



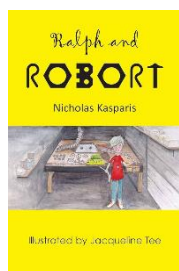
11th September 2024

Star Author Visit

Dear Parent/ Carer,

We are very excited to be able to welcome Nicholas Kasparis, a fabulous children's author, to the school on Tuesday 1st October. Nicholas will be talking to the children in the morning and then working with them over the course of the day. We hope the day will be fun and inspirational for everyone.

During the day, the children will have the opportunity to meet Nicholas and collect a personalised and signed copy of his book. If you would like your child to receive a signed copy of the book *Ralph and Robot*, it must be pre-ordered via [ParentPay](#) by Monday 23rd September; the cost of the book is £6.99.



Ralph is a child genius and loves learning. There's just one tiny problem! Ralph is being bullied at school by a gang called 'the crew'. The bullying starts out with some mischievous classroom pranks, but ends up with the crew chasing Ralph home and throwing acorns at him! Even Ralph's only real friend, Jim Bob, becomes a little distant because he doesn't want to be targeted by the bullies. All is not lost though, as Ralph has a brilliant idea! He plans to make a robot from all the junk that has been dumped at a nearby forest. Ralph wants to use the scrap to create the ultimate robot to teach those bullies a lesson they will never forget!

We are really looking forward to Nicholas joining us for the day and inspiring the next generation of writers!

Yours sincerely

Mrs Bentley
English Lead

