



# The Church of Scotland & The 1633 Education Act: My Research

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- **Scotland was the first country to attempt to implement a national public school system**
- **The Kirk played a huge role in this**
- **The historiography does not properly address either of these two facts.**

# My Research Process

**Mr. Bales**

and some  
encyclopedias

**Professor  
Burns**

who specializes  
in British  
history

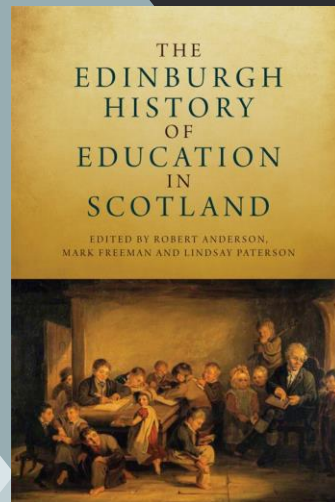
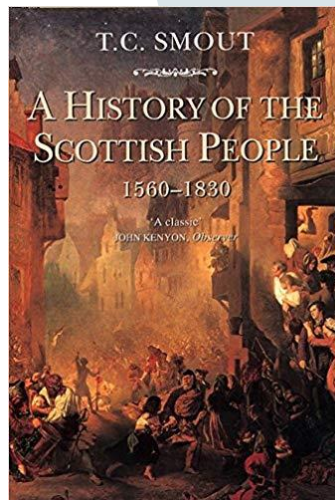
**Professor  
Alison  
Cathcart**

who specializes  
in early modern  
Scotland

“Education in the Century of Reformation”

“Urban Schooling in Seventeenth- and Eighteenth-century Scotland”

*A History of the Scottish People:  
1560-1830*





# Moving Forward For The Research Paper