



Bring brilliant performance storyteller and writer Mara Menzies to your school!

We are delighted to bring one of Scotland's foremost Storytellers on the global stage to Wales for a special week of schools events, for the Scottish Friendly Children's Book Tour's inaugural tour of Wales.

Storytelling is a magical experience that takes people on journeys to familiar worlds and some beyond their wildest imaginations. Mara explores how storytelling can unite people and regardless of where we are from, we can find commonality in our stories.

Drawing on her rich dual heritage, Mara will share stories that enthral, delight and light up the eyes. Her interactive, physical style engages every audience member and enables us to see the true power of storytelling. In her



belief that everyone is a storyteller, children will also have the possibility for sharing stories, through exercises using just the imagination.

Mara has told stories in schools, libraries and clubs across the globe using song, dance and music as well as the spoken word. We hope Mara's events will encourage children in Wales to find inspiration for stories in their own lives and heritage as well as delving into their own imaginations through the magic of storytelling.

Please note, this is an English Language event, and all primary schools in **Wales** are invited to apply for a session on this **FULLY FUNDED** week of school events.

When: 24 - 28 June 2019

Where: Your School!

Age Group: Ages 3-7, 8-11 or whole school event for smaller schools!

Audience Size: Minimum 30

For more information and to apply please follow this link:

http://www.scottishbooktrust.com/learning/teachers-librarians/scottish-friendly-childrens-book-tour/upcoming-tours/mara-menzies

The deadline for applications is 5pm Monday 20 May

If you have any questions about applying or what's involved, please email Thomas Jefferson: thomas.jefferson@scottishbooktrust.com