

Studio Cultivate's PlayGreen presents

PRINCESSES, PIRATES, MERCHANTS AND WORMS

Once upon a time in

Ancient China, a princess smuggled a tiny mulberry seed in her head-dress and the world would never be the same again!

Thread your way through time and across continents! Bribe, battle and barter along The Ancient Silk Road meeting infamous seafarers, canny merchants, confused Roman polymaths and one humble worm as you unfold the stories around history's most incredible fabric!

In this workshop we uncover the astonishing methods of silk production, use artistic flair to create beautiful silk flags and learn the secrets of stratification to help you successfully grow your own Morus Alba Mulberry plant at home.

PlayGreen is an exciting hybrid of outdoor theatre and garden exploration that uses plants, animals and the natural world as a means to explore stories old and new. A vibrant mash-up of performance, play and participation!

A typical Play Green event can include botany, history, literature, science, maths, art, physical education and drama. Something for everyone! As well as a day packed full of adventure, each participant will leave with a take-home element as a memento of the day.

For more information please visit

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Curricular Level:

Whilst PlayGreen workshops are written and delivered in a fun and inclusive manner, offering learning opportunies to a wide range of ages, this workshop is primarily aimed at Key Stages I+II.

"PlayGreen - The holy grail of cross-curricular education"

Michael Holland - Head of Education, Chelsea Physic Garden

