

Primary Arts Network

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“Thank you for such wonderful support. I feel very inspired and motivated. My confidence to manage the arts in my school has really increased” (Arts Coordinator, Leeds primary school)

The Arts touch all aspects of our lives. They can contribute to raising children’s academic attainment and achievement, support the development of skills, raise confidence and self-esteem, impact on health and wellbeing and be truly life enhancing. Leeds is an ‘arts rich city’ and schools have a key role to play to ensure that every child has the opportunity to experience and benefit from the wonderful range of arts and cultural learning opportunities available to them.

Delivered during the autumn and spring terms of 2015/6, the 2 full day sessions will provide a mix of creative workshops, interactive group activities, inspiring presentations and resources.

This training course aims to:

- ✓ help raise standards in arts delivery within the new curriculum and promote innovative cross-curricular approaches.
- ✓ demonstrate how the arts contribute positively to pupils’ attitudes to learning and engagement in school.
- ✓ provide practical ideas and workshop activities to help with the planning and implementation of arts projects in and across the curriculum.
- ✓ support coordinators who are interested in applying for the new Artsmark and/or introducing Arts Award for pupils.

Day ONE: Friday 2nd October 2015 at Leeds City Museum from 9.30am – 4.00pm

Arts for inspiration and engagement:

Day 1 will help teachers to fully understand their role as arts coordinators and introduce them to the arts and cultural offer in Leeds. Participants will be supported to create a meaningful Arts Policy which will help them to establish a strategic plan for the arts in line with Ofsted and school improvement priorities. Drew Rowlands from CAPE UK will introduce the new Artsmark as a framework for celebrating achievement in the arts and supporting the development of a broad and balanced creative curriculum.

Day TWO: Friday 4th March 2016 at Leeds City Academy from 9.30am – 4.00pm

Arts in and across the curriculum:

Day 2 is a practical day exploring how the arts can support cross curricular teaching and learning. There will be presentations and workshops delivered by lead practitioners in Dance, Art, D&T, Music and Film.

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Cost	1 x FREE place (Additional staff from SLA schools a discounted rate of £150)	£200 per delegate

This includes:

- Two full day training sessions
- Resources and materials to support strategic development in the arts and project planning and evaluation.
- Connecting schools with artists and arts and cultural organisations.
- Networking with colleagues and sharing of good practice.
- Refreshments and materials at all sessions.

There will be a limited number of places available, which will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. We recommend that you book your place as soon as possible.

HOW TO BOOK

We are now using the [Leeds for Learning](#) website for all of our training courses. To book a place on this course, please speak to your finance officer as they will have access to your schools account. If you have any questions or difficulties, please contact us (details below).

If you would like to sign up to our [SLA](#) you can find the details on the ArtForms website or on the [Leeds for Learning](#) website. This is a package of CPD and projects designed to support you in the delivery of your arts and cultural offer. You will also receive 20% discount on all our Creative Projects.

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In the event of cancellation by the school, ArtForms reserves the right to collect fees at a rate of: 5 days or more before delivery is scheduled- the fee is waived, 4 days or less before delivery is scheduled - 100% of full fee.