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The day will be chaired by Julia Geddes. Julia is an experienced Head of English, a Senior Examiner for a major examination board and a textbook author. She has published many study guides for both GCSE and A-level students.

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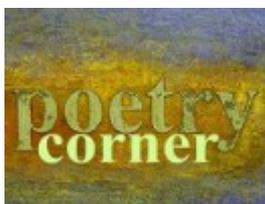


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Tackling unseen poetry, the little picture and the BIG / Neil Bowen



Neil Bowen will explore effective and ineffective ways of reading and writing about unseen poetry and seek to dismantle the myth that poems are essentially fiendish puzzles which readers have to solve to extract a single, hidden 'message'.

An experienced Head of English and a freelance writer, Neil Bowen is the author of a range of books, articles and English resources and a member of Ofqual's experts panel for English.



Write like a genius! / Jennifer Webb



The examiner doesn't know you – all they see are words on the page! In this session you will learn some foolproof strategies to help you write short stories and descriptions like a pro and get the grade you deserve.

Jennifer Webb is an English teacher and Assistant Principal. She is the author of 'How to Teach English Literature: Overcoming Cultural Poverty' (2019), regular conference speaker and teacher trainer.



/ Owen Sheers



Award-winning Welsh poet Owen Sheers will introduce and read selected works from his collections of poetry, inviting questions from the audience.

Owen Sheers is a poet, author and scriptwriter, whose many awards include Somerset Maugham for *Skirrid Hill* and *Blue Book*, and Welsh Book of the Year for *The Dust Diaries* and *Pink Mist*.



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