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Janeen uses the arts to teach across the curriculum in this fun-filled program coded by curriculum specialists for **Common Core State Standards**. Her in-depth Teachers' Resource Guide for *Ocean Commotion: Caught in the Currents* unpacks engaging activities scaffolded for grades 1 - 5.



"Janeen Mason's dynamic and colorful session with our kids went beyond her beautiful books to ignite the imagination of the educators in the audience as well. It's so Common Core/STEM friendly! Seamlessly integrating all areas of the curriculum through a picture book is what all teachers aspire to do. To see it demonstrated as enthusiastically and joyfully as she did it, with every student in the palm of her hand, was a true inspiration. What a gift that was for all of us. Very Motivating!"

-D.H., Library Media Specialist, Marco Island, FL

Arrangements

One day minimum
Five day maximum
Book sales required

Inside Florida we cover our expenses:
\$1000 per day within 50 miles of Stuart, Florida
\$1200 per day beyond the 50 mile radius

Outside Florida the host is responsible for expenses including airfare, hotel, transportation and food:
\$1500 per day out of state. Nearest airport is PBI (West Palm Beach, Florida)

Reduced rates available for libraries with multiple branches.

For more information or to schedule a visit please contact:

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"Teaching to a high-stakes test can turn literacy into a decoding-only experience. By carefully planning a well chosen author/illustrator's visit, you can help to ensure your students love to read and engage with written texts on a meaningful level."

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"Janeen Mason creatively delivered an outstanding and unforgettable experience for our children. Engaging, affirming of every child's ideas, and inspiring, Janeen expertly shared her artistic talent and literary gifts. For sixty minutes our students



hung onto her every word. Bravo to a lady who enriched all of our lives and made us believe in ourselves a little bit more!"

D.H., Miami, FL

- Ocean Commotion: Caught in the Currents Grades 1 - 5 (Our most popular program features Readers' Theatre, and performances from students in each grade.)

- Going Around the Sun: Some Planetary Fun Grades 1 - 3

- John Denver's "For Baby (For Bobbie)" Grades K-2

Writer/Illustrator Workshops

- Drawn to the Story

Teacher In-Service Programs:

- Cracking the CCSS Code, Using the Arts to Teach Across the Curriculum



"Mason hit a double. The text is uncomplicated, sophisticated, and poignant... and the artwork is as riotously colorful as a bowl of jelly beans".
- Kirkus Reviews

Janeen Mason, author and illustrator, is best known for her national award winning children's picture books in the Ocean Commotion series. She is recognized statewide as an arts advocate, ending two terms on the Florida Council of Arts and Culture as the Vice Chair. She now serves on the board of directors for Citizens for Florida Arts, appointed by the Secretary of State.

Ms. Mason's fine art is in collections from Seattle to South Africa, owned by movie stars and cultural institutions. A solo exhibition of 100 pieces of her original picture book illustrations has appeared in seven Florida museums to date. She is an enthusiastic presenter at schools, libraries and conferences. For more information please visit:

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