

# Apple Professional Development

## iBooks Author

iBooks Author is a free app available on the Mac App Store which allows you to create beautiful Multi-Touch books for the iPad and Mac. These books can include videos, interactive diagrams, 3D models, photo galleries and much more allowing you to bring student's research projects to life.



During this workshop you will be guided through the process of creating your own Multi-Touch book using your own content or content that will be provided for you. You will receive practical advice about how to use this app in a school environment by a practicing teacher.

You will be amazed at how easy it is to create stunning looking books beginning with the professionally designed templates which can be customised. Content which has previously been prepared in Microsoft Word or Pages then can be dragged and dropped into the book.

Everything about your book can be customised including adding rich content using specially designed Widgets. Accessibility features can be added into your books so all readers can enjoy the books created. These books can then be shared locally on your iPads or published to the iTunes store.

iBooks Author is an ideal tool to create digital portfolios which are managed by the students and some examples will be shared during the workshop.

Please note to gain maximum benefit from this workshop bring along your own resources to create your own sample texts.

Download your free copy here:- <https://itunes.apple.com/au/app/ibooks-author/id490152466?mt=12>



### Learning Outcomes from Workshop include:-

- ★ Understanding Templates and learning how to customise the templates
- ★ Understanding how to drag and drop from Word or Pages content into your book
- ★ Understanding how to leverage content created in iWork and iLife applications
- ★ Understanding widgets and how these add value to the book
- ★ Understanding the built in accessibility feature of iBook Author and how these can make your book accessible to all readers
- ★ Understanding the publishing options for books created in iBook Author

A certificate showing 3 hours of professional development will be provided.



To book a place for this workshop please contact:-

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Cost :- \$150 per person

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