

**Author:** Cynthia Lord

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**Visit Reflection:** Cynthia Lord was enjoyed by both students and teachers in our school. She was very flexible when working with class sizes and schedules while making the most of our gym area which doubles as a presentation space. Mrs. Lord agreed to host three small lunch groups in the Media Center during her visit. During their time together, students asked Mrs. Lord a lot of questions which she readily answered and expanded with anecdotes if possible, but then she took the time to try and get to know the students as well. Stories of pets, siblings and family vacations were just a few topics covered. The lunch groups left feeling special and excited about the time they had just shared with such an accomplished author.” - Jennifer Raymond, School Library Media Specialist, October 3, 2017

