

**“SPEAK THE SPEECH”**

**1-5 day courses - Working with Shakespeare’s words**

This is a timetable of events for which arrangements have been made by the Shakespeare Birthplace Trust. All classes will take place at Hall’s Croft or Harvard House, Stratford-upon-Avon.

The final presentation of speeches/scenes will take place in the garden of one of the historic houses.

-This is a sample programme for reference only.

-Courses can be tailored to suit particular interests and different lengths of visit

-Visits to the historic houses and theatre performances can be added (subject to availability)

-Courses can be adapted to suit all levels of Shakespearean experience.

-Our courses can be tailored for groups wishing to develop work that is already in progress

-Lunch by own arrangements

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**One-Day Course**

Schedule includes:

* Welcome and Introduction
* Scene Orientation
* Scene Development
* Final rehearsal in performance space
* Performance of speeches/scenes
* Reflection

**Two-Day Course**

Schedule includes:

* Welcome and Introduction
* Scene Orientation
* Scene Development
* Music and Composing Workshop
* Working with Shakespeare’s words workshop
* Final rehearsal in performance space
* Performance of speeches/scenes
* Reflection

**Five-Day Course**

Schedule includes:

* Welcome and Introduction
* Scene Orientation
* Scene Development (opportunities to show and share work across the week)
* Music and Composing Workshop
* Working with Shakespeare’s words workshop
* Stage History in the archives
* Shakespeare in Performance illustrated talk
* A Who’s Who of Shakespeare’s Acting Company
* Directing Workshop
* Final rehearsal in performance space
* Performance of speeches/scenes
* Reflection