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INSET 2010

‘Coming Up Roses’

Exploring how museums
and galleries can help you
deliver the new primary
curriculum

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'Coming Up Roses'

Are you ready for the new primary curriculum changes? Did you know that Tyne & Wear Archives & Museums (TWAM) can help you deliver on all the essentials for learning and life?

You are invited to join us on **Thursday 25 March 2010 4-6pm**

**Great Hall,
Discovery Museum
Blandford Square
Newcastle upon Tyne**

For a **free** INSET event which will give you ideas on how schools and TWAM can work together to deliver an innovative new curriculum, in and out of the classroom.

This is an excellent CPD opportunity which is not to be missed!

You will have the chance to participate in five hands-on workshops which will explore how TWAM can help you deliver the new programme.

Each workshop will give you the opportunity to talk to experienced TWAM learning staff and have a go at hands-on activities to explore how museums, archives and galleries can work together to support the new curriculum in a creative and a cross curricula way.

Workshop 1 **Scientific and technological understanding**

Develop children's ability to explore and understand the natural and man made world. Using a cross curricula approach children will be able to develop valuable skills. Investigation, communication and creativity are all part of this session!

Workshop 2 **Historical, geographical and social understanding**

The Rose Review states that to fully engage with this area of learning pupils should carry out visits and fieldwork. Where better to do this than in a Learning Outside the

Classroom Quality Badge accredited museum, gallery or archive? Take this opportunity to explore how TWAM can support your pupils in exploring and interpreting the world around them, from the local to the global.

Workshop 3 **Understanding the arts**

Participate in this session and you will explore how the arts can develop original ideas, explore issues and solve problems. Art galleries have always been used to help pupils express their thoughts, emotions and empathise with others, this session will highlight the innovative programmes we can offer.

Workshop 4 **ICT**

We use ICT everyday and the museum environment is no different. Participate in this workshop and you will discover museums, galleries and archives' role in developing pupils' knowledge, skills and understanding of ICT. Plus be the first to try new technology!

Workshop 5 **The Great Museum Safari**

Are you confident in delivering a self led visit to a museum or gallery? This practical session equips you with all the skills and techniques which will

guarantee you, your pupils and assistants get the most out of your visit.

On the day do not forget to:

- Pick up your goody bag full of inspirational resources
- Talk to the experienced learning staff from all of our 12 venues
- Find out more about booking visits
- Try out activities, handle objects and explore the 'Boxes of Delight' free loans service
- Participate in themed workshops
- Tell us what you think at our evaluation area
- Help yourself to reception drinks and food

To book your place at **'Coming Up Roses'** the **FREE** CPD event from Tyne & Wear Archives & Museums fill in the pre-paid detachable slip and send it back to us.

Alternatively email **learning@twmuseums.org.uk**



I would like to attend 'Coming up Roses'

Name

School name

LEA/District

Postcode

Email

Additional Colleagues attending

- Please keep me informed of future Tyne & Wear Museums learning events and resources by adding me to the teacher's database.

'Thank you very much- a very inspiring and useful 2 hours'

KS2 Teacher, Durham LEA