

Testimonials

I studied the course "Word Works Creative Writing, Prestongrange Museum in 2019/20 ..."

"Matthew was an excellent facilitator and inspired creativity within the group. I also enjoyed the camaraderie and making new friends" - *Debbie*

"Having never done anything like this before I was a bit wary. I joined my friend and met some lovely folk. Matthew's guidance was great from the start. He made me think! He was knowledgeable about Prestongrange which really added to the class. I'm now writing the odd thing after the class has finished. I would say ... if in doubt, DO IT! - *Ruth*

"Matthew's encouragement and skills as a communicator have helped me to produce written pieces in new and interesting ways and have given me a drive to continue writing for pleasure." - *Elly*

"Matthew made the course very interesting sharing his knowledge of the area where we met as a group. He is an inspirational and patient tutor. He listened to the group and advised when necessary. His writing knowledge help to encourage the participants of the group and he instilled confidence throughout. The course was a fun learning experience which Matthew conducted with sensitivity." - *Wendy*

"It was great to be part of an encouraging, welcoming group and helped me feel positive about my writing. Being outdoors and writing about the history and atmosphere of Prestongrange was really inspiring. Walking around the site and getting a feeling for the history and the people who have passed through or continue to use the site really opened up my imagination. Matthew was a great guide and his knowledge of the place added to the experience." - *Jill*