



# Aragon Primary School

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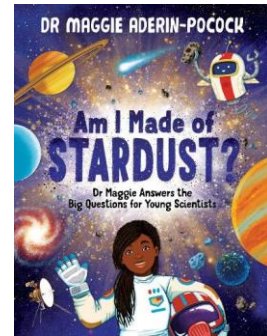
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Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 3 are being offered the wonderful opportunity to attend the Wimbledon BookFest to see BBC presenter and renowned space scientist Maggie Aderin-Pocock, on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2022.

Wimbledon BookFest is a charity promoting arts, culture, and education. Its aim is developing the cultural offering for the locality through provision of an annual arts festival and educational projects with schools and young people. It hosts almost 100 events in its 10-day period and has grown from 1,000 visitors in its first year to over 15,000 with 7,000 school children from over 70 schools now enjoying the festival every year. Any money raised is ploughed back into the festival and its education work with local schools.



The children will be attending the following workshop:



### **MAGGIE ADERIN-POCOCK- Am I Made of Stardust?**

Am I Made of Stardust? answers a range of children's questions about space from how the universe began, how long it would take to fly to a star and what astronauts eat for dinner.

Written in Maggie's hugely engaging style and accompanied by incredible images from Nasa and eyepopping illustrations from Chilen Ecija, the event promises to reinvigorate the subject of space.

Tickets to the event **cost £12.50** (please pay on ParentPay) and include a copy of *Am I Made of Stardust?* The workshop will take at the New Wimbledon Theatre between 12.00 and 13.00 and the children will travel to and from the theatre via the 93 bus with adults from the school.

Unfortunately, we have **only been allocated 40 tickets** from Wimbledon BookFest, so the tickets will be given out on a first come, first serve basis.

Kind Regards,

Adam Gilbert

Deputy Headteacher



Aragon Primary School is part of the Willow Learning Trust in partnership with Glenthorne High School