



# MEADGATE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear parents and carers

We are delighted to inform you that the Early Years class and Year 1 and 2 will be having a local author come to read her debut book to them on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> October. Her name is Tersha Cutmore and she is from Chelmsford. She was once a pupil at Meadgate Primary School so she is extremely excited to return to her old primary school.

Her self-published debut book is called 'Luca...The Lion Who Couldn't Eat Meat' and it's about allergies, feeling different, friendship and always looking on the bright side of life. It's inspired by her son Luca, who's nearly 7, who has had allergies and intolerances since birth. When he started school she truly realised how difficult it must be for him to be around others who can eat and drink things that he can't. The book is predominantly to help other young allergy sufferers and show them they are not alone but it's also to educate others about the subject, as well as teach them that we can't all eat and drink the same things and to encourage understanding and kindness to all who feel they are different, whatever the reason.

If you would like to purchase the book ready for her visit, she will then give your child a personalised and signed copy on the day to take home with them. She has asked that all orders of the book are placed by the 22nd September through her at [tershastales@yahoo.com](mailto:tershastales@yahoo.com)

<p><b>EDUCATIONAL</b></p> <p>Highlighting childhood food and drink allergies</p>  <p>'Luca the lion couldn't eat meat... Not for lunch...nor dinner... or even a treat'</p>	<p>Available from <b>AMAZON</b></p> <p>★★★★★ Verified Purchase</p> <p><b>Lovely story and learning tool</b></p> <p>Reviewed in the United Kingdom on 4 November 2020 Such a lovely story, I bought one for my children first and then bought another for my friend's daughter who has allergies. Great learning tool, but also just a lovely bedtime story. The illustrations are beautiful and we love the rhythm and the rhymes would definitely recommend.</p> <p>News &amp; updates</p> <p> @tershas_tales  @victoria_and_mylovebubble</p> <p>Tershas-Tales My-Love-Bubble-by-Victoria-Ward-Fowler</p> <p><a href="mailto:tershastales@yahoo.com">tershastales@yahoo.com</a> <a href="mailto:victoriawardfowler@gmail.com">victoriawardfowler@gmail.com</a></p>	<p><b>LUCA THE LION</b></p>  <p><b>WHO COULDN'T EAT MEAT</b></p> <p><b>DEBUT BOOK!</b></p> <p>Written by Tersha Cutmore</p> <p>Illustrated by Victoria Ward-Fowler</p>
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We are very excited to welcome an author to our school and look forward to hearing her read to the children.

Kind regards

Mrs Pietersen