



University of Brighton

School of Humanities

CONNECTING
POTENTIAL WITH
POSSIBILITIES



Choose **Creative Writing** at Brighton

Here at Brighton, we encourage students to write in a variety of styles, developing an understanding of the art of creative writing across a range of genres. You can study Creative Writing as a stand-alone subject or combined with a relevant area of study.

+ Developing your career

Students are supported to link their critical and creative skills with the wider world at every stage of their course. We work with local writers, publishers and organisations to ensure you have industry insights and opportunities to write for publication.

+ Added experiences

Spoken word events, an online journal, a student-led anthology and assessments will connect you with a range of creative communities and develop your sense of the place and importance of creative writing in the wider world.

+ Be inspired

Off-campus learning will help you engage with ideas and encourage your own creative processes in spaces such as museums, galleries, theatres, archives and the South Downs National Park.



Veneta Neale,
English Literature
and Creative
Writing student

I chose this course because it covered such a wide variety of creative writing genres. Every week I have been thrilled by the diverse subjects that we have worked on. I thought I would be intimidated by the fast pace, but it has helped my writing develop more than I could ever have imagined. The teachers on this course bring so many new approaches to tease out creativity and they are all very inspiring. The guest lecturers have provided insight that I will never forget and will always carry into my creative writing processes.



Creative Writing BA(Hons)

The course is for students keen to apply critical reading and creative skills to innovative writing practices.

Covering a wide range of genres, cultures and identities, you will study techniques and develop expertise in writing that you will then apply to work-based scenarios including publishing opportunities and a module where you will become a writer-in-residence.

You will consider a variety of key texts and be asked to connect your own imaginative work in relation to political, social and cultural theories.

Students are taught outside the classroom as well as in it and our courses have a vibrant culture around them. There are many exciting student societies you can join, and regular open mic nights.

Staff also help to organise activities and every term our Scrivener Series brings in professional writers to read and speak to students about their craft. You will also receive a weekly email digest of competitions and opportunities to encourage you to get your work out there and think about the future.

English Literature and Creative Writing BA(Hons)

This course is for students who are passionate about literature and want to apply critical and creative skills to an innovative writing practice.

You will explore a diverse range of texts and develop an understanding of the techniques involved in storytelling across different genres.

We will support you to think about your writing inside and outside the classroom, and you will engage in specific modules that allow you to work with a community group to develop your writing and reflect critically on your processes.

Our award-winning tutors will enable you to link your awareness of technique, form and style to the craft of writing and consider texts – and your own work – in relation to political, social and cultural theories.

English Language and Creative Writing BA(Hons)

This is the course for you if you are passionate about English language and keen to apply your critical and creative skills to innovative writing practice. This will suit students who are excited about the idea of exploring a diverse range of texts through language analysis and creative writing.

You will develop an understanding of styles and genres of a range of historical and contemporary texts.

You'll also get the opportunity to work with local publishers and writers to further develop your understanding and love of the craft.

An inspiring place to learn

Research informs all our teaching and you will benefit from the insight generated by our staff during their research.

You will learn through lectures, seminars and workshops as well as small group and individual tutorials.

The C21 research group engages across the cultures of writing and narrative, examining the nature of twenty-first century practice.

Tailor your course

In years 2 and 3 you will be offered a wide choice of options which mean that you can further tailor your degree to your individual interests or career ambitions.

Brilliant place to live

Brighton & Hove has inspired novelists and playwrights from John Osborne to Louise Rennison and is home to a thriving literary and creative culture. The city hosts England's biggest arts festival and features in Lonely Planet's list of 10 cities with brilliant beaches. London is less than an hour away by train, and Gatwick International Airport is 35 minutes away.

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