



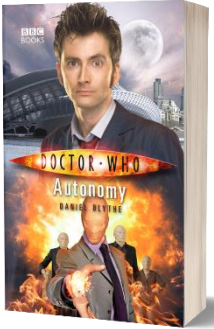
Daniel Blythe **World Book Day Author Visit: Thursday 5th March 2020**

Doctor Who, children's, Young Adult writer with over 20 years' experience

Member of the Society of Authors

Published in the UK, Europe, South America and the USA

Experienced speaker in schools since 2007



Dear Parent,

I will be an invited visiting author at your child's school on the above date.

I started out writing for the *New Doctor Who Adventures*, and I'm the author of BBC Books story *Autonomy* for the 10th Doctor and a forthcoming 11th Doctor Chronicle for Big Finish. I write non-fiction, including *Famous Robots and Cyborgs*, as Dan Roberts. I also wrote *Shadow Runners/Shadow Breakers* for publishers Chicken House (UK/Europe) and Scholastic (USA). My *Emerald Greene* series of supernatural/fantasy stories for children is also now available. My most recent novel is *Exiles*, a sci-fi mystery for teen readers. My books are equally suitable for boys and girls, and age guidance is given below – please note the special guidance about *Exiles* in particular.

My core values are all about enthusing and inspiring young people to read and write for pleasure. To find out more in advance of the day, please look at www.danielblythe.com, which is my official website, or my Facebook page at www.facebook.com/danielblythewriter. I will be giving an illustrated presentation and answering questions, doing a team quiz, signing books and leading creative writing workshops.

I will also be offering books for sale (cash on the day please, unless your school has arranged a prepayment method, and exact money is appreciated). These will be signed copies, all made available at a big discount on the shop price (discount varies according to title).

BOOKS AVAILABLE and PRICES: see attached sheet.

Best wishes

Daniel Blythe: Books Available in School.

All sold at a discount on the retail price (20-37% depending on title).

DOCTOR WHO: AUTONOMY The time-travelling wanderer known only as The Doctor must discover the truth about Level Zero of luxury shopping palace Hyperville. He has the help of apprentice businesswoman Kate, a moody footballer, and a vain pop star. But when Plastinol can imitate anything, who can he trust? Official BBC *Doctor Who* Book featuring the Tenth Doctor as played by David Tennant. Age 8-adult – readers from Y3 upwards. Retail price £8.99, **school price £6.00.** (241 pages.)

SHADOW RUNNERS Miranda May's moved to the Town at the End of the World, and in the misty harbours and hollows, something evil is gathering. Can the bunch of misfits from school really be investigators of the supernatural? Age 10-15 – readers from Y6 to Y10. Retail price £6.99, **school price £5.00.** (228 pages.)

EMERALD GREENE AND THE WITCH STONES (Emerald #1) Jess and Richie's mysterious friend Emerald Greene is the only one who knows what's going on when eccentric Professor Ulverston digs up a Viking tomb inside a stone circle. Has the Professor brought an ancient curse on the town of Meresbury? Age 9-13 – readers from Y4 to Y9. Retail price £6.99, **school price £6.00.** (193 pages.)

EMERALD GREENE: INSTRUMENTS OF DARKNESS (Emerald #2) Why are terrifying horsemen patrolling the streets of Little Brockley? What is the Whispering Tree? And what is antiques dealer Mr Bidmead's secret? Jess and Richie uncover deadly deeds and haunted dreams – but where is Emerald? Age 9-15 – readers Y5 to Y10. Retail price £7.99, **school price £6.00.** (292 pages.)

Also – can buy for older siblings:

EXILES (Bethany Kane #1) On the prison colony world called The Edge, space castaway Bethany Kane must fight to survive. Fifty young prisoners have made a life there, but sabotage, storms, intrigue and murder threaten to destroy their settlement for ever. Who is telling the truth? What is really going on? And can Beth actually be trusted? Age 13+. **NB: some strong language and violence – children may buy for older brothers and sisters with parental permission.** Retail price £9.99, **school price £9.00.** (492 pages.)

