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Storyteller Spotlight

Virtual Classroom Visit With Student Q&A

Markus Zusak

Wednesday, May 6th | 1:00-1:30pm CDT

Join us for Mackin's Storyteller Spotlight as we welcome Markus Zusak for a free, virtual visit as he reads aloud from *The Book Thief*. His reading will be followed by a spirited Q&A, giving students a chance to ask questions about his books. **Attend the live webinar to be entered to win 1 of 5 copies of the anniversary edition of *The Book Thief*!**

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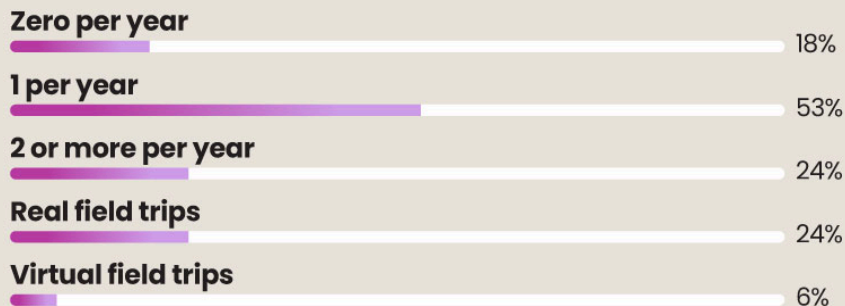
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April Results:

Field trips are an exciting way for students to experience points of interest in person. On average, my class goes on:



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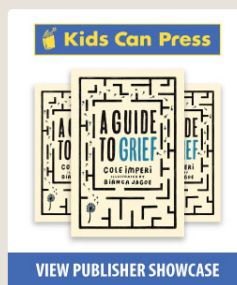
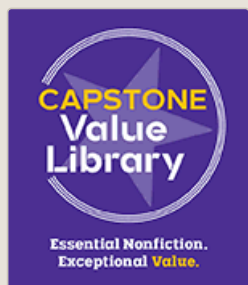
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