



Kwame Alexander

Brookdale Elementary is delighted to welcome award-winning author Kwame Alexander on Monday, April 10th. Mr. Alexander will talk with students about his career as an author and his new book *Animal Ark: Celebrating Our Wild World in Poetry and Pictures*.

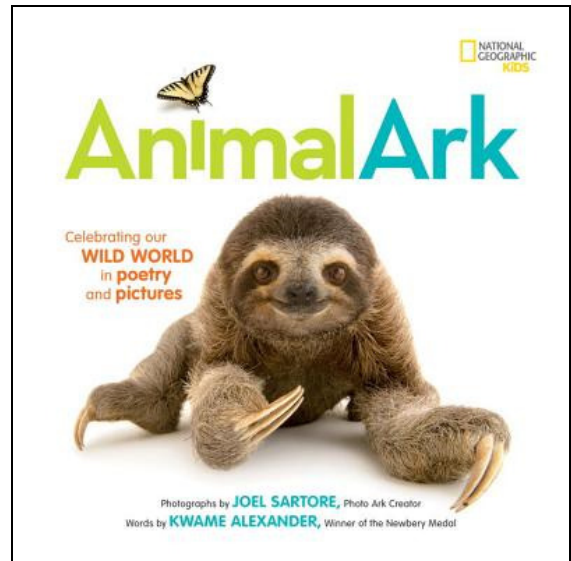
To guarantee a personalized copy of any of his books, please return this order form with payment (cash or check payable to Brookdale Elementary) by Monday, April 10th. If you miss that date, there will be a limited supply of autographed books available for purchase on a first-come, first-served basis until Monday, April 17th.

Animal Ark: Celebrating Our Wild World in Poetry and Pictures

Hardcover Picture Book \$15.99

A howling wolf, a stalking tiger, a playful panda, a dancing bird - pairing the stunning photography of National Geographic photographer Joel Sartore with the delicate poetry of Newbery award-winning author Kwame Alexander, this lush picture book celebrates the beauty, diversity, and fragility of the animal world.

Featuring more than 40 unique animal portraits, the pages invite kids to explore each creature's markings, textures, and attributes in stunning detail, while calling on all of us to help protect each and every one. Three picture-packed gatefolds inside showcase even more familiar and exotic species. These images are part of Sartore's lifelong project to photograph every animal in the world, with special attention given to disappearing and endangered species.



Student's Name _____

Teacher's Name _____

Total Due \$ _____ **Cash** _____ **or Check #** _____

Name for personalization _____

Anderson's Bookshops will host an event with Kwame Alexander at 2 pm on Sunday, March 9th, at their bookshop in downtown LaGrange. Bring your family and friends to enjoy his presentation. Contact Anderson's at 708-582-6353 to reserve your place.