# **Useful Links to accompany the Scots Language Award course videos**

The following links refer to resources used, demonstrated or referred to within each video, so some links may be repeated.

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# **Scots Language Award Video 1: Useful links**

The [Origins of Scots video](http://www.amc.lel.ed.ac.uk/resources/scots-language-resources/) (in English and in Scots)

The [History of Scots video and learning resources](https://education.gov.scot/improvement/learning-resources/history-of-scots/)

[Lennie Pennie on Tik Tok](https://www.tiktok.com/@misspunnypennie?) (warning, may have mature content)

[Dictionary of the Scots Language](https://dsl.ac.uk/)

<http://www.scotslanguage.com/learning>

# **Scots Language Award Video 2: Useful links**

The [History of Scots video and learning resources](https://education.gov.scot/improvement/learning-resources/history-of-scots/)

[History of the Scots Language from the Scots Language Centre](https://www.scotslanguage.com/articles/node/id/117/type/referance) – see the left-hand-side for links to the timelines.

[Scotticisms resource](https://digital.nls.uk/learning/scottish-enlightenment/scotticisms/) from the National Library of Scotland’s ‘The Scottish Enlightenment’ site

[Paulo Nutini – A Man’s A man](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0WHIfSjQaUA)

[Paulo Nutini – Auld Lang Syne](https://youtu.be/zFtYKhEwYoI) (with interview)

# **Scots Language Award Video 3: Useful links**

The Scots Language Centre’s [‘Guide to a map of Scotland in Scots’](https://d3lmsxlb5aor5x.cloudfront.net/library/document/Map_of_Scotland_in_Scots-Guide_and_gazetteer.pdf) includes a useful table demonstrating the origin of various place names.

ASL have a [Place-Names of Scotland](https://asls.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/Placenames.pdf) resource.

The online [Dictionary of the Scots Language](https://dsl.ac.uk/) is useful for determining the origin of a word.

The Scots blog, Mak Forrit, has a table of [Scots an ither leids](https://www.makforrit.scot/scots/scots-an-ither-leids/), with audio.

# **Scots Language Award Video 4: Useful links**

Education Scotland's [‘Features of Scots’](https://education.gov.scot/nih/Documents/FeaturesOfScotsJan2017.pdf) resource is designed for teachers. It is invaluable for looking at Scots grammar.

The Scots Language Centre’s [Support and Guidance for writing](https://d3lmsxlb5aor5x.cloudfront.net/library/document/Scots%20Warks_support%20and%20guidance%20for%20writing.pdf) document has a useful grammar section.

The [Scots Syntax Atlas](https://scotssyntaxatlas.ac.uk/) is useful for demonstrating variations of Scots grammar around Scotland.

The [Scots Corpus](https://www.scottishcorpus.ac.uk/) is a searchable database of over 1000 texts containing Scots.

**Scots Language Award Video 5: Useful links**

Texts referred to in Video 5:

* [Buddha Da](https://canongate.co.uk/books/93-buddha-da/) by Anne Donovan

The following texts referred to in Video 5 are freely available for reading, listening, viewing and/or download:

* [The Abdication of Mary Queen of Scots](https://www.scottishpoetrylibrary.org.uk/poem/abdication-mary-queen-scots/) by Gerda Stevenson
* [THE MANNIE & Ither Stories](https://asls.org.uk/publications/books/free_downloads/the-mannie/) by James Robertson
* [Bessie Dunlop, The Witch O Dalry](https://asls.org.uk/publications/books/free_downloads/bessie-dunlop-the-witch-o-dalry/) by John Hodgart
* [‘Old Tongue’](https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p011n2sf) by Jackie Kay (part of BBC’s ‘Blethering Scots’)
* [Scots Radio](https://www.scotsradio.com/)
* [Oor Wee Podcast](https://oorweepodcast.castos.com/) by Susi Briggs and Alan McClure
* [Bella Caledonia](https://bellacaledonia.org.uk/contributor/alistair-heather/) (with various news articles in Scots by Alistair Heather)
* [A Nappie Lassie Blethers tae a Fritter](https://www.scotslanguage.com/articles/node/id/1127) by Martin Travers (short film)
* [The Twa Chrisses](https://www.scotslanguage.com/articles/node/id/1130) by Morna Young (narrated story with transcript)
* [Music by Iona Fyfe and Christy Scott](https://www.scotslanguage.com/articles/node/id/1123)

The Cauld: [The Cauld - Iona Fyfe (Official Video)](https://youtu.be/aFDXfzXoJVs)



# **Scots Language Award Video 6: Useful links**

[BBC Bitesize Literary techniques videos](https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zmfc7ty) (defining terms such as word choice, metaphor, simile, personification...)

[The Twa Chrisses](https://www.scotslanguage.com/articles/node/id/1130) by Morna Young (narrated story with transcript)

[Reading exercises](https://www.scotslanguage.com/learning?section=812) from the Scots Language Centre at [www.scotslanguage.com/learning](http://www.scotslanguage.com/learning)

# **Scots Language Award Video 7: Useful links**

[Scots Radio](https://www.scotsradio.com/)

[Blethering Scots](https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b019jnn5/clips)

[Lennie Pennie on Tik Tok](https://www.tiktok.com/@misspunnypennie?) (warning, may have mature content)

[Scots Wikipedia](https://sco.wikipedia.org/wiki/Main_Page)

[Write Times and Write Times 2](https://www.scotslanguage.com/articles/node/id/128/type/referance) (Examples of writing, including Scots writing, from SQA English folios at all levels)

[Iona Fyfe](https://www.scotslanguage.com/articles/node/id/1123/type/referance) content (including song lyrics) at Scots Language Centre

[TV reviews](https://www.theguardian.com/tv-and-radio/series/tv-review) from The Guardian

# **Scots Language Award Video 8: Useful links**

Education Scotland's [100 Key Words in Scots](https://www.scotslanguage.com/articles/node/id/553) resource:

Scots language Dictionary for schools app [(Apple)](https://apps.apple.com/gb/app/scots-dictionary-for-schools/id940655692)

Scots language Dictionary for schools app [(Android)](https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.sld.ssd2&hl=en_US&gl=US)

Dictionaries of the Scots Language: <https://dsl.ac.uk/>

[‘All that Glisters’](https://www.scottishcorpus.ac.uk/document/?documentid=359) by Anne Donovan, from the SCOTS Corpus

[What is a pronoun?](https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zwwp8mn/articles/z37xrwx) From BBC Bitesize

[Count nouns and uncountable nouns](https://www.bbc.co.uk/learningenglish/course/tgg/unit-1/session-28) from BBC Learning