



THE UNIVERSITY *of* EDINBURGH

Edinburgh Award (Widening Participation Language Ambassadors)

This award is given to students whom the University has recognised for actively working to maximise their impact and excel as Language Ambassadors. These students have volunteered to deliver a language curriculum in local primary schools in low participating neighbourhoods that would otherwise not be able to deliver language provision. Language classes to enhance pupils' understanding of, enthusiasm for, and achievement in, foreign languages, education and the potential of university.

In successfully completing the Edinburgh Award, these students will have been helped to:

- increase their self-awareness;
- make the most of their existing strengths and build new skills/abilities against clear development goals;
- understand the processes involved in having a planned positive impact and strategically working to excel, enabling them to have impact and make a difference whatever situation they are in; and
- look not only at their ambassadorial work, but also to capitalise on their experiences elsewhere to inform and enhance their role as a language ambassador, and vice versa.