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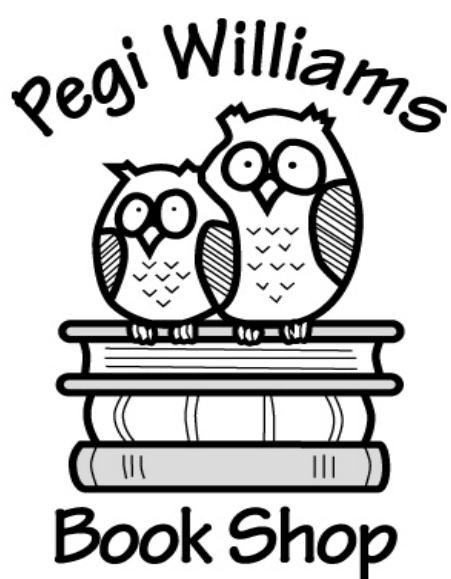
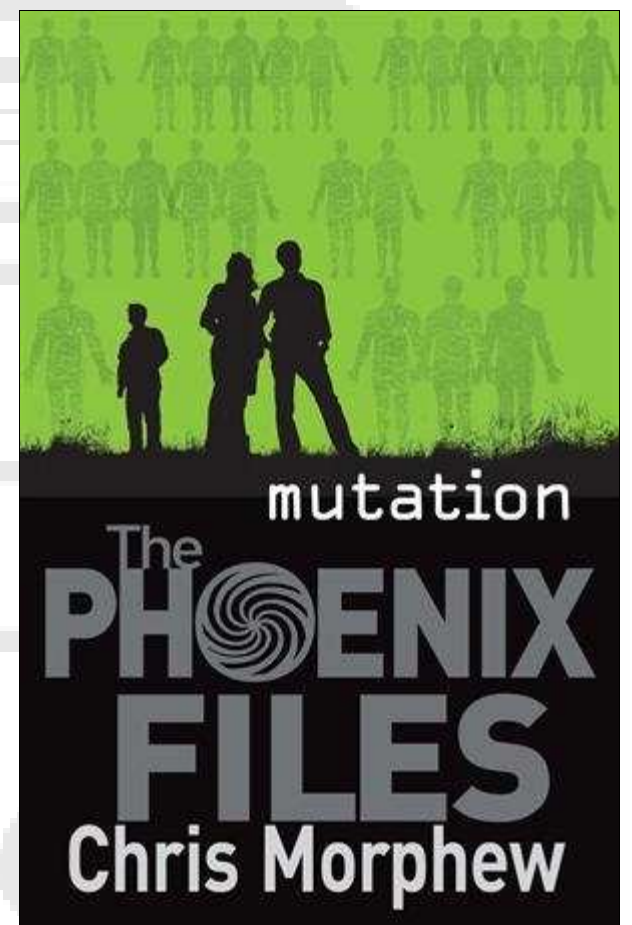
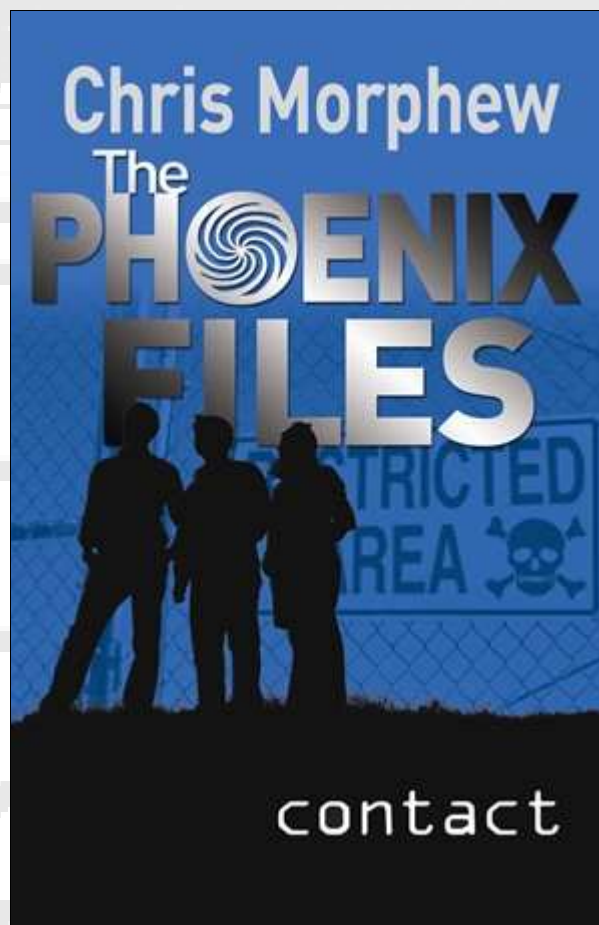
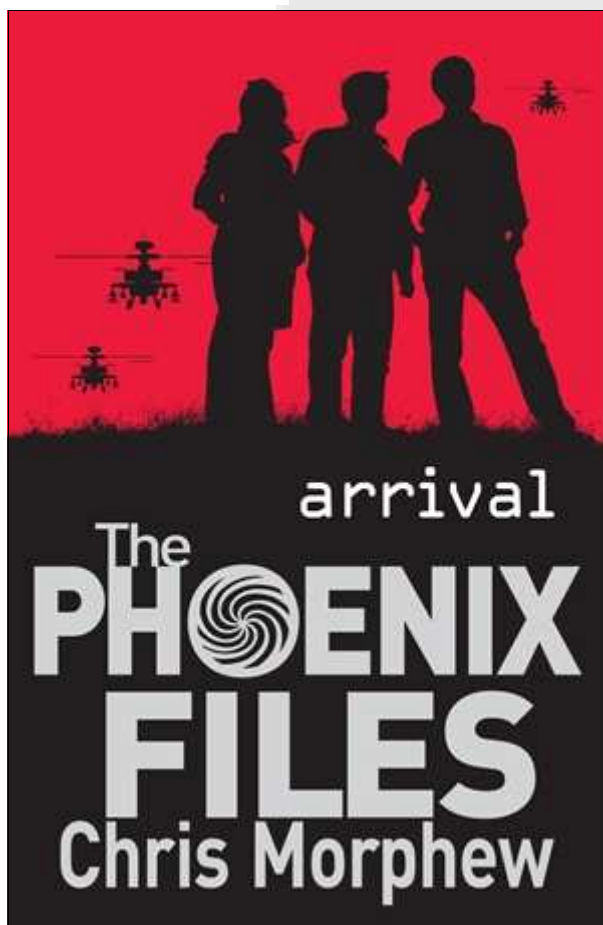
Chris Morphew was born in Sydney in 1985. He spent his childhood drawing comic books and writing stories about dinosaurs and time machines. During high school Chris read a lot of YA Science Fiction, and his collection of all 54 Animorphs books still has pride of place on his bookshelf.

After school Chris did a short stint as a Primary School teacher—definitely the second best job in the world—and then started writing for kids and young adults.

Chris still lives in Sydney and divides his time between writing and casual teaching. He remains a sci-fi junkie to this day, and believes there is no movie so great it couldn't be improved with the addition of a spaceship.

**Chris Morphew's** debut novel, *Arrival*, is the first title in a six book series, *The Phoenix Files*, launched in June 2009. This thriller tells the gripping story of three teenagers who uncover a plot to wipe out the entire human race—everyone, that is, except the residents of Phoenix, a small corporate town cut off from the rest of the world.

The clock is already ticking. There are one hundred days until the end of the world.



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