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Headteachers of all West Norfolk LEA First, First and Middle, Middle, Infant, Primary and Special Schools and **Heads of Departments** for Art, Music, Dance and Drama in West Norfolk LEA Secondary Schools

Dear Colleague

Norfolk Education Advisory Service wishes to facilitate the development of Primary and Secondary teachers' Arts networks in West Norfolk. Norfolk Teachers' Networks in Art Music Dance and Drama have been established over the last term. Norfolk Teachers Media and Special Schools Arts Networks will be established (initially in Norwich) during Summer 2001.

The Art, Music, Dance and Drama Teachers Network meetings so far have been held in Norwich and of course this has presented difficulties for some teachers who live in the West of Norfolk. It has therefore been decided to offer additional general Arts Network Meetings for both Primary and Secondary teachers at West Norfolk Teachers Centre. If demand is sufficient then separate subject networks will be set up in the West in due course. Teachers are welcome to also attend Norwich meetings if they wish.

These networks are intended to provide a forum for professional discussion and mutual professional support. The issues explored will mainly be those highlighted by the networks themselves, as of most immediate relevant and importance to practitioners. Sessions will be facilitated by the Adviser for the Promotion of the Arts in Schools and will be held at the West Norfolk Professional Development Centre on Wednesday 19th June for Primary phase and Thursday 20th June for Secondary.

All meetings will start at 4.30 pm and finish at 6.00 pm. There will be tea/coffee available from 4.00 pm.

Yours sincerely

Patrice Baldwin,

Patrice Baldwin Adviser for the Promotion of the Arts in Schools

Please complete the form below and return it by 10th June 2002 to:

Joy Smiley Norfolk Education Advisory Service Professional Development Centre Woodside Road Norwich NR7 9QL

Name		
School		

I will/will not be attending the meeting at King's Lynn on 19th June/20th June 2002