



Welcome to the summer term edition of our schools newsletter. Spring is here at last and we can look forward to long evenings and some warm sunshine!

An Easter Experience to remember

Our three day Experience Easter programme was a huge success as we welcomed 16 schools and nearly 700 children to the Cathedral during March. The children had a fantastic time travelling round the six stations, where they reflected on the events of the Easter story, making Easter baskets and hunting for eggs in the herb garden. Other schools took part in a drama re-enactment of the Last Supper and the Betrayal.



It's a Monk's Life

We look forward to delivering our 'It's a Monk's Life' programme this summer. This hands-on programme makes use of fresh herbs in the Cathedral Herb Garden and more details on these special herbal activities can be found inside.

With Warm Regards,

Juliet Corbett
Schools Officer



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It's a Monks Life

Available summer 2013 for KS1 and KS2 children



Come and experience a day in the life of a Benedictine monk!

A cross curricular day for RE, English, Art and Design and Science, children will gain a fascinating insight into the life of a monk - dressing up, touring the Cathedral, illuminating bookmarks and creating herbal remedies used hundreds of years ago.

Due to the seasonal weather, May to July are the only times when you can take full advantage of the fresh herbs for various activities, including:

- picking and sniffing a variety of herbs
- learning about their ancient properties and uses
- learning how monks used them for medicine and in food
- using pestles and mortars to grind up herbs
- making 'remedies' such as ointments and poultices
- making lavender bags to take home

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How much does it cost?

£155.00 for up to 35 KS1 and KS2 children.

How do I book?

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Find out more

We offer a wide range of fun and engaging activities pupils and welcome over 9,000 children each year!

You can find out more on our school resources by visiting:

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Can't come to us? We can come to you!

Most of our projects can be delivered at your school, giving you a taste of the Cathedral in the classroom!

FREE assemblies are also available to schools within a 10 mile radius of the Cathedral

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