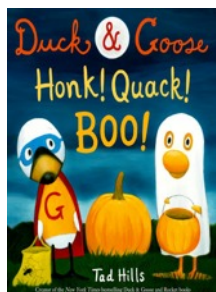


# Tad Hills

## Author Visit to Haworth School

### Wednesday, October 11

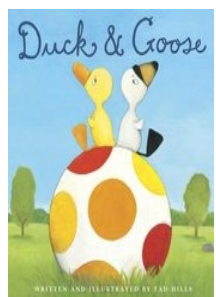
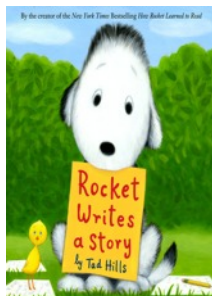
### About the Books



It's Halloween in the meadow, and the beloved, classic, and New York Times bestselling feathered friends Duck & Goose are ready for trick-or-treating! Duck is going as a spooky ghost. Goose is going as a brave superhero. And Thistle's costume . . . well, that's a secret. But what will Duck and Goose

do when they hear a very scary swamp monster is looking for them?

Rocket loves books and he wants to make his own, but he can't think of a story. Encouraged by the little yellow bird to look closely at the world around him for inspiration, Rocket sets out on a journey. Along the way he discovers small details that he has never noticed before, a timid baby owl who becomes his friend, and an idea for a story.



Duck and Goose have to work at getting along. You see, Duck doesn't much care for Goose at first, and Goose isn't fond of Duck. But both want the egg that each claims to be his. As the two tend to their egg, and make plans for the future, they come to appreciate one another's strengths.

And when a bluebird points out that it isn't really an egg—it's a polka dot ball—the two are not dismayed. After all, it is a lovely ball. . . .

We are delighted to announce that NY Times best selling children's author Tad Hills will visit Haworth School on Wednesday, October 11 to discuss his new book *Duck & Goose Honk! Quack! Boo!* and other titles. Mr. Hills will be speaking to students in grades K - 2 .

An author visit is a wonderful opportunity for young readers to meet the creators of the books they read, and we have arranged for both students and teachers to purchase autographed copies of their books. Please consider extending this learning experience through the purchase of an autographed book..

## About the Author

Tad was raised in Norwell, Massachusetts in a creative household. His grandmother was an accomplished artist—together, they created paintings, drawings, and books. His mother, a 4th grade science teacher gave him his love of nature and wildlife.



Tad graduated with a degree in Art from Skidmore College in New York. He states, however, that his greatest educational experience has been raising his children:

Tad lives in Brooklyn with his wife and two children

*\*A percentage of book sales will benefit Haworth School\**

**The order deadline is Monday, September 18**

This event has been arranged through the courtesy of Books, Bytes & Beyond, the independent children's only book seller in Glen Rock specializing in the educational market & author events.