

The Belfast Dictionary

WALT – recognise standard and non-standard English

As you learn about how linen was made you will come across several Ulster Scots phrases. Ulster Scots is a Northern Irish dialect that many people still use today. In Northern Ireland we have lots of different slang words that we use that people from other parts of the UK or indeed the world can't understand. In recent years the Tourism Industry has grown in Northern Ireland but sometimes tourists can't understand what we are saying to them! Use the grid below to record any dialect words that we use in Belfast to help visitors understand us better.

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Extension- Write sentences which use your slang words. Sometimes hearing words in context helps us to understand the meaning more clearly.

