



**Lees Brook
Academy**

Tuesday 18th July 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

Arts Award Silver Twilight 22/23

I'm writing to invite your child to join me in a Twilight Arts Award Silver class every Monday from 3-5pm next academic year. It is with this in mind and as Dance will not be in the Year 9 curriculum next year, I would like to offer this to help maintain and build physical, technical and expressive skills in preparation for GCSE Dance in Year 10/11.

Silver Arts Award gives young people the chance to take on an artistic challenge and a leadership role too. As well as being about creativity, it's about becoming a reviewer, researcher and project manager. Participants build a broad range of transferable skills as they complete their portfolio and gain a Level 2 qualification.

There are two strands to Silver Arts Award – one focusing on artistic practice and the other on arts leadership. Completing both successfully requires teamwork and independence, creativity and critical thinking, leadership and collaboration, confidence and communication.

The Arts Award Silver is a recognised qualification from Trinity College London and is highly regarded. This will be a great achievement adding to their success of future GCSE results. If you would like to visit their website to learn more about this qualification please see the link below:

<https://www.artsaward.org.uk/site/?id=66>

To express interest in your child completing this certification next year please complete the forms document attached.

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=iQyZI2eu_EqHzkcMI6_rNzYs8k3yCOpPm6eysMLaFvBUQVgwMExLR1BORVBWVEVUSzFITkIMSTFWSi4u

Kind regards,
Marie Wagg

Teacher of Dance/ Arts Award Co-ordinator