



10 January 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

Taster Tuesdays at King Edward VI School

We would like to tell you about an exciting opportunity for your child to take part in a number of after-school enrichment activities in the Spring Term at King Edward VI School.

Our 'Taster Tuesdays' activities will provide further opportunities to become familiar with our school. We have organised a programme of five free after-school activities for primary school pupils currently in Year 5. These will run for five weeks beginning Tuesday 23 January 2024.

The activities your child can take part in are:

Art	Exploration of Natural Forms Come and explore the natural environment using a range of art making materials and techniques.
English	Treasure Island Can you crack the pirate punctuation code? Can you read between the lines to find the pieces of eight? Can you work as a band of pirates to solve the mystery of the buried treasure? This session will get you to use your English skills to piece together the lost treasure map and help you to locate the precious gems.
Drama	'All the World's a Stage' Students will practically explore Shakespeare's seven ages of man and devise a short performance.
Modern Foreign Languages	French numbers & Colours Learning French numbers and colours through games.
Science	Are you interested in science? Come and enjoy some science practical fun in our school laboratories.

The dates of the sessions available to your child are listed in the table below. Children may make their preference, each of which will run for one week. The sessions will run from 4.30 – 5.30pm at King Edward VI School and parents will be required to drop off and collect their children. Limited parking is available on the school site via the Spring Lane entrance. Please do not arrive before 4.15pm as parking is very limited on the school site until that time. You may park off site on the surrounding residential roads but be aware that parking restrictions do apply to some roads.

Places on these activities are strictly limited and will be allocated on a first-come/first-served basis. If you have any questions concerning bookings please contact Mrs Dunning on 01284 761393 ext 252 or email dd@king-ed.suffolk.sch.uk

We will contact you again to confirm whether we are able to offer your child a place on our 'Taster Tuesday' sessions.

Each activity runs for one week and you will have the choice of:	
Tuesday 23 January 2024	English or Modern Foreign Languages
Tuesday 30 January 2024	Art or Modern Foreign Languages
Tuesday 6 February 2024	Science
Tuesday 27 February 2024	English
Tuesday 5 March 2024	Drama or Science

If you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact me directly.

Yours faithfully



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Please return to Debbie Dunning at King Edward VI School, Grove Road, Bury St Edmunds, IP33 3BH by Tuesday 16 January 2024 or email a scanned copy of the form to dd@king-ed.suffolk.sch.uk.

‘Year 5 Taster Tuesdays’ 2024

Pupil name Current school

I would like to book the following sessions:
Please tick your preference. Your child may attend as many Tuesdays as they wish. We will offer as many of their selections as the demand allows.

Tuesday 23 January 2024	1st preference	2nd preference
English		
Modern Foreign Languages		

Tuesday 30 January 2024	1st preference	2nd preference
Art		
Modern Foreign Languages		

Tuesday 6 February 2024	1st preference	
Science		

Tuesday 27 February 2024	1st preference	
English		

Tuesday 5 March 2024	1st preference	2nd preference
Drama		
Science		

I understand that I will be responsible for transport.

Emergency contact telephone number

Email address

Any medical conditions/allergies.....

I **do** give consent for you to take photos or video my son/daughter at ‘Taster Tuesdays’. These images may be used on Facebook, Twitter and in other school promotional material. You have the right to withdraw your consent, but you must do so before the first session by Monday 22 January 2024 (please tick if you **do** give consent).

I **do not** agree (please tick if you give **do not** give consent).

Signed Date

Parent name