or instructive
- ❖ Text is well organized, clear, and concise
- ❖ Information is factually correct
- ❖ Sources are cited

