



St. John's CE Primary School

Growing and learning together
Sharing the love of God

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Dear Parents/Carers,

We are excited to be able to offer a fantastic opportunity from the National Literacy Trust to all of our families at St John's.

Around the World in Arty Days is a 6-week course which consists of six sessions that showcase a different country a week, with art and craft at the heart. For example, for Japan- the main activity might be a watercolour of the Sakura, the cherry blossom, using a wash and stipple effect, a chance to use brush art to write your name in Japanese, a tea ceremony and writing a Haiku, collectively, or as individuals, with the reading by the tutor of a traditional Japanese fairy tale "The Green Willow".

The aim of the course is to provide some quality time with your child/ren at school that encourages parents and children to interact, be curious and discover facts and myths from around the world. Each week concentrates on arts, crafts and customs of a different country in the world.

Each session will be held at St John's school 1.15-3.15pm and delivered by Skills & Learning Adult Community Education. The first session is on Tuesday 3rd May and the last, Tuesday 14th June. Families would be expected to attend each week.

Spaces are limited therefore I would encourage you to book via the school office as soon as possible.

We look forward to seeing there!

Yours sincerely

Rebecca Williams
English Leader



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'Beyond expectations for all of God's children'