# Book an Author Visit

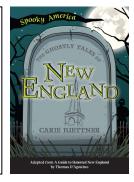
## Carie Juettner

Carie Juettner is a former middle school teacher, an award-winning poet, and the author of five Spooky America books, which allow young readers to explore the haunted history of towns across the U.S. The past comes alive (sometimes literally) in these tales of ghostly encounters. Carie's poems have appeared in *Best Austin Poetry, Encore: Prize Poems of the NFSPS*, and *The Twin Bill*, among other places. She lives in Richardson, Texas.



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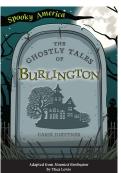












### Presentation Options:

#### <u>Author Reading and Q&A</u>

Looking for a spooky storytime? Includes a reading from Spooky America, discussion of writing process, and Q&A.

#### The Importance of Setting in Ghost Stories

Students will analyze how setting affects a story and apply their findings to their own ghostly tales.

### Refreshing Revision: Making Every Word Count

Students will sharpen word choice by eliminating worn-out-words & vague verbs through guided exercises.

#### The Poetic Process: From First Idea to Final Draft

Where do poems come from? Where do they go from there? How much does a poem change from start to finish?

#### Finding Fun in Found Poetry

A fun, hands-on workshop to stimulate creativity by drawing inspiration from other texts and sources.



#### Info about Author Visits:

- Appropriate for 4th-8th graders
- 45 min to 1 hour
- In person or virtual
- Rates vary depending on location, type, and number of sessions
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