# ‘We’re Going on a Bear Hunt’ with Freddy’s introduction - transcript.

## Freddy:

I’m Freddy and I’m eight. I read Braille but I also really, really enjoy listening to an RNIB talking book. I’m very excited today because I’m going to meet Michael Rosen. He’s the author of ‘We’re Going on a Bear Hunt’ and I love that story.

## Michael:

Hello! Hi! My name is Michael Rosen and today we’re going on a bear hunt. Everybody ready? Everybody ready?

## All:

Yes!

## Michael:

Yes, here we go then. “We’re going on a bear hunt. We’re going to catch a big one. What a beautiful day! We’re not scared. Uh-uh! Grass! Long wavy grass. We can’t go over it. We can’t go under it. Oh no! We’ve got to go through it!” Stand by... “Swishy swashy! Swishy swashy! Swishy swashy!”

And I’m going to stop the adventure there and that reminds us that many books for children are not accessible to blind and partially sighted children, so they miss out on many of the adventures in children’s books. You can help more children join in life’s adventures. Thanks to RNIB (Royal National Institute of Blind People) more children are enjoying books whatever their reading needs. Read for RNIB Day and Walker Books are celebrating twenty-five years of ‘We’re Going on a Bear Hunt’. Your support will help us make sure that all children can access books in the format that they choose. Sign up to take part in your own bear hunt and support Read for RNIB Day twenty-fourteen.

## Voiceover:

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