

We See Jesus In Everything We Do

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are excited to welcome back Hannah Peckham a local award-winning author to complete some workshops and readings with the classes across the school. This will take place on Friday 17th January 2025.

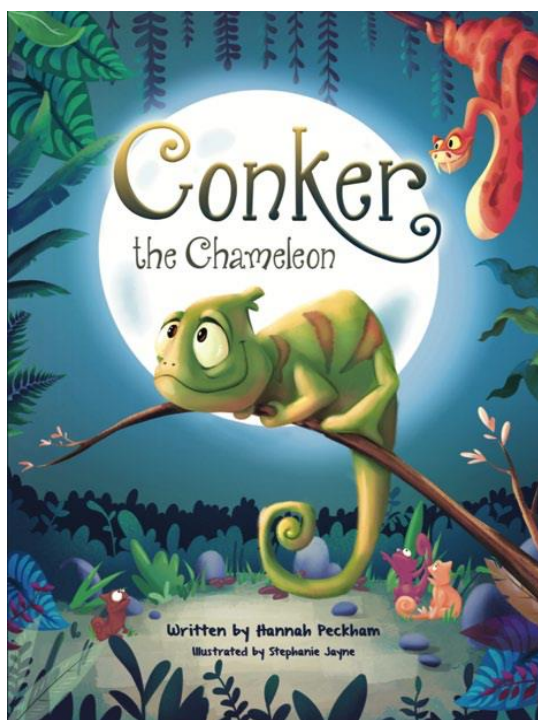
Hannah's books cover key social and emotional skills that the children will complete some work around in class prior to her visit. I have attached information about her books.

Mrs Langdale has added the books to your child's ScoPay account if you would like to take the opportunity to order any of her books that Hannah can sign / dedicate to your child. Hannah is offering a discounted rate of £6.50 per book or 5 for £30. The books will also be on sale on the day after school however due to time she will not be able to dedicate books bought on the day.

Many thanks,

Mr Keohane
English Lead

Each of Hannah Peckhams books look at key social emotional skills



- Talking about feelings
- Empathy
- Difference
- Self-regulation
- Uses the Zones of regulation
- Self-acceptance
- Listening

Conker the Chameleon, Book Review by Tania Choudhury, Evidence Lead in Education -East London research school

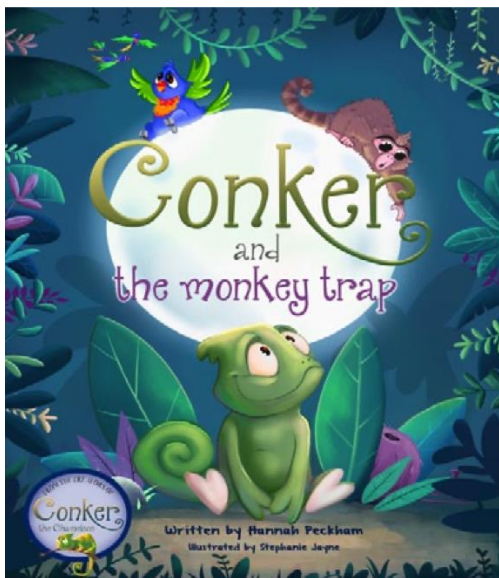
Hannah Peckham's book is a delightful read. It offers just the right amount of humor with a moral behind each page.

Interestingly, Peckham's book not only supports readers to identify their emotional states, but also suggests ways in which they can move out of these zones and regulate themselves. The common theme throughout is to use talk. a refreshing addition to the world of children's literature, offering plenty of opportunities to support children's learning around emotional literacy including self-regulation as well as celebrating individuality and fostering early reading.



"Children who learn how to understand emotions in themselves and others, are better equipped in coping when strong emotions arise, and are more equipped to maintain good mental well-being and resilience as they get older."

Hannah Peckham

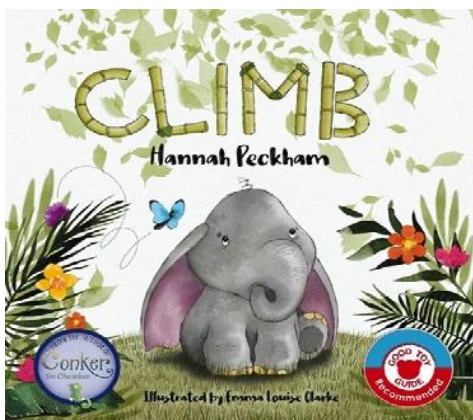


- Empathy
- Resilience
- Team work
- 5 steps to mental well being
- Kindness
- Bravery

Busy Bee Learning- Amazon 'Vine voice'

As a parent, and when I was teaching, one of the most important responsibilities I felt and feel with my daughter is supporting them to be kind. I feel passionately that kindness is one of the most wonderful things and is a real superpower. Often in life there are positives and negatives. Kindness is an element that is special as there is only positive. If you are on the receiving end of kindness it feels magical and if you are the one giving kindness you equally feel pretty awesome.

Conker and the monkey trap tells the story of Conker and new friends Sanjeet the lorikeet and Maud the monkey. Conker helps both lost and hurt Sanjeet and Maud who's stuck in a trap. It's a story of bravery, kindness and friendship.

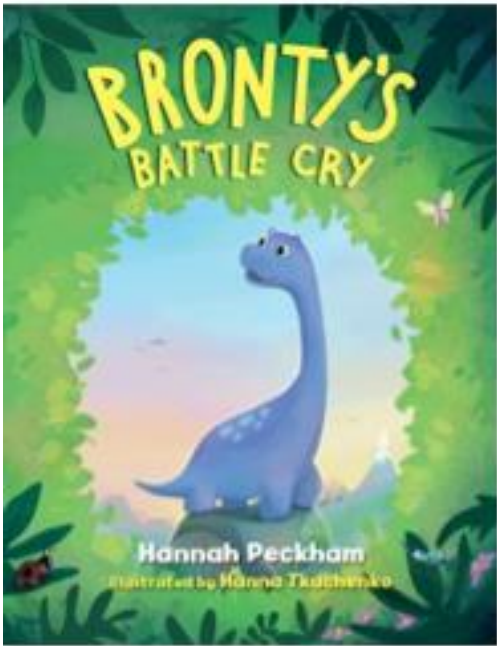


- Difference
- Resilience
- Friendship
- Self-acceptance
- Empathy
- Self-worth
- Self-regulation

Book review by Allison Carvalho, Specialist teacher and dyslexia assessor at Eko Trust, and Evidence Lead in Education

Climb also happens to be Hetty's story as told by Hannah Peckham in a delightful, sensitive book for children with (learning) differences. share it with all of your learners, but especially those with gifts they don't always feel they can show in class. Why not use **Climb** to support discussions with children about differences? Helping all pupils to build positive relationships can help learners with special educational needs to feel valued and fully included in their school communities.





- Inclusion culture
- Difference
- Resilience
- Mindfulness
- Self-regulation
- Self-expression
- Empathy

Joanne Owen - Editorial Expert - Love Reading 4 Kids says 'Hannah Peckham, an accomplished young person counsellor, expertly weaves together themes of emotional strength, empathy, and the resilience of the human spirit. "**Bronty's Battle Cry**" is an ideal addition to home and school libraries, providing an invaluable resource for parents, educators, and counsellors seeking to nurture children's emotional well-being. The relatable characters and empowering storyline make it an excellent tool for discussions around courage, self-expression, and empathy.'



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