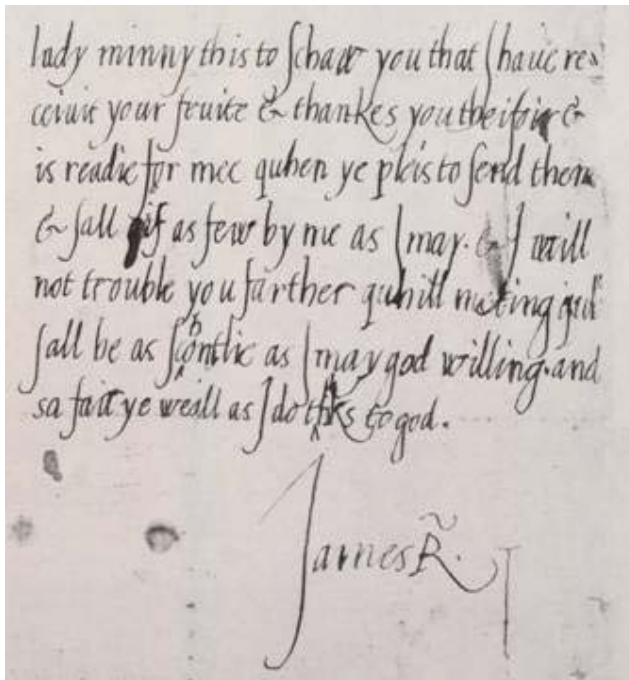


James VI and the Union of the Crowns

Source 2b - Letter from King James VI to Lady Minny, c.1572



This letter was written by James to Lady Annabella, Countess of Mar, when he was about 6 years old.

He refers to the Countess as Lady 'Minnie' an affectionate Scots word for 'mother'. Lady Annabella was a mother figure to the young king.

- ❖ Rewrite the letter in your own words.
- ❖ Try to use a style of handwriting similar to James'.
- ❖ Add punctuation to your version of the letter.

