# KATE AND JOL TEMPLE SCHOOL AUTHOR VISITS!!!



## About Kate and Jol...

Kate and Jol are internationally awarded children's authors of over 20 books for kids. Their picture books include the smash hit *Bin Chicken* series (Nominated for ABIA Picture Book of the Year) and the backwards-forwards *Room on Our Rock*, which won the Charlotte Huck Award for outstanding fiction with the potential to transform children's lives. They also write the best-selling graphic novel series *The Underdogs*. Kate writes the middle grade fiction series, *The Dangerous Business of Being Trilby Moffat*.

## K-2 (early years)

## Bin Chickens and Panda-monium!

From Bin Chickens to Pandas that have lost their bottoms, Kate and Jol have created hilarious and strange animal characters to fill their books. What inspired these silly characters? And what do these funny furballs have to tell us? And how do you dance like a bin chicken? Get ready to join Kate and Jol as they rhyme their way through some of their most loved picture books. Warning, lots of silly voices!

#### Session for Grades 2-4

#### Catching a Cat Burglar! The Underdogs are on the case...

Welcome to Dogtown where a cat burglar is on the loose! Using their hilarious, brand new detective series *The Underdogs*, Kate and Jol show you what it takes to create a mystery and reveal the real reason Carl is scared of answering the phone. Expect high-tech detective gadgets to help you crack the case, lots of silly word play and terrible dog puns. It's going to be PAWsome!

## Session for Grades 5-6

#### Building worlds and breaking the rules

Using both graphic novels and middle grade fantasy this session aims to inspire kids to write their own stories. We dive into the behind the scenes of writing and building worlds. How does research help to inspire? What do you do when you're stuck? We aim to have kids walk away inspired to read and write their own original stories and renew their love of picture books.

Find out more at <u>www.katejoltemple.com</u> Instagram: katejoltemple