



mandy foot illustrator



Living on a farm in the Adelaide Hills, inspiration is always just a step outside with an abundance of wildlife and farm animals, including a cheeky pony called Piccy and a crazy cat named Meow Meow. The obsession with drawing animals and giving them an abundance of personality started when I was about 2 as far as I can remember... with chalk, on my grandparents pavement. Only then they didn't look like animals or anything much for that matter.

After graduating from the University of South Australia in 1992 completing a Bachelor of Design specialising in Illustration, a beeline for the Adelaide Zoo marked the beginning of a career as a freelance illustrator and graphic designer and a wonderful relationship with the Zoo Education Service spanning over a decade, drawing enough animals to fill an encyclopedia. That passion of animals is now shared as a published illustrator of best selling childrens books since 2009, predominantly with an Australian theme and most recently in an exclusive Australian giftware range with Ashdene Manufacturing, released March 2016.

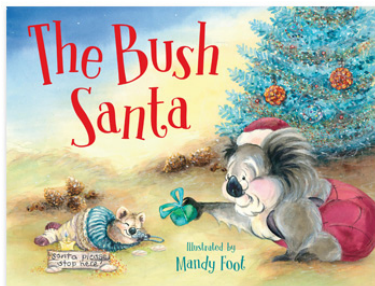


School Sessions offered for JP and Primary students. Educational, lively and interactive with collaborative drawing bringing to life and characterizing their favourite animals! Hands on drawing workshops for primary students offered in this technique also.

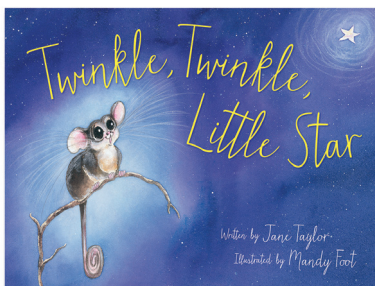
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18 titles to date. For a complete list please visit my website www.mandyfoot.com

new releases



'The Bush Santa', published by Hachette Australia, 2016.



'Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star', the original verse, published by Hachette Australia, 2016.



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