

FREE KS 1 and KS 2 Workshops (Spring 2008)

Arty Maths **KS1 & KS2**

Art Hour **KS1 & KS2**

Real Romans **KS2**

Victorian Storyquest **KS1**

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Exploring Sculpture **KS1 & KS2**

The Art of Science **KS1 & KS2**

Wakefield MDC Cultural Services Learning and Access team is delighted to be able to offer a selection of **FREE** workshops, detailed below, to local primary schools during the spring term.

The workshops are open to all primary schools and offered on a first come, first served basis. All have a maximum of 35 children.



If you wish to book a workshop, please contact

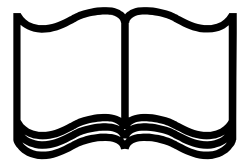
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Workshops focus on specific areas of the national curriculum, however all are designed to develop confidence, creativity and imagination. **Transport will not be provided.**

Workshops at Wakefield Museum

KS2 Victorian Schoolroom Role-play experience – Wakefield Museum

- Morning session 9.30 – 11.30am. Afternoon 12.30 – 2.30pm
- For Key Stage 2 only – max 35 children
- Includes:
 - 75 minute role-play workshop/lesson with a Victorian school mistress
 - Waistcoats, hats and pinafores
 - Time to explore the museum displays with resources provided
- Available dates are: 19th & 20th February 2008



KS1 Rainforest Storytelling - Wakefield Museum

- Morning session 9.30 – 11.30 Afternoon 12.30 – 2.30pm
- For KS1 only – max 35 children
- Includes
 - 30minute interactive storytelling session
 - 30minutes to explore the Waterton Gallery at the Museum
 - 1 hour where children can make their own animal and look at how animals are adapted to survive in their own environments.
- This workshop focuses on the national curriculum areas for KS1 Science Sc2 1 & 5.

Available dates : 15th, 16th & 22nd January 2008



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Workshops at Wakefield Museum

KS1 and KS2 History Mystery! (Various Subjects) – Wakefield Museum

This exciting, hands-on workshop allows children to investigate REAL objects from the past and discover the facts about the period in history from which they came. Teachers can pick from the following themes:

Toys, Victorians or Romans

- **Max 35 children**
- **Morning session 9.30 – 11.30am. Afternoon 12.30 – 2.30pm**
- **Includes**
 - 75 minute session with learning staff.
 - Object handling and related learning activity.
 - 45 minute session exploring Wakefield Museum
- **Available dates: 4th & 5th March 2008**



Workshops at Wakefield Art Gallery

KS1 & KS2 Exploring Sculpture – Wakefield Art Gallery

This fascinating workshop gives children the opportunity to make their own piece of artwork inspired by the Sculpture and Architecture exhibition. Children will work with a professional artist as well as discussing sculpture in more detail with the learning team.

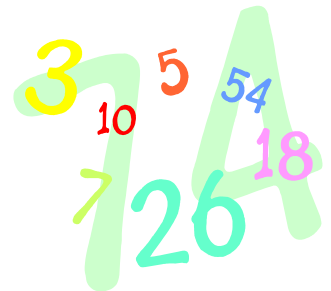
- **Morning session 9.30 – 11.30am. Afternoon 12.30 – 2.30pm**
- **Max 35 children**
- **Available dates and themes:**
- **Ceramics – 21st February 2008**
- **Foil and Wire – 28th & 29th February 2008**
- **Junk Sculpture – 6th and 7th March 2008**



KS2 Arty Maths – Wakefield Art Gallery

This pilot workshop will explore mathematical aspects of art such as angles and measurements. The children will create pieces of art using mathematical processes such as weights and angles. The workshop will also link to work in the art gallery collection at Wakefield.

- **Morning session: 9.30 – 11.30am. Afternoon 12.30 – 2.30pm**
- **Max 35 children**
- **Includes**
 - 1 hour self led by teachers exploring the gallery (Worksheets and resources available on request)
 - 1 hour with a member of the Learning team doing arty maths!
- **Available dates are: 31st January 2008 1st, 7th & 8th February 2008**



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Workshops at Wakefield Art Gallery

KS1 and KS2 Art Hour

Join a member of the Learning and Access team as they focus on original pieces of work in the gallery. This workshop includes fun art activities. Choose from the following themes:

- Portraits • Pattern • Sculpture • Still Life • Barbara Hepworth
- Henry Moore •
- **Morning session: 9.30 – 11.30am. Afternoon 12.30 – 2.30pm**
- **Max 35 children**
- Includes one hour self led by teachers exploring the gallery (Worksheets and resources available on request)
- Available dates are: 17th, 18th, 24th & 25th January 2008



Science Week Activities 2008

The Learning and Access team have developed the following two workshops in conjunction with National Science Week 2008.



KS2 The Art of Science – Wakefield Art Gallery

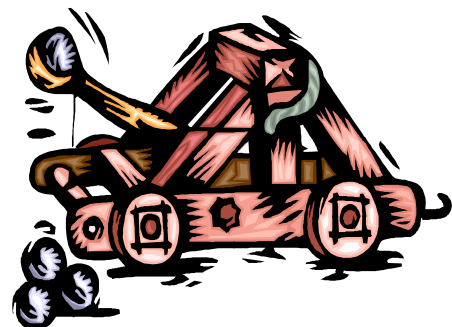
This workshop allows children to explore the art of science through colourful experiments lead by the learning and access officer.

- **Morning session: 9.30 – 11.30am. Afternoon 12.30 – 2.30pm**
- **Max 35 children**
- **Includes**
 - 1 hour exploring the artworks on display
 - 1 hour carrying out art themed scientific experiments
- Scientific principles covered include colour, surface tension, chromatography, chemical reactions.
- Available dates are: 11th, 12th 13th & 14th March 2008



KS2 Crazy Catapults – Sandal Castle

- **Morning session: 9.30-11.30. Afternoon: 12.30 –2.30pm**
- **Max 35 children**
- **Includes**
 - 1 hour focuses on the history of the catapult and other similar inventions.
 - 1 hour involves the children working in teams to make catapults and compete to fire a marshmallow the furthest distance!
- This workshop focuses on the national curriculum areas of D&T, Science and History.
- Available dates are: 11th, 12th 13th & 14th March 2008



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Workshops at Pontefract Museum

KS2 Real Romans – Pontefract Museum

An exciting, interactive workshop that allows children to make their own piece of Roman armour. Pupils will also find out what life was like for the Romans by exploring what the Romans looked like, sounded like, smelt like and even what food they ate!

- Max 35 children
- Morning session 9.30 – 11.30am. Afternoon 12.30 – 2.30pm
- Includes
 - 75 minute learning team led session
 - Teacher led time to explore the exhibition
- Available dates: 29th & 30th January 5th & 6th February 2008



KS1 Victorian Storyquest - Pontefract Museum

This workshop allows children to take part in an interactive story about children in Victorian times as well as making their very own Victorian toy.

- Max 35 children
- Morning session 9.30 – 11.30am. Afternoon 12.30 – 2.30pm
- Session includes object handling
- Available dates : 26th & 27th February 2008



Self-led Visits (without a workshop)

Self-led visits can also be made to any of the following: Wakefield Museum, Wakefield Art Gallery, Sandal Castle, Pontefract Castle and Pontefract Museum. These must be pre-booked in advance by contacting the Learning and Access Team on **01924 305902**. There are a number of teacher's packs available at some sites, and these include a selection of trails and worksheets and pre and post-visit information. **All visits are free during opening hours.**

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