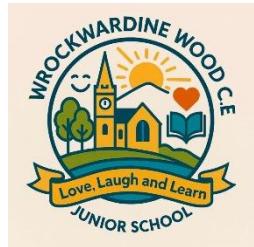


Author of the Month Spring Term



RL Stine

- Born October 8, 1943
- Columbus, Ohio
- His real maiden name is Robert Lawrence Stine
- He started writing at 9 yrs old . He wrote magazines
- And comics before becoming the R L Stine we know today.
- His latest projects include The Nightmare Room book series, and his brand-new book, Beware!



U.S. author R.L. Stine was popularly known for his horror books geared toward young adults, including the Goosebumps and Fear Street series. The unpredictability, plot twists, and cliff-hanger endings of his horror writing relied on surprise, avoided the seriously threatening topics of modern urban life, and delivered to kids what Stine termed "a safe scare."

Robert Lawrence Stine was born on October 8, 1943, in Columbus, Ohio. In 1965 he graduated from Ohio State University, where for three years he had served as editor of the campus humor magazine. After teaching junior high school for a year, Stine went to New York City. He eventually landed an editorial job with Scholastic Books, where he worked for 16 years on various children's magazines.



