Creative Writing - non-fiction, fiction,

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This Creative Writing course examines the basic skills needed to begin writing non-fiction, fiction, scripts and poetry. Learners will work on a variety of tasks to include developing a fictional character and writing a short autobiographical text.
Medway Adult Education offers a range of English courses, which those with lower levels of English might find useful to enable them to make further progress with their creative writing.:

If you are interested in developing your creative writing skills, book onto one of our courses from the humanities and social sciences offer.

PLEASE DO NOT BUY TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT UNTIL YOU KNOW THAT THE COURSE WILL RUN.

Start Date: 19 April 2027
Start Time: 18:30
Lessons: 12
Weeks: 12
Hours: 24.00

Venue
Rochester Adult Education Centre
Rochester Community Hub
Eastgate
ME1 1EW

WHAT WILL I LEARN ON THIS COURSE?

The learning will take place through written exercises, class discussion and reading, Learners will be introduced to the basic techniques of creative writing.

Learners will:
1 Write the outline or plot for a short story or script.
2 Write a 500-word short story.
3 Develop a character description

Whether you would like to learn new creative skills or to investigate the possibility of a new creative writing -based career, MAE Community Learning courses can provide you with a stepping stone to progress

IS THIS COURSE SUITABLE FOR ME?

This first step into writing is suitable for complete beginners

IS THERE ANYTHING ELSE I NEED TO KNOW ABOUT THIS COURSE?

This course is suitable for beginners with little or no previous experience of Creative Writing. There will be a written assignment to be completed each week, these can usually be completed in 1-2 hours, but this can vary.
Please be aware that whilst this course is practical in nature some sessions will include theory and some paperwork form filling

WILL THERE BE ADDITIONAL COSTS?

Learners may wish to obtain books, and some other materials, related to this course but that is optional. The tutor will advise once on course.

WHAT COULD I GO ON TO DO AFTER THIS COURSE?

Your tutor can talk to you about another subject related course available.

Medway Adult Education works with many partners locally such as MidKent College, Medway School of Arts and the University of Kent; information about their courses can be found in our studios, café and on Moodle. Medway has an exciting and wide-range of events, exhibitions and activities to inspire and help you make further progress - please see the community noticeboards in the Rochester Centre and again on Moodle. Your tutor will be able to talk through your individual progression options.
If you wish to explore your learning, work or career options, you can speak to a fully trained careers advisor on 0800 100 900. https://nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk
If you need further advice, please telephone 01634 338400.

WHAT IS THE ATTENDANCE POLICY

Multiple sessions-
To get the most out of the course:

- Try to attend at least 85% of sessions
- Let your tutor know if you will miss a class
- If you are ill or absent, contact: 01634 338400

HEALTH & SAFETY

Health and Safety Disclaimer
By taking part in this course, you understand that creative writing may carry some risk.
You agree that:

- Agree to the ground rules and follow safety guidance from your tutor
- Medway Adult Education is not responsible for personal injury or damage to personal property.
- By attending the course, you confirm that you have read and understood this information.