

POETRY DAY

This special one day workshop for Yrs 4 and above demonstrates Write Inspired in action and develops a wonderful variety of poems.

During the day you will

- 1. Use the awareness grid to gather ideas using what you can see.
- 2. Develop associative thinking understanding that all ideas can grow by making connections
- 3. Build imagination skills and use that to create metaphor and simile
- 4. Understand how sound can be used to create wonderful ideas
- 5. Build poetry around birdsong and other natural sounds. Create sonic haiku
- 6. Understand and write lambic trimeter and pentameter from famous paintings and personal reflection
- 7. Create an Ode to a raisin
- 8. Perform poetry with original sounds

The day is suitable for 2 classes in a day with approximately half a day each class.

Each workshop will include performances of poetry and these will be recorded and mixed for you.

This is an ideal way to get a taster of Write Inspired. If you book this day and then decide to have a full day Inset you will receive a 10% discount.

What pupils say about this day:

'Was amazing. A whole new way of learning.'

'It's a writing lesson that makes you smile.'

'I've even fought off my monster brain because of you.'

'In a regular literacy lesson you would have none of the truly clever ideas that Write Inspired helps you think up.'

'We were able to inspire ourselves to write something without being told what to write.'