Year 1/2 pupils – Bedtime Stories

Date of course	Times	Venue	Cost	Max. places	Subject
Friday 15th January 2027	**9.30am – 3.00pm**	**Braeside Education Centre**	**£65**	**16**	**Literacy AGAT**

Course details
What makes a brilliant bedtime story? Come and cosy up by the fireplace with a hot chocolate, marshmallows, listening to bedtime stories and working collaboratively with other story-lovers to list their key elements. Explore different ways of planning and receive tailored support to write and illustrate your very own bedtime story. Don't forget your teddy bear!
This is the perfect introduction to Braeside English courses, providing a deep dive into a familiar genre and an invaluable opportunity to make new friends in a warm and engaging environment.

Guidance criteria for identifying participants

- enthusiastic, able readers and writers with an interest in developing their story-writing skills;
- able to work both independently and collaboratively within a group and in an unfamiliar setting;
- in search of a fun and exciting challenge.

Course Tutor
Louise Lawrence graduated from the University of the West of England in 2002, with a BA honours degree in Primary English (QTS). Her extensive teaching work in a wide range of settings has seen her inspire many gifted and talented pupils for over years. Louise is a passionate and adaptable educator, who has branched out to fulfil key roles such as Early Years Practitioner, one-to-one tutor, school governor, secondary language tutor and youth worker. She is currently a SEND teacher, a drama tutor for a national performing arts company, and a committed grassroots rugby coach.
Louise is a creative individual with a particular passion for language and children's literature. She loves nothing more than to immerse herself in a good book with her own children, and thrives upon the enjoyment of developing children's reading and writing skills across a range of different genres.

As a result of attending the course you will have:

- made new friends;
- developed your reading and writing skills;
- received a personalised certificate of attendance and achievement;
- HAD FUN!

Students should bring:

- pens/pencils/pencil case
- paper and/or a notebook
- favourite examples of bedtime stories to share (if possible)
- a teddy bear or other soft toy (not essential)
- water bottle
- suitable clothing for outdoor breaks
- feel free to wear some warm, cosy pyjamas for the day. This isn't essential and can just wear comfy clothes, whichever is preferred.

Lunch and refreshments are provided. School uniform is not required. No mobile phones.