

## Rationale

From Robert Burns to Edwin Morgan, there is a long tradition of writing in the Scots Language but teachers and pupils often lack the confidence to write creatively and fluently in Scots themselves. Learning more about writing in Scots can have a positive impact of pupils' understanding of language and culture.

## Workshop outline

Scots Creative Writing workshops are available to teachers and S3 - S6 pupils. Each workshop will include:

- an introduction to the Scots Language and its origins
- a series of engaging, easy-to-follow Scots writing exercises
- a guide to Scots spelling
- a bibliography of traditional and contemporary Scots writers
- information about Scots writing competitions

## Outcomes

Participants will:

- learn how to write in Scots
- gain confidence in writing creatively in Scots
- learn about the Scots literary tradition

## Cost of workshops:

Half day	£295	Duration: 2 hrs - 2.5 hrs
Full day	£530	Duration: 5 hrs

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