



2015-16 projects kick off!

After a busy summer of finalising scripts and workbooks, and getting supplies together, the beginning of September sees 12 projects start at 5 schools in North London, Hertfordshire and Oxford. Each of the 365 children in the Year 6 classes involved will be designing and making their own marionette over the coming term, then tackling set design after Christmas before moving onto rehearsing and performing their show. Over the next few weeks, they will read the script and start making the heads before moving on to hands, feet and costumes.



YPPT supplies on their way to schools!

Schools hosting YPPT projects 2015-16

Orchard Meadow Primary School, Oxford (two projects)

Churchfield Primary School, Enfield (three projects)

The Orion Primary School, Edgware (two projects)

Houndsfield Primary School, Enfield (three projects)

Highwood Primary School, Bushey (two projects)

New scripts at the YPPT

This month sees the launch of six new scripts, including traditional Indian fairy tale *The Magic Bowl*, by children's author Clêr Lewis, and Ancient Greek myth *Theseus and the Minotaur* by Cambridge classicist Tom Nelson. The other new scripts, which are all being trialled this year at the two Field Federation schools in Enfield, are *Aladdin*, *Snow White*, an adaptation of Shakespeare's *Macbeth* and a Turkish story, *Keloğlan and the Magic Seal*.

Thank you, Wilko!

Many thanks to Wilko, who have donated the end of a range of acrylic paint for use in schools this year. Although we originally approached them to buy up the paint before it went out of production altogether, Mike and the team at Wilko Hitchin were particularly helpful and donated a large box of black, brown and purple paint, sourced from shops all over the country. Thank you, Wilko!