

Class Title: Spoken Word

Class Teacher: Raina Greifer

Class Description: A collection of workshops that run through writing exercises and performance techniques for young poets. Resources and prompts will be provided through an online platform and students will be gathering weekly to share the work they have created and practice performance

Grade Range: 6th – 8th graders

Supplies Needed: pen and paper, access to Word or Google Docs

More Information:

- Majority of writing will be on students' own time
- The teacher will be posting regular prompts and updates on Google Classroom
- Once a week a virtual gathering of instruction, discussion and sharing
- Suggested 4-week length, with possibility of continuous registration
- For best experience, students start with class on Monday
- Students will have the option of being included in recordings of their projects that would be presented in showcase form on YouTube for students and parents to enjoy

Hours per Week of Activity: 2-3 independent work, 1-hour group gathering on-line

Start Date and Time: Wednesday, June 24, 1pm, goes for 4 weeks

Teacher Bio: Raina Greifer is a theatre maker and performer specialising in production and spoken word performance. She is currently studying Drama and Philosophy at Bath Spa University. In the past she has worked with Lumina Studio Theatres, Artstream and is the founding member of two theatre companies: Purple Crayon Productions (Silver Spring) and Dog Eat Dog (Bath). She was a member of the Bath Spa Unislam team for 2019 and 2020 and has performed at a collection of spoken word events across the South West of England.

