

Learning Rooms



Rosconn, proud to be supporting Shakespeare's New Place



Since New Place reopened last year, we have welcomed **150,000 visitors** from around the world with a large percentage using the **Rosconn Learning Rooms** for reading or playing with the Shakespeare inspired games.



Over **7,000 children** have participated in activities in the **Rosconn Learning Rooms** led by education assistants or volunteers - this is in addition to the many more who have spent time here reading, playing the spin the wheel quiz or with the building blocks.





3,500 of these were children from primary schools in deprived areas of Birmingham who took part in a special programme called **Museums and Schools** (supported by the Department for Education) in which they learned about the history and archaeology of New Place, and around **600 of the children learned to become guides for the day**. This gave a huge boost not only to their knowledge but also to their communication skills and Self confidence.

“ Children were very focussed and completely engrossed in the arts and crafts activity. ”





The staff and volunteers lead a range of activities including writing with a quill pen, making ruffs, making puppets based on Shakespeare's characters, as well as drama and music workshops.

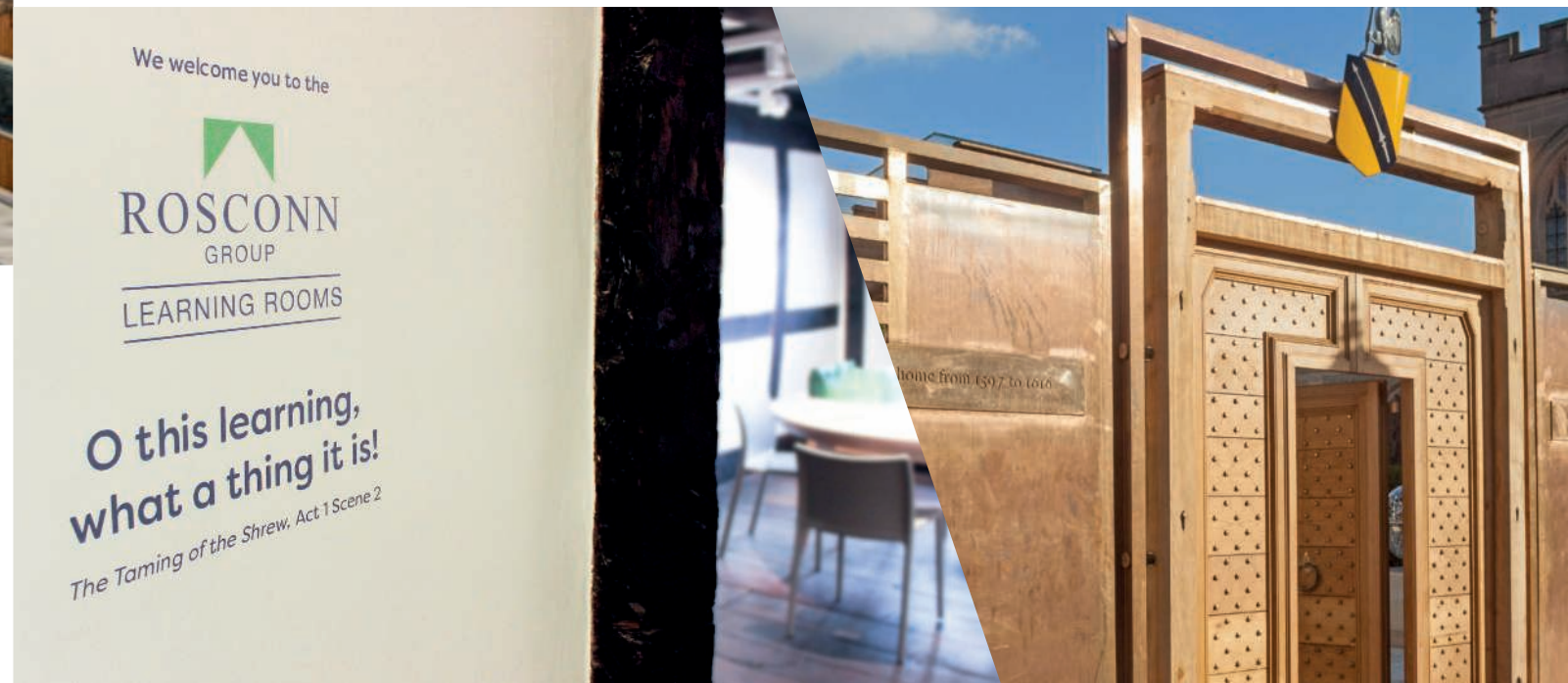
All the activities are designed to give young people an enjoyable introduction to Shakespeare, make learning fun, and break down barriers.

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*Rosconn are proud to be involved with the development of the Shakespears' New Place. The **Rosconn Learning Rooms** are a fantastic way to enable the worlds young folks to be able to appreciate and learn Shakespeare in a safe, comfortable environment.*

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