

Literacy through Dance

28 January 2026

1.30 – 4.30pm

Course Overview

Teaching literacy through dance involves using movement, drama, and creative exploration to deepen understanding of texts and develop language skills. By embodying characters, exploring settings, and creating movement sequences from stories or poems, students develop comprehension, vocabulary, and a deeper connection to the material, fostering a holistic and multisensory learning experience that benefits diverse learners.

In this practical course we will explore how dance can help contribute to improving literacy and how we can incorporate this within our lessons.

We will consider different a range of practical ideas and strategies to tighten the connection between practical dance lessons and literacy in education

How Dance Enhances Literacy

- **Embodied Learning:**
- **Sensory Engagement:**
- **Vocabulary Development:**
- **Narrative Exploration:**
- **Creative Expression:**

Benefits for Students

- **Increased Engagement:**
- **Differentiated Learning:**
- **Enhanced Skills:**
- **Connection to Text:**



Important Information

Venue: Papworth Village Hall, Ermine Street, Papworth Everard, CB23 3RD

How much does it cost?

Cambridgeshire Maintained Schools - £93
Peterborough, Academies, Out-of-County & Non-Maintained Schools - £111

Who should attend?

This course is for any teacher in Primary schools seeking innovative approaches to develop dance in the curriculum

Deliverer

Charlotte Cooney – Talent Dance Academy

Other information

Resources, refreshments and certificate of attendance included

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