

POP UP FESTIVAL

Multilingual Literature

Bring Literature to Life
with our pilot Multilingual Literature Festival



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Pop Up Projects and Stephen Spender Trust are inviting Expressions of Interest from primary, secondary and supplementary schools in London to participate in a multilingual literature programme in spring 2021.

Pop Up Projects is a children's literature development agency which produces a year-round festival in hundreds of classes across the UK.

Stephen Spender Trust is the leading charity for creative multilingual activities in schools.

Through codebreaking, translation and creative writing, classes will engage with high-quality, accessible and sophisticated picture books and graphic novels in French, Spanish, Polish or Arabic.



Students

- Encounter authentic texts with high-frequency vocabulary.
- Build their intercultural awareness and cultural capital.
- Greater confidence and self-esteem for EAL pupils.
- Can apply these skills across the curriculum - from analysing poems in English to cultural objectives in MFL.

Teachers

- Gain the skills and resources to integrate multilingual creative activities into their classroom practice.
- Increase confidence to work with texts in languages other than English.

Impact

The Festival Package

- **Online workshop** with the the author of your chosen book & a professional translator
- **Teacher training** led by translators to inspire & upskill
- **Resources** to guide teaching sequences plus insights, ideas & practical activities
- **Class sets of books** in chosen languages, selected by teachers from a curated booklist
- **Opportunities** for pupils to learn about routes into higher education & employment through language-learning

The cost to schools is £150 per class - just 10% of the total cost, with the remainder paid by John Lyon's Charity. Visit our website below for full details, to download free sample resources and to sign up.

Curriculum Links:

This programme will:

- "Enable pupils to read great literature in the original language [and] discover and develop an appreciation of a range of writing in the language studied" - **National Curriculum: Languages Programme of Study, DfE**
- Facilitate meaningful engagement with 'Identity and culture' - **'Themes and topics' in the Edexcel GCSE languages syllabuses**
- Achieve numerous SMSC outcomes such as fascination in learning about the world around us, appreciation of the range of different cultures within school, and respect for cultural diversity.

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