

# Jackie French

AUSTRALIAN AUTHOR, HISTORIAN, DYSLEXIC, ECOLOGIST, WOMBAT TAMER AND BELIEVER IN THE POWER OF BOOKS

## Terms of Booking

*While all terms are negotiable, please indicate when you inquire if the terms can't be met.*

*Most bookings are done through Booked Out, Speaker's Ink (QLD) and Lateral Learning (NSW).*

*Please understand if it's impossible to accept your invitation: Jackie lives two hours away from Canberra airport, so nearly all events require a day's travel, and usually two and an overnight stay. There are also many requests to speak each week, and without cloning or a Tardis, plus an energy transfusion for Jackie, not the Tardis, it's impossible to accept most invitations. Because of this, events with large audiences, or where there are several events in the same area, are usually given priority.*

1. Performance: The Author will provide the Performance at the Event as set out in the Schedule.
2. Fees: The Organisation will pay the Author:
  - (a) a performance fee of \$1500 per day plus GST no later than 14 days after the performance date; and
  - (b) travel time in accordance with the Australian Society of Author's recommended travel rates, unless otherwise agreed.
3. Expenses: The Organisation will pay for, or reimburse, the Author's agreed travel and accommodation expenses, including but not limited to airfare and taxi fares, hotel accommodation for overnight stays, meal allowance of \$xx per meal and a drive allowance of 60 cents per kilometre where the Author is required to drive to the Performance.
4. Cancellation/Termination: If the Organisation cancels the Author's performance under this contract after it is signed, the Organisation must pay the full fee to the Author, unless the Organisation cancels the Author's performance due to cancellation of the event due to illness, natural disaster or events beyond the Organisation's control.
5. If the Organisation substantially changes the Performance or the nature of the Event, the Author reserves the right to terminate the agreement and charge a cancellation fee equivalent to the full fee under this agreement.