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# A DAY WITH DR. FRED



## Who is "Dr. Fred"?

Fred Bortz is one of the nation's leading writers of science and technology for young people, winner of the prestigious American Institute of Physics Science Writing Award.



## What does the "Day with Dr. Fred" program include?

- **Optional pre-visit "Meet Dr. Fred" e-mail exchange.** Dr. Fred answers one question per day in his distinctive, entertaining style and posts his responses on a web page that the community can follow. Questions can be about his books and other topics in science, or about being a writer and the writing process.
- **One or two assembly presentations.** School may choose either of Dr. Fred's unique talks, "The Truth About Space Aliens" or "Our Next Planet: Why, When and How People Will Settle Another World."
- **Up to six grade-level or classroom question-and-answer sessions.** These are always lively and informal and are usually the highlight of the day for the students and Dr. Fred himself.



## What areas of the curriculum does this program support?

A Day with Dr. Fred **reinforces inquiry-based science and cross-disciplinary learning.** It also demonstrates that **literature includes nonfiction and encourages reluctant readers** to discover "true stories." Dr. Fred's books connect to specific curriculum objectives in the following areas:

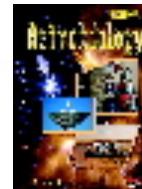
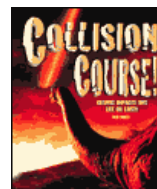
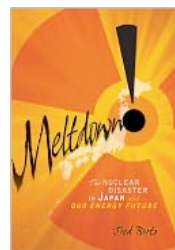
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## Where can we find out more?

Discover Dr. Fred's books and much more at his website, [www.fredbortz.com](http://www.fredbortz.com)

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