

Course details

Course title

Creative Writing: Read Like a Writer

Course code

Q00017744

Course date

Start: 04/09/24 End: 02/10/24

Number of classes

5 sessions

Timetable

Wed 4th Sep, 10:00 to 12:00 Wed 11th Sep, 10:00 to 12:00 Wed 18th Sep, 10:00 to 12:00 Wed 25th Sep, 10:00 to 12:00 Wed 2nd Oct, 10:00 to 12:00

Tutor

Nicola Torode

Fee range

Free to £37.00

How you'll learn

You'll join a small group of fellow learners for classes online in video meetings and materials will be provided in our virtual learning environment.

Got it!

Online

Venue

Online

Level of study

Beginners

Course overview

We'll read a wide-range of short stories, memoir and novel extracts from diverse genres and authors. Each week we'll be assigned two texts for close reading before the class. In class, the tutor will facilitate discussion around the techniques used and set a short writing exercise to practice a technique.

Course description

To become a better writer, we need to read a lot: different authors, across different genres and forms. This course will introduce you to a range of texts for close reading to dig deep as to what makes the writing effective. How has the writer considered the reader's engagement? What has the writer set up and how? How is tension felt and interspersed? When is showing impactful and when is telling helpful?

What financial support is available?

We don't want anything to stand in your way when it comes to bringing Adult learning within reach so if you need anything to support you to achieve your goals then speak to one of our education experts during your enrolment journey. Most of our courses are government funded but if you don't qualify or need alternative financial help to access them then let us know.

What other support is available?

All of our digital content, teaching and learning activities and assessments are designed to be accessible so if you need any additional support you can discuss this with the education experts during your enrolment journey and we will do all we can to make sure you have optimal access.

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