We Shadows

Calling all Mischief Makers, Dare to Dreamers and Spritely Good fellows...

We would like to invite you to join our magic crew in conjuring up some spells to cast over your hometown and the people who live and visit here.

YOU and other young people of Stratford upon Avon will become the town's modern-day fairies, using your superpowers to have a positive effect.



Use your imagination to create some positive changes for your friends, your family, your town, or the wider world; you can be as ambitious as you like.







You will be pleased to know that young people in Stratford Upon Avon have already begun working on spells and some have even performed them You can see these spells and learn more about the project by looking at our webpages.

Step 1

What is your spell called? Ask yourself, if you had a magic wand, what would you wish for? Describe your wish in up to 3 words — this will be your spell name. The only rule is that the wish can't be for yourself!



Help Box: use this space to write your wishes—think about what would make the world better? Perhaps it's happy smiling friends or a world without waste

Step 2

Let's choose the ingredients to be concocted. What four things would you need and what would need to happen to make your wish come true? See some other spells overleaf for inspiration.

Help Box: use this space to write your ideas here - what affects our mood, behaviour, and actions? Think about - colours, objects, experiences, people, pets, and things we do:

Use your wishes to come up with your favourite. Now write your spell name in the box below.

Spell Name:

Example spell: Love

A giant mixing
bowl and magic spoon to blend up
the following ingredients
#A bellyful of butterflies

#1 hair Harry Styles #2 flushed cheeks

Step 3

Well done mischief maker, you can write your completed spell and its ingredients here:

Name of Spell:

Ingredient 1:

Ingredient 2:

Ingredient 3:

Ingredient 4:

Ingredient 5: ———



A Cure for Climate Change

#2 squirts fresh air #Reduction of carbon footprints #Seeds for change

Goodtimes

#3 handfuls of handstands #A friend sized pizza #4 dancing feet

Visibility

A tourist guide to local life
#1 oz respect
#A bagful of elbowroom
#A red megaphone
#A gallon of space

Be Kind

#A pair of someone else's shoes #1 spoonful squashed rumours #A shower of compliments

Equality and Inclusivity

#Equal measures of care
#1 tsp rainbow juice
#2 blank pages

Happy Being you

#A mirrorful of smiles
#½ cup self-raising flowers
#1 fingerprint

Be Well

#40 winks

#Zest of a warm summer day

#A cupful of calm

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Have you been down to Stratford rec' lately? Have you spent any time at We Shadows? The playful installation by Ruby Road Collective, is part of the Our Spaces Project.

It invites young people (and those young at heart) to lie, sit and dream. There are some spells already created by our modern-day fairies written into the canopy. When the sun shines, the spells are cast as shadows onto the grass below. The piece radiates a projection of the young people's hopes and dreams for themselves, their place and planet. These spells are part of Stratford's new story and this is your chance to be part of that.

Scan me!



To Find out more visit about We Shadows and the Our Spaces Project visit - https://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/ourspaces

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