



National Showcase Conference

From Archives to Action!

**Making folk arts relevant
in schools and beyond**

**Save the date
Wednesday 25 June 2014
Town Hall, Birmingham**

For everyone from the education,
cultural and heritage sectors.

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Join us for an inspirational day of performances, presentations and discussion celebrating high quality folk arts projects in schools.

- Speakers uncovering the inspiration that lies in our heritage and traditions
- Performances from primary and secondary school groups
- Networking opportunities to discuss working with intangible cultural heritage
- Resources for educators to use in their work – freely available online

In 2013 - 2014, nineteen schools (primary, secondary and SEN) across England have taken part in creative learning projects inspired by The Full English digital archive*, led by the English Folk Dance and Song Society (EFDSS) and supported by the National Lottery through the Heritage Lottery Fund.

Projects have been led by professional folk musicians, dancers and storytellers, exploring traditional material from their local area. They demonstrate the successful use of folk arts to enhance learning in the school curriculum: from key stages 1 to 5 (including GCSE and A Level).

For more information and to register visit efdss.org/thefullenglish/showcaseconference

*The Full English is the world's largest digital archive of English folk song, tune, dance and custom manuscripts. www1.org/search/search-full-english

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