

## Bus Drop-Off Information at Edinburgh International Book Festival

**Please pass this information on to your bus driver if arranging coach hire to the Book Festival.**

**Please note all Book Festival Schools Event now take place at our new site at Edinburgh Futures Institute at 1 Lauriston Place in central Edinburgh, EH3 9EF.**

The designated bus drop-off for groups attending the Book Festival's Baillie Gifford Schools Programme is at Lauriston Place, opposite George Heriots School. From here you can enter the site via Middle Meadow Walk on Porters Walk or access the venue directly via the first floor side entrance at the Café.

A member of our Front of House team will be available to assist you.

For schools attending Sarah Crossan's Authors Live event at McEwan Hall, please use the signed side entrance on Teviot Place.



You can pull in on either side of the street to drop off pupils and children will be helped to cross the street, if needed, by a crossing guard. There is also a crossing and traffic lights.

Level access to our site is accessible from this point, but if you would like to arrange parking for children with specific access needs please contact us on [schools@edbookfest.co.uk](mailto:schools@edbookfest.co.uk).

As of 1 June, the Low Emission Zone (LEZ) is in place in Edinburgh city centre and may affect travel. Further details can be found on Edinburgh City Council's website: <https://www.edinburgh.gov.uk/low-emission-zone>.

**Any buses that stop at any other point other than the designated point will be asked to move to the correct point. Your cooperation is appreciated and will ensure the safety of school groups visiting the Book Festival site.**