



# Cartoons: A Week with Polly

A new resource that provides:

- A ready-made guide to studying cartoons as a visual literacy tool for all levels.
- A fun and engaging way to discuss current events, issues and topics with your students.

**One kit costs \$30 and includes:**

**A. Teacher Handbook and Student Workbook "A Week with Polly"**

- Discover and learn about the message of editorial cartoons and what they tell us about our world, culture and the community we live in.
- Produce critical and creative responses on current issues and topics.
- Read about cartoonist John "Polly" Farmer and find out how he gets his ideas and the steps he takes to create cartoons for the newspaper.

**B. 25 copies of the *Mercury* each day for one school week, containing the daily editorial cartoon for use with the kit.**

**C. One copy of "Once" by Morris Gleitzman (shortlisted by the Children's Book Council of Australia for the 2006 Book of the Year: Younger Readers section) while stocks last.**

- Newspaper deliveries for five days, during a week of your choice.
- The book "Once" by Morris Gleitzman and the Teacher Handbook/Student Workbook "A Week with Polly" will be delivered by mail in advance of the newspaper supply.
- The *Mercury* will invoice your school at the cost of \$30 per kit (unless other payment options are selected). Price includes GST.

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# The Mercury - A Week with Polly

## 1. Complete your school details (please print)

Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_

Position \_\_\_\_\_

School Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address (not PO Box) \_\_\_\_\_

Town/Suburb \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. Specify the number of kits required

Number of kits \_\_\_\_\_ at \$30 per kit. (Price includes GST)

One kit includes teacher handbook, student workbooks, 25 copies of the *Mercury* for five days, and one bonus copy of "Once" by Morris Gleitzman (while stocks last).

## 3. Nominate your newspaper delivery dates

START: Monday \_\_\_\_\_ (Insert month and day)

## 4. Choose a newspaper delivery method

I would like my classroom newspapers **delivered to school**

**I will collect** my classroom newspapers (specify newsagency for collection)

\_\_\_\_\_

## 5. Select a payment option

You can  Enclose a cheque

Provide an order number for an invoice to be sent to your school

Pay by credit card

Visa  Mastercard  Bankcard  Amex  Diners

Cardholder name \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder signature \_\_\_\_\_

Card number \_\_\_\_\_

Expiry date on card \_\_\_/\_\_\_

## 6. Send to our Education Resources Department

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