

An invitation  
for parents and carers to attend...

# THE POWER OF PLAY



*in the primary and beyond  
with Kym Scott*

In this conference Kym will highlight how children need and deserve to learn through rich, varied and imaginative experiences, which challenge their thinking, encourage the highest levels of motivation and engagement and enable them to achieve.

 Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> May, 9.15am - 11.30am

 Lerwick Town Hall

9.15 am Opening

9.30am - 11.00am - Why play matters for learning  
(for parents, carers and professionals)

What neuroscience tells us about the benefits of play for learning and the developing brain

Why play and playful learning are important throughout the Primary age range

What does learning through play look like at different ages and how can it impact on academic learning?

11.00 - 11.30 am Coffee and Tea



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I'm an early years and play consultant, conference speaker and course facilitator. I work with educators and leaders across the UK and internationally to help them make sustainable improvements to the care and education they provide.