

Coming to Connecticut Schools
March, 2014

David M. Schwartz

Award-Winning Author Makes Math
Come Alive in School Assemblies



David Schwartz, author of over 50 popular math and science books for children, will speak at schools in Connecticut in mid-March, 2014.

David was a Connecticut resident in 1985 when his groundbreaking book *How Much Is a Million?* was published to wide acclaim. Since then, many of his award-winning math and science books have become staples of elementary and middle schools by supporting the curriculum in entertaining and enlightening ways.

David now lives in California but he travels the USA and the world to share his passion for math, science and writing. With delightful props, a talent for storytelling and a sense of humor, he inspires audiences to think, laugh and learn. Children find they can actually enjoy math and find its relevance to their lives.

David last visited CT schools in November, 2013, when he was a featured author at the CT Children's Book Fair. He was also the subject of a feature article in the *Hartford Courant* entitled "The Mathematical Made Hysterical."

Call or email to schedule
David in March, 2014!



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Here's what they are saying about David's presentations. . .

David was fantastic in every way! Everyone from students (1st to 8th grade) to faculty was thrilled, even some of the very hard-to-please ones! I highly recommend him.

-- Cynthia Millman, Librarian, The Town School, New York, NY

One of the most exciting and beneficial days I've seen in 25 years!

-- Cynthia Young, Principal, Carver Elementary School, Florence, SC

I am getting so many compliments on having chosen YOU to be our guest author. Thanks for WOWing our students and staff. . . and parents!

-- Angie Boles, Reading Specialist, Grayhawk Elementary School, Scottsdale, AZ

Thank you for a wonderful day with an incredible author who really gets kids thinking about the world around them. . .

-- Jeanne Casella, Principal, Mary E. Silveira Elementary School, San Rafael, CA

Is there such a word as "ignation" (igniting imaginations)? If so, it applies to you and your talks. We're still finding resonating themes from them, many weeks later. Thank you!

-- Lona Sepessy, Teacher Librarian, Sunrise Elementary School, Redmond, WA

May you continue to be inspired and continue adding to the wonderful world of being a child.

-- Rina Tamayo, Middle School Librarian, Beijing City International School, Beijing, China

It was a week of great presentations. Students and teachers from K through 8th grade still tell us about the wonderful things you told us and the many ways you delighted us.

-- Kirk Palmer, Lower School Librarian, Singapore American School, Singapore

Teachers and students are still raving about the energy that your visit generated -- thanks a googol millions!

-- Michelle Rinker, Librarian, International School of Yangon, Myanmar (Burma)

All the teachers were talking about you at lunch today, and it was unanimous: you were the best author ever — educational and inspirational and funny at the same time!

-- Lisa Nazim, 1st grade teacher, International School of Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Some of the topics you covered in your presentation were on our (standardized) tests this week! We should look pretty sharp, don't you think?

-- Sharon Haworth, Math/Science Learning Strategist, Grant Bowler Elem. School, Logandale, NV

The teachers, administrators, students and moms were all talking you up. I will most certainly recommend you to other librarians and schools.

-- Leslie Hemenway, Librarian, The Fay School, Houston, TX

A bazillion thanks for such an amazing show! I still can't get over how much energy and enthusiasm you packed into each program. No wonder the kids were so charged up!

--Pat Timko, Children's Librarian, Maryville Pub. Library/Maryville Elem. School, Maryville, WA

The children are still talking about your visit and your books are never on the shelves!! You were wonderful and truly the best visiting author we have ever had.

-- Deb Nauck, Librarian, Rockenbaugh Elementary, Southlake, TX

The kids still talk about you, months later. Your visit definitely has had lasting power!

--Carolyn White, Lower School Librarian, International School of Paris, France

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