

Free fun

Shape the World with OKIDO

Daily, 12 – 20 Feb
Free your imagination with a giant free-play game of Tangram for you and your kids. Ages 2 – 11



Crafty Cartoons with Bino & Fino

Sat 12 Feb
Watch, craft, then dance as the curious cartoon duo inspire kids to follow their curiosity. All ages

Fun DMC

Sun 13 Feb
Walk this way for a party of child-friendly hip-hop, funk and disco anthems. All ages

ZooNation Youth Company's Hip-Hop Half-Term

Wed 16 Feb
Bust a move in this family-friendly day of hip-hop dancing demos and workshops. Ages 5+



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Under-5s

Slumber Stories

Wed 9 & Thu 10 Feb
Drift into a calm and mindful night-time routine with tales and music from around the world. Ages 0 – 5



intotheclouds

Wed 9 & Thu 10 Feb
Fluffy and soft and bright: welcome to the Cloud Factory in a playful, sensory and highly visual theatre experience for babies. Ages 19 – 36 months



Club Origami

Wed 16 Feb
Rip, fold and scrumple! What can we make with a single square of paper? With dance and live music, Club Origami invites the audience to create new ways of moving and thinking. Ages 2 – 5



And that's not all!
See the full listings and book tickets via southbankcentre.co.uk/imagine

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20 YEARS OF

Imagine



CHILDREN'S FESTIVAL
FOR AGES 0 – 11



12 DAYS OF JAM-PACKED FUN

WITH LOADS OF FREE EVENTS OVER HALF-TERM



9 – 20 Feb 2022



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ARTS COUNCIL ENGLAND



Celebrate 20 years of Imagine Children's Festival



Dive into 12 days of the best children's theatre, literature and music, with plenty of workshops and free fun for everyone.

Draw, write, read, play, sing, dance and create with us. With origami, yoga and poetry, plus theatre, music and plenty of free events and mindful activities, there's loads to do for ages 0 – 11. This is your half-term sorted.



Highlights

Musical adventures

Peppa Pig: My First Concert

Fri 11 – Sun 13 Feb
Everyone's favourite Pig family leads an interactive introduction to live orchestra for the whole family. Ages 2+

Mmm Ahh Whoosh

Sat 12 & Sun 13 Feb
Under-fives are welcomed to a wondrous world of music and animation inspired by our first breaths, hums and gurgles, in a family-friendly gig with Mellow Baku. Ages 0 – 5

YolanDa's Band Jam

Wed 16 Feb
In a live version of her CBeebies TV show, saxophonist YolanDa introduces kids to the joys of music with singing, dancing and playing. Ages 3 – 11

Gaspard's Foxtrot

Wed 16 Feb
The latest tale in the delightful *Gaspard the Fox* series is narrated by the book's author, Zeb Soanes, and soundtracked by the Philharmonia Orchestra. Ages 5+

Enchanting shows

The Dark

Sat 12 & Sun 13 Feb
A brave young boy befriends the darkness in a captivating and accessible performance, featuring vibrant new choreography and live music. Ages 5 – 10

Josephine

Wed 16 Feb
With passion, wit and jazz, this play tells Josephine Baker's story, from the slums of St Louis via the bright lights of Paris and into the hearts of the world. Ages 8+

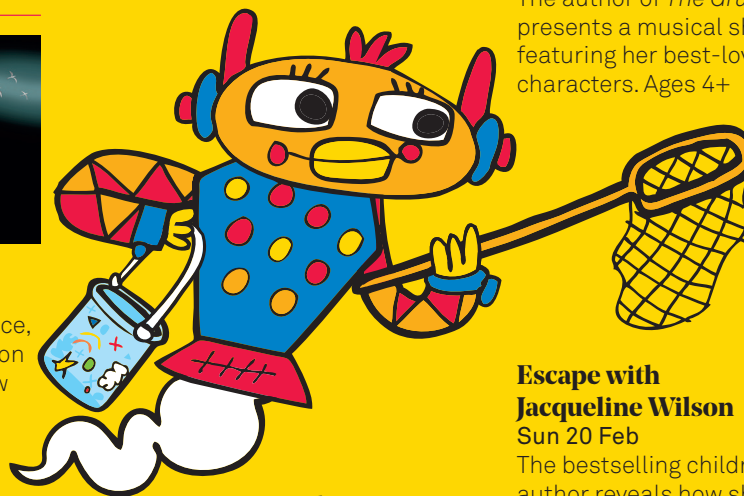


Little Murrur

Thu 17 Feb
Jump into a world of dance, technology and illustration in a heartfelt family show based on a true story of one child's struggle with letters and words. Ages 7 – 11

Butterflies

Thu 17 & Fri 18 Feb
An uplifting tale of friendship, courage and facing your fears, *Butterflies* responds to young children's experience of anxiety. Ages 3 – 9



Growing Up, Making Mistakes and Becoming YOU!

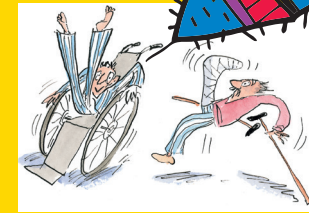
Sat 12 Feb
Rudimental's Leon Rolle and writer Derek Owusu's new book, *About This Boy*, is about finding confidence, being yourself and never giving up on your dreams! Ages 9+

Dive into the page



Julia Donaldson & Friends: A Pocketful of Songs

Sat 19 Feb
The author of *The Gruffalo* presents a musical show featuring her best-loved characters. Ages 4+



A Morning with Michael Rosen

Sun 20 Feb
The former Children's Laureate introduces *Sticky McStickstick*, his moving and inspirational new picture book – a story of perseverance and hope. Rosen also discusses and reads a selection of his best-loved poems and stories. Ages 5+

Escape with Jacqueline Wilson

Sun 20 Feb
The bestselling children's author reveals how she created her most-loved characters and introduces her new books, *The Runaway Girls* and *The Primrose Railway Children*. Ages 8 – 12



Little Poets, Beautiful Voices with Joseph Coelho

Sun 20 Feb
Guess poetic riddles, pull poetic faces and discover how easy it is to be courageous with poetry. Ages 5 – 10

Journey to the Last River with Teddy Keen

Fri 18 Feb
Follow the nail-biting journey of the Unknown Adventurer as they search for a long-lost river. Ages 7 – 12

Adam Kay: A Hilarious & Gross History of The Human Body

Sat 19 Feb
Take a deliciously disgusting tour of the human body with the writer and former doctor Adam Kay. Ages 7+



Access

Imagine Children's Festival includes a wide range of access-friendly events for a variety of needs. For information on accessible events, see southbankcentre.co.uk/access or call 020 3879 9555