

Kean Soo



Kean Soo was born in England and raised in various areas of Hong Kong and Canada. Kean trained and worked as an electrical engineer before moving into the field of comic art. A self-taught comic artist, he now draws comics for a living. Kean is best known as the creator of the *Jellaby* series of graphic novels. His latest graphic novel series, *March Grand Prix*, was just released in the fall of 2015. He also worked as an assistant editor for the highly successful FLIGHT comics anthology and shares his work online as well as in print. Kean is a TD Canadian Children's Book Week author for 2016. He is returning for his second year as a TDSB Writer In Residence.

Kean has been recognized through a nomination for the Will Eisner Award and as winner of the Joe Shuster Award for Best Kids Comic. He has presented at the Toronto Comic Arts Festival held at Toronto Public library, as well as in similar festivals in the United States. He has also led numerous workshops teaching the art of drawing comics and storytelling for children and adults. To find out more about Kean and his books, visit: <http://keaner.net/comics/> and <http://keaner.tumblr.com/>.

