



WINTER 2012
THORNHILL ELEMENTARY
4TH - 5TH GRADERS
CREATIVE WRITING FOR KIDS!

“Take My Word For It!” is a one-of-a-kind creative writing program for enthusiastic and reluctant writers alike. We’ll thrill you and your pen with lots of innovative activities to explore your author-self. Our students have the opportunity to share their work at our reading for parents and friends at the end of the session.

For the Winter/Spring session we’ll be exploring all kinds of Secrets - think secret codes, secret identities, secret recipes and more!

So if you love to write or would like to make better friends with the written word in a safe, supportive environment, come check us out!

**When: Mondays 3:05 - 4:05 Dates: February 6 - June 4, 2012
(No class 2/20, 4/9, 5/28. March 12th class held at 1:30)
Fee: \$240. Get the early bird discount of 10% if you register by Jan. 27th**

Min. 8 students. (One scholarship is offered once minimum enrollment is met.)

Register and pay online!

Go to <https://cui2.active.com/camps-reg/login?a=79002>

Questions? Email admin@takemywordforit.net

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“Take My Word For It!” instructor, **Michael Lukas** will be returning for his second year at Thornhill. He has taught creative writing in a variety of settings, from the Gotham Writers’ Workshop in New York City, to the Providence Housing Authority. His first novel, *The Oracle of Stamboul*, the story of a preternaturally intelligent girl who becomes an advisor to the Ottoman Sultan was published by Harper Collins last Spring. He has a BA from Brown University in Comparative Literature and an MFA from the University of Maryland in Creative Writing.