

A creative challenge designed for aspiring authors in grades 4 - 8 where proceeds can benefit their schools

Kids Write 4 Kids (KW4K) is excited to launch its fifth annual creative challenge. We are seeking students in grades 4 - 8 to share their creative stories.

Our panel of judges will select a story (or stories) to be published both in print and digitally for the world to read. To support youth literacy in communities across Canada, Ripple Foundation has committed to donate the annual proceeds from book sales to that year's winner's schools. Each school will have the option to sell printed copies of their author's book in their school for fundraising.

Entries are accepted only online at Ripple Digital Publishing website and must be submitted by the author's teacher, parent or quardian. Entry details are included in this brochure.

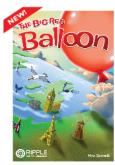
> As of 2016, KW4K has selected ten winning titles. Each author's book is available on Apple iBookstore, Amazon Kindle and Kobo as shown on the right











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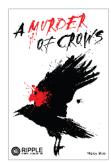
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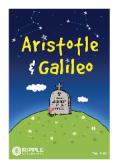
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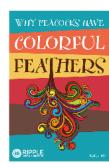
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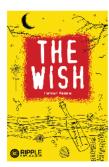
Sofie Finn Storan Victoria, BC



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Turn your school assignment into a published book

Entry Details

- To be eligible, authors must be enrolled full-time in an educational institute in Canada
- · Authors must be in grades 4, 5, 6, 7 or 8
- · Stories must be original and written entirely by the author
- · Only one entry per author will be accepted; all subsequent entries will be disqualified
- Only single author stories qualify (no co-authored stories)
- · Stories are accepted in English only
- · Story must be typed and submitted as a DOC file
- · Stories can be fact or fiction, prose or poetry
- Optional images including photography can be submitted to accompany the story, but must be original images created by the author
- All images must be scanned and submitted in JPEG file format Please keep original copies of images. If your story is selected, a representative from Ripple Digital Publishing will contact you to obtain original images
- · Suggested word count: 500 7,500 words
- · Submission period ends March 31, 2017
- · No purchase necessary. Online submissions only.

For complete rules and regulations, please visit **ripplepublishing.ca/rules.html**





About Kids Write 4 Kids

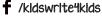
This is our fifth annual Kids Write 4 Kids creative challenge, a writing contest that celebrates the best creative stories written by grades 4 - 8. Proceeds from sales of all KW4K books will be donated to the schools of the selected authors. This is to recognize the link between teachers and students - creating a win-win situation where the whole school benefits.

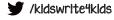
In 2012, Ripple Digital Publishing started Kids Write 4 Kids as a not-for-profit initiative to encourage kids to be creative, read and write. In 2015, Ripple Foundation assumed Kids Write 4 Kids as their signature creative writing program. Read our vision and mission statement at **ripplefoundation.ca**

To encourage everyone to write and be creative, Ripple Digital Publishing developed Next Sentence, an app for all ages where people can write stories together as a group. Available in both iOS and Android. Visit nextsentence.ca for more info.

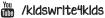
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