



# Bruised but Blooming: The Littlest Daffodil

Real Stories. Real Feelings. Real Growth.

*A Social-Emotional Learning Assembly for Students of All Ages*



## Program Snapshot

Bruised but Blooming is a live, trauma-informed, interactive school assembly and SEL experience with author Leah Stevens. Through story, conversation, and creative activities, students learn to talk about tough feelings, build resilience, and support each other through life's hardest moments.

- ✿ Self-Awareness
- ✿ Self-Management
- ✿ Social Awareness
- ✿ Relationship Skills
- ✿ Responsible Decision-Making

## Format & Booking

- ✿ For Classrooms or Small Groups (35-50 students)
- ✿ Up to four 45-min sessions/day
- ✿ Larger assemblies by special request

## Stories That Heal – Skills That Last a Lifetime

This program is designed to help teachers, counselors, and administrators meet critical Social-Emotional Learning (SEL) standards in a way that's gentle, genuine, and deeply memorable for every child.

## What to Expect

- ✿ A gentle, interactive read-aloud of The Littlest Daffodil—with live discussion, questions, and real talk about big feelings.
- ✿ Simple breathing exercises and self-care tools kids can use any time they feel overwhelmed.
- ✿ Honest conversation about loss, change, and “why me?” moments, tailored for all ages.
- ✿ Practical, trauma-informed strategies to express feelings, seek support, and build resilience through story and activities.
- ✿ Hands-on daffodil art project as a tool for talking about emotions and supporting friends.
- ✿ Open, safe space for questions, sharing, and fostering a sense of belonging.

## Get the Book

100% of author royalties directly to Ella's family to help with medical bills and support.

This book was written for the original “littlest daffodil”, Ella. Ella's bravery through pediatric leukemia inspired this story and continues to shine for so many families facing hard times. Her journey is still unfolding, and her family's faith-fueled hope is the thread that unites our hearts to theirs.



## Bookings and Enquiries

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